

\$5.4 million school bond issue campaign under way

St. Johns' campaign for a new school building program opened with a bang last week with near-unanimous approval of the school board's plans by a citizens-committee and the endorsement of the program by the St. Johns Jaycees.

Seventy-four of the 80 citizens present at the citizens committee meeting last Thursday night said they accepted the program as reasonable and feasible and said they would support it.

Most of the opposition that did crop up at the meeting was in the form of reluctance to accept a swimming pool as part of the high school program.

INCLUDING THE pool, the high school building is estimated to cost in the neighborhood of \$3,965,300, including construction, equipping, and landscaping the building. Four elementary schools will cost about \$1,394,700, architects estimate.

The whole package, about \$5,400,000, will cost taxpayers about 7 mills, or \$7 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation.

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St. Johns Jaycees endorse school building bond issue

The St. Johns Jaycees formally endorsed the St. Johns school building program last Tuesday evening.

The Jaycees voted unanimously to go on record as supporting the May 9 bond issue which will be for \$5,400,000.

"Good schools are a matter of necessity," Jaycee President Donald Roesner stated, "and it goes without saying our crowded school facilities are not able to provide the quality of education needed."

"THERE'S NO doubt about the need for space, and if the bond issue is not passed it will mean a VISITING North Central accreditation committee cites lack of facilities at high school as hampering education program. Story on Page 2-A.

only delay, a worsening of the present crowded conditions and higher cost for the school buildings whenever they finally do get built.

"We therefore believe it to be in the best interest of the citizens of the St. Johns School District that they support the bond issue at the polls May 9."

THE JAYCEES are the first local organization to publicly support the bond issue. The endorsement came after a talk and an informal question-answer discussion with Supt. of Schools Earl Lancaster last Tuesday. Lancaster explained the proposed building program to the Jaycees prior to their business meeting.

In other business last week, the

Tour to Binda school planned

Thirty or more members of the St. Johns Citizens Advisory Committee on the school building program indicated last Thursday they'd like to take a tour of a modern high school designed by Binda Associates, the architects for the proposed St. Johns High School.

Supt. of Schools Earl Lancaster said a tour would be arranged sometime in the near future for those on the citizens' committee and any other interested citizens of the community. Persons wishing to take the tour are asked to call the school office.

To a person with property market-valued at \$20,000, his state equalized valuation would be \$10,000 and his tax for the building program \$70. To a person with property worth \$120,000, his state equalized valuation would be \$60,000 and his tax for the building program \$420.

VOTERS OF THE St. Johns School District will vote on the acceptance of the school board's plan May 9 when the bond issue will be put to a vote of the people.

"This may be one of the most important votes you'll ever take part in," School Board President Raymond Parr told the citizens' committee last Thursday.

"The proposed \$5,400,000 bond issue, based on our \$45,000,000 valuation, would require around 7 mills the first year or so to retire," Supt. of Schools Earl Lancaster explained. "As the evaluation increases, due to building, etc., the rate will go down."

"With our present allocated tax rate of 8.5 mills and the voted increase until 1967 of 4.5 mills, the addition of 7 mills

would make a total tax of 20-mills for school purposes. This is about average for rural communities in this section of the state."

THE 7 MILLS IS CONSIDERABLY higher than was originally thought necessary to take care of the program. Likewise, so is the total cost of the building program. Zooming construction costs in recent months, and the anticipated continuance of that rise, resulted in the higher cost, Lancaster explained.

What's your opinion?

The Clinton County News invites reader participation in the discussion of the May 9 school bond issue. A special feature series in the coming weeks will publish letters from residents of the district, both for and against the bond issue, in an effort to enthrone citizen participation in the school vote. Wherever questions are asked by readers, school officials have promised to answer. Mail your comments to "Letters to the Editor, c/o Clinton County News, St. Johns."

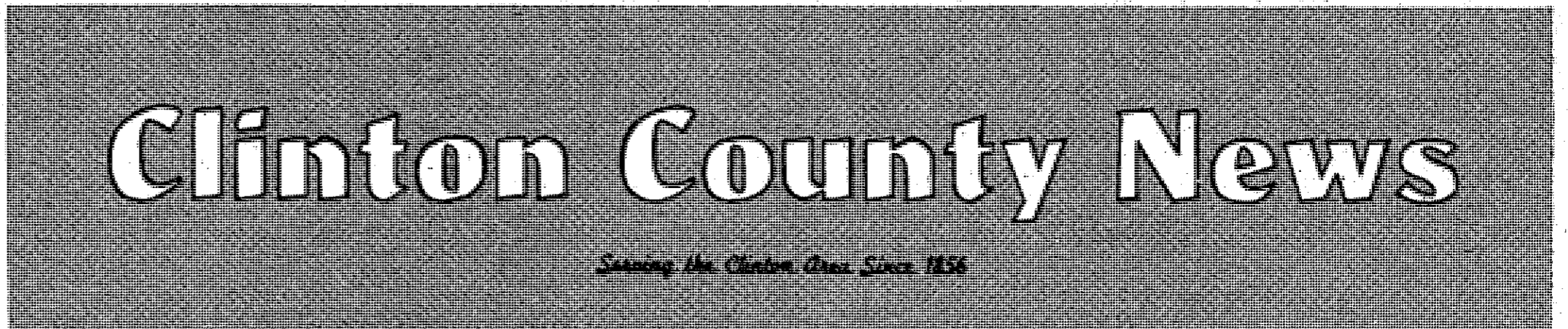
"Because of this the board has gone over and over the list of facilities in order to see what could be cut out in order to reduce costs."

When there appeared some apprehension at the citizens' committee meeting over the effect a swimming pool would have on the entire project, Lancaster pointed out that if the pool was left off, the cost would be reduced about \$200,000.

"BASED ON A \$45,000,000 valuation, this would amount to a tax of .15 mill, or 15 cents per thousand of state equalized valuation. In terms of a person whose property is worth \$20,000 on the market, this would amount to only \$1.50 per year for the pool."

The same goes for other parts of the proposed school plan, Lancaster said. In order to reduce materially the cost of the school or the millage rate, whole chunks would have to be taken out of the school program, he said.

Architects Douglas Pardee of St. Johns and Guida Binda of Binda Associates of Battle Creek were present at the citizens' meeting. See \$4 MILLION, Page 3-A



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Westphalia, Eagle reject, Ashley OKs glass liquor

Westphalia and Eagle turned down proposals Monday that would have allowed sale of liquor by the glass. Ashley voters approved a similar measure.

The issues highlighted the village elections around the area Monday, although there were contests for some of the trustee seats in several of the villages. Here is how things went at the polls Monday:

WESTPHALIA — A liquor-by-the-glass proposal was turned down by an almost 2-1 vote, 126 no to 64 yes. There were 191 ballots cast. There was no competition in the election of village officers and trustees. Elvan Pohl for village president received 180 votes; Donald Schaefer, clerk, 183 votes; Harold Wieber, treasurer, 182 votes; Aloysius Droste, assessor, 180 votes. For trustee for two years: Denis Fandel 173, Robert Hengesbach 181, William Hanses Jr. 171, and Isadore Miller 2 (write-in).

EAGLE — There was a tie vote of 38-38 in the balloting on liquor by the glass, apparently resulting in a status quo position of the village on that subject, at least for the time being. There were two spoiled ballots. Out of 82 registered voters, 78 persons voted. Citizens' Party candidates were without opposition in the village election: John Cooper received 72 votes for president, Mrs. Mayme Smith 74 for clerk, Mrs. Kay Mommiee 73 for treasurer, Mrs. Sue Phelps 73 for assessor, and Duane Murphy 73, Foster Newman 69 and Mrs. Elaine Vandriessen 73 votes for trustees for two-year terms.

ASHLEY — Voters in the Gratiot County community approved liquor by the glass by a 119-97

vote. In the election, the People's Party swept to victory in every office despite competition for all the posts from the Citizens' Party. For the People's Party, Paul Beck received 125 votes for president, William Collins 145 votes for clerk, Roger Yoemans 156 for treasurer, Mrs. Hilma Tweedie 162 for assessor, and Clarence Luckhardt 135 votes, Keith Peters 117 and Kenneth Boeskool 153 votes for trustees for two years. Citizens' Party candidates and their vote totals were Steve Paksi 86 votes for president, Buddy Studt 65 for clerk, Merle Studt 68 for treasurer, Ray Walsh 47 for assessor, and Ivan Pankhurst 70, Orvan Butcher 95 and Tony Brzak 50 for trustees.

OVID — Ovid had a small turnout of 184 voters in Monday's election. Harvey Darling, the People's Party candidate for president, unopposed, got 162 votes and was reelected. Other People's Party candidates and their vote total were Vada Stedman for clerk, one write-in; Ethel Shinabery for treasurer, one write-in; Duane Chamberlain for assessor, 161 votes, and Hazel Dietz 84, Marshall Monroe 124 and Larry Martin 122 for trustees. Citizens' Party candidates and their votes were Clara Tubbs for clerk, 163; Audrey Bancroft for treasurer, 153; and Edgar Kelly 45, Dale Serviss 45 and Joe Michutka 124 for trustees. Elected were Darling, Tubbs, Bancroft, Chamberlain, Monroe, Martin and Michutka.

HUBBARDSTON — Only 29 votes were cast in the Hubbardston election, and all candidates, unopposed, got the same number of votes. Elected were 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. All ran on the People's ticket.

MAPLE RAPIDS — One hundred one ballots were cast in Monday's election in which there was a contest for the three trustee seats. There are about 290 registered voters in the village. Elston Hicks was reelected president with 94 votes, Helen Howe clerk with 93 votes, Marjorie Rumsey treasurer with 95 votes and William Aldrich assessor with 98 votes. Both local political parties, endorsed the officers. For trustees, Progressive Party candidates got these votes: Terry Speer 32, Francis Cartwright 36, and Nelson Ramsey 60. The People's Party had Ronald Dean with 67 votes, Wendall Blomaster with 66 votes and Lewis Britten with 38 votes. For trustees, Dean, Blomaster and Rumsey were elected.

ELSIE — Seventy-one ballots, a See ELECTION, Page 4-A

Bloodmobile in county next week

Westphalia and Fowler area residents are being asked to donate blood next Thursday when the Red Cross Bloodmobile visits those two communities.

The bloodmobile will be at the Lutheran Parish in Fowler from 1 to 5 p.m. March 24, under sponsorship of the Fowler Jaycees. Mrs. Fred Tiedt will be in charge.

Between noon and 6 p.m., the bloodmobile will also be set up at the KC Hall in Westphalia, where the Westphalia Jaycees are acting as sponsors and Mrs. Julius Pohl as chairman. The Daughters of Isabella and the Christian Mothers will have charge of the canteen.

A good turnout by donors will help keep Clinton County eligible for participation in the Red Cross' national bloodbank program, under which all county residents are eligible to receive blood free from the Red Cross, no matter where they are in the nation.

Catholic mass held in Laingsburg school after church burns

LAINGSBURG — Sunday Mass for parishioners of St. Isadore's Catholic Church at Laingsburg is being held in the elementary school as a result of a fire which destroyed their 64-year-old church last Wednesday night.

Loss to the church was estimated at \$100,000.

The fire was discovered about 10:30 p.m. but it was not until more than two hours later that flames finally broke through the roof and then ravaged the church.

A PARISHIONER, Mrs. Sarah Coe, who lives nearby, noticed an unusual light in the vicinity of the church about 10:30, and she sent her son Pat to investigate. He found the light coming through a basement window, and a glance disclosed the basement in flames.

The Laingsburg Fire Department and two trucks from Ovid were hampered in fighting the fire by thick smoke. Intense heat also prevented them from entering the building.

Flames broke through the north end of the roof about 1 a.m. Thursday and then gnawed their way to the front, turning the building a burning shell in a little over 30 minutes.

NO CAUSE OF the blaze has been officially listed, but it is believed a two-year-old gas furnace might have been at fault. The Rev. John E. Martin, pastor, said the \$100,000 estimated loss was "pretty well covered by insurance."

None of the contents were saved. They included a new \$20,000 pipe organ, clerical vestments

and numerous religious objects. Firemen succeeded in keeping the flames from spreading to the church rectory about 15 yards east of the church. The wind blew the flames westward away from buildings.

Father Martin said Sunday Mass was being celebrated at the Laingsburg Elementary School, and weekday Mass was being held in a large house immediately east of the rectory.

The charred walls of the burned church, built in 1902, still stood Tuesday.

Woman injured badly in crash

Mrs. Jessie Alleen Kopletz, 45, of Lansing was severely injured late Saturday night in a collision of her car and a pickup truck on US-27 just south of the Looking Glass River bridge in DeWitt Township.

Mrs. Kopletz's car collided with the truck driven by George J. Kashenider, 58, of R-1, DeWitt. Mrs. Kopletz had chest and knee injuries and was reported in "poor" condition at Sparrow Hospital.

DeWitt Township Police Chief Bruce E. Angell II said the accident occurred as Kashenider was turning from US-27 into his driveway and the Kopletz car, southbound, hit the rear of the pickup truck.

Chief Angell is continuing the investigation.

Spring—The soft touch



When pussywillows open, it's spring. Susan Studer, 6, daughter of Mr and Mrs Willard C. Studer of 706 S. Lansing Street, finds them friendly and interesting, especially when they're close to home. Spring officially starts next Monday.



REV. DEINSTADT

4th service in Lenten series this Sunday

The Rev. Leslie Deinstadt, associate executive secretary of the National Association of Congregational Christian Churches, will speak this Sunday evening at the weekly union Lenten services in St. Johns.

This week's service will be held at St. John's Episcopal Church at Walker and Mead streets in St. Johns. It will start at 7:30.

The Rev. Mr. Deinstadt has held his present position for about a year. Prior to that he was pastor of the First Congregational Church of Cheyenne, Wyo., and before that in Columbus, Wis., at the Olive Congregational Church.

HE SERVED IN the United States Army as a chaplain during World War II. He is a native of Massachusetts, with most of his education being received there; he has an honorary doctorate from Piedmont College in Georgia.

The Rev. Rudy Wittenbach, pastor of the Maple Rapids, Lowe and Greenbush Methodist churches, will have charge of the program. The choir of the Bingham-Bengal EUB Church will sing. Ushers and greeters will be from the Lowe,

Greenbush and Maple Rapids churches, and the coffee hour following the Lenten service will be sponsored by the host Episcopal Church.

TWO MORE Lenten services remain on the schedule following this Sunday. Speakers scheduled include Dr. Leroy Augenstein, chairman of the Department of Biophysics at MSU, on March 27, and the Rev. Keith Avery, district superintendent for the Methodist Church of the Michigan Conference, on April 3.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Clinton area alumni of Manchester College (Ind.) have been invited to a meeting of alumni this Saturday at the Church of the Brethren in Battle Creek. The dinner meeting will start at 6:30 p.m.

Elmer Hecht, representing the Michigan Department of Revenue, will be at the probate court in the courthouse in St. Johns April 4 to assist taxpayers in the preparation of their intangibles tax returns due not later than April 30. Hours will be from 1 to 3 p.m. Hecht will also offer advice concerning a person's liability, if any, under the Intangibles Tax Act.



St. Isadore's Catholic Church at Laingsburg takes on an eerie, medieval appearance as fire gnaws toward the front of the church early last Thursday morning. Loss was estimated at about \$100,000. Additional picture on Page 8-A

Gratiot marks triple fatality

Neighboring Gratiot County recorded three traffic deaths early Sunday morning, all the result of a two-car crash at M-57 and Luce Road a half-mile south of Perrinton.

Kenneth E. Taylor, 37, of 8347 W. Maple Road, Perrinton, and his wife, Joyce Jean, 33, were killed, as was LeRoy Junior Wilson, 31, of 221 Oak Street, Middleton, the driver of the second car involved.

The Taylors' son, Darrell, 13, and their niece, Jackie Kay Young, 14, of Perrinton, suffered cuts, bruises and possible internal injuries and were hospitalized at Carson City Hospital.

Gratiot County sheriff's officers said Wilson was westbound on M-57, and the Taylor car, southbound, had just entered the highway from Luce Road when the crash occurred about 3 a.m.

FLUORIDE SIGNUP

There is still time for anyone to sign up at the Clinton County Health Office for fluoride for their pre-schooler, second, fifth or eighth grade child in Clinton County. The signup will be extended through March.

County's bankers honor Wolf

Lewis Wolf, president of the Clinton National Bank and Trust Co. from 1961 to earlier this year, has been honored for his service to the Clinton County Bankers Assn.

The association, at its March 1 meeting, passed a resolution honoring Wolf and presented him with a certificate of appreciation for being instrumental in organizing and organizing the bankers association almost 27 years ago.

THE CERTIFICATE was presented to Wolf last week by Gayle Desprez, assistant vice president of Clinton National Bank and currently president of the Clinton County Bankers Assn.

Wolf helped organize the association and served as its first president. He was elected to that post Sept. 19, 1939, when 14 bankers representing the seven banks in Clinton County met at Ovid. He served as president for the first two years of the association.

Wolf, 72, retired in January as president and director of Clinton National Bank and Trust Co.



Lewis Wolf, left, first president of the Clinton County Bankers Assn., receives a certificate of appreciation from the association's current president, Gayle Desprez, in recognition of Wolf's service to the banking group. Wolf retired from the banking profession in January.

Lack of space big problem, accreditation group finds

An accreditation team that visited St. Johns High School last December had words of praise for the faculty and program, but was critical of the space available and in some cases the equipment available.

"Our greatest concern stemmed from the limitations presented by the inadequate facilities," the committee said in a report to the department. "Almost every visitor made reference to the program limitations which stemmed from the facilities."

"WE COMMENT you for your tentative plans for new facilities. The building of a new high school should enable you to give careful consideration to providing an appropriate junior high school program as well."

Herbert Palmer, principal of Ainsworth High School in Flint, said in his resume of his visit to the industrial arts classes that the class loads generally appeared to be respectful for an industrial arts class. "However, they were on occasion a little

crowded for the facilities available at this time."

HE COMMENTED that most of the industrial arts facilities are outdated and in some cases "very old and in poor repair." He suggested adding one more room so all foreign language classes could be offered in rooms equipped for teaching such courses.

Palmer commended the industrial arts staff for its definite goals and the work it is doing toward the goals, but he suggested the department and the administration should determine what should be the philosophy of the department in the school system. A couple of safety features were also commented on with the urging of immediate remedies.

Regarding the philosophy of industrial arts, he urged that a continuing program of industrial arts be started in junior high with continuity through high school. He also suggested finding a place where girls will fit into the industrial arts program.

THE FOREIGN language department got commendation for

clever use of aural-oral methods from C. Levant Caszatt, principal of St. Louis High School. He said "a language laboratory would enhance the program greatly, especially with regard to meeting individual needs." He also suggested adding one more room so all foreign language classes could be offered in rooms equipped for teaching such courses.

"The mathematics department seems to be strong and forward looking," Principal Joseph Harrison of Ionia High School said in his comments. "Teaching materials seem to be adequate in number and quality, although classrooms being separated present difficulties. Preparation and experience of the staff is above average."

HARRISON SAID he felt the total course offering is adequate for college prep students, but the general course offerings "could embrace a greater range of student interest," with perhaps the second year being geared to the industrial arts, home economics and business student. He said some of the classes

are too large for much individual or small group work.

Leadership in the physical education area to correlate and coordinate a total program of physical education from K-12, and especially 7-12, was called for by Durell Emling, principal of Mt. Pleasant High School. He also recommended a class in health education that would be required for all students, preferably in the ninth grade. He also urged provisions for outdoor space for a good instructional program, even when the present high school building becomes a junior high.

THE GUIDANCE department was commended for its work, but Emling recommended additional staff to take care of vocational guidance. But they (the present staff) "seem to be accomplishing, in a very effective manner, their philosophy with maximum efficiency under the crowded and adverse conditions."

Oscar B. Huyghe, principal of Saginaw Douglas MacArthur High School, commended the music department for its work in "fulfilling its objectives and needs of the students." He recommended separate rooms for the instrumental and vocal music and proper instrument storage space, both of which are being provided for in the tentative plans for the new high school.

"THE SCHOOL HAS excellent physical facilities for the science courses offered," Dale Jaquette, teacher at Carson City-Crystal Schools, commented. "The chemistry and physics room seemed to be designed to encourage laboratory work. The biology room was limited in this respect. There seemed to be an adequate amount of apparatus and other equipment."

Jaquette noted that biology classes were overcrowded, in his opinion. He also suggested an advanced biology class for the benefit of college-bound students, and more interdepartmental planning to coordinate the programs. "This is especially important between mathematics and science," he said.

HASLETT HIGH School Principal Herman W. Wolter commented on the school plant. He commended the staff for offering "the best education available under the (overcrowded) circumstances."

He urged the school district to "place an equal amount of time in evaluating the junior high curriculum and then plan accordingly to make available sufficient funds to renovate and redecorate this interior so it will fit the needs of the student's total educational program."

"Beware," he cautioned, "of moving all valuable equipment with the staff and student body to a new high school plant, thus leaving a shell which is now unsatisfactory to be used for a successful junior high school program."

HE SAID THE following items should be considered in improvements for the junior high school:

- More area for art, music, home economics and industrial arts.
- Centralizing of student records.
- Use of storage areas for that sole purpose and not for staff department and other meetings.
- Consideration for a hot lunch program.
- Improved ventilation system in the wood working area, both shop and finish room.
- Some type of teachers' room other than the boiler room for men.

"ALL OF THIS will cost money, and in any bonding program the improvement of the junior high cannot be overlooked," Walter concluded.

The social studies and English departments got top ratings from their North Central committee critics. In addition to "more space" recommendations for both departments, it was suggested the English department expose college-bound students to more world literature and that speech and drama activities might profitably be expanded.

"Limitations in library facilities and services were far greater than anticipated," Roland J. Lehker, consultant for the Bureau of School Services at the University of Michigan, commented.

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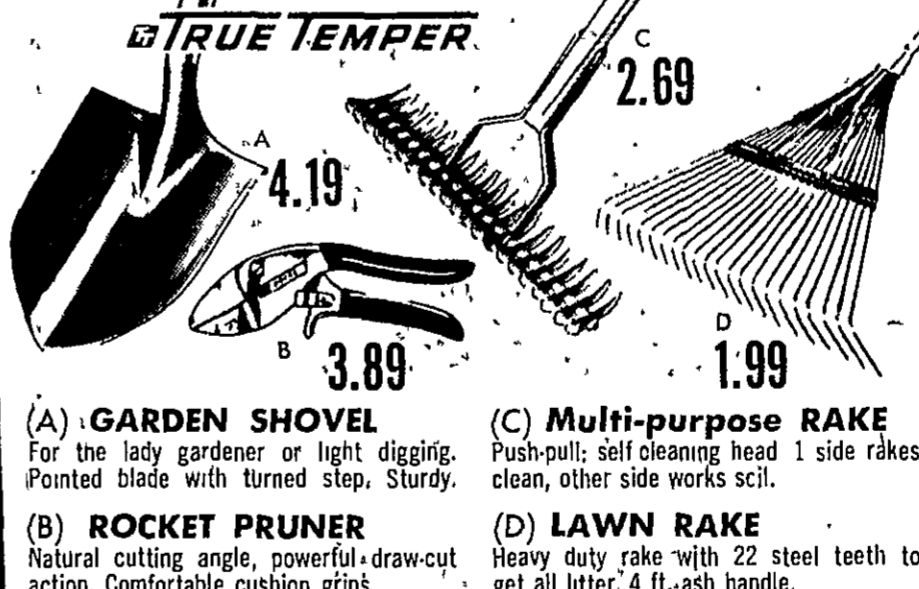
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Fish dinner to aid MYF trip

The senior MYF of the First Methodist Church in St. Johns is planning a fish dinner for next Monday evening in an effort to raise more funds for their trip to the United Nations in June.

The dinner will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Monday in Niles Hall at the Methodist Church. Ginger Simpson is chairman of the dinner.

Tickets may be purchased or arranged for by calling her at 1009 Church Street, Phillip Parmelee at 429 Meadowview Drive, or Judy Fowler at 401 S. Oakland. The church office will also have tickets. Children under 5 will be served free of charge.

The dinner is one of a number of projects being staged by

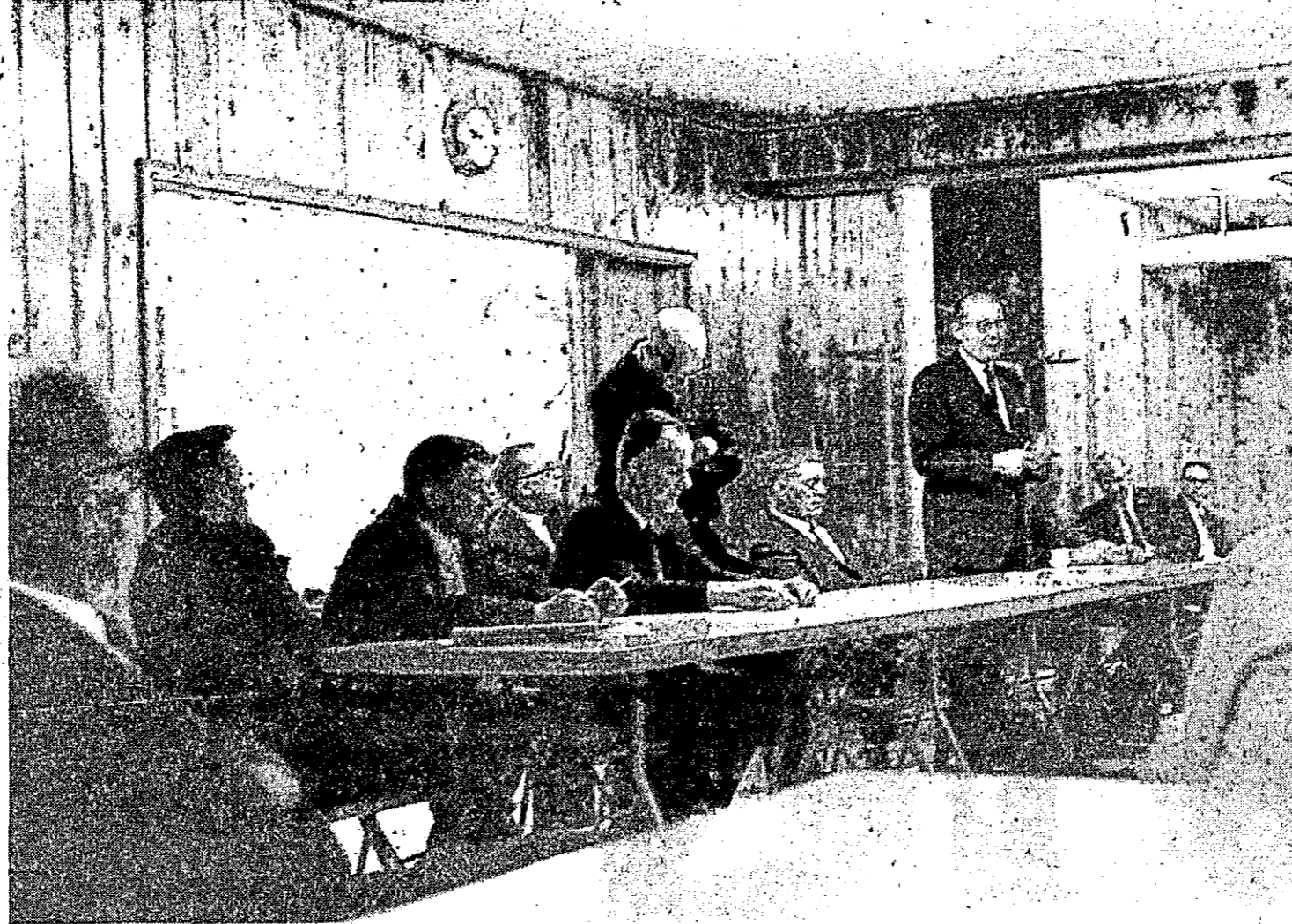
Temple board OKs lights for kitchen

The temple board of the St. Johns Masonic Temple met March 9. Lighting fixtures necessary to complete the kitchen ceiling were approved; Blue Lodge members are working nights on the project.

A power-operated collection box to place inside the temple building, made up by John Williams, was presented at the meeting. Money donated will help in completing the parking lot.

A public chicken dinner has been scheduled for April 2 by the Order of Eastern Star. A mother's day public dinner, by reservation only, is also being planned. The next meeting of the temple board will be May 11.

The senior MYF to help finance their trip to the UN. It will take place during the first week after high school graduation.



High School architect Guida Binda answers a question from the audience during last Thursday evening's school citizens committee meeting. Left to right are B. Stanley Pocuis, high school principal; Doug Pardee, rural elementary architect; school board members Don Bast and Fred Meyer; school board President Ray Parr; Supt. Earl Lancaster; board member Leon Schumaker; Binda; school board member Bill Richards Jr.; and administrative assistants Walt Nickel and Steve Bakita.

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committee meeting last Thursday night to answer questions. Pardee is designing the four rural elementary schools, and the Binda firm is architect for the high school.

NO PLANS HAVE yet been released as to what the high school or elementary schools will look like, but the architects do plan to have elevation drawings ready within several weeks. Pardee is reportedly working on floor plans for his elementary schools, also.

Neither architect will have detailed or working drawings before the election, because both are doing the preliminary work without pay. They will not begin work for pay until after the bond issue passes, and if it should fail, their work to date would be gratis.

One of the big changes in the planning for the rural schools will be in the south part of the district. Olive Center School will not be added to, as will East Essex and Eureka in the northern part of the district.

INSTEAD, A NEW seven-room school will be built in the southeast part of the district and a 13-room school is planned for the southwest part. Olive Center will

continue to be used as it is now, Walt Nickel, assistant superintendent in charge of rural schools, told the citizens' committee. Possibly in the future it might be used for special education.

The new southern schools will be closer to the population centers of the district, Nickel said.

The 13-room school would be called a double school, with two rooms each for grades one through six and one room for kindergarten, since those classes would be on a half-day basis.

The high school, which would be built southeast of the St. Johns City Park, will have 47 classrooms plus the "core" areas of library, cafeteria - study hall, auditorium, gymnasium, swimming pool and other such places.

Architects estimate it will cost \$17.50 per square foot for the elementary schools and \$18 per square foot for the high school, if they're all built according to the present schedule (under which bids would be let next fall). If the buildings had been contracted one year ago, a reasonable estimate might have been \$12 per square foot for elementary buildings and \$13.50 for the high school, Lancaster said.

"If the bids were being opened now, we could expect around \$15 for elementary and perhaps \$16 or \$17 for the high school," he said, pointing out the cost of construction has skyrocketed in the past few months.

"NO ONE, including the architects, knows for sure how much building costs will increase during the next year. Therefore, they are anticipating increases by estimating the elementary at \$17.50 per square foot, and the high school at \$18 per square foot."

Architect Binda told the citizens' committee last week he thought the \$18 for the high school was "very conservative. We'll have to watch every nail and penny."

But he expressed confidence in the estimate. Only one or two out of 300 school jobs his firm has done has not fallen within the original estimate, he said in answer to a question.

HERE IS A breakdown of the estimated costs of the proposed buildings:

HIGH SCHOOL - 178,000 square feet at \$18 per square foot, \$3,211,000; six folding partitions for classrooms, \$12,000; one folding partition for gym, \$12,000; outside area for shops, \$15,000; architect's fee, \$175,000; furniture and equipment, \$450,000; site development and landscaping, \$60,000; miscellaneous (legal fees, etc.), \$15,000; remodeling shop (present high school) for cafeteria for junior high, \$15,300. Total estimated high school cost, \$3,985,000.

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Bulldozer chokes man near Ovid

OVID - An Owosso man was strangled last Thursday when his clothing caught in the track of a bulldozer from which he had fallen.

William J. Campbell of Owosso was clearing an area of trees at a farm at 5950 W. Henderson Road near Ovid when a tree broke at the top and knocked him from his bulldozer.

Shlawassee County Coroner William A. Scarlett said the bulldozer tracks kept digging into the ground near where Campbell lay unconscious. The machine nearly buried itself. Campbell's clothing caught in the track and was pulled tight around him until he was strangled.

A workman nearby finally got the machine stopped, but it was not in time to save Campbell.

2 cars collide at Whittemore, Higham

Two cars collided at Whittemore and Higham streets in St. Johns about 3:30 Saturday afternoon, but no one was injured. A car driven by Charlotte H. Rose of 1413 S. Lansing Street, St. Johns, hit the left side of an auto driven by Donald C. Griffith, 25, of 204 Baldwin Street.

The Rose car was going south on Whittemore (US-27), Griffith, according to the police report, failed to yield the right-of-way at the stop sign intersection as he was going west on Higham and was struck in the right side by the Rose car.

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NFO committee 15 make Swegles' 4th honor list

Jim Graham, Charles Waddell, Frank Ladiski, George Burl, Larry Phinney, Pete Kurucz and Al Hafner have been appointed to the arrangements committee for the Clinton County NFO's April 5-dinner at Smith Hall.

President Elmer Smith made the appointment at the NFO March meeting. Ann Giffels, dinner chairman, reported dinner plans are progressing well. Marge Staley has volunteered to decorate the hall for the dinner.

Reginald Stevens, county grain chairman for the NFO, reported on a "huge grain sale." Most soy beans sold in that sale brought \$2.75 a bushel, he said. A meeting was held in Defiance, Ohio, March 12 to discuss grain prospects.

The following students made the sixth grade honor roll for the fourth marking period at Swegles Street School, according to Principal Mrs. Ethel Huot.

Christine Beechler, Janet Barnes, Cathy French, Shannon Greer, Joy Harrison, Jacqueline Heuer, Gregory Minsky, Tom Moldenhauer, Cheryl Price, Lynn Richards, Marilyn Romig, Judy Roof, Mark Stephenson, Marsha Stevens and Anita Strgar.

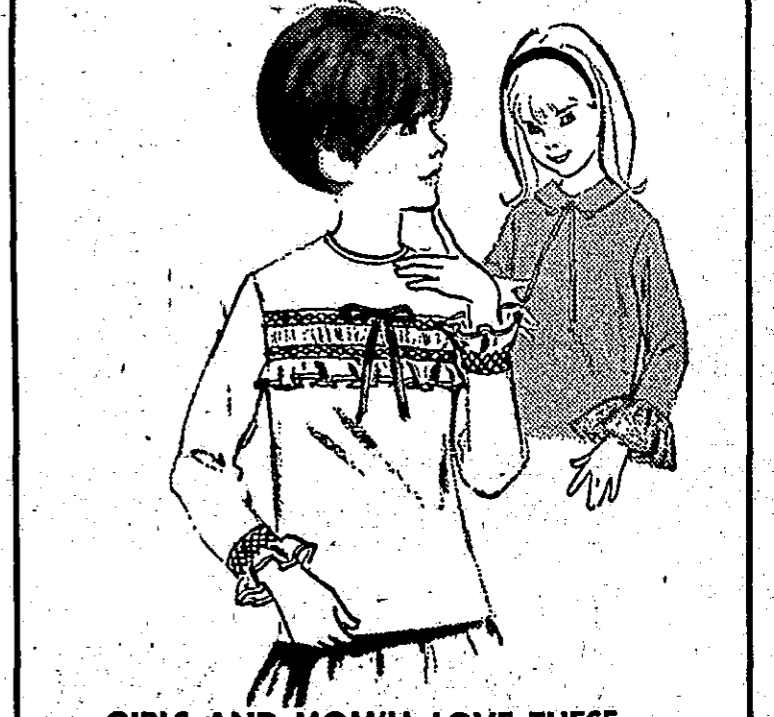
Elmo Giffels reported meat prices were moving along better all the time. Harold Bracey gave a dairy report and asked why, if the law or theory of supply and demand works, the price of milk dropped 4 cents per hundred-weight last month if there was 7.6 per cent less milk available.

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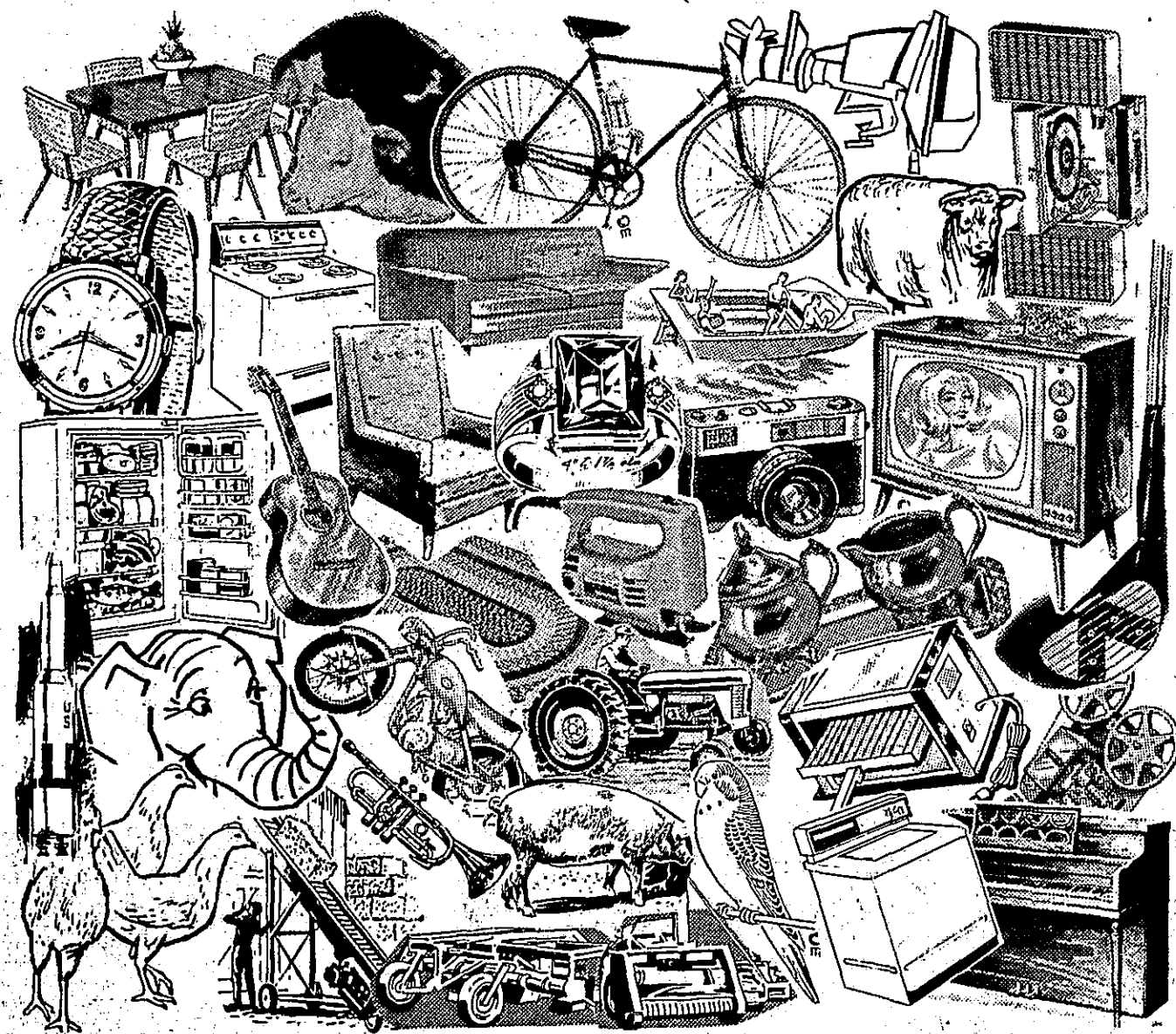
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Organization meeting series planned by GOP

The Clinton County Republican Committee is sponsoring a number of meetings throughout Clinton County with the emphasis on getting organized for the coming fall election.

Jerry D. Roe, director of organization for the Republican State Central Committee will be the main speaker.

The following meetings have been scheduled for March, all for 8 p.m.:

March 17 - St. Johns city at Central National Bank Hospitality room.

March 22 - Northern townships at Eureka Elementary School (Bengal, Bingham, Duplain, Essex, Dallas, Greenbush, Lebanon and Ovid townships).

Merrihew

By Mrs Lloyd Reed—224-2951

The Merrihew Mothers' Club will sponsor a bake sale Saturday, March 19 at DePeal's Music Store, starting at 9 a.m.

Jackelyn Mueller was brought home Thursday from the hospital where she had been since Thursday. Johnny Joe Mueller was ill and home from school the last few days of last week.

Sunday dinner guests of the Lloyd Reeds were Mrs Frank Easton of DeWitt, Mr and Mrs Paul Reed and their two daughters of Allendale and Mr and Mrs Jerry Schafer and baby of Bath. Mrs Nancy Miller, Rose Margaret, Elaine Kaye and Karen were afternoon callers.

Mrs Myrl Stoll of Watertown, Mr and Mrs Ray Smith of Grand Ledge and Mrs Lloyd Reed were Saturday afternoon guests of Mr and Mrs Carlyle Ambrose of Lansing.

