

Time's running out for passenger license plates. The deadline is midnight Tuesday (March 31). But Arthur Howard of St. Johns is all set as he accepts his new plates from Jack Andrews, branch manager of the Secretary of State's office in St. Johns. Next in line is Edna Brown.

## Better get a move on - - plates expire next week

If you haven't got your new passenger license plates on your car yet, you'd better get moving—there's only a week left before these old plates could result in a traffic ticket.

Even with an extra month to purchase plates this year, sales are going at about the same pace as last year, says Jack Andrews, branch manager of the Secretary of State's office in St. Johns.

"We're not behind in sales under the new extension," says Andrews. "We're about equal."

Late last week Andrews said

he had sold an estimated 8,000 set of plates out of sales he expects to reach 10,000 in Clinton County.

Andrews' branch office, located in the PX Store, 218 N. Clinton Ave., is the only branch in the County. He says, however, that each year he sets up one-day offices in villages throughout the county for the convenience of those who find it difficult to get into St. Johns for their plates.

"We feel the new set-up—in which commercial plates are sold a month earlier—will do a lot to alleviate long lines at the end

of the month," says Andrews. "This will be a great convenience to late buyers."

He says many of the truck fleets purchase up to ten sets of plates and that was a major hold up under the old system.

"One problem now," says Andrews, "is that people forget to bring in their title for proof of ownership."

In addition to producing titles, applicants must also show proof of insurance or pay \$35 to the state accident fund for uninsured drivers.

## Honduras prime minister to visit St. Johns April 7

British Honduras Prime Minister George Price will make a state visit to Michigan early next month and will address St. Johns High School.

In addition to his visit at the high school April 7, Price will also address a joint session of the Legislature and the Detroit Economic Club.

Gov. Milliken will be the prime minister's official host.

Four years ago the State of Michigan officially announced a Partner Relationship with British Honduras which became known as the Michigan Partners of the Alliance.

This organization is affiliated with the Alliance for Progress which President Kennedy initiated shortly after taking office. The President's stated purpose was to stimulate the social, educational and economic development of the Latin American Countries.

Two years ago the city of St.



PRIME MINISTER PRICE

Johns formed a Sister City Relationship with Stann Creek, British Honduras. Last fall seven St. Johns representatives made

an official visit to Stann Creek to participate in the annual celebration of Settlement Day.

Among this group were Mrs. Jean Rand, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hazle, Mrs. Leta Friesen, B. Stanley Poulos, the former principal of the school, Dianne Williams, a senior, and Dean Harper, a junior, were also members of this team. In the summer of 1968, 18 teenagers from the St. Johns area made a camping caravan trip to this semi-tropical country. All of the St. Johns visitors have been impressed with the friendliness of the people and the simple charm of this country.

British Honduras has been a British Crown Colony for 100 years but will soon gain full independence.

The country has an approximate population of 130,000 persons, 40 per cent of whom live in St. Johns.

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## Wilcox defends criticism of Tri-County sewer plan

By BOB CALVERLEY, News Staff Writer

Clinton Planning Commission chairman Gerald Wilcox Monday replied to a statement issued by the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission defending a regional sewage treatment facility plan that he had criticized

### Stationery orders being processed

The recent stationery, offer for new or renewed subscription offers to Clinton County News drew such a large response that printing of the stationery is behind schedule.

Orders for the stationery are being processed and mailed as quickly as possible and subscribers can expect deliveries within the next three to four weeks.

at the Board of Supervisors' meeting on Mar. 16.

Wilcox told the supervisors that some of the drainage basin names and boundaries were incorrect in the study, that the St. Johns waste water treatment plant had been located on the wrong side of US-27 and that a base map referring to Clinton County was nonexistent.

"Mr. Wilcox was apparently uninformed about the preliminary 'not for release' status of the report before making his public declaration," said Tri-County.

Tri-County says that the report was scheduled for public distribution on Mar. 30 after a short review period. The errors discovered by Wilcox had already been corrected accord-

**EASTER DANCE:** Sunday, Mar. 29, 5-9 p.m. "Harold Mitas Polka Band," Slovak Hall, Banner.

ing to Tri-County officials.

"As Mr. Wilcox was a member of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission for better than one and a half years he thoroughly understood the review process of the commission," said the commission statement.

"As far as I'm concerned the report does not say it is a preliminary document and does not say it's not for release. When we reviewed this I don't recall anyone saying it was not for

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### Pool hours cut for vacation

The swimming pool at St. Johns High School will be open only for one day during the spring vacation which begins Friday through April 6. The pool will be open Tuesday, March 31 from noon till 5 p.m.

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### Election Tuesday

# Millage approval in St. Johns would mean \$110,000 annually

St. Johns administrative officials this week are making final preparations for a fifth election in less than four years designed to re-establish a sound fiscal structure in the city.

Voters will visit the polls next Tuesday, March 31, to register their desires on a proposal endorsed unanimously by the city commission that, if accepted, will replace five of the 6.2 mills lost in 1966 through discovery of a previously unknown charter millage limit provision.

In essence, the proposal is asking voters to allow a city charter amendment which would increase the present 10-mill limit to 15 thereby allowing the commission a degree of flexibility in tax levies to meet demands as they arise.

On previous occasions voters have turned down such proposals as charter revisions and income

tax plans and through this period of seeking additional revenue, city officials and residents have seen the implementation of an austerity program. Despite the belt tightening, numerous services and facilities normally operated by the city have been severely curtailed or withdrawn entirely.

ACCORDING TO City Manager Harvey Weatherwax, approximately \$110,000 annually will be received if the current proposal is adopted by city residents.

In a statement at the time of announcement of the current proposal the city commission pointed out previous efforts for securing revenue and indicated what failure of acceptance brought about.

"The decreased income from taxation," the statement declared, "has also forced the

abandonment or discontinuance of several major projects such as street paving or resurfacing,

**St. Johns city election**  
When — Tuesday, March 31, 1970.  
Where — St. Johns Municipal Building.  
Time — Polls open 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

**Proposal.**  
— Amendment to city charter to allow millage limit increase to 15 mills.

sidewalk construction and repair, etc."

The commission presented a list of 23 projects which were felt to be of critical demand but are standing idle because of lack of funds. The list, which did not mention individual importance, listed such projects as equipment and manpower; street lighting; sidewalk, curb, gutter and street repairs; municipal building repairs; water department improvements (includes entire water distribution system) recreational facilities and a number of other categories.

IN ADDITION the statement pointed out that numerous other minor projects were in need of attention.

The 15-mill limitation which the charter amendment proposal would allow represents 1.2 mills less than the city had been re-

ceiving up until 1966 when discovery of the charter limit of 10 mills was made.

During a discussion period on the current proposal, Dr. James Grost indicated that the city officials at time of learning about the 10 mill limit could probably have continued levying as they had in the past simply on the strength that it had been accepted. However, the charter limitation was openly presented and after reverting to the lower millage the current round of proposals was begun.

In supporting the proposal, which was drafted and approved by the entire commission membership, Commissioner Jean Rand voiced hope that residents would favor the charter amendment. "After going backwards for five years, it's going to take us five years to catch up," she said.

## Random survey by News shows millage support

If a random sampling of St. Johns residents is any indication, next week's election tabulations should provide city fathers with a new source of revenue for next year's budget.

In a telephone survey conducted by Clinton County News only three of 17 persons indicated opposition to the current charter amendment proposal while a few others desired not to participate. One lady explained to the News staffer conducting the survey that she did not have time to discuss the subject as she was in labor.

In a general breakdown of replies, eight persons readily indicated full support, three opposed the proposal, three were undecided, two were unaware of the upcoming vote and one felt as if the millage request was too great.

"Well, we are going to have to do something," commented Mr. Lorenz Zell, 106 N. Swegles. "I kind of think they are asking for too much. It should have been three mills."

THE AMOUNT, however, was of no concern to any of the other persons polled.

Don Roesner, a pharmacist at Parr's Drug said: "I'm in favor of it. We need money and I hope it will pass."

Roesner's concern was shared by others. Mrs. Lawrence Sexton explained that "I certainly think I'm in favor of it," and support also was expressed by Bill Patton, manager of Capitol Savings and Loan; "I don't think it will pass but I'm in favor of it," he said.

"I am in favor of it and we both will be voting for it," said Mrs. Alfred Lounds of 401 S.

**Eight named as election inspectors**  
St. Johns city commissioners Monday night approved eight persons for service as election inspectors in the upcoming millage vote next Tuesday.

Named as inspectors in the first precinct were: Alberta Cornwell, Rickey Dean, Mary Meyer and Annette White.

The four from precinct two are: Don Britton, Elma Parr, Louise Fernholz and Helen Fitzpatrick.

### News to be delayed next week for election results

Delivery of the News will be delayed next week so that we may publish the results of the millage election Tuesday in St. Johns.

Oakland, "even though it will kill us."

Dr. Henry Burkhardt expressed the city's need for money while indicating approval of the amend-

ment proposal. "I'm in favor of it," he said. "I think it has a good chance of passing because I think people know the need for money's there."

"WE VOTED FOR it last time," said Mrs. Herb Baker, 209 W. Cass. "I think they need it. I think I will be voting yes. The city does need the money. The pavements are terrible."

Another supporting the millage proposal was Mrs. Norman Caldwell, 203 E. Buchanan who expressed favor and intent to cast a yes ballot.

On the other side of the issue the three persons who did not favor the question were not united in their reasons. Frank Valtier, 909 N. Clinton, commented: "I'm not in favor of it because I think we have millage and property taxes enough. They keep going up."

ANOTHER IN opposition was Mr. Oliver Montague, 402 Meadowview Drive. "Well, I hate to make too much of an issue about it," said Mr. Montague, "but I'm not in favor of it at all. I'm waiting for them to get their house in order first."

Mrs. Robert Young, 1210 S. (Story continued on Page 10-A)



PFC. BENNIE SLOAT

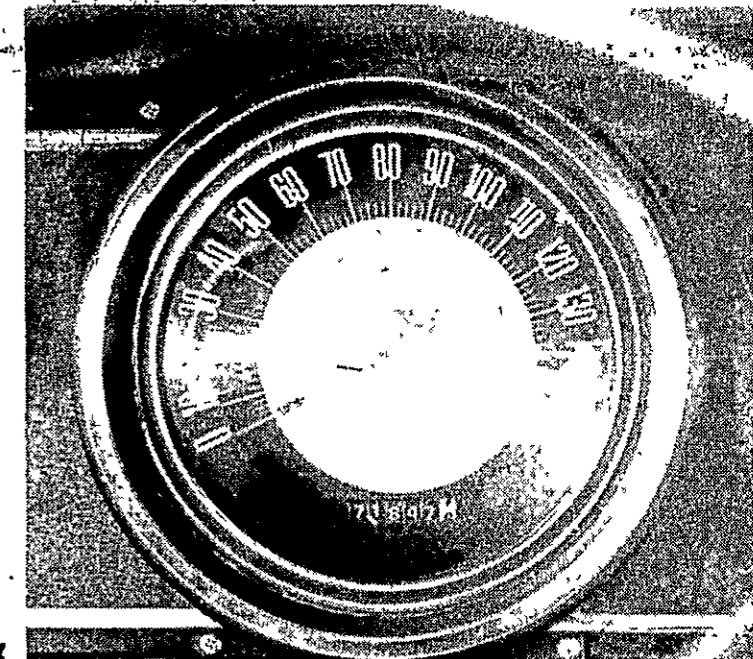
## Rural Ovid youth dies in Vietnam

Action from the war in Vietnam struck Clinton County again last week as Pfc. Bennie D. Sloat of rural Ovid died when the armored personnel carrier in which he was acting as machine-gunner was destroyed by an enemy land mine.

The 18-year-old soldier was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sloat of 1400 Leland Road, rural Ovid.

Pfc. Sloat alternated as a machine-gunner and driver on the armored personnel carrier with the 1st/1st Cavalry in the Americal Division. He was killed on

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Odometer on St. Johns police cruiser shows extended use of vehicle. City Manager Harvey Weatherwax indicated that under normal situations police vehicles are traded annually, or at approximately 50,000 miles. Austerity budget of the city has necessitated longer use of such vehicles and many other pieces of equipment, which according to Weatherwax, ultimately means additional expense.

### So far . . .

## Postal strike has little effect in Clinton

The mail strike has reduced the volume of incoming mail in Clinton County but as of Monday evening there was no threat of a strike in the county.

David Yallup, secretary of the union for letter carriers in St. Johns said that St. Johns carriers had not taken any action in regard to the situation.

"We'll abide by the national," he said, when asked what the policy of the union in St. Johns would be.

The postal clerks' union also indicated they would follow national union leaders in their policy.

Ovid, Elsie and Fowler post offices all reported that they had received much less incoming mail than normal on Monday and that all personnel were at work.

The postal strike was naturally subject to more discussion by postal workers than most people.

### Hey, kids!

Special Easter Coloring Contest appears on page 16A. Win cash prizes!

"Get a bunch of them together and that's about all they talk about," said Keith Mishler, postmaster at St. Johns.

But officials were reluctant to

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## Offices close Good Friday

All city, county and school offices as well as most places of business in St. Johns will be closed Good Friday from noon to 3 p.m.

Offices of the Clinton County News will also be closed from noon to 3 p.m.

Brandon White, president of the Chamber of Commerce, said signs will be placed in the windows of those merchants who will be closed at that time.

Students in the St. Johns school district will begin their spring vacation at noon Friday. School will resume Monday, April 6.

# Wilcox

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release, none of the commissioners did." (Three Tri-County Commissioners, Andrew W. Cobb, Walter C. Nobis and Roy F. Andrews were present when Wilcox reviewed the report).

Wilcox said that a letter attached to the report, dated January 1970, was addressed to "The Board of Supervisors of Clinton, Eaton and Ingham Counties, other public officials and all other appointed officials and individuals interested in preliminary regional sewerage planning."

The letter said: "The commission is hereby presenting the plan with the commission's endorsement."

When he was on the Tri-County Commission Wilcox said that preliminary reports were stamped, "Not For Release," if that was their status, and that there were no such indications on the report he reviewed or on any other copies which he saw (belonging to the commissioners.)

In their statement, Tri-County also challenged some of the

charges made by Wilcox. Tri-County said that the location of the St. Johns waste treatment plant was correct as mapped.

"The map is correct," says Wilcox, "but the verbiage pertaining to the map is incompatible to the map... anybody knows that the plant is not on the west side of US-27." Tri-County claimed that the nonexistent base map cited by Wilcox is in the map pocket accompanying the report.

"There is no map pocket," said Wilcox, "not in my report or in any of the others which I saw."

The criticism of the sewage study by Wilcox lead to discussion by the supervisors about the possibility of duplication between Clinton and Tri-County planning, and there were indications at the meeting that Clinton County could drop out of Tri-County.

## Job license

At the last Census count in 1960, more than seven million Americans were employed in occupations requiring a State occupational license.

# Visit

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in the capital city of Belize. A new capital city is being built in the interior of the country. Off the coast lies a string of sandy cayes and the second largest reef shelf in the world. British Honduras is bordered by Mexico, Guatemala and the Caribbean Sea.

St. Johns High School is the only high school that Premier Price will visit. He is coming at the specific request of the Michigan Partners of the Alliance officials who have been impressed with the interest that has been generated in the St. Johns-Stann Creek Sister City Relationship. The Premier is frequently seen in his country with an open collar. He feels that this gesture symbolizes his availability and interest in the working man.

The Michigan Partners works through committees in eight areas with a matching committee structure in British Honduras.



Persons interested in learning the safety of boating have been meeting at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High for the last three weeks. The course ends this week and those participating will be going to the high school pool to demonstrate what they have learned.

# County income tax diversions are tallied

Clinton County Treasurer Velma Beaufore last week mailed checks to government units totaling \$84,242.34 representing income tax diversions for the quarter ending Dec. 31.

The amounts received by the various townships, cities and villages were Clinton County's share of the state income tax. Returns to the county averaged \$2.22 per capita for the quarter.

DeWitt Township received the greatest amount, \$7,116.21; St. Johns was next with \$6,239.31 and Bath third highest at \$4,142.52.

The following is a breakdown for the quarter of the amounts received by governments within Clinton County:

**TOWNSHIPS**  
Bath, \$4,142.52; Bengal, \$991.23; Bingham, \$1,489.62; Dallas, \$1,187.70; DeWitt, \$7,116.21; DuPlain, \$1,267.62; Eagle, \$1,256.52; Essex, \$770.34; Greenbush, \$1,482.96; Lebanon, \$745.92;

Olive, \$1,573.98; Ovid, \$1,431.90; Riley, \$1,090.02; Victor, \$1,371.96; Watertown, \$2,228.88; and Westphalia, \$1,133.31 for a total of \$29,280.69.

**CITIES**  
City of St. Johns, \$6,239.31 and City of DeWitt, \$1,374.18 for a total of \$7,613.49.

**VILLAGES**  
Eagle Village, \$156.51; Elsie Village, \$1,035.63; Fowler Village, \$947.94; Hubbardston Village, \$36.63; Maple Rapids Village, \$758.13; Ovid Village, \$1,670.55; Westphalia Village, \$621.60 for a total of \$5,226.99.

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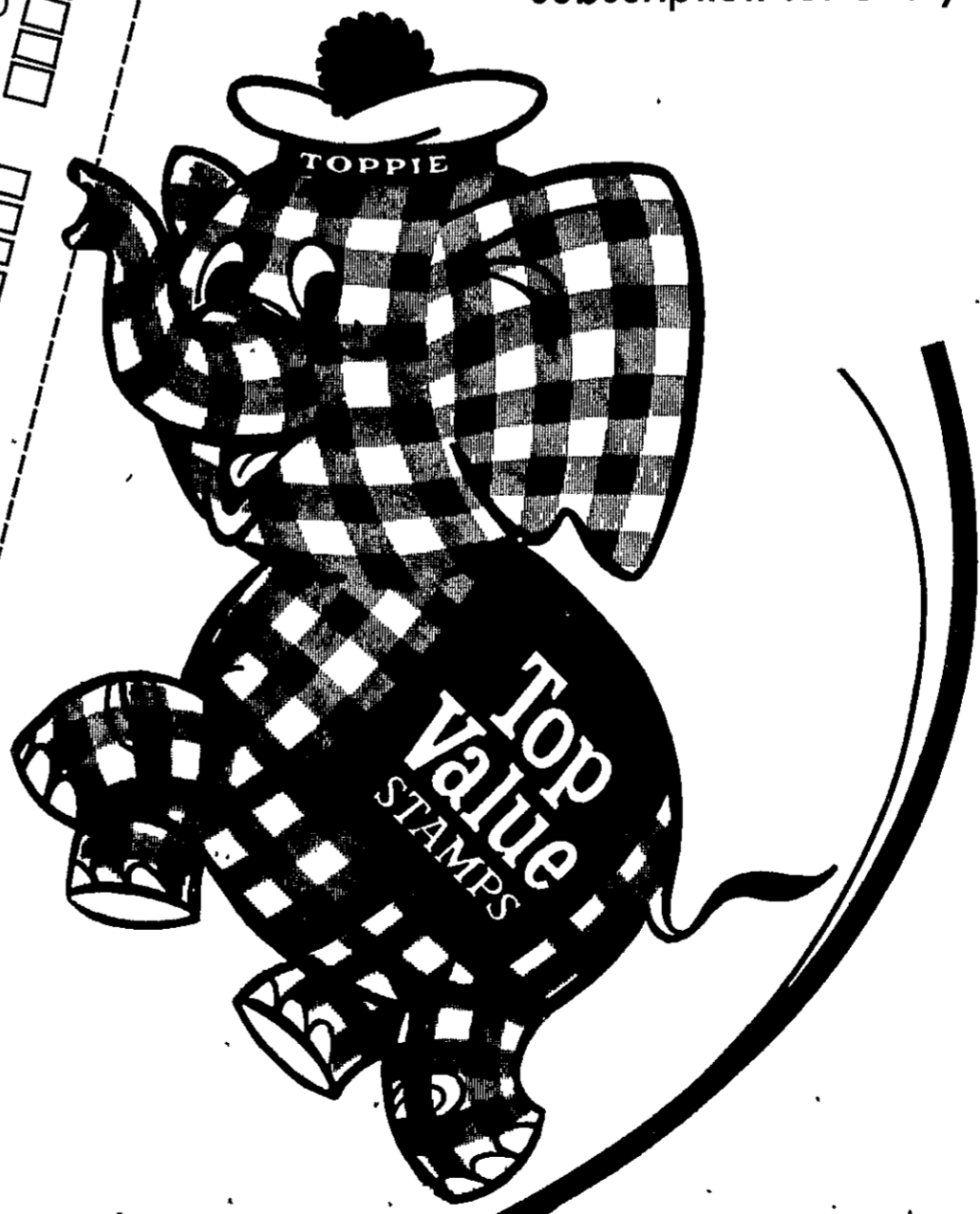
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# Allen introduces abortion measure in the House

State Rep. Richard J. Allen (R-Ithaca) has introduced abortion reform legislation in the House.

The measure would allow a woman to have a legal abortion in a state-approved medical facility, performed by a licensed physician.

The general provisions of the bill would apply to the first three months of a pregnancy and, to prevent so-called "abortion mill" complications, the woman must be a resident of Michigan. Another safeguard included in the bill is a strict ban on forcing a medical person to assist such an operation against his will.

"The entire aim of this measure is based on freedom of choice," Allen said. "No attempt is made to infringe on the rights of religious organizations or individuals who believe abortions are not morally or legally proper." "One of the major benefits of such legislation would be elimination of grossly unsafe illegal abortion," he added. "Many



REP. RICHARD ALLEN

people seeking an abortion now, especially impoverished persons, must risk one of the most gruesomely unsanitary and dangerous operations I know of.

The mental scars of such an experience are often even more horrifying than the physical ones. "Even under expert medical care, this is the type of operation no woman would enter into lightly, so I'm sure there would be no frivolous use of legal abortions," said Allen.

"I am convinced that this illegal abortion situation will persist and expand unless we take sensible and humane action to reform this century old statute," said Allen, who is a veterinarian. Allen said he has been considering a variety of abortion bill reforms for introduction, and decided to follow the outline suggested by Milliken. He added that he is aware that an identical bill is now pending in the Senate.

"If the Senate bill is passed and sent to the House, I'll drop my proposal and work for passage of the Senate bill," Allen stated. "But in case the Senate version runs into a snag, I think the House should work on its own bill."

## In St. Johns

# \$2,545 less in treasury as city valuation drops

The St. Johns city treasury echoed a little louder Monday night when commissioners learned from City Clerk Tom Hundley that the final assessed valuation of the city was \$2,545 less than in 1969.

Hundley, who serves as city assessor, presented the 1970 assessment roll during Monday night's commission meeting as set by the board of review in the total amount of \$20,929,100. The amount, while behind last year's assessment figures, was \$4,809.00 above the 1968 total. A breakdown showed that \$15,683,200 is assessed against real property while the balance of \$5,245,900 is charged against personal property. A major portion of the loss is accounted for in the personal property category. The 1970 figure is \$8,668 less than the 1969 assessment and \$7,186 less than two years ago.

Real estate evaluations have

reflected a continual rise for the three year period starting at \$14,483,700 in 1968, \$15,070,900 in 1969 and ending with the present figure.

Hundley pointed out that the personal property decrease was present in "about 90 per cent of the cases," and attributed some of the loss to lower inventories.

Pending action from the state tax commission the figure of \$20,929,100 will stand as an assessment base for city taxes which will come due in July. In other business Monday night, the commission enacted ordinance No. 230 which calls for vacating an alley for the allowance of a construction program by Clinton National Bank. The bank, in turn, has agreed to deed other property to the city in exchange.

Ordinance No. 231 was read for the first time which calls for no parking other than emergency along U.S.-27 within the

city limits. State and highway authorities will post signs along the stretch at no expense to the city.

## Chamber endorses millage

After taking a random survey which showed support for a proposed millage increase in St. Johns, the Chamber of Commerce this week endorsed the measure calling for an additional five mills.

The election will be Tuesday, March 31, 1970. Twenty-one merchants were asked if they were for or against the measure, and 17 indicated support, three were opposed and one was undecided.

If the proposal were defeated, 19 merchants were asked what they would like to have the city commission do.

Eight said they would favor enactment of a city income tax, six others advocated another vote for additional millage while four indicated favor for another vote to seek a smaller millage increase and one said he would favor a vote on a city income tax.

## Music students entertain club

Band and orchestra students presented a program at the Eureka School Community Club meeting Monday evening, to a large audience. Walter Cole, chairman of the St. Johns High School Music Department, directed the band students as each played a solo number, ensembles and as a group.

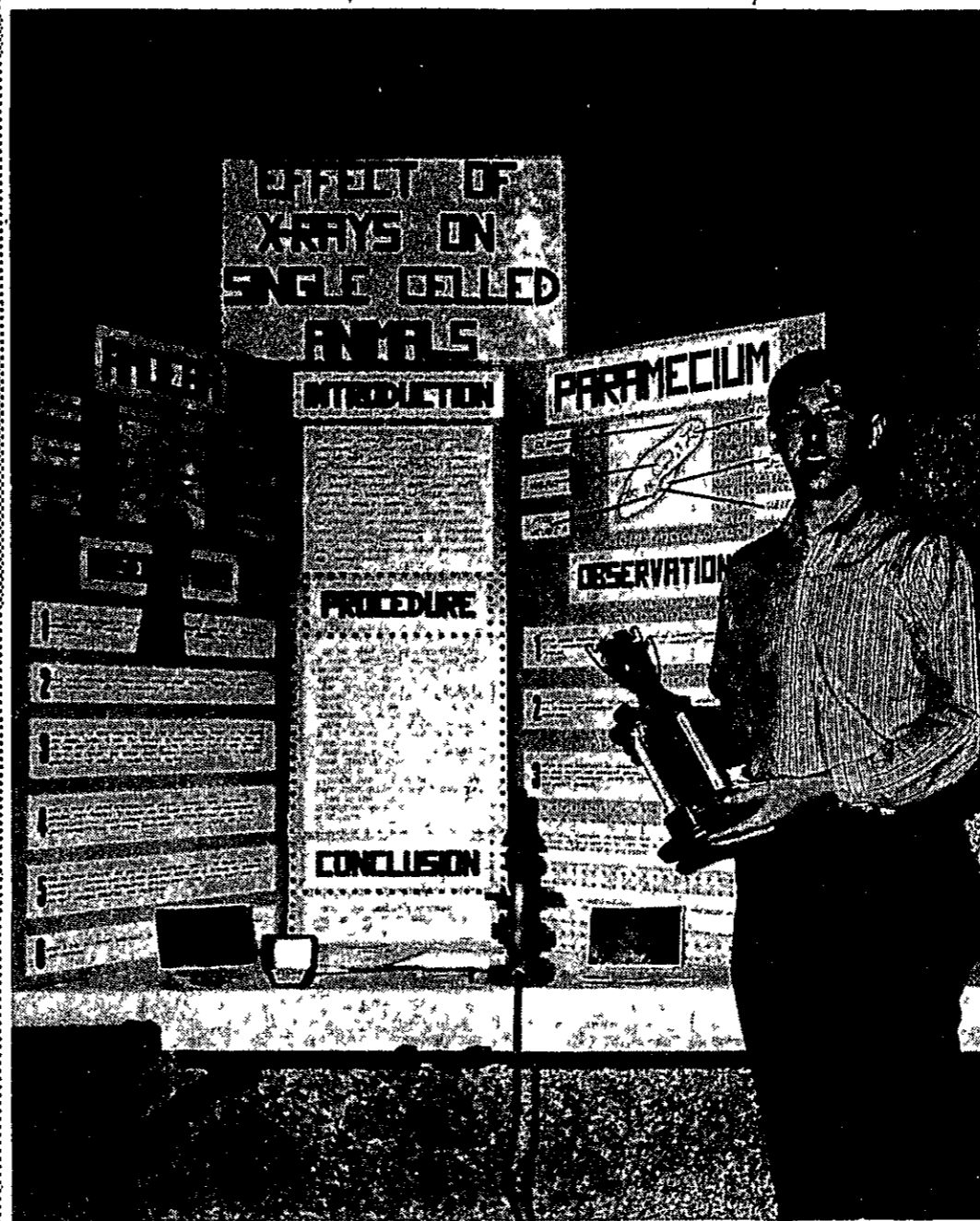
Students participating were Robin Clark, Cindy Gladstone, Deborah Howard, Paula Beck, Edward Daggett, Susan Fisher, Susan Slagell.

William Tennant explained the string program. Children performing included Melody Vining, John Karlik, Kenneth Parker, Wendy Brockmyre, Annette Todociuk, Jeanie Parker.

Discussed was the May 2 carnival to be held at the school as a fund raising project to improve the school grounds, and other needed items.

An RCA 14 inch Color TV will be given away at the carnival which will include a bake walk, games and various door prizes.

Film slides were shown on the snow carnival held each winter at Northern Michigan University at Houghton.



SCIENCE FAIR WINNER

Brian Carpenter with his trophy before the exhibit which won him the grand award at the second annual St. Johns High School Science Fair.

# Safer noon hours for Rodney B. students

Rodney B. Wilson Junior High School students will enjoy safer noon hours from now on following a test traffic control policy adopted by the city commission Monday night.

At the request of Principal Sam Serrell, city commissioners agreed to a 90-day trial of blocking of McConnell St. between Church and Clinton Sts. during a two hour period from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Serrell had originally sought

a closing of the segment for the entirety of each school day but after discussion and a reading of a letter from Police Chief Everett Glazier, the two-hour period was accepted.

The temporary traffic control plan will be in effect for a period of 90 days, at which time evaluations will be made as to its effectiveness. Serrell indicated that school authorities would maintain traffic barriers at the appropriate points.

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## P-W bond application approved by state

Authorization from the State Department of Education has been received by the Pewamo-Westphalia Community School District for the preliminary qualification of a \$800,000 bond issue for school construction.

The application was for the purpose of erecting, furnishing, and equipping additions to the Pewamo Elementary School, erecting, furnishing and equipping addition to and remodeling the Pewamo-Westphalia High School, building, and to develop and improve sites.

The special election on the issue will be held on Monday, May 4.

To provide for increased enrollments in the elementary grades, three classrooms are proposed for addition to the Pewamo Elementary Building. In addition, an instructional materials center and office space are proposed.

At the high school 10 classrooms are proposed to house the junior high students. In addition, an instructional materials center and additional toilet facilities are planned.

Temporary facilities are being leased from the St. Mary's Parish to provide space for the seventh and eighth grades this year.

## It will be 'operation as usual' next year at St. Joseph's school

St. Joseph School will open the 1970-71 school year on the same basis as it is currently being operated.

Members of the St. Joseph board of education last week advised parishioners and parents of school children of the board's unanimous agreement to continue the school's operation of grades three through six on a full time basis and grades seven and eight on a shared time.

