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Final Lenten service Sunday

Dr Keith Avery, administrative assistant for the Michigan Area of The Methodist Church, will address the audience this Sunday evening at the last of the union Lenten services in St. Johns.

He'll speak at the First Methodist Church, with the service to begin at 7:30 p.m.

Rev Keith Bovee, pastor of the church, will be the presiding minister, and the Methodist Church choir will sing. The Bingham-Bengal Evangelical United Brethren Church will provide the ushers and greeters and will have charge of the coffee hour after the service.

DR AVERY was named area administrative assistant last year after having served since 1959 as a district superintendent of the Methodist Church. He

has held pastorates in Evart, Portland and Coldwater and was associate minister at Jackson First Methodist Church.

He has traveled extensively. He's been to Europe, including a special trip to Spain and Portugal. He toured the South American Methodist missions, covering 21,000 miles, and he represented the bishop (then president of the Council of Bishops) at the Argentine Annual Conference.

HE HAS toured mission stations in Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands in preparation of an advance special at Factor, Puerto Rico.

Dr Avery has strong interest in ministerial recruitment and training, and he serves on North Central Jurisdictional Conference committees on continuing education and scholarship awards. He was a member of the 1960 and 1964 North Central Jurisdictional Conference and was seated as a reserve at the 1964 general conference. He will be seated as a member of the 1966 general conference.

DR AVERY was born in Scranton, Pa., Jan. 19, 1913, and grew up in Newark, N.J. He obtained his AB degree from West Virginia Wesleyan College, his MA from Boston University Graduate School and his STB degree from Boston University School of Theology. He earned his doctorate from Albion College, with a citation for his interest in Christian education and missions.

Dr Avery and his wife have two children, both seniors in college.



DR KEITH AVERY

Knupp promoted in Penney chain

Jerry Knupp of 310 E. Sturgis Street, St. Johns, manager of the J. C. Penney Co. store here since Aug. 1, 1964, has been promoted to catalog district supervisor and will be based in Pittsburgh, Pa., beginning Monday.

The Knupp family will remain in St. Johns until June until after school is out. Knupp and his wife Connie have four children, Jeanne, 16, who will graduate from high school, Tisa, 9, Gwinnette, 8, and Gregory, 15.

NO REPLACEMENT for Knupp at the St. Johns store has been named, as of late Tuesday afternoon.

Knupp's new duties will make him a traveling man. He will have charge of catalog offices for the J. C. Penney Co. in two districts and will work out of the Pittsburgh zone office of the company. Knupp said he wouldn't know until Monday just what areas of the eastern United States he would be covering.

Michigan itself is one district for the Penney Co., but Knupp wasn't sure he would have Michigan as one of those districts. He will periodically visit Penney catalogue centers in his two areas and will set up new centers where possible.

KNUPP JOINED Penney's in 1951 at Harrisburg, Pa. He worked at stores in York, Pa., Upper Darby, Pa., and Wilmington, Del., where he was assistant manager, before getting the promotion to St. Johns in August 1964.

Knupp has been an active member of the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce and its retail division, being in the forefront of many of



JERRY KNUPP

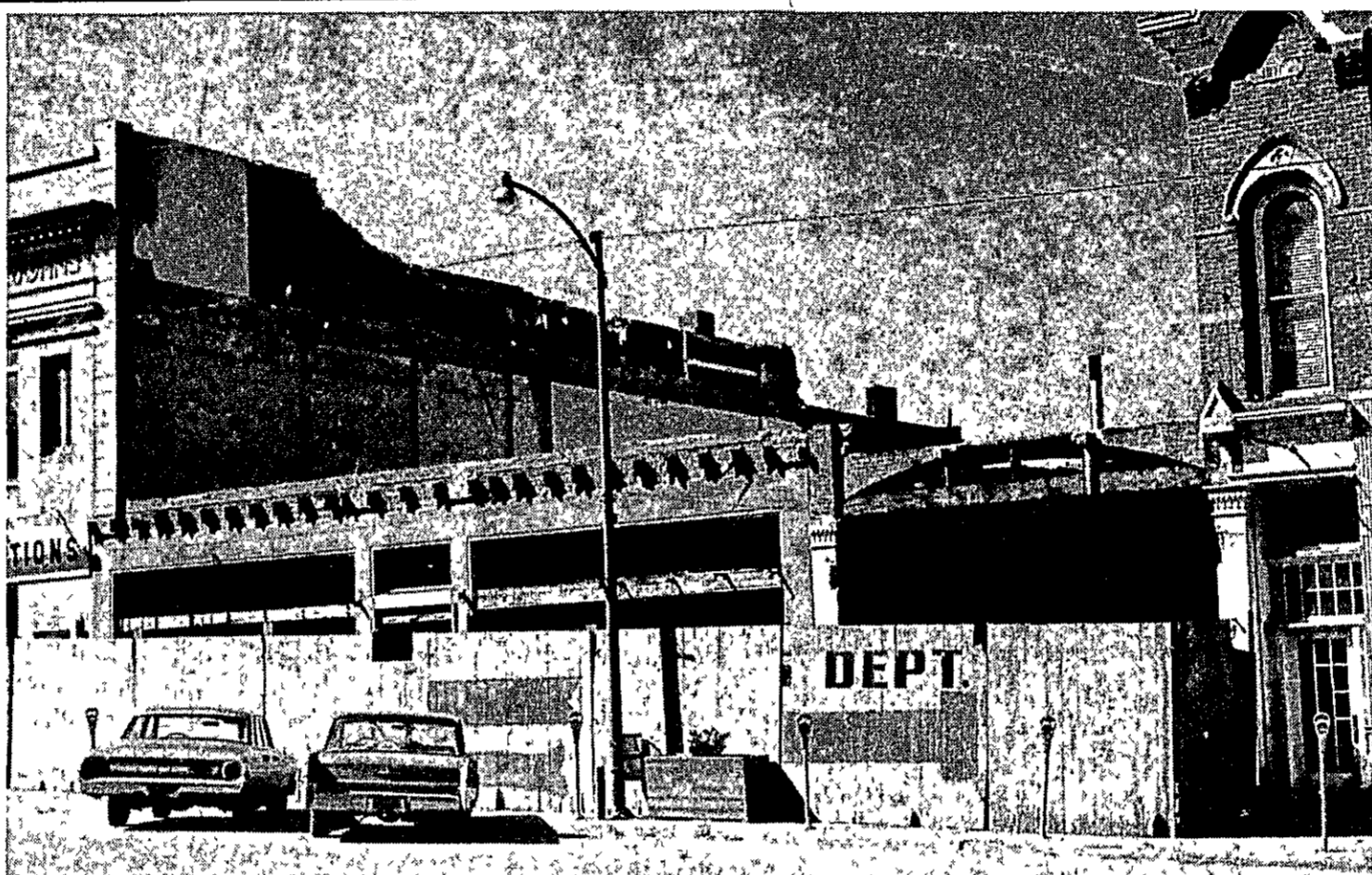
the business community's promotions. He's a member of the Rotary Club, and he and his family are members of the First Congregational Church.

Knupp will return to St. Johns from Pittsburgh on weekends until after school is out. He said he was sorry to be leaving St. Johns and the friends he has made, but he said he was happy with the promotion and is looking forward to the challenge.

4-H achievements now on display

4-H Achievement Days — an exhibit of the winter activities of 4-H youth around the county — is being held at Smith Hall in St. Johns.

Open house for the public to view the exhibits was scheduled for Wednesday afternoon and evening and for Thursday afternoon.