Jay Miller and his four sisters were Friday evening supper guests of their grandparents.

Election . . .

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light vote but about the same as last year, were cast Monday in the Elsie election. There was a contest only for the trustee seats. Duward Conklin was elected president with 69 votes, Alice Blunt clerk with 69 votes, Orpha Clement treasurer with 66 votes and Stanley Loznak assessor with 62 votes. They all ran on the Citizens' Party ticket. Other Citizens' Party candidates were, for trustees, Joe Bartek 60 votes and Woodrow Bashore 58 votes. People's Party candidates were Ira Bashore 11, LeRoy Vincent 24, and Pat Foran 34. Trustees elected were Bartek, Woodrow, Bashore and Foran.

FOWLER - There was no contest and no issues in Fowler, and 56 ballots were cast, with one being spoiled. Candidates elected were: Martin Edinger, president, 55 votes; Mark Fox, clerk, 55 votes; Charles Halfmann, treasurer, 54; Earl Frechen, assessor, 50; and Vincent George 54, John Klein 54 and Robert Pettit 50 for trustees.

PEWAMO - Elected to office in the Pewamo election Monday were Jack Davarn, president; Jerome Barker, clerk; Frank Heckman, treasurer; Ed Miller, assessor; and Robert Barker, Carl Walter and Jim Colter Jr. trustees for two-year terms.

Lack of . . .

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THE ASSIGNMENT of the study hall overflow to the library detracts from its use. Not only is it difficult to bring in total class groups for reading and research but it also necessitates the librarian devoting time to study hall supervision. The average number of students assigned to the library for study hall purposes is 30.

"It appeared the book collection includes many out-dated and useless references," Lehker went on. "The collection should be weeded. The occupational file also seems to include much old and useless material."

He suggested that the librarian could have more time for professional services if a clerical assistant were provided. He also suggested more use of student librarians.

"ATTENTION should also be given to providing coordination and leadership for library services throughout the school district - elementary, junior and senior high school," Lehker concluded.

Evaluations of various other departments of the high school disclosed praise for the staff and concern over the lack of facilities.



Urbanites met March 10.

In the back row are Mrs Glendon Fitzpatrick, Mrs Gordon Luther, Mrs Allen Going, Mrs Ivan Parrott, Mrs John W. Hannah, Mrs Edward Sulka and Mrs Clyde Peck. In the first row are Mrs Lloyd Ford, Mrs Frank Swagart and Mrs Earl Lancaster. The Urbanites Extension Study group met last Thursday morning at the home of Mrs Sulka to discuss distribution of property and wills.

March 24 - Clinton County Young Republican meeting.

Women's team in tourney

March 28 - Southern Townships at DeWitt Township Hall No. 1 (Bath, DeWitt, Eagle, Olive, Riley, Victor, Watertown and Westphalia townships).

The Spartans of the St. Johns City Women's Basketball League will participate in the Women's State Basketball Tournament at Detroit Friday. They're scheduled to meet the Dearborn girls team at 7:15 at Caman Recreation Center near Grosse Pointe and Harper Woods. Six teams are in the tournament.

Revival services planned here

The Rev Joseph F. Eger Jr. has announced revival services at the Assembly of God Church, beginning Sunday morning. The services will continue every night except Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. Rev Hymie Rubenstein, converted Jew from South Africa, will be the evangelist for the crusade.

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Mission circle met March 1

The March meeting of the Ladies Mission Circle of the First Baptist Church was opened by Marilyn Goldman, president, with scripture reading. Beth Phillips and Nellie Ryon led in prayer.

Jo Penk, Beth Phillips and Betty Snider were appointed as a committee to look for a sewing machine.

It was decided to wait a few months before deciding on whether or not to select a new name for the group.

Announcements made were as follows: Mrs Bill Branda will be the guest speaker in April. Gifts for the Branda children were to be signed for in the church narthex; Dime banks were to be turned in in April; The quarterly business meeting was to be held March 8 in Battle Creek; The ladies were invited to attend a hat show at the Swegles Street school and ladies from the Women's Ensemble were assigned to sort clothes left from the Alcaraz fire donations so that the better things could be offered to another cause.

WEALTHA CROWELL gave a report on the monthly meeting held at the City Rescue Mission.

Jo Penk reported on the results of the work done to help the Alcaraz family following the fire.

Greeting cards were sent to Clara Lee in the hospital, Lois Messer and Lois Woodbury.

Marle Woodhams introduced Pastor Harrison as speaker for the evening. He led the ladies in special prayer for the Alcaraz, the Darlings', Mrs Burzak and Mrs Romig.

Bonnie Showers gave the missionary report. Missionaries selected for this month were the Navajo Indians, the Bill Brandas, and the Christian Witness to the Jews.

Refreshments were served from a table decorated with a St. Patrick's Day motif by hostesses, Mary Lou Moon, Mae Stockwell and Louise Huhnagel.

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MR AND MRS LEWIS CASTNER

Lewis Castners mark 50 years

Mr and Mrs Lewis Castner celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Oliver Castner, Sunday, March 6. A buffet dinner was served to a small group consisting of a few close friends and relatives. Mrs Oliver Castner was assisted in serving by Mrs Arthur Castner.

St. Monica's Guild welcomes new member

St. Monica's Catholic afternoon guild met March 10 with 14 members present.

Mrs Ira Jorae opened the meeting and the group recited the rosary. The secretary read the minutes and Miss Ann Fedewa gave the treasurer's report. Mrs Leop Brewbaker was welcomed as a new member.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs Leo F. Swigen, and Mrs Richard Cramer. Hostesses for the April meeting, will be Mrs Rose Weldon and Mrs. Erwin Mishler.

Mrs Conley hosted Independent Club

Mrs Harry Conley entertained the Independent Club Wednesday, March 9, at a dessert luncheon.

Prizes in canasta were awarded to Mrs Herbert Estes and Mrs Herbert Baker.

The silence money buys may be golden, but sometimes it has the most telling effect.

Parker Center Farm Bureau met Wednesday

The Parker Center Farm Bureau met Wednesday evening at the home of Mr and Mrs Lee Ormston with William Fox presiding.

Mrs Wilbur Brandt reported on the recent Farm Bureau Freedom Conference which she attended at Mount Pleasant.

William Kissane lead a discussion on how Workmen's Compensation laws affect farmers.

THE GROUP saw slides shown by Robert Kissane of his trip to Louisiana and Texas.

Dessert was served by the hosts and co-hosts Mr and Mrs Wilbur Brandt.

The next meeting will be April 13 at the County Farm Bureau Office with the "Country Dudes" group. State Representative Blair Woodman will be the guest speaker.



MISS JANET RYDLUND

Mr and Mrs Paul W. Rydlund of 1737 Oakwood Drive, Trenton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Janet Elaine to Robert B. Thelen. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Otto Thelen of St. Johns.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Western Michigan University and her fiance is a graduate of Michigan State University. Both teach special education classes in Lansing.

A June wedding is being planned by the couple.

Announcements

The Elizabeth Circle of the First Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs Gordon Luther of 3127 W. Banner Road, St. Johns. Mrs Stephen Nikitas will serve as co-hostess.

Banner Rebekah Lodge meeting is Monday evening, March 21 at 8 p.m. There will be initiation, the candidates being from Palo. Lunch will follow meeting.

The Mary-Martha circle of the Methodist WSCS will meet Tuesday, March 22 with Mrs Gerelda Hicks. Worship by Mrs O. E. Wells and program by Miss Evelyn Putnam.

The Music Boosters are sponsoring an auction sale at the high school parking lot Saturday, April 2, at 1:30 p.m. For pick-up of used articles, other than clothing, call 224-2838.

The Women's Hospital Auxiliary will have a rummage sale in Jim's Insurance Service building at 222 N. Clinton Avenue, March 25-26 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The store will be open Thursday, March 24, from 1 to 4 p.m. to bring in rummage. For pick-up call either Mrs Fraser MacKinnon at 224-3823 or Mrs Dale Robinson at 224-3784.

The Grove Bible Church will hold a men and boyd dessert night Saturday, March 19, at 7:30 p.m. at the church.



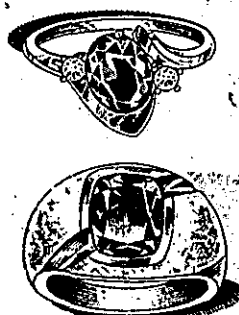
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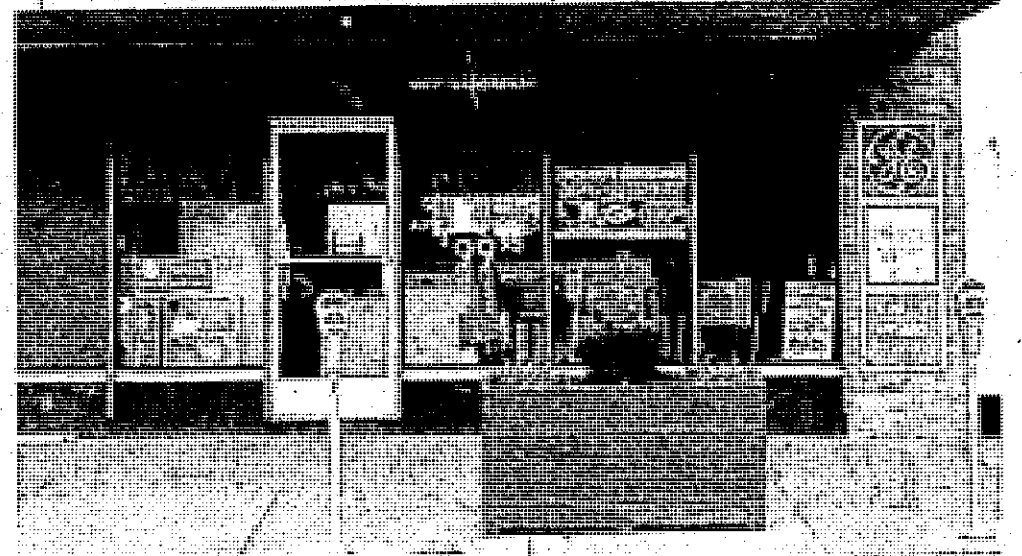
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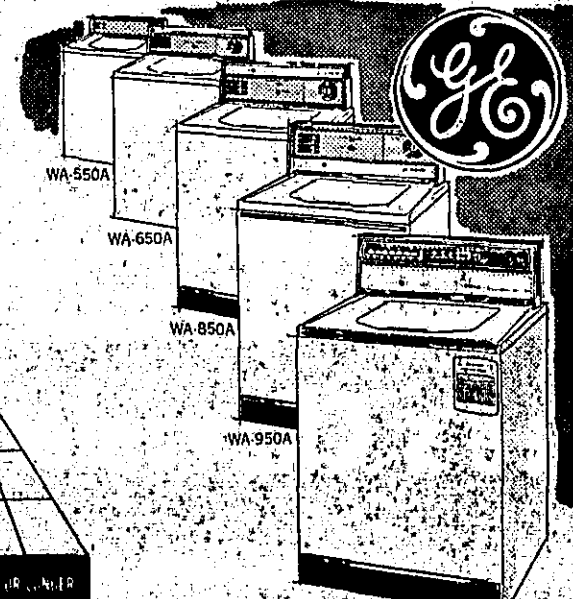
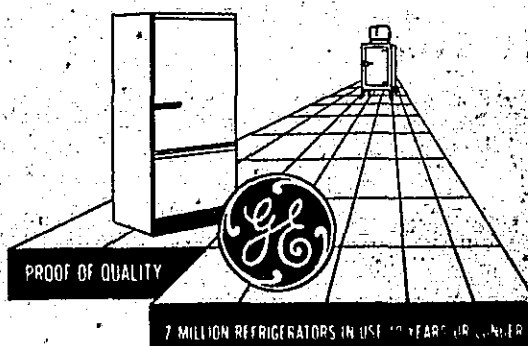
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Bride-elect feted at showers

Premuptial showers honoring Miss Pam Strouse are winding up this week with a brunch given by Miss Strouse's college friends at MSU.

Some of the parties honoring Miss Strouse included a dessert bridge and miscellaneous shower held at the home of Mrs Jack Danley with Mrs Danley, Mrs David Danley and Mrs Jack Bates of Ovid serving as hostesses.

Mrs Richard Johnson's home was decorated with Miss Strouse's colors of gold and white for a crystal shower. Mrs Johnson, Mrs James Stiffler and Mrs Benson Manger of East Lansing were the hostesses.

MRS HENRY BEERS of Muskegon honored Miss Strouse at a luncheon and shower.

Dr and Mrs Raymond Currey of Bethesda, Md. will host the rehearsal dinner Friday evening preceding the wedding Saturday, March 19 at Miss Strouse to Dr Gordon R. Currey.

Williams-Nicoson marriage is announced

Mrs Calvin M. Rice announces the marriage of her daughter, Doris G. Williams, to Ray T. Nicoson. The wedding was performed by Rev Jack W. Haun Saturday, March 12, at 2 p.m. at the East Oliver Street Church of Christ, Owosso.

Following the ceremony the couple left for a three week wedding trip to Florida.

Mr and Mrs Nicoson will make their home at 436 E. Main Street, Owosso.



MRS TERRENCE WOOLEY

Pair wed in rites Saturday

Miss Nancy Lee Sutliff of 8775 N. Friegel Road, Henderson, became the bride of Terrence Lee Wooley of 5051 Hollister Road, Elsie, Saturday, March 12, at 7:30 p.m. at Salem Lutheran Church, Owosso. Rev Kenneth W. Vertz officiated.

The groom, of Elsie. Seating the guests were Denny Traverse of Cadillac and Robin Wooley, a brother of the groom, of Elsie.

Debbie Long, a cousin of the bride, of Ovid was the flower girl. Mark Shuster of Owosso carried the rings.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs Sutliff wore a two-piece navy blue suit with pink accessories. Mrs Wooley selected a beige dress with pink accessories. They both wore corsages of pink and white.

A RECEPTION was held for 300 guests at the Legion Hall of Ovid. Assisting at the reception were Sally and Pat Shuster, Carol Conklin and Caryl Weed. Kathy Schutt of Cadillac cut the cake.

Also helping were Joanne Gleger, Sandy Palmer, and Dorothy Bartek of Lansing.

Guests from Big Rapids, St. Johns, Cadillac, Royal Oak and the area attended.

The newlyweds will make their home at 605 East Street, Ovid.

The attendants were identically attired in light blue floor-length gowns with inserts of taffeta at the waist and the back. Their headpieces were held in place with three cabbage roses. They carried cascade bouquets of pink sweetheart roses and white carnations.

Douglas Wooley of Elsie served as his brother's best man. Groomsman were Robert Harden of Elsie, Doug Conklin of Elsie and Billy Wooley, a brother of



MISS JOANNE ERICKSON

Mr and Mrs Elwood Erickson of Elsie announce the engagement of their daughter, Joanne Elaine of Kansas City, Mo., to Ronald Joseph Riley of Kansas City, Mo. He is the son of Mrs Floretta Thompson of Kansas City.

An April 2 wedding is being planned by the couple.

The number of hours a man puts into his work solves nothing it's what he puts into the hours that really counts.



New Names In the News

A boy, David Charles, was born to Mr and Mrs Robert Fenby of Rosemary Street, Lansing, on March 3, his father's birthday, at St. Lawrence Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 3 ounces. Paternal grandparents are Mr and Mrs Charles Fenby of 607 S. Swegles Street, St. Johns, and the birth was the first of a boy in their family in 29 years. Maternal grandparents are Mr and Mrs William Ortwell of 604 N. Lansing Street, St. Johns. The mother is the former Judith Ortwell.

Ladies' Guild met March 9

Lutheran Ladies Guild for March 2 was postponed until March 9.

The meeting followed the third Lenten services called to order by Mrs Lloyd Ernst. All the standing committees gave their reports.

The hostesses for March were Mrs William Meyers and Mrs Pauline Remer. They served coffee and cookies during the meeting.

The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer in unison.



Miss Pamela Rae Strouse graduated from Michigan State University Sunday, March 13, with a bachelor of arts from the college of elementary education.

A 1961 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson high school, Miss Strouse will teach at Chevy Chase, Md.

She is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Donald Strouse of 206 W. McConnell Street, St. Johns.

Mrs VanElls honored at surprise party

Mrs Eleanor Van Ells of 806 E. McConnell was honored by her children, her brother and her sisters at a surprise birthday party Sunday, March 13 at Holy Trinity Hall of Fowler. A 1:30 p.m. dinner was served to the 73 guests present.

The tables were decorated with a "Springtime Theme" by Mrs James Van Ellis who also made the birthday cakes.

Unable to be present at the party were a sister, Mrs Florence Champion of Hillsdale and three of the 13 VanElls' children Mrs Helen Wilson of Cherry Hill, New Jersey, Tom Van Ellis of Carmichael, Calif. and Mike Van Ellis stationed with the Air Force in Texas.

Mrs Van Ellis, who had her 65th birthday March 7, received many gifts.

Mrs Dexter hosted DAR

Miss Judy Fowler, DAR Good Citizen, of River Wabwaysin Chapter, St. Johns, and her mother, Mrs Bruce Fowler, were honored guests of the chapter at their meeting Tuesday evening, March 8, at the home of Mrs John Dexter.

Mrs Wayne Dunckel of Battle Creek, a charter member, was also a guest.

The regent, Mrs Harold Millman led the patriotic ritual and presided at the meeting. It was reported the chapter has finished the projects proposed by the National Society.

MRS. E. O. Prince read an article on national defense, which stated the president general of the national society DAR appeared before the Congressional committee on quotas, protesting the new quota system. Concern for the welfare of the country was expressed which the passage of this bill may affect.

The requirements for choosing a Good Citizen was read by the secretary, Miss Shirley Pouch.

Mrs Van Hoag, chairman presented the good citizenship pin to Miss Fowler who thanked the members for the pin and the honor bestowed on her.

Refreshments were served by Mrs Dexter.

Blue Star Moms to hold rummage sale April 1-2

Chapter #88 Blue Star Mothers of America met at the Drop-In Center Tuesday, March 8.

Following the opening ritual which was conducted by Mary Masarik, a letter was read from the department president.

It was announced that a rummage sale would be held April 1 and 2 at the Drop-In Center. All members requested to have their articles for the sale at the center Thursday afternoon, March 31.

Several members of the Chapter attended the Southwest District school of instruction at Lake Odessa March 8. Mrs Grace Shipley, 4th vice president of the Department of Michigan presided at the meeting. Mary Masarik department patriotic instructor, acted as color bearer and Mrs Mabel Maier, department Americanism chairman was secretary for the meeting.

Mrs Myrtle Tolles assisted in the work of the state drill team. Others attending were Mrs Chloe Bartholomew, Mrs Vivian Welton Mrs Dorothy Steves and Mrs Rose Wilkie.

Mrs Eloise Pease was the winner of the mystery package.

The next meeting of the chapter will be Tuesday, March 29. The committee for the meeting includes Ruth DeBoer, Jessie Finch and Bertha Henning.

Happy Hixes met March 12

The Happy Hix Farm Bureau group held their meeting March 12 in the home of Mr and Mrs Francis Motz. Following a report given by the Minuteman, J. E. Crosby, a discussion was led by Oliver Gillespie assisted by Frank Sipkovsky. Topic for the evening was Workmen's Compensation Insurance for agriculture.

Sipkovsky read the law which was printed in the Michigan Farm Bureau News and because many did not fully understand or agree with the proposal it is believed it should be postponed until it is clarified.

Mr and Mrs Stuart Smith were guests at the meeting. The next meeting will be held at the home of Ronald Motz.

Mrs Marik crowned TOPS queen of week

The St. Johns Tops Club had 23 members present last week and Mrs Mae Marek was our queen.

There was more discussion on SRD Day and banquet reservation money turned in. Everyone must make his own arrangements for overnight accommodations. Please get your banquet money in soon.

Mrs Sandy Dershem won the mystery prize.

Everyone played bingo. Please bring your own cups this week. Coffee will be furnished.

Clinton Area Deaths

Dr Elliott

OVID — Dr Bruce R. Elliott, Ovid physician for 32 years and a long-time member of the Ovid School Board, died Sunday morning following a heart attack. He was 67 years old.

Death came about a half-hour after he was admitted to Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns.

He had practiced medicine in Ovid since 1934 when he moved from Lansing where he had practiced for three years. He was a graduate of Albion College and the University of Michigan Medical School. Dr Elliott was a member of the Ovid United Church and the American Medical Assn.

HE HAD served 12 years as a member of the Ovid Board of Education. He was a veteran of World War I.

Dr Elliott was born Jan. 8, 1899, at Pontiac, the son of John and Anna Elliott. He lived most of his earlier life in Pontiac and graduated from Pontiac High School. He married Marie-Volz in Saginaw Aug. 19, 1931.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, David of Two Rivers, Wis., and Robert of East Lansing; three brothers, Eugene of Adrian, Clarence of Kalamazoo and Allen of Pontiac; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were to be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Houghton Funeral Home in Ovid, with the Rev Gordon Spalenka of Ovid and the Rev Robert Smith of Mt. Pleasant officiating. Burial was in Maple Grove Cemetery.

George P. Seifert

Commander George P. Seifert, a former St. Johns man passed away at his home in San Diego, Calif., recently.

He enlisted in the Navy in 1902 and was stationed on Guam and in 1914 was made a paymaster clerk. By 1917, he was promoted to Commander. He retired in 1937, but was recalled in 1939 and served seven more years.

He was buried at Ft. Rosecrans National Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, the former Mary Besley, also of St. Johns.

William Theis

FWLER — William J. Theis, 65, of West Clinton Street, Fowler, died Sunday evening at Clinton Memorial Hospital nine days after he was admitted there.

Funeral services will be at Most Holy Trinity Church in Fowler today (Thursday) at 10 a.m. The Rev Allen Theis, a nephew, will officiate and burial will be in Most Holy Trinity Cemetery. Rosary was to be recited at 3 and 8 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Goerge Funeral Home.

HE WAS BORN Dec. 11, 1900, in Dallas Township, the son of Henry and Elizabeth Spitzley Theis. He attended St. Mary's School, Westphalia, and lived

most of his life in the Fowler vicinity.

He married Julia Stump Feb. 5, 1929, at St. Mary's in Westphalia; she died Dec. 12, 1937.

He was a member of Most Holy Trinity Church, Fowler, the Knights of Columbus, Holy Name Society, and Farm Bureau.

Surviving are two sons, Jerome and Julius of Fowler; two daughters, Mrs Bernadette Pung of St. Johns, Mrs Joan Platte of Fowler; 22 grandchildren; two brothers, Anthony of Pawama and Herman of Fowler; and one sister, Mrs Ann Schmitt of Westphalia.

May Owen

ST. JOHNS — May Owen of 400 S. Lansing Street died Monday evening at Clinton Memorial Hospital following an illness of 10 days. She was 88 years old.

She had been a resident of Rivard Nursing Home.

Funeral services will be today (Thursday) at 1:30 p.m. at Osgood Funeral Home, with the Rev Keith Bovee of the First Methodist Church officiating. Burial will be in Eureka Cemetery.

She had worked many years as a paperhanger in the St. Johns area.

Mrs Owen was born Dec. 30, 1877, at Day, in Montcalm County, the daughter of Hiram and Laura Martin Hilliker. She was a long-time resident of Clinton County. She was married to John Owen, who preceded her in death.

Mrs Owen was a member of the First Methodist Church, the WCTU, the Royal Neighbors, WRC, Rebekah Lodge of St. Johns, Band of Workers, Past Noble Grand Club, Daughter Union Veterans and Ladies Auxiliary Patriarch Militant of Owosso.

Surviving is one step-son, Ralph Owen of Owosso.

Max Schaffer


OWOSSO — Max Schaffer, 45, of Rush Township, Shiawassee County, a former St. Johns area resident, died Saturday afternoon at Owosso Memorial Hospital following a three-year illness.

He was born in Lyons Oct. 25, 1920, the son of John A. and Hazel Hendrick Schaffer. He attended schools in Lyons and Middleton and lived most of his life in the Middleton and St. Johns area, moving to the Owosso community in 1942.

He married Leona Irving Oct. 30, 1939, in St. Johns.

SURVIVING ARE his wife; two sons, Roy and Dennis, both at home; his parents, John of Middleton and Mrs Hazel Tyler of Maple Rapids; a brother, Karl of Middleton; and two sisters, Mrs Neva Lafer of Ionia and Mrs James (Leota) Flowers of Pompeii.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Jennings-Lyons Chapel in Owosso, with the Rev Harvey Stokley officiating. Burial was in South Bingham Cemetery, St. Johns.



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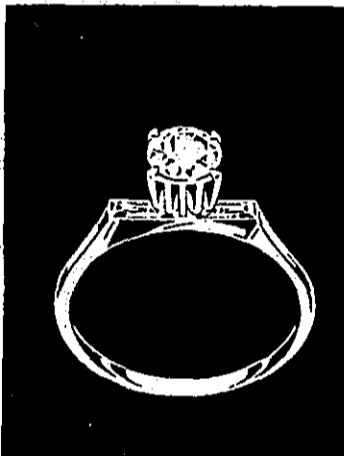
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The toga, a Roman costume of ancient days, was the order of dress Monday night for members of the Latin Club of St. Johns High School.

Country schools OK'd for \$135,000 in federal funds

Federal education funds totaling \$135,082 have been approved for five school districts in Clinton County since the start of school last fall.

Projects approved so far include: Bath School District, remedial reading, \$1,902; Fowler School District, remedial program, \$22,642; Ovid-Elsie Area Schools, remedial program, \$48,079; Pewamo - Westphalia, reading skills, \$9,428; St. Johns School District, health services, remedial reading and psychological services, \$65,026.

Thomas J. Brennan, president of the State Board of Education, said Michigan is one of the first states in the nation to pass the half-way mark in distribution of its federal funds.

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NANCY MARIE GOOD



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CONNIE KECK

3 share 2 top spots with Ashley class of '66

ASHLEY - Lawrence Follett, principal of Ashley Community School, has announced the top students of the 1966 graduation class at Ashley High School.

Valedictorian is Nancy Marie Good, daughter of Mr and Mrs

Kenneth Good of R-1, Brant. Two students tied for salutatorian honors. They are Bruce B. George, son of Mr and Mrs Milton George of Ashley, and Connie Charlene Keck, daughter of Mrs Irene Keck and Charles Keck of Ashley.

MISS GOOD'S activities include, recipient of the DAR Good Citizen Award, member of the National Honor Society, member of Future Homemakers of America, class officer for two years, editor of the 1966 yearbook, "The Bearcat," and participation in dramatics.

Nancy plans to attend Michigan State University in September and enroll in the nursing curriculum.

BRUCE GEORGE is a member of the National Honor Society, Future Teachers Club, and participated in dramatics and athletics. He plans to attend Michigan State University and enroll in the pre-law curriculum.

Connie Keck, during her high school years, held membership in the National Honor Society, student council, Future Homemakers of America and annual staff. She has been a cheerleader for four years, has participated in dramatics and has held various class offices. After graduation she intends to enter secretarial work.



DOUGLAS LUNDY

Local grad pledges Sigma Alpha Epsilon

ADRIAN - Bruce Douglas Lundy, son of Mr and Mrs H. W. Lundy of 201 E. Clark, St. Johns, has been pledged to Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity at Adrian College.

Douglas is a freshman majoring in engineering. He is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson high school, St. Johns and a member of the First Methodist Church of St. Johns.

59 make Central School honor roll

The junior high honor roll for Central School in St. Johns was announced this week.

EIGHTH GRADE -

Academic: Jane Allaby, Mary Austin, Jamie Bargar, Diane Barnes, Scott Bennett, Greg Blanchard, Sandra Boyce, Harold Conklin, Cathy Cronkrite, Kathy Davis, Linda Devereaux, Delores Evtits, Tom Fowler, Deborah Huss, David Hyler, Edward Johnson, Deborah Locher, Martha Jean Locher, Richard Moldenhauer, Kathy Nichols, Douglas Nickelson, Linda Olson, Jon Pierson, Craig Puetz, Susan Sibley, Nancy Silvers, Kendra Stephenson, Vickie Van Amburg, and Kris William.

CITIZENSHIP: James Adamski, Mary Austin, Jamie Bargar, Diane Barnes, Scott Bennett, Greg Blanchard, Sandra Boyce, Sandra Bowling, Edmond Cheehey, Harold Conklin, Cathy Cronkrite, Donald Crosby, Melody Davidson, Kathy Davis, Linda Devereaux, Diana Ellis, Delores Evtits, Edna Feighner, Tom Fowler, Gwendolyn Glenn, Jane Glowacki, Danny Haviland, David Hyler, Judy Hufnagel.

SEVENTH GRADE -

Academic: Randy Atkinson, Barbara Cartwright, Charles Cheehey, Debra Cochrun, John Estes, William French, Erna Hillz, Eugege Howe, Chris Idzkowski, Chris Keck, Karen Kohls, Dean Lerg, Eileen McClintock, Martha Mihaly, Jerry Mitchell, Douglas Parks, Jean Petersen, Beatrice Pope, Timothy Price, Patricia Richards, Cheryl Romig, Suzanne Shane, Kelly Spicer, Rosanne Szarka, Alice Villarreal, Jacolyn Walton, Tom Warstler, Lois Williams, Lenore Wood, Rhonda Woodbury and Joyce Zell.

Citizenship: Barbara Cartwright, Charles Cheehey, Debra Cochrun, William French, Bonnie Hale, Pamela Hambleton, Chris Idzkowski, Karen Kohls, Cynthia Mazzolini, Jerry Mitchell, David Oatley, Douglas Parks, Cheryl Romig, Susanne Shane, Patricia Shlabery, Sandra Spousta Rosanne Szarka, Lois Williams, Lenore Wood, Rhonda Woodbury and Joyce Zell.

News Notes from DeWitt High

By DAVE PARKHOUSE DeWitt High School



Wednesday, March 9, the DeWitt annual staff sponsored a Hootenanny from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the high school gym. Those who participated were Miss Maxon, Mike Fuller, Jim Schavey, Marge Kovatch, Glen Howse and "The Bent - Scepters," composed of Brad Ward, Mike Molitor, Roger Kammanski, and Rick Cole. Chuck Flynn was the master of ceremonies for the evening.

Thursday, Gene Healy of WLS visited DeWitt High School and presented slides of his tour to Europe last year. The purpose is to get people interested in this year's tour. Healy and his wife take this trip every year with a group of interested teenagers.

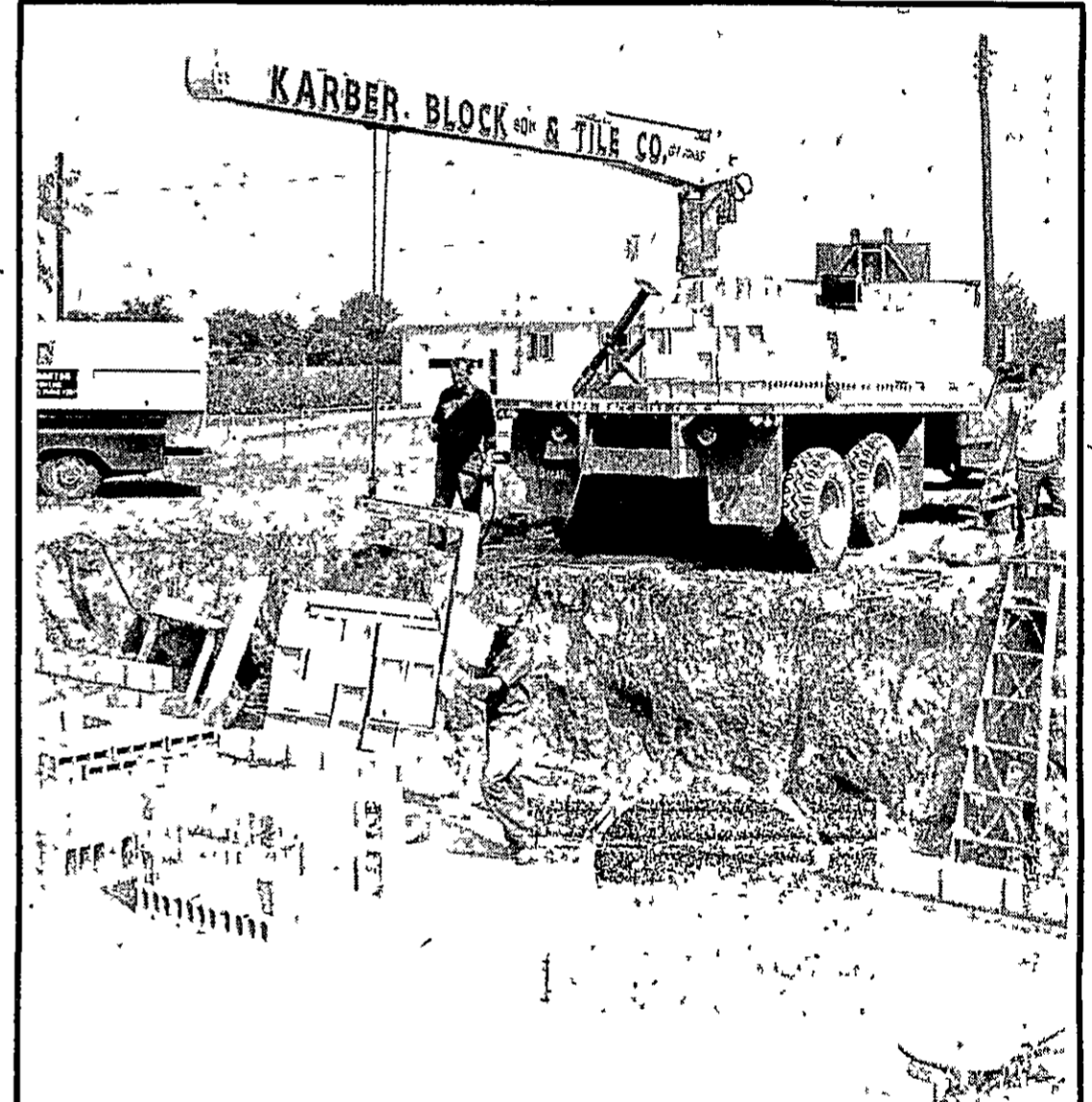
The DeWitt High School Band went to Midland to participate in the annual band district festival. The band performed three selections - "Men of Might," "Green Meadows," the required number, and "Passacaglia and Fugue."

After the band's performance they were guided to the sight reading room where they performed numbers which they hadn't seen before. This determines their ability in counting and reading music.

There were four judges who gave one rating each, three main judges, and one sight reading judge. The judge's ratings were all A ratings or a 1.

After receiving this rating, the band will go to Flint to the state festival April 23, as will all bands with the rating of 1.

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CLINTON COUNTY ZONING APPEAL BOARD MEETING. A meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Appeal Board will be held on MONDAY, MARCH 21, 1966 at 8 p.m. in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan. Appeals for Essex, Bath, DeWitt, and Watertown townships.

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Bannister

By MRS. ROBERT VALENTINE — Phone 862-4342

Members of the Kozy Korner Hobby Club spent Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Ferrall. Mrs. Florence Stamborsky gave instructions on making greeting cards out of various materials. The mystery package was won by Mrs. Marilyn Bearup. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The April meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Marilyn Bearup.

The Busy Green Clovers 4-H Club held their regular meeting March 7. David Bernath, president called the meeting to order. Flag pledges were led by Phyllis Stewart. Roll call found 13 present.

In April, the club members plan to help plant shrubbery on the fair grounds in Gratiot County. The members reported on the project they would like to take for the summer. After adjournment Sharon Stewart led the group in games.

The Bannister Methodist Youth Fellowship made plans Wednesday evening to sponsor a Box Social March 25. The proceeds will go to Sharon Stewart for her European trip this summer. Rosemary Saxton, vice president, announced coming events. March 26, a subdistrict rally will be at Ithaca and April 20, the MYF will be in charge of the WSCS program.

The Official Board of the Methodist Church met their new minister, Rev. Wayne Sparks and his family, Thursday evening. Rev. Sparks explained the reasons for the larger parish charge which consists of Rathbone, Beebe, North Star, Ashley and Bannister churches. He answered the many questions of the members and told of his plans for the future. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ray Peck and Mrs. Raymond Stewart.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship

ship of Bannister took charge of the Lenten Youth Service at Ovid United Church Sunday evening. Connie Luznak led the group singing. Others helping with the devotions were Rosemary Saxton, Sharon and Phyllis Stewart and Linda Ensign. Dr. James Dieder, Baptist chaplain from Michigan State University, spoke to the young people on "Be a Rebel Without a Cause." Refreshments were served by the Bannister MYF.

Several people from Bannister attended the Winter Concert Sunday at Elsie. It was presented by the Elsie Music Department of the Ovid-Elsie area schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Schmidman and family of Marquette spent the weekend with the Walter Miller family and the Robert Valentine family.

Mrs. Jennie Cox, formerly of Bannister, and now of Thompson in the UP, is in Schoolcraft General Hospital in Manistique.

Mrs. Alex Dunay attended a miscellaneous shower for Aneka Liska at Ashley Monday evening at Ashley Methodist Church.

Diane Dunay of Hazel Park spent Friday through Sunday with Patricia Dunay to attend Little Sister's Week at Central Michigan University at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Elsie and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Krejger called on Samuel Sleber at Maple Valley Nursing home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cook of Pensacola, Fla., were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leydorf.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leydorf were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dush and family of rural St. Johns, Mrs. Elsie Saxton of Ovid, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Oberlitter of rural Alma and Stasa Kozny.

Michael Barrett returned recently from service in Vietnam and is now living in Owosso with his wife, the former Judy Goldman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hill of Saginaw were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Saylor to help celebrate Mrs. Saylor's birthday.

Joey Hinkley had his tonsils removed Thursday at Carson City Hospital.

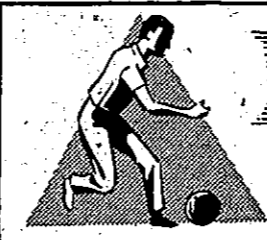
Mrs. Paul Soupal of Flushing called on Mrs. Fred Ross Sunday.

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Fire Destroys Catholic Church at Laingsburg

A cross stands out above the flames as a fire roars through St. Isadore's Catholic Church at Laingsburg early last Thursday morning. The steeple of the church collapsed shortly after this picture was taken about 1:30 a.m. Thursday. Damage was estimated at \$100,000, but the church parish house about 15 yards to the east was saved. Picture and Story on Page 1-A



BOWLING

News from Area Bowling Leagues

FRIDAY MIXED LEAGUE — Richards Dairy leads Guy's Sunoco, and Gold Stream by three games. After Friday's bowling, the fourth place KP's had a 710 high game and 2001 high series. Bill Burnham had the high game of 216, plus a 210, and the high series of 620 to pace the men bowlers, while Marge Schulze's 211 game and 540 series were high for the women. Wayne Dush had a 210 game, Norrine Penix 210 and Ves Penney 208.

NIGHT HAWK LEAGUE — Zeeb Fertilizer P was the high-scoring team in the league last Tuesday night, rolling up a 928 score for a single game and a 2565 for series. Chris Valkanoff had a 232 high game and tied for series honors with Sonny Cornwell, each with a 576. Cornwell had a 225 game, while Dale Martens rolled a 213, Henry Schmid 201, Stan Bunce 203, Gerry Snidgen 200, and Gerry Geller 204. Beck's Farm Market has a 10-game lead over second place American Legion Club.

FIRST NIGHTERS — Seventh-place Chris Party Store fired a 770 high game Monday night, and league-leading Clark's had a 2222 high series. Marge Simmons's 198 game and Carleen Eaton's 534 series were high. Split conversions were recorded for Ethel Kuhns 5-7-9, Esther Pratt 1-7, Sharon DeMarais 2-7-10 and Sally Tonnemacher 5-8-10.

Clark's leads the Independents by one game in a tight league race. The Bullsheads 2 1/2 games back, the Sunfish 2 1/2 games back and the Pike 3 1/2 games back. The eighth place Carp are 14 games out of first. The Chubs had the high team scores of 572 and 1650 Sunday. G. Dunkel's 229 game and 584 scores were high for the men, while Schultheis had a 160 high game and 454 high series for the women. Gary Snyder picked off the 7-10 split.

TWIN CITY LEAGUE — Mobil Gas is running five games ahead of Strouse Oil after last Wednesday's bowling. Strouse had the high game for the day of 956, while Zeeb Fertilizer Inc., in

third place six games behind Mobil, had the high series of 2640. Keith Penix had a sparkling 244 game and a 580 series. Other 200 games were by Terry Masarik 202, Lial Knight 208, Bob Nurenberg 205, Paul Pung 201, Mark Pung 204, Roger Heathman 206, Alfred Mohnke 202 and Dean Horak 212.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE — Roadhouse fired a 968 high series last Tuesday evening. Keith Penix rolled a 237 high game and Robert Schmidt had a 615 series. Other 200 games were by R. Boetger 202, E. Havens 221 and 201, R. Kuhns 224, R. Heathman 200, D. Hambleton 224, F. Bullock 200, E. Feldpausch 221, Dick Bensinger 205 and 233, G. Downing 207, R. Dunkel 224 and 218, W. Bearnot 205, J. Tiedt 209, R. Masarik 234, R. Schmidt 220 and 212, F. D. Warren 202, P. Heller 202 and B. Warren 209. Lance's Restaurant leads Maple Rapids by six games in the race for the league championship.

