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Supervisors OK county DPW, planners

No official action taken yet

School millage vote may wait until June election

St. Johns School District voters probably will ballot in June, at the regular school election, on operating millage needs for the 1969-70 school year.

The school board hasn't taken any official action setting the millage vote but are reported considering the June 9 date to avoid the cost of an additional election.

Present extra voted millage of 12.8 mills expires this year after a one-year run. School officials haven't yet determined how much millage will be needed for next year, and this is one reason no election date has been set. Another is indecision by the state

legislature over what type of state aid will be provided next year.

While the future needs are being determined, the school board has made public some figures showing that St. Johns ranks dramatically low in the state in local spending for education.

During the 1967-68 school year, St. Johns spent only \$463.87 out of general fund money for education of each student, and that ranked the district 616th out of 526 high school districts in the state.

THIS MEANS there were only 10 high school districts that spent less per child than St. Johns, the

board's statement says. "The lowest one spent \$425.82 per child. The highest spent \$998.74, over twice as much as St. Johns.

"The board of education and administration feel that the students in St. Johns are getting a good program at a very low cost per student," the statement continues. "Three of the 10 schools ranking below St. Johns had total enrollments of less than 600. Only one was larger."

The figures on the rankings were provided by the State Department of Education. Other rankings of interest concerning the St. Johns District include:

*St. Johns ranked 470th among

the 526 districts in the amount per child raised locally.

*St. Johns ranked 83rd among the 526 districts in the amount of federal aid received per child.

*St. Johns ranked 173rd among 526 districts in average teacher salary (it was \$7,820 during 1967-68).

*St. Johns ranked 403rd in total instructional salaries per student (\$344.66 in 1967-68).

*St. Johns ranked 419th out of 526 districts in total instruction expense, salaries and supplies (\$368.91 in 1967-68).

*St. Johns ranked 131st out of 526 in total enrollment (3,647 students in 1967-68).

ST. JOHNS SCHOOL officials often speak with pride of the reasonably complete program which the district offers. In the elementary grades, instrumental and vocal music, gym and art are offered in addition to the usual academic subjects. Remedial reading classes and health services are also provided.

In the high school, classes are offered in shop, homemaking, business education and agriculture, in addition to the usual college prep and general courses. The music department serves many students and maintains a high standard of excellence. De-

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Sewage, landfill DPW objectives

The ever-newsworthy Clinton County Board of Supervisors decided Monday to set up both a new county planning commission and a county Department of Public Works.

A resolution concerning the planning commission passed without any discussion and with no opposition.

The DPW resolution received opposition in the form of disagreement over the makeup of the DPW board.

The county department of public works, discussed for the first time publicly, has been under private consideration by the board for some time. Recent difficulties of DeWitt Township in getting sewage treatment projects rolling heightened the problems.

The DPW's big objective would be operation of county-wide sewage disposal and solid waste disposal systems and landfills. It would rely heavily on road commission equipment and personnel but would not supercede the road commission.

Gerald Shepard of District 11 (Bath Township) introduced the resolution and commented that "on the county level we would stand a better chance of getting bonds than a local government."

His resolution called for the creation of a county DPW under the provisions of Act 185 of the Public Acts of 1957. It would provide for a five-man board, including the three road commissioners, the drain commissioner and a county supervisor.

MAURICE GOVE of District 3 sought to amend the resolution but it was defeated on an 8-3 vote. He thought the five-man board should consist of one road commissioner, drain commissioner, a county supervisor and

two members chosen at-large. He said he didn't think any one group of people on the board—the road commission would be—should have an automatic majority.

Gove, Claude Underhill of District 6 and Gerald Lankford of District 9 were the only ones voting for the amendment. The original motion including the three road commissioners then passed unanimously.

Shepard was appointed by the board to be the county supervisor representative on the new DPW board.

The county planning commission resolution met no opposition and received only a couple of clarification questions from other supervisors. It sets up a seven-member planning commission with members to be appointed for three year terms. During the first appointment, three members will be named for three-year terms, two for two-year terms and two for one-year terms. This will set up a series of staggered terms, with several new appointments to be made each year.

In addition to the seven persons, non-voting ex-officio members of the planning commission will include (during their tenure of office) the chairman of the county board of supervisors, the chairman of the road commission, the drain commissioner and the chairman of the county health board, if one shall exist.

THE COUNTY PLANNING commission has been in the talking stages for several months during which supervisors have been critical of the work carried on and expense of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission.

In a related bit of information, County Engineer Gerald Wilcox, who is a member of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, told the board that Tri-County needs to raise about \$70,000 immediately before it can meet the requirements to receive some \$67,000 in federal funds promised to it through the Housing and Urban Development Agency (HUD).

The federal funds had been withheld, Wilcox reported, because of failure by Tri-County to maintain an account carrying one-third of the amount for projects which are getting federal

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State unit OKs Stoney project

Robert Moore, Clinton County Soil Conservation District director and a member of the State Soil Conservation Committee, reported Monday that the state committee has approved the application of the Stoney Creek Watershed as a PL566 project and has referred it to the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service.



ST. JOHNS FIREMEN BATTLE BLAZE BEHIND HAMPSHIRE DRIVE

Name new Ovid bank manager

OVID — The appointment of Michael Mulder, an Ovid native, as Ovid branch manager and assistant cashier of the Central National Bank was announced this week by President Harold Wellman and Executive Vice President Robert Thompson.

The appointment is effective next Monday. He replaces Willie Tabor.

Mulder, 24, has been employed for five years at Owosso Savings Bank and recently has been assistant cashier. Prior to working at Owosso, he was employed at the bank in Ovid for two years.

He is a graduate of Ovid High School with the class of 1962. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mulder of Ovid, and his wife, Sally, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wolfe, also of Ovid. The Mulders and their two

children, Annie, 4, and Casey, 2, live in the rural Lathrup area. Mulder is secretary of the Ovid Bowling Assn.



MICHAEL MULDER

THE FAMILY DRIVE-IN Theatre will open for the new season Friday, March 28, 47-1

City plans talk on financial woes, solutions

A special discussion on the city's financial situation, including talk on a city income tax and other possible solutions, has been scheduled for the agenda for next Monday night's St. Johns City Commission meeting.

Anticipating a large crowd, the commission has scheduled the meeting for the municipal auditorium, on the upper floor of the city building, at 7:30 next Monday. The auditorium will hold a larger crowd than the regular commission chambers.

Commissioners met informally Monday night, March 17, and decided on the formal discussion for next week. Mayor Robert Wood said the commission sees only two alternatives to the problem right now — a city income tax for immediate help and a charter revision for long-range relief from austerity.

No vote on the charter amendment is possible, however, until April 1970, and any tax change would not be effective until 1971.

He said the commission has been kicking around the possibility of an advisory vote on a city income tax — probably some time in May — and is seeking a reaction and help from the public.

"We want a thorough discussion of this problem, what it will take to do the job right and possible solutions," Commissioner Herb Ostley said.

A resolution concerning an advisory vote on an income tax will be prepared and available at the meeting. On an advisory vote, citizens would merely indicate whether or not they want the commission to enact an income tax.

Grass fire threat continues

First real spring-time temperatures Monday, made all the more lovely by continuing bright sunshine and balmy breezes, has only served to heighten a serious threat of grass fires in the Clinton County area.

Firemen are well aware of the problem already.

Departments all over the county have received numerous calls and the St. Johns Fire Department was out 14 times between March 11 and March 17, including 11 times for grass fires.

Saturday was their busiest day. They were out five times for grass fires, including one big 500-acre blaze in the new Sleepy Hollow State Park area when they assisted three other departments.

There were three fire alarms Monday and last Thursday and one each on March 11, 12 and 16.

Many of the grass fires were caused by burning trash falling or flying out of barrels and igniting the dry grass.

Gordon Vandemark, Gene Downing honored for education, civic work

Two more active young men in the St. Johns community have been singled out for honors by the St. Johns Jaycees, with Gordon Vandemark being named the "outstanding young educator" and Eugene Downing being picked for the "distinguished service award."

The two men were honored last Tuesday night at the Jaycees' monthly meeting at the L & L Restaurant. Vandemark is principal of the rural Riley, East Olive and Olive Center neighborhood schools of the St. Johns School System. Downing is serving this year as the Jaycees' president.

The two men were chosen for the honors by two groups of judges from outside the Jaycee membership. Only men in the Jaycees age range of 21-35 were eligible for either honor, but the contestants did not have to be in the organization.

Vandemark, a resident of St. Johns since 1964, was the judges' pick for the first OYE award ever presented by the local

Jaycee chapter. He served as high school and junior high vocal music director with the St. Johns School District from 1964 until his appointment last summer as the principal for the three neigh-

borhood elementary schools in the south part of the district.

HE RECEIVED his bachelor of music education degree from Central Michigan University in



GORDON VANDEMARK ... outstanding educator



EUGENE DOWNING ... for distinguished service

1961 and got his master's degree in educational administration from CMU in 1968. He has attended music workshops and conferences at least twice a year since beginning his teaching career with the Breckenridge Community Schools in 1961. During 1967 and 1968 he attended a Motif Foundation Community School Workshop at Flint one evening a month.

Concerning the atmosphere of learning he attempts to develop with his students, Vandemark stated that "I always tried to convince the choir that they were as good as their poorest member and that in order to improve they must help each other. Also, they were constantly presented with a variety of musical experiences and materials which is so important in keeping boredom from becoming a problem.

"To learn, students first must be interested enough to have the desire to learn ..."

Vandemark is a 10-year mem-

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National Society inducts 10

The DeWitt High School Chapter of the National Honor Society inducted 10 new members into its society on March 5 in a school assembly. Speaking to the students was Dr. LeRoy Augenstein, who spoke on "Who should play God?"

On Thursday, March 20, the society will hold its formal induction at its "honor tea." Mrs. Burma Williams, society sponsor, and the present members, Linda Berkimer, Barb Blosser, Linda Chapel, Wally Cutler, Debbie Devereaux, Linda Everett, Sharon Greene, Sue Graves, Dave Horvath, Collyn Monroe, Andy Paquet, Lynda Petrowsky, Eve Smith, and Ruth Smith, will induct the new members.

They include Becky Bouts, Alan Cropsey, Mike Dolby, Layne Shelley Keck, Luis Lupnitz, Dave Reed, Shirley Savage, Bettie Soule, and John Traxler.

County DPW plan approved

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aid. When the account is there, Wilcox and HUD will reconsider the request for the money, which has been allocated.

Wilcox said the other money needed is to pay to the federal government for social security and withholding taxes on employees of Tri-County.

Clinton County's share of the \$70,000 in immediate cash needs is about \$11,400—a little over 16 per cent of the total. A meeting is scheduled next Tuesday at Tri-County headquarters to discuss the money crisis.

Monday was a day for the hearing of annual reports, too. The supervisors heard reports from Friend of the Court Mrs. Jack Danley, Register of Deeds Willard Krebel, Clinton County Department of Social Services Director George Eberhard and

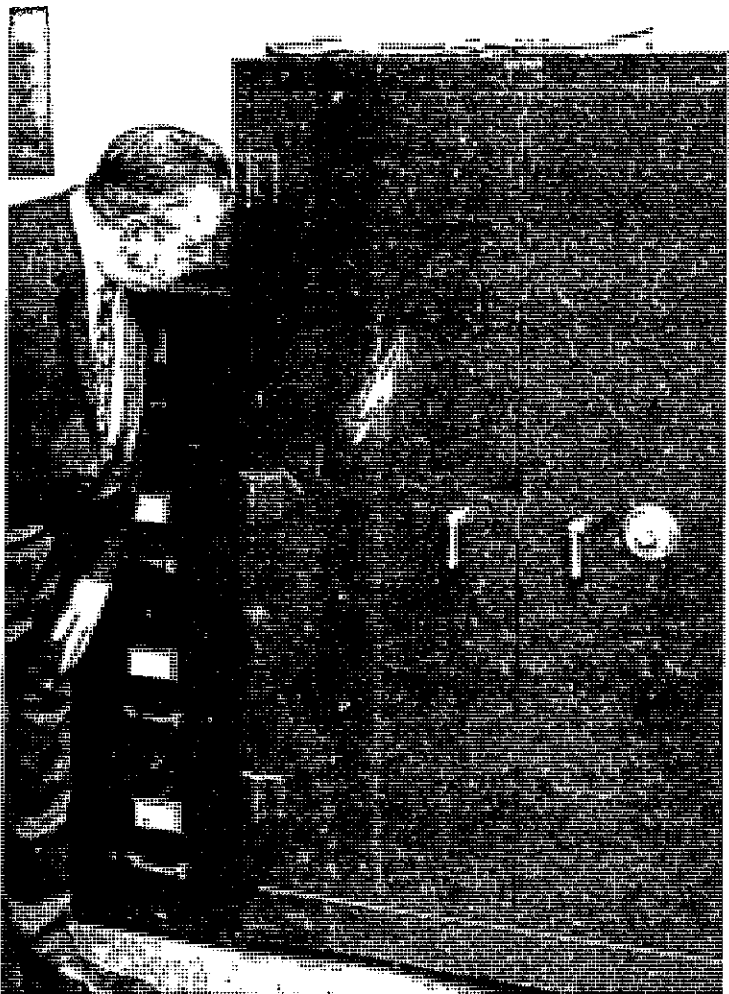
the Clinton County Road Commission.

In other business, the board approved new typewriters for the probate, prosecuting attorney and zoning offices and OK'd some \$1,564.40 in equipment, including a small safe, for the district court.

THE BOARD APPROVED payment of \$2,333.34 to the Co-operative Extension Service for the Clinton County share of the cost of an additional 4-H youth agent in the Gratiot-Shiawassee-Clinton area. The additional agent makes possible one agent based in each of the counties. Only \$2,200 has been budgeted for 1969.

The board also approved the payment of half of the 1969 appropriation to the Mid-Michigan District Health Department. That amounts to \$40,000 in total for the year, with \$20,000 authorized for immediate payment.

Chairman Maurice Gove of the health committee reported his group was still working on the ambulance situation.



ATTEMPT AT A SAFE JOB

Henry Enochs, business manager for the St. Johns Public Schools, inspects deep gouge marks in the school district office safe which burglars tried unsuccessfully to crack last Monday night or early Tuesday morning. Thieves also struck at Swegles School but got only a little bit of coin change there. City police are investigating.

FB tops member goal by 3

Clinton County Farm Bureau leaders proudly announced Monday that 80 new members were added to their roster this year and that the county is over its membership goal of 1,262 families with a total now of 1,265.

Volunteer workers were out in force during the final days of the new-member drive to assure its success. Membership by township is now:

Bath 40, Bengal 91, Bingham 137, Dallas 114, DeWitt 81, DuPlain 67, Eagle 69, Essex 77, Greenbush 66, Lebanon 60, Olive 76, Ovid 96, Riley 58, Victor 36, Watertown 103 and Westphalia 97.

Bob Kissane of Bingham Township was the 1969 roll call manager, assisted by captains William Brook, Bill Kissane, Paul Seeger, Bob Moore, Martin Sands, George Jorae, Harry Sandborn, Earl Barks, Ron Miller, Richard Curtis, and Vaughn Montgomery.

Teams of workers began making calls in mid-January to prospects in all townships and also assisted in a clean-up drive of unpaid dues from 1968. Tom Benson from Bingham signed seven new members and David Conklin, Earl Barks and Ron Lyon cooperatively signed 6.

Bingham Township led the county in number of new members with 11, and Olive was next with seven followed by six in DuPlain, Eagle, and Ovid.

Workers from all counties in the central region were honored at a victory party held in Fowlerville March 13. All during the drive they were awarded bogus money for signed new members, collecting renewals, contacting prospects and attending meetings. This money was used to bid on and purchase prizes at an auction co-sponsored by all counties in the region and the Farm Bureau affiliated companies.

Attending were Mr and Mrs Ralph Baker, Mr and Mrs Richard Curtis, Mr and Mrs Arlo Sticher, Lee Ormston, Earl Barks, Tom Benson, David Morris, Lewis Lontier, Mr and Mrs Albert Schaefer, Mr and Mrs Alden Knight and Mr and Mrs Robert Kissane.

Diamond ring stolen

A diamond ring valued at \$375 was stolen from Harr's Jewelry Store in St. Johns last Monday morning, March 10, by a thief who substituted a cheap ring for the one he lifted from the case.

St. Johns police reported a suspect, a man about 25 years old, was last seen walking north on US-27 at the north city limits that same day.



50th BIRTHDAY FOR LEGION

The American Legion celebrated its 50th birthday Saturday with a special dinner at the St. Johns American Legion Hall, and it was complete with a birthday cake. Mrs. Jack Walker, Auxiliary president, prepares to cut a piece for Larry Karber, Edwin Stiles Post commander and Corl Fleesback, who was speaker for the occasion Saturday. Some 125 persons attended the dinner.



WILLIAM RANDO

Police juvenile officer to speak at Central PTA

Trooper William Rando of the Juvenile Division of the Michigan State Police will be the speaker at Central School PTA on March 20 at 7:30 p.m., according to PTA President Darrell H. Pope.

Trooper Rando is liaison officer at the Beecher School in Flint and will speak concerning juvenile problems and this new school liaison program initiated by the Michigan State Police.

Trooper Rando is a graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School and attended Michigan State University.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

MANNING GRADUATES FROM MSU INSTITUTE

Russell Manning, son of Mr and Mrs Clarence Manning of Eagle, was among 152 graduates of the Institute of Agricultural Technology at Michigan State University March 14. He graduated in the agricultural production program.

Vandemark, Downing honored

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ber of the Music Educators National Conference and has been a member of the Michigan Education Assn. and the Michigan School Vocal Assn. for eight years. He was a three-year member of the Breckenridge Education Assn. and a four-year member of the St. Johns group, during which he served two years on the salary negotiation team.

He has been active in the Methodist Church, directing the church choir and teaching a high school Sunday school class and holding various other positions. He and his wife, Judith, and children Randall, Douglas and Steven, live at 104 N. Ottawa.

EUGENE DOWNING was chosen by the judges in their deliberation on a young man who has contributed most to the community during the past year. Downing has been a leader much of his life. He was chosen "outstanding soldier of the year" in 1955 when he served in the National Guard.

He joined the St. Johns Jaycees in 1966 and went on to serve as director, treasurer and now as the organization's local president. He originated and served on the board of directors of the Soap Box Derby and helped to organize Little League baseball.

On top of these services, Downing has been a "spoke" or "spark-plug" winner every year for inspiring activities within the Jaycees. He is now employed as a service representative for the Massey-Ferguson Tractor Co. Downing and his wife, Donna, and their four children live at 698 N. Lansing Street.

Other nominees for the distinguished service award were Robert Purtil and Arthur Wainwright.

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School vote may wait until June

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bating and dramatics are also included. The athletic program covers a wide variety of activities and include a large number of boys.

Counseling service at the high school is available and health services (clinics, hearing and vision tests, etc.) are available for all students, including those in the parochial schools.

St. Johns High School has been continuously accredited by the North Central Association of colleges and secondary schools for many years.

3 FROM ST. JOHNS ATTEND MODEL UN SESSION

Mike Green, Doug Barker and Toni Heathman represented Rodney B. Wilson High School at the 20th annual Model United Nations Assembly (MUNA) March 7 and 8 at Hillsdale College. They served as delegates of "The Netherlands." Their advisor was teacher Theodore B. Slicer.

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Big 4-H spring achievement show this weekend

After months of hard work and careful preparations, the 4-H Clubs of Clinton County will hold their annual spring 4-H achievement program.

The public is cordially invited to attend an open house on Sunday afternoon, March 23, at Smith Hall from 2 'til 5:30 p.m. The 4-H Club members will display projects on handicraft, electricity, conservation, indoor gardening, tractors, cultural arts, clothing, knitting and others.

girls will present a style show in the high school auditorium. The Junior Miss style show will start at 10 a.m. The clothing will feature every color of the rainbow and will encompass all price ranges and fabrics. Registration will be held in the school gym. Following the evaluation members will then take their projects directly to Smith Hall and check them in for display.



Robbin Purtil, 9, and Diane Schomisch, 12, work on their ceramic figurines being prepared for the 4-H Spring Achievement Show. Mrs Dick Woodhams, leader for their 4-H Wonders Club, gives some hints.

14 county men inducted

Fourteen men from Clinton County left for induction into the service of their country on March 11 at 6:30 a.m. They left from the community room of the Central National Bank.

The group included: Robert T. Denison, Vernon W. Babbit, Robert J. Thelen, Richard L. Blaisdell, Terry L. Mead, Dale L. Ouderirk, Steven M. Skoczlas, Billie W. Hyatt, Everett A. Fowler, John W. Burgess, Vincent P. Minarik, Frederick J. Kohagen, Gary D. Lenon, Raynoldo T. Rodrigues.

THIRTY MEN LEFT for physicals. They included: Larry W. Adams, Keith R. Thornton, Arthur H. Shank, Michael J. Matteson, Dennis E. Harr, Fredrick A. Szarka, Nathan L. Casteel, Charles J. Clark, Dale F. Irer, Roger A. Mathies, Wendell R. Wardell, Ronald A. Miller, Gary R. Barkman, Sanford G. Mitchell Jr., Gary L. Barnes, Kenneth D. Taylor, Craig J. Bolchot, Leon S. Hengesbach, Marvin J. Schafer, Ralph E. Zischke, James W. Gross, Joseph M. Braska, Hal D. Carpenter III, Robert A. Thelen, Terrence J. Bemis, Michael G. Briggs, Kenneth J. Harris, Bradley R. Ward, Dale L. Kelley and Stanley R. Helms.

KITCHEN WINDOWS DAMAGED BY BBS. Mrs Thelma Perry of 502 E. Railroad Street, St. Johns, reported to city police last Tuesday that kitchen windows in her home had been punctured six times by BB gun pellets. The top part of a shed door had also been pried off, she said.



DAWN HILL

Participates in 'talk-out'

Dawn Hill of St. Johns was a member of a "talk out" panel during a recent Employability Consultation sponsored by the national board of the Young Women's Christian Assn. in New York City. The young women helped assess strengths and weaknesses of existing programs. Miss Hill is with the Job Corps-Y WCA extension residence program at Hartford, Conn.

32nd annual meeting held

The Coreurs de Bois chapter of Lansing was hostess to the 32nd state assembly of the National Society Daughters of the American Colonists. The assembly was held at the Quality Motel, Capitol Park in Lansing on March 10 and 11.

A reception and registration was held March 10, at 5 p.m. followed by a candlelight dinner. Miss Shirley Fouch, regent of the chapter gave the welcome which was responded to by Mrs John Cook, national committee chairman, of Lansing.

The evening's address was given by Mrs Edmond Dickinson of Detroit on "Heirloom Silver." Mrs Dickinson displayed part of her large collection of silver which began in 1959. Many of the pieces were made by Paul Revere and other silversmiths of that era.

Mrs Dickinson inherited most of the collection piece by piece. She depicted the history of the silver, and club members examined the various patterns. On Tuesday morning, Mrs James Curtis, state regent of Alma, conducted the patriotic service and reports were given. Miss Mary Hostetter of Indianapolis, Ind, was guest speaker. She chose as her topic "Our DAC Heritage."

Those appointed (or serving) on committees from Clinton County included: Mrs Ben L. Lohman (formerly Bernice Thomas) of Ovid recording secretary; Miss Maralyse Brooks, first vice regent; Mrs Harold Millman, librarian and chairman of microfilm; Mrs Kenneth W. Cherry, programs and favors; Mrs Gerald K. Young, co-chairman; and Mrs George Brooks and Mrs Leo Pouch, hospitality. Mrs George Brooks furnished the music for the program.

MSU counselor 5th Lenten speaker here

The fifty union Lenten service sponsored by seven churches in the St. Johns area will be held at the United Methodist Church of St. Johns on Sunday, March 23, at 7:30 p.m.

Dr John Jordan, associate professor of counseling and personal services at Michigan State University, will be the guest speaker.

Dr Jordan has worked in industry, education and professional and honorary organizations. He has traveled extensively in 22 Latin American countries, 13 European countries and four in the Near East.

He has also been active in research and has had several articles published concerning the blind, guidance, rehabilitation, special education, gifted children, psychology and educating physically disabled persons.

Dr Jordan has also been active in the Partners for the Alliance program. He and others from this area have made several trips to British Honduras, and he has been instrumental in bringing citizens of that country to Michigan. His most recent visit with our southern neighbors occurred two weeks ago.

Dr Jordan will speak Sunday

BILFOLD STOLEN FROM LOCKERS

Tom Lewis of 1404 S. Oakland Street told city police last Tuesday that his billfold had been taken from a locker while he was working out in the St. Joseph School gym Monday night. Most of the papers in the billfold were found near the courthouse, but money in the wallet was still missing.

Village growth creates water problem

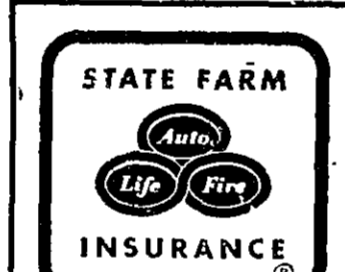
WESTPHALIA - Because of continued expansion in the village, the Westphalia Council has acted to ease water problems by approving a request of water plant Supt. Harold Smith. They will install fire hydrants at Oak, Hyer, Pine and Chestnut Streets at an estimated cost of \$850, and lay a new water main on Willow Street north of Church.

They are also considering the possibility that a third well may be needed if the village continues to expand. Smith said a strong taste in the water is caused by a buildup

of disinfectant but that State Health Department officials have said that the buildup is harmless and he feels that continued use of the system will eliminate it. Residents of the area will be asked to disconnect eaves troughs this spring from drain tiles to eliminate the problem of water backing up in some of the homes. The councilmen asked Eugene Droste, village clerk, to write congressmen protesting federal funds being allocated to plant trees in some communities while requests are still being denied on badly needed sewage treatment plants.



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North Victor

By Mrs Elzie Exelby

The March meeting of the Victor Missionary Society was held on Thursday at the Giffels home with Mrs Gall Trieber as hostess. A potluck dinner was served at 12:30 p.m. with business meeting and program following. Roll call was answered

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by an Easter memory. The April meetings will be held on April 3 at the Lee Swender home in Ovid. Mrs Henry Grossman will have charge of the program.

Stockman-Horton Grange met at the Exelby home on March 14 with a potluck supper served before the meeting. Roll call was answered by a current event and Lloyd Beckwith give a talk about the Lincoln Tomb in Oak Ridge Cemetery at Springfield, Ill. This was followed by a Quiz program with prizes given to the winner.

Mrs Louis Jorae was guest of honor at a dinner on March 16 held in Lainsburg at the George Gee home. About 30 relatives attended.

The condition of Mrs Ruby Shumaker and Mrs Pearl Huyck remains about the same. Otis Balcom who has been very ill at the home of his daughter Mrs C. Bauerle near DeWitt is some improved.

Eugene Montague spent March 16 in Carland with is sister Mrs Evora Suttin.

The Victor Civic Club will meet on March 20 with Mrs Ruth Grossman. A 12 noon luncheon will be served and there will be election of officers.



4-H Club Chatter

By JOHN AYLSWORTH
Extension 4-H Youth Agent

Approximately 1,200 4-H exhibits will be on display Sunday, March 23, from 2 - 5:30 p.m. for the public to view at the 4-H open house at Smith Hall in St. Johns. The 4-H'ers have been quite busy this fall and winter in learning and developing skills in various project areas. There is no admission charge for this exhibit. This will be an excellent opportunity to see the projects, compare one with another and pick up some ideas for next year.

The 4-H club program is sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service and provides an opportunity for youth 10-18 years of age to learn to work with others. There are over 130 different project areas open to the youth to fit the needs and interest of all youth. Anyone interested in finding out more about the 4-H club program in Clinton County should contact the county Extension office at 1003 S. Oakland in St. Johns.