New Downtown Skyline for Old Hicks Building

The former Hicks Building on the west side of the middle block of Clinton Avenue in downtown St. Johns is now almost a former building. It has been reduced to a one-floor height in the early stages of its remodeling to eventually house the D & C variety store.

Taxpayers to fork up \$10,932,000

Residents of Clinton County are getting a sharp reminder, as they ready themselves for the April 15 tax deadline, of the huge bite the government is taking out of their earnings.

Last year they turned in approximately \$9,789,000 in personal income taxes to the federal coffers.

And this year, because of the improved employment situation and the higher average earnings per family, they will be paying even more than that, according to the administration's expectations.

JUST HOW much of an increase is being counted on, in general, is indicated in the current budget. Nationally, it calls for \$51.4 billion in individual income taxes, or \$2.6 billion more than in the previous year.

Clinton County's share of the tax load was determined by an unofficial breakdown of the returns received from the State of Michigan as a whole. The statewide total was \$2,510,000,000, according to the Treasury Department, including what was collected via withholding.

IT SHOWS that local residents contributed an estimated 0.39 per cent of this state total, or \$9,789,000.

Their contribution this April, reflecting the income gains during the past year, is expected to be in the neighborhood of \$10,932,000, or about \$1,143,000 more than before.

Large as this amount is, it may be the smallest sum they will be called upon to pay, on an annual basis, for some time to come.

THE INDICATIONS, from Washington are that taxes will have to go up in the not-distant future to meet the various financial pressures with which the country is contending.

However, by virtue of the new tax withholding bill just passed by Congress, the financial jolt that comes April 15 each year will be practically eliminated in the future.

A graduated withholding rate, ranging from 14 per cent to 30 per cent, depending on income, will replace the present flat 14 per cent rate beginning May 1.

FOR THOSE in the middle and upper brackets, it will mean less money to spend during the year but, by the same token, fewer headaches on April 15.

56 workers honored as cancer drive opens

Awards for past service to the Clinton County chapter of the American Cancer Society were made to workers Monday night at a dinner "kicking off" the 1966 county cancer crusade.

Dr. R. L. Wohlers, county president of the Society, presented pins, certificates and letter openers to 56 persons and organizations who have helped in past Cancer Society work.

Some 125 persons attended the kickoff dinner in the basement of the First Congregational Church. A roast beef dinner was served by the Congregators of the church.

DR CHARLES Aldridge of Blodgett Hospital in Grand Rapids was main speaker for the evening. He illustrated his talk with a film, "Time and Two Women."

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more often if any of the cancer danger signals are noticed. Accompanying Dr Aldridge was Robert Waite, assistant to the vice president of the state office.

Rev Gerald Churchill, minister at the First Congregational Church and 1966 cancer campaign chairman, urged all to take part in the Cancer Crusade, which begins Friday, and to "double our efforts to help halt the spread of this scourge."

DR WOHLERS made the following awards:

Top crusader pins, applications for which have to be acted upon by the state board, with the awards to be given at the fall meeting: Mrs Jeanette Babbitt,

Fined for recklessness

Melford J. Wells, 19, of 223 Main Street, Ovid, was fined \$100 plus \$19.90 costs Monday by Justice of the Peace Gordon Willoughby for reckless driving. He was arrested in Ovid Township Sunday.

Mrs Bertha Highbee, Mrs Leona McCrumb, Mrs Helen Moyer, Mrs Erma Frost and Mrs Mayme Smith, all of Eagle Township, for 16 years of service; Mrs Lucy Foster of Eagle for 14 years; Ruth Maier of Watertown for 13 years; Mrs C. Bauerle of DeWitt for 12 years; Mrs Opal Barnes of St. Johns for 15 years; Mrs Ardis Crawford of St. Johns for 14 years; Mrs Peg Britten and Mrs Glenn Osgood of St. Johns, both for 12 years service.

Sword letter openers were presented to Mrs Thelma Black and Mrs Jeanette Hata for 11 years of service; Mrs Raymond Thornton for 10 years and the Elsie Literary Club for over 20 years of service. The Elsie group also received a certificate of appreciation.

CERTIFICATES of appreciation went to Mrs William Dohoney for 9 years, Mrs Frank Siskovsky, Earl Darnell and Mrs Mary Masarik for 8 years and Mrs Iola Slagell for 7 years of service.

Five-year pins and certificates were awarded to Mrs William Chadwick of Park Lake; Bonnie Brox, Cheryl Maier and Virginia Morrow of Watertown Township;

A cancer drive township chairman not previously recognized Mrs Eugene Havens of Greenbush Township.

Unsolicted testimony of the effects of Clinton County News classified ads came this week from a reader who placed this ad in last week's paper:

HAY FOR sale, 8 miles north, 2 1/2 miles west of St. Johns. Eimira Morrison. 48-1p

"I advertised hay for sale in your paper for March 24. The paper was picked up at the newsstand the 23rd, and I had two buyers before I got the paper on Thursday. I've had more buyers since it was sold. It sure pays to advertise in The News." — E.M.

Results like this are not uncommon. Call 224-2361 to place your classified ad for fast results.

\$2,000 Wilson estate scholarships pegged for 4 SJHS students

Four \$2,000 college scholarships will be provided by the Rodney B. Wilson Scholarship Foundation for two boys and two girls graduating from St. Johns High School this June.

Announcement of the amount of money available for 1966 scholarships was made by the trustees of the foundation at their organizational meeting last week.

The scholarships are grants from a trust created by the wills of the late Arthur E. and Norena Wilson of St. Johns. The trust is administered by the Clinton National Bank & Trust Co. of St. Johns.

THE 1966 WILSON scholarships will be in the form of cash grants of \$500 for each of four years of college to four St. Johns high school graduates—two boys and two girls.

In their wills setting up the trust, Mr and Mrs Wilson specified that recipients of the schol-

arships are to be chosen by a board of four members which is to include the superintendent of St. Johns Schools, the president of the Clinton National Bank & Trust Co., the pastor of the First Congregational Church of St. Johns and the pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in St. Johns.

THE FOUR men presently holding these positions are: Earl R. Lancaster, W. S. Lusk, the Rev Gerald C. Churchill and Bishop Joseph Green.

At their initial meeting last week the group chose Lancaster as president of the newly-organized Rodney B. Wilson Scholarship Foundation. Bishop Green was elected vice president and Lusk was named secretary-treasurer.

A second meeting of the foundation trustees to adopt by-laws and review qualifications of nominees for the 1966 scholarships is scheduled for Tuesday, April 19. Announcement of the recipients of the awards will be made at the annual school honors assembly in May.

IN THEIR wills, the Wilsons stipulated that Rodney B. Wilson scholars be chosen from among those graduates of the St. Johns High School each year who:

- 1) Stand in the upper third of their class scholastically.
- 2) Exhibit all-around citizenship qualities within the school and community and have shown a willingness to be of service to others.
- 3) Demonstrate high moral character.
- 4) Demonstrate need for financial help in their college career.

ALTHOUGH MRS Wilson died in mid-1964, routine probate proceedings and legal technicalities incident to state acceptance of the Wilson trust as a charitable foundation delayed award of the Wilson Scholarships in 1965.

The four \$2,000 grants provided for 1966 are to make up for the 1965 omission, said Ink White, vice president and trust officer at the Clinton National Bank & Trust Co. of St. Johns.

White said it is hoped sufficient funds will be available to make two or more scholarship grants from the Wilson trust to deserving St. Johns high school graduates each year hereafter.

NEWS in Brief

Clinton County residents these days are not the healthiest they've ever been. Many working hours and school hours are being lost due to the flu, which has had Clinton County, and in fact much of the Midwest, in its grip the last few weeks.