TEN PIN KEGGLERS — Splits didn't mean a thing except spares to many of the bowlers in the Ten Pin Keglers League last Wednesday. Fifteen splits were converted into spares during the day. For examples: Joyce Crosby got the 3-7, Haden Urban got the 3-10, Yvonne Asher 2-7, Trudie Masarik 5-8-10 and 6-7-10, Helen Dunkel 2-7 and 4-5, Shirley Bailey 5-7, Theresa Lundy 3-10, Louise Fernholz 4-5-7, Jo Hardman 3-10 and 5-6, Evie Kuhns 5-7, Martha French 5-10, and Barb Trell 3-6-8-10.

In the meantime, Theresa Lundy was rolling the high game of 205, and Connie Cronkhite had the high series of 503, closely followed by Gert Kolehmalnen with 502. Eighth-place Allaby's had the high team scores for the day of 792 game and 2253 series. St. Johns Tool and Die and Huntoons are tied for the league lead with 25-11 records.

TUESDAY TEA TIME LEAGUE — Split conversions were right up the alley for the girls in the Tea Time League last Tuesday, too. Dorothy Merignac converted the 6-7, Vivian Hall the 3-7-10, Onalee Ketchum 5-6-10, Rose Ritter 4-5-7, Helga Warr 3-10, Hazel Pearson 3-10, Marlan Orweller 7-8, Karen Love 3-10, Alma Bashore 5-7, Ann Walker 8-10, Dina Silvestri 4-5-7, Connie Cronkhite 6-7 and Mary Lee Spitzley 5-3-10. Sharon DeMarais had the high game and series of the day, a 209 game and 546 series. Bee's Chev and Olds, tied for third place, had the top team scores of 816 and 2363. Lois Chant had a 208 game and Lela Clark rolled a 204. The Five Panthers lead the league by two games over Federal Mogul No. 1.

NITE OWLS LEAGUE — League-leading H & H Lounge had a 2511 high series last Thursday, and Richards Dairy rolled the high game of 862. Jo Rogers had a 189 high game and a 536 series, but Doris Thompson had a 540 high series. Lillian Tiedt picked up the 3-10 and 5-7 splits, and Marge Coan got the 4-7-10 split. H & H leads Advance Castings by a half-game.

COFFEE CUP LEAGUE — The Bowlettes' 600 game and 1692 series were high for the day last Thursday, and the team now trails the Hillbilly 4 by only four games. Lela Clark had 201 high game and 518 high series. Splits picked up were by Grace Masarik 7-8-5, Lela Clark 3-10 and Mable Johnson 5-10 and 3-10-10 who bowled

CITY CLASSIC LEAGUE — Lake's Jewelry and Jim's Insurance are tied for the league lead after last Thursday. Hub Tire Center, the third-place team, had the high group scores of 970 game and 2863 series. Individually, John Jakovac was high with a 237 game and 659 series. Other 200 games were by Lyle Chick 224, Jim Fedewa 211, Nick Koenigskecht 203, Ross Myers 203 and 207, Al Dutcher 206, Leo Brunner 200, Bill Kosht 209 and 203, Ted Silvestri 211, Nick Hartzta 206 and 200, John Kurcz 214 and 210, John Petro 214, Charlie

Edwards 200, Ken Penix 207, John Jakovac 207, 215 and 237, Charlie Lynam 200, Stu Salters 209, John Spousta 225, Jim Lance 204, Ray Johnson 214 and 203, Bob Boetger 210 and Keith Penix 225 and 222 and a 603 series.

Riley and Olive

By Mrs. Goldie Moore

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sillm of Riley Saturday evening and helped Mrs. Sillm celebrate her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Becker and Jill and Mrs. Theda Becker were Friday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Stoy and family.

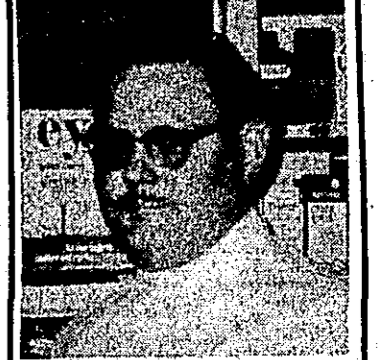
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore were Sunday visitors at the Edwin Mohnke home.

Callers at the Glenn Locher home this week were Mrs. Grace Gunther of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Northrup and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Phinney and Kelley.

The Friendly Farmers Farm Bureau group and the Southern Owls Farm Bureau group held a joint meeting at the Farm Bureau office in St. Johns Wednesday evening.

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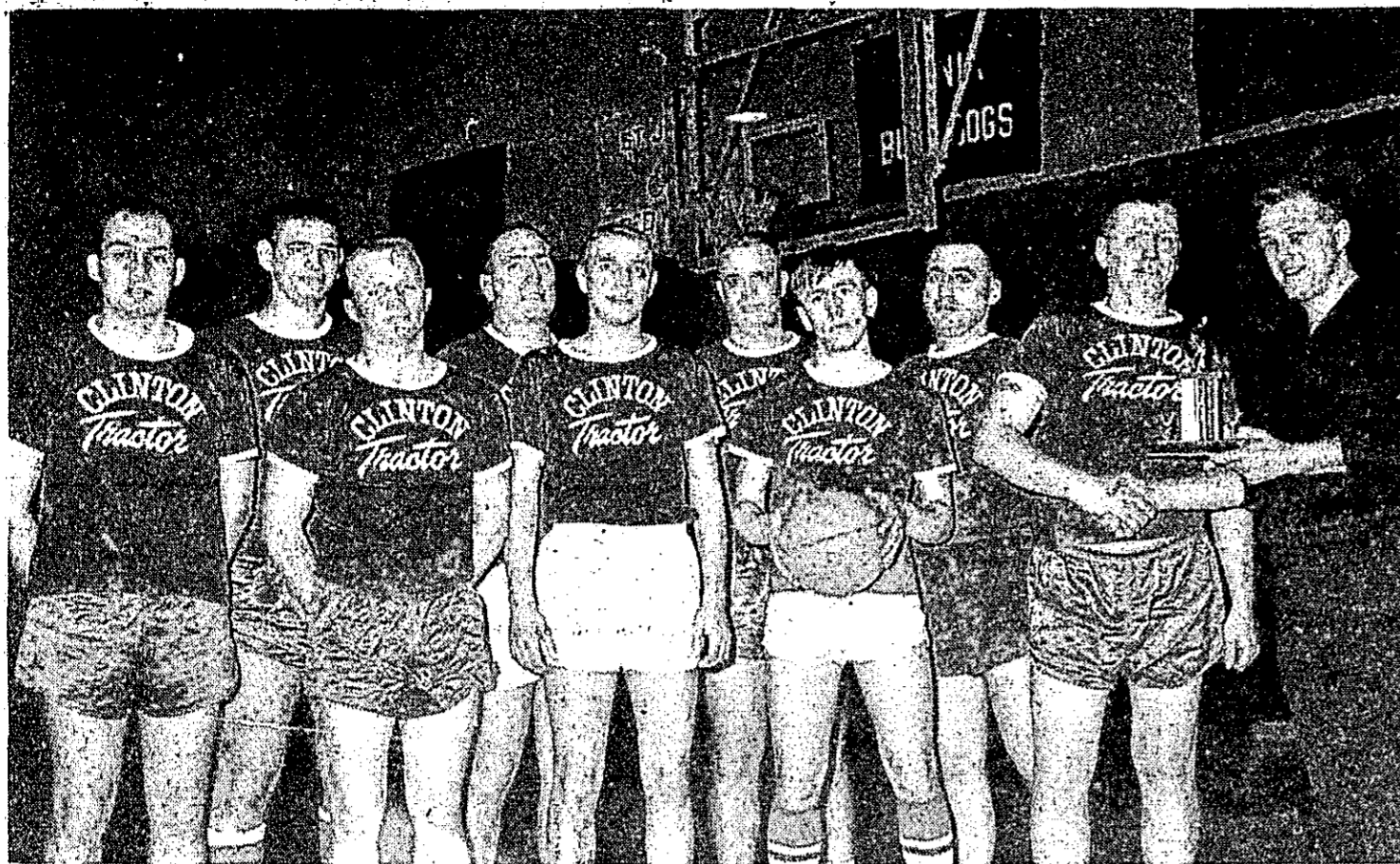
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Clinton Tractors Team Wins City League Title

The Clinton Tractors basketball team won the City League championship last Wednesday evening by defeating Pewamo. St. Johns Recreation Director Ron Dugas (right) presents the league trophy to Manager-Coach Ken Penix, of the Tractors. Others left to right are John Werbish, Dick Kutas, Vern Sillman, Dale Knight, Doug Japinga, Stan Noyce, Clark Berkhausen and Bob Spencer.

SPORTS

Tri-county Tractors swim meet March 27 win city cage title

The third annual Tri-County All-Age Swimming Meet for Boys and Girls, sponsored by the Waverly Schools Swimming Assn., is scheduled for Sunday, March 27, at Waverly High School in Lansing.

Any student enrolled in an elementary, junior high or high school in Clinton, Eaton or Ingham counties is eligible to participate. Students must enter as individuals in their respective age groups. All entries must be signed by the parent or guardian of the swimmer. Swimmers will be limited to not more than two events.

EVENTS AND age groups will include:

Twenty-five yards freestyle, 25-yard backstroke, 25-yard breaststroke, 25-yard butterfly and 50-yard freestyle for 8 and under and 9-10 age groups; 25-yard freestyle, 50-yard backstroke, breaststroke, butterfly and freestyle, plus 100-yard individual medley and freestyle for ages 11-12.

The 50-yard freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke and butterfly, plus the 100-yard freestyle and individual medley and the 200-yard freestyle are open for groups 13-14 and 15-and-over. In addition, the 15-and-over will have 100-yard backstroke, breaststroke and butterfly and the 200-yard individual medley.

ENTRY FEE is 50 cents. Entries must be received or post-marked not later than this Friday, March 18.

Entry blanks should have the swimmers' best times for the events they are entering so they can be placed in comparable heats. Where times are not submitted heats will be arranged by alphabet. There will be no finals; awards will be determined by times in the heats.

Spartans upset; kittens win over Starlites

The Kittens defeated the Starlites, 21-12 and the Chicks upset the Spartans 32-21 last Wednesday evening in the city girls' basketball league.

In the first contest of the evening, Louise Salisbury led the Kittens to victory as she scored 9 points. The Kittens held quarter leads of 6-1, 12-1, and 18-5, before the Starlites came to life.

In addition to Salisbury's 9 points, Sheila Brewbaker added 6, Joan Maniez 4 and Sue Cerny 2.

For the Starlites Jan Fowler whipped in 8 points and Ginger Simpson, Carla Ernst and Jean Muekle had 2 each.

NEWS in Brief

THE CHICKS pulled a big upset when they knocked off the undefeated Spartans. Getting some hot shooting, which was well balanced, and controlling the backboards, they posted a 32-21 victory. The Spartans led 9-6 at the first stop, then were outscored 11-5 as Jeanean Geller ripped the nets for 8 points to give the Chicks a 17-14 halftime margin.

In the third stanza the Chicks put on a tight defense and some scoring punch to push out in front 24-14 as the Spartans missed on six charities and were held scoreless.

FOR THE Chicks Helen Kramer led the scoring with 11 points, Jeanean Geller had 10, Jamie Burger 9, and Carol Eisler 2.

Helen Hufnagel had 17 for the Spartans and was followed by Betty Feldpausch and Mary Ann Simon with 2 each.

The Spartans have an overall record of 7-1, and the Chicks are 4-3.

Largest Consumer The United States continued to be the world's largest consumer of nickel, using a record 300 million pounds in 1964. Nickel consumption in Europe, including the United Kingdom, was 250 million pounds during the year.

Clinton Tractors, champs of the second half of the season, won the City Basketball League title last Wednesday night with an 80-56 victory over the first-half champs, Pewamo.

The Tractors trailed 30-28 at halftime but then put on a second-half blitz that doubled Pewamo's second-half scoring and won going away. Pewamo was outscored 52-26 in the second half.

DALE KNIGHT'S soft shot and sharp eye accounted for 31 points to lead the Tractors to the victory. Clark Berkhausen added 14 points for the winners, while Doug Japinga and Dick Kutas had 9 points each, John Werbish 8, Vern Sillman 7 and Bob Spencer 2.

Herb Werner was high scorer for Pewamo with 23 points, 17 of them in the first half. Bill Werner added 11 points, D. Werner 10 and Duane Blatt, Bruce George and Bill Heckman 4 points each.

THE CLINTON Tractors outscored Pewamo 31-21 from the field and 18-14 from the free throw line.

Woodburys lead in Jaycee bridge

The Howard Woodburys held the lead after the first four rounds of the current Jaycee Bridge Tournament. The tourney is now progressing into the seventh round of a 12-round schedule, according to William McCarthy, tournament chairman.

Leaders after the first four rounds are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes Howard Woodburys (4-0, 13,911), Leonard Puetz's (4-0, 10,280), Norman White's (3-1, 15,060), Earl Cresse's (3-1, 14,770), Jim Moore's (3-1, 14,220), Basil Delbert's (3-1, 14,210), Jack Walker's (2-2, 13,110), Bill Kolehmainen's (2-2, 10,980), Dick Tonnemacher's (2-2, 10,510).

Sports Calendar

March 17: Father and Sons activity night at St. Joseph gym. March 21: Men's physical activity night at St. Joseph gym, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. March 23: Leather craft classes, Municipal Building, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. March 24: Father and Sons activity night, St. Joseph gym.

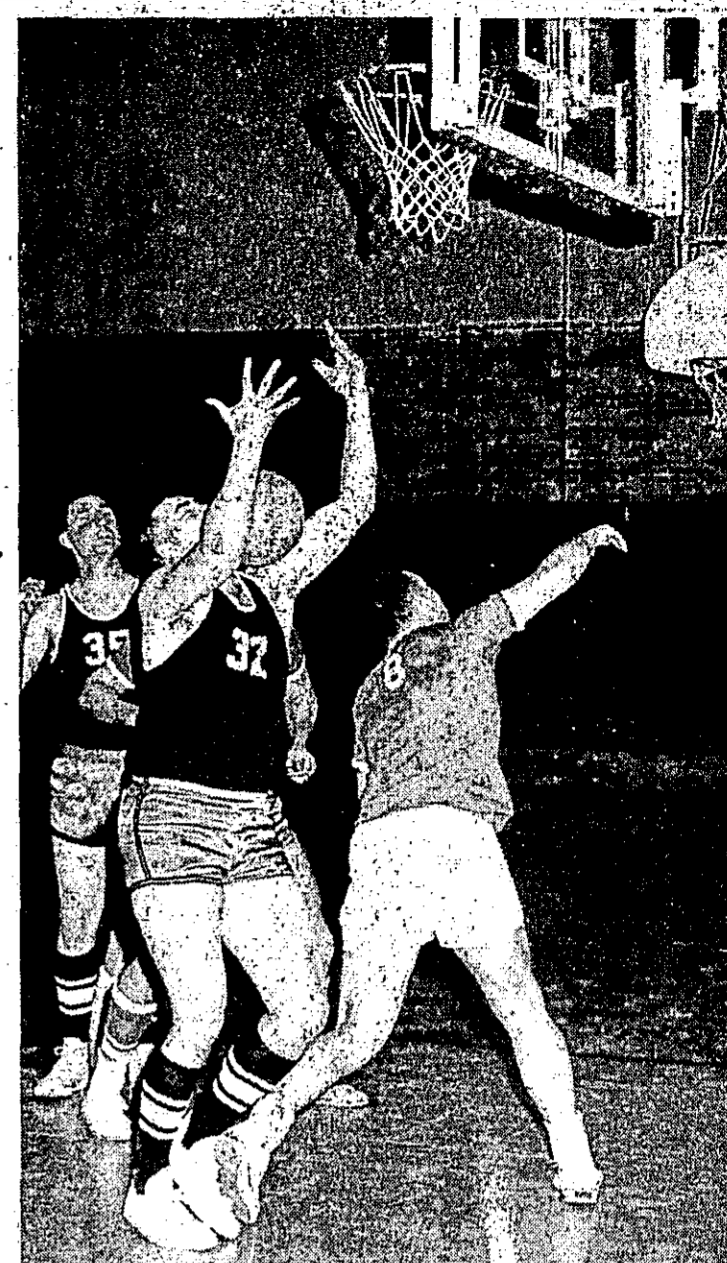
NEWS in Brief

The City of St. Johns sent out bills for 96,701,600 gallons of water used during the second quarter of 1965; for 109,893,600 gallons used during the third quarter; and for 98,347,900 gallons used during the fourth quarter. City Manager Ken Greer points out this substantiates a projection that the city will use one to two million more gallons of water each quarter in normal growth.

Davey Tree Expert Co. of Kent, Ohio, was the lowest of seven bidders on a Department of State Highways job to landscape 7.7 miles of I-96 from Old US-16 in Clinton County south to US-27 and M-78 in Eaton County. Their bid was \$76,274. Competition date is scheduled for June 30, 1967.

A 15-mile section of M-57 from Greenville west to US-131 in Montcalm and Kent counties will be closed to through-traffic from March 15 to Nov. 15, the Department of State Highways reports.

Public dedication of the new Dewitt High School has been scheduled for Sunday, April 14. Mrs. Joe Orweller of Wildcat Road, St. Johns, took a sure note of the arrival of spring with the report of seeing 40 geese northbound above her house early Friday afternoon.



Dale Knight (8) of Clinton Tractors misses with a swipe at the basketball, and Duane Blatt (32) of Pewamo grabs the rebound with his chin during first-half action in the City League championship game last Wednesday evening. No. 35 for Pewamo is Herb Werner. The Tractors won 80-56.

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Bath, Fulton tumble in 1st regional games

Clinton area basketball teams that made it through the district tournaments bowed out of the competition in the regionals last week.

Fulton High School was the first to go, losing to Scottville, 66-53, in their Class C opener at Big Rapids last Tuesday night, March 8. Bath played Friday night, and Flint Holy Redeemer falled past the Bees 86-60 at Grand Blanc.

AT BIG RAPIDS, the Spartans of Scottville rolled up an impressive lead over the Fulton Pirates before Fulton brought the score around to a more respectable figure late in the game. Scottville held scoring advantages of 16-10, 22-11 and 23-9 in the first three periods, leading 38-21 at halftime and 61-30 at the end of three quarters.

In the fourth period, Scottville substituted freely, and Fulton outscored the Spartans 23-5.

Randy VanSickle was the leading scorer for Fulton with 21 points, while Bill Cartwright had 5, Jeff Gray 13, Gregg DeMott 2, Chris VanSickle 2, Loudenbeck

2, Dan Eyer 1, Rick Chick 2 and Barrett 4.

AT GRAND BLANC, Holy Redeemer led in scoring in every quarter. "They just had too many horses," Bath Coach Hal Beatty commented after the game. "Our boys played hard and didn't give up even though they were way down, and I'm proud of them."

The Bees, with no one even 6 feet in height, had to contend with three 6-footers for Holy Redeemer, and they countered with a full-court press that forced a number of mistakes by their opponents. With Jim Soban scoring 9 points in the first quarter, the Bees trailed only 21-16 going into the second period.

But Holy Redeemer came back with their own full-court press in the second quarter and began pulling away from Bath. They outscored the Bees 18-10 in that period, 21-14 in the third quarter and 26-20 in the final eight minutes.

SOBER finished with 28 points to lead the Bees, while Bruce Miller had 19, Mike Tucker 3,

Randy Tucker 2, Rusty Woolfe 6 and Merlin Truman 2.

Sober closed out his career as one of the finest scorers in Bath history. In his three years he scored over 1,100 points and had a high individual output of 41 as a sophomore. Bath as a team closed out the year with one of its best seasons with a 10-11 record.



AL WERBISH

Freshman Al Werbish was awarded his first varsity basketball letter last Thursday evening at Adrian College's annual winter sports banquet. Werbish was Adrian's fourth leading rebounder and shot 71 per cent from the charity line. He played as Adrian's sixth man most of the year, and Coach Gregg Arbaugh feels he could be one of Adrian's best. Werbish reached his peak of 18 points in a 111-108 loss to MIAA champion Calvin. He played football in the fall and plans to continue his career in tennis this spring. He is the son of Mr and Mrs John Werbish, 408 W. Gless, St. Johns.

One firm that's "frank" about its business is The Allbright-Nell Co., Chicago. It manufactures a continuous processing frankfurter machine that can produce up to 3,000 pounds of wieners an hour.

Regional Scores INVOLVING AREA TEAMS CLASS B at CMU— Ithaca 59, Oscoda 45 Ithaca 52, Cheboygan 51 (overtime) Belding 60, Ithaca 59 CLASS C at Grand Blanc— Perry 96, Armada 71 Flint Holy Redeemer 86, Bath 60 Orchard Lake St. Mary 86, Perry 68 CLASS C at Ferris State— Scottville 66, Fulton 52 CLASS D at CMU— Maple Grove St. Michael 63, Portland St. Patrick 60

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DARREL DORMAN

Dorman to begin flight engineer training

Darrel Dorman, son of Mr and Mrs James Dorman of Elsie, has recently been accepted to train for flight engineer of Pan American World Airways. He has just completed his first year with Pan American as co-pilot navigator.

During March he has been on special flights to Honolulu, Tokyo, Saigon and Guam, flying out of Los Angeles and San Francisco.

Last month he was on missions to Lisbon and Rome. He and his wife and two sons, Mark and Todd live in Ridgefield, Connecticut.

Dorman also devotes one weekend each month with the New York National Guard. Dorman is a graduate of Elsie High School and Michigan State University.

Dr Bubeck to speak at Baptist Church

ELSIÉ — Rev Dr Theodore E. Bubeck, staff-member in the Overseas Department of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Societies, will speak Thursday evening, March 25, at the First Baptist Church of Elsie according to an announcement by Rev Peter Jensen. There will be a potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. with the service following.

Dr Bubeck formerly served as an American Baptist missionary in the Congo. He and Mrs Bubeck were evacuated along with other missionaries in July 1960, shortly after Congo was granted independence from Belgium. He joined the administrative staff of the societies in 1961.

Associated with the Congo for almost 30 years, the Bubecks watched American Baptist mission work grow to a point where there are now more than 80,000 Congolese in Baptist Churches related to the mission. Dr and Mrs Bubeck were appointed to missionary service in 1928.

Most of their years in the Congo were at Moanza, an isolated station on which the Bubecks helped develop extensive programs of evangelism, education and medical aid.

DR BUBECK'S primary responsibilities were in evangelism and supervision of schools in villages surrounding Moanza, where there are at least 8,500 church members.

Dr Bubeck holds a Th. B. degree from Gordon College in Massachusetts, a B. D. from the Kennedy School of Missions, Hartford, Conn. and has done additional graduate study at the University of Pennsylvania and Columbia University in New York City. Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary conferred an honorary D. D. degree upon him in 1957.

Dr and Mrs Bubeck are members of the First Baptist Church, Norristown, Pa. Their daughter, Naomi, is married to Dean Tuttle, whose parents are Congo medical missionaries, Dr and Mrs Glen Tuttle.

Mr and Mrs Tom Cluley and daughter, Connie, of East Lansing, were Friday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs R. C. Conklin.

Wilbur Stephens, a former Elsie resident and frequent visitor of his sister-in-law, Mrs Gladys Coslette, is under treatment and observation at the Mt. Pleasant Community Hospital.

FFA state meet to be at MSU

ELSIÉ — Members of the Elsie Chapter of Future Farmers of America will be part of some 1,600-1,800 individuals attending the 38th Annual FFA State Convention at Michigan State University, East Lansing, March 23, 24 and 25.

Dean Acre of the Elsie FFA Chapter has been named to receive the State Farmer Degree which will be conferred Thursday evening, March 24 in the University Auditorium at which time outstanding State Farmers will be recognized and the Star State Farmer will be named.

Joe Guskys and Calvin Moore are the official delegates representing the Elsie chapter at the convention.

Over 900 boys from some 209 high schools will receive awards, compete for honors and conduct business of the State Association. Richard D. Byrum of Leslie State FFA president, and the other state officers will conduct the business sessions and other activities included in the two-day program. The annual delegates' banquet will accommodate 1,000 persons and special recognition to outstanding persons will be included this year. A special noon luncheon for chapter advisers will be provided by the Michigan electric power suppliers.

Vocational agriculture teacher, Rodney Tulloch, is the advisor of the Elsie chapter. Local officers are Joe Guskys, president; Dean Acre, vice-president; Michael Rivest, secretary; Rodney Kiger, treasurer; Ronald Bush, reporter and Robert Kusner, sentinel.

Great hour of sharing set for March 20

"One Great Hour of Sharing," a special Methodist offering will be received March 20 in the Elsie Church.

This offering made by 30 Protestant denominations, who join on the fourth Sunday of Lent, will go for overseas relief, crusade scholarships, national mission projects and ministry to service personnel in the Far East.

The crusade scholarship program trains such persons as pastors, doctors, social workers, agriculturalists and scientists in universities of the United States.

The program also provides graduate training for national students of minority groups in the US as well as for international students from mission areas.

"FACES ABOUT THE CROSS" is a series of sermons given by the Rev Gordon Showers during the Lenten season at the Methodist Sunday morning worship services at the Elsie and Duplain churches.

Sermons on the smug face, a face of bewilderment and a tear stained face have been given. Next Sunday "The Face Afar Off" will be given and "A Troubled Face" the final one will be given March 21.

Palm Sunday, April 3, there will be baptism of infants and reception of membership class. Plans for Easter Week activities will be announced later.

2 to attend seminar at Lansing

A. W. Cobb and Rev Gordon Showers of the Methodist Church will attend a Lansing legislative seminar in the Civic Center Tuesday, March 15, to hear from state officials, legislators and party leaders about legislative and political issues of direct interest to church groups.

The seminar is sponsored by the Michigan Council of Churches. Gov. George Romney will speak on "The Role of the Church in Politics" at the noon luncheon. Other speakers include Rev A. A. Banks Jr., pastor of Detroit's Second Baptist Church, Democratic State Chairman Zolton A. Ferency and Republican State Chairman Ely M. Peterson.

Among the subjects discussed will be alcoholism and narcotics, the church in the war of poverty, civil rights, Medicare, mental health and youth, migrants and tax reform.

Cobb, a former state representative is chairman of the Commission of social concerns of the local Methodist church.

The Methodist Men will meet for breakfast and fellowship Sunday morning, March 20, at 7:30 a.m.

Several members of the Methodist Men's Club will attend the area meeting in Lansing at the Kellogg Center April 2. This will be the annual meeting and it is expected that 1500 Methodist men from all over the state will attend.



2 from St. Johns Complete Training Course

Douglas Cook (in left picture) and Bill Burnham (in right picture) both of St. Johns receive a diploma on completing a special Arcadian dealer training course recently at Indianapolis, Ind. Bill Arnold, Michigan-Indiana district manager of the nitrogen division of Allied Chemical Corp., made the awards. The Allied Chemical course was intended to answer a growing need among farmers for advice on cropping practices and farm management.

Wills discussed by Green School economic group

A lesson study on the "Descent and Distribution of Property and Wills" as prepared by MSU extension specialists in home management was presented by Mrs Garth Brewbaker and Mrs Kenneth Munsion to the Green School Home Economics group Thursday for an all-day meeting in the home of Mrs George Ellis.

The lesson was designed to help those who have accumulated estates or are accumulating estates to put their affairs in order so that in event of death, their property can be distributed according to their wishes and for the greatest benefit of all concerned.

A potluck dinner preceded the program with Mrs Carl Morley assisting the hostess. Members and guests responded to roll call by naming a woman of the Bible.

Mrs Clyde Lutz of St. Charles and Mrs Merle Temple, recently returned from Iowa, were guests.

MRS RAYMOND Thornton reported on her recent participation in Gov. Romney's conference on strengthening family life at Waverly high school last week.

Mrs Munson and Mrs Brewbaker gave a skit on "Property Rights."

"Living Our Later Years in Full Measure" will be the study lesson for April 14 when the group will meet at the home of Mrs Alton Fizzell at 1 p.m. with Mrs Gladys Coslette as co-hostess.

Clare Parkers return from Niagara Falls

Mr and Mrs Clare Parker are now living at 309 W. High Street, Ovid. They recently returned from a wedding trip to Niagara Falls.

The new Mrs Parker is the former Brenda Steinbower, whose parents are Mr and Mrs Ford Steinbower of Elsie. The groom's parents are Mr and Mrs Henry Parker of Ovid.

They were married Feb. 19 in the small chapel of the Elsie Methodist Church by the Rev Gordon Showers with only the immediate family in attendance.

The bride's grandmother, Mrs J. A. Steinhower of Elsie was a special guest.

Attending the couple were Carol Conklin of Elsie and Robert Heir of Ovid.

Quest groups set up by Methodists

Neighborhood "quest groups" set up by the membership and evangelism commission and Rev Gordon Showers of the Methodist Church are meeting during Lent at homes in various sections of the village.

The purpose is to discuss in small groups the hopes and dreams for the church, the mission of the church in this community and the world and the means to use in achieving these ends.

Meetings have been held in the homes of the Robert Bloomer and Jack Kelley families. Others scheduled are Lawrence Hess, March 17; W. Burdick, March 21; A. W. Cobb, March 24; James Dorman, March 28; Elwyn Whitaker, March 30; Stanley Loznak, March 31; and Dr R. P. Lannen. The meetings are arranged for 7:30 p.m. except at the Whitaker home when it will begin at 8 p.m.

Michael Ackles gets honorable mention at MSD science fair

Michael Ackles, 12, son of Mr and Mrs Vincent Ackles of Elsie is a member of the seventh grade in Flint's school for the deaf.

Last week, he ranked honorable mention in the Junior High division of the annual Michigan School for the Deaf Science Fair sponsored by the Flint South Kiwanis Club according to Principal Thomas H. Poulos.

Michael's science project was on rocks and minerals.

The awards were presented to the winners at a special awards assembly held at the school last Wednesday. Officers of the Kiwanis Club and the MSD Key Club of Kiwanis made the presentation.

Michael attended Elsie Elementary School for two years and has been at the school for the deaf the past five years. He spends most weekends here with his parents.

A 2-act comedy is selected by seniors

ELSIÉ — "Take Me to Your President," a comedy in two acts was selected for the senior play to be presented March 31 and April 1 at Elsie high school.

The play was adapted by Christopher Sergel from the book of the same name by Leonard Wibberley. The story is both fantastic and satirical yet has humor and common sense that makes the wildly impossible seem entirely convincing.

Rehearsing for the parts are Tom Bakita, Celeste Buck, Jane Cerny, Dennis Baese, Terry Loznak, Barbara Warner, Jennifer Keys, Connie Mitchell, Sherry Wassa, Barbara Doubrava, Caroline Smalec, Cindy Kelley, Ron Stammersky and Ken Sperl.

Others are Joan Geiger, Mary Slagh, Kathy Kindel, Jill Tabor, Joe Guskys, Frank Dukes, R. J. Jones, Barbara Hess, Ron Thornington, Diane Forell, Fred Ross, Terry Randolph, Randy Daley, Laurel Schultz, Dennis Herron, Jerry Bernath and Nancy Walters.

Directing the play is Robert Brien while student directors are Barbara Warner, Kay Acre and Nancy Luznak.

East Victor By Mrs Ray Ketchum

Mr and Mrs Orval White attended the funeral of her cousin, Clayton Anderson of Webberville, Thursday afternoon. He was killed in an automobile accident Sunday near Lapeer.

Mr and Mrs Ray Scott entertained their pedro club Saturday evening. High prizes went to Lela Coleman and Ray Ketchum and low to Myrtle Ketchum and Floyd Upton.

Donald Strouse is in Clinton Memorial Hospital for treatment and observation.

Mr and Mrs Max Wilson called on his brother, Roy Wilson of Maple Rapids, who is in Clinton Memorial Hospital, Saturday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Ray Ketchum accompanied Mr and Mrs Claude Ingersoll to Owosso Sunday, where they were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Tom Crox and family.

Dennis Morrill, son of Mr and Mrs Stanley Morrill, left Monday for the service. He is now stationed in Kentucky.

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

Mrs Tabor hosted Study Club

ELSIÉ — Mrs Burton Tabor was hostess for the March 9 meeting of the West Elsie Economics Study club. Her home looked as one an age ago when the relics and keepsakes of the members were displayed, in answer to roll call.

The leader, Mrs Tabor, had literature relative to "Wills and Distribution of Property" and answered questions put by those present.

Mrs Tabor and Mrs Wayne Peck presented a short dialogue on the necessity of making a will.

Two of the members, Mrs Wayne Peck and Mrs George Blayne had attended the March 8 special meeting in St. Johns, on "Living Our Later Years in Full Measure," which was an explanation of Medical Health Insurance for those past 65 years of age. They outlined briefly what they had learned.

The next meeting will be held April 13 at the home of Mrs Russell Rivest. The study topic will be an "International Study of a Foreign Country."

Mrs Henry Allen and Mrs George Bennett spent Saturday and Sunday at Western Michigan University as part of Mother's Weekend observance. Their daughters, Judy Allen and Linda Bennett are both juniors at the University.

Mr and Mrs Ronald Mau of Brant are parents of a daughter, Kimberly Sue, born at the Owosso Memorial Hospital Tuesday, March 15. Mrs Mau is the former Sandra Phelps of Elsie.

The Carole Choir directed by Mrs Gene Stouffer made its first appearance during the Sunday morning worship service at the Methodist Church. There were 17 girls and boys from grades one through three in the choir. Janice Kelley serves as accompanist for them.

Price District By Mrs Harold Crowley

Mrs Grace Haagan of Greenville was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr and Mrs Albert Waldelelch Sr.

Mr and Mrs Roy Dobie are spending a few days in Alma caring for his brother who is ill.

Mr and Mrs Harold Crowley and Terry were, Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Martin Crowley of Grand Ledge. Other guests were Mr and Mrs Terry Reese and Mrs Agnes Price of St. Johns.

Mrs Opal Pyle and Lori spent Monday with her parents, Mr and Mrs Albert Waldelelch Sr.

Mrs Harl Hunt spent Sunday in Grand Ledge visiting Mr and Mrs George Baxter.

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CHURCH NEWS

Day Apart was held at the Carson City Methodist Church Friday, March 11. Those attending from the Greenbush Methodist Church were Mrs E. G. Stockwell, Mrs Earl Whitlock, Mrs Stanley Whitlock, Miss Nora Beebe and Mrs Hazel Beebe. Mrs Ernest Redman and Mrs Guy Simcox of St. Johns Methodist church also accompanied this group.

Mrs Max Shull of Gladwin, the district president and Mrs George Lauer, secretary of spiritual life addressed the group in the morning and Mrs Vivian Loberg spoke in the afternoon.

Next Sunday evening the churches on the Maple Rapids charge will have major parts in the Lenten service at the St. Johns Episcopal Church. Rev Rudy Wittenbach will preside, ushers and greeters will be from the Maple Rapids, Lowe and Greenbush Churches.

There will be a MYF Subdistrict Rally March 27 at 8 p.m. at the Ithaca Methodist Church.

Rew District By Mrs Howard Witt

Sunday callers in the George Sloat home were Mr and Mrs Darwin Parks and family, Roger Simmer, Mr and Mrs Arden Cressman and her father, Robert Bond and Dow Young. Mr and Mrs Kenneth Mead were dinner guests. It was Georgia's birthday.

Mr and Mrs R. M. Beardslee spent Friday and Saturday with her son, Mr and Mrs Glen Corp and Chad at Fairgrove. Mrs Donald McCullough and Julie spent Sunday with the Corps.

Mr and Mrs David Steavens and family called on Mr and Mrs Paul Witt Sunday afternoon. They also called on his mother, Mrs Ray Steavens, at home and his father who is at St. Johns' hospital.

Mr and Mrs Leo Coin were Friday night supper guests of her parents, Mr and Mrs Clyde Chadwick. It was Mrs Coin's birthday.

South Ovid By Mrs George Young

Mr and Mrs Orla Law and their daughter, Mrs Wilma Brandt of near Westphalia, were visitors of the former's sister, Mrs Nancy Baker and Mrs S. Young last week Wednesday afternoon.

Kenneth Young had the misfortune to fall from a truck and break his wrist while working at the mill in Ovid last Friday. This makes four times he has had a serious accident in a year.

Mrs Georgianna Underhill and her son, Wayne, spent Friday night and Saturday with his sister, Mrs Edna Sherman and her son, William and family of Riverdale.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Ziegler, and family of Saranac were Sunday guests with their brother, Neil Ziegler and family of this vicinity.

Mrs Grace Young and Lucille Loomis of East Lansing were Sunday visitors of Mrs Sarah Young and Mrs Nancy Baker.

Mrs Georgianna Underhill was a supper guest of her sister, Mrs Thelma Jones last Monday. She took cake and gifts for Thelma because it was her birthday.

Mr and Mrs Vern Binger were away Sunday, visiting relatives.

Miss Nora Beebe accompanied R. G. Fenner of Laingsburg to Bamster Sunday to the home of Mr and Mrs Giles Coon to celebrate Mrs Lars Anderson's birthday.

Mrs Howard Simcox of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs Donald Smith of St. Johns were birthday guests of their mother, Mrs Ralph Siverall, whose birthday it was.

Mrs Ethel Randolph of Eureka and Mrs Ralph Silverall attended the band concert Sunday afternoon at the Elsie high school.

Mrs Charles Fowler and Miss Catherine Stevens of St. Johns visited their mother, Mrs Arthur Stevens, Sunday.

Mrs Margaret Light, her son, Eddie and Miss Erna Schueler of St. Johns visited Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr and Mrs Orrin Blank.

Miss Donita Butler accompanied the St. Johns Youth group of the Congregational church to Ann Arbor last weekend.

Last week Monday evening, Miss Carol Bishop entertained in honor of her parents, Mr and Mrs John Bishop's wedding anniversary. Guests present were Mr and Mrs Ephner Bishop, Mr and Mrs Roy Harger, their daughter, Mona and their son, David, Miss Nora Beebe, Mrs Hazel Beebe and David Bishop. This was the 18th anniversary for Mr and Mrs Bishop. They received several gifts. Refreshments were served.

Callers last week at the Jay Gillson-home were Mr and Mrs Lester Sworthwood of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs William LeClear of Ashley.

Sunday dinner guests at the George Hubbard home were Mr and Mrs John Meehling of Montrose and Mr and Mrs Keith Miller and family and Bert Hubbard of rural Elsie.

Mr and Mrs James Graham Sr. and their daughter, Annie and Mr and Mrs James Graham Jr. were in Ypsilanti Sunday to visit Mr and Mrs Alfred Graham.

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Thelen resigns after 14 years

Monday evening, March 7, President Gregor Thelen, after 14 years on the village council, four years as trustee and ten years as Village President decided to resign and presided over his last council meeting. Village president, Thelen was booster of new street construction in the village of Westphalia and during his term of office, building in this community has flourished. Also resigning at the end of his term of office was Gerald N. Thelen who has served on the village council as a trustee for 10 years. Succeeding Mayor Thelen will be mayor-elect Elvan Pohl.

CARD PARTY

Don't forget about the annual D of I card party that will be held Sunday March 20, at the Pewamo-Westphalia high school. There will be door prizes and refreshments.

IT'S A GIRL!

A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs Larry Pung of Lansing, Monday, March 14, at St. Lawrence Hospital, weighing 6 pounds and 9 ounces. Little Michelle Pung is spending some time with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Casper Bohr, while her mother is in the hospital.

Saturday afternoon Mr and Mrs Aloysius Platte and Mary Katherine and Mr and Mrs Ed Perrien and children of Ionia left to visit their son and brother, Joseph Platte, who is a student at the Josephinum at Worthington, Ohio.

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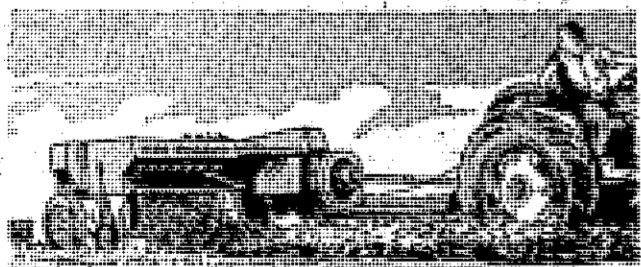
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Bishop Green spoke to Confraternity

Most Rev Bishop Green spoke on the "Effectiveness of the Holy Spirit on the Ecumenical Council," at the Confraternity of Christian Mothers' Communion Breakfast at P-W cafeteria March 13, which was attended by about 250 members and husbands. Mrs Harold Fedewa, president of the Confraternity, presented Bishop Green with a check which he will forward to his favorite charity. She also presented Mrs Martha Platte with a floral centerpiece and complimented her for being chosen "Mother of the Year."