Two hundred fifty-eight dollars have been donated toward the goal of \$450 needed to donate Kathy Nichols, a 4-H member of the Olive 4-H Club, on the National 4-H Teen Caravan program to Peru, South America this summer. This past week the following 4-H clubs sent in contributions: Elsie Four Corners, Kountry Cousins 4-H Club, Charlie's Gang and Jolly Knitters.

The Kountry Cousins 4-H Klub held open house Sunday at the home of their leader, Don Devereaux, with members completed projects on display for all the members and families to inspect. The exhibits included handicraft, electrical, clothing, photography and tractor. The club donated \$10 toward Kathy Nichols' 4-H Teen Caravan Trip to Peru this summer. Charles Falvor and Ronald Cuthbert gave demonstrations on their electrical projects.

The Double M 4-H Club members will be holding a bake sale on Saturday, March 29, at 10 a.m. at Beck's Farm Market, six miles north of St. Johns on US-27. The members will have homemade pie, bread, cakes, cookies and rolls for sale. Dr Robert Beach from the Lannen and Beach Animal Hospital of Elsie was the guest speaker at the club meeting. Dr Beach discussed parasite control of horses, what to do in serious cases of wounds until a veterinarian arrived and what to do for horse sickness. Dr Beach showed slides of a hunting

Mrs Carol Slagh, a registered nurse, was the guest speaker at the Elsie Four Corners 4-H Club. Mrs Slagh spoke on proper nutrition and compared the proper food recommended 3-years ago and now. Each member talked about what they had learned with their project in clothing, knitting, electrical, conservation, photography, handicraft, weather, indoor gardening, home design, creative writing and teen leadership. The club voted to donate \$15 to Kathy Nichols on her 4-H Teen Caravan trip and \$15 to the National 4-H Center Expansion Program in Washington, D. C. Safety demonstrations were given by Matthew Peck and Alan Cobb. April 1 is the date of the next meeting which includes members wearing the clothes backward and signing up for the summer program. The meeting will be held at the E. E. Knight School starting at 7 p.m.

The Jolly Knitters 4-H members prepared for the Spring Achievement by reviewing last minute details for project evaluation and open house. The members practiced modeling after their meeting. The club voted to donate \$5 toward Kathy Nichols' 4-H Teen Caravan Trip to Peru this summer.

The Double Bar E 4-H Club members discussed the Block and Bridle Show on Saturday, March 29, at Michigan State University and the action horse show at Ovid in June for the Ovid Centennial. Cheryl Ginther volunteered to give a report on horses at their next meeting on April 14 at Dana Lannen's.

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'Twas A MIGHT LARGE BOUQUET

Begorra! 'Twas a might large Irish bouquet but it represented only a few of the 500 green carnations given away last Saturday by a dozen St. Johns business places. Marlene Mizga, left, and Bonnie Thinner, employees of Capitol Savings and Loan helped commemorate St. Patrick by passing out 100 of the green-tinted flowers.



John Aylsworth, Clinton County 4-H youth agent; Ethel Flegler, Willing Workers 4-H Club leader; and Mrs Marian Kurncz, Happy Hustlers 4-H Club leader, inspect floral arrangements at the 4-H Horticultural Workshop at Camp Kett earlier this month.

6 administrators attend meetings

Six Clinton County education administrators have been attending an "extern program" sponsored by Michigan State University's Department of Administration and Higher Education.

They meet nine weekends a year for group discussions.

Attending from Clinton County have been John B. Parker, Bath High School principal; Blaine C. Lentz, Ovid-Elsie High School principal; Larry Nicholas, elementary principal in the Ovid-Elsie system; Steven D. Abell, elementary principal with the Pewamo-Westphalia Schools; Stephen A. Bakita, assistant to the superintendent in the St. Johns Public Schools; and Samuel J. Serrell, St. Johns' junior high principal.

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10 from county attend 4-H project workshop

Six adult 4-H leaders and four teen leaders from Clinton County attended two-day project workshops March 5-8 at Camp Kett, the leadership training center near Cadillac.

Those who attended from Clinton County were:

- Horticulture—Marion Kurncz and Ethel Flegler from St. Johns.
- Entomology—Verna Peck, Jo Ann Kanaski, Marilyn and Lori McQueen of St. Johns, Dud McKean of Fowler, and Grant Palen of Ovid.
- Field Crops—Richard Woodhams and Jim McQueen of St. Johns.

John Aylsworth, Extension 4-H youth agent, served on the horticulture and entomology program, and George McQueen, Extension agricultural agent, served on the crop science program.

These adult 4-H leaders received training in their project areas. They then use these ideas in leading projects for local 4-H clubs.

Workshops included the horticulture, passport, entomology and crop science projects.

The emphasis of the horticulture workshop was on indoor gardening projects. These in-

cluded dish gardens, terrariums, plaques, bulbs and house plants.

THE PASSPORT workshop centered on our American heritage relating to people, important people in a person's "family tree," and knowing a community.

Topics covered in the entomology workshop were insect identification, plastic embedding and lamination of insects, pesticides and livestock pests.

Approve borrowing of \$65,000 by city

Atty. Gen. Frank J. Kelley, chairman of the Municipal Finance Commission has announced that the commission approved \$65,000 of tax anticipation notes for operating, next succeeding fiscal year, for the City of St. Johns.

The proceeds will be used to pay necessary operating expenses until receipt of the next tax levy. These notes are to be dated March 15, 1969, and will carry a maximum interest rate of 4 per cent per annum.

County clerk files report

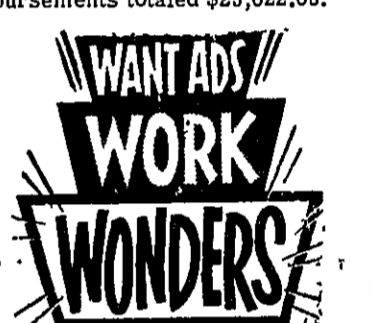
Ernest E. Carter, clerk of Clinton County, has filed the following annual report for the period beginning Jan. 1, 1968, and ending Jan. 1, 1969, to the board of supervisors.

Circuit Court (cases filed): civil 125, divorce 156 and criminal 80 for a total of 361.

There were 109 notary commissions, 103 assumed names, 15 co-partnerships, 6 dissolutions, 358 marriage licenses, 62 passports, 209 concealed weapons, 4 foreign births, 209 births, 232 deaths, 94 Army discharges, 9 mortuary registrations, 4 hearing aid registrations, 4 autopsies, 46 articles of incorporations, 125 Michigan annual reports of corporations, and 4 highway reports. There were 4,982 checks and 1,543 receipts issued for the year.

Receipts received: Entry fees \$6,065, Gun Permits \$672, marriage license \$1,740, judgment fees \$686, jury fees \$147, court costs \$288.70, certified copies \$2,293.50, co-partnership \$45, assumed name \$309, notary commissions \$109, record copy \$166, passports \$126, refunds \$9,653.80, gasoline refunds \$2,779.76, dissolutions \$18, fines \$115, recount \$25, election deposit \$200, plat fees \$40, medical registrations \$2, justice transcripts \$3, and foreign births \$4. The total amount was \$25,487.56. Held in accounts are bonds payable in the amount of \$6,632.94 and court orders payable (accounts held in escrow) \$58,859.88 for a total of \$65,492.82.

Disbursements were made as follows: salary of county clerk \$7,333.26, salary of deputies and clerks \$15,299.94, extra clerical help \$475, office supplies \$613.94, postage \$401.64, telephone \$306.40, printing and binding \$194.03, convention expense \$197.66, maintenance and repairs \$146.03, official bond \$7.78, association dues \$25, and traveling expense \$21.40. The disbursements totaled \$25,022.08.



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DeWitt schedules comedy

DeWitt—On March 27, 28, and 29, the DeWitt High School Drama Club will present its second presentation of the year, Noel Coward's comedy, "BLITHE SPIRIT."

The story centers around author Charles Condomine and his wife Ruth who invite their friends the Bradmans, and Madame Arcati, the kooky medium, to attend a seance. Charles hopes to gain information for his new book, but in reality he gains a headache in the form of the spirit of his first wife, Elvira, whom only Charles can see and hear.

Comic devices are present in "BLITHE SPIRIT," with mistaken identities, involved circumstances, and a few more seances. Elvira then decides that she would like Charles to join her in the spirit world, and she contrives a plan to follow through with her wish. Somehow the plan goes wrong, and Ruth is spiritualized instead. The rest is a hectic scene with Charles nagged by his astral wives.

The cast includes Dave Horvath as Charles, Barb Smith as Ruth, and Shireen Spencley as Elvira. Jan Hennigan and Dave Reed are Mrs and Dr Bradman, Diane Smith is Edith the maid, and the kooky medium, Madame Arcati, is Linda Everett. Mrs Barbara Gebhardt is the director, and she is assisted by her student directors, Connie Ferguson and Ruth Smith. Three performances will be given at 8 p.m. in the DeWitt High School cafeteria.



Sister Edna Stringham, Mrs Alvin Thelen, Dick Pung and Sister Barbara O'Donohue are in the process of making final plans for the "Charity Ball." The dance will be held April 12 at St. Joseph's School gym. All proceeds will be used for the Sister of St. Joseph educational fund. The public is invited.

Scholarship winner to be named

Federal-Mogul Corp. will announce soon the recipient of its first annual \$500 scholarship to Central Michigan University. The scholarship will be used to enroll a St. Johns area student in the CMU-based Partnership Vocational Education Project.

The project is a five-year experimental program which utilizes an interdisciplinary approach to industrial-technical education. It also features increased student teaching and on-the-job industrial internship experiences.

Under terms of the Federal-Mogul scholarship, the corporation will provide the recipient with \$500 a year for each of his five years at CMU. It is hoped he will return to St. Johns to teach after receiving his degree. Simple manual skills, such as those taught in the time-honored manual arts courses, are no longer sufficient for modern industry," St. Johns Plant Manager Ed Idzkowski was quoted last November in announcing the scholarship.

"We need young people with technological training, good communication skills, facility for human relationships and motivations and a sound understanding of industry's function in the competitive economic structure of our society.

"All of this can be taught at the high school level, and we would like to be of assistance to the St. Johns School Board in developing an industrial arts curriculum at the new high school that would meet the needs of local industry and thereby benefit the graduates who will make their careers in this field," Idzkowski said.

Clinton County had 327 students enrolled at Michigan State University's East Lansing campus fall term 1968. They were part of the total of 39,949 students, 80 per cent of which were from the state of Michigan.



KENDALL O. KNIGHT

Olds promotes Kendall Knight

Kendall O. Knight, a native of St. Johns, has been named director of methods engineering and plant layout for Oldsmobile. The appointment is effective immediately.

Knight succeeds Robert H. Mooney Jr., who has been promoted to director of manufacturing engineering.

Knight has been general supervisor of methods engineering for the past nine years. He graduated from General Motors Institute in Flint and joined Oldsmobile's plant layout department in 1949. He has held a succession of assignments in the methods engineering department, including supervisor and general supervisor.

Resolution sets date for Ovid centennial

OVID — A formal resolution setting the week of June 21 as Ovid Centennial Week has been passed by the Ovid Village Council.

Another resolution approves fines and jail sentences for persons not participating in a "Brothers of the Brush" event in connection with the centennial celebration.

K of C to initiate 3rd degree

FOWLDER—Twelve members of the Fowler Council of Knights of Columbus will be initiated into the order's third degree March 23 during ceremonies hosted by the Portland Council. The event will be held in honor of State Deputy Frank Lawrence.

Receiving the initiation are Mark Wirth, Kenneth Pung, Clare Fox, Robert Schafer, Frank Witten, Lawrence Thelen, Ronald Feldpausch, Edward Feldpausch, Roman Schafer, Daniel Koenigs-knecht, William Hufnagel and Larry Kologan.

Other activities planned by the Fowler council in the near future include the annual past grand knights banquet which is scheduled for April 13.

Here's an item on business history

Here are a few items to add to the history books concerning last August. Five hundred fifty business firms in the county collected \$170,759.70 in sales taxes from customers and turned it in to the Michigan Department of Treasury during September.

The biggest single sales category last August was food. Food sales accounted for \$48,065 in sales taxes, with automotive sales next with \$42,231 in taxes. Other categories and amounts included: building material \$39,494, general merchandise \$7,062, apparel \$3,426, furniture \$6,693, miscellaneous retail \$7,508, and non-retail \$16,181.

Total use tax collected in August by the businesses totaled \$5,584.61.

The information on the August sales was provided only last week by the Department of Treasury.

Methodist district official next Ovid Lenten speaker

OVID — The Rev. E. William Witte, Central District Superintendent of the United Methodist Church, will speak at the union Lenten service this Sunday, March 23, at 7:30 p.m. at Ovid United Church on Front Street.

His topic will be "The Church Today."

A native of Michigan, Rev. Mr. Witte was born in Saginaw and attended high school there. He graduated from Eastern Michigan University and received his theological training at Garrett Theological Seminary, Evanston, Ill. Three and a half years were spent with the U. S. Army in military service in the Pacific Theater.

Among the churches served by Rev. Mr. Witte are: Hastings Circuit, Rockford, Grand Haven, Alma and presently Superintendent of all United Methodist Churches in the Central District. His home is in Mt. Pleasant.

Included in his service for the Methodist Conference are member, Clark Home for 15 years, registrar, board of ministry 8 years and a representative, Michigan Council of Churches.

The Bannister United Methodist Church will have charge of the worship service March 23. A coffee and fellowship hour will follow the service.

2 drivers cited

Two drivers received traffic tickets as the result of two-car collisions last Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Mark B. Bennett, 18, of 210 S. Church Street, was ticketed following a 10:10 p.m. collision with a car driven by Lloyd O. Peterson, 63, of 203 W. Front Street, Ovid. The crash occurred at Spring and Higham streets;

Bennett was cited for failing to yield the right-of-way.

Mrs. Mary Jean Kerr drew a similar citation as a result of a collision at State and Swegles streets about 5:45 p.m. last Tuesday. She said she was blinded by a low sun and pulled into the path of an auto driven by Susan Merignac, 17, of 809 E. Baldwin.



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The meeting was called to order by the supervisor with all board members present. Mrs. Lamb was also present. Minutes of the February meeting were read and approved. The treasurer's report was read and placed on file. Bills were read and orders drawn for the same.

Mr. Openlander made a report for Mr. Montgomery relative to ambulance service in Clinton County and the way the Clinton County Board of Supervisors is still trying to find a solution, plus the fact that the Board has rescinded the new Clinton County Zoning Laws for the time being.

Communications were read and placed on file.

The Township Board is working on a fire ordinance to be enacted for this township. Melvin McDonough has been hired for one year as sexton of Wacoosta Cemetery. The supervisor and Mr. Noble attended a fire meeting in Grand Ledge relative to a new call system the fire department must have, to become more efficient. Doris Rhoades was appointed to another term on the planning commission.

There being no further business, meeting was adjourned.
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"Charity Ball" to aid SSJ education

The public is invited to attend what promises to be one of the highlights of the spring social season—the "Charity Ball" sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, on April 12 at St. Joseph's School gym, beginning at 9 p.m.

Spring fantasy has been selected for the dance theme, with the decorations furnished in the pastel colors of spring flowers.

Music for the occasion will be furnished by the "Music Makers," well-known throughout the area for their versatility (they recently contributed their talents to the St. Johns Lions Club show). Both round and square dancing will be featured and refreshments served.

A special attraction of the ball will be the intermission entertainment. Sister Barbara O'Donohue, who has appeared on television and is continuing her studies in the field of radio and television production, will have charge of the entertainment.

Dick Pung will serve as general chairman and Sister Barbara O'Donohue, co-chairman. Others will include: Mrs. Alvin Thelen, foods; Sister Edna Stringham, assistant and decorations; Nick Koeligsnecht, set-up; Bob Zuker, clean up; Alvin Thelen, publicity; and John Rehmann, prizes.

All proceeds from the ball will be directed solely to defraying the educational costs of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

It now costs approximately \$2,375 per year to educate a sister. The congregation invests about \$11,000 in a sister before she may be assigned to her professional duties, and the learning process continues all her life.

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MRS. WAYNE JOSEPH THELEN

Wayne Thelen weds Elaine Kramer

On Saturday morning, March 1, at 10:30 a.m. Father Frank Janzen of St. Mary's Church in Williamston united in marriage Miss Elaine Marie Kramer and Wayne Joseph Thelen.

Miss Kramer, of 412 W. Saginaw Street, Lansing, is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Jerome Kramer of 10953 Parks Road, Munith, Mich. Wayne Thelen is the son of Mr and Mrs Alvin J. Thelen of 3452 Sharon Way, Williamston.

The bride given in marriage by her father, selected a Victorian style gown of linen accented with ruffles of Venice lace at the neckline and cuffs. A large bow in the back of the gown was used to carry out the old-fashioned Victorian theme. Her fingertip veil was held in place with a large linen bow accented with tiny pearls. Her bouquet was a cascade arrangement of pink roses and white carnations.

Jean Foster served as maid of honor and Mrs Richard Foster was bridesmaid. They wore A-line gowns of aqua linen with Venice lace ruffles edging the high neckline and cuffs. A bow with streamers accented the back of the dress. Their veils were matching, except the maid of honor wore a darker shade and carried a bouquet of pink carnations and white chrysanthemums while the bridesmaid carried all pink carnations.

Roger Thelen served as best man, and groomsmen was Dale Kramer. Ushers were Daniel Thelen and Mike Kramer. They were brothers of the bride and groom.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the home of the groom's parents. Special guests present were Mr and Mrs Edward Kramer, grandparents of the bride, and Mr and Mrs Oscar Cook, and Mrs Isador Thelen grandparents of the groom.

The bride selected a three-piece solid navy blue outfit accented with a white blouse ruffled at the collar, cuffs and front for travel. After a wedding trip through western Michigan the couple will make their home in Alma where the groom is credit sales manager with Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co.

The groom graduated with the class of 1964 at Fowler High School and the bride is a graduate of Pewamo-Westphalia High School in 1966.

Plan book fair at St. Peter Church School

St. Peter Lutheran School of R-4 St. Johns, will sponsor a student book fair today (Wednesday) through Friday, March 21. Students will be able to browse and purchase books. The book fair will be open during school hours.

The book fair committee invites all students, parents and visitors to attend the fair. The fair will not only help spur student interest in reading and building home libraries, but will also contribute to a worthwhile project. The school earns 20 percent of all sales, and profits will be used for purchase of library books.

The book fair display will include attractive new books from many publishers in all popular price ranges. All reading areas of interest to students will be represented, including classics, fiction, biographies, adventure stories, science, nature, crafts, mystery and reference books. The school is working with Educational Reading Service, a professional book fair company, to furnish an individual selection of books for the fair.

FB Women tour set for April 1

All Farm Bureau women are included in plans for a spring tour announced by members of the Clinton County Farm Bureau Women's Committee.

Meeting March 4 at the county office were 25 women representing community groups and at-large districts in the county. Guest speaker for the meeting was Jack Downs, counselor at St. Johns High School. He showed pictures and told of his experiences in Viet Nam as a civilian advisor to education. He was stationed in Vinh Long in the delta area in the southern part of the country.

The Women's Committee was advised of the upcoming Farm Bureau fun party March 20 and the rural urban dinner on April 18. On April 21 the spring district V women's meeting will be held at Mason in the Methodist Church. The meeting will begin at 10 a.m. following a 9:30 coffee. A committee was appointed at the meeting to look into the possibilities of a needlecraft contest within the county.

Final plans for the tour of Bronner's in Frankenmuth were announced by Mrs Raymond Mayers, program chairman. The group will leave St. Johns in time to reach the world famous manufacturer of Christmas decorations by 10:30 a.m. and after noon lunch at the famed chicken dinner restaurant, Zender's, will inspect other points of interest in Frankenmuth in the afternoon.

Farm Bureau members wishing to take the tour may call the office to arrange for rides if necessary but are asked to meet at Bronner's in Frankenmuth at 10:30 if they wish to go in their own group.

Red Cross Volunteers receive awards

The International Red Cross Volunteers met Thursday, March 6, at the home of Mrs Forrest Swatman at 408 S. Prospect Street. Eleven members were present and service award presentations were the highlight of the evening.

Eight-year service numerals went to Mrs Oral (Bernice) Rice for 1,621 hours total service and Mrs Edward (Doris) Prowant for 1,388 hours.

Six-year service numerals went to Mrs Glen (Martha) Parks

for 775 total hours and Mrs Allen (Ruth) Going for 940 hours.

Three-year service numerals went to Mrs Lloyd (Florence) Hopp for a total of 518 hours, Mrs Lawrence (Alice) Heibek for 299 hours and Mrs Robert (Jane) Beach for 309 hours.

A one-year service numeral went to Mrs Douglas (Alice) Carpenter for 150 hours.

The service awards were presented by the co-chairman, Mrs Lawrence Merignac, Doris Prowant, unit chairman,

gave a report of the community projects in which the Red Cross Volunteers have been involved for the past four months. These include four immunization clinics and two canteens for servicemen leaving Clinton County. Two public information programs taped for WRBJ were completed. These combined projects were in addition to the three-hour weekly shift each member contributes to Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Monthly meetings which are held at the Red Cross Center in Lansing were attended by Dorothy Merignac. One of the volunteers, Jean Anthes, is going into the teacher's field for the Mid-Michigan Chapter at Lansing. She will instruct new volunteers on how to conduct themselves as representatives of the Red Cross organization as well as giving them a resume of the history of the Red Cross both nationally and internationally.

Mrs Prowant gave a brief report of the 52nd annual meeting of the American Red Cross Mid-Michigan Chapter held at Peoples Church, East Lansing, in November. This meeting was observing the 20th anniversary of the blood program.

After a general discussion, the volunteers were served a dessert course by the hostess, Mrs Swatman.

Mrs Prowant reminds the volunteers that chest x-rays and blood tests are available to Red Cross Volunteers at Clinton Memorial Hospital and the deadline for obtaining them is March 31.

The training dates for new volunteers are March 24 and 25 from 7 to 10 p.m., with classes being held at the Red Cross Center in Lansing. Arrangements may be made by calling Mrs Lawrence Merignac during the day or Mrs Edward Prowant at night.



Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

BURL — A boy, Mark Allen, was born to Mr and Mrs Kirk V. Burl of 2031 S. Shepardsville Road, Ovid on March 7, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, 1 1/2 ounces. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mrs A. J. Rademacher of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Louis L. Burl of Lansing and Mr and Mrs W. R. Elliott of Hopewell, Va. The mother is the former Judy Gray Elliott.

SMITH — A boy, Mark William, was born to Mr and Mrs Kenneth D. Smith of Chandler Road, St. Johns on March 10, at Clinton

Memorial Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds, 12 3/4 ounces. The baby has one brother and one sister. Grandparents are William F. Smith and Mr and Mrs William D. Searles. The mother is the former Sharon K. Searles.

WARNER — A boy, Troy Leslie, was born to Mr and Mrs Leslie Warner of R-2, W.M.-21 on March 6, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Merlyn Griffith and Mr and Mrs Ray Warner. The mother is the former Diana M. Griffith.

HINE — A boy, Craig Alan, was born to Mr and Mrs Ronald F. Hine Jr. of 523 Stillman Road on March 10, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, 6 3/4 ounces. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Robert Elfert, Mr and Mrs Matthew Plese and Mr and Mrs Ronald Hine Sr. The mother is the former Christine Ellen Elfert.

VAN ROEKEL — A girl, Amy Jean, was born to Mr and Mrs Ned Van Roekel of Indianapolis, Ind., on March 7 at Coleman Hospital. The mother is the former Joan Ackley.

BOND — A boy, Scott Anthony, was born to Mr and Mrs Wilbur D. Bond of Lapeer on March 11. He weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces. The baby has four brothers and one sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Rudolph Masarik and Vern Bond. The mother is the former Mary Catherine Masarik.

PLAN SUGAR BUSH PIONEER BREAKFAST — The Pioneer Breakfast at Woldumar southeast of Lansing, cancelled earlier because of weather conditions, has been rescheduled as the Sugar Bush Pioneer Breakfast on the Woldumar grounds this Sunday, March 23, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The breakfast is open to all.

Announcements

The Riley and Olive Aid will meet with Mrs Jack Wohlert on Thursday, March 27, with a pot-luck dinner at noon.

The Fulton School PTA will sponsor a fish supper on March 21. Serving will begin at 5:30 p.m. in the high school student commons. All proceeds will be used for school playground equipment.

The Confraternity of Christian Mothers of Fowler will hold their next monthly meeting on March 25 at 8 p.m. Serving on the luncheon committee are Mrs Gerald Wieber as chairman, assisted by Mrs Leon Wieber, Mrs Giles Wieber, Mrs Carl Wieber and Mrs George Wieber.

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★ LEGAL NOTICES

ORDINANCE NO. 49 CITY OF DEWITT, MICHIGAN

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE AMENDMENT OF ORDINANCE NO. 35 OF THE CITY OF DEWITT, AND TO AMEND PROCEDURES FOR THE MAKING OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS WITHIN THE CITY OF DEWITT AND MEETING THE EXPENSES THEREOF.

THE CITY OF DEWITT ORDAINS: SECTION 1. Ordinance No. 35 be and is hereby amended as follows:

A. Section 7. The Council shall meet and review the said special assessment roll at the time and place appointed or at an adjourned meeting thereof and shall consider any objections thereto. The Council may correct said roll as to any assessment or description of any lot or parcel of land or other errors appearing therein. Any changes made in such roll shall be noted in the Council's minutes. After such hearing and review the Council may confirm such special assessment roll with such corrections as it may have made, if any, or may refer it back to the City Assessor for revision, or may annul it or any proceedings in connection therewith. The City Clerk shall endorse the date of confirmation upon each special assessment roll.

If at or prior to final confirmation of any special assessment, more than fifty (50) per cent of the numbers of owners of privately owned real property to be assessed for any improvements, or in the case of paving or similar improvements, more than fifty (50) per cent of the number of owners of frontage to be assessed for any such improvement, shall object in writing to the proposed improvement, it shall not be made by the proceedings authorized in this Ordinance without a five-sixths (5/6) vote of the members of the Council, provided that this section shall not apply to sidewalk construction.

B. Section 12. Each special assessment shall be collected by the City Treasurer with the same rights and remedies as provided in the Charter for the collection of taxes, except as otherwise herein provided. Special assessments and all interest and charges thereon, from the date of confirmation of the roll shall be and remain a lien upon the property assessed of the same character and effects as the lien created by general law for the state and county taxes and by this charter for City taxes, until paid. From such date after confirmation as shall be fixed by the Council, the same collection fees, penalties, and interest shall be paid on delinquent special assessments and upon delinquent installments of such special assessments as are provided by this charter to be paid on delinquent City taxes. In case any assessment or any part thereof, shall remain unpaid on the first Monday of May following the date when the same become delinquent, the same shall be reported unpaid by the Treasurer to the Council, and such delinquent assessments, together with all accrued interest shall be transferred and reassessed on the next annual City tax roll in a column headed "Special Assessments" with a penalty of four (4) per cent upon such total amount added thereto, and when so transferred and reassessed upon said tax roll shall be collected in all respects as provided for the collection of City taxes.

C. Section 16. The excess by which any special assessment proves larger than the actual cost of the improvement and expenses incidental thereto may be placed in the general fund of the City if such excess is five per cent or less of the assessment, but should the assessment prove larger than necessary by more than five per cent the entire excess shall be refunded on a pro rata basis to the owners of the property assessed. Such refund shall be made by credit against future unpaid installments to the extent such installments then exist and the balance of such refund shall be in cash. No refunds may be made which contravene the provisions of any outstanding evidence of indebtedness secured in whole or in part by such special assessment.