The statement issued by the board was brought about because of concern of some parents over recent state aid to private school

proceedings and the related closings of some parochial schools in the state.

At the same time of the announcement, members of the board instructed Sr. Margot, school principal, to begin registering students for grade three for the coming year.

Members of the board are: Dr. James Grost, president; Mike O'Connor, secretary; Bill Asher, Bob Purdill, Sheldon Parker, Leon Brewbaker, Rev William Hankerd, Rev Michael Haas, Sr. Margot and Teacher Representative Hilda Huffnagel.

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St. Johns Woman's Club honored 120 graduating senior girls last Wednesday at their 23rd annual Senior Girls Tea. The event was held in Wilcox Hall of the First Congregational Church.

# Senior girls honored by St. Johns Woman's Club

The St. Johns Woman's Club held its 23rd annual Senior Girls Tea on Wednesday, March 18 in Wilcox Hall in the First Congregational Church.

President, Mrs. Walter Graham, welcomed the 120, soon to graduate, girls and gave them a short history of the club and its functions.

In her message to the girls she said "For the past 12 years you have been preparing yourselves for something. Now for some of you the goal is further study to train for a particular line of work. For some of you formal schooling will end in June and you will work at a job or become a homemaker." She added "Whatever you do, your education should not end now. It should be a lifelong task."

The girls ended their program by singing "Graduation Day." James Logan, Joyce Glisson, Cheryl Kempf and James Jenkins, Lansing Community College students presented a program of music and dramatic readings.

Logan introduced Miss Glisson who presented a reading "Telephone Call" written by Dorothy Parker. Mr. Jenkins presented "To a Sleeping Beauty" written

by Jimmy Dean and Miss Kempf chose "The Last Hour" by Thurber. Mr. Logan presented a collection of musical numbers and accompanied himself on the guitar.

Serving on the tea committee were Mrs. James Sposta, Mrs. Manning Bross, Mrs. Lawrence Fish, Mrs. Floyd Anderson, Mrs. Roy Davis and Mrs. Fraser MacKinnon.



Cheryl Kempf, James Logan, Joyce Glisson and James Jenkins displayed their talents with readings and songs at the Senior Girls Tea. The group are students at Lansing Community College.

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### Bridge scores

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The Jaycee Bridge Tournament was held Saturday, March 7 in the Swegles School gym.

The results were North and South: Charles and Velma Coletta 17 points, Roger and Peg Feeman 23 points, Bill and Perl-Anne Warstler 28 1/2 points, Clyde and Lois Springer 26 1/2 points.

East and West results were Rueben and Gertrude Eirschele 28 points, Emil and Louise Fiermoen 24 points, Dave and Genne Needham 19 points, Gerald and Elsie Irer 23 points.

In the absence of Home, Life and Religion Chairman, Mrs. John Rumbaugh, the message titled "It Can Be Done" was given by Mrs. Graham.

Mrs. Donna Carter, chairman of the day, introduced seniors Sheryl and Sheila Pulliam who entertained the guests with a medley of their favorite songs during their high school years.

## Mrs Ballenger named to Arts Committee

Mrs. William S. Ballenger of Ovid is one of two Michigan residents named by President Richard M. Nixon to his 54-man Advisory Committee on the Arts for the J.F.K. Center for the Performing Arts.



MRS WILLIAM BALLENGER

## Musicale entertains Lansing Matinee

The St. Johns Morning Musicale met Wednesday, March 18 in the Methodist Church Lounge with guests and members of the Lansing Matinee Musicale. For many years both Musicale members have met together either in Lansing or St. Johns for an exchange programs.

Mrs. John Caudy announced that there were two scholarship audition winners following auditions held March 14. They were John Ekdrige for violin, and Van Patterson for trombone.

A special film entitled, "Birds and Bird Calls" from "The Millie Reynolds Series for Music Therapy."

A coffee was held following the program with committee being Mrs. Dean Stork, Mrs. John Caudy, and Mrs. Raymond Torpey.

## Fowler KofC hosts Hill at banquet

FOWLER(c)—Earl J. Hill of Consumers Power Co. will be the main speaker at the annual Fowler Knights of Columbus Past Grand Knight Banquet Sunday, April 5.

Hill is the public relations representative from the company's General Office in Jackson. He has held the positions of electrical distribution engineer, personnel and safety supervisor, general safety instructor and general training supervisor.

The banquet will start with dinner at 6:30 followed by entertainment and dancing. Tickets are available from a K of C officer or from Simon's Restaurant.



The Pulliam girls, Shelia and Sheryl honor the senior girls with a program at the Senior Girls Tea. The girls closed their portion of the program by singing Graduation Day.

## Leilani Hill bride of James Saxton

NORTH VICTOR(c)—A rainbow colored wedding was solemnized at 5 p.m. on Saturday March 7 in the Chapel at Barbers Point, Hawaii by the Reverend Cohill, which united in marriage Leilani K. Hill of Walpahu, Hawaii niece of Mr and Mrs LeRoy Ward of Laguna Beach, Calif, and James F. Saxton A02 of Barbers Point. The groom is the son of Mr and Mrs Donald Saxton of rural Ovid.

Escorted by her uncle, the bride approached the altar wearing an empire-style satin gown with nylon overlay trimmed in Chantilly lace. She wore a finger tip veil and carried a bouquet of white roses and daisies.

Annette Yamaguchi of Walpahu attended as maid of honor wearing a floor length gown of green dotted swiss empire-style. Karel Nelson and Terry Darrohn both of Walpahu attended as bridesmaids wearing floor-length gowns of yellow and blue respectively. The attendants carried carnation sprays to match their gowns. Charmine Yamaguchi was flower girl wearing a floor-length gown of pink dotted swiss to match those of the bridesmaids. She carried a basket of rose petals.

### Announcements

The St. Johns Art Guild will hold an organizational meeting to plan for the annual art exhibit on Wednesday, March 25 at 8 p.m. in the Art Room of the St. Johns High School.

The Art Show will be held during Michigan Week, May 17 through May 23. Anyone in the St. Johns area who wishes to exhibit in the show is invited to attend the meeting.

For further information call Mrs. Gladys Schueller 224-3066.

## Fulton High to feature Ink Spots

The Ink Spots will appear at Fulton High School Tuesday, April 14 at 7:30 p.m. The program is sponsored by the Varsity Club.

The Ink Spots have been featured on many television and radio shows from coast to coast and have also been in several motion pictures. They are well known for their honey-sweet unique song stylings whereby they interject talk and patter in a bassy voice in the middle of a song while the tenor hums or sings a high falsetto in the background.

Tickets are available at Rehmman's Men's and Boys' Wear or may also be purchased at the gate.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Clinton Memorial Hospital entertained the Hospital Auxiliary at a luncheon held Thursday, March 19. Harold Reed spoke briefly expressing appreciation for past service of the board and outlined future needs.

Following the luncheon, the board held a business meeting and made plans for an open house to be held in the Hospital Dining Room honoring Dr. Arthur Henthorn who has recently retired. The event will be held Sunday, April 12 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Mrs. Albert Nelson, committee chairman, announced that the public is invited.

The board voted to buy furniture for the new X-ray department and also the second floor sunroom. The need for a new nurse call system had been mentioned by Mr. Reed and the board voted to underwrite the expense. A two way voice-light system will be purchased.

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# Winners named in competition

Music scholarships were awarded to two students Saturday, March 14.

The competition was sponsored by the St. Johns Morning Musicales and was held in the Rodney B. Wilson Junior High auditorium.

This year seven students competed for scholarship funds offered by the Musicales. The two winners' applications will be forwarded to Ann Arbor where it will be determined who will attend the camps.

John Eldridge was the first place winner in the competition. A violinist, he selected to play "Meditations" by Massenet and "Violin's 23rd Concerto in G"

at the auditions. His mother was his accompanist. John is a freshman at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High and has been to a summer music camp before when he won a scholarship to Interlochen sponsored by the Marshall Music Store in Lansing. This year he plans to apply to the music camp at Michigan State University.

John is the son of Mr and Mrs Robert Eldridge, 9081 Walker Rd., St. Johns.

Van Patterson placed second in the competition. He plays the trombone and selected "Concerto Petite" by Jaroslav Cimer and Isabella Rinaldi Sares and "The Supervisor" by Arthur Pryor. Rhonda Woodbury was his accompanist.

This is the fourth year that Van will be attending Interlochen. He won a scholarship from the Rotary Club in Reed City the first year, the second year he paid his own way and the third year he was awarded an Assistantship from the University of Michigan.

Van is the son of Mr and Mrs Russell J. Patterson, 405S, Oakland, St. Johns and is a junior at St. Johns High School.

Judges for the competition were Dean Stork, Brother Gregory Horning and Thomas Schuck.



John Eldridge, a freshmen at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High, won first place in music competition for a scholarship to a summer music camp. John was among seven contestants competing for the scholarships.

## Births

**WACOUSTA (c) - TROM - MATER**—Twin boys, Christopher Alan and Eric Glenn, were born to Pvt. and Mrs Alan Trommater of R-1, Eagle, March 17, at Ingham Medical Center. They weighed 6 pounds, 4 ounces and 5 pounds, 14 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Glen Trommater of Eagle and Mr and Mrs Robert Berger of Indianapolis, Ind. The mother is the former Cheryl Berger.

**WACOUSTA (c) - COURSER**—A girl, Jessica Lynn, was born to Mr and Mrs Max Courser of R-1 Eagle, March 1 at St. Lawrence Hospital. She weighed 5 pounds, 12 ounces. The baby has 2 brothers and 1 sister. Grandparents are Mrs Myrtle Courser of Eagle and Mr and Mrs Alton Rhodes of Houghton Lake. The mother is the former Phyllis Courser.

**GILLSON**—A boy, Robert William Gillson III, was born to Sgt. and Mrs Robert W. Gillson of Oscoda, March 5 at Wurtsmith AFB Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces. Grandparents are Robert W. Gillson Sr. of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs Paul Platner of Elsie. The mother is the former Rita Platner.

## Pewamo

By Mrs Irene Fox

Leaving Friday noon to spend the weekend with their mother, were Mr and Mrs Keith Melvin daughters Lisa and Janice and son Russell. Their mother Mrs Wilda Nelson lives at Lake Ann.

Mr and Mrs Ray Pease and sons, Tom and Tim of Grayling were Saturday dinner guests of their mother Mrs Irene Fox. Mrs Mildred Fox and Mrs Mary Wahl attended the grand opening of the A and W March 19 in Ionia.



Van Patterson placed second in the Morning Musicales contest and will be applying to Interlochen Summer Music Camp. Van is a junior at St. Johns High School.



MARILYN FOX Engaged

Mr and Mrs Mark L. Fox of Fowler announce the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn Ann to Robert Michael Adams. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Henry Adams of Lincoln Park, Michigan.

The bride-elect graduated from Fowler High School and St. Joseph School of Nursing in Flint. She is a Registered Nurse employed at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

The prospective bridegroom is a senior at General Motors Institute in Flint and is a member of Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity. He is a Vietnam Veteran, having served two years in the U.S. Army.

A June 27th wedding is being planned by the couple.

## City Brevities

Mr and Mrs Leland Bennett of St. Johns and their friends, Mr and Mrs Frank Fisher flew from Tampa, Fla. to the Hawaiian Islands on a 16 day tour. While there they visited the islands of Hawaii, Maui, Kauai and Oahu.

While on the island of Kauai they saw Mr and Mrs Donald Gilson of St. Johns. The Bennetts visited a cousin and her family who are stationed at Barbers Point, Honolulu.

## Announcements

The Fulton High School Athletic Boosters Club will hold an open meeting Thursday, March 26 at 8 p.m.

Bingham Grange will meet at the Hall on Friday, March 27 at 7 p.m. for a potluck dinner. Hot rolls and maple syrup will be provided. Horton-Stockman and Olive Granges are invited to be guests.

The Legal Secretaries Association held their regular monthly dinner meeting March 19 at the Heather Room in Alma with 12 members present.

The next meeting will be held in Clinton County on April 16.



Mrs Barry Dean, Mrs Ruth LeBlond and Mrs Carlton Jarvis look over the new books that the Jaycettes purchased for the library at Rodney B. Wilson High School. Mrs Dean and Mrs Jarvis are Jaycette members and Mrs LeBlond is the school's librarian.

# Jaycettes donate funds to purchase library books

Members of the Jaycettes met in the junior high library Thursday night to view library books donated by their organization. Last fall the group became aware of the need for more books in the library. They donated \$150 to the project and enlisted the aid of librarian, Mrs Ruth LeBlond who selected the books to be purchased.

The money that was donated came out of the Jaycettes' Special Fund, which is designed to aid emotionally and/or culturally deprived children primarily where no other funds are available. The money in the fund is collected each spring by the contestants in the Soap Box Derby Queen Contest.

Among the books that Mrs Le-

Blond purchased for the library were: Familiar Quotations; Bridges; World Beneath the Ocean; Ironclads of the Civil War; Battle of Gettysburg; This Crowded Planet; Jokes, Jokes, Jokes; Fossils; Hidden Values in Coins; From Stones to Skyscrapers; Stanyan Street and Other Sorrows; Listen to the Warm; The Poetry of Robert Frost; Only One Year; Michigan Trees; Michigan Wildflowers and a list of more.

The library is only one of several projects which the Jaycettes' Special Fund has supported this year. The group also donated money for the purchase of books to be used in the Special Education room at Central.

## Rev. Sanders to speak at Fulton church

Rev Charles Sanders, just back from a Holy Land Tour March 21st, will be the speaker for Easter time services at the Fulton Full Gospel Church, located one-half mile east of Perrinton on M-57 and one-half mile south.

Rev Sanders studied theology at Central Bible College in Springfield, Missouri. During his pastorate at Greenville, he was responsible for the erection of a new church edifice in 1965. Special music every night from March 28th through April 5th. Special music every night from March 28th through April 5th at 7:30 p.m. Pastor, Rev Fred A. Wing.

## CHURCH NEWS

On Sunday night, March 29, the "Capitalairs" quartet from Lansing will be presenting a concert at the Church of the Nazarene, 515 N. Lansing Street. The service will begin promptly at 7 p.m., and the public is invited to attend this service.

The pastor, The Reverend Wesley Manker, also states that the church has extended a call for him as their leader for the coming year, and plans are to continue his services here in the community for this next year.

## Meetings with parents

St. Johns School officials will continue meetings with parents of hyper-active children Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at Central School.

Guest speaker will be Donald Fuller, director of the Lincoln School Day Care Center in Lansing.

Walter Nickel, administrator with the St. Johns schools, urges parents to attend even if they have missed the first two meetings. A baby sitting service is available, according to Nickel.

Dr Donald Weston, of the St. Lawrence Mental Health Center, has been asked to speak at the April 30 meeting.

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# CHURCH NEWS

The first in a series of interdenominational services will be held Sunday April 5 at St. Joseph's Church in St. Johns.

Rev Karl Zigler, Fr Michael Haas and Dr and Mrs Henry Burkhardt will serve as hosts for the program which will begin at 3 p.m. and will be based on interdenominational exchange and worship.

All church congregations located east of Clinton Avenue in the St. Johns area have been invited to participate in the initial service. Congregations west of Clinton Avenue will be invited to a later program.

It is hoped that similar programs can promote a greater unity of Christians in the community, not only in theory but in practice and worship.

one of thousands of churches throughout the nation taking part in the Loyalty Campaign promoted through Assemblies of God Sunday schools.

Special Good Friday Services will be held at the First Baptist Church in St. Johns at 1 p.m. with Pastor Paul Travis conducting the service. The service will be broadcast on WRBJ Radio for the benefit of those who work or are shut-ins.

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# Duplain-Rochester Colony

By MRS. JAMES BURNHAM, Correspondent—Phone 224-4045

## EVANGELISTIC SERVICES SCHEDULED

Services will begin Sunday evening, March 29 and continue nightly throughout the week, 7:30 p.m. Professor Robert Hargrave of Great Lakes Bible College, Lansing will be bringing the messages each evening and Mel Harrell, minister of Coe Church of Christ will be leading the song service. Special music will be presented each evening and meetings are open to the public.

Good Friday Service, March 27 at 2 p.m. will be held at the Duplain Church of Christ.

## FAMILY NIGHT FRIDAY

Two films on drugs, "Monkey on the Back" and "Narcotics, Why Not?" will be shown this Friday evening at the Church of Christ following a potluck supper at 7 p.m. If you are interested in learning more about this subject come and hear!

Services Easter Sunday will begin at 6 a.m. with a program presented by the High School Class followed by a light breakfast. Special program for the Sunday school hour will begin at 9:45 a.m. by the junior department of the Sunday School. Worship hour will be at the regular time, 11 a.m.

"The Seventh Commandment" was the sermon topic Sunday at the Church of Christ. Scripture reading was taken from Matthew 5:27-32 with special music by the Youth Fellowship. Greeters for the morning were Mr and Mrs Duane Bunce. Sunday evening there were no services at Duplain as there was a journey to First Church of Christ in Owosso to hear the cantata "Easter Song" by John W. Peterson presented by the Adult choir of the Henderson and First Church of Christ. A Linger Longer fellowship was held following the cantata.

ATTEND BANQUET Mrs Mildred Welshimer Phillips was the speaker Friday evening at the 15th Annual Women's Banquet sponsored by Great Lakes Bible College at the National Guard Armory in Lansing. "Jesus, Center of the Home, Church and College" was the topic Mrs Phillips chose as her theme. Attending the banquet were 1100 women from Michigan and surrounding states including 44 from the Church of Christ at Duplain.

Mr and Mrs Max Hott and family called Saturday on Mr and Mrs Theron Jessup and family, Mr and Mrs Elmer Mapes and Mrs Mary Petro in St. Louis. Mr and Mrs Burnham spent Wednesday with his parents, the Jeane Burnhams at Carp Lake.

## Going up

Employment generated by military expenditures—including military personnel and government employment—rose steadily from 5.8 million in fiscal year 1965 to 8.2 million in 1968 and leveled off in 1969 at 7.9 million.

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## But census-taker writes on

# Lights went out, roof blew off

The women of the Nation will play a large and vitally important role in the 1970 Census of Population and Housing, whether doing the counting or being counted.

Of the 160,000 enumerators (census takers) the Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce, is hiring for the census, about 90 per cent are expected to be women. Of the 12,000 crew leaders and the 13,000 office workers staffing the temporary local census offices across the country, well over half will be women. And according to calculations by Bureau officials, there will be more women than men counted in the census itself. Among the adult population (18 years and older), women may outnumber men by as much as five million.

In the past, it was usually the woman of the house who greeted the enumerator at the door and

answered the census questions for her family. Even when the husband was interviewed, a common observation of enumerators was that the wife was better informed, more knowledgeable about family matters than he. One enumerator commented: "There was not a single instance where the husband was able to answer all the questions without calling his wife."

But in the 1970 census many households will never see an enumerator. If you live in one of the larger metropolitan areas, you will receive the questionnaire for your household in the mail a few days before April 1, Census Day, be asked to fill it out and mail it back in a post-paid envelope provided. If you have filled out the questionnaire completely and legibly and mailed it back on Census Day or within a few days afterwards, no enumerator need call on you.

If you live in a rural area or in a smaller city or town, you

will also receive your questionnaire in the mail, and will be asked to fill it out on April 1 but you will be asked to hold it for pick-up by a census taker.

The Census Bureau has planned the 1970 census this way so that the questionnaire can be in the home for a few days and give everyone the opportunity to provide the correct answers about himself. Filling out the census questionnaire can be a joint family project, if husband and wife are so inclined.

What kind of a woman makes a successful enumerator? The Census Bureau says she has a warm, friendly nature, takes pride in doing a job well, is attentive to detail, and has the perseverance to stick to a task until it is done.

If you are free to work for a few weeks during April and may be into May, and you would like to earn some money doing an important job for your country, contact your local census office.

# Elsie

By MRS. NEVA KEYS, Correspondent

Mrs Laurence Peterson entered Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns Saturday evening for observation.

## FAIRFIELD HOBBY CLUB MEET

Mrs Ethel Williams was hostess to the Fairfield Hobby Club Thursday evening with 12 ladies present. Mrs Ilene Purves conducted the business session and dues were paid.

Some suggestions were made, such as, patio lanterns, felt birds, etc. At the next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs Gladys Purves, each member is asked to write down any ideas they might have.

Mrs Nellie Holton won the door prize and Mrs Lucile Winkler and Mrs Ilene Purves received birthday gifts. An exchange of jewelry was held, then members made attractive plaques out of barn wood. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs Ruby Dunham.

During the morning worship service of the United Methodist Church in Elsie, last Sunday, dedication services were held for a new Baldwin piano, given by Mrs Merle (Hope) Green and her grandson, Bryon Green, the son of Mr and Mrs Duane Green.

Dates of importance for the Elsie United Methodist Church in district and conference events: April 4, Methodist Men's State-wide Rally in Lansing; Spiritual Life Retreat for the Youth at Clear Lake Camp, April 4 and 5, sponsored by the Council on Youth Ministries; April 19, Music Workshop in Grand Rapids with the theme "Music in the Small Church"; April 26, Homecoming and Consecration Service for the sanctuary improvements (more dates to follow); April 29, WCS District Spring Rally at St. Johns; and District Conference, May 4 at Edmore, which will be attended by Rev Gordon Showers and church representatives for transaction of business relating to the district.

## VISITORS FROM FINLAND

Mr and Mrs Jorma Tallgren and son, Juha Pekka (John Peter in English) arrived in the United States Feb. 1 from Helsinki, Finland and are scheduled to return April 15.

Mrs Tallgren and son are spending two weeks with the A.W. Cobb family before returning to Chicago to join her husband who is on an extended business trip. Mr Tallgren is associated with the Ittala Glass Co., of Finland.

Mrs Tallgren will be remembered as the former Pirkko Kukkonen, who lived with the A. W. Cobb family seven years ago, as an exchange student and graduated here in 1962 from the Elsie High School. Two of the Cobb family, Shirley and Allan Cobb had previously visited Pirkko's family in Helsinki a few years ago.

Carl Moore, son of Mr and Mrs Robert Moore of Elsie graduated from Michigan State University Sunday, March 15. Following commencement, a reception in his honor was held at the Hospitality Inn for family and friends.

## NELLIE LOVER WEDS

Miss Nellie Lover of Bannister and Paul Cox of Saranac were married Saturday morning (Mar. 21) at the Galilee Baptist Church in Saranac by the Rev James Henry.

The couple was attended by Mr and Mrs Kenneth Adair, brother-in-law and sister of the groom, also of Saranac.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs Arthur Lover of rural Bannister.

The new Mr and Mrs Cox will live in Saranac. The bride, a graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School was employed at Hancock Industries in Elsie and the groom is employed in Belding.

The Duplain Church of Christ was represented by 40 women at the 15th annual Great Lakes Bible College Women's Banquet Friday, March 20 with many of the group from Elsie. The dinner and program were held at the Michigan National Guard Armory in Lansing. Special music was furnished by the G.L.B.C. instrumental ensembles and choir.

Mrs Mildred Welshimer Phillips gave the message "Jesus, the Center of the Home, Church and College" and President John P. Hasty gave several remarks outlining the long range development plans of the Great Lakes Bible College.

# Pewamo

By MRS. IRENE FOX, Correspondent—Phone 824-2021

Mrs Dorothy Parks attended a bridal shower Saturday afternoon March 14 for her oldest granddaughter, Ellen Kirvan of Maple Rapids. The shower was given by Mary Beth Upton and Opal Podolak at the home of Arlene Carr at Rainbow Lake.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth Parks were Saturday night March 14, dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Jack Parks and Scott of Ionia, Mr and Mrs Lauren Parks and family of Maple Rapids were also present.

Sunday afternoon and evening visitors of their parents, Mr and Mrs Clare Schneider were their mother, Mrs Louise Schneider, Mr and Mrs Bob Ringle and family of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Michael Schneider and family of Pewamo, Mr and Mrs Donald Schneider and family of Westphalia, Mr and Mrs Vern McQueen and family of rural Fowler and Mr and Mrs Nurenberg.

Mr and Mrs Jerry Pennington and family have moved into the home on 153 Lincoln St. recently vacated by Mr and Mrs Nickelson.

Andrew Walasky of Grand Rapids was a caller of Frank and Arnold Hattis Tuesday, March 16.

Mrs Robert Rock was admitted to the Carson City Hospital Wednesday afternoon, March 18 and scheduled for surgery Thursday, March 19.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Winkler of La Marida, Calif. arrived by plane to attend the funeral of his brother, Sylvester Winkler, June 14 is the date chosen for

St. Joseph's Parish picnic. May 11 Monday evening is the date for St. Joseph's Mother and Daughter Banquet.

Ralph and Maude Doane were dinner and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Dale Pearson and family at Fenwick. Mrs Florence Calkins sister of Ralph and Maude Doane was also present. In the afternoon they visited their mother's and brother's grave.

In the item in last week's Pewamo news about the Auction Sale 50 years ago by August Kramer, Kramer had several phone calls telling of articles they purchased at the sale at the home of Charles Birch west of Lyons. Such as a one horse cultivator which sold for \$1, a good price at that time. Kramer also received other letters about the sale, the following letter was from Roi Sykes of Ionia, stating he was the clerk at the Birch sale, which was his first auction sale. He also clerked for E. E. Siye, Helman and Chet Chandler which all started 50 years ago. Letters from out of state as far away as California and as near as Lyons, Ionia, Lansing reached Kramer. An interesting letter from Bill Wedge of Oldsmobile at Lansing was among the letters.

Mrs Freda Davarn entertained the pedro club at her home Tuesday, March 17.

Sunday afternoon visitors of Mrs Pauline Cook were Mrs Bertha Martin, Mrs Anna Cook and Mrs Louise Schneider.

Gregory Allen, son of Mr and Mrs David Kramer of 496 S.

State St., Pewamo arrived home Thursday from Carson City Hospital where he was born Saturday at 11:30 p.m. on March 14. He weighed 7 pounds and 15 ounces. Gregory has one brother, Brian, Mrs Kramer is the former Judy Kowers.

Many in this area are looking forward to the Ionia Jaycee Home and Sport Show which starts April 3-4-5 at the Auto and Merchant's Building on the Free Fair Grounds.

Mrs Pearl Hersch of W. Jefferson St., Pewamo has moved to St. Johns in an apartment. Mrs Hersch left Monday, March 16.

Altar Society meeting started with a potluck by the ladies of the Altar Society, Tuesday evening, March 17. The Shamrock and the green was the color scheme in the hall and on the table decoration. The speaker of the evening was Mrs Zerena Miller of Portland. Euchre was the entertainment for the evening following the business meeting. First in euchre was Mrs Rose Stump, consolation to Mrs Don Stump and leaping Lena to Mrs Richard Linn.

Mrs Julia Fox and daughter, Kathy of Carson City were Thursday visitors of Mrs Irene Fox. Mrs Julia Fox has received a recording of her son, Sp. 5 Roger A. Kohagen of Pusan, South Korea where he is stationed and is active in radio. The recording was real clear and distinct.

Sunday guests of Mrs Mary Wahl were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Ronald Motz and family of rural St. Johns.

Monday, March 16 the basement was dug for a new home on South State Street, Pewamo. Friday, March 20 a carry-in birthday dinner helped Mrs Grace Bissell celebrate her birthday which was March 20. Those attending were Mr and Mrs Richard Bissell and family, Mrs Douglas Jolls and Mrs Ortha Bissell all of Maple Rapids. The evening was spent reminiscing and wishing her many happy returns.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Gerald Lawens were Mr and Mrs Joseph Winkler of La Mirada, Calif. and Mr and Mrs Robert Rock and family of

Pewamo. Mrs Robert Rock was admitted to Carson City Hospital Monday, March 23 as a surgical patient.

Mrs Dolly Cook entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday March 22 for her grandson, Danny Cook son of Mr and Mrs Howard Cook. It was Danny's 8th birthday and family were guests.

Mrs Leone Hillbrandt called on Mrs Clara Schafer of Fowler. Mrs Clara Schafer is scheduled for surgery Tuesday, March 24, at the Carson City Hospital.

Mrs Leo Cook expects to spend Easter Sunday with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Virgil Pung and family of rural Ionia.

Mrs Grace Bissell expects to have Easter dinner with Mr and Mrs Bernard Vance and family.

Saturday visitor of Mr and Mrs Frank Ormiston of rural St. Johns was Mrs Laurine Schafer.

Mr and Mrs Norbert Fox and sons, Stephan, Alan, and Russell and daughter, Amy of Lansing were pre-Easter dinner and afternoon guests Sunday March 22 of their mother, Mrs Irene Fox.

Mrs Walter Sprague Sr and Mr Alton Messer of rural Ionia were Saturday callers of Frank and Arnold Hattis.

April land 2, Wednesday afternoon and all day Thursday, a quilting bee will be held at St. Joseph Hall. Those who can come please contact Mrs Raynold Smith.

Blue Star Mothers meeting will be April 1. Mrs James Cotter Sr. is the hostess.

Attending an Easter tea at the Methodist Church in Hubbardston Sunday afternoon were Mrs Grace Bissell, Mrs Ethel Gee, Mrs Elsie Vance and Miss Ruth Swindt.

Cindy Redmar of East Jordan, Linda Crambell of Owosso, Kathryn Schlemmer of Grand Lodge, Mary McCormick of Pewamo and Kathy Bengel of Westphalia left for a trip to Miami, Fla. Saturday morning.