The door prize was won by Mrs Walter Rademacher.

Mrs Hilary Sultgen was chairman of the St. Patrick's Day themed event. She was assisted by Mrs Fred Smitgen, Mrs Daniel Spitzley, Mrs Edward Spitzley Jr., Mrs Roman Spitzley, Mrs Leon Spitzley, Mrs Anthony Spitzley, Mrs Edward Spitzley Sr., Mrs Alfred Spitzley and Mrs Robert Spitzley.

Mrs Isidore Smith and Mrs Jerome Smith were in charge of entertainment.

Showers honor Miss Goodman

Sunday Mrs Alice Zimmerman and Mrs Rita Smitgen of Portland held a miscellaneous shower at the Zimmerman home honoring their cousin, Miss Ruth Ann Goodman. Refreshments were served to the relatives and friends after the bride-to-be opened her gifts. Card Bingo was played throughout the shower.

Sunday, March 13, Miss Karen Belen and Mrs Helen Droste entertained Ruth Ann's classmates with a linen shower. The Belen home was decorated in white and yellow. The gift table was centered with a bridal cake. Bridal games were played and a lunch was served.

Ruth Ann will become the bride of Lewis Spitzley April 16 at St. Mary's Church.

Recently Miss Lorraine Pline and a friend, both students at St. Thomas Aquinas College of Grand Rapids, spent a weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs Robert Pline and family.

Visiting Mrs Florence Weber during the past week were Mr and Mrs Ed Weber and family, Mr Isadore Fedewa of Portland, Mr and Mrs Jake Westrick of Battle Creek and Art Fedewa.

Many from this area have enjoyed the movie, "The Sound of Music," which has been playing at a Lansing theater.

Because of a change in visiting regulations, Daniel Spitzley, John Fink, John and Lewis Martin, Mark Thelen and Lorren Rademacher, all students at St. Joseph Seminary in Grand Rapids, were again able to spend the weekend with their parents Mr and Mrs Leon Spitzley, Mr and Mrs Lewis Fink, Mr and Mrs Harold Martin, Aloysius Thelen and Mr and Mrs Leander Rademacher.

Mr and Mrs Gus Pline attended the Boat and Motor show in the Civic Center Saturday evening.

Friends gathered at the home of Mrs Elizabeth Fedewa Wednesday and spent the evening playing cards.

Tuesday Mrs Peter Wiltgen was taken to a local doctor where she received treatments for cuts and bruises she received when she fell at the home of her daughter, Mr and Mrs John Thelen.

D of I will have a potluck supper Thursday evening, March 17, at 6 p.m. in the east hall.

Mr and Mrs Jake Westrick of Battle Creek visited Mr and Mrs Leonard Platte and other relatives Saturday.

Visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Joseph Trierweller during the past week were Mr and Mrs Gene Schoendorf and family and Mr and Mrs Henry Berglund of Lansing.

Mrs Simon Smith entered St. Lawrence Hospital Sunday where she underwent surgery Monday morning.

Mrs Lewis Rademacher and family called on Mrs Jim Nurenberg and family Wednesday afternoon.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mr and Mrs Kenneth Platte and Mr and Mrs Jerome Thels on the death of their father William Thels who passed away Sunday evening.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Pung and Mr and Mrs Joseph Fedewa visited Fr Mathew Fedewa at St. Phillips Rectory in Battle Creek Sunday afternoon.

Recently Mrs Arnold Simon had the misfortune of falling in her home.

"Starvation of the soil leads to starvation of plants, which results in starvation of animals, including human beings."—A. O. Killburn.



Mrs Harold Fedewa presents Bishop Green with a check which will be forwarded to his favorite charity.



Mrs Fedewa presents Mrs Martha Platte with a floral centerpiece and congratulates her for being chosen "Mother of the Year."

Kincaid District

By ROSALYN PARKS, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner were Sunday dinner and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner and Nancy.

Mr and Mrs David Parks and children, Clarence Parks of Lansing and Douglas Pitchford were Sunday dinner and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and girls.

Saturday dinner and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and family were Mr and Mrs Clarence Parks and daughter, Barbara, of Lansing, Douglas Pitchford and a friend.

Mr and Mrs Richard Grove and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Vernon Grove and family of Grand Ledge.

Saturday night, Mr and Mrs John Dickinson and girls of Portland were supper guests of Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson. They were there to help Otto celebrate his birthday.

Tuesday, Mrs Otto Dickinson accompanied Mrs Charles Hiscok and Mrs Monty Ream of Delta Mills to Mt. Morris to spend the day with Mrs Eldon Dickinson and baby.

Mr and Mrs Robert Heath and family of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson Sunday.

Mr and Mrs William Lehman of Wacousta visited Mr and Mrs Don DuMond and family Friday evening.

Miss Sharon Messer of Lansing had a surprise going-away party at the church parsonage for George Balmer who leaves Thursday for service.

Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer and George and Sharon Messer visited relatives in Charlotte Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Dell Schmidtman were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer.

George Balmer was a Sunday dinner guest of Miss Sharon Messer of Lansing.

Mrs Tillie Hooker, Mrs Gusta Wirth of Grand Ledge, Mrs Nora Brace, Mrs Don DuMond, Mrs Donna Morrison visited Mrs Raymond Smith of Westphalia all day Tuesday.

Mrs Marge Myszak and boys of DeWitt visited Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn Friday, and they were at the Porter Park's home also.

Mrs Porter Parks and girls visited Mr and Mrs Jerry Myszak and boys of DeWitt Saturday evening. Mr and Mrs Don Henning and Tommy were there also.

Sunday, Mr and Mrs James Morrison and family, Mr and Mrs Franklin Wells and family, Mr and Mrs Raymond Smith and Mrs Lee DuMond and son of Wacousta helped Mrs Don DuMond celebrate her birthday at the latter's home.

Maple Rapids

By MRS. JOHN SCHMIDT — Telephone 682-3262

Medical self-help classes will begin March 22

Classes in Medical Self-help will start in Maple Rapids Tuesday, March 22. To accommodate working men and mothers two classes will be held; the first class, from noon to 2 p.m. and the second class will start at 7:30 p.m.

Classes will be held in the Village hall and are open to everyone. For more information call any fireman, or Mrs Loren Parks, Mrs Carol Tyler, Mrs Larry Floate or come at class time.

Mrs Ervin Upham, accompanied her daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Mike Humphrey of St. Johns, to the Mercywood Hospital Saturday to visit the former's husband and found him slowly gaining.

Mrs Mabel Wiseman of Lansing spent the weekend at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr and Mrs Preston Corson.

Mrs Preston Corson and Mrs Mabel Wiseman called on Mrs Zelma Payne of Middleton, who has been confined to the Carson City Hospital for the past four weeks. Mrs Vining of Alma is caring for her.

Maple Rapids Library News

CASEY STENGEL
Baseball's Greatest Manager

By GENE SCHOOR

The thrilling story is of the fabulous Casey Stengel, who rose from baseball player to manager of the New York Yankees, piloting them to 10 straight pennants and seven world championships — an all-time record in the history of the game. But Casey came along way, through some of the toughest breaks, to achieve his well-earned admiration and respect as baseball's greatest manager.

He was barely 19 when he broke into professional baseball to become a big league star. He was a brilliant player for 15 years, matching his skill against such stars as Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig, Rogers Hornsby, Frankie Frisch, Walter Johnson.

WHEN CASEY'S playing days were over, he went in for managing ball clubs. He piloted flag winners and led hopelessly out-classed clubs in the minors. He managed the Dodgers and the Boston Braves, fighting to develop winning combinations out of bush league material. He had just about made up his mind to leave baseball when George Welles of the Yankee front office surprised everyone by signing Casey to manage the big New York Club.

The sports experts predicted Stengel's managerial tenure would last one year; he was just a fill-in for Tommy Henrich or Joe DiMaggio—but he handled the Yankees so brilliantly they won the pennant in 1949 and copied the World Series. He followed with four consecutive pennants and World Series titles to become the first manager to win five straight pennants and five world championships in his first five years with the club.

CASEY developed such brilliant youngsters as Mickey Mantle, Gerry Coleman, Billy Martin, Gil McDougald, Whitey Ford, Don Bollweg. He was equally skillful in his handling of such veteran players as Joe DiMaggio, Tommy Henrich, Yogi Berra, Phil Rizzuto, Eddie Lopat, Allie Reynolds, Vic Raschi, Johnny Mize.

They called him lucky at first — then they called him baseball's greatest manager, and no one was ever more deserving of the title than Casey (Charles Dillon) Stengel. His niche in baseball's hall of fame is assured.

Tornado film showing set for March 23

A tornado film was viewed by the Maple Rapids Fire department at their March 13 meeting.

The film will be shown to the public, free of charge, Wednesday, March 23, at 8 p.m. at the Village hall.

Refreshments will be served by the Blue Star Mothers.

Mr and Mrs George Willoughby, accompanied by Mr and Mrs Floyd Underhill of Lansing, left Sunday to spend two weeks in Florida.

Mrs Ervin Upham was a dinner guest of Mr and Mrs Harvey Gallagher of New Haven and also called on Mr and Mrs Verlin Upham.

Mrs Ivalene Ackerman underwent surgery on Friday at the Carson City Hospital, and is reported gaining as well as possible.

Mrs Wilbur Bancroft was in Lansing Monday and Tuesday attending postmaster's training school.

Tuesday, Mrs Roscoe Martin, Mrs James Sowles, Mrs William Schmidt and Mrs Preston Corson attended the school of instruction of Blue Star Mothers at Lake Odessa.

Mr and Mrs A. J. Freed and family of Detroit spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs Nina Freed.

Mr and Mrs Bert Hiller and family of St. Johns entertained at a dinner Sunday honoring her father, Preston Corson on his 70th birthday. Those attending were Mr and Mrs Preston Corson, Mr and Mrs James Keelen and daughters of Kalamazoo, Mrs Kathleen Benjamin and sons and Freddie Poloshy of Corunna, Mr and Mrs Glen Corson of Perrinton, Mrs Mabel Wiseman of Lansing and Mr and Mrs David Hiller and Fred Corson of St. Johns. The children and grandchildren were all present. The birthday cake was made by his grandson, Douglas Benjamin of Corunna.

Rev and Mrs Richard Kidder and sons, Jim and Bob Gamm of Constantine, visited his father, Mr and Mrs Thad Kidder Saturday.

Mrs Kurt Titus and son, Lane, of Riley called on Mrs Gary Snyder Friday evening.

Mr and Mrs John Schmidt and sons were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Gary Snyder. They all spent the afternoon in Lansing and called at the Fred Titus home.

Bridgeville

By Mrs Thelma Woodbury

The ladies of Bridgeville Community Aid met at the home of Mrs Rex Turner last Wednesday afternoon for a business meeting. They plan to have a beef and noodle supper Friday evening.

April 22. Serving-is to begin at 5:30 p.m.

Mr and Mrs Roland Schmid called on Mr and Mrs Douglas Hulbert Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Douglas Hulbert and family moved into their new home on Wilson Road last week.

Mrs Thelma Woodbury called on Mr and Mrs Henry Schmidt Sr., Sunday afternoon.

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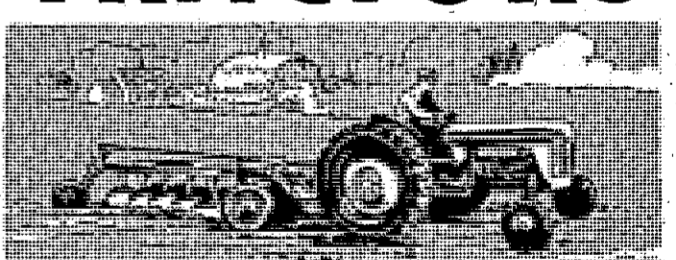
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Mrs. John McCarthy adjusts Mrs. Doris Cramer's hat. Mrs. Cramer will act as the commentator for the Jayettes hat show to be held Thursday (today) at the Swegles Street school.

Spring Hat Fantasy presented tonight

Spring Hat Fantasy, a hat fashion show, sponsored by the Jayettes Swegles Street school Thursday (tonight) at 8 p.m. The proceeds will be contributed to the Bement Children's Library at the Municipal building.

Models from organizations in the area include Eastern Star, Mrs. James Randall and Mrs. Carl Ludwick; Lutheran Ladies Guild, Mrs. Theodore Moeller and Mrs. Joseph Plaza; Blue Star Mothers, Mrs. Fred Tolles and Mrs. William Wilkie; American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. John Hall and Mrs. Carl Zacharias and Rebekahs, Mrs. Arlene Gladstone and Mrs. Kay Gladstone.

OTHER MODELS are from the Child Study Club, Mrs. Max Fields and Mrs. Ben Walker; Faculty Wives, Mrs. Walter Cole and Mrs. Robert LaBrie; Episcopal Women, Mrs. Ralph Lyman and Mrs. Charles Bennett; Jack and Jill Nursery, Mrs. William Warder and Mrs. Jerry Stone and Woman's Club, Mrs. Roy Davis and Mrs. Winchell Brown.

Mrs. Doris Cramer will act as commentator for the show.

County Line News

By Mrs. Doris Fisher

Women's Society met Friday

The County Line EUB Women's Society of Salem EUB Church held their March meeting Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Maynard Beck.

Committees are now planning for the Easter breakfast and Sunrise Services at the church Easter Sunday at 8:30 a.m. May 6 was the date set for a mother-daughter banquet. Mrs. Elmore Randolph presented the program with a cross of lighted candles.

The Youth Fellowship of Salem EUB Church will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Beth Turner March 21 at 7 p.m.

ADOPT PLANS

The building committee of Salem EUB Church presented plans for a new parsonage at a congregational meeting Saturday evening. It was voted 18 Yes and 2 No to adopt the plans and proceed with the building.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorrence Patterson of St. Johns spent Thursday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Baker and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benschinger of St. Johns.

Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patterson were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Patterson and Mrs. Nellie Fisher of rural Ashley and N. C. Patterson of Bannister.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vincent of Corunna were Saturday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher and attended the Evans-Bashore wedding at Ovid.

Mrs. Herman Earegood of St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bates and family of Ithaca spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Baker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Elchorn of Ashley were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher and family attended the Sports and Boat Show at the Civic Center in Lansing Sunday afternoon.

NEWS FROM THE Rivard Nursing Home

I would like to add some names to our volunteer activity list which I missed, Mrs. Vera Shaw and Mrs. Carl Harris. We have a diversional program with volunteers for leaders each Monday and Wednesday from 9 until 11:30 a.m. They are now working on pillows made of ribbon. The residents participating in this activity are Miss Leta Walker, Herbert Rummel, Larry Graham, Clarence Shoup, John W. Griveau, Mrs. Ella Pinkney, Mrs. Ethel Stanton, Mrs. Minnie Lewis, Mrs. Belle Love, Mrs. Stella Gilson, Mrs. Lillie Ward, Mrs. Josephine Fraker, Mrs. Emily Leik and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Guernsey.

March 1 we saw slides of Peru. Father Albert Koengsknecht who is in the states for vacation from his missionary work in Puno, Peru, brought in the slides and narrated the program.

Mrs. Beatrice Rivard, administrator of the home, spent several days at Clinton Memorial Hospital with the flu. She is feeling much better now.

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RICK LISZEWSKI Camp Emory Boys' State



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BRIAN CAMPBELL Boys' State

Boys' State, Camp Emory choices named

Selection of five junior boys as St. Johns representatives to Boys' State and Camp Emory, plus an alternate, was announced jointly this week by the St. Johns service clubs.

Named as Boys' State delegates were:

David Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wells of 601 W. McConnell Street, representing the St. Johns Lions Club.

Brian Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Campbell of 207 E. Walker Street, representing the Exchange Club.

Bill DeGroot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick DeGroot of 411 E. Cass Street, chosen to represent the Rotary Club.

Chuck Stockwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stockwell of Kibbee Street, chosen by the American Legion post of St. Johns.

Chosen to attend the Rotary Club's Camp Emory near Muskegon is Rick Liszewski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Liszewski of 295 W. McConnell Street.

IN THE EVENT any of the boys are unable to attend Boys' State or Camp Emory, Nolan Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson of R-1, St. Johns, has been selected as an alternate.

Wells is a member of the Latin Club, Science Club, Explorers, Methodist Youth Fellowship and 4-H automotive Club.

Campbell is a two-year member of the Latin Club and has been a member of the Dramatics Club and orchestra for three years. He's been a member of the Lansing Junior Symphony for two years and is first chair and assistant representative this year. He is a member and served as treasurer for two years of the Episcopal Youth Fellowship and is a choir and acolyte member of the church.

HE PARTICIPATED in Michigan State's Youth Music Program in the summer of 1965 on the basis and has received a full scholarship to return this year. He received a scholarship from St. Johns Morning Musical to go to Interlochen this summer and he also has a scholarship from the Matinee Musical of Lansing. He received a first-division rating this year at the district solo and ensemble contest.

called on her sister Mrs. Nellie Fox Monday.

Blue Star Mothers meeting will be March 22 at the elementary school at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fox Jr. of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Fox Saturday.

Mrs. Ethel Gee spent Sunday with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wieber and family of Fowler.

Bill Werner, coach of the 7th grade basketball team, was given a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Casari Sunday, March 13. Games were played followed by a lunch. A group gift was presented.

Mrs. Ethel Gee accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wieber of Fowler and visited Mr. and Mrs. Hector Gee of Muir Sunday evening.

Anthony Miller has been convalescing at the home of his daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kowach since he was discharged from the Ionia County Memorial hospital, for the past week. He is now convalescing at the home of his son, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller of Taft Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fox will attend the First Holy Communion services at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Portland Saturday.

Miss Marjorie Irwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Irwin Jr. of Portland is one of the communicants.

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He carries a B-plus academic average, is active in the First Baptist Church and works part-time at Parr's Pharmacy. He plans to go on to college and study speech and theater.

LISZEWSKI played football his sophomore and junior years, was a track man all three years and played basketball as a freshman and sophomore. He is in the band and was a member of the dance band for the recent musical production. He plans to take up an engineering course of study in college.

Johnson was on the high school wrestling team one year, was out for baseball and has been treasurer of his 4-H Club for six years.

WORTHY MATRON HONORED Mrs. John Morrow, Worthy Matron of Wacousta OES, was honored at a surprise birthday party, Saturday afternoon held at the home of Mrs. Vaughn Montgomery, of Grove Road, assistant Worthy Matron. After an afternoon of visiting, bingo and refreshments Mrs. Morrow was presented a group gift from her officers.

SHE IS 7 Mrs. Donald Koeppen entertained eight little girl friends of her daughter, Brenda, Saturday. It was to honor Brenda's 7th birthday. Games were played, ice cream and cake were served.

Wacousta OES #133 will entertain at a Friends Night Tuesday, March 29, at 8 p.m. A variety program is being planned. All friends are welcome.

Neighborhood Society meets (today) at the home of Mrs. Dan Stinzel of Cutler Road.

The Junior MYF of the Wacousta Community Methodist Church will hold a pancake supper Friday from 5 to 7 p.m. at the church.

Wacousta OES members are invited to attend the DAWITT OES Friends' Night Friday evening and Ovids' OES Friends' Night next Tuesday evening at 8 p.m.

Mary Martha Circle will meet next Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Rowland.

Mrs. Forrest Shipman will give devotions and Mrs. Kenneth Mattson will have charge of the program.

Mrs. Allen Kimmel was honored Saturday evening at a stork shower. Given by her sister, Mrs. Ann Kimball Dacking, at the home of her father Richard Kimball. Games were played and refreshments were served by the hostess. Mrs. Kimmel received many gifts.

There will be a cafeteria supper served to the public at the Wacousta Church March 31, starting at 5 p.m.

Little Miss Terri Saxton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Saxton, was in St. Lawrence Hospital with pneumonia last week.

Ed Goddard was taken to St. Lawrence hospital last week Tuesday night where he was treated and released.

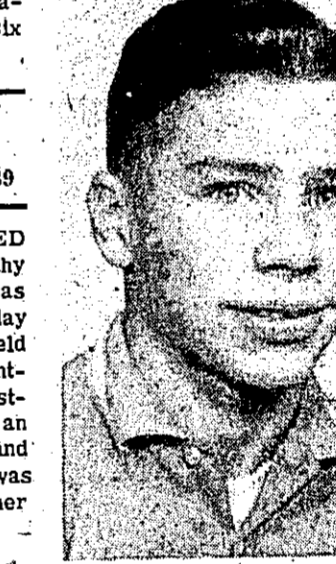
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kraft were



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NOLAN JOHNSON Alternate

Sunday dinner guests of their daughter in Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Ellis have a new granddaughter, Valerie Kay, born March 9 to Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNaughton. Mrs. McNaughton was the former Sharon Ellis of Lansing.

Miss Kay Oden of Mount Pleasant spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Oden.

Mrs. Tom Hemingway and sons of Wayne spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Tebbetts.

Randy Wright of Ferris State College spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright.

Lester Garlock Sr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Oden have both been confined to their homes with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bush have purchased the home formerly occupied by their grandmother, Effie Bush on East Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Elchuk have purchased and are operating the B and W Meat House on Grand River Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Dietrick of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests at the Ed Atherton Sr. home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Myers of Lyons spent Saturday evening at the Clark Adams home.

Louise Hemingway is vacationing in Florida.

Laboratory scale models of existing highway bridges are being designed by Lehigh University to react to loads in the same manner as the actual bridges. The pre-stressed concrete structures are being studied so that new bridge construction testing techniques can be developed.

Skits, talks entertain Bath PTA

Thursday night, March 10, the Parent-Teachers Association of Bath, held their monthly meeting. After the meeting, different organizations gave a talk or put on skits.

Those working on the junior play, put on a skit. They play "Finders Creepers" will be presented to the public March 18 and 19 at 8 p.m.

Next, the Cub Scouts talked about bobcat, wolf, bear, lion and webelos badges and what they had to do to achieve these awards.

Douglas Brook, secretary of the Bath FFA chapter, gave a report and showed slides on last year's projects and some for this year. Some of the projects were dairy cows, calves, beef steers, broilers, hens, swine, sheep, orchards, wheat, soybeans, hay and the biggest projects reported were in corn.

Mike Eschtruth, sentinel of the chapter next year, gave a report on the different exhibits that were at Michigan State University at Farmers Week last month. The Bath chapter entered two exhibits, one on sheep and one on land conservation and took two silver awards. The land conservation exhibit was taken to St. Johns District Soil Conservation meeting and won first place.

Next, Dave Allen, president of that chapter gave a report and showed slides of the airplane tour over Rose Lake. Slides were also shown of the convention at Michigan State University last year.

Dave Murray, junior secretary of the chapter, gave a report and showed slides on last year's and this year's broiler project.

LAST TO report on the nursery project was Jeffrey L. Allen, Bath FFA reporter. He said the chapter planned to put in the nursery this spring to help beautify the homes in the community and school grounds.

East Hubbardston

Mrs. Mamie O'Connell Telephone 981-2374

Beauty of Erin shown at St. Pat's program

At the St. Patrick's program held at St. John the Baptist hall Sunday evening, there was plenty of laughter when Father McGee of Rosebush, displayed his Irish talent.

The program was opened by the toastmaster, John O'Brien, who displayed wit and humor.

Father Fox offered prayers. Then Father McGee illustrated with colored slides, the scenes from "Old Erin" taken on his several trips there.

Often looking at the beauty of the country and the progress and prosperity that now exists there, this writer knows that in the heart of each one present, there was happiness in knowing that the people of Ireland no longer suffer from the privations that drove their forefathers, a 100 years ago, to make their homes in a new land.

Mr. and Mrs. Fahay are the proud parents of a baby girl, born March 11 at the Ionia Memorial Hospital. The Fahay's have three sons. Mrs. Fahay was the former Ann Bushong of Pewamo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lippe of Flint were Sunday guests of Mrs. Lippe's mother, Mrs. Ed Cusack.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Roka and Karen of Owosso were Sunday guests of Mrs. Roka's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Donahue.

Mrs. Mayme Church of Clarksville visited Miss Clara Hogan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bliss and Mr. and Mrs. John Dwyer of Grand Ledge were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dwyer.

Fowler

Mrs. Alfred Lounds Phone 582-2490

Lions Club will meet Monday, March 21, at 6:30 p.m. at the Fowler Hotel.

Donnis Brown celebrated his 14th birthday Sunday, March 13, with a party at his home attended by several of his classmates.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wieber welcomed their new daughter, Patricia Ann, March 14. The little girl was born Jan. 21. She joins a sister, Rosemary, 2 1/2.



Margaret Cortright gets set to bite the ankle of her "father's" boss, played by Jim Rehmann, during a scene from Act II of the senior class play, "Meet Me in St. Louis." Rehmann is talking with Nancy Magsig, while Linda Munger and Bob Barber argue in the background. The play will be presented Friday and Saturday evenings.

Senior play this weekend

By SUE DURNER
St. Johns High School
Writer for the News

It is 1904 and the St. Louis World's Fair is about to open its gates. Have you packed your valise? Have you purchased your ticket? The train is about to leave for St. Louis, via the high school auditorium.

This year's senior class is about to present their version of "Meet Me in St. Louis" this Friday and Saturday evenings.

The Smith family will provide the entertainment. The Smiths are portrayed by Bob Barber and Nancy Magsig. Their children are Gordon Smith, Sue Durner, Bernadette Warstler, Lynda Munger, and Margaret Cortright. Grandpa is Lee Hill.

OTHERS WHO add to the worth of the play are Linda Rasdale, Ann LeBlond, George Enochs, Elliott Smith, Tomi Ann Cornwell, Jim Rehmann and Dick Cornwell.

Director is Robert White, and student directors are Marie Rademacher, Terri Glen and Alma Huntly.

Everyone in the Smith household is excited about the coming of the World's Fair to St. Louis. But Mr Smith complicates matters by having his boss, Mr Dodge, transfer him to the New York office.

AS EVERYONE knows, teenagers do not like to move to a new city, and the Smith children are no exception. They scheme and plot and instead of staying in St. Louis, they get their father fired.

The trials, tribulations and sometime sad, often hilarious antics of this typical Midwestern family, begin at 8 p.m., curtain time.

The committee on nominations, consisting of Mrs Robert Rice, chairman, Mrs Lynn Woodbury and Mrs Clifford Lambert, presented the slate of officers for next year. They are Mrs Basil Delbert, president; Mrs Leo Maki, vice president; Mrs Richard Jacoby, corresponding secretary; Mrs Winchell Brown, recording secretary; Mrs John Caudy, treasurer; Mrs Herbert DePeal, librarian; Mrs George H. Brooks and Mrs Richard Amstutz, press reporters and Mrs Howard Woodbury, member of the program committee.

At the business meeting Pomona voted to buy eight manuals for use in their grange work.

Six subordinate granges gave their reports. A potluck supper preceded the meeting.

MRS Faye Hansen, librarian of DeWitt, showed pictures taken in the British Isles while she was on a tour there.

A group of junior high school girls under the direction of Mrs Ognal sang several songs. Several girls from the senior high school sang two songs.

Mr Balog representing the Farmers and Traders Insurance Co. said Capitol Grange is going to build a housing project for Senior Citizens.

The time and place of the Pomona meeting in April will be announced later.

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Bath Baptist Church Dedication March 27

The new Bath Baptist Church at Bath is in the final stages of completion, and the dedication of the church is scheduled for March 27. The present church at right, about 100 years old, will be razed later. The new church is 50 by 92 feet in size.

Mrs Jacoby hosted Morning Musicales

Mrs Richard Jacoby was the hostess for the Morning Musicales Thursday morning, March 10.

The report on the student auditions for Interlochen, held March 5, was given by the chairman, Mrs Richard Amstutz, who Miss Lyn LeBlond was awarded first place in piano and Brian Campbell won second place for bass.

The date of the May breakfast was changed from May 12 because it conflicts with the state convention to be held in Lansing.

THE PROGRAM of the day was "A Hope of Spring," and the numbers were presented by a recorder group under the direction of Charles Huntington. Members included Mr and Mrs Walter Nichol, Mrs Margaret Woods, Mrs William Richards, Jr. and Mrs Geraldine Pickard.

Huntington related from 1588 to 1632 was the first time poetry and music were composed together. Madrigals were composed during this period.

Recorder music was selected from Fitzwilliam Virginal Book, "Never Weatherbeaten Sail" was sung by Charles Huntington. He was accompanied by his sister, Mrs Geraldine Purcell on the harpsichord.

THIS WAS followed by group singing accompanied by Martha Lundy on the harpsichord which was furnished by Charles Huntington.

Music Week is May 1-7 and it is planned to invite the choirs from all the churches to take part in a hymn sing. The committee appointed includes Mrs Manning Cross, Mrs Duane Davis, Mrs H. O. Lundy, Mrs Lynn Woodbury, Mrs John Caudy and Mrs Herbert DePeal.

It was voted to have a bake sale at the next meeting.

Mrs Devereaux feted at stork shower

Mrs Peggy Devereaux and Mrs Sandy Devereaux hosted a stork shower for Mrs Lois Devereaux Tuesday evening, March 8, at 703 Church Street, St. Johns.

The 28 guests present played luncheon with prizes going to Mrs Thelma Auer, Mrs Lil Hyler and Miss Barbara Brown.

Refreshments were served.

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An Irish Reminder from Queen Candidates

What better way to remind you it's St. Patrick's Day than to show you four sparkling emeralds from O'St. Johns High School? It happens they're four of the half-dozen or more girls who will be competing for the title of Miss St. Johns later this spring. Left to right are Dorothy Evitts, Shirley Johnson, Shirley Daman and Linda Reenes. High school girls 16 and over still have until Friday to sign up at the Chamber of Commerce office in St. Johns for the contest. Over \$200 in merchandise prizes will go to this year's winner.

Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

IT'S A GIRL!

March 9: Teresa Jeanne, Mr and Mrs Eugene Snyder of Owosso (Sylvia Saxton).

March 13: Kelly Sue, Mr and Mrs Michael Pohl of St. Johns (Lavonda Lathrop).

IT'S A BOY!

March 10: Eric David, Mr and Mrs Elwood Rueckert of Lansing (Joan Morgan).

March 11: Rodney Eugene, Mr and Mrs Eugene Oberlander of Ashley (Sharon Matthews).

Some 96,231,500 packages of cigarettes were taxed in December, the Michigan Department of Revenue reports.

St. Pat's dinner to be Saturday

Final plans are being completed for the St. Patrick's Day banquet scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Saturday, March 19, at St. Joseph's school social hall.

The dinner sponsored by St. Joseph's Altar Society will feature Fr Albert Koenigsnecht as guest speaker. He will show slides and speak about Peru.

Tickets must be purchased in advance and will not be available at the door. They can be obtained at Rehmanns, Miller Jones Shoes, Pierce's Bakery, Elster's Market, Mary Frances Shop and the Gamble Store in Fowler.

TICKETS CAN also be purchased from Robert LaBrie, Mrs James Griffin, Fred Meyers, Don Henning and Anthony Kuntz.

Rosekrans-Parks vows repeated in church

Glen M. Parks of Bengal township and Martha E. Rosekrans of Greenbush township were united in marriage Saturday, March 5 in a ceremony at the Congregational Christian Church of Eureka. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev James Barlow of Eureka.

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Announcements

The Entered Apprentice Degree of the Blue Lodge of St. Johns is to be conferred on two candidates Monday, March 21 at 7:30 p.m.

Crepps School News

We have four birthdays in March, Kenneth Berkland, Margy Olger, Barbara Eaton and Bruce Irish. Bruce treated the children and teachers.

There have been two children with perfect attendance in Mrs Tenney's room.

The kindergarten and first grade took home their folders with their work instead of report cards.

Judy Irish has been absent a few days because of an injured leg.

Our two eighth grade girls, Judy Irish and Delores Case wrote tests and registered at the St. Johns high school last Saturday.

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City Brevities

Mrs George Hoerner was admitted as a guest at the Michigan Masonic Home of Alma Wednesday March 16. St. Johns Lodge No. 105 F & AM sponsored her acceptance in the Home. For the past year or more she had been cared for at the Avon Nursing Home of R-1, DeWitt. Mrs Leon Grampton, Mrs Dorothy Steves, and Mrs Joyce Whitlock, were recent visitors of Mrs Hoerner at the nursing home. Mr and Mrs Gayle Vaucaumont, in behalf of local Masonic Lodge, accompanied Mrs. Hoerner to the Masonic Home.

City of St. Johns PUBLIC NOTICES

Notice of Hearing — Zoning Appeal
The appellant property owner request a variance from the width regulation.

Tuesday, April 5, 1966
1:45 p.m.—Municipal Courtroom

DESCRIPTION: Part of Original Plat, Block 88. Corner at a point in the center line of Ottawa St. 2 Rds. N of a line running E and W through the center of Block 88, West to the West line of Sec. 16-7-2, North on said sec. line 147.8 ft. East to the center of Ottawa St., South along center line 9 Rds. to peg. 611 S. Lansing St.

Division of said property would result in a 6.5 ft. deficiency of width regulation.

St. Johns City Zoning Board of Appeals
DONALD H. CLARK
Zoning Administrator

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INTERNATIONAL grain drill, 13-row mounted on rubber in good condition. Stewart Salter, phone 224-4132. 45-1k

A YOUNGSTOWN metal sink cabinet, \$45; wood cupboards, \$45; 30-gal. gas hot water heater \$25; small space heater with blower, \$15. Ph. 224-4262. 47-1p

WEDDING INVITATIONS and announcements. A complete line—printing, raised printing or engraving. Dozens to choose from.—The Clinton County News, phone 224-2361, St. Johns. 53-1f

300 BALES OF straw at 30¢ a bale. Phone Westphalia 587-4074. 47-1p

8 CHURCH pews, 14 ft. long, \$7 each. Verne Upton, R-1, St. Johns. Phone 682-2524. 46-2

MILK VEYOR, 100-ft. hose and dryer. Peter Kurnicz, 3 miles north, 3 miles east of St. Johns. 47-2p

SHERWIN—Williams quality paints and wallpaper. Finkbeiner's Pharmacy, Fowler. 47-1

NORWOOD hay saver now on display at Fedewa Builders, Inc., 5 1/4 miles south of Fowler. Phone 587-4231. Complete line of Norwood mangers and feed banks. Complete line of Behlen farm products and buildings. 39-1f

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STOVE, 1 1/2-year-old refrigerator, dinette set, RCA automatic washer, davenport, chair, 2 end tables, 1 coffee table and 2 lamps, crib and matching chest, 1939 Ford, 283 Chev engine, two 4,000cc scooter tires, small grinder and air compressor. 8106 N. Welling road, Eureka. 47-1p

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SEED—Vernal alfalfa, 99.76% pure, \$20 per bushel. Glenn McNeill, 2 1/2 miles west of Country Club. 46-2p

BALED wheat straw, 40¢ a bale. Jack Waldron, 4 miles north, 3 1/2 miles west of Fowler. Phone 582-3266. 46-2p

FOOTE trailer hitches for sale, \$9.95 plus installation. Willis Hettler Motor Sales, 812 E. State, St. Johns. Phone 224-2311. 26-1f

MANGRAFT field sprayer, new pump, fits John Deere B or A. Rolland Wert, 8584 Hollister road. 47-1p

JET STAR two Moline 3-pt. hitch, live PTO, good condition. Martens Service, phone 627-6093. 46-2

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VERNAL alfalfa, cleaned and tested 99.80%. Bring your bags. Stuart Silman, 5 miles west, 1 mile south, 2 miles west, 1/2 mile south of St. Johns. 47-1p

GIRL'S laminated red wool spring coat, size 6x, like new. Call 224-4186 after 6 p.m. 47-3dh

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POTATOES for sale. St. Johns Onion Farm, 2 1/4 miles north of St. Johns on US-27. 45-1f

CALF STARTER LARRO CALF RAISE now better than ever. Check these savings per calf. On 25-lb. bag of Calf Raise milk replacer mixed with water as prescribed will make 270 pounds of milk replacer solution; a solution that contains the same solids as Holstein milk, plus antibiotic, vitamin, mineral and growth stimulant fortification. Calf Raise prices at \$4.25 per bag will result in a milk replacer solution of only \$1.57 per cwt. Lial Gifford Hatchery, opposite City, Park. 47-1

LIVESTOCK 25 YORKSHIRE feeder pigs. David Huhn, phone 627-6585 after 6 p.m. 47-2p

POLAND CHINA boar, weight approximately 275 lbs. 4 1/2 miles north and 1/2 mile west of Fowler. Donald Schneider, phone 582-2387 after 4:30 p.m. 47-1p

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1958 CHEVROLET Biscayne, 4-door, 2 miles south, 1/2 mile east of Westphalia. Call after 4:30 p.m. Phone 587-4027. 47-1p

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1959 CHEVROLET, 2-door, standard shift. Call 669-7322. 47-1dh

1956 FORD truck with grain rack, in good condition. Don Eastman, third house south of Gower's Hardware, Eureka. Phone 224-3492. 47-1p

1957 CHEVROLET 4-door Bel Air, automatic, radio, good rubber, good running order. Urban Fox, phone Fowler 582-3521. 46-2p

1963 OLDSMOBILE Dynamic 88, 4-door hardtop, power brakes and steering, radio. Excellent condition, \$1450. 704 W. Baldwin. Phone 224-3747 after 5:00. 46-2p

4-BEDROOM country home on one acre of land, ready for remodeling stage. Make me an offer. Phone 224-4262. 47-1p

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SMALL apartment, suitable for 1 or 2 adults. Phone 224-4516. 47-1p

SMALL, nicely furnished 2-bedroom apartment for rent. First floor, street door and utilities paid. 201 S. Mead, phone 224-4036. 47-1f

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Real Estate

One acre with 200-ft. frontage, 100-ft. well; septic tank is in, with or without 4-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. 80 acres 1 mile east of US-27, south of St. Johns, a 11 building, new pole barn, silo, deep well. 6-room home south of Ovid with 3 bedrooms. \$1,000 down. 38 acres with modern 3-bedroom home, 6 miles north of St. Johns. 5 acres of vacant land, zoned commercial. South edge of St. Johns on US-27. Southeast of Ovid, 1 1/4 acres with nearly new 6-room home. 3 bedrooms, basement, 2-car garage, stone front, fireplace. 3-bedroom home, new in 1961, 1 mile northeast of Ovid. 2-car garage. Owner wants larger home. Priced under \$12,000. 120 acres southeast of St. Johns. 101 acres 8 miles northwest of St. Johns. Three 80-acre farms southeast of St. Johns. Have 3 buyers for small farms. With \$4,500 to pay down.

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★ HELP WANTED

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★ CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to express my thanks to my neighbors, relatives and friends for the acts of kindness and cards sent me while in the hospital. They were truly appreciated. Alice L. Sherwin. 47-1p

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WANTED to buy. A building approximately 18'x20' that can be moved. Phone 224-4054. 47-1p

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★ IN MEMORIAM

In fond memory of Vern Fero who passed away on March 16, 1966. God gave us strength to fight it. And courage to heal the blow. But what it mean to lose him. No one will ever know.—The Fero family. 47-1p

★ LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Lady's wrist watch. Call Kam Meyers, 710 South Oakland, phone 224-4760. 47-1

★ LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Two English Setters, one black and white female and one lemon and white male. Reward. Phone 224-7475. A. J. Weseman, 902 S. Lansing. 47-2p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to Drs Kopchick and Smith, the nurses and nurses' aides at Ionia Memorial hospital for their wonderful care. Also to Mrs Hackett, Cook and Lomasiewicz for their visits. To my many friends, relatives and neighbors for their cards, visits and gifts, which also helped to make my birthday so enjoyable while I was in the hospital. Many thanks to all.—Anthony J. Miller. 47-1p

Eureka

By MRS. GORDON WAGGONER, Correspondent

Girl Scouts went to Lansing

The Eureka Junior Girl Scouts Troop 310 spent Saturday afternoon in Lansing visiting at Michigan Historical Commission museum on N. Washington Avenue. Those girls attending were Kathy Eastment, Mona Jean Ferrall, her cousin also a Girl Scout, Linda Wood, Ann Graham, Romona Hubbard, Cindy Lewis, Denise Makara, Gloria and Linda Waggoner, Karen Worden, Kathy and Vicki Zamerron and Rita Wickwire.

Leaders were Mrs Robert Ferrall, Mrs James Graham, Mrs Ronald Hubbard and Mrs Gordon Waggoner.

YOUNG AT HEARTS MET

The Young at Hearts group of the Eureka Congregational Christian Church met at the church last Saturday evening. There were 18 present and all helped clean the church. The worship center has been recently redecorated, the ceilings and halls painted and walls paneled. A new lighted cross was hung at the front of the church. New carpeting is yet to be laid. Refreshments were served at the parsonage.