D. Section 20. No suit or action of any kind shall be instituted or maintained for the purpose of contesting or enjoining the collection of any special assessment (1) unless within thirty days after the confirmation of the special assessment roll written notice is given to the Council of intention to file such suit or action stating the grounds on which it is claimed such assessment is illegal, and (2) unless such suit or action shall be commenced within sixty days after confirmation of the roll.

SECTION 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. SECTION 3. The invalidity of any section, clause, sentence or provision of this ordinance shall not effect the validity of any other part of this ordinance which can be given effect without such invalid part or parts. SECTION 4. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption. SECTION 5. This ordinance shall be published in full in the Clinton County News, a newspaper of general circulation in the City of DeWitt, qualified under State law to publish legal notices, promptly after its adoption and the same shall be recorded in the Ordinance Book of the City and each recording authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and City Clerk.

DELAERE—April 23 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of PRUDENCE DELAERE, Deceased. It is ordered that on Wednesday, April 23, 1969, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Albert Delaere for license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

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Dated: March 12, 1969 Walker & Moore, By: Jack Walker Attorney for Executor Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 47-3

Final Account Kirk—April 18 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of GRACE ETHEL KIRK, Deceased. It is ordered that on Friday, April 18, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Clinton National Bank & Trust Company, Executor, for allowance of its final account. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: March 11, 1969 Walker & Moore, By: James A. Moore Attorney for Executor Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 47-3

Final Account Thurston—April 18 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of WARREN EVERETT THURSTON, Deceased. It is ordered that on Friday, April 18, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Patricia Eva Thurston, Administratrix, for allowance of her final account. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: March 11, 1969 Walker & Moore, By: James A. Moore Attorney for Administratrix Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 47-3

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

MAYERS MEMBER OF TOURING CHOIR

Dale Mayers, son of Mr and Mrs L. Fred Mayers of 3986 W. M-21, R-2, St. Johns, is a member of the Kalamazoo College Collegium Musicum and Concert Choir which will begin an 11-day tour through Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin tomorrow (Thursday) Mayers is a sophomore at Kalamazoo College.

MENTAL HEALTH WEEK OBSERVANCE PLANNED

National Mental Health Week, which begins April 27 and continues through the week, will be observed at Traverso City State Hospital with special emphasis on open house days Thursday and Friday, May 1 and 2.

18, 1969, at 10:00 a. m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Patricia Eva Thurston, Administratrix, for allowance of her final account. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: March 11, 1969 Walker & Moore, By: James A. Moore Attorney for Administratrix Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 47-3

Swanson—April 10 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of ELLEN L. SWANSON a/k/a, HELEN SWANSON, Deceased. It is ordered that on Thursday, April 10, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Clara L. Swanson for appointment of an administrator, and for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: March 12, 1969 Walker & Moore, By: Jack Walker Attorney for Petitioner Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 47-3

ORDER TO ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Circuit Court for the County of Clinton. DOUGLAS E. CANDLER and MARY L. CANDLER, Plaintiffs vs. FRED SEARLES, JENNIE SEARLES, JAY H. MORRIS, MILDRED L. MORRIS, ELLI H. DAVIS, LORA O. COOLEY STAEHELL, LAURA HAZEL DANIELLS, JOSEPH MASON POST No. 248, DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, SONS OF VETERANS, CAMP OF WAUCOUSTA, LOUISA W. DAVIS, their unknown Heirs, Administrators, Grantees, devisees, and Assigns, Defendants.

At a session of said Court, held in the Circuit Court Room, in the City of St. Johns, in said County and State, on the 10th day of March, A.D., 1969. PRESENT: HON. LEO W. CORKIN, Circuit Judge. On the 7th day of March, A.D., 1969, an action was filed by the Plaintiffs against the Defendants in this Court to quiet title in the Plaintiffs on premises described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point 668.25 feet South of the Northwest corner of Section 17, T5N, R3W; thence East 379.5 feet (23 rods); thence South 86 feet (4 rods); thence East to the Looking Glass River; thence Southwesterly along the Looking Glass River to a point which is East of a point 192 feet South of the point of Beginning; thence West to a point which is 192 feet South of the point of beginning; thence North 192 feet to the point of beginning, Water town Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the Defendant, Fred Searel, Jennie Searels, Jay H. Morris, Mildred L. Morris, Elli H. Davis, Lora O. Cooley Staebell, Laura Hazel Danielles, Joseph Mason Post No. 248, Department of Michigan, Grand Army of the Republic, Sons of Veterans, Camp of Waucousta, Louisa W. Davis, a/k/a Louisa W. Parks, a/k/a Louisa Davis, their unknown Heirs, Administrators, Grantees, Devisees and Assigns, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 10th day of May, 1969. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court. LEO W. CORKIN, Circuit Judge.

Date of Order: March 10, 1969. Virgene Kriebel Deputy Clerk 47-4



MRS CHARLES B. HUNTINGTON

Marie Hughes bride of Charles Huntington

The former Miss Marie Hughes of 113 1/2 E. Walker Street and Charles B. Huntington of 506 E. McConnell Street were married Saturday, March 15, at All Faiths Chapel of First Congregational Church in Port Huron. Dr. Carl Martenson officiated at the 4 p.m. double ring ceremony. The music for the service was sung by John Anderson accompanied by Richard Allen, organist. Miss Hughes is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Arthur J. Hughes of 3901 Ravenswood, Marysville, Mich., and Mr Huntington is the son of Mrs Ilah B. Huntington and the late J.T. Huntington, of 322 Greenlawn, Lansing.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, selected a floor-length A-line gown with an empire waist. Designed in satin, the gown featured a lace overlay on the bodice, with appliques on the dress and train. The train was held in place with a bow at the back, and the long sleeves of the dress came to points over the wrists. Her fingertip veil was held in place with a camolot headpiece covered with seed pearls and crystals. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and roses.

Miss Ann Garbut of Columbiaville served as maid of honor, and Mrs Jean Pardike of St. Johns was bridesmaid. They each wore an antique colored-gown, styled with an A-line and empire waist, with appliques under the bodice. Their headpieces were rose petals made of the same material as the dresses. They each carried a bouquet of apricot and white carnations. For her daughter's wedding, Mrs Hughes selected a blue and silver dress with jacket. Her corsage was made with baby pink roses.

Bill Richards served as best man, and ushers were John Anderson and Milo Rowell all of St. Johns. A dinner for 75 guests was held immediately following the ceremony at The Club in Port Huron. For her going-away outfit the bride chose a celery and yellow plaid wool sheath dress with matching celery coat. After a wedding trip to the Pocono Mountains in Pennsylvania the couple will reside at 506 E. McConnell Street.

The bride graduated from Central Michigan University. The groom attended Michigan State University and is presently a vice-president of Clinton National Bank.

NEW YORK—The civil disorders that raged across the nation during the summer of 1967 caused insured losses of more than \$61 million, the Insurance Information Institute reports.

The American Legion birthday dinner will be held Saturday, March 15, at 6:30 p.m. at the Legion Hall. Dancing with live music will follow. It is requested that members bring their own table service and a dish to pass.

The WRC will hold a regular meeting and thimble party, Tuesday, March 17, at the home of Ruth Ely, 601 Church Street.

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Meet the presidents Tops tackles weight problem

Mrs Mary Masarik, has served as president of the St. Johns Tops Club for two years. She has been a member since 1956. The club has a membership of 25, and anyone with a weight problem is eligible. They meet in the Community Room at Clinton National Bank each Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

The Tops Club born in a doctor's office, held its first convention in AMA headquarters in Chicago and now regards physicians as No. 1 contributors to its success. Tops Clubs all over the nation are now collaborating on a project for Deaconess Hospital in Milwaukee, Wis. It concerns the "Tops Obesity Treatment and Research Program," conducted by Dr Kalkhoff. The members have been asked to fill out a confidential questionnaire which will be returned to the hospital for evaluation.

The club will have Recognition Day to honor all the queens in this area at Aurelius Hall in Aurelius March 17. The club's state convention will be held April 25 and 26, at Cobo Hall in Detroit. They also have area meetings with the Tops area captain, Mrs Dorothy Rice, four times a year.

The crowning of a queen, is the highlight of the year for club members. The one losing the most receives a cash prize, and gifts from other members. Other officers in the club are: Mrs Adeline Dershem, secretary; Mrs Edith Koffman, treasurer; Gladys Mayer, assistant; Ester Dorman, weight recorder; Janet Becker, assistant weight recorder; Julia Thornton, reporter; Sue Shinabery, cards and flowers; and Florence Lohrer, in charge of mail.

MRS MASARIK and her husband Rudolph Masarik II live at 305 W. Lincoln Street. They have one son, Rudolph III, who lives in St. Johns and is employed as a foreman at Oldsmobile in Lansing, and one daughter, Mary Katherine Bond who lives in Lapeer. Her husband is with the state police. Mr Masarik is employed by the City of St. Johns and Mrs Masarik works as a cross-guard at Perrin Palmer School.



MRS MARY MASARIK

tant; Ester Dorman, weight recorder; Janet Becker, assistant weight recorder; Julia Thornton, reporter; Sue Shinabery, cards and flowers; and Florence Lohrer, in charge of mail.

She enjoys travel, bowling, cake decorating and collects stamps and antiques.

Mrs Masarik belongs to the Lady of Guadalupe Guild, Blue Star Mothers, Senior Citizens and NE Extension Club.

March of Dimes

Luella Canfield, Clinton County chairman for the March of Dimes reports the drive now completed. An itemized list of receipts shows the following donations being received:

City of St. Johns \$1,386.57, canisters \$101.40, Elsie \$284.33 Maple Rapids Blue Star Mothers \$5, Westphalia \$298.31, Fowler \$394.57, Pewamo \$42.95, Eureka \$1.68, Ovid \$297.59, Rainbow Girls Dance \$25, Malters \$978.12 and Mothers March for Clinton Village \$72.75.

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USED EQUIPMENT
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New Holland 66 Baler, INT. 46 Baler, INT. 50 chopper; hay head & 2-row corn head.

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For Sale
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★ FOR RENT
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FOR RENT: Warehouse space, 1200 sq. feet, alley entrance, downtown, middle block, east side; call 224-7614. 47-2

Real Estate Dial 224-3987
NEW LISTING: 32 acres, 7-room home, new gas furnace, tool shed, barn, on Taryia Road, south of St. Johns.

Real Estate
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1966 FORD STATION WAGON, no rust, came from Kansas, call 224-4796. 47-1p

★ FOR SALE REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE: 118 acres in Essex Twp. 2 miles East and 2 1/4 miles North of Fowler on Wacousta Road. Phone 582-2981 or 582-2772. 45-3p

FOR RENT: 40 acres of farm land, 3 miles north and 2 1/2 west of Fowler on Colony Road, 582-3592. 47-3p

★ WANTED TO RENT
WANTED TO RENT: 3-bedroom home in St. Johns area by May 1st. Call 224-2458. 46-14h

Real Estate
NEW LISTING: 6-room, 3-bedroom, 1 story home with attached garage, full basement, gas furnace in new home area east part of St. Johns.

Real Estate
New Listing: S. Clinton; 3-bedrooms and bath, carpeted living room and dining room, newly decorated full basement, gas heat, large lot, automatic washer and garbage disposal included. Priced for quick sale!

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164 ACRES northwest of St. Johns. Outstanding 9-room home, silo, dairy barn; \$14,000 down, liberal terms.

1967 3/4 TON CHEVY pick-up. Also small camper to fit pickup. Morris Gove, 1/2 mile west of St. Johns; phone 224-3947. 47-1p

FOR SALE: 3 - bedroom ranch style home in fast developing subdivision. Carpeted living room, full basement, large 2-car garage, lot size 66 x 189, 807 N. Oakland, St. Johns. Phone 224-7589. 46-2p

FOR SALE: 25 acres, 1/2 miles north of M-57 on US-27. Six room house, small barn and coop. H.E. Brown, 1 mile north of M-57 on US-27, 1/2 east on Garfield Road. Phone 838-2257. 46-3p

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New Listing: East De Witt area. 3-bedroom ranch, 2-car attached garage, patio, fireplace and many extras. Look at this one.

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1968 FORD FAIRLANE, 2-door hardtop, standard shift, phone 224-7506. 47-3p

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FOR SALE: 40 acres (no buildings) in section 3A, Dallas Township; 582-5404, Fowler. 45-3p

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Clinton area obituaries

C. C. Browning

WACOUSTA—Clifton C. Browning, 75, of 14555 Wacousta Road, passed away Monday morning, March 10, after a long illness. He had been ill in a Lansing Hospital.

Funeral services were held at the Holihan Funeral Home at Grand Ledge on Wednesday, March 12, at 1 p.m. Burial was in the Wacousta Cemetery. Rev Dale Spoor officiated.

Mr Browning was born in Portland Dec. 28, 1893, the son of Augustus O. and Augusta Browning. He was a resident of the Wacousta community for the past 20 years.

He was a member of the Wacousta United Methodist Church and Post 701 IBEW 352. His life's work was farming, and he was also employed by the Lansing Board of Water and Light and the Barker Fowler Electric Co.

Survivors include his wife, Myrtle; one daughter, Mrs Linda Sprague of Ionia; two sons, Dean of Florida and Richard of California; five grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs Meryl Corlett of Hickory Corners.

Wilbur Durkee

Survivors include two sons, Rev Aloysius Miller, pastor in Westphalia and Rev Martin Miller of Wauwatosa, Wis.; six daughters, Sister Marianne SSJ of Kalamazoo, Sister Jeanette SSJ of Lansing, Miss Lillian Miller of Lansing, Mrs Edna Griffith of Pellston, Mrs Martha Boog of Lansing and Mrs Ruth Simon of Fowler; one brother, Anthony Miller of Pawamoo; 23 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.



WILBUR DURKEE

Wilbur Durkee

WILBUR — Wilbur Durkee, 74, of 614 N. Main Street, Ovid, passed away Tuesday, March 11, at University Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Funeral services were held at the Houghton Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Homes in Ovid on Friday, March 14, at 2 p.m. Burial was in Mt. Rest Cemetery. Rev Gordon Spalenka officiated.

Mr Durkee was born in St. Johns on Jan. 8, 1895, the son of Frank and Alice Durkee. He attended St. Johns Schools and graduated in 1914. He then attended Ferris State College until 1917.

He was a veteran of World War I and served as drain commissioner of Clinton County from 1949 'til 1959.

Mr Durkee lived all his life in Clinton County. On April 3, 1930, he married Ethel Maddox in St. Johns. He was a member of the United Church.

Survivors include his wife, Ethel; two daughters, Mrs Juanita Jury of Williamson and Mrs Sue Moore of Ovid; 10 grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs Dorothy Bulard of Greenville. A son, Hugh, preceded him in death in 1964.



CLAUDIA HEFTY

Claudia Hefty

Mrs Claudia Mae Hefty, 91, of 506 W. Higham Street passed away Wednesday, March 12, at

the Rivard Nursing Home after a long illness.

Funeral services were held at the Osgood Funeral Home on Saturday, March 15, at 1:30 p.m. Rev Gerald Churchill officiated and burial was in Mt. Rest Cemetery.

Mrs Hefty was born in Sheridan, Mich., on March 17, 1877, the daughter of Lewis and Ursula Long Gilhe. She resided most of her life in Clinton County. On Sept. 26, 1895, she was married to William H. Hefty in Gratiot County. She was a homemaker all her life.

Mrs Hefty was a member of the First Congregational Church and a life member of the Banner-Becca Lodge.

Survivors include three sons, Harley of Harrison, Harry of Lansing, and Tom of Prescott, Ariz.; two daughters, Mrs Thelma LaVeau and Mrs Lora Ripple, both of St. Johns; 19 grandchildren; 50 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Ellen Swanson

NORTH BENGAL (c)—On Saturday morning, March 8, Mrs Ellen Swanson of Maple Rapids passed away at Carson City Hospital after an illness of several months.

Her survivors include one son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Clarence Swanson and four grandchildren of this vicinity.

Funeral services were held at the Abbott Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home on Tuesday afternoon, March 11, with burial in the Beech Cemetery.

South Watertown

By Mrs Bruce Hodges

Mr and Mrs Leon Garlock have returned from a five weeks vacation in Florida. The highlight of their trip was witnessing the launching of the Apollo 9.

Mr and Mrs John Buckmaster entertained at a birthday dinner March 9 honoring their son Dick. Guests were Mrs Flossie Herner of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Jack Buckmaster and son, the Dick Buckmasters of Grand Ledge and Mr and Mrs Ted Nettleton of Ferndale.

Mrs Lewis Longley and Mrs Bruce Hodges attended the Palm Bureau Woman's meeting at St. Johns March 4.

Mrs Myrl Stoll and Mrs Bee Hummel called on the Gerald Waters family of Laingsburg March 6.

The Starr Aid Society will meet with Mr and Mrs Lawrence Maler, Thursday, March 20 for a 12:30 p.m. dinner. Miss Helen Lowell has charge of the program.

The St. Paul's Club of St. Therese Church met with Mr and Mrs Lewis Lonler March 4.

Guests of Mr and Mrs David Hodges March 9 were Mr and Mrs Carl Lazak of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Gene Woodman and family and Fred Woodman of Ola Corners, Mr and Mrs Bruce Hodges, and Mrs Jennie Schoettle.

Mrs Bess Pearson and Miss Marian Pearson were March 5 supper guests of Mr and Mrs Joe Cotes of Delta Mills.

Mr and Mrs John Voisjiet and son have moved from Lansing to the Tom Ryan home on Francis Road.

Mrs Lucile Harbaugh of Lansing was a Sunday dinner guest of Mrs Myrl Stoll.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Phillips and family of Elmwood Road were March 6 supper guests of Mr and Mrs Bruce Hodges.

North Bengal

By Mrs Wm. Ernst

Miss Agnes Bearndt and Miss Peggy Mowhatt of rural Lakeview were March 4 dinner guests of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs William Ernst. Herman Noller of rural Hubbardston was an afternoon caller at the Ernst home.

Mrs Louis Moritz took Mr and Mrs Edward Moritz to the Veterans' Hospital at Saginaw on March 6 where Moritz had a six-month's check-up.

On March 6, Mr and Mrs Fred H. Tiedt of Fowler were visitors of Mr and Mrs Fred W. Pasch and Mr and Mrs J.D. Bancroft.

Mr and Mrs Paul Blesner and children of rural Chesaning were guests of her parents, Mr and Mrs Edgar Walker.

Mr and Mrs Clare Moritz of rural Grand Ledge spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr and Mrs Louis Moritz and family.

Mrs Angelo Renos of Alma was a March 6 visitor of her cousin, Mrs Edna Watamaker. Curtis Swanson, who attends college at Houghton in the upper peninsula, was called home this weekend by the death of his grandmother, Mrs Ellen Swanson.

Mr and Mrs Louis Moritz and family were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Edwin Mohnke of South Bengal on March 2.

Mr and Mrs Fred Selhke of Fowler and Paul Graff and Paul Graff Jr. of Lebanon spent March 1 with Mr and Mrs Fred W. Pasch and Mr and Mrs J.D. Bancroft.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Nequette of Lansing visited their father, John Foerch and brother and family, Mr and Mrs Floyd Foerch and Sandra on March 9th.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Foerch spent March 8 with Mr and Mrs Duane Ellis of St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Edwin Mohnke of South Bengal were March 10 visitors of Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine.

PROCEEDINGS

of the St. Johns City Council

City Commission Meeting February 24, 1969

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. Reverend Harris gave the invocation. Present: Coletta, Hannah, Rand, Oatley, Wood.

Motion by Rand, supported by Hannah, to approve the minutes of February 10, 1969, Motion carried.

Motion by Rand, supported by Oatley, to approve the warrants. Motion carried.

William Graef appeared before the commission, requesting that the City Commission and the planning commission meet to discuss the adoption of a new zoning ordinance March 5, 1969, Mayor Wood stated that the commission would meet at that time.

Mr Willard Searles appeared before the commission requesting information with regard to the installation of curb and gutter on East Cass Street. The city attorney requested that Mr Searles furnish a contract between himself and the contractor and the necessary performance bond and insurance policies.

Mr Judson Marzke appeared before the commission requesting information as to the regard of the financial condition of the City of St. Johns, and if the city commission was considering the adoption of a city income tax, The mayor stated that the commission

CLASSIFIED ADS

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NOTICES

\$10 REWARD to person or persons who found a pair of Logging tongs lost between Maple Rapids and Lansing. Phone 682-4225. 46-3p

ST. JOSEPH Altar Society family-style ham dinner. Sunday, March 23, 11:30 to 3:30 in St. Joseph Social Hall, Smorgasbord dessert, Adults, \$1.75; children under 12, \$1. Free baby sitting. 46-2

NOTICE—Persons observed stealing the coin boxes or otherwise damaging newsstands belonging to the Clinton County News will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 34-1f

I WILL not be responsible for any debts other than my own. Virgil Rhynard. 46-3p

NOTICE: St. Johns Realty—Now taking listing for home and farms! For information phone 224-2479. 33-1f

CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to thank Drs Russell and Grost, nurses and aides, orderlies; also Sister Georganna Underhill, for all their thoughtfulness and loving care to our Mother, Bessie Jones. —Orlo and Thelma Jones. 47-1p

We want to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for the many gifts and money we received on our 25th wedding anniversary. It boosted our moral for the next 25 years to come. It was a day that will always be in our memories. —Vern & Gwen Lyon. 47-1p

CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to thank Fr Sulka, Drs Mead and Combs, nurses and nurses' aides for the special attention given me; to friends, neighbors and relatives for cards, flowers and visits; also especially friends, neighbors and relatives for bringing my wife to the Sparrow Hospital. —Leonard Rademacher. 47-1p

The family of Donald Harr deeply express their sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness, understanding and love shown in our recent sorrow. Our heartfelt thanks to everyone who in any way rendered their services, also for the Masses, prayers, cards, flowers and food that was brought so generously. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered. 47-1dh

I would like to thank Dr Grost and Russell, the nurses and all the help at Clinton Memorial Hospital, Rev Spalenka from Ovid United Church for his visits and comforting words, while I was in the hospital. —Mrs Susan J. Wiggins. 47-1p

The Riley Elementary Parents Teachers Club wishes to thank everyone for their help and donations in making our Card Party and Bake Sale a success. We also want to thank Andy's IGA Store, St. Johns, DeWitt Lumber Co., and South Riley Store for donating the door prizes. 47-1p

NOTICE

DUPLAIN CEMETERY Association Annual meeting, Thursday, 8 PM, March 27, 1969 at the Duplain Methodist Church in the Colony. Royal J. Risley, Secretary and Treasurer. 47-2p

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of Mrs Harry Brown: The depths of sorrow we cannot tell of the loss of one we loved so well, And while she sleeps a peaceful sleep her memory we shall always keep. The family of Harry Brown. 47-1p

Open Letter from VAN W. HOAG

Dear friends, It is generally agreed that a personal note is a proper acknowledgment for a floral offering, mass card, or donation to charity in memoriam. Where the number of acknowledgments becomes too numerous for the writing of personal notes, acknowledgment cards, personally signed, are quite acceptable. We have a selection of such cards available to the bereaved family.

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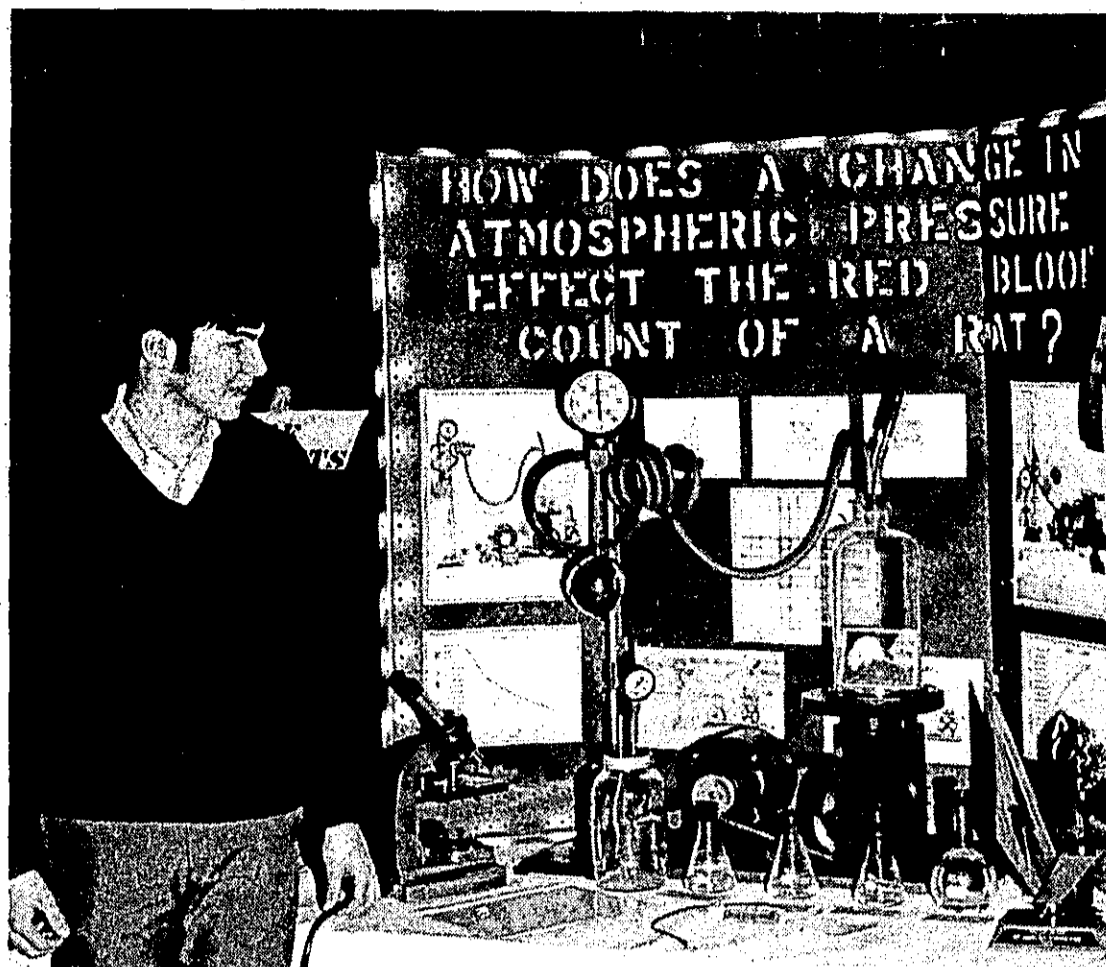


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Awards given at local science fair

Winners in last week's Science Fair, held at Rodney B. Wilson High School included from the chemistry class: first place to James Parr; second, Kendra Stephenson; third, Mark Simon; fourth, Brenda Feldpausch and Diane Fedewa; and fifth, Jamie Bargar. Honorable mention went to: Sandy Wing and Gwen Glenn, Judy Whitlock, Kathy Jo Nichols, Jerry Dush, and Gary Moon. In the physics class: first place to, John Ward; second, Ed Cheaney; third, Greg Lounds; fourth, Charlie Kehr; and fifth, Scott Becker. Honorable mention went to: Mark Barber and Phil Knight. In geology class: first place to Jim Bappert; second, Dan Haviland; third, Debbie Turner; and fourth, Debbie Yurco. Honorable mention went to, David Ike, Toni Doyle, Roger Lerz, Vincent Pouch and Nate Ellis. The bacteriology class: first

place winner, Carol Morris; second, Sue Smith; third, Robert Newman; fourth, Linda Ashbough; and fifth, Jody Westland. Honorable mention went to: Anita Strgar and Karen Rademacher, Al Matice, Roger Wickerham, Joyce Halstead, Brian Friesen and Deanna Rademacher. In the conservation class: first place winner was Jill Guernsey; second, Robert Lewis; third, Kevin Hayes; fourth, Brian Ballinger; fifth, Rose Mitosinka and Cathy Brown. Honorable mention went to: Bob Randolph, Kathy Beagle, and Randy Randolph. The Botany class: first place winner was Coni Burnham; second, Lee Ann Thelen; third, Chris Cook; fourth, Cathy Stoddard, Chris Beechler and Shirley Eisley; and fifth, Eileen McClinlock. Honorable mention went to: Rosemary Paradise, Sheila Pulliam, Cheryl Romig, Jim Findlay and Celia Remus. In the engineering class: first place went to Thomas Motz; second, Don Chant and Dick Holm; third, Larry Mankey; fourth, Dick Vitek; and fifth, to Pete Motz. Honorable mention went to: David Feldpausch, and John Estes. In animal biology: first place went to Charles Cheaney; second, Mary Wilbur and Vallerie Gillespie; third, Sheryl Pulliam; fourth, Joanne Benedict; and fifth, Jane Thrush. Honorable mention went to: Randal Bouchey, Deb Ochis and Becky Paseka, Jeff Springer, Roger Snider, Cathy French, Cathy Hazle, Bill Kirkpatrick, Douglas Parks, Cathy Gaffney, Shirley Halfmann, Sally MacLuekie, Larry Kruger and Brian Carpenter. In weather: the second place



CHARLES CHEENEY WINNER OF GRAND AWARD

Charles Cheaney, 15, son of Mrs Albert Cheaney was the winner of the grand prize award at the science fair at Rodney B. Wilson High School last week. His project involved the effect atmospheric pressure has on the red blood count of a rat. Cheaney is a member of the sophomore class and Jerry Pulliam is the teacher.

winner was Dick Stoller; third, Kelly Spicer; fourth, Mike Brown; and fifth, Tom Pung. Honorable mention went to: Linda Murray, Darlene Bauer and Laura Allen. In human biology: first place went to, Suzanne Shane; second, Kathy Irerer; third, Beth Stork; and fifth Ann Kurnez. Honorable mention to: Pat Richards and Wendy Foote, LuAnn French, Barbara Cartwright, Dana Wakefield, Becky Barrett and Linda Berkhausen. Electricity awards were given for first place, Michall Szarka;

second, David Hylar; third, Dick Moldenhauer; fourth, Brad Huntley; and fifth to Rich Jones. Honorable mention to: Roger Ordway, Mike Rademacher and Wade Williams. Psychology awards to: first place, Doug Nickelson and Bill LeFevre; second, Chris Jumper; third, Vicki Amos; fourth, Gail Shafley and Sue Sibley; and fifth, Mary LeFevre. Honorable mention went to Jacki Walton.

