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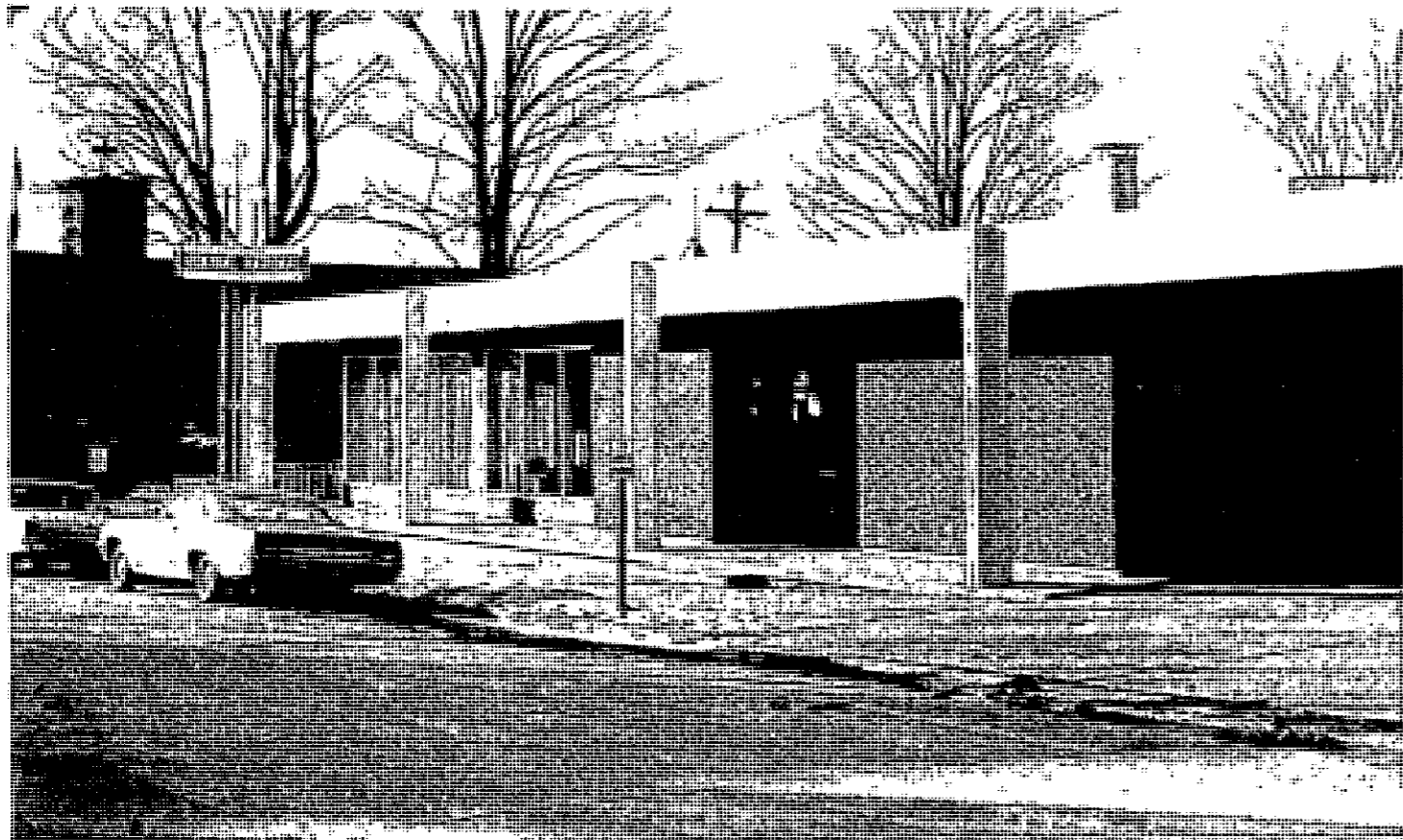
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New Central National Bank's Open House Scheduled For March 2, 3

## New bank's open house set March 2, 3

St. Johns' newest institution, the Central National Bank, will hold open house next Wednesday and Thursday, March 2 and 3, in its new building at Spring and Walker streets.

Tours of the new building will be offered. Coffee and donuts will be served in the new community room of the bank.

The bank has been conducting business at its new location since Jan. 31.

The open house is intended to give bank patrons and other area residents an insight into the operation of the new building. Most of the banking operations themselves are carried on in the main floor.

ENTRANCE TO the new building is through a glass-enclosed vestibule into a large, central open bank lobby. A raised-finish ceiling, consisting of a "check-board" pattern of skylights for natural light and recessed fluorescent lights, is featured.

Surrounding the bank lobby are private offices with glass walls looking onto the lobby as well as the out-of-doors. In the same manner a cashier's counter extends the length of the lobby on the north side. The bank vault and officer's area are on adjacent sides.

THE BASEMENT area of the new bank building houses a spacious auditorium for general town gatherings, civic meetings and other such uses. It commands a view of a sunken, to-be-landscaped court through floor-to-ceiling glass.

Also located in the basement are an employee lunch room with a small kitchen, a directors' meeting room and other allied facilities for the bank employees and its patrons.

The modern interior of the bank is enveloped by an equally modern exterior architectural style. The building sits on a podium with an open colonnade flanking its south, west and east

Sculptured, exposed concrete pillars surround the building to the east, framing a roof covering the drive-in banking area.

THE CENTRAL National Bank opened its doors for business in St. Johns Nov. 12, 1964, and had been located in leased quarters on Clinton Avenue until Jan. 31.

The bank is an outgrowth of the State Bank of Ovid, which was given permission in mid-1964 to

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Old Hicks Building Coming Down

The old Hicks Building on the west side of the middle block of Downtown St. Johns is being renovated to make way for a new D & C store. The top two floors are being gutted prior to tearing them down. Work started last week.



Olivet College Ensemble First Lenten Series Program

## Experts' big corn, bean clinic today

The huge crowd and long lines of cars seen today at Smith Hall in St. Johns will be for the Meet the Experts corn-soybean clinic being held here all day.

Six nationally known agricultural firms are putting on the clinic, and between 850 and 1,000 farmers from all over Michigan are expected to attend. The St. Johns clinic is one of two strictly-Michigan clinics.

THE PROGRAM will start at 9 a.m. today. The speakers and their topics will be Gene Stouffer of the DeKalb Agricultural Assn., "Profit Program for Corn;" Marvin B. Horton, Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Co., "Tractor and Planter Economics;" Bob Dougherty, Allied Chemical Corp., "What Does It Take for 200 Bushels of Corn?;" Irv Pinteke, Amchem Products, Inc., "More Jack From Your Beanstalk;" John Rutherford, Shell Chemical Co., soil insects control; Allen Wilke, Behlen Manufacturing Co., "Conditioning and Storing Your Harvest Dollars."

Besides the talks and a question-and-answer period, there will be display booths around Smith Hall. Farm machinery will be displayed outside Smith Hall.

"There won't be any selling here," one clinic official said. "There won't be time to sell anything except ideas."

DR RONALD J. Weller, osteopathic physician and surgeon, announces the relocation of his office from Eureka to the corner of E. Maple Rapids Road and N. Williams as of March 1, 1966.

## Olivet ensemble to perform Sunday at 1st Lenten service

The Olivet College Choral Ensemble will open the annual series of Union Lenten Service in St. Johns this Sunday at the First Congregational Church.

The Lenten service is the first of six that will be held between now and April 3. Services start at 7:30 p.m. each Sunday night at either the Congregational, Methodist or Episcopal churches.

SPEAKERS during the series include the Rev Everett Francis, associate in the Department of Programs for the Episcopal diocese of Michigan, March 6; the Rev Stanley H. Forkner, director of Christian education and programs for the EUB Church in Michigan, March 13; the Rev Leslie Deinstadt, associate executive secretary of the NA in charge of missions, March 20; Dr Leroy Augenstein, chairman of the department of biophysics and a candidate for the US Senate, March 27; and Rev Keith Avery, district superintendent of the Methodist Church of the Michigan Conference, April 3.

Sunday night's opening program of the series, the Olivet College Choral Ensemble, includes 40 student singers, both men and women. Directed by Prof. Robert Barnes and accompanied by Prof. Donald Foster, the group sings music from all periods and is especially strong in sacred offerings.

THE MADRIGAL singers are a smaller ensemble chosen from the complete group. They specialize in unaccompanied music from the 16th century and in modern songs in the same style.

The choral ensemble has been heard in many churches and schools in Michigan. It annually makes a tour of the New England

area performing primarily in Congregational churches.

A flute solo will be performed by John Francisco of East Long Meadow, Mass. The accompanist will be Irma Thomas of Saginaw.

THE REV JACK Barlow, new minister at the Congregational-Christian Church of Eureka, will preside at the service Sunday. Greeters and ushers for the service will be from the First Methodist Church of St. Johns.

## Local CD training praised; shelter program outlined

Clinton County's civil defense training program is coming along well, a regional civil defense official was told last Wednesday.

Capt. Jack M. Nemrava, deputy director of the Civil Defense Division of the Michigan State Police, told Region 4 Director Warren P. Cleary the civil defense programs in the county are beginning to meet with public acceptance.

CLEARY WAS on a five-day visit to Michigan communities and their civil defense offices. He was in St. Johns last Wednesday to meet with County CD Director Charles Frost and other state, county and city officials.

Capt. Nemrava, who accompanied Cleary on his series of informal meetings across the southern portions of the Lower Peninsula, told Cleary of the acceptance of medical self-help training, particularly in the Westphalia area. And he pointed out that 15 persons out of 19 who enrolled recently completed a radiological monitoring training course.

CLEARY DISCUSSED with the local officials the newest step in the Office of Civil Defense's shel-

ter program—a community shelter planning program.

Local officials attending the meeting were Frost; Sheriff Percy Patterson; Extension Agent F.



WARREN P. CLEARY

Earl Haas; John Settingington, Essex Township supervisor and chairman of the civil defense committee of the board of supervisors; Don Ewing, county road commission clerk; Charles Colletta, past chairman of the board of supervisors; and Rex Sirrine,

vice mayor of the City of St. Johns.

ALSO PRESENT were William Powell, civil defense area coordinator for district 1, and Rudolph E. Mencil, community shelter program officer assigned to Michigan.

"I'm not out to spread gloom," Cleary said last Wednesday in telling of the new CD program, "but we must face the reality that we must protect people."

He said the community shelter planning program is designed to match people and shelters. The US Army Corps of Engineers has already completed one shelter space survey and it is being updated now, Cleary said. It has shown about 5,000 shelter spaces available in the county, compared to a six-year-old census of 38,000 people in the county.

CLEARY SAID that "as a part of shelter planning, we will have a small-structure survey for buildings with a potential of 10-50 shelter spaces. There may still be a deficit, so, at the request of the community, we will make a home shelter survey."

The home shelter survey, if it

## School board aims for 26 new rural school rooms

The St. Johns board of education has decided to shoot for 26 new elementary classrooms in the rural areas of the district, providing a little "elbow room" in the first few years of their existence.

The plan would provide for the addition of three classrooms to each of the East Essex and Eureka schools, and the building of 20 classrooms in the southern part of the district.

THE ACTION was taken Monday night at a special meeting of the board. Members will meet again tonight (Thursday) to get approximate cost figures from high school architect Binda and Associates of Battle Creek and elementary architects St. Clair and Douglas Pardee of St. Johns.

The board Monday night also approved a plan to leave Olive Center School the way it is now. Two new schools will be constructed in the southwest and southeast portions of the district, with a total of 20 classrooms.

THE LOCATIONS or sizes of the new southern schools have not been determined, but the board is expected to make a decision within a couple of weeks as to what size each one will be.

A population study completed by Walt Nickel, assistant superintendent in charge of rural schools, shows a larger school population on the west side of US-27 than on the east side.

The school board based its decisions of Monday night on Nickel's population study. The study showed a minimum need of 23 new classrooms for September 1969, which Nickel pointed out, allows for no growth by persons moving into the district. It also assumes parochial students will attend only kindergarten in the public schools.

NICKEL recommended building 24 or 25 new classrooms, but the board decided on 26 to allow for expected growth.

Nickel's population and enrollment study was done using four different methods, with the results varying not more than 21 students out of over 1,100. His "best estimate," he figures, is 1,160 students in grades kindergarten through sixth in the rural areas by 1969.

Using that as a basis and dividing it by 30 students per room would mean a need for 39 rooms

to house them all. Sixteen rooms are now available at the East Essex, Eureka, St. Johns and Olive Center schools.

NICKEL TOLD the board "it seems desirable to leave Olive Center as it is and to build two new schools in the south part of the district. It appears since the parochial percentage is lower in the East Essex and Eureka areas that seven-room schools should

be built at each place." Chances are the two new southern schools would be built near the geographical center of the area from which students will be drawn, due to transportation costs. The rural elementary boundaries for the five schools (East Essex, Eureka, Olive Center and the two new ones) have not been determined, but Supt. Earl Lancaster said they probably would have to be flexible.

## Associate judgeship post created again

The on-again, off-again associate judge ordinance for the city of St. Johns is on again.

The ordinance, No. 193, was passed by the city commission last Tuesday evening, creating temporarily the position of associate municipal judge. This allows for the appointment of someone to try cases during the vacation absence of Municipal Judge Alba Wert.

A SIMILAR ordinance — it varied only in the number of the ordinance and the dates involved — was passed last year, and after Judge Wert returned from vacation the ordinance was revoked. No associate judgeship was in effect after the repeal.

No appointment of an associate judge was made by the commission last week.

In other business, the commission denied a request for rezoning



St. Johns merchants displaying the "Salute of Values" posters have special values again this week to show customers they appreciate their business. Shelves are supplied with merchandise selected especially for the customer — at prices that save you money. Check the "Salute of Values" pages in today's edition.

ing of property at 210 N. Traver Street to allow the operation of a home for the aged. The commission's action concurred with a recommendation of the city planning commission.

SPECIAL SEWER rates also figured in the business of the Feb. 15 meeting. Parr's Drug Store received a 50 per cent sewer rate based on a city investigation that showed part of the waste water from the property goes into a storm sewer. A similar request for a special rate from Walt Schafer of Schafer's Texaco Service was tabled to allow the city to investigate. Schafer said waste water from the wash rack area of the station does not discharge into the sanitary sewer.

Street grading on West McConnell and West Baldwin Streets will be included in a street program this spring, the commission and City Manager Ken Greer said in response to a request from George Mesh. Herb DePeal of 108 S. Emmons requested assistance from the city on surface drainage on his property. Greer claimed proper drainage for his and surrounding properties would necessitate a storm drain in the center of the block across private properties; Greer agreed to work with DePeal in obtaining further information from the county drain commissioner on the matter.

THE COMMISSION also passed a resolution establishing a bond and interest redemption fund and bond reserve account with the Detroit Bank and Trust Co.

The commission set March 1 as a date for notifying the fire department of a decision regarding use of the city park for the firemen's Fourth of July celebration. Also on the agenda then will be a conference with the city rubbish contractor.

### Fowler adopts \$60,500 budget

FOWLER — A village budget of \$60,500 was adopted by the Village of Fowler at a meeting Feb. 14.

The budget anticipates disbursements of \$26,300 from the general fund, \$17,700 from the water and sewer fund, \$11,000 from the highway fund and \$5,500 for debt retirement.

EXPECTED RECEIPTS for the various funds are \$25,000 for the general fund, \$20,000 for the water and sewer fund, \$10,000 for the highway fund and \$5,500 for debt retirement.

In other business, the village board of trustees appointed Glen Cramer, Arthur Simon, Ellen Spicer and Alice Plino to the 1966 election board, Ernest Halfmann and Roy Dieter are alternates. Julius J. Thelen, J. W. Thelen, Carl Miller were appointed to the 1966 board of review, with Glen Cramer as an alternate member.

The Michigan Press Assn. was founded at Jackson by Michigan daily and weekly newspaper publishers and editors in 1867 — 99 years ago.

### Caucus, primary results reported

Caucuses and primary elections were held in several Clinton County villages Monday, naming candidates for the March 14 spring election.

The only primary election was in Westphalia, where there was a contest for three positions for trustee. Denis Fandel, Robert Hengesbach and William Haneses Jr. won nominations. Fandel polled 71 votes, Hengesbach 93 and Haneses 70. Other candidates for the three seats were Isidor Miller, who got 46 votes, and Stanley Wieber who received 66 votes.

There was no contest in the other offices at Westphalia. Elvan Pohl, candidate for village president, drew 103 votes. Harold Wieber for treasurer got 108 votes, Donald Schafer for clerk got 108 votes and Aloysius Droste for assessor got 107 votes. There were 117 ballots cast at Westphalia.

HERE ARE the results of caucuses in Maple Rapids and Hubbardston, the only two communities to hold caucuses:

MAPLE RAPIDS — People's

Party: Ronald Dean, Lewis Britten and Wendall Blemaster for trustees (2-year terms), Progressive Party: Terry Speer, Francis Cartwright and Nelson Rumsey for trustees. Both parties endorsed the following candidates: Elston Hicks, president; Helen Howe, clerk; Marjorie Rumsey, treasurer; and William Aldrich, assessor.

HUBBARDSTON — People's Party: Albert Cunningham, president; Virgil Tait, clerk; Manual Cusack, treasurer; James R. McGinn, assessor; Robert Baker, Joseph Burns and Edwin Bradbury, trustees for two-year terms. Only one party caucus was held.

HERE IS HOW the March 14 ballot shapes up in the other villages, where nominations were by petition:

EAGLE — Mayme Smith, clerk; Kay Molinee, treasurer; Mrs. Sue Phelps, assessor; and Duaine Murphy, Foster Newman and Mrs. Elaine VanDriessen, trustees. There will also be a proposition to permit sale of liquor for on-the-premises consumption.

Mrs. Ann Burnett, Mrs. Margaret Fish, Mrs. Leona McCrumb and Mrs. Geneva Leonard were appointed election inspectors last week. E. Bard Fish, Ronald McCrumb, William Molinee and Roger Brokof were named to the board of canvassers.

ELSIE — Citizens' Party: Deward Conklin, president; Orpha Clement, treasurer; Alice Blunt, clerk; Stanley Loznak, assessor; Joe Bartek and Woodrow Bashore, trustees. People's Party: Ira Bashore, LeRoy Vincent and Pat Foran, trustees.

FOWLER — Martin Edinger, president, Mark Fox, clerk; Charles Halfmann, treasurer; Earl Frechen, assessor; Vincent Goerge, John Klein and Robert Pettit, trustees.

OVID — Citizens' Party: Clara Tubbs, clerk; Audrey Bancroft, treasurer; Edgar Kelly, Dale Serviss and Joe Michutka, trustees. People's Party: Harvey Darling, president; Duane Chamberlain, assessor; Hazel Dicks, Marshall Monroe and Larry Martin, trustees.

The Michigan State Police identification bureau received 12,329 sets of fingerprints in December, of which 7,519 were criminal and 4,810 non-criminal. Seven wanted persons were identified.



Bannister Dealer Honored

S. W. White Jr. (left), president of Oliver Corp. presents an honor award to Ivan Hofferbert of Hofferbert Oliver Sales in Bannister, while Mrs. Hofferbert looks on. The dealership, one of only 400 dealerships in the United States so honored, was designated a member of the 1965 Presidents Honor Council of Oliver Corp., an honor based on attainment of predetermined goals. Mr. and Mrs. Hofferbert represented the dealership at the Florida meeting of the council in Hollywood-by-the-Sea, Fla., Feb. 6-8.

### Annual Lions' Minstrel show this weekend

The Banjo Bills will headline the 15th annual St. Johns Lions Club Minstrel show this Friday and Saturday as the local club returns to the old-time format for minstrel shows with the interlocutor, endmen and chorus.

The Banjo Bills, a banjo duo who are noted for their ability to play both ragtime and classical music, have appeared on radio and television and many famous location spots. This duo is billed as the banjo team that plays the banjo the way it should be played.

SHARING THE billing will be a number of local acts which include the accordion duo of Lee Shavey and Mike Rademacher, both students at the Rodney E. Wilson High School in St. Johns; little 10-year-old Rita Riley of Owosso who will do a snake dance ballet (Rita is a student at the Carolyn Bohaty School of Dancing); an acrobatic routine by Kim Burek, Jean Bloomfield and Judy Graves who will do a skip rope routine (these girls are also students at the Carolyn Bohaty School of Dancing); an organ solo featuring Rhonda Woodbury, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woodbury, who is a 7th grade student at Central School; and Pat Courser, 14, a freshman at Rodney E. Wilson High and a voice student of Gordon Vandemark.

PRE-SHOW AND intermission entertainment will be by Jean Woodbury at the organ, Julia Silvestri, a student at Rodney E. Wilson will be featured on her electronic accordion. Julia has won many local honors and has appeared throughout the area with her accordion.

JOHN ANDERSON will be the male vocalist. He is from St. Johns and has appeared on many programs locally in past years. The Fowler family with Judy, 18, Jan, 15, Patti, 11, Tom, 13, Pam-

Highlighting the conference was Filson's public address, "Does God Have Influence In This Twentieth Century?" In attendance were 998 persons.

### Bank . . .

Continued from Page 1-A convert from a state bank to a national bank and to change the location of its main office from Ovid to St. Johns. Branches of the Central National Bank are located at Ovid and Pewamo.

DIRECTORS OF the bank are William J. Buescher, Kermit M. Hart, Robert L. Leonard, Stanley P. Ash, Timothy M. Green, Dr. Clifford W. Lambert, Paul W. Nobis, Leon W. Schumaker, Harold S. Beardslee, Robert L. Gumaer, Robert D. Martin, Paul F. Meder, George S. Robson and Arnold M. Schaefer.

Officers are W. J. Buescher of Greenville, president and chairman of the board; Robert L. Leonard of St. Johns, executive vice president; Jerry Sydow of St. Johns, cashier; Robert Furtill of Pewamo, vice president; Robert Thompson of Ovid, vice president; and Clarice Semans of Ovid and Willie Tabor of St. Johns, assistant cashiers.

Director of the show is Ralph Lynam, with Alba-Wert as the interlocutor and endmen Sam Serrell, Duane Davis, Dick Devereaux, Wayne Hicks, Jerry Stone and Steve Hopko. Pianist is Treva Hill and the chorus and combo will consist of Lions members and wives.

THE SHOW will be at the St. Johns High School auditorium this Friday and Saturday with curtain time at 8 p.m. Tickets are available from any Lions Club member and at the door.

### Witnesses' convention over

The St. Johns congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses returned Sunday from their Bible conference at Mt. Pleasant, sponsored by the Watchtower Society under the direction of J. W. Filson, district supervisor for Michigan, Indiana, and Illinois.

### 2 unhurt in crash at M-21, US-27 corner

Two cars collided at M-21 and US-27 Saturday evening. Vincent G. Wilson, 22, of South Lansing Street, R-4, St. Johns, pulled around a stalled car at the traffic light and failed to notice the light for him was red.

His car collided with a west-bound M-21 car driven by Lyle L. Pagel, 40, of 201 S. Swegles Street. No one was hurt in the collision.

Last year Michigan poultrymen received \$33.5 million for the eggs they produced.

### CD training

Continued from Page 1-A reaches that point, would be in the form of a questionnaire sent to each home in the county. When completely filled out, the questionnaire will enable a professional planner to tell where the best shelter space is in a home and how much of it there is.

THAT INFORMATION will be mailed back to the homeowner. From then on it's his (homeowner's) business and his business only, Cleary emphasized. The only information supplied to local civil defense officials will be the total number of shelter spaces available.

Professional planners will be used to determine, from all the information available, where people can go at any particular time, for the fastest and best protection from natural or man-made disasters.

JACKSON AND Calhoun counties have been picked for the first such planning, and Cleary said it was hoped that within 21/2 years it would be under way in all the counties of the state.

Cleary also pointed out that new public and commercial buildings can be planned with shelter space in mind. Architectural service is available at no cost to the constructing agencies, and many times the inclusion of shelter space will not add any cost to the building, Cleary said.

In Michigan over 3,915,000 spaces have been located to provide adequate protection from radioactive fallout. Of these spaces, 1,204,000 have been stocked with fallout shelter survival supplies, which will sustain shelter occupants for a period of two weeks.

IN THE OCD Region which also includes Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, and Wisconsin, Michigan stands in fourth place with 15 per cent of the population now protected by stocked shelters.

"It is vitally important that the shelter program be accomplished to provide the maximum protection for the people," said Cleary. The basis for the shelter program, he pointed out, is the utilization of protective shielding qualities of existing structures.

"It is equally important that communities have adequate plans to provide direction for the population to move to shelter and to plan for the survival of people in communities where there is little or no shelter in large buildings."

COMMENTING ON the emergency role of local-level civil defense and county and municipal governments, Cleary declared that "These units form the backbone of any effective civil defense program." It is in these communities, he said, that the basic work of survival planning and disaster recovery is done. "This has been emphasized by civil defense accomplishments in countless natural disasters," he added.

One of the first things a man learns is that experience can't be bought on credit.

### Bath FFA chapter reports to students on projects

BATH — The Bath FFA chapter put on a program for the students and faculty at Bath High School last Thursday, showing slides of last year's projects.

Dave Allen, president of the chapter gave a talk and showed slides of Higgins Lake Training School. The new officers of each chapter in Michigan go to the camp where they are trained for their offices.

Skip Losey, chapter treasurer gave a speech on dairy herds, which he gave at the public speaking contest at Williamston where he won a silver award. Skip was also master of ceremonies.

NEXT DAN Risch gave a talk on last year's scholarship awards. Doug Brook received this award for holding an A average in his subjects.

Dave Murray gave a talk on the chicken project for this year. The chapter bought the chicks from Amstutz Hatchery in St. Johns. These chicks are a freshmen project in the chapter.

Doug Brook, chapter secretary, showed a film on the corn picking contest held at Adrian. This was the first time the contest was held in Michigan.

GARY DERKE vice president

The FFA chapter also showed slides of last year's projects, with Doug Brook talking on the slides.

THE BATH FFA also put on a demonstration on parliamentary procedure. This demonstration won a silver award at the contest in Williamston.

Jeff Allen the Bath chapter reporter, gave a talk on the nursery project which will start in the spring. There will be various types of trees and shrubbery planted.

The new officers of the 1966-67 chapter, who will take office July 1, are: Jeffrey L. Allen, president; Skip Losey, vice president; Douglas Brook, secretary; Bill Harris, treasurer; Mike Eschtrich, sentinel; Gary Derke, reporter; and Dennis Smith, parliamentarian.

The Michigan sugar beet industry has awarded \$20,000 in scholarships for higher education over the past 20 years. Much of the scholarship money has been for agricultural and home economics students at Michigan State University.

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## Here's what it costs to run county government

If you've ever wondered how much it costs to run county government from day to day, figures recently compiled by County Clerk Paul Wakefield should bring you up-to-date.

Wakefield presented a breakdown of expenditures from the general fund of Clinton County to the board of supervisors at their February meeting. They totaled \$544,875.70 for the year 1965 and were broken down thusly for the various departments and for buildings and miscellaneous areas:

CIRCUIT COURT, \$7,090.31; circuit court reporter, \$5,142.33; assignment clerk, \$6,587.65; office of probate judge, \$19,704.40; office of prosecuting attorney, \$20,654.05; office of county clerk, \$18,433.87; office of county treasurer, \$14,994.08; office of registrar of deeds \$13,444.67.

Abstract department, \$16,439.32; addressograph department, \$6,138.59; office of drain commissioner, \$11,427.01; office of sheriff, \$45,076.36; driver's licensing bureau (seven months), \$5,600.78; jail, \$12,701.59; zoning administration, \$20,643.29.

AGRICULTURE extension, \$17,059.61; county health department, \$18,189.63; probation department, \$3,730.31; county agent, \$3,200.29; friend of the court, \$12,520.78; civil defense, \$5,325.33; equalization director (eight months), \$7,208.30; board of supervisors, \$19,444.55; courthouse and grounds, \$17,647.08; Maple Avenue building (education building), \$5,853.64; social welfare department, \$1,060.90.

Juvenile home, \$26,609.48; livestock and dogs, \$16,426.80; settlement with auditor general, \$34,846.76; justice court, \$17,339.33; coroners \$1,260.40; appropriations by board of supervisors, \$22,475.11; miscellaneous, \$90,579.10.

THE ITEMIZED accountings for each department or use took into consideration salaries, equipment, supplies, remodeling, postage, utilities, travel expense or gasoline, and other such items.

Some of these figures might be deceiving but are necessary for bookkeeping purposes. For example, the major part of justice court expenses (\$17,339.33) was a \$16,310.30 figure representing justices' fees. That money is actually collected by the justice courts from persons fined, but even the fee money is turned over to the county for bookkeeping purposes. It is then reimbursed to the justice of the peace. Other expenses in this particular phase are for officer's fees, juror's fees and mileage, transcripts, supplies and other such items.

Some other departments have similar situations.

### Dairy truck driver cut in accident

Lawrence Cramer, 29, of St. Johns suffered cuts and bruises and was treated by a St. Johns doctor last Friday following a one-vehicle crash on Centerline Road west of Airport Road.

Cramer was driving a Richards Dairy truck west on Centerline when he hit a patch of ice in the road. The truck slid into a ditch and tipped on its side.

### Driver uninjured

Wilbert F. Hersch Jr., 28, of R-1, Muir, was not hurt Friday evening when his car went off Clintonia Road in Lebanon Township and hit a tree south of Cook Road. He told deputy sheriffs he was going south on Clintonia. Snow blowing behind a car in front of him blinded him, and he got into a drift which pulled him into a tree on the east side of the highway.



Grand Knight Jim Fedewa (right) of Council #2890 Westphalia Knights of Columbus, presents a check to Rev Aloysius Miller (center) and fundraising chairman Norman M. Thelen for the council's donation toward St. Marys' new 14 classroom grade school.

## Miss St. Johns contest rules are announced

Everything from a photograph of herself being crowned Miss St. Johns, 1966 to a gallon of paint so she can change the decor of her bedroom will be presented to the girl to be crowned Miss St. Johns, 1966 by the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce this year.

Over \$200 in cash and merchandise prizes has been contributed by members of the Chamber of Commerce. It will all be presented to the girls who enter the contest and to the girl who is chosen queen.

THE CONTEST, which begins with a button sales March 18, will climax during Michigan Week when one of the contestants will be crowned Miss St. Johns by the visiting mayor. Two other contestants will be named runners-up and will serve on her court for the coming year.

Plans are being made, too, if she does she automatically forfeits her title.

PRIZES TO be given to the new Miss St. Johns will be donated by Parr's Pharmacy, Lake's Jewelry Store, Hunt's Drug Store, E. F. Boron Co., Antes Cleaners, Charm Beauty Shop, Rehmann's, Dean Hardware, Woodbury Flower Shop, Glaspie Drug Store, Holden-Reid, J. C. Penney Co. Cambridge Store, Harr's Jewelry, St. Johns Furniture, Western Auto Assoc. Store, Quality Discount, Heathman's Paint Service, Kurt's Appliances, Golden 8-Ball, Clinton County News, Chamber of Commerce, Central National Bank, Mary Frances Shop, D & C Store, Miller - Jones, Julie K. Shop, St. Johns Dry Cleaners and Clinton National Bank.

Rules and regulations governing this year's contest include:

- 1) ENTRANTS MUST be females, 16 years of age or older; attending Rodney B. Wilson High School, single, not previously married.
- 2) Entrants must submit completed "official entry blank" to C of C office prior to March 17, and attend button sale clinic after school March 17 (or make other arrangements if clinic must be missed).
- 3) Entrants must sell a minimum of 25 C of C Booster Buttons at \$1 each and remit all proceeds to the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce, to be eligible for judging in the contest. Button sale begins at noon Friday, March 18, and closes at 4:30 p.m. Monday, March 28.
- 4) Only those entrants selling 25 or more booster buttons will be considered as contestants in the contest.
- 5) Contestants will be judged by three out-of-town, impartial judges at a dinner on Thursday evening, March 31. Judging will be on the basis of: poise, personality, beauty and the ability to express herself.
- 6) JUDGES WILL select one girl to be crowned Miss St. Johns, 1966, along with a first and second runner-up. Runners-up will comprise the queen's court for the remainder of the year. In the event Miss St. Johns, 1966 forfeits her title, the first runner-up will serve the remaining portion of the year. In the event she forfeits her title, the second runner-up will serve as Miss St. Johns for the remainder of the year.
- 7) Contestant selected Miss St. Johns, and the two runners-up, will be named and crowned during Michigan Week festivities by the visiting mayor.
- 8) Contestant must agree that if selected Miss St. Johns, or a member of her court, that she will represent the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce for a period of one year, appearing at public and civic functions when needed, without charge to the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce.
- 9) Contestants must agree that if selected Miss St. Johns, she will represent the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce during the coming year and will not use her title for other private, civic or commercial purposes without the approval of the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce and that

if she does she automatically forfeits her title.

10) CONTESTANT agrees that if selected Miss St. Johns she will forfeit that title if, during her reign, she marries, refuses to represent the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce when needed, allows her title to be used at other civic, private or commercial events without approval of the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce; conducts herself in a manner not compatible to the best interests of fulfilling her role; to be determined solely by the queen's committee of the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce.

11) Prizes. Prizes will be awarded to entrants, contestants and Miss St. Johns as published in the Clinton County News, the St. Johns Reminder and the Wilson Torch.

Girls desiring to enter can use entry forms which will appear in the Wilson Torch (high school newspaper), or they may pick up entry blanks at the Chamber of Commerce office.

### MSU pledges financial help to needy students

Michigan State University has announced that beginning this fall every Michigan resident attending MSU will be guaranteed help in obtaining all the financial aid he can prove he needs.

HE SAID expanded state and federal student aid programs make the aid-to-all policy possible. Increased assistance will come primarily from the new federal Opportunity Grant program, loan funds and guaranteed part-time campus jobs.

MSU students seeking aid under the plan will be required to prove need by having their personal financial statements to the College Scholarship Service, whose analysis will determine the amount of family contribution to a student's MSU expenses.

PRESIDENT Hannah said students will be told they must expect to work or borrow, or both. There will be no "major increase" in scholarship funds at MSU, although an additional direct-aid amount will result from Opportunity Grant funds. MSU is applying for these funds to the US Office of Education under terms of the Higher Education Act of 1965.

Door forced open

Roy Harr reported, a forcible entry into his jewelry store building sometime last Tuesday night or Wednesday morning. The store is at 114 N. Clinton Avenue. The door which had been forced led to an upstairs hallway; there was no evidence of any further attempt to get into the store itself, police said.

## Kent minister 1st Ovid lenten speaker

OVID - The Rev Donald B. Strobe will speak at the Union Lenten Service at Ovid United Church this Sunday at 7:30 p.m. His sermon topic is "Does God Keep Books?" He will also address the youth meeting at 6:30 p.m. on the subject "On Daring To Be Different."

Begun in 1951 by the First Baptist and United Churches this marks the 15th consecutive year these services have been held. The cooperating churches now include First Baptist, Shepardsville and Price Methodist, Middebury Methodist, Bannister and Ashley Methodist and Ovid United.

This year the speakers include, Rev Donald Strobe, minister of First Methodist Church, Grand Rapids, whose sermon topic Feb. 27 is "Does God Keep Books?"; March 6, Dr Paul Elliott, president of Owasco College, whose sermon topic will be "The Magnetism of Christ"; March 13, Dr James Didier, Baptist Chaplain will speak on "The Meaning of the Cross"; March 20, Dr Carl Martenson, First Congregational United Church of Christ, Port Huron, whose sermon topic will be "Is God Dead?"; March 27, Judge Donald Holbrook will speak on "The Trial of Jesus"; and April 3, Rev A. B. Little, Washington Avenue Methodist Church, Battle Creek whose sermon topic will be "Lent, A Time of Soul Searching."

AGAIN THIS year the youth will have a combined meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the Youth Chapel. The speakers will also talk at these meetings. Their subjects will be "On Daring To Be Different," "Capitalizing on Our Crisis Experiences," "Be A Rebel Without A Cause," "Boy Meets Girl," "The Truths That Helped Me" and "The Church and Civil Rights." Refreshments will be served to the youth following their meeting.

The planning committee for these services consists of representatives from each cooperating church. This year's officers are Rev Gordon Spalenka, minister of United Church, chairman; Rev Gordon Showers, minister Elsie and Duplain Methodist churches; vice-chairman, Mrs. Keith Irish, secretary and Mrs. Hubert Hilton, treasurer.

Rev Mr Strobe is currently serving as the senior minister of First Methodist Church in Grand Rapids. He was graduated from Albion College, Magna Cum Laude, with membership in Phi Beta Kappa, in 1955. His major

study was in the fields of history and political science, with minors in English and philosophy.

IN JUNE OF 1959 he graduated from Garrett Theological Seminary in Evanston, Ill., and was granted the bachelor of divinity degree, with distinction. He has served in various capacities on sub-district, district, and conference boards and committees of the Methodist Church, in the areas of missions, education and evangelism.

He is a member of the advisory board of the M. J. Clark Memorial Home. In January of 1964, he participated in an evangelistic mission to Alaska, upon the invitation of the general board of evangelism of the Methodist Church. He is affiliated with the Order of St. Luke in the Methodist Church, and the Wesley Theological Society.

HE HAS BEEN the author of several articles in the national



REV DONALD STROBE

CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, the Michigan Christian Advocate, and Pulpit Digest, in the areas of theology, social concerns, pastoral psychology and preaching. He has been frequent speaker at youth rallies, summer youth institutes, ministers and laymen's retreats, and on college campuses. He is a delegate to the World Methodist Conference in London, to be held in August 1966.

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### Friend of court reports

An increase of over \$84,000 in the collection of divorce support money by the office of the friend of the court has been reported for 1965 by that county officer, Gordon Willyoung.

A total of \$299,000 was collected in 1965, compared to \$215,000 in 1964, the first year of operation for that office. An increase of over \$135,000 has been noted in the two years since Willyoung took over that duty fulltime from the county clerk's office.

"WE FEEL THIS tremendous increase has been due largely to our rigid enforcement of the court's orders," Willyoung said in his recent annual report to the Clinton County Board of Supervisors.

The money represents collections by the office in connection with divorce support cases wherein support has been ordered by the circuit court for minor children.

During 1965 Willyoung's office issued 7,379 checks and a like number of receipts, an increase of 1,294 over 1964. There were 124 show cause orders issued and a sizable number of



GORDON WILLYOUNG  
Friend of the Court

bench warrants, Willyoung reported.

IN EACH CASE, an annual fee is collected by his office and transferred to the county general fund to help provide enforcement of the court orders; the fees amounted to \$2,490, an increase of \$535 over 1964.

#### Purse stolen

Karen N. Wander of Ithaca told St. Johns police her purse was taken from a car parked in the 100 block West High Street Saturday. Part of the contents of the purse were recovered later, but the purse itself and a billfold inside are still missing.

### Chamber active at 2 meetings

The St. Johns Chamber of Commerce will be on hand at two major meetings to be held in St. Johns this week.

On Wednesday Chamber Manager Betty Jane Minsky will serve coffee and rolls and welcome members of the district boards of supervisors when they meet in the Municipal Building. Chamber Secretary Jeanne Knupp will man the registration desk at the meeting.

ON THURSDAY Mrs Minsky will staff an information booth at Smith Hall where some 1,000 people will be meeting in a Meet The Expert clinic being conducted here.

On both days the Chamber of Commerce will provide welcome banners and signs and on Thursday it will also provide directional street signs so the many people attending from the surrounding eight counties can find their way to Smith Hall.

#### New police dispatcher

Mrs Margaret Edwards of 708 Church Street has been hired by the City of St. Johns as a new police radio dispatcher, working on either of the two night shifts. She started the new job Feb. 16. Mrs Edwards has been employed at the Rivard Nursing Home the past four years.



MR AND MRS DALE MARTENS

### Crowell-Martens vows repeated

White gladiol and white pom-pom chrysanthemums adorned the altar of St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Riley at 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 12, for the nuptial ceremony which united Miss Connie Sue Crowell and Dale Maurice Martens. Rev Elmer B. Schiefer officiated at the double ring ceremony in the presence of 350 relatives and friends.

Connie Sue is the daughter of Mr and Mrs George Crowell of R-3, St. Johns. The groom is the son of Mr and Mrs Maynard Martens of R-2, DeWitt.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of chantilly lace over tulle. It featured a sabrina neckline, long pointed sleeves and a fitted bodice highlighted with iridescent sequins and seed pearls. The full skirt ended in a chapel train. Drop crystals on lace secured her elbow-length silk illusion veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of white mums and hyacinth florlets centered with red yuletide roses.