The Fulton Area Jaycees and Jaycee Auxiliary will sponsor an Easter egg hunt at 4 p.m. Good Friday (April 8) on the Perrinton football field. Michigan's introductory plantings of coho (silver) salmon were launched this week by the Michigan Department of Conservation in the Platte River in Benzie County and Bear Creek in Manistee County.

Carol Schultheiss is a member of the Johnson Bible College (Kimberlin Heights, Tenn.) choir which will make a southern tour between April 1 and 11. Miss Schultheiss is a member of the soprano section of the choir; she is the daughter of Mr and Mrs L. Dale Schultheiss of 119 Lewis, St. Johns.

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Township meetings Saturday; none in Bath

Annual township meetings will be held in most of the townships of the county this Saturday.

Bath Township, contrary to a public notice printed in last week's paper, will not have a township meeting. Since it is now incorporated as a charter township, annual meetings are no longer required by law.

Country club begins membership drive

The Clinton County Country Club began its season last week with a kickoff of a membership drive for the coming season.

According to Club President Ralph Lynam, all signs are pointing to an unusually active year. "With the new pool beginning its first full year, the addition last fall of a watering system for the fairways and with many families showing an enthusiastic interest in becoming new members, we anticipate a banner season with emphasis on action and participation," he said.

AGAIN THIS year the club will host the Monday Night Mixed League, the Tuesday Nightmen's League and the Friday Night Mixed League. All members or those who will be joining this year are asked to notify the club secretary, Paul Schueller, of their intent to belong to any of the above leagues as soon as possible.

With the anticipated increase in new members and with the interest of present members in the three evening leagues, it might be necessary to form another evening league; but to do so the club will need to know the intent of all as to their interest in joining these leagues.

THE BOARD of directors requests all those who received the intent cards through the mail to return them as soon as possible, regardless of whether persons plan on joining the club or the leagues.

The events calendar listings for the new year are: March 21 through May 15, membership drive; April 11, Spring Stag Night; May 15, Official Sunday Openers; May 28, New Member Mixer Party; May 30, Memorial Day Activities; June 25, Sweethearts Dance Party; June 26, Central Michigan 4-Man Invitational Tournament; July 4, Independence Day Events; July 10-17, Central Michigan Open; July 23, annual Best Ball Tournament; Aug. 13, Midsummer Dinner Dance; Aug. 20, annual Stag Day; Aug. 28, Club Senior Tourney; Sept. 5, Labor Day events; Sept. 11, President's Club Day; Sept. 28, Men's Annual Meeting; Oct. 29, Halloween Party.

Fined, jailed for reckless driving

Bruce R. Woodman of R-1, DeWitt, was fined \$100, assessed costs of \$19.90 and sentenced to 30 days in the county jail Tuesday on a charge of reckless driving. Justice of the Peace Gordon Willoughby assessed the penalties.

Jailed for having beer

Evan R. Jones Jr., 17, St. Johns, was assessed court costs of \$4.30 and sentenced to three days in the county jail Friday on a charge of minor in possession of alcoholic beverages. Associate Municipal Judge Timothy M. Green assessed the penalty.

PRECEDING legislation, enacted in 1965, had provided for the initial 7 per cent decrease and a step-by-step reduction and eventual elimination of the taxes by 1969.

"ALL IN ALL," Lynam said, "We are looking forward to a wonderful season of recreation and fellowship."

Excise tax back on phone bills

Recent action by Congress ordering the re-imposition of the federal excise tax on telephone service will mean a 7 per cent hike in telephone bills for most customers beginning in April, General Telephone Co. said today.

The congressional action, rescinding legislation which had reduced the federal tax on most telephone service from 10 per cent to 3 per cent Jan. 1, re-imposes those reduced taxes at the full 10 per cent rate.

The new legislation re-establishes the 10 per cent telephone service excise tax from April 1, 1966, to April 1, 1968, and then reduces it to 1 per cent until the scheduled elimination date of Jan. 1, 1969.

Originally imposed as a "temporary" emergency measure during World War II, the so-called "luxury tax" on telephone service has been continued for 23 years.

Multiple sclerosis baffling ailment

Multiple sclerosis is one of the most baffling and individualistic diseases known to medical science, says the chief neurologist at the University of Michigan Medical Center.

In its symptoms, its course and its outcome, the affliction changes markedly from person to person.

Writing in the A.M.A. magazine, Today's Health, Dr. Russell N. De Jong says, "A person who has been given a diagnosis of multiple sclerosis must not be influenced by dire rumors or tales about other patients."

Statistically, MS is more common in cold, damp climates than in warm, tropical areas. But it cannot be cured by moving to a warmer climate.

St. Joseph announces Holy Week schedule

St. Joseph Catholic Church in St. Johns has announced its schedule of rites during Holy Week, which begins Sunday and runs through Easter Sunday, April 10.

MONDAY - Usual Lenten schedule. TUESDAY - Usual Lenten schedule plus confessions from 8 to 9 p.m. WEDNESDAY - Usual Lenten schedule plus confessions from 3:30 to 5 p.m.; high school Bible vigil at 8:15 p.m. (check in at school at 8 p.m.); confessions after the Bible vigil. HOLY THURSDAY (April 7) - 7:30 a.m. Mass, Holy Communion before Mass for those unable to remain for Mass. Easter Communion will be brought to the sick and aged in the morning; please call the rectory if you are not on the First Friday Communion list; 7:30 p.m. Concelebrated Pontifical High Mass (including the washing of the feet) followed by the procession and reposition of the Blessed Sacrament. There will be public adoration of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament from Holy Thursday until Good Friday noon; please keep your usual First Friday hour of adoration during this time.

GOOD FRIDAY (April 8) - Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until noon. The Tre Ore service will begin at 12:15 p.m. with stations of the cross; a Bible vigil service on the passion and death of Christ will begin at 12:45; the solemn liturgy service will begin at 1:30 p.m.; you may receive Holy Communion ONLY at this service at about 2:30 p.m.; keep the communion fast from 1 p.m. to be safe; stations of the cross at 7:30 p.m.; this is a day of fast for those between 21 and 59 and complete abstinence for all 14 and older.

HOLY SATURDAY (April 9) - 11 p.m. Solemn Easter vigil service will begin. Mass will begin at midnight; holy communion may be received at this Mass plus during one morning Mass of Easter Sunday.

EASTER SUNDAY (April 10) - Masses at 12 midnight, 6 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m. (high Mass on radio), 10:30 a.m. and 12 noon.

HERE IS THE sacrament of penance (confession) schedule for Holy Week at St. Joseph:

Monday: 8 to 8:15 a.m., and 6:45 to 7:05 p.m. Tuesday: 8 to 8:15 a.m., 5 to 5:20 p.m. and 8 to 9 p.m. Wednesday: 8 to 8:15 a.m., 3:30 to 5 p.m., 6:45 p.m. to 7:05 p.m., and after high school Bible vigil until 9 p.m. Thursday: 3:30 to 5 p.m. and 8:30 to 9 p.m. Friday: 3 to 5 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m. Saturday: 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., and 2 to 5 p.m.; no evening confessions Saturday, April 9.

Fire-Safe Painting
A paint brush probably figures in your Spring Clean-Up plans, so keep these fire safety pointers in mind:
1. For paint removing and brush cleaning, solvents labelled "non-flammable" are safest, the National Fire Protection Association says. If you must work with flammable ones, better do it outdoors - but never in any area where there is open flame (as from a stove) or where anyone is smoking.
2. Get rid of old paint and solvent containers, and those with small left-over amounts. Store paints and solvents well away from furnaces, and only in capped metal containers - glass jars break easily, creating a definite fire hazard.
3. Safest practice with rags used to wipe up solvents or paints is to dispose of them immediately outside the house. If you must store them, use a metal container with a tight cover.