NOTICE OF MEETING CHANGE

The St. Johns City Commission will meet at 7:30 p.m.

MARCH 24, 1969

in the

MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM

during which time an agenda item will be a discussion of the financial condition of the city of St. Johns.

THOMAS L. HUNDLEY, City Clerk

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THOMAS L. HUNDLEY, Zoning Administrator



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A homemade candy sale will be a new addition at the annual Altar Society ham dinner this Sunday, March 23, at St. Joseph's School. Serving will be from 11:30 a.m. 'til 3:30 p.m. Bertine Thelen, Dina Silvestri, Marilyn McQueen and Dolores Kentfield work on the decorations for the booth. Tickets may be purchased in advance from guild members, Rehmann's Clothing Store, or Eisler's Superette. They will also be available at the door. Free babysitting will be provided and the public is invited to attend.

Krepps District

By Mrs Lucille Heibeck

Mr and Mrs Tom Hufnagel and daughters visited Mr and Mrs Dennis Armbrustmacher of Lansing the afternoon of March 9.

Mr and Mrs Paul Krumm of Church Road are the proud parents of a baby boy born March 11 at Carson City Hospital. Mrs Krumm is the former Jeanne Mary Heibeck. Mrs Joseph Smith helped Mrs

James Fedewa of Westphalia observe her birthday at a noon luncheon at her home on March 13.

Leo Fedewa, Miss Alberta Theis and Mrs Elizabeth Fedewa all of Westphalia were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Joseph Smith March 12.

Mr and Mrs Julius C. Thelen of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Jerome Smith and family of Westphalia, and Mr and Mrs John Kusner and family of Elsie were callers of Mr and Mrs Carl Thelen March 9.

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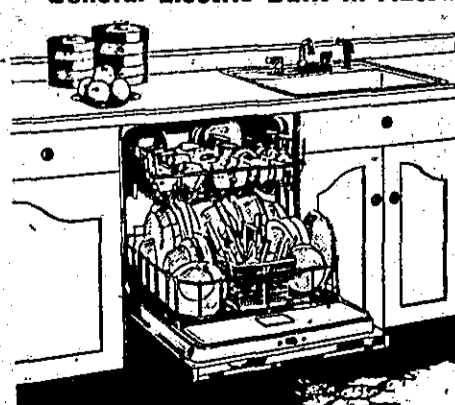
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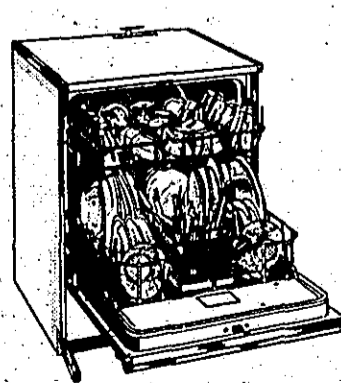
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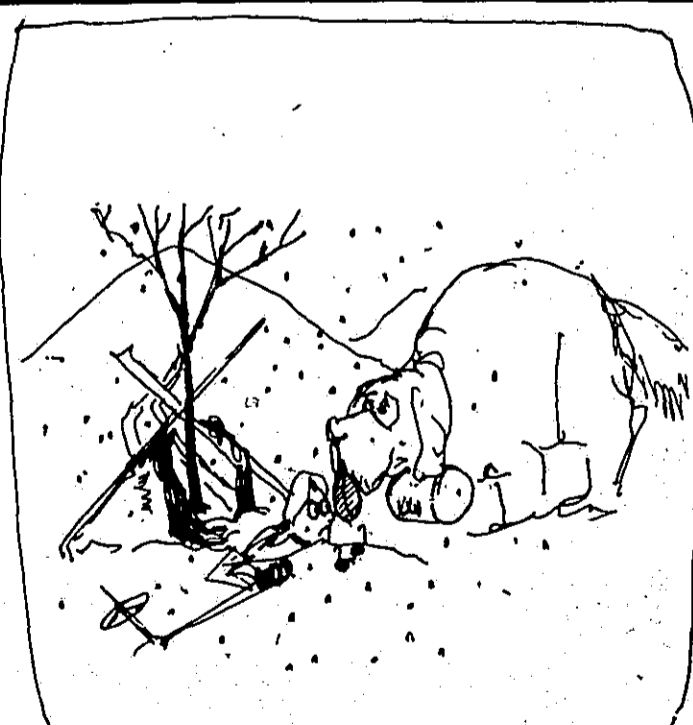
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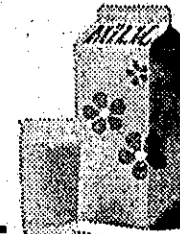


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Nine students on Swegles honor roll

Three hundred forty-six St. Johns High School students earned places on the first scholastic honor roll for the second semester — the number representing 31 per cent of the high school enrollment.

Seniors on the honor roll number 80, while there are 87 juniors, 77 sophomores and 102 freshmen. Honor roll students include:

Seniors—Glenna Acker, Diane Alber, Mary Ashley, Mary Becker, David Boron, Randal Bouchee, Janice Bullard, Beverly Cornell, Chris Cornell, Karen Cornell, Theresa Cornell, Patricia Courser, Gary Curtis, Lisa Davis, Linda De-

Vore, Cheryl Diehl, Lynda Droste, Mary Ely, Carla Ernst, David Feldpausch, Jeanne Fernman, Kregg Foote, Charleen Gillespie, Toni Heathman, Richard Henderson, Darrell Herbruck, Michael Heuer, Sharon Howe, Gordon Hylar, Linda Isbell, Renae Jorae, Charles Kehr, Mike Kellen, Phil Knight, Janet Koeningknecht, Janet Kosht, Ken Kramer, Barbara Langlotz, Sharon Liszewski, Susanne London, Susan Merignac, Judi Miller, Eric Mohnke, Norman Molnet, Tom Moore, Carol Morriss, Linda Murray, Suzanne McAlvey, Robert Newman, Patricia O'Leary, Nancy Paksi, James Parr, Harry Patterson, Wendy Pifer, Kathy Powers, Deanna Rademacher, Neil Rossow, Charles Romig, Kathy Schaefer, Gall Shafley, Althea Shaw, Gary Sipkovsky, Barbara Slagell, Judy Smith, Theresa Smith, Marlene Snyder, Paul Speerbrecker, Julie Staines, Marlene Stoddard, Cheryl Swagart, Lexa Swatman, Michael Szarka, Richard Warren, Debra Westland, Donald White, Judy Willette, Jane Wieber, Linda and Deborah Witgen.

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The following sixth grade students of Swegles Street School were on the honor roll for the fourth marking period: Renea Dimer, Kevin Knight, Kristine Shafley, Cris Signs, Sherry Spencer, Laurel Springer, David Staffens, Dale Stephenson and Brian Stork.



SCHOOL TO STAND AWHILE LONGER

The 66-year-old north portion of the old Elsie High School has been saved from a demolition ball by the Ovid-Elsie Board of Education, which decided last week to make some minor repairs and continue to use it for storage. Only roof repairs and some window replacement will be necessary to keep it useful for storage, a function it has filled since the new Ovid-Elsie High School was put to use. Junior high students at Elsie use the newer portion of the school partially visible at the extreme left.

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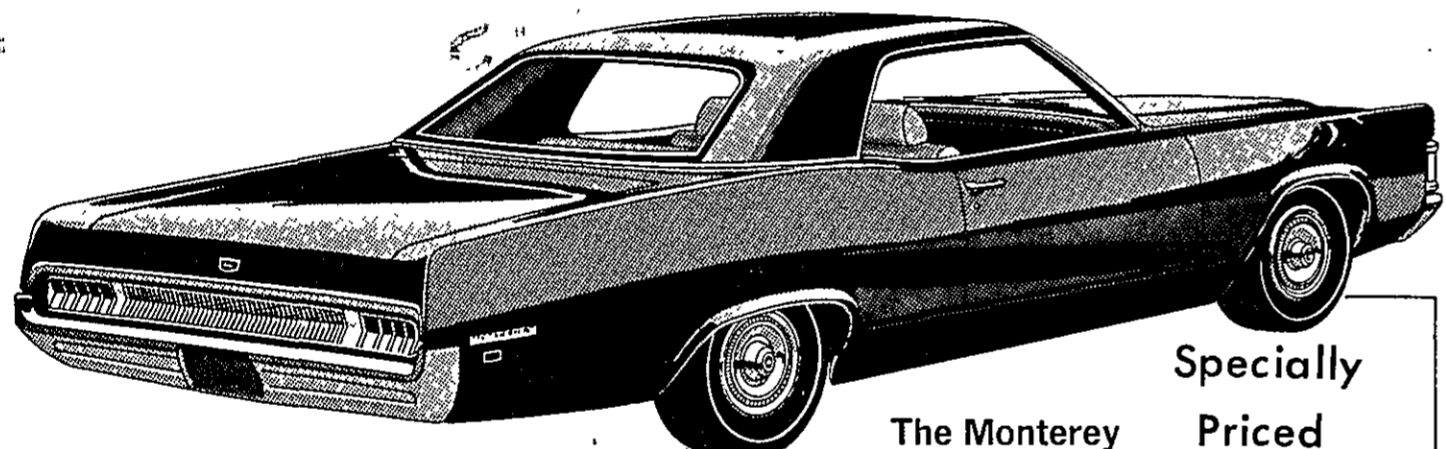
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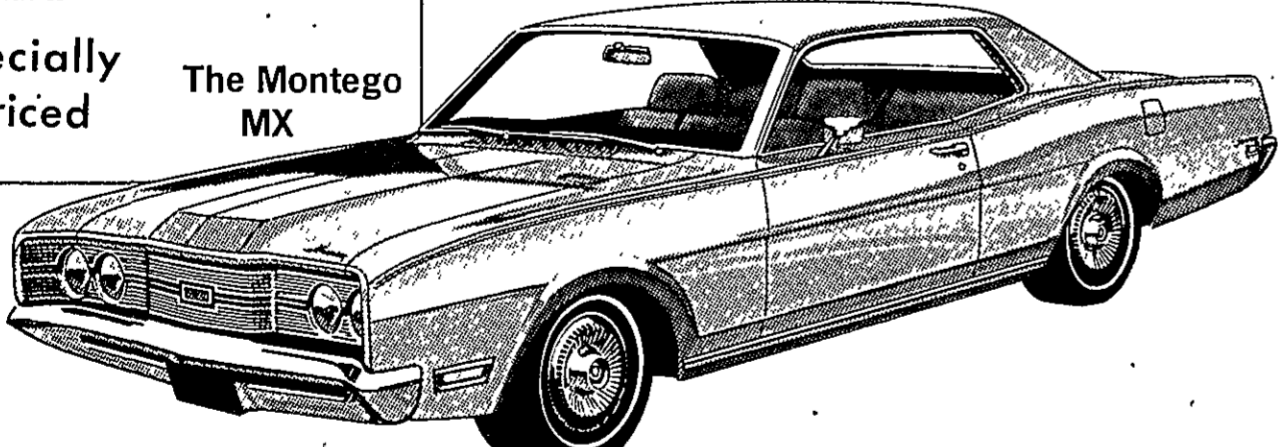


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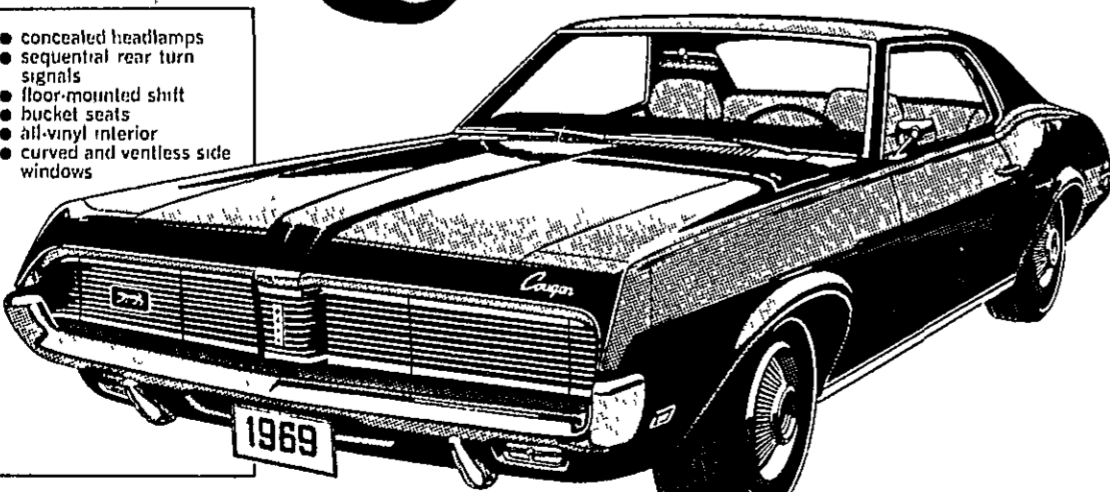


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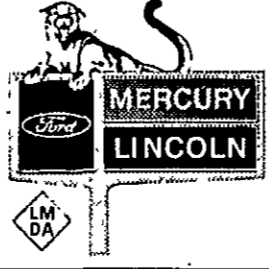
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7.75-14	23.75	11.87	27.00	13.50	2.20
7.75-15	23.75	11.87	27.00	13.50	2.21
8.25-14	27.25	13.62	30.50	15.25	2.36
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Pewamo-Westphalia's Barker wins News' free throw award

One of the reasons why Tom Barker, Pewamo-Westphalia's senior basketball guard, led the Central Michigan Athletic Conference in scoring was his ability to draw fouls and his ability to make the resultant free throws.

Barker scored 123 points on free throws during the regular season, making that many shots out of 155 attempts to win the third annual Clinton County News Free Throw Award. He was the third individual winner from three different Clinton County schools.

Barker's free throw shooting percentage of 79.35 per cent was lower than the marks of the previous two winners, but he both shot and made a record number of free throws. Last year's winner, Jerry Weir of Ovid-Elsie, had an 82.00 percentage but with only 41 of 50 free throws; Joe Koenigs-knecht of Fowler, who won the award in 1966-67, made 83.60 per cent on 51 of 61 attempts—less than half the numbers Barker shot.

A handsome plaque bearing Barker's name and free throw shooting record will be presented to him and Pewamo-Westphalia High School as soon as engraving is completed. He will also receive a small trophy for a keepsake. The plaque is a traveling award that will be hung at P-W High until next year's winner is chosen.

BARKER FINISHED THE YEAR some three percentage points ahead of second-place Roger Berry of DeWitt High School. Roger made 33 of his 43 free throw attempts—76.74 per cent. Another three percentage points off in third place was Terry Maier of St. Johns, with 45 of 61 free throws (73.76 per cent).

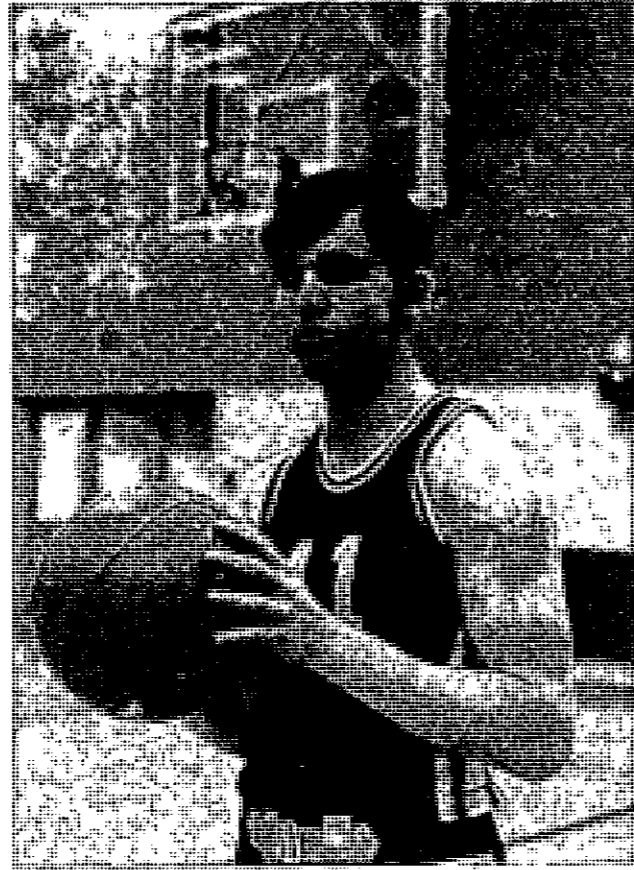
Pewamo-Westphalia Coach Bill Marks describes Barker as a "natural shooter," and Tom admits to liking to shoot free throws. His drives for the basket drew numerous fouls during the year, and his interest in free throw shooting paid off. He said he practices free throw shooting a lot but not as much as he used to during his junior high years.

Those readers who watched him play during the year may recall a sort of ritual Barker goes through in shooting free throws. He was reluctant to say that that made the difference, but he always bounces the ball three times before shooting his first free throw of a set and two times before the second free throw.

He is the first senior to win the award, Koenigs-knecht and Weir were both juniors when they won. Two years ago Barker finished 11th in the running with a 66.66 percentage, and last year he was 12th with a percentage of 63.75.

Barker's free throws set two sorts of records. His 155 attempts was 24 more than Glen Schafer of Pewamo-Westphalia shot two years ago, and his 123 successful free throws were half again as many as Schafer's 87 in 1966-67.

Barker scored 289 points during the 14 CMAC league games to take the scoring honors with a 20.6 points per



game average, which he maintained also in the non-conference games P-W played. He shot about 38 per cent on field goals.

THE P-W SENIOR'S FREE THROW percentage topped some 28 players from nine Clinton area schools who scored on 50 percent or more of 40 or more free throws during the regular season. Twenty-seven players made the list last year. This season, St. Johns and Laingsburg led the way with five players each while Fowler and Ovid-Elsie had four men each, P-W three, Bath, Ashley and Fulton two each and DeWitt one.

The overall shooting improved this year, compared to last, although it looked pretty dismal at mid-season. Although there were no 80 per cent shooters for the first time, there were seven who shot over 70 per cent (only three last year) and 19 who shot 60 per cent or better (18 last year).

There were five players who shot more than 100 free throws and two others with 99 attempts each.

Clinton area players making more than 50% of 40 or more free throws

NAME	ATTEMPT	MADE	PCT.	NAME	ATTEMPT	MADE	PCT.
Tom Barker, P-W	155	123	.7935	Jack Bedenbender, P-W	73	47	.6438
Roger Berry, DeWitt	43	33	.7674	Cal Woodard, O-E	99	63	.6363
Terry Maier, St. Johns	61	45	.7376	Bob Rehmann, St. Johns	54	34	.6296
Bill Armbrustmacher, Fowler	71	52	.7323	Dave Gaffney, St. Johns	54	33	.6111
Bob Brown, Laingsburg	41	30	.7317	Tom Cooley, Bath	51	31	.6078
Neil Thelen, Fowler	104	76	.7307	Gary Kooner, Laingsburg	99	60	.6060
Gene Smith, Laingsburg	95	67	.7052	Dean Eisler, St. Johns	94	56	.5957
Jerry Weir, Ovid-Elsie	63	44	.6984	Steve Loomis, Bath	87	49	.5632
Dave Dubois, Ovid-Elsie	43	30	.6976	John Follert, Ashley	67	37	.5522
Gary VanVelsor, Laingsburg	133	92	.6917	Dick Rehmann, St. Johns	80	43	.5373
Mike Miller, P-W	53	36	.6792	Ed Reaume, Fulton	114	60	.5263
Dick Devine, Laingsburg	44	29	.6590	Don Koenigs-knecht, Fowler	49	25	.5102
Daryl Melvin, O-E	85	56	.6588	Keith Thelen, Fowler	91	46	.5054
				Nick Kindel, Ashley	103	52	.5048
				Dick Zamarron, Fulton	74	37	.5000

Speedy New Haven too much for DeWitt, 87-70

GRAND BLANC—New Haven's lithe and speedy basketballers stunned DeWitt with an early scoring binge in the regional tournament opener last Tuesday night and went on to win 87-70.

DeWitt trailed 5-0 before they finally scored after about two minutes, and then New Haven blitzed their way to an 11-2 lead before Coach Frank Deak's Panthers finally settled down.

Roger Berry began hitting from the 20-foot range with set shots and DeWitt began to creep back on New Haven. The deficit was down to 22-16 at the end of the first quarter, and then DeWitt finally tied the game at 23-23 with about six minutes left in the half. At 3:57 the Panthers grabbed their only lead of the game, 29-28.

New Haven took control again and quickly moved out to a nine-point lead before Berry's late baskets cut the halftime margin to seven points, 44-37.

DeWitt's shooting went cold in the second half, with only Dale

Sherwood being able to do much. He scored eight points in the third quarter to keep the Panthers in contention, but New Haven's seven straight points at the end of the period almost put the game out of reach, 70-53.

NEW HAVEN continued their bombardment through half of the last quarter, building up an 81-57 lead at one point. When substitutes entered the picture for both teams, DeWitt seemed to perk up, and they scored 11 of the last 13 points in the game. Andy Cusack had the last six points for DeWitt on jumpers.

Berry and Sherwood were DeWitt's leading scorers with 13 and 15 points respectively. The Panthers finished the season with an 8-11 record overall. They were 5-9 in the CMAC and finished in a tie for fifth place with Pewamo-Westphalia. Chris Brown's 12.9 points per game average was ninth best in the league.

Jim Walainis led New Haven

with 30 big points, while Eli Sims had 20, Scott Belt 14 and Roy Lee 11 points.

Score by quarters:
New Haven 22 22 26 17-87
DeWitt 16 21 16 17-70

DeWITT SCORING: Roger Kaminski 2-0-4; Mike Botke 2-0-4; Gordon Keck 2-0-4; Loren Ward 1-0-2; Roger Berry 7-4-18; Chris Brown 3-2-8; Steve Tew 3-0-6; Alan Cropsey 0-0-0; Andy Cusack 3-0-6; Dale Sherwood 7-1-15; Dan Ruble 1-1-3; DeWitt totals 31-8-70, with 18 personal fouls.



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BOWLING NEWS
Notes from Clinton area leagues

NITE OWL LEAGUE (March 6)—High team game and series: The Wheel Inn and Boron's Store tied with an 844. Boron's Store got the series with a 2382. High individual game and series: Jo Rogers 189 and Janice Pease 183 and Rose Ritter 497. Pierson's Redwing Shoes and the Wheel Inn are now tied for the league lead with 22-6 scores. General Telephone Co. holds second place and Boron's Store third.

INDUSTRIAL MIXED LEAGUE (March 14) — High team game and series: Fearless Four 676 and 1946. High individual game and series: Jo Rogers 189 and Janice Pease 183 and Rose Ritter 497. Pierson's Redwing Shoes and the Wheel Inn are now tied for the league lead with 22-6 scores. General Telephone Co. holds second place and Boron's Store third.

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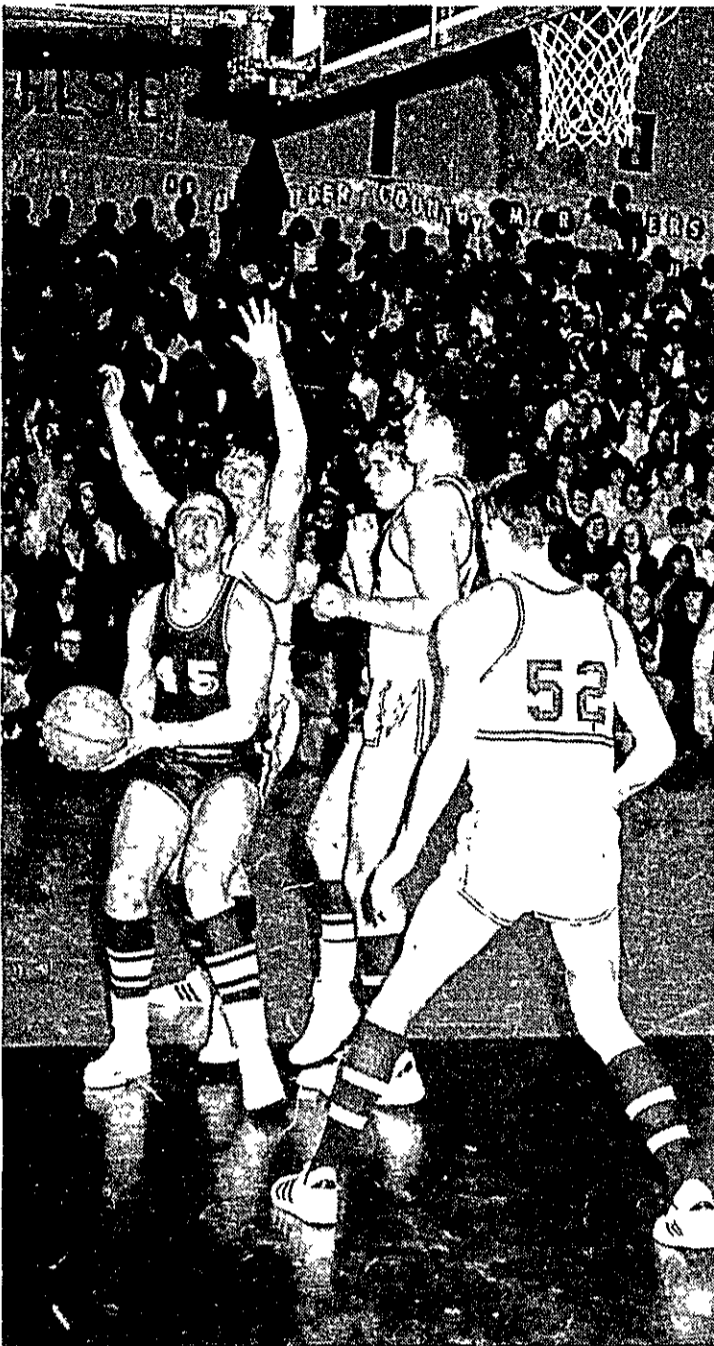
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NEWSPAPER BINGO

Marauders bow in regionals, 81-59

Rangy Holt slams door on O-E streak



Ovid-Elsie's Jerry Weir (45) appears to be contemplating his chances for a basket after he drove to the baseline in heavy traffic against Holt last Wednesday night. He decided to go up for the shot, missed it but was fouled in the process. Holt players identifiable are Charles Henderson (44) and John Gary (52). Ovid-Elsie lost 81-59 in the regional tournament game.