MISS BRENDA Bullard of DeWitt was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Jean Lowe of East Lansing and Miss Janice Crowell, sister of the bride. They wore floor length sheath gowns of red velvet styled with fitted bodices and three-quarter length sleeves. The matching bouffant veils were held in place by red velvet roses. They carried cascading bouquets to match the brides.

Kenneth Crowell, brother of the bride, served as best man. Paul Krumm and Edward Rademaker, brother-in-law of the groom were groomsmen. Seating the guests were Jerry Hopp, a cousin of the groom, of Chicago and Alick Feldpausch, brother-in-law of the bride, of Fowler.

Miss Sandra Dershem, accompanied by Raymond Bergdoll at the organ sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs Crowell chose an emerald green brocade dress with matching accessories. Mrs Martens wore a gold and turquoise jacket dress with gold accessories. They both wore corsages of white hyacinth florlets and red rose buds.

#### Pay taxes now, save 4% fee

All winter taxes for 1965 should be paid to your city, village or township treasurers on or before Monday, Feb. 28 to avoid the 4 per cent collection fee and interest rate of 1/2 per cent per month, except in those townships already charging 4 per cent, according to County Treasurer Velma Beaufore.

The Public Acts of 1964, section 44 states: taxes collected by the township treasurer after the last day of February shall have added a 4 per cent collection fee and interest on tax at the rate of 1/2 per cent per month, therefore all 1965 taxes will be turned into the county treasurer's office on March 1 and all taxes payable to the county treasurer thereafter.

Dog licenses are now available from your local treasurer and after March 1 all dog licenses will be sold from the county treasurer's office with \$1 penalty charged for each dog.

### GOP calls meeting to organize

An organizational meeting of Clinton County Republicans with the emphasis on next fall's election will be held today (Thursday) at 8 p.m. in the Hospitality Room of the Clinton National Bank in St. Johns, according to GOP County Chairman Andrew W. Cobb of Elsie.

Cobb says he feels it essential that Clinton County Republicans of all ages begin building their grass-roots organization immediately with an eye to registering voters and insuring the biggest Republican voter turnout in recent years.

INVITED TO THE meeting are all members of the GOP county executive committee, all Republican township officers, both officers and members of the Women's Republican Club, former county convention delegates, and all people interested in starting Young Republican and Teenage Republican Clubs, says Cobb.

As a matter of fact, any Clinton County Republican who wishes to attend is urged to do so and bring as many guests as possible, Cobb adds.

Also present at the meeting will be Jerry D. Roe, director of organization for the Republican State Central Committee.

#### Water use off during January

St. Johns water users used in the neighborhood of 35,157,000 gallons of water during January, slightly less than during the same month a year ago.

The monthly well operation report showed an average rate per day during the month of 1,134,097 gallons, or 787 gallons per minute. These figures compared with 35,326,000 gallons during January 1965, a rate-per-day of 1,139,548 gallons and a rate-per-minute of 791 gallons.

The peak use day this past January was 1,326,000 gallons on Jan. 20. The smallest amount pumped was 770,000 gallons on Jan. 9, a Sunday.

### Michigan Week work force set

Robert Purtil, chairman for the Clinton County observance of Michigan Week this May, has appointed his work force to assist in the events of the week.

Directly assisting Purtil will be Willie Tabor and James McKenzie, past county chairman.

Community chairmen are Lloyd Berkimer in DeWitt, Gene Stouffer in Elsie, Roman Simon in Fowler, Clifford Saxton in Ovid, Steve Hopko in St. Johns and Kenneth Platte in Westphalia.

TERRY FOSTER will serve as county publicity day chairman. Others are, Rev Keith Bovee, county spiritual day chairman; Charles Halfman, county government day chairman; Hila Bross, county heritage day chairman; Richard Frechen, county livelihood day chairman; Mrs Betty Jane Minsky, county hospitality day chairman; and Howard Woodruff, county youth day chairman.

Robert N. Rue, assistant to the president of Olivet College, is regional chairman of Region 12, which includes Clinton, Eaton, Ingham, Ionia and Shiawassee counties.

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MISS CAROLYN WILLYOUNG

The engagement of Miss Carolyn Willyoung to Richard R. Moore is announced by her parents, Mr and Mrs Gordon L. Willyoung, 15564 N. East Street, Lansing (Valley Farms).

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs Charles Moore of Lansing. He attended Michigan State University and will leave in March for the Great Lakes Naval Academy and active duty with the Navy.

Miss Willyoung is a junior majoring in nursing at Michigan State University.

No wedding date has yet been set.

**Lenten service will begin Ash Wednesday**

St. John's Lutheran Church, US-27 at Sturgis, will begin its observance of Lent with services Ash Wednesday at 7:15 p.m. Holy Communion will be celebrated. An identical service will be held Thursday evening at 8:15 p.m., again with Holy Communion. This pattern will be followed throughout the weeks in Lent.

The theme of the Midweek Lenten meditations will be "God in the Hands of Man." This week "God in the hands of Little Man" will be considered, followed by "Religious Man, Secular Man, Cynical Man, Treacherous Man and Faithless Man" on successive Wednesdays and Thursdays.

The Sunday worship program through Lent will follow the structure of Luther's Large Catechism, moving through the various parts under his theme "That I May Be His Own" Sunday worship will be at 10:15 a.m.

**Handicrafts discussed at 4-H**

The Country Klovors 4-H Klub held their monthly meeting Tuesday, Feb. 8.

Judy Irish presided over the meeting. The flag pledges were led by Don Bashore.

A handicraft demonstration was given by Don Bashore, Bruce Irish and Joe Yoek. Judy Irish and Jackie Pline discussed different types of knitting stitches.

A skating party was planned for Feb. 16.

**Hostess day set for April 1**

The Hospital Auxiliary Board met Wednesday, Feb. 16, at the hospital sewing room. Committees were appointed and plans were discussed for Hostess Day at Holden Reid. The Hospital Auxiliary, the American Red Cross Volunteers (formerly the Grey Ladies) and the Candy Strippers will take part. The date was set for April 1. Funds from this project will be used to buy high-lo beds for the hospital.

Lincoln day favors for patients' trays were made by the DeWitt junior high school. The fifth and sixth grades and their teachers made the favors. The seventh and eighth grades and their teachers supplied the nuts and mints.

Valentine favors were made by the Medical Career Club of St. Johns. Mrs Gertrude Buehler and Mrs Robinson are the sponsors.



MISS BARBARA PERRY

Mr and Mrs Gale Perry of 604 Spring Street, St. Johns, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Jean, to Gary L. Thelen. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Leonard Thelen of W. Second Street, Fowler. No wedding date has been selected by the couple.



MISS RITA KRAL

Mr and Mrs Joseph Kral of rural Ashley announce the engagement of their daughter, Rita Angela, to David J. Beracy, son of Mr and Mrs Joseph Beracy of Ashley. A June 11 wedding is being planned.

Both are graduates of Ashley Community School. Miss Kral is a graduate of St. Lawrence School of Nursing, Lansing, and is presently attending Wayne State University in Detroit. Her fiancé graduated from Central Michigan University at Mt. Pleasant and is now teaching at Clio.



MRS CHARLES BERTRAM

**St. Cyril's Church was marriage setting**

St. Cyril's Catholic Church of Bannister was the setting for the wedding of Kathryn Alice Slagh and Charles F. Bertram Saturday morning at 11 a.m. The bride is the daughter of Dr and Mrs Earl M. Slagh of Elsie and the groom's parents are Mr and Mrs Alfred Bertram of rural Fowler.

Attending the groom was his brother, Michael Bertram of St. Johns while other attendants were another brother, Jerry of St. Johns and Vern Sillman of Lansing.

Michael Slagh and William Bertram, brothers of the couple served as ushers.

The bride's mother wore a powder blue brocaded satin gown with matching accessories while the groom's mother wore rose velvet with matching accessories. Both had corsages of red sweetheart roses and white carnations. The groom's grandfather was a special guest.

THE CHILDREN'S choir with Mrs Frank Winkler as organist sang during the ceremonies and Frank Winkler served as commentator during the entire service.

A papal blessing was bestowed upon the newlywed couple.

A wedding reception and dinner was served in the Slovak Hall at Bannister, immediately following the ceremonies.

Mrs Joe Pontack and Mrs Max Courter were in charge of the dining room and Mrs Mike Martinka, the kitchen. Brenda Stinebower attended the bridal book to record the guests from Grand Rapids, Detroit, Lansing, Fowler, St. Johns, Owosso and the Elsie area.

The four-tiered wedding cake was made and presented as a gift by Mrs Carl Winans and Mrs Frank Winkler. It was topped by a Cross and miniature bridal couple.

THE MATRON of honor, Mrs Charles Bates of St. Johns, wore an off-white floor length sheath with a true red brocaded bodice fashioned with a high rise waistline and three-quarter length sleeves and a panel of red at the back.

The bridesmaids, Mary Slagh, sister of the bride, and Mrs Morning Musicales had Valentine banquet.

"Hearts and Flowers" was the theme of the Valentine banquet of the St. Johns Morning Musicales held at the First Congregational Church when the husbands and friends of the members were guests.

The invocation was given by Rev Gerald Churchill. During the dinner Robert Cox played a flute solo Sonata No. 2 in G Minor by Handel. He was accompanied by Robert Barnard.

Mrs Manning Bross, president of the club introduced guests and presented the South Central Federation of Music Clubs' president, Mrs George H. Brooks and her guest, Mrs W. B. McWilliams and Mrs Churchill.

Mrs Kenneth L. Jones, program chairman, presented the performers who were musical friends.

DAN BROSS sang a group of songs from "West Side Story" by Leonard Bernstein. The songs were entitled "Tonight," "One Hand, One Heart" and "Somewhere." He was accompanied by Mrs Bross.

Mrs Conrad Selm sang "O Heart of Man" by Clough, "Love has Eyes," by Bishop and "Devotion," by Richard Strauss. She was accompanied by Mrs Duane Davis.

Dr Wohlens sang "Out of the Dusk to you" by Lamb-lee and was accompanied by Mrs Wohlens.

Mrs Norbert Rehmann played a piano solo, "Maleguena," by Ernesta Lecuana.

Serving on the committee for the banquet were Mrs Richard Amstutz, Mrs Laurence Fish and Mrs Gordon Iacovoni.

ASSISTING WITH the table service were Sherry Wassa, Lissa Knight, Barbara Warner, Jennifer Keys, Kay Acre, Kathleen and Linda Tomasiak, Linda McAninch, Dorothy Bloomer, Barbara Horak, Pam Loznak, Regina Crosson and Connie Kelley.

The new Mr and Mrs Bertram are both graduates of high school in 1961, the bride from Elsie and the groom, Fowler. They are both employed in St. Johns where they will reside. They plan to take their wedding trip in the summer.

A rehearsal dinner was held Friday night at Daley's Fine Foods near St. Johns.

Ruth Ely hosted WRC Tuesday

The WRC held their regular meeting at the home of Ruth Ely of 501 Church Street Feb. 15.

Ruth Ely, first vice-president, had charge of the meeting in the absence of Anna M. Lake, president.

After the business meeting cards were played. The high prize went to Goldie Lamberson and low went to Millie Abbott.

Minnie Wright served as the hostess.

The next meeting will be at the home of Millie Abbott and Flossie Woodhams of 608 S. Clinton Avenue Tuesday, with Addie McHenry as hostess.

**Cancer program sponsored by Fellowship**

The Women's Fellowship of the St. Johns Congregational Church are inviting all women of Clinton County, interested in the cancer detection program to their Tuesday, March 2, meeting.

Mrs Albert (Audrey) Fruchtl, chairman of Volunteer Activities of the Clinton County Unit of the American Cancer Society, has made arrangements for two newly released cancer films to be shown, "Time and Two Women" and "Breast Self Examination." Each film runs about 18 minutes. The role of the cell examination for uterine cancer as an aid in early detection is explained in the film by Dr Joe V. Melgs, eminent Boston gynecologist. Professional actresses portray an actual case history. The film seeks to help save the lives of 16,000 women who each year are victims of the disease.

The film will be shown at 1:30 p.m. in the Memorial Parlors of the church. Refreshments will be served. Guests may feel free to leave following the film and refreshments. It is the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Fellowship and they will hold the business meeting following the afternoon's program.



MISS CATHY SALTERS

Mrs Carol Vorase of 200 E. Buchanan, St. Johns, announces the engagement of her daughter, Cathy, to Kenneth Brya. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Louis Brya of S. US-27, St. Johns.

Miss Salters is a student at Michigan State University. Brya is an apprentice at Oldsmobile. No wedding date has been set by the couple.

Mr and Mrs Leo Pouch and Miss Shirley Pouch attended the Michigan State Employees Credit Union 15th annual meeting and dinner Thursday, Feb. 17, at the Civic Center, Lansing. Bud Guest of WJR, Detroit, was the main speaker.

**Miss Laurita spoke to Auxiliary**

Miss Hannele Laurita of Finland, who is an exchange student in the Youth for Understanding program and a student at Rodney B. Wilson high school, spoke to the Edwin T. Stiles American Legion Auxiliary Tuesday evening. Miss Laurita is a guest in the home of Mr and Mrs Hugh Eldridge of Meadowview Drive for the school year.

Mrs Paul Hettinger, program chairman, introduced Miss Laurita who told about the people, churches, schools, farms and customs of her native land. She showed many pictures and later answered the questions of her listeners.

The meeting was opened with a patriotic ritual by Mrs Raymond Bell. It was reported that \$117 had been spent for hospital equipment since the magazine drive was finished.

This equipment is available to the public free of charge. It may be procured from Van Hoag.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses Mrs Fred Bennett, Mrs Richard Kohls and Mrs Rhoda Russell.

**Ruby wedding fete set**

Mr and Mrs Wesley R. Hazle of Price Road, R-5, St. Johns will be honored on their 40th wedding anniversary with an open house to be held at the home of their son, George, of 4389 E. Pratt Road, R-5, St. Johns, Sunday, March 6.

Hosting the affair scheduled from 2 to 4 p.m. are the couple's sons and daughters Mr and Mrs Richard Hazle of Hartford, Mr and Mrs George Hazle and Mr and Mrs Charles Hazle of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs William Milford of Westfield, N.J., Mr and Mrs Keith Sheldon of Greenville and Miss Elaine Hazle of Dearborn.

Mr and Mrs Hazle were married March 3, 1926 at Ovid. Their attendants were Mr and Mrs Henry Hoeve of Higgins Lake, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs Hazle.

Hazle is a dairy herd improvement association supervisor in Clinton county.

The couple has 20 grandchildren.

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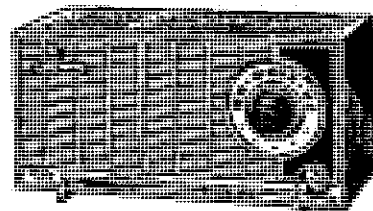
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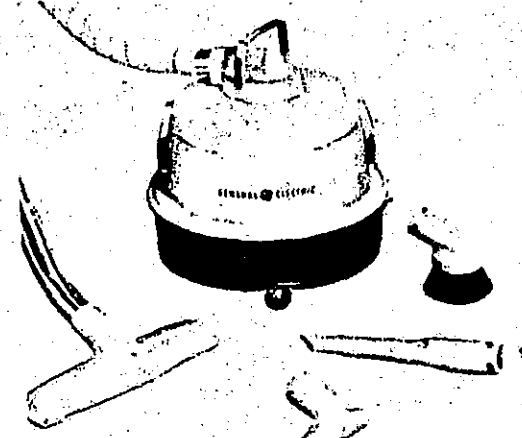
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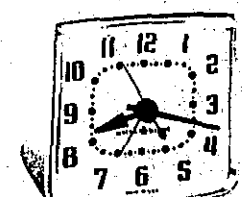
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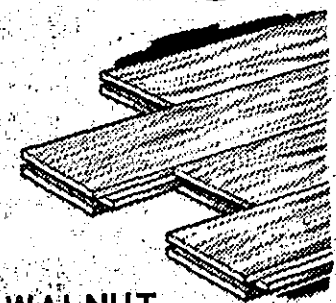
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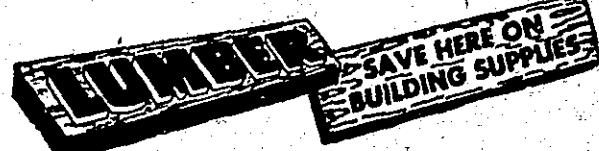
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### Pair wed in rites February 5

Ralph Edward Snider, son of the Maurice Sniders of 525 Grace Street, Owosso, Feb. 5, claimed as his bride the former Miss Jacquelin Kay Warren, formerly of St. Johns, daughter of Mrs Maxine Warren of 1946 Cornum Avenue, Owosso.

The wedding took place at 7 p.m. at the First Free Methodist Church of Owosso with Rev Raymond F. King officiating.

For her wedding the new Mrs Snider selected a floor-length gown of lace over taffeta which featured a lace bolero. Her illusion veil fell from a crown. She carried an orchid attached to a white Bible.

NANCY JO Warren, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor.

Miss Nancy Angus of Owosso and Ruth Snider, sister of the groom, of Owosso were bridesmaids. The flower girl was Diane Struck. The attendants wore blue ballerina length gowns of lace and sheer nylon. They carried bouquets of rose buds and carnations.

Maurice Wayne Snider, brother of the groom, of Owosso served as his brother's best man. Robert Bowers of Owosso and Carl Snider, brother of the groom, of Owosso were the groomsmen. Seating the guests were Raymond Koerner, Dean Koerner and Edward Louth.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs Warren wore a blue brocade dress. Mrs Snider selected a blue print dress. They wore corsages of carnations and pink rosebuds.

A RECEPTION followed the ceremony in the Friendship Hall of the church.

The newlyweds are now residing in Owosso.

### Miss Stevenson was honored at bridal shower

A bridal shower for Miss Norma Stevenson of St. Johns was given at the home of Mrs R. L. Wohlers of St. Johns Sunday afternoon, Feb. 20. Mrs. Wohlers and Mrs. Irene Benjamin of St. Johns hosted the affair.

Twenty guests from St. Johns, Owosso, Elsie, Belding and Ovid were present. A dessert luncheon was served.

Miss Stevenson will become the bride of Carl Kilpatrick of St. Johns April 10.



MRS RALPH SNIDER

### Marriage setting was parent's home

Miss Clara Rebecca "Becky" Langham became the bride of Ernest S. Aughenbaugh Saturday evening in a ceremony performed by Rev Roger Harrison of the First Baptist Church of St. Johns.

The wedding took place in the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Charles R. Langham of 406 Vauconstant Street, St. Johns. The bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs Raymond J. Aughenbaugh of Glen Richey, Pa.

For her wedding the former Miss Langham wore a street-length gown of blue nylon lace with a fitted waist and long sleeves. She carried a bouquet of red roses and white chrysanthemums.

MISS REBECCA Bradley of St. Johns was the maid of honor. She wore a street-length dress of yellow and a corsage of red roses and white chrysanthemums.

Attending the groom was Frederick Will, a cousin of the bride, of Kerrmor, Pa., now residing at 406 Vauconstant Street, St. Johns.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs Langham selected a brown dress with white accessories. She wore a corsage of white chrysanthemums and red roses.

### Ladies' society met February 10

The Missionary Ladies Society of the St. Johns Baptist Temple held their Feb. 10 meeting at the church with a Valentine exchange among secret pals.

There was also a bridal shower for Miss Patricia Orweller.

Refreshments were served by Mrs Roy Green, Mrs Fredna La Duke and Mrs Alice Richmond.

Thursday, Feb. 17, about five members of the Baptist Temple met at the church and made three quilts.

### Brown Bees met February 16

The Brown Bee's Study group met at the home of Mrs Martin Ahn, Feb. 16, with a Bohemian dinner at 6:30. There were 11 members present.

Mrs Arnold Blizzard gave a report on new foods and packaging. Mrs Floyd Hamer has charge of recreation. A Valentine exchange was held.

The March 15 meeting will be hosted by Mrs Arnold Blizzard and Mrs Albert Mack will serve as co-hostess.



MR AND MRS L. JOSEPH WIEBER

### Pattie E. Ganton bride of L.J. Wieber

Resurrection Church in Lansing was the scene Feb. 12 of the marriage of Miss Pattie E. Ganton of St. Johns and L. Joseph Wieber of Fowler.

The bride, who is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson high school and Lansing Business University, is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Douglas G. Ganton of 803 W. State Street, St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Mark Wieber of 622 N. Main Street, Fowler, are the parents of the groom.

For the morning wedding the bride chose a floor-length gown of silk peau de soie and Alencon lace which featured a fitted bodice, portrait neckline and long fitted lace sleeves coming to points at the wrists. The A-line skirt was accented with a detachable flared chapel train. A matching pillbox of lace and pearls secured her triple bouffant veil of imported French illusion. She carried a semi-cascade bouquet of white, daisies, pompon chrysanthemums and aqua stephanotis.

MISS SUE COX was the maid of honor and the bridesmaid was Miss Becky Wieber, sister of the groom. They wore floor-length gowns of sea green crepe which featured brocade bodices, short sleeves and scoop necklines. They wore matching headpieces. Their bouquets were yellow and white.

The flower girl, Shelly English, wore a soft yellow floor-length gown. Billy Cox carried the rings.

Tony Wieber served as his brother's best man. The groomsmen were Steve Wieber, brother of the groom. Seating the guests were Steve Spicer and Terry Ganton, a cousin of the bride.

FOR HER daughter's wedding, Mrs Ganton selected a silver

Banner Rebekahs met Monday

Banner Rebekah Lodge met Monday evening at the IOOF hall. Past Noble Grand Lella Mahar presided in the absence of both the noble grand and the vice grand.

During the business meeting it was voted to give \$5 to the March of Dimes. The group also decided to accept the invitation of Palo Lodge to initiate two or more candidates for them at Banner Rebekah's regular meeting March 21.

An invitation was accepted to put on the Memorial at the district meeting to be held in Portland, March 24.

MRS ARLENE Gladstone and her daughter-in-law, Mrs Kay Gladstone, were named to represent the lodge in the Jaycee Auxiliary's Hat Fantasy at the Swegles Street School March 17.

The committee named to serve the next Lion's Club dinner was Mrs Arlene Gladstone and Mrs Don Britten. Mrs Mable Jones and Mrs Molly Mills are on the committee for the next regular meeting.

The committee, Mrs Vernon Sharick and Mrs R. G. Becher served refreshments.

The paradise most people look for is not a locality—it is merely a state of mind.



MISS PEGGY SALTERS

Mrs Carol Vorase of 200 E. Buchanan, St. Johns, announces the engagement of her daughter, Peggy Lee Salters, to Donald Ray Pattison. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Reo Pattison of R-1, Elsie. Miss Salters is a student at Rodney B. Wilson high school. The future bridegroom is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson high school and attended Ferris State College. He is now employed at Olofsson Corporation, Lansing. No date has been set for the wedding.

Arthur Gruesbeck and Cordelia Peet were married March 1, 1916 at the home of the bride's parents near Ithaca. They were married by the Rev R. B. Birdsell of Ashley.

The couple moved to the Ovid area from Perry 23 years ago. They have seven sons, 6 daughters, 46 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Mr and Mrs Gruesbeck request no gifts.

### Louis Webers honored on 40th anniversary

Mr and Mrs Louis Weber of Fowler were surprised at a dinner Sunday, afternoon, Feb. 20, honoring their 40th wedding anniversary. Their son Daniel Weber of Saginaw arranged the affair.

The dinner given in Saginaw was attended by their children Mr and Mrs Robert Weber of Midland, Mr and Mrs Weber of Washington, D. C., Mr and Mrs Cliff Smith of Monroe and Mr and Mrs Daniel Weber of Saginaw.

A Mass of Thanksgiving was offered at St. Stephens Catholic Church in Saginaw.

### Miss Park is FFA sweetheart

Miss Linda Parks was chosen as Future Farmers of America (FFA) "Sweetheart" at Southeast High School, Samoset, Fla.

Miss Parks, a junior, is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Tom Parks Jr. of Oneco, Fla., and is the granddaughter of Mr and Mrs Tom Parks Sr. of St. Johns.

She is a cheerleader, a member of the Beacon Club and secretary of the Oneco Community Youth for Christ.

Linda has twin brothers, David and Darrell and a sister, Dixie, all students at Bayshore Junior High School.

### Vandals take chairs

Vandals damaged heavy wooden doors on a shed and made off with two heavy steel lawn chairs and a heavy steel rocking chair over the weekend, according to a city police report from Mrs Thelma Perry of 502 E. Railroad Street.

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### New foods topic for Urbanites

The urbanites Extension Study Group met at the home of Mrs John Hannah Feb. 17. Mrs Lawrence Rasey served as co-hostess. Eight members and one guest were present.

The lesson "New Foods and Packaging" was given by Mrs Clyde Peck. The mystery package was won by the group's guest, Mrs. Richard Foster.

The next meeting will be at 9 a.m. March 10 at the home of Mrs Ed Sulka with Mrs Allen Going as co-hostess.

Members are asked to note that the meetings have been changed from the afternoon of the third Thursday to the morning of the second Thursday.

### Announcements

Mrs Claude Holcomb will be the hostess for the Mary Smith Union of WCTU Monday, Feb. 28, at 7:30 p.m. This being Frances Willard month a program is being planned accordingly.

A cafeteria style chicken supper will be held at Smith Hall Saturday, Feb. 26. Serving times will be at 5 and 6 p.m. The dinner is sponsored by the Music Boosters and the proceeds will help send the senior band to the Tulip Festival in Holland.

The hospital auxiliary puppet workshop will meet Tuesday, March 8, at the hospital sewing room at 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome at come and work.

Hostess day will be held with the Hospital Auxiliary, American Red Cross Volunteers (formerly Gray Ladies) and Candy Strippers at Holden Reid clothers April 1.

Bingham Grange will meet Friday evening, Feb. 25. It will be an open meeting. A light lunch will follow the meeting.

Skill is stronger than strength.



MISS SANDRA BROWN

Mr and Mrs Edwin Brown of St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Sandra Lea, to Thomas Robinson. He is the son of Mr and Mrs George Robinson of St. Johns. Miss Brown is a sophomore at Michigan State University and the future bridegroom is a sophomore at Lansing Community College. No wedding date has been set by the couple.



MISS MARY E. HARR

Mr and Mrs Edwin J. Harr of Westphalia announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ellen, to Ron H. Simon. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Oscar C. Simon of R-2, Townsend Road, Fowler, and is a junior at Michigan State University. A June 11 wedding is being planned by the couple.

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### District tourney pairings

District basketball tournaments will get under way around the area next Tuesday. Here are the reports of pairings made Tuesday for the various tournaments:

**CLASS B AT ITHACA** — First round: Clare, by; St. Louis, by; Ithaca vs Alma March 1, 7:30; St. Johns, by. Second round: Clare vs Alma March 2, 7:30; St. Johns vs winner of Ithaca-Alma game March 3, 7:30. Finals will be March 5 at 8 p.m.

**CLASS C AT ST. JOHNS** — First round: Elsie, by; Ovid, by; Pawam — Westphalia vs Carson City March 1, 7:30; Fulton, by. Second round: Elsie vs Ovid March 2, 7:30; Fulton vs winner of P-W and Carson City game March 3, 7:30. Finals will be played Saturday, March 5, at 7:30 p.m.

### College board OKs annexation

The proposed St. Johns annexation to the Lansing Community College District has received informal approval of the college's board of trustees.

Formal OK will come if St. Johns district voters approve the annexation when they vote on the question June 13 during the regular school election. St. Johns officials would then present their formal petition for acceptance by the district.

THE LANSING Community College District now includes the 13 Ingham County public school districts and Bath, DeWitt and Grand Ledge school districts in Clinton and Eaton counties. College officials hope to eventually have annexed all the public school districts within the college's 25-mile radius service area.

### GOP women set spring meeting

Clinton County Republican Women's Club's annual spring meeting will be held at the court house at 2 p.m. March 3. Mrs. William Graef, program chairman, has planned an informative meeting about our government with a discussion group using the "ABC books" containing information from the local level through state and federal government.

Refreshments will be served by the board members.

### Fund raising topic at DeWitt

DEWITT — Representatives from several organizations that regularly use the DeWitt Memorial Building met recently with the Memorial Assn. fund raising committee to exchange ideas and coordinate the project.

Some of the organizations will carry on individual projects from selling greeting cards to the donating of paint for the interior walls of the new addition.

Groups which haven't yet reported on projects are asked to contact the fund raising chairman, Harry Bollinger, or Secretary Jack Lenneman.

IT WAS AGREED all organizations would also get behind one large project, such as an exchange of numbered tickets for \$1 donations. In this money-raising project one lucky couple would be selected to represent the community on a trip to some faraway place such as New York City, Miami, San Francisco or "an enchanted isle in the Pacific."

Further details of the fund raising project will be announced later.

### Carson City health unit office site

Carson City has been chosen as the head office for the new Mid-Michigan Tri-County Health District. The district health board, meeting in St. Johns last Wednesday, selected the site and wrote up a complete program for the district to present to the State Health Department.

The board hopes to have the health district in operation by April 1.

LaRue Miller of the sanitation division of the State Health Department discussed the qualifications and duties of the job of sanitary engineer with the board, and the board reported a couple of prospective men for that job. A "feeler" has also been received concerning the directorship.

FINAL organization of the district was made at the St. Johns session. Dr. Roy R. Manty, administrative assistant and associate commissioner for the Michigan Department of Health, went over personnel policies with the board.

It was reported that federal money is available for three nurses to come into the area for special health projects.

## Bannister

By MRS. ROBERT VALENTINE — Phone 862-4342

### Home bound teacher was WSCS guest

Mrs. Leroy Vincent, one of Shawansee County's homebound teachers, was a special guest of the Bannister Women's Society of Christian Service Wednesday evening. She told the group about her work with the physically handicapped child. She took her audience on a days tour telling of the visits and the needs of various children.

During the business meeting, the members were reminded of the World Day of Prayer to be observed Friday. Each one attending should bring a sack lunch. Mary Jean Tennant, a missionary of the Woman's Division of Christian Service of the Methodist Church, will tell of her work in Chiqueu, Mozambique, Africa, during the afternoon. She will speak to the young people from 4:15 until 6:00 p.m.

Other dates to remember are March 11, Quiet Day and April 20, District WSCS meeting at Alma.

The Chippewa Chippers 4-H Club met Monday at the Robert Valentine home. Vicki Valentine led the group in the flag pledges. Homemade valentines were exchanged and games were played. Mrs. Robert Moore reminded the group that spring achievement is scheduled for April 12-14 at the new Ithaca High School.

Rev. and Mrs. John Burnham and sons left Wednesday to make their new home in East Jordan.

Mrs. and Mrs. William LeClear were Thursday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leydorf.

Mrs. Wilmina Walters and Mrs. Cathy Walters called on Mrs. Mary Saylor recently.

Mrs. Carlita Reed and son of Greensboro, Pa. attended the

funeral here of her grandmother, Mrs. Leon Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bishop of Elsie were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Krueger.

Mrs. Leila Wilson, Mrs. Stella Bishop of Elsie and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Krueger called on Samuel Siebert Saturday afternoon at the Ashley Nursing Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Oberltner and daughters called on Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson and family of Tustin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Weaver, Mrs. Ruth Wiseman of Ithaca and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hill of St. Johns were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ferrell.

The guests helped celebrate Mrs. Ferrell's birthday and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Weaver's wedding anniversary.

Orvin Wicke and Mrs. Myrtle Randall of Lake Odessa were Tuesday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ferrell.

Vern Bishop is a patient at the Clinton Memorial Hospital.

The Bannister MYF is sponsoring a roller skating party this Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the Fernmore rink. All are welcome to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brandt and Mr. and Mrs. David Conklin of St. Johns and Mrs. Joseph Earl (Stella) Grace Conklin of Findlay, Ohio, were in Sandwich, Ill., Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Brandt's sister, Mrs. James R. Knights. Mrs. Knights was the former Stella Brandt of St. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tomasek and girls of Warren, Mr. Earl Hustin of St. Johns, and Joe Woljam of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tomasek and Beatrice. The dinner was in celebration of the birthdays of Frank Tomasek and Mrs. Ralph Tomasek.

The most disillusioned girls are those who married because they were tired of working.



## BOWLING

News from Area Bowling Leagues

**TWIN CITY LEAGUE** — Mobil Gas maintains a four-game lead over Strouse Oil, partially on the strength of last Wednesday's high scores of 947 game and 2578 series. Dennis Rademacher had a fine 244 high game, but Dick Johnson had the high series of 568, including a 210 game. Other 200s were by Larry Crosby 207, Jerry Bashore 203, Alfred Mohnke 218, Al Thelen 203, Lloyd Hopp 202, Ron Dugas 201, Terry Masarik 200, Louie Minkirk 203, Bill Thelen 221 and Paul Pung 215 and 202.

**KINGS AND QUEENS LEAGUE** — Redwing Lanes, the league leader by four games, had the high series Sunday of 1768, but the sixth-place 4-D's rolled a 636 high game. Kay Penix had high scores for the women with a 206 game and 519 series. Ken Walker rolled a 226 game and 581 series for the men. Other 200 games were by Joel Diehm 205 and Rudy Masarik 113 203.

**INDUSTRIAL MIXED LEAGUE** — The eighth-place Rog-Alls rose up Friday to take game and series honors with a 697 game and 1810 series. Glen Pearson had a 200 game and John Petro a 523 series, high for the men, while Sue George had a 192 game and Jo Rogers a 512 series for the women.

**RAINBOW MAPLE** — The league-leading Trout fired a 562 high game and 1614 high series Sunday. G. Dunkel was high for the men with a 220 game and 533 series. M. Ellis was high for the women with a 167 game and 407 series.

**BLATZ INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE (Ovid)** — Custer's and Bashore's are tied for the league lead with 64-32 records after last week's bowling. E. Stambursky and Carl Boog tied for high game honors with 232 scores, and Stambursky had the high series of 575. Healso had a 203 game. H. Irish had a 209 and 202, and N. Knight rolled a 221. Custer's led the team game scoring with a 946, while Bashore's had a 2618 high series.

**NIGHT HAWK LEAGUE** — Beck's Farm Market has a 10-game lead over American Legion Club after last Tuesday's bowling. Zeeb Fertilizer P had the high game and series of 877 and 2525. Guy Snyder rolled a 217 high game and Dale Anderson had a 565 high series. Other 200 games were by Art Motz and 200 by Chris Valkanoff.

**COFFEE CUP LEAGUE** — The 11th place Panhandlers rolled a 604 high game last Thursday, but league-leading Hillbilly 4 had a 1593 best series, and they now lead the Bowlettes and Cookies Cuties by four games. Rose Ritter's 195 game and 535 series were high individually. Carol Cook had a 5-7 split conversion, and Grace Masarik picked up the 4-5-7.

**FRIDAY MIXED LEAGUE** — Ann Wawczyk and Kay Penix had 199 high games for the women Friday and Kay turned in a fine 522 high series. Bill Koleham-

en rolled a big 251 game and had a 660 high series, which also included a 251 game. Dale Anderson had a 207, John Schumaker 201 and Ernie Pardee 226 and 202. The KP's had the high game and series with scores of 760 and 2185. Reese's Collision leads Richards' Dairy by two games, with Guy's Sunoco in third only three games behind.

**FWOLVER WOMEN** — Fowler Hotel Bar had high game of 902, but Miller's Tavern took high series at 2556, led by Marie Feldpausch with 191-211-190 for 592. Other high scores were Alma Armbrustmacher 215 (a league high), Kay Hufnagel 191, Monica Thelen 183, Marilyn Thelen 182, Donna Wirth 182, Celeste Heckman 180, Arlene Schmitt 175. Miller's Tavern remains in first place.

**FWOLVER CLASSIC** — Frankmuth held to their one-game lead over second-place Becker's Dry Goods. High scores were highlighted by Simon's Restaurant with a 984 game and three teams over 2700 led by Becker's Dry Goods with 2741. Charles Halfman led individuals with 238 for 609. Other 200 games were Don Schmitt 230-202, Gary Hall 229, Stub Graff 224, Roger Hall 211, 223, Mel Sehke 223, Dutch Snyder 222, Lloyd Hopp 216, Neal Epkey 208-205, George Weber 204-204, Red Graff 203, Roman Rademacher 201, Neal Snyder 201, Keith Barrett 201, Don Thelen 200, Louis Thelen 200.

**CITY LEAGUE (Fowler)** — Frechen's Market had high game and series with 947 for 2682, both new league highs, to remain tied for first place with Fowler Hotel Bar. Don Thelen led individuals with 223, for 575. Other 200 games were Roman Koentigsnecht 221, John Koentigsnecht 209, Ron Schneider 207, John Schafer 202.

**COMMERCIAL LEAGUE (Fowler)** — Martin Schafer and sons moved into first place ahead of Finkbeiners Drugs, led by Edgar Thelen with 586. Pabst had high series with 2481. Games of 200 were: Carl Wohlfert 228, Roy Smith 203, Phil Tiedt 200.

**FIRST NIGHTERS LEAGUE** — Eighth place Panhandlers fired a 768 high game and 2136 high series Monday night. Kay Penix rolled a sparkling 251 high game and ended the night with a 624 series. Dorothy Knight had a 233 game and a 559 series. Clark's leads the Independents by one game in the race for first place.

**CAPITOL LEAGUE** — Nehl Beverage holds a five-game lead over Western Auto after Monday's bowling. Nehl had the high team scores of 958 game and 2575 series. Earl King shot the high game of the day, 230, and he and Ed Dubay shared series honors at 570. Other games were Jim Welsh 205, Dick Cornwell 201, Charlie Falvor 216, Ed Dubay 223, Carl Pierson 203, Roger Heathman 218, Don Hambleton 203, Wendell Smith, 200, Al Dutcher 211, Harold Pease 210 and Bob Stephens 209.

**CITY CLASSIC LEAGUE** — Jim's Insurance and Lake's Jewelry are tied for first place with 42-27 records after last Thursday's bowling. Lake's had the high game last week, a 1019 score, and Jim's took series honors with a 2720. Bob Boettger had the high individual scores of 256 game and 622 series. Other 200 scores were by Bob Schmidt 245, F. D. Warren 209, Jim Lance 200, Louie Minkirk 202, Dick Lance 222, Ralph Lynafr 200, Martin Richards 200, Ray Richards 200, Dick Urban 227, Joe Spouta 213, Bill Kosht 249, Orth Tatroe 224, Jim Fedewa 208, Charlie Weber 203, Jim Nuser 212, Nick Hatto 207, Charle Bensinger 212, Gene Dunkel 216, Merlin Durbin 208 and Leo Brunner 223. Dick Lance had a 604 series and Orth Tatroe compiled a 611 series.

**COMMERCIAL LEAGUE** — Lance's Restaurant leads Cain's Bulck by six games after last Tuesday's bowling. Pierson's Shoes had a 963 high game and Schmitt Electric bowled a 2734 series. Roger Heathman's 258 sizzler was the high game, and he also had a 617 high series. Other 200 scores were by Mike Hatto 209, Carl Pierson 203, Charlie Watson 201, Gene Dunkel 236, George Chick 201 and 204, Larry Kuhns 209, Jim Nuser 206, Keith Penix 207, Dick Urban 208; Bill Pautke 213, Bob Schmidt 201, Lyle Chick 204 and Clare Floate 205.

The most disillusioned girls are those who married because they were tired of working.

### Bath school chief to retire July 1

BATH — Lloyd Latchaw, superintendent of Bath Community Schools for the last 10 years, has announced he will retire July 1.

No replacement has been named yet, but school officials said a person will be appointed soon.

Latchaw will remain in the Bath area on a small farm east of the community where he plans to raise fruit, particularly apples and peaches.

LATCHAW HAS BEEN in the education profession 37 years, starting as a teacher in agriculture at Coldwater in 1929. In 1937 he went to Lawrence as an ag teacher and superintendent, and in 1942 he moved to Centerville. Latchaw was at Sand Creek from 1946 until coming to Bath in 1956.

He received his bachelor of arts degree from Michigan State University and his master of science degree from the University of Michigan. He and his wife, an elementary teacher, have three children and four grandchildren.

IN HONOR OF the retiring superintendent, the class of 1966 has dedicated its yearbook to Latchaw. An oil portrait of the superintendent was presented to the school recently and now hangs in the hallway of the school.

### Potterville rolls over Ashley

POTTERTVILLE — Potterville rolled past Ashley 82-52 Friday night, turning the tables on the Bears who had beaten Potterville 100-96 earlier this year. Both teams finished the league season with 3-7 marks.