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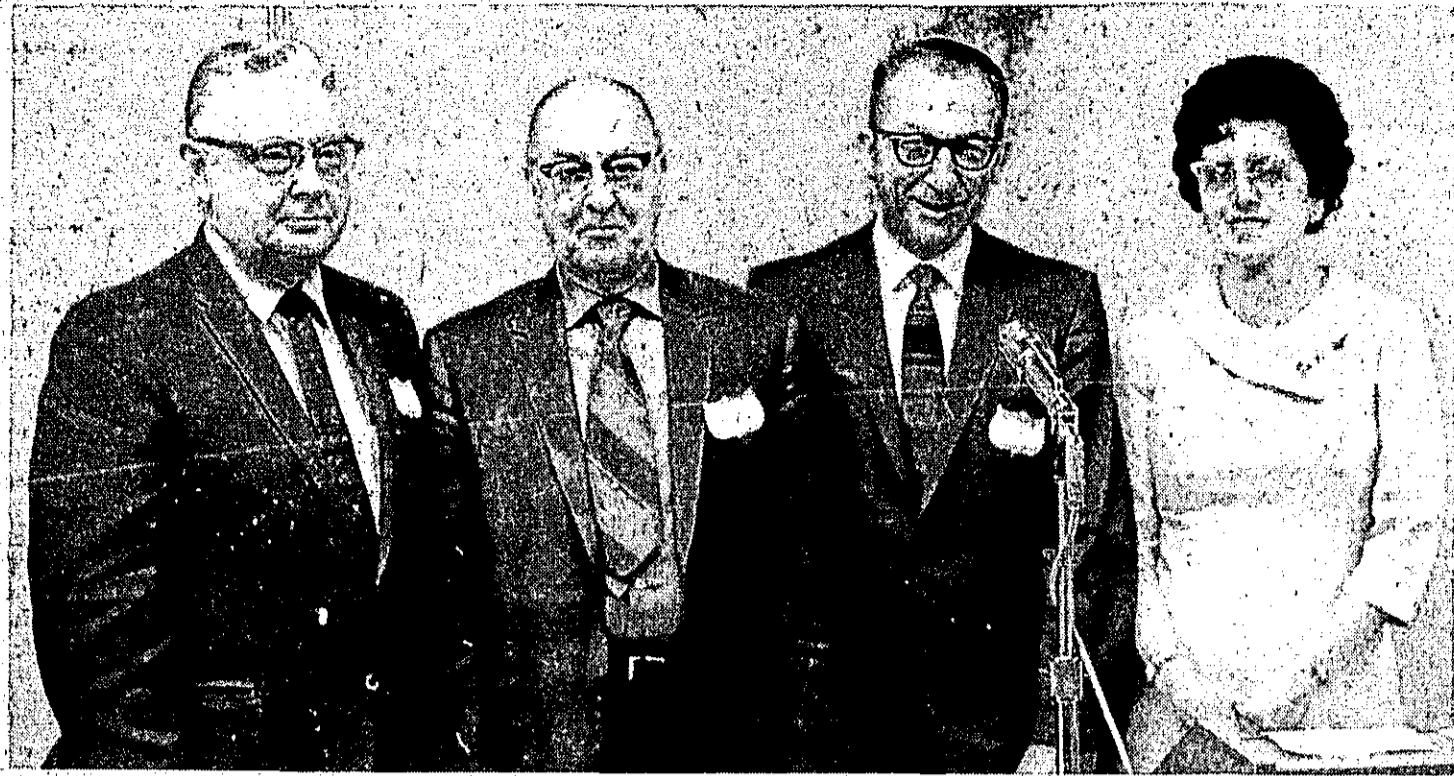
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Honored for more than 25 years service with the Clinton National Bank were Fred Tiedt, Arden Cook, John Rumbaugh and Irene Speck. Vera Martin who also has more than 25 years with the bank was absent.



Mrs. Jean Pardike, secretary and new account receptionist, was named Mrs Clinton National Bank at the bank's Awards Dinner. Mrs Pardike will represent the bank at community functions during the year 1970.



Gayle Desprez congratulates Virginia Shawnee on being chosen Outstanding Teller of the Year. Miss Shawnee received her award at a dinner held for employees last week.

### Now's time for directory corrections

General Telephone customers in Ashley and Pompell who wish to make corrections or additions to the directory can now call the company's business office, W. Graef, district Manager for the company, said today.

"We're compiling information for our new directory now and want to assure that residential and business customers have an opportunity to change their listings," Graef said.

He said General Telephone directory company sales representatives will contact business customers within the next few days to insure that they have an opportunity to review and discuss their Yellow Pages listings.

The publication and distribution date for the new directory will be announced later, he said.

### Sewer fee is eliminated

In an effort to encourage persons with sewer problems to get them fixed, Mid-Michigan Health Department has eliminated the \$5 permit fee to make changes to existing residences.

Sewage permits for new residences now cost \$10 while additions, replacements and modifications may now be made to sewage systems in existing residences without charge.

"We've got a lot of problems with people running their sewage into the ditch," says Darwin Root, sanitarian for Mid-Michigan Health Department in Clinton County.

Root explained that some people have septic systems which failed, or they have no systems at all. This results in raw sewage entering ditches and county drains.

People with such sewage problems can go to the health department who will design adequate systems free of charge.

In the past seven months the health department has corrected roughly 100 faulty septic tanks and drain fields in the county.

# Notice of Annual TOWNSHIP MEETINGS

## CLINTON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

In accordance with Michigan statutes, the undersigned Clerks of the Townships listed below give notice of Annual Meetings of Township Electors to be held in their respective townships at the times specified on

# SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1970

Budget and financial statements for the year may be inspected and will be reviewed. Discussion will be held on such other township matters as may properly be considered at the Annual Meeting. Copies of the Budget are also available for inspection at the office of each of the undersigned Township Clerks.

### Bengal Township

At the Town Hall at 1:30 p.m.  
RUDOLPH MOHNKE  
Clerk

### Bingham Township

At Town Hall 1:30 p.m.  
BARBARA DAVIS  
Clerk

### Dallas Township

At the Town Hall at 1:00 p.m.  
JOSEPHINE GOERGE  
Clerk

### DeWitt Township

At Town Hall No. 2 780 Wieland Rd. - 2 p.m.  
OLIVER S. ANGELL  
Clerk

### Duplain Township

At the Twp. Office at the Elsie Library at 1:00 p.m.  
KELLEY E. CARTER  
Clerk

### Eagle Township

At the Town Hall at 8:00 p.m.  
LARRY L. DAVIS  
Clerk

### Essex Township

At the Village Hall in Maple Rapids at 1:00 p.m.  
VERN UPTON  
Clerk

### Greenbush Township

At the Town Hall at 1:30 p.m.  
GLADYS HANKEY  
Clerk

### Lebanon Township

At the Town Hall at 1 p.m.  
PAUL GRAFF JR.  
Clerk

### Olive Township

At the Township Hall 1:00 p.m.  
AGATHA LYON  
Clerk

### Riley Township

At the Town Hall at 1:30 p.m.  
ELMER W. MARTEN  
Clerk

### Victor Township

At the Town Hall at 1:30 p.m.  
MANLEY HUNT  
Clerk

### Westphalia Township

At the Town Hall at 2 p.m.  
ALFRED B. SNITGEN  
Clerk

### Ovid Township

Ovid Village Hall -1:30 p.m.  
MARIE DePOND  
Clerk

## Clinton National honors employes

Clinton National Bank and Trust Co. held its first annual awards dinner to honor various employes for their years of service or for exceptional service.

Mrs. Jean Pardike was named Mrs. Clinton National Bank. She was selected by a panel of officers for her efforts with the bank which have gone beyond the demands of her position.

Mrs. Pardike has held various positions at the bank since 1966 and is currently a secretary and new account receptionist. She and her husband Carl reside at 200 1/2 Prospect, St. Johns.

She is active on bank committees and has completed American Institute of Banking courses. A graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School, she attended Central Michigan University.

In 1970 she will represent the bank at various community functions. She was awarded a ring especially designed for the bank to be awarded each year to the winner of the honor. She also received a trophy and a bouquet of roses.

Miss Shirley Lake, as first runner-up also received a bouquet of roses.

Miss Virginia Shawnee was named Outstanding Teller of the Year. She was chosen for her accuracy, character, performance and co-operation in her position.

Miss Shawnee has been with the bank since 1965 and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shawnee, 206 East State, St. Johns. She is a graduate of Pittsburg High School, Pittsburg, Kan.

She is active on bank committees and has completed two American Institute of Banking Courses.

As Teller of the Year her name will be engraved on a plaque to be displayed at the bank. She received a cash award, a small trophy and a bouquet of roses.

Brandon White, administrative vice-president, presented awards to the following for one to four years of service: Edith Archer, Roger Beebe, Duane Bunce, Mary Ann Cook, Gaylord Desprez, Ella Dilts, Mike Everts, Shirley Farrier, Sandra Jones, Stan Loznak, Connie Lundy, Betty Mankey, Susan Miller, Willis Mygrants, Thomas Nemick, Jean Pardike, Nancy Rutkowski, Shirley Saylor, Virginia Shawnee, Doris Strouse, Marlene Werner, E.T. White Jr., and Charles Mathews.

John Rumbaugh, executive vice-president, presented awards to those with five to nine years service as follows: Gladys Baker, Victor Brya, Dennis Fiegel, Helen Fowler, Betty Hansen, Shirley Lake, Vivian Ott, Gwen Papciak, Betty Rdemacher, John Rademacher, Helen Studer and Geraldine Workman.

President Ink White presented awards to employees for service of 10 years or longer and especially honored five employees with more than 25 years of service. They were Arden Cook, 28 years; Vera J. Martin, 28 years; John A. Rumbaugh, 34 years; Irene Speck, 38 years and Fred Tiedt, 44 years.

Other employees receiving awards from White were Grace Cook, Gayle Desprez, Charles Huntington, Lester Jenkins, Jeanne Loomis, Paul Schueller

### Clinton GOP invites Roe

Jerry D. Roe of Lansing, Executive Director of the Republican State Central Committee of Michigan, was the guest speaker Tuesday at the meeting of the Clinton County Republican Committee.

Roe discussed involvement in politics, the attraction of new people to political activity and the 1970 campaigns.

The meeting, scheduled for 7:30 p.m., will be held in the Central National Bank Building, St. Johns.

As a rule an ounce of prevention amounts to a pound of useless worry for the future.

and, Wilma Stichele, for 10, Dor 14 years of service. Dorothy Mygrants for 15 years of service and Charles Halfman for 20 years of service.

## Thrifty Fare for EASTER Feasts

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**HAMS** lb. 65¢  
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Food King SALAD DRESSING qt. 35¢  
Taylor SWEET POTATOES can 29¢  
Shurline-16-oz. CRANBERRY SAUCE can 23¢  
Baker's-8 oz. COCONUT pkg. 39¢

Borden's Clover Club **ICE CREAM**  
1/2 Gal. 59¢  
BORDEN'S (Mix or Match)  
\*Half Pint Whip Cream  
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SPARTAN PINEAPPLE 20-oz. Can 2 for 69¢  
STRAWBERRIES SPARTAN FROZEN Pkg. 39¢

**POTATOES** MAIN 10 lbs. 69¢  
VINE RIPE TOMATOES lb. 35¢ CALIF. NAVEL ORANGES 113 size Doz. 59¢  
CELLO-1-lb. FRESH CARROTS 2/25¢ PINEAPPLE 3/\$1

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**DRIVERS WANTED!** Train now to drive semi-truck, local and over the road. You can earn over \$4 per hour, after short training. For interview and application, call 419-243-4053 or write Safety Dept., Nationwide Systems, Inc., c/o Duff Terminal Building, 215 City Park Avenue, Toledo, Ohio. 46302. 46-3p

**WANTED:** Two strong young men who enjoy exerting themselves vigorously to earn, while they learn landscaping. Phone 224-2766 after 5 p.m. 47-4p

**WANTED:** Experienced waitress to work 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Phone 224-9946 for appointment. 47-3p

**PART-TIME:** Earn \$400-\$1,000 per month **PART TIME** servicing displays of our product in your county. Must have dependable car or station wagon. \$1,480 required for inventory, etc. (secured.) This business can eventually lead to full time income in excess of \$25,000 per year. For further details on this exceptional opportunity, phone or write Mr Art Edwards TODAY: UNICHEM, INC., Corporation Building, 614 W. Brown Deer Road, Milwaukee, Wis. 53217. Phone (414) 351-1100. 41-12p

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**★ WANTED EMPLOYMENT**

**NEED HELP** for those after school, on weekends or summer jobs? Employ a **STUDENT!** Student employer Aide, c/o Bruce Weber, Fowler High School, Fowler, Mich. 48835, or phone 582-2677 between 5 and 7 p.m. 47-1p

**WANTED:** Livestock and grain hauling. Phone 224-4730. Ray Vitek. 46-6p

**★ WANTED MISCELLANEOUS**

**TIMBER WANTED:** Logs and standing timber. Logs delivered to our yard. **DEVEREUX SAWMILL, INC.**, 2872 N. Hubbardston Road, Pawamao, Michigan. Phone 824-3101. 40ft

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**FOR SALE:** 4 Siamese Kittens and 2 guinea pigs. All 8 weeks old. Phone 224-7587. 47-3p

**7 AKC REGISTERED** St. Bernards; 2 males and 5 females for sale. 5 weeks old. Phone 838-4494, Pompeii. 45-3p

**WANTED:** Homes for 6 Labrador Retriever - Beagle puppies. **FREE**. 11156 W. Clinton, Fowler. 46-3p

**★ FOR SALE MISC.**

**FOR SALE:** Walton vibrator belt, heavy duty. Salon-type. Phone 224-2458 afternoons. 45-1p

**FOR SALE:** Kenmore dryer. Good condition. Phone 224-4743. 46-dhtf

**FOR SALE:** Hoover washer-spln dryer, washes a load in 4 minutes, requires only 10 gallons of water, takes only 3 sq. ft. of floor space. New and used models. **GOWER'S - EUREKA Hardware, Grain elevator, Farm equipment and supplies. Bottled gas, plumbing and heating.** 46-6

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**REMEMBER** the record. They call me Shadrack. There is now a state-wide wholesale and retail carpet laying service. Guaranteed by Mel Smith, Phone Perry, 625-7121 for information. All work guaranteed. 46-3p

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**CAMPERS—PICKUP COVERS—** Travel Trailers and Equipment - Rentals, Sales and Service. Wing Mfg. and Sales, 5349 Wisner Rd., 1/2 mile west and 1 3/4 north of Ashley. Phone 847-3171. 45-ft

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**EXCELLENT**, efficient, economical, Blue Lustre carpet cleaner. Rent electric shampoer \$1. Alan R. Dean Hardware, downtown St. Johns. 47-1

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- 2 Ford 5000 Commanders LP 1900
- Ford 6000 D 2100
- Case 830 D 1975
- 2 Massey Ferguson 65 Diesels with Multi-power ea. 1900
- 2 J.D. 730, 1 gas, 1 diesel ea. 1900
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**CARPET:** 100% continuous filament nylon, rubber wafflepad. 12 x 15 installed—\$123. Commercial rubber back nylon, \$4.95 sq. yd. Town and Country Carpets, 822 W. Main St., Owosso. Phone 725-8169. 44-ft

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**FOR SALE:** 2 shallow well jet pumps, \$35 and \$75. Phone 651-5494, Laingsburg. 45-3p

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**★ FOR SALE MISC. FARM**

**FOR SALE:** Baled mixed hay. Phone 862-4820, Elsie. 45-3p

**FOR SALE:** 400 bales straw. Daniel Thelen, phone 587-6825, Westphalia. 45-3p

**FOR SALE:** 2-16.5x38 tires and tubes, suitable for dump trucks. Bower, phone 824-3161, Pawamao. 46-3p

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**MAMMOTH** and plowdown clover seed for sale. Phone 224-4428 after 4 p.m. 46-3p

**ON THE FARM—TIRE SERVICE.** Phone Collect St. Johns 224-7900; **FARMERS PETROLEUM.** 38-ft

**500 BALES** alfalfa hay for sale. 2 1/2 miles west of Maple Rapids. Phone 682-4395, Max Loudenbeck. 46-3p

**FOR SALE:** International 444 tractor, 35 h.p., 3 plow size, with manure loader. New and used models. **GOWERS - EUREKA**, International Harvester Dealer. Phone 224-2953. 46-6

**FOR SALE:** 3-16 inch Allis Chalmers flat bottom plow, ALSO registered Holstein bull, Gerald J. Thelen, 3 1/2 miles east of Westphalia. Phone 587-3787. 46-3p

**FOR SALE:** 700 pounds crushed alfalfa hay, 350 bales first-cutting and 350 bales second-cutting. Phone 582-2363 after 5 p.m. 46-3p

**FOR SALE:** Baled wheat straw; also cord wood. Phone 862-5220, Elsie. 47-3p

**FOR SALE:** Lundell green chopper. Direct cut. Eugene Thelen, 1/2 mile north of Fowler. 47-3p

**FOR SALE:** Belt pulley attachment, side mounted for International Farmall 400, 450, 480 and 560 tractors. Gower's, Eureka, Phone 224-2953, 40-10

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Variety	Per 100	Per 500	Per 1,000	Amount
	Trees	Trees	Trees	Money
Red Pine	\$3	\$12	\$20	
Austrian Pine	4	16	25	
White Pine	4	16	25	
White Spruce	4	17	28	
Colorado Blue Spruce	8	25	45	
Scotch Pine (French Blue)	4	15	24	
White Cedar	7.50	21	39	
Carpathian				
Walnuts	2.00 ea.			

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FURNITURE 47-1

**GALLOWAY AUCTION CALENDAR**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1970.** Starting at 11:00 a.m. Sharp. Janson Equipment Co., inventory reduction, Reese, Mich.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 1970.** 11:00 a.m. Sharp. Hettler Motor Sales, St. Johns. Trucks, trailers and etc.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1970.** 10:30 a.m. 3 miles south of Onaway, Mich., on M-33, east 3 miles on Three Mile Road to Rainey River Road, south 1/2 mile on west side.  
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JEAN-Okay. The deed's been done. What now? -Harry. 47-1p

DANCE to our new band every Friday and Saturday. Music by the Country Duce and Daveners, H & H Lounge, downtown St. Johns. 46-3p

Please remove all winter decorations from the Union Home Cemetery by Apr. 1. -Elmira Morrison, secretary. 47-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

I wish to thank Drs Russell and Grost, nurses and other hospital personnel for the good care I received; Fr Hankerd for his visits; also my family, relatives and friends for their cards, visits, flowers and other deeds of kindness shown to me and my family while in the hospital and since my return home. -Margaret Dershem. 47-1p

I wish to thank Drs Russell and Stephenson, nurses and aides or their care, Rev Courser for his visits, also neighbors, and friends for the flowers, visits and get well and birthday cards while I was in the hospital. A special thanks to Annette Andrews for the birthday cake and taking care of my mail. -Mrs Ruth Ely. 47-1p

★ IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our wife mother and grandmother, Ethel Keck, who passed away 6 years ago, Mar. 28.

We who loved you sadly miss you, As it dwains another year. In our lonely hours of thinking, Thoughts of you are ever near. -Her family. 47-1p

★ GARAGE SALES

EVERYTHING goes! Guns, dishes, furniture, roll-a-way, antiques, tools, chevy van seats. Call anytime this week. 112 S. Morton, phone 224-3664. 47-1p

★ LEGAL NOTICES

Claims Buck-June 3 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of BLANCHE R. BUCK, Deceased The Court Orders: Hearing on claims on June 3, 1970 at 10:30 A.M. at the Probate Court, Court House, St. Johns, Michigan. Creditors must file sworn statement of claim with court, send copy to Harold S. Beardslee, fiduciary, 104 N. Main Street, Ovid, Michigan. Publication in The Clinton County News and notice according to Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. Dated: March 19, 1970 By: Helena M. Burk Registrar of Probate Attorney: Ellis J. Bowler Bowler Bldg., 109 N. Saginaw St. Durand, Michigan 48429

Farm decline

Rural residents engaged in farming today are far outnumbered by those employed in manufacturing, services, and other jobs typical of any city. Only about one-fourth of all rural residents are farm people.

Cow comeback

Michigan's beef cow population has started a comeback. From a high of 214,000 female animals in mid 1960s, the number dropped to 163,000 in 1968, Michigan State University animal specialists report. The 1970 estimate is 193,000, highest since 1966.

Electric eggs?

One-half cent of what you pay for a dozen eggs produced on a modern Michigan poultry farm goes for electricity. Michigan State University research shows egg production farms have substituted electricity for labor to cut production costs.

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★ LEGAL NOTICES ORDINANCE NO. 230 AN ORDINANCE TO VACATE A CERTAIN ALLEY WITHIN THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS. PASSED, ORDAINED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED THIS DAY OF BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS, AT A REGULAR MEETING ON SAID DATE. ROBERT H. WOOD, Mayor. ADOPTION OF THE ABOVE ORDINANCE WAS MOVED BY COMMISSIONER Coletta AND SUPPORTED BY COMMISSIONER Grost. A ROLL CALL VOTE WAS TAKEN AND THOSE VOTING "YEA" WERE COMMISSIONERS Hannah Grost Wood Rand Coletta AND VOTING "NAY" WERE COMMISSIONERS None. THE ORDINANCE WAS ADOPTED. Section 3. Easement Retained. Notwithstanding the vacation of said alley, the City of St. Johns retains for itself, for the benefit of the public, an easement under, over and across said vacated premises for the installation, maintenance and repair of any drains, sewer, water pipes, gas pipes, electric



# St. Johns High to offer six courses this summer

A total of six courses are to be offered by St. Johns High School during the summer.

Four of the courses will cost \$20 each—American Government, Consumer Economics, Communication Arts Reading Course, and College Composition, while two others—Power Mechanics and Carpentry will cost \$37.50 each. A \$10 deposit is required with applications,

which are available at the high school office.

Bill Swears, assistant principal emphasized that the courses would only be offered provided sufficient people sign up to meet costs.

He said students at the high school had already been notified of the summer school program but that other persons in the county, interested in taking the

courses should apply by March 27.

The six courses are:

—POWER MECHANICS will meet Monday through Friday, June 22 to July 31, from 8 a.m. to 12 noon, and will be worth one credit. The course is intended for Juniors and Seniors who wish to go into a Vocational auto mechanics program. Sophomores will be permitted if space is available.

—CARPENTRY will meet Monday through Friday, June 22 to July 31, from 1 to 5 p.m., and will be worth one credit. It is intended for Juniors and Seniors who wish to go into a vocational building trades program. Sophomores will be permitted if space is available.

—AMERICAN GOVERNMENT will meet Monday through Friday, June 22 to July 28, from 8:15 to 10:15 a.m., and will be worth one-half credit. The course is open to those who have completed their Junior year.

—CONSUMER ECONOMICS will meet Monday through Friday, June 22 to July 28, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., and will be worth one-half credit. The course is open to those who have completed their Junior year.

—COMMUNICATION ARTS READING COURSE will meet for five weeks, five days a week. The exact time will be determined at a later date. The purpose of the course is to strengthen certain basic skills heavily emphasized in college.

—COLLEGE COMPOSITION will meet five days a week for five weeks at a time to be specified later. The course will attempt to raise writing technique to a college level, and will include organization, research note taking, study methods and essays. The class will visit colleges and college professors will visit the class.



CURIOUS SAVAGE

Students from St. Johns High School participated in an all-class production, last weekend, "The Curious Savage." The production was a comedy about a newly rich widow whose children commit her to an institution so she won't give her inheritance away. She meets several "social misfits" who are interested in her and not her money. From left, are Beth Stork, Barb Eaton, Jamie Bargar, Quenton Kuntz and Carol Yurek.

## Survey Casualty

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Lansing simply stated, "I'm not in favor of it."

The undecideds, like those in opposition, also numbered three, but their comments were more extended.

"It seems like we have so many taxes right now and every-one needs more money," opined Mrs. William Purchase, 507 E. Higham. "I'm undecided."

"Well, I don't know if it will pass," said Mrs. Gayle Vauconsant, 509 S. Baker. "The way taxes are going up... I haven't made up my mind yet."

MRS. ROGER Heathman, 803 E. Cass, explained that "I haven't read too much about it so I had better not assess my opinion."

Another who had not heard about it was Mrs. John Ordway, 109 E. Lincoln who reserved comment.

In general, of the seventeen contacted, most registered an awareness of the financial difficulties of the city. Reaction for the most part seemed to be well summed up in the words of Mrs. William Vitous, 501 E. State who said:

"I think something has to be done. While I'm not really in favor of it I will be voting yes."

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March 19 south of Danang. Nine others on the same vehicle were also killed.

Funeral services are pending at the Houghton Chapel in Ovid with Rev. Robert Prange.

The youth was a graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School in 1969 and enlisted in the U.S. Army early in July, 1969. He left for Vietnam on Jan. 11.

He was born Oct. 30, 1951 and was a member of the Grove Bible Church.

Besides his parents he is survived by three brothers; Ricky and Robert at home, and William of Ovid; and two grandmothers, Mrs. Florence Harris of Flint and Mrs. Lettie Sloat of Ovid.

## Drop-ins, now

The typical person enrolled in the Federal Work Incentive Program is a school dropout. Thirty-one per cent of all enrollees have completed only eight or less years of schooling and another 41 per cent have not completed high school.

A very high percentage of the people who have emphysema smoke cigarettes.

# Students, parents examine St. Johns course offerings

Beginning Friday and continuing for approximately a month after spring vacation the students in grades 10 and 11 at St. Johns High School and ninth graders from Rodney B. Wilson Junior High will be investigating course offerings and selecting classes for the 1970-71 school year, announced C. Gordon Vandemark, principal.

"Because we feel that every student needs as much information as he can acquire pertaining to the class offerings and the programs of study here at the St. Johns High School we will be providing the following program of events," said Vandemark:

Friday, (March 27) an entire morning will be devoted to an orientation program for 10th and 11th graders.

A 50-page booklet which contains policy, regulations, programs of study and other information necessary to the students and their parents will be distributed.

Guidance counselors will then outline the events of the day and give a detailed explanation

of the scheduling process. Immediately following spring vacation the Guidance Counselors will then pre-enroll these students.

The seniors on this day will be devoting the morning to two very timely topics—drugs and ecology—with resource people on hand to lead these discussions. Roger Davis, Senior class president, is in charge of the program.

## Horse Day returns to Farm Week

Horse Day, a Farmers' Week program discontinued in 1957, has been revived and will be held today (March 25) on the Michigan State University campus.

"Horse Day aims to meet the needs of a rapidly expanding light horse industry in Michigan," according to Dr. David Olson, extension veterinarian and coordinator of the program.

This year's program will feature tours of the MSU horse barns, horse care and management demonstrations and talks by two horse experts.

# It'll cost money Don't send husbands to the super market

By HELEN B. MEACH Extension Home Economist

If inflation bugs you, don't just beef and bear it. Do something! Take your cue from the decade of the 1930's when everyone watched their pennies.

You shopped smart, compared prices, passed up what you really didn't need, bargain-hunted, and made good use of what you had on hand.

If you did the same today, with incomes so much higher, you'd actually make money because every saved dollar is a full dollar, whereas the earned dollar is reduced by federal, state and city income tax deductions.

Here are a few guidelines for tax-free savings.

Buy only what you planned to buy when you go to the store. If you spot something you want desperately, go home and think about it for a few days. The urge to splurge may pass. Since men are greater impulse buyers

than women, don't send your husband out for the groceries.

In fact, two can't shop as cheaply as one. The biggest spenders of all are husband-wife combinations and they average \$13.81 per shopping tour, a recent survey revealed. Women shopping along average \$8.25 each shopping trip.

You'll be dollars ahead if you substitute lower-cost fish, cheese or egg dishes a couple of times a week for red meat which accounts for 25 per cent of all you pay for food.

And you won't be compromising on nutrition, for these foods have essentially the same protein value as meat.

Convenience foods such as prepared potatoes, pre-chopped onions, or frozen specialties save time at the expense of money. If you're willing to exchange time for savings, do so.

According to the Department of Agriculture, about 10 per cent of food calories the average family buys ends up in the garbage.

## Kincaid District

By ROSALYN PARKS, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner and children visited Mr and Mrs Donald Potts Sunday evening.

Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner visited Stuart Hardenburg and Mr and Mrs Elmer Hardenburg Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner and girls visited Mrs Harold Hoerner Friday afternoon.

Monday afternoon Mrs Harold Hoerner visited Mr and Mrs George Sargent.

Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer visited Mrs Lillian Halndel of Lansing, Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs George Balmer were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Walter Klingbell of Lansing.

Cap Parks of Lansing was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and girls and he also visited Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer. Lee Schaevel of St. Johns was a dinner guest also.

St. Johns was a dinner guest also.

Mr and Mrs Ronald Espie and son of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Melvin Roberts and Debra and Tracey Espie also visited Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn Sunday.

Grace Sullivan visited Mrs Winnifred Hahn Saturday.

Mrs William Staines of St. Johns accompanied Mrs Porter Parks to the St. Johns High School play, Friday evening.

Mrs Joe Binklev of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Edward Fuhr, also Mr and Mrs W. D. Snapp of Mason visited last week.

Mr and Mrs Ed Fuhr visited Mrs Marion Lynde of Lansing, daughter of Mrs Fuhr, who was injured in a snowmobile accident last weekend.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Sherman of Grand Ledge were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Donald Sullivan and family.

# Several break-ins reported in Clinton

Two break-ins were reported to the Clinton County Sheriff's Department on March 20.

Thieves apparently entered Patterson and Sons Agriculture Implements on East M-21 during the night of March 19-20 and escaped with \$4000 in equipment and cash.

Missing the next morning were a 1965 Chevrolet pickup truck, two lawn and garden tractors, two rotary mowers, a universal battery and \$45 in cash.

The truck was recovered the next day in Bath Township near the Shiawassee County Line.

William Handy of 1424 Cutler reported that his house was broken into March 17 and 18. A \$150 stereo tape deck was stolen on the 17th and a \$35 power tool was missing on the 18th.

William Elsea reported to the St. Johns Police on March 11 that tools valued at \$233 had been stolen from him.

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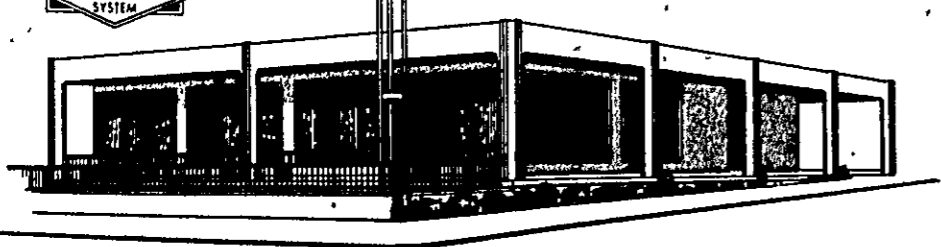
Tim is a member of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled American Veterans, State Bar Association, American Bar Association, Knights of Columbus and the St. Joseph Church.

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# Clinton Dems allocate 111 delegates in precincts

The Clinton County Democratic Committee last week determined that a total of 111 delegates may be elected from 26 precincts in the county.

In allocating the number of precinct delegates, the committee based its decision on the twin principles of one-man, one vote and proportional representation advocated at a party political reform convention last January in Detroit.

The reform convention called for precinct delegates to be apportioned according to the number of votes cast in the precinct for the party's candidate for President at the most recent national election, with guidelines to be established by the Democrat State Central Committee.

In its February meeting the Democrat State Central Committee established the formula of one precinct delegate for every 50 to 300 votes cast for the 1968 presidential candidate within that precinct, with every precinct having at least one delegate.

In order to have as many delegates as possible, the Clinton County Democratic Committee adopted the ratio of one delegate for every 50 votes cast.