Facts and Fillers
● Every 12 minutes a home in this nation is destroyed or damaged by a fire starting in rubbish, National Fire Protection records show.
● The three storage areas of the home - attic, basement, closets - are the spots where 16.4% of all dwelling fires originate, according to National Fire Protection Association studies.
● A clean home seldom burns, says the National Fire Protection Association. Keep your halls, attic, closets, cellar and favorite stow-away spots free from fire's favorite fuel - rubbish like discarded clothes, lampshades, newspapers, old paint cans. Clean up now for a fire safe home.
● About 550,000 U. S. homes are hit by fire each year, and over 8,000 persons - 83% of them children - die in these fires, National Fire Protection Association records show.

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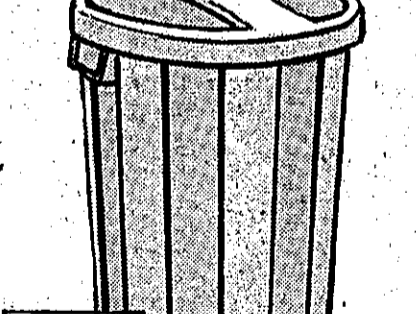
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Select Miss St. Johns tonight

Judges for the 1966 Miss St. Johns queen contest will be in St. Johns this (Thursday) evening, at which time they will dine with the contestants and determine which girl will be later crowned Miss St. Johns, 1966.

Judging will be Bob Rue, assistant to the president at Olivet College; Mrs Joy Mulvaney, a member of the Woman's Auxiliary at Olivet College; and Pete Fuller, a senior attending Olivet College.

The girl chosen Miss St. Johns, 1966 will represent the Chamber of Commerce at various promotional events and activities during the coming year and will receive over \$200 worth of merchandise and cash prizes contributed by area businessmen.

Girls competing in this year's contest are: Shirley Damen, Shirley Johnson, Dorothy Evtits, Marilyn Farrier, Linda Reenes and Maureen Parmanter.

MRS BETTY MINSKY, Chamber of Commerce secretary, said the selection of the judges was made so out-of-town people would not know any of the girls involved

Bloodmobile totals: 40 pints at Fowler, 40 at Westphalia

The Regional Red Cross Bloodmobile returned to Lansing last Thursday evening with 80 pints of blood donated by residents of the Fowler and Westphalia areas, 40 pints being collected in each community.

At Fowler six other potential donors were rejected because of medical reasons, and 12 persons out of the 40 gave blood for the first time. The Fowler bloodmobile was staged at the Lutheran Parish, under sponsorship of the Fowler Jaycees. Mrs Fred Tiedt was in charge.

THERE WERE SIX first-time donors on the list at Westphalia, with only four rejects for medical reasons. Mrs Julius Pohl was chairman for the bloodmobile visit at the KO Hall. The Westphalia Jaycees were sponsors.

Here are the persons who volunteered to give blood at each community:

FOWLER

Nellie Nobis, Anne Marie Simon, Nancy Kohagen, Herbert Thelen, Bernard Thelen, Louis Schneider, Richard Fink, Richard Frechen, Sharon Motz, Maynard With, Hugh Miller, Henry George, Marsha George, Pat Snyder, Judy Koenigsnecht, Vernon Benjamin, Gerald Weber, Mrs Frank Huftagel, Phillip A. Tiedt.

Paul Ulrich, Raymond Koenigsnecht, George Martin, Gladys Halfmann, William Bertram, Helen Pausch, Norbert Pohl, Ralph George, Ralph Watts, Alphonse Thelen, Richard Becker, Alvin Feldpausch, John Fedewa, Sister Gretchen, Ivan Fink, Monica Thelen, Louis Thelen, Maxine Ernst, Carl Weber, Andrew Lutig, John Rademacher, Dorothy Jandernoa Marvin Thelen, Elmo Evtits, Roy Feldpausch, and Robert Chapman.

WESTPHALIA

Marie Bengel, Leo Fedewa, Richard Schneider, Marion Wober, Francis Feldpausch, Albert Thelen, Bernard Pohl, Jeanette Kellen, Robert Fedewa, Herbert Kellen, Joe Spitzley, Joe Arens, Jim Fedewa, Mike Thelen, Charles Thelen, Ronald Arens.

Roger Smith, Rita George, Jerome Schaefer, Jerome Thels, Stanley Weber, Margie Platte, Michael Platte, Kenneth Speerbecker, Anthony Wirth, Donald Miller, Leander Rademacher, Bruno Thelen, Edward Smith, Jerome Smith.

Jerry Piggott, William Bengel, Marion Pline, Richard Thelen, Gregor Thelen, Joseph Fedewa, Delbert Thelen, Ronald Thelen, Mary Lee Spitzley and John Spitzley.

Soap box derby clinic April 9

The first of a series of Soap Box Derby clinics is scheduled for April 9, a Saturday, to acquaint boys of the community with methods to use in building their derby racers.

The clinic, according to Clinic Director Sam Sample, will be held at 10 a.m. at the social hall of the St. Joseph Catholic School. A powder puff derby race, featuring several girl race drivers, is a possibility preceding the Soap Box Derby race June 5, the derby executive committee decided Monday night. Several girls are reportedly building racers, and the executive committee is considering working them into the parade-race schedule.

Soap box derby films are scheduled for showings soon at Central School in St. Johns and at Westphalia.

3 file for DeWitt school posts

DEWITT — Three candidates have filed for positions of trustee on the DeWitt board of education, according to an announcement last week.

Running for the spots will be Dale Hines, Jake Lenik and Willard Reed. None of the incumbents have yet filed.

Meeting last Tuesday night, the board of education unanimously adopted a salary schedule for teachers which will begin at \$5,100 and reach a maximum of \$7,000 after nine years.

THE NEW schedule was agreed on in negotiations with representatives of the DeWitt Education Assn. Teacher representatives were William Stoller, Mrs Loretta Sharp, Mrs Arlene Robson and Eldon VanSpybrook.

Asst. Supt. Hubert Jenkins was asked about rumors children will be forced to walk a mile to catch buses in the future. Jenkins told the five people making the inquiry that transportation changes now under consideration would mean children could be asked to gather at collecting points to lessen the number of stops per bus.

BUT HE assured the parents no child would be asked to walk more than a few blocks and under no condition would they be asked to gather at hazardous points or to cross dangerous highways.

Music Boosters show fashions for all family

Fashions for the entire family, including pre-schoolers, elementary, teen, women and men, and two complete wedding ensembles, were shown last Thursday at the "Medley of Spring" style show sponsored by the St. Johns Music Boosters at the high school.

Fashion commentators were Mary Crosby and Wanda Humphrey.

During intermission the "Wilsonettes" and the Wilsonettes sang. Philip Anderson, Monica Hata and Dan Law sang solos. Rhonda Woodbury played music for the showing of the wedding ensembles. The high school dance band entertained prior to the show and at its conclusion.

MRS JAY MCKAY, Music Boosters president, conducted the awarding of door prizes, which were won by Harriet Barber, Ann Barber, Mary Beth Sexton, Mrs Lester Jenkins, Alice Noyce, and Mrs Robert Devereaux. Mrs McKay also presented bouquets of roses to the style commentators.

St. Johns merchants participating in the show included Rehmann's, St. Johns Furniture, Julie K, Mary Frances Shop, Woodbury's Flower Shop, J. C. Penney Co., Durkee Hat Shop, Hibbs Shoes, Miller-Jones, Mac Kinnon's, Becker Department Store at Fowler, and the following beauty shops: High Style, Judy's, Cameo, Betty's, Donna's, Charm, Shirley and Joyce.