The topics for Rev Barlow's sermon and sermonette were "Jesus Last Will and Testament" and "Looking Unto Jesus." at the Eureka Congregational Christian Church last Sunday.

Good Friday Services at the Eureka Congregational Christian Church April 8 will begin at 1:30 p.m. The County Line EUBO Church will join with us to hear Dr W. A. Bevier, dean of education of Detroit Bible College. He holds a B A from Drury College, Th. M. and Th. D. in church history from Dallas Seminary and M A in American history from Southern Methodist University.

The annual board of review was held on Monday and Tuesday at the Greenbush Hall this week.

The Local Achievement Night of the 4-H will be held at Smith Hall in St. Johns Thursday March 24, at 7 p.m. 35 members were present last Tuesday evening at the general meeting of the Country Club Corner's 4-H held in the basement of Guy Snyder's home. Final achievement reports were handed out to each of the members.

Monday, March 21, at 8 p.m. Mr Nickels will speak and show the blue prints of the new addition to the Eureka School. This meeting will be at the clinic basement. All are welcome from the Page-Church and Eureka community to attend this meeting.

The Eureka Mother's Club of the Eureka School met last Tuesday evening for their monthly meeting with 10 mothers present. Plans for the Hat Sale were made and plans for a bazaar to be in May were discussed. A committee of three mothers was appointed to work with the officers. The next meeting will be April 4.

The Hat Sale which was held here last Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons and evenings was a success. The profits will go to the Mother's Club.

Mr and Mrs M. J. Ingersoll were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs A. T. Engman of Wyoming. Wednesday Miss Engman will enter St. Marys Hospital in Grand Rapids for surgery.

Mr and Mrs Derrill Shinabery spent Sunday in the home of Mr and Mrs Paul Strouse of Mason. The occasion was Shinabery's birthday. Miss Kathy Truax, Mrs Wava Roberts and Jon Warren of St. Johns accompanied them.

★ LEGAL NOTICES

Final Account Leute—April 20 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

WALTER J. LEUTE, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 20, 1966, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Major Bird, administrator, for allowance of his final account.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. Dated: March 14, 1966

Platur—April 13 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

LEWIS H. PLATUR, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 13, 1966, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Paul C. Platur for appointment of an administrator, and for a determination of heirs.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. Dated: March 11, 1966. Walker & Moore. By: James A. Moore Attorney for Estate of Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 47-3

North Bengal

By Mrs Wm. Ernst

Tuesday evening Mr and Mrs Floyd Foersch and Sandra and John Foersch of Essex, Mr and Mrs Louis Moritz and Kathy of rural Fowler and Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs Edmund Falk and surprised Mrs Falk with a birthday party. Cards and games were in play during the evening and later lunch was served.

Mrs Edna Watamaker was a patient in the Clinton Memorial Hospital from Tuesday until Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Fred W. Paschand and Mrs Erwin Tiedt were Tuesday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Richard Sehlke of Riley.

Mrs Helen Hufnagel of Fowler and Miss Maxine Ernst attended a demonstration party at the home of Mrs William Knight of St. Johns Thursday evening.

Pvt. Robert Tiedt of Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., is spending a furlough with his parents and brother, Mr and Mrs Rudolph Tiedt and Philip. At the conclusion of his leave Roger will report to an air field in Louisiana.

Mrs Lloyd Nequette of Lansing was a Saturday dinner guest of her father, John Foersch and her brother, Mr and Mrs Floyd Foersch and Sandra.

McGonigal Corners

By Mrs John McGonigal

Mr and Mrs Roy Phillips and Mr and Mrs Bill Mangrams, all of Flint, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs William Tarrant of 5097 Clark Road, Bath.

Mr and Mrs William Tarrant were guests Monday afternoon and evening at the home of their son, Ralph and his family of Watson Road, Bath. The highlight of the occasion was a birthday dinner, in honor of William Tarrant and his grandson, Darrel, 6, who is the son of Mr and Mrs Ralph Tarrant.

Chester McGonigal Jr., spent the weekend at home, returning to classes at Adrian College Sunday.

Peter Leland, year old son of Mr and Mrs Leland McGonigal of Spartan Village, was seriously ill and confined in a local hospital last week. He is some better at this writing.

Spring is not far off. Pussy willows are out and one can note the return of many robins.

Mrs William Tarrant has received word of the serious illness of her sister, Mrs Lennie Lancaster, who is in the hospital at Jonesboro, Ark.

Mrs Jessie LeClear, Mrs Charlotte McGonigal and Mrs Jean Baker will be hostesses, at the latter's home, March 21 at 7:30 p.m. for a baby shower honoring Mrs Stanley Baird and the new baby. All ladies of the Bath Baptist Church are invited. Church services of the Bath Baptist Church will be held in the new church building next Sunday, March 19, with the dedication being held a week later, March 26.

The Michigan State Baptist Bible Fellowship was held last Tuesday at Farmington.

Shop in Clinton County.

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for local lumber yard. Must be experienced driver and have some knowledge of lumber.

CENTRAL MICHIGAN LUMBER

St. Johns 45-3

MALE—Automotive parts business, if you have the desire to learn we have the opportunity for you in our training program of the automotive parts business. Contact Mr Carpenter at the Stover Co., 2224 E. Michigan Ave., Lansing, Mich. between 8-9 a.m. 47-4p

MAN FOR pruning fruit trees and light orchard work. Farmers for a few weeks before planting time welcome. Phillips Centennial Orchards, 8 miles north, 3 miles west of St. Johns on Gratiot road. Phone 682-2528. 47-1p

WANTED at once—man or woman to serve Rawleigh customers in St. Johns. Experience unnecessary. Many earning \$100 a month. Write Rawleigh, Dept. MC 593 15, Freeport, Ill. 47-1p

MAN FOR summer work at Highland Hills Golf Course, DeWitt. Phone DeWitt 689-7175 for appointment. 47-1p

MECHANIC to work on all make tractors and equipment. Jerry's Farm Service, Portland, Mich. Phone 647-6904 47-2p

Real Estate

S. Krepps Road—83 acres, 6-room house and bath, nicely decorated, coal fired forced warm air furnace. Some timber, .69 acre tillable, barn, tool shed, granary and work shop. Black top road, school bus by door, grade school 1/4 mile.

Wildcat Road—20 acres, 6-room house needs repair, 2 wells, 3-acre spring fed pond, 3-car shed. Good location, priced to sell. Gas furnace.

Investors Attention—138 acres on S. Lansing and Townsend roads, 9-room house with 5 bedrooms, basement. Barn.

S. Church—3 bedrooms, bath, living room, dining room, newly remodeled kitchen, new carpeting, gas furnace, new roof. Moderate price. Immediate possession. Owner leaving city.

E. Railroad—2 bedrooms, bath, carpeted living room, nice kitchen with stove, refrigerator, washer and dryer. Large lot 189x100. Nicely decorated. Reasonable price.

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Real Estate

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New Listing—N. Ottawa St. 3-bedroom home, basement, corner lot, large shop showing good income. Owner prefers contract sale.

N. Ottawa St.—3 bedrooms basement, gas heat, garage. Terms to be agreed.

3-bedroom home and 5 acres on North DeWitt road. 2-car garage.

New Listing—3 bedrooms, north St. Johns on 1 acre of ground, oil heat and insulated.

N. DeWitt Rd.—Extra nice 2-bedroom ranch home with fireplace, full basement, hot water baseboard heat, plenty of storage, utility room. 1 acre, ideal location. Check this one for quality. Call Tony Hufnagel, 224-3832.

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St. Johns

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Corn, Shelled \$1.19, New White Wheat 1.52, Oats (36 lbs.) .70, Navy Beans .815, Dark Red Kidneys .825, Soybeans 2.68

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Egg Market, Large White .39, Small .22, Medium .33

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Snails have been reported to go as fast as 55 yards per hour.

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Kroger plans sale in remodeled area

The Kroger Co. will hold a grand remodeling sale at its St. Johns store at Southgate Shopping Center next week, in celebration of a new section of the store.

Paul Meador, recent new manager of the store here, said the additional 3,125 square feet on the south side of the building added almost one-third more display area. The total store size is now 13,125 square feet.

THE ENLARGEMENT has resulted in new and larger frozen foods and dairy display areas, expanded produce show cases and an enlarged meat display.

Meador, the new Kroger manager here, came to St. Johns from Three Rivers, where he managed the Kroger store there for eight months. He is a native of Jackson, graduating from East Jackson High School in 1952.

He served in the US Army from 1957 to 1959 after which he began his studies at Michigan State University. He received bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees in 1962 and 1963. He was employed by Kroger throughout his college days.

HE AND HIS wife Delores live at 2011 Livingston Road with their son, David 3.

Meador replaces former Manager Sam Robinson, who was transferred back to Kroger division offices in Grand Rapids.

The enlarging of Meador's store here began about the first of the year, and completion of the

Ashley seniors set play date

ASHLEY - The senior class of Ashley High School has set April 22 as the date for a three-act mystery-comedy, "Washington Never Slept Here." The story concerns a ghost of Washington's aide which is seen by only one person in the cast.

Cast members include Bruce George, Dianne Goward, Dave Polish, Barbara LaClear, Connie Kreck, Lorraine Rose, Nancy Good, Rodney Mills, Joanne Anderson, Phyllis Stasa, Marvin Burk, Janice Cordray, Roger Sadler, Bruce Andersen and Elton Mills.

Maurice Buckingham, class sponsor, will direct the play.



PAUL MEADOR

remodeling is scheduled for April. While the major part of the revisions involved addition of space, the store is also being redecorated with new lighting and shelving, according to H. Arville Ferguson, division vice president.

Maple Rapids By Mrs John Schmidt

Twirlers will dance at homecoming

The Maple Rapids Twirlers had a business meeting March 7, at Don and Maple Upton's home. It was decided the club would dance at the Maple Rapids homecoming July 16.

Friday night, March 11, the St. Johns Hoedown Club came with nine couples and got their banner, other guests were from Bath Shootin' Stars, Swing 'em in Gingham from Dansville and Whirl-a-ways from Lansing.

The decorating committee used a St. Patrick's Day theme.

During the evening three officers of the federation, president, Gordon Fineout; vice president, Lee Reasoner and treasurer, Don Benjamins visited.

Eight couples visited the Cornhuskers of St. Johns Sunday evening March 13. The club welcomes all couples to visit on the second and fourth Friday nights of each month at the Maple Rapids school gym. Wendell Law is the caller.



Hat Sale Held at St. Joseph School

Mrs Kenneth Penix, trying on a hat, is assisted by Mrs Bernard Mankey at the Hat Sale held Tuesday, March 8, at the social hall of St. Joseph's school. Mrs Marvin Harr and Mrs Frank Tomasek hold several other hats for Mrs Penix to try next. The sale was sponsored by St. Mary's Guild of the Altar Society.

THE NEWS in Brief

Gov. George Romney has proclaimed March 27 - April 2 as Future Homemakers of America Week in Michigan. . . . The Bengal Township Dump will be open Saturdays from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. for residents of Bengal, Bingham, Riley and Dallas townships and the villages of Fowler and Westphalia. . . .

community College choir which sang at Pewamo-Westphalia, Elsie and Laingsburg high schools and others in Central Michigan last week on the choir's annual spring tour. The local singers are Barbara Deibert, Dan Findlay and James Hynes. . . .

North Star Lines of Grand Rapids, which operates a bus service through St. Johns, has added three new Luxury Liner high level buses to its fleet. The new buses feature two passenger levels in which the front 12 seats are tiered theater style, allowing passengers to see over those in front. . . . Gov. Romney has proclaimed the week of April 17-23 as Service Opportunity Week in Michigan and has announced he will sponsor a statewide conference of community service organization members on April 18

The call has gone out to regional chairmen of Michigan Week for 240 nominations for the state's 10 volunteer leadership awards of 1966. Each chairman is asked to nominate 15 individuals who as volunteers have performed civic service of the greatest value to their communities and the state. The regional chairmen will make the selections in collaboration with their county chairmen. . . .

Robert Woodman, elementary principle of DeWitt Public Schools, attended the annual state convention of the Michigan Association of Elementary School Principals recently at Grand Rapids. Nearly 1,000 principals attended the three-day meeting. Highlighting the convention were staged "courtroom" debates on current controversial issues in education, including evaluation of teachers, certification, tenure and negotiations for administrators and innovations in curriculum. . . .

Three St. Johns students are members of the Lansing Com-

South Watertown By Mrs Bruce Hodges

Mrs Vaughan Montgomery entertained 12 ladies Saturday at a surprise birthday party honoring Mrs John Morrow of Wacousta. Bingo was played and a group gift was presented to the honored guest.

Vernon Jones is seriously ill at St. Lawrence Hospital with pneumonia.

The Hobby Circle met at Woodhaven Center Tuesday evening with 14 members and three guests present. Favorite cookie recipes were exchanged. Refreshments were coffee and cookies.

Mr and Mrs Walter Fedewa of Portland and Mr and Mrs Lewis Lonier were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Fedewa.

The Southern Owls Farm Bureau Group held its regular meeting Wednesday evening at the Farm Bureau office in St. Johns. Mr and Mrs Bruce Hodges, Mr and Mrs Vaughan Montgomery and Mr and Mrs Herbert Hardtke were Sunday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Burl Hodges of Lansing.

Surprise retirement dinner held

Feb. 20 at 1:30 p. m. a surprise retirement dinner was held at the Municipal hall of St. Johns, to honor Delbert Roper of Frankfort.

Roper retired to his cherry farm after 46 years of railroad work. Two years with the Pennsylvania (the "P" Co. as rail-roaders call it) at Cadillac, and 44 years with the Ann Arbor at Cadillac and Frankfort. He worked on every round house job from laborer to machinist and foreman.

The dinner given by his children was attended by two daughters, Mrs Joyce Havens of St. Johns and Mrs Arlene Groesser of Frankfort and five sons, Delbert of Lansing, Richard of Grand Rapids, Klieh of Frankfort, Robert of Sunfield and Marvin of Wurtsmith Air Force Base, Oscoda. A son, Gene of Salem, Ore., was unable to attend. Two sisters, Mrs Eva Bloomquist of Kalamazoo and Mrs Josephine Hooker of Flint, 24 of his grandchildren and one great-grandchild, also attended.

Other guests arrived from Lansing, East Lansing, Clio, Gaylord, Cadillac, Flint and Tip-ton, Ind.

Michigan travel events

The West Michigan Home Show at Grand Rapids March 21-26 and the Home Builders and Furnishings Show at Traverse City March 23-26 are the only two events listed for travelers in the next week by the Michigan Tourist Council.

OIL SIPHONED OFF
Cutter Oil Co. on North US-27 reported some one siphoned off about 30 gallons of No. 1 fuel oil from an outside barrel at the company's St. Johns station either Friday or Saturday.



ROBERT VOLLBRACHT

Vollbracht wins UM frosh prize

Robert L. Vollbracht, son of Mr and Mrs Leonard Vollbracht of 102 S. Oakland Street, St. Johns, has been named a winner of the William J. Branstrom Freshman Prize at the University of Michigan.

The recognition of scholastic achievement is given to the upper 7 per cent of the freshman class in the respective school or college on the campus. The award is a book bearing the U of M seal in gold and having a special bookplate; students have an opportunity to choose from a list of books.

Presentation of the prizes will be made at a special honors convocation April 1. Vollbracht was valedictorian of the St. Johns High School Class of 1965.

Publicity chairmen for clubs and other organizations are encouraged to notify the Clinton County News about three weeks prior to upcoming special events. This allows time for adequate news coverage of the event and time for setting up advance publicity pictures, should the event warrant them. Call 224-2361.

Tippling terriers

Tippling terriers may really be going to the dogs, reports a Chicago veterinarian. Although alcoholic canines are not always the fault of their owners, most mutts that become addicted were introduced to social drinking by their owners. "These animals," says Dr Harry W. Boothe, "begin innocently when their owners—usually showoffs themselves—give them beer in a saucer."

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9-Pc. Modern Set—42x60" extends to 84" in walnut plastic and bronztone. 8 harmonizing vinyl chairs. **\$119.00**

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Dick Fenner, Produce Manager points with pride to his newly expanded produce show cases which will feature an expanded line of fresh-dated guaranteed produce.

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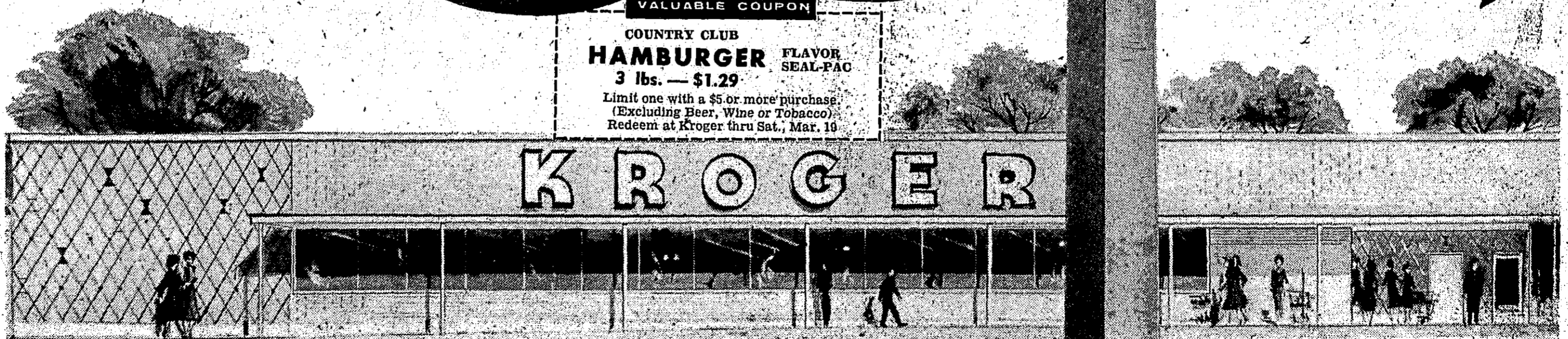
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St. Johns High School 4th honor roll announced

Here is the honor roll for the period ending March 4 at St. Johns High School. Freshmen and seniors both placed 67 students on the honor roll, while juniors numbered 60 and the sophomores 40.

SENIORS — Linda Austin, Robert Barber, David Barker, Ronald Barton, Cayle Beagle, Roger Beebe, Sally Boni, Corn Soldey, Patricia Burham, Sharon Calder, Tom Ann Corwell, Margaret Cortright, Delia Davis, Gloria DeGier, Sharon Deveraux, Susan Diehl, Susan Durrer, Ron Dush, George Enoch, Linda

Fisk, Maureen Fiegler, Judy Fowler, Conita Hall, Joan Hill, Candice Helbeck, David Hill, Nancy Hoerner, John Hospodar, Janet Houser, Joanne Howell, Ryan Hudson, Dick Irwin, Alan Johnson, Marlis Kelly.

Wayne King, Jeanne Kopp, Elyse Krebal, Beth Ann Kurpija, Ann LeBlond, James Leonard, Christine Light, Barbara Mackay, Thomas McKenzie, Diana McCalden, Nancy Maggie, Kathy Marten, Karen Melner, Robert Ortwain, Michael Pung, Michael Rademacher, Theodore Rahl, Linda Rasdale, Jean Schaefer,

Mary Beth Sexton, James Smit, Elliott Smith, Laverne Sutfin, Mary Jane Thelen, Larry Tiedt, James Upham, Agnes Vitke, Anna Volstney, Betty Wadell, Kathryn Wood, Pamela Woodbury, James Welsh and Dennis Worrall.

JUNIORS — Barbara Anderson, Val Bartholomew, Kathy Bashore, Douglas Bizzard, Linda Bolmer, Melody Bowen, John Burnham, Brian Campbell, Phyllis Case, Jon Cleveland, Kathleen Corwin, Deanne Dick, Darlene Dodway, Duane Downing, Margaret Eldridge, Dorothy

Evitts, Janet Geller, Veronica Glowacki, Diana Griffith Sharon Hall, Leora Hallead, Thomas Harper, Monica Hata, Sharon Howe, Alberta Jumper, Patricia Krider, Elaine Kuntz, Theodore Lietzke, Richard Liszewski, Linda Lounds, Nancy MacLackie.

Amy Maggie, Dale Mayers, Carla Mojs, Marilyn Mote, Tom Nemcik, Carol Paks, Janice Parks, Pamela Parks, Marcia Parr, Linda Rademacher, Janet Rogers, Karen Rumbach, Sandra Schleifer, Diana Sillman, Suzanne Sillman, Janice Smit, Nancy Siefert, Jeff Stewart, Charles Stock-

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TOOTHBRUSHES 2 for 49¢ Redeem at Kroger thru Sat., March 19, 1966. G-21

Rochester Colony

"Kick off" dinner for cancer drive set for March 28

During the month of March, to open the annual cancer drive, "kick-off" dinners will be held throughout the state.

Mrs. Raymond Thornton, chairman of the Duplain Township Cancer Drive, will be in Detroit, March 15, as a representative from Clinton County.

Mrs Showers gave program for Duplain WSCS

Mrs. Gordon Showers presented the program on "The Cross" before members of the Duplain Methodist WSCS, in the home of Mrs. George Libby, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Raymond Thornton presented for the business meeting when a "Love Offering" was collected, to be sent to the Retired Missionaries and Deacons Fund.

Mrs Risley hosted Colony Hobby Club

Mrs. Robert Risley of Birmingham Road, hosted an all day meeting of the Colony Hobby Club, March 12.

With a cooperative dinner at noon, the members, with a perfect attendance, worked on their individual knitting projects.

CROP powder milk from Ovid

50,000 pounds of non-fat milk powder shipped by CROP from Ovid, in December arrived in Tanzania Jan. 18. Russell M. Harter, Michigan CROP, received a letter from Harold F. Miller, secretary for relief and service, Christian Council of Tanzania, telling of the arrival of the milk and its use, and another letter from Malcolm J. McVeigh, director of material aid, Congo, regarding shipment of 120,000 pounds of Michigan beans received by Congo Church World Service.

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5¢ Off Label—3.75-oz. wt. tube GUE TOOTHPASTE	59¢	44¢	For Dry Hands—12½ fl. oz. bil. JERGENS LOTION	\$1.00	83¢
Antiseptic—7 fl. oz. bil. LISTERINE	69¢	46¢	Doodard—4oz. wt. can RIGHT GUARD	\$1.00	79¢
Special Label—6½ fl. oz. bil. HALO SHAMPOO	71¢	60¢	Stainless Steel Double Edge pkg. of 10 PERSONNA BLADES	\$1.45	99¢
2½¢ Off Label—10 fl. oz. bil. WOODBURY SHAMPOO	\$1.00	67¢	Peppermint—5-oz. wt. tube TOOTHPASTE	75¢	59¢
Schick Double Edge—pkg. of 5 Stainless Steel BLADES	98¢	67¢	Large Size—5-oz. wt. tube CREST TOOTHPASTE	79¢	62¢

KROGER BAKED Cracked Wheat RAISIN BREAD

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Choc. Milk Quart **19¢**

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14-oz. wt. bil. KROGER CATSUP 6 for \$1

1-lb. 1-oz. can PEAS or CORN 6 for \$1

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Kroger — 1-lb. can KROGER PEACHES 5 for \$1

Kroger — 1-lb. 1-oz. can SMALL PEAS 5 for \$1

Kroger — 1-lb. 1-oz. can FRUIT COCKTAIL 5 for \$1

Kroger — 1-lb. 3-oz. pkg. CAKE MIXES 4 for \$1

1½-lb. bottle KROGER CATSUP 4 for \$1

Kroger Peaches or — 1-lb. 13-oz. can AVONDALE PEARS 3 for \$1

Country Club — 2-lb. pkg. CHEESE FOOD 2 for \$1

SPOTLIGHT Coffee 3-lb. bag **59¢**

1-lb. bag **69¢**

FRENCH BRAND COFFEE 2-lb. bag **1.35**

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15¢ Off Label GOLD WATER SURF Imperial MARGARINE 3-lb. 2-oz. pkg. **59¢**

1-lb. pkg. 37¢

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KROGER ICE MILK Redeem at Kroger thru Sat., March 19, 1966. G-13

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EVER-READY COCOA Redeem at Kroger thru Sat., March 19, 1966. G-15

1¢ 4-oz. bil. 61¢ Mrs. Butterworth's SYRUP 1½-pt. bil. **73¢**





"You will come to the center of the stage and pause," Mrs McKay tells the models. In the back row are Mrs R. V. Padgett, Mike McKay, Delia Davis and Roy Davis. The younger models are Polly Bashore, Alex MacKinnon, Michelle Rehmann, Elizabeth MacKinnon, Doug Kuripla and Marie Woodbury.

CLINTON COUNTY NEWS PAGE for Women ... AND MEN, TOO

Medley of Spring Fashions to be presented Mar. 24

How much work goes into a style show? How many long hours does it take? Unless you or a member of your family have worked on a style show committee the hours spent in preparing for such a show would be hard for you to believe.

Mrs Jay McKay, chairman of the Music Boosters' style show set for Thursday, March 24, said the plans for the show began almost with the final curtain of last year's show.

"THE ACTUAL leg-work began last month," she said.

This is not Mrs McKay's first experience with a style show as she was last year's chairman. Mrs McKay was also president of the Music Boosters' last year.

This year she again holds the same position.

The style show this year, Medley of Spring Fashions, is scheduled for 8 p.m. next Thursday in the high school auditorium. About a dozen merchants will show their fashions and all the beauty shops in St. Johns are participating.

SERVING AS co-chairmen and narrators are Mrs James Crosby and Mrs Myron Humphrey.

In charge of the publicity is Mrs Howard Woodbury.

Mrs Joseph Spousta has charge of the tickets.

On the planning committee are Mrs Robert Peck, Mrs Charles Kuripla and Mrs Eldon LeBlonde.

In charge of the make-up is Mrs Robert Cox.

MODELING some of the fashions are Mrs R. V. Padgett, Mrs Keith Shafley, Mrs Ronald Helbeck, Roy Davis, Mrs John Anderson, Mrs Walter Cole, Mrs Dale Robinson, Mrs Bruce Bacon, Mrs John Romig, Mrs Paul Tarr, Mrs Richard Cornwell, Mrs Lawrence Merignac, Mrs Kenneth Harper, Mrs Lawrence Sexton, Mrs John O'Leary, Mrs Fred Green, Gordon Vandermark and Robert Cox.

CHILDREN and teenage models include Monica Hata, daughter of Mr and Mrs Michael Hata; Lexa Swatman, daughter of Mr and Mrs Forrest Swatman; Della Davis, daughter of Mr and Mrs Roy Davis; Jim Smit, son of Mr and Mrs James Smit; Doug Peck, son of Mr and Mrs Robert Peck; Michelle Rehmann, daughter of Mr and Mrs Norbert Rehmann; Marie Woodbury, daughter of Mr and Mrs Howard Woodbury; Sandy Kramer, daughter of Mr and Mrs Lewis Kramer; Douglas Kuripla, son of Mr and Mrs Charles Kuripla; Dean Cronkrite, son of Mr and Mrs Richard Cronkrite; Lynette Crosby, daughter of Mr and Mrs James Crosby; Elizabeth MacKinnon, daughter of Mr and Mrs Fraser MacKinnon; Rita Redman, daughter of Mr and Mrs Gale Redman and Marcia Parr, daughter of Mr and Mrs Raymond Parr.

OTHER YOUNG models are Janean Geller, daughter of Mr and Mrs Vincent Geller; Kathy Nuser, daughter of Mr and Mrs James Nuser; Dottie Jenkins, daughter of Mr and Mrs Lester Jenkins; Sandra Murphy, daughter of Mr and Mrs Bruce Murphy; Patty O'Leary, daughter of Mr and Mrs John O'Leary; Mike McKay, son of Mr and Mrs Jay McKay; Pat Harper, daughter of Mr and Mrs Kenneth Harper; Randy Humphrey, son of Mr and Mrs Myron Humphrey; Steve Gregory, son of Mrs Betty Gregory; Alex MacKinnon, son of Mr and Mrs Fraser MacKinnon; Robert Rehmann, son of Mr and Mrs John Rehmann; Barb McKay, daughter of Mr and Mrs Jay McKay; Polly Bashore, daughter of Mr and Mrs Larry Bashore; Kay Hendershot, daughter of Mrs Esther Hendershot; Sharon Devereaux, daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert Devereaux and Rhonda Lewis, daughter of Mr and Mrs Lloyd R. Lewis.

TICKETS CAN BE obtained from participating merchants or any music student. The proceeds will be used to help send the band to the Tulp Festival in Holland.

Michigan railroads have a payroll of around \$150 million and employ about 20,000 people.



Parents of the younger models are given last minute instructions by Mrs McKay. Polly and her mother, Mrs Bashore; Michelle and her mother, Mrs Rehmann; Mrs MacKinnon and her son, Alex (standing behind her) and her daughter, Elizabeth; Mrs Kuripla; Marie Woodbury; Douglas Kuripla and his father Charles Kuripla, listen.

Catholic bishops' relief fund appeal this week

Catholics in the Lansing deanery are joining with Catholic parishes throughout the nation in the 20th annual appeal for the Catholic Bishops' Overseas Relief Fund during the week of March 13-20.

The annual national fund finances the work of Catholic Relief Services - National Catholic Welfare Conference in carrying out the massive health, education and welfare program of the church in its overseas relief.

It is the largest overseas relief program in the world conducted under voluntary auspices, and in 1965 involved distribution of aid to more than 80 countries

and areas in Europe, Asia, Africa and Latin America.

MSGR. HERMAN P. Fedewa of St. Mary's Cathedral, Lansing, is the diocesan director of this year's appeal. Funds will be solicited at all masses on Laetare Sunday, March 20.

Lansing deanery director of the appeal is Rev Vincent A. DeLorenzo, St. Thomas Aquinas Church, East Lansing. Last year's appeal in the Lansing diocese drew \$90,000 in contributions. Of this amount, \$11,800 was contributed by school children of the diocese.

Part of the funds of the drive are used for the shipping of clothes received in the annual Thanksgiving clothing collection, which nation-wide in 1965 amounted to more than 10,000 tons of clothing and shoes (more than 25 million articles).

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This is rice week

By HELEN MEACH Extension Home Economist

For most Americans rice is not the key to survival but part of our heritage of plenty and multiple choices for breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Popular forms of rice on the grocery shelf include white milled rice, parboiled rice and rice seasoned with spices and herbs. Enriched rice must have thiamin, niacin and iron added. To avoid wasting nutrients do not wash rice before or after cooking.

IN OUR country the use of rice is increasing because of our rising population and the rising popularity of rice in family meals. New rice products and greater use of rice by the breakfast cereal industry also contributes to increased domestic rice consumption.

For about 1,100 million people rice is practically the whole diet, nearly all of their agriculture and most of their hopes.

With the goal of updating rice production to help alleviate hunger, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations designated 1966 as International Rice Year.

The United States is participating in the observance. Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman has announced that the US Department of Agriculture is supporting the event with a large number of activities in cooperation with the US rice industry.

IN 23 COUNTRIES special efforts will be made to use water more skillfully, to plant improved rice seed, increase the use of fertilizer, to mechanize where possible and to develop disease and pest control programs.

If you're looking for a special fruit and rice recipe, try the following for a sure to please dessert.

RASPBERRY RICE A L'AMANDE

- 1 cup uncooked rice
- 2 cups water
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 pint heavy cream, whipped (1 cup)

A total of 200 million acres See RICE WEEK page 5-B

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- SWIFT'S PREMIUM PROTEIN T-BONE STEAK lb. \$1.09

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1-lb. 3-oz. Pkg.

25¢

Buttermilk Biscuit, Honey Date Muffin, Corn Muffin, Pie Crust

JEFFY MIXES

8 to 9-oz. Wt. Pkg.

9¢

37c VALUE—MARTHA MAC LOW FAT

SALAD DRESSING

Qt. Jar

29¢

19c VALUE—EBERHARD'S WHITE, YELLOW or PINK—8 1/2" x 9 1/2"

FACIAL TISSUE

200-ct. 2-ply Pkg.

14¢

BIG E SPECIAL COUPON



15c VALUE—PET CANNED MILK 1 1/4 Fl. Oz. Can

10¢

LIMIT 3 PLEASE—WITH \$5 FOOD PURCHASE COUPON GOOD THRU SAT., MAR. 19

SAVE UP TO 21c—BOOTH FROZEN

FAMILY FISH STICKS 1 1/2 lbs. OR FISH STEAKS 2-lb. Pkg.

88¢

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BIG E SPECIAL COUPON



19c VALUE—3c OFF LABEL JELL-O WHIP N' CHILL VANILLA LEMON CHOC. or STRAW. 3 1/4-oz. Wt. Pkg.

10¢

LIMIT 2 PLEASE—WITH \$5 FOOD PURCHASE COUPON GOOD THRU SAT., MAR. 19

U.S. NO. 1

YELLOW ONIONS 3 lb. Bag 19¢

CRISP CARROTS 2 1-lb. Cello Bags 25¢

CRISP FIRM CABBAGE lb. 10¢

TASTY SEMI-BONELESS

HAMS

88¢

Kraft Natural

Swiss Cheese Slices . . . 88c

Assorted Flavors

Royal Gelatin . . . 3-oz. Wt. Pkg. 5c

49c Value—Country Fresh Half and Half . . . Qt. Ctn. 39c

89c Value—Aristocrat Chocolate Mint Flake Ice Cream . . . Half Gal. 69c

Reg. 6 for 55c Heath Ice Cream Bars 6 for 49c

23c Value—Three Diamond Mandarin Oranges . . . 11-oz. Wt. Can 19c

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Shepardsville

By MRS. IRA BIRMINGHAM, Correspondent

The regular meeting of the Shepardsville Church Men's Club is Monday evening, March 21, at the church with potluck supper at 7:30 p.m. Plan now to attend and hear one of Michigan's outstanding lay authorities on "Early American." Clyde Anderson of St. Johns will speak about "Tools and Their Usage of Early Man."

The Berean Circle of the Shepardsville WSCS is to meet this Thursday evening at Mrs. Dale Squiers with Mrs. Robert Henderson having the program. Sam Sherwood and son, Jerry, Dale Squiers and his son, Roger, Robert Henderson and Dick, and Clare Alderman with son, Thomas, of the Shepardsville congregation attended the Father-Son banquet Thursday evening at the Price Methodist Church.

Avery Squiers returned home Wednesday from Clinton Memorial Hospital at St. Johns, following surgery.

Mrs. Max Walasek Sr. Sunday came home from Clinton Memorial Hospital at St. Johns, after a week of observation and tests. Mrs. Muriel Newcombe and Julie of DeWitt spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Albert Pellow. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carter Rosenberg, of Lansing who just returned from a Florida trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Dietrich and family had dinner Sunday with Mrs. R. C. Dietrich. Later, the guests and hostess all went to the Lansing Museum.

Mrs. Ed Orweller of Fowlerville visited Mrs. Paul Orweller and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith and children were guests Friday evening for ice cream and cake at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Joe Bancroft and family of Alma. They all wished Joe a happy birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Torry and their two girls of Detroit were Saturday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Komives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Erickson and their family, except for Cathy, were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hughson and sons.

Henry Bendt and children and Mr. and Mrs. Don Bendt and family, all from St. Johns were Sunday dinner guests of the senior Henry Bendts.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palen Sr. Sunday had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Baker and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Bashlier of Chapin were Wednesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wisner.

Mrs. Louis Hines accompanied her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hines Sunday to East Detroit, where they spent the day with Mrs. Louis Hines and son-in-law, Otto Harment and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Allen and two children of Charlotte were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palen Jr. and sons.

Pfc. Robert Walter of Fort Knox, came Tuesday to spend several days with his wife, Shirley in Lansing and with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Walter Sr. and girls, before he leaves for Vietnam.

Dinner guests Sunday at the Lawrence Walter Sr. home were the Sr. Vern Lyons of St. Johns and the Robert Walters.

Misses Sallie and Patsy Cramer, and the Misses Annetta and Robin Hill, all from Ovid, spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. Oral Elliott and Mrs. Clara Varco spent Saturday with Mrs. Elliott.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bancroft and children were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Walker and baby of Elsie.

Monday visitors of the Joe Bancrofts were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rademacher and Frank McCullough and Mrs. Rosie Myers and Duane, all from St. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richmond of Houghton Lake called Saturday on the William Kecks, en route home from a Florida trip.

Mr. and Mrs. William Keck and Willis Kosht, Sunday, were in Saginaw as dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Kosht and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Dietrich and Duane Sunday evening were at Corunna visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Apsey Sr.

Mrs. Carl Valance, of rural St. Johns was a Thursday afternoon visitor of Mrs. Oral Elliott.

Sunday evening callers of the Rex Bakers and sons were Miss Nancy Walter, Pam Walter, and Mrs. Robert Walter of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Heinze of Bannister were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wisner.

Mrs. Richard Hebel was in Saginaw, Sunday afternoon, visiting her mother, Mrs. J. C. Bastien.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Allen and children of Charlotte, with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palen Jr., Greg and Grant, Sunday afternoon viewed the sugar bush operation, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Baker and sons, as it was worked in the 'good old days' and were served some of the syrup and maple wax.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Personious and their daughter, Ellen, moved from the Huss house on North Shepardsville Road, to the Conley Mead tenant house, on N. Watson Road Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Kelly moved this past weekend from the former Archie Miller farm on N. Upton Road to the former Mikesell farm near Shepardsville, which they purchased.

Mrs. Chandler Gleason and Mrs. Karl Smith went with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson Saturday to attend the funeral of a cousin, Maurice Wilson at a Charlotte funeral home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Witt and children of Lansing were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. August Witt and family. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Prost and family and Miss Janice Gendrum, all from Lincoln Park, were Sunday afternoon visitors of the August Witts and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowles and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Das bowled Sunday afternoon at Lyvonia and had supper at the Bavarian Inn in Frankenmuth.

Mrs. Bertha Squiers returned home on Colony Road from a week's treatment at Clinton Memorial Hospital at St. Johns.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Eger Sr. were Saturday evening visitors of Mrs. Joe Palsco and Ernie.

Mr. and Mrs. William Colongue of Pettibone Lake were visitors Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wyrick and children. In the evening, the Colongues were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Madison Wyrick, Roger and Kristina.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonel Bensinger of West Elsie were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bensinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Lowry and daughter of Lowell were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cutler and Duane.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Nunemaker of Maple Rapids were Tuesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Birmingham. Other visitors during the week of the Birmingham were Mr. and Mrs. Steven Komives, Judson Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kaufman Sr. and Grover Nethaway.

Mrs. Don Brinkerhoff of Clare had supper Wednesday with her father, William Keck and Mrs. Keck.

Rice week . . .

Continued from page 4-B
 1/4 cup sliced almonds.
 2 packages (10 ounces each) frozen raspberries, thawed.

Combine rice, water, salt and 2 tablespoons sugar. Bring to a boil once, cover. Reduce heat and simmer 14 minutes, or until tender. Remove from heat; stir in vanilla. Cool. Add remaining 2 tablespoons sugar to the whipped cream. Fold whipped cream and almonds into cooled rice. Alternate rice mixture and raspberries in serving dishes. Makes 6 to 8 servings. Variation: Instead of raspberries use strawberries, blueberries, frozen or fresh or your favorite fresh fruit in season.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 19

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- These tools are in very good condition. No jewelry wagon!
- 1964 Case self-propelled special combine with pickup reel, chopper and all bean equipment
- 1950 Case 700 tractor, 1700 hours with M and W kit, wide front
- IHC Super C, 1954 tractor, wide and narrow front, 4-row cultivator, with 4-row bean puller
- 1962 Case 4-14-in. semi-mounted trip bottom plow
- 1950 Ford 8N tractor
- 1962 Dodge truck, 6 new tires, with 1959 Perfection 15-ton twin cylinder, hoist, new grain box, with steel floor, 13-ft.
- 1961 Keweenaw 11-ft. transport disc
- 1962 Case 12-ft., 3-section drag
- 1959 Case 3-section rotary hoe, 3-point or tongue drawn
- 1963 IHC 4-row No. 40 bean and beet planter, plastic box
- 1962 Brillion 12-ft. cultipacker
- 1960 gravity box, McCurdy, with Massey 3-ton wagon
- 1963 Case 8-ft. blade, 1950 Case 100 rake
- 1963 Ames 2-row bean windrower
- 1965 32-ft. Mayrath auger, 8-in., with 9-hp Briggs and Stratton engine
- Mower, Cyclone grass seeder, cylinders, IHC 16-hoe drill
- 1960 Wheel Horse lawn mower, with new 5-hp engine
- New 2000-crate Behlen crib; Lincoln 180-amp welder
- Few other small articles

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Auctioneer: Ben Glardon, 6670 E. Juddville Road, Corunna—Phone 743-4142
Owosso Savings Bank, Clerk

AUCTION SALE

Hath John Deere inventory reduction auction 2 miles west of Owosso on M-21, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 24—11:00 a.m.