This formula provides for the 111 delegate positions to be apportioned as follows:

- OLIVE**  
-Four delegates
- OVID**  
-Precinct One, four delegates  
-Precinct Two, two delegates
- RILEY**  
-Two delegates
- VICTOR**  
-Four delegates
- WATERTOWN**  
-Precinct One, four delegates  
-Precinct Two, four delegates
- WESTPHALIA**  
-Four delegates
- CITY OF DEWITT**  
-Four delegates
- ST. JOHNS**  
-Precinct One, six delegates

-Precinct Two, seven delegates

In other business, the committee:

- Voted to send \$10 for a door prize at the luncheon sponsored by the Michigan Federation of Democratic Women as a part of the Jefferson-Jackson Day celebration, April 25.
- Decided to start circulation precinct delegate petitions at the next meeting.
- Discussed possible candidates for county supervisors and other offices to be filled in the November General Election.
- Set the next meeting for 8 p.m., Monday, April 13.

## Two Michigan events among 20 best in U.S.

Two Michigan community events have been listed among the top 20 travel events in the nation by the National Association of Travel Organizations, according to William T. McGraw, Michigan Tourist Council director.

Sharing top honors for the month of May, the Highland Festival and Games, Alma, May 23, is billed as the largest Scottish event held outside Scotland. Activities for the day include highland dancing, pipe and drum contests and traditional Scottish athletic events.

Also listed among the top 20, Frankenmuth's Bavarian Festival, June 14 - 20, is a display of the Bavarian culture and heritage.

### 4-H Chatter



Verna Peck, Jo Ann Kanaski and Harry Moldenhauer of the Nimble Finger 4-H Club participated in the State-wide 4-H Entomology Leader's Workshop at Camp Kett Mar. 12 and 13. At this workshop they had the opportunity to share ideas with other leaders and learn about new projects and programs in the entomology field from Michigan State University Resource Personnel.

One new project will be on spiders where members can learn to identify and learn about spiders. The only known poisonous spider in Michigan is the Northern Widow Spider. Another new project is the study of soil born insects and their habitat.

### Mail

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speaking publicly on the strike.

"It's better we don't comment," said one postmaster.

One postal worker who did comment was Alice Simeon, a clerk in the Ovid Post Office.

"I think they had to go out to draw attention to themselves," she said about the New York workers on strike.

"I also think they ought to go back to work now."

She felt that wage levels for postal workers in a large city like New York should be higher than in rural communities like Ovid.

"There ought to be some kind of cost of living bonus," she said.

She also said that the use of troops by the President might "lead to violence" because of the large numbers of minority groups who are postal employees in the large cities.

Methodist Church, Elizabeth and Cathy Ensign, sisters of the Linda Ensign assisted at the guest table. Aunts of the groom served refreshments. Mr and Mrs Ensign returned Monday morning to their home in Kansas.

Several from Bannister attended the last Lenten Service at Ovid United Church Sunday evening. The film "The Gospel According to St. Matthew" was seen.

### MEETINGS

St. Johns TOPS Club met in the community room of the Clinton National Bank on March 12 with eight members and three guests present. Adeline Dershem recorded the 16 1/2 pounds lost and 4 1/2 pounds gained by the membership.

Election of officers was held and the officers for next year are Adeline Dershem, leader; Dorothy Wager, co-leader; Gladys Mayers, secretary; Edith Kaufman, treasurer; Alice Argersinger, weight recorder; Mary Masarik, assistant weight recorder.

Door prize was drawn by Alice Argersinger and the mystery package was won by Dorothy Wager.

The group met again on March 19 with nine members and two guests present. Weight losses of 14 pounds and gain of two pounds were recorded.

Queen of the Week was Carolyn Ladsky.

### Bannister

By Mrs Robert Valentine  
Phone 862-4342

The United Methodist Youth Fellowship of Bannister provided the program for the regular meeting of the Bannister WSCS. Pat Terrell led the hymns and Yvonne Libbertin read the scripture and gave devotions. Vicki Valentine, Wanda Libbertin, James Stewart and Matthew Peck showed slides of their United Nations Washington Seminar.

Mrs Mildred Bradley conducted the business meeting. Roll call found 20 members and 10 guests present.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs Wayne Walters, Mrs Thomas Moore and Mrs Floyd Glowney. Mr and Mrs Albert Ensign and family held a wedding reception for Mr and Mrs Larry Ensign of Kansas City, Kansas, Sunday afternoon at the Bannister United



LOOK WHO'S MUGGING

This is the entire "stuck up" Crocker family in rehearsal and you can meet them all (in character) April 16 and 18 when St. Johns' First Nighters present "Look Who's Laughing" at Rodney B. Junior High School auditorium. Front row: "Mame" and "Henry", portrayed by Joanne Gentry and John Bradley. Back row: "Barbara", "Grandma" and "Jonie", played by Terresa Smith, Carla Vincent and Nancy Gentry.

tage of the Frankenmuth area. The festival features German food, arts and crafts, singing and dancing.

These and more than 200 other spring-summer community events appear in the latest edition of the Michigan Calendar of Events, available free of charge from the Michigan Tourist Council, Stevens T. Mason Building, Lansing 48926.

## Ballenger seeks views of constituents

State Rep. William S. Ballenger requests all citizens in Clinton County who received his recent legislative questionnaire through the mail to fill it out and return it as soon as possible.

Ballenger said that so far only about one home out of six which received his questionnaire has responded.

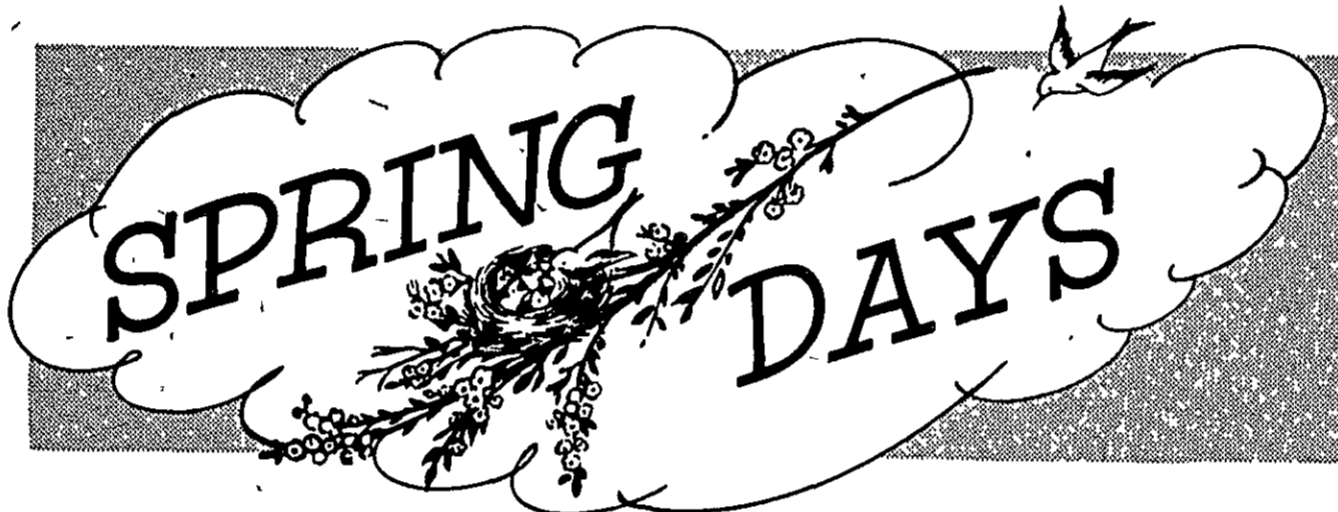
"I'll never know how my constituents feel about some of the key issues facing us here in Lansing unless they take advantage of this opportunity to give me their opinion," he said.

Ballenger added that anyone who would like a questionnaire should write him in care of the State Capitol in Lansing and he will be glad to fill their request.

**Individual Taxpayers Ask IRS**

Q—Our summer home was damaged in a wind storm last summer. Will we be able to take a casualty loss deduction for this even if we haven't repaired the damage?

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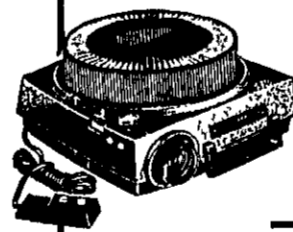
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# Williamson promoted to FB district post

## Child poisoning is serious problem, says U-M doctor

In 1954-55 Williamson was state vice president of the FFA and is a 1954 graduate of Sandusky High School. He is a member of the Methodist Church of St. Johns and resides with his wife Sharon Kaye and three children at 300 N. Kibbee.

Romig has been assistant manager at St. Johns for the past nine years. Prior to this he spent ten years with the Grand Blanc Cooperative in Sales and Service. He was manager of the Leslie Cooperative from 1957-60.

He is a member of the First Baptist Church in St. Johns and resides with his wife Donna and six children at 107 S. Swegles.

John Williamson, manager of the St. Johns Cooperative has been appointed as District Manager of the Farm Bureau Services retail division, effective March 30.

The Board of Directors at the St. Johns Cooperative has named Art Romig as acting manager to replace Williamson.

Williamson has been employed by Farm Bureau Services since 1955 when he was an assistant manager at Yale Branch until 1957 when he entered the U.S. Army. He was manager of the Leslie Cooperative from 1960 to 1967 and manager of the St. Johns Cooperative from 1967 to the present time.

Don't poison your child! Incredible as this warning is, it has the shock of truth in it. The admonition is roughly equivalent of "Don't jump in front of a train." Yet people do it, and this is one of the problems Dr. Charles Inniss deals with as director of the Poison Control Center at the University of Michigan Hospital.

"Some parents are unaware of what hazards they allow their children to face," Dr. Inniss said. "Others are so aware that their children develop hang-ups."

For Dr. Inniss, the purpose of this month's Poison Prevention Week, was to run a middle ground between two well-established principles of parenthood: one, the principle of pleasure, which as a human being he does not

deny; the other, the principle of reality, which as a physician he cannot deny.

"Look," he says with characteristic candor, "I am not expecting to eliminate perfume, nail polish, and hair rinse from our culture. I am only saying if there are small children in the house, those toiletries are potentially treacherous."

Himself a parent, a pediatrician, a pharmacist, and a consultant to psychiatric institutions, Dr. Inniss is quite aware of the problems of raising a family in an atmosphere of relative safety. Part of the problem

is in the child, part in the parent. "If I said to you, 'I am leaving the room. Don't drink that bottle of bubble bath after I leave,' you would think I had flipped," Dr. Inniss suggests.

"The point is, parents as adults know what is poisonous, and children up to a certain age, know only that for the most part what is in a bottle is intended to be drunk. Such articles must either be completely removed or placed in safekeeping."

Dr. Inniss lists such articles, and they include all medications, but particularly aspirin, cough medicine, sleeping pills, tran-

quillizers, and yes, even vitamins.

"The really dangerous poisons are the substances we tend to take for granted," says Dr. Inniss. Sugar-sweetened aspirin and candy-coated vitamins seem benign to most parents, because they are intended for children, and so they are permitted to sit seductively on the kitchen counter. Dr. Inniss points out that as few as three or four iron sulfate tablets can be toxic to a child.

Only recently appointed as director of the Poison Control Center, Dr. Inniss approaches his task with the fervor of a missionary who has faced the natives before. He is one of

those gifted professional people who gets the job done first, and then in the split second before going on to the next one, receives well-earned recognition for the last one.

Such people make their own awards; the awards don't make them. Dr. Inniss picked up a public speaking award while at Hunter College; a student research award while at Meharry Medical College; a National Medical Association scholarship; the National Defense Medal while in the Navy, and an Upjohn fellowship in pharmacology. Last year he was voted one of the Outstanding Young Men of America

by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

A precise but affectionate person, Dr. Inniss finds his life among children, not merely poison victims, but all children. It is among his peers that Dr. Inniss seems most precise; it is among children that he is most affectionate.

Preventing poison incidents in the home may seem to some to be the equivalent of running an errand into the wilderness. Not so with Dr. Inniss. He states with determination, "Next year we are going to get started earlier on National Poison Prevention Week."

### County of Clinton State of Michigan County Planning Ordinance

An amendment to the ordinance establishing a county planning commission, its organization, powers and duties.

**Article I, Creation:** Pursuant to and under the authority of Act 282 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1945, as amended, there is hereby created and established a planning commission with all of the authority, powers and duties as hereinafter set forth for the general purpose of serving and preserving the health, safety and general welfare of the residents of Clinton County.

**Article II, Power:** The Clinton County Planning Commission shall have all powers and duties which can be conferred upon said commission by the county board of supervisors pursuant to Act 282, PA 1945, as amended, or by any other provision of law and each and all of said powers are hereby conferred and incorporated in this ordinance as fully as though set out verbatim herein.

**Article III, Membership, Term, Vacancies, Removal, Compensation:** (a) The commission shall consist of seven members appointed by majority vote of the county board of supervisors. Each of said commissioners shall serve for a term of three years and until appointment and qualification of a successor.

(b) The basis for representative membership on the commission shall be as follows: One commissioner shall be appointed from each of the following segments of the community: agriculture, industry, commerce, transportation, education, recreation, government. No more than one commissioner shall be appointed or shall serve at any one time from any segment of the community as designated hereinabove.

(c) Three commissioners shall be appointed for a term of three years commencing Feb. 13, 1970, at 4:00 p.m.; Two commissioners shall be appointed for a term of two years commencing Feb. 02, 1970, at 4:00 p.m.; Two commissioners shall be appointed for a term of one year commencing Feb. 13, 1970, at 4:00 p.m. At the completion of the terms hereinabove set forth all commissioners shall be appointed for a term of three years.

(d) The Clinton County board of supervisors shall by majority vote fill any vacancy in the planning commission for the duration of the unexpired term thereof.

**Article IV:** The following officers shall be ex officio members of the commission during the official tenure of each such officer:

- Chairman of the Clinton County Board of Supervisors.
- Chairman of the Clinton County Zoning Commission
- Chairman of the Clinton County Road Commission
- Clinton County Drain Commissioner

**Article V:** The County Board of Supervisors may remove any member of the commission for nonperformance of duties or misconduct pursuant to reasonable notice in writing and after a public hearing.

**Article VI:** Each member of the commission shall receive the same compensation as the County Board of Supervisors on a per diem basis, and each commissioner may be reimbursed for actual reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in the discharge of his duties upon approval of such expenses by majority vote of the board of supervisors. Ex officio members of the commission shall serve without compensation but may be reimbursed for expenses upon approval of the county board of supervisors by majority vote.

**Article VII, Continuation and Ratification of Prior Ordinance:** All official action taken by the Clinton County Planning Commission under an ordinance adopted by the board of county supervisors on Dec. 1, 1969, is hereby approved, ratified and reconfirmed. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, publication and approval of the Governor as required by law.

This amendment to the County Planning Commission Ordinance is ordered to take effect on the 15th day of May, 1970.

Board of Supervisors  
By: WALTER NOBIS,  
Chairman

The foregoing amendment to the County Planning Commission Ordinance was duly adopted by the Board of Supervisors on the 16th day of March, 1970.

ERNEST E. CARTER  
Clinton County Clerk

### Shepardsville

By LUCILLE SPENCER, Correspondent

Mrs. Charles Walker and Mrs. John Spencer were guests of the Victor Civic Club at the home of Mrs. Ruth Grossman on Thursday, March 19. It was an all day meeting. The program chairman was Mrs. Oscar Heil. The speaker was Mrs. Fred Kraft of Owosso who demonstrated how to decorate egg shells. She told the story of how the Easter egg came to be, also about Mr. Faberge and the eggs he made for Czar Alexander and his wife in the 19th century. Some of these eggs are still in existence. One of her most prized eggs is an ostrich egg made into a jewel box. This egg was secured for her by an aunt in California. It came from the zoo that supplies animals for TV and movies. This egg decorating on real eggs is a hobby of Mrs. Kraft. She said that she had been doing it for quite a number of years. Strange to say, she stated that her family doesn't seem to care for eggs.

Charles J. Olson, Jr. and Kathryn Alice Bertram were

married at the Shepardsville United Church on Saturday evening, March 14 by the Rev. Karl M. Zeigler.

The Shepardsville WSCS is saving Betty Crocker Coupons to help the Ovid Jaycees in their efforts toward a kidney machine. Morningstar Chapter 279 of Ovid will meet at 7:30 p.m. on April 6 for practice. There will be a potluck initiation at the next regular meeting on April 14. The chapter will be having their Friend's Night on April 21.

On Thursday evening, March 26 at 7:30 p.m. Rev. Wilson Tennant and his wife will be showing their pictures of the Holy Land. Following this will be a communion service. The special Maundy Thursday service will be for both the Price and Shepardsville Churches.

At a special meeting following Worship Service Sunday morning it was voted to divide the Easter Offering between the Methodist Children's Home and the General Fund of the Church.

### Missed court appearance could result in license loss

By FRANK J. KELLEY  
Attorney General

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

On January 1, 1969, a new law became effective which provides a procedural device whereby the Secretary of State may suspend the driving privileges of a motorist upon receipt of a notice that such person failed to appear in court.

Act 332, PA 1968, added Section 321a to the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code. Under the provisions of Section 321a, a person who fails to answer a citation or notice to appear in court for violation of any provision of the Motor Vehicle Code, or the provision of any ordinance which

"substantially corresponds" to the Motor Vehicle Code "shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

After 30 days from the date of hearing, which is prescribed in the traffic citation, the court which has jurisdiction of the matter will give notice to the motorist, at his last known address, that if he fails to appear within 10 days from the date of the notice, the Secretary of State will suspend his license.

Upon the termination of the 10 days, if the motorist fails to appear before the court to answer the traffic citation, the court will so notify the Secretary of State. Upon the receipt of this information, the Secretary of State will suspend the license of the person so failing to appear and will notify the party by means of an Order of Suspension mailed to the last known address appearing in the files and records of

the Secretary of State. The suspension under Section 321a differs from other suspensions imposed under the Michigan Motor Vehicle Code in that it remains in effect until such time as the court of original jurisdiction informs the Secretary of State that the motorist has appeared before the court and "all matters relating to his violation have been resolved."

The position taken by the Attorney General with respect to appellate procedure is that no appeal from the suspension will lie in the License Appeal Board or the Circuit Court as is the case in other revocations, suspensions and denials. The statute seems to plainly suggest that the suspension may be terminated by the unilateral action of the motorist who appears in court and disposes of his traffic violation.

### Obituaries in the Clinton County area

#### Ray Speerbrecker

WACOUSTA(c) - Ray Speerbrecker, 80, of 10388 Herblison Road, Wacousta, died Friday, March 20 at St. Lawrence Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Monday, March 23 at the Holihan Funeral Home in Grand Ledge with burial in the Wacousta Cemetery. Rev. Dale Spoor officiated.

He was born in Riley Township on July 3, 1889, a child of Charles and Ann Speerbrecker. He resided most of his life in Clinton County.

Survivors include his wife, Mae; one son, Clare; one daughter, Mrs. Fred Black of Wacousta; three grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Vera Rose of Eagle.

#### Winifred Cross

Winifred Cross, 84, of 726 Ann Arbor Street, Flint, died Friday, March 13 at St. Joseph Hospital.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 17 at the Floral Chapel, Dadds-Dumanolis Co., Funeral Home with Rev. James

#### Louheed officiating. Burial was Mt. Rest Cemetery, St. Johns.

Miss Cross was born in Shaftsbury on Sept. 25, 1885, the daughter of Charles and Lodema Cross and moved to St. Johns at an early age and then moved to Flint in 1918. She was a member of Banner Reberca Lodge, life member of Radiant Chapter OES, life member of Flint Association of School Secretaries, and was employed by the Flint Board of Education as a School Secretary from 1930 until her retirement in June 1952.

Survivors include five cousins, Mrs. Ruby Aldrich of Lansing; Mrs. Amy Williams, Sid Thompson both of Pellston, Margaret Dunkel and Hazel Sexton.

#### Luella Miller

Luella Miller, 82, of Meridian Road, Ovid died Tuesday, March 17 at the Ovid Convalescent Manor following an illness of two years.

Funeral services were held Thursday, March 19 at the Houghton Chapel of Osgood Funeral Homes, Inc., Ovid. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery in New Lothrop. Rev. George Rogers officiated.

Born in Saginaw County on Sept. 12, 1887, a child of Fred

#### and Alice Slocum, she came to Ovid from New Lothrop 37 years ago. She married Herbert Miller in Corunna on Dec. 8, 1923.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Marie Mason of Springport and Mrs. Beth Wadsworth of Ovid; one son, Donald J. of rural Owosso; 13 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; two step sons, Earl of rural Ovid and Lyman of rural Laingsburg; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Cecil Thompson of rural Ovid; 14 step grandchildren and 10 step great-grandchildren.

#### Cora M. Bowen

Cora M. Bowen, 73, of 124 Floral Avenue, St. Johns died Friday, March 20 at her home.

Funeral services were held Monday, March 23 at the Osgood Funeral Home with burial in Mt. Rest Cemetery. Rev. Elmer Courcier officiated.

She was born in Fowler a daughter of Lee and Emma Falon and resided most of her life in the St. Johns area.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Lottie L. Miller of Lansing; a son, Walter E. Lentz of Arizona; one brother, Ernest Falon of Florida; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

#### Claude Gray

ELSIE(c) - Funeral services for Claude Gray, 69, of Maple Rapids Road, Elsie, were held Saturday, March 21 at the Carter Funeral Home with burial in Marlon Spring Cemetery. Rev. J. Ray Cruce officiated.

Mr. Gray died Wednesday,

#### March 18 at the Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns following a long illness. He was born in Lakeview on March 24, 1901, the son of Charles and Diana Gray, and had resided most of his life in Marlon Township and the past 11 years at his rural Elsie address.

Survivors include four sisters, Mrs. Bessie Meiers of Owosso, Mrs. Olive Orway of Elsie, Mrs. Alice Swan of Corunna and Mrs. Minnie Sutton of Juddville. One sister preceded him in death.

#### Elizabeth Cook

PEWAMO(c) - Funeral services for a former Pewamo resident, Mrs. Elizabeth Cook, 77, of Portland were held Tuesday, March 24 at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Portland. Geller Funeral Home in Portland was in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include her husband, Edward; two daughters, Mrs. Robert DeGrazio of Boulder, Colo., and Mrs. Francis Esch of Lansing; five sons, Brother Leon Cook of the Maryknoll Mission, Hingham, Mass., Leonard and Reynold of Grand Rapids, Thomas and Robert H. of Portland.

#### Ralph E. Thompson

PEWAMO(c) - Funeral services were held Friday, March 20 at 2 p.m. at the Geller Funeral Home, Westphalia for Ralph E. Thompson of Jefferson Street, Pewamo. He was 55.

Mr. Thompson died suddenly

#### while at work on Tuesday, March 17.

Survivors include his wife, Phyllis; and a stepson, Marion of Lansing.

#### Shepardsville

By Lucille Spencer

#### BEREAN CIRCLE MEET

The Berean Circle of the Shepardsville WSCS met Thursday evening, March 19, at the home of Mrs. Robert Wilcox with seven members present. All the reports were read and accepted. It was voted to send a sum of money to Jo's Operation Telephone Home. More dishtcloths have been purchased. It was also voted to pay the pledge to the General Society.

Election of officers resulted in the following: president, Mrs. Dale Squiers; vice-president, Colleen Winlands; secretary, Miss Donna Hettinger; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Swender.

Mrs. Lee Swender, assisted by Mrs. Charles Swender and Mrs. Dale Squiers presented a very interesting program on Easter.

The next meeting will be on April 16 when the General Society will be convening. The Afternoon Circle will be in charge of this program.

The hostess served light refreshments.

#### ALWAYS WITH US

The headless horseman was a myth, but the headless motorist is a stark reality.

#### Open Letter

Dear friends,

Easter commemorates the glorious ending of Christ's trials and tribulations on earth. So too should it remind us that we carry our own cross in this earth life so as to grow in wisdom and compassion, to merit closer association with God in the next life.

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# Fowler

Miss Cecilia Thelen, Correspondent—Phone 582-2963

A confirmation dinner was held March 22 at the home of Mr and Mrs Charlie Boak in honor of their son, Dwight Boak. Guests were Mrs. Lula Boak, Mr and Mrs Earl Jastram, Mr and Mrs Leonard Jastram and family, Mr and Mrs Carl Marten, Mr and Mrs Carl Boak, Mr and Mrs Dyane Boak and son and Clare Boak and children.

**CELEBRATED 60th BIRTHDAY**  
Mrs Regina Smith of Portland was honored with a potluck birthday dinner at her home Tuesday, March 17 with the wearing of the green. Guests were Mrs Ernest Thelen, Mrs Norman Thelen, Mrs Gilbert Hengesback, Mrs Joseph Thelen, Mrs Julius Simon, Mrs Arnold Hufnagel, Mrs Reynolds Goerge, Mrs Bernita Hufnagel and Misses Cecilia and Amelia Thelen.

## County Line News

**WCS MEET**  
Salem United Methodist WSCS were hosts for an evening "Day Apart" service held at the church March 17 with 60 attending. A word of welcome was given by Mrs Farmer Phillips, president of Salem WSCS.

Mrs Charles Kolb of Lakeview the Spiritual Growth Secretary of the West Central District presided over the meeting and led the Responsive Reading "Litany of Mission." Mrs James Fisher read the scripture Isaiah Chapter 53 followed by prayer. Mrs Gayla Phillips, Mrs Dottie Snyder and Mrs Thelma Woodbury sang a special number in song. Mrs Harriet Schmid was organist.

A group discussion of problems and some solutions of WSCS societies was held with Mrs Myrtle Mort, central district president of Farwell assisting.

Rev Charles VanLente, pastor of Maple Rapids area United Methodist Churches, presented moments of meditation. Rev Harold Homer of St. Johns United Methodist Church assisted Rev VanLente in the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

A coffee hour followed in the Church Undercroft.

The lace covered serving table was decorated with green shamrocks in keeping with St. Patrick's Day.

Churches represented were from Maple Rapids, Bannister, Ashley, Elsie, Duplain, Alma, St. Johns, Six Lakes, Greenbush, Farwell, and Shepardsville.

Salem United Methodist Family night was held Saturday evening, in the Church Undercroft. Following a potluck supper Mr and Mrs Farmer Phillips showed slides taken on their recent trip to California and a tape recording was played of a church service held at an Arizona United Methodist Church that they attended.

Mr and Mrs Gill Baker visited their mother, Mrs Harmon Earegood in St. Louis Sunday.

Mrs Etha Lyons returned to her home Sunday after spending the winter with Mrs Frances Patterson.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Brown and Kelly, Mr and Mrs Richard Federspiel, Jimmie, Linda and Carol of Saginaw, Mr and Mrs Richard Vincent of Owosso were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs James Fisher and family. The occasion was the birthday of Sharon Vincent. In the afternoon they visited Mrs Zella Fisher at the Gratiot Medicare Facility at Alma.

Mr and Mrs Charlie Boak and son visited his mother, Mrs Lula Boak Friday evening.

Mr and Mrs Carl Boak of St. Johns visited his mother, Mrs Lula Boak Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Walter Miller of Gaylord were callers at the farm home of his mother, Mrs Martha B. Miller and brother, Hean Miller of Grange Road last Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Glen Hopp called on Mrs Lula Boak Friday.

Mrs Mary Deiter and her sister, Laura attended the funeral of Mrs Edward Cook of Portland Tuesday morning.

Misses Josephine and Esther Long visited Mrs Leo Geller of Pewamo Wednesday.

Mrs Martha B. Miller attended the Pewamo WSCS meeting Thursday giving the lesson on the week of prayer and self denial. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs Grace Bissell.

Mrs Wanda Floreskie of Detroit and an aunt of Maple Rapids called on Mrs Lula Boak Thursday.

Misses Josephine and Esther Long visited James Long of Pewamo recently.

Hilary Goerge of Alma College is spending his semester break with his parents.

During March there have been four bridal showers given for Pat Smith. The first by Sharon Simon and Gerald Thelen, a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs Gerald Thelen.

Mary Jo Hungerford gave a kitchen and grocery shower entertaining the aunts and cousins of Pat. Mrs Bob Eldridge and Mrs Erwin Tiedt gave a shower for the neighbors and Saturday, Mrs Bud Frechen and Mrs Fred Slovinski gave a linen shower. Pat received many nice and useful gifts. She will become the bride of Lester Thelen April 3.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Koenigs-knecht, Mr and Mrs Roman Simon and Mr and Mrs Carl Wieber attended a wedding anniversary party at the home of Mr and Mrs Simon in Lansing Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Edgar Conley and family of St. Johns visited her mother Mrs Nora Braun Wednesday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Robert Mack and children of St. Johns visited her mother, Mrs Nora Braun Saturday evening.

## New leaders emerge in Fowler Bowl

Recent action in the Fowler Bowl singles has resulted in several changes among the leaders.

Lloyd Morris, of Mason, fired a 651 actual to take the actual lead, Dropping Dick Royce, of Lansing, to second at 637. He also bowled the high game of the tournament (247) and narrowly missed taking the handicap lead when he left the 5-7 split in the tenth frame of the last game, tying William Chapko Jr. of Elsie for second with 674.

Roger Hall Jr., of Fowler, leads with 686. Larry Kohagen, of Fowler, moved into fourth place at 662.

Nadine Canfield holds the ladies high game of 206. The tournament has one weekend to go, with entries open until the final squad March 29 at 5 p.m.

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## Wacousta

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### TEACHER HONORED

Miss Sharron Bailey, first grade teacher at Wacousta School was pleasantly surprised with a bridal shower. The pupils were assisted by room mothers, Mrs Harry Wells, Mrs Fred Catlin, Mrs William Turner. Miss Bailey was presented with individual gifts. Refreshments were served. The party took place Friday, March 20.

On Saturday, March 21 she will become the bride of Larry Gober in Lansing.

Mrs Harold Dickson entertained at a birthday party for Miss Rita Dickson Friday afternoon.

Pvt. Alan Trommator of Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. is home on furlough. He is getting acquainted with his new twin sons, Christopher Alan and Eric Glenn.

Mary Martha Circle of the Wacousta United Methodist Church will meet with Mrs Glenn Trommator on March 25. Devotions will be given by Mrs Franklin Waldron. Program by Mrs Dale Spoor, 7:30 p.m.

The Wacousta Circle of the Wacousta United Methodist Church will meet with Mrs Lester Garlock on April 2 at 12:30 p.m. Co-hostess will be Mrs Alander Lang and program will be given by Mrs Charles Phillips, Lenten offering.

Mr and Mrs Carter Appleyard and children of Naperville, Ill. spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Lyle Bancroft.

Mr and Mrs Bill Buchanan and Britney of Farmington spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Lyle Bancroft.

Mr and Mrs Charles Byam and sons entertained Sunday in honor of her father's birthday, Jay Fuday. Mr and Mrs Richard Beagle of Traverse City, Mr and Mrs James Fuday and Steve and Mr and Mrs Jay Fuday.

Miss Laura Cameron entertained her bridge club for a luncheon on Tuesday.

Tuesday evening Mrs Jay Fuday entertained three tables of bridge.

Mike Dennis underwent surgery on his shoulder last week on Wednesday. He is in the St. Lawrence Hospital.