The Ovid - Elsie Marauders, strong as they were off a 10-game winning streak, couldn't quite hoe the row with the rangy Holt Rams last Wednesday night, dropping an 81 - 59 decision in their opening round game of the Waverly regional basketball tournament.

Holt's big 6-7 center Chuck Henderson provided the bulk to stop the surging Marauders. Henderson scored 34 points against Ovid-Elsie, including 23 during the first half when the Rams were building a 42-27 lead.

The height advantage was clearly Holt's in the game, but the Marauders' poor shooting from both the field and the free throw line during the first half didn't help their cause. They brightened up in the third quarter, however, and with a

pressing defense bothering the Holt five, managed to cut down their deficit to nine points at the end of the third quarter.

But the fourth quarter went lop-sided to Holt, and the Marauders bowed out of the tournament running. Coach Bob Foreback's team finished the year with a 13-7 overall record. They wound up in a three-way tie for the Mid - Michigan B League title with a 7-3 record, and Daryl Melvin finished ninth in the league scoring race with a 13.0 average.

BUT THE MARAUDERS weren't playing championship ball against Holt. Obviously tense, Ovid-Elsie managed only brief leads of 1-0, 2-1 and 4-2 before falling forever behind. Taking control of the boards, Holt moved out to a 17-11 first-quarter lead.

Henderson had two strings of seven straight points for Holt in the second quarter, and only Jerry Guyski's outcourt shoot-

ing kept Ovid-Elsie from dropping right out of the picture before halftime. Guyski had 10 points in the period to partially offset Henderson's work, but the Marauders fell further back, 42-27, at halftime.

Cal Woodard sparked Ovid-Elsie's comeback in the third quarter before Holt made it 59-50 going into the last period.

After John Gary of Holt and Terry Plowman of O-E traded baskets at the start of the last eight minutes, Holt scored nine straight points to make it 70-52. They got seven of the last nine points, too, as substitutes for both teams played the final two minutes.

WODARD WOUND UP with a stalwart 22-point performance for the night, and Guyski had 16 points. But Ovid-Elsie's scoring depth didn't extend much beyond that. Henderson's 34 points topped all players, while his teammates Scott Somers, Tom Harmon and Bob Griffith added

15, 11 and 10 points respectively.

Ovid-Elsie hit on only 21 of 67 shots from the field (31.3 percent) while making 17 of 26 free throw tries (65.3 per cent). Holt, after a comparatively cold first quarter, wound up making 30 of 62 field goal attempts (48.8 per cent) and 21 of 30 free throws (70 per cent).

The two teams played before one of the biggest crowds ever to see a basketball game at Waverly - an estimated 3,500 fans.

Score by quarters:
Ovid-Elsie 11 16 23 9-50
Holt 17 25 17 22-81

OVID - ELSIE SCORING: Cal Woodard 6-10-22; Jerry Guyski 8-0-16; Jerry Weir 1-4-6; Daryl Melvin 1-0-2; Terry Plowman 2-2-6; Dave Klabak 3-1-7; Dave Dubois 0-0-0; Cliff Seybert 0-0-0; Mike Bowler 0-0-0; Dave Long 0-0-0. O-E totals 21-17-59, with 23 personal fouls (Melvin and Plowman fouled out).

HOLT SCORING TOTALS: 30-21-81, with 24 personal fouls.

Bowling

TEN PIN KEGLERS (March 12) - High team game and series: DePeal's 872 and 2495. High individual game and series: Doris King 215 and Connie Cronkhite 539. Connie Cronkhite also rolled a 207 game and Doris Thompson had a 502 series and Ruth Root a 513. The Hub Tire Center now holds the league lead with a 24-12 score. Second place position is tied with four teams, the American Legion, Schmitt Electric, Julie K, and Masarik Shell each having a 21-15 record.

TEATIME LEAGUE (March 11) - High team game and series: Central National Bank 868 and Sparetimers 2489. High individual game and series: Doris King 212 and 556. Nancy Lewis bowled a 209 game. The Redwing Lane team now leads the league with a 73-27 record. The Good-timers are in second place and St. Johns Furniture in third.

NIGHT HAWK LEAGUE (March 11) - High team game and series: Randolph's 925 and 2658. High individual game and series: J. Schumaker 248 and G. Myers 594. Other 200 games: T. Slicer 222, G. Myers 220-201, G. Smith 212, G. Snyder 204, D. Johnson 203, S. Cornwell 202, J. Benjamin 201, and H. Benson 201. The American Legion team now leads the league with 73-31 and Zeeb's Fertilizer holds second position.

FIRST NIGHTERS LEAGUE (March 10) - High team game and series: Sears 849 and 2475. High individual game and series: Ruth Harter 211 and 505. Lanterman Insurance now leads the league with a 31-13 score. Citgo holds the second place position with a half game lead over third place Heathman's Paints.

Journal state editor speaks to Exchange Club

Frank Hand, state editor of the Lansing State Journal, recalled interesting experiences in his career when he spoke last Thursday noon at the bi-weekly meeting of the St. Johns Exchange Club. Among the experiences he recalled was that of a spectator at a Lansing fire who insisted he had information on how it started. After telling the "pest" he'd interview him later, Hand and other reporters continued their coverage only to find several days later the "pest" they didn't contact later was arrested for setting the fire.

Among statistics Hand revealed was that over 200 miles of newsprint are used daily and the State Journal was the first metropolitan newspaper in the nation to open full-time bureaus in outlying counties.

Betty Minsky, Clinton bureau chief, was a guest at the meeting. Leon Brewbaker was program chairman for the day.

The Exchange Club announced that its annual pancake supper will be held March 29 at Smith Hall.

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AT STATE 4-H LEADERMETER PROGRAM

Area adult and teen 4-H leaders discussed the state 4-H Leadermete program at Michigan State University March 1 and 2. Clinton delegates were, seated, Mrs Marilyn Fedewa, Mrs Orvest Davis, Mrs Mary Fedewa and Kathy Davis; and standing, Tom Harris, Don Devereaux, Orvest Davis and Roger Brook.

Schools name new cafeteria manager

Mrs Jay (Margaret) McKay of 607 E. Baldwin Street has been employed as the cafeteria manager when the new St. Johns High School opens next fall.

Mrs McKay has just completed a 10-week course in institutional food management at Michigan State University. She will begin her duties shortly on a part-time basis by visiting other schools, planning menus and making other arrangements.

Food for both the junior high school and senior high will be prepared in the kitchen at the high school. Food for the junior high students will be transported to the junior high and served there. Trays and knives and forks will be disposable so that facilities there will be only for serving and eating.

At the high school, where there are adequate storage and dish-washing facilities, regular cafeteria food service utensils will be used. Menus will be identical at both schools.

Students at both schools may bring lunches from home. Milk will be available to everyone. To accommodate all students, there will be three 30-minute staggered lunch periods.

Both the junior and senior high schools will operate on a closed



MRS MARGARET MCKAY

campus program. This means that all students will remain in the building or on school grounds during lunch periods. Students will therefore either buy their lunch or bring one from home. This type of operation makes for full use of time and facilities.

Steve Bakita, administrative assistant, is in charge of the complete food service program.

1968 Wilsonian receives first class rating

The 1968 journalism staff has received a first class rating by the National Scholastic Press Assn.

This classification is surpassed only by an All-American rating. The Wilsonian was submitted for the first time for the judging in December and the results were announced in mid-January.

Besides the quality of the yearbook, financial standings, and editorial positions are taken under consideration.

This year the junior members of the 1968-69 Wilsonian staff attended a yearbook workshop at Waverly High School. Those attending were DeLores Evitts, Karon Lundy, Honey Jane Karber, Martha Jean Locher, Ed Cheaney and Mrs Dorothy Bates, journalism advisor.

General arrangements for the meeting were made by Hank Roehrich and host for the group was Richard Bradley, a former St. Johns journalism teacher.

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.

Industrial students compete

Four industrial arts students from Rodney B. Wilson High School were among 100 students from 10 high schools who took part in the student industrial competitions at Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant on Saturday, March 8.

Those students who competed from St. Johns were Keith Foote in soft materials I, Jerry Feiginger in soft materials II, and

Dave Boron and Rich Jones in mechanical drawing.

Boron received a third place award for his drawing of a "spar clip." Twenty other students were competing in this category. He won a certificate and a slide rule.

Forty students from St. Johns were among the spectators who witnessed the event sponsored jointly by Central Michigan University and the Michigan Industrial Education Society.

The other areas of competition were: mechanisms, architectural drafting, pictorial illustration, product design, electricity-electronics, radio service, and power technology.

Accompanying the students on their trip were industrial arts faculty members Gary Durow, John Theuerkauf, Larry Button, and Ken Lashaway.



St. Johns High School drafting teacher Larry Button (left) chats with senior Dave Boron who won third place in the student industrial competition at CMU March 8 with his drawing of a "spar clip." Twenty other students competed in the same category.

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PARTY FOR R. KRUEGER

Mr and Mrs Alton Oberlittner and daughters and Mr and Mrs Arthur Krueger attended a party for Robert Krueger, who is leaving for the Army soon, at the Marion Springs Conservation Club March 8.

A very large crowd of family, friends and club members enjoyed dancing and a luncheon was served.

Mrs Mathilda Bishop called on Mrs Mary Saylor March 7. Miss Donna Hinkley was a March 9 dinner guest.

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SECTION B

Wednesday, March 19, 1969

Mr and Mrs Donald Hinkley and family and Mrs Mary Saylor called on Roy Saylor at the Alma Community Hospital on March 9.

Mrs Ethel Boyd of Park Lake and Mrs Mina Stratton called on

Roy Saylor at the Alma Hospital March 9.

Mr and Mrs Alex Dunay attended open house of the Gratiot County Intermediate board of education office in Ithaca March 9.

Mrs Doris Whalen of Owosso spent March 6 through 8 with her parents, Mr and Mrs Eugene Ferrall.

Mr and Mrs Eugene Ferrall attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs Ruth Wiseman on March 8.

The community wishes to express its sympathy to the family.

Mrs Ray Peck and Mrs Harold Phillips visited Mr and Mrs Daryl Shanahan (Madeline Phillips) for a few days last week. They also visited their sisters Mrs Forrest Davidson of Mt. Clemens and Mrs Peter Galucci of Dearborn Heights and several other relatives in the Detroit area.

Mrs Alton Oberlittner spent March 7 with her sister, Mrs Richard Conrad and Shelley of Vernon.

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Treasurer gives report

MAPLE RAPIDS — The village council here has accepted a report from Mrs Marjorie Ramsey, treasurer. The report shows the total general fund income for the fiscal year ending March 1 at \$27,319 and expenses at \$22,882, leaving a balance of \$3,168 in the general fund.

Bath

By Florence L. Wittchell

Guy Pace of Walnut Street, Bath is now in Palm Bay, Fla., for the winter. He celebrated his 75th birthday March 4 in an unexpected manner. His wife, Maudie, and a group of friends had planned a party for him, but because of illness on the part of several friends the party was called off. Instead, two couples from Bath dropped in; they were Mr and Mrs Oscar Colloster and Mr and Mrs Abbot Nelson. The three couples had a birthday supper and a very enjoyable evening.

Shepardsville

By Lucille Spencer

Willard McMaster returned to Sparrow Hospital on March 9. His condition is not favorable.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Cramer spent March 9 with Mr and Mrs Rhinard Schulz.

Mr and Mrs Lee Hill and Mrs Oral Elliott attended the funeral of Mr Lee VanOver in Bancroft on March 7.



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In using new high school

Trade, industrial vocation programs to be expanded

Facilities in the new high school under construction in St. Johns will make it possible to expand the vocational education program, according to Kenneth Lashaway, vocational education coordinator. The new building will be ready for occupancy next fall.

In electricity and electronics, a basic course will be offered in electricity next fall, stressing basic fundamentals, electronics instruments and simple circuits. Occupations in this area will also be explored.

Beginning in 1970, a two hour course in advanced electronics and radio and TV service will be taught. Transistors, radio and electrical circuitry and technical service instruments will be emphasized.

In 1971 another two hour vocational course in electronic trouble-shooting in radio, TV, hi-fi and other home electronic devices will be available. Special emphasis will be given to TV circuits and industrial electronics.

IN THE AREA OF metal technology a basic course in metals including machining, welding, heat treating, foundry and sheet metal layout will start in September 1969. This will be followed in 1970 by a two hour vocational metals course which will allow students to specialize in

machines, heat treat, foundry, welding and sheet metal.

In the senior year students may enter the cooperative training program in metals, thus gaining some practical experience in their chosen field before graduation.

The power and auto mechanics program will also be enlarged.

Beginning in September, a one-hour course of 36 weeks will be taught to 10th, 11th and 12th grades. The course is designed for work in trouble shooting, repair and maintenance of small two- and four-cycle engines and a survey of power development from muscle power to solar power.

Also beginning next fall for 11th and 12th graders will be a course in basic automotive. This will cover the operation, maintenance, repair and trouble shooting, and will prepare students for vocational auto mechanics.

The vocational course is designed to give the student job-shop experience. This is a two-hour, 36-week course.

IN THE FIELD OF carpentry and building trades, two classes will be offered. The carpentry course is a one-hour 36-week course in the necessary steps in home building.

The building trades course is a 2 1/2 or three-hour course

going for the full year. Students will be working on the job-site building a modern home. The students will be doing most of the work assisted by the instructor and sub-contractors.

Completing the trade and industrial education program will be four one-hour 36-week courses in drafting—general drafting, machine drafting, and architectural drafting in 1969, and industrial drafting which will be added in September 1970.

A course in shop mathematics will also be given emphasizing practical math and its application to trade and industrial education.

In the junior high school, seventh grade boys and girls will all take arts and crafts for nine weeks. This is an activity centered course where students will be working with plastics, leather, and coping saws and buffers.

Other non-vocational courses which seventh graders will explore for nine weeks are vocal music, homemaking and art.

In the eighth grade there will be a class in exploratory industrial arts with nine week courses in electricity, wood working, sheet metals, and drafting. Classes will rotate between four rooms and instructors. Small projects will be made by students as they move through the four areas.

Full year ninth grade courses will be general drafting, general metals and wood technology. Se-

mester classes in welding and foundry and arts and crafts will be given. The arts and crafts class is open to both girls and boys.

The complete junior-senior high school program is designed to provide continuity at all levels. Those who really are interested in vocational training can have it. Those students who are not interested vocationally will have the opportunity to explore the field of industrial and trade education.

Business students plan tours

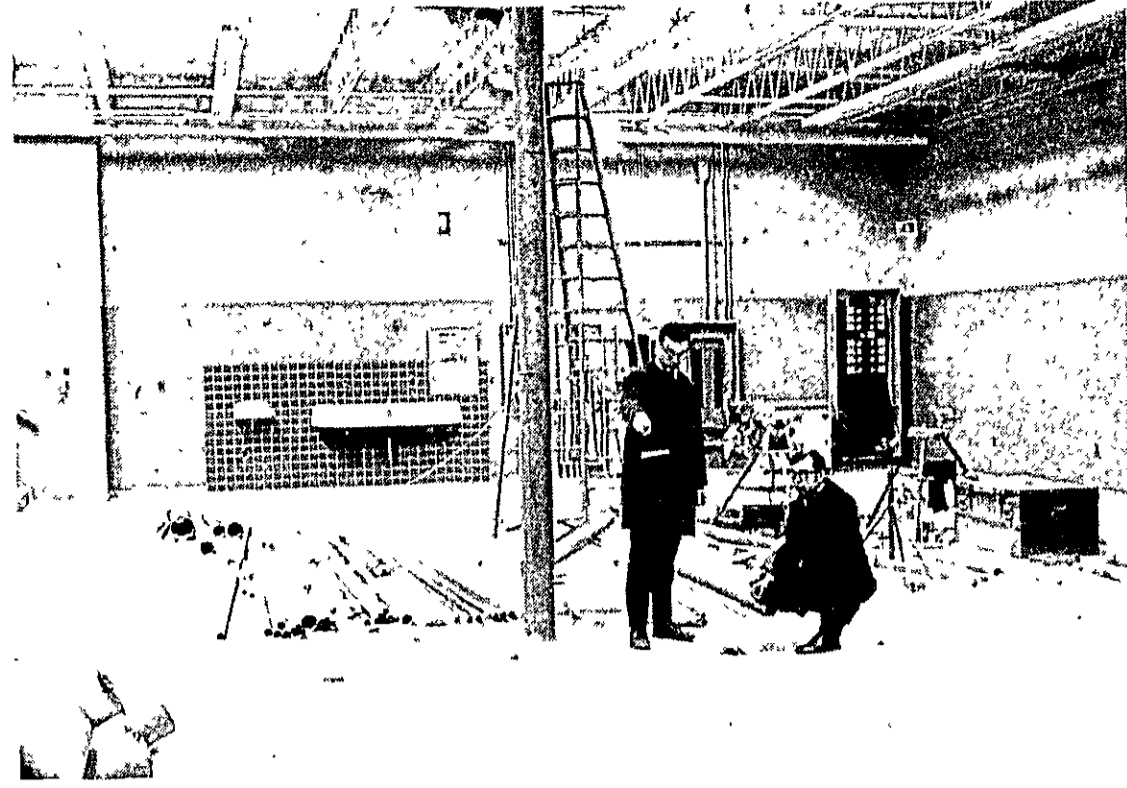
By ANN THELEN
Fowler High School

On March 27 the Shorthand I class and any other students who are interested in a business career will take a trip to Lansing. They will visit Lansing Business University and Oldsmobile.

National FHA week is March 23-29. Our school's FHA chapter will do a different activity every day of that week. One example of these projects will be planting flowers in the school's courtyard. They are doing much volunteer work toward the improvement of different things.

The junior class is holding a smorgasbord Saturday, March 29 from 5-7 p.m. It will be held in the cafeteria. Everyone is invited to attend.

Wednesday, March 12, was League Exchange Day. Four students from Fowler visited DeWitt. They were Dianne Koenigsnecht, Judy Koenigsnecht, Mary Epkey and Brian Benjamin.



Ken Lashaway (left), vocational director for the St. Johns Public Schools, and Larry Button, next year's auto mechanics instructor, check over the new auto mechanics laboratory garage at the new high school building. Work on the structure is still progressing and is scheduled to be completed by about June 1.

Amica Club has election on March 4

MAPLE RAPIDS—New officers have been elected for the Amica Club. They include: Sybil Parkinson, president; Opal Tait, vice-president; Margaret Harlow, secretary; Muriel Abshagen, corresponding secretary; Evelyn Underwood, treasurer; and Marjorie Rumsy, parliamentarian and custodian.

For the standing committees: Arlyne Carr, Wilma Wright and Reva Ball, flower fund; Theresa Wieber and Veima Bancroft, transportation; and Evelyn Stead and Sharon Husted, publicity.

On March 4, the club met at the home of Opal Tait with 18 members and two guests present.

The club has set Dec. 6, as the date for their bazaar. Each member is to bring an idea to the next meeting of something to make. A doll booth has already been suggested as one possibility for the bazaar.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Wilma Wright with Cristeen Brown as co-hostess on April 1.

The meeting was adjourned and a lunch served by the hostess, Opal Tait.

Miller plans new development

MAPLE RAPIDS — Councilmen have given approval to a subdivision plat being developed here west of the city ball park. The final approval was received by Robert Miller, owner. The division will result in 23 lots being developed.

Both Washington and West Main run through the property, resulting in lots on both streets. It is bounded on the north by the Maple River.

Foods and safety discussed

J. F. (Jack) Hartzell, general supervisor of the Food Inspection Division of the Michigan Department of Agriculture, gave a talk to the Clinton County Senior Citizens March 11.

He pointed out that three-fifths of the people of the world go to bed hungry while here in America we worry about becoming overweight. He discussed consumer protection and stated that all products which might be injurious to children should be kept locked up.

Regarding weights and measures, Hartzell cited many instances where people are cheated in gas stations and supermarkets. He dwelt at length on food inspection and explained how some foods are adulterated. In answer to a question, he said that the processed meats made in Michigan are good and safe to eat.

The Michigan standards of meat inspection are higher than the federal standards.

In discussing diet foods, he pointed out that the reason diet

breads have fewer calories per slice is that they are sliced thinner.

Anyone having a complaint about a violation of the food laws can write the Food Inspection Division, Michigan Department of Agriculture, Lewis Cass Building, Lansing, Mich. 48913.

Senior Citizens are also concerned about the discontinuance of ambulance service and the increase in taxes in some townships. A committee composed of Elzie Exelby, Ben Gillison and Clarence Hill was appointed to draft resolutions regarding these matters and submit them to the legislature.

The next meeting will be held on March 25. All Senior Citizens are invited to the potluck dinner at noon. The Rhythm Band will practice following the meeting.

Scouts to plant trees in spring

MAPLE RAPIDS—The Webelos Scouts here have been granted approval by councilmen to plant trees for achievement badges. The request was submitted by Dean Ball, who said he felt the village would benefit if the trees were planted along streets where dead trees have been removed in recent years.

The Scouts would like to start their planting this spring.

Plymouth Scores Most Points in Three Tests

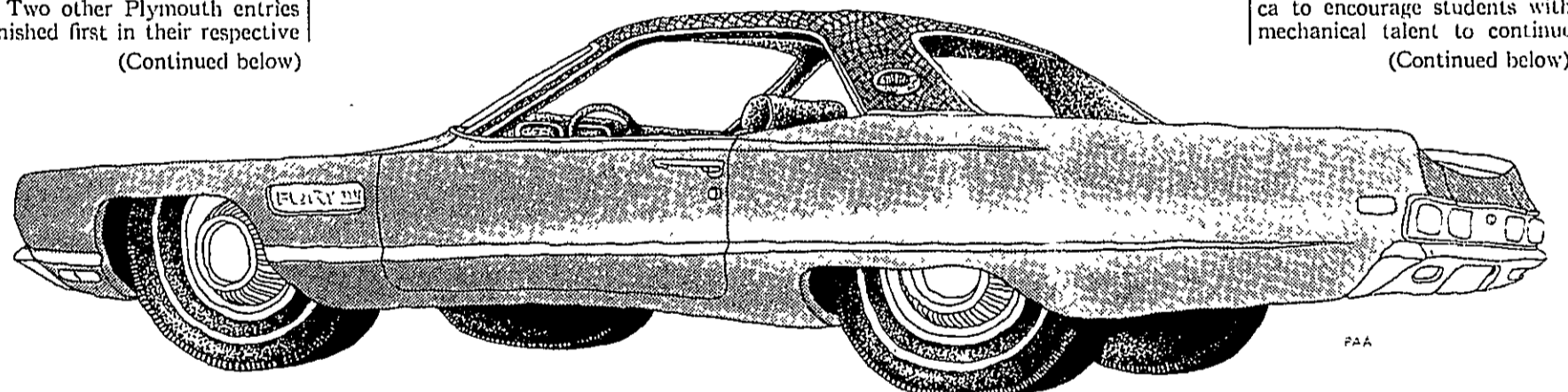
A Plymouth Fury I scored the highest number of points of all 60 cars that competed in fuel economy, acceleration and braking tests of the Union/Pure Oil Performance Trials at Daytona Beach, Fla.

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Two other Plymouth entries finished first in their respective

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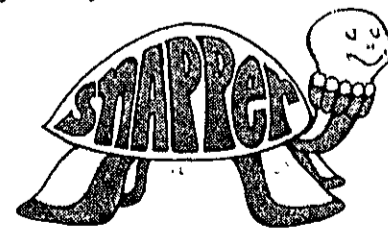
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2,000 Teams of Students Competing in Plymouth's Trouble Shooting Contest

Teams of student mechanics from more than 2,000 high schools and colleges in every state of the Union will compete for \$125,000 worth of prizes in the 21st annual Plymouth Trouble Shooting Contest.

The contest is sponsored by the Chrysler-Plymouth Division of Chrysler Motors Corporation and Plymouth Dealers of America to encourage students with mechanical talent to continue

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their education and pursue careers in the growing automotive service business.

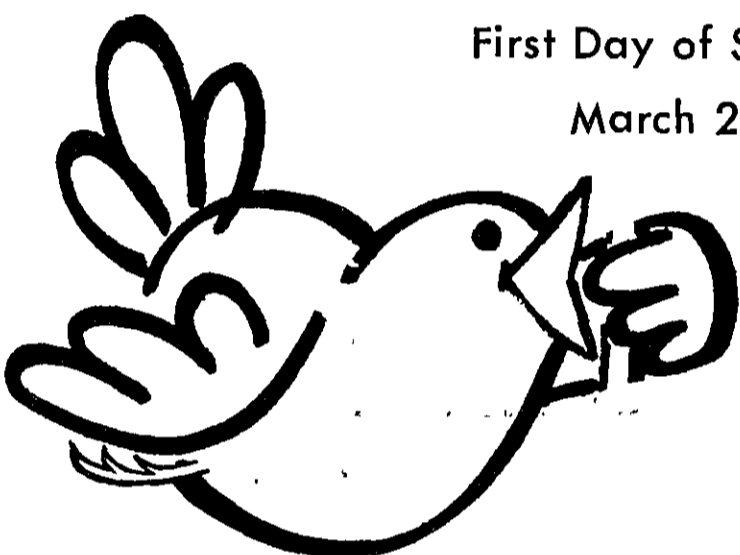
The winning two-man team at each of the 100 regional and state contests being held this spring will compete for \$125,000 worth of scholarships, prizes, trophies and automotive equipment for their schools at the National Finals at the Indianapolis 500 Speedway in mid-June.

Winners at local and national contests are chosen by the speed and skill with which they find and fix malfunctions under the hood of a new Plymouth and restore the car to normal operating condition. All teams work on identical cars that have been deliberately tampered with in the same way.

Plymouth Dealers sponsor a two-man team from their local school and make a Plymouth car available to practice on. The teams from the 2,000 participating schools, which have a combined enrollment of 150,000 students taking automotive shop courses, are selected by school instructors.

The Plymouth Trouble Shooting Contest originated in Los Angeles in 1949. It was sponsored by Plymouth Dealers there who sought to recruit young men as mechanic trainees. The annual contest grew in size as educators gave it their support.

Since the contest became national in scope in 1962, scholarships have been awarded to 116 students and full or part-time jobs have been found for more than 15,000 young men.



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Shepardsville

By LUCILLE SPENCER, Correspondent

OVID DUPLAIN LIBRARY CLUB the singing of two verses of "America." The Ovid-Duplain Library club met March 6 at the home of Mrs. Clayton Sherwin. Eighteen members and two guests enjoyed a potluck luncheon at 12:30. The invocation was given by Mrs. Christine Snyder.

All stood for a moment of silent prayer in memory of Mrs. Gertrude Aldrich. The pledge of allegiance and the collect were repeated in unison, followed by

sidied over the business session. Final plans were discussed for the 90th anniversary. Mrs. Ina Woodworth is program chairman.

CHURCH NEWS NOTES

The members of the Afternoon Circle of the Shepardsville United Methodist Church are reminded to bring their birthday offering to the meeting at Mrs. Charles Olson's Sr. on March 13. The time of the meeting is 2 p.m. If you haven't already turned in your Share-A-Loaf Folders, bring them also.