Youth gets jail time, probation for assault

William J. Suchowsky, 19, of 203 W. Oak Street, Ovid, was given two years probation, with the first 90 days to be spent in the Clinton County Jail, by Circuit Judge Leo Corbin this week. Suchowsky was found guilty of assaulting a state police officer Jan. 15 while the officer was attempting to arrest Suchowsky.

Ionia driver ticketed for rear-end crash

Bradley B. Fletcher, 17, of Ionia was charged with failure to have his vehicle under control Friday morning following a two-car rear-end crash on M-21 in Fowler. His eastbound car hit the rear of one driven by Theresa M. Kramer, 38, of 11143 W. Third Street, Fowler.

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A myriad thoughts of spring

More spring!

The killdeers are back.

And there was a kite riding high and brave in the sky behind the barn. Sally was home from college during spring break... and she had to try her hand at this. It DID look kind of nice to see it sailing away like that. Every drawer and possible place was searched for more string. Oh, for more string.

I also spaced a bit of ground behind the garage. The earth was full of angleworms... which were fed to the big goldfish in the tank in the basement. Even with the sunny location I KNOW it's too early to plant much, but I'm going to give it a try this afternoon. Glenn and Larry Webster have

around 20 acres of oats in. It's catching (spring fever).

EVEN THE GRASS has taken a greener hue in some places of the yard. It CAN'T be THAT time of year again, can it? Along with the greening up of it have come the trenches of moles. There must be a family reunion down under there. It is AWFUL! When I went to the mailbox the earth was so soft in several strips that I had to walk and watch my step.

Anybody have a good remedy for moles???? Or how to get rid of them? Someone could get rich if he could invent a really good way to get rid of them. It might be something quite simple.

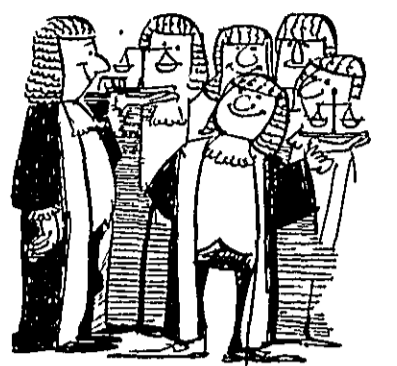
I have thought of sitting in a good spot for one entire day and

watching the ground for any movement... and then grabbing the culprit (though that doesn't appeal to me either...).

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Young Republicans being formed here

A pre-organizational meeting last Thursday in St. Johns has laid the groundwork for the official formation of the Clinton County Young Republicans.

An official organization meeting will be held at the American Legion Hall in St. Johns at 8 p.m. April 22. Acting Chairman Bernard Cain said the meeting will be open to the public, and all young people 18 to 36 years of age are invited to attend.

ADDITIONAL groundwork for the April 22 meeting was scheduled to be made at another planning meeting Wednesday night at Daley's Restaurant at 8 p.m.

Cain was elected temporary chairman of the Informal Young Republicans last Thursday. Other temporary officers are: Edna Davis, vice chairman; Miggle Hall, secretary; Bob Purtil, treasurer; Robert Wood, city membership chairman; Lawrence Davis, Lawrence Cobb and Neil Hall, township membership chairman; Mrs Betty Minsky, publicity director; and John A. Minsky program director.

ALSO attending last Thursday's meeting were Clinton County Republican Chairman Andrew Cobb, Vice Chairman Mrs Syver Thingstad; and Clinton County Republican Women's Club President Mrs Henrietta Prince.

State Republican organizational director Jerry D. Roe discussed with the group the role of young people in the Republican party.

Smit-Richey marriage announced

Mr and Mrs Robert Smit announce the marriage of their daughter, Janice Louise to Harold R. Richey, son of Mr and Mrs Douglas Richey Sr., of Lansing.

The candlelight ceremony was held Saturday evening at the Bingham EUB Church with Rev Norman Crotser officiating.

Mrs Gerald Hardman was her sister's matron of honor and Douglas Richey Jr. was his brother's best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception for the immediate families was held at the home of the bride's parents.



MISS BONNIE PURCHASE

Mr and Mrs Simpson have made their home at Park Lake for the last 27 years, and for 15 years Simpson has been justice of the peace for the now-charter township of Bath.

Many gifts and cards were received by the Simpsons in honor of their anniversary, and a money tree was lavishly decorated.

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The mystery prize was won by Anna Pierson.

Refreshments were served by the committee Bertha Henning, Ruth Sirtine and Fannie Wehr.

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The film tells the story of a nun who goes about her ministry in an unconventional manner. It is recommended as a family film.

A man soon learns that he can't travel far on a lame excuse.

T. B. Simpsons, wed 50 years, honored at party

Mr and Mrs T.B. Simpson of 15559 Outer Drive, Bath, were honored by their family with a surprise dinner party March 20 in honor of their 50th wedding anniversary.

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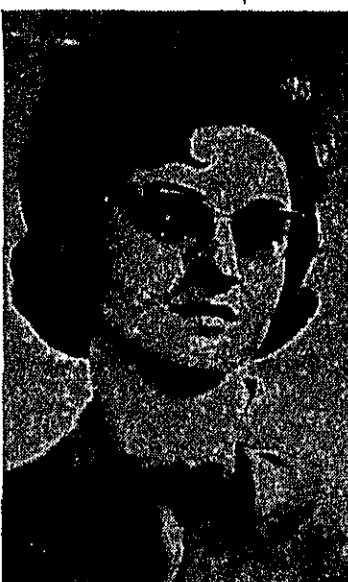
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MISS JEANNE E. CLARK

Mr and Mrs Marvin Clark of rural Alma announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeanne Ellen, to Dale E. Snyder of rural Ashley, son of Mr and Mrs Kenneth Snyder of rural St. Johns. Jeanne, a 1965 graduate of Alma High School, is employed at Michigan Chemical Company in St. Louis. Mr Snyder, a graduate of Fulton High School, is employed at Oldsmobile in Lansing. An August wedding is being planned.

The Elizabeth Circle of the First Methodist Church met Tuesday, March 28, at the home of Mrs Gordon Luther with Mrs Stephen Nikitas serving as co-hostess. There were ten members and one guest present.

A book review, "Salty Christians," was given by Mrs Leonard Puetz, a guest of the circle.

Chairman Mrs Merle Redman opened the meeting with a reading, "Why Are You Alive?"

The circle will host the Lenten Breakfast at 9 a.m., April 5.

ANY ONE wishing to donate any kind of trading stamps for a bus to transport students from Central Michigan University to church may do so and it would be appreciated.

Mrs Nick Halitsky gave devotions, closing the meeting with prayer.

The meeting in April will be held at the home of Mrs Theron Richards with Mrs J. E. Bartholomew as co-hostess.

Easter program for Ruth Circle

The Ruth Circle of the First Methodist church met at the home of Mrs Edward MacKinnon March 22 with Mrs Evert French serving as co-hostess.

Following the business meeting, conducted by Mrs Walter Nickel, an Easter program was given by Mrs Glenn Osgood. Devotions were given by Mrs Gerald Bunge.

There were 15 members and two guests present.

Mrs Spitzley was TOPS queen

There were 23 member present at the St. Johns Tops club last week. Mrs Mary Spitzley was the queen for the week. There is \$4 in the kitty now, so everyone should come this week, with a loss and you may be the lucky one.

The auction sale held after the short business meeting was fun and made a little money to boot.

This week there will be a party for the March queen and to honor the new bride, Mrs Doris Wilkie.

Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

IT'S A GIRL!

March 21: Patricia Susan to Mr and Mrs Samuel Parks of St. Johns (Margaret White).

March 24: Michele Lynn to Mr and Mrs David Decker of Bath (Jean Ann Decker).

IT'S A BOY!

March 21: William Joseph to Mr and Mrs William Thoma of Fowler (Virginia Becker).

March 22: Nell Anthony to Mr and Mrs Ronnie Hartenbourg of St. Johns (Gwen Wieber).

March 23: Joseph Eugene to Mr and Mrs Eugene Schueller of Westphalia (Laraine Fox).

March 24: Timothy Joseph to Mr and Mrs Dennis Fandel of Westphalia (Marilyn Irner).

90 competed in Spring Music Festival at MSU

The annual Spring Music Festival for Juniors of the South Central District of the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs was held Saturday in the music auditorium of Michigan State University.

Over 90 young people participated in the piano, organ and voice divisions from Lansing, Jackson, Mason and Tecumseh.

Mrs George H. Brooks, president of the South Central district, appointed Mrs Fredrick MacDonald and Mrs. C. T. Liebum as co-chairman of the event.

THE JUDGES were members of the faculty of Michigan State University's music department and a member of the music department of Albion College.

The entrants did not compete against each other but each was rated on his own merits as a student.

General factors considered were talent, musicianship, technique, pulse, intonation and diction.

GARY O. DENTON, his wife Sandra and their daughter Lori 6 months are new residents at 304 E. State Street, St. Johns, having recently moved from Mount Pleasant. Denton works on the line at Oldsmobile.

MICHAEL D. MURDOCK and his wife Janel are new residents at 405 E. Higham Street, St. Johns, having been married Feb. 19. Mrs Murdock is employed at the State Highway Department of Lansing and he is employed at Oldsmobile of Lansing.

JAMES L. DENTON and his wife Bonnie and their children Jimmie 3 and Scottie 2 are new residents of 106 S. Ottawa Street, St. Johns, having moved from Mount Pleasant. He is employed as an automotive supervisor at Railway Express, Lansing.

ROBERT D. DITMER, owner of WJUD, has moved his wife Beverly and their four children from Houghton Lake to St. Johns and they are making their home at 108 N. Whittemore Street. The children are Renae 8, Bobby Dean 7 and twins, Judy and Jeanette 2. DITMER has been here since December but his family just recently joined him. He was the manager of WHGR for 12 years.

ROGER D. WILLIAM and his wife Penny are new residents at 506 S. Oakland Street, St. Johns, having moved from Lansing. He is an attendant at Ray Pratt's gas station, S. Saginaw, Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Olen Witt visited Harry Stone at Providence Hospital, Southfield, Sunday. Stone is Mr Witt's brother-in-law.

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Bridgeville

Mr and Mrs Douglas Greer spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Douglas Hulbert.

Mr and Mrs John Woodbury called on Mr and Mrs Henry Griffin of Perry Sunday afternoon and also on Mr and Mrs Bruce

Hulbert of Colony Road. The ladies of Bridgeville Community Aid will have a business meeting Wednesday, April 13, at 2 p.m.

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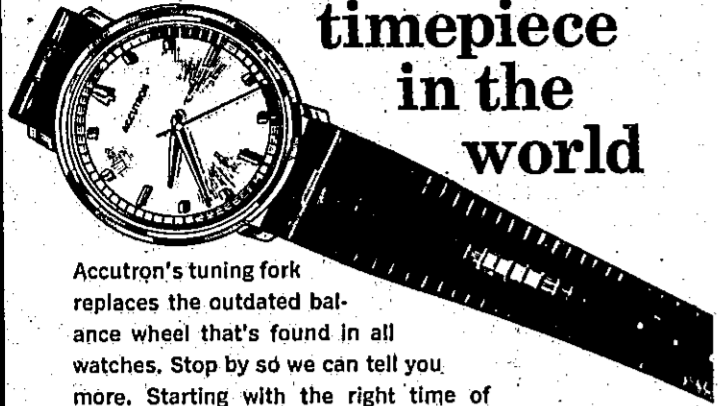
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Spring program for Musicales

"Promise of Spring" was the theme of the program Thursday morning when Mrs Howard Woodbury was hostess for the Morning Musicales.

The program was announced by Mrs K. L. Jones. Mrs Robert Cox gave an organ reading, "Christ and the Sorry Thistle," by Mistral and was accompanied by Mrs Basil Delbert playing "In a Monastery Garden" by Ketelbey.

Mrs Richard Amstutz and Mrs Frederick M. Lewis sang a group of hymns accompanied on the organ by Mrs Howard Woodbury. Mrs Richard Jacoby gave the story of the life of the authors of each song.

ANOTHER GROUP of hymns was sung by the entire group accompanied by Mrs Woodbury.

The program followed the business meeting conducted by Mrs Manning Bros.

Mrs Richard Amstutz, chairman of the audition committee, proposed rule changes for the club's consideration. It was suggested participating students should live in the St. Johns school district and be from 9th to 12th grade level.

Mrs LeBonde became a new member of the club.

Cubbie award won by Den 5

Pack 271 held their monthly meeting at the Ferrin-Palmer School March 20.

The flag ceremony was led by Den 2. Cubbie award was won by Den 5. Den 5 presented a skit "Vikings" for the evenings entertainment.

Awards were presented to Steven Jacobus, Nick Roberts, Bobby Little, Joe Fernholz, James Lawe, Rick Foster, Raymond Kinney and Bill Jolly.

The next meeting will be a potluck April 17. April 5 there will be a father-son hot dog roast at the city park.

Clinton Area Deaths

Edward Thelen

FOWLER — Edward M. Thelen, 74, of N. Main Street died Tuesday, March 22, at 6:25 a.m. at Clinton Memorial Hospital after an illness of five weeks.

Funeral services were held at Most Holy Trinity Church Friday, March 25 at 10 a.m. with Fr. Albert Schmitt officiating. Burial was at Most Holy Trinity cemetery. Rosary was recited Tuesday night and Wednesday and Thursday at 3 and 8 p.m. at George Funeral Home.

Mr Thelen was born June 27, 1891, at Westphalia, the son of John and Margaret Spitzley Thelen. He attended St. Mary's school of Westphalia and lived in the Fowler and Westphalia area all of his life.

HE AND Clotilda Miller, who died Aug. 6, 1962, were married April 20, 1915, at Westphalia.

He was a member of Most Holy Trinity Church, the Holy Name Society, St. Joseph's Society and the Knights of Columbus.

Survivors include six sons, Melvin DeWitt, Leonard, Louis E., Eugene H. and Clement of Fowler, and Kenneth of Lansing; five daughters, Mrs Marina Feldpausch and Mrs Julianne Feldpausch of Fowler, Mrs Evelyn Thelen and Mrs Dolores Kentfield of St. Johns and Mrs Erma Schaefer of Pewamo; 63 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; one brother, Joseph W. Thelen of Fowler and three step-brothers, William, Louis and Leonard Rademacher.

L. B. Wellington

DEWITT — Leonard B. Wellington, 130 W. Main Street, DeWitt, died Sunday morning at his home following a long illness. He was 61 years old.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Vincent-Rummell Funeral Home, with the Rev. W. Ernest Combella of the DeWitt Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in DeWitt Cemetery.

Mr Wellington was born June 18, 1904, at Carland, the son of Elbridge and Minerva Howe Wellington. He lived in DeWitt for 12 years, moving here from Lansing.

HE MARRIED Fern Downey at Lansing Sept. 22, 1928. He worked at the Oldsmobile forge plant in Lansing for 23 years.