Rev and Mrs Harold Watson of Crystal Lake spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Don Dennis and family.

Mr and Mrs Dale Shattuck of Clare were Saturday callers of Mr and Mrs Maurice Forward.

Willing Workers Circle of the Wacousta United Methodist Church will meet on April 2 with Mrs Don Maier on Forest Hill Rd. for a 1 p.m. luncheon. Devotion will be by Mrs Arnold Huhn.

Mother and Daughter Banquet of the Wacousta United Methodist Church WSCS will be held on April 3 at 6:30 p.m. Plan to attend.

Order of the Eastern Star 133 will hold Friends Night at the Temple on March 31.

## BOWLING NEWS

Notes from Clinton area leagues

### NITE OWLS

Mar. 17	W	L
Cent. Mich. Lu.	26	10
Carliere's	26	10
Pierson's	24	12
Beck & Hyde	24	12
Wheel Inn	21	15
Kurt's Appl.	20	16
St. Johns Co-op	15	21
Gen. Tele Co.	14 1/2	21 1/2
Rivard	14	22
Smith-Douglas	12	24
Arnold's	11 1/2	24 1/2
Boron's	6	28

High team game—Pierson's, 841. High team series—Rivard's, 2398. High individual game—Shirley Spencer, 195. High individual series—Jean Heathman, 515.

### KINGS & QUEENS

Mar. 15	W	L
Frost Mug	80	32
Dush Const.	75 1/2	36 1/2
Redwing Lanes	70	42
Poor Souls	70	42
Sundowners	59	53
Fearless 4some	51 1/2	56 1/2
Hi Way Cafe	51	61
Lucky 4	50	62
Paul's Auto.	49	63
Hotel Coffee	40 1/2	71 1/2
Verlinde's	36 1/2	71 1/2
Galloway's	36	76

High team game—Frost Mug, 777. High team series—Frost Mug, 2067. High individual game—Kay Penix, 212. High individual series—Kay Penix, 514. Keith Penix, 237. Bob Pratt, 235.

### COFFEE CUP

Mar. 12	W	L
Daley's	72 1/2	27 1/2
Jay's	71	29
George's	53	47
Pin Pastors	53	47
Jems	50	50
S & H Farms	48 1/2	51 1/2
Wing Sales	47 1/2	52 1/2
Jones Boys	47 1/2	52 1/2
Clinton Machine	43	57
Beagle of Traverse City	41 1/2	58 1/2
Redwing Snacks	38	62
Harold's Serv.	34 1/2	65 1/2

High team game—Jay's Service, 874. High team series—Jay's Service, 2433. High individual game—Barb VanVleet, 197. High individual series—Judy Payne, 520.

### TWIN CITY

Mar. 11	W	L
Hazle's	64	40
Zeeb's	60 1/2	43 1/2
Coca Cola	60	44
Fresca	60	44
Clinton Dry Dock	58 1/2	46 1/2
Strouse's Oil	56 1/2	48 1/2
Clinton Crop	53	51
Bob's Auto	52 1/2	51 1/2
Kurt's Appl.	52 1/2	51 1/2
Gen. Tele.	41	63
Dean's Hdw.	36	66
Andy's IGA	34 1/2	69 1/2

High team game—Zeeb's, 862. High team series—Dean's, 2436. High individual game—Joe Barrett, 224. High individual series—Joe Barrett, 577. 200 games: C. Pearson, 200; R. Antes, 213; B. Swendenberg, 222; T. Reese, 210.

### CITY CLASSIC

Mar. 12	W	L
Lake's	52 1/2	22 1/2
Dry Dock'd	49	26

613; women—Birdie Floate, 461. 200 games—Lyle Floate, 208, 202, 203; Jake McVannel, 205.

### FIRST NIGHTERS

Mar. 16	W	L
Ray's	33	11
St. Johns Dry Clin.	27 1/2	16 1/2
Carling's	26 1/2	17 1/2
Sears	26	18
Heathman's	24 1/2	19 1/2
Bee's Chevy	21	23
Nick's Mkt.	20	24
Citgo	20	24
Roadhouse	19	25
D & B Shoppe	18 1/2	25 1/2
Lanterman's Ins	17	27
Benson, Carp.	11	33

High team game—Dry Dock'd, 932. High team series—Dry Dock'd, 2740. High individual game—Paul Bishop, 247. High individual series—Dave O'Dell, 654. 200 games: O. Tatro, 205; C. Hankins, 213; J. Herblot, 203; D. Thelen, 224; R. Campbell, 209; D. O'Dell, 210-245; M. Durbin, 205; E. Keisel, 213; T. Masarik, 213; F. Biddinger, 213; M. Streeter, 204-213; R. Kridner, 206; D. Thelen, 608.

### CAPITOL

Mar. 9	W	L
Beaufore's	70	38
Bob's Bar	60	48
Federal Mogul	59 1/2	48 1/2
Co-op's	59	49
Sprite	57	51
Coca Cola	57	51
Moriarty Lum.	54	54
Moorman's	52	56
Roadhouse	49 1/2	58 1/2
Carling's	49	59
Woodbury's	47	61
K of C	37	71

High team game—Beaufore's, 858. High team series—Beaufore's, 2480. High individual game—Ralph Kridner, 238. High individual series—R. Kridner, 583. 200 games: E. Lance, 212; J. Miller, 200; L. Lovegrove, 204.

### TEATIME

Mar. 17	W	L
Goodtimers	78	34
Redwing Lanes	65	47
St. Johns Furn.	59	53
Spartimers	54	58
Ross Beauty	54	58
Kwik Kook	54	58
Art's Refinery	52 1/2	59 1/2
Central Nt. Bk.	52	60
Aloha Drive In	49 1/2	62 1/2
Randolph's	42	70

High team game—Redwing Lanes, 852. High team series—Redwing Lanes, 2462. High individual game—Agatha Mankey, 213. High individual series—Joyce Dush, 561. 200 games: A. Mankey, 213; Joyce Dush, 209 and 211; Splits; Sharon Ludwig, 2-7-10; Phyllis Welton, 5-7.

### THE GOODTIMERS

Mar. 15	W	L
Top Cats	66	43
Tabbys	65	43
Alleycats	61	47
Outcasts	59	49
Polecats	57	51
Cool Cats	53 1/2	54 1/2
Calico Cats	53	55
Cheshire Cats	49	59
Tom Cats	49	59
Wildcats	48	60
Hepcats	47 1/2	60 1/2
Born Losers	41	67

High team game—Hepcats, 619. High team series—Hepcats, 1777. High individual game—men—Lyle Floate, 208; women—Birdie Floate, 170. High individual series—men—Lyle Floate,

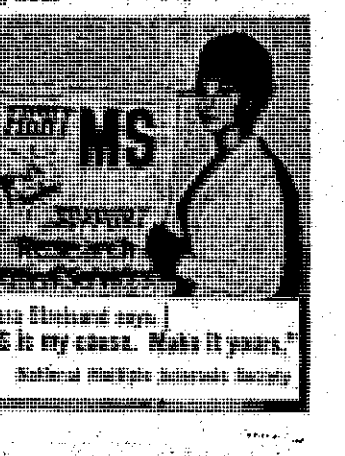
man's. 2466. High individual game—Viola Rossow, 204.

### NIGHT HAWK

Mar. 17	W	L
Beck's	80	32
Zeeb's	77	35
Miller's	75	37
Roadhouse	71	41
Rehmann's	62	50
Legion	59 1/2	62 1/2
Farm Bureau	58	64
Randolph's	55	67
Colony	47 1/2	64 1/2
Hettler's	36	76
Central Nt. Bk.	32	80
Egan's	19	93

High team game—Beck's, 887. High team series—Beck's, 2594. High individual game—Hank

Schmid, 209. High individual series—R. Snyder, 580. 200 games: H. Schmid, 209; S. Cornwell, 201.



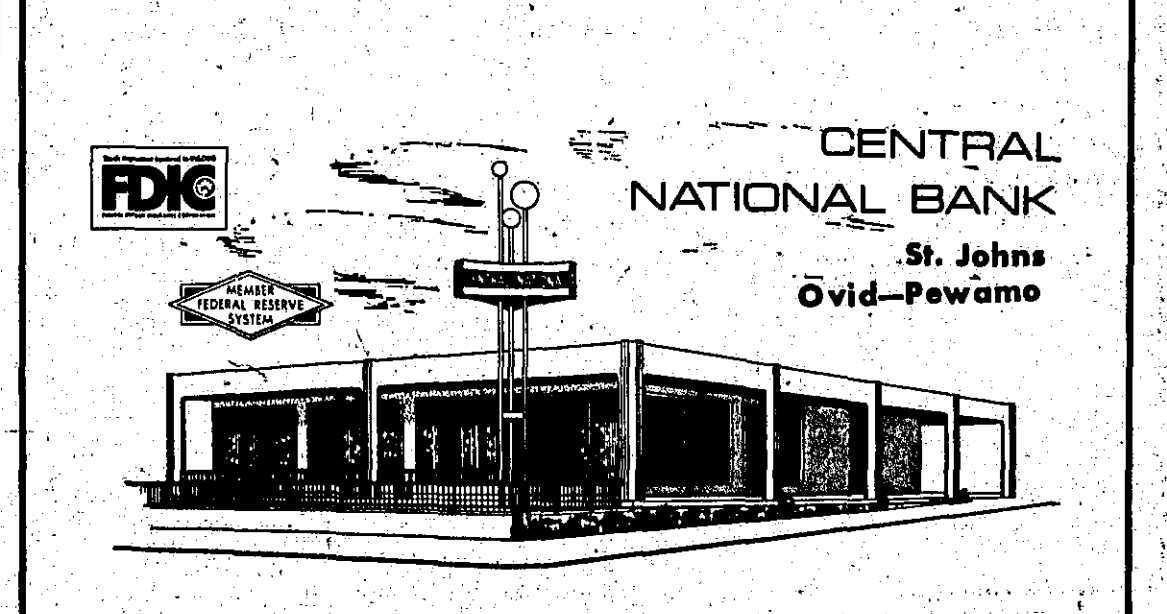
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# All-County team - a tribute to Clinton basketball

Can you imagine Ovid-Elsie's Cal Woodard on a fast break flanked by St. Johns' Dean Elsler and Bob Rehmann with DeWitt's Mike Botke and St. Johns' Dave Gaffney or Fowler's Don Koenigsnecht in the backcourt. Cutting across conference and class lines, the Clinton County News, assisted by six coaches, has named this devastating array of talent to the All-County high school basketball first team.

And in case anybody gets a little tired or in foul trouble, there's plenty of talent on the second team—a dream team in its own right. Named to the All-County second team are Marty Lankford, DeWitt senior; Bill Armbrustmacher, Fowler senior; Nell Thelen, Fowler junior; Jerry Arens, Pewamo-Westphalia senior; Dave Ankney, Bath senior and Dan Bowles, Ovid-Elsie junior.

Coaches from all six Clinton County high schools co-operated in the selection of this team with each submitting four names from which to determine a six-man first and second team plus 12 honorable mentions. The difficulty of selection and the abundant talent within the county are a tribute to the brand of basketball played in Clinton County where two teams—Fowler

and St. Johns—won their conference championships and no one finished lower than in a tie for second place in their respective leagues. Others receiving All-County honors are Rich Stoddard, senior, St. Johns; Don Koenig, junior; Paul Stoll, sophomore, and Steve Loomis, senior, all of Bath; Don Pohl, senior, John Bengel, junior and Tom Miller, senior, all of Pewamo-Westphalia; Loren Ward and Steve Tews, both juniors of DeWitt; and Mark Case, junior and Rick Stambersky, senior, both of Ovid-Elsie.

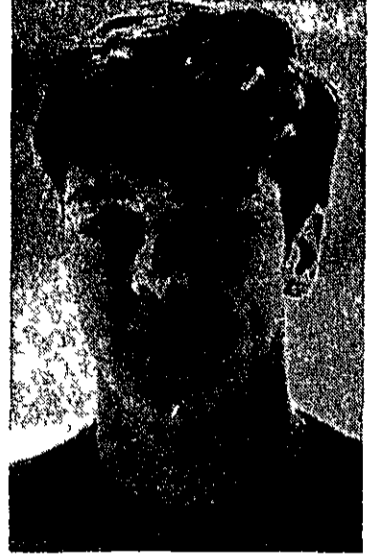
Elsler, a 6-foot-4 junior, was the leading St. Johns point-getter with 359 points which made him tops in the West Central Conference and gave him a season average of better than 22 points a game. Five times during the regular season he hit for 30 points or more and he turned the trick once again in tournament play. He was also the team leader in rebounds with 202. In addition to All-State honors (Detroit Free Press third team)

Elsler also was named to his All-Conference first team. Woodard, another junior at 6-foot-1, just finished his second year as a starter for Ovid-Elsie and in that time has broken eight school records. In league play he averaged better than 20 points a game, netting 201 in 10 Mid-Michigan B contests which made him the second highest scorer in the conference. Woodard was also named to his league's first team. Rehmann, a 6-foot-2 senior, also averaged more than 20 points per game with a total of 325 on the season which made him the second highest point-getter for St. Johns and third best in his league. Rehmann, who won the annual Clinton County free throw award with a 74.71 average (a fraction of one per cent a point better than Woodard and Gaffney), was the Redwings' second leading rebounder with 174 on the season. He also was named to the All-West Central Conference first team. Although DeWitt's Mike Botke has been plagued by injuries

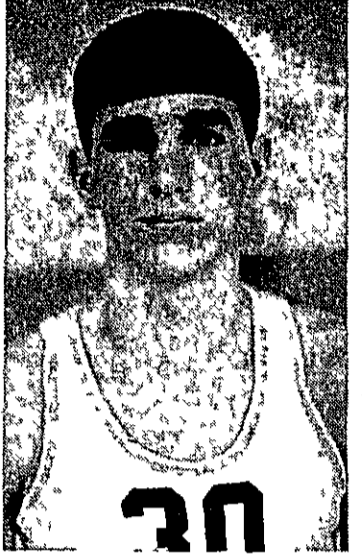
throughout much of the season, the six-foot senior led the Panthers in scoring with 303 points for a game average of more than 18. He was also a first team selection on the All-Central Michigan Athletic Confer-

ence squad. Koenigsnecht, a 5-foot-8 senior at Fowler, has been accorded all-CMAC honors and was a key factor in the Eagles' No. 1 ranking in Class D for much of the season. Although not a high

school scorer (166 points), his coach considers him quarterback of the club and "an outstanding defensive player." The Fowler co-captain was the Eagle's leader at the free throw line hitting on 70 of 156 attempts.



Elsler—St. Johns



Woodard—Ovid-Elsie



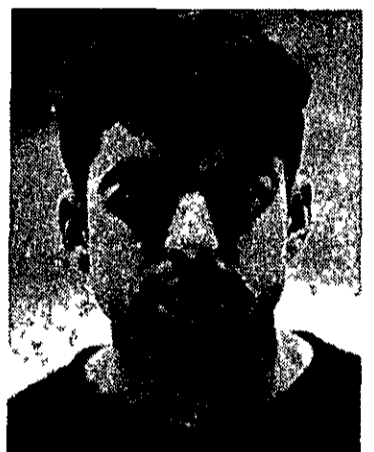
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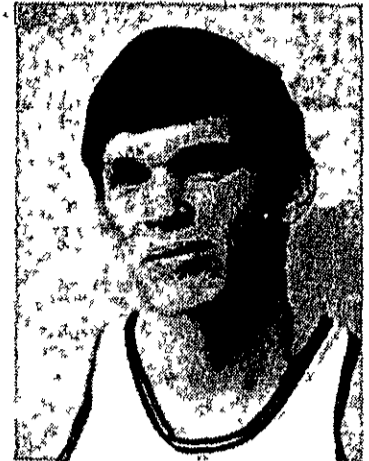
Botke—DeWitt



Koenigsnecht—Fowler



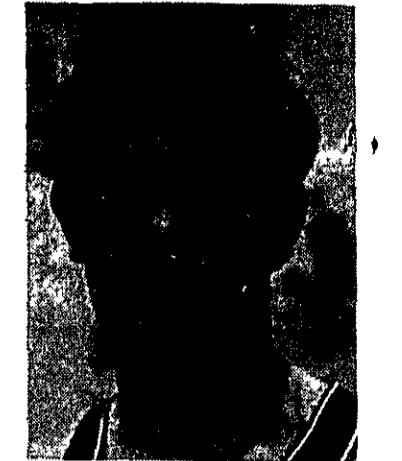
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Lankford—DeWitt



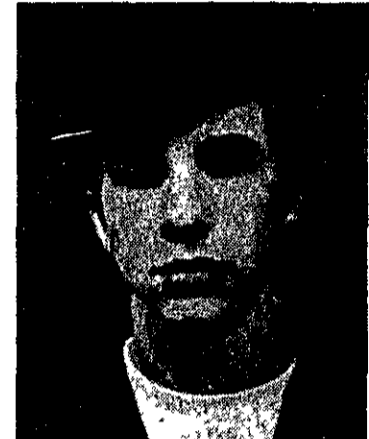
Arens—P-W



Armbrustmacher—Fowler



Thelen—Fowler



Ankney—Bath



Bowles—Ovid-Elsie

## Three on first squad

## Redwings dominate all-Conference team

St. Johns dominated the 1969-70 All-West Central Conference basketball team announced Tuesday with three Redwings named to the five-man first team. St. Johns Dean Elsler and Bob Rehmann were picked as the two forwards and Dave Gaffney was selected as a guard. Rounding out the team was Alma's Rick Howe at the other guard spot and Waverly's Dan Vanneste at center. Named to the second team was St. Johns Dan Rademacher who was chosen with Charlotte's Paul Davis at center in a two-way tie. In a three-way tie for the second team forward spots were Jim Helmic and Dave Dunham, both of Waverly and Lee Bosworth of Lakewood. Rounding out the second team at the guard positions were Clark Ballard of Charlotte and Ken Block of Grand Ledge. Receiving honorable mention were Pat Hayes and Steve Walker, both of Waverly and Bill Bradley of Hastings.

## Two from Ovid-Elsie on All Mid-Michigan B

Woodard and Dan Bowles, both juniors, Woodard, 6-foot-1, who scored 201 points in the 10 league games, was second in point production only to John Nametz of St. Louis with 253. Bowles, 5-foot-11, finished with 112 points in the 10 games. The Michigan State Judo Club won the 1970 Big Ten championship in competition at Indiana University.

## 74.712% best by a fraction

## News free throw award won by Bob Rehmann



Traveling Trophy

Bob Rehmann, an aggressive St. Johns forward, has won the fourth annual Clinton County Free Throw award—a fraction of one percentage point. In the closest competition in the four years since the award has been presented, Rehmann took the honor sinking 65 of 87 attempts at the line for a 74.712 average. Right behind him were Ovid-Elsie's Cal Woodard who made 124 of 166 for 74.688 per cent and St. Johns' Dave Gaffney who was successful on 59 of 79 attempts for a 74.683 average. Presentation of the traveling trophy to St. Johns High School marks the first time a Redwing player has won the award. Rehmann will be presented with a small trophy as a keepsake. In the four years since the Clinton County News has sponsored the competition among the six county high school, the trophy has never been won twice by the same school. Last year's winner, Tom Barker of Pewamo-Westphalia, won the award with a 79.35 per cent average, hitting on 123 of 155 attempts at the line. The 1967-68 winner was Jerry Weir of Ovid-Elsie who made 41 of 50 attempts for 82 per cent. The first winner of the award, was Joe Koenigsnecht of Fowler, who won in 1966-67 when he sunk 51 of 61 attempts for an 83.60 average. Although Rehmann's 74.712 per cent is the lowest average ever to win the award, his 87 attempts at the line rank him second in the number of tries when compared with the

previous three winners. As a junior last year, Rehmann finished with a 82.96 average as he was successful on 34 of 54 attempts. Combined with his 85 points at the line were 130 field goals for another 268 points and a season total of 325 points which made him the second highest Redwing scorer. Dean Elsler led the club with 359 points. But Rehmann's value to the team was not only limited to his offensive ability. His hustle, determination and drive throughout the season have often drawn favorable comments from fans, players and coaches. An indication of his defensive ability is seen in his work under the boards in which Rehmann, a 6-foot-2 senior, grabbed a total of 174 rebounds—91 on defense and 83 on offense. Pressing the top three shooters at the line this year was Fowler's Nell Thelen who hit on 77 of 105 attempts for 73.33 per cent. Averages rounded off for other top Clinton shooters included Elsler (75 of 107—73 per cent); Bill Armbrustmacher, of Fowler (60 of 85—71 per cent); Mike Botke, of DeWitt (60 of 86—70 per cent); Dave Ankney of Bath (45 of 68—66 per cent); Marty Lankford, of DeWitt (26 of 41—63 per cent); Roger Berry, of DeWitt (29 of 48—60 per cent); Steve Loomis, of Bath (43 of 71—61 per cent), and John Bengel, of Pewamo-Westphalia (47 of 78—60 per cent). To be eligible to compete for the award a player must have made at least 40 attempts during the regular season.

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# Banquet ends Redwing season

By RON KARLE  
Editor

"He not only helped us on the basketball court, but outside, too—he taught all 17 of us guys to be gentlemen."

That's how Redwing team captain Dave Gaffney paid tribute to his coach Doug Japinga before about 400 persons at the annual St. Johns basketball banquet Sunday night.

Japinga, concluding his first year as varsity coach had directed his club to 20 victories against only two defeats, a share of the West Central title and a district championship.

In addition to awarding letters to 14 players and three student managers, Japinga announced the recipients of four special awards—Most Valuable Player, Most Improved Player, the 101 Per Cent Award and Defensive Player of the Year.

"Perhaps for the first time in the school's history three leaders have emerged" for the MVP awards, said Japinga in announcing the honored trio—Bob Rehmann, Dean Eisler and Dave Gaffney.

All three starters Tuesday were named to the All-West-Central Conference first team.

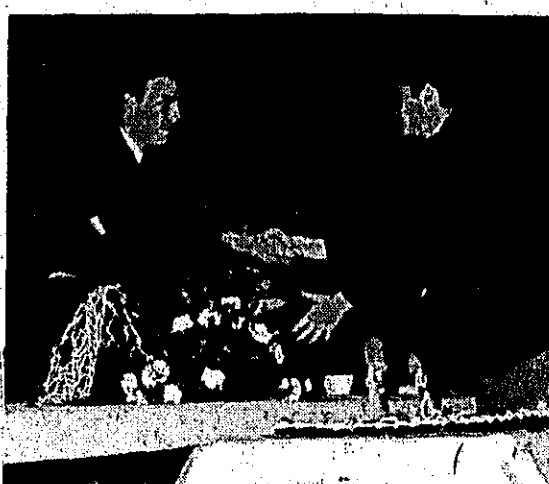
"I don't know how we're going to replace him," said Japinga of Rehmann, a senior forward. "I really don't. He's all basketball all of the time all year long. He's going to be just about impossible to replace."

Commenting on Eisler's performance, Japinga said, "What can you say about a kid like Dean that hasn't been said a hundred times before—he's made all the records."

Japinga said he was most impressed and pleased by the maturity demonstrated by the junior forward "and it showed on the basketball court. Next year much of the responsibility will be on his back. I'm sure he's up to the task."

Commenting on his coach-captain relationship with Gaffney, Japinga said, "I was able to talk to this boy as a man on the sidelines. He showed great leadership."

In naming "perhaps our most



Special awards went to Dan Rademacher, left, and Rich Stoddard, right. Rademacher was named Defensive Player of the Year, while Stoddard was picked as the team's Most Improved Player. Greg Kirby, who was unable to attend, received the 101 Per Cent award.

The 101 Per Cent Award went to senior Greg Kirby who was unable to attend the banquet because of illness in his family. He was tremendous to have in reserve, said Japinga and "in addition," he functioned as sort of an assistant coach on the gold team."

In presenting a letter to senior guard Chuck Green who was injured mid-way in the season, Japinga said, "He did some fine things with a basketball. He and Dave played as fine a guard as probably I've seen." Japinga noted that after Green was sidelined with a painful back ailment, "he battled back and made a tremendous contribution in those tournament games."

Commenting on another senior, Roger Davis, Japinga recalled that he had once referred to him as "a garbage ballplayer—a rare compliment. He always gets the job done. He's Mr. Hatchman . . . Mr. Five Fours a Quarter."

In presenting a letter to Terry Nobbs, Japinga said that before the season it appeared that he had little chance of making the team. "But through his clawing and gnashing he proved himself—he's tough as nails," said Japinga. "I only wish he were a junior."

Japinga was also high in praise of his junior letter winners—Fred Root, Steve Mead, Mike Brown, Brian Carpenter and Randy Atkinson.

In addition to their coach, the team also paid special tribute to Mrs. Japinga, Dick Kramer, ("Mr. Everything"), Scout Dave Fosgett, Dr. James Grost, Dr. Arthur Saunders, Jim Bargar and the varsity cheerleaders—Alice Villarreal, Mary Pat Sirrine, Sue Koelgesknecht, Karon Lundy, Colleen Rademacher, Kathy Grost, Cheryl Romig and Mel Bond.

Junior Varsity Coach awarded honors to his players—Dennis Leveck, Rich Hudson, Scott Wing, Jim Conley, Alan Henning, Jeff Springer, Jack Spencer, Bill Piosak, Dan Yurek, Ken Schueler and Mike Grost, plus student managers Calvin Lounds and Randy Wickham.

The JV team presented a gift to Young and the Junior Varsity cheerleaders—Kim Hopko, Judy Roof, Diane Peterson, Anita Strgar and Shirley Eisler.

The cheerleaders showed their appreciation to Mrs. Linden Ladd who sponsored them by presenting her with a gift.



Head Coach Doug Japinga presents the Most Valuable Player award to three Redwings—Dave Gaffney, Bob Rehmann and Dean Eisler.



Coach Japinga admires a trophy presented to him by the team. That's Mrs. Japinga to his left.

unsung hero," Dan Rademacher, as Defensive Player of the Year, Japinga said that the senior center "was the man who allowed us to gamble. He allowed us to run and picked us up. I can't express how valuable or what his role was, but I knew if we ever lost him it would make a big hole in our balloon."

Most Improved Player was Rich Stoddard "who had the du-

## Team thanks St. Johns

To The Editor:  
We, the St. Johns Redwing basketball team, achieved much success in the past 1969-70 season. We compiled an excellent 20-2 record and won both District and Conference Championships. However none of these goals could have been attained without team and community unity.

It is impossible to individually thank everyone connected with our success. Therefore we would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to the community as a whole. It was one beautiful happening which occurred during our six tournament games in that our fans overwhelmingly outnumbered and out-poled each of our opponent's followers.

We are very proud of our achievements yet at the same time we are disappointed in that we were unable to continue along the tournament trail.

But more important we are proud of St. Johns for uniting together and backing us throughout the entire season. For this we can do no more than sincerely say thank you,  
ST. JOHNS REDWING BASKETBALL TEAM

ious task of carrying on when Charlie Green was injured," said Japinga. "Suddenly he was thrown into the starting lineup with some

## Boys within 20 miles of St. Johns eligible for Soap Box Derby

Growing interest in the Clinton County Soap Box Derby has prompted the Derby committee to accept applicants within a 20-mile radius of St. Johns. In past years, entrants had been restricted to Clinton County only.

Those entering the Derby must complete registration forms signed by parents and return them to Bee's Chevrolet and Oldsmobile, 110 W. Higham St., St. Johns. Registration forms and rules are available at Bee's. Applicants are encouraged to have registration forms in by May 9.

The race will be Sunday, June 14.

Three Saturday clinics for boys and their fathers will be held in the community conference room at Bee's new location on South US-27. The two-hour meetings will all begin at 10 a.m. Apr. 11 and 25 and May 9.

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## Win 5 of 5 Local Golden Glovers still have that polish

The gold hasn't tarnished on the boxing gloves worn by five members of the St. Johns Boys Club.

Five of the club's Golden Glovers, all from St. Johns, participated in a boxing exhibition last week at Nashville, Mich. and all five came home winners—one on a knockout, the other four on decisions before about 500 people.

The boys and their weight classes and opponents are:  
—Bob Every who KO'd Terry Flynn of Grand Rapids in the open welterweight division.

—Chuck Stewart who defeated Tom Forte of Charlotte in the novice welterweight.

—Rod Sattler who defeated

Mike Hayes of Grand Rapids in the novice heavyweight division.

—Carlos Vallin who defeated John Willoughby of Charlotte in the open welterweight division.

—Keith Leslie who defeated John Vila of Grand Rapids in the novice welterweight division. The St. Johns Boys Club, assisted by the St. Johns Jaycees, will sponsor an exhibition of their own next month. The ring will be set up in the St. Johns High School gym for a show April 18.

Fighters from St. Johns will participate along with other boys from the Mid-Michigan area, including Lansing, Grand Blanc, Dimondale and Charlotte.

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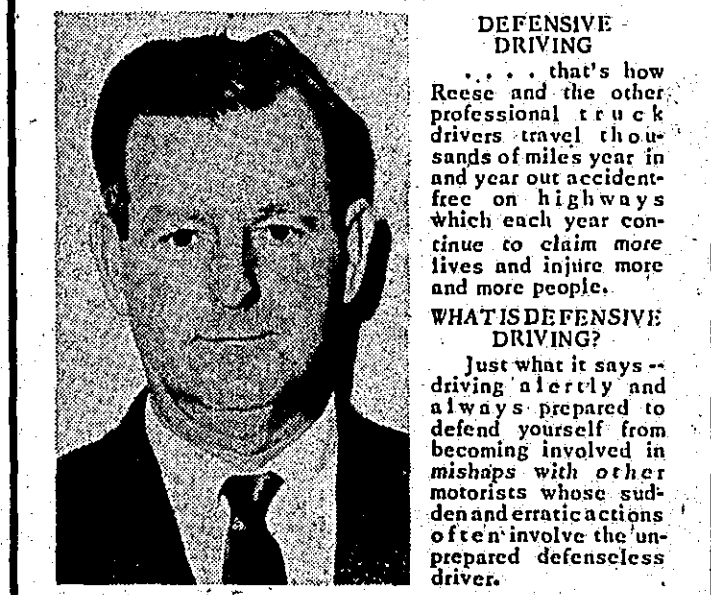
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Poems from Perrin-Palmer School

## 6th grade thoughts on Easter

### Easter Time

By JULIE LITTLE  
Easter is a time for living  
Easter is a time for giving  
Easter is a time for joy  
For every girl and every boy.

Easter brings a festive mood  
Easter brings sweet candy food  
Easter brings a time for all  
Easter brings a joyous call.

### Springtime

By CINDY THORNTON  
Springtime is a happy time  
It's always very gay,  
If you gave kids some time  
Bet they would say the first of spring  
Is their favorite day.

When the tulips are full of bees  
And leaves are in the trees.  
Then give a big cheer  
For springtime is here.