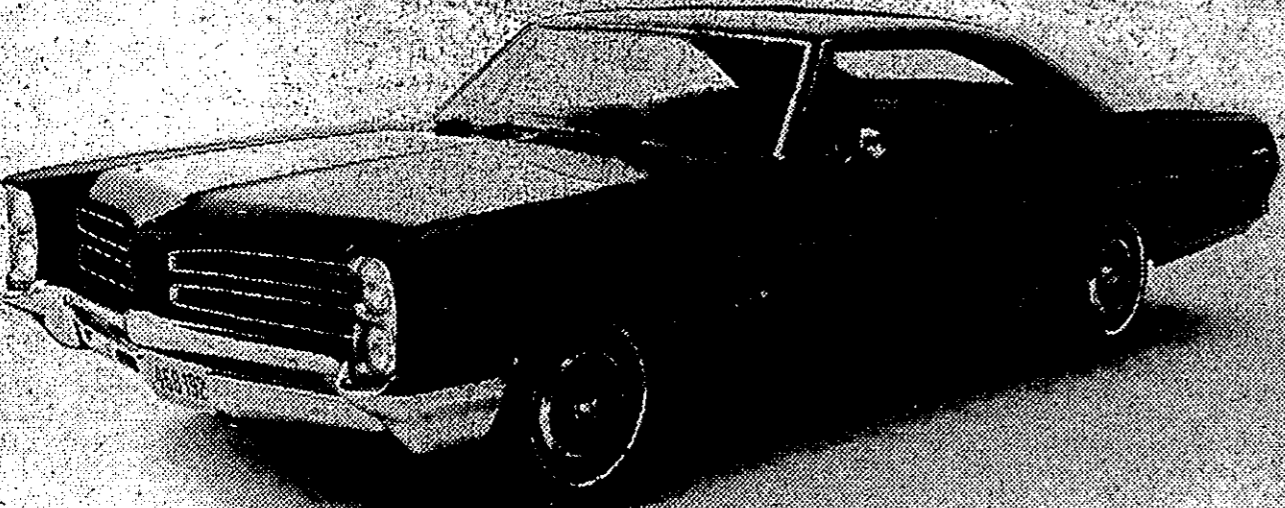
Lunch on Grounds

Every tractor or tool which warrants a guarantee will be given a written sixty-day fifty-fifty guarantee. Nearly all tractors are ready for field work. It will be worth your time to look these over!

- 1965 John Deere Model 4020 diesel tractor, power shift, power steering, fully equipped, demonstrator
- 1961 John Deere Model 3010 tractor, new rubber all around, good
- 1956 John Deere Model 620 tractor
- Two 1954 John Deere Model 70 tractors, good rubber
- Two 1954 John Deere Model 50 tractors, good rubber all around
- John Deere Model G tractor, just overhauled, 2 John Deere Model B tractors
- 1952 John Deere R tractor; John Deere Model A0 tractor
- 1959 IHC Model 560 tractor, power steering, torque amplifier, had 4-row front end cultivator
- 1958 AC, WD tractor, Model 45, diesel, wide front, new rubber all around
- 1955 AC WD tractor, Model 45, gas, wide front
- 2 AC WC tractors, one with cultivator
- AC Model B tractor, new rubber and 2-row cultivator
- Ford 800 tractor; 2 Massey-Harris tractors, 44 and 33 F-12 tractor nad cultivator
- Ford Ferguson with loader and front end pump
- John Deere KBA 14-ft. disc, all reconditioned
- John Deere 12-ft. spring tooth, new Brillion 9-ft. cultipacker; Brillion rotary hoe
- John Deere JBA 6-ft. disc
- John Deere 60-H PTO blower and pipe, new
- John Deere 8-ft. field cultivator, new
- John Deere 898, 5-bar rake, rubber mounted teeth, new
- John Deere 68, 2-wheel auger wagon, PTO, new
- John Deere 490 corn planter
- 2 John Deere 127, 1-row pickers, mounted for 3010 or 3020
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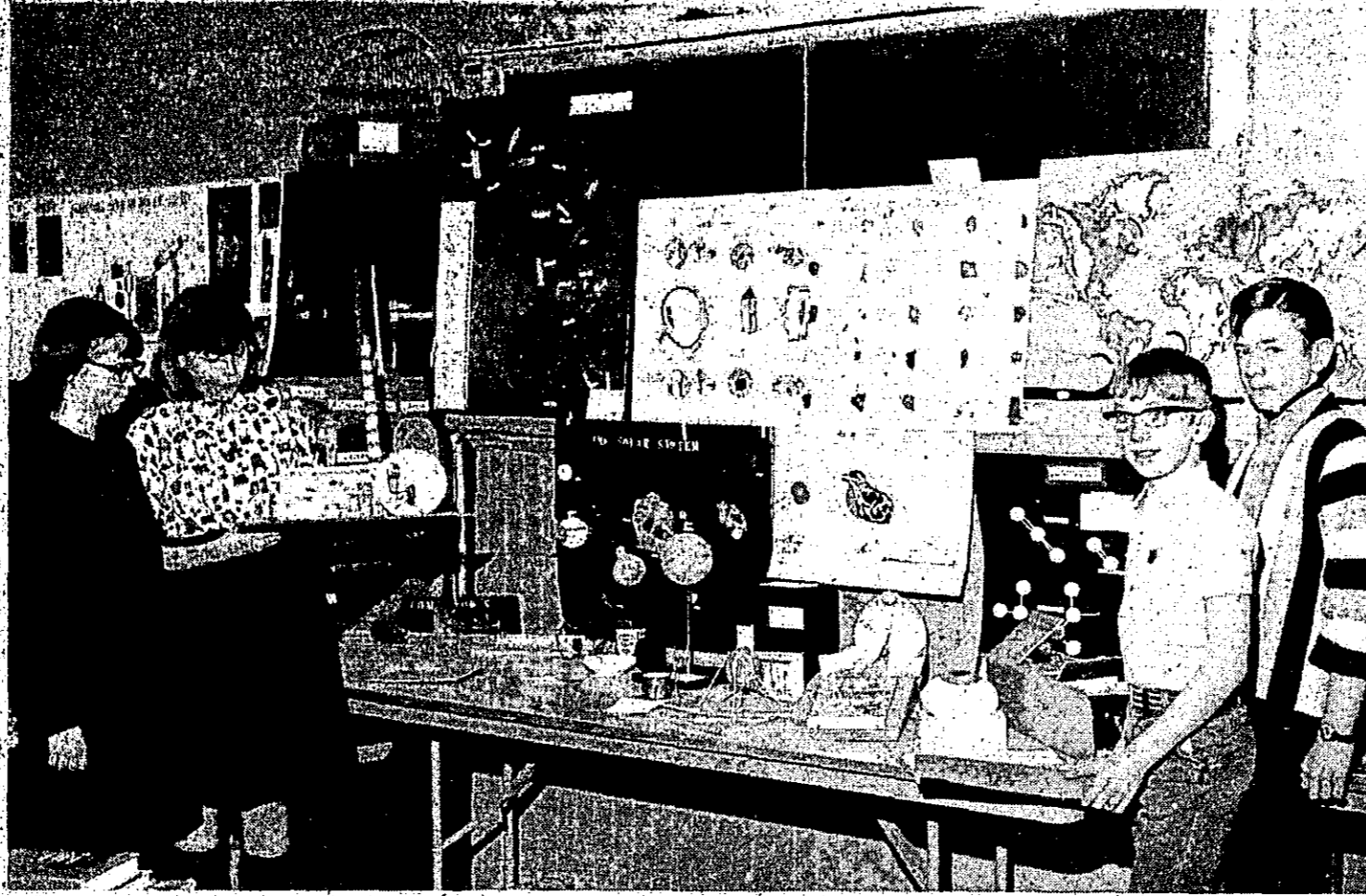
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Youth Show Science Projects in Junior High

Karen Kohls, Joyce Zell, Gary Haynes and Blaine Stevens look over some of the exhibits at the annual "Science Fair" in the junior high at Central School. Science teacher Ray Ebert said 102 projects were entered by seventh and eighth graders, and about 20 of them will be entered in the Lansing Youth Talent Exhibit. Reasons for the annual science fair at the Central School are to stimulate scientific thought, inquire in subject matter, utilize subject matter and materials, show talent and as a learning process.

Medicare discussed at Senior Citizens meet

Over 200 persons accepted the invitation of Clinton County Senior Citizens to attend the regular meeting March 8 which was devoted to the question of medicare.

One hundred ate dinner at tables decorated by Mrs. Elsie Exsby, in keeping with St. Patrick's Day.

Miss Margaret Jacobson, home management specialist from MSU, spoke about "Living Life in Full Measure." Using flannel board and cards she built a measuring cup explaining the ingredients for a full life. These ingredients are health, enough money, suitable housing, satisfying activities, which should be challenging, good relationships and helpful attitudes; she added drops of humor, sorrow and joy. The final ingredient to round out the cup of life to the full is contentment.

JOSEPH SELLA, field representative for the Social Security Administration, then explained medicare. He emphasized all persons over 65 should sign up before March 31, explaining that even though they have other insurance they will lose some coverage if they fail to do so because the insurance companies will not cover what medicare does. They will probably supplement it. If they sign up now but later find that their insurance company will cover them satisfactorily they can cancel medicare before July 1 without having to pay the \$3. Those not receiving social security must file an application with the Social Security Administration. If you are 65 or older you must sign up before March 31 if your 65th birthday was after Jan. 1, 1966, your first enrollment period runs for

seven months beginning with the third month immediately before the month you reach 65 and ending three months after the month you are 65. For example, if you reach 65 in February you may sign up any time between the preceding Nov. 1 and the following May 31. You will have protection as soon as you reach 65 only if you apply during the three-month period just before the month in which you reach 65.

Sella's talk was followed by a question and answer period. Theodore Brooke, the captain for this area in the drive, assisted Sella in the work of signing up persons.

Osgood Funeral Home loaned the loudspeaker for the meeting. AT THE BUSINESS meeting Chairman Hill announced a meeting March 15 at the Clare Street Union hall in Lansing. Miss McCullough from the State Department will give a talk.

It was voted unanimously that all senior citizens will bring their own tea or coffee and trimmings as there will no longer be a kitchen committee to make coffee.

NOTICE TO DIRECTORS: There will be an important meeting of the Board of Directors immediately following the meeting March 22.

Michigan State University produced 2,000 certifiable teachers in 1965, about 500 more than second-ranked San Jose State College. Western Michigan ranked fifth, Eastern Michigan eighth, University of Michigan 11th, Central Michigan 20th and Wayne State University 24th in the nation.

Fowler

By MRS. ALFRED LOUNDS—Phone 582-2490

Junior play slated for March 25-26

The play, "Who Killed Aunt Caroline?" will be presented by the junior class members March 25 and 26. It is being directed by Miss Smith, the class sponsor.

It is a story of a typical, peaceful family, the Endicotts. But even a family of this caliber has ghosts in its closet. Aunt Caroline, their wealthy, elderly relative is murdered. One of the Endicotts is responsible for this horrible crime, but who could it be?

It is a suspense drama and an interest holding story to the end. The characters are: Mrs. Eleanor Endicott, a piano teacher, Joanne Thelen; Agnes Endicott, 24 year old daughter, Beth Becker; Rick Endicott, 17 year old son, Dan Piggott; Beryl Endicott, 15 year old daughter, Nadine Motz; Cindy Endicott, 10 year old daughter, Barb Luttig; Aunt Caroline, Diane Thelen; Miss Mabbitt, Joyce Kramer; Dave Thompson, John Luttig; Dan Donovan, Rick's pal, Mike Nobach; Miss MacLain, teacher, Lucy Feldpausch; Una, music pupil, Mary Lou Wirth; and Lieutenant Clayton, Larry Feldpausch.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Thelen, Mr and Mrs Clair Thelen and Mr and Mrs Pat DeBoer honored Mr and Mrs Arnold Thelen by taking them to dinner at Middleton on their mother's birthday.

Mrs. Irene Fisher and Miss Mary Lou Ayres of Lansing spent Friday with Mr and Mrs Joseph Schafer. Mrs. Don Alwood and children of Wiedman were Monday guests of Mr and Mrs Joseph Schafer. Their son, Rusty, left for the Army Wednesday.

The Wahoo Club spent Friday evening at the home of Mr and Mrs Donald Pung, celebrating the birthday of Mrs Ed Falk. Also present, in addition to the Pungs and Falks, were Mr and Mrs Stanley Thelen, Mr and Mrs Ray Rowell and Mr and Mrs Frank Rowell.

Laura Hiatt was TOPS February queen

TOPS club met March 3 with Althea Schmitz as queen and Verona Pettit, runner-up. Charlotte Finkbeiner won the kitty. Carole Fosburg, Helen Armbrustmacher, and Mildred Shaw each won a dollar for a four week weight loss.

Laura Hiatt was queen for the month of February. At the March 10 meeting Verona Pettit won a \$1 for a four week weight loss and Mildred Shaw won the kitty. Laura Hiatt was queen of the week, with Carole Fosburg as runner-up.

Mr and Mrs William Simmon are the parents of a 9 pound 12 ounce son, born Sunday, March 13, at St. Lawrence hospital. His brother, David and sister, Carol, are staying with their grandparents, Mr and Mrs Edmund Thelen.

Mr and Mrs John J. Ulrich and sons, John and Tommy, of Birmingham, were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Anna Ulrich.

Christian Mothers will hold their regular meeting Tuesday, March 22 at 8 p.m. in Holy Trinity Hall.

Mr and Mrs Marvin Thelen and Mr and Mrs Louis Feldpausch attended the Boat Show at the Civic Center Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller, Mr and Mrs Lester Miller and Henry Loeffert were Wednesday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Marvin Miller.

Mr and Mrs Alex Thelen, Mr and Mrs Norman Spitzley and Mr and Mrs Arnold Thelen were Sunday evening guests of Mr and Mrs Les Smith.

A week ago Sunday Mr and Mrs Paul Schafer of DeWitt were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller. Mr and Mrs Joseph Schafer attended the surprise birthday party Sunday at Holy Trinity Hall for her sister, Mrs Eleanor Van Ellis. Mrs Van Ellis has had 15 children and has 47 grandchildren.

The reason there were fewer wrecks in the old horse-and-buggy days was because the driver didn't depend wholly on his own intelligence.

Road Commission Weekly Report

The Michigan Road Conference was held in Grand Rapids last week and the theme was "What Price, Beauty and Safety."

The chairman of the Clinton County Road Commission, the engineer and clerk attended this meeting. The State Highway Department, County Road Assn and the Municipal League all participated in this meeting.

Many officials from these organizations gave their versions of the new demands for construction of highways.

RICHARD WALKER, the executive director of the Michigan Good Roads Federation, brought up the matter of the, trouble ahead for State Highways, County roads and city streets. Plans to finance the ever-increasing needs were presented. The high-

way revenue bills were discussed by representatives from all segments of the highway industry.

The County Road Assn held its annual meeting Thursday morning, after which the convention adjourned.

THE HEARING OF condemnation was held in probate court last Friday, March 11. Three commissioners were appointed by Judge Green and the commissioners' hearing was set for Thursday, March 17. This hearing concerns land for right-of-way for the approaches and bridge on Island Road near Elsie.

The spring breakup is with us, and seems to be some worse than average this year. Several local roads are impassable in spots, and blacktops have many bad breaks, especially the older blacktops.

DON EWING
Road Clerk

Don't agree to meet some fellows halfway unless you are a good judge of distance.

City of St. Johns PUBLIC NOTICES

BOARD OF REVIEW Will Meet MARCH 21 and 22

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the Municipal Building Commission Room, Municipal Court entrance on Spring Street. Notice of assessments will be mailed March 16, 1966.

Petition forms are available for property owners who wish to request revision of property assessment.

Published in the Clinton County News March 17, 1966 and posted in two locations in City of St. Johns.

DONALD H. CLARK, City Assessor

AUCTION SALE

Located 6 miles west of Owosso to Garland road, 6 1/2 miles north at 6501 Garland road, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 19

at 1 p.m.

Lunch Wagon on Grounds

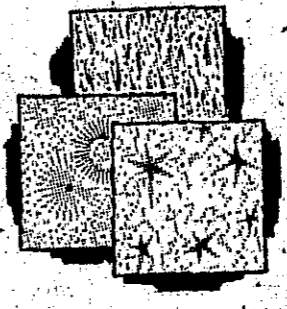
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- Ferguson Model 40 tractor and 2-14-in. mounted plow
- Cultivator with side dresser, 3-point and front end attachment
- 1952 IHC Super C tractor and cultivator
- AC Model C tractor, good rubber and 1-16-in. bottom plow, mounted and 15-ft. mower, mounted
- 1964 Case Model 600 self-propelled bean header, straw chopper, power steering, (this combine belongs to Bob Jones, who has no further use for it.)
- John Deere Model 25 combine, PTO
- IHC Model 45 baler; Wood Bros. 1-row corn picker
- IHC 13-hoe grain drill
- Minn.-Moline 13-hoe grain drill, with fertilizer and grass seed attachment
- John Deere 4-row planter; John Deere 280 corn planter
- John Deere rotary hoe; spring tooth; cultipacker
- Feeder; Oliver tractor cultivator, 2-row
- Feeder wagon; gravity box and wagon
- Mayrath 40-ft. elevator; rubber tooth drag and spike drag. Many articles not mentioned

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23

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- 1955 Minn.-Moline Model UB diesel tractor
- 1948 Minn.-Moline Model Z tractor
- Minn.-Moline Uniharvester with 10-ft. combine head, 2-row picker and hoist
- 1955 AC field chopper, 56-7
- 10-ft. double disc, Minn.-Moline; 9-ft. field cultivator
- John Deere 3-16-in. bottom plow; IHC 3-14-in. bottom plow
- Ford rear end loader; IHC 4-section spring tooth
- New Holland 77 PTO baler; 1948 Chevrolet 1 1/2-ton truck and grain rack
- Ford 2-14-in. plow, 3-point; 3-point cultivator
- 2 Oliver wagons and 2 gravity boxes
- 7-disc plow; rubber tired wagon and good steel box
- Hay; Clover seed; fertilizer; Minn.-Moline grain drill
- King Wise 38-ft. elevator; Fordney 170-amp welder
- Many other articles; some furniture

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Genesee Merchants Bank, Vernon Branch, Clerk



Practice Pancake Flipped Too High

Things should go smoother than this Saturday night when the Exchange Club puts on their annual Pancake Supper at Smith Hall. Ed Sulka, at right, appears to be peeling a pancake off the ceiling after an enthusiastic "flip" by Dr C. W. Lambert, second from left. Other pancake chefs are Ray Eich, at left, and Dr Harold Shane. They and other Exchangeites will be at the Smith Hall range Saturday for the public serving from 5 to 7 p.m. Proceeds will go toward Exchange Club youth programs.

Sewer extension requested

DeWITT — Sewer department and fire department topics took up a major portion of last Tuesday night's DeWitt city council meeting. The council took under consideration a request of Frank Rose to extend the city sewer line on Webb Road to the city limits to serve properties in that area. The council intends to make a study of the cost of the project during the next 30 days before giving Rose an answer.

THE DeWITT sewage treatment plant was temporarily shut down last week for repairs, and in the meantime the council is looking for a licensed operator for the plant.

There was considerable discussion on a request that the fire department tank truck be available to fill swimming pools. Councilman Allen White objected, saying the equipment should

not be tied up for long periods when it might be needed in an emergency. The increasing number of swimming pools could keep the tanker busy if residents used that source of water, it was pointed out.

The request, however, was turned over to the police and fire board for further study.

THAT COMMITTEE also will study a suggestion of Arthur Newman, assistant fire chief, that Police Director Charles Anderson be named civil defense director and radio operator on fire calls.

Councilman White urged that the city ordinance prohibiting parking on all streets from 2 to 6 a.m. be enforced. He said residents are ignoring the law now.

Bean smorgasbord scheduled in Gratiot

Charles Bailey, coordinator of communications of the Michigan Farm Bureau since 1964, will be the speaker next Thursday, March 24, for the ninth annual bean smorgasbord of the Gratiot County Farm Bureau.

The dinner will be served from 5:30 to 7:15 p.m., with the program to follow at 8 p.m. in Tyler Auditorium at Ithaca. A highlight of the evening program will be the coronation of the 1966 county bean queen.

Tickets are available at the Gratiot County Farm Bureau office in Ithaca or from local Gratiot Farm Bureau groups.

Fulton honor roll named

MIDDLETON — The Fulton Schools honor roll for the fourth marking period was announced last week by the school administration. Named to the honor roll were the following students:

8TH GRADE — High Honors: Dawn Litwiler, Scot Richards, Doug Salsbury and Darrel Taylor. Honors: Gary Betz, Linda Drake, Maris Litwiler, Jane Mahler and Janet Owen. Honor Roll: Wayne Beck, Ann Brown, Tammy Husted, Keith Leslie, Brenda Sherman, Lynn Towalee, Alan Zamarron, Fonda Lewis and Barbara Zimmerman.

Benner, Connie Copper, Karen Logsdon, Margie Troub, Jemery VanSickle and Roxann Warner. Honor Roll: Jackie Boehs, Edwin Brown, Patricia Guernsey, Karen Loudbeck, Anita Pierce, Mary Pihl, Thomas Redman and Linda White.

SOPHOMORES — High Honors: Thomas Palne, Honors: Karen Cole, Cathy Halsted, Randy Loudbeck, Kenneth Pierce, Connie Reynolds and Julie Stoneman. Honor Roll: Larry Bongard, Jeffrey Gray, Patricia Holland, Rex Miller and Betty Todd.

JUNIORS — Honors: Connie Aungst, Gregg DeMott, Duane Dickinson and Robert Wittenbach.

Honor Roll: Brent Bailey, Joyce Benner, Marla Greer, Dennis Lintz, Nancy McKinney, Dennis Upton and Rhonda Wilson.

SENIORS — High Honors: Chris VanSickle. Honors: Mike Armstrong, Mary Chovance, Linda Henny, Carol Kilean, Kathy Loudbeck, Eldoon Roberts, Ann Sievert, Kay Smalley, and Martha Wright. Honor Roll: Linda Chick, Joann Gavenda, Barbara Lator, David Swanson, Linda Upton and Richard Weller.

Michigan State Police officers made 15,127 arrests in January, 13,786 of them for traffic offenses and 1,341 on criminal complaints, according to the department's monthly activity report.

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Bean smorgasbord scheduled in Gratiot

Charles Bailey, coordinator of communications of the Michigan Farm Bureau since 1964, will be the speaker next Thursday, March 24, for the ninth annual bean smorgasbord of the Gratiot County Farm Bureau.

The dinner will be served from 5:30 to 7:15 p.m., with the program to follow at 8 p.m. in Tyler Auditorium at Ithaca. A highlight of the evening program will be the coronation of the 1966 county bean queen.

Tickets are available at the Gratiot County Farm Bureau office in Ithaca or from local Gratiot Farm Bureau groups.

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PEAS ... 4 1-LB. CANS **59¢**
ROSE CROIX ALL GREEN ... 4 NET WT. 14 1/2-OZ. CANS **89¢**
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DEE-LISH CROSS CUT Sweet Pickles ... 1-PT. 6-OZ. JAR **35¢**
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Eight O'Clock
 Save 20c
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AUCTION SALE

Having sold my farm I will sell at public auction on the premises located 2 miles east of St. Johns on M-21 to Krepps road, 1/2 mile south on Krepps road, 1/2 mile east on Wildcat road, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 24
 Starting at 12:00 Noon Refreshments Available
50 HEAD HOLSTEIN CATTLE
 TB and Bangs Tested, Partly Vaccinated

39 Grade Holstein cows, milking good
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 4 Holstein yearlings, open, vaccinated
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 3 Holstein heifer calves, vaccinated
 1 Holstein calf

MACHINERY

1964 Allis Chalmers D-19 gas tractor, wide front, 18.4x34 tires, 400 hours
 1964 A-C 4-bottom 18-in. slat bottom semi-mounted plows
 International H tractor
 International 2-row cultivators
 1964 A-C 15-hp grain drill with rubber press wheels
 JD 2-row corn planter
 1963 New Idea No. 300 2-row corn picker
 1964 A-C Model 56F flail chopper with large blower
 Case No. 10, 7-ft. semi-mounted mower
 John Deere 4-bar rake
 Farm Master self-unloading forage wagon
 International Model 36 chopper with corn and hay head
 AC blower with 40" pipe
 New Holland 8-ton wagon gear
 Cobey 4 1/2-ton wagon with false end gates
 Farm wagon with flat rack

Wagon unloader with electric motor
 John Deere 35-ft. hay and grain elevator with drag, PTO
 International rotary hoe; boom sprayer
 12-ft. drag, heavy duty
 International tractor manure spreader
 John Deere hammermill 10A
 A-C 2-row cultivators for WD 45
 7-ft. windrower; scoop scraper
 13x28 tractor chains; chain saw
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 Other articles too numerous to mention

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Quantity chopped hay
 Quantity corn ensilage

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Ice Cream ... 1/2-GAL. CTN. **49¢**

JANE PARKER—Net Wt. 10 1/2-oz. ea.
Golden Loaf Cake ... 2 IN PKG. **49¢**
JANE PARKER — SWEETLY ICED Glazed Donuts ... PKG. OF 12 **39¢**
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Dr Saunders accepted by chiropractic unit

The American Chiropractic Assn. announced today that Dr. A. N. Saunders, 204 N. Oakland, St. Johns, has been accepted for membership in that organization.

ACA headquarters are located in Des Moines, Iowa.

As a member of the nationally recognized chiropractic organization, Dr. Saunders joins more than 8,000 fellow doctors of chiropractic, who comprise the world's largest professional group.

MEMBERSHIP DUES paid to the ACA contribute to the major program of aiding chiropractic colleges and to a recently expanded program of scientific research.

Dr. Saunders' acceptance for membership was announced by Dr. Arthur M. Schierholz, executive director of ACA.

Senior Citizens hear of medicare

Joseph Sella, field representative for the Social Security Administration, explained medicare for over 200 persons attending last week's meeting of the Clinton County Senior Citizens at St. Johns.

He emphasized that all persons over 65 should sign up before March 31.

Also on the program was Margaret Jacobson, home management specialist from Michigan State University, who spoke on "Living Life in Full Measure." Decorations for the noon dinner were in the St. Patrick's Day theme and arranged by Mrs. Elzie Exelby.

A meeting of directors of the Senior Citizens is scheduled for March 22 following the regular meeting, President Clarence Hill announced.

Eureka

Mrs. Gordon Waggoner

(Omitted last week)

Church notes
Girl Scout Week

This is National Girl Scout Week and the Junior Girl Scout Troop #810 and Brownies Troop #567 of the Eureka Congregational Christian Church took part in the Sunday school and worship services.

Debbie Wickwire read the scripture; Mona Jean Ferrall and Linda Waggoner served as acolytes, and Gloria, Waggoner Rita Wickwire, Kathy Eastment and Ramona Hubbard were in charge of handing out the bulletins.

The Scouts from the Eureka Church are Brownies, Missy Bancroft, Cindy Gladstone, Ann Eakins, Debbie Howard and Cindy Weller and their leader is Mrs. Ronald Hubbard.

Junior Girls are Kathy Eastment, Mona Jean Ferrall, Ramona Hubbard, Gloria and Linda Waggoner and Debbie and Rita Wickwire. Their leader is Mrs. Gordon Waggoner.

Rev. Barlow had as his sermonette, intended for the younger folks "Busy As The Bee." The choir sang a special musical number with Miss Pat Kridner at the piano.

Sunday evening Union Lenten Services were at the Episcopal church in St. Johns.

The choir practice Wednesday evening is at 7 and 7:45 p.m.

Remember this Saturday evening, March 12, at 7 p.m. the Young At Heart Fellowship will hold their monthly meeting, at the church basement.

BIRTHDAY BANQUET

Monday evening, March 7, at 6:30 p.m. the basement dining room was the scene of the annual birthday banquet at the Eureka Congregational Christian church. It was put on by the Youth Fellowship Group. Mrs. Henry Howard is their leader.

The Eureka Womens Fellowship met last Wednesday evening at the church basement for their monthly meeting, at which time they made and sewed cancer pads. Mrs. Richard Eakins was the evening's hostess and Mrs. John Schein, her cohostess. March 24, Thursday, the women plan an all-day clean at the church basement with a potluck meal at noon. The men and husbands welcome, then.

The fraudulent checks section of the Michigan State Police received and processed 143 checks during January, identifying 58 of them by name or with previous specimens. Face value of the checks totaled \$14,864.98, an average of \$104.95.

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CABBAGE
lb. **10¢**

DEMING'S
Red Salmon lb. CAN **79¢**

STAR-KIST
Chunk Tuna 6 1/2-oz. CAN **29¢**

Table King Frozen
Meat Pies 8 oz. **15¢**

IGA Florida
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Clinton's Civic Calendar

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

St. Johns

American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
 American Legion Auxiliary—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Legion Hall
 Banner Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
 Blue Star Mothers—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Senior Citizens Drop-in Center
 Child Study Club—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., in homes of members
 Clinton 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
 Grissom WRC—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 2 p.m., Municipal Building
 40 at 8—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., St. Johns and Breckenridge Legion Halls, alternate months
 IOOF—Every Wednesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
 Junior Chamber of Commerce—2nd Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., L & L Restaurant
 Knights of Columbus—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m.—K of C Hall
 Knights Templar—1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Lions Club—2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m., IOOF Hall
 Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Morning Musicals—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 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, 1:30 p.m., in homes of members
 St. Johns Honor Guard—2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 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
 WCUU Mary Smith Union—Third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m., in the homes of members

Bath

American Legion—2nd and 4th Thursdays, Memorial Hall
 American Legion Auxiliary—2nd Tuesday and 4th Thursday, Memorial Hall
 Bath Showers' Stars Square Dance Club—Club dances the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m., during regular dancing season at the James Couzens Gym
 Cub Scout Committee—1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., at James Couzens Building
 Cub Scout Pack—4th Thursday, 8:30 p.m., school
 Firemen's Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., home of members
 Park Lake Improvement League—4th Wednesday, 8 p.m., Improvement League Hall
 Park Grand Club—4th Thursday, homes of members

PTA—2nd Thursday, 8 p.m., Junior High gym
 PTA Executive Board—Monday before Thursday PTA meeting, 8 to 9 p.m., at school
 Suburban Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., community hall
 Volunteer Firemen—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., fire hall
 WSCS—General meeting 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Methodist church

DeWitt

Blue Star Mothers—2nd Thursday alternate, Memorial building and homes of members
 Boy Scouts—Every Monday, 7 p.m., Memorial building
 Brownies—Every Wednesday, 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Child Study Club—4th Monday evening, homes of members
 Circle Eight—1st and 3rd Saturdays, DeWitt high school
 Cub Scouts—3rd Thursday, 5 p.m., Memorial building
 DeWitt Grange—2nd and 4th Fridays 9 p.m., Memorial building
 Girl Scouts—Every Thursday 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
 DeWitters Tons Club—1st three Thursdays at DeWitt high school, 4th and 5th at Memorial Building at 8 p.m.
 Job's Daughters—1st and 3rd Thursday evenings, Masonic Temple
 Lions Club—3rd Tuesday evening, Memorial building
 Masonic Lodge—1st Wednesday evening, Masonic Temple
 Order of Eastern Star—1st Friday evening, Masonic Temple
 PTA—3rd Wednesday, at high school, 8 p.m.
 Royal Neighbors—1st and 3rd Fridays, 1 p.m., Memorial building
 St. Francis Club—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Thursday Afternoon Club—Last Thursday in homes of members
 Veteran's Club—2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Volunteer Firemen—2nd Tuesday evening, fire hall
 Woman's Society of Christian Service—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m.
 Pricilla 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

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
 WSCS—1st Wednesday, Ladies' Rooms Methodist church

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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
 WSCS—1st Wednesday 8:00 p.m., homes of members
 Order of Eastern Star—1st Thursday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
 PTA—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., school gym
 Woman's Literary Club—Alternate Tuesdays, 8 p.m., homes of members

Fowler

Boy Scouts—Every Wednesday, 7 p.m., Holy Trinity gym
 Catholic Order of Foresters—3rd Tuesday, 8:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Hall
 Confraternity of Christian Mothers—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
 Daughters of Isabella—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
 Fowler Conservation Club—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., Fire Hall
 Jaycees—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., Fire Hall
 Knights of Columbus—Monday after the 2nd Sunday, 5 p.m., K of C Hall
 Lions Club—3rd Monday, 8:30 p.m., Fowler Hotel
 VFW—4th Thursday, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
 VFW Auxiliary—Last Wednesday 8 p.m., VFW Hall

Maple Rapids

Amica Club—1st 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 Wednesdays, 2 p.m., homes of members
 Duo Decum Club—1st Saturday, 8 p.m., homes of members
 High School PTA—1st Monday, 8 p.m., students Commons
 IOOF—Every Thursday 8 p.m., IOOF hall
 Maple Rapids Improvement Association—4th Monday, 8 p.m., in Municipal building
 Maple Twirlers—2nd and 4th Fridays at 8:30 to 11:30 p.m., Pollock 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
 WSCS—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, 8 p.m., alternate months, Civic Center
 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, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 IOOF—Every Tuesday, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
 Job's Daughters—2nd and 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Lions Club—2nd and 4th Mondays, 8:30 p.m., Main Street church of United Church
 La-4-Lot Club—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 Lincor-Dennis WCUU—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
 PTA—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., school gym
 Past Grand Club—4th Tuesday, in homes of members
 Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
 Royal Arch Masons—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Roman Football Boosters—Meet every Tuesday at 8 p.m., at the high school
 Social Evening—Veterans Memorial Building, 8 p.m., every Wednesday, sponsored by Ovid veterans group
 Town and Country Extension—4th Wednesday, in homes of members
 VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Memorial building
 VFW Auxiliary—1st 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

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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 hall
 21 Club—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., club house
 WSCS—3rd Thursday, 2 p.m., home of members

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Breakfast Club—Last Thursday, 8 a.m., in homes of members
 Child Study Club—2nd Tuesday, evening, in homes of members
 Masonic Order No. 335—Regular meetings first Thursday of the month at 8:00 p.m., at Temple
 Methodist Men's Club—First Wednesday of each month, potluck at 8:30 p.m., Wacousta Methodist church

Neighborhood Society—3rd Thursday, in homes of members
 Order of Eastern Star—1st Tuesday evening, Masonic Temple

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
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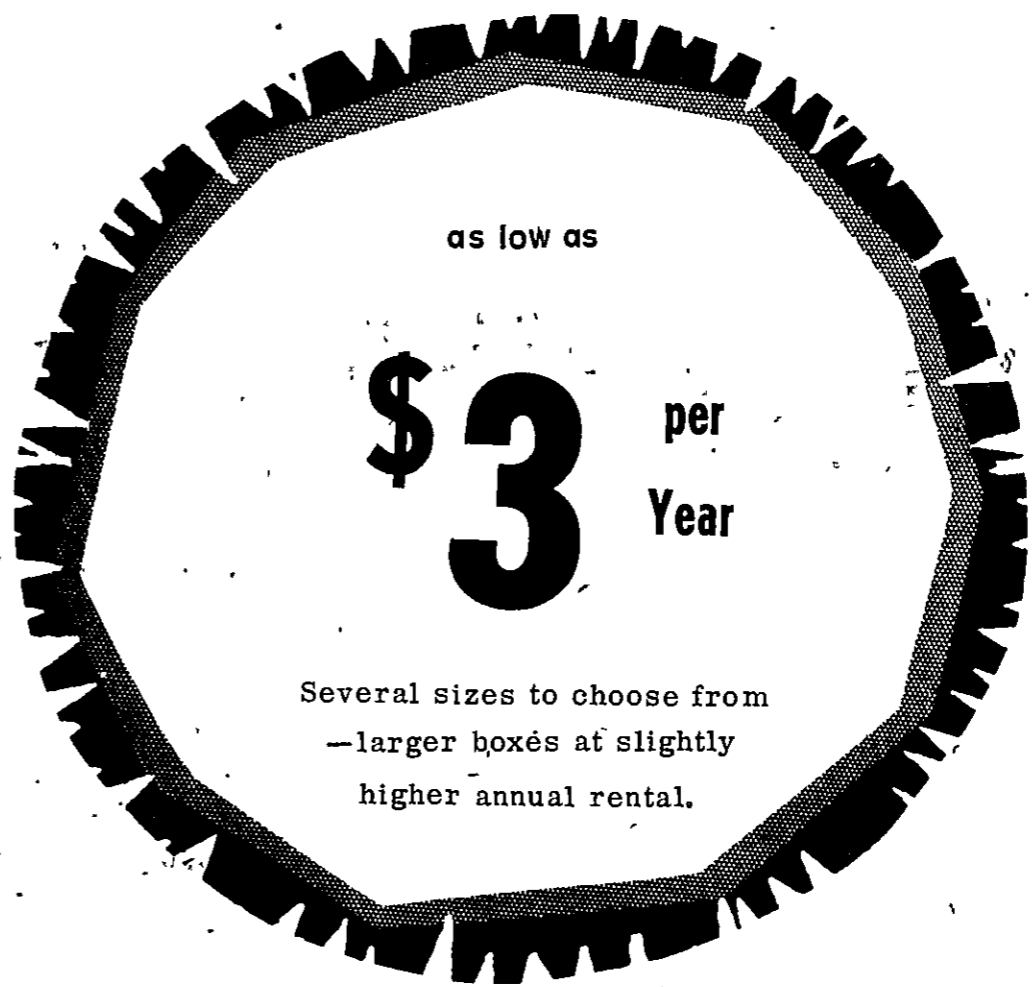
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- 1961 JD 494, 4-row corn and bean planter
- 1962 IHC No. 16, 4-bottom 14" plow
- IHC 455, 4-row cultivator, front mount
- AC 4-row front mount corn and bean cultivator
- 1962 IHC 16' tractor drag
- IHC 12' tractor drag
- JD 3-section rotary hoe
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- Case 13-hoe grain drill on rubber
- Superior 13-hoe grain drill
- Mayrath 48' elevator
- 8' unloading drag
- 42' elevator with drag
- M-M Model E corn sheller on rubber with 48' steel drag
- Western corn sheller on steel with 40' wood drag
- 16' Mayrath 4' auger elevator
- JD Model L tractor manure spreader
- 2 Sears 5 1/2-ton wagons with grain sides
- Wagon with grain bed
- 10' EZ Flo lime spreader
- Century sprayer with drop nozzles
- Stan hoist drive on
- Roll-over scraper
- Manure loader blade
- 1000-bushel round wire corn crib
- Air compressor, 150-lb. pressure
- Two 60', 6" belts

- 2-man, 5-hp Mall chain saw
- Globe air compressor, 150-lb. pressure
- 3-hp GE electric motor
- 275-gal. overhead gas tank
- 1 pr. of 13x38 tractor chains
- 1 pr. of 12x26 tractor chains
- Quantity of steel posts
- Quantity of used metal roofing
- Bench vise
- Sears 4" wood jointer
- Post wall drill
- Belt driven emery grinder
- Cast iron kettle
- Cream separator, Porter cable
- Mark 24" riding lawn mower, electric starter

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- Several dressers, chest of drawers, 2 dinette tables and chairs, bed springs and mattresses, buffet and 3 rugs, lamps, end tables
- New Home sewing machine
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- Warm morning heating stove
- Miscellaneous items too numerous to mention
- Jewelry wagon

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- 1945 FORD truck with hoist and grain rack, less than 2000 miles on new engine

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EDITORIAL PAGE

Springtime is bicycle time—Make it safe time

Spring is finally almost here, and once again bicycles are taking the place of snow on our streets and sidewalks. It will depend on their young drivers whether the bicycles are more, or less, dangerous than the snow.

We must remember bicycle riders ARE drivers, and as such they are subject to the same rules of the road as are motorists.

If your children ride bicycles, be sure they know and obey traffic laws. Their knowledge and practice of safety regulations will contribute much to your peace of mind.

AND TO the peace of mind of many others on the road.

These rules of the road include riding on the right-hand side of the street, stopping for stop signs, having the bicycle properly marked for night riding (reflectors and lights), being licensed, refraining from reckless riding and practicing courtesy on the road.

Failure of youngsters to comply with the rules has caused repercussions in some cities. In Pekin, Ill., several years ago, the city attorney announced that youngsters who rode bicycles the wrong way on one-way streets in that city would be given tickets for traffic violations. The city of Minonk, Ill., posted notice that any bicycle found parked immediately in front of downtown store entrances or blocking the sidewalks would be confiscated and a fee required to release the bikes.

WE HAVE noticed bicycle violations around St. Johns but not any more so than in most other communities. We think some positive action, such as warnings by police, might act to head off traffic violations by bicyclists. If necessary, suspension of bicycling privileges or even fines might be the answer for any who refuse to learn or obey the rules.

The original responsibility lies with the parents, who should see that their bicycling youngsters know what is expected of them.

What does a good movie theater mean to you?