The Men's Club of the Shepardsville United Methodist Church will hold their monthly meeting on March 17 at the

church. There will be a potluck supper at 7:15 followed by a program.

The Berean Circle will meet on Thursday evening March 30 at 8 p.m. at the home of Miss Donna Hottinger instead of Mrs. Doris Pollard's.

Maundy Thursday services will be held at the Price United Methodist Church and the Congregation of the Shepardsville United Methodist Church has been invited to join this service of dedication.

Banner No. 3 was put up this week and it tells us that God loved His people so much that He gave His own Son to redeem us.

MRS ALDRICH MISSED BY CHURCH

The Shepardsville Church has lost one of its most beloved members, Mrs. Gertrude Aldrich. She was a lifetime member of the church and was honored by the church members on her 90th birthday.

She was president of the Ladies Aid for 20 years and was a member of the building committee when the present church was erected. She was always in attendance as long as her health permitted. She seldom missed a meeting of the WSCS and always was ready and willing to do whatever she could. A few years ago she went to

Ovid to make her home with her daughter, Essie (Mrs. Harold Frisbie). The people of the Shepardsville Church and community extend their sympathy to the family.

Mr and Mrs John Spencer called on Mrs. Faye Perkins and Rev. Eugene Spencer of Williams- ton on March 4. They also called on Mrs. Eugene Rounds of Bath.

The congregation of the Price United Methodist Church have invited the congregation of the Shepardsville Methodist Church to join them on Easter Sunday morning for a sunrise service at 6:30 a.m. followed by breakfast at 8.

Mr and Mrs R. A. Brocci and children of Champaign, Ill. were dinner guests on March 7 of her grandfather, John Spencer and Mrs. Spencer. Mrs. Richard Barker and children of Lansing were March 9 callers.

Charge Conference for both the Price and Shepardsville churches is March 19.

County Federation is to be April 30 at the United Methodist Church in St. Johns. Registration begins at 9 a.m.

The April meeting will be with Mrs. Ray Jones on April 11. The usual potluck luncheon will be served at 12:30. Roll call will be a plant and seed exchange. Mrs. Glenn Parks and Mrs. Robert

Hebler Sr. will be in charge of the program.

About 25 singers in the Shepardsville area got together at the Shepardsville Church for a dinner and singing. It seems that the Shepardsville area has some very good voices and a number of them sing in the church choir. Hostesses for this affair were Mrs. Marian Walker and Miss Helen Squiers.

Sp-4 Thomas Van Elten, a grandson of Mrs. Alfred Cramer, has returned to Fort Leonard Wood near St. Louis, Mo. His wife returned with him and will stay until he is discharged from the service some time this summer.

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St. Johns Area

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Gerald Churchill, Minister
Wed., Mar. 19-8:30 a.m., Lenten Study; "Great Women of the Bible," 6:45 p.m., Boy Scout Troop No. 81; 8:00 p.m., Senior Choir rehearsal.
Sat., Mar. 22-10 a.m., Pastor's Class; 12:30 p.m., Junior Choir; 1:00 p.m., Children's Choir.
Sun., Mar. 23-9:45 a.m., Church School; 11:00 a.m., Morning Worship, Sermon: "The Foundations of Faith," 7:00 p.m., Youth Fellowship; 7:30 p.m., Union Lenten Service at the United Methodist Church. Speaker: Dr. John Jordan.
Mon., Mar. 24-6:45 p.m., Congregators.
Tue., Mar. 25-8:00 p.m., Bible Study; Division meeting at the home of Mrs. Steven Eckert.
Wed., Mar. 26-9:30 a.m., Lenten Study; "Great Women of the Bible."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
South US-27
Rev. Roger Harrison, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday School, Willard Goldman, Supt.
11 a.m.—Worship Service on WRBJ, 1680
11:30 a.m.—Children's Churches
8 p.m.—Omega Club for Teens
7 p.m.—Evening Worship
Each Wed., 7 p.m.—Family Night Service—Hour of Power, Whirlybird and Junior Youth meetings, Choir—Whirlybird, Youth, Miss Teen Ensemble.
First Sunday—Communion Service.
First Monday—Deacons meeting.
First Tuesday—Ladies' Missionary Circle.
"The Singing Church with the Salvation Message"

Fowler Area

MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, 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
Fowler, Michigan
Rev. William Tate, Pastor
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class

Riley Township

ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH
MISSOURI SYNOD
4 1/2 miles west of St. Johns on M-21
5 1/2 miles south on Francis road
2 miles west on Church road
Marvin L. East, Pastor
8 a.m.—Worship Service
9:15 a.m.—Sunday School
10:30 a.m.—Worship Service
Holy Communion 1st Sunday early service, third Sunday late service.

Eagle Area

EAGLE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Alfred Trip, Pastor
1426 Michigan Avenue
Telephone 627-5533
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7:00 p.m.—Senior MYF Sunday
7:00 p.m.—Junior MYF Wednesday

Gunnisonville Area

UNION LUTHERAN CHURCH
Clark and Wood Roads
Rev. Marcel E. Bout, Pastor
9 a.m.—Sunday School
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
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Ovid Area

OVID FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main at Oak Street
Rev. Earl C. Copelin, Pastor
Myron Woodruff, Church School Supt.
Mrs. Ida Beardslee, Organist
9:45 a.m.—Church School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
Wednesday, 7 p.m., Senior Choir
Wednesday, 8 p.m., Prayer

Maple Rapids Area

GREENBUSH METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. William Tate, Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Church School
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship

Maple Rapids Area

MAPLE RAPIDS METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. William Tate, Pastor
Sunday
9 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:15 a.m.—Sunday School
Monday
7 p.m.—Webelos
Tuesday
1:30 p.m.—WCS, first Tuesday of month.
7 p.m.—Chapel Choir rehearsal
7 p.m.—Official Board meets on second Tuesday of month.
Wednesday
3:30 p.m.—Chapel Choir rehearsal
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scouts
Thursday
8 p.m.—Bible Study
Friday
3:30 p.m.—Junior MYF

Ovid Area

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.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study;
8:45 p.m.—Choir practice

Ovid Area

THE UNITED CHURCH
Ovid, Michigan
Services at the Front St. Church
Gordon E. Spalenka, Minister
Mrs. C. E. Tremblay, Church School Superintendent
9:30 a.m.—Church School Classes
10 a.m.—Adult Class
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
5 p.m.—Youth Fellowships
Each Wednesday after school, Junior and Children's Church Schools, Each Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Chapel Choir rehearsal.
Second Tuesday each month, Official Board.
Second Wednesday, Women's Fellowship.
Third Monday, United Men's Club.
OVID FREE METHODIST CHURCH
W. William St.
Rev. Richard Gleason, Pastor
Telephone 624-2473
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.
Church services—11:00 a.m.
Evening services—7:30 p.m.
Prayer meetings—7:30 p.m.

Maple Rapids Area

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Maple Rapids, Michigan
Rev. Robert E. Myers, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School
7:00 p.m.—U.C.Y.M. meets on alternate Sundays
6:45 p.m.—Thursday, Cherub and Junior choir.
8 p.m.—Thursday, Chapel choir.
1:30 p.m.—Third Friday, Women's Fellowship, church basement.
8:30 p.m.—Service meeting

Maple Rapids Area

LOWE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. William Tate
9:00 a.m.—Church School
10:15 a.m.—Morning Worship

Maple Rapids Area

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Maple Rapids, Michigan
Rev. Robert E. Myers, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School
7:00 p.m.—U.C.Y.M. meets on alternate Sundays
6:45 p.m.—Thursday, Cherub and Junior choir.
8 p.m.—Thursday, Chapel choir.
1:30 p.m.—Third Friday, Women's Fellowship, church basement.
8:30 p.m.—Service meeting

Maple Rapids Area

ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL MISSION CHURCH
MISSION MOBILE
7 p.m.—Wednesday evening Lenten Service.
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School and adult discussion.
Future church site on Herbison road just west of Highway US-27, Dedication of new church in spring of 1970.

Maple Rapids Area

DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH
(Inter-denominational)
Rev. Sidney J. Weland, Pastor
Bonnie Wickham, Supt.
Elizabeth DeWitt, Co-Supt.
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages
11 a.m.—Morning Worship; Nursery provided during morning worship.
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship

Maple Rapids Area

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
David B. Franzmeier, Pastor
Parsonage: 300 Winding Brook Road
DeWitt, Michigan 48820
Phone 686-6806
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service, DeWitt High School, 2957 W. Herbison Road.
Other Sundays: 9 a.m., morning prayer and sermon.
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School and adult discussion.
Future church site on Herbison road just west of Highway US-27, Dedication of new church in spring of 1970.

Maple Rapids Area

DEWITT METHODIST CHURCH
North Bridge Street
Bertram W. Vermeulen, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship, Nursery available for all pre-school children during the worship service.
6:30 p.m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship (all sections).

Maple Rapids Area

EMMANUEL METHODIST CHURCH
Corner Clark and Schavay Roads
Bertram W. Vermeulen, Pastor
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service
11 a.m.—Sunday School, adults and children.
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Maple Rapids Area

ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner US-27 and Webb Road
Rev. Hugh E. Banning, Vicar
Rectory 224-2899 Office 224-2885
2nd and 4th Sundays—9 a.m., Holy Communion and sermon.
Other Sundays—9 a.m., morning prayer and sermon.
Church school every Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

Maple Rapids Area

EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH
(Non Denominational)
Round Lake Road 1/2 mile East of US-27
Glen J. Farnham, Pastor
Sunday—10 a.m.—Sunday School, Classes for all ages.
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
5:45 p.m.—Youth Fellowship, Senior, and up; Jet Cadets, 10:13.
7 p.m.—Evening Service
Wednesday—7:30 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer. Supervised nursery for babies and small children in all services.
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ST. THERESE CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Fr. Eugene Sears and Fr. James Murray, Assistant Pastors
Rectory: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing
Phone 487-3740
Mass Schedule—Sundays: 6, 7:30, 9, 10:30 a.m.
Weekdays—6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m. (8 a.m. non-school days).
Confessions—Saturdays: 3:30 to 5, 7:30 to 9 p.m.
Eves of Holy Days and First Friday—1 to 5, 8 to 10 a.m.
Perpetual Help Devotions, Saturday, 7:30 p.m.
Holy Day Masses—7, 8, 10 a.m.; 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.
First Friday Masses—6:30, 8:30 and 7:30 p.m. (8 a.m. non-school days).

Maple Rapids Area

SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Ralph Conline
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Midweek Services

Maple Rapids Area

VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH
241 E. State Road
Rev. LaVerne Grez, Pastor
9:45-10:45 a.m.—Church School.
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11 a.m.—12 Noon—Morning Worship, Junior Church for children through 6th grade
6:30 p.m.—BYF for Juniors and Seniors
8 p.m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practices
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Midweek Prayer Service; 8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practice
Saturday 10:00 a.m.—Chr. Choir practice
1st Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Woman's Mission Society
2nd Tuesday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for Jr. Hl. girls
3rd Tuesday 6:30 p.m.—Men's Fellowship

Maple Rapids Area

WACOUSTA AREA
WACOUSTA COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Dale Spoor, Pastor
Phone 827-2576
10 a.m.—Morning Worship
11 a.m.—Sunday School
8:30 p.m.—Senior and Junior Youth Fellowship
Thursday, 3 p.m.—Children's Choir
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Senior Adult Choir
Official Board meeting at 8 p.m. on 4th Monday of each month.
Methodist Men's Club Meetings—Patluck at church at 6:30 p.m. on 1st Wednesdays of Sept., Dec., Feb. and April. Sunday morning breakfast on 1st Sunday morning of Oct., Nov., Jan., March and May at 8 a.m.

Maple Rapids Area

EUREKA AREA
CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Eureka, Michigan
Rev. William D. Moore
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship

Maple Rapids Area

BATH AREA
BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Alma Grotfely
Telephone 641-6667
10 a.m.—Worship
11 a.m.—Church School
BATH BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. James L. Burleigh, Pastor
10:40 a.m.—Sunday School
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
ROSE LAKE CHURCH
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Elder Jack Hodge, Pastor.
Corner of Upton and Stoll Roads
10:30 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, evening service

Maple Rapids Area

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
5:30 p.m.—Youth Service
7:30 p.m.—Sunday Evening
7 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth, W.M.C.
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday evening service

Maple Rapids Area

TRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Dr. Leroy T. Howe, Minister
9:45 a.m.—Church School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
Men's Club to meet 3rd Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m.
Women's Service the fourth Wednesday of each month. Dinner at 12:30. Meeting at 1:30.
Youth Fellowship meets the first and third Sunday of each month at 6 p.m.
Education Commission to meet the 4th Monday night of each month at 7 p.m.
Official Board meets the first Sunday of each month following a potluck dinner at noon.
Youth Choir and Craft Club, meets on Wednesday night at 7 p.m.
Senior Choir meets each Wednesday at 7 p.m.

Maple Rapids Area

WESTPHALIA AREA
ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Rev. Fr. Aloysius H. Miller, Pastor
Rev. Walter L. Spillane, Assistant Pastor
Sunday Masses—8, 9 and 10 a.m.
Weekdays—8:30 and 10 a.m., 7:00 and 11:15 a.m.
Saturdays—9:45 a.m. and 7:30 a.m.
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Evening Mass—Friday, 8:00 p.m.

Maple Rapids Area

ELsie Area
ELSIE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Gordon Showers, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Merle Baese.
DUPPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Gordon Showers, Minister
10 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth Klacer

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Psalms 1	Matthew 6:1-6	Matthew 6:7-18	Matthew 6:19-34	Matthew 7:1-12	Matthew 7:13-23	Matthew 7:24-29
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PLUS: every BINGO winner will receive FREE a 1-year subscription to the Clinton County News and a box of personalized stationery.

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

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| Capitol Savings & Loan | DeWITT |
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| Two Brothers | G & L Implement |

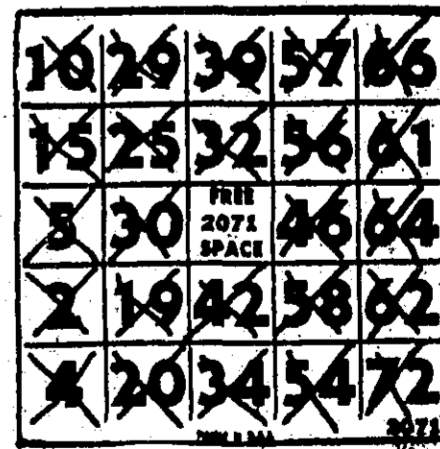
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This Is How A Winning Card Looks

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



Pick up Your BLUE BINGO CARDS Today!

A NEW GAME BEGINS EVERY WEDNESDAY
NEW NUMBERS in the PAPER - DIFFERENT COLOR CARDS at PARTICIPATING STORES

News About Clinton County Service Personnel



WILLIAM F. MOTZ JR.

William F. Motz Jr., 23, whose parents live on R-1, Ashley, was promoted to Army first lieutenant during ceremonies at Ft. Carson, Colo., Jan. 28.

Airman Apprentice DARWIN L. HUNT, USN, son of Mr and Mrs Darwin L. Hunt Sr., 424 N. Main St., Ovid, was graduated from the Aviation Machinist's Mate Jet Engine Course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, Tenn.

During the eight week course he received instruction in jet fundamentals, jet power plants operation and replacement, and jet aircraft line operation.



THOMAS L. BROWN

Spec. 4 Thomas L. Brown completed his basic training at Fort Knox, Ky., and was then sent to Fort Sill, Okla., for radar and missile training. He graduated from the school with honors credit and in his class and made spec. 4.

Army Pvt ROBERT W. URIBE, 19, son of Mr and Mrs Gonzalo R. Uribe of 212 Sterling Street, Ashley, completed a dental assistant last course Jan. 31 at the U.S. Army Medical Field Service School, Brooke Army Medical Center, Ft. San Houston, Tex.

Pvt DAVID E. PARKER, 19, son of Mr and Mrs N. Edward Parker of 11441 DeWitt Road, DeWitt, completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training Feb. 14 at Ft. Polk, La. His last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare exercises.

Impressive service held by WSCS

"THE KINGDOM COME—but not now," (an inspirational message) was presented by several ladies of the United Methodist WSCS in the home of Mrs. C. S.

It was brought out that only by freeing ourselves from the prejudices of caste, color or creed may we make life yield its richest gifts—fellowship and peace.

Mrs Gordon Showers provided the vocal selections with Mrs C. S. Goodrich at the organ. Mrs L. W. Burdick and Mrs S. J. Keys represented the two readers, while they were assisted by Mrs Robert Bloomer, Mrs Howard Pettler, Mrs Charles Krindler, Mrs A. W. Cobb, Mrs Howard Whitaker and Mrs Lyle Dunham.

Middlebury By Mrs Don Warren

Miss Sally Douglas of Livonia, Howard Hamerink of Southfield, Miss Sandy Packay of Harper Woods, and Mrs Richard Barber and Vicki of Jackson were March guests of Miss Julie Warren.

Alan born March 5 in Memorial Hospital, Ovid. Mr and Mrs J. O. Vandyne and Mr and Mrs Russell Potter have returned home after spending the past several weeks in Florida.

Miss Marjorie Whitmyer of Grand Rapids was a weekend guest of her parents, Mr and Mrs Richard Whitmyer.

Live by principles—the man who rules his own conduct has learned self-discipline.

Kroger 500 Stamps

Meat section with various items like Pork Chops, Beef, Sausage, and Bacon. Includes Kroger Tenderay Beef logo and USDA Choice logo.

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Strawberries 69¢. Florida Yellow Sweet Corn 5 FOR 59¢.

SLICING TOMATOES 28¢ LB. JUMBO VINE RIPE.

3-LEGGED FRYERS 39¢ LB. DOUBLE BREASTED OR.

Sliced Bologna 79¢. Smoked Sausage 99¢.

Strawberries 69¢. Florida Yellow Sweet Corn 5 FOR 59¢.

SLICING TOMATOES 28¢ LB. JUMBO VINE RIPE.

BONELESS HAMS 89¢ LB. PRIDE O MICHIGAN WHOLE OR QUARTER.

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Sea Foods. Fantail Shrimps 79¢. Broaded Haddock 79¢.

Dairy Foods. Half & Half 49¢. Chip Dips 49¢.

Baked Foods. Wiener Buns 1.09. Brown & Serve Rolls 29¢.

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BEAN COFFEE 49¢. 1-lb. Bag.

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CAKE MIXES 79¢. 3 20 OZ WT PKGS.

FRENCH FRIES 19¢. 2 LB PKG.

PIE SHELLS 3 \$1. PET RITZ.

Crackers 49¢. White Bread 1.00.

Coffee Creamer 3 \$1. Tomato Sauce 9 89¢.

Cream Pies 79¢. 3 14-OZ PIES.

Deluxe Pizza 1.19. Cookin Bags 99¢.

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Fun Cracker Animals For Soups. Soup Mates 39¢.

CAKE MIXES 79¢. 3 20 OZ WT PKGS.

Plus Top Value Stamps. Kroger logo.

As of this writing Anna Thelen is still at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital. Surgery is being done on her feet and fingers, due to exposure when found at her home by neighbors.

Pewamo By Mrs Irene Fox. A pleasant afternoon was spent recently at the home of Mayor and Mrs Carl Walter.

Roger Kohagen leaves Sunday, March 16, from Lansing by plane to Washington State for his new assignment in Korea.

Mr and Mrs Myron Schafer were visitors of their daughter and family Mr and Mrs Donald Schaefer.

Cub Pack 272 holds banquet. Pack 272 held their annual Blue and Gold banquet Feb. 27 at the Congregational Church.

Officers of the Pack include: Cubmaster Al Sodman, committee chairman Eugene Meier, pack treasurer Dick Cronkrite.

In Den No. 1, Dru Downing, Steve Bissell and Gary Boling each received two silver arrow awards.

For Den 4, the following boys received wolf badges: Frederick Kundra III, Eugene Pierce, David Hurst, Rodney Lounds.

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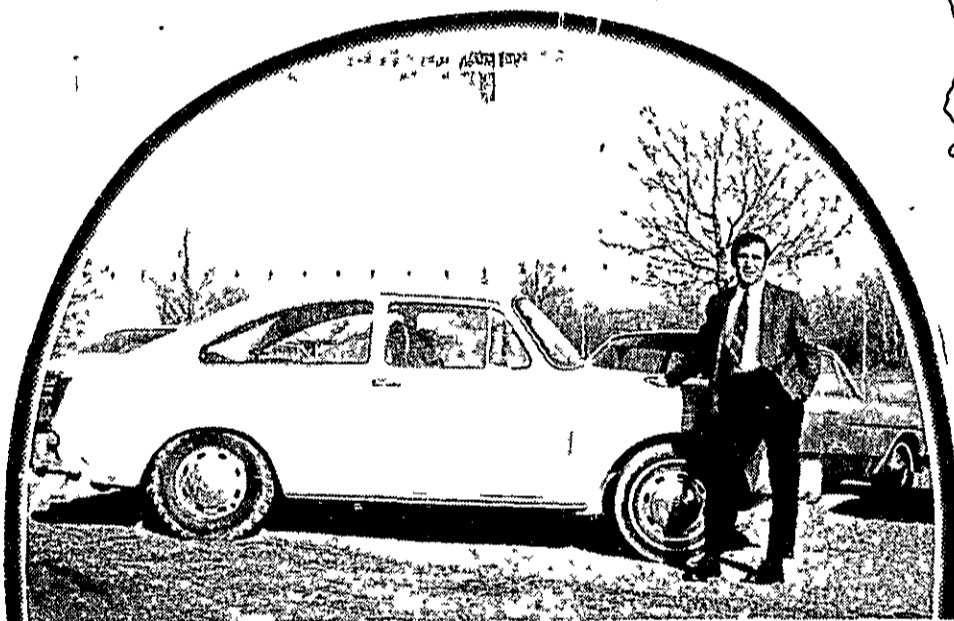
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Participants in the first session of the land use education workshops included Alan R. Dean (left), former chairman of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, Dr William Kimball, Dr Arthur Mauch and F. Earl Haas, Clinton County Extension agricultural agent.



Attending one of the recent land use education workshops was this group, which included, from left at far table, Oliver Angell, Maurice Gove, Roy Andrews, William Hufnagel, Stanley Baird, Gerald Shepard, Walter Nobis, Earl Barks, Alden Livingston, Roy Davis, George McQueen and William Graef. At the near table are F. Earl Haas, Dale Chapman and Gerald Wilcox.

The hardest thing to find these days at a fashionable party is a comfortable chair.

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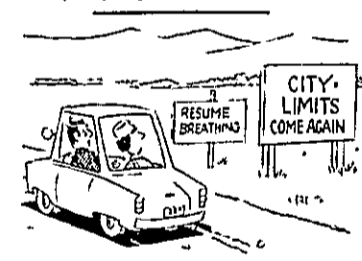
He's improver of lamb chops

Michigan State University owns the only ram that met the certification standards of the American Hampshire Sheep Assn. last year.

Roselawn 7251 was the seventh ram to certify since the program started seven years ago. The certification program identifies sires that produce fast growing, muscular lambs with a minimum of external finish.

The ram weighed 315 pounds at 18 months of age. He was mated to 10 commercial ewes in the fall of 1967. The 10 ewes dropped 20 lambs and raised 18 of them. Eleven of the

lamb's met all the requirements for certification. Roselawn 7251 was bred by C. M. Hubbard and Son, Junction City, Ore. He was purchased by Michigan State University at the National Ram Sale at Ogden, Utah, in August 1967.



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Name	No. Cows	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. B' Fat	% Cows In Test
Mervin Chamberlain	28	1477	53	101
Marvin Simon	36	1325	51	99
William Mayers	33	1330	50	96
Laweda Farms	50	1506	49	97
Don Witt & Son	39	1265	49	85
Russell Ormsby	30	1424	47	100
Charles Bracey	34	1249	47	91
Dale Anderson	44	871	47	99
Jerome Spitzley	33	1325	46	90
Frank Rivest	93	1111	45	98
George Smith	31	863	45	86
Fred Mayers	22	1187	44	89
Ervin Marten	42	1143	44	96
Francis Motz	34	1116	43	91
Ed Grams & Sons	135	1218	42	90
Robert Zeeb	111	1164	42	93
Wyrick Bros.	31	1093	42	95
Harry Sanborn	28	1199	41	78
Robert Borton & Sons	49	1184	41	91
Kenneth Thelen	36	1078	41	82
Robert Wilcox	27	1213	40	84
Warren Swanson	26	1103	40	86
George Jorae	28	1060	39	83
Dennis Thelen	66	1059	39	96
Rostan Mehney & Son	25	1030	39	76
Joseph Wing	38	1015	39	100
William Knight	40	965	39	76
Robert Nurenberg	40	1074	38	74
Paul Nobis	66	1007	38	93
Woodard Dunkel	26	1009	36	86
S & H Farms	82	1006	36	90
Ernest Jackson	55	980	36	81
George Hazle	10	873	36	90
Ed DeLamater	33	650	36	81
Darwin Smith & Sons	42	956	35	89
Robert Reese & Son	74	941	35	89
Alex Vitek & Sons	37	918	35	78
Frucht-Helmen	30	987	34	90
A. W. Cobb & Son	41	889	34	86
Darrell Martin	34	944	33	85
Frank Prochazka	24	910	33	77
Leon Miller	35	889	33	80
Duane & Velmar Green	1300	867	33	85
Lynn Fickles	26	678	33	93
Don Swagart	29	952	32	83
Raymond Mayers	83	827	31	90
Peter Kurucz	115	834	30	94
Ron Spitzley	67	806	30	77
James George	29	770	30	64
Carl Burk	30	765	30	88
E. A. Livingston	34	479	29	84

HIGH 305 DAY LACTATION RECORDS FEBRUARY 1969

Owner	Breed	MILK	B' Fat
Robert Zeeb	Holstein	23051	869
Don Witt & Son	Holstein	21248	850
Ed DeLamater	Guernsey	16438	806
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	19543	794
Laweda Farms	Holstein	19985	769
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	19549	747
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	18002	739
William Mayers	Holstein	17676	716
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	19209	707
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	17934	701
Fred Mayers	Holstein	21717	700
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	16989	695
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	18593	688
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	18099	687
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	17525	687
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	16039	687
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	19022	684
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	16774	684
Frank Prochazka	Holstein	19433	677
Don Witt & Son	Holstein	17880	677
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	18300	673
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	20433	670
Robert Borton	Holstein	19389	668
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	18912	661
Rostan Mehney	Holstein	16860	661
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	14909	660
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	16431	658
Francis Motz	Holstein	15883	657
S & H Farms	Holstein	19011	655
Ed DeLamater	Guernsey	14026	655
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	15858	653
Duane & Velmar Green	Holstein	16950	652

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 MF No. 74 316 plow.
 MF No. 46 four row planter 1968 model.

March 17-21

Farmers' Week presents program for all farmers

WEDNESDAY, MAR. 19, Sheep Day

The only Hampshire ram certified in 1968 in this country will be on display. This ram met the standards in growth, muscling and carcass quality.

The sheep exhibit will also feature an electric fence that protects sheep herds from marauding dogs.

At the university's sheep barns, visitors will be able to see current winter management studies, sheep handling facilities and cutting chutes, and the permanent sheep dipping vat. The annual meetings of the Lamb Feeders Association and the Sheep Breeders Association will be held in the morning.

HORTICULTURAL specialists will report on propagating plants, new vegetable varieties, orchids and other exotic plants, and pruning. Research greenhouses will be open to visitors.

The Michigan State University agricultural technology annual alumni meeting will start with a 5 p.m. reception Wednesday.