### Easter Time

By SANDY BARCLAY  
Easter time is fun and gay,  
When the rabbit comes our way,  
Bringing us baskets filled with joy.

On Easter Day we go to Church  
And the children wait to search,  
For their baskets filled with candy.  
Isn't Easter fun and dandy?

Editor's Note: The following poems were written for Easter by sixth graders in Mrs. Karen Soffin's English class at Perrin-Palmer School in St. Johns. The class also compiled a scrapbook of poems and pictures and gave it to children at Clinton Memorial Hospital last week.

### Spring!

By KAREN MAZZOLINI  
Spring is a time for flying kites,  
Ridings bikes, and little trikes.  
Spring is fun for young and old.  
Sometimes it's as good as gold.  
I like spring and I'm sure you do.  
So don't you agree its the best season too!

### A Gay Easter Sunday

By TERRI SUPPA

The sun is shining  
Children inside getting ready.  
Easter eggtime is here.

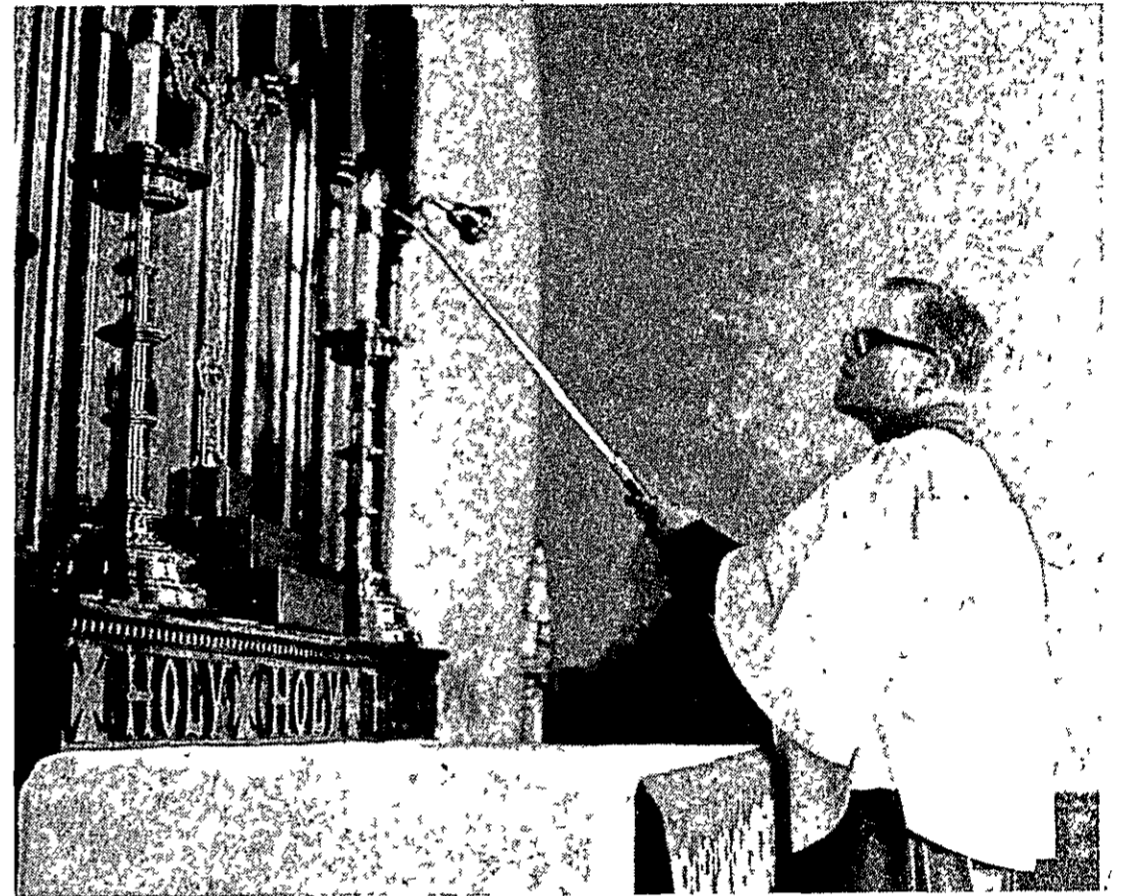
Easter Bunnies outside hiding  
Colorful eggs, orange, purple,  
Pink and red.

The children come running  
To find such beautiful eggs.  
Shouts of glee come from  
Behind a tree.

One never knows where eggs will  
Be hiding, on branches, under  
Leaves, and behind trees.  
Easter eggs are everywhere.



This stained glass window at St. Johns Episcopal Church reflects the risen Christ at Easter.



Henry White, who serves as an acolyte at St. Johns Episcopal Church, lights the altar candles for Easter.

# Easter Greetings

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"Christ Is Risen!" Joyous voices proclaim afresh the message of spiritual rebirth, of faith renewed and hope triumphant. And as the Easter season blossoms forth in all its wonder and glory, we take pause to reflect with reverence and gratitude upon the promise of that first miraculous Easter Morn. At this holy, happy time, we greet our friends and neighbors, and share in your rejoicing. With our greetings go our wishes to each of you for the deepest blessings of the season. In Easter's message, may all of us find comfort for today, and inspiration for tomorrow.



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4-H Chatter



The 4-H message

By JOHN AYLSWORTH



Twenty-five members in Clinton County have submitted 21 entries in the National 4-H Poster Contest and for the County Contest. The purpose of the Poster Contest was to allow 4-H members to say what 4-H is really like and to make sure the message gets across to the public. The County 4-H Council judged the entries and selected five posters to receive a cash prize. They are: Cathy Rademacher and Sheila Blood of the Green Clover Community Club; Annette Zuckschwerdt of Elsie Four Corners; Steve VanVleet of Kountry Cousins and Jean Buggs and Lori Lounds of the Nimble Fingers. All other entries will receive a 4-H emblem chevron for their participation.

The winning posters plus several others will be forwarded to the Federal Extension Service in Washington, D.C. for the National Contest. Possible uses of the posters include TV shots, billboards, newspaper mats, calendars, 4-H leaflets and other materials. Coats & Clarks, Inc. will provide cameras to each poster receiving a blue ribbon rating. Those who have seen the posters have expressed appreciation to the 4-H members in doing a good job in promoting 4-H as the members see it in action. I would like to congratulate the members for a job well done and for their interest in the promotion of the 4-H program.

One hundred nineteen 4-H members and guests participated in the 4-H Roller Skating Activity at the Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns Thursday evening. The next 4-H roller skating activity will be on Thursday, Apr. 16. All clubs are to turn in their reservations if they are interested in participating in an activity of this nature.

The County Holstein Friesian

Association voted at their annual meeting to again provide a registered Holstein calf to some worthy 4-H boy or girl interested in raising registered Holstein dairy animals. Applications will be available later in the summer. Past winners of these calf awards are Brian Thelen of Fowler, William Spitzley of Fowler, and last year's winner was David Seeger of Bath. These calves are selected by a committee from top notch stock in the county.

The County 4-H Talent Show will be held on Friday evening, May 15, at the St. Johns High School. The theme will be "Tomorrow's Promises" for the 1970 contest. Clubs may enter one or more acts in either large or small groups or family acts in instrumental, vocal, dance, and dramatic - novelty classifications. The time limit for each act is not to exceed six minutes. From the County Contest, five winning acts will be selected to participate at the State Contest Aug. 25-27, at Michigan State University. There will be no district contest this year. Members should be making plans for their talent acts shortly.

The Knit "N" Stitch 4-H members have invited their parents to their Mar. 30 meeting when the girls will have their clothing and knitting projects evaluated and judged on the local club bases. Demonstrations were given by Barbara Harbo on "How to add and knit different colors at the same time," Norma Bryn on "How to Make Bound Button Holes," Therese Bappert on clothing, Cindy Davis on "Pressing Wool" and Diane Davis on "Matching Plaids." Kathy Nichols will be the guest speaker for the Apr. 14, meeting showing slides on her experiences last summer on the Teen Caravan

Program in Japan.

The Happy Hustlers 4-H members discussed plans for the annual litter cleanup activity in April and filled out reports. Fran Riley gave a demonstration on "Five Basic Elements of Art." The knitting and clothing styling members only will meet on Mar. 30, at the Central National Bank, for a practice style show.

The Elsie 4 - Corners 4-H members will be holding a bake sale in the near future with proceeds going to the Smith Hall Beautification Project. Debbie and Carla Pokorny, Susan Ruff and Annette Zuckschwerdt entered posters in the county for the National 4-H Poster Contest. Kam Washburn gave a report on his trip to Chicago for the National 4-H Grain Marketing Conference. The next meeting will be on Apr. 7, at E.E. Knight School in Elsie.

Eighty 4-H members and parents attended the Nimble Fingers 4-H Club Achievement program where the clothing and knitting members styled their garments and handicraft members had their projects on display for the group to see their report on the Entomology Leaders Workshop at Camp Kett. Terri Rewerts was appointed to select a committee to handle the talent acts for the county contest.

The Nimble Fingers 4-H members will again participate in the litter pickup activity in the county on Apr. 18. Other items discussed were the County Spring Achievement programs. North Carolina 4-H Exchange Trip, 4-H Camp and Summer Enrollment. Demonstrations were given by Mike Kanaski on "Various Kinds of Screws and Nails;" Lauri Lounds on "How to Sew Down Your Facings;" John Chimiko on "How to Cut Glass;" Linda Helm

on "How to Make a Pocket;" Kristy Foster on "How to Pull a tie through;" Norman Rewerts on "Finishing Wood;" Debbie Phelps on "Preparing a Seam;" Lori Foster on "How to Sew a Button;" and Susan Tucker on "How to Straighten Cloth Material." Carla Purtili, Lora Lashway, JoAnn Kanaski, Harry Moldenhauer, Brian Puetz, Jean Buggs, Lori Lounds, Diane Rewerts, Marcia Rewerts and Susan Chimiko volunteered to make posters for the National 4-H Poster Contest.

The Maple River Craftsmen 4-H members are busy completing their projects for the county evaluation, open house and style revue. The club will participate in the litter pickup project on April 18 in the county. Ruth Ann Hubbard gave a talk on water safety. Recreation followed the business meeting.

The Riverside Riders 4-H club members will be sponsoring their first horse show on Sunday, Apr. 26, at their arena near Wacousta. The members welcome all 4-H members to enter their horses in the different classes. The members discussed their 4-H Vet Science Exhibit for Spring Achievement on Apr. 4, and the possibility of setting up lights at their new arena for evening fun shows. Linda Lovell entered a poster in the National 4-H Poster Contest.

The Bengal Beavers 4-H members voted to divide their money in the treasury, between Smith Hall Beautification and the National 4-H Center Drive. The members discussed Spring Achievement project evaluation and style revue and filled out their members Achievement Summary Forms.



Raymond Thornton, who has been named one of 19 outstanding farmers in Michigan, looks over some of his 200-acre dairy farm.

Raymond Thornton of Elsie named outstanding farmer

A Clinton County farmer, Raymond Thornton, has been named one of 19 outstanding farmers to be honored at Michigan State University Thursday.

Chosen from more than 1,500 farmers participating in TelFarm, MSU's computerized record-keeping program, these 19 farmers represent the state's agriculture elite.

They were selected on the basis of efficient organization and operation of their farms during the last three years. All ranked in the top three per cent of the 1,500 TelFarm co-operators.

This electronic bookkeeping system is open to any farmer, says F. Earl Haas, Clinton County extension director. He says about 60 farmers are members in Clinton County. The cost for this service ranges from a minimum of \$70 to \$250 depending on the size of the operation. "Nobody in Clinton is paying either the maximum or the minimum," says Haas.

Thornton farms 200 acres near Elsie on Shepardsville Rd., about one-half mile north of Colony Rd. He milks 87 high producing cows and doing most of the work himself with some hired but no full time hands.

In 1937 Thornton started the farm with eight cows. There was no electricity, or telephones and water was pumped with a gasoline engine.

"He buys some feed but overall, this is an operation which has expanded while keeping costs low," says MSU. "He is obtain-

ing very good labor efficiency through hard work and planning. Thornton, and the 18 other outstanding farmers will be presented with an engraved plaque citing them as a "Michigan Farm Manager of the Year."

Presentations will be made by Lawrence L. Boger, dean of the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources, at the annual Farm Management Banquet to be held at MSU's Kellogg Center Thursday night.

Holstein herd owners set Monday seminar

Area Holstein herd owners have the opportunity to attend a herd management and club program seminar on Monday at Central National Bank Community Room, in St. Johns at 12:30 p.m. according to Duane Green of Elsie. The local Holstein club is cooperating with the State Holstein club to present the seminar.

Jim Pound, National Holstein Association Extension Director, will present new ideas in herd improvement programs including type and production. Herd promotion ideas for the beginner will be discussed. Pound is well known as an interesting, entertaining speaker.

Club program topics will include club membership, the key to programs and strength, and a guide for junior member activities.

District director Velmar Green, of Elsie, Mich, will review the importance of the new district organization to educational programs for herd owners and club programs. The best and latest information is necessary to make desired progress.

Constructive herd management and club program planning is the objective. Future services to the membership will be determined by the membership participation at the seminars throughout the State.

Many changes were experienced in agriculture during the 1960s. Challenges of the decade ahead will be met by positive leadership. Ideas will be exchanged to aid in long range program planning beneficial to all herd owners.

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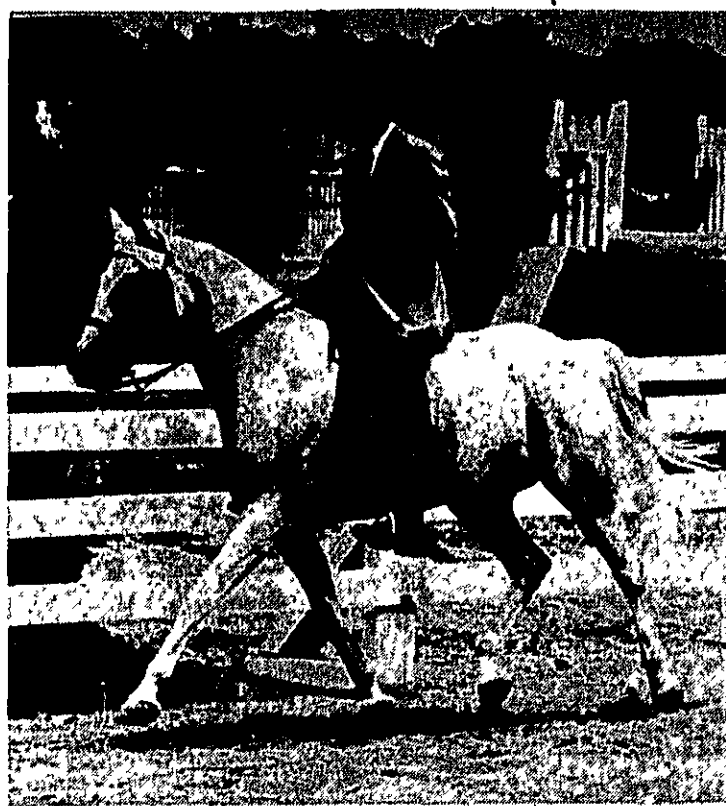
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David Mack (left) and his horse "Fire", were recently honored by the Junior Arabian Horse Club. They won fourth place in the rider division. Bill Mack (above) and his horse "Bint Julep", were awarded third place in the horse division.

## Horse club honors two Ovid youths

Two Ovid youths, Bill and David Mack, have been honored by the Junior Arabian Horse Club, a national organization which recently announced the results of their 1969 national standings.

Bill was awarded third place in the rider division and his

horse, Bint Julep, a registered Arabian Mare, was awarded third place in the horse division.

Also in 1969, Bill and David Mack won the State 4-H Championship and also were Champions in the Youth Activities Division, 14 years and older, of the Arabian

Horse Association of Michigan. David was awarded fourth place in the rider division and his horse Fire, an unregistered gelding, won fifth in the horse division.

David was also Reserve Champion in the Youth Activities Division, 13 years and under, for the Arabian Horse Association of Michigan.

Im Tobruk, Golden Stallion Farms Arabian stallion, was

awarded a Legion of Merit Certificate based on his performance in four shows. He was ridden by David Mack.

The results of all horse shows held in the United States and Canada are tabulated annually and awards are made in two divisions—high point rider and high point horse. Points won in any show and on any horse, registered or not, are used.

## Farmers see the light

U.S. farms used an all-time high average of 10,536 kilowatt-hours of electricity last year, according to Bob Maddox, Michigan State University agricultural engineer and member of the Farm Electrification Council.

Maddox said average annual farm consumption of electricity in 1969 was 720 kilowatt-hours above 1968. It marked the greatest increase over a previous year since 1959.

The increase is due largely to the development of new electrical equipment to handle a wide variety of the big horsepower jobs demanded by modern agriculture, Maddox said.

While setting a record high for consumption of electricity, farmers were paying a record low in energy cost. The average cost per kilowatt-hour was 2.00

cents in 1969, Maddox said. This compares with an average cost of 2.15 cents in 1968, and 2.25 cents in 1969.

## Weevil battle

Farmers who had the best control of alfalfa weevil in Michigan in 1969 took their first cutting of hay early, then sprayed to kill the pest immediately after cutting, Michigan State University agricultural scientists say late May-early June cutting got better quality forage and enabled many to get three cuttings, instead of the usual two during the year.

The world does owe us a living—we collect it by hard work.

## State's top 10 field crops to show slight increase

Michigan farms plan a 26,000-acre increase over last year for the 10 major field crops, according to the Michigan Crop Reporting Service. Increases in corn acreage as well as rye, oats, barley and soybeans, just barely offset the decreases recorded for wheat, sugar beets, dry beans and potatoes.

If farmers carry out their early March planting intentions, total field crop acreage would be 5,904,500 acres for the 10 major crops grown in Michigan.

WHEAT—Michigan farmers planted 581,000 acres of wheat last fall, 13 per cent less than planted in the fall of 1968. This represents the major reduction of the crops showing decline for the 1970 harvest season.

CORN—On March 1, Michigan farmers intended to plant 1,788,000 acres of corn, seven per cent more than planted in 1969. Coupled with increases in intended acreage of oats and barley, feed grain acreage will be up six per cent. The prospective acreage of corn, oats and barley combined is 2,298,000 acres compared with 2,167,000 acres for 1969. Acreage cut for hay is expected to decline by three per cent from last year.

BEAN—Michigan dry bean growers expressed intentions to plant 661,000 acres of dry field beans this year. If this acreage

is realized, acreage will be four per cent below the 1969 planted acres.

SOYBEANS—Michigan farmers planned to increase soybean acreage by 10 per cent to 581,000 acres. If realized, this means a new record of planted acres

of soybeans in Michigan will be set.

SUGAR BEETS—A total of 90,000 acres is expected to be planted, compared with 93,500 acres planted last year. The decrease is due largely to allotment limitations.

POTATOES—Acreage reductions of five and three per cent respectively are planned for late summer and fall potatoes. If planting intentions are realized, total planted acres will be 40,500 acres compared with 42,000 acres a year earlier.

## Thursday is Swine Day at MSU's Farm Week

Two outstanding commercial swine producers from nearby states will be featured at Swine Day Thursday, at Michigan State University. This Farmers' Week event will be held in the Kiva of Erickson Hall (north of Anthony Hall).

Albert Gehlbach, Lincoln, Ill., who markets 6,000 hogs annually and Orville Chamberlain, Urbana, Ind., who annually produces 5,000 hogs, finishes 800 cattle and raises 900 acres of corn, will be the featured speakers.

From 10 a.m. until noon, the annual meeting of the Michigan Pork Producers Association will be held. In addition to the business meeting, Gehlbach will tell

Michigan hog men "What Swine Producers Can Accomplish By Working Together." Chip Ray, Gobles, is president of the association; Robert Norris, Berrien Center, is vice president; James B. Ballard, Eaton Rapids, is secretary, and Robert Bussing, Coldwater, is treasurer.

At the afternoon session, Chamberlain will tell how he and three men handle his big farm operation. Keeping hog operations competitive will be the theme of Gehlbach's talk.

Another program of interest to swine producers who plan to build or remodel is on Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. in the Agricultural Engineering Building.

## Miss Michigan promotes jobs in agriculture

The 1970 Farmers' Week Youth program at Michigan State University this week features Miss Michigan, Sandra Gillespie, promoting agricultural careers today and Thursday.

The youth program offers young people an opportunity to learn about careers in agriculture, agribusiness and natural resources.

"Students concerned with pollution, environmental quality, world food problems and many other areas will find up-to-date career information available," says Norman Brown, coordinator of student programs for MSU's College of Agriculture and Natural Resources.

## Despite state trend

### No decline in cows for Clinton County

"Bigger, more efficient dairy farms with fewer, more productive dairy cows and a declining number of farmers involved—that's the Michigan dairy picture for the '70s," says F. Earl Haas, Clinton County Extension Director.

The county extension official says Clinton County is not following the Michigan trend which saw total production level off in the mid-1960s, then decline slightly for about three years and take a leveling-off trend in October 1968.

## NFO dinner is April 11

An NFO chicken dinner and meeting was held at the L & L Restaurant in St. Johns at 7:30 p.m. on Mar. 14, 1970.

The annual NFO dinner will be held on April 11, 1970, at the Ovid - Elsie High School. Speaker will be Paul Schmucker of Indiana. A Swiss steak dinner is planned, serving time from 5:30 to 8 p.m. Prices will be \$2.50 for adults, \$1 for children, and pre-schoolers free. Workers for the Apr. 11 dinner are to report for T.B. tests at the Clinton County Health Dept. on Monday, Mar. 30, at 10:30 a.m.

The next regular meeting will be a chicken dinner-meeting at the L & L Restaurant, St. Johns, on Apr. 16 at 7:30 p.m.

## Acreage restrictions on sugar beet crop

Nick Smith, Chairman of the Michigan State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, announces that proportionate shares would be effective on the 1970 sugar beet crop.

He added that the term "proportionate share" is used to identify the acreage of sugar beets permitted on each producer's farm.

It is an acreage limitation that producers must comply with to be eligible for the benefits of the Sugar Program.

It should be noted, Smith said, that the establishment of acreage restrictions for the 1970 crop as requested by the sugar beet processors and representatives of grower organizations.

Considering the requests of the processors and growers and after public hearings had been held, the Secretary of Agriculture announced the establishment of sugar beet acreage limitations for the coming year.

He added that the national limitation would be 1,450,000 acres. This compares with plantings reported in 1969 of 1,660,000 acres. Michigan's share of the national allotment amounts to 83,450 acres. This compares with approximately 95,000 acres planted in 1969.

In the establishment of individual farm allotments, consideration will be given to the accredited history of sugar beets produced in 1967, 1968, and 1969.

In announcing proportionate shares, Smith emphasized that any producer wishing to plant beets in 1970 or wishing to protect the sugar beet history on his farm must file a request for a proportionate share no later than Feb. 13. The necessary forms may be obtained from sugar company fieldmen or from local county ASCS offices.

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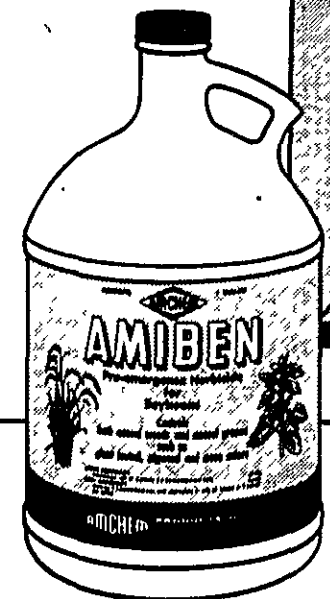
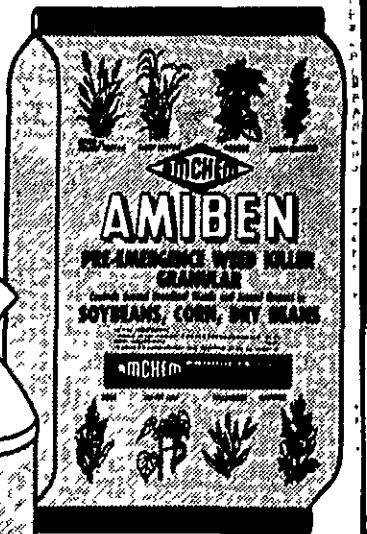
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# Who's Supporting Whom?

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NAME	No. Cows	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. B/fat	%COWS in test
William Knight	29	1481	58	74
Wyrick Brothers	31	1422	55	99
Becker Brothers	57	1529	54	92
Don Witt and Son	46	1309	52	88
Francis Motz	32	1309	50	95
Ervin Marten	44	1187	48	98
Dennis Thelen	97	1269	47	100
Russell Ormsby	28	1250	47	97
Robert Wilcox	29	1351	46	81
Mervin Chamberlain	28	1299	46	97
Marvin Simon	44	1287	46	91
Jerome Spitzley	40	1205	45	84
Fred Mayers	21	1195	45	88
Dale Anderson	44	865	45	87
Rostan Mehney and Son	28	1187	44	92
Joseph Wing	36	1084	44	97
Robert Borton and Sons	58	1165	43	95
Robert Nurenberg	41	1136	43	98
Zeeb Dairy Farm	68	1123	43	92
Ed DeLamater	32	777	43	87
William Mayers	36	1214	41	94
Frank Rivest	99	1062	41	94
Ernest Jackson	52	1125	40	86
Kenneth Thelen	41	1075	40	88
Harry Sanborn	42	1058	39	82
Duane and Velmar Green	1283	1026	39	86
Darrell Martin	34	1024	39	87
George Hazle	12	1038	38	91
Lawrence Sturgis	24	930	38	
Paul Nobis	70	1033	37	85
Leon Miller	39	1031	37	95
Ed Grams and Sons	184	988	37	82
Darwin Smith and Sons	47	952	37	83
James George	34	935	37	79
Lynn Fickles	24	763	37	100
Peter Kurnicz	121	986	36	92
A. W. Cobb and Son	44	900	36	88
Ron Spitzley	72	971	35	81
Frank Prochazka	24	893	35	89
George Smith	22	614	35	75
Carl Burk	34	916	34	87
Woodard Dunkel	25	891	33	84
E. A. Livingston	37	558	33	90
Warren Swanson	30	878	32	76
S and H Farms	81	876	32	86
Raymond Mayers	108	865	32	91
Gene Pettigrew	39	809	30	95
Don Swagart	29	848	29	87
George Jorae	31	725	27	80

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Owner	Breed	Milk	B/fat
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	20429	866
Becker Brothers	Holstein	23923	828
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	20878	795
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	21556	767
Becker Brothers	Holstein	22240	761
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	21221	759
Fred Mayers	Holstein	19500	739
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	17985	735
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	20449	729
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	21148	719
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	19265	715
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	19856	700
Ed Grams	Holstein	17261	699
Jerome Spitzley	Holstein	20427	691
Francis Motz	Holstein	17474	691
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	17526	690
Ed DeLamater	Guernsey	14148	687
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	19625	685
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	18682	684
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	20354	683
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	17596	682
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	19349	675
William Mayers	Holstein	18475	673
James George	Holstein	18622	672
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	19220	671
S and H Farms	Holstein	17606	669
Rostan Mehney and Son	Holstein	17585	669
S and H Farms	Holstein	19114	667
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	18060	667
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	16473	667
Warren Swanson	Holstein	16708	665
Ed Grams	Holstein	17366	663
Robert Nurenberg	Holstein	17800	661
Darrell Martin	Holstein	19428	659
Rostan Mehney and Son	Holstein	18708	658
Duane and Velmar Green	Holstein	20330	657
Joseph Wing	Holstein	16193	657
Ernest Jackson	Holstein	19142	654

## St. Johns FFA Chapter at State Convention

Members of the St. Johns Chapter of Future Farmers of America will be part of some 1,500 - 1,700 persons attending the 42nd annual FFA State Convention at Michigan State University, this week.

Ken Eldridge of the St. Johns FFA Chapter has been named to receive the State Farmer Degree which will be conferred this evening.

### Rabbit show this week

Adults and youth who want to learn all about commercial rabbit production have the opportunity this week at Michigan State University's Farmers' Week, Thursday and Friday.

Champion rabbits of many breeds will be on display and commercial rabbit breeders and fanciers will be available to answer questions and discuss exhibits.

## State leads in labeling for pesticides, fertilizers

The Michigan Department of Agriculture has announced new labeling requirements for 1970 for all home lawn and garden pesticide-fertilizer combination products.

The new labeling requirements are being established in Michigan ahead of action by any other state in the United States.

Industry representatives on the committee complimented Michigan for leading the way to more informative labeling and predicted that the changes now established in Michigan would soon spread across the border into other states.

## Short course alumni to meet at MSU today

The more than 20,000 graduates of Michigan State University's Department of Short Courses, now the Institute of Agricultural Technology, are invited back to the campus for the annual alumni association meeting and banquet this evening.

Don Shepard, emeritus professor of agricultural technology, will present four Outstanding Alumni Awards.

Officers for the alumni association will be selected, also. Candidates are: Gene Ryan, Lansing, and Carl Quakenbush, Burt, for president; James

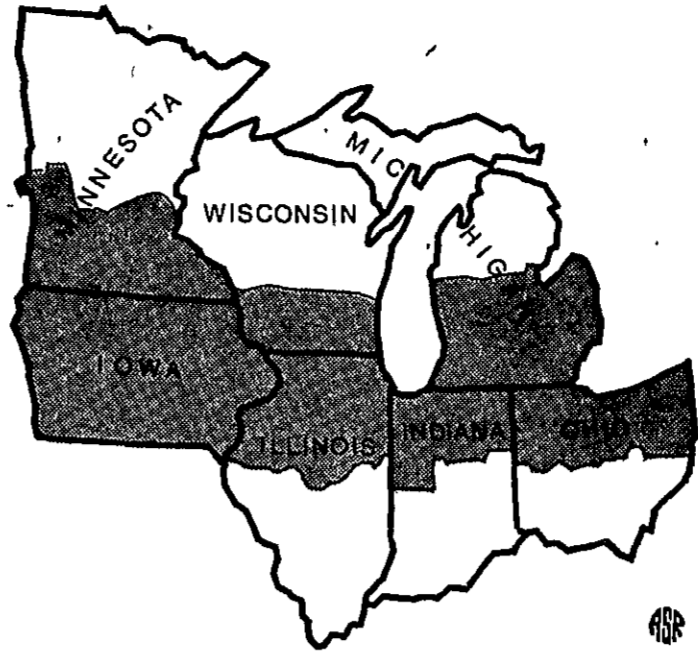
Swass, Scottville, and Larry Crandall, Battle Creek, for vice-president; and Scott Sincerbeau, Swartz Creek, Stuart Sackett, Stanton, John Powell, Jonesville, Donald Sutto, Saginaw, and John Williamson, St. Johns, for board member.