What does a good indoor theater mean to a community?

It means a good place for children to go on a Saturday afternoon. It means another drawing card for people to come into town on a regular basis. It means another unused business house being put to use. It means additional employment, possibly even a start on a career for some youngster or youngsters.

It means good entertainment, if it's a good, well-run theater. It means year-around movie entertainment in St. Johns — a new source of movies during the winter months and a supplement to the local drive-in during the summer. A drive-in theater and an indoor theater can surely exist together, because there's a wealth of good movies obtainable.

WE'D LIKE TO SEE St. Johns with a downtown theater again. The Chamber of Commerce is working, and has been working for some time, on getting something started; they too, would like to see a downtown theater in St. Johns.

The important thing is, Would you? Nobody is going to start one up without some indication they'll make a profit at it. Theater is a business, too, and they must make money to stay in business. They make money when people attend their movies.

We think the people of St. Johns will support a good movie house in downtown St. Johns and that it would be an asset to the city. We'd like to know what you think. Your letters to the editor on this subject will fall on interested eyes in more than just the newspaper circle.

Letters to the Editor . . .

Detroit woman looking for father

SOMEWHERE IN THE vicinity of St. Johns is a man approximately 70; by the name of Tom, Tomma, or Thomas Gross, who formerly lived in Detroit, was legally separated from his wife and left. His daughter Mary has been since trying to find him.

Assuming he has since remarried, anyone knowing the whereabouts of Tom Gross, would they please contact him if possible and convey this message to him.

I, Mary (Gross), Schott am very eager to be united with my father. So, please if he is still living, any information would be greatly appreciated.

MRS MARY SCHOTT 7045 Tappan Street Detroit, Mich. 48234

Congratulates News on MPA awards

CONGRATULATIONS! The many awards accorded the NEWS at the recent MPA convention attest to the professional competence of both you and your staff. You certainly made a "grand slam" with awards for typography, best ad idea, use of pictures and news coverage.

We wish you continued success in the future.

Cordially, JUDSON M. PERKINS Director of Public Relations General Telephone Co. of Mich.

Olive residents ask 'Why' on trailers

AFTER READING the article appearing on the front page of The State Journal March 5, 1966, concerning permission granted by the Clinton County zoning board March 3, 1966, for a trailer park in DeWitt Township, we of Olive Township find we are in the same position as the State of Michigan Highway Department.

Both the objection of the State Highway Department on the DeWitt park and several hundred citizens of Olive Township were overruled and permission granted for two trailer parks.

IN THE case of Alward Lake



We've been real proud to tell folks from other towns, both in print and by word of mouth, about the exciting changes taking place in downtown St. Johns.

A couple of months ago there were a half a dozen or so empty buildings around, but suddenly they're gone or about to go. The Central National Bank moved out of one location into its brand, spanking new building, and immediately the empty building was snatched up.

JIM MCKENZIE'S moving his insurance business down there, along with the Chamber of Commerce and Charlie Lynam's business. Capitol Savings and Loan is going to start up a branch office here, in the building where Jim moved out of. And Kurt Becker is expanding his new business by locating his service center in the back of the building.

And across the street one of the biggest changes is taking place. The old Hicks building is getting a facelift, with the top two floors coming off. When it's done and the remodeling of those three store spaces completed, the D & C Stores will move into there. Scratch three empty buildings right there.

THE PRESENT D & C building will be left empty, true, but it will be a lot easier to find a taker there than it was to find a taker for the Hicks building.

There's only a couple of buildings empty now. That's a great big improvement over a month or so ago. An improvement we like to tell people about.

GETTING OUT A publication like this is fun, but it's no picnic.

If we print jokes, people say we're silly.

If we don't, they say we're too serious.

If we clip items from other

all the adjoining property owners of the proposed trailer park and a large number of people in the vicinity signed the petitions against the trailer park, and 98 turned out to support the petition at the Feb 24, 1966, and the March 4, 1966, meetings of the Clinton County Zoning Board.

One of our main objections to the proposed trailer park was that the roads are inadequate for additional traffic, because they have one-lane bridges, narrow roads and blind corners. The main road from the highway to the proposed park has been closed by the Clinton County Road Commission for as long as three months at a time because of flooding. The majority of the township board is against the proposition; one reason stated was that the road funds are already contracted on another township road for the next two years.

ALSO THERE were no detailed plans presented for the proposed park concerning number of trailers, size of lots, sewage facilities, playground area and fire protection.

Another reason is we think the water necessary for this large park could dry up many of the shallow wells in the area.

By checking with local fire units, we find there is a strong possibility of not having adequate protection for the township and park. Protection comes from DeWitt, a community six miles away.

Why was it when all the adjoining property owners and many of the surrounding people were against it, including the majority of the Olive Township board, permission was still granted?

HILARY SIMON CHARLES L. FAIVOR EARL T. BARKS MELVIN A. RADEMACHER CECIL SMITH NEIL HARTE

Says CCN's been in family since 1906

YES, I KNEW MY subscription has run out and am not renewing it. Due to my age, 88, my eyes have gotten to a point I have to quit reading. However, I recall when my folks moved to St. Johns

RAMBLIN' with Rink

By LOWELL G. RINKER

publications, we're too lazy to write them ourself.

If we don't we're too fond of our own stuff.

If we don't print contributions, we don't appreciate true genius.

If we do print them, the sheet is filled with junk.

Now, very likely, some one will say we swiped this from some other publication.

We did. (The Rotary Spirit, to be exact.)

—Rink

On Your Mark, Get Set—



A Look Into The Past . . .



St. Johns Commandery in Early Days

St. Johns Commandery was made up of these men at one point in the early 1900s. Left to right are, front row, Clark A. Putt, A. G. Jones, William M. Smith, Fred E. Swain, Art Wilson and W. H. Field (standing) (he died June 3, 1915). In the back row are William Cochran, three men who are not definitely known (except one of them is J. G. Wise, who died April 28, 1918), DeWitt H. Hunt (fifth from left), Frank Stone, Frank Swain, Ed L. Valentine (who died July 22, 1918, at the age of 69), Byron Danley and Robert Armour. The picture was used recently in the St. Johns Masonic News.



from the HOPPER

By STEVE HOPKO

THERE SEEMS to be a lot of concern today about our young people, especially our teenagers, and some of the odd-ball antics that they become involved in.

We read and hear everyday about those who have broken the law, ranging from a major crime to petty things, but unless we are involved in police work our knowledge of these things are only what we read.

BUT, THERE are many times when we, as average citizens, see things that some teenagers do that causes us to wonder, like my own personal experiences of meeting a group of teenagers who use the road as a sidewalk, walking four or five abreast, oblivious of traffic, that will not move as you approach them with your car, but will force you either to stop and wait for them to walk around you or cause you to veer into the other traffic lane to go around them.

And at other times, especially during warmer weather, when they will congregate on the streets downtown and refuse to move aside causing the older people to walk around them.

THEN THERE are the evenings when I'm home, when every night we can sit and hear some of these young people as they careen their cars around the corner, squealing their tires, or when they start at the

stop sign and burn rubber for a block.

It's at these times, when I see or hear these things happening that I wonder about the generation growing up. Are they going to continue to be so inconsiderate and irresponsible or will they turn out to be decent human beings?

BUT, INVARIABLY I see things happen or hear of them from my friends, about another percentage of youngsters who are at the other end of the teenage ladder. These are the ones we see and hear about that restore our faith.

One such experience was the group of students who, a short time ago, worked very hard and diligently to present "Bye Bye Birdie," a musical show that made one realize that to do a show of this caliber, and to present it so wonderfully took many hours of long, hard work and consideration for their directors.

ANOTHER INCIDENT related to me by Rolan Sleight, President of the St. Johns Lions Club was that during the Lions minstrel show last month, Rolan was selling refreshments when a young man purchased some items and paid for it with a \$5 bill. Rolan said that he gave the young man four bills and some change and thanked him for his purchase. A short time later the young man returned to Rolan and told him that he had made a mistake in giving him his change, that Rolan had given him three \$1 dollar bills and a \$5 dollar bill instead of four \$1 dollar bills.

These are the two extremes of the teenage behavior, some very bad and some very good, and both are in the minority which leaves us with the big majority of teenagers who are normal human beings both in words and actions.

WHEN WE ADD together this big middle majority and the small minority at the top of the teenage ladder, we can see that our generation to be will be in the hands of those who are considerate, responsible and who do care.

In our great nation it is said that the majority rules, and with the majority of our teenagers in that category that makes us proud that they belong to us, I see no reason to wonder about who will we leave in charge of our city, our county, our state or our country, for we will be leaving it into the hands of responsible people, those teenagers to today, who are in the majority will be our leaders of tomorrow.

Michigan, with about 415,000 numbered motorboats, is second only to New York state.

Back Thru the Years

★ Interesting Items from the Files of The Clinton County News

10 YEARS AGO

From the Files of March 15, 1956 building just north of Bruno's Restaurant.

30 YEARS AGO

From the Files of March 16, 1936 Thirty-nine men, the largest draft group furnished by Clinton county to date, have been notified to appear in St. Johns Monday.

25 YEARS AGO

From the Files of March 20, 1941 Samuel Harmont, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Harmont of Laingsburg, recently was chosen company man upon completing recruit training at the Naval training center, Great Lakes, Ill.

Edwin T. Stiles Post and Auxiliary members celebrated the 22nd anniversary of the American Legion last Thursday night at an annual birthday potluck dinner held at the Legion hall in St. Johns.

Since 1877, a span of 84 years, No. 21 Clinton Avenue has housed a drug store. Today the present occupant, Harold F. Millman, proprietor of Millman's Drug Store, is moving his stock and fixtures to the newly-remodeled and attractively modernized

At a preliminary track meet between the Lansing high school and the freshman class of the MAC on March 4, Harry Curtis, a graduate of St. Johns high school, now a member of the freshman class of the MAC was the only contestant to receive two firsts.

Although a person could survive on only 6 pints of water per day, Americans are using at least 150 gallons per day in their homes, reports the National Wildlife Federation.

Glad Song

By W. E. DOBSON

I'm glad to hear the birds that sing In their best concert form; I'm glad to see the flowers bloom With colors gay and warm; I'm glad for every gentle breeze, For rain and skies of blue; I'm glad for greetings true and fine From friends as nice as you. I'm glad to meet the morning sun With strength as yet untired, To find that special tasks to do Are not to me denied; I'm glad for tasty food that serves My healthy appetite, I'm glad when my day's work is through For rest and sleep at night. I'm glad— not as the Pharisee For what sets me apart — But rather for the tie that binds Me to my brother's heart; I'm glad for joys that I may share, For every useful gift; I'm glad to be a part of things, To laugh, and love, and lift!

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MICHIGAN MIRROR

Parties must pick men for education posts carefully



BY ELMER E. WHITE Michigan Press Assn.

An open letter to the State Democratic and Republican Party leaders:

Many months of deliberation and consultation have been spent picking the men to head your respective tickets in the fall election.

Now is the time to give full consideration to another set of candidates for posts lower on the ballot but tremendously important to all the people of Michigan. These are the nominees for the State Board of Education and the governing boards of the "Big Three" universities, Michigan, Wayne State and Michigan State.

MANY MILLIONS of dollars go through these four boards in the administration of education, which could be considered one of Michigan's biggest businesses.

The State Board of Education alone sets policies and programs, and considers conditions and criteria involving nearly \$600 million a year. This includes state and federal funds involving the education process from kindergarten through college.

The sheer volume of business administered by each of these boards demands competent, proven people. To have otherwise is to risk great loss in education and waste millions in tax money.

point the finger at present board members.

It should be automatic that nomination to these boards is an honor and a privilege. It also carries terrific responsibility.

There have been instances, fortunately not very recently, when these nominations were the last to be made. The candidacy went to party workers who had been diligent for years and were due their "reward."

This is fine, even today, if the deserving individual is competent, experienced and proven in something more involved than door-to-door canvassing, telephone solicitation, or giving teas. And if he understands his responsibilities and wants to serve the people of Michigan on a basis of principle rather than personal or party gain.

SCANDAL, OR even the slightest hint of it, seems to have a strange attraction for state legislators. As watchdogs of the public interest, their tongues hang low at the thought of headlines awaiting the hero who exposes the wrong-doing.

In recent years, it seems the State Highway Department has come in for, perhaps, more than its share of scandal rumors.

LATEST IN the series was to be related by State Sen. S. Don

Potter, Lansing Republican, serving his first term after a good many years observing the capitol scene.

Strong language was used before the scandal was to be disclosed. Soft language was used when Potter disclosed his "inside man," a highway department employee, had changed his mind about testifying voluntarily.

One of the previous scandal searches into the highway unit ended the same way. Another took a completely different turn, which might well serve as a good example for future headline hunters: to save their breath.

WITHIN THE past decade a senator, no longer in office, proclaimed loud and long that he knew of irregularities, some perhaps involving fraud or other criminal offenses, going on in the department.

A full Senate committee investigation ensued. Many months and a thick committee report later, this senator changed his tune considerably.

Essence of the report was that with the millions of dollars and thousands of people involved, there were bound to be rumors of improprieties and irregularities. When all was said and done, however, the department was given a heavy pat on the back for the job it was doing.

EVEN BEFORE all the money

was collected to build Michigan's new Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Fund, the applications for collections were pouring in to the secretary of state's office.

Secretary of State James M. Hare reported some 300 claims had been filed by motorists wronged by uninsured drivers. This was before the Feb. 28 deadline for auto registrations, when insured drivers paid \$1 into the fund and uninsured motorists contributed \$35.

By that time details for administering the new law had been worked out. It operates similarly to the procedure of collecting from an insurance company.

MOTORISTS INVOLVED in an



The "Low Down" From the Congressional Record

By Joe Crump

Rep. Teno Roncalo (Wyoming) . . . The US foreign aid program has been severely criticized in the past on the grounds that the money has been wasted through graft and corruption of some foreign governments, through unnecessary expenditures upon economically useless monuments and stadiums . . .

"In response to these valid objections, President Johnson has presented to Congress a bold new look in foreign aid, designed to help friendly countries which are determined to help themselves.

"FOREIGN AID Director David Bell has said, 'The major lesson we have learned in the past 10 years is that unless the people we help are willing to commit themselves, are prepared to take on reform, are prepared to make policy decisions, there is not much an outsider can do to help them.'

"This new emphasis upon the efforts of recipient countries has resulted in the economic aid request being scaled down . . . \$235 million from last year's request. Instead of being widely dispersed the economic aid will be concentrated on a select group of countries. The biggest grants will go to 20 nations and the great share of loans to just 8 . . .

"THE CHIEF threat to world peace and security today is Communist, revolutionary, guerrilla warfare . . . It is those who have the least to lose who will be most likely to join a guerrilla force. People who have decent living standards will tend to be more conservative regarding revolutionary military action . . .

"In recognition of these principles, the largest single aid request is for South Vietnam.

"In 1947, the Greek government was engaged in a struggle for survival against Communist guerilla forces. President Truman pronounced the Truman doctrine—that Americans must support free people who were resisting attempted subjugation by armed minorities or by outside pressure. He asked Congress to appropriate \$400 million for economic assistance to Greece and Turkey. By 1950, the Communist guerrillas in Greece had abandoned their struggle . . .

"PROGRESS IN Greece and Is-

Letters . . .

Continued from page 2-C Township for a trailer park, even though the land was in the path of the proposed US-127 expressway. The same trailer park company had recently sold other land to the State Department of Highways, in another location, for the same expressway.

(The writer underlined a sentence in the State Journal story which said "He said Mobile Homes located at Clark Road and US-27 after plans were announced for the road . . ." and then the writer asked . . .)

WHY? MRS FRANK WINTERS 8183 US-27 DeWitt, R-2

(Editor's Note: Mr Ted Powell, secretary of Mobile Homes Village, Inc., said last week the property at Clark and US-27 had been zoned to allow for a trailer park for seven years and that his firm had resumed work on a trailer park there in September 1964. On Dec. 5, 1964, he said, he received tentative approval from the State Department of Highways for a crossover on the US-27 median. Mr Powell said that after a number of highway department men signed the approval one finally rejected it because of the plans for the highway there. The Plans for the highway were announced to the public Dec. 10 through the news media.)

COUNTRY FLAVOR

Remember when woodpile was sign of good farmer?



HAYDN PEARSON

Do you remember when a large woodpile was a sign of a good farmer? Grandfather claimed there were two reliable guides for judging a farmer—his woodpile and the look of his team's harnesses.

Half a century ago a woodpile had real meaning. Before oil and electricity brought their magic to rural homes, a forehanded man made sure of his fuel. A wood-burning kitchen stove and a wood-burning parlor heater required many cords between early autumn and late spring.

THERE ARE SOME human beings who seem to be happy on love and green wood, but good husbandmen didn't want plumes of heavy, dark smoke rising from farmhouse chimneys. In the late fall and early winter before snow was deep, a man and his sons cut

product, economic aid has fallen from 2 per cent in 1949 to less than two-fifths of 1 per cent this year . . .

A GRASSROOTS COMMENT We wonder why it took 10 years to find out that we should only help those who help themselves?

We note that the "request" is \$235 million less than last year. It will be more important to learn if the "appropriation" is \$235 million less.—J.C.

maple, oak and ash and plied it in the woodlot. They did not forget a cord or two of gray birch so mother could have a quick hot fire to make biscuits for summer suppers.

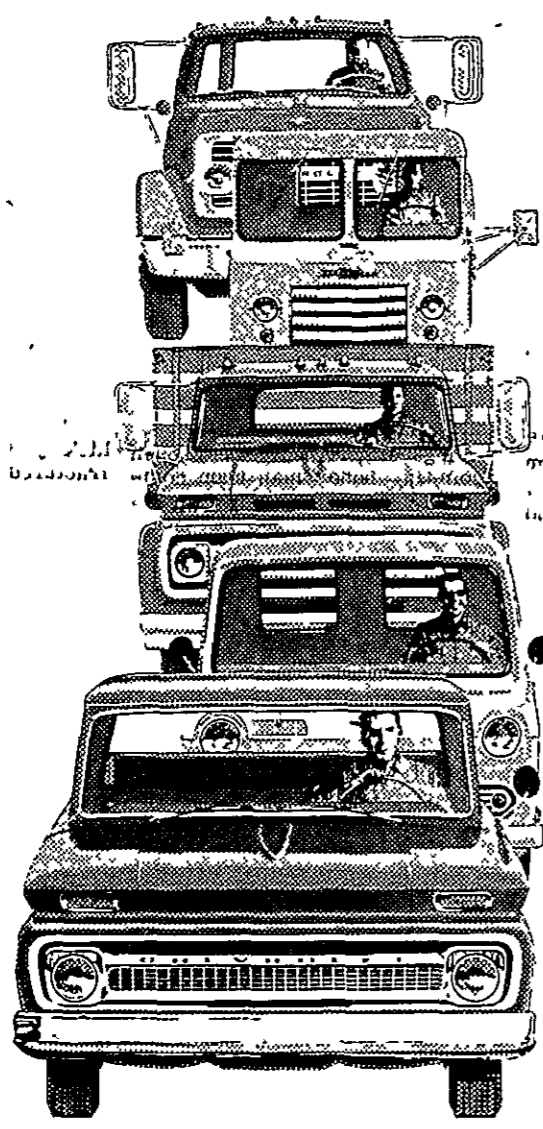
In late winter the wood was hauled down and stacked in the backyard. The sawyer came with his steam engine outfit; the screams of whirling teeth hitting into tough knots echoed across the fields. A 14-year-old knew he had future work splitting clear-grained chunks for the kitchen stove. He tossed knotty chunks into a pile for the parlor heater.

A LAD ALSO knew he had the

task of wheelbarrowing the wood to the shed and stacking the kitchen wood in high tiers. A woodpile was part of farm living and men now sitting in comfortable offices can remember the work involved.

The countryman is not necessarily saying he wants to return to the days of woodburning stoves, although grandmother claims she could do better baking with wood than with oil or electricity. But a man, looking back over the decades, thinks there was a security and stability in those days that he does not feel while trying to understand the miracles of modern science.

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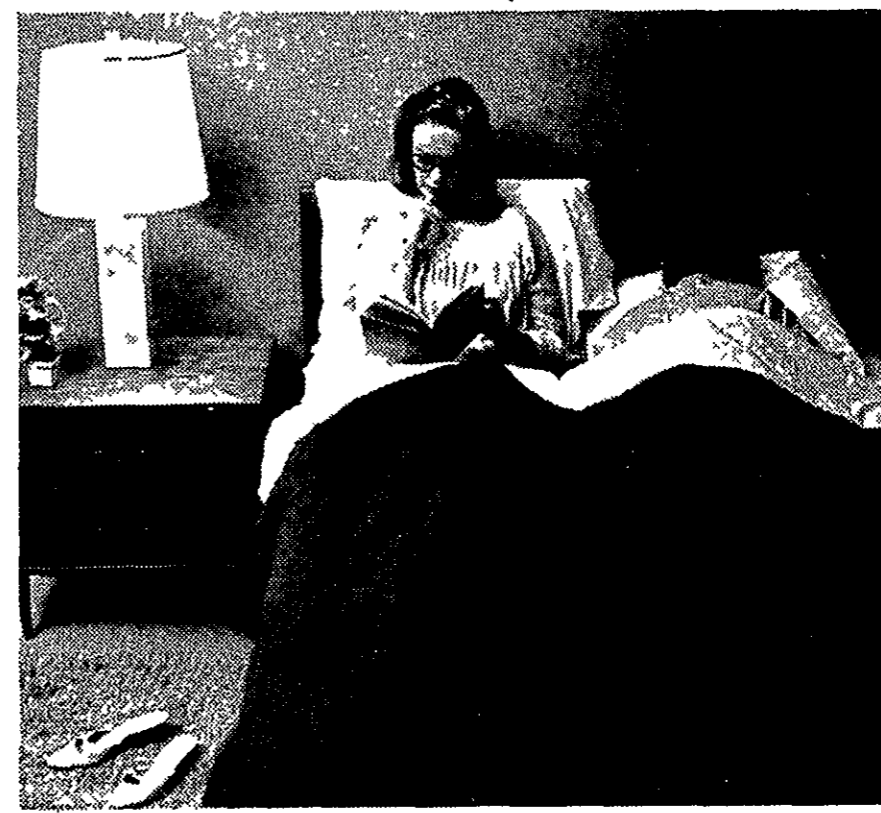
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News of Interest to Clinton County Farm Bureau Families

Can farmers continue only two-thirds free?

"In spite of the billions of dollars being poured into government control programs, the two-thirds of agriculture that remains free from such aid and restrictions is in a better financial position," says Charles B. Shuman, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

"Two-thirds of agriculture that is market-based and relatively free of government intervention accounted for a large portion of the \$1.1 billion increase in 1965 net farm income," Shuman said.

"THIS FACT IS even acknowledged by the U.S. Department of Agriculture spokesmen who were forced to admit that much of the increase in net farm income came largely from sales of livestock, poultry and related products, soybeans and potatoes. None of these are under controls.

"Here again we have proof that the market system is the best means yet devised in allocating the use of farm resources.

"Currently there is some discussion of federal non-recourse loans, such as the price support loans we have had for cotton, wheat and other commodities in the adjustment programs, for turkey growers. In view of some 30 years experience with similar programs in several of the controlled commodities, I believe such a plan for the turkey industry would be a serious mistake. We are well into an era of great change in the whole system of marketing and distributing farm commodities, and it would be sheer folly to do anything that would hinder the necessary adaptation to new developments.

"THE FARMING business can

be good if we give farm families the opportunities and incentive to use their abilities and resources to produce things that consumers want.

"Farmers are coming to learn that they have less to fear from progress based on change than from the bureaucratic management and low income that are certain to accompany a legislated status quo. Common sense tells us the American farmer is more capable of planning the use of his acreage and other productive resources," Shuman said.

REGARDLESS OF the many changes coming about in all of agriculture, the national farm leader said most economists agree there is one formula that will remain constant in the years ahead.

This formula, Shuman said, is volume times price, minus costs, equals net farm income. Organized agriculture's activities, therefore, must be aimed at the problem areas of 1) reducing costs, 2) increasing prices through the market, and 3) making it possible for the family farm to adjust its operations and produce what the consumer wants.

In the area of costs, Shuman said, the major contributing factors to increases are inflation stemming from excessive federal spending and waste in the non-defense sector, which in turn pile up gigantic budget deficits, and the unrestrained demands of organized labor beyond productivity gains.

FARM BUREAU, the farm leader said, has been waging an unceasing fight in the halls of Congress to bring some sanity

into government monetary and fiscal policies.

"This is a difficult battle to win as long as people look to the federal government for bigger and better pork barrel projects for their respective areas.

"However, another front on which we can attack rising costs of the things we buy for production is through increases in group purchasing of supplies through cooperatives and purchasing associations.

"In the second area of increasing prices through the market, we have been carrying on a two-pronged attack. One is to improve the operation of the market system and thwart government attempts to wreck the system through dumping of surpluses. The second part of our attack is to increase the marketing and bargaining power of farmers through their own organizations.

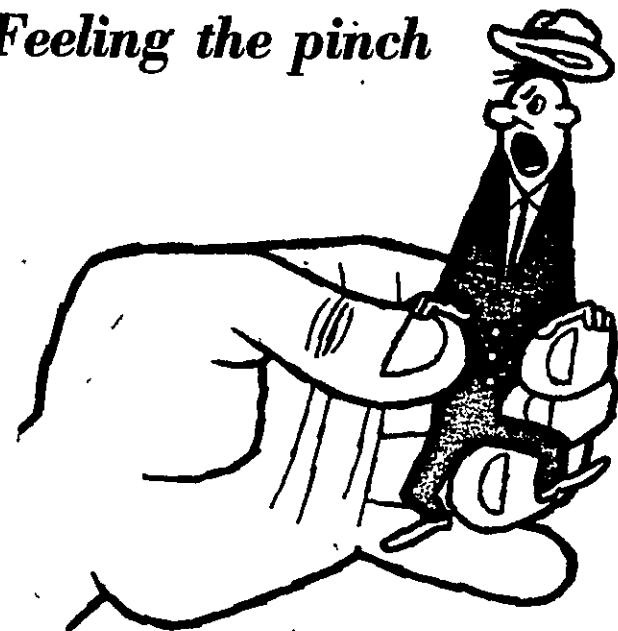
"WE HAVE ESTABLISHED the American Agricultural Marketing Assn. (1960), and today it is serving producers of 17 commodities in 24 states through state member marketing associations.

"Just last month, a final step was taken in the organizing of a broiler grower service. Members are being signed up for this service in Georgia, Alabama, North Carolina, South Carolina and Kentucky. The second phase in the campaign will come soon with a sign-up in other states.

"Main objective of the marketing efforts of the Farm Bureau is to help growers determine, earn and obtain the full market value of their products.

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Feeling the pinch



Workmen's comp needs changing

By DAN E. REED
Legislative Counsel
Michigan Farm Bureau

Mandatory agricultural coverage under Michigan's Workmen's Compensation Act would be delayed from the present effective date of May 1, 1966, to May 1, 1967, it is proposed by a House-Senate Committee.

A bill to provide a one year's delay was introduced on Jan. 26 by Rep. Floyd Mattheussen, D-Benton Harbor, and Raymond C. Kehres, D-Monroe, and several other members of the House.

The bill was referred to the House Committee on Labor, where it was expected to have favorable treatment. Favorable action is also expected on the floor of the House and Senate.

HOWEVER, IT MUST be remembered that until the bill is passed by the House and Senate and given immediate effect by each of these bodies, and signed by the governor, we can only look forward to an effective date of May 1, 1966.

A delay in the effective date of the act was the first goal established by the Michigan Farm Bureau in relation to the problems raised through the agricultural coverage section of the Workmen's Compensation Act.

Other goals, on which legislative action is needed at this session, include:

- 1) Consideration for the employer who hires persons unemployable in other industries and on other jobs. These people may be handicapped physically or otherwise—may have been previously injured and have conditions which are uninsurable. But . . . the alternative to em-

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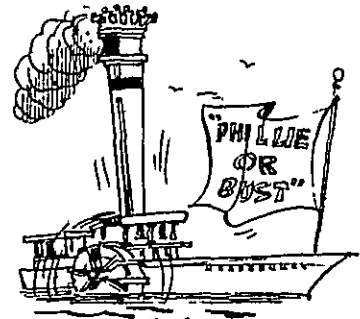
Name 3 here to commodity units

Word received recently from the State Farm Bureau Market Development Division has informed the county board of directors of the following county Farm Bureau members who have been named to specific commodity committees:

Farmer Phillips of St. Johns to the fruit commodity committee; Harold Benson, St. Johns poultry commodity committee; and Robert L. Moore, Elsie, to the field crops advisory committee.

SIX STATE commodity committees are appointed each year. They are livestock, dairy, poultry, fruit, vegetable and field crops. These committees have worked on many legislative matters, uniform dairy inspection, enabling legislation, the Bean Commission and uniform meat inspection are items concerning them the past year.

The committees also try to build better relations with other commodity organizations. By working with these groups on matters such as research projects at Michigan State University and better marketing methods, they present a united front in agriculture. Appointments were made by Elton R. Smith, state Farm Bureau president.



The first steamship to make an ocean voyage was the "Phoenix," built by John Stevens, in 1809. It was a short "voyage," however—from Hoboken, N.J., to Philadelphia.

County meeting March 21

Farm Bureau members will be given opportunity to discuss the new amendments to the Workmen's Compensation Law at a meeting at Smith Hall March 21 at 8 p.m.

James Rathbun, head underwriter for Farm Bureau Insurance Co. and well-informed on details of the law, will be the speaker. The law applies to all farmers employing one or more persons a total of 35 hours per week for 13 weeks a year. Effective date of the new amendments will be May 1, 1966.

ALSO ON THE program will be a representative from Blue Cross-Blue Shield who will discuss the complementary coverage to be offered by that organization to Farm Bureau members over 65 and eligible for medicare. This coverage will be available by the time medicare takes effect July 1, 1966.

If time permits, other issues facing congress and the state Legislature will also be discussed. Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

All Farm Bureau members received a special notice of this meeting last week.

Tri-monthly cow testing topic

The efficacy of tri-monthly cow testing (TMT) will be explored by Dairy Herd Improvement Assn. supervisors March 23 - 24 at Michigan State University.

TMT research is now being conducted by the DHIA and the MSU Department of Dairy in Barry, Ionia and Kent counties. Broader use of the computer records which result from testing will also be discussed.

Delegates of the 3,700 herds-owners members of Michigan's 76 DHIA's will hold a business session March 24. Paul A. Wilkes, former MSU extension dairyman, will take up the duties as DHIA executive secretary—the second such official in the nation.

DHIA supervisor service awards and 4-H Efficient Milk Production awards will be presented.

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Community groups discuss FB future

A series of joint meetings between two community Farm Bureau groups is being held during March and April. The request for this type meeting came from several groups last year, and the county Farm Bureau board felt much could be gained to inform the groups of county programming through such a process.

On March 9 the Southern Owls group from Watertown Township met jointly with the Friendly Farmers of Olive. During the first part of the meeting, group members conducted their regular monthly business with officers cooperating by sharing the duties and responsibilities.

LEON GARLOCK was chairman, secretarial duties were performed by Mrs. Vaughn Montgomery and Edwin Collier. Burl Hodges led the discussion and Vaughn Montgomery gave the package report. Mrs. Ray Moore reported for Farm Bureau Women.

Directors on hand were Lawrence Maier, Watertown, and David Conklin, Olive. They led the discussion on county programming with a question and answer period and buzz group technique for suggestions on future programming in the county.

THE SCHEDULE for other

group meeting is as follows:

- March 10, Clinton Pioneers — Northwest Clinton.
- March 11, Clinton Grand River — Sleepy Hollow.
- March 12, Happy Go Lucky — Thrifty Dutchmen.
- March 17, Maple River — Prairie.
- March 21, Looking Glass Valley — Friendly Fringe Farmers.
- April 11, Clark-Chandler — Town Hall.
- April 13, Parker Center — Country Dudes.
- April 20, Shepardsville — Loyal Neighbors.

Good site needed for roadside stands

Certainly one of the most pleasant parts of a summer or fall Sunday drive is stopping at a good, well-run roadside stand. A neat, well-kept stand in a pleasant setting with friendly operators and good farm-fresh produce will keep the 'Sunday riders' coming back for more.

Many fruit and vegetable growers in Michigan are asking themselves whether or not they should sell produce at roadside. Glen Antie, Benton Harbor, district extension marketing agent for five southwestern Michigan counties, says location is the most important single factor. The decision to market produce at roadside must be given careful consideration, Antie said.

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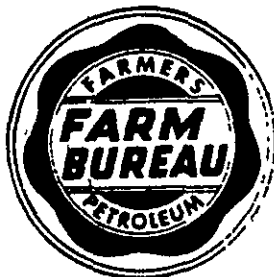
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Mr and Mrs Harold Phillips check the depth of their new farm pond dug last summer. This pond was laid out and designed by the US Soil Conservation Service.

Area folks build 'wildlife sanctuary'

By HARRY HARDEN
US Soil Conservation Service

Mr and Mrs Harold Phillips, land owners in Greenbush Township, live on a parcel of land devoted to the well-being of wildlife.

Bush honeysuckle, one of the common D. Lonicera, is a low-spreading shrub with yellow flowers, followed by red, yellow or black berries and found from Canada south to North Carolina and west to Wisconsin. These offer food and cover for wildlife.

The Phillips have many adapted shrubs such as bush honeysuckle, coral berry and multiflora rose which were planted 10 years ago. They also have a new plantation of pines planted in the spring of 1955, plus some older

conifers near a small stream and a newly developed spring-fed pond dug in the summer of 1965. This pond will be stocked with rainbow trout. This pond is a haven for small game and song birds as well as a nice place to live near nature in all her glory.

THE AGRICULTURAL Stabilization and Conservation Office located in the 100 S. Ottawa Street, St. Johns, known as the Parr Building, offers federal cost share to land owners who have farmland adapted to species of shrubs and trees. Rates of payment vary according to species planted. Anyone interested may contact this office for further information.

The Clinton Soil Conservation District has bush honeysuckle shrubs and other species and also trees available to land owners in the St. Johns area.

Compensation

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ployment by agriculture is for these people to be placed directly on the welfare rolls.

2) Establishment of classifications of farm workers so that the rates for each classification could be based upon the actual hazards involved.

3) Establishment of a limited coverage for part or all of the farmer's employees, such as medical and liability coverage presently available and carried by most farmers.

4) Clarification of the application of the law to members of the farm family.

5) Review and reduction, if possible, of the proposed rates for agricultural coverage.

Farmers . . .

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"IN ADDITION to improving and strengthening our bargaining power, it is necessary to increase and expand markets.

"In pursuing this objective, the Farm Bureau has recommended a change in the US food aid program.

"The new program is designed to shift the emphasis in food aid programs from surplus disposal to supplying the commodities determined to be most needed in consultation with the nations to be assisted.

"It is also designed to provide that commodities to be shipped under food aid agreements shall be purchased through regular market channels.

"THE PROGRAM also would establish the conditions that must be met by nations desiring assistance.

"The market for the commodities affected under the program would be strengthened by purchases in the regular channels of trade for export. Price support loans and payments would be phased out and funds now being spent on these activities could be transferred to the new program.

"This program, if adopted by Congress, would be of benefit to agricultural producers in all sections of the country.

Citizenship seminar set

Camp Kett will once again be the scene of the Annual Young People's Citizenship Seminar sponsored by the Michigan Farm Bureau. County Farm Bureau Citizenship Committees are setting the wheels in motion to again select schools in the county from which to choose participants.

Last year Clinton County Farm Bureau sent Roger Smith and Chuck Openthaler of the DeWitt and Grand Ledge high schools, respectively. Both boys agreed that it was a never-to-be-forgotten experience.

THE CAMP will operate very similar to procedures used last year. In general the program will again cover four major topics: 1) Americanism - Dr. Clifton Ganus, Harding College, Search, Ark.; 2) Communism - Cleon Skousen, Author "The Naked Communist"; 3) Our Private Enterprise Economic System - Dr. Lewis Lloyd, Economist, Dow Chemical Co., Midland; and 4) Participating in Political Parties - D. Hale Brake, Michigan State Ass'n. of Supervisors, Lansing.

The requirements are that the young people must be either juniors or seniors in high school and must reside in the county from which they are being sent. The county board of directors has already set aside \$50.00 for one scholarship and the other will be obtained from agr-business in the county. Cost of the scholarship covers room, meals, enrollment and furnished materials.

ANNOUNCEMENT will be made in the schools as soon as they are selected as to ways in which students may compete for the one-week seminar scholarship.

County member on Washington FB air tour

Mrs Levi Blakeslee, past, chairman of Clinton County Farm Bureau Women, participated this week in the women's sponsored annual Washington Air Tour. The group left Detroit Metropolitan Airport Sunday, March 13, and returned late yesterday (Wednesday).

Mrs Blakeslee, long active in Farm Bureau legislative affairs, was awarded the trip by the county women as a "thank you" for her many years of service to Farm Bureau.

On Monday the group spent the day with officials of the American Farm Bureau discussing current legislation. On Tuesday they visited with Michigan congressmen and senators and attended sessions of the Congress. All day Wednesday they participated in a sightseeing tour of Washington and the near by area.

COST OF the tour was \$101.57 per person, covering tourist air transportation from Detroit to Washington and return, baggage handling, transfers, lodging, tour and lunch on Wednesday and tips.



"There's some consolation morning comes just once a day!"

Worldwide food problem solution termed as vital

Finding a solution to the threat of worldwide famine means as much to the future of mankind as avoiding an all-out nuclear catastrophe, according to an Illinois researcher.

The statement was made at an Agricultural Marketing Clinic March 8 at Michigan State University by Dr. T. J. Army, senior research associate, International Minerals & Chemical Corp., Skokie, Ill.

"Farmers and all agri-businessmen must look beyond their own activities to see the global food production challenges which face many today," Dr. Army explained.

"IT IS AN overwhelming paradox of our time that half of the human race is hungry while we, in this country, struggle with diets and schemes to control surplus production.

"The truth is that there is a food deficiency - not surplus - when the problem is viewed in its international perspective. And this shortage will become even more acute with the exploding population."

Dr. Army warned that most of the earth's arable land is already being farmed, and there is little chance of farming oceans on a commercial basis for several decades.

"MAN WILL have to increase food production on existing acreage," he said, "by utilizing new technology and proven farm inputs, such as fertilizers and other agricultural chemicals.

"For this first time in history, man has the ability to feed his neighbors, but he must be ready to change his habits and accept new ideas which will open the way to meeting the global demand for food and fiber."

Michigan has 3,000 miles of shore on four of the five Great Lakes.

Hogs suffer ulcers, too

The stress and strain of modern living is taking its toll among hogs as well as humans. There is increasing evidence that stomach ulcers are becoming more common in hogs every year.

Veterinary scientists at the University of Wisconsin and practicing veterinarians in Wisconsin rural areas report more ulcers every year since this problem was discovered during the last 10 years.

T. KOWALCZYK, B. A. Muggenburg, W. G. Hoekstra, N. L. First, and R. H. Grummer, university scientists, studied University of Wisconsin swine herds and private herds in cooperation with R. W. Smith, practicing veterinarian in Walworth County. They found that ulcers are a particular problem in pregnant sows.

The big outbreaks of ulcers are during late pregnancy or at farrowing time. The researchers found that on many farms added stress at farrowing time brought on the acute ulcer outbreaks. The disease varied in severity, sometimes causing only loss in weight and other times causing a sow to bleed to death.

PREGNANT SOWS the researchers studied had no apparent signs of ulcers during the normal growing period or during early pregnancy. But when they were moved to a new farm or placed in a strange environment, they suddenly lost their appetites and became pale and weak. Some died, and others became so emaciated they had to be destroyed.

Examination of the stricken sows always revealed the same trouble - ulcerated stomach lining of various degrees.

Sudden changes added to the stress of pregnancy or farrowing was blamed for the acute ulcers in every case. The stresses were varied. One herd was moved to crowded, ill-fitting farrowing stalls. Another was brought from a quiet, undisturbed environment of one where there were frequent visitors and disturbances.

ANOTHER HERD with an ulcer outbreak had a change of managers during the later stages of the sows' pregnancy. The first manager was a quiet, gentle type while the second manager was more deliberate and aggressive.

High corn rations have been accused of contributing to ulcers. In one of the epidemics, the pregnant sows were getting up to three-fourths of their feed as corn. This ulcer-prone ration combined with the stress of farrowing could have brought on ulcers in this herd.

Ulcer epidemics sometimes are of serious proportions. On a commercial farm in Wisconsin 187 sows became sick and 110 of them died of ulcers. Losses in university herds were usually not so severe, ranging from 3 to 21 per cent. One year five sows out of 78 died as a result of ulcers. In another year five out of 24 sows died because of ulcers.