Surviving are his wife; three sons, Richard M. of Lansing, Forrest G. of Hudsonville, and Roger W. of Holt; and five grandchildren.

George Leighton

DEWITT — Funeral services for George E. Leighton, 63, of 105 W. Wieland Road, Lansing, will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at the Valley Farms Baptist Church.

Rev LaVern Bretz, of the Valley Farms Baptist Church, will officiate, and burial will be in Glendale Cemetery at Okemos. Funeral arrangements are by the Vincent - Rummell Funeral Home at DeWitt.

Mr Leighton died Tuesday afternoon at a Lansing Hospital.

HE WAS BORN Feb. 10, 1903, at Utica, N.Y., the son of Emerson and Jocelyn Lavine O'Toole Leighton. He married Margaret C. Burroughs in Lansing March 25, 1927. He lived 40 years in Lansing and was a member of the Valley Farms Baptist Church. He worked with Motor Wheel Corp. for 23 years.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Ronald of Lansing and David of Costa Mesa, Calif.; daughter, Mrs Gloria Tuller own sun is the very faint Proxima LaHabra, Calif.; eight grand children; and a sister, Mrs M. Miles from Erie Brier of Bay City.

David Sevey

EUREKA — David Arlington Sevey, 53, former Eureka and St. Johns resident, died Saturday in San Angelo, Tex., where he owned and operated his own shoe store. He had been in the shoe business all his life in Michigan, Minnesota and Texas.

Funeral services were to be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday at the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns, with burial in Eureka Cemetery.

Mr Sevey was born Jan. 21, 1913, at Eureka. He graduated from St. Johns High School in 1933. He was a member of the Church of Christ in San Angelo.

Surviving are his wife, Onelda; one son, David R. Sevey of Muskegon; two daughters, Mrs Vernell Clement and Mrs Freda McCormick, both of Snyder, Tex.; his mother, Mrs Belle Sevey of St. Petersburg, Fla.; and one sister, Mrs Audrey Hart of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Henry Smith

DEWITT — Henry M. Smith, 52, of 616 W. Lakeview Drive, Lansing, died Tuesday morning at the Lansing Hospital. He was a truck driver for L. J. Beal and Son and had lived the last 14 years in Lansing.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. today (Thursday) at the Church of Christ in Luther, Mich., with the Rev. W. K. Pitman officiating. Burial will be in Ellsworth Cemetery. Funeral arrangements are by the Vincent-Rummell Funeral Home in DeWitt.

* SURVIVING are his wife; three daughters, Mrs Judie Oles, Joyce and June; four sons, John, Jerry, James and Joey all of Lansing; and a sister, Mrs Mertie Moore of Luther.

Miss Mary Herr.

WESTPHALIA — Miss Mary Herr, 80, died in a Detroit hospital Sunday, March 27 after a long illness.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, March 31, at 10 a.m. at St. Mary's church and burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery. Rosary will be recited at Geller Funeral Home Wednesday at 8 p.m.

MISS HERR was born June 13, 1885, at Westphalia. In recent years she has resided with her sister at Detroit.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs Rose Small of Detroit and nieces and nephews.



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South Watertown

By Mrs Bruce Hodges

Mr and Mrs Hudonal Montgomery and family of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Balley Bullock and Mr and Mrs J. L. Montgomery of Valley Farms and Tom B. Montgomery of Gleason, Tenn., were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Vaughan Montgomery.

Mr and Mrs Edward Leikam are in Nebraska due to a death in the family.

Clarence McMyler, Mrs Lullie Benjamin and Mrs Hattie Dillenbeck, all of Williamston, were dinner guests of Mrs Bess Pearson Monday evening.

Mr and Mrs Earl Stoll and Mr and Mrs Mark Oliver were Wednesday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Bruce Hodges.

Mr and Mrs Herbert Hardtke, Mr and Mrs Vaughan Montgomery and Mr and Mrs Bruce Hodges attended their 500 Club Saturday evening at the home of Mr and Mrs Remig Krug of Potterville.

The Blue Star Service Club will meet with Mrs Bruce Hodges Thursday, April 7, for a 12:30 dinner. Mrs Earl Beagle is program chairman.

The nearest star besides our sun is the very faint Proxima LaHabra, Calif.; eight grand children; and a sister, Mrs M. Miles from Erie Brier of Bay City.



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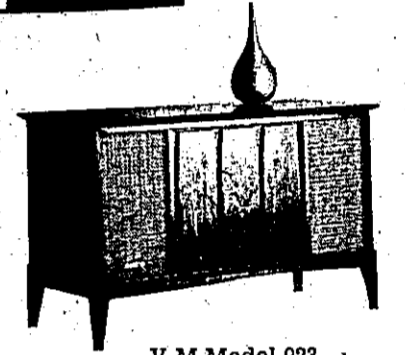
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EASTER CANDY

Price District

By Mrs Harold Crowley

There will be a combined meeting of the Price and Shepardsville Woman's Societies at the Price Church Wednesday, April 6, at 2 p.m. Mrs Charles Belshaw, district treasurer and Mrs C. W. Lambert, district secretary will present, "A Self Study Before God."

The official board of the Price Church will meet Sunday, April 3, with a potluck dinner following the worship service.

Sunrise Services will be held at the Price Church at 6:30 a.m. Easter Sunday followed by a breakfast with the Shepardsville Church. The service will be presented by the MYF from Price and Shepardsville Churches.

Members of the Price Church choir extend thanks and appreciation to everyone for their generosity shown at the recent penny supper and white elephant sale. This was to benefit the robe fund and now places it above the goal.

Mr and Mrs Harold Crowley and Terry and Mrs Helen Hunt were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs Agnes Price in St. Johns. Also present were Mr and Mrs Walter Crowley of Traverse City and daughter, Mrs Ned Moffit and Danny of Tawas City.

Members of the Price MYF attended the Sub-District Rally in Ithaca Sunday afternoon. For having the most present from a church they were awarded the attendance banner.

The Vacation Bible School will be sponsored by the Price, Shepardsville and Colony Churches from June 13 through the 24th. This will be held at the Shepardsville Methodist Church with Mrs Chandler Gleason as director.

An Easter Maunday Thursday parish communion service will be held at the Shepardsville Methodist Church April 8 at 8 p.m.

Rew District

By Mrs Howard Witt

Mrs Ruth Flynn spent Sunday with her sister and her husband, Mr and Mrs Ralph Smith of Leingsburg.

Mr and Mrs Dow Young were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Leonard Blakeslee of East Lansing. Later all attended "Sound of Music" at the university.

Mr and Mrs Paul Witt and family called on Mr and Mrs Howard Witt and Lee Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Ray Steavens of rural St. Johns were Saturday night supper guests of their son and his family, the David Steavens.

Mr and Mrs David Steavens and family were guests at a family birthday party honoring Kim Steavens, son of Mr and Mrs Don Steavens of DeWitt.

Mr and Mrs Rex Hoover called on his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Clyde Chadwick, Sunday evening. Mr and Mrs David Steavens called on her brother and his wife, Mr and Mrs Marvin Witt Sunday evening.

Rev John Huhtala left Sunday evening to attend the spring term at Garrett Seminary.

Members of the Price MYF will meet Sunday, April 3 after the official board meeting.

Mrs Anna Yanz of East Lansing spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr and Mrs Albert Waldellch.

Mrs Alva Waldellch and Mr and Mrs Ned Bennett, Robin and Julie of Gettsburg Estate were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr and Mrs Albert Waldellch.

Mrs George Ashley and Dorothy and Mr and Mrs Clarence Neller returned home after spending two weeks in Florida.