THURSDAY, MAR. 20, Swine Day

Latest swine production technology will be on display. Exhibits will feature housing, feed handling and processing equipment, waterers, feeders, farrowing stalls, sow feeding stalls, concrete slats, scales and heating and ventilation

Tours to the swine farm will show pigs on test from various Michigan purebred breeders, new farrowing facilities including crates and slotted floors, various winter management trails and herd sires.

IN THE MORNING, a gilt, boar and market hog selection and evaluation will be part of the educational program.

B. G. Perkins, a practical commercial hog grower with a 3,000 hog operation at Prophetstown, Ill., will discuss application of modern technology to a swine enterprise.

AT THE AFTERNOON program, sheep specialists will discuss a sheep production model for maximum nutritional efficiency and sheep production ideas from Australia.

Wednesday's dairy program will include sessions on selections of housing, feed handling, milking and waste disposal systems.

James Crowley, a noted authority on dairy cattle feeding and management will speak on feeding and managing large dairy herds for production and profit at the Michigan Professional Dairy Farmers Association's annual meeting.

What are the returns to dairying, the costs and returns from hired labor? Should I feed non-protein nitrogen, including urea. How can I increase the conception rate in my dairy herd and select a better dairy bull?

How can I make best use of production records?

Dairy specialists will help farmers answer these questions.

A joint session of crop science, entomology, soil science and dairy specialists will discuss how to cope with the alfalfa weevil and meet the alfalfa needs of dairy herds.

Also, soil scientists will discuss fertilizer practices, weed control, the effect of soil type on water available to plants, minimum tillage, and profits from soybeans, field beans and wheat to today's prices.

THE LATEST research in production and harvesting machinery, motor oils and lubricants, turbocharger field problems and harvesting problems will be topics on the agricultural engineering program.

The Wednesday program will cover outlook, legislation and poultry production credit.

Management and production will be the main topics of the beekeeping program.

A "Milk Fashion Show" will feature the latest in fine quality milk fashions and an exhibit of live milk.

Thursday is also Turkey Day and Rabbit Day. Specialists will discuss production and management.

AGRICULTURAL economists will point out how computers can aid farmers in making decisions. Farmers will have an

opportunity to discuss individual problems or questions with professors.

Fruit and vegetable production mechanization will be emphasized at the Thursday agricultural engineering program, of equipment for fruit and vegetable harvesting, ground and air chemical application, cultural practices including irrigation, tillage and planting, produce preservation and storage, and sorting and sizing.

FRIDAY, MAR. 21

Friday's feature will be action exhibits at the Dairy Cattle Research Center. New dairy developments will be on display. There will be several exhibits on milking machines, feed handling, and other management aids to reduce labor requirements. Farmers will be able to discuss management aids to reduce labor.

IN THE AREA of forestry,

Wacousta

Mrs Edward Kraft—627-2030

Wacousta Masonic Lodge No. 359 will hold an F.C. Degree, Thursday, March 13, at 8 p.m. at the temple.

The Spring Creek Circle meets March 13, for a 12:30 luncheon with Mrs Frank Bedaine on Francis Road.

The Willing Workers will hold a 12:30 luncheon March 13, with Mrs Ted Snyder on Pratt Road. The Wacousta Masonic Lodge will hold a public fish supper,

there will be a wood post peeling demonstration and a program on harvesting and use of timber crops.

Farmers' Week ends Friday. On Saturday, the Michigan Nut Growers' Association will meet. Growers will discuss improved methods of growing nuts and minor fruits.

Farmers' wives will find the Farmers' Week women's program interesting, too. Program topics include arts, crafts, clothing, antiques, landscape design and homemaking in the future.

For more details on any of the Farmers' Week program topics, contact the county Cooperative Extension Service office.

March 14, serving family style from 4:30 to 8 p.m.

The WSCS Executive Board will meet on March 17 in the Wacousta United Methodist Church lounge at 1:30 p.m.

The WSCS will hold their annual spring breakfast at 9 a.m. in the Wacousta United Methodist dining room. Susanna Wesley Circle will serve the breakfast. Mrs Ted Snyder will be in charge of the devotions and program.

The neighborhood Society will meet March 20, with Mrs Hazen Crandall on Howe Road, co-hostess is Mildred Barnes and Mrs

Helen Kemp. Mrs Lester Garlock Sr. will have charge of the roll call. Mrs Lewis Babitt will give the devotions, and Mrs Stanley Esple is in charge of the St. Patrick's Day program.

Mr and Mrs Dale Shattuck attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Fred Chase March 9 at the West Lansing Church of Christ.

Lloyd Saxton is a medical patient at St. Lawrence Hospital, Room 345. He has a birthday March 14.

Mr and Mrs Edward Kraft called on Mrs Muri Walker near

Sunfield, March 9.

Mrs Dale Shattuck, Mrs Lewis Babitt, Mrs Robert Dunn and Mrs Jess Parks attended the "Day Apart" at Eagle United Methodist Church March 7.

Mr and Mrs Dale Shattuck attended a birthday luncheon March 9 honoring Mrs Vivian Bloom at Mr and Mrs John Roberts home in Lansing.

March 9 visitors at the Maurice Forward home were Mr and Mrs Matt Stevens of Lansing.

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Protectionism not always in national interest

Reasons for protecting industries from foreign competition may not always be based on national interest, and may be harmful to other domestic industries. George McQueen, Clinton County Extension agricultural agent, lists one of these as the protection of a new industry. "Protecting an infant industry sounds charitable, but it actually may be very impractical," McQueen says. "It requires consumers to pay higher prices for a commodity that could be more efficiently produced. And as long as the protected industry is without competition, there is no pressure to produce its commodity more efficiently."

"Since an industry that has the political power to obtain government protection probably has the power to retain it, high prices and inefficient use of resources might continue indefinitely," he says.

The most important reason for the current protectionist sentiment, McQueen says, is to avoid painful economic adjustment caused by an industry's failure to compete with foreign producers. According to Arthur Mauch, Michigan State University agricultural economist, this is especially true of the agricultural industries.

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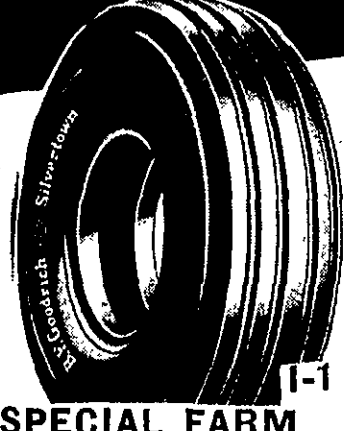
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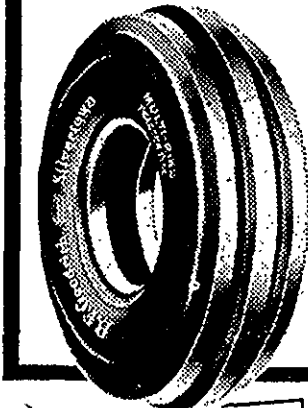
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11 A.M. **SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 1969** 11 A.M.

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A seven room house of furniture and furnishings, good condition and clean. Partial listing includes: near new G.E. bronze elec. stove w/self cleaning oven and upper rotisserie oven, Westinghouse elec. range, Frigidaire elec. refrigerator, 1968 Kenmore automatic washer, Norge elec. dryer, 3 elec. sweepers, small electrical appliances, hot water heater, water softener, 2 bedroom suites, complete with box springs and mattresses, twin beds, complete, hide-a-bed, Jenny Lind bedstead, other bedsteads, living room suite and chairs, gateleg table, end and coffee tables, square dining room table with large buffet, solid walnut drop leaf table, marble top chest, brass hanging lamp, small bookcase, metal cabinets, console T.V., portable T.V., linens, rugs, dishes, glassware, silverware, cooking utensils, cans, numerous other items.

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- 1967 John Deere 4020 diesel tractor w/cab, SN145116
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- International "H" gas tractor, SN35274
- International "F" 20 gas tractor, old but good
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- John Deere 45 SP combine w/12 ft. grain head, Innes bean pickup
- John Deere 5 x 16" semi-mtd. F345 auto. lift plow
- John Deere 4 row cultivator, 3 pt. rear mtd.
- John Deere 2 row cultivator w/mtd. bean puller attach.
- John Deere No. 10 mtd. 7 ft. mower
- John Deere pull type hay conditioner
- John Deere 46A loader w/liquid manure scoop
- John Deere hammer mill w/pipe & dust collector, PTO
- John Deere 12 ft. KBA double disk, 18", on rubber
- John Deere 4 section, 18 ft. drag
- John Deere 3 section drag; John Deere quick coupler
- John Deere 21 ft. trailer sprayer w/booms, nozzle & guns
- New Holland 67 baler, PTO, w/bale kicker with motor
- New Holland side rake, on steel
- Fox chopper w/hay & corn head
- IHC corn planter, 4 row, w/200 lb. fert. hoppers (plastic)
- Gandy mtd. 4 row herbicide applicator
- Oliver 83N picker-sheller, 2 row, PTO, SN63189CD
- New Idea 110 bu. manure spreader, PTO
- New Holland 2 row 818 chopper, PTO, SN6522
- New Holland 12 ft. lime & fertilizer spreader
- A-C no. 60 combine, PTO
- Brillion 12 ft. cultipacker
- 8 ft. deep tillage cultivator
- 40 ft. elevator w/drag 8 ft.
- Kool blower w/70 ft. pipe, PTO
- IHC 3 x 14" mtd. plow
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Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News



New Suits Started

ERNEST E. CARTER
County Clerk

Edwin G. Boettcher and Lenora Boettcher vs Harry G. Isanhart and Theola M. Isanhart, Dale Glazier, Robert Leathers and Lansing Tool and Die Company vs Edwin G. Miller and E.G. Miller Corporation, Terry J. Jenkins and Stephen Jenkins by Next Friend Elizabeth Jenkins vs Russell Adams Kioski.

Douglas E. Candler and Mary Candler vs Fred Searies, Jennie Searies, Jay Morris, Mildred Morris, Eli Davis, Lora Coaley Saebel et al.

Winifred R. Thelen vs William C. Werner.

Rheta's Second Hand Store, Ethel-1, US-27, DeWitt, by Ethel R. Scharizer, P.O. Box 582C, R-1, DeWitt.

E. and M. Distributors of Holiday Magic, 8801 W. Grand River Highway, Grand Ledge, by Earl C. Field and Mary Field, R-1, Eagle.

Marriage Licenses
Richard M. Secord, 20, 203 Solon Road, DeWitt and Ricky Kay Grewitt, 18, 101 Solon Road, DeWitt.

Charles B. Huntington 1, 41, 506 E. McConnell Street, St. Johns and Janet M. Hughes, 22, 113 1/2 East Walker Street, St. Johns.

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 1969
Nora M. Janes, final account. Lloyd Merle Temple, final account.

Isabel A. Oden, final account. Clyde E. Morrill, claims. Albert Korkoske, probate of will.

THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 1969
Maria Garza, claims.

Driving Licenses Revoked in County
(As reported by Secretary of State)

Blagoy Boshoff of 12511 US-27, DeWitt, for unsatisfactory driving record and failure to appear, license revoked; Russell Erwin Edgar of 81 W. Round Lake Road, DeWitt, unsatisfactory driving record and failure to appear, license revoked; Larry Duane Lockwood of 7344 E. Welter Road, Ovid, driving under the influence of liquor, financial responsibility in effect; Terrance Leroy Powell of 8720 DeWitt Road, DeWitt, unsatisfactory driving record; James Edwin Palmer, of 415 Prospect Street,

Ovid, unsatisfactory driving record; Franklin Jasper Rus of 1307 E. Marshall Road, St. Johns, negligent homicide, financial responsibility in effect; Richard Stewart Salters of 810 W. Park Avenue, St. Johns, for unsatisfactory driving record on a probationary license; Richard Marshall Secord of 203 Solon Road DeWitt, unsatisfactory driving record on a probationary license and failure to appear, license revoked;

Janice Marie Brooks of 205 W. Buchanan, St. Johns, unsatisfactory driving record on a probationary license; Robert Herman Harr of R-2, Price Road, Fowler, unsatisfactory driving record on a probationary license; Roger Lee Kaminski of 13795 Main Street, Westphalia, unsatisfactory driving record on a probationary license; Michael Gene Mable of 204 N. Mead Street, St. Johns, unsatisfactory driving record on a probationary license; Terrance Leroy Powell of 8720 DeWitt Road, DeWitt, leaving the scene of an accident, financial responsibility in effect.

County Building Permits
March 3: Oliver Jorae, R-3, St. Johns, addition to dwelling.

March 3: Clinton National Bank and Trust Company, Lansing, bank.

March 5: Fedewa Builders, Inc. Church Road, dwelling and garage.

March 5: Edward D. Fuhr, Francis Road, living and attached garage.

March 6: Robert Ballard, 14143 Turner Road, DeWitt addition to existing dwelling.

March 10: Nikodemus Krupke, 6495 N. Grad River, Lansing, unattached garage.

March 11: Therian Brothers Builders, R - 3, Grand Ledge, dwelling and garage.

March 11: Mauer and Parks Well Drillers, 4700 N.E. Street, Lansing addition of office.

March 7: Jim Sloot, RFD, Ovid dwelling and garage.

Real Estate Transfers
(From records in office of Register of Deeds)

March 5: Anna Josephine, Mildred, and Donald Bolchot to Leon L. and Betty Carter, property in Dondale Subdivision.

March 6: Thomas K. and Gladys Ryan to John V. and Ruth A. Volstein, property in Bath twp.

March 6: Lake Victoria Land Company to Kenneth A. and Barbara A. Cook, property in Royal Shores.

March 6: John V. and Ruth Ann Volstein to Rodney and Jean M. Webb, property in Ballantines We Farms.

March 7: Marie L. Holmes to Gilbert and Nancy D. Salazar, property in DeWitt twp.

March 7: O.C. Sr. and Sue M. Esterline to Calvin D. and

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Carolyn Rizor, property in Barrett Shores.

March 7: Jerome J. and Genevieve Thelen to Luke R. Thelen, property in Dallas twp.

March 10: Arthur, Anthony and Eunice Wirth to Michael J. and Monica Noeker, property in Westphalia twp.

March 10: Rose M. Rademacher to Rose M. Rademacher et al, property in Dallas twp.

March 10: Clifford and Smith Construction Company to Richard C. and Gladys Claucherty, property in Chapel Hills.

March 10: Donna Wooley to James I. and Robert L. Wooley, property in Duplain twp.

March 11: Francis C. and Flora Hall to John M. and Betty Schwark, property in Duplain twp.

March 11: Andrew M. and Joan Kuhnmuensch to Merlyn D. and Florence Wilkie, property in St. Johns.

March 11: Merlyn D. and Florence Wilkie to Roy F. Briggs, property in St. Johns.

March 11: Jerome J. and Roma Williams to Robert E. and Patricia Thompson, property in St. Johns.

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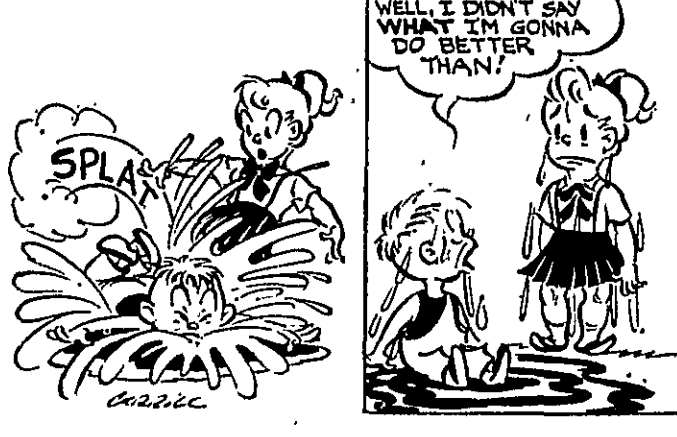
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By Les Carroll



Final Account Oden-Deceased STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Isabel A. Oden, Deceased. It is ordered that on Wednesday, March 26, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Charles Jorgensen, Plaintiff, for allowance of his final account and assignment of residue.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: February 24, 1969.
Louis E. Wirbel
Attorney for Administrator
200 S. Bridge St.
Grand Ledge, Michigan, 45-3

Final Account Cheeny-April 9 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Albert Edmond Cheeny, Deceased. It is ordered that on April 9, 1969, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan, a hearing be held on the petition of Elizabeth J. Cheeny, executrix, for allowance of her final account and assignment of residue and for determination of heirs.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: March 3, 1969.
Leon X. C. Ludwig,
Attorney for Estate
100 North Clinton Avenue
St. Johns, Michigan 46-3

Claims Fox-June 11 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Harold A. Fox, Deceased. It is ordered that on Wednesday, June 11, 1969, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Elizabeth J. Cheeny, executrix, for allowance of her final account.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: March 3, 1969.
Robert H. Wood,
Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker
St. Johns, Michigan 46-3

Final Account Clark-April 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Lawrence G. Clark, Deceased. It is ordered that on Thursday, April 17, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Frank L. Clark, executor, for the allowance of his final account.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: March 12, 1969.
Harold B. Reed
Attorney for said Estate
305 East State Street
St. Johns, Michigan 47-3

Claims Redman-June 12 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

REX B. REDMAN, Deceased. It is ordered that on Thursday, June 12th, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Irene Redman, Executrix, of RFD No. 2, St. Johns, Michigan 48979 prior to said hearing.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: March 10, 1969.
S. DeWitt Rathbun
Attorney for Estate
12889 Upton Road
Ruth, Michigan 47-3

Final Account Wilkins-April 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Gene W. Wilkins, Deceased. It is ordered that on April 17, 1969, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Gene W. Wilkins, administrator, for allowance of his final account.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: March 10, 1969.
Walter A. Dupuis
Portland, Michigan 47-3

Claims Koenigsnecht-June 11 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

MARGARET KOENIGSNECHT, Deceased. It is ordered that on Wednesday, June 11, 1969, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Leo J. Koenigsnecht, R. F. D. - 1, Fowler, Michigan, the Executrix, prior to said hearing.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: March 7, 1969.
Robert H. Wood, Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker
St. Johns, Michigan 46-3

igan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Edmund J. Huguel, 2473 Haslett Road, E. Lansing, Michigan, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: February 27, 1969.
Walker & Moore, By:
Jack Walker, Attorney for Administrator W.W.A. Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan. 45-3

Final Account TEMPLE-M.I. STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

LLOYD MERLE TEMPLE, M.I. It is ordered that on March 26, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Stanley Lutzak, guardian, for allowance of his final account, for assignment of residue and discharge of guardian.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: February 26, 1969.
William C. Kemper,
Attorney for Plaintiff
100 North Clinton Avenue
St. Johns, Michigan. 45-3

Sale BACON-Deceased STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

FIRM MARGUERITE BACON, Deceased. It is ordered that on Wednesday, April 9, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of William T. Bacon for license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate.
Dated: February 26, 1969.
Walker & Moore, By:
James A. Moore
Attorney for Administrator
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan. 45-3

ORDER TO ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN-In the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.

RAYMOND O. COOK, Plaintiff vs. BONITA A. COOK, Defendant. On the 21st day of February, 1969, an action was filed by Raymond O. Cook, plaintiff, against Bonita A. Cook, defendant, in this Court to secure a divorce.

It is hereby ordered that the defendant, Bonita A. Cook, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 23rd day of August, 1969. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

LEO W. CORKIN
Circuit Judge.
Date of Order: February 21, 1969.
Walker & Moore,
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 45-3

ORDER TO ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN-Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.

CHARLES ELLSWORTH SEVARN, Plaintiff vs. ALMA FAY SEVARN, Defendant. On December 12, 1968, an action was filed by Charles Ellsworth Sevarn, Plaintiff, against Alma Fay Sevarn, Defendant, in this Court to secure a Judgment of Divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, Alma Fay Sevarn, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 23rd day of August, 1969. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

LEO W. CORKIN
Circuit Judge.
Date of Order: February 21, 1969.
Walker & Moore,
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 44-1

ORDER TO ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN-Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.

CHARLES ELLSWORTH SEVARN, Plaintiff vs. ALMA FAY SEVARN, Defendant. On December 12, 1968, an action was filed by Charles Ellsworth Sevarn, Plaintiff, against Alma Fay Sevarn, Defendant, in this Court to secure a Judgment of Divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, Alma Fay Sevarn, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 23rd day of August, 1969. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

LEO W. CORKIN
Circuit Judge.
Date of Order: February 21, 1969.
Walker & Moore,
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 44-1

ORDER TO ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN-Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.

CHARLES ELLSWORTH SEVARN, Plaintiff vs. ALMA FAY SEVARN, Defendant. On December 12, 1968, an action was filed by Charles Ellsworth Sevarn, Plaintiff, against Alma Fay Sevarn, Defendant, in this Court to secure a Judgment of Divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, Alma Fay Sevarn, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 23rd day of August, 1969. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

LEO W. CORKIN
Circuit Judge.
Date of Order: February 21, 1969.
Walker & Moore,
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 44-1

ORDER TO ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN-Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.

CHARLES ELLSWORTH SEVARN, Plaintiff vs. ALMA FAY SEVARN, Defendant. On December 12, 1968, an action was filed by Charles Ellsworth Sevarn, Plaintiff, against Alma Fay Sevarn, Defendant, in this Court to secure a Judgment of Divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, Alma Fay Sevarn, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 23rd day of August, 1969. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by Default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

LEO W. CORKIN
Circuit Judge.
Date of Order: February 21, 1969.
Walker & Moore,
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 44-1

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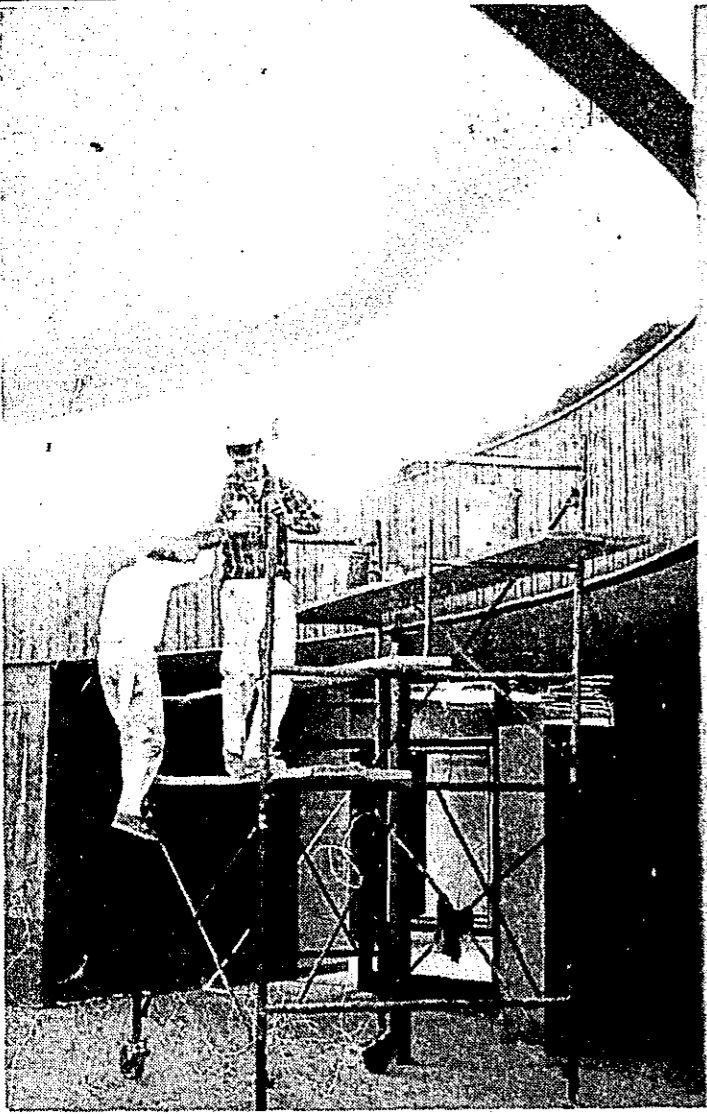
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PAINTING IN THE LIBRARY

Painters take a break from trim-work in the circular library at the new St. Johns High School. Construction of the \$3.6 million building is on schedule and is expected to be finished by June.

NEWS WANT ADS CAN SELL ANYTHING

MICHIGAN MIRROR

Doctor shortage

By ELMER E. WHITE



A Michigan State University economist says that even immediate expansion of all Michigan medical schools wouldn't provide enough doctors by 1980 to keep pace with the state's present inadequate number of physicians.

Even immediate expansion of all of Michigan's medical schools would not produce that number of doctors by then, he said, adding that the state relies heavily on foreign manpower for its supply of physicians.

It has been estimated that 4.3 per cent of all Michigan medical doctors graduate from foreign medical schools, he said.

RIOT - CONTROL legislation much weaker than that vetoed by former Gov. George W. Romney last year was passed by the state Senate.

The measure would authorize local officials to declare a state of emergency when a riot appears imminent and the governor is out of the state.

It now goes to the House, where Democratic leaders have vowed to kill it. The Democrats hold a 57-53 edge in the lower chamber.

Senate passage came after Gov. William G. Milliken lifted his objection to the bill. But the governor had insisted on the provision giving him complete authority over riot prevention when he's in Michigan.

FALSE ALARM, that's what a state Supreme Court justice says State Natural Resources Director

Ralph A. MacMullan sounded recently about the celebrated Martiny Lakes decision.

Justice Eugene F. Black of Port Huron says that contrary to

MacMullan's statements, the court did not close 95 per cent of Michigan's salmon and trout streams to public fishing.

"Martiny decided no new public right, and no new private right in any stream," said Black, who authored the opinion that triggered the furor.

Concern stemmed from the court's definition of a navigable stream open to public fishing in a case involving state efforts to manage the water level of a lake created by the Martiny Lake Dam in Mecosta County.

MacMullan had said the ruling threw out the old criteria that a navigable stream was any body of water that could float logs. He called for and got legislation before the Senate and House to broaden the definition.

Black said if MacMullan was right, then "all of the participating justices, except for the dissenter, should be impeached as an immediate first order of legislative business . . . such is my complete confidence in the fact that you are dead wrong."

MacMullan was "grateful" Black issued his statement and conceded his fears were unfounded.

"Justice Black has cleared the air and at the same time reassured the hundreds of thousands of fishermen, boaters and other recreationists who enjoy the use of our inland waterways," MacMullan said.

Alward-Plowman District

By Bernice Wohlfert

Mrs Wauvita Hardman, a patient at Carson City Hospital in the extended care unit, is improving satisfactorily.

Recent callers of Mrs Lottie Martzke were Celon Martzke and Mr and Mrs Theodore Martzke.

Mr and Mrs Glenn Smith and children were March 8 supper guests of Mr and Mrs Lyle Smith. Recent callers of the Smiths were Mr and Mrs Rollan Smith and girls, and Mr and Mrs Jerry Smith and boys.

Recent callers of Mr and Mrs Walter March were Mrs Clifton Darnell and Mrs Laura Kirtpatrick. Mr and Mrs Raymond Baines were supper guests on March 7.

Guests March 8 of Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlfert were Mr and Mrs Keith Wohlfert and children.

Mrs Newell Huguett and Mrs Walter March called on Mrs Lottie Martzke one afternoon during the week.

March 8 dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Alfred Wickerham and Roger were Mr and Mrs Oliver Montague, Mr and Mrs Lewis Silm, Mr and Mrs Alvin Pung, Mr and Mrs Harold Plowman, Mr and Mrs Lewis Jastram and Mr and Mrs Russell Morrison and Wayne Morrison. March 9 dinner guests of the Wickerhams were Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlfert, who later called on Mr and Mrs R. L. Wright and Diane.

Mr and Mrs Dale Huguett and daughters entertained Mr and Mrs Newell Huguett, Lyle Huguett and Mr and Mrs Walter

ASCS REPORT Farm program signup progress reported

By WILLIAM SMITH



A total of 1,316 farmers in Clinton County have signed up through March 5, to take part in the 1969 feed grain and wheat programs.