THE VETERINARIANS have shown that most of these acute ulcer cases can be prevented by getting rid of extra stress conditions at farrowing time. In most of the herds the problem didn't recur in years when management remained constant, sows weren't moved or rations weren't changed drastically. Apparently the sow with normal conditions for farrowing will come through without mishap. But unnatural stresses at this critical time could lead to an ulcer epidemic.

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PURINA CHOWS

Trefoil outlook seems bright

From a small beginning of a few acres in 1949, birdsfoot trefoil acreage in Chippewa County grew to an estimated 6,000 acres for harvest in 1965.

Karl Larson, Chippewa, Luce and Mackinac counties agricultural agent, has promoted the use of the legume that like the heavy, imperfectly drained soils in the area around Pickford, Rudyard and Sault Ste. Marie, Larson says the crops thrive on heavy usage and produces a good yield of high protein forage.

MANY STANDS have been in for as many as 10 years and look as good as they did two years after seeding. Larson also finds that the trefoil stands the competition from quackgrass, a native weed grass that is always a problem to legume growing in the Upper Peninsula.

Leyton V. Nelson, extension specialist in crop science from Michigan State University, says crops authorities are encouraged by the performance of trefoil in the area and think the crop has a good future.

"However, the seed production of the crop should be a part of the total forage production program. Hay should be removed about June 10 and a second cutting taken for seed," Nelson believes.

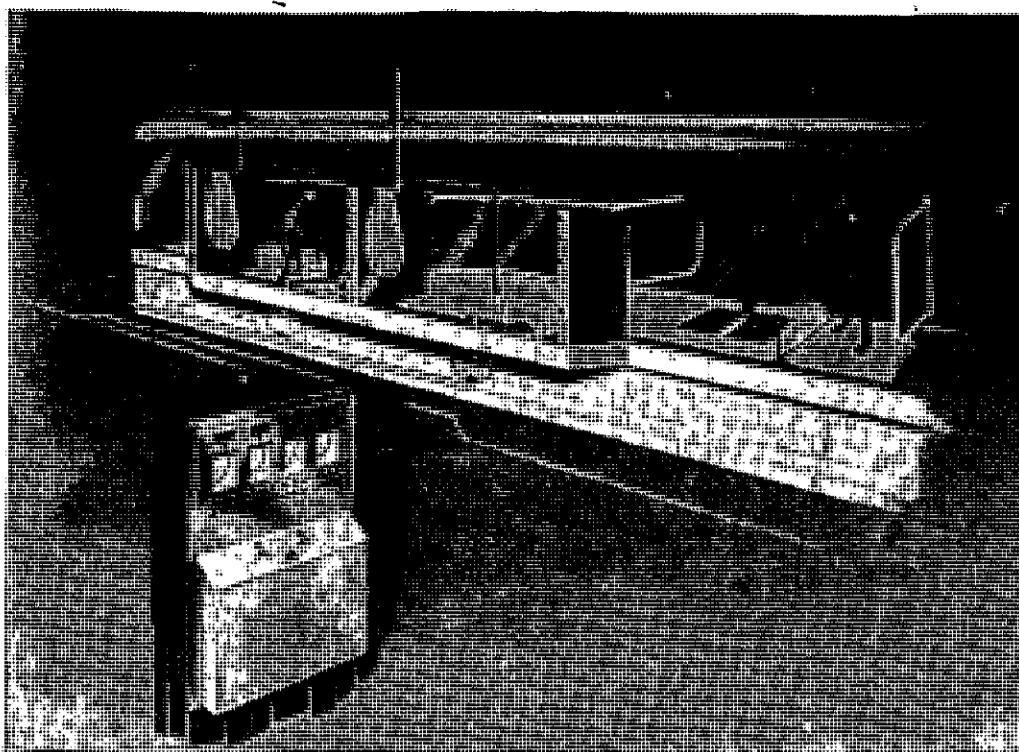
NELSON POINTS to the importance of timely hay harvest for weed control and flowering so the second crop can be taken in late August or early September.

Larson believes there are many thousand acres of land not in cultivation or crop in Chippewa County that could go into this legume crop and be used for livestock production. He sees the legume operation tying in with a cow-calf production program or raising beef feeder calves in the area.

Between 1953 and 1959 Michigan State University conducted research in the Chippewa County area and found the birdsfoot trefoil could be readily established on grass sod heavily infested with quackgrass by the following steps:

- (1) Spray sod with about \$15 worth of Dowpon or TCA per acre in late April or early May when the grass is two to three inches tall;
- (2) plow in mid-May;
- (3) disc and harrow immediately and (4) fertilize and seed with trefoil.

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AS EACH COW is milked, the control console creates a milk-

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In the automated milking parlor, a two-man team could handle the entire milking chore for a 500-cow herd. One man would take the morning milking, the other the evening milking. Each session would require about four hours. DeLaval bases this figure on a conservative estimate of six minutes per cow. In a 12-stall parlor, this means the operator would attach a milker unit to a cow every 30 seconds.

ALTHOUGH DELAVAL is not yet ready to estimate the cost of an automated installation, the company considers its current research and development in-

vestment justified by the potential market for automated milking.

"The cost of this automated milking system," says DeLaval's Dairy Division vice president, Harry L. Barnes, "will be quickly covered by labor savings, herd health improvements and the resulting reduction in lost milk, plus the increased income potential of an enlarged herd."

The company estimates a 100-cow-herd as the minimum size for which automated milking will be economically feasible at first. But Barnes points out that the research involved in perfecting this system is sure to find applications among smaller herds, just as pipeline and parlor milking systems have.

CURRENT TRENDS towards fewer and larger dairy herds plus the problems of hiring and keeping qualified farm help are major factors that create the need for automated milking.

"The dairy farmer wants to grow to increase profits," says a DeLaval spokesman. "For the family farm, the farm that cannot or does not want to hire outside labor, increased efficiency is the only way to grow. Automation of the milk harvesting process is the natural step for such farms."

Control of pollution is America's most pressing conservation problem, says the National Wildlife Federation. By 1980, the nation will need to re-use existing water supplies at least six times in order to meet domestic, industrial and agricultural needs.

Corn growers cautioned against over-optimism

Feed grain producers who have a mistaken notion that the Food for Freedom program could call for increased corn production and exports this year would do well to examine the facts and then file an application to take part in the 1966 feed grain program, according to Jerome Gerszewski, Michigan Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation program specialist from the state office.

planted to feed grains under the feed grain program was also included.

THE US production of corn last year was a record 4.2 billion bushels. And feed grain stocks are more than sufficient. For 1965-66, the US corn supply is set at 5,342,000,000 bushels, 4 per cent larger than in 1964. The total supply of corn would have been much higher if farmers had not diverted from production last year some 25,000,000 acres of corn under the feed grain program.

To put the record straight, Gerszewski emphasized that the Department of Agriculture continues to urge full participation in the 1966 feed grain program.

HE NOTED that India received 4,600,000 bushels of US corn during the year 1964. This is equal to about one bushel for each thousand bushels produced in the US last year. The people of India, together with those in most of the other food-deficit areas, are not corn eaters. They eat rice when they can get it and fall back on wheat and in some cases grain sorghum if rice is not available.

The suggested changes in US crop production, indicated in President Johnson's Food for Freedom message to Congress and his directives to Secretary of Agriculture Freeman, call for increases only for rice. Action to encourage the production of soybeans on acreage scheduled to be

Despite any anticipated increase in feed grain exports, the total supply is entirely adequate to supply domestic needs and exports, and leave a substantial carryover at the time the 1966 crop is harvested. Gerszewski said the exports of corn are used principally for livestock feed and not as food for people.

THE SECRETARY previously had suspended the option for voluntary diversion of additional spring wheat plantings under the 1966 wheat program.

Gerszewski urged growers to consider all the facts carefully and not wait until the last minute to file an application to take part in the 1966 feed grain program. The sign-up is now under way in the ASCS county offices.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED BANK MERGER

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D.C., 20220, for his consent to a merger of Clinton National Bank and Trust Company, St. Johns, Michigan, and Fowler State Bank, Fowler, Michigan.

It is contemplated that all offices of the above-named banks will continue to be operated.

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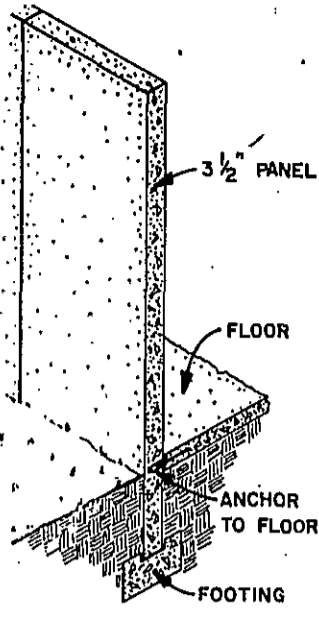
MSU graduates 8 from Clinton

Eight persons from Clinton County were among the 1,122 students receiving degrees Sunday at Michigan State University's winter quarter commencement exercises.

County people were Lynn R. Lietzke of R-1, DeWitt, bachelor of science degree in agriculture mechanization; James M. Michelsen of 12750 E. Geneva Drive, DeWitt, BS in social science; Phyllis A. Proctor of 1 Chandler, DeWitt, BA in business education; Larry A. Nicholas of 228 Pine Street, Elsie, master of arts in educational administration; Gerald A. Meredith of 240 E. Clinton Street, Ovid, MA in educational administration; Pamela S. Currey of 206 W. McConnell, St. Johns, BA in elementary education; Beverly J. Knight of 500 S. Kibbee Street, St. Johns, BA in elementary education (high honors); and David R. Livingston of R-3, St. Johns, BS in agricultural engineering.



Concrete sandwich wall panel is set in a notched foundation. Threaded rods will be installed to anchor each panel to the building floor. This self-anchoring design, developed by University of Illinois agricultural engineers, eliminates need for supporting columns to hold walls in place.



PANEL SELF-ANCHORING SYSTEM

Drawing of uninsulated concrete panel shows the basic design of the building system with notched footing and threaded anchor rods that tie panel to floor.

New building system developed

A University of Illinois research team headed by agricultural engineers E. L. Hansen and J. O. Curtis has developed a new building system. This new method uses continuously insulated, self-anchored concrete wall panels. The university has recently completed a 32 x 36-ft. swine research building using the new system. Some of the features of the systems are:

Two anchoring methods are possible. With one, panels may be bolted directly to the founda-

tion; with the other, panels are held in place by a notch in the footing and anchored by threaded rods that extend from the panel to the concrete floor.

WALL PANELS can be solid concrete or insulated. Continuously insulated concrete sandwich walls are 5 1/2 inches thick. The panels consist of two 1 3/4 inch concrete faces enclosing 2 inches of expanded polystyrene.

Because there are no columns separating the panels, insulation is continuous. After panels are erected, the insulation edges butt against each other. Joints are filled with a sealing agent.

The reinforced panels are 4 feet wide and up to 12 feet high. They can be handled by some farm equipment, such as a hoist or front-end loader, or small cranes can be leased in most areas.

PANELS MAY be precast and hauled to the construction site or cast on the job. At the University of Illinois, the panels were cast horizontally on a concrete floor.

For further information, write to the Department of Agricultural Engineering, College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill.

AGRICULTURE in Action

by M. L. Woell
MICHIGAN FARM BUREAU

To see a farmer who's hopping mad, just pull up behind him on the shoulder of the road when he's stopped to repair a tire slashed by a broken beer bottle.

Farmers have to use highway shoulders a lot in these days of heavy traffic, and considering what's to be found on many road edges they might be safer out in the main stream. Especially with tractor tires cost from \$15 to \$160, and with truck tires around \$175.

Last year more than 16,000 truckloads of bottles cans and paper were picked up by hand on state highways alone in Michigan at a cost of \$584,000—and an individual pick-up cost of around 32 cents for each discarded beer can and bottle!

MORE THAN MOST, farmers have to deal with the litter left by unthinking people and from sad experience are quick to tell you that an up-ended bottle-bottom is capable of slashing completely through an expensive tire casing. Tractor tires, with their deep tread but comparatively thin casing are especially vulnerable. Built for weight instead of speed, the heavy motor and other equipment help gouge in the glass.

Tired of the foolish and careless way in which bottles are tossed around, farmers have demanded strict enforcement of the anti-litter laws with the suggestion that instead of a fine, the judge may require the offender to pick up roadside litter.

LAST FALL, delegates to the

Michigan Farm Bureau annual meeting took note of the fact that most road litter traces back to the beverage industry and adopted a policy urging the legislature to require a minimum deposit of 5 cents on each bottle of beverage sold in Michigan. The idea was to encourage return of the bottles through giving them enough value so that if nothing else, little boys would gather them for spending money. A man determined to do something about the problem is Rep. Robert J. Slingerland of Lake Orion. Slingerland has introduced a bill in the current legislature which fits perfectly in with farm thinking concerning the "throw-away" containers. It deserves broad public support.

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Understanding your HEALTH

By Albert E. Heustis, M.D., Director Michigan Department of Public Health

Would you believe that laughter is a medicine?

It seems to me that many people think health is a pretty solemn, and gloomy business. And that bothers me because I believe that laughter and humor are vital ingredients to good health. Laughter is just about the cheapest luxury we can enjoy and it's one of the best medicines, too.

In fact, sometimes I think that the ability to laugh with others and at yourself, when necessary, is a lot more helpful in the long run than many of the so-called wonder drugs.

NOW, OF COURSE, I realize that it's important to give people the latest and the most accurate information which we have regarding sickness and health. But

I also realize that everyone is an individual, and that in this country, at least, he has the right to make a free choice. As long as an individual does not injure the health of others, he may ignore our advice.

Of course, the important thing is that in order to make a choice intelligently he must know all the facts. That's why we in the state health department place so much importance on health information and health education. That's why we spend so much time warning you about this or that disease and caution you about hazards to your health.

BUT SOMETIMES I wonder if in the process of giving out health information we might be in danger of creating a generation of hypochondriacs — people who are absolutely sure they have the latest disease.

Yes, there is a danger in describing the symptoms of diseases, talking about them too much. By doing so, we can create worry and generate anxiety in some people that is a lot more dangerous than many of the diseases themselves. That's why a sense of humor — maybe even better, a sense of proportion, is very important to good health.

SURE, THERE ARE a lot of diseases and there are a lot of hazards which might affect us; but gosh, if we let ourselves get all worked up about every one of them, we would end up afraid to cross the street because we might get hit by a car, or even stay in the same room with another person because we might get some germs.

March 3rd's Clinton County News, 36 pages in size, contained 2,409 column inches of news, pictures and non-advertising space.

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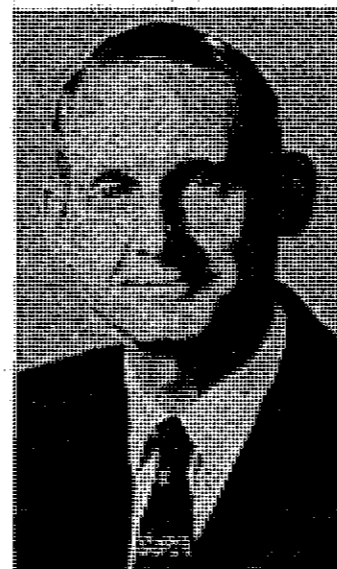
Boys from the greater Lansing area receive instruction in crafts from a counselor at Mystic Lake Camp last summer. Ten boys from the St. Johns community attended the camp last July as a part of the St. Johns Exchange Club youth program. One of the club's many fund-raising projects for the support of its youth projects is coming up March 19; that's the annual pancake supper. It will be held from 5-7 p.m. March 19 at Smith Hall in the city park. The public is invited, and tickets may be purchased from any Exchange Club member.

Port Huron minister slated for Sunday's Lenten service

Dr. Carl Martenson, minister of First Congregational Church, Port Huron, will speak at the Sunday evening Lenten service at Ovid United Church this Sunday at 7:30 p.m. His sermon topic will be "Is God Dead?" He will address the youth at the Youth meeting at 6:30 on the topic "Boy Meets Girl."

Dr. Martenson has spoken in Ovid on previous occasions and is being returned by popular request. He was born and educated in Detroit. Following graduation from Albion College he attended Union Theological Seminary in New York City from which he graduated in 1932.

He has held out-of-state pastorates in Brooklyn, N.Y., West Cornwall, Conn., and East Orange, N.J. Dr. Martenson was called to be minister of First Congregational Church in Saginaw, Mich., and from there he went to Grand Rapids where he became senior minister of First (Park) Congregational Church, the largest Congregational Church in Michigan and one of the largest churches in the country. During his eight years pastorate there, he developed a unique "group ministry" which



DR. CARL MARTEINSON, who became known throughout the country, Park Church had 3,600 members, an annual budget of \$125,000, 39 women's groups, and 11 full-time staff members.

IN APRIL 1958 Dr Martenson came to Port Huron as minister of the First Congregational Church. In 1960, 1961 and 1963 he was one of the preachers in the Detroit Council of Churches Noon-day Union Lenten Services Program.

Active in community affairs, Dr Martenson is chaplain of Port Huron Lions Club, member of the advisory board of the Salvation Army, member of the board of directors of St. Clair County Community Chest, member of the board of directors of the Family Service Center of St. Clair County, member of the advisory board of the Mental Health and Child Guidance Center. He is a member of the evangelism and special days committee of the YMCA and of the Port Huron Council of Churches. He also belongs to Torch Club.

DR. MARTEINSON has spoken at Alma, Albion, Olivet, Western Michigan, Central Michigan and Kalamazoo College, in Michigan and at Heidelberg College in Ohio. He has made many commencement addresses for Michigan high schools and is in frequent demand as an after-dinner speaker.

In the summer of 1953, Dr and Mrs Martenson visited England and France. For 11 weeks he preached in the pulpit of St. Aubyn's Congregational Church, London, while its minister Rev Norman Castles, lived in Dr Martenson's parsonage, and occupied his pulpit.

That same summer Dr Martenson served as a delegate to the International Congregational Conference in St. Andrew's, Scotland. In 1961 Dr Martenson was moderator of the Michigan Congregational Conference. For six years he was a member of the 18-member country-wide executive committee of the Congregational denomination. For hobbies, Dr Martenson follows fishing, boating, photography and horse-shoe pitching.

A RECENT BEQUEST of \$475,000 has permitted the Port Huron Church to vote to replace its 110-year old sanctuary with a new, contemporary structure. The church is now purchasing a whole block of land adjacent to its present building, and Dr Martenson is leading the project of constructing a new church.

This Sunday evening the Ovid United Church will have charge of the worship. The Duplain Methodist MYF will conduct the Youth Meeting. The services are open to everyone.

Tiny trouble

Microorganisms living within the body and not genetic factors form blood group antibodies that trigger severe and sometimes fatal reactions to blood transfusions, reports a Northwestern University microbiologist. He says his findings indicate such antibodies can be chemically neutralized so that a patient can be given any of the major blood types in a transfusion.



Food top sales item in December

Food sales was the biggest single item in the business world of Clinton County during December, according to reports of the Michigan Department of Revenue on sales taxes collected. The department collected \$57,072 in sales taxes in January on sales made in December. That compared to \$43,989 taxes resulting from automotive sales. In all, some \$180,279.09 in sales taxes were collected by the department on December sales.

OTHER MAJOR taxing categories

were: building material, \$24,194; general merchandise, \$7,859; apparel, \$5,706; furniture, \$8,527; miscellaneous retail, \$17,160; and non-retail, \$15,757. There was a total of \$4,742.14 collected in use tax.

Five hundred sixty-eight businesses in the county returned sales taxes to the state during January on their December business.

Chinese typewriters are so complex that even a skilled operator cannot select characters from the 1,500 offered at a rate of more than four words a minute.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 19

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Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

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St. Johns Area

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Keith A. Bovee, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
9:30 a.m.—Church School
10:30 a.m.—Coffee Club
11 a.m.—Morning Worship, Sermon: "The Way of True Greatness"
6:30 p.m.—Senior High MYF
7:30 p.m.—Evening Lenten Service at St. John's Episcopal church
Wednesday, March 16
6:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts
6:30 p.m.—Lenten potluck supper.
Rev. James Cochran is guest speaker.
7 p.m.—Chancel Choir rehearsal
Thursday, March 17
8:30 a.m.—Men's Lenten Breakfast
9 p.m.—Chapel Choir
6 to 7 p.m.—Fish Fry Supper in Niles Hall
Tuesday, March 22
1:30 p.m.—Mary-Martha Circle will meet with Mrs. Coraella Hilda
1:30 p.m.—Ruth Circle meets with Mrs. Edward MacKinnon
1:30 p.m.—Lenten Study Circle will meet with Mrs. Gordon Luther
7 p.m.—Boy Scouts

PRICE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. John C. Huhtala
10 a.m.—Church School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
11 a.m.—Lenten Study Series
Thursday, March 17
9:30 a.m.—Lenten Study Series. Mrs. Manning Bross will continue the study of "Difficult Sayings of Jesus" by Gordon Fowell. All church women invited.
7:30 p.m.—Cub Scout Pack 274
Saturday, March 19
1 p.m.—Children's Choir rehearsal
Sunday, March 20
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School, nursery through junior high
11 a.m.—Worship Service, Sermon: "The Compassion"
7:30 p.m.—Fourth in the United Lenten Services at St. John's Episcopal church. Speaker: The Rev. Les G. Deinstad, Executive Secretary of the National Association of Congregational Christian Churches.
Tuesday, March 22
1:30 p.m.—Elizabeth Winslow Division will meet with Mrs. William Richards. Sr. Mrs. George H. Brooks is co-hostess.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Gerald Churchill, Minister
Wednesday, March 16
7:30 a.m.—Lenten Breakfast for high school youth
3:45 p.m.—Girl Scout Troop No. 429
7 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop No. 81
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ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, William Dowday Supt.
11:00 a.m.—The Morning Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Junior Church
7:00 p.m.—The Evening Worship Service
Nursery for babies; playroom for toddlers during Sunday School, morning and evening worship services.
8:00 p.m.—Junior Youth Fellowship. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Phillips Directors
8:00 p.m.—Senior Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Midweek Prayer Hour (Wednesdays)
The Second Monday—Monthly Deaf and Blind Fellowship. "The Deaf and Blind Fellowship" is a faith once delivered.
ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
Most Rev. Joseph Green, J.C.D., Pastor
Father Edwin J. Banning and Father John E. Young—Assistant Pastors
Rector, 102 W. Linden St.
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Mass Schedule—Weekday Mornings: 7:30 and 8:15. Holy Communion at 7:15. Wednesday—Evening Mass. Monday, Wednesday and Saturday: 7:15. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 5:30. Sundays—6:00, 7:30, 8:00 (High Mass October through May), 10:30 and 12:00 noon.
Holy Days—6:00 and 8:00 a.m.; 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.
Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays: 8:30 to 9:00 p.m. and 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. 8:00 to 9:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. After Novena on Tuesday.
First Fridays—Sacrament of Penance: Thursday from 5:30 to 9:00 p.m.; 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. Friday: During all Masses.
Holy Communion—6:00 and 7:15 a.m.; 7:30 p.m. Devotions: Masses—7:30 and 8:15 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament—Beginning with Holy Hour at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday until 7:30 p.m. Devotions: First Friday, 7 and 10 a.m.; Devotions—Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena—Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.; Rosary and Holy Hour at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday, Thursday and Friday.
Religion Instruction Classes—Adult Instruction and classes: 8:00 a.m. June through August; Monday and Wednesday, September through May; Monday and Thursday at 8:00 p.m. Public Grade School Children: Saturday at 10:00 a.m. Holy Communion—Baptisms—Each Sunday at 1:30 p.m. by appointment.

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ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Theodore C. Moeller, Jr., Pastor
9 a.m.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class. H.S. Bible Class at persons.
10:15 a.m.—Divine Worship, Holy Communion first Sunday of the month.
Church nursery
8 p.m.—Ladies' Guild, first Thursday of each month
7:30 p.m.—Lutheran Women's Missionary League, third Wednesday of each month
7:15 p.m.—Wednesdays—Midweek Lenten Services
8:15 p.m.—Thursdays—Midweek Lenten Services
Adult information courses held at the convenience of interested parties. Phone 224-7400 for specific information. Church office hours: Tuesday through Friday, 9-12. Telephone 224-3544.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS

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

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

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

CHURCH OF GOD

Whitmore and Railroad on US-27
Rev. Duane Erawalker, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Adult Prayer group
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting; choir practice 8:30 p.m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

325 Church Street
Rev. E. J. Eger, Jr., Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:45 p.m.—Evening Worship
Thursday, 7:45 p.m.—Prayer service
8:00 p.m. (2nd and 4th Thursdays)
Free Meche last youth meetings

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

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

EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCHES

Rev. Norman Crocker, Pastor
Bengal
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Senior YF
10:45 a.m.—Church School
10:40 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Senior YF

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Kingdom Hall
1893 N. Lansing Street
Sunday, 3:00 p.m.—Public Talk
4:15 p.m.—Watchtower Study
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.—Bible study
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry School

DeWitt Area

DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH
(Interdenominational)
Rev. Daniel Keim, Pastor
9:45—Sunday School "Teaching God, Christ and the Church." Mrs. Ardis Sibley, Supt.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Worship
7 p.m.—Worship and sermon. (No Church School)
Other Sundays—9:00 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon. 9:30 a.m. Church School

DEWITT METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Wm. Ernest Campbell, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
6:45 p.m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship
Nursery for pre-school children during morning worship hour

EMMANUEL METHODIST CHURCH

Corner Clark and Schaefer Roads
Rev. William C. Cessna, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, adults and children
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
Newcomers and old friends are always welcome

ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

211 E. State Street
Rev. Hugh E. Banning, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting and study hour

EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH

(Non Denominational)
Round Lake Road 1/4 mile
Walter W. Sluys, Pastor
Sunday—9:00 a.m.—Bible School
Maurice Rudman, Supt. Classes for all ages
11:00 a.m.—Junior Church, Mrs. Vera Sluys, Dr.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:45 p.m.—Evening Fellowship—Senior 14 and up; Jr. Cadets 10-13
7:00 p.m.—Evening Gospel Service
Wednesday—Prayer, Fruits and Bible Study 7:30 p.m.—"An Open Door to an Open Book"

ST. THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fr. Wm. Koenigsnecht, Pastor
Fr. James Murray and Fr. Max Fisher—Assistant Pastors
Rector: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing
Mass Schedule: 6:00, 7:30, 8, 10:30 and 12
Weekdays: 6:30, 8 and 7:30 p.m.
Confessions—8:30-9 and 7:30-8:30 p.m.
First Friday: 3:30-5 and 7:30-9 p.m.
Sundays: 7:30, 8 and 10 a.m., 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.
First Friday Masses—6:30, 8 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Valley Farms Area

VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. LaVern Bretz, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship, Junior Church for children through 6th grade
11:15 a.m.—Church School. There is a class for everyone from the youngest to the oldest. The Bible is our textbook
6:30 p.m.—BYF for both Juniors and Seniors
7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p.m.—Choir practices
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Midweek Prayer Service; 8:00 p.m.—Midweek Choir practice
Saturday 10:00 a.m.—Jr. Choir practice
1st Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Woman's Mission Society
2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for Jr. H. B. B. B.
3rd Tuesday 8:30 p.m.—Men's Fellowship

Fowler Area

MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor
Rev. Lawrence Parkhurst, Pastor
Sunday Masses—8:30, 9:30 and 10:30 a.m.
Weekdays—During school year, 7 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Sorrowful Mother Novena—Friday, 7:30 p.m.
Saturdays—7:30 a.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Herbert Schmidt, Pastor
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School

Riley Township

ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH
MISSOURI LUTHERAN
4 1/2 miles west of St. Johns on M-21
5 1/2 miles south on Francis road
1/2 mile west of church road
Elder B. Schaefer, Pastor
Phone 224-9176
9:00 a.m.—Worship Service
8:15 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class
10:30 a.m.—Worship Service
Holy Communion is celebrated on the first Sunday of each month in the early services, and on the third Sunday of each month in the late service. Adult information classes, which also prepare for membership in the church, are held as much as possible at the convenience of the inquirer. Phone 224-3178 for information.

Maple Rapids Area

LOWE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Rudy A. Wittenbach, Minister
9:00 a.m.—Church School
10:15 a.m.—Morning Worship

MAPLE RAPIDS METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Rudy A. Wittenbach, Minister
9:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:15 a.m.—Church School

GREENBUSH METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Rudy A. Wittenbach, Minister
10:30 a.m.—Church School
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

825 Michigan
Rev. Donald Voss, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service
7:45 p.m.—Sunday School
7:00 p.m.—U.C.Y.M. meets on alternate Sundays
8:00 p.m.—Thursday Chapel choir practice
10:00 a.m.—Saturday, Cherub choir practice
8:30 p.m.—Service meeting

ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION

Fulton Area
Rev. Richard Anderson of St. John's, Alma, is in charge
Services every Sunday at 4 p.m. at 235 Garfield, Maple Rapids. For information, call 682-2211, 682-2401.

Mathertown Area

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH
Mathertown Michigan
Rev. N. J. Wilbert, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service
10:45 a.m.—Church School
10:30 a.m.—Wednesday, Midweek prayer meeting
We welcome you to the fellowship of our services. Our desire is that you may find the warmth of welcome and the assistance in your worship of Christ
First and third Sundays Mathertown Church, second and fourth at Fenwick Church

MATHERTOWN COMMUNITY CHURCH

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

Fulton Area

FULTON GOSPEL CHURCH
1/2 mile east of Ferris on M-51,
1/2 mile south
Rev. Fred Wing, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Youth Service
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

SALMON EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH

Rev. Ralph Conine
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Midweek Services

ST. MARTIN DEPORE MISSION

Rev. Charles G. Gansley, Pastor
Sunday Mass—9:15 a.m.
No Weekday mass

Eureka Area

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

Bath Area

BATH METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Reginald B. Becker, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Morning Service
11:00 a.m.—Church School
7:00 p.m.—M.Y.F. at the church
8:00 p.m.—Sr. M.Y.F. at the church

BATH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. James L. Burleigh, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

ROSE LAKE CHURCH

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

Gunnisonville Area

GUNNISONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH
Clark and Wood Roads
Rev. William C. Cessna, Pastor
9 a.m.—Sunday School
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
A friendly church where all are welcome

Eagle Area

EAGLE METHODIST CHURCH
Gerald L. Hedlund, Pastor
1424 Michigan Avenue
Telephone 627-6333
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:45 a.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Senior MYF Sunday
7:00 p.m.—Junior MYF Wednesday

EAGLE SQUARE CHURCH

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

Church Chuckles by CARTWRIGHT



"I think I should make the invitation to attend our church sound very casual. Maybe you could help by yawning a little?"

Ovid Area

OVID FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
South Lansing Street
Rev. Wallace E. Lewien, Pastor
Myron Woodruff, Church School Supt.
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Church School
7:00 p.m.—Wednesday, Senior Choir
8:00 p.m.—Bible Study and Prayer service

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Ovid, Michigan
Corner M24 and Elsie Road
George Rogers, Pastor
10 a.m.—Morning worship hour
9 p.m.—Youth training hour
7 p.m.—Evening gospel hour
Wednesday, 4 p.m.—Youth choir practice
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Bible study and prayer service

CHURCH OF GOD

Ovid, Michigan
Rev. L. Sanders, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study;
8:00 p.m.—Choir practice

OVID UNITED CHURCH

Rev. Gordon Spierka, Minister
Mrs. Duane LaRue, church school superintendent
9:30 a.m.—Church School
10:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
5 p.m.—Junior High Youth Fellowship
7 p.m.—Senior High Youth Fellowship
Wednesday, 4 p.m.—Junior choir rehearsal
7:30 a.m.—Chancel choir rehearsal
Thursday, 3:45 p.m.—Children's choir rehearsal
2nd Tuesday each month, 8 p.m.—Official board meeting
1st Wednesday each month—Women's Fellowship executive board meeting
2nd Wednesday each month—Women's Fellowship general meeting
3rd Wednesday each month—Women's Fellowship circle meetings
3rd Monday each month, 6:30 p.m.—Men's club meeting

ELsie Area

ELSIE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Gordon Showers, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Lyle Dunham
DUPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Gordon Showers, Minister
10 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth Kiger
11 a.m.—Worship service

DUPLAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. Ralph Woodard, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Bible School
Jack Schwark, Jr., S.S. Supt.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

ELSIE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Peter Jensen, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Worship service
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Paul Brown, Supt.
6:30 p.m.—Sr. and Sr. BYF
7:15 p.m.—Evening Service
Wednesday, 4:00 p.m.—Choir practice; 7:00 p.m.—Sr. Choir practice; 8:00 p.m.—Prayer and Bible Study. The Bible is our textbook and Jesus saves

ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Fr. C. D. Smolinski, Pastor
Rector: Bamister, Phone 682-2270
Sunday Masses—7 a.m., 8 a.m., 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 p.m., 5 p.m., 7 p.m., 8 p.m., 9 p.m.
Holy Days Masses—7 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Confessions—4 to 5 and 7:30 to 9 every Saturday except First Fridays before Mass

Wacousta Area

WACOUSTA METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Thomas Fetters, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
6:30 p.m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship (both Senior High and Junior High)
7:30 p.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Thursday, Senior Adult choir practice
4th Monday each month, 8 p.m. Official Board meeting
Wacousta Club meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month, at Wacousta Community Methodist church

Westphalia Area

ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Rev. Fr. Aloisius H. Miller, Pastor
7:00 p.m.—M.Y.F. at the church
Assistant Pastor
Sunday Masses—8, 8 and 10 a.m., 11:15 a.m.
Saturdays—6:45 a.m. and 7:30 a.m.
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Holy Hour—Friday, 7:30 p.m.

Victor Township

GROVE BIBLE CHURCH
Rev. Robert Fragar, Pastor
Price and Spangerville roads
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Classes for all ages
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
9 a.m.—Young People
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting
Ladies Missionary circle meets 4th Thursday
Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in month

Broadcasting weather information

at regular intervals from the Gulf of Mexico to monitoring stations a shore is a nuclear-powered NOMAD weather buoy. Operating unattended, the floating weather station transmits both general weather data and hurricane warnings. It was developed by the National Bureau of Standards for the Bureau of Naval Weapons.

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Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News

COURTHOUSE NEWS

New Suits Started

PAUL WAKEFIELD
County Clerk

Ronald Mackie and Wolverine Ins. Co. vs Evelyn Wilma Livingston.

Dazy Aviation, Inc. vs Township of DeWitt.

Marriage Licenses

Charles Cyrus Huntley, 46, of Lansing and Laura Alice Hartie, 33, of R-1, Bath.

John Albert Clark Jr. of R-3, St. Johns and Kathleen Alice Harshey, 21, of R-1, Grand Ledge.

Divorces Started

Nona B. VanDeusen vs William L. VanDeusen.

Luella I. Lofton vs Raymond H. Lofton.

Penny Lynn Davis vs Kenneth F. Davis.

Margaret Ladisky vs Richard Ladisky.

Probate Court

HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate

HELENA M. BURK
Register of Probate

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 1966

Michael Hurst, claims.

Nellie I. Brainard, appointment of administrator.

Orry E. Needles, probate will. Maude M. Township, administrator of will and setting aside order admitting will filed previously.

Robert D. Ward, probate will. Raymond L. Wieber, final account.

Albert C. Yanz, final account.

THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1966

Myrtle Belle Burk, probate will.

Mahala Jipson, final account.

Robert J. Olhansk, change of name.

Maytie F. Rose, claims.

Burt Johnson, final account.

Driving Licenses Revoked in County

(As reported by Secretary of State)

Horace E. Jasman, 13776 Webster Street, Bath, for unsafe driver driving record, effective through May 8; Rex Arthur Rockafellow, 108 E. Gibbs Street, St. Johns, for unsafe driver driving record, effective through April 8.

City Building Permits

March 2: Gerald Bast, 123 Floral Avenue remodel.

Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)

Anna Bolchot, Donald and Mildred Bolchot and Josephine Bol-

chot to Eberhard Realty Co., property in DeWitt twp.

Leland R. and Evelyn F. McMurry to Verlen E. and Genevieve M. Kruger, property in DeWitt twp.

Sanford E. P. and Ruth E. Albro to Jay D. and Ida Mae Kennedy, property in Bath twp.

Hattie Shinson to Sally Salters, property in the Village of Ovid.

Roy F. and Pauline Abr Briggs and Paul F. and Esther E. Stoller to Harold E. and Marjorie L. Phillips, property in the City of St. Johns.

Milton J. and Ruth A. King to Orville L. and Virgil D. Beachler, property in Bath twp.

Westphalia Builders and Supply Co. to Joseph and Antoinette Trierweiler, property in the Village of Westphalia.

Gels Agency, Inc. to Roland E. and Florence E. Church, property in Idyl-Crest Estates No. 1, DeWitt twp.

Bianch N. Schafly to Ernest C. and Marguerite E. Sharley, property in the Village of DeWitt.

William and Loretta Fosnight and W. Monte and Suzanne Ream to Robert J. and Barbara L. Fulton, property in Bath twp.

Lake Victoria Land Co. to American Central Corp., property in Victor twp.

American Central Corp., to Alva C. and Pearl M. McFrangle, property in Victor twp.

Robert L. and Mildred Bolling to Harold W. and Helen M. Anderson, property in Olive twp.

Urban M. and Esther M. Thelen to Theodore J. and Diana A. Rademacher, property in Westphalia twp.

Bruce O. and Helen E. Moyer to Fred A. and Evelyn M. Jones, property in Eagle twp.

Selma Workman and Frances Baggott Workman to Wayne Gilbert and Mary Jane Martin, property in DeWitt twp.

Wayne Gilbert and Mary Jane Martin to Warren T. and Laura I. Filkins, property in DeWitt twp.

Ear banks

Ear "banks," research laboratories where pathological studies of bequested inner ear structures are made, are located in many parts of the United States. Emory University professor John H. P. Lee says they are important because only by microscopically examining the inner ear can medical science uncover information, diagnosis and treatment of diseases affecting this area. These tissues are inaccessible for examination during life because they are located deep within the skull, in the temporal bone at the side and base of the skull.

In this day and age concealed weapons are out, but ability is a mighty good thing to have concealed about your person.

Tourism nears billion-dollar annual business

Tourism became almost a billion-dollar annual business in Michigan in 1965, according to results of a survey just completed by the Michigan Tourist Council.

The Tourist Council survey indicated more than 12 million people spent some \$60 million on recreational travel in Michigan in 1965. About half of the travelers were from outside of the state, and the rest Michigan residents who vacationed or spent weekends away from home within the state.

Spending by such travelers resulted in more than \$65 million in revenue to the state through sales and use tax, hunting and fishing license fees, camping fees and cigarette, liquor and gasoline taxes.

DIRECT TOURIST spending by travelers showed an increase of some 12 per cent over 1964 when a comprehensive study conducted by Central Michigan University placed primary tourist expenditures at \$597 million.

"These measurements of tourist spending are very conservative," said William T. McGraw, Tourist Council director. "Only overnight travelers and their expenditures for food, lodging, transportation and entertainment were included. The inclusion of other categories of recreational travelers and that portion of business travel which involves recreation would boost us well past the billion dollar mark."

Last winter showed an increase of about 4 per cent in spending over the same period in 1964, summer tourist expenditures were up about 13 per cent and autumn spending increased about 9 per cent, McGraw said.

A RECORD 75 Chambers of Commerce, attractions, public agencies and key traffic measurement points participated in the Tourist Council survey.

Among the indicators which reflected the record year were:

- Michigan Tourist Council vacation planning inquiries up nearly 38 per cent with more than 286,400 individual requests.
- Sales tax collections for the year were reported up 10.2 per cent and use tax collections were up more than 13 per cent, according to Department of Revenue figures.
- Mackinac Bridge traffic up 6.2 per cent; Ambassador Bridge traffic between Detroit and Windsor, Ontario, up 9.4 per cent; and Detroit-Windsor Tunnel traffic increased 9.3 per cent.
- HIGHWAY traffic volumes throughout the state up 5.8 per cent.
- Greenfield Village and Henry Ford Museum, Dearborn, one of the nation's leading tourist attractions, hosted 1.4 million persons during the year, an increase of 7 per cent.
- State park attendance topped 13.5 million with increases of 5.9 per cent in camp permits, 5.3 per cent in daily vehicle permits, and 14.2 per cent in camp turnaways.
- One of the key industrial attractions in the state, the Ford Rouge plant, reported a record of more than 240,000 visitors in 1965. The mark broke a record of 227,561 set in 1964 and included in addition to United States visitors, persons from 111 foreign countries.

AMONG THE largest gains reported by communities taking part in the Tourist Council sur-

vey were Muskegon, 40 per cent; Cheboygan, 27 per cent; Lake City, 22 per cent; and Adrian and Alpena, 20 per cent each.

Among comments from communities were:

Posen, "Prosperity... Michigan is recognized by out-staters as a good touring state." Ironwood, "Business better in all areas in 1965." Iron River, "All promotional efforts paying off." Harrison, "Economy seems good."

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