Follett scored 11 points for Ashley while Polish had 10, Yelsik 9, Burk 2, Keck 10, P. Polish 2, Lytle 2 and Felton 6. Rick VanFossen scored 36 points to lead the winners. Potterville held quarterly scoring advantages of 19-10, 19-13, 24-18 and 20-11.

### South Ovid

By Mrs. George Young

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gee took their mother, Mrs. Georgianna Underhill out for supper last Friday evening in honor of her coming birthday, Feb. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hedden of Vernon visited her sister, Mrs. Nancy Baker, last Wednesday evening. Mr. Hedden expects to go to Ann Arbor for an operation soon.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sherman and sons of Riverdale were Sunday visitors with their aunt, Mrs. Georgianna Underhill and her son, Wayne. Mrs. Edna Sherman who has been visiting relatives in Lansing for the past two weeks, came with her brother, Don Morehouse, back to her home with her son, William Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsell Miller of Greenville were Sunday visitors with their sister Mrs. Kenneth Young and family.

Mrs. Georgianna Underhill and son, Wayne and Pastor and Mrs. George Rogers and their daughter, Nina, of Ovid attended a Valentine party at the Baptist Church in St. Johns last Saturday evening.

### Happy Hustlers met Monday

The regular meeting of the Happy Hustlers 4-H Club was held Monday, Feb. 21, at the K of C Hall. During the meeting, demonstrations were given by Thomas Weber on how to wire a trouble light, Dale Rennells told how to prepare all kinds of electrical wires and put them on a board, Linda Thompson told how to roll a ball of yarn from a skein, Dorene Bauer showed how to block a wool garment, Graces Riley told what children should and shouldn't play with and Charles Keir told how to prepare a wood towel and its uses.

Refreshments were served by the Joseph Ondrusek, Paul Henning and Dean Henning families.

The next meeting will be held Monday, March 21, at the K of C Hall. Members having their projects completed by then are asked to bring them to the meeting if possible.



Lovely ladies and spirited horses are a traditional favorite with circus goers and the equine revue of the Mills Brothers Three-Ring Circus is among the featured attractions to be presented in St. Johns May 26. The circus is being sponsored here by the St. Johns Jaycees and the Chamber of Commerce.

### Speaker set for town, rural dinner

Dr. Orval Watts of Northwood Institute at Midland, will be the speaker at the Town and Country Meeting scheduled for March 16 at Lowe Methodist Church.

The dinner is under the sponsorship of the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. Watts will speak on "The Future of the Dollar."

He is presently engaged as economic consultant for Southern California business firms and as a visiting lecturer in economics at Pepperdine College and Los Angeles Pacific College.

DR. WATTS HAS his doctorate in economics from Harvard University. He is the author of many articles and books, including "Away From Freedom, Union Monopoly, Should We Strengthen The UN and The United Nations: Planned Economy."

Dr. Watts is listed in Who's Who in America; he is a charter member of the Mont Perrin Society which is an international organization of outstanding free-enterprise scholars. He is a member of the Economists National Committee on Monetary Policy.

During World War II he served as producer and moderator of a radio forum program entitled "Common Sense," and later for the TV forum, "Straight From the Shoulder." He has also served as editorial and economic adviser for the Foundation for Economic Education in Irvington, N.Y.

### Blue, gold dinner held February 20

Pack 281, parents and Cub Scouts enjoyed a potluck dinner for their Blue and Gold Banquet held at the Perrin-Palmer School Feb. 20.

Decorations and place mats were made by the Scouts. Many articles of handcraft and hobbies were displayed.

The flag ceremony was led by Den 1. Den 2 was awarded the Cubbie for having the most parents in attendance.

Jerry Roberts was awarded a plaque and pin for five years service with the Cub Scouts.

New den mothers are Nancy Low, Arlene Foland and Shirley Little.

RECRUITING badges were recelved by Tom Knight and Scott Martin.

Other awards were received by John LaChappelle, Jack Neller, Barry Knight, Judd Morris, Ricky Foster and LaVern Mudget.

The scouts spent an afternoon swimming, at Boys' Training School Saturday, Feb. 19. They are making plans to attend the Circus in Lansing, March 5 at 1:30 p.m.

New pack members receiving their Bobcat pins were, Jeff Bailey, Timothy Foland, Steven Jacobus, James Low, Brian Mafr, Robert Mills, Tim Race, Mark Walling and Robert Warr.

Next pack meeting will be on March 20 at 8:30 p.m. at Perrin-Palmer School.

## South Greenbush

By MRS. HAZEL BEEBE—Phone 224-7003

The WSCS of the Greenbush Methodist Church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Eugene Havens at 8 p.m. Mrs. Mable Swagart will give a review of the book, "The Acts Then and Now."

World Day of Prayer will be at the St. Johns Episcopal Church Friday at 1:30 p.m. The theme is "You Are My Witnesses."

The Maple Rapids MYF rally is Sunday, Feb. 27, at 5 p.m. The Greenbush MYF is invited to meet with them.

United Church Lenten Services are to begin Sunday evening Feb. 27 at the St. Johns Episcopal Church.

The Frenches' Corners 4-H Club will meet at the William Butler home Friday evening, Feb. 25 for their regular meeting at 8 p.m.

The MM 4-H Horse Club will hold their next meeting at the Carroll Clark home Tuesday evening, March 1, at 8 p.m. At that time plans will be completed for a movie to be shown at the April meeting.

Mrs. Rhinard Schulz returned home from the Carson City Hospital last Tuesday. She had been there for several days having x-rays and treatments on her hand.

Lee Sherman of Ferndale spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Blank.

The Michigan Public Service Commission has authorized the Tri - County Electric Cooperative, a rural electric cooperative furnishing electric service to parts of 14 counties, including Clinton, to revise its farm and home service rate and also the farm and home service with water heater rate. The revision will be effected by reducing the charge for all kilowatt hours used over 500 per month from 1.85 cents to 1.7 cents.

Per capita income in the Clinton County area is reported to be 38 per cent higher than in 1958.

C. Jeanie A. Mos of 2530 Maple Rapids Road, R-3, St. Johns, has been named a distributor of Amway Products. The St. Johns chapter of Alcoholics Anonymous will meet Wednesdays in the basement of St. Johns' Episcopal Church.

Dorothy Riley is a new service representative for General Telephone Co. in its St. Johns office.

### Rotary fellow tells of trip, program

Rev. Robert Weber of Lowell, a Rotary fellowship visitor to Scotland in 1957-58, told of his experiences and of the Rotary fellow program when he addressed the local club Tuesday noon.

Rev. Mr. Weber used slides and a chalkboard to supplement his talk. Program chairman for the day was Rev. Keith Bovee, who was formerly from Lowell.

The time you save playing it safe is time well invested.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones entertained Saturday evening for their daughter Diana's 16 birthday. There were 17 guests present to help celebrate the occasion.

Mrs. Irene Grievie and sons of Elsie were Wednesday evening supper guests at the Kenneth Grievie home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Winsor of Maple Rapids were dinner guests at the John Jones home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Snyder entertained Mrs. Snyder's sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Cantline and their mother, Mrs. Hattie Miller of Eaton Rapids Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kowalk are spending a two week vacation in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Alan Wing are staying with the Kowalk children.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Phillips and family of Lansing spent Sunday afternoon with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Percy Kingsbury.

Mrs. Eva Magnuson of California, Mrs. Ethel Randolph of Eureka, Mrs. Gloria Giespie, Mrs. Marlene Miller and Mrs. Martha Hubbard visited last Wednesday with Mrs. Lila Stevens of Bancroft.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hubbard and Mrs. Mary Lou Witt and son, Randy, were dinner guests of Mrs. Doratta Witt of Riley Sunday.

### North Victor

By Mrs. Elzbie Exelby

The Victor Civic Club met Thursday, Feb. 17, with a good attendance. Mrs. Howard Pelletier and her mother, Mrs. Parks, of Elsie were guests. The program topic was senior citizens, and the work being done by and for the County Club, was explained by Mrs. Exelby, program leader for the day.

She reported about 150 paid-up members, and many others who attend. Some of the accomplishments of the club mentioned were referral services, rebuilding toys and dressing dolls for veterans at Christmas time, sending boxes of food to unfortunate families, assisting in the rehabilitation program at nursing homes, folding boxes for Federal Mogal Co. and many other activities. The SC Club will serve dinner at Smith Hall Wednesday, Feb. 23, to 300 or more.

The Price and Shepardville Churches have been invited to participate with the Ovid United Church in the Lenten Services to be held Sunday evening.

Mrs. Grace Boltin of Ovid was a Sunday visitor at the Upton home.

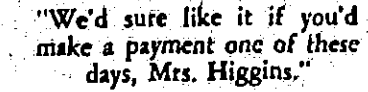
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Best were Monday and Wednesday visitors in the Beecher home.

Duane Cutler spent Sunday in Detroit with his brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cutler.

Plans are underway for the Father and Son banquet to be held at the Price Church the evening of March 10.

The annual dinner of the Stillson Cemetery Association will be held at the Price Church Tuesday, March 1. The usual carry-in dinner will be served and each is to bring his own table service.

The Victor Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Elzbie Exelby Thursday, March 3, with dinner served at 12:30 p.m.



"We'd sure like it if you'd make a payment one of these days, Mrs. Higgins."

# Jaycees, Chamber sponsor Mills Bros. circus here May 26

Waltzing horses, trumpeting elephants, camels, llamas, trained dogs, ponies and chimpanzees on the flying trapeze... they're all coming to St. Johns on May 26 when the St. Johns Jaycees and the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce co-sponsor the Mills Brothers Circus here.

The circus will be located on South US-27 at the edge of the city limits where there will be plenty of space for parking and enough room to insure everyone a good time.

"OUR organizations are bringing the world's largest motorized circus here to enable the children of our community to enjoy a traditionally wholesome form of unique American entertainment," the two groups announced.

Profits from the advance sale of tickets will be divided between the Jaycees and the Chamber of Commerce and used for activities of the two organizations.

Roger Hammonree of Glaspe Drug Store, representing the Jaycees and Betty Jane Minsky, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, are serving as co-chairmen of the event.

"We decided to sponsor the circus because we feel there are many children, and young-hearted adults who will welcome an opportunity to see America's largest and greatest tented circus," they said.

"MILLS Brothers is acclaimed as one of the most outstanding circus performances in the world, and they will put on two

action-packed showings here, with performances scheduled for 4 and 8 p.m.

"Acts new to the circus this year, and which are scheduled to appear here, include: acrobats, jugglers, tumblers, contortionists, clowns, wire-walkers, perch - pole, artists, trapeze stars, an Arabian Nights spectacle, lovely bareback riders, an aerial ballet, plus the traditional blaring circus band and the spangled and sequined wonders that make a circus a word with magic."

ON THE 26th residents will also be able to experience the thrill of watching the big circus roll into town. A gaily-painted fleet of 100 motorized units will

arrive shortly after dawn and transform the vacant parcel of land along US-27 south of St. Johns into a fantasy land of billowing white canvas.

Early morning spectators will see the elephants unload and erect the center poles and hoist the canvas into position. The menagerie housing the llamas, camels and other exotic animals will be set up simultaneously.

TICKETS ARE being printed now and will go on sale within a few days by members of the two organizations.

"Or, people can stop by at the Chamber office to pick them up," Mrs. Minsky said.

## Fowler

By MRS. ALFRED LOUNDS—Phone 582-2490

## March of Dimes totals \$404.66

A report by Mrs. Carl Wieber, local chairman of the March of Dimes, reveals that the 1966 campaign in the village of Fowler was a big success. The Mother's March collected a total of \$239.65 and \$23.08 was deposited in canisters placed in the business establishments. The local bowling alley sponsored the March of Dimes tournament and turned in \$47. The elementary schools contributed \$54.93 and the high school donated \$25, the proceeds of a concession at a recent basketball game. Organizations and clubs donated a total of \$15. The total of all collections is \$404.66, an increase over last year's campaign results.

## SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise birthday party was held at the Frank Rowell home last Sunday for Mrs. Fred Rowell and Mrs. Frank Rowell. Mrs. Norman Brown, their sister, gave the party which was attended by their mother, sisters, nephews and nieces. The double birthday cake was made by Adeline Rademacher.

## K of C INITIATES 7

Seven men were initiated into the 1st Degree Knights of Columbus Monday, Feb. 14. They were Ken Koenigsnecht, Marvin Fox, Gary Weber, Luke Weber, Allick Feldpausch, Jim Ruhl and Phil Schmitt.

March 27, Sunday afternoon, will be 2nd and 3rd Degree initiation at Portland. All K of C members are urged to attend.

The cancer film shown last week at Holy Trinity Hall was seen by nearly 200 women. Clinton county is now participating in a drive to discover cervical cancer and every woman is urged to see her doctor for a 'pap' test. The lab fee will be covered. The only cost to the women is the office call. If your doctor is out of Clinton county you must pick up a form from the county health nurse. Her office is located directly west of the courthouse in a large red brick house.

The Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet and Pack meeting will be held Sunday, Feb. 27 at 1 p.m. at Holy Trinity School Hall. This is a change from the usual meeting place, so make a note of it. The dinner will be potluck for all cub scouts and their families. Each family is asked to bring their own table service and food to pass in accordance with the size of their family. There will also be some invited guests. As usual, the boys handicrafts will be on display.

The Mission Club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. John Feldpausch. The proceeds of the meeting will go to the missions.

Mr and Mrs Norbert Feldpausch left Thursday morning for Alabama where they will pick up their son, William, who is being discharged from the army.

Mr and Mrs Edward Fink, Mrs. Bertha Moriarty and Mrs. Amelia Feldpausch called on their brother, Mr and Mrs Victor Fink of St. Johns, Thursday evening.

Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller visited Mr and Mrs Albert Pung and Rose Pung last Thursday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Louis Goerge of Brighton spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Vince Goerge. Phyllis Goerge was also home for the weekend.

Edward M. Thelen was admitted to Clinton Memorial Hospital late Thursday afternoon as a medical patient.

Eugene L. Thelen was discharged Sunday from a Royal Oak Hospital after spending a week there recuperating from ear surgery.

Mrs Frank Wieber and Mr and Mrs Carl Wieber spent Sunday in Ypsilanti visiting Mr and Mrs Walter Brown and family.

Mr and Mrs Donald Simon and son of Mount Clemens visited Mr and Mrs Martin Schaefer over the weekend.

## Rew District

By Mrs Howard Witt

Mr and Mrs Darwin Parks and twins called on Mr and Mrs George Sloat recently.

Mr and Mrs William Chadwick of Park Lake were Wednesday supper guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs Clyde Chadwick.

Dr. and Mrs Hugh Beardslee of Dimondale called on his brother and family, Mr and Mrs Rollin Beardslee, Friday afternoon.

Rollin Beardslee spent Wednesday morning with Ed Slight of near Price.

Mr and Mrs Lyle Witt were Friday night supper guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs Howard Witt.

Mr and Mrs Leo Coin had as dinner guests Sunday Mr and Mrs Clyde Chadwick, Mr and Mrs Billy Crego and their daughters and Mr and Mrs Rex Hoover and their sons. It was Mrs Chadwick's 84th birthday.

Mr and Mrs Howard Witt, Mr and Mrs Rollin Beardslee, Mr and Mrs David Steavens and family, Mr and Mrs Marvin Witt and Mr and Mrs Lyle Witt were Sunday night supper guests of Dr and Mrs James Kingsley of Eaton Rapids. The table was centered with a cake decorated in yellow and white with a GI standing on top.

Mr and Mrs Rollin Beardslee spent Saturday evening with Mr and Mrs David Steavens and family.

Mrs Ruth Flynn, Mr and Mrs Dow Young and Mrs Marguerite Smith attended the Frank Upton funeral at Coldwater a week ago. Mrs Flynn and Mrs Smith were Mr Upton's sisters. The community extends their sympathy.

Scott Charles Young was christened at St. Joseph's church in St. Johns Sunday. The godparents, Mr and Mrs Bernard Barrett, were dinner guests of their niece and her family, Mr and Mrs Randall Young, that afternoon.

Mrs O. J. Marsh called on Mrs Ruth Flynn Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Ronnie Lyon of Lansing called on Mr and Mrs Clyde Chadwick Friday evening.

Mr and Mrs Glen Corp of Fairgrove called their grandmother, Mrs Clyde Chadwick, Friday evening to sing "Happy Birthday" to her.

Mrs George Bauf was in Carson City one day last week where her father underwent surgery at the hospital there. He is progressing very well.

## Eureka

Mrs Gordon Waggoner

### REMINDER

All eligible senior citizens must return their tax exemption forms to their township supervisor by Feb. 28. If there are any questions, contact the supervisor.

### TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING

A special meeting of Greenbush township board was held at the supervisor's home Thursday at 10 a.m. Two representatives of the Consumers Power Company were present.

The purpose of the meeting was to petition the township board to hold an election for the gas franchise between the township and power company. A special election will be called April 6 for this purpose.

Eureka Congregational Christian Church sermon topic was "Sermon in the Sky." The sermonette was "Poison Ivy Climbing and Clinging, as we should," was given by Rev Jack Barlow. The choir sang for the worship hour.

### YOUNG AT HEARTS MEET

This Saturday evening will be the first of our re-organized Young At Heart meeting. The meeting, for all those beyond high school age, will begin promptly at 7:30 p.m. and will be held in the church basement.

The Women's Fellowship will meet March 2 for an evening meeting at the church basement. Mrs Richard Eakins will be the hostess and Mrs John Schier, co-hostess. Cancer pads will be made at this meeting.

There will be no choir practice March 2 as the Women's Fellowship meets.

### YF BIRTHDAY BANQUET

The annual Birthday Banquet, sponsored by the Youth Fellowship, will be held March 7 in the church basement. Dinner is served at 6:30 p.m., with entertainment following.

The second study of the catechism class was held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. at the church. These classes will meet each Sunday at 2:30 p.m. for six more weeks.

The former pastor, Rev Court Adams of the Eureka Congregational Christian Church is convalescing at his son's home in Akron, Ohio. His address is E. Wilbeth Road, Akron, Ohio 44301.

The following message was sent to the church this past week from Ruth Ann and Ivan Darling. "Ruth Ann and Ivan Darling would like to thank all of those who prayed for their daughter, Cathy, in her time of need. God has answered our prayers. The many cards were appreciated."

### SHE IS 11

Mr and Mrs Gordon Waggoner and Gloria entertained Mr and Mrs Milford Clark last Tuesday evening at a birthday supper in honor of Linda's 11th birthday. Miss Kathy Eastment was also supper guest. Wednesday evening Kathy spent the night with Linda.

### VALENTINE PARTY

The Eureka Junior Girl Scouts had a Valentine party last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs Gordon Waggoner with Mrs James Graham, their leader, helping. The girls worked on table setting. Each had her Valentine cake, mints and nuts as refreshments.

Mrs Eva Magnuson left for her home in Vallejo, Calif. last Sunday, following a six week visit here with her sister, Mrs Ethel Randolph. She also visited other relatives and friends while here.

Mr and Mrs Ross Henry returned home Friday after a three week visit and vacation in Florida.

Mr and Mrs Wendell Waggoner and sons, Ronald and Russell, arrived back home here last Thursday afternoon from their recent trip to Florida.

Miss Gloria Waggoner was an overnight guest of Miss Joyce Skippergosh at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs Leonard Loomfoot.

Those attending the Motor Wheel Banquet at the Civic Center Saturday evening from here were Mr and Mrs Oliver "Bud" Beck and sons, Donald and Darrell, Mr and Mrs Marvin Murray, Mr and Mrs Keith Murray, Mr and Mrs Gordon Waggoner and Mr and Mrs Roger Shutes of St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Don Eastment and daughters, Kathy and Patty are now living in the former Alice Webster home here in Eureka which they bought recently. They sold their farm on Ridge Road to Glenn Webster. His son, Larry and this family are now living in the farm home.

Pop's long drawn-out alibi usually gets cut short on the home stretch.

# 'Tornado watch' new CD watchword

There's a new term in the weather bureau's dictionary — one it and the local civil defense department are anxious for Clinton County and other Michigan residents to learn.

It's "tornado watch."

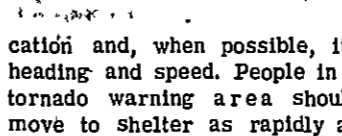
The term "tornado watch" is to alert the public to the possible development of tornadoes, and it will replace an old designation, "tornado forecast."

"A WEATHER bureau study of the 1965 Palm Sunday tornado disaster in the Midwest revealed many people were not aware of the distinction between a tornado forecast and a tornado warning," reports Jack M. Nemrava, Michigan State Police captain and deputy state civil defense director.

"The bureau is therefore substituting the word "watch" for "forecast," because "watch" is exactly what people should do."

County Civil Defense Director Charles Frost said the public should be "alert and ready to take precautionary action if a tornado does form" after a tornado watch has been put into effect. When a tornado watch is on, the public should listen to a local radio station or TV station for further developments.

"WHEN A tornado is actually sighted," Frost said, "the weather bureau will issue a 'tornado warning,' giving the twister's lo-



caution and, when possible, its heading and speed. People in a tornado warning area should move to shelter as rapidly as possible."

Frost pointed out that while there is still snow on the ground now, the normal tornado season in Michigan starts about March 1 and continues into June. Capt. Nemrava pointed out that tornado activity normally begins to increase through the eastern Gulf States in February, "reaching a maximum in this area during March. Tornado incidence spreads northwestward during the spring, peaking in Iowa and Kansas during May."



MRS. FREDERICK A. RACH

# Frederick A. Rach takes Lansing bride

Miss Maxine Lee Mohre of 5321 Hughes Road, Lansing, became the bride of Frederick Arthur Rach of R-1, DeWitt, Wednesday, Feb. 16, at 7:30 p.m. at Emmanuel First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Lansing.

The new Mrs. Rach is the daughter of Mrs. Donald Mohre of Lan-

sing. Mr and Mrs Arthur Rach of DeWitt are the parents of the groom.

Given in marriage by her brother, Carroll Mohre, the bride chose a floor length gown of satin fashioned with a full skirt, long sleeves and a chapel train attached to the waist. A pill box secured her short veil. She carried a bouquet of carnations and sweetheart roses.

## Wacousta

Mrs Edward Kraft—627-2030

Mrs Gus Kirmman underwent surgery at St. Lawrence Hospital last week.

Mr and Mrs Lester Garlock Sr., attended a Card Club at the home of Mr and Mrs John Graham of Haslett Saturday evening.

Louise Hemingway is spending a few days with the Tom Hemingway family of Wayne.

Mr and Mrs Ken Dyer are in Florida for a couple of weeks.

Mr and Mrs Edward Kraft were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs August Schick in Lansing. Mr and Mrs Clark Adams were Wednesday night and Thursday business visitors in Detroit.

Mr and Mrs Harry C. Webber and son have returned after spending two weeks in Florida. Mrs Evelyn Cahoon of Saranac spent part of last week with her daughter, Mrs Clark Adams and her family.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Patterson arrived home from Florida last week.

Richard Hibbard of Seattle, Wash. spent the weekend at the Howard McDonough home.

Mrs Jay Fudy received word last Tuesday of the death of her father, Judge Philip Truby of Beaumont, Calif.

Karen and Elaine Evens of Lansing spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr and Mrs George Newth.

Mrs Brent Stephenson is in Sparrow Hospital undergoing tests.

Mr and Mrs Howard McDonough entertained Mr and Mrs Gary McDonough and family of Lansing Saturday evening, honoring their granddaughter, Penny's 7th birthday.

Mr and Mrs Edward Kraft were Wednesday night dinner guests of their daughters in Grand Rapids.

Mrs Mable Ingalls has returned home from her hospital stay. Edward Atherton Jr., is on a 30 day sick leave.

## Riley and Olive

By Mrs Goldie Moore

Many from this community attended the Greenfield-Orwell wedding and reception at St. Johns Saturday evening. Mr and Mrs Kenneth Greenfield will be living at their new mobile home on N. Airport Road soon.

Glenn Locher had throat surgery last Wednesday at St. Lawrence Hospital, Lansing. He is gaining nicely at this writing.

Mrs Elmer Wood returned home from the hospital Saturday afternoon after a three-week's stay.

Tuesday evening visitors of Mr and Mrs Ray Moore were Mrs Marguerite Gray, Mrs Joyce Myers and Johnny of Lansing and Mrs Linda Parrott, Teresa, Alan and Dale of Sunfield.

Jill Becker of near St. Johns was a Saturday overnight guest of her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Valentine Stoy and family.



Mrs Charles Pierce has pinned the Eagle Scout Award on her son, Wayne. He is receiving congratulations from Bob Arnold.

## Scouts hold ceremony

Boy Scout Troop 60 of Wacousta held family night and Eagle award ceremony last Wednesday evening, Feb. 16 at Wacousta Community Methodist Church. Thirty-seven Troop members and about 60 adults were present.

Art Starkey, committee chairman, opened the meeting and Rev Tom Peters gave the invocation. Dave Harvey, district commissioner of district 3 of the Chief Okemos Council, lead group singing of scouting songs. Bob Rowland, scoutmaster and Carroll Pingel, assistant scoutmaster, presented 19 advancement awards and merit badges to the troop.

Wayne Pierce, who received the Eagle Scout award, is 16 and has been in scouting for five years. He joined in England while his father was there with the Air Force. He and his parents moved to Wacousta from Duluth in October, 1965, and he has served as assistant junior scoutmaster since then. He is a member of the Order of the Arrow.

The Eagle Award ceremony was presented by Order of the Arrow, Indian Dance Team of the Chief Okemos Council with Chet Cowen as chief and narrator. Bob Arnold, scout executive of District 5, presented the Eagle Award to Mrs Charles Pierce who in turn pinned it on her son.

Wayne is a junior at Grand Ledge high school.

Willing Worker's Circle meets Friday at the home of Mrs Miles Becker of Pioneer Road. Devotions will be by Mrs Lewis Babbitt. Mrs Arnold Huhn will give the program.

Wacousta Past Matrons will meet for a 1:30 p.m. dessert Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs John Buckmaster of Stall Road.

Adult Fellowship will meet Sunday evening with Rev and Mrs Tom Peters. Co-hosts will be Mr and Mrs Ted Snyder. Devotions will be by Mrs Herman Openthaler. Mr and Mrs Forrest Shipman will have charge of the program.

Wacousta Circle will meet March 10, for a family night potluck at the church at 6:30 p.m. A Dutch exchange student, will speak.

Mr and Mrs Charles Phillips and family gave a surprise birthday dinner honoring Van Phillips. Other guests were Mr and Mrs On Phillips, Mary Phillips, Dortha Phillips and David Lot of Mason.

Wacousta Boy Scout Blue and Gold Banquet will be held Saturday at 6:30 p.m. at the Wacousta Community Methodist Church.

Mrs Cindie Herzberg and daughters have moved to Grand Ledge.



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## Blue Star Moms had anniversary

Blue Star Mothers Chapter 29 of Maple Rapids met at the home of Nina Freed and Mina Dangel Wednesday, Feb. 16.

In observance of the Chapter's 21st anniversary, 14 members and guests enjoyed a potluck supper at 7 p.m. The birthday cake was made by Marjorie Rumsey.

The business session was presided over by the president and 37 cards were reported sent to Nursing Homes since the last meeting.

A letter from the Grand Rapids Veterans Facility representative was read. Members are asked to bring any of the articles listed to the next meeting. When collected, they will be sent to the hospital.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Henrietta Sherman March 2 at 8 p.m. Dues are now payable and new members are welcome.

The colored film, "When Disaster Strikes" narrated by Danny Thomas, will be shown Wednesday evening, March 9, at 8 p.m. at the Village Hall. There will be no charge.

Den 3 of the Cub Scouts, accompanied by their Den Mothers, Mrs. Drumheller and Mrs. Donald; the Den Chief, Rod Johnson and Mr. Drumheller and Mr. Donald went to Lansing Sunday to the Museum and to see the wreckage of the recent explosion there.

The Father-Son Banquet will be held Thursday, Feb. 24, in the Congregational Christian Church. A Swiss steak supper will be served at 6:30 p.m. and Rev. Churchill of St. Johns will show a film on Alaska.

Mrs. Ruth Cludy returned home from Carson City Hospital Saturday. Miss Helen Smith of Lansing is staying with her for the present time.

Mr and Mrs Robert Miller and girls were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Rodney Miller of Mount Pleasant.

Mr and Mrs Rodney Schmidt and son, of Alma were Thursday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs John Schmidt and boys in honor of Rod's birthday.

## Kincaid District

Mrs Porter C. Parks

Mr and Mrs Don Sullivan, Mrs. Kenneth Schmidtman and Mrs. Kate Fisher from this area attended the Grand Old Opry at the Civic Center Sunday evening.

Mrs. Grace Sullivan visited Mrs. Ione Misenier of Grand Ledge Saturday afternoon.

Danny Fisher of Saranac visited Garry Sullivan Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Richard Kennedy and family of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Glenn Weaver and family Saturday night.

Mrs. Norie Brace, Mrs. Don Dumond, Mrs. Donna Morrison and Mrs. Raymond Smith of Westphalia visited Mrs. Rosie Kempf of Grand Ledge Wednesday.

Mrs. Otto Dickinson spent Tuesday with the John Dickinson family of Portland. Little Holly Dickinson spent Thursday and Friday in the former's home.

Mr and Mrs Eldon Dickinson of Delta Mills were Sunday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson.

Roger Hardenburg visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner Thursday afternoon.

## West Hubbardston

Clara Hogan

Lenten devotions will be conducted at St. John the Baptist Church, Hubbardston. The program featuring film strips, will be conducted by Father Walter P. Roberts, OMI and will begin Sunday, Feb. 27 at 3 p.m. and each Sunday in Lent.

With Father Fox officiating at a Nuptial High Mass Saturday at St. John the Baptist Church, Marsha Waldron of Carson City became the bride of Michael Barker. A reception was held at the parish hall from 12 to 4 p.m.

Congratulations to Mr and Mrs Russell Fletcher on their 25th wedding anniversary. Mr and Mrs Fletcher and their family, Marsha, Sandra, Carol, Gary, Sally and George, Mr and Mrs Robert Fletcher of Muir, Mr and Mrs Paul Fletcher of Lyons and their three grandchildren assisted at a Mass Sunday honoring their parents and grandparents. Open house was held at the parish hall Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Sheaffer of Lansing are the parents of a baby son, born Thursday at St. Lawrence Hospital. The baby has been named Timothy Joseph.

Weekend guests of Mr and Mrs Philip Shaeffer were Larry Shaeffer of Detroit and Thomas Shaeffer and son, Tommy of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs William Dalley are the parents of a son, born Feb. 20 at the Carson City Hospital.



Afternoon Shadows Still Long

The sun climbs higher in the Clinton sky every day now, but its rays are still weak and its shadows long. Power poles, stream banks, weeds and even ripples in the snow cast their images in relatively dark hues across the snow fields. This snow-covered stream crosses Walker Road a couple of miles west of St. Johns.

## Westphalia

MRS JOSEPH FEDEWA, Correspondent  
Box 147, Westphalia-587-3682

### Miss Thelen is DAR Good Citizen

Saturday Mr and Mrs Harold Thelen and daughter, Doreen, attended a tea sponsored by the Steven Mason Chapter of the DAR in Ionia. Doreen, representing Pewamo-Westphalia High School, was chosen for the qualities of dependability, leadership, service and patriotism. She was presented with the Good Citizenship pin, a gift of the chapter. Mr. Casarini of Pewamo, was also present for the presenting of the pin.

Mr and Mrs Julius Pohl are now home after several weeks of vacationing.

Mr and Mrs Melvin Wieber and Chris, Mr and Mrs Bob Trierweiler, Mr and Mrs Gerald Trierweiler and Mr and Mrs Stan Wieber and son visited Sister Ann Terrence at Our Lady of Grace Convent in Dearborn.

Mr and Mrs Patrick Wohlfort of Westphalia are the parents of a son born Tuesday, Feb. 22, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Mrs Wohlfort is the former Irene Geller.

### Grand Knight dinner held February 20

The annual Past Grand Knight banquet was held Sunday evening, Feb. 20, honoring Rev. Aloysius Miller, chaplain of Westphalia Knights of Columbus council No. 2890.

Main speaker of the evening was John Lahala, state deputy, from St. Ignace. He spoke about the functions of the K of C on the national and state level. Also present were Don Manning, district deputy and Leo Everest, state treasurer.

Gerald Miller acted as toastmaster. The closing was given by Jim Fedewa, Grand Knight, followed by Fr. Sulka giving the Benediction.

### CHRISTENING DINNER

A dinner was held Sunday, Feb. 20, at the home of Mr and Mrs Gregory Thelen following the christening of their son, Todd Roger. Guests included the grandparents, Mr and Mrs Lewis Thelen and George Thelen and the godparents, Mr and Mrs Roger Thelen and Mr and Mrs Robert Fedewa.

Mr and Mrs Gene Geller and family of Grand Rapids spent the weekend with their parents, Mr and Mrs Joe Martin and Mr and Mrs Herman Geller.

Pvt. Donald W. Thels of Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., spent a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr and Mrs John Thels, and reported back to Fort Riley, Kan.

A boy was born to Mr and Mrs Anthony Simon Friday, Feb. 18, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Simon is the former Esther Robinson. He weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

Wednesday afternoon, Mrs Ed Harr held a quilting.

### JUNE BRIDES

Two local girls are planning June weddings. Miss Mary Ellen Harr, daughter of Mr and Mrs Edwin J. Harr, will become the bride of Ronald H. Simon June 11. Mr Simon is the son of Mr and Mrs Oscar C. Simon of Fowler.

Miss Kathleen Spitzley, daughter of Mr and Mrs Edward M. Spitzley Sr., will wed Donald S. Hengsbach, son of Mr and Mrs Anthony J. Hengsbach June 18. Both girls are graduates from Pewamo-Westphalia High School.

Mr and Mrs Jack Martin recently entertained relatives and friends at a house party.

Mr and Mrs Albert Knoop entertained their neighbors Thursday evening.

Father Aloysius Miller returned home from a month's vacation in Florida Saturday.

There will be a Home School meeting Thursday evening at 8 p.m. in the parish hall.

Aloysius Fedewa was able to return home from St. Lawrence Hospital Saturday. He underwent back surgery four weeks ago.

Edward Lenneman of Portland is a patient at St. Lawrence Hospital. Mr Lenneman is a former Westphalia resident.

Tuesday morning, Bob Fedewa was rushed to Clinton Memorial Hospital after he injured two fingers on his right hand in a grinder. As he was changing the blades from coarse to fine grind, a pan under the grinder accidentally bumped the switch, turning the machine on. He was able to return home Thursday.

Monday morning Norman E. Thelen returned to his job after a two-week vacation.

Mrs Harold Esch of Watousta recently called on Mrs Tom Beilen.

Several from this area attended the pre-Lenten dance which was held at the Pewamo gym Saturday night.

Recently Mr and Mrs Leland P. Trierweiler spent a weekend ice fishing with their family, Mr and Mrs Leland Trierweiler Jr., Mr and Mrs Kenneth Trierweiler, Mr and Mrs Edwin Schneider and Mr and Mrs Stanley Wieber.

Mrs Bob Hengsbach and Mrs Alvin Pohl called on Mrs Gerald Platte Tuesday morning.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Trierweiler entertained friends at a card party Tuesday evening. Stan Fedewa of DeWitt called on his brother, Bob, Friday morning.

Mrs Florence Luna won the record player that was recently given away at Town and Country Food Store.

Mrs Dewey Howard of Lansing called on Mrs Joe Fedewa.

### SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE SITES CORRECTED

New office quarters for St. Johns Public School Administrative Assistants Walter Nickel and Steve Bakla are located above the Pierce Bakery across the hall from the abstract company office, not above Fred Lewis' law offices as was reported last week.

### 3 from area at S-D workshop

Pat Foran of Elsie Elevator Co., Elsie, and Donald East and Gerald East of Clinton Crop Service, St. Johns are in Saginaw this week attending a Smith-Douglass sales workshop at the Bancroft Hotel.

Purpose of the meeting is to learn more about fertilizer, farm chemicals and nitrogen needs of crops grown in the St. Johns and Elsie areas.

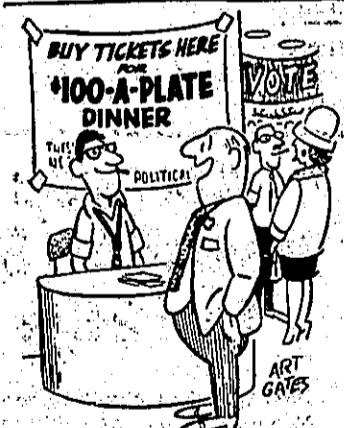
The men attend a Smith-Douglass workshop each year to keep up to date on the latest agricultural practices. In order to recommend programs to farmers in the Clinton area that will grow more profitable crops.

### St. Rita's Guild met February 15

St. Rita's Guild of St. Joseph Altar Society met Tuesday evening, Feb. 15, at the home of Mrs. Nicolus Koenigsnecht with Mrs. Joey Miller as co-hostess.

The rosary was led by Mrs. Koenigsnecht. The business meeting followed with Mrs. Donald Jorae informing us about a hot sale to be held March 8 at the Social Hall from 2 p.m. until 9 p.m. and the St. Patrick's Day Banquet, which will be held March 19, with Fr. Albert Koenigsnecht as guest speaker.

Fr. Young was the guest and he talked about the purpose of the guild and the Sacrament of Penance.



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## Markets

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Corn, Shelled	\$1.30
New White Wheat	1.61
Oats (36 lbs.)	.70
Navy Beans	8.90
Dark Red Kidneys	8.25
Soybeans	2.70

### Egg Market

Large White	\$ .37
Small	.20
Medium	.31

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We have seven farms ranging from 40 acres to 233 acres in the southern part of Gratiot County and several homes. M. E. GEORGE Broker JOSEPH J. DUCHI Salesman Phone Ashley 847-2041 38-6

161 ACRES 1 1/4 miles north of Pewamo on main road. Mrs Irene Fedewa, Pewamo. 44-2p

LOOKING for a place to build? 10 acres north of Fowler on Wright road, about 385 ft. frontage on good black-top road. We are in need of listings. Call Gilbert Miller IV 2-0151 or V. M. Curry, Realtor IV 9-6469, Lansing. 42-1f

★ FOR SALE REAL ESTATE

80-ACRE FARM, 1/2 mile west of Hubbardston. Modern 10-room home and good barn. Eugene Schafer, Cowman road, Hubbardston. 42-4p

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CARS **BUICK** DOUBLE-CHECKED USED CARS FREE

MIAMI BEACH VACATION with any purchase of a 1963, 1964 or 1965 CAR

1965 FORD Mustang convertible with 6-cylinder, standard shift. Dark blue. \$1795

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1962 BUICK LeSabre 4-door hardtop with power, 1 owner. \$1395

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1964 FIAT, in good condition. Must sell. Clarence Wasey, 800 N. Clinton. Can be seen in the day time. 43-3p

1959 FORD, 2-door, 6-cylinder, standard shift, good shape. Bernard Walker, R-3, Walker road, St. Johns. Phone 224-7638. 42-2p

★ AUTOMOTIVE

1965 PONTIAC GTO, black, clean, 4-speed, 4-barrel, good tires. Greg Elchorn, phone 224-2231. 42-2p

1965 OLDSMOBILE Delta 88, 4,000 miles, hydramatic, power steering, power brakes, many other extras. Lee Chant, phone 224-7249. 44-1p

Two Good Used 1961 Dodge Trucks T-700 models in real nice shape and priced right!

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1963 FAIRLANE 500, V-8, radio, white walls, 4-door, 39,000 miles. Call 224-4414 after 5:00. 42-2p

1965 4-DOOR OLDS Jetstar 88, Jetaway, power steering and brakes, radio, very clean. Call Fowler 582-5135. 43-2p

CHEVROLET Truck with grain box and hoist. Mathews Elevator, Fowler. 44-1f

1956 FORD truck with grain rack, in good condition. Don Eastman, third house south of Gower's Hardware, Eureka. Phone 224-3492 44-1p

1959 FORD 2-door, in good mechanical condition, new rubber. Frank Gazda, 5 miles east of St. Johns on M-21. 44-1p

1964 IHC SCOUT, 4-wheel drive, full top, 13,000 miles. Phone 224-7308. 44-2p

1962 RAMBLER Classic 2-door, standard shift. Phone 224-2909 after 5 p.m. 44-1p

★ WANTED REAL ESTATE

MOVING TO St. Johns soon will need 3 to 4-bedroom all modern home. Prefer high-way location within 5-mile radius of city limits. All replies confidential. Write Box A, Gobles, Michigan 49055. 44-3p

Others get quick results with Clinton County News classified ads - you will, too!