A reception will start at 5 p.m. in Union Parlor A and dinner 6 p.m. in the Union Ballroom. Alumni can get tickets at \$4.50 each from Institute of Agricultural Technology, 120 Agriculture Hall, Michigan State University.

About 500 students are currently enrolled in agricultural technology programs. More than 200 will graduate March 20.

Special awards will be made for chapter educational exhibits. Agricultural Proficiency Awards presentation will be made.

Vocational Agricultural Teacher, D. L. Munger, is the advisor of the St. Johns chapter. Local officers are D. J. Bishop, President, James Harte, Vice-President, Ron Cuthbert, Secretary, Wayne Morrison, Treasurer, Don Cuthbert, Reporter, and Rudy Rosener, Sentinel.



Yellow leaf blight is a major problem in shaded area.

## Corn crop threatened by yellow leaf blight

Phytophthora may not mean much to some farmers but call it by its common name . . . Yellow leaf blight . . . and they know that it means a loss of profits.

Yellow leaf blight is caused by a fungus which produces masses of spores in small, almost microscopic black bodies. When spread from debris by water and rain, they germinate and infect the leaf areas of the corn plant.

Cold, wet conditions at planting time and wet spots in the field seem to cause a higher degree of plant infection. Yellow leaf blight can cause a 20

to 40 per cent yield and stand-ability loss. University corn specialists in the upper Midwest indicate that the most effective way to combat yellow leaf blight is through the use of highly resistant corn hybrids.

These specialists recommend a four point program for cutting down potential profit loss from yellow leaf blight.

1. Plant a hybrid with a high degree of yellow leaf blight resistance.
2. Eliminate stress factors, especially early in the season.
3. Practice crop rotation since the disease over-winters in corn debris.
4. Plow down corn debris. Spring plowing is effective.

## Tax regulations explained by Haas

Most farmers do not have to file an estimated tax and pay quarterly. F. Earl Haas, County Extension Director, says that farmers and fishermen are exempt if they send in their final return and pay in full by March 1, or two months following the close of their fiscal year.

Many farmers have wondered if the regulations were changed because they received forms to file quarterly estimates. These were mailed to all tax payers according to the Internal Revenue

Service. Farmers can ignore them. To qualify as a farmer, at least two-thirds of the gross income must be derived from the business of farming. This means that some part-time farmer might have to file an estimate and pay quarterly.

Haas says that each individual must decide whether he qualifies as a farmer and if not, then complete the estimate form. It still might not be necessary to send it in. The instructions are clear on that.

## One antibiotic isn't enough for hogs

The typical hog needs more than one antibiotic if it's going to get to market in good shape. Recent research at Michigan State University, supervised by Animal Husbandryman Elyw R. Miller, showed that a combination of antibiotics frequently proved superior to a single antibiotic feed supplement in promoting growth.

A typical combination that looks good for early-weaned pigs includes penicillin, a tetracycline and a sulfonamide at levels of 50 grams, 100 grams and 100 grams respectively, per ton of ration.

Sulfamethazine has been the sulfonamide used. Sulfathiazole is another sulfonamide available and has the advantage of being less well absorbed from the intestines with a greater margin of safety from the possibility of kidney damage when used at the 100 gram per ton level.

Seventy pigs, weaned at four weeks of age, were used in the experiment. Five different antibiotic combinations were used.

Greatest response was obtained from pigs receiving the combination of all three antibiotics. They gained at a 18 per cent faster rate and were 11 per cent more efficient converters of feed into meat than hogs fed the basic ration with no antibiotics.

The best results were received from the basic ration plus 50 grams per ton of penicillin, 100 grams per ton of chlorotetracycline and 100 grams per ton of sulfathiazole.

### Milky ways

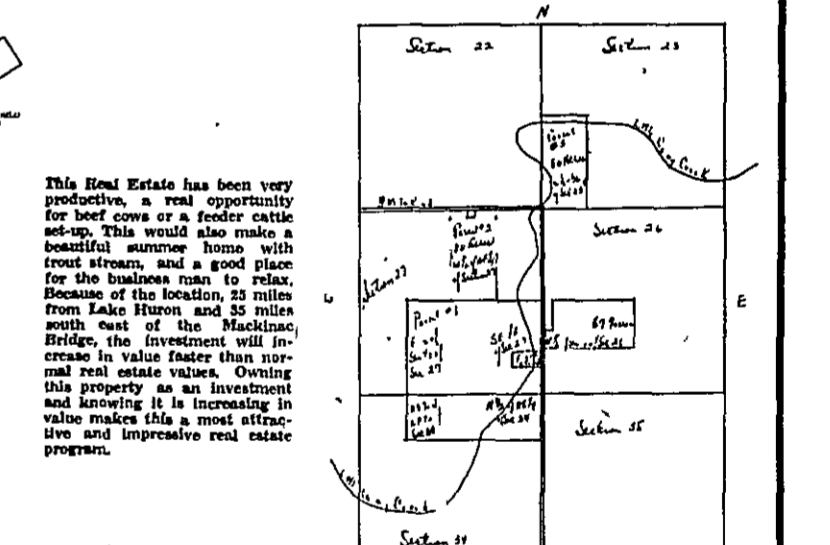
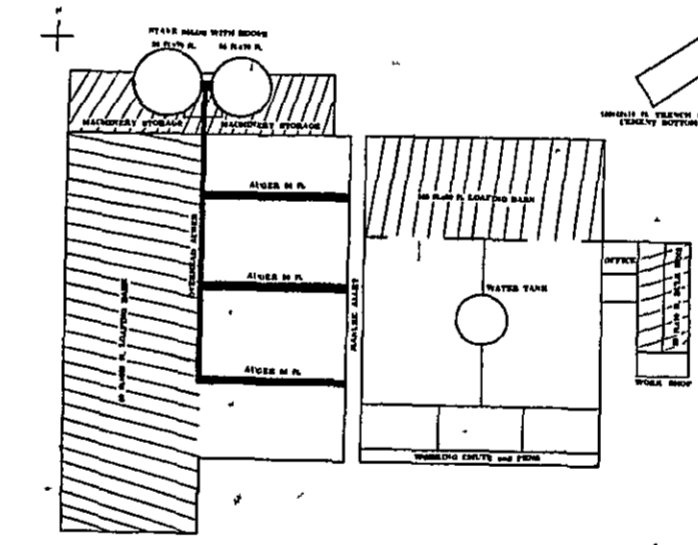
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Price District

By Mrs Harold Crowley

Minnesota where they stay indefinitely. They were called there by the illness of Mrs Patch's father, Emil Bauer, who is a patient in the Divine Redeemer Memorial Hospital at South St. Paul, Minnesota.

man-Horton Grange met at the Arthur Curtis Home. During the business meeting an invitation was received from St. Johns Grange to unite with them on Friday evening, March 27 for supper and meeting. It was voted to accept. It was also voted to transfer 10 dollars from the general fund to the flower fund.

North Victor

By Mrs Etile Exelby

A potluck supper was enjoyed on Friday evening when Stocking's church was the host.

Douglas Huyck returned to his naval post on Sunday after spending his furlough here with his parents, Mr and Mrs James Huyck and Allen. Douglas expects to be transferred to a different ship after reaching Hawaii and will leave soon for Vietnam.

West Elsie

By Mrs Wayne Mead

Phone 882-5447

RAYMOND THORNTON TO BE HONORED Mr and Mrs Raymond Thornton are attending three days of Farmers' Week, Wednesday through Friday, at the Professional Dairy Banquet at the Union Building.

Farm, MSU's computerized record keeping program. They were selected on the basis of efficient organization and operation of their farms over the past three years. All ranked in the top three per cent of the 1,500 Top Farm cooperators.

Langing was a weekend visitor of Mrs Kathryn Stevens. Mrs Frank Watson accompanied Mr and Mrs Judd Jackson to Baynton Friday. They visited their sister, Mrs Boush Wilson.

ing, March 17 was well attended with 97 members present. Supper was served at 6:00 p.m. Persons having March birthdays included Darcy Barnes, Diana and Gail Symonds, Bill Barnes, Marvin Rhyndar, Bob Blaw, Mrs Clara Lincoln and Mrs Florence Cable.

Gunnisonville

By Mrs Lou E. Fritz

The March Birthday potluck supper at Gunnisonville United Methodist Church Tuesday evening.

Alward-Plowman District

By Mrs Bernice Wohlfert

On March 15 Mr and Mrs Alfred Hahn and Mrs Carl Hahn and Ann Marie were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Larry Whitney and family, Janette Whitney was celebrating her birthday.

and Mrs Nolan Maxwell and Mrs Linda Maxwell. Mr and Mrs Virgil Yanz and daughters attended a wedding reception in Eureka Saturday evening for Mr and Mrs David Humbarger. Later they called on Mr and Mrs Duane DeVoe.

Mrs Dorothy Hickerson and Mrs Gary Drady. Mr and Mrs Robert Secord Sr and Larry and Kathy attended a wedding reception Saturday evening in St. Louis for Mr and Mrs Dave Mills.

Mr and Mrs Roy Spiece and family Saturday evening. Mr and Mrs Miles Marrel and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Alfred Wickerham and Roger. Mrs Bruce Blizzard was also a dinner guest.

from St. Lawrence Hospital where he recently had surgery. Mr and Mrs Dennis Roberts of Carson City spent Friday with her parents Mr and Mrs Steve Kneibel.

where they will visit Mr and Mrs Hugh Behen and family. Mr and Mrs Dennis Roberts of Carson City spent Friday with her parents Mr and Mrs Steve Kneibel.

Doctors attempt to fill 'need' - family care. Two thousand family doctors recently have taken a written examination which, if passed, will qualify them as specialists in family practice, a new medical specialty emphasizing comprehensive, continuing care of the family.

Practice. The test was devised with the cooperation of the National Board of Medical Examiners, a nationally-known testing agency in medicine. It is being administered at 36 local centers by Science Research Associates of Chicago.

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The two-day examination is being offered simultaneously at 36 academic centers throughout the United States under the aegis of the American Board of Family Practice.

The AAFP, second largest of medicine's organized groups next to the all-doctor AMA, is the only national medical organization that requires its members to take postgraduate study. Members must complete at least 150 hours of approved study during the three-year term of membership.

These 2,000 doctors, and later "practice eligible" candidates for certification in family practice, are the vanguard of a new type of highly competent "people doctor" who will be working in close cooperation with medical centers and teaching hospitals.

They will not only have proved their ability in the field of comprehensive, continuing care of the family, but also will have agreed to certification after six years. No other specialty requires its diplomates to prove their competence on a continuing basis.

Prospects for the 70's. A series of natural resources exhibits based on the theme "Environmental Problems, Projects and Prospects for the 70's" will be featured this week in Room 183 of Michigan State University's Natural Resources Building through Thursday.

South Waterdown. Mr and Mrs Vaughan Montgomerie entertained three tables of guests Saturday evening. High scores were won by Mr and Mrs Mark Oliver.

Mr and Mrs Richard Brinkley and family of Grand Rapids, Mrs Earl Showman of Lansingburg and Mr and Mrs Fred Johnson of Perry were Sunday guests of the...

# Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News



## New Suits Started

**ERNEST E. CARTER**  
County Clerk

John H. and Lorna B. Coffman vs Farmer's Mutual Fire Ins. Co., civil.

Nationwide Mutual Ins., Co. vs Herbert Estes, civil.

Clinton National Bank and Trust Co., vs Robert C. Rath, civil.

Mar. 18: John W. and Ruth Trumble to Gerald G. and Eva L. Trumble, Essex.

Mar. 18: Glenwyn L. and Geraldine Smith to Marvin E. Hayes, Briggs-Stoller Sub.

## LEGAL NOTICES

### MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made on the 30th day of December, 1965, between Andrew M. Kuhnmuonch and Joan R. Kuhnmuonch, husband and wife, Mortgagors, and CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on July 7, 1969, in Liber 245 of Mortgages, pages 358, 359, said Mortgagors' interest having been subsequently assumed by Ronald E. Joslyn and Kay A. Joslyn, husband and wife, under warranty deed dated May 11, 1968 and recorded in Liber 319, of Deeds, page 390, Clinton County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due the date of this notice for principal and interest the sum of SEVENTEEN THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIX and 74/100 (\$17,286.74) DOLLARS and an attorney fee of SEVENTY-FIVE (\$75.00) DOLLARS allowed by law, as provided in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, on the 17th day of April, 1970, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the South entrance of the Clinton County Courthouse, City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being one of the places where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in the said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven (7%) per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney fees, which said premises are described as follows in said mortgage: Lot Number 3 and the South 1/2 of Number 4, Block Number 1, Hurd and Skeels Subdivision, (of Outlots G and H, in the Village of St. Johns, Michigan) City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, subject to easements and restrictions of record.

The period of redemption as provided by statute runs for six (6) months from date of sale.

CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION  
Dated: January 21, 1970  
Cummins, Butler & Thornburn  
301 Capital Savings & Loan Building  
Lansing, Michigan 48933 38-13

## Marriage Licenses

James Dwain Atkins, 7781 Grand River Ave., Grand Ledge and Sherrie Suzette Wright, 227 N. Jehonson St., Lansing.

William E. Sifton, R-1, Fowler and Alice June Husted, R-1, Fowler.

Barry L. Hallead, R-5, St. Johns and Cathy Marie Barber, 5599 Wright St., Troy.

## Probate Court

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

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 1970

Lilly A. Ward, claims.  
Myrtle Jones, claims.  
Joseph Cordes, probate of will.  
Grace B. Chapin, final account.

## THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 1970

Avinell Bishop, probate of will.  
Joseph Simon, final account.  
William Rule, reopen claims.

## City Building Permits

Fedewa Builders, Inc. 407 E. Gibbs, Farm Bureau.  
Rademacher Const. 302 N. Kibbee, single family dwelling.

## County Building Permits

Mar. 16: Gerald Pohl, R-2, St. Johns, dwelling and garage.  
Mar. 16: Robert Burgdorf, 8106 Welling Road, Eureka, remodel dwelling.

## Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)

Mar. 12: Richard T. and Alyce Cramer to Paul S. and Anne Duski, land in Bingham twp.

Mar. 15: Robert K. Swift to Maxine P. Swift, Riverview Heights.

Mar. 13: Roy F. and Pauline Briggs to Provincial House Inc., Bingham twp.

Mar. 16: Amy Francis Bensing to J. Leslie Bensing, Ovid twp.

Mar. 16: J. Leslie Bensing to Lloyd and Laurence Bensing, Ovid twp.

Mar. 16: Lucy M. Chapman to Richard G. and Joan Mulder, Northdale Farms.

Mar. 16: Robert Whittenburg to Genevieve Shepard, Victor twp.

Mar. 16: George J. and Zora Pohl to Larry R. and Eileen Strickland, St. Johns.

Mar. 16: Harold F. and Mary Lou See to Matthew and Mary VanRandyk, Rose Sub. No. 2.

Mar. 16: Clayton and Marjorie Bidding to Eugene H. and Katherine Rensberry, Greenbush twp.

Mar. 17: Matilde Martinez to B. Stanley and Mildred Pocus, Riley twp.

Mar. 18: Oscar and Bernita Cook to Gerald and Lucille Fedewa, Dallas twp.

Mar. 18: Simon and Revella Smith, et al to Ambrose G. Smith, Westphalia twp.

Mar. 18: Joseph and Mary Smith to Ambrose G. Smith, Westphalia.

Mar. 18: Jo Anne and Rose Anne Smith to Ambrose G. Smith, Westphalia.

Mar. 18: Theresa Spitzley and Mary Ann Thelen et al to Ambrose G. Smith, Westphalia.

Mar. 18: Herman, guardian of Roberta Weber to Ambrose G. Smith, Westphalia.

Mar. 18: Lawrence E. and Darol K. Ritter to William R. and Monica Hall, Watertown twp.

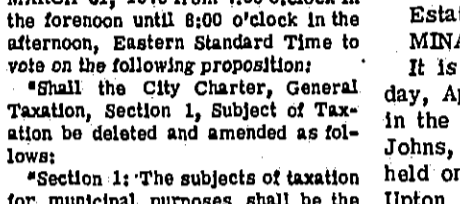
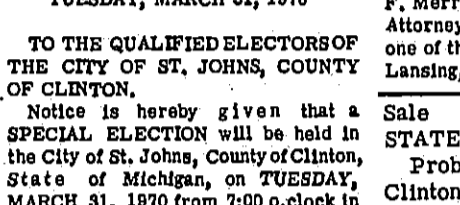
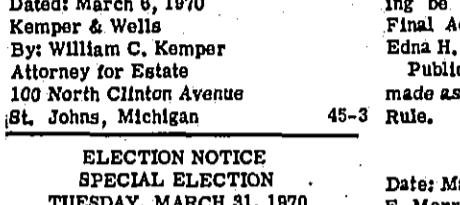
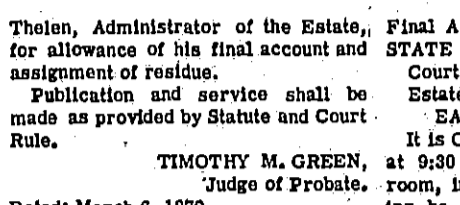
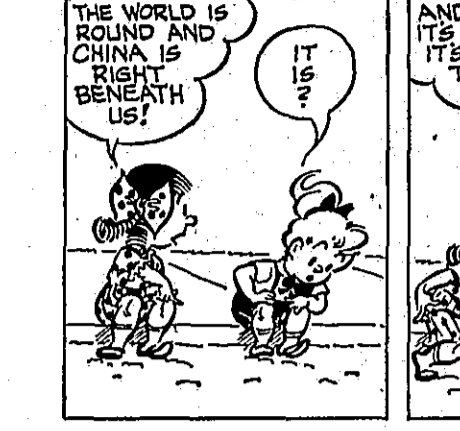
Mar. 18: Arnold E. and Joyce J. Miller to Phillip D. and Sandra Crockett, Idylcrest Est. No. 2.

Mar. 18: Douglas H. and Alice T. Smith to Bernard F. and Arlene P. Doerr, DeWitt twp.

Mar. 18: Justin F. and Eunice Marzke to Roy F. and Pauline Briggs et al, St. Johns.

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## Life With The Rimples



Thelen, Administrator of the Estate, 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: March 6, 1970  
Kemper & Wells  
By William C. Kemper  
Attorney for Estate  
109 North Clinton Avenue  
St. Johns, Michigan 46-3

**ELECTION NOTICE**  
SPECIAL ELECTION  
TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 1970

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS, COUNTY OF CLINTON.

Notice is hereby given that a SPECIAL ELECTION will be held in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, on TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 1970 from 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon until 6:00 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time to vote on the following proposition:

"Shall the City Charter, General Taxation, Section 1, Subject of Taxation be deleted and amended as follows:

"Section 1: The subjects of taxation for municipal purposes shall be the same as for state, county and school purposes under the general law and the amount annually raised shall not exceed 1.5 percentum of the assessed valuation."

"STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: The purpose of placing the above-stated question before the electors of the City of St. Johns is to increase the subjects of taxation millage, from the present charter limitation of one (1) per cent of the assessed valuation to the increased one and five-tenths (1.5) percentum of the assessed valuation.

yes \_\_\_\_\_ no \_\_\_\_\_

**THOMAS L. HUNDLEY**  
Clerk 46-2

Warren-May 20  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of  
**M. EDNA WARREN, a.k.a. M. EDNA VAN DYNE WARREN,** Deceased

It is Ordered that on May 20, 1970, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms 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 Leonard W. Lenneman, 1424 Roosevelt Avenue, Lansing, Michigan 48915, 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, 1970.  
Kemper and Wells  
By Leon S. C. Ludwig  
Attorney for Estate  
100 N. Clinton Avenue  
St. Johns, Michigan 46-3

**ORDER TO APPEAR**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.

**CONNIE L. HILLIKER, Plaintiff,**  
vs  
**ROBERT L. HILLIKER, Defendant.**

A session of said Court held in the Circuit Court room in the City of St. Johns on the 13th day of March, 1970.

PRESENT: Leo Corkin, Circuit Judge.

The Plaintiff herein having filed her Complaint praying for a Judgment of Divorce, said Complaint being supported by an Affidavit in support of Petition for an Order to Appear and the Court being advised in the premises.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant herein shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 27th day of April at 9:00 a.m., 1970, and service by publication may be had.

Failure to comply with this Order may result in a Judgment by Default against said Defendant for the relief prayed in the Complaint on file.

**LEO W. CORKIN,**  
Circuit Judge

Dated: March 13, 1970.  
Attorney: Robert S. Brooks,  
627 W. Allegan  
Lansing, Mich. 48933 46-3

Durban-April 8  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of  
**LAWRENCE C. DURBIN,** Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 8, 1970, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Bernice C. Jorae, Route #4, Traverse City, Michigan 49884, 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 11, 1970.  
Kemper and Wells  
By William C. Kemper  
Attorney for Estate  
100 North Clinton Avenue  
St. Johns, Michigan. 46-3

McKinnon-April 15  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of  
**RICHARD GLEASON MC KINNON,** Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 15, 1970, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Glenn T. Cheney, Public Administrator for Clinton County, for allowance of his final account and for assignment of residue.

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

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

Dated: March 13, 1970.  
Forling, Plankton & Moskal  
By Alfred J. Fortino  
Attorney for Estate  
175 Warwick Drive  
Alma, Michigan 46-3

Schader-June 3  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of  
**MONA M. SCHAFER,** Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 3, 1970, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all claims against said estate will be heard and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Howard B. Schader, Administrator 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 19, 1970  
By Patrick B. Kelley  
Attorney for Estate 47-3

Hainer-May 20  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of  
**BERNARD HAINER,** Deceased

It is Ordered that on May 20, 1970, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Gladys J. Irish, administratrix of R-5, St. Johns, Michigan. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

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

Dated: March 11, 1970.  
Kemper and Wells  
By William C. Kemper  
Attorney for Estate  
100 North Clinton Avenue  
St. Johns, Michigan. 46-3

Plunkett-May 27  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of  
**MABEL M. PLUNKETT,** Deceased

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Final Account  
**Gill-April 15**  
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Estate of  
**GEORGE A. GILL,** Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 15, 1970, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Robert A. Gill for allowance of his final account.

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

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Dated: March 5, 1970  
By Glenn T. Cheney, P.A.  
518 N. Washington Avenue  
Lansing, Michigan 46-3

Bishop-April 2  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of  
**AVINELL BISHOP,** Deceased

It is Ordered that on April 2, 1970, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Paul Bishop of 1011 Church Street, St. Johns, Michigan for probate of purported will, for granting of administration to the executors named, or some other suitable person, and for determination of heirs.

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

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Judge of Probate.

Dated: March 4, 1970  
Kemper & Wells  
By William C. Kemper  
Attorney for Estate  
100 North Clinton Avenue  
St. Johns, Michigan 46-3

Gordainer-April 9  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of  
**MINA GORDAINER, M.I.**

It is Ordered that on Thursday, April 9, 1970, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Verne L. Upton for license to sell real estate of said ward. 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.

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Dated: March 16, 1970.  
Walker and Moore, by  
Jack Walker  
Attorney for Guardian  
Clinton National Bank Bldg.  
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Leneman-May 27  
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Schader-June 3  
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of  
**MONA M. SCHAFER,** Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 3, 1970, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all claims against said estate will be heard and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Howard B. Schader, Administrator prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

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NOTICE OF FORFEITURE OF LAND CONTRACT

Notification is hereby made that a certain Land Contract bearing the date of the 27th day of September, 1966, by and between Arnold S. and Donna Mae Flaucher, now assigned to Margaret DeVries, party of the first part, and James O. Kidder and Joanne Kidder, parties of the second part, is in default by reason of the non-payment of the installments of principal and interest due thereunder, and you are hereby notified that Margaret DeVries, elects to declare and does hereby declare said land contract forfeited; and you are hereby notified that you are to yield, surrender and deliver up possession of the premises in said land contract mentioned and of which you are now in possession under and by virtue of the terms thereof.

You are further notified that from and after the publication of this notice, you will be liable for damages which the undersigned may suffer by reason of your continued possession of said premises in accordance with Section 600.667 of the Compiled Laws of the State of Michigan for 1948.

Said premises are described in said Land Contract as follows:

Lot 22 of East Bank, Both Township, Clinton County, Michigan, also the South 40 feet of the North 80 feet of Lot 1 Supervisor's Plat No. 1 of a part of the East 1/2 of Section 1/4 of Section 28, Bath Township, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof and subject to any and all easements and restrictions of record.

You are hereby notified that foreclosure proceedings will be held in the DISTRICT COURT, in the County Courthouse, City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan on the 6th day of April, 1970 at 10:00 o'clock in the afternoon, and that the party of the first part does hereby declare that the balance due on said Land Contract is \$4,166.10 and that party of the first part wishes to accelerate payment according to the terms of said Land Contract.

**MARGARET DE VRIES**  
By: Conway Longson  
Attorney for Margaret DeVries  
2706 E. Michigan Avenue  
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- Karla Austin (6)
- Pat Ballard
- James Bappert (6)
- Kathryn Barker
- Janet Barnes (6)
- Paula Barrett
- Daniel Bars (6)
- Diana Battenbee (6)
- Kathleen Beagle (6)
- Darrell Beck
- Christina Beschler
- Kathy Bostiger (6)
- Leanne Brown
- Karen Bugge (6)
- Terri Bunch (6)
- Terri Burnham (6)
- Donald Cuthbert
- Jacqueline DeGeer
- Ronald Dollarhite
- Beth Doyle (6)
- David Dush
- Joyce Fedewa (6)
- Jean Feldpausch
- Anne Fox (6)
- Cathy French (6)
- Paula Gibson (6)
- Michael Groat (6)
- Jillene Guernsey (6)
- Richard Guy
- James Harle (6)
- Kevin Hayes (6)
- Dennis Henning (6)
- Bernadette Jorae (6)
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- Douglas King (6)
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- John Kruger (6)
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- Cynthia LaChappelle
- Cindy Lanterman (6)
- Michele Lenon
- Cavin Lounde
- Allen Matice
- Sharon Mazzolini (6)
- Lori McQueen (6)
- Phyllis Oahle
- Eugene Patterson (6)
- Sally Pillington
- Nancy Prescock
- Celia Remus
- Marilyn Romig
- Judy Roof (6)
- Jill Saari
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- Dennis Smith (6)
- Karin Sommer
- David Spearbreaker (6)
- Larry Spiller (6)
- Barbara Spousta
- Jeffrey Springer
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- Marsha Stevens
- Beth Stork (6)
- Anita Stregar
- Marola Tait

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- LuAnne Thelen (6)
- Janie Thrush (6)
- Laura Vandervort
- Rebecca Watchorn
- Amy Wellman (6)
- Sharon Whitford
- Diana Whitmore (6)
- Ruth Willette (6)
- Robin Wilson (6)
- Scotty Wing
- Colleen Wood (6)
- Patricia Woodbury
- Randall Davis
- Mary Matter
- Lloyd Upham
- Judy Haske
- Victi Amos
- Janet Andrews
- Joanne Benediot (6)
- Kathryn Bowerman
- Barbara Brown
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- Dolores Eviita (4)
- Diane Fedewa
- Edna Feighner (6)
- Brenda Feldpausch (6)
- Kathy Feldpausch (4)
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- Valerie Gillespie
- Kathy Gillespie
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- Daniel Henning
- Russell Hicks
- Christine Holm
- Richard Holm (4)
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- David Hyler
- Elaine Jastram (6)
- Victi Johnston
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- Dawn Applebee, Sheryl Arnett, Mary Alice Bates--(All A's), David Brandel, Randy Bowles, Debbie Carpenter, Joan Carr, Kay Chamberlain, Dan Copelin, Linda Craig,
- Mike Criner, Rosemary Darling, Dennis Delaney, Mike Duffield, Mary Dunay,
- Joanne Gruesbeck, Robert Hayton, Dwight Hunt, Jim Johnson, J
- son, Jody Jorae, Ed Kibby, David Mack, Devonna Marriage, Debra Miller, Linda Noe,
- Grant Palen, Randy Pollard, Maurine Purves, Jim Rees, Robin Shilvey--(All A's),
- Karen Siniropi, Barbara Sovie, Valjane Waydak, Dean Wil-

#### Elsie Junior High School Honor Roll

- Thom Tomasek, Jim Valentine, and Debra Webster.

#### Bowling

REDWING		W	L
Mar. 13			
M-P's	67	41	
Night Hawks	62 1/2	46 1/2	
Jale's	61 1/2	46 1/2	
State Farm	60	46	
Stoppo Joe's	57 1/2	50 1/2	
Miasiti	58	55	
B-B's	51	57	
Hi Balls	40 1/2	61 1/2	
Coldwaters	44 1/2	63 1/2	
Dynamo's	41 1/2	66 1/2	
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070. High team series--Night			
Hawks, 1919. High individual			
game--Hale Pearson, 181. High			
individual series--Hazel Fear-			
son, 483. Clyde Pearson, 202.			
Jack Batchelor, 258.			

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Clinton County News

Editorial Page

Wednesday, March 25, 1970

Millage supported

Next Tuesday, for the fifth time in less than four years, residents of St. Johns will be asked to support a proposal designed to strengthen the city's fiscal structure. We encourage endorsement of that proposal.

For too long the city has been burdened by an ever tightening budget on one hand yet an increasing demand from citizens for services and facilities on the other. There can be no satisfaction for either without a more realistic revenue base.

The millage proposal, if accepted, will still leave St. Johns behind the levels of operating millages in most other cities of comparable size. The request for the additional five mills is one that is not only reasonable but also conservative.

Gutless results

Reflecting on the turmoil present in our society today we find it difficult to not sense of deep loss of self discipline. Throughout history there are graphic examples of social and political successes and failures in direct relation to the degree of self discipline of people.

Earl Nightingale, whose radio program in the short span of five years became the most widely syndicated of its type, has compiled a book from his broadcast tapes. These scripts cover such topics as courage, courtesy, creative thinking, achievement, success and many other thought provoking subjects. On self discipline Nightingale observed: "... successful men have formed the habit of doing the things that failures don't like to do. Why? Because they have found this is the only way to achieve their goals. Successful men are influenced by the desire for pleasing results. Failures are influenced by the desire for pleasing methods, less concerned with results."

While riotous activities in most quarters are not pleasing methods, to those who lack self discipline they're the easy way out. And the results are as gutless as those supporting the methods.

TAKING FIVE

The average bear

By RON HUARD



I've discovered why the handbasket this country of ours is in is traveling so fast. It's being driven by guys like Sen. Roman Hruska of Nebraska. The honorable senator's personal philosophies on mediocrity came to the forefront a number of days ago when he spoke in defense of G. Harold Carswell's nomination for the United States supreme court.

Sen. Birch Bayh of Indiana had described the nominee as a person of mediocre abilities and Hruska was quick to leap forward on behalf of the average guy by claiming we should not expect all of the people who hold key positions to be of high ability.