Feed grain producers have signed up a total of 1,095 feed grain farms, which represents 20,282 acres of the county's 78,775 total corn, sorghum, and barley base acreage.

Wheat producers in our county have signed up 1,214 wheat farms.

Basically both programs are similar to last year and both are designed to reduce costly surpluses of feed grains and wheat and to maintain farm income. Participation in either program is voluntary; farmers can either participate in the programs or stay out and it is up to each farmer to decide.

The 1969 feed grain program is the same as last year with one exception—barley is now considered a feed grain. The program is again voluntary. A farmer can take part or not as he chooses. To participate, producers need to sign an application, reduce their feed grain acreage

March at a birthday dinner March 9 honoring Irene on her birthday. The Riley and Oliver Aid will meet on Thursday, March 27, weather permitting, at the home of Mrs Jack Wohlfert on Airport Road. A polluck dinner will be held at noon.

Bobby, Lisa, Laurie and Barry Voisinnet were weekend guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Voisinnet, Debbie and Paul Cowles.

by a minimum of 20 per cent and put this acreage to a conserving use. No diversion payment is made for this minimum except for a farm with a base of 25 acres or less. Benefits to those who sign and comply include price support loans and payments and also diversion payments if diverting acreage over the minimum.

The 1969 Wheat Program offers producers the opportunity to earn diversion payments by planting less than the farm allotment. In addition, the program

offers price protection on their wheat through the availability of a loan—\$1.25 per bushel national average—plus marketing certificate on the production of 43 per cent of the farm allotment. The value of the certificates won't be known until July 1 but probably will be about the same as last year's value of \$1.38 per bushel. Remember, March 21, 1969, is the last date to sign up.

March 7, 1969
Phone: 224-3720
WILLIAM M. SMITH

NOTICE CITY OF DeWITT BOARD OF REVIEW

The board of review will meet on March 24 to examine and review the assessment roll of the city.

Persons wishing to appear before the board may do so on Monday, March 24 from 8 a. m. to 12 p. m. and 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

DOROTHY KECK
DeWitt City Clerk

East Victor

By Mrs Ray Ketchum

ENTERTAINS PEDRO CLUB

Mr and Mrs Ray Ketchum entertained their Pedro Club on March 8 with four tables in play. High prizes went to Randy Strouse and Oscar Hell and low to Loretta Scott and Gerald Barrett.

Mr and Mrs Norman Carr and family of rural Owosso were March 9 visitors of Mr and Mrs Donald Strouse and sons.

Mr and Mrs Jesse Perkins accompanied their daughter and

son-in-law Mr and Mrs Herbert Bishop on a long ride March 9.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Barrett called on Mr and Mrs Dennis Morrill of Laingsburg. They are now living in their new home.

Mrs Bernice Schafer and Gary of DeWitt were March 9 dinner guests of her sister Mr and Mrs Ray Ketchum. Afternoon callers were Mr and Mrs Warren Maki and Kimberly of Holt, Mr and Mrs Nelson Ketchum and sons of Wacousta, Mrs Rayola Lane and Cindy and Mrs Patricia Higgins.

Some take desperate chances because they've nothing to lose.

Advertisement for Old World Paneling Sweepstakes. Includes text: 'OLD WORLD PANELING SWEEPSTAKES', 'WIN A TRIP TO THE OLD WORLD', 'Look for this kiosk display w/entry blanks.', 'Over 2,000 prizes.', 'No purchase necessary.', 'Void where prohibited by law.', 'ENTER HERE.', 'Come in and see our complete paneling selection.', 'CENTRAL MICHIGAN LUMBER', '407 N. Clinton ST. JOHNS Phone 224-2358'.

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Construction Foreman,
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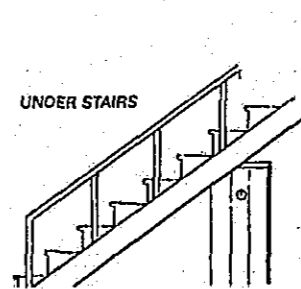
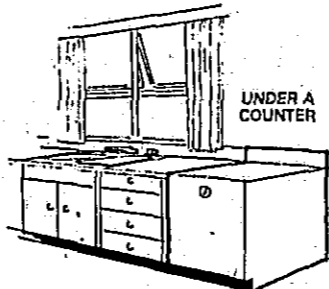
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Clinton County News

Editorial Page

Wednesday, March 19, 1969

Real gentlemen

A letter to the editor this week commends the St. Johns Redwings basketball team for their fine season, their championship and for their gentlemanly behavior. We'll buy that.

It has been our pleasure to know many of the players through activities other than athletics, and in all cases their behavior has earned our respect. Their handling of themselves during athletic events and in front of an audience is only a small measure of the high caliber of students and gentlemen they are.

... For which we tip our hats, too, to their parents, teachers and coaches.

The reflections on the St. Johns players by no means takes anything away from the athletes at other schools in the county. During the past football and basketball seasons we have watched every team play at least a couple of times and in no case did we see an instance where the heat of competition displaced gentlemanly behavior.

It's been a good year for some teams and a bad year for others. It's been an enjoyable year of athletics to watch, with the gentlemanly attitude of the lads on the court taking some of the sting out of defeat.

Farmers want out

Untold billions of dollars have been spent over the years in an effort to "help the farmer." Far from being helped, the farmer is faced with ever-mounting costs of operation on the one hand, and a mountain of red tape and restrictions on the other. Hopefully the end of this bureaucratic nightmare may be in sight.

The largest farm organization in the nation, representing about 1.8 million families, has gone on record in favor of dismantling government farm programs and replacing them with devices to help successful farmers move gradually into a market-oriented economy free of federal controls and payments.

Charles B. Shuman, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, believes "The general public is finally beginning to recognize that a government-planned agriculture is a costly exercise in futility." Farmers have had a longer experience with government planning and subsidies than any other group in the country. The significance of their wish to be freed of massive government intervention in their affairs should not be lost on those who have more recently entered into "partnership" with Uncle Sam.



THEY MADE CHAIRS BACK AT TURN OF CENTURY

George Perry of 1420 Clark Road, R-4, Lansing, contributed this picture of himself (at extreme upper left) and co-workers at the Grand Ledge Chair Co. on Sept. 6, 1906. He said he was 18 years old when the picture was taken. The plant was formerly located near the bridge in Grand Ledge.

'IF IT FITZ ...'

Please pass the yak

By JIM FITZGERALD



Before the waitress arrived with the menus, my wife and kids had already decided to order the specialty of the house—hotdogs. Not me.

"I think I will have flaming filet of yak, Peking style," I said.

"Here he goes again," said my son.

"Dull men don't get heartburn," I said. "I am a swinger and I want heartburn."

"You don't even know what a yak is," my wife said. "How do you know it will give you heartburn?"

"The yak is the long haired wild ox of Tibet. I looked it up in my Funk and Wagnalls," I said. "And the Alka Seltzer man on TV guarantees that yak will give me a sophisticated burp."

"What is a sophisticated burp?" asked my daughter.

"That is the type burp that you burp into your clenched fist, pursing your lips gently against the circle made when

your index finger is curled against your thumb. You then put your fist into your pocket and unclench it. The unpleasant sound does not escape until you hang up your trousers that night," I explained.

"What if you don't have a pocket?" asked my daughter.

"Use your purse," I said.

The waitress came then and I fell to thinking while she returned to the kitchen to see if they had any yak. I pondered the marvelous possibilities newly uncovered by this Alka Seltzer commercial which says: "It is better to have lived and had heartburn than to not have lived at all."

Beautiful. This is a completely new approach to huckstering. For years the medicine peddlers have been telling us how to stop headaches, relieve acid indigestion, erase soreness, cure aches and keep regular. Never have they said, "Go ahead, get drunk. It's fashionable. All the movie stars

do it. And Mother Martha's Morning-After Spray Mist will kill your hangover pleasantly anyway."

The Alka Seltzer commercial shows the way. There is this incredibly handsome man, see. All the women give him hot eyes when he swaggers into this restaurant and fills his pretty face with filet of yak, Peking style. He says he ordered yak because it was there, and he'd never had any. Adventure. You just know he is going to climb a mountain on the way home.

The yak gives him heartburn but so what? The women keep panting while he plunks two Alka Seltzers into a glass and glugs his misery away. I knew he was an unusual fellow when I saw him get two Alka Seltzers out of their tinfoil packet without crumpling them. It takes a good man to do that. Also, he

had to wait only half as long as mortal man for the Alka Seltzer to disintegrate in the water.

The next step is for crutch manufacturers to encourage little old ladies to go skiing with the jet set. "No-Limp Crutches have non-skid tips, padded armpit rests, and built-in TV. So why worry about breaking a leg? Jackie Onassis doesn't."

The ultimate is obvious: "Jump out of a plane. All the best people are doing it. So what if you don't have a parachute? You should see our gravestones..."

The waitress returned to say they had no yak.

"Ok," I said, "give me a hotdog and stab me with a fork. I want to use the Bandaid the astronauts use."

Onward and Upward.

Towel trouble

There's many minor irritants We discover along the way, As we proceed to travel The route from day to day. 'N one that rates some comment Causes us to holler "foul," Is to freshen up our face and hands - Then find there is no towel.

Now I know there's greater hardships In all the mad world's race, And anything so sanguine Can hardly rate first place; But for the moment I'm inclined To let slip some naughty wovel As I stand there all dripping wet, Without a trace of towel.

The course of time and progress Varies truly hour by hour, And I refuse to worry That I hold no greater power; But folks who wish me for a guest That's never known to growl, Be it paper, cotton, linen - Will provide me with a towel.

W.E.D.

TAKING FIVE

Blanket attitude harmful

By RON HUARD



Reports from across the nation reveal that Americans are bowing their necks against local increased millage levies and whether proposals are for schools, public buildings or road improvements, supporting observers' optimism is dimmed by the growing trend.

School districts, especially, have come under a barrage of vetoes and this in itself seems to represent a complete reversal of traditional American ideals. Many districts which have attained recognition for high scholastic and progressive attitudes find themselves in a position of increasing demands but with insufficient means and support to effectively meet responsibilities.

This sudden reversal, be it against schools or other public supported ventures, cannot be said to represent a true reflection of conservatism because economic figures clearly substantiate the fact that Americans are spending more than ever before and much of this spending is outside the realm of items which are generally considered to be necessities.

Rather, the trend is one which mutely suggests that taxation has reached a saturation point.

This may be so, but it is sad to see such reaction by voters directed at the dire needs of local governments. For years voters stood idly by while vast expense programs were designed and implemented for purposes of rebuilding cities, altering courses of rivers, subsidizing socially oriented programs and numerous domestic and foreign projects. There were murmurs, to be sure, but generally voters failed to relate with the growing tax supported expenses and only time could bring about awareness. The impact is now well felt and, unfortunately for many communities, the "nays" have come into their own.

But the objections are too late and misdirected. Federal financing has come to be an accepted practice, but the harvest can be reaped only by those taking advantage of the various programs. A vast majority of communities receive little federal aid yet so much of the citizens' tax money is

leaving their locality that community projects requiring taxes are looked upon with scorn and any proposal hinting of a millage change is probably doomed before the ink on the ballot is dried.

Ideally, the perfect solution is to begin a campaign for more local support and to encourage a cautious attitude toward outside requests, but even then the element of time will take its course and direct effects would be unfelt for some time. Realistically, we should develop an attitude of selectiveness wherein tax expenditures would be voted on in the same "mind on money" manner that family purchases should be made.

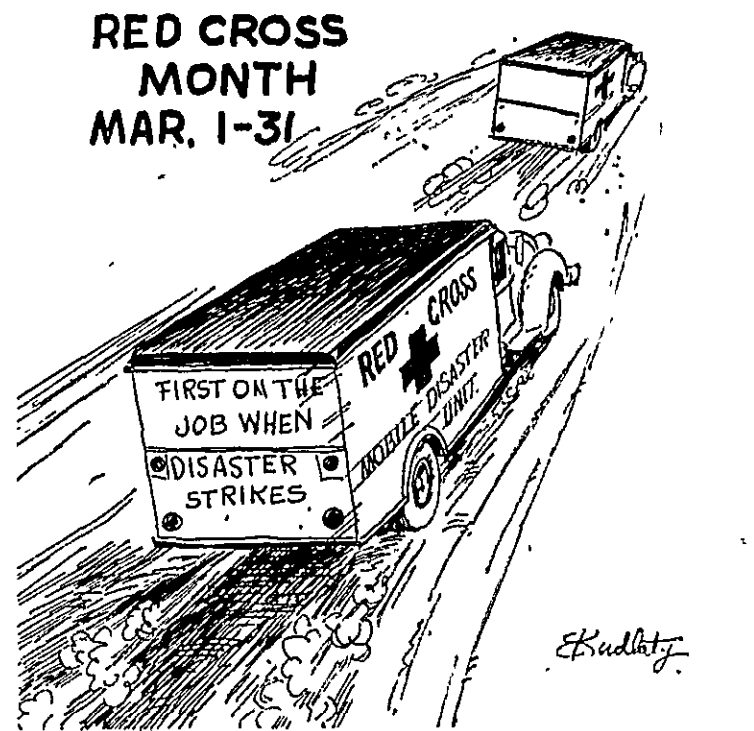
There is little doubt that taxes, indeed, have reached most demanding proportions but a blanket attitude of opposition can nurture irreparable harm.

-RAH

Get Involved Through the Red Cross



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Back Thru the Years

Interesting Items from the Files of the Clinton County News

10 YEARS AGO (March 19, 1959)

Three from Clinton County were named Top Young Farmers. They were among 24 nominees from throughout Michigan who are being considered for the Michigan Outstanding Young Farmer Award.

Nominated for the award from the Clinton County area were Robert Moore and Glenn Williams, both of rural Elsie, and David Morris of rural Grand Ledge.

Discontinuance of the two Grand Trunk Western passenger train runs between Durand and Muskegon was ordered Monday by the state public service commission, effective May 1.

25 YEARS AGO (March 16, 1944)

Miss May Rohr handed in her resignation as superintendent of nurses at Clinton Memorial Hospital, effective as of March 15. At the regular monthly meeting held Monday at the hospital, Mrs. Muriel Gilson was appointed acting superintendent. She is widely and favorably known.

This is not a fish story. Moreover, Officer Reed Hall did not tell it. A certain state trooper did for he thought it too good to keep. A big car came whizzing up the curve just north of the railroad bridge. Officer Hall noted the excessive speed and followed it through town. Hall stopped it. "Going pretty fast weren't you?" Hall suggested. The driver admitted it. "Drive back through town or take a ticket," Hall said.

"What shall I do?" asked the driver to an older man beside him.

"Do as the officer says," ordered the boss.

They did. When they had completed the round trip Officer Hall stopped them and said "That's better. Try and drive that way after this."

The driver then said, "Reed, I guess you've forgotten me, I'm Sergeant Oakes of the State Police and this is Commissioner Olander with me." Officer Hall gulped. Olander commented "Nice work officer. We had it coming."

50 YEARS AGO (March 20, 1919)

The mild weather will mean more or less an ice famine in St. Johns the coming summer unless arrangements can be made for securing artificial ice. Pardee and Schoenhals, proprietors of the Spring-Brook Ice Co., estimate that they have a supply that will run until June 1.

The women held most of the places on the citizens' ticket at the Eagle Village election but the horrid men captured the offices at the election on the peoples' ticket.

A dispatch from Battle Creek March 19 said:

Another military ceremonial in connection with the awarding of the distinguished service cross is soon to be held at Camp Custer, Cpl. Matt Stevens, Co. E, 125th Infantry, being given decoration for heroism in action. Stevens' home is in Wacousta, and his wife and mother live in St. Johns.

RAMBLIN' WITH RINK

It's all over

By LOWELL G. RINKER



Last Wednesday night when I came home from the Ovid-Elsie basketball game with Holt, the good wife cautiously asked what the score had been. I told her that Ovid-Elsie had lost.

She leaped out of her chair, cheering, and did a little jig around the room.

Least you O-E fans get the wrong idea about my wife, I should explain that she was not happy that the Marauders had lost, it's just that she was elated the basketball season was finally over. And I felt pretty much the same way.

For about six months she has been a Friday night widow, forced to stay home alone with the daughter while her loving husband was gallivanting around the county "working" at football and basketball games. Now that the night athletics season is over, I'll be home on Friday nights again.

That's what she was cheering about.

It has been a long year. I'm glad it's over, too. Even if I hadn't been "covering" the games for the paper, I would have gone to a lot of them just because I like football and basketball. But it wouldn't have become a Friday night ritual.

Covering the teams of the Clinton area has been both satisfying and exciting and even sometimes frustrating. Our high school darkroom technician, Ed Cheeney, took pictures at all the St. Johns games this year and that freed me to travel around the county and take in a game or two every night.

The frustrating part was in picking the best game to go to. We were successful in providing photo coverage of each team in our area at least twice, and sometimes more, during the basketball year, but our prime concern every week was

in picking the game which we thought would be not only the most exciting but the most important. Many times we were right.

Many times we were wrong. On a couple of occasions, we debated on which of two games in the county to cover on a Friday night. The one we chose turned out to be a lop-sided contest, while the one we decided against was one of those finger-malibiters.

There were a couple of occasions when we were able to get to two different games in one night. This always depends on the distance between the two schools and the starting times of the two games. During the football season it is easier to do, and we covered both homecoming games at Bath High School and Pewamo-Westphalia High School the same night. We had a little help by having the Bath game start a half-hour earlier than the other. I was able to get pictures of the queens at halftime at Bath and still get over to P-W for the entire second half of their game.

Sometimes these efforts at hitting two games in one night don't work out. I was going to try a game at Bath and another at Fowler on the same night during the basketball season. When I got to Bath everybody was leaving; that's when they had the power failure and had to postpone the game. I drove through DeWitt, hoping to catch the Panthers at home, but they were playing away. So when I got to Fowler, I had just the one game as a result of a lot of driving around.

It's been an interesting year. I've seen a lot of good games and a lot of good people by getting around the county. By next football season my wife will have gotten tired of me hanging around the house every

Friday night and will be willing to give me a pass and I'll be back on the county football trail.

Right now, though, the prospects of Friday nights at home makes me real happy. And once again I can watch "Wild, Wild West."

-Rink



They fly our flag

Mr and Mrs Dick W. De-groot of 411 W. Cass Street, St. Johns, fly the flag regularly at their home.

Letters to the editor . . .

He defends protestors of Viet war

Dear Editor:

It seems that one of the favorite statements going around the community is "We should be killing off these demonstrators, not the Vietnamese."

In the many times that I have heard this statement, I find it has been said by a person who is completely ignorant about the United States' roll in the Viet Nam crisis. After the death of some of Clinton County's own young men in the undeclared war in Viet Nam, it seems that the people would at least open their eyes and point their convicting finger at the right source of the trouble.

I am no expert on the Viet Nam crisis, but at least I'm not avoiding the disappointing facts. We entered into Viet Nam during the 1950's when the Vietnamese successfully defeated the French forces at the battle of Dien Bien Phu. Then the United States moved in. We weren't asked by the Vietnamese; we did it of our own accord. Then in 1956, when the elections in Viet Nam were to be held, the United States moved in troops and prevented the people from voting.

This was done because it was apparent that Ho Chi Minh would win the election, and the United States didn't want him, but the Vietnamese people did. By stopping these elections, we prevented the people's own choice. A direct violation of our constitution. To top that off, the United States was directly involved in the committee that

made plans for the election in the first place. Aren't treaties supposed to be respected?

In the Preamble to our Constitution, there are the words, "Life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness." These are three important statements. Right? Well.

1.) Do you think that it is a young man's goal in life to end up in a rice paddy fighting for his life? (Pursuit of Happiness)

2.) Does a young man have much freedom when he has no choice about going into the armed forces. (Liberty)

3.) Does the government have the right to sacrifice an average of 156 Americans each week, and make many more kill when they don't believe in it? (Life)

From the above paragraphs it is very plain that the United States deprives young men of the very ideological goals to which this country was set up upon.

And you condemn youth for demonstrating? We're not afraid to show you how we feel. If everyone would join together, we could stop this massacre. Or are you afraid that society will kick you out of its conformative rat race?

TOM CARMACK

Redwings win praise as team, as gentlemen

Dear Editor,

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the St. Johns Redwing basketball team on their West Central Conference championship and a great year of basketball.

Sometimes a player's fine accomplishments on the basketball

court will be overshadowed by misconduct off the court, but these young men have always been gentlemen both off and on the court. They are a credit to their school, their community and their families.

We are very proud to know and to have watched them all season. Thank you, Redwings, for a great season.

MR AND MRS KOENIGSKNECHT

Witchells enjoy Florida's flowers and fun

Dear Editor,

This is just a greeting from the sunny south which this winter has hardly lived up to its reputation. We have had so much rainy, windy and cool weather. Still no ice or snow and only frost here.

However, it has been a most interesting, busy and enjoyable winter even without much beach weather.

Many friends and relatives near us have contributed to our enjoyment. Among them two sisters and their husbands, the Abbot Nelsons of Bath and the Francis Randalls of Lansing. Some of our interesting activities have been picking oranges, beach walking (no swimming), helping with clinics and transportation

at a migrant day care center, taking Spanish lessons and square dancing. Also activities in the Trinity Methodist Church.

At present we have roses, lilies and a beautiful azalea bush all in blossom in the yard, despite the cool weather.

We would like to greet our two sons and their families, Neil Harte of St. Johns and David Harte of Bath, and our granddaughter and her husband, Gail and Charles Wadell of Elsie.

We enjoy so much getting the paper once a week; it is like a visit with our friends and neighbors in Clinton County. We especially like your editorial on "John Q" in the last paper. Thank you for speaking for so many of us.

Sincerely,
FLORENCE and ROSCOE WITCHELL



LYLE FRENCH RECEIVES THANKS

Officer Lyle French of the St. Johns Police Force was presented a scrapbook by second graders Janet Doyle and Russell Munro, members of Mrs. John Hopko's class at St. Joseph School. The class has been studying safety and Officer French discussed several areas of the program with the children. A question and answer period followed. Each member of the class made a large picture for the book illustrating the many jobs a policeman performs.

BEER—toast to America's economy

The brewing industry is a massive and dynamic part of the national economy. Each year it pours billions of dollars into commerce and government.

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NEWS WANT ADS
Do the Trick Quick

From the state house

By DICK ALLEN
88th District Representative

The House has voted to eliminate the one dollar fee insured motorists have had to pay to the Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Fund. I think this will be an extremely popular move.

The fund as of Jan. 15 had accumulated about \$28 million, much more than enough to handle claims in process and those anticipated in the near future. Many responsible fully-insured drivers have resented paying a fee, even though small, to protect themselves against irresponsible drivers.

So, convinced that public sentiment favored the fee elimination, did I vote for the bill? Well, no. Not only that, by writing this article about my no vote I am breaking another political rule. When you vote against public sentiment it is supposed to be smartest to keep quiet about it. Most people don't look up the record.

But I think a little discussion will illustrate the difficulty of determining a person's viewpoint by reading how he voted.

It is unfair to charge insured motorists for this fund because the protection you receive is practically nil. The amount you could draw from the fund, if injured by an uninsured driver, are ridiculously low.

THE LIMIT ONE person could draw, even if injured so severely he could never return to work, is \$10,000. In many cases this would not even begin to pay the

hospital and medical bills. The limit on the entire number injured in one accident is \$20,000. So if there are more than two it would be less than \$10,000 apiece.

With limits so low most of us carry private insurance to protect ourselves against irresponsible drivers. Is this cheap because some of the liability would be covered by the state fund? No, because the law requires that your insurance pay to the complete limits of its coverage before anything can be drawn from the state fund.

No wonder the fund is building up. The amounts it will pay are very limited and the conditions under which it will pay are practically non-existent!

I feel there is one great danger in the fund as it now exists. Some people, knowing we have such a fund and putting their faith in the State of Michigan, may neglect to buy private coverage. Then if severely injured, they will discover these limits and in some cases be forced to live out their lives on inadequate and insulting public welfare.

I think there are only two proper solutions to the problem—elimination of the program or extension of the coverage. Elimination of the one dollar fee probably spells the long term death of the Uninsured Motorist Fund. In the meantime, given the choice of putting your faith in the State of Michigan or a private insurance company—stick with the insurance company.

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Mr and Mrs. Raymond Lancelos
request the honor of your presence
at the marriage of their daughter
Bonnie Dean
to
Mr. Donald Lee Wylie
on Saturday, the twenty-third of December
nineteen hundred and sixty-seven
at ten o'clock
Sacred Heart Church
Port Barre, Louisiana

Clinton County News

Test Drive
FORD

THE HOTTEST
Going Thing
at

EGAN FORD SALES
200 W. Higham St. Johns

HOURS: 9 to 9
Daily
10 to 6
Sunday



AT



SERVICED BY
Super Foods
St. Johns
ANDY'S
Ithaca

...SHOP THE UNBEATABLES

WITH IGA **WINNING PRICES**



Round Steak

Tablerite
FULL CUT
USDA
CHOICE lb.

89¢



IGA
TABLERITE
FOR YOUR
EATING
PLEASURE!

REDWOOD SLICED

BACON

1-lb.
Pkg.

39¢

Peschke's Grade A
SKINLESS
FRANKS

(irregular sizes)

39¢

FOR
YOUR
BREAKFAST
PLEASURE!



TABLERITE USDA CHOICE lb.
T-BONE STEAKS \$1.19

TABLERITE USDA CHOICE
CUBE STEAK lb. \$1.29

TABLERITE USDA CHOICE
SWISS STEAK lb. \$1.19

TABLERITE FRESH 3 lbs.
more
HAMBURGER lb. 59¢

BOSTON BUTT BONELESS
PORK STEAK lb. 69¢

BOSTON BUTT
PORK ROAST lb. 59¢

MICHIGAN GRADE 1 ROLL
SAUSAGE lb. 59¢

NEW! DELICIOUS
FAME

TOMATO JUICE

4 \$1

1-qt.
14-oz.
Cans



GREEN GIANT NIBLETS

CORN

net
12-oz.
Can

17¢

LIQUID BLEACH

CLOROX

1-gal.
Jug

49¢

IGA TABLE TREAT-
BREAD

19¢

1 1/2-lb.
Loaf

MOTT'S
**APPLE-
SAUCE**

29¢

1 - Pt.
9 - oz.
Jar

BLUE BONNET QUARTERS

MARGARINE

1-lb.
Pkgs.

88¢

CHEF'S DELIGHT
REGULAR OR PIMENTO

CHEESE LOAF

2 - lb.
Loaf

59¢

Borden or IGA
ICE MILK

Half
Gallon

49¢

US NO. 1 MICHIGAN

POTATOES

10-lb.
Bag

49¢

Fresh Red Ripe
STRAWBERRIES

59¢

Calif. Field Fresh
ASPARAGUS

12-oz.
Bundle

39¢

Fresh Fish
every
Wednesday

WHITE CLOUD WHITE or ASST.

TISSUE

2-roll
Pkg.

19¢

WAGNER'S

DRINKS

1-qt.
Btl.

19¢

- Orange
- Grape
- Punch
- Pineapple-
Grapefruit



PIONEER BEET

SUGAR

5-lb.
Bag

49¢

BANQUET FROZEN

DINNERS

- CHICKEN
- BEEF
- TURKEY
- SALISBURY STEAK
- FISH

3 \$1

net
11-oz.
Pkgs.

TABLE KING
FROZEN

FRENCH FRIES

net
9-oz.
Pkgs. **99¢**

FREE Snack Tray
with each package of
CRUNCHY

CHEESE SNAPS

6-oz.
Pkg.

39¢

CLIP THIS COUPON
TABLE TREAT
ICE CREAM Gal. **79¢**
with \$5 purchase and this coupon



IGA FLAKE

TUNA

net
6-oz.
Can

19¢