One acre with 200-ft. frontage, 190-ft. well, septic tank is in, with or without 41-ft. trailer. On S. Upton road.

80 acres south of Ovid with large home. Owner will take small house or trailer.

6 1/2 acres vacant land east of St. Johns on M-21.

118 acres east of Ovid. Good out buildings, no house.

304 Lindy Lane. 3-bedroom home, rec room, basement.

38 acres with modern 3-bedroom home, 6 miles north of St. Johns.

★ WANTED REAL ESTATE

REAL ESTATE wanted. Buyers with large down payments to cash for homes, acreages, farms and businesses. Listings needed to supply demand by clientele. Expert appraisal and up to minute financing available. Call Mrs Courtland, Courtland Realty, 669-7805. 32-1f

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★ FOR RENT

CABIN WITH light housekeeping at Idlewild Court. Phone 224-2724. 42-1p

57 ACRES of tillable land. Cash rent. 1/4 mile north, 3 1/2 miles east, 1/2 mile north of St. Johns. Phone 224-3386. 42-2p

FOR RENT - Air hammer for breaking up cement, etc. We have two available. Randolph's Ready-Mix Plant, North US-27, phone 224-3786. 11-1f

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NEW LISTING - New 3-bedroom brick home, full basement, with extra bath and rec room. 2-car attached garage. Carpets and drapes included. Fair kitchen, with dishwasher. Close in location.

NEW LISTING - 120 acres on Howe road near Airport. Ideal location. Possible development property, with good 4-bedroom home.

APARTMENT house, 4 units, two completely furnished, rest with refrigerator and stove. 4-car garage. Terms.

EUREKA - 3-bedroom home, 1 1/2-car garage. Immediate possession. Price \$6,500, possible terms of \$5,800 cash.

4-BEDROOM, story and half home, one owner, only 10 years old. Featuring family room with fireplace off kitchen. 1 1/2-car garage with storage above, in all new home area, for under \$19,800.

APARTMENT for rent. Close in location. Prefer adults.

NEW HOMES - Several sold recently. Only one available that is just being completed. 3-bedroom ranch, featuring tile bath, drop-in GE electric range, vent hood, sliding glass doors from dining area to patio, full basement, 1 1/2-car garage. All quality construction throughout. Large 75x165 lot on South Baker.

BRICK HOME - 2-story, has apartment up, but could be used for one large family. Corner lot with fenced-in yard. 3-car garage, room for your boat.

2-STORY - 611 S. Swegles. Will take in trade.

WANTED - New listings!

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★ FOR RENT

LARGE unfurnished 2-bedroom upstairs apartment with heat and water. Newly decorated, references. Phone 224-4694. 44-1f

MEDICAL building in Eureka, available for doctor or dentist or both. For details contact J. O. Gower, Eureka, 903 Grand Ave., Owosso. 44-2p

FOR LEASE or rent. Building 25x50 with cement floor and gas heat. For retail or small shop. Write Box 32, Elsie, Mich. or phone 634-2244. 44-2

MODERN 1-bedroom home, oil heat, wall-to-wall carpeting. Call 224-2576. 44-1p

APARTMENT for rent, downstairs, unfurnished with garage and utilities included. Call Bernard Cain, 224-3231. 44-2

★ WANTED TO RENT

3 OR 4-BEDROOM home, preferably in country. Phone 743-6127. Marion, Mich. 43-2p

★ HELP WANTED

MACHINE operators, experience not necessary. Apply Employment office at Saylor-Beall Mfg., St. Johns. 30-1f

WOMAN for part time work. Apply in person. Pierce Bakery 42-2

BEE LINE FASHIONS

is starting their new spring and year-round line. Be one of the first to get started in full or part time sales.

A weekly paycheck, plus a trace wardrobe. Phone 224-3877 afternoons on weekdays only. 44-4

WOMAN for general office work. Full time. Write with full particulars to Box U, c/o Clinton County News. 42-2p

PART TIME sales. Do you need extra money? We have a proven plan whereby you can work from 6 o'clock to 9:30 p.m. and continue your present daytime job. You can earn from \$34 to \$51 per week and up. Must have desire to make money. Car required. Write Lee Thompkins, 3000 Leon Ave., Lansing. 42-3p

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Real Estate

New Listings—S. Lansing and Townsend road, 33 acres, 6-room house, 5 bedrooms, down, space heated, pine floors, barn. Ideal location for subdividing.

New Listing—East Jordan, Mich. Ken's Modern Resort, 2 cabins and summer home. Health Department approved, gas cook stoves and oil heaters, septic tanks in each cabin, the season will be here, with terms.

New Listing—50 acres, 6 rooms and bath, 3 bedrooms, nicely decorated, barn, some tools, a tractor and tool shed and chicken coop on Jason and Loomis roads, 50 acres of good land, immediate possession with terms.

New Listing—E. State, 7 rooms and bath, 3 bedrooms, large living room with fireplace, dining room, kitchen and utility room, full basement, oil furnace, gas heater and 2-car garage.

New Listing—S. Church, 6 rooms and bath, basement, new gas furnace, 3 bedrooms, 1 down, large living room, dining room, carpeted with newly remodeled kitchen, newly painted and new roof, moderately priced and immediate possession, near schools and churches.

Many more to choose from and good assortment of lots.

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★ HELP WANTED

BABY SITTER wanted in my home, 5 days per week from 8 to 5. Phone 224-7441 after 5:00. 42-2p

FULL OR part time work. Work for Sarah Coventry Jewelry, free samples. No experience necessary. Call 723-5481 or write Cleona Porter, 903 Grand Ave., Owosso. 42-2p

LADY TO help in store and sell furniture. Apply in person at St. Johns Furniture Co., St. Johns. 42-2

WIDOW WITH 15-year-old boy would like a home in exchange for housekeeping, child care or what have you. Phone 224-3031. 43-2p

\$400 MONTHLY possible in home typing, full or part time. Details and \$1.00, B & B Research Enterprises, PO Box 196, Holcomb, Mo. 63852. 43-2p

BOOKKEEPER, accounts receivable, machine posting, experience preferred, good typing essential. Apply by letter only to Clinton Memorial Hospital, St. Johns. 43-2

NEED TWO key men to recruit and train. Salary and expenses while training, farm background helpful, must be able to drive. Write Box No. 268, DeWitt, Michigan. 44-2p

MAN TO DRIVE truck for lumber yard. Phone 368-2765. DeWitt Lumber Co. 44-1p

SECRETARIAL position opening in St. Johns. Typing proficiency required. Previous work experience desirable. Applicants call 224-2277 between 8 and 5 for appointment, Monday through Friday. 44-1

MOTHER'S helper desired by March 15. Small family, own room, five-day week, \$25 per week. Live near lake and Chicago, wonderful opportunity for young girl or older woman. References required. Reply to Mrs. John F. Wade, 822 Leyden Lane, Wilmette, Illinois, or phone 256-0050. 42-2p

TRUCK DRIVER for local lumber yard, must be experienced driver and have some knowledge of lumber. Apply Central Michigan Lumber Co., St. Johns. 44-1

SMALL OFFICE in St. Johns needs good typist, machine bookkeeper, permanent position, 5 days per week. Must live in immediate area of St. Johns. Write Box 141, St. Johns. 44-2p

PAINTER and paper hanger wanted. First class, reliable, no drinkers, must have w/o transportation, good wages—Call evenings—after 6 p.m., IV 7-3947 Lansing. 44-2p

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Real Estate

New Listing—Country home on 1 acre of ground with 3 bedrooms, insulated, oil heat. Built in 1966.

New Listing—Ovid, 3 bedrooms with basement, oil heat, 1-car garage and patio. Priced to sell. Call 834-5410.

E. State St.—4 bedrooms with basement, corner lot, wood floor kitchen and hardwood floors. Plenty of extras.

New Listing—S. Swegles St. 2 bedrooms, good oil furnace, large lot, close to schools. Terms. Call Tony, 224-3832.

E. M-21—5 acres, 3 bedrooms with full basement, gas heat, 3-car garage and good well.

New Listing—N. DeWitt Rd. Extra nice 2-bedroom home, full basement, baseboard hot water heat, 1 acre of ground, ideal location. Call Tony, 224-3832.

100 acres of pasture land, good fences, well pump and motor. Priced right.

2 acres, barn and windmill, ideal building site.

Two 184x400 building sites north and east of St. Johns, close in. Priced \$1750 each.

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★ HELP WANTED

WANTED—Lady to care for children and do light house work. Call 224-3703 before 2 p.m. 44-1p

DEALER needed to supply Raleigh products to consumers in southwest Clinton county or St. Johns. Good time to start. Write Rawleigh, Dept. MC B 593 28, Freeport, Ill. 44-1p

IF YOU need a good steady income and can work only half days, sell Avon cosmetics, experience unnecessary. For appointment in your home, please write or call evenings. Mrs. Alona Hückins, 5664 School St., Haslett, Mich. Phone 339-8463. 44-1p

WANTED—Beauty operator with a year's experience. Call 847-2614. 44-1

LAUNDRESS—10 p.m. to 6 a.m. Apply in person. Ovid Nursing Home, 211 E. Williams. 42-2p

★ WANTED EMPLOYMENT

WELL DRILLING and service. Pumps, pipes and supplies. Free estimates. Carl S. Oberlin, 4694 N. State road, Alma. Phone 463-4364. 36-12p

BELLANT BROTHERS PAINTING

Experienced Workmanship Phone 224-7581 42-4

★ WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

A USED adding machine, in good condition. Call Louise Hicks, 224-4134. 42-2dh

PORT-A-CRIB and bathnet or changing table. Call 224-7545. 40-dthf

WANTED—Hay of any kind. Especially interested in choice alfalfa, clover. Ph. 862-5009. Green Meadow Farms, Elsie, Michigan. 30-1f

★ NOTICES

RUMMAGE SALE now in progress. Pontias, 2004 W. Main, Owosso, Mich. 43-2p

LOSE WEIGHT safely with Dex-A-Diet tablets. Only 99c at Parr Drugs. 44-12p

HAVE AN opening at Marion's Rest Home, Eureka. Phone 224-7083 42-1f

AUCTION—Tues., Mar. 1 at 2 p.m. Restaurant equipment in Owosso, corner South Washington and Howard near Coen Pontiac. Perkins Sale Service, auctioneers. Phone 635-9400 Swartz Creek. 44-1

AUCTION—Wed., Mar. 2 at 11 a.m. Self serve food market liquidation for new expressway construction at G3407 S. Traverse street in South Flint. Complete set of meat and general food fixtures, freezers, dairy, beer, meat, vegetable cases and compressors, business machines, 5 scales, etc. Perkins Sale Service, auctioneers. Phone 635-9400 Swartz Creek 44-1

Real Estate

Building lots on West Price road, 1 acre each, also 10-acre building sites on South DeWitt road.

SMALL FARM 22 acres outside of St. Johns, 4-bedroom home.

JUST LISTED—356 acres in Southern Ionia County. Grade A set up. Two complete sets of buildings.

BEEF FARM 180 acres southeast of St. Johns, 4-bedroom home with big barn and silo.

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★ NOTICES

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PROCHAZKA'S Rest Home has an opening for lady patient. Call St. Johns 224-4288. 44-1p

OPEN HOUSE

SATURDAY and SUNDAY FEBRUARY 26, 27 1/2 mile east of Fowler on M-21

JOE L. SIMON BUILDER 44-1p

DANCING—9:30 to 2 a.m. Friday and Saturday, the Tornadoes Country Swing Music. Liquor, beer, wine, soft drinks and pizza. Open Sunday at 12 noon. H & H Lounge, downtown St. Johns. 37-1f

★ LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Man's billfold in phone booth at Parr's Pharmacy. If found, return to Donald Lindner, E. Colony road. 44-1p

LOST—Pair of girl's glasses with black frames. Lost near St. Joseph Catholic church. Diane Cunningham, 707 N. Clinton. Phone 224-4593. 42-2p

LOST—Black leather purse in vicinity of North Clinton Ave. Reward. Contains important papers. 800 N. Clinton, Apt. 3. Phone 224-3454 after 5 p.m. 44-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to thank our friends and neighbors and the St. Johns Fire Department and anyone else who helped in any way during and after our fire.—Mr and Mrs Arthur Hinkle. 44-1p

I would like to thank all the neighbors, friends and relatives for the cards and gifts and all who came to visit me while I was in St. Lawrence hospital. Also a special thanks to the doctors and nurses for their good care.—Alvin L. Schneider. 44-1p

I want to thank F. C. Mason employees, my friends, neighbors, Drs. Horen and Russell, nurses of Clinton Memorial hospital. Also Drs. Mavromatis and Blair, nurses of the Sparrow hospital in Lansing for their wonderful cards I received.—Donald Ordiway. 44-1p

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to Mrs Parkhurst and Koenigsnecht, Dr Jordan and the George Funeral Home for their services. We also wish to thank our relatives, neighbors and friends for the messages, flowers, food and many acts of kindness shown to us in our recent bereavement.—Mrs Antonette Schueller and family. 44-1p

We wish to convey our thanks to Dr Russell and all the staff at Clinton Memorial hospital for their care of Stella A. Schools and their kindness to us. We are very grateful to Rev Daniel Kelin and Lee Rummell for their services. To our relatives, friends and neighbors who can only say thanks much for the flowers, cards and many other acts of kindness.—Alonzo Schools, Mr and Mrs O. J. Marsh and Mrs and Mrs W. Miles Schools. 44-1p

Words cannot express our heartfelt thanks we wish to convey to all who helped in so many ways during the illness and loss of our beloved husband and father. We want to thank our relatives, friends and neighbors for the many floral tributes, food brought into our homes, cards and many, many other acts of kindness shown. A special thanks to Don and Ethel Pratt who came into our home and cared for our loved ones while we were in Ann Arbor. Also to Mary Ann Sellers who stood by our side at Ann Arbor. We want to thank all at Federal-Mogul Corp. for the collection and many other kindnesses shown. We send our sincerest thanks to Drs Grosz and Russell and to the Osgood Funeral Home for the kindest consideration shown us in ambulance service and funeral arrangements. Thank you, Rev Bovee for the prayers in our home and your comforting words at the funeral. God bless each and everyone of you.—Mrs William Kasper and Joe, Mr and Mrs Richard Chant and Mr and Mrs Milo Maneval. 44-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

The family of John F. Ernst, Sr. would like to thank the Osgood Funeral Home, Rev Huener, friends, neighbors and relatives for all their services and kind deeds, and especially thanks to Ann Jackson for her care. 44-1p

I would like to express my sincere thanks to my friends, relatives, neighbors, the hospital staff, Dr Stephenson and Fr Schoettle for helping make my stay at the hospital a most pleasant and comfortable one.—Fergus Thompson. 44-1p

I would like to thank everyone who remembered me while I was in the hospital with gifts, flowers, cards, visits and prayers. Dr Russell, nurses and nurses' aides for their fine care and Fr Schoettle for his visit. God bless you.—Mary Konecny. 44-1p

I wish to thank Drs Russell and Slagh, nurses and nurses' aides at the Clinton Memorial hospital for their wonderful care and to friends and relatives for the many cards and gifts. Special thanks to Rev Courser and Rev Showers for their calls. All were greatly appreciated while I was in the hospital. God bless you all.—Florence Clark. 44-1p

The family of Marshal Saiter are very thankful for all the kind deeds, the flowers, money, beautiful sermon by Rev Elmer Mills, the beautiful song, the dinner and hall by the W.V.W. Auxiliary and the Dorcas of the Seventh Day Adventist church. Also for the wonderful care given by the nurses' aides, nurses and Dr Russell. Everyone was so good, we can't thank them enough. 44-1p

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for the food, cards and their many acts of kindness shown us during the death of our son Ervin. Also Mr and Mrs Gus Paseka and our children who made it possible for our getting to and from the Sparrow hospital the two weeks our son Donald was there.—Mr and Mrs Guy Ordiway. 44-1p

We wish to thank our neighbors, friends and relatives for the many kind and thoughtful expressions of sympathy during the loss of our loved one, he and many beautiful money gifts, food and dinner put on by the ladies of Bannister will always be remembered with gratitude. A special thanks goes to Rev John Burnham for his wonderful sermon and to the Carter Funeral Home.—The family of Isabel Stambersky. 44-1p

I would like to thank everyone who sent me cards, flowers and gifts while in the hospital. Also to my many neighbors and relatives who brought in so much food for my family. They were all greatly appreciated. I also wish to thank the doctors and nurses, especially Dr DeVore for the good care I got. Every act of kindness was greatly appreciated.—Mrs Irene Weber. 44-1p

The family of Loren Lietzke wishes to express their appreciation to all their friends, neighbors and relatives for all the gifts and expressions of sympathy given to them. Because of your generosity there will be over \$100 used for Leukemia research, a Memorial of a public address system installed in the DeWitt Methodist church and a sum to be dispensed through the Wever Foundation, Michigan State University for a scholarship. Funds are still being received.—Mary Lietzke. 44-1p

We wish to express our deep appreciation and since I thank to our relatives, friends and neighbors for the beautiful floral offerings, gifts of food, cards and many acts of kindness during our recent bereavement. Especially do we thank Rev. Leo V. Miller, Rev. Douglas Funeral Home, Motor Wheel Corporation employees, Looking Glass Sportsman club, American Legion of Laingsburg for their services and the auxiliary ladies for the wonderful dinner.—Mrs Maurice Ordiway and family and Mr and Mrs Guy Ordiway and family. 44-1p

★ IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our wife, mother and grandmother, Mrs Fred (Wilhelmina) Felzke, who passed away one year ago today. Loving and kind in all her ways. Upright and just to the end of her days. Sincere and kind in heart and mind. What a beautiful memory she left behind.—Husband, children and grandchildren. 44-1p

Ernie Fritz of Bolchot Road was surprised Saturday afternoon, Feb. 12, when 40 of his children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and several friends dropped in to help him celebrate his 72nd birthday. A decorated birthday cake, ice cream and coffee was served and grandpa Fritz was presented a jacket and other gifts. Guest included the John Babula family of Grand Rapids, the Rev Arthur Fritz family of Mount Pleasant, the Alva Hartman family, the Ron Parkinson family of Lansing, the Charles Fritz family of DeWitt, the Clyde Smith family, Bill Smith and Mrs Florence Wickham of St. Johns and the Ray Shrey family of Bath. Mr and Mrs Terry Nolph are the new neighbors at 14540 Bolchot Road.

Gunnisonville By Mrs. LOUI FRITZ, Correspondent

Officers elected at Gunnisonville

GUNNISONVILLE — The Emanuel Methodist and Gunnisonville Community Methodist churches held their annual quarterly conference of the Albion-Lansing district at the Gunnisonville church Sunday, Feb. 13. District superintendent Dr Stanley Buck presided.

Recording secretaries for the session were from Emanuel church, Mrs Herbert Kowalk and from Gunnisonville church, Mrs John Hagy. The officers elected for Gunnisonville church were trustees (3 year term), Margaret Stamply, Oliver Angell and Walter Placer, trustees (3 year term); Barbara Homer, secretary; Gladys Balduf, treasurer and Letha Hill, Communion.

Commission membership and evangelism include Marvin Rhynard, chairman, Ed Homer and John Headley. Serving on the commission on education are Ray Shirey, chairman; Faye Hagy, church school superintendent; Lou E. Fritz, assistant superintendent; Laura Healy, children division; Barbara Homer, youth division; Florence Hartman, Music; Margaret Stamply, church school treasurer; Lou Lee Fritz, church school secretary and Thelma Fritz a committee member.

OTHER OFFICERS include recording steward, Barbara Homer; Lay member to annual conference, Ray Shirey; official board chairman, Alva Hartman; building steward, Alva Hartman; history and records, Margaret Stamply; auditing committee, Richard Homer and Marvin Rhynard; lay leader, Oliver Angell and Marvin Rhynard and music, Marian Trowbridge, organist and Elaine Calk, director. Others included are Ladies Aid Society, Mildred Angell; Christian social concern, Bernard Harris; lifetime honorary stewards Dr and Mrs C. L. Thompson and Mrs Florence Cable and nominations committee Pastor and all committee chairman.

Mrs Stanley Buck and Raymond Yerke, a lay speaker from Grace Methodist Church in Lansing, were guests at the conference session.

Living Christ series to be presented Sunday

The Living Christ film series, "Discipleship," Episode 6, sponsored by the Emanuel-Gunnisonville MYF was shown Sunday, Feb. 13, at the Gunnisonville church. Episode 7, "Return to Nazareth," was viewed Sunday, Feb. 20.

Episode 8 "Conflict" will be shown Sunday, Feb. 27, at 7:30 p.m. In this episode, political intrigue develops which eventually results in the crucifixion. The concern of Jesus is for others Mary, Martha and a young man born blind. The Apostles will be sent on first missionary journey.

The films will continue through Easter, April 10. The last film depicts the cross of Calvary, the resurrection the appearances of the disciples and the convincing of Thomas. The films are open to the public.

Parlor; school rooms get new look

"Many hands make light work" and the Gunnisonville church parlor and Sunday school rooms have received a "new look" during the past two weeks. Several men and women spent most of the week cleaning, painting and wall papering. They had potluck dinners at noon and worked all day.

New molding in the dining parlor has replaced the old four inch molding that has done service since 1888 when the church was built. A louvered door was hung on the janitors closet in the kitchen and a vinyl backed nylon rug was laid in the hall. Storm windows are on order for the dining parlor and a telephone was installed in the kitchen. All bills were paid by the Ladies Aid Society.

The following worked: Mr and Mrs Ray Shirey, Mr and Mrs Fred Horning, Mr and Mrs Lloyd Ford, Mr and Mrs Ernie Fritz, Mrs Alva Hartman, Mrs Marvin Rhynard, Mrs Oliver Angell, Dick Homer and Dick Symmonds. George Cox of DeWitt hung the door.

Ernie Fritz honored on 72 birthday

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South Watertown By Mrs Bruce Hodges

Mr and Mrs Clarence Trierwiler and family of Howell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Lewis Lonler.

Mr and Mrs Myron Humphrey visited Mrs I. T. Spillette at the Capitol City Convalescent Home, Lansing Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Charles Lonier spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Urban Hengesbach of Portland.

Mr and Mrs S. A. Harborne and Mrs Grove Keith of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Helen Lowell.

Mrs Gertrude Kirrman is recovering from surgery at St. Lawrence Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Don Cobb entertained at Sunday dinner. Guests were Mr and Mrs Burl Hodges of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Vaughan Montgomery and family and Mr and Mrs Bruce Hodges. The occasion honored the birthday of Mrs Burl Hodges. Mr and Mrs Harold Patrick and son called on the Roy Patricks of Ionia Sunday.

Bill Berryhill is suffering from the shingles. Michigan leads the nation in the production of red tart cherries, field beans, blueberries, cucumbers for pickles, gladioli bulbs and eastern white winter wheat.

McGonigal Corners By Mrs John McGonigal

Geisenhavers mark 50th anniversary

Over 200 relatives and friends attended the 50th wedding anniversary reception held at the Christ Lutheran Church in Lansing, Sunday, Feb. 20, honoring Mr and Mrs Walter Geisenhaver of Heribson Road, Bath, and St. Petersburg, Fla.

The original wedding party of 50 years ago was there, Mrs Beatrice Dahlke and Howard Geisenhaver.

Sunday's gathering was the second time in the Geisenhaver family, when four generations, all male, attended at the same function. They were: Mr and Mrs Fred Geisenhaver, Mr and Mrs Walter Geisenhaver, Mr and Mrs Kenny Geisenhaver, Mr and Mrs Greg Geisenhaver and Scott Geisenhaver.

Ushers were Gene Serfers, Greg Geisenhaver and Tom Davenport, all nephews of the honored couple. Mrs Greg Geisenhaver registered guests from Lansing, Flint and Bath.

Saturday evening, Feb. 19, a family dinner was held at a Lansing restaurant. A coincidence of the evening was meeting, at an opposite table, Mrs Doris Wilkins of Clark Road, Bath, who was being honored on her birthday. Mrs Wilkins was a former teacher at Bath school and is now the librarian. Mr and Mrs Walter Geisenhaver's three boys, Kenny, Jack and Richard were former pupils of hers.

Sunday evening another family dinner party was held at the home of Mr and Mrs Richard Geisenhaver, 60 attended.

The hot lunch personnel of Bath schools attended a meeting and supper at Waverly high school, Lansing, Feb. 15 sponsored by the Miel Co., one of the school's food suppliers. It was an instruction class on preparing government surplus foods.

The Lloyd Rosekrans of Slight Road entertained their family last Friday evening in honor of their daughter, Margie's 14th birthday.

Mr and Mrs John Peterson entertained their daughter, Mrs Kenneth Munson and family at a birthday dinner, Sunday, Feb. 20, at their home on State Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Swart visited Mrs Swart's mother, Mrs Emory, of Grand Rapids last Sunday for dinner.

Mr and Mrs Walter Geisenhaver returned to Florida Tuesday, Feb. 22, with Mr and Mrs Howard Geisenhaver.

Mr and Mrs Hollis Tischer of Drummond Island surprised her parents, Mr and Mrs John McGonigal of Clise Road, Wednesday evening when they arrived at their home unexpectedly. Patrick Tischer of Lansing and Elaine Tischer and his wife of Spartan Village, East Lansing, joined their parents, Saturday evening for dinner at their grandparent's home. Mr and Mrs Chester McGonigal and son, John, were also dinner guests. The Tischeres returned home Sunday.

Rev Voss of Maple Rapids was the guest speaker at Salem EUB Church Sunday. Rev Conine was ill and unable to be present.

The Youth Fellowship of Salem EUB Church held their February meeting Monday evening at the home of Miss Carol Johnson. Games were played and prizes awarded the winners.

The recreation leader was Coral Johnson.

IT'S A BOY Mr and Mrs Gilbert Baker announce the arrival of a son, Dell Jon, born Feb. 10 at Carson City Hospital weighing 7 pounds and 10 ounces.

Mr Guy Barber of Lansing was a dinner guest Friday of Mr and Mrs Harry Patterson.

Mr and Mrs James Fisher and family spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Richard Vincent in Corunna.

The Women's Fellowship of Salem EUB Church announce the arrival of the Salem EUB Church Cook Book. Mrs Margaret Conline is the chairman.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Trierwiler and family of Howell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Lewis Lonler.

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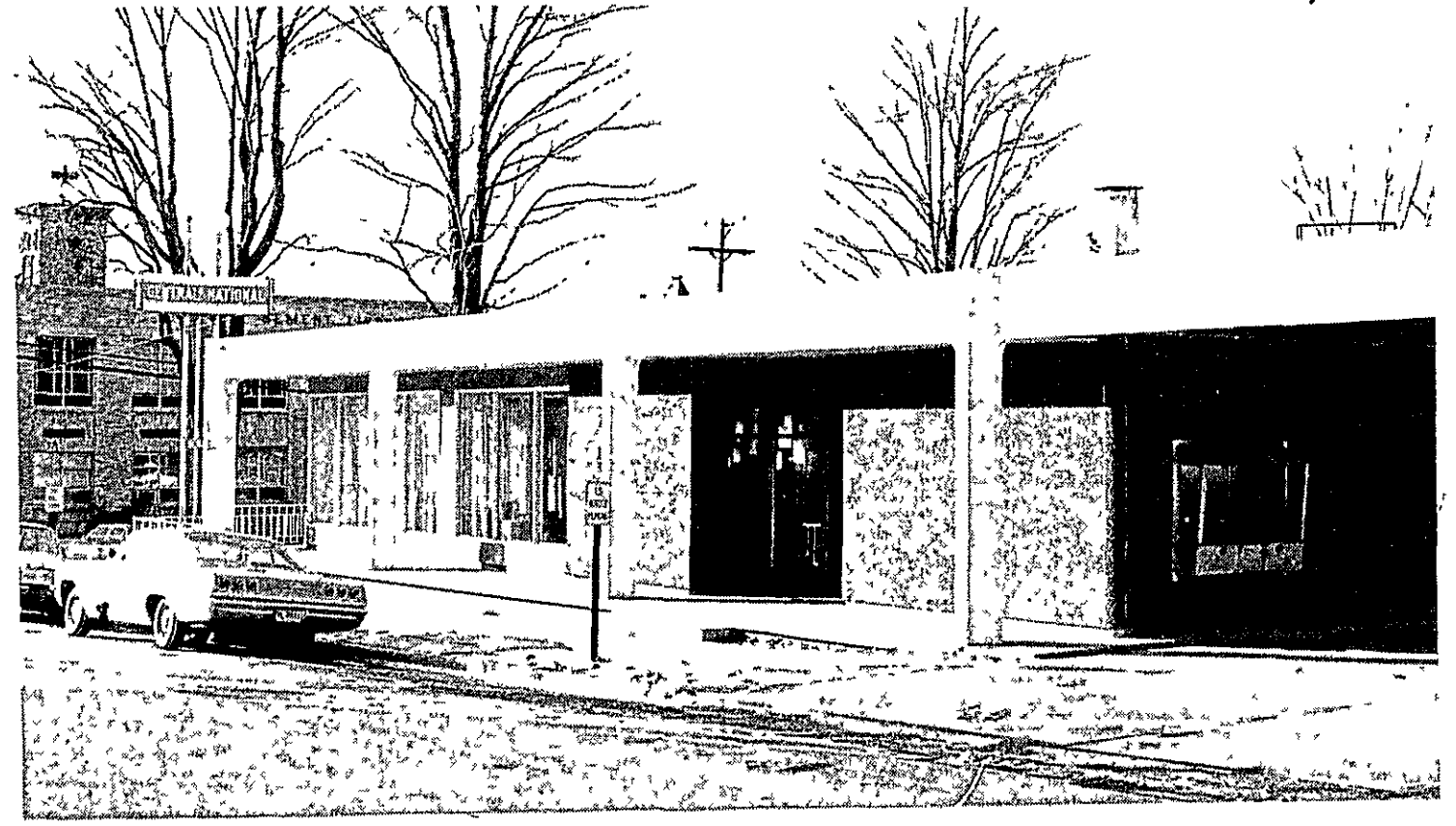
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**75 at St. Johns to take Merit scholarship test**

Approximately 75 students at Rodney B. Wilson High School plan to take the 1966 National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (NMQST), Stanley B. Poulos, principal, announced today.

The test will be administered at the school at 9 a.m. this Saturday, Feb. 26. All students who wish to be considered for Merit scholarships to be awarded in 1967 should take the test at that time.

The NMQST is a three-hour examination of educational development. The test is the first step in the 12th annual competition for four-year Merit Scholarships provided by the National Merit Scholarship Corp. and by sponsoring corporations, foundations, colleges, associations, unions, trusts, and individuals.

THE NUMBER of scholarships awarded in any year depends upon the extent of sponsor participation.

The test scores of students who are examined in March will be reported to their schools before May 15. The scores are used by counselors in many high schools to help students make decisions about college attendance and field of study. Many students who do not expect to win a scholarship take the test in order to learn more about their individual strengths and weaknesses in the areas measured by the test.

MORE THAN 14,000 semifinalists, the highest scorers in each state, will be named early next fall. Names of semifinalists are published in a booklet which is distributed to all colleges and to other sources of financial aid for undergraduates. Further, their names and test scores are sent to the two colleges they list as their preferred choices at the time that they take the NMQST. The order of preference is not shown.

Approximately 38,000 additional students, selected on a national basis, receive letters of commendation for their high performance on the qualifying test. Their names and test scores are also sent to their first- and second-choice colleges.

Each semifinalist will be asked to take a second examination. Those who repeat their high performance and meet certain other requirements will become finalists in the competition. Winners of Merit Scholarships will be selected from the finalist group on the basis of school records and recommendations, test scores, extra curricular activities, leadership, ability, and accomplishments outside the classroom. Each finalist is awarded a certificate of merit attesting to his outstanding performance.

ALL FINALISTS are considered eligible for Merit scholarships financed by NMQST on a basis of state representation and without special individual criteria of any kind. Many sponsored Merit scholarships include additional criteria such as the finalist's relationship to an employee of the sponsoring organization, his residence in a certain area,

his college preference or his career intention.

The scholarship stipends are based on financial need. The minimum award is \$100 and the maximum is \$1,500. The average stipend awarded to freshmen Merit scholars in previous years was about \$3,000 for the four years of college. Supplementary grants are usually made to the colleges that the scholars attend. Each scholarship constitutes a form of educational insurance, since the stipend may be increased at any time if the student's financial situation changes during the four-year term of the scholarship.

**Clintonites had medical self help class**

The Clintonites Extension group of St. Johns held their meeting this month at the home of Mrs. Roger Keyes.

Civil Defense director of Clinton county gave the lesson on medical self-help. Mrs. Frost covered fractures and splinting, transportation of the injured and burns and treatment of shock. This is only a part of the course being taken to know how to help in a situation when no medical help is available.

The next meeting will be held March 16 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Nicky Knight. Any women interested in joining are asked to contact Mrs. Larry Plowman.

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# Elsie

By MRS. NEVA KEYS, Correspondent

## Literary Club hears Ovid school chorus

There was "Music in the Air" at the Knight Elementary School Tuesday evening when more than 100 members of the Ovid-Elsie Area School Chorus presented a program for the Woman's Literary Club.

Don Thayer directed the music group in the following selections with Sylvia Surik as accompanist: "Do Re Mi" from Sound of Music; "Grant Me the Courage, Lord" by Bach; "Open Our Eyes", Macfarlane; "The Dear Old Woman", Davis; the theme from "Exodus"; "Evening Pastorale", Shaw; "Set Down Servant", Fred Waring arrangement with John Craig and Bill Nemanis as soloists; and "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" Lutkin.

The young people were from Ovid High School.

Mrs. Paul Platner presided at the business meeting, Sharon Stewart was selected to represent the Woman's Literary at Girls' State with Rita Washburn as an alternate. This program is sponsored by the Elsie unit of American Legion Auxillary.

It was voted to give \$50.00 each to Pamela Loznak and David Showers who will travel this summer to Europe as exchange students.

MRS Howard Peltier, president of the Clinton County Federation of Women's Clubs, gave a report of her activities in planning the convention scheduled May 3 at the Elsie Methodist Church with the local WLC as hostess club.

She stated that visits have been made to the following clubs: Ovid Crescent Club with program by the Vaugh Seed Co., St. Johns Woman's Club play by "The First Nighters", Maple Rapids Sorosis Club, when Mrs Suzanne Ball of

the Gratiot County Probate Court talked about her work with underprivileged children as well as juvenile delinquents.

She will be a guest of the Victor Civic Club this week and later attend the Ovid-DuPlain Library Club and Ovic Acme Society.

Mrs Nellie Spiegel and Mrs Peltier were hostesses. Refreshments were served by Mrs Blanch Bates, Mrs Viva Scott, Mrs Reginald Crossen, Mrs Lucas Martin and Mrs Stanley Kidas.

The annual meeting will be held March 1 at the Home Economics room in EHS.

Mrs Minnie Van Deusen was moved from the Clinton Memorial Hospital to the Dietz Nursing Home in Ovid Thursday. She is convalescing from a fractured hip sustained in a fall at her home.

Lewis Platner, who had been in ill health at his home here, was taken to the Maple Valley Nursing Home in Ashley a week ago.

## Indians entertain at Dad, son banquet

ELSIE—A father and son banquet was held Saturday evening at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall with the WSCS serving a chicken dinner, at tables centered with small Indian houses.

Gene Stouffer presided as master of ceremonies and led the singing of several hymns of various churches. Sharon Dunham was accompanist.

Rev Lester Priest of the Shepherd Chippewa Indian Mission was introduced and he presented a group of Indians from the reservation north of Mt. Pleasant, in a program of education and entertainment.

Those participating in the program were Eli Thomas (Little Elk), sub-chief of the tribe, Mrs Thomas, Mr and Mrs Issac

## Elsie to observe FFA week

ELSIE — Vocational Agriculture students in Elsie high school will join Future Farmers of America FFA members throughout the nation to focus attention on the importance of agriculture during National FFA Week, Feb. 19-26.

Agriculture Is More Than Farming is this year's FFA Week theme. The farm boys will undertake a campaign to inform the general public about the importance of the agricultural industry to America, the growing need for farming, and of the numerous and wide variety of opportunities that exist in the broad field of agriculture for young men who have a background of farm experience and training.

"We have such an abundance of food in America that people are taking farmers for granted," said Rodney Tulloch, vocational agriculture teacher and FFA advisor. "Actually, farming is now and always has been our largest and most vital industry and it is becoming increasingly important with our expanding population."

LOCALLY, MEMBERS of the Elsie FFA Chapter plan to set up window displays, contact local people about chapter activities and present programs to local groups and service clubs. Membership in the FFA is

made up of students of vocational agriculture in high school. The organization's activities are designed to help develop rural leadership and good citizenship and to stimulate the students to better achievement in their study and work toward successful establishment in farming or other agricultural occupations.

The Elsie FFA chapter has 50 members. Officers are Joe Guysky, president; Dean Acree, vice-president; Micheal Rives, secretary; Rodney Kiger, treasurer; Ronald Bush, reporter and Robert Kusler, sentinel.

The national Future Farmer organization has approximately 450,000 members with 9,000 local chapters in the 50 States and Puerto Rico. Future Farmers choose the week of George Washington's birthday each year for the observance of National FFA week. Although usually recognized as a Revolutionary War general and our first President, Washington's first love was the farm.

The Elsie Chapter #69 OES will observe its 75th anniversary Saturday evening at the Masonic Hall. It will also be Friends' Night with visitors from DeWitt, Wacousta, St. Johns, Ovid, Maple Rapids, Chesaning, Laingsburg and Ashley Chapters.

Gold, except for limited use for dental fillings, has had few industrial uses until recently. Its unusual physical properties, however, will now give it new uses in electronics, aviation and other industries, predicts the US Geological Survey.

## 2 men boost his faith in humanity

Two unidentified men have given a boost to County Civil Defense Director Charles Frost's "faith in humanity."

Monday morning Frost's wallet, containing a large amount of money, slipped from his pocket in a courthouse rest room. About the middle of the morning, Sheriff Percy Patterson called Frost in and asked to see his wallet.

FROST THEN discovered it missing. The sheriff had it. Two unidentified men, whom Frost never saw and whom the sheriff did not know, had found the wallet in the rest room and had turned it in at the sheriff's office.

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REV PRIEST displayed posters to show interesting facts and life on the reservation. He pointed out on a large map other Indian missions at Shelbyville, Grand Rapids, Salem, Oscoda, Charlevoix, Northport, Kewadin, Bay Mills and L'Anse.

The Saginaw Valley Chippewa Tribal Council is held each month, he said, and all Indian codes are set up at that time.

Rev Priest stated that CMU students have their own Peace Corps with the Mt. Pleasant Indians acting as big brothers and sisters. By the treaty of 1864, the Indians were promised 100,000 acres but over a period of 20 years it was reduced so there are now only 450 acres where 119 people of 24 families reside on poor lands.

Rev Priest stated that construction of 20 new homes under the federal low rent housing will begin in the spring.

Eli Thomas or Little Elk as he is known among his fellow Indians gave a bit of the early history and lore and opened the program with typical Indian songs.

THE INDIANS were all dressed in their native costumes.

They demonstrated several Indian dances such as the Welcome dance, Happy Bear, Peace Pipe ceremonial, Victory dance and legend of the Porcupines.

They provided their own music accompaniment by singing, beating the tom toms and shaking their bells.

IN RELATING their early history, they noted that the birch bark canoe was produced by the Indians many centuries before Columbus but the same shape and design perfected by Indian craftsmen is retained in the modern metal canoes of today.

Rev Priest told of the time when the Indians paddled their canoes from Jackson across the state to Saginaw, along the Grand and Maple rivers, portaged across to the Fairfield Creek and on to the Saginaw river.

Early Elsie history relates that Indians often camped along the Maple River west of the village. At the close of the program, Rev Gordon Showers was initiated into the Chippewa Indian tribe in a humorous skit with all Indians participating. Attired in feathered headpiece and carrying the tomahawk they presented, Rev Showers joined in their final dance ceremonial to the amusement of the dads and lads.

MASTER OF ceremonies Gene Stouffer concluded the program with a reading "The Measure of a Man."

Many baskets which the Indians had made and other trinkets and souvenir symbols of their colorful past were on display and many were purchased by the guests.

All joined in singing the closing selection "Blest be the Tie."

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# Wings need help to get a share of crown

## Fowler takes "D" title from St. Pat

PORTLAND — Fowler High School took the Central Michigan D basketball championship away from defending champs Portland St. Patrick's when the Eagles tripped the Shamrocks 73-71 Friday night.

It was Fowler's 14th win of the season and their ninth in league play. St. Patrick fell victim twice this year to Coach Charles Triller's Eagles, who were defeated only once, by Webberville.