Yukkkk! There's nothing wrong with being average, I can't knock it. I still have report cards filed away that have so many Cs on them they look like a penmanship exercise. I have a face that is often mistaken for some other average guy and to top things off I frequently prefer a bottle of beer over wine with my beef roast.

But I don't expect anybody to single me out as a candidate for the publisher's office of the New York Times. It's a little out of my class. Maybe the supreme court is a little out of Carswell's class. The man should not be perse-

cutted for being average, but on the other hand are we to be content with mediocrity in important positions?

There used to be a saying that every kid in the country said his daddy told him and it went something like "Whatever you do, do your best." But now here comes a senator on a dusty charger saying "Boys, hang tight. The average bear's gonna rule this country."

And the worst part is that we've come to believe it. We've come to the point where mediocrity is as much taken for granted as getting up in the morning. If a pen doesn't write we seldom question the quality of workmanship but merely cast it aside and look for one that does work. If the trim moldings on our new house don't fit the contractor thinks we're picky even for noticing it. If a three thousand dollar car must be recalled because of production shortcomings, chances are we're buggered more by the inconvenience than we are by the error involved.

Our attitudes have dropped considerably from the lofty desire for quality in product and person to the ordinary acceptance of the "average bear." Maybe Sen. Hruska does favor a mediocre supreme court judge, but average bears belong in the woods.

Back Thru the Years

Interesting Items from the Files of the Clinton County News

ONE YEAR AGO March 26, 1969

Most of the 125 persons attending a St. Johns City Commission meeting favored a proposed city income tax as the solution to St. Johns financial problems.

Clinton County Road Commissioners outlined plans to the board of supervisors for a five-year rebuilding program on county roads, to begin in 1969 with Francis, Clark and Wright Roads.

Rollin Huard, publisher of the Clinton County News was appointed Clinton County chairman for Michigan Week programs by Richard W. Walker of Lansing, regional chairman.

Dick Rehman, 6-7 center for the St. Johns Redwings was named winner of the Jack Wirick Memorial Trophy, as the team's most valuable player.

TEN YEARS AGO March 24, 1960

The Rivard Nursing Home submitted plans to the city's zoning board of appeals for expansion of their building to accommodate approximately 36 bed patients.

The Tri-County Regional Planning Commission estimated that the average cost of public services provided each individual house to be between \$4,000 to \$8,000.

Clinton County's 4-H members were preparing to exhibit more than 1,000 displays in a week long open house in Smith Hall.

Bath Bees became State Class B champions by defeating Baraga, from the Upper Peninsula, 61-59. Investigations by the Conservation Department and Water Resources Commission revealed that oil in the lower Detroit River was killing hundreds of waterfowl.

TWENTY YEARS AGO March 29, 1945

Recognizing a check as similar to a forgery he'd cashed two years earlier, Dorr Anderson who owned a St. Johns supermarket was able to supply information to police which led to the arrest of a woman who admitted passing forged checks in St. Johns, Ithaca, and Alma. Due to the large numbers of false ration cards for liquor, the Liquor Control Commission announced a new rationing system would go into effect using punched numbers on a ration book.

Clinton County went \$485 over its quota in the annual Red Cross War Fund drive, although 10 of 25 districts in the county were still below their individual quotas.

FIFTY YEARS AGO March 25, 1920

Rollin Morrill, president of the Michigan Farm Bureau said that an extensive "back to the farm" movement was the only way to prevent shortage of labor on farms from raising the costs of foodstuffs.

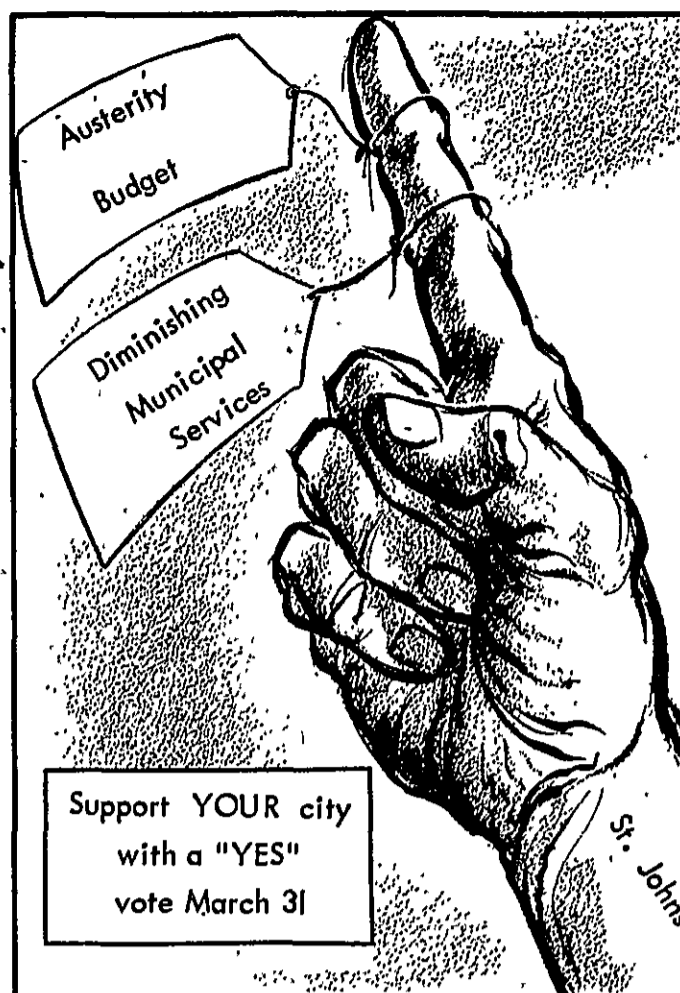
Members of the Grangers, Cleaners, and Farmers' clubs met at the court house and heard addresses by Milo D. Campbell, candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, and John C. Ketcham, master of the state grange.

A little boy narrowly averted death when the wagon in which he was coasting across Spring street, by Walker, struck a coal wagon pulled by a team of horses.

Editorial: "President Wilson's attitude against the reservations to the peace treaty and league of nations held enough Democrats to prevent ratification last week, although a number of the strongest Democrats in the senate broke away from the White House leading strings and voted for ratification. The treaty was then sent back to the President and will probably remain there. Theoretically we are at war with Germany, but practically we are at peace and doing business. We can get along very well without the league."



BEACH HAVEN, N. J., TIMES: "Perhaps the least praiseworthy part of the American way of life, these days, is the conclusion of psychiatrists, doctors and health experts in all fields, that the fast pace of living in the United States is one of our most serious problems."



Support YOUR city with a "YES" vote March 31

Population Explosion

I never have discussed the "pill," I haven't nerve to try— Any mention of abortion, Leaves me stranded high n' dry; But we have just too many folks, 'N somepin must be done— To sterilize who otherwise Would raise up more than one!

Our population explosion Is so suddenly severe, It confounds all the experts Who play it quite by ear; We can't afford to educate— Much less to clothe and feed, This overflow of humans Of which we daily read.

I'm not a government expert, 'N the experts don't agree— But if we're so over crowded Should we re-check policy? We're still knee deep in surplus, Countless immigrants crowd each shore, Do these two factors indicate We have no room for more?

Should we say to free-born peoples Who take the marriage vow \*We're sorry but—no children We have our quota now? To the boys who fight our battles, Here at home or foreign land, If we say now "No more children," Do you think they'd understand? W. E. DOBSON

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

More plaudits for Redwings from Chamber

Dear Editor:

Just a word of thanks to students of St. Johns High for making a long cold winter seem shorter and warmer. The team, the cheerleaders, the whole student body gave us much to be proud of and set an example in sportsmanship we all could follow.

While, depending on our age, we described the Redwings as terrific, fabulous, sensational, cool, etc., nobody described them better than the student body themselves.

Redwings truly are decent. St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce Brandon White, president

How about a happy letter for a change?

Dear Editor:

How about a happy letter for a change? When all we hear and read is rebellion and complaint. Yes, I am happy, just had two new great - grandsons, born within the first six days of March!

As this is spring and time for baby lambs and budding trees, with all of Mother Nature's wonders—I was just thinking how differently we dress babies now, as compared to the early 1920's.

No loving mother ever picked up her baby with-out the belly-band pinned snugly on so the little back was kept straight and firm, an absolute proof of no hernia from crying, and of course during winter long sleeved

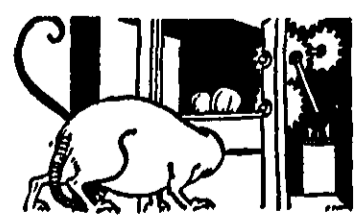
shirts, if baby arrived in late fall there was also a long skirted garment of outing flannel, open in front, gathered to a band. The skirt was carefully folded up and over the tiny feet to keep them warm. Every baby had several sashes or jackets embroidered and crocheted around the edges, often the booties were trimmed to match. All the dainty slips and dresses had crocheted lace from a tiny edge to three inches wide, even for boy babies. Of course all babies were breast fed and you had a pretty square of some material embroidered or crocheted around it, for your protection. Aren't your young mothers glad you are of the Now generation?? Just a glimpse into the past. Happy Easter to everyone.

Sincerely, MRS MARTHA B. MILLER Grange Rd, Fowler

STRICTLY FRESH

Count your blessings and there'll be little time left over in which to number your woes.

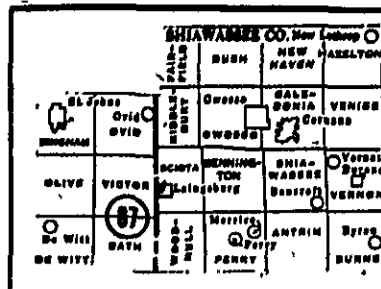
A pessimist is a reformed optimist.



Build a better mousetrap and you'll be sued for patent infringement.

According to the latest estimate, the earlier ones will prove to have been all wrong.

Those who long for the old penny candy have only to pop a dime into most any vending machine.



View from the 87th

By WILLIAM S. BALLENGER State Representative



As The Detroit Free Press declared in a recent editorial, "It's time to take a second look" at the recently-passed House version of the 1970-71 State School Aid bill.

The House bill, of course, is an updated, modified version of the so-called "Spencer Plan," which has been kicking around the State Capitol for nearly two years. Sponsored by Republican State Rep. Roy Spencer of Lapeer County, this proposal is clearly designed to aid rural areas. If it can't be sold in Shlawassee and Clinton Counties, it can't be sold anywhere.

I PERSONALLY campaigned in 1968 for the Spencer plan or something like it as a means toward restructuring the financial basis of public education in Michigan. So did most of my opponents.

But despite the many speeches I've delivered and the several articles I've written on the Spencer Plan, I sense that many of my constituents are still confused over what the Spencer proposal would do.

So here, once again, is a brief outline:

- 1) It guarantees \$420 per pupil (combining the local tax yield and state aid) for the first ten mills levied;
2) It guarantees an additional \$30 per pupil for every mill levied above 10 mills up to 20;
3) As an alternative, it guarantees \$150 per pupil for each 1% of personal income tax or fraction thereof levied by a local

school district (districts levying more than 10 but less than 15 mills would be permitted to opt for a 1% income tax boost within the 2% ceiling. Districts levying more than 15 mills would not be permitted to levy any additional income taxes);

4) It guarantees about 60% of the difference between \$30 per mill and the district's present yield for capital outlay and debt retirement (the cost of building schools). Thus in a \$10,000 SEV District, the state for the first time in history would guarantee a more than 50% cut in local property taxes for school building;

5) A 10.8% increase in Special Education above the Senate-passed version of the School Aid bill and nearly 20% above the funds recommended for Special Education by the Governor;

6) A 14% increase in transportation funds above the amount recommended by both the Senate and the Governor;

7) An appropriation of \$15.6 million for K-12 vocational-technical education where none before existed.

THE SPENCER PLAN would be funded by a hike in the state personal income tax from 2.8% to 3.5%; a hike in the corporate income tax from 5.8% to 7.7%; and a hike in the tax on financial institutions from 7% to 8.5%.

But the revenue derived from these sources could be largely offset by a reduction in local property taxes for school operations, although that would be

up to local school district voters. Clinton and Shlawassee County School Districts, incidentally, now levy an average of about 21 mills for school operations. That average includes both allocated and voted millage.

QUITE CLEARLY, the Spencer Plan would shift the burden of financing education from the property owner to the renter and those who live in apartments and trailers, from the elderly and those living on fixed incomes to the wage-earner.

As the Michigan Farm Bureau stated last month in endorsing the Spencer Plan: "It provides a balanced financial structure, with a possibility, through local action, that property taxes need not rise above 10 mills. It relies upon the income tax, both local and state, as the major source of revenue. It provides, for the first time, a fair formula for the funding of necessary facilities and debt retirement expenditures. It makes it possible for every child to have a more equal educational opportunity, no matter where he might live. It helps create a more equitable tax structure. It also retains a high degree of local control."

If the Spencer Plan is scuttled by the Senate, I feel the only immediate hope for the citizens of Michigan would be to back State Rep. Roy Smith's petition drive for a statewide referendum on the November election ballot to completely abolish the property tax for school operations.

Smith needs some 300,000 signatures by July 6 to get the question to a vote of the people. Currently, he's bidding his time (having collected some 60,000 signatures), waiting to see what happens to the Spencer proposal in the Senate.

As I've pointed out before, both Spencer and Smith have the same basic goal—to make sure that a tax dollar buys an equal amount of education in every school in the state. This is far from the case now, with high-valuation, industrial districts getting much more per mill than comparatively rural districts like Shlawassee and Clinton Counties.

SO THAT'S WHY I'm backing the Spencer Plan—because it's the best proposal for financing education in the 87th House District that any legislator from this neck of the woods has ever had a chance to vote on.

Incidentally, if the Spencer Plan is not in the final State School Aid bill, you'll see some more vote "switches," as the news media fondly (and erroneously) refer to them. I, for one, won't be voting for it, but several pro-Parochial legislators who voted against the House-passed State School Aid bill because the Spencer Plan wouldn't have been nearly as advantageous to their districts as it would be to this area, will most certainly vote for the final bill—including Parochialists.



From the state house

By DICK ALLEN 88th District Representative

Maybe with more experience I'll learn better. For the second time in my short political career, distressed mail is arriving at my office from all over the state. (If you don't remember the first time, I won't remind you.)

I am the chief House sponsor of the Abortion Reform Bill that appears to have the best chance of passage. I feel I am in good company. The Governor has backed this approach as have many women's groups, church groups and others.

Still from my mail it is obvious that the opponents of abortion law change are very distressed by the possible enactment of this bill. Their opinions are strong because to them this is a moral issue, abortion being a crime against God and Nature.

One has to respect their view, based as it is on strong moral conviction and an abiding faith in God. I find it hard to answer their letters. No response seems adequate.

However, most of us supporting this drastic change also view

our stand as one based on strong moral convictions. The reduction of human misery and suffering is a part of it but also involved is the freedom of man and the certain belief that there is an authority higher than the State.

Abortion is murder in the eyes of many individuals and some organized religions. However, it has not been murder in the eyes of our law. No one has ever been convicted of manslaughter for a miscarriage arising from an auto accident.

So it boils down to this. Not one moral judgment against another but the belief that Government has no ability to judge moral issues, therefore, these are best left to the individual, his conscience, and his church.

It's a hot issue and one not designed to win elections for incumbents on either side. That's why we've ducked it for so long. As I said, perhaps with more experience I'll learn better.

But I hope not. I'd rather my short political career remains short.



Strike for Millard

By RON KARLE, Editor

I find it difficult to understand why everybody got upset when the postal workers went on strike last week.

Especially when for years nobody thought it unusual to celebrate the birthday of great presidents like Washington and Lincoln by stopping the mail.

If that is an acceptable reason, then, certainly halting the mail over a labor dispute would have to the height of pure logic.

Unfortunately, it seems that the only time we show deep affection for someone is after they're dead. I always thought we should show all the respect for someone while he's alive and could properly benefit from it.

But if we had really wanted to honor Washington on his birthday, I suspect it would have gone something like this:

"Good morning, George." "Good morning, Martha." "Where are you going, George?"

"To check the mail, dear. It's my birthday, and you know how I love to receive my birthday cards."

"Uh, George..." "Yes, dear?" "Well, I'm not sure I know how to tell you this, but there won't be any birthday cards this year."

"No cards? What do you mean, no cards? Even at Valley Forge we got cards." "It's a surprise, George." "It sure is."

"No, you don't understand."

The postmaster general has suspended all mail deliveries today in your honor. It's to show you that the entire country respects and honors you."

"Oh." "Where are you going now, George?"

"I'm going to chop down the postmaster general's cherry tree."

Actually, my sources in Washington tell me that last week's postal strike was not really a strike at all. It was a secret showing of affection in honor of another of this country's presidents, who died in March 1874.

Not inappropriately, he was

our thirteenth president. Millard Fillmore.

Unknown to some, Fillmore served with distinction for three years beginning in 1850 between the terms of Zachary Taylor and Franklin Pierce.

Politically astute, Fillmore was born in a log cabin in Cayuga County, New York and is generally credited with originating the theory that great presidents are born in log cabins; a playused successfully by Abraham Lincoln.

Another highlight of Fillmore's career which had not gone unnoticed by the striking postal workers is that he was nominated for the presidency by the Know-Nothing Party in 1856. Of course, nothing came of it.

But that was not considered a blight on his record by the striking postal workers.

Because Fillmore had one accomplishment that even George Washington wouldn't point to.

Fillmore once was postmaster in Buffalo, N. Y.

'IF IT FITZ . . .

Let's hear it, brethren

By JIM FITZGERALD



It has always bothered me that applause is forbidden in church sanctuaries.

I hear some fine speeches and great singing in church. And I've often been embarrassed by the dead silence which follows these splendid performances.

But the performance is given in somehow "sacred territory" and the performers receive only hurried assurance from the pastor that "we all enjoyed that."

Admittedly, part of my problem is I don't attend church regularly. I depend on touts to let me know when something special, something down my alley, is planned.

As a result, I generally hear the "specials" more apt to satisfy. Regular church-goers might well say that on most Sundays there is a lot not to clap about.

It was several years ago that I created a mild ruckus by writing why I don't go to church every Sunday. My complaint is that too many churches for too many years have encouraged or at least ignored white racism rather than fight it as Jesus Christ would have.

The speaker was Fr Fred Williams, the black pastor of an Episcopal Church in the Detroit area. He was introduced by my favorite Chinese minister. And the audience, filling the sanctuary of Lapeer's Episcopal church, was made up equally of Protestants and Roman Catholics, including nuns and priests.

Fr Williams expressed surprise—and delight—that a town of 6,000 lily-white persons could produce such a crowd to hear a Negro sound off. And then he sounded off real good, baby.

To sum it up succinctly, Fr

Williams said too many Christians really aren't. Too many hide from the problems of racism and other evils. Whose fault is it? He quoted Pogo of the comics: "We have met the enemy and he is us."

Father Williams criticized Nixon's appointment of Judge Carswell to the Supreme Court. He noted that Spiro Agnew "is the biggest kook on the front page." And he rapped a "Victorian clergy guilty of village thinking."

It was the kind of stuff many people think should not be said in church. I think church is where it SHOULD be said, first, last and always.

After the speech, there were questions. Someone asked "what can we small-town people do?" Another man stood up and said some nice things about me, God bless him. We've never met and he didn't know I was in the back pew.

The least I could do, upon request from the altar, was take a small bow. And, omi-

gosh, a smattering of applause was heard throughout the sanctuary!

(To keep my humble image, I hasten to admit I was dealing with a stacked deck. Many of those people were automatically on my side or they would not have been there listening to a Negro preacher. If that unknown man had so praised me most anywhere else, he'd have been hooted down and possibly slugged. When I write a column like this, the mail reaction is usually 4 to 1 in favor of deporting me to the nearest ghetto).

Anyway, my point today is the applause. Maybe a precedent was set. I got only a few claps. But when Fr Williams said good night, the clapping was practically thunderous. In the sanctuary!

It was splendid. I recommend it to all persons. And anytime the guest speaker is Fred Williams, I'll be glad to come lead the clapping.

I'll even throw in some whistles and cheers. "C'mon, let's hear it out there, brethren."



FOWLER CREW IN HAWAII

Tri-State Erectors, Inc., of Fowler, moved their crew to warmer weather for a few days recently to erect a 20,000 sq. ft. Behlen building, housing a 24-lane bowling center on the Island of Oahu, Hawaii. At far right are the three principals of Tri-State: Ed Prorok, vice-president; Jim Fedewa, president and Bob Fedewa, secretary-treasurer. Members of the construction crew are, from left, Ted Placzek, Bob Gablenz, Dave Smith, Ron Pung, and John Arens. Bottom row, from left are Mike Pung, Paul Poutre, Percy Greig, Virgil Prorok, Larry Hirsh, Ray Prorok and Doug Stancil.

When employe falls, the boss says 'ouch!'

When an employee is injured in an on-the-job fall, his employer suffers right along with him, safety consultants in the Safety Education and Training Division, Michigan Department of Labor, point out.

An average of 16 employed persons a day receive compensable injuries in Michigan due to falls on the job, according to the safety consultants. The average compensation nationwide for this type of injury is \$1,050, and some 3,000 deaths resulting from falls annually average \$14,500 each.

Indirect costs to employers as a result of employee injuries include such items as overtime work made necessary because of the accident, cost of a learning

period for a replacement worker and wages paid to supervisors for activities necessitated by the mishap.

Most falls are not the result of hazardous occupations but occur when proper safety precautions are not taken, according to consultants.

Wet or greasy spots on floors and tools and trash left in aisles or stairways are some of the more common hazards which cause falls. Many other mishaps result from improper use of ladders and scaffolds. However, most conditions leading to falls can be eliminated through good housekeeping practices and safe work procedures, the safety experts say.

Three parcels of land up for bid Thursday

Three parcels of excess Department of State Highways land in Clinton County will be offered for sale Thursday (March 26) at a public auction in Grand Rapids.

The auction will be at 2 p.m. in the conference room of the Department's Grand Rapids District office, 1420 Front Ave., NW.

The parcels, ranging in size from 3,300 square feet to 16,170 square feet, are along or near freeways. Minimum opening bids, based on recent appraisals, range from \$50 to \$6,500.

Parcels bid to \$2,500 or more may be purchased on land contracts. Successful bids must be approved by the State Administrative Board before titles can be transferred.

Printed notices containing sketches and legal descriptions of the parcels may be obtained from William Cunningham, the Department's district property representative, at the above address.

The parcels and minimum opening bids are: —16,170 square feet of landlocked property in DeWitt Township, north and east of the Interstate 96 Business Loop (Grand River Avenue), Waverly Road intersection, directly south of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, \$800.

—3,925 square feet of landlocked property in Watertown Township, in the southeast corner of the Interstate 96 Business Loop (Grand River Avenue), Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad intersection, \$100.

—3,300 square feet of land in Watertown Township, directly south of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad between the Interstate 96 Business Loop (Grand River Avenue) and Millwood Road, \$50. For all practical purposes, this parcel is landlocked.

Service Personnel



KENDALL D. SMITH

Army Pfc. Kendall D. Smith, 20, son of Mr and Mrs Douglas H. Smith, 15134 Turner Street, DeWitt, was assigned to the 2nd Infantry Division in Korea, Feb. 28.

Navy Fireman DAVID L. LEONARD, son of Mr and Mrs Richard Leonard of Grange Road, Eagle, has arrived in Boston aboard the aircraft carrier USS Yorktown.

His ship, now 27 years old, is being prepared for deactivation at the Boston Naval Shipyards. The Yorktown is a veteran of World War II, the Korean and Vietnam Conflicts and the recovery of the Apollo Eight astronauts.

Service jobs are growing

According to the U.S. Department of Labor, 59 out of every 100 jobs existing in 1950 were in service-producing industries. Today, 65 out of every 100 jobs are in service industries and the figure is projected to rise to 68 out of every 100 by 1975.

MSU April fare from opera to Green Splash

Cultural events and entertainment on the Michigan State University campus during April will include modern dance, an opera, and a synchronized swimming show.

The Lecture-Concert Series will begin spring term with a "special" on Tuesday, April 7, with the Don Redlich Dance Com-

pany. The experimental company of three will present varied effects in multi-media by combining dance with film, sound, light and color.

Redlich, a progressive choreographer, has combined his talents with an equally progressive cinematographer to create these unusual effects.

Degrees awarded to 13 from Clinton

Thirteen students from Clinton County were among 1,387 candidates for degrees at Michigan State University's winter term graduation exercises this month.

Of the 13 Clinton candidates, 12 had completed work on their bachelor's degrees and one on her master's.

The overall total included 906 bachelor's, 355 master's, 117 doctorate's and nine educational specialist's candidates.

Dr William D. McElroy, director of the National Science Foundation spoke at the ceremony. Dr. McElroy, a distinguished biochemist, received an honorary doctor of science degree.

Honorary doctor of science degrees were also awarded to Dr. Walter L. Mallmann, professor emeritus of microbiology and public health at MSU, and Dr Emil M. Mrak, chancellor emeritus of the University of California at Davis.

Dr Frederic C. Lane of Johns Hopkins University received an honorary doctor of humane letters degree.

Graduates received their diplomas from MSU President Clinton R. Wharton Jr.

Graduates from Clinton County included Mae L. Desper, M.A., elementary education; Alvin R. Dickens, B.A., hotel and restaurant management; Karin A. Lusk, B.S., home economics teaching; Molly M. Sapp, B.S., physical education, and James A. Welsh, B.A., general business administration. All are from St. Johns.

Others included Judy L. Church, B.A., English; Margaret Cortright, B.A., elementary education, and Richard H. Overholt, B.S., social science teaching.

all of DeWitt.

Others were Daniel D. E. Beachman, B.S., police administration, and Douglas M. Howe, B.S., agriculture mechanization, both of Eagle; Lynn A. Cook, B.A., industrial administration and Carl G. Moore, B.S., crop science, both of Elsie, and David B. Foerch, B.M., school music instruction.

Opportunity

The 1969-70 edition of The Labor Department's "Job Guide for Young Workers" states that jobseekers will find the greatest number of opportunities in professional and technical occupations. Some of these occupations are engineers, mathematicians, teachers, physicians, nurses, scientific and engineering technicians, and medical technologists and technicians.

During the period July 1968 to June 1969, more than 25,000 training opportunities in the metal-working trades were offered through Labor Department sponsored programs under the Manpower Development and Training Act (MDTA) and the Job Opportunities in the Business Sector (JOBS) program.

"Your Own Thing" will be presented Wednesday, April 8, and Thursday, April 9, as "specials" in the Lecture-Concert series.

Winner of the New York Drama Critics' Circle Award, "Your Own Thing" is a modern, musical comedy version of Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night." Jacqueline Mayro and Steve Skiles star as twin brother-and-sister rock singers who are shipwrecked and separately washed ashore into a never-never land. The comedy spoofs the search for identity by modern youth and the seemingly disappearing differences between the sexes.

Under "Series B," the St. Louis Opera Theatre will present "Tales of Hoffmann," a three-act opera by Jacques Offenbach, at 8:15 p.m. Monday, April 13. Guy Lombardo and His Royal Canadians, noted for "the sweetest music this side of heaven," will be heard at 8:15 Tuesday, April 28, as a "special" in the Lecture-Concert Series. The Lombardo orchestra has recently played to sell-out crowds in such places as the 8200-seat Jones Beach Theatre in New York, the Riverboat in the Empire State Building and Carnegie Hall.

All Lecture-Concert Series events are held at 8:15 p.m. in the University Auditorium. Tickets are available in advance at the MSU Union Ticket Office or at the door.

Thirty coeds of Green Splash, synchronized swimming honorary, will present "Great Shakes: An Evening with Shakespeare" at 8 p.m. April 16, 17 and 18 in the Women's IM pool. A 2 p.m. matinee is scheduled for Sunday, April 19. In the annual water show, swimmers will perform excerpts from Shakespearean plays. Guest performers will include the MSU men's diving team.

The New York String Sextet will be featured in a concert at 8:15 Friday, April 10, in the Music Auditorium, the final event in MSU's Arts and Letters Recital Series. The noted chamber group will perform rarely heard quintets and sextets. Tickets are available at the MSU Union Ticket Office or at the door.

The Performing Arts Company (PAC) will present "A Modern Dance Concert" at 8 p.m. Friday, April 17, and Sunday, April 19, with a 2 p.m. matinee Saturday, April 18, in Fairchild Theatre. The dance program will involve performances from graduate and undergraduate students in theatre and works by students in music. Tickets will be available at the door.

The PAC will also present the film, "Hans Christian Anderson," at 7 p.m. Friday, April 3, in Anthony Hall.

During April the International Film Series will present "Charley," starring Cliff Robertson and Claire Bloom, Thursday and Friday, April 2 and 3, and "A Face of War," a film documentary on the Vietnam War directed by Eugene S. Jones, on Thursday, April 30.

The films will be shown in the University Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Tickets will be available at the door.

The MSU Chorus and Orchestra, directed by Dr Gomer L. Jones, will perform music appropriate for the Easter season at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 12 in the MSU Auditorium. Stravinsky's "Symphony of Psalms" will be included.

Other concerts presented by members of MSU's music department include pianist David

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Amendment to Ordinance No. 25. The City of DeWitt proposes to amend Section No. 5(f) of Ordinance No. 25 having to do with minimum lot areas in Residential Zone "B". EXISTING SECTION 5(F) READS AS FOLLOWS: "In the Residential Zone "B" every building hereafter erected or structurally altered shall provide a lot area of not less than nine thousand two hundred forty (9240) square feet per family except for multiple family dwellings. One bedroom multiple dwellings shall provide at least eight thousand (8000) square feet for the first dwelling unit, and three thousand (3,000) square feet for each additional dwelling unit. Two bedroom multiple dwellings shall provide at least nine thousand two hundred and forty (9240) square feet for the first dwelling unit and at least four thousand (4000) square feet for each additional dwelling unit. Not more than one dwelling, together with its garage shall be built on any lot, except in the case of multiple dwellings." PROPOSED REVISIONS TO SECTION 5(F) ARE AS FOLLOWS: "In Residential Zone "B" each single family dwelling shall have a minimum Lot area of 8700 square feet. Each two family dwelling shall have a minimum Lot area of 13,200 square feet. Multiple family dwellings or apartment complexes shall have a minimum Lot area of 8700 square feet for the first dwelling unit and at least 4,000 square feet for each additional unit for each building. Not more than 12 dwelling units shall be provided in any one building. Permitted non-residential uses shall provide a minimum Lot area of 12,500 square feet. Not more than one dwelling unit or one duplex shall be constructed on any Lot, except in the case of multiple dwelling units." HEARING DATE FOR CONSIDERING ABOVE AMENDMENT SHALL BE APRIL 6, 1970 AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE CITY MUNICIPAL BUILDING. DOROTHY KECK DeWitt City Clerk 47-1

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