LUKE KOENIGSKNECHT and Bob Pohl each rammed in a big 28 points to pace the Eagles in a game that was always close and which saw Fowler back and forth as far as the lead was concerned.

Fowler managed a good start on the Shamrocks' floor and held a 17-14 lead after the first quarter. Both squads scored 17 points in the second eight minutes, and Fowler left the floor at halftime still holding a three-point margin, 34-31.

Central Mich. D (final)		
	league	all
Fowler	9-1	14-1
St. Patrick	8-2	13-3
Webberville	7-3	14-4
Pottersville	3-7	6-10
Ashley	3-7	5-9
Morrice	0-10	2-12

ST. PATRICK'S took over the lead halfway through the third period, but with Pohl and Koenigsknecht shoving in baskets, Fowler regained the advantage and led by as much as five points in the fourth period. Fowler had only a 52-51 lead going into the last eight minutes.

After Koenigsknecht's and Pohl's twin 28-point performances, scoring dropped off for the Eagles. Bruce Thelen had 6 points, George Spicer 2, Mike Nobach 4 and James Simon 5.

Fowler was to play its last regular season game Tuesday night against Fulton at Fowler.

## St. Johns fresh beat Lakewood

St. Johns' freshmen basketballers ripped Lakewood's frosh 74-65 last Thursday night on the strength of a big fourth quarter.

The freshmen of Coach Frank Rosengren were tied 51-51 with Lakewood after three quarters and then outscored the Vikings 22-13 in the fourth period, led by Dick Henderson and Craig Bartholomew with 6 points each.

Eleven St. Johns players shared in the scoring for the Redwing frosh. Bartholomew led the way with 20 points, while Henderson had 12, Mike Green 8, Kurt Hildorf and Phil Knight 7 each, Rick Moore 5, John Yurek 5, Doug Barker 3, Rick Warren and Charles Romig 2 each and Mike Lewis 1.

TOM MORRISON scored 36 points for Lakewood.

The freshmen of St. Johns had their best shooting night of the year, connecting on 28 of 52 shots for a sparkling .539 percentage. Bartholomew led the rebounding by picking 11 balls off the backboard, while Moore had 7 rebounds.

Lakewood and St. Johns were tied 16-16 after the first quarter, but St. Johns took a 41-31 half-time lead. Lakewood bounced back to outscore St. Johns 20-10 in the third period and tie the game up going into the last eight minutes.

## Doubtful entry takes top money

A team that had to be coaxed a little to enter the City Women's Bowling Assn. Tournament won first place by three pins this year.

The Drake's team from the Tuesday Tea Time League bowled a handicap score of 2909 to place first among 38 teams that were entered.

Association Secretary Connie Cronkrite reported that in lining up teams for the tournament the girls were a little reluctant to enter, thinking they wouldn't have a chance. "But I assured them that with getting a handicap and having low averages they have just as much a chance as the next team."

THEY TOOK advantage of the chance. Onalee Ketchum, who has a 104 average, whipped up a 438 series. Helga Warr, a 116-average bowler, rolled a 402 series. Helen Larson, who carries a 95-pin average, bowled 322 for series. Loretta Munro, with a 124 average, bowled 421. Rose Ritter, a 143 bowler, had a 456 series.

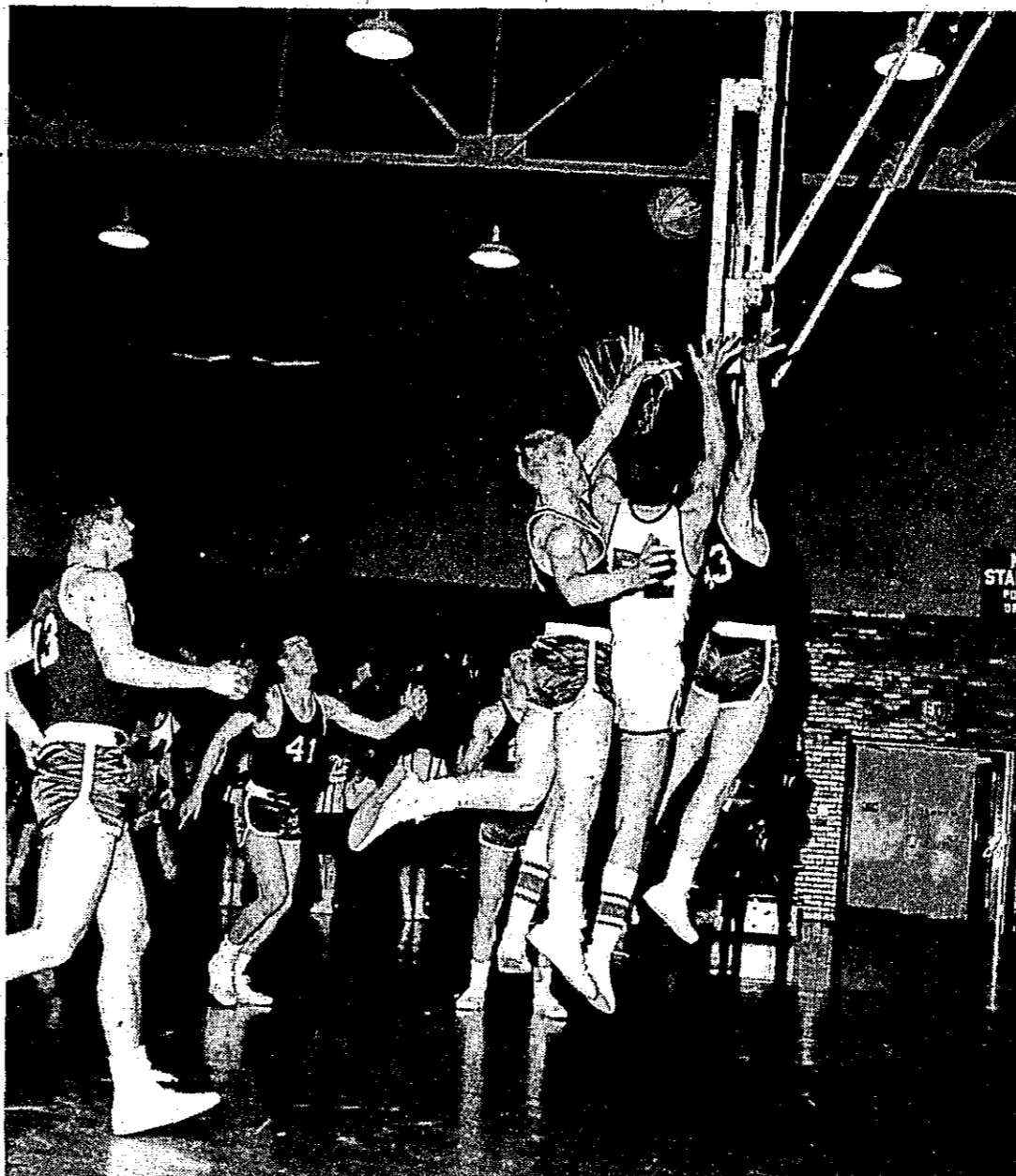
That totaled 2039 pins. With an 870 pin handicap, they won the tournament with a 2909 total score.

Finishing second was Central National Bank with a 2906, only three pins off the pace set by Drake's. Other teams winning money, in the order of finish:

THIRD, PARR'S, 2884; fourth, Federal Mogul No. 1, 2845; fifth, Jim's Insurance, 2833; sixth, Heathman's 2827; seventh, H & H Lounge, 2818; eighth, Clinton National Bank, 2803; ninth, Boron's, 2796; 10th, St. Johns Furniture and Carling's, 2794; 12th, American Legion, 2790; 13th, Julie K, 2774; 14th, Dog n Suds and Spare Timers, 2772; 16th, St. Johns Tool and Die, 2762.

The singles and doubles events in the tournament will wind up this weekend.

America is blessed with adequate water supplies, says the National Wildlife Federation, but the country is faced with an acute water shortage unless steps are taken immediately to halt water pollution. By cleaning up streams, rivers, lakes and reservoirs, water can be used many times to supply human needs, but already some parts of the country face economic disaster because of dirty water.



Bill DeGroot (52) of St. Johns is a hand higher than two Lakewood players in the battle for a rebound in Friday night's game at St. Johns. DeGroot won and so did St. Johns, 60-54. No. 44 at left for St. Johns is Dennis Springer. Lakewood players are Darrel Slater (13), George Johnson (41) and Jeff Wells (43).

## Hastings must lose, Wings win

The St. Johns Redwings plodded to their ninth victory of the basketball season last Friday night, but their chances for even a share of the West Central Conference title are now extremely dim.

Although St. Johns won its league game over Lakewood 60-54, league-leading Hastings trimmed Charlotte 68-51 to clinch at least a share of the league title.

Hastings will play Grand Ledge this Friday, while St. Johns must face a tough Ionia squad, a team which beat St. Johns here Jan. 21. Any combination of a Hastings win or St. Johns loss will give the title to Hastings outright.

IF ST. JOHNS should lose, Ionia will tie for second place with the Wings.

Friday night's victory over Lakewood didn't impress Coach Bill Swears any, and Monday he expressed some concern over whether his charges could turn the tide on the onrushing Ionia Bulldogs. The Wings hit on 21 of 69 field goal shots for a fair .30 percentage. They made 18 of 29 free throws.

The Wings got started slowly. Bob Ortwain's 3 points was the best effort in the first quarter as the Redwings watched Lakewood take a 9-8 quarter lead. St. Johns hit on only two of 15 shots that period — one by Ortwain and one by Gene Rademacher.

DENNIS SPRINGER came on with three baskets and Jim Leonard and Bill DeGroot tossed in two each in the second period as the Redwings came to life and spurred into a 24-19 halftime lead, a lead they never relinquished. In the third quarter they outscored Lakewood 17-12 and built a lead that held up despite some chopping by Lakewood in the final quarter.

Free throws led the Wings in the game for most of the night. St. Johns got only four field goals but had 13 free throws. Lakewood, meanwhile, was outscoring St. Johns 23-19 in the quarter on the strength of nine field goals.

St. Johns' Springer picked up four fouls in the first half and played only about a minute during the second half before fouling out of the game. Rademacher got in foul trouble in the first half, too, and was greatly limited in scoring.

GARY BOYCE was the top scorer for the Wings, getting 14 points, including six free throws in the last quarter. Leonard and

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Hastings	10-3	13-3
St. Johns	9-4	9-5
Ionia	8-5	9-6
Alma	7-6	7-7
Charlotte	6-7	8-7
Grand Ledge	5-8	6-9
Greenville	4-9	5-9
Lakewood	3-10	5-11

DeGroot had 11 points each, while Springer and Ortwain had 8 each, Rademacher 6 and Randy Humphrey 2.

Coach Swears substituted liberally throughout the game, and all players on the squad saw action during the evening.

In the rebound department, Bill DeGroot led the way with 17, while Jim Leonard had 12 rebounds.

## Junior high tourney continues

Fowler, Webberville, Portland St. Patrick's and Pewamo advanced over the weekend in the second annual Central Michigan D Junior High Basketball Tournament at Fowler.

St. Pat's and Pewamo were to meet last night (Wednesday) at 7 p.m., and Fowler was to play Webberville at 8:15.

Fowler beat Ashley 42-15 and Webberville trounced Pottersville 44-25 Sunday afternoon in two first-round games. St. Pat's dumped Fulton 56-22 Saturday evening.

AFTER LAST night's competition, the tournament will continue this Saturday and Sunday. Saturday Ashley and Pottersville will play at 8:15 in a consolation round game, and that winner will meet Fulton Sunday afternoon at 2 for the consolation championship.

Wednesday night's winners will meet Sunday afternoon at 3:15 for the tournament championship.

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## Basketball Schedules, Scores

This Week's Games WEDNESDAY, FEB. 23—Bee's vs Clinton Tractors at 7:30, Sealed Power vs Pewamo at 8:45, Miller's vs Federal Mogul at 10 p.m. End of regular season.

FRIDAY, FEB. 25—West Central: St. Johns at Ionia, Hastings at Grand Ledge, Alma at Greenville, Charlotte at Lakewood.

Central Michigan C: Bath at DeWitt, Portland at Perry, Ovid at Pewamo-Westphalia, Elsie at Laingsburg. Other games: Central Montcalm at Fulton (Tri-Central)

Last Week's Scores FRIDAY, FEB. 18 — Fowler 73, Portland St. Patrick's 71 St. Patrick's JVs 56, Fowler JVs 53 Webberville 86, Morrice 82 Pottersville 82, Ashley 52 Pottersville JVs 73, Ashley JVs 63 Perry 84, Ovid 83 (overtime) Laingsburg 53, DeWitt 50 Laingsburg JVs 60, DeWitt JVs 59 Portland 85, Bath 58 Bath JVs 49, Portland JVs 41 Elsie 77, Pewamo-Westphalia 70 Elsie JVs 83, P-W JVs 72 St. Johns 60, Lakewood 54 Ionia 55, Alma 50 Hastings 68, Charlotte 61 Grand Ledge 56, Greenville 55 Edmore 71, Fulton 51 Saranac 55, Carson City 49

SATURDAY, FEB. 19 — Lakewood 57, Maple Valley 55

Portland hot; Bath is victim PORTLAND — The Portland Red Raiders sank only five free throws Friday night but they dumped in 40 field goals to roll past the Bath Bees 85-58 in a Central Michigan C conference game. The Raiders hit on two-thirds of their field goal shots.

Portland held quarterly scoring margins of 21-10, 18-10, 20-19 and 26-19. Nine Raiders shared in the scoring, but Riley Quinn led them all with 22 points.

Bruce Miller led Bath with 25 points, while Jim Sober had 21, Rusty Woolfe 4, Eleas David 2, Randy Tucker 2 and Mike Tucker 4.

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## Ovid sends Perry overtime for win

OVID — The Perry Ramblers were almost thrown out of the Central Michigan C title race by the Ovid Romans Friday night, but Perry won by a breath, 84-83 in overtime.

Les Masters was the hero for Perry, sinking two free throws with 9 seconds left in regulation play to tie the game at 75-75. In the last five seconds of the overtime, he netted another free throw that was the victory margin.

WITH THE VICTORY, Perry remained one game behind Portland. The two teams will meet this Friday night for a showdown. Portland has clinched at least a share of the title.

Perry led most of the way in the game, but Ovid staged a big rally in the fourth quarter that almost pulled the rug from under the Ramblers. Perry jumped off to a 20-15 first quarter lead and

## Elsie beats P-W after long rally

ELSIE — The Elsie Big Reds overcame a 20-9 first quarter deficit at the hands of Pewamo-Westphalia and rallied to beat the Pirates 77-70 Friday night.

The hosts pulled back within 35-30 at halftime and trailed only 52-51 going into the final eight minutes. The Elsie press began to take effect in the third quarter, and L. D. Jones and Ron Thornton began hitting.

Jones netted 27 points for Elsie, while Thornton had 20, Ken Waggoner 17, R. J. Jones 9, Tom Ackles 2, and Mike Seyberg 2.

For Pewamo-Westphalia, Glenn Schafer scored 23 points while Bill Barker had 18, Ervin Thelen 10, Larry Vance 4, Ken Miller 10, Tom Huhn 2, Bruce Thelen 2 and Gary Bissell 1.

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P-W	3-10	4-13
Laingsburg	2-11	5-11

increased it to 37-29 at halftime.

After a 20-20 scoring exchange in the third period, Ovid came to life with a roar, outscoring Perry 26-16 until the last nine seconds when Masters flipped in the two free throws.

BOB GAZDA LED Ovid in its upset bid by scoring 32 points. Doug Behrens and Dennis Love each had 16 points, Dean Simpson scored 6, Dan Tubbs 12 and Jerry Gazda 1. Jerry Polimounter and Daryl Going led Perry with 26 and 24 respectively.

## More Sports News in Sec. A

## Wolfpack eases past Panthers

DEWITT — Dennis Shaw scored 25 points to lead Laingsburg to a 53-50 victory over DeWitt Friday night, throwing the two teams and Pewamo-Westphalia into a three-way tie for fifth place.

DeWitt's Rick Keck and Mike Fuller scored five points each as DeWitt grabbed a 14-13 first-quarter lead. Laingsburg rallied and took a 26-23 lead into halftime.

Fuller had 9 points, for DeWitt, while Dale Foster had 13, Keck 13, Jan Hanson 4, Dave Parker 6, Jim Schavey 3 and Paul Dinstbier 2. For Laingsburg, Shaw had 25, Jorae 7, Steere 5, Veith 6, Smith 2, VanVelsor 4 and Austin 4.

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Spartans, Chicks stage rallies to win in girls' loop

The Spartans came to life in the second quarter last Wednesday night and went on to beat the Starlites 33-12 in the St. Johns Recreation Department's girls' basketball league.

Trailing 4-2 at the first horn, the Spartans exploded for a 16-1 scoring advantage in the second period and took a commanding 18-5 halftime lead on the strength of six points each by Corrine Feldpausch and Helen Hufnagel.

HELEN LED THE Spartan attack with 14 points, while Betty Feldpausch had 9, Corrine Feldpausch 8 and Donna Feldpausch 2. For the Starlites Jan Fowler scored 6 points, Marlene Stoddard 4 and Dorothy Williams 2.

The Kittens came from way behind to defeat the Chicks. They trailed 8-2 at the first horn and 13-8 at the half. In the third quarter Louise Salisbury hit 7 points to push the Kittens into the lead for the first time at 17-13.

In the fourth quarter the Chicks' Helen Kramer hit two quick baskets to tie it at 17-11, and Kramer and Sheila Brewbaker exchanged buckets to make it 19-19. With 50 seconds left in the game the Chicks lost Janie Bargar, their center, on fouls, and Sheila Brewbaker answered the challenge by sinking a free throw to put the Kittens ahead 20-19. With six seconds remaining Louise Salisbury iced the victory when she stole the ball and scored on a layup.

THE KITTENS were led by Louise Salisbury with 9 points, Jeana Maine 6, Sheila Brewbaker 3, Betty Bartek 2, Donna Smith 2 and Carol Mitchell 2. Helen Kramer had 11 for the Chicks, while Janie Bargar and Carol Eisler had 4 each.

Berkhousen, Dalman hit 30, 31 points

Two individual 30-point performances highlighted last Wednesday night's City League basketball competition in St. Johns.

Clark Berkhousen tallied 30 points to pace unbeaten Clinton Tractors to an 82-78 squeaker over Pewamo, and Jim Dalman hit for 31 points as his Miller's team walked past Sealed Power 86-60.

In the first game of the evening Bee's edged Federal Mogul 52-49. That game developed into a close one only in the second half as Federal Mogul fought back from a 29-18 first half deficit. They outscored Bee's 31-23 in the second half to almost pull the game out of the fire. They trailed by 19 points on one occasion before rallying.

RON CARIS and Jim Cerney hit consistently on long-toms in the second half for F-M. Caris ended the night with 15 points, while Cerney had 13, Lee Demastrey 7, Leroy Hansen 5, Jack Rogan 4, Everett Sillman 3 and Ace Lindman 2. Roger Coryell scored 16 points to pace Bee's to the victory. Larry Stade finished with 14, Keith Nabbeffeld 9, Hub Waite 7, Tom White 4 and Leroy Martens 2.

The second-round leaders, undefeated Clinton Tractors, pulled one out of the fire by nudging Pewamo 82-78. The Tractors led 38-34 at halftime but never enjoyed a lead of more than eight points at any time in the contest.

BERKHOUSEN HIT consistently from the field and from the free throw line, getting 10 buckets and 20 free throws for his 30 points. He got good help from Doug Japinga who scored 20 and Dale Knight who had 15. Others scoring for the winners were Vern Sillman 6, John Warbish and Dick Kutas 4 each, Stan Noyce 2 and Bob Spencer 1.

Bill Werner was the big gun for Pewamo with 26 points, while Herb Werner had 20, Jerry Stump and Jack McWilliams 9 each, Bruce George 6, Bill Heckman 5 and Ken Simon 3.

IN THE FINALE of the evening, Miller's rocked Sealed Power 86-60 behind the deadly shooting of Jim Dalman, who couldn't miss. Dalman hit 15 field goals and one charity toss for 31 points. Clair Fox chipped in with 26, while Clair Armbrustmacher had 10, Ted Simon 9, Steve Spicer 7, Dan Fox 3 and Stub Graff 2. Miller's led 33-20 at halftime.

Jim Proctor led Sealed Power with 19 points, while Hilary Stump had 16, Dale Feldpausch 14, John Fedewa 6 and Jerry Proctor 5.



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**2 Ohioans treated for cuts after crash**

A crash on US-27 north of Custer Road late last Wednesday evening resulted in cuts and bruises for an Ohio driver and his passenger. A St. Johns man in the other car involved was not hurt.

Treated at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing were Ellen M. Clark of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Donald A. Clark, 48, of Hamilton, Ohio. Clark was reportedly blinded by swirling snow and ran off the pavement, striking a parked car occupied by Victor R. Post, 20, of St. Johns.

Clark was ticketed by state police for driving too fast for conditions.

There are few dark and gloomy days ahead for folks who spread sunshine.

**79 make P-W's 3rd honor roll**

PEWAMO - WESTPHALIA - The Pewamo - Westphalia High School honor roll for the third grading period was released last week by William Steinke, superintendent. Five students, including three freshmen, received all A's during the period from Nov. 29 to Jan. 21.

Honor roll students are:

FRESHMEN - Tom Barker, David Cummins, Larry Fedewa, Elaine Kohagen, Janice O'Brien, Roy Simon, Connie Vance, Richard Wohlfert, Jim Bengel, Mary Ann Droste, Bill Freund, Gary Kramer, Karen Pung, Darlene Smith, Lucille Wieber, Penny Wood, Jeanine Bengel, Gary Fedewa (all A's), Carol George, David Miller, Roy Schneider (all A's), Jerry Thelen, Joyce Wohlfert (all A's).

SOPHOMORES - Sandy Bengel, Beth Hogle, Janet Kramer, Mary Lou Platte, Diane Simon, Jane Stump, Marilyn Thelen (all A's), Claudia Wieber, William Bengel, Diane Huhn, Diane Manning, Cheryl Rademacher, Martin Simon, Alan Thelen, Theresa Thelen, Pat Davarn, Margaret Keilen, Duane Piggott, Don Schrauben, Rosemary Smith, Gary Thelen, Laura Welland.

JUNIORS - Sharon Andrews, Debbie Cbok, Rita Knoop, Glenn Schafer, G. Sue Thelen, Jean Wieber, Jenny Wood, Kathy Bengel, Tom Huhn, Mary Ann Piggott, John Schafer, Louie Thelen, John Wieber, Richard Bollinger, Jane Keilen, Keith Rademacher, Miriam Spencer, Chris Wieber, Norma Wohlfert.

SENIORS - Norman Arens (all A's), Linda Droste, Dale Kohagen, Ken Miller, Eva Jean Schafer, Dick Arens, Dale Fedewa, Cheryl Martin, John Rademacher, Larry Vance, Dorothy Bengel, Ronnie Fox, Diane McCormick, Bruce Schafer, Kathleen Wohlfert.

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**Wolverine Stockyards Co. Market Report**

for February 16, 1966—St. Johns

**CATTLE**

**Slaughter Steers**

Prime	— to —
Choice	\$25.50 to 27.50
Good	24.00 to 25.50
Utility—Standard	20.00 to 24.25

**Slaughter Heifers**

Good—Choice	\$23.00 to 24.75
Utility—Standard	19.00 to 22.75

**Cows**

Heifer Cows	\$19.00 to 21.00
Utility—Commercial	16.00 to 19.00
Canner—Cutter	14.00 to 17.50
Fat Yellow Cows	15.00 to 18.00

**Bulls**

Fat Beef Bulls	\$19.00 to 21.00
Utility—Commercial	20.00 to 22.50
Canner—Cutter	16.00 to 20.00

**STOCKERS AND FEEDERS**

**Steers**

Good—Choice	\$25.00 to 28.50
Common—Medium	16.00 to 24.50

**Heifers**

Good—Choice	\$20.00 to 25.00
Common—Medium	14.00 to 20.00

**Calves**

Prime	\$40.00 to 42.50
Good—Choice	35.00 to 40.00
Cull—Medium	18.00 to 33.50
Deacons	20.00 to 30.00

**HOGS**

**Butchers**

190-230 lbs. No. 1's	\$28.40 to 28.70
190-230 lbs. No. 2's	28.00 to 28.50
190-230 lbs. No. 3's	27.50 to 28.00
230 lbs. and up	25.00 to 28.20
180 lbs. and down	22.00 to 27.75

**Sows**

Fancy Light	\$24.50 to 25.50
300-500 lbs.	23.50 to 24.50
500 lbs. and up	22.00 to 23.50

**Boars and Stags**

All Weights	\$21.00 to 24.50
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**Feeder Pigs (Per Head)**

Feeder Pigs	— to —
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**SHEEP**

**Shorn Slaughter Lambs**

Choice—Prime	\$26.00 to 27.50
Utility—Good	22.00 to 25.00
Cull	— to —

**Wooled Slaughter Lambs**

Choice—Prime	\$28.00 to 29.25
Utility—Good	24.00 to 27.50
Cull	— to —

**Ewes**

Slaughter	\$ 5.00 to 12.00
Breeder	— to —

**Feeder Lambs**

Feeder Lambs	\$15.00 to 28.50
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**628 permits issued from zoning office**

A total of 628 permits were issued during 1965 by Clinton County Zoning Administrator Gerald L. Walter, with a collection of fees amounting to \$7,742.50.

Five hundred twenty-three of the permits were building permits, Walter reported. The kinds, number and the estimated value of the construction are:

Dwellings, 283 permits, \$4,161,145; two-family and multiple dwellings, 5 permits, \$112,171; additions and alterations to houses and apartments (privately owned), 153 permits, \$224,139; additions and alterations to other buildings, 12 permits, \$79,560; office, bank and professional buildings, 4 permits, \$86,784; structures other than buildings, 10 permits, \$7,036; stores and other mercantile buildings, 1 permit, \$200,000; other non-residential buildings, 18 permits, \$11,524; garages and carports, 64 permits, \$89,375; churches, 1 permit, \$90,000; restaurants, 1 permit, \$100,000; motels, 1 permit, \$225,000.

THERE WERE 73 trailer permits issued in 1965, compared to 67 in 1964.

encouraged by US policy, of the Diem regime; the murders of Diem and Nhu; the successive coups and counter-coups; and, in Washington, the drama of furiously conflicting advice to President Kennedy and then to President Johnson, and the confused decisions thus produced.

IN GETTING her story Miss Higgins traversed the length and breadth of Vietnam (sometimes being shot at), visiting hundreds of villages, and interviewing everyone from Diem, Madame Nhu, Henry Cabot Lodge, and the goateed General Khanh, to spear-carrying Montagnard chieftains, American and Vietnamese soldiers in the field, peasants in their hamlets, and monks in their temples. . . among them the sinister Thich Tri Quang, who, to further his incessant campaign against government—any government—in South Vietnam, dreamed up the suicide squads that dispense pills and gasoline to potential suicides.

This is a book certain to stir up a storm, for it is a hard-hitting, no-holds-barred, excitingly written "minority report." It is Miss Higgins' thesis that we mediated ignorantly and disastrously in Vietnamese affairs, letting ourselves be hoodwinked into a series of incredible blunders that led to the overthrow of an ally (Diem) in the middle of a war against a common enemy. Her book concludes with a thoughtful summary of the present crisis and future possibilities.

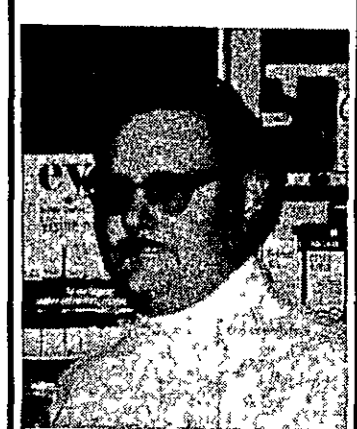
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GERALD WALTER Zoning Administrator

Seven zoning commission meetings were held; 12 appeal board meetings were held and 49 appeals were heard. The zoning administrator and his assistant traveled about 54,000 miles during the year.

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**80 attend Friend's Night**

Maple Rapids Chapter No. 76 OES entertained 80 guests at their annual Friend's Night, Feb. 12. Meeting was called to order by the worthy matron, Joyce Van-Sickle, who welcomed all the guests. The meeting opened by all repeating the "Lord's Prayer." The flag was presented and the Pledge of Allegiance repeated in unison.

Mabel Fowler, grand representative to the District of Columbia in Michigan of the Grand Chapter of Michigan, was introduced by the worthy matron. The worthy matrons and worthy patrons and the county officers were also introduced.

The entertainment for the evening consisted of the St. Johns First Nighters presenting a comedy skit, directed by Terry Foster of St. Johns. In the cast were Donald Wiseman of Maple Rapids and Barbara Rann of St. Johns. Community singing led by Maurice Paine was followed by a humorous fashion show. The models from the Maple Rapids Chapter were Margaret Hicks, Winnifred Walker, Nellie Van-Sickle, Anna Hicks, Doris Hicks, Lucille Paine, Pauline Lowe and Vivian Wiseman.

**New officers for Past Matrons begin duties**

The Past Matrons Club of Maple Rapids Chapter OES met Feb. 14 at the home of Mrs. Mina Gordanier with Mrs. Harold Annis co-hostess. Roll call found 12 members present.

The first regular meeting of the year was under the leadership of the new officers president, Mrs. Hazel Wright; vice-president, Mrs. Winnifred Walker; and secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Reatha Winans.

**Maple Rapids Library News**

**OUR VIETNAM NIGHTMARE**  
 By Marguerite Higgins

Beginning with May 8, 1963, when a bomb interrupted a Buddhist riot and supposedly triggered the Buddhist "crisis," the downfall of Diem and the collapse of law and order, the Pulitzer Prize-winning reporter and former Herald Tribune bureau chief in Berlin and Tokyo presents an eye-opening and controversial account of what has happened — and is likely to happen — in Vietnam as a result of American policy and actions.

The story is packed with drama: the political dramas of Saigon and Hue with their overtones of religious fervor — real and bogus; warlordism, conspiracies within conspiracies; Viet Cong penetration; the overthrow,

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### Road Commission Weekly Report

The Board of Clinton County Road Commissioners held their regular meeting Friday, Feb. 18. The Board held three special meetings last week in an effort to consummate right-of-way negotiations and to discuss future construction programs. Right-of-way acquisitions were for the Island Road bridge near Elsie, and one parcel is now in condemnation proceedings.

At the regular meeting the board discussed drainage problems, right-of-way and construction plans. The completed 1965 annual financial report was presented and has since been filed with the county clerk and the Local Government Division of the Department of State Highways as prescribed by law.

THE REPORT shows all-time highs in both receipts and expenditures. Cash on hand and inventories are at about the same level as last year. But this is offset by the request for \$63,825.00 as a deposit for the new bridge at Elsie.

Construction is to start as soon as weather permits and the new structure will be opened to traffic by Sept. 1.

THE COMMISSION opened bids for all types of insurance at the meeting last Friday. After a long discussion and examination of the bids, Jim's Insurance Agency was awarded the contract to furnish insurance for the road commission.

Bids will be opened at the next regular meeting for requirements for gasoline, salt, calcium chloride, and culvert pipe.

Don Ewing  
Road Clerk

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Five women received their caps last Tuesday night as hospital volunteers at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Robert Rand (right), executive secretary of the area chapter, places a cap on the head of Mrs. Sue Lynch. Others receiving caps were Mrs. Alice Heibeck (left), Mrs. Martha Foust, Mrs. Florence Hopp and Mrs. Nancy Puetz.

## 5 get hospital volunteer caps

Five new hospital volunteers received their Red Cross caps last Tuesday night, Feb. 15, in ceremonies at the First Congregational Church in St. Johns.

Ten other women received pins, chevrons or bars in recognition of service to Clinton Memorial Hospital over the past few years.

The new volunteers were Mrs.

Florence Hopp of DeWitt, Mrs. Nancy Puetz, Mrs. Martha Foust, Mrs. Alice Heibeck and Mrs. Sue Lynch of St. Johns.

THEY WERE dressed in the new uniforms of light blue and white. Grey Ladies, as the volunteers were previously known, will wear the new uniforms in the future, but the five newest members of the volunteer staff are the first to get them.

Two women received five-year service pins. Mrs. Edward (Doris) Prowant worked 169 hours during the last year and 768 hours in five years. Mrs. Oral (Bernice) Rice has 182 hours in the last year and 885 hours in the five-year span.

MRS. DONALD (Laura) Jordan was recognized for six years of service, although no pins are available for that particular length of time. She put in 137 hours in the last year and has 800 hours of volunteer service at the hospital over the six years.

Chevrons for four years of service were awarded to Mrs. St.



Mrs. Bernice Rice (left) and Mrs. Doris Prowant were honored by the Red Cross last Tuesday night for five years of service as volunteer workers at the hospital here.

Clair (Marjorie) Pardee for 196 hours in a year and 689 hours total; Mrs. Inez Hettler for 102 hours in a year and 466 hours in four years; and Mrs. Van (Helen) Hoag for 112 hours in a year and 453 in four years. They are all from St. Johns.

THIRD-YEAR bars for three years of service were given to Mrs. Ivan (Martha) Rosekrans for 129 hours in a year and over 393 hours in three years; Mrs. Harold (Pearl) Haight for 101 hours and 373 hours in three years; and Mrs. Allen (Ruth) Going for 172 hours

### Play tryouts for comedy continue

Tryouts will continue tonight (Thursday) for the First Nighters' production of "Everybody Loves Opal," a three-act comedy following the adventures of a trio of crooks and their devious methods to do away with the lovely old lady who lives on the edge of the city dump.

Tryouts were to be held last night (Wednesday) and tonight at 7:30 in the new public room at the Central National Bank. Anyone is eligible to try out for the six parts in the play. The tryouts run until 10 p.m.

THE PLAY calls for two women and four men. The main character is Opal, who is a woman of undetermined age and a definite "Character." Gloria is one of three con artists whose sweet face belies a hard heart.

Soloman is the leader of the trio which plans to do away with Opal. Bradford is a twisted intellectual with a scholarly outlook on crime.

Other parts include a society-type doctor who never had a patient like Opal, and a police officer on the beat, one of a large circle of Opal's friends.

THE DIRECTOR of the play, Terry Foster, said it is hoped to have the play cast and rehearsals under way early in March. Three rehearsals a week for the first month and a half will be scheduled.

and 459 hours in three years. They are all from St. Johns. Mrs. Paul (Anna) Chapko of Ashley also received a third-year bar for 133 hours of service this year and 417 over the three-year period.

Harry Garst, national representative of the American Red Cross, was the speaker. Ink White, chairman of the hospital board, introduced the speaker. The capping ceremony was conducted by Mrs. Robert Rand, executive secretary of the Red Cross chapter here. Mrs. Oral Rice presented the service pins, and Mrs. Cecil Boak presented certificates. They are vice chairman and chairman, respectively, of the hospital volunteers.

The invocation and benediction were by the Rev. Gerald Churcill, minister of the First Congregational Church. A reception by the Hospital Auxiliary followed the ceremonies.

### LEGAL NOTICES

AN ORDINANCE, granting to CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY, its successors and assigns, the right, power and authority to lay, maintain and operate gas mains, pipes and services on, along, across and under the highways, streets, alleys, bridges, and other public places, and to do a local gas business in the TOWNSHIP OF GREENBUSH, CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN, for a period of thirty years.

SECTION 1. The Township of Greenbush, Clinton County, Michigan, hereby grants to the Consumers Power Company, a corporation authorized to transact business in Michigan, its successors and assigns, hereinafter called the "Grantee" the right, power and authority to lay, maintain and operate gas mains, pipes and services on, along, across and under the highways, streets, alleys, bridges, and other public places, and to do a local gas business in the Township of Greenbush, Clinton County, Michigan, for a period of thirty years.

SECTION 2. In consideration of the rights, power and authority hereby granted, all of which shall vest in the Grantee for a period of thirty (30) years as aforesaid, said Grantee shall faithfully perform all things required by the terms hereof.

SECTION 3. No highway, street, alley, bridge or other public place used by said Grantee shall be obstructed longer than necessary during the work of construction or repair and shall be restored to the same order and condition as when said work was commenced. All of Grantee's pipes and mains shall be so placed in the highways and other public places as not to unnecessarily interfere with the use thereof for highway purposes.

SECTION 4. Said Grantee shall at all times keep and save the Township free and harmless from all loss, costs and expense to which it may be subject by reason of the negligent construction and maintenance of the structures and equipment hereby authorized. In case any action is commenced against the Township on account of the permission herein given, said Grantee shall, upon notice, defend the Township and save it free and harmless from all loss, cost and damage arising out of such negligent construction and maintenance.

SECTION 5. The rights, power and authority herein granted, are not exclusive. Either manufactured or natural gas may be furnished hereunder.

SECTION 6. Said Grantee shall from time to time extend its gas distribution system to and within said Township, and shall furnish gas to applicants residing therein whenever the amount of gas to be furnished thereby shall provide an adequate and reasonable return upon the cost of making such extensions and providing such service.

SECTION 7. Said Grantee shall be entitled to charge the inhabitants of said Township for gas furnished therein, at the rates, including minimum charges, as approved by the Michigan Public Service Commission, to which Commission or its successors, authority and jurisdiction to fix and regulate gas rates and rules regulating such service in said Township, are hereby granted for the term of this franchise. Such rates and rules shall be subject to review and change at any time upon petition therefor being made by either said Township, acting by its Township Board, or by said Grantee.

SECTION 8. This ordinance shall take effect and be of no effect after thirty days from its adoption, unless within said period the Grantee shall accept the same in writing filed with the Township Clerk, subject to confirmation of the grant hereof by at least a majority of the electors of said Township voting thereon at a regular or special township election to be held in the manner provided by law. Upon the acceptance and confirmation hereof, this ordinance shall constitute a contract between said Township and said Grantee for a period of thirty years from the date of such acceptance.

### NOTICE OF SPECIAL TOWNSHIP MEETING AND ELECTION AND OF REGISTRATION OF VOTERS

WHEREAS, at a meeting of the Township Board of the Township of Greenbush, Clinton County, Michigan, held on the 17th day of February, 1966, a resolution was adopted, entitled as follows:

AN ORDINANCE, granting to CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY, its successors and assigns, the right, power and authority to lay, maintain and operate gas mains, pipes and services on, along, across and under the highways, streets, alleys, bridges, and other public places, and to do a local gas business in the TOWNSHIP OF GREENBUSH, CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN, for a period of thirty years.

WHEREAS, said Consumers Power Company has heretofore filed its written acceptance of said franchise, and has requested that the question of confirming the grant thereof be submitted to the qualified electors of the Township, at a special election to be held for that purpose, and has also paid to the Township Board the estimated expense of holding such special election; and,

WHEREAS, the Township Board of Greenbush, Clinton County, Michigan, has called a special election to be held in said Township for such purpose;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to resolutions adopted by said Board, notice is hereby given that a special meeting and election will be held in said Township at: The Greenbush Township Hall on Wednesday, the 8th day of April, 1966, for the purpose of voting on the confirmation of the action of said Township Board in granting such franchise. The polls of said election will be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as may be, and will be held open until 8 o'clock P.M., Eastern Standard Time. The Township Clerk will be in his office on the 7th day of March, 1966, said date being the thirtieth day, as determined by statute, preceding the date of said election, for the purpose of reviewing the registration, and registering such of the qualified electors of the Township as shall appear and apply therefor, which registration may be made on said date between the hours of 8 o'clock A.M. and 8 o'clock P.M., Eastern Standard Time.

Said franchise as granted by said Board is on file with the undersigned Township Clerk for the purpose of inspection by the qualified electors.

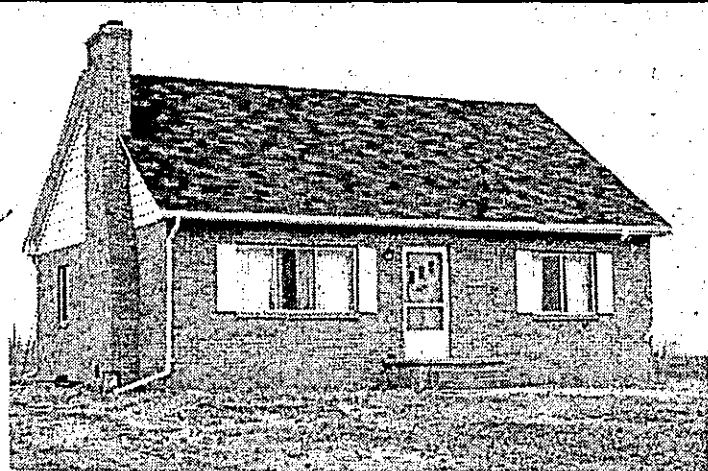
BY ORDER OF THE TOWNSHIP BOARD,  
MIRON POST,  
Deputy Township Clerk  
Dated, February 17, 1966.

## Dog Licenses Due and Payable Now

Pay Your Township or City Treasurer to Avoid \$1.00 Penalty

Beginning March 1 Dog Licenses will be collected at the County Treasurer's Office with \$1.00 extra on each dog.

VELMA BEAUFORT  
Clinton County Treasurer



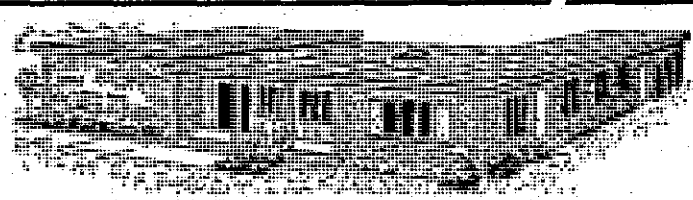
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- I. H. C. 13-Hoe Grain Drill
- Ford Rotary Chopper
- I. H. C. 2-14" Plow, Chief Bottoms
- Brillion 3-section Rotary Hoe
- Rubber Tired Wagon and Flat Rack and Grain Sides
- I. H. C. Wagon with Hoist with Flat Rack and Grain Sides
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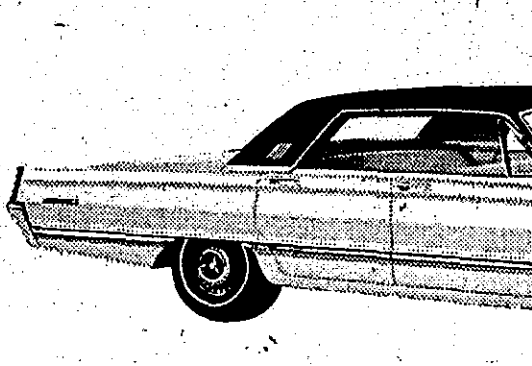
Here's what he said about some of the discoveries he made, after looking over the full line: "About the power steering," he said: "Drives with such little effort and so stable on the road! Made parking a cinch."

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# Sewing tips for the homemaker

By HELEN B. MEACH  
Extension Home Economist

Spring is just around the corner—well it's coming closer any way. How do I know? Because homemakers are calling our office for sewing guides and special clothing construction bulletins. This means a new spring coat or an Easter costume is in the making.

The beautiful materials and the new patterns do tempt us to sew. We do find that more homemakers are sewing these days.



Some of you tell me that you can have more clothes for less money by sewing your own. Others sew because they wish to create an original costume; one different from their neighbors or friends.

THERE IS a special pattern just for you. In fact, pattern planning is an excellent starting point for your sewing project.

You make two choices at the pattern counter—one for style and one for size. Every season brings new ideas in style. It's good to follow general fashion trends, but remember that extremes and fads are short-lived.

Simplicity is the keynote to good style. Look for a simple, but interesting design with one center of interest. Patterns with many pieces and many design details sometimes look cluttered and they are more difficult to use.

Select a pattern that is right for your fabric choice and your sewing skill. Styles with fullness and draping require a soft, pliable fabric. Pleats and sharp details require a fabric with body which will keep creases. Printed fabrics call for a simple pattern. To help you, the pattern envelope usually lists suggested fabrics.

IF YOU ARE a beginner, simple designs offer the best chance for success since they are easier to put together. Firmly-woven fabrics and solid colors are good for beginners and over-all prints help hide less-than-perfect stitches. As you gain experience you may want to work with plaids or more complicated prints which require special pattern placement.

Check the "inside story" of a pattern to see if it requires extra interfacings, linings, or other construction details. If ease of care is important, choose a pattern and fabric that offer this.

There's a "bonus" for you in correct pattern selection. Did you know that each commercial company has developed a pattern shape of its own? Find the one that fits you best to keep alterations to a minimum.

MOST PATTERN companies follow a standard set of body measurements for bust, waist, hip, and back-waist length. Yet they may differ in such things as shoulder width and slant, shape of armhole and neckline, and slant of the underarm.

Because of these variations in pattern shape and ease allowance,

# CLINTON COUNTY NEWS PAGE for Women AND MEN, TOO

some brand or brands will fit you better than others. Two people may have similar measurements, but be quite different in bone structure and distribution of flesh. While bust, hip and back-waist length measurements are a guide, you may need to try different brands of patterns to find the best possible fit.

Taking your own body measurements is most important. You'll need a firm tape measure and a friend to help. Take measurements over a well-fitted simple dress or slip and foundation garment. Keep the tape measure snug, but not tight. Stand at the back of the person to measure the bust, waist, hip, back-waist and length.

YOU WILL LOOK better, simply alteration and fitting, sew more easily, if you choose a pattern which is styled with you in view—the right size—the right size type—the brand for your figure.

New sewing bulletins are free for the asking at the Extension office. For a beginner or an advanced sewer, I suggest the two bulletins, PATTERNS FOR YOU, E-15, and USING YOUR PATTERNS, E-17. For the advanced sewer, the bulletin, HOW TO TAILOR A WOMAN'S SUIT, H&G No. 20. Bulletins on textile selection and care are also available and helpful for both sewing and non-sewing homemakers.

One-inch of topsoil blown or washed from one acre of ground amounts to approximately 162 tons.

## Creative living stressed at Study Club

The Senior Child Study Club met Wednesday, Feb. 16, at the home of Mrs Max Field of 409 E. Higham Street with 12 members present.

Mrs Carl Baird spoke on "creative family living." She pointed out that there is a creative potential in all people. Creative activity can be paintings, drawings, industrial designs such as block printing and cardboard sculpturing. It was suggested one can be creative in cooking by using herb seasonings. The program ended with a demonstration of painting with a straw with members participating.

Following the meeting a white elephant sale was held.

Refreshments were served by the hostess and co-hostess, Mrs Roland Ritter and Mrs Glendon Fitzpatrick.

## Miss Lade is at Tennessee college

DAYTON, TENN.—Lana Lade, daughter of Mr and Mrs Paul Lade of Elsie, has reenrolled at Bryan College for the second semester after one year's absence. The college, a four-year Christian liberal arts institution, is now in its thirty-sixth year.

Miss Lade is a senior majoring in elementary education. She also serves as a nurse in the Rhea County hospital in Dayton.

## More views on coaching

Although coaching is a time consuming job most of the wives from the Fowler, Pewamo-Westphalia, Bath and Elsie school systems find it to be a rewarding profession for their husbands.

Many of them have found being the wife of a coach enables them to become acquainted in a new community with very little trouble.



MRS HALSTED "Hal" Beatty is the former Bonnie Womboldt of Haslett. She and Beatty, the head basketball coach and assistant football coach, were married in 1961. They have two daughters, Tamara Lynn, 2 1/2 and Teresa Anne, 14 months.

Beatty graduated from Michigan State University in 1964. He coached at Waberville while still in college.

Mrs Beatty said the hours her husband spends away from home are difficult for their oldest daughter.

"She wonders where her daddy is," she said.

The Beattys live at 2756 E. Grand River Avenue, East Lansing.

MRS SKORICH

MRS RONALD SKORICH is the wife of the head football and baseball coach at James Couzens high school, Bath. She is the former Janet Lanphear of Williamston.

They have three children, Montee, 9, Kimberly, 5 and Cathy, 3. The Skorich family lives at 14957 Nichols Road.

Skorich graduated from Michigan State University last year and teaches government and physical education in the Bath school system.

Mrs Skorich says she prefers basketball because she knows more about it.

As for the long hours her husband spends with his job she doesn't find it any more time consuming than when he was going to college and working.



MRS DOUGLAS

MRS BLAIN DOUGLAS is the wife of head football and assistant basketball and baseball coach at Fowler. He joined the Fowler school system last year after spending several years coaching at Portland, St. Patrick. In addition to his coaching duties Douglas teaches five classes.

Mrs Douglas, formerly Angie Paparella of Muskegon, hasn't missed a game this year. She said she prefers football.

The Douglasses were married in 1960 and have two boys, Phil, 4, and Mike, 2.

She said she likes being able to go to the games and getting to know the members of her husband's teams helps her to meet other members of the community.



MRS BLATT

DUANE BLATT is the head football JV basketball and track coach at Pewamo-Westphalia. He and the former Nina Peck of Peck were married in 1959. They have three children, Laurie, 5 1/2, Kathy, 3 1/2 and Danny, 9 months.

Blatt coached at Peck in 1964 with a special permit and his team won the championship. He graduated from Central Michigan University last year.

Mrs Blatt attended business college in Port Huron. As a spectator she enjoys football. She also likes to swim.

Her husband's parents always host with his wife and she has courses he teaches but Mrs Blatt said "that is more of an inconvenience than a disadvantage."

Some 8,400 registered nurses were trained during 1964-65 to serve as volunteers in some phase of the Red Cross Blood Program.



MRS PEDERSON

MRS RODNEY PEDERSON is the former Sue Southwell of Parma. She and Pederson were married in 1962. They have a son, Jeff, 3 months.

Pederson graduated from Michigan State University last year. He is the freshman football, JV and junior high basketball and assistant baseball coach. He also teaches junior high math and physical education.

Mrs Pederson teaches girls physical education half days at Elsie.

They live at 226 W. Pine Street, Elsie.

This is their first year at Elsie.

## Mrs White hosts Woman's Club

The St. Johns Woman's Club met Feb. 16 at the home of Mrs Ink White.

A string quartet from Rodney B. Wilson high school composed of Andre Lewis, Lorinda Lambert, Linda Spousta and Judy Ripple gave two selections from Bach, Rondeau and Bourree arranged by Erma Clark.

Mrs Van Hoag presided. Mrs James Postlethwaite gave a talk on cancer and the work of the Clinton County unit of the American Cancer Society.

Mrs Roland Sleight and Mrs Winchell Brown presided at the tea table centered with Spring flowers.

Mrs Albert Nelson and Mrs James Postlethwaite assisted the hostess, Mrs. White.

Water is America's most valuable and used natural resource, claims the National Wildlife Federation. By 1980 the nation will need an estimated 600 million gallons of water daily; by the year 2000, a trillion gallons.

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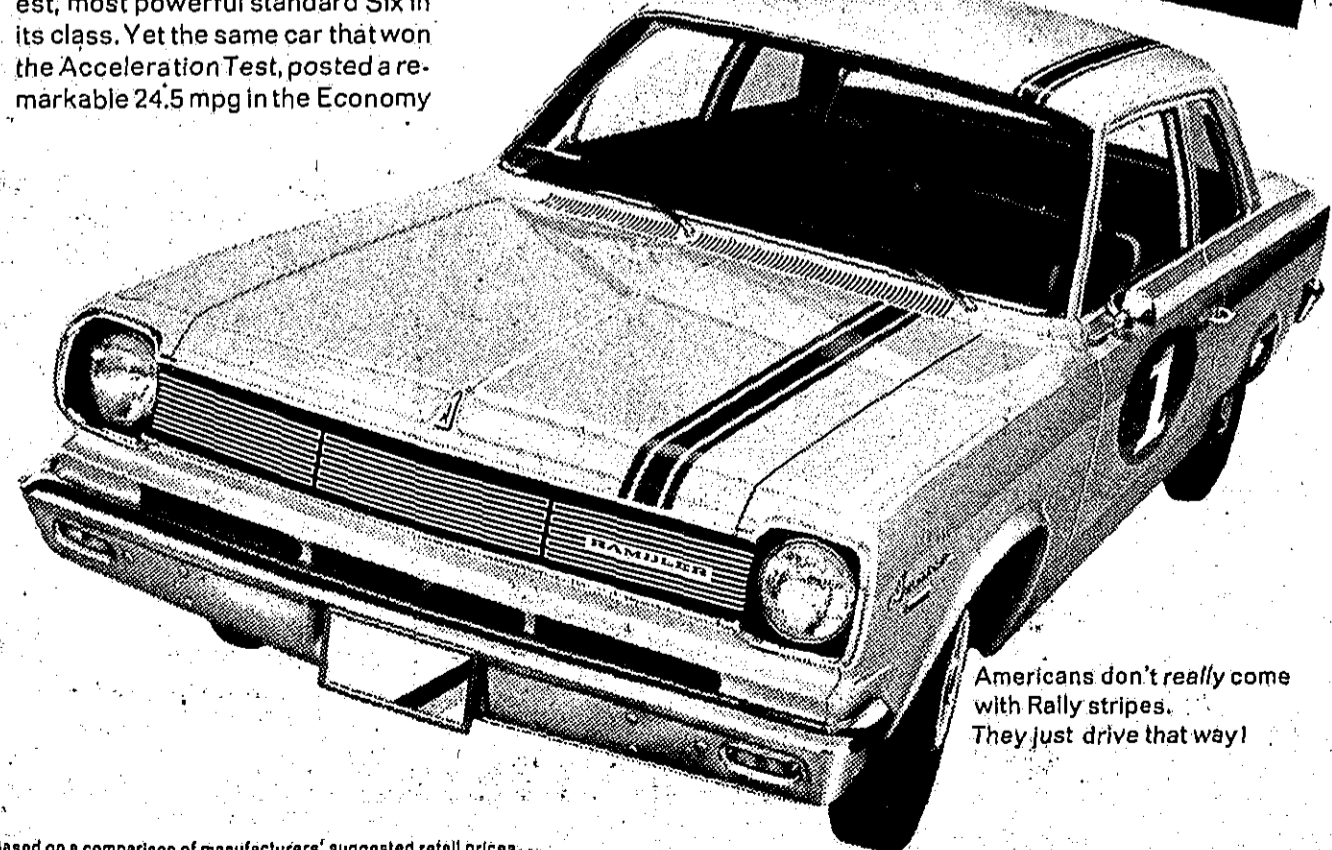
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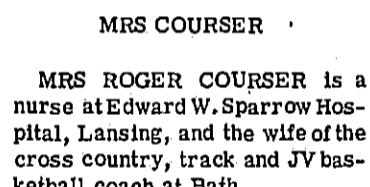
MRS O'DONNELL

MARK O'DONNELL is the athletic director and head football and track coach. He has a masters from Michigan State University and has been at Elsie for 15 years.

He and the former Betty Schmitz of Wisconsin were married in 1948. They have five children, Mark, 17, Patricia, 14, Theresa, 13, Timmy John, almost 4, and Ellice, 3 months.

Mrs O'Donnell enjoys football, reading and listening to music.

She said her husband spends a great deal of time with his teams but he gets a great deal of satisfaction from it.



MRS COURSER

Courser and the former Carol Clapp of Watervliet were married in 1964. He teaches in the junior high and is a graduate of Bethel College of Mishawaka, Ind.

Courser has been at Bath for three years, the first year with a special permit.

Mrs Courser said, "I am glad Roger coaches basketball because I enjoy the game."

Courser is the son of E. E. Courser, minister of the Free Methodist Church, St. Johns.

They live at 602 N. Pennsylvania Avenue, Lansing.



MRS FOREBACK

MRS ROBERT FOREBACK is the wife of the assistant football and head basketball and baseball coach. Her husband is a graduate of California State College.

Mrs Foreback also attended California State College. She is the former Wanda Jackson of Garden Grove, Calif.

The Forebacks were married in 1964 and have a daughter, Vicki, 6 months.

As a spectator Mrs Foreback prefers baseball.

"It's a much bigger sport in California than it is here," she said.



MRS BOWEN

MRS JAMES BOWEN of 125 S. Church Street, Elsie, is the wife of the assistant football, JV football, and freshman basketball and assistant track coach. Bowen teaches biology and science. He is a graduate of Northern Michigan University, Marquette.

Mrs Bowen is the former Johanna Fallas of Alpena. She and Bowen were married in 1959. They have three children, Mary, 6, Jimmy, 3, and Betsy, 1.

This is his first year at Elsie.

Mrs Bowen prefers football. She likes to swim also.

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# ON TARGET

with the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce

By BETTY JANE MINSKY  
Manager

Last week we saw some of the ways in which homeowners, tenants, school children and clubs and organization could help in the Keep America Beautiful campaign.

Today I'd like to offer a few more ideas from that same brochure on how civic officials, businessmen, manufacturers and the news media can get involved in the program.

**FOR CIVIC OFFICIALS—**  
"Appoint a civic beautification committee from among most imaginative community leaders."  
"Develop a master plan for the beautification of your community."  
"Identify the unique facets of beauty that your community has. Make plans to preserve and enhance them."

"Arouse public interest in beautification through design competitions."

"Establish awards in various categories for outstanding contributions to civic betterment."

"ENLIST THE AID of press, TV, and radio in publicizing plans and positive achievements."

"Proclaim special clean-up and planting days."

"Add to the beauty of your community by planting trees along city streets."

"Promote anti-litter activities."

"Include consideration of pedestrian comfort, traffic circulation, courtesy off street parking, shopping malls and visitor information kiosks in your plans."

"Remember that downtown amenities create an agreeable state of mind... a favorable 'buyer's mood.'"

"Identify eyesores. Make plans to correct them, by screening, by zoning ordinances, and by sign ordinances."

**FOR THE BUSINESSMEN—**  
"Place planters filled with shrubs and flowers in front of your store or office."  
"Screen your parking lot with trees and shrubs and climbing plants."  
"Support your civic officials

In their effort to improve the appearance of your community.

"Encourage good architectural design in your business section."

"Use advertising signs which enhance their surroundings."

"Provide attractive trash containers in front of your store or office."

"Work with your business neighbors to improve the appearance and desirability of your shopping area."

"Make your own business section a 'showcase' for others to follow."

**FOR THE MANUFACTURER—**  
"Brighten your 'corner' of the industrial section through good use of landscaping."

"Control air and water pollutants."

"Print anti-litter messages on your products where appropriate."

**FOR THE NEWS MEDIA—**  
"Be the eyes and ears of a 'community more beautiful' campaign."

"Assign knowledgeable reporters to cover the story of beautification in your city and others."

"Picture beautification accomplishments, using 'before' and 'after' pictures."

"Support in editorials and news stories the constructive efforts of your town to turn the tide against urban decay."

There we have it—loads of ideas on how every one of us here in St. Johns can help contribute to a more beautiful America—to a more beautiful St. Johns.

## Michigan travel events

The Vicksburg Showboat is scheduled for Vicksburg today through Saturday. The Perchville Festival will be held at the Tawas Friday through Sunday, and the Travel, Vacation and Outdoor Living Show is planned for The Light Guard Armory in Detroit Friday through Sunday.

Shop in Clinton County.



PAUL MERRITT

## Merritt named to Who's Who in US colleges

Paul William Merritt of 8 Markris Drive, Hillsdale, a senior mathematics major at Adrian College, Adrian, has been named to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities in an all-campus vote by his fellow students.

The son of Rev and Mrs Lavern Merritt of Hillsdale, he is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School in St. Johns, and a member of the First Methodist Church of Hillsdale.

Students are first-nominated by faculty members on the bases of academic standing, contribution to campus leadership and personality, and then voted on by the students at Adrian College.

He is an officer in the Alpha Chi Honor Society for academically superior students and the Adrian College chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

## St. Johns FFA exhibit wins first

The St. Johns FFA took first place with an exhibit on the futures market and commodity market in a display over 20 exhibits at Farmers' Week at MSU earlier this month.

First place was good for a prize of \$70. It was the second year in a row the St. Johns FFA won first place. The entire chapter took part in planning and putting the display together under the supervision of Don Munger, teacher of vocational agriculture at St. Johns High School.

The 25 growers-members of the Grand Valley Growers Cooperative, Inc. at Grand Rapids produce 95 per cent of Michigan's greenhouse vegetables. Each acre under glass will yield three tons of leaf lettuce a year. The single crop of spring tomatoes will yield 96,000 pounds per acre under glass.

## Rural youth services expanded in state

Labor Secretary W. Willard Wirtz announced last Friday that youth specialists will be assigned to state mobile teams now serving rural areas in Michigan and 14 other States under the Smaller Communities Program of the Public Employment Service.

The youth specialists will work exclusively with youths under 22 in small towns and rural areas. Their job will be to determine the types of employment services needed by rural youth, to provide job placement, development and training to insure that the employment needs of such youth are being met.

THE YOUTH representatives

In Michigan will work with other members of the mobile teams and will have the support and cooperation of the staff of local Michigan Employment Security Commission offices and Youth Opportunity Centers.

It will be their function to develop job opportunities, including summer and part-time work, develop seasonal and agricultural job opportunities, develop occupational training opportunities and suggest training programs, conduct group guidance sessions, cooperate with other youth-serving organizations in the local area and provide information and advice concerning youth services to the community.

Sec'y Wirtz said the addition of the youth representatives to the mobile teams is part of his department's continuing effort to provide a full range of specialized employment services to the nation's young people.

Mobile teams are now operating in Michigan, Maine, Vermont, New York, North Carolina, West Virginia, Alabama, Mississippi, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico.

Michigan's commercial celery farms, mostly on the west side of the state, produced more than 37,000 tons, worth nearly \$3 million, to growers last year.

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### Plan radiological monitor course

A new course in radiological monitoring training, the second one to be held in Clinton County, will start in St. Johns March 17, county Civil Defense Director Charles Frost announced Monday.

The course will be taught by Don Ewing, clerk of the Clinton County Road Commission, at the county road garage. Enrollees are being sought, Frost said.

FIFTEEN MEN graduated Feb. 16 from the first course. Nineteen originally enrolled and 15 took the course and completed it, an encouraging percentage according to state civil defense officials who were briefed on the program last week.

The state-suggested requirement to adequately handle the county is 220 persons trained to use the radiological equipment. The equipment, received in the county within the last few weeks, was used toward the end of the first course.

OVER \$1,200 WORTH of the radiological source material has been assigned to the county, CD Director Frost said. It includes, among other things a demonstration kit, 30 dosimeters, 15 Geiger counters, related equipment, and lead containers with 30 milliecuries of radioactive cobalt 60.

Further details on the course, as well as enrollment information, can be obtained from Frost at his office in the new courthouse wing.

### P-W seniors get a look at business

Don Jandernoa, Robert Gemuend and Robert Purtil combined their knowledge Feb. 10 to produce the third annual workshop for the benefit of Pwamowestphalia seniors.

The purpose of the workshop was to inform the seniors of three important fields in the business world; civil law, insurance, and banking.

Jandernoa, a representative from the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co., opened the meeting with a short oration, which was based on the phrase, "Success is the meeting of preparation with opportunity."

THE SECOND speaker, Gemuend, Ionia city attorney and circuit court commissioner, explained the basic law processes which takes place during a civil law suit, emphasizing honesty not just to others but to one's self.

The third speaker, Purtil, vice president of the Central National Bank, pointed out the importance of the banking system to the neighboring community.

On the closing of the workshop the seniors heard once again from Jandernoa, who emphasized the "do's and don'ts" in buying insurance. He asked each senior to ask himself two questions when considering the future:

- 1) ARE YOU heading for success or failure?
- 2) Will the world be a better place because you lived?

The workshop closed with a round of applause by the grateful seniors.

### 2 groups advance

Seventeen members of our high school band participated in seven events of the district five solo and ensemble festival Feb. 12.

Of the seven events, two received a first division rating, qualifying them to compete at the state level.

The ensembles were a percussion sextet which the judge felt was the "best" of the day, and a cornet trio.

The percussion group consisted of Chris Wieber, Mary J. Spitzley, Karen Platte, Janice O'Brien, Ann Freund and Sue Martin.

The cornet trio consisted of Gary Bissell, Mike Pung and Larry Schneider.

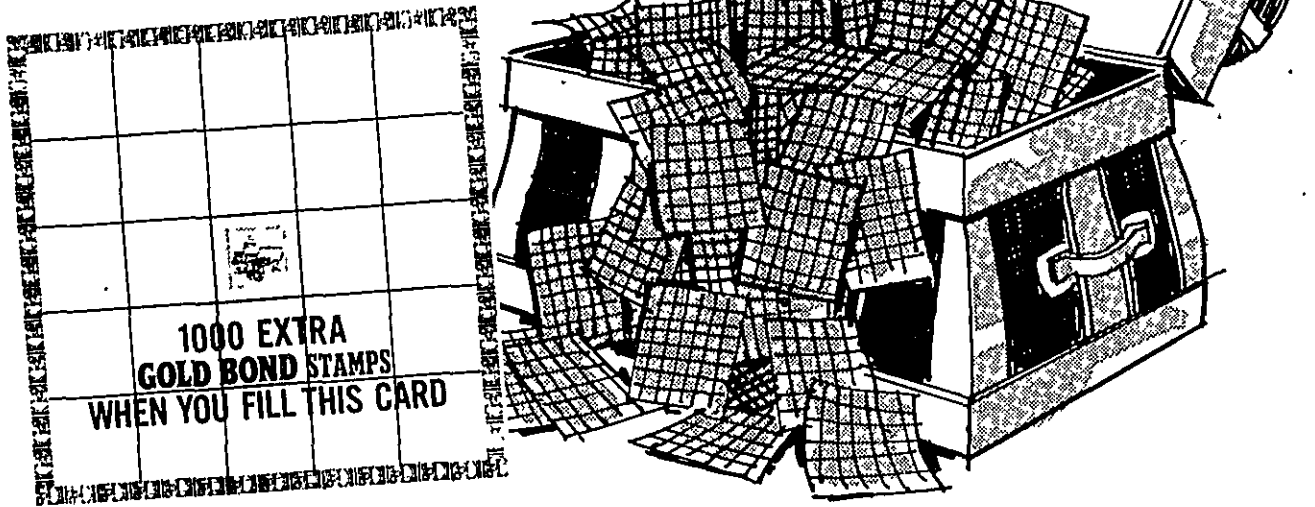
The cornet quartet received a two division, which is commendable. This is the first time the Pwamowestphalia Music Department has received an A-1 rating, so this will be the first trip to the state level.

All nine students and their accompanist, Debbie Cook, are to be commended.

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# 'There's an error in my water bill . . .'

St. Johns water customers have recently received, and most have already paid, their quarterly water bill. It is the third one on which the City of St. Johns has used computers for processing the bills.

The first data-processed bills were mailed out last August and were a dramatic change from the hand-billing of accounts that had been done in previous years.

"WE HAVE NOW been in this program long enough that administratively we see this change as a terrific improvement," City Manager Ken Greer said recently. "It is true there have been a number of errors, and these have been corrected as soon as they've been spotted."

Greer pointed out that any time a new procedure or process is introduced it brings forth from the people involved certain questions. The questions may or may not have any bearing on the particular process but they are associated with the same department.

"Our data processing, of course, brought out many of these

questions, some of which would arise no matter what method or system of billing was utilized," Greer said.

THERE ARE eight major questions asked of the city about water bills, Greer said. Because of the widespread interest in the water program in St. Johns, particularly where it directly affects a customer as it does with water bills, the Clinton County News is cooperating with city officials in publishing the city's answers to these eight major questions.

Because of the details necessary, the answers have been prepared by the city in a series of articles. Two of the questions will be answered this week and the other five next week.

ACCORDING TO City Manager Greer, probably the most frequently asked question that comes up each time water bills are mailed out is one that says "Why did I use more water this quarter than last quarter, or last year at this time?"

There are so many variables

that would affect the amount of water going through a particular meter that city employees couldn't begin to answer this specific question, Greer said. "For example, it could be 1) leaks in customer's plumbing; 2) bathroom stools that were, or still are, running; 3) dripping faucets; 4) outside hoses that are left on; 5) out-and-out more usage of water by the customer; or, and this has actually happened, 6) neighbors who might be using your water when you are gone.

"THERE IS ALSO another major factor involved," Greer said, "in that it takes roughly one month for our meter readers to cover all of the meters in the city. On these routes a given meter or series of meters might be read toward the beginning of this 30-day reading period during one quarter and it might be toward the end of the reading period in another quarter.

"This item alone can cause a one-third increase or a one-third decrease in the amount of water that is billed for any one quarter, compared to any other quarter.

"ANOTHER MAJOR problem is trying to get people to understand that a water meter may get noisy, it may develop exterior leaks or it may outright stop or slow down, but it cannot at any time speed up, registering more water than what has passed through it. It is possible in some cases of a factory defect (the odds are one in 200,000) that a meter will be assembled improperly and be put into service.

"It is also possible that a meter can be repaired by our local crews and be improperly assembled and put into service. Again the odds are extremely rare.

"This type of defect (from the manufacturer or improper assembly) can only cause the meter to register high or register low. It cannot cause the meter to all

of a sudden start to read high for a particular quarter. If it is a faulty meter, it can only read high or low; it cannot vary. Wear does cause the meters to slow down and record less water than what has actually passed through the meter.

"Our water department removes and repairs over 100 meters each year, and they have never found a meter (upon proper bench check) that was recording high. Most meter replacements are made because of leaks, or noise, or the fact that the meter actually is broken and not recording at all.

"THE CITY OF St. Johns is now making its replacements and its new installations with a type of meter that allows the use of an

outside reading device. The meter itself can still be read and is located inside the house, but a small box on the exterior of the house will record gallons used on a register. Over a period of years we will eventually have all meters of this type installed so that the meter reader does not have to enter the house.

"Reading mistakes are occasionally made which can cause a customer's account to overpay for a given quarter, but the next quarter would be less and the error would basically correct itself. This is true in reverse, and the first quarter might be low and correct itself by being much higher than next quarter.

"THE SECOND major question generally asked of City employ-

ees, Greer said, is "I thought we were only going to have a sewer charge on our water bill for seven years? The very blunt answer to this is that the residents of the City of St. Johns will probably have a sewer charge for the rest of their lives and their children's lives.

"City Bonds (city borrowing) will not be paid off until October 1993. This borrowing was necessary to build the existing sewage plant and the new water treatment plant that will be in operation this summer. The fact that many people asked this question points out that most of us are only normal. We retain only portions of what we might read or hear and not necessarily the correct facts.

"Let me explain. Prior to building the sewage treatment plant in 1956, (which caused our bonding for 30 years) the city commission discussed and intended to enlarge the old sewer farm north of St. Johns. This would have only necessitated having a sewer charge for about 7 years. The State Health Department, upon investigation, pointed out this would create a larger health hazard and wouldn't allow the farm to be enlarged. It therefore became necessary to sell bonds (30 year ones) and build the primary treatment plant.

ALL THE INFORMATION regarding this sewage plant and the original proposal of enlarging the sewer farm was well publicized at the time. But 10 years later we still receive many questions along this line.

Six other often-asked questions concerning sewer and water bills will be answered next week.

## Clinton's Civic Calendar

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

### St. Johns

American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall  
American Legion Auxiliary—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Legion Hall  
Banner Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall  
Blue Star Mothers—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Senior Citizens Drop-in Center  
Child Study Club—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., in homes of members  
Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary—Board meets the 3rd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., in the hospital sewing room  
DAR—2nd Tuesday, in homes of members  
8 at 40—4th Tuesday, in homes of members  
Exchange Club—2nd and 4th Thursdays, noon, Walker's Cafe  
Garrison WRC—1st and 3rd Tuesday, 2 p.m., Municipal Building  
40 at 8—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., St. Johns and Breckenridge Legion Halls, alternate routes  
IOOF—Every Wednesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall  
Junior Chamber of Commerce—2nd Tuesday, 8:30 p.m., L & L Restaurant  
Knights of Columbus—1st and 3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m.—K of C Hall  
Knights Templar—1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Lions Club—2nd and 4th Wednesday 6:30 p.m., IOOF Hall  
Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Morning Musicals—2nd and 4th Thursday 9:45 a.m., in homes of members  
Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Rotary Club—Every Tuesday, noon Walker's Cafe  
Royal Arch Masons—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Royal Neighbors of America—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., in homes of members  
Senior Citizens—2nd and 4th Tuesday, every month, VFW Hall  
St. Johns Woman's Club—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members  
St. Johns Honor Guard—2nd and 4th Wednesday, 1:30 p.m., VFW Hall  
Tops Club—Every Thursday, 7:45 p.m., Senior Citizens Drop-in Center  
VFW Auxiliary—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall  
VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall  
WCTU Mary Smith Union—Third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the homes of members

Royal Neighbors—1st and 3rd Fridays, 1 p.m., Memorial Building  
St. Francis Club—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial Building  
Thursday Afternoon Club—Last Thursday in homes of members  
Veteran's Club—2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Memorial Building  
Volunteer Firemen—2nd Tuesday evening, fire hall  
Woman's Society of Christian Service—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m.  
Friedrich Circle—2nd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.  
Mary-Martha Circle—3rd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.  
Ruth Circle—3rd Thursday, 1:30 p.m.  
Goodwill Circle—2nd Tuesday, 1:30 p.m., in the homes of members

Job's Daughters—2nd and 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Lions Club—2nd and 4th Mondays, 6:30 p.m., Main Street Church of United Church  
Lila-Lot Club—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members  
Lionor-Dennis WCTU—2nd Tuesday in homes of members  
Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Order of Eastern Star—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Ovid-Duplain Library Club—1st Friday, 12:30 p.m., in homes of members  
Past Grand Club—4th Tuesday, in homes of members  
Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall  
Royal Arch Masons—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Roman Football Boosters—Meet every Tuesday at 8 p.m., at the high school  
Social Evening—Veterans Memorial Building, 8 p.m., every Wednesday, sponsored by Ovid veteran's group  
Town and Country Extension—4th Wednesday, in homes of members  
VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Memorial Building  
VFW Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., in Memorial Building  
Volunteer Firemen—First Thursday, 7:30 at Fire Hall  
World War I Veterans—1st Thursday p.m., Memorial Building

### Eagle

Helping Hand Club—4th Tuesday evening, in the homes of members  
Niles Cemetery Society—2nd Thursday, in homes of members  
North Eagle Cemetery Society—Last Thursday, 3 p.m., Town Hall  
WCS—1st Wednesday, Ladies Rooms Methodist Church

### Elsie

American Legion—Alternate Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion Hall  
American Legion Auxiliary—Alternate Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion Hall  
Band Boosters—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., alternate months, Band room  
B.W.C.S.—2nd Tuesday, 3:30 p.m., in homes of members  
Lions Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 7:00 p.m., Legion Hall  
Masonic Lodge—2nd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic Hall  
WCS—1st Wednesday 8:00 p.m., homes of members  
Order of Eastern Star—3rd Wednesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic Hall  
PTA—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., school gym  
Woman's Literary Club—Alternate Tuesdays, 8 p.m., homes of members

### Fowler

Boy Scouts—Every Wednesday, 7 p.m., Holy Trinity gym  
Catholic Order of Foresters—3rd Tuesday, 8:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Hall  
Confraternity of Christian Mothers—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity Church  
Daughters of Isabella—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity Church  
Fowler Conservation Club—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., Fire Hall  
Jaycees—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., Fire Hall  
Knights of Columbus—Monday after the 2nd Sunday, 8 p.m., K of C Hall  
Lions Club—3rd Monday, 8:30 p.m., Fowler Hotel  
VFW—4th Thursday, 8 p.m., VFW Hall  
VFW Auxiliary—Last Wednesday 8 p.m., VFW Hall

### Maple Rapids

Amlca Club—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., homes of members  
Band Parents—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., students Commons  
Baseball Boosters—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., at the school  
Blue Star Mothers—1st and 3rd Wednesday, 2 p.m., homes of members  
Duo Decum Club—1st Saturday, 8 p.m., homes of members  
High School PTA—1st Monday, 8 p.m., students Commons  
IOOF—Every Thursday 8 p.m., IOOF Hall  
Maple Rapids Improvement Association—4th Monday, 8 p.m., in Municipal Building  
Maple Twirlers—2nd and 4th Fridays at 8:30 to 11:30 p.m., Potluck following. Maple Rapids school gym  
Masonic Lodge—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple  
Order of Eastern Star—3rd Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple  
PTA—3rd Tuesday, school gym  
Rebekah Lodge—Every Saturday, 8 p.m., at IOOF Hall  
Sorosis Club—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 1:30 p.m., homes of members  
St. Martin DePorre Altar Society—1st Thursday, 8 p.m., homes of members  
Council Meeting—1st and 3rd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.  
Women's Fellowship—Last Friday of month, 1:30 p.m., church dining room  
WCS—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 2 p.m., homes of members

### Ovid

Acme Society—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., in homes of members  
American Legion—3rd Wednesday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial Building  
Businessmen's Association—2nd Tuesday, time and place varies  
Crescent Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., in homes of members  
Disabled Veterans—1st and 3rd Fridays, 8:30 p.m., Memorial Building  
Homemakers—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 8 p.m., in homes of members  
IOOF—Every Tuesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall

Wacoista  
Breakfast Club—Last Thursday, 9 a.m., in homes of members  
Child Study Club—2nd Tuesday, evening, in homes of members  
Masonic Order No. 353—Regular meetings first Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m., at Temple  
Methodist Men's Club—First Wednesday of each month, potluck at 6:30 p.m., Wacoista Methodist Church  
Neighborhood Society—3rd Thursday, in homes of members  
Order of Eastern Star—1st Tuesday evening, Masonic Temple

### Pewamo

Altar Society—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Parish Hall  
Band Boosters—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., high school  
Blue Star Mothers—3rd Wednesday, 8 p.m., elementary school  
Lions Club—3rd Tuesday, elementary school  
Masonic Lodge—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Hall  
Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday 8 p.m., Masonic homes of members  
21 Club—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., club house  
WCS—3rd Thursday, 2 p.m., home of members

### Westphalia

Catholic Order of Foresters—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall  
Daughters of Isabella—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall  
Knights of Columbus—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., K of C rooms  
Young Ladies Sodality—3rd Sunday afternoon, every 2 months, St. Mary's parish hall

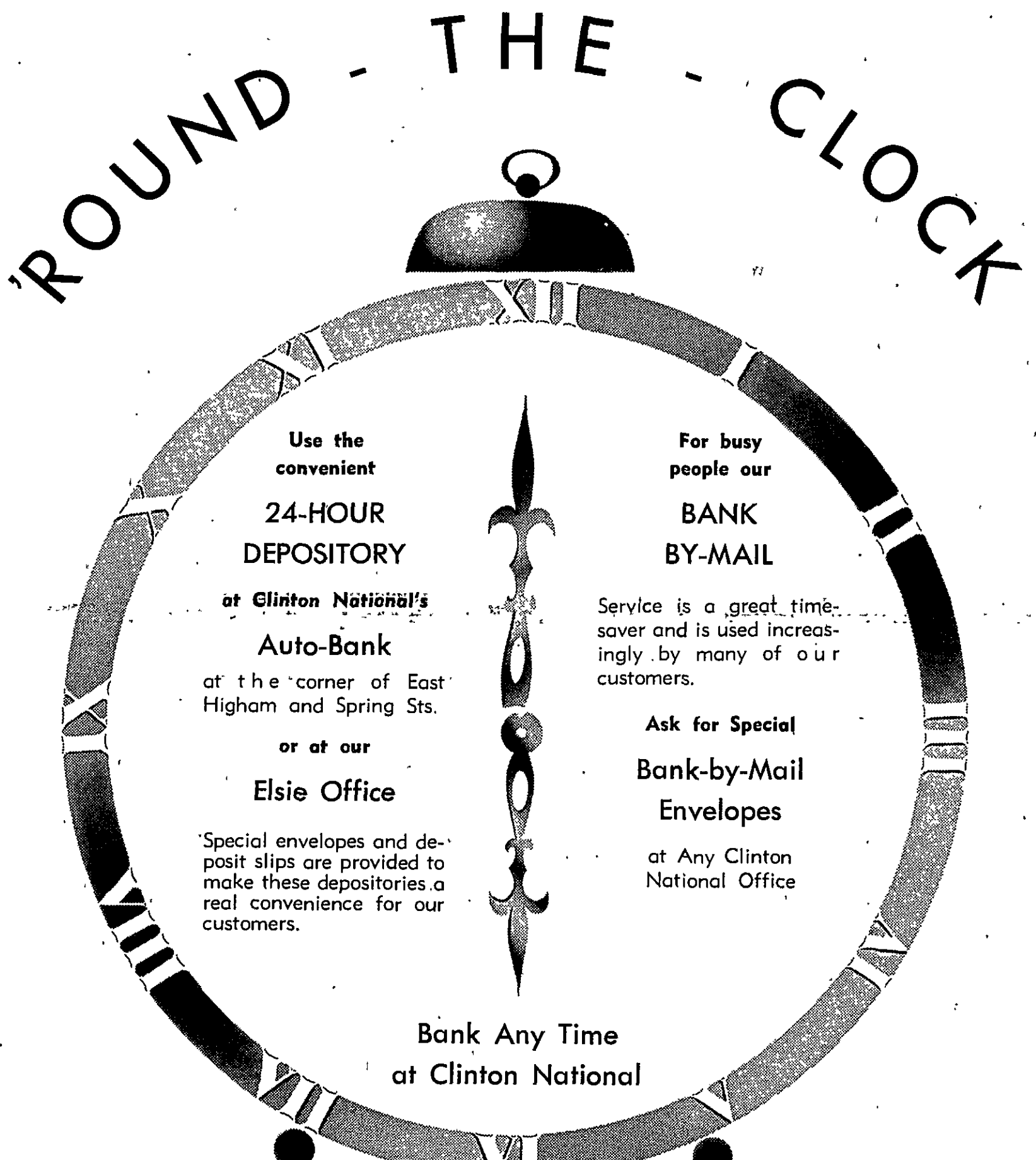
### Pomona Grange hears cancer talk

Clinton County Pomona Grange met at the Senior Citizen's Drop-in Center last Wednesday, Feb. 16. At the business meeting \$5 was voted for the American Cancer Society.  
Mrs. Albert Fruchtl, chairman of the Clinton County Chapter of the American Cancer Society, gave a talk on the detection of cancer. She urged those present to watch for any of the seven danger signals of cancer. The films shown are bought with memorial funds given to the cancer fund.

### Salt-less attempt

Salt contamination of ground water is being prevented by deep buffer wells, US Geological Survey hydrologists report. A new 500-foot-deep well—the first of a series—is designed to inject about 400 gallons of renovated water per minute into the ground near Long Island's south shore in order to recharge the deep sands near the coast and prevent salt water from seeping in.

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EDITORIAL PAGE

A bad intersection

With St. Johns growing rapidly on the south side, and with vehicular traffic increasing anyway, it would seem necessary to improve the US-27 and Sturgis Street intersection near the shopping center.

The intersection, besides being poorly lighted and poorly marked, is narrow and dangerous for those turning from northbound US-27 onto westbound Sturgis. We would hope the city will work with the State Highway Department to see what improvement can be made there.

St. Johns needs good downtown movie theater

One of the things about St. Johns that newcomers to our community often express surprise about is the lack of a movie theater. And it surprises us, too, that merchants of the city, through the Chamber of Commerce, don't push for the reopening of the downtown theater.

A good theater in a city would certainly benefit the community - providing entertainment for our adults and young people; providing a new profit-making business that would in turn spread its profits back to the community through wages and salaries; and providing increased foot traffic and increased business potential for downtown merchants.

Communities a lot smaller than St. Johns support movie theaters, and with a good menu of films, we're sure St. Johns would too.

Religious unity appears to be on the increase

It is commonplace to be told that we are living in an irreligious, even a notoriously sacrilegious, age. A good case can readily be made for this contention, if one chooses to play down the contrary evidence.

The thing can be turned the other way, too. If one minimizes the evident loss of faith and the apparent decline of religion as a central force in our society, concentrating instead on the rise in church membership, it can be persuasively argued that religion is on the upsurge.

THE TRUTH, AS usual, seems to lie somewhere in between these two extremes. Certainly there is one strong indication, quite aside from statistical church growth, that religion continues to be widely regarded as a strong potential factor for good in the community of man.

DR WARREN A. Quanbeck, a Lutheran theological professor who has played an important role in the ecumenical thrust, recently made this illuminating comment on what is afoot: "The movement toward church unity is the most important religious happening of the century. It is driving the church to a sense of mission in the world. The church was put in the world to spend itself for the world, but when denominations become turned in upon themselves, they get preoccupied with administration and mechanics."

That puts the case well—and suggests that ours may yet turn out to be one of the generative eras in the world's religious history.

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The Beauty Around Us . . .



A Spring Snow in the Swamp

Wet snows that cling to plants and shrubs means winter is dying. Although we haven't seen much of that type around Clinton County yet, this swamp scene reproduced from the Michigan Outdoorsman reminds us the time is coming and of the beauty around us.



RAMBLIN' with Rink

By LOWELL G. RINKER

Two weeks ago Wednesday there came to the office the first telephone call of the year to report the sighting of a robin. It came from Iva Mae Warner at the county superintendent of school's office.

Usually, she said, they there in the office were the last ones to see a robin every spring, and they were particularly excited about this event. Moreover the robin had not merely flown by the window on his way back south; he was still there.

COULD I take a picture? Yes, I said, my enthusiasm growing. I hadn't seen a nice fat robin in a long time either and a picture of one on a pile of snow might make a good picture for next week's front page.

Upon arriving at the education building on Maple Street, I was hustled through to the back of the house where County Supt. Carl Bates stood quietly by the back door. Deliberately and slowly he pointed through the glass to the robin and several other birds, hopping spryly about on a little patch of snow beneath a berry bush.

SHOOTING A PICTURE at an angle through window glass and a storm door is tricky, to say the least, and I knew I couldn't get a satisfactory picture. I had put on the telephoto lens, so I sneaked out the front of the house and around the side.

The birds fluttered about for a second and finally fluttered completely away. Then the robin began playing games with me. He flapped merrily over to the top of a rose trellis some 30

feet or so behind the house.

I moved quietly and slowly in that direction. But the robin flew up into a pine tree another 15 feet away. I sneaked along the edge of a garage and peeked around, camera at the ready. Gone. That's what the bird was.

I RETURNED to near the house and stood hidden behind a small tree in the backyard (I'm one of the few who can hide behind a six-inch diameter tree), waiting and hoping the robin would fly back to the snow patch beneath the berry bush.

I never saw him again, although I could hear his taunting song from the bushes and trees that grace the rear of the education building property. Either he knew I was there or he thought I was a scarecrow and was similarly frightened.

I RETURNED to the office without my front-page, Audubon prize-winning picture. But I went back with the song of spring in my mind.

Last Wednesday came the second report of a robin. Mrs. Bessie Dopler of 405 E. Higham Street called and said a robin had been feeding on some apple peelings she puts out for the birds.

Unless it was the same robin, which is doubtful, it means their known population is St. Johns increased 100 per cent in one week; and at that rate it means spring - in its full-fledged song - will be here shortly.

-Rink

GUEST EDITORIAL

How Much Is A Billion?

Reprinted from WHITEHALL FORUM and THE WHITE LAKER

Rep. Melvin R. Laird of Wisconsin, reminding that under the President's budget the federal government will obligate about \$127 billion this fiscal year, says that is more money than most of us can comprehend.

He provides these illustrations to supply a clue:

If a man had a spare million and told his wife to go out and spend it on clothes at the rate of \$1,000 a day and not come back until she spent it all, he would not see her for two years and nine months.

If a man had \$1 billion and told her to spend it at the rate of \$1,000 a day, he would not see her for 2,739 years!

Back Thru the Years

Interesting Items from the Files of the Clinton County News

10 YEARS AGO

From the Files of Feb. 23, 1956

With the installation of electrical fixtures this week, the new Eureka public school reached completion and will be open for classes Monday morning. Eureka school board president Wendell Waggoner announced.

Members of St. Johns city commission made it known at their regular meeting Tuesday that they are giving serious consideration to fluoridation of the city's water supply.

Band members, 150 strong, of the St. Johns school junior and senior bands will be out to duplicate last year's first division ratings in the District 5 Band and Orchestra festival to be held at Midland senior high school Saturday, Feb. 25.

25 YEARS AGO

From the Files of Feb. 27, 1941

Administrative heads of two Clinton county high schools, Ovid and Elsie, will end their connections with the two institutions at the close of the current school year. They are Supt. E. Knight of Elsie who will retire from school work, and Supt. Roy T. Schoeder of Ovid, whose plans for the future have not been announced. Thirty-three men, by far the largest group to be drawn for duty since the selective service law became effective last October, have been named for the March draft call.

OVID - The local IOOF celebrated its 75th anniversary of organization Wednesday evening, members who had been in the lodge for a long period of years were honored.

50 YEARS AGO

From the Files of Feb. 24, 1916

The Clinton County Republican club will hold its annual banquet in the National Bank hall tonight. Ticket sales show that a large company will be present.

Bengal Grange No. 225, unanimously adopted similar resolutions to those adopted by other granges in favor of the proposed \$100,000 bond issue for good roads. As we have been helping other counties build roads, it is only fair we should receive state aid for our roads.

Eureka will be visited by a YMCA Deputation team from the MAC on Friday night, which will take part in the meetings that night, direct play activities on Saturday and take part in the meetings at the church Sunday and a men's meeting.

from the HOPPER

By STEVE HOPKO



RECEIVED A note from Dr R. M. Kraft who is wintering in Nokomis, Florida.

Dr Kraft stated that they were having a nice winter and that all is well. He also sent along a story that was published in the local paper, the "Venice Gondolier," that I thought worth passing along.

THE STORY was written by Clarke C. Wilnot who according to the "Gondolier" is a retired advertising agency executive who lives in Manasota Key and who finds time to trip the light fantastic on his unretired typewriter.

This story was written for Lincoln's birthday and Mr Wilnot produced the following fantasy in honor of the occasion. "CALLING LBJ . . . HERE'S ABE ON THE 'HOT LINE.'"

The "Hot Line" buzzer shattered the heavy silence of the office where LBJ was trying to sweat out a compromise budget that would lose the fewest votes.

His hand shook as he picked up the receiver and croaked hoarsely, "President Johnson speaking, who's calling?"

A deep voice which reverberated as though coming from a great distance answered: "Abe."

"Abe who?"

"Abe Lincoln."

LBJ snarled: "If this is some kind of a joke it ISN'T funny son. How did you get this number?"

"It's no joke and I got the number from St. Peter . . . he's got everyone's number (pause) you might be smart to remember that, Lyndon."

"But Lincoln died a 100 years ago, how can you be calling now, and why?"

"I hope and believe that I still live in the hearts of all good Americans and I'm calling you because the nation has priority over political party."

"Suppose I accept this weird statement. What's your message?"

"Well," Abe intoned solemnly, "there comes a time in a bind like you're in with the Vietnam War when you have to decide if our word is as good as our bomb, and I think that time has come."

"What would you do if you were in my situation?"

"Pass the buck to Russia and pull out."

"You must be nuts! Think of the face we'd lose if we did that."

"It's time you quit worrying about losing face and start worrying about losing lives, money and the next two elections. Besides, we could lose a lot of 'face' and still have more than all the rest of our ungrateful free-loading allies combined."

"If I buy your idea, how do I pass the buck to Russia?"

"Easy, we teamed up with Russia for a war made in Japan. There's your precedent. Russia has more to fear from China than we. You might not put the deal over, but the mere fact that you tried would scare NATO into line, widen the split between Russia and China and remove De Gaulle, stone your surgeons' missed!" (Pardon the bad pun.)

"If Russia didn't fall for the idea, what's the next gambit?"

"Obvious, my dear Lyndon: 'We say, OK, since you have more to fear from China than we, you take over'."

Lyndon looked thoughtful. "I'll talk it all over with Mack, Abe. I can't wish you a happy birthday, but it was sporting of you to call. Have you any other advice?"

"Yes, but I promised St. Peter not to tie up his line too long. There's an insurance company's house organ on top of your desk that quotes me on a few things that may help your thinking on the Great Society" . . . a click and the voice faded out.

Just then Bill Moyer tiptoed in. He almost panicked when he

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The Best Comes Last

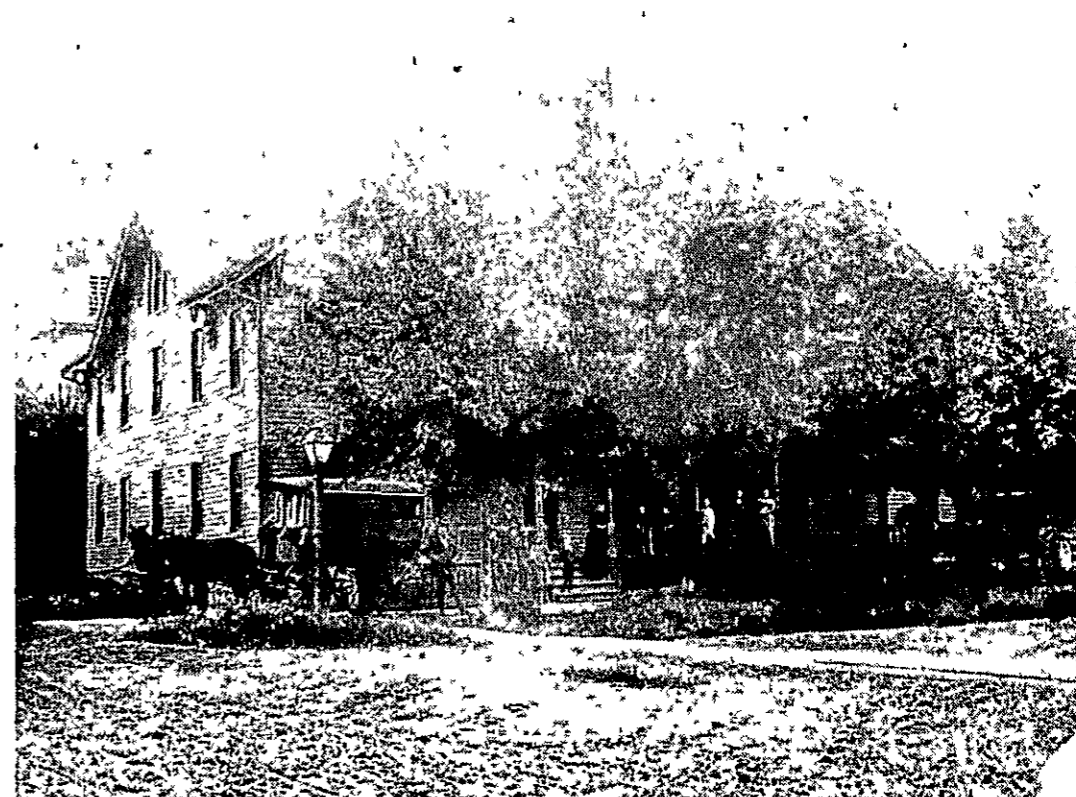
By W. E. DOBSON

As a boy I often wondered, When the dinner meal was served, Why it was that certain order In the serving was observed; With quite normal appetite, In boyish pattern cast Why, must procedures call for The best to wait till last? As those youthful chores o'ertook me, Some appealed, some others less- And it's sort of second nature To do easiest first, I guess; But in time I came to favor Changes in procedure vast, Seemed I got more satisfaction, In just leaving best to last.

In the give and take of business, As a grown man I have found, That the toughest jobs once conquered Hasten progress all around; With the hard core of the problem Once achieved the die is cast- So I find myself subscribing To the plan of best things last.

Many folks have many notions On just what the future holds, And we have a common interest As we watch each day unfold; I'll not try to guess the answers, Thoughts appear in sharp contrast- But I find myself oft asking, Will the best be saved for last?

A Look Into The Past . .



A St. Johns Hotel of Years Gone By

The Perrin House, a small hotel, once stood where the first Methodist Church now stands. At the time the picture was taken, probably 80 years ago, the proprietors were Mr and Mrs Lou Griswold. Mrs Griswold was the aunt of Miss Carmen Tranchell of St. Johns, who donated the use of this picture. In the background is the Methodist Church.

MICHIGAN MIRROR

Never enough money is state's problem, too



BY ELMER E. WHITE Michigan Press Assn.

Lobbying activities have been under scrutiny several times in recent years but every attempt to tighten Michigan's law regarding legislative agents have come to little.

The public eye may be trained more firmly on the Legislature's disposal of lobby law changes this year because of the recent disclosures regarding the activities conducted in behalf of the People's Community Hospital Authority in suburban Wayne County.

This is the first investigation in recent years which has resulted in any legal charges being placed against the people involved. Since no trials have yet been conducted, it would be presumptuous and improper to draw any conclusions about this case.

LOBBYING IS generally a very honorable, demanding, and tiring occupation. It requires long hours, great patience, and, probably foremost, a most unusual ability to get along with others.

The lobbyist's chief job is to keep legislators informed of the view-point on various bills held by the agent's employer and vice versa. The lobbyist is essentially a salesman selling an idea, hoping the legislator will adopt it and try to sell it to others in turn.

A lobbyist must try to convince legislators that his view is the best for the public as well as his client. The legislator must be wise enough to determine whether this is true.

DURING ANY given legislative session, the lobbyist's life re-

volves around the 148 men and women, plus a few other officials, who write the laws for Michigan.

They live, eat, sleep and breathe the legislative activity. In a very few cases, this familiarity appears to breed contempt.

In the few known incidents of alleged misuse of the lobbying privilege, the allegations have hinted at attempts to "buy" legislators' allegiance.

GOOD WILL OF legislators is something that is acquired, not bought. The intelligent, well principled lobbyist, by far the majority, is well aware of this. Companies and agencies which hire lobbyists recognize this fact too.

Seasoned lobbyists hate the thoughts of more laws and regulations, primarily because those who try to operate honestly and with integrity do so without laws which limit their effectiveness. Those who disregard present laws can be expected to disregard future laws too.

It's the same old story: the trouble is more with the people than with the system of laws. "You just can't legislate morality."

FROM OUT OF the blue they came. That was the impression when it was time for the Republican Party to seriously consider the 1966 US Senate race.

Less than two months before, the party moguls were said to be at a standstill, mystified at where they might find a possible winner. Then suddenly there were more

than 10 men listed either as possible or hopeful candidates.

Planned or not? It is hard to determine, but rumor is that the powers that be were not entirely satisfied with the few willing hands that had been raised and wanted to see more volunteers.

REITERATING AN old idea, politics is not a whole lot different from a corporation.

Consider a large corporation in which the first vice president is about to retire. The president and board are not quite enthusiastic about elevating the second vice president to the soon-to-be-vacant slot. How many lower vice presidents and other executives do you think would be clamoring for the job if they were aware of this sentiment?

This reportedly was essentially the situation which brought the numerous Republican officeholders to publicly declare they would love a chance at the US Senate race.

MORE THAN ONE of the public announcements were prompted by high expectations of the state GOP regarding the 1966 election.

Nationwide, the word is that if there is to be a year for the Republicans, this is it. In Michigan, Gov. George Romney's name on top of the ticket is contributing to predictions of a full reversal of the 1964 election results.

The GOP should have no difficulty filling out its ticket if the hopeful attitude remains at its present high.



The "Low Down"

From the Congressional Record By Joe Crump



A hard look at South Vietnam

Sen. G. D. Aiken (Vt.) "... President Johnson has now directed a renewal and possible increase in the bombing of North Vietnam.

"Under the constitutional and statutory powers vested in the presidency he has authority to do this.

"Even if 90 per cent of the American people were opposed, he would still have this power.

"SINCE WE now seem to have passed the point of no return, we should take a good hard look at the situation as it is today.

"The number of US servicemen supporting the South Vietnamese government has now increased to about 200,000, will be doubled within the next few months, and it will likely be redoubled within the next year.

"Most of the land area in South Vietnam has come under Vietcong control, while US bases are all virtually under a state of siege—an unorthodox siege, it is true, but, nevertheless one effective enough so that it is hardly safe to venture outside the fortified areas except in force ...

"OUR PEOPLE, regardless of whether or not they support the acts of this administration must be prepared for extraordinary sacrifice ...

"President Johnson has asked for some \$13 billion with which to increase the tempo of the war in Vietnam.

"This 13 billion is only the first drop in the bucket.

"Commonsense and experience should tell us that.

"The President asks us to rescind the tax cut on telephone charges and automobiles in order to help to meet this cost.

"IT IS ridiculous to expect that the income from these decisions would even begin to pay the cost of an escalated war.

"If President Johnson means business—and I believe he does—he will ask for the suspension of the General Tax Reduction Act of two years ago ...

"And he will ask for such new taxes as may be necessary.

"There is no sense in waiting until after election to recommend the inevitable. Lives are more precious than votes.

"Secretary of Defense McNamara asks for an increase of 133,000 men in the Armed Forces. Whom does he think he is kidding?

"WINNING A guerrilla war requires a ratio of 10 to 1 on the side of the law and the enemy already has 200,000 men in the field.

"The secretary knows that an escalated war will require universal conscription. To wait until after election to announce this is

From the HOPPER ...

Continued from page 2-C saw the president's face buried in his arms atop one volume of the budget opened on his desk; then smiled as the President gave out with a gentle snore. As Moyer turned to leave his eyes caught the name below a quote in an insurance house organ: Abe Lincoln. He picked it up and this is what he read:

"You cannot bring prosperity by discouraging thrift. You cannot strengthen the weak by weakening the strong. You cannot help the wage earner by pulling down the wage payer. You cannot further brotherhood of man by encouraging class hatred. You cannot build character and courage by taking away man's initiative and independence. You cannot help men permanently by doing for them what they could and should do for themselves."

-Abraham Lincoln

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COUNTRY FLAVOR

Memory of a woodland ballet remains vivid



HAYDN PEARSON

On a moon-bright, starlit night it happens. In a peaceful glade in woodland or tree-studded swamp, the rabbits stage their winter dance. The countryman has seen it once and the memory of the scene has remained vivid through the years. Grandfather had described the dance and a lad resolved to see it.

rabbits as they staged their woodland ballet.

One listened but could hear no sound. The rabbits dashed from side to side; back and forth they leaped. Sometimes a rabbit leaped high and twisted in midair. They chased each other in circles. The flashing bodies were sometimes bunched and sometimes spaced over the glade. It was a picture of eerie motion in silent gracefulness.

AS SUDDENLY as the ballet began, the woodland opening was quiet. The big moon sailed serenely on; bright stars twinkled against the blue-black velvet. And the glade was just a white open space—a peaceful spot in a pasture swamp.

It was quiet and still as one watched from the protection of a clump of spruces in the swamp. A big orange-yellow moon sailed among the stars. No sound came through the crisp air except the tolling of the bell from the meeting house clock. No breeze was stirring. It was a world of winter silence.

SUDDENLY, it happened. A moment before the snow-covered glade was just a small opening deep in the swamp. Then the space was filled with leaping, twisting, jumping bodies. There may have been a dozen or perhaps it was twice that number. One could not tell, so fast moving were the

The common cold may be one of a number of distinct infections of the respiratory tract, according to World Book Encyclopedia. Although scientists have developed several anti-cold vaccines, none has proved effective against all types of colds.

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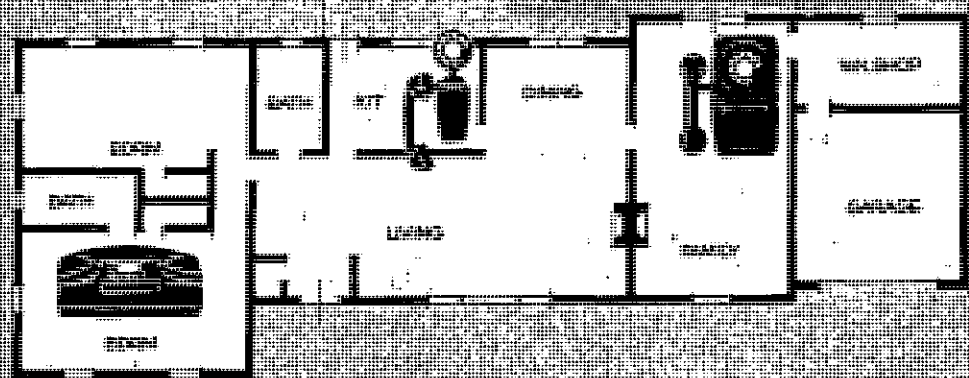
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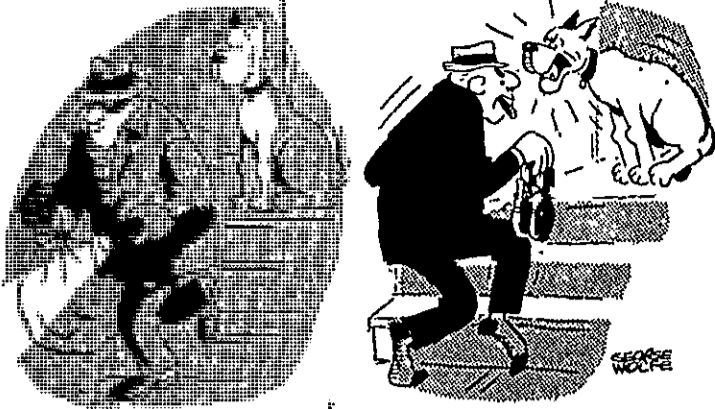
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## Take care of labor force like you do machinery, farmers told

## AGRICULTURE ACTION

by M. L. Woell

MICHIGAN FARM BUREAU

"If you don't take care of your labor force the same way you care for your machinery, you are going to lose crops," Frank R. Potter recently told a Farm Labor Management Workshop at Michigan State University.

Sponsored by the Rural Manpower Center, the workshop brought together local, state and national authorities — as well as many of the state's leading farmers — to discuss farm labor problems.

THE FARM LABOR Management Workshop is one of the first public efforts of the newly formed Rural Manpower Center to improve understanding of many of the problems associated with farm labor in Michigan.

The center, part of MSU's Cooperative Extension Service, was established at the request of the Governor's Commission on Migrant Labor and the state Legislature.

Potter, director of the National Farm Labor Service in Washington, D. C., said agriculture still retains the image of 'beating the worker.' He went on to say the farmer was not alone in having to hire poor quality workers. He said every industry has some turnover. However, he contended that use of the labor force that exists, including the use of youth or women, would give an abundant labor supply.

"THE responsibility to supply labor does not rest with the federal government or the state," Potter said. "It belongs to the individual grower. No other industries are guaranteed labor supplies.

The State Labor Service works hard to get people for agricultural labor. Potter urged growers to adopt the Christmas slogan and, "shop early."

Speaking on the MSU center's activities, Dr. Dan Sturt explained the purpose and potential of the center was to conduct research on farm labor and then educate the

The World Health Organization of the United Nations reports that upward of 50 per cent of the world's people ingest less than 1500 calories a day—a status of direct starvation.

public to the problems and findings.

A great amount of legislation—both at state and national levels—provokes the need for more knowledge. The manpower center is intended to provide facts. As such, Sturt is hopeful the center will arrive at some workable solutions or alternatives to rural labor problems.

STURT NOTED that as the first organization of its type in the nation, the center faced some basic identification problems. Very little is known about who farm laborers are, how they are recruited and how they are compensated.

Working through field or 'task forces' Sturt explained that one of the first areas of concentrated study involves the use of "piece rates" in Michigan. The recent amendment of the 1964 state minimum wage law permits the establishment of such rates instead of the normal, minimum hourly wage.

A task force headed by Donald Ricks of the MSU Department of Agricultural Economics is attempting to gather data to implement the law. Ricks said the center will not establish the rates, but will only provide data which the wage deviation board may use for realistic determination of the basic minimum rates.

PICKER PRODUCTIVITY in the various types of crops needs to be known for the piecework rates. "The basic problem," Ricks explained, "is attempting to analyze the effect of the great number of variables on worker

productivity. More than 800 workers have been surveyed in apples alone, and that data is now being summarized."

Ricks feels—as do most farmers—that it is to everyone's advantage to keep up the piece rate system. "The new wage structure will," Ricks said, "change from year to year with changes in conditions and crops."

A second task force is at work studying housing provided for rural labor. Led by Mrs. Annette Schaeffer, a field force is establishing methods of evaluating rural housing.

WORKING WITH Carlton Edwards, MSU agricultural engineer, Mrs. Schaeffer told the workshop she is working to establish an impartial score sheet for housing. It will operate on a point system, assigning different values to such things as adequate water, type and location of plumbing or toilet facilities, and protection offered by the house.

Mrs. Schaeffer reported the score sheet will probably be tested in a township area. Hopefully, the system will then be expanded to evaluate labor housing throughout Michigan. She added that a refinement of the score sheet may be helpful to real estate and tax appraising personnel in evaluating housing across the nation.

The scoring will enable a dollar value to be placed on the housing of rural laborers, Mrs. Schaeffer said, and in some cases may make it possible for the housing value to be included in the wage scale.

## See multiple family housing trend in '80

The era of the four-bedroom home on a large lot with lots of play space for the children is fading into the background.

Michigan State University housing specialists predict that by 1980 most people will be living in "medium" and "high" rise apartment buildings in "high density" areas. Single family homes probably will be built only in rural and outer suburban areas.

ULTIMATELY, EVEN farm homesteads may be replaced by manufactured homes which can be assembled on the site. This will be necessary because local people are rapidly losing such skills and urban workers prefer not to go into the outlying areas.

These predictions are part of MSU's "Project 80," a futuristic look at Michigan's rural potential in 1980.

Rural areas will see another new source of housing as mobile homes continue to grow in popularity. Already, attractive rural trailer parks are becoming common. The specialists point out that mobile homes are often preferred by the retired, newlyweds, and married college students. Young couples and hired farm labor who want to live near the home farm also favor the versatile house trailer.

THE RASH OF private pools will be halted, say the specialists. Public pools will be built in an effort to conserve water.

Where yards are large enough, there will be more landscape construction and maintenance. People with more money and more leisure time will take the opportunity to carry on "do-it-yourself" projects or to hire someone to do it for them.

New homes financed by the Farmer's Home Administration are the kind of homes rural families of low and moderate incomes want. Typically they are one-story, three-bedroom homes with 1,200 square feet of living space. The average cost in 1962 was about \$11,000.

LITTLE CHANGE is expected in the size of the existing farm housing supply in the next few

years, but there may be a few shifts. Some city workers may move into the rural areas and take over some of the better housing vacated by present rural non-farm families who are expected to move back to the city for education, services and lower maintenance costs. In 1965, 1966 and 1967, a continued out-migration of young people.

Rising incomes, especially at the lower end of the scale and the drive for better Negro housing will permit some of the sub-standard housing to be dropped.

HOWEVER, EVEN with the rising incomes there may not be much improvement in housing. New housing can be delayed and more money may mean that a new automobile and many other consumer goods get first priority.

## Report maple syrup shortage

If you have trouble finding pure Michigan maple syrup for your pancakes, a shortage of labor is probably the reason. Although the demand is increasing and there is more sugar maple potential, production will likely decrease by 25 per cent in the next 10 years.

Ralph D. Nyland, Michigan State University forester, reports that "producer age and the shortage of labor is the problem."

HE ALSO NOTED that about 70 per cent of the producers in southern Lower Michigan are not fully utilizing sugar maple resources. In the northern half of the peninsula, however, about 40 per cent of the producers are tapping "too heavily."

Nyland said interviews with producers showed about 35 per cent now making maple syrup will quit operation in the next 10 years, most of these in southern Michigan.

STUDIES SHOW sap production with modern tube systems can be profitable if the sap is processed on the property where collected, Nyland contends. Transportation of sap to a central evaporator

### Senior citizens:

## Homestead exemption

Are you, as a senior citizen, eligible for a homestead tax exemption? Many people have been asking themselves this and the answer is: You could be if you can answer the following questions yes:

- 1) Are you over 65 years of age?
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- 3) Is the state equalized valuation of this property less than \$10,000?
- 4) Is your income less than \$5,000 per year?
- 5) Have you been a resident of Michigan for the last seven years and do you reside at least six months a year in Michigan?

If you can answer yes to all the above questions you may be eligible for the tax exemption.

SENIOR CITIZEN homestead tax exemption affidavits can be secured from your city or village treasurer or from your township supervisor and are available on request.

To prove your claim to the tax exemption two things are needed: Proof of age (preferably your birth certificate, but if you do not have one of these, a baptismal certificate; affidavit from Social Security Administration; voter registration; family Bible or an insurance policy will do), or proof of property ownership (For this you will need to show a land contract; mortgage; deed or life estate).

THESE ITEMS MUST be brought to the office when filing your claim.

Other information needed to complete your claim form are: Your social security number; a description of the property you are claiming for exemption (this information can be obtained from the assessor's office or from your previous tax notices); how the title to the property is held? (sole ownership, husband and wife, joint tenancy or tenancy in common); all the real property located in Michigan that you own; your birthdate; whether you have resided in Michigan for seven consecutive years prior to filing this claim; and the last year in which you filed an income tax return and where you filed it.

THEN THE AFFIDAVIT must be signed by the person claiming the exemption in the presence of a notary public, then taken to the city or county treasurer along with your proof of age and ownership.

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3 Ferguson 14-inch plow points, old style	Quantity of storm doors
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ASC PROGRAM

Can plant soy beans on feed grain acres



W. M. SMITH  
County ASC Manager

The United States Department of Agriculture has announced a change in the 1966 feed grain program. The change will permit participants to plant soybeans on feed grain permitted acreage and receive the price support payment they would have earned if feed grains were planted. Farmers will be permitted to determine what acreage planted to soybeans will be considered as feed grain acreage.

and earn their total feed grain price support payment. This action makes no change in the diverted acre provisions of the program.

Many articles have been written suggesting that under the new feed grain program participants could plant soybeans on acreage diverted from feed grains, this is not true.

I WILL GIVE you an example of how the changes apply: Take a farm with a feed grain base of 40 acres, the minimum that

Under the change, producers may plant all of their permitted feed grain acreage to soybeans

can be diverted is 20 per cent or eight (8) acres. For this example we will divert the eight (8) acres, now the balance of the base may be planted to feed grains and is called permitted acreage, 50 per cent of the feed grain base is eligible for price support payment or 20 acres.

The total permitted of 32 acres could be planted to soybeans and 20 acres would be eligible for the price support payment. Just remember, no crop may be planted on the diverted acreage before fall to be harvested next year.

To date, we have over 500 feed grain and wheat producers signed up to participate in each of the 1966 programs, this is more than 10 per cent ahead of other years.

I urge feed grain and wheat producers who have not been in to our office to have the programs explained, to come in soon. The closing date to sign up to participate is April 15, 1966.

A Michigan State University horticulturist has developed a greenhouse variety of tomato which will set fruit during very hot weather. Many greenhouse varieties develop lush foliage during periods of high temperature, but produce no tomatoes.

Michigan's bean exports mean big money to state

By GEORGE R. McQUEEN  
Extension Agricultural Agent

"Little or nothing I grow ever goes overseas. So why should I be concerned with foreign agricultural trade?"

This is a myth many Michigan farmers believe. They may hear that one out of every five acres of cropland in the US is devoted to raising crops that go into foreign trade. But few ever think

that it could be anything from their farm.

Farmers who raise pea beans, soybeans, wheat or corn, and who feed beef cattle may be involved in foreign agriculture shipments more than they know.

FOR MANY YEARS much dried whole and skimmed milk has found its way to foreign ports. With Michigan a major dairy state, these markets could mean much to keep Michigan's dairy prices above those of some nearby states.

But pea bean growers actually have the most at stake at keeping foreign trade going. In the 1964-65 marketing year, Michigan navy beans made up 48 per cent of the Total US bean exports which went to 35 different countries. The United Kingdom was the largest buyer with 840,508 hundred pound bags.

A total of 1,549,937 bags of beans were exported. This is more beans than the state of New York grew, and New York is our biggest competitor in the eastern US in bean production.

Michigan produces 83 per cent of all the yellow-eye beans, 90

Don't overinvest in farm machines, economist warns

Machines can increase a farmer's efficiency. They can also send him to the poorhouse if he overinvests in them.

These are the conclusions of C. Ray Hoglund, Michigan State University agricultural economist. He says many farmers faced with increasing costs and shortages of reliable farm labor are investing in labor-saving equipment. But some are spending too much money for the return some equipment will bring on their investment.

"THE EXTENT TO which a farmer can afford to invest in this equipment will, of course, vary between farms because of difference in size of operation," says Hoglund. "But there are some guidelines that can be followed."

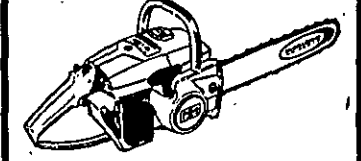
"For example, let's assume a farmer wants to buy a machine to help him plant or harvest a cash crop. This machine may save the farmer 500 hours of seasonal labor. If labor costs the farmer \$1.50 an hour, he can afford to invest up to \$750,000 and still break even on annual costs."

But if wage rates were \$2.50 an hour, \$7,500 could be invested to save the 500 hours of labor.

HOGLUND SAYS similar investment analysis can be made for installation of an irrigation system. Investment for a solid system of irrigation, which requires no moving of pipes, could cost about \$17,000 for 40 acres of potatoes—\$9,000 more than a portable system.

"The solid system would require 350 less hours of labor than the portable system," reports Hoglund. "With labor at \$2.00 an hour, total annual costs would be \$340 higher for the solid system. If labor costs \$3.00 an hour, costs would be equal."

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Don't doze behind snow plows

Art Foster, assistant chief of the safety section of the Michigan Department of State Highways, has issued his annual season's greeting to all motorists.

It is: If you are driving along a highway and see a cloud of snow up ahead, topped by a revolving amber light . . .

Wake up, slow down, and look out, because inside that cloud of snow is a big, ugly, yellow truck loaded with six tons of sand, and when you slam into it at 50 mile an hour, it doesn't give.

LAST WINTER, Foster says, passenger cars and Highway Department snow plows were involved in 23 rear-end collisions, most of them producing personal injuries and extensive damage to the auto.

Since the Department of State Highways operates only about 10 per cent of the total number of snow plows on our highways, the total number of accidents exceeded 200.

Injured motorists interviewed following accidents admitted seeing the revolving amber light but apparently failed to connect the cloud of snow with the presence of a truck.

SO, FOSTER repeats, if you see a cloud of snow and the amber light that under state law designates slow-moving snow plows and maintenance vehicles . . . wake up, slow down and look out.

per cent of all the cranberry beans and 99.6 per cent of all the navy beans grown in the US.

AND 85 per cent of the varieties grown today were not commercially available 10 years ago. All were developed by researchers at Michigan State University.

Michigan's leadership in bean production stems from early research by the late Dr Eldon E. Down, an outstanding MSU plant scientist who revolutionized the bean industry with the development of the Robust and Michelite varieties a generation ago. Out of these varieties have come the current variety leaders Sanilac, Seaway, Saginaw and Gratiot.

MAURICE DOANE, secretary of the Michigan Bean Shippers Assn., Saginaw, recently said these new varieties have been worth \$16 million a year to the income of the bean-growing farmers. That's far more than the cost to Michigan taxpayers of all agricultural research by the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station in the past five years.

From dwarf to giant in apple orchards

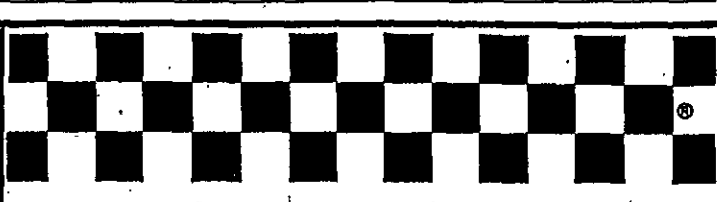
Dwarf apple trees are fast becoming the "giants" of Michigan's fruit industry.

"Over 70 per cent of the apple trees planted each year in Michigan are dwarf trees," reports Robert F. Carlson, Michigan State University horticulturist. "Growers like them because they yield more fruit per acre and are easier to pick." The adoption of dwarf trees (about the height of a tall man) has been steady and rapid, mainly because of changes in labor availability.

"TWENTY YEARS ago, dwarf trees were almost taboo. At that time," says Carlson, "labor was plentiful to pick 30-foot tall trees."

"Today, the fruit grower is constantly looking for efficiency and for step and hand-saving methods of orchard operation. Ladders are disappearing from the orchard scene at harvest time, simply because the picker can't afford to spend half his time moving a ladder around the tree and from tree to tree."

With dwarf, man-sized trees, the picker can stand on the ground and harvest the fruit. He covers less distance between trees since the dwarf trees are planted closer together.



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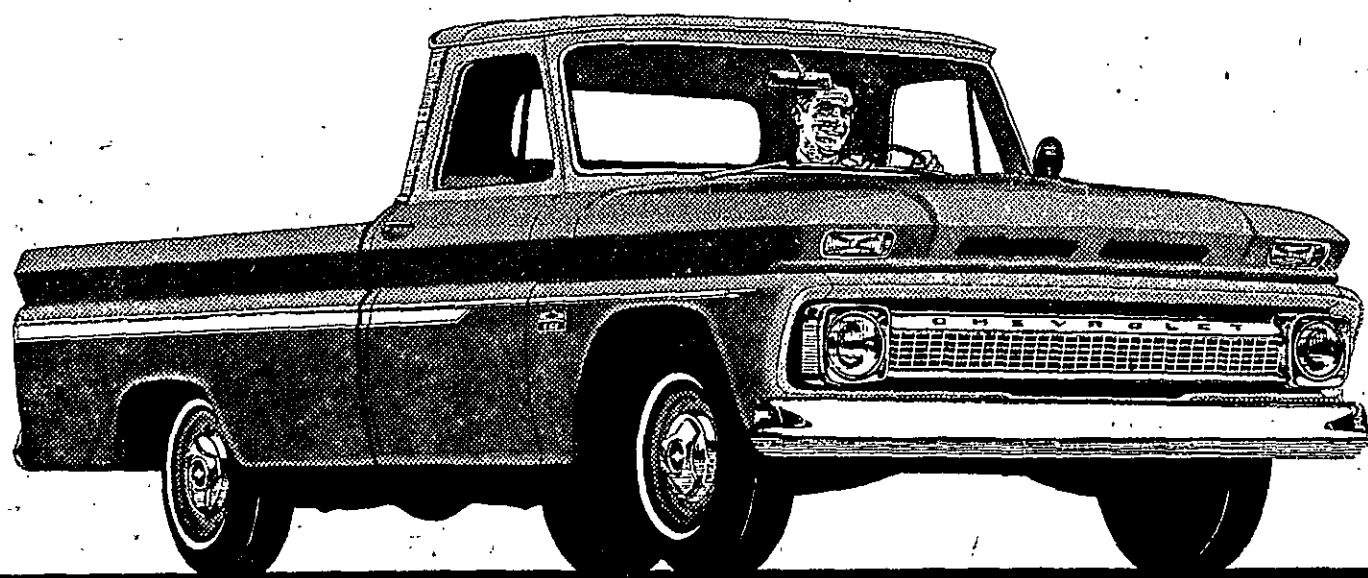
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## Trees for thinking man

by JACQUES PINKARD  
Woodland Conservationist  
SCS, East Lansing

Farmers in Clinton County Soil Conservation District are resourceful business landowners. They grow crops of grain, vegetables, fruit, and trees to help them make a living. Owners of smaller tracts in the rural fringe may have different reasons for owning land.

Increasing numbers of these owners just want to live where it is quiet and beautiful. Tree-covered areas are important in convincing them that a certain piece of land is both desirable and beautiful. Automatically they think of it as a place they would enjoy living and playing.

WOODLANDS, large and small, young and old, can be used for production of tree crops. Timber production is probably the main use that comes to mind; however, there are other uses that are important. Woodlands have value for wildlife, control of erosion, production of pure water, control of air pollution, recreation and natural beauty.

People are interested in the good way of life. They usually want their children to have an even better life. Some recognize that trees help in actually bringing the good life to us. Gazing into a crystal ball and hoping will not make this possible. The best way is to build for the future.

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THOSE WHO HAVE learned to appreciate and understand the use and beauty of trees will develop a plan of action. They will make a place on their land for trees. A decision to use proven practices already known can be made. It is easy to get tooled up for the improving job. A person can acquire the work skills by practice and then develop his woodlands to full potential.

Lloyd Cambell, SCS work unit conservationist of St. Johns, helps Clinton County SCD co-operators plan their land use for woodland. One of his jobs is to work with the SCD board of supervisors in scheduling conservation planning. He and the cooperating owner look at the condition of the woodland when they walk over the farm. The information obtained provides the basis for making plans to treat the land. The idea is to treat each acre according to its conservation needs.

PROBABLY THE FIRST thing they may consider is woodland protection. Fire or grazing can quickly damage trees. The use of firebreaks and livestock exclusion may be needed to protect the present stand as well as new growth taking place. They may also discuss what woodland to thin, weed, or prune. They may look for areas where some of the trees are in need of cutting. Cutting some of the trees by intermediate harvesting may improve the stand by providing more room for the best trees to grow. By properly spacing trees through thinning and intermediate harvesting, good trees for future saw log harvests will remain.

Lastly, they may designate fields in need of final harvest. Clear cutting, one way of making the final harvest, is ultimately necessary in small parts of each woodland. Thus, young trees can get started in the small openings. These are the areas where natural seeding from surrounding trees takes place.

THERE ARE OTHER areas where trees may fit in the land use and treatment plan. A field with woodland on its windward side is protected from wind blast. Lacking this protecting tree belt it may be necessary to plant rows

of trees as windbreaks. Kings of trees can be planted that will give the needed height and density. The exact spacing of these trees is important too.

Some field corners or odd areas may be rocky, have shallow soil, or be difficult to get into. They could be just the place to put trees for wildlife food and cover. This may even be a place to have the family Christmas trees growing for future years.

THE AESTHETIC USE of woodland is rising all of the time. Natural beauty and recreation are truly becoming important. The many pleasures sought include camping, picnicking, nature trails, bird watching and tree identification.

When all of these considerations in the use and treatment of the woodland areas have been discussed a recorded decision by the landowner is made indicating when and where the practices will be applied.

SCD COOPERATORS with woodland are likely to have need for services not discussed here. Other services are available through the Michigan Department of Conservation district forester, Elton Twork, and other consulting foresters. They can estimate and mark trees, grade logs, inspect cutting operations, provide general marketing help, and make growth studies.

They can also be of major assistance in fulfilling the woodland opportunities available in Clinton County SCD. They can show further reasons why the wise use of native woodland resources is an objective within easy reach of everyone.

### Corn silage diet desirable

"Corn silage can be fed as the sole source of feed for dairy heifers," contends Darwin G. Braund, Michigan State University dairy scientist.

"But heifers fed only corn silage can be short changed on protein. Research indicates that feeding five pounds of alfalfa hay with regular corn silage until heifers reach 600 to 700 pounds is desirable in order to supply adequate protein. Beyond this size, heifers will consume enough corn silage to meet both TDN (total digestible nutrients) and protein requirements."

"ANOTHER way to supply the necessary proteins is to add urea to corn silage at the rate of 10 pounds per ton. With urea corn silage fed, no additional protein is needed for heifers beyond 400 pounds of body weight."

In some cases, heifers can become "over conditioned" if they consume more corn silage than they need for growth, says Braund. This occurs more often with mature corn silage containing high proportions of grain. In this situation, the amount fed should be limited to that which keeps the animal in good, thrifty condition but not fat.

BRAUND ALSO points out that steamed bone meal or dicalcium phosphate and trace mineral salt "must be available free choice" in order to meet the mineral requirements of growing heifers.

He emphasizes that feed costs for dairy heifers account for one-half to two-thirds of the total heifer raising cost.

### Foresees new dairy spread

A dairy spread that is neither butter or cheese may some day be added to the line of dairy products. The spread, which contains 40 or 50 per cent butterfat, is frequently mentioned as a partial answer to the cholesterol scare, diet fad and low butter sales.

Dairy spread is not really new. It has been discussed and studied off and on over the past 15 years, so dairy scientists already know a lot about it.

UNIVERSITY of Wisconsin food scientist K. G. Weckel gives some information about dairy spread. He says it is an all-dairy product and can be used for bread, crackers, sandwiches, and salads.

One dairy spread formula uses unsalted butter, condensed skim milk, cultured buttermilk and starter distillate as the main ingredients. Another formula uses cream, non-fat dry milk, cultured buttermilk and starter distillate. Both formulas have salt, lactic acid, vitamin A and vitamin D added. Color may also be added. Both spreads are about 45 per cent fat and 9 per cent solids-not-fat.

THE MATERIALS are blended in a process vat, then pasteurized and homogenized.

When properly made, the mixture resembles very soft ice cream in texture as it is pumped from the homogenizer. Too much homogenizer pressure can make it rough or grainy. Dairy spread should be packaged hot. After 12 hours in a cooler it develops the proper firmness.

Weckel says the spread shouldn't be frozen but must be kept refrigerated. It can be expected to keep for several weeks if properly processed, packaged and handled. Dairy spread is creamy white unless color is added. This would be subject to local laws on food additives. The spread has a creamy flavor.

The finished product can be modified by mixing pickle relish, fruit, herbs, vegetables, or peanut butter with it.

### AGRICULTURAL NOTES

A Michigan State University agricultural engineer predicts a dramatic increase in farm uses of electricity by 1980. The specialist estimates each farmer will use an average of 15,000 kilowatt hours of electricity, compared with just a little over 9,000 today.

Research at the Michigan State University soils experiment station shows Michigan farmers should be using twice as much lime as they are presently using.

About 25 per cent of all the soil samples taken in the state are tested at the soil laboratory at Michigan State University. As part of the nation's first computerized soil testing program, complete analysis of a soil's nutrient needs may be computed in a matter of minutes. To handle the 20,000 annual requests by conventional methods would take about 250 days. The computers do the job in a matter of hours.

About 88 per cent of Michigan's Upper Peninsula is in forestland. More people are employed in the forest industry in the region than in any other segment of the economy.

### Measurement service being offered by ASCS

By WM. A. SMITH  
County ASC Manager

We are offering measurement service to farmers in our county again this year. This service includes determining the acreage in an area, staking the area, and early measurement before a crop is planted or prior to adjustment.

This year farmers participating in the wheat and feed grain programs will certify that they have complied with the programs, then 25 per cent of the farms will be visited to verify compliance. When a producer is found to be out of compliance, his payment will be reduced or forfeited depending on the amount the farm is out of compliance; this is why this service is offered, for it will give producers who are unable to determine their own acreage an opportunity to have their acreage measured.

THE MEASUREMENT service costs \$5 per farm plus 10 cents per acre measured. Due to the limited number of farmer reporters we can hire, I urge anyone interested in this service to come to our office and make request early, as this will give us time to get the measurement done before spring crops are planted.

We had a lot of bidders for corn offered from our Elsie bin-site last week; the 9,000 bushels offered were sold. The high bid receiving corn was \$1.31 1/2 per bushel and low bid receiving corn was \$1.28 5/8 per bushel.

CORN IS OFFERED for sale on Thursday each week and is sold on an "as is" basis. Anyone interested in inspecting this corn may call Clifford Dunham at Elsie. Bids must be in our office by 3:30 p.m. on Thursdays; bids may be

phoned in, followed by a letter of confirmation. I have no idea how long we will continue to offer corn.

Just a reminder to wheat producers who have planted wheat for harvest: You have to make application at our office to participate in the 1966 wheat program and be eligible for domestic certificates. Stop in and have the wheat and feed grain programs explained.

### Easier on insects

Man is making life easier for insect pests by routinely using "broad-spectrum" pesticides like DDT, says Dr. LaMont C. Cole, a Cornell University biologist. These pesticides kill many species of insects and may even threaten animals or man. Use of them can kill not only a pest but other forms of life that help control pests naturally.

Unfortunately, it's the shortcomings of men that seem to have the longest reach.

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Annual Tax Sale

SCHEDULE "A"

Taxes for 1963 and Prior Years

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 taxes assessed thereon.

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, for the amounts therein specified, claimed to be due for taxes assessed thereon.

It is Ordered that said Complaint will be brought on for hearing and judgment at the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, on the 14th day of March, 1966, at the opening of the Court on that day, 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 said taxes, interest and charges, 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, and the writ with the clerk thereof on or before the same day.

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Witness the Honorable Leo W. Corkin, Circuit Judge, and the seal of said Court this 24th day of January A.D. 1966.

LEO W. CORKIN, Circuit Judge.

Countersigned, Paul Wakefield, 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 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 as follows:

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 1951, as amended, Act No. 125 of the Public Acts of 1952, as amended, and Act No. 380 of P.A. 1955 as amended.

2. That Schedule A 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, interest and charges were assessed for the year 1963 and for the year 1964 and which 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 due on the provisions of the act last above mentioned.

3. That extended separately in said schedule against each description of land therein contained are (a) the total amount of delinquent taxes upon said description for the next annual tax sale, (b) interest computed thereon as provided by law to the first day of May, next ensuing, and a collection fee of four per cent and (c) \$150 for expenses, all in accordance with the provisions of the act first above mentioned;

4. That all of the aforesaid taxes, interest and charges are valid, delinquent and unpaid for sufficient time to authorize and require, as provided by the foregoing acts, the sale of the aforesaid parcels of land against which they were assessed and are extended in said schedule against the name of the owner of each of the aforesaid parcels of land described in said schedule as therein and against which extended the same amount of taxes, interest and charges, the payment of which lien this Court may enforce or prefer or first claim upon such lands by the sale thereof.

Wherefore your plaintiff prays: a. That writ be provided by law this Court may determine and adjudge that the aforesaid taxes, interest, charges and expenses are valid and constitute a valid lien upon each of the said several parcels of land described in said schedule as therein extended;

b. That within the time provided by law this Court make a final judgment in favor of the State of Michigan against each parcel of the several amounts of taxes, interest, collection fee and expenses, as computed and extended in said schedule against the several parcels of land therein contained;

c. That said judgment provide that in default of the payment of the amount of said several sums computed and extended against said land in said schedule, the said several parcels of land, or such interest therein as may be necessary to satisfy the amount adjudged against the same, shall severally be sold as the law provides;

d. That your plaintiff may have such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and equitable.

And your plaintiff will ever pray, etc.

Dated: January 20, 1966

ALLISON GREEN, State Treasurer of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State.

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PARK LAKE HEIGHTS BATH TOWNSHIP

BATH TOWNSHIP TOWN NO. 3 NORTH RANGE NO. 2 WEST

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# Minutes of the City Commission Meeting

Municipal Building  
Commission Room  
ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN

FEBRUARY 15, 1966  
Commissioner on this matter.

The regular meeting of the City Commission was called to order by Vice-Mayor Sirrine at 7:30 p.m., with invocation by Reverend Gerald Churchill.

Present Commissioners: Irer, Sirrine, Coletta, Kentfield. Absent Commissioners: Smt. Staff Present: City Manager Greer, City Attorney Reed, City Clerk Clark.

Motion by Commissioner Irer supported by Commissioner Coletta, the minutes of the February 1, 1966 meeting be approved as presented. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Coletta supported by Commissioner Irer, the City Clerk be authorized to draw checks in payment of general fund voucher numbers 8967 to 9025 inclusive and water fund voucher numbers 683 to 711 inclusive, in the amount of \$214,958.08. Motion carried.

City Manager Greer presented and reported on the following communications: Williams & Works with reference to sanitary sewers; Michigan State Highway Department reports; Mr. Jack Walker with reference to attorney fees and the firm of Ayres, Lewis, Norris, May with reference to the water plant.

The City Manager further reported, the firm of Ayres, Lewis, Norris, May will be present to report at the March 1 meeting. The City Commission agreed the letter from Atty. Jack Walker be tabled.

Mr. Richard Cornwell appeared before the City Commission requesting further information on the proper location in the City Park for the Fire Department to hold their 4th of July celebration. After considerable discussion the City Commission agreed this will be on the agenda at the regular City Commission Meeting of March 1, 1966.

Mr. George Mesh appeared before the City Commission and requested street grading on West McConnell and West Baldwin Streets. The City Commission agreed with the City Manager that this should be included in a street program this spring.

Mr. Herb DePeal, 108 South Emmons, St. Johns, appeared before the City Commission and requested assistance from the City on surface drainage of his property. City Manager Greer explained that proper drainage for Mr. DePeal's property and immediate surrounding properties would necessitate a storm drain in the center of the block across private properties. The City Manager agreed to assist Mr. DePeal in obtaining further information from the County Drainage

Mr. Walter Schafer of Schafer's Texaco Service appeared before the City Commission requesting a special water rate for Water Account number 703. Mr. Schafer explained the waste water from the wash rack area of his station will not discharge in the Sanitary Sewer. The City Commission agreed this request will be considered at the next Commission Meeting, upon receiving the report of the City Manager.

The City Manager reported on a letter from Mr. Ray Parr with reference to Water Account #28. Further investigation on this request for a special sewage rate revealed part of the waste water from this property will not discharge into the Sanitary Sewer. Motion by Commissioner Kentfield supported by Commissioner Irer the request from Mr. Ray Parr for a reduced sewage rate for Water Account #28 be set at 50%. Motion carried.

The following Ordinance was presented by Commissioner Kentfield and moved for the adoption which was supported by Commissioner Coletta.

**ORDINANCE # 193**

AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE THE POSITION OF ASSOCIATE MUNICIPAL JUDGE AS PROVIDED BY ACT 109 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1947, AND AS AUTHORIZED BY THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS.

SECTION 1. POSITION OF ASSOCIATE MUNICIPAL JUDGE. There is hereby created the office of Associate Municipal Judge of the Municipal Court of the City of St. Johns.

SECTION 2. QUALIFICATIONS OF THE ASSOCIATE MUNICIPAL JUDGE. The Associate Municipal Judge shall possess the same qualifications as required for the Municipal Judge.

SECTION 3. APPOINTMENT OF ELECTION, AND TERM OF OFFICE. The Associate Municipal Judge shall be appointed or elected in the same manner and for the same term as the Municipal Judge.

SECTION 4. COMPENSATION. The Associate Municipal Judge shall receive no compensation from the City for his services, and shall receive no fees, but may be compensated by the Municipal Judge.

SECTION 5. SEVERANCE CLAUSE. The provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable and if any section, sentence, clause, or phrase of Ordinance shall for any reason be held to be invalid or uncon-

stitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, sentences, clauses, and phrases of this Ordinance but they shall remain in effect, it being the legislative intent that this Ordinance shall stand notwithstanding the invalidity of any part.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall be effective the 20th day after its passage.

YEAS: Kentfield, Irer, Coletta and Sirrine. NAYS: None. ABSENT: Smt.

PASSED, ORDAINED, AND PUBLISHED THE 15 DAY OF Feb., 1966 BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS AT A REGULAR MEETING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

REX SIRRINE  
Vice-Mayor

DONALD H. CLARK  
City Clerk

I hereby certify that the above Ordinance was published in the Clinton County News on the 24 day of February, 1966.

DONALD H. CLARK  
City Clerk

The purpose of the following resolution is to establish a Bond and Interest Redemption Fund and Bond Reserve Account with the Detroit Bank & Trust Company.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Kentfield and moved for the adoption which was supported by Commissioner Coletta.

**RESOLVED:**

1. That THE DETROIT BANK & TRUST COMPANY, Detroit, Michigan, (hereinafter referred to as the Bank) be and it hereby is designated as a depository of this public Body, and that the Bank be and it hereby is authorized to accept for credit to the account of this public Body and/or for collection, any and all checks, drafts, notes and other instruments for the payment of money when endorsed in the name of this public Body, in writing, by rubber stamp, or otherwise, with or without a title designation of the party making such endorsement;

2. That any and all funds standing to the credit of this public Body with the Bank in any account (except an account specifically covered by another resolution) may be paid out or withdrawn by checks, drafts, notes, receipts, orders or other instruments for the payment of money, when signed in the name of this public Body as follows: (Note: Indicate number of signatures required on each instrument and the official designations of persons authorized to sign. Also, indicate special signing arrangements, if any.) Donald H. Clark, Clerk K. G. Greer, Manager

Number of Signatures Required - 2 - and the Bank hereby is authorized to honor, certify, or pay any and all checks, drafts, notes, receipts, orders or other instruments for the payment of money so signed, with or without title designation, whether creating an overdraft or not, without inquiry as to the circumstances of issue or the disposition of the proceeds thereof, whether drawn to the individual order, or tendered in payment of individual obligations, or for deposit to the individual accounts of the persons signing or other officers of this public Body, or otherwise;

3. That the Bank recognize said signatures for the transaction of any and all business of this public Body;

4. That this public Body does expressly assent to and agrees to be bound by all of the by-laws, rules, regulations, terms and conditions of the Bank pertaining to deposit accounts;

5. That the Secretary or Clerk shall certify to said Bank the names, official signatures and titles, if any, of the persons authorized to sign for this public Body, and shall from time to time hereafter as changes (including additions and deletions) in the persons authorized to sign are made, immediately certify such changes to the Bank; and said Bank shall be fully protected in relying on such certifications of the Secretary or Clerk and shall be indemnified and saved harmless from any claims, demands, expenses, loss, or damage resulting from, or growing out of, honoring the signature of any officer or person so certified, or refusing to honor any signature not so certified;

6. That the foregoing resolutions shall remain in full force and effect until written notice of their

amendment or rescission shall have been received by said Bank, and that receipt of such notice shall not affect any action taken by the Bank prior thereto, and that the Secretary, or Clerk, of this public Body is hereby directed and authorized to certify these resolutions to the Bank.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:**

1. That THE DETROIT BANK & TRUST COMPANY, Detroit, Michigan, (hereinafter referred to as the Bank) be and it hereby is designated as a depository for the corporation's (association's) securities;

2. That the following (Indicate official designations of persons authorized to sign) Donald H. Clark, Clerk K. G. Greer, Manager Number of signatures required - 2 - are hereby authorized to withdraw, receive and receipt for any and all securities deposited in the name of this corporation (association) in a safekeeping account with the Bank and to direct the Bank to purchase or sell securities for the account of this corporation (association) and to charge or credit any account of this corporation (association) for the amount of any such purchase price or with the proceeds of any such sale; and that, in lieu of credit, the Bank may issue its check payable to the order of this corporation (association); and that this corporation (association) shall be bound by all terms and conditions contained in any and all instruments, documents, and purchase or sale orders, executed by the above authorized person(s);

3. That this corporation (association) does expressly assent to and agree to be bound by all of the rules, regulations, terms and conditions of the Bank pertaining to safekeeping accounts;

4. That the Clerk shall certify to said Bank the names, official signatures and titles, if any, of the persons who are authorized to sign for this corporation (association) and shall from time to time hereafter as changes (including additions and deletions) in the persons who are authorized to sign are made, immediately certify such changes to the Bank; and said Bank shall be fully protected in relying on such certifications of the Clerk, and shall be indemnified and saved harmless from any claims, demands, expenses, loss, or damage resulting from, or growing out of, honoring the signature of any officer or person so certified, or refusing to honor any signature not so certified;

5. That the foregoing resolutions shall remain in full force and effect until written notice of their amendment or rescission shall have been received by said Bank, and that receipt of such notice shall not affect any action taken by the Bank prior thereto, and that the Clerk of this corporation (association) is hereby directed and authorized to certify these resolutions to the Bank.

Voted and declared adopted.

The City Clerk presented a copy of the minutes of the Planning Commission Meeting of February 10, 1966, informing the City Commission, of the recommendation of the Planning Commission on rezoning of 210 North Traver Street.

Motion by Commissioner Kentfield supported by Commissioner Coletta to deny the request to rezone 210 North Traver Street as recommended by the Planning Commission. Motion carried.

The City Commission discussed the City Park facilities and

the over night parking of camp trailers during the summer season. The City Manager reported Act 87 recently adopted by State Legislature which empowered the Michigan State Health Department with regulations governing the operation of Municipal Sanitary Land Fill Sites. He further reported the City rubbish contractor will be present at the March 1 City Commission Meeting.

The meeting was declared adjourned by Vice-Mayor Rex Sirrine at 9:25 p.m.

REX SIRRINE  
Vice Mayor

DONALD H. CLARK  
City Clerk

**★ LEGAL NOTICES**

**ORDER FIXING DATE FOR HEARING AND FOR PUBLICATION AND SERVICE OF NOTICE**

State of Michigan—In the Probate Court for the County of Clinton

In the matter of the Petition of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Clinton County, Michigan for the purpose of acquiring private property to straighten a County Road.

At a session of said Court at the Probate Court Room at the Court House in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan this 14th day of February, A.D. 1966.

Present: Honorable Timothy M. Green, Probate Judge.

It appearing to the Court that the Board of County Road Commissioners of Clinton County, Michigan has this day filed in said Court a petition to condemn for county road purposes certain lands hereinafter described, and praying, among other things, that the Court appoint three road commissioners to determine the necessity of straightening of a certain portion of the county road known as Island Road, said portion being in Duplain Township, Clinton County, Michigan and more specifically described in said petition, and to determine the necessity of taking each parcel of land therefore and to appraise the damages to be paid to the owners thereof as compensation for taking each parcel of land described for county road purposes; and

It further appearing to the Court that the names of the persons mentioned in said petition as being interested in said proceedings as owners or otherwise of the parcel of land therein described, and the description of said parcel sought to be condemned are as follows:

**PARCEL ONE**

Part of Section 10, 14 & 15, T8N, R1W, Duplain Township, Clinton County, Michigan, lying within a strip of land 100 feet wide the centerline of which is described as follows: Beginning at a point on the North line of Section 15 in the Maple River and running East to a point approximately 80 feet West of the N.E. corner, thence 420 feet along a curve whose radius is 2,291.8 feet and long chord is N 84 degree 45' E, 419.4 feet, thence N 79 degrees 30' E 12.8 feet, thence 390.9 feet along a curve whose radius is 1,041.7 feet and long chord is S 89 degrees 45' E, 388.6 feet to a point on the centerline of existing Island Road. Also the West 200 feet of the East 330 feet of Section 15 lying North of

## ST. JOHNS SCHOOL DISTRICT Board Proceedings

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held on Feb. 9, 1966, in the office of Superintendent Lancaster. Present: Members Gallagher, Livingston, Meyer, Bast, Schumaker, Richards, Parr; Superintendent Lancaster, Mr. Wirick, Mr. Nickel, Mr. Enochs.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by President Parr. Minutes of the regular meeting of Jan. 5 and special meetings of Jan. 20 and 27 were read and approved.

Bills and salaries totaling \$107,661.29 were reviewed and approved for payment.

Upon the recommendation of Superintendent Lancaster the following teaching contracts for the remainder of the school year were approved: Mercedes Farley, Junior High School Social Studies; Clea Summers, Perrin-Palmer School, half-time; Dorothy Bakita, Swegles School, half-time.

It was moved and supported that the St. Johns Education Association be recognized as the bargaining agent for the teachers of the St. Johns Public Schools. Motion carried.

Members Meyer, Richards and Superintendent Lancaster were appointed to act as the bargaining agent for the Board of Education.

The Burch Body Works of Rockford, Mich. was awarded the bid for three bus bodies to be delivered for the coming school year.

It was moved and supported that the bonding election date be May 9, 1966. Motion carried.

It was moved and supported that the voting date for the annexation

to the Lansing Community College be June 13, 1966.

Architects Blinda and Sumrill were present and a review of the high school needs were discussed.

Mr. Nickel reported on his population study of the rural areas.

Special meeting dates of Feb. 21 and 24 were scheduled.

Upon proper motion the meeting was adjourned.

FRED G. MEYER  
Secretary

Second the motion in the journey through life — it's better than being a chronic objector.



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STATE FARM INSURANCE COMPANIES  
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# Clinton County Regular Zoning Commission Meeting

A regular meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Commission will be held on

**Thursday, Feb. 24, 1966**

at 8 p.m. in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the Commission will act on the following applications:

**VICTOR TOWNSHIP**  
From Zone D, agricultural to Zone C, commercial:  
A parcel of land 250 feet East and West, thence North along Meridian Road 600 feet starting at the Southeast corner of the Northeast quarter of Section 24.

**OLIVE TOWNSHIP**  
An application for approval and recommendations from the Clinton County Zoning Commission and the Clinton County Board of Supervisors to operate and maintain a trailer coach park on the following described parcel of land:  
The Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 and the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 and the Northwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 20.

**OLIVE TOWNSHIP**  
An application for approval and recommendations from the Clinton County Zoning Commission and the Clinton County Board of Supervisors to operate and maintain a trailer coach park on the following described parcel of land:  
The East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 28.

**BINGHAM TOWNSHIP**  
From Zone A, residential to Zone C, commercial:  
And, also, the approval and recommendations from the Clinton County Zoning Commission and the Clinton County Board of Supervisors to operate and maintain a trailer coach park on the following described parcel of land:  
The South 40 acres of the West 60 acres of the Southeast corner of Section 17.

**DeWITT TOWNSHIP**  
From Zone C, commercial to Zone G, industrial:  
Commencing 53 1/3 rods North of the Southeast corner of the West 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 33, thence North 27 1/3 rods thence West to center of DeWitt and Lansing Road, thence South in center of said road to point 53 1/3 rods North of South line of said Section, thence East to place of beginning except one (1) acre with a 93' frontage on the DeWitt and Lansing Road, lying in the Southwest corner of said description.

The text of the Zoning Ordinance as proposed to be amended and a map showing the Zoning Ordinance as proposed to be amended may be examined at the office of the Clinton County Zoning Administrator at 106 Maple Street, St. Johns, Michigan between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 12 noon and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. of any day Monday through Friday.

**OLIVE TOWNSHIP**  
An application for approval and recommendations from the Clinton County Zoning Commission for the approval and erection of a multiple dwelling on the following described parcel of land:  
Commencing at the Southeast corner of the West one-half of the East one-half of the Southwest quarter, section thirty-three (33), Township six (6) North, Range two (2) West, thence North 228 feet, West 250 feet, South 228 feet, East 250 feet to the beginning.

GERALD L. WALTER  
Zoning Administrator

49-1 and 43-1

## Special Zoning Commission Meeting

A special meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Commission will be held on

**Thursday, March 3, 1966**

at 8 p.m. in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the Commission will act on the following application:

**DeWITT TOWNSHIP**  
From Zone B, residential to Zone D, agriculture:

Also, approval and recommendations from the Clinton County Zoning Commission and the Clinton County Board of Supervisors to operate and maintain a mobile home park on the following described parcel of land:

The South 7/8 of the Southwest quarter of Section Twenty-Six (26), Township Five (5) North, Range (2) West, except 150 feet North and South by 250 feet East and West out of the Northwest corner thereof, also excepting 480 feet North and South by 275 feet East and West out of the Southwest corner thereof, except the West 275 feet.

GERALD L. WALTER  
Zoning Administrator

42-1 and 44-1

## NOTICE

**All 1965 Taxes not paid by March 1st will be turned in to the County Treasurer**

There will be a 4% collection fee. Plus 1/2% per month interest charged after March 1, 1966.

VELMA BEAUFORT  
Clinton County Treasurer

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# Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News

## COURTHOUSE NEWS

### New Suits Started

**PAUL WAKEFIELD**  
County Clerk

Phileo Distributors, Inc. vs Jack Rhyndards Auto Supply.

### Marriage Licenses

Robert Lee Whitney, 21, of Grand Ledge and Gloria Jean Olney, 17, of R-1, East Lansing. Douglas Ralph Fox, 19, of Ovid and Carol Ann Price, 18, of Elsie. Charles J. Carroll, 21, of 207 S. Clinton Avenue, St. Johns and Carol K. Cook, 19, of Lansing. Kenneth Dale Greenfield, 22, of R-2, DeWitt and Patricia Ann Orweller, 22, of R-6, St. Johns. Michael Ray Cobb, 18, of DeWitt Road, Lansing and Shirley May Tucker, 17, of Lansing. Leroy J. Nielsen, 44, of Upton Road, East Lansing and Viola G. Sanford, 38, of Haslett.

### Divorces Started

Laura E. Mahlow vs Henry Leslie Mahlow.

### Probate Court

**HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
**HELENA M. BURK**  
Register of Probate  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1966

William Henry Kepler, license to sell.  
Herman J. Witt, appoint administrator.  
Douglas Cole, final account and determination of heirs.  
Marie Zischke (M.L.), license to sell.  
Nellie Baumgartner, probate of will.

### City Building Permits

Jan. 27: David Husted, 610 N. Ottawa Street, addition.  
Feb. 2: Michigan Building Association Inc., 811 Orchard Glen, dwelling.  
Feb. 14: B. J. Siewek Construction Co., 207 N. Clinton, remodel and remove second floor.

### County Building Permits

Feb. 16: Albert Johnstone, Bath twp., roof over existing dwelling.  
Feb. 11: Jack Baker, E. Walker Road, Ovid twp., dwelling and garage.  
Vernon and Oriette Eslick to Max A. and Rose Eslick, property in Duplain twp.  
Roy F. and Pauline Ahr Briggs to Michigan Building Associates, Inc., property in Orchard Glen Subdivision, city of St. Johns.

### Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)  
Sherman F. and Evelyn A. Jones to Robert Schmichel, property in Bopp's Subdivision, DeWitt twp.  
Frank and Mildred A. Chapko to John J. Jr. and Diane G. Kusnier, property in the Village of Elsie.  
A. John and Carol C. Garlinghouse to Eyde Construction Co., property in Bath twp.  
Albert A. White to A. John Garlinghouse, property in Bath twp.  
Floyd C. and Evangeline Houghton to Melvin L. and Edith Houghton, property in Bath twp.  
Mark H. and Daria M. Pung to George E. and Frances M. Jorae, property in Bingham twp.  
Dow and Verena Huggett to Warren D. and Doris M. Swanson, property in Bingham and Olive twps.  
Milton J. and Ruth A. King to John Hurd, property in DeWitt twp.  
William J. and Helen Parker to Robert B. and Carol A. Kelly, property in Ovid twp.  
Richard G. and Joan A. Mulder to Geert D. and Harriet Mulder, property in Willow Creek Farms Subdivision, DeWitt twp.  
Anna Bolchot, Josephine Bolchot, Donald P. and Mildred Bolchot to Bernard A. and Ruth M. Luoma, property in Don Dale Subdivision, DeWitt twp.  
Gels Agency, Inc. to Capitol Savings and Loan Assn., property in DeWitt twp.  
Edith K. Kelly and Francis W. and Geraldine Chaffin to James S. and Mary Ellen Stevens.  
James S. and Mary Ellen Stevens to Kenneth Jr. and Sandra Price, property in the City of St. Johns.  
Glenn D. and Marjorie L. Webster and Omah Green to Don C. and Phyllis J. Eastment, property in the Village of Eureka.  
Royce I. and Reba M. Howd to Albert Bekmanis, Inc., property in Bath twp.  
Hawthorne Hills Development Co. Inc., to Leon P. Clark, property in Watertown twp.  
Ebel M. Moore, Robert Leslie and Mildred L. Moore to John Fitzpatrick, property in Lebanon twp.  
Herbert E. and Dorothy M. Houghton to John L. and Vivian V. Hall, property in Bingham twp.  
Roy and Pauline Ahr Briggs to Paul F. and Esther E. Stoller, property in Bingham twp.  
Foster D. and Florence E. Schmidman to Richard A. and Muriel J. Ross, property in DeWitt twp.  
Herman A. and Irene A. Hopp to Leonard A. Milton, property in Riley twp.

## Professional Directory

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Inc., property in Orchard Glen Subdivision, city of St. Johns.

Furman-Day Investment Co. to Fred A. and Lois E. Kent, property in DeWitt twp.

Lydia J. Elchele to Aulden L. and Dolores L. Burkholder, property in DeWitt twp.

Fred W. and Evelyn R. Flositz and Willis J. and Marion Rockwood, property in DonDale Subdivision, DeWitt twp.

Adeline F. Herdon to Thomas E. Nitzsche, property in Bath twp.

Roy F. and Pauline Ahr Briggs and Paul F. and Esther E. Stoller to Michigan Building Associates, Inc., property in the City of St. Johns.

Bernard W. and Mary Rademacher to Aloysius J. and Joyce J. Schmitz, property in the Village of Westphalia.

Fred W. Jr. and Evelyn R. Flositz and Willis and Marion Rockwood to Francis R. and Marilyn J. Pratt, property in DeWitt twp.

Christian and Signe Wick to Austin D. and Reathel M. Waldron, property in the Village of DeWitt.

Edwin A. and Agnes Milks to Michael E. and Carol L. Newton, property in River Ridge Subdivision, Eagle twp.

### Sneezers have coryza

If your nose is stuffy and you have difficulty breathing, chances are you're suffering from one of the most widespread and prevalent of all diseases—coryza. Chilling and overheating make a person particularly susceptible to coryza, which is why it is so prevalent at this time of the year.

There is no known cure.

ALTHOUGH IT is relatively minor, coryza causes an annual loss of more than \$5 billion each year in the United States alone in terms of time lost from work, wages lost, and the cost of treating the disease and its complications.

Persons of all ages are susceptible to coryza, but preschool youngsters seem to be most susceptible. More than 30 million illnesses each year in American preschool youngsters are caused by coryza.

WILLIAM HENRY Harrison, ninth president of the United States, delivered his inaugural address on a cold, windy day and caught coryza. This developed into pneumonia and he died a month later.

Coryza is what keeps handkerchief makers and tissue manufacturers in business. It is popularly known as the common head cold.

Halting speech is the tell-tale result of a lame excuse.

### LEGAL NOTICES

**Claims** Bucklin—April 27  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**WILLIAM F. BUCKLIN**, Deceased  
It is Ordered that on the 27th day of April, 1966, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the City of St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Wayne F. Robinson, of Route 2, Grand Ledge, Michigan, the Administrator of said estate, 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 9, 1966

**Final Account** Gillett—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF BELLE GILLETT, a/w CLARA BELLE GILLETT, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on March 23, 1966, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the Petition of Frederick M. Lewis, Executor, 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 9, 1966

**Final Account** Minarik—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF BERNICE GIBBS MINARIK, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 23, 1966, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Jack Walker, ancillary 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 9, 1966

**Final Account** Minarik—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**Claims** Weber—May 4  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF PETER L. WEBER, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on May 4, 1966, at 9:30 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on 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 Urban L. Weber, Executor, Route 1, Fowler, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

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

**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 9, 1966

**Final Account** Colando—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF WALTER COLANDO, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 23, 1966, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Esther Colando, Administratrix, for allowance of her final account 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, 1966

**Adoption** Rhodes—Mar. 16  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**Matter of ROGER RUSSELL RHODES, Minor**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 16th, 1966, at ten-thirty a.m. in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, a hearing be held on the Petition of Nelda Marylyn Wardell and Dale F. Wardell for adoption of said minor.

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

**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Date: February 9th, 1966

**Duane M. Hildebrandt**  
Attorney for Petitioner  
603 Capitol Savings & Loan Bldg.  
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**Claims** Brace—April 27  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF ALPHA G. BRACE, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on the 27th day of April, 1966, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the City of 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 Wayne F. Robinson, of Route 2, Grand Ledge, Michigan, Administrator of said estate, 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, 1966

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

**ESTATE OF ROBERT D. WARD, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 6, 1966, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Rev. M. Ward, for probate of a will and for granting administration thereof, 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 17, 1966

**Heirs** Kossal—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF FRANK KOSSAL, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on March 23, 1966, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Frederick M. Lewis to determine the Heirs-at-law of said deceased.

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

**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 8, 1966

**Final Account** Davis—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF ELSIE DAVIS, M. I.**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 23, 1966, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Nell Davis, guardian, for allowance of his annual account.

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

**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 11, 1966

**Final Account** Minarik—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF BERNICE GIBBS MINARIK, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 23, 1966, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Jack Walker, ancillary 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 9, 1966

**Final Account** Minarik—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

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

**Minor** Jones—April 27  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF RONALD CLELL JONES, Allegedly a Dependent and Neglected Child**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 27, 1966, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Court House, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Winifred L. Whitefield, praying that the Court take jurisdiction of said minor as a dependent and neglected child and that parental rights be terminated.

It is further Ordered that Evelyn Jones, mother; Winifred L. Whitefield and Lena Whitefield, foster parents; Norman J. White, Prosecuting Attorney of Clinton County, and Ronald Clell Jones, appear personally before the Court at the time and place above stated.

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

**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 15, 1966

**Heirs** Baumgartner—Mar. 16  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**NELLIE BAUMGARTNER, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 16, 1966, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Elsie Keeler, for probate of a will, for granting administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, and 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 15, 1966

**Final Account** Cole—Mar. 16  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF DOUGLAS A. COLE, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 16, 1966, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Mary Cole, Executrix, to construe the will of said deceased, for allowance of her final account and to determine the heirs at law of said deceased.

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

**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 17, 1966

**Heirs** Ward—April 6  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF ROBERT D. WARD, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 6, 1966, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Rev. M. Ward, for probate of a will and for granting administration thereof, 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 17, 1966

**Final Account** Huot—Mar. 17  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF ALFRED J. HUOT**  
It is Ordered that on Thursday, March 17, 1966, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at City of St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held

for probate of a will and for granting administration thereof, and for determination of heirs.

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**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 17, 1966

**Final Account** Yanz—April 6  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF ALBERT C. YANZ, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 6, 1966, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Lucille E. Post, Executrix, 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 15, 1966

**Final Account** Davis—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF ELSIE DAVIS, M. I.**  
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**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 4, 1966

**Final Account** Minarik—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF BERNICE GIBBS MINARIK, Deceased**  
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, March 23, 1966, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Jack Walker, ancillary 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 18, 1966

**Final Account** Minarik—Mar. 23  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**ESTATE OF BERNICE GIBBS MINARIK, Deceased**  
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**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 15, 1966

**Heirs** Baumgartner—Mar. 16  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

**NELLIE BAUMGARTNER, Deceased**  
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**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 15, 1966

**Final Account** Cole—Mar. 16  
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**TIMOTHY M. GREEN**  
Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 17, 1966

**Heirs** Ward—April 6  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

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Judge of Probate  
Dated: February 17, 1966