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

NEWS FROM THE Rivard Nursing Home

Spring housecleaning is on it's way and the smell of freshly papered, painted and washed walls is nice.

Bert Clark again had a bushel of oranges sent to us from Florida.

Mrs Rosa Hoover celebrated her 86th birthday March 14 with cake and ice cream for all.

Miss Pauline Griffin and Mr and Mrs Clyde Griffin spent a few days visiting relatives in DeKalb, Ill. Miss Griffin and Mrs Anna Griffin are members of the staff.

Mrs Anna Griffin and Mrs Shirley Wagar celebrated their birthdays this month.

Mrs Emily Leik went to her grandson's home to live.

Mrs Katherine Gonzer and children Michael, Sue and Ricky of Flint, spent the weekend with her mother Mrs Gladys Hetzel.

Mrs Mabel Burnes is the newest resident.

Jesse Guernsey and Miss Leta Walker are spending a few days at Clinton Memorial hospital.

We wish to thank the St. Paul Lutheran church of Fowler for the subscription.

Bible Study is still in progress with 17 residents in attendance.

Other birthdays for March are Clarence Shoup 86, March 24; Gordon Stephens, 68, March 30 and Mrs Geddes Bernthisel, 88, March 27. Shoup went to Fenton with his family for his birthday dinner and Stephens had his birthday dinner with his family in St. Johns.

Miss Pamela Armstrong, granddaughter of Mrs Beatrice Rivard was confirmed Sunday, March 27. Mrs Rivard attended the confirmation at Bridgeport. We are expecting the Artz boys, with their electric guitars, this coming Wednesday evening.

Mrs Lulu Winans had her usual many visitors some of whom were Alice Sommerfield of Lansing, Josephine Long of Fowler and Mr and Mrs Joseph Mueller of St. Johns.

Visitors for Mrs Veronica Rahl were Mrs Mary Dush, Mrs Lillian Ott, Geraldine Martin, Mr and Mrs Merlyn Rahl, Cecelia Rademacher, Kurt Martin, George Martin and Dick Rahl. Visitors from Weldman were Rose, Weidin, Clara Wieber and Mary Bast.

Rev Crosier visited Mrs Nellie Pearson, Mrs Belle Love, Mrs Luju Winans and Clarence Shoup.

Caroline Kozak of the Legion of Mary visited all residents of the home.

Mr and Mrs Warner Rock, Mrs Alice Norton, Mrs Myrtle Baker and Millard C. Brown visited the home.

Mrs Agnes Wells, Emma Pratt, Bertha Zimmerman visited Mrs Crowe, Mr and Mrs Jesse Guernsey and Miss Leta Walker.

Mrs Paul Hills visited her aunt, Mrs Geddes Bernthisel. Mrs Hills is from Ovid.

Visitors for Mrs Theresa Koengsknecht were Mr and Mrs Louis Martin, Mrs Viola Koengsknecht, Mrs George Schmitt, Mr and Mrs Raymond Koengsknecht, all of Fowler. LJK 13 of St. Johns, Bertha Koengsknecht of Fowler, Mrs Leonard Koengsknecht of St. Johns, Phyllis and Steven Terrell of DeWitt and Mrs William Schmitt of Westphalia also visited.

Mrs Alice Richard of Grand Ledge visited her sister, Mrs

Margaret Goldsmith. Also visiting was Mrs Beth Richard of Grand Ledge.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Shoup visited his father, Clarence Shoup.

Mrs Ella Pinkney enjoyed her many visitors some of whom were Mr and Mrs Norman Schafer and children of Lyons, Pearl Herron of Pewamo, Crystal Pinkney of St. Johns and Velma Biddinger of Ithaca.

Gertrude Bast visited her sister, Mrs Lina Walton. Mary Jean Kerr, her niece; Mrs Mary Walton; Mrs Julia Walton; Mrs Richard Kerr and Barbara Kerr all of St. Johns and Mabel E. Snitgen of St. Johns also visited.

Mrs Anna Boettger visited Mrs Ethel Stanton and Mrs Stella Gilson.

Mrs Bessie Stockwell visited with her sister Mrs John Drew of St. Johns. Other visitors were Ethel Snitfig and Mae and Oscar Stockwell.

Mrs Minnie Lewis enjoyed a visit with Freda Lewis of St. Johns. Mr and Mrs Don Fennmore, Johns, Mr and Mrs Don Tunmore of St. Johns stopped in for a chat.

Ferne Bacon visited Mrs Stella Gilson and Mrs Minnie Lewis.

Mrs Ralph Botum visited Mrs Lilly Ward.

R. M. McCarthy and family and Paul J. Vitek visited Gordon Stephens.

Mr and Mrs J. D. Robinson visited Mrs Catherine Crowe, Mrs Belle Love, Mrs Hattie Letts, Mrs Margaret Goldsmith and Herbert Rummell.

Mr and Mrs Lynn Harper of Marion visited Mrs Belle Love. Mrs Malcolm Williams of Minden City, Susie Harper and Treva Harper of St. Johns also visited Mrs Love.

Hazel Keyes visited Mrs Stella Gilson and Gordon Stephens.

Mr and Mrs G. Eisenberg of Matherton visited Mrs Cedella Guernsey.

May Toombs also visited the home.

Mrs Ethel Stanton has been confined to her bed the past week. Her visitors were Mr and Mrs Cassel of Holt, Mrs Cassel is Mrs Stanton's daughter. Her grandson David Cassel was also in.

Mrs Ethel Stanton, Mrs Stella Gilson and Mrs Mabel Burnes.

Mr and Mrs Leslie Crowe of Lansing visited Mr Crowe's mother, Mrs Catherine Crowe Mr and Mrs LeRoy Hoyer visited Mrs Hattie Letts.

Mrs Mable Burnes enjoyed visits from Mr and Mrs Saul Sharp of St. Louis.

Riley and Olive

By Mrs Goldie Moore

Mr and Mrs Glenn Locher were Friday evening visitors of Mr and Mrs Lavern Leff.

Mr and Mrs Ray Moore were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr and Mrs Lester Carrington of Haslett.

Mr and Mrs Dale Blizzard visited Mr and Mrs Dennis Locher Saturday evening.

Miss Carole Stoy of Lansing spent the weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs Valentine Stoy, Sharon and Bill.

Mr and Mrs Ray Moore, Mr and Mrs Lew Slim were Sunday evening visitors of Mr and Mrs Ted Moore of near St. Johns.

Sunday evening supper guests of Mrs Irah Burger of Lansing were Mr and Mrs Glenn Locher and Debbie, Mr and Mrs Dennis Locher and Mr and Mrs Larry Phinney and Kelley.

Visitors at the Ray Moore home this week were Mr and Mrs Henry Hundt of Houghton Lake, Mrs Joe Gray of Lansing, Earl Miller and Earl Darnell.

All the 4-H members are busy with local Achievement at Smith Hall this week.

McGonigal Corners

By Mrs John McGonigal

Mrs Phern Johns and daughters, Mrs Pauline Johnstone and Mrs Rhea Fletcher, attended the funeral, March 20, of Mrs John's sister, Mrs Leva Auten at Colon.

They also attended the funeral of another sister of Mrs John's March 31, Mrs Beulah Eberhard also of Colon.

More than 500 people attended the dedication of the new Bath Baptist Church, last Sunday. A few guests were from Ohio and Canada. Many were from Flint, Lansing and surrounding towns. It was a day to be remembered by anyone in attendance. Refreshments were served to all in the church basement following the service. Photographs taken during the dedication services were by John Hays.

Alward-Plowman District

Mrs Keith Wohlfert

Saturday evening visitors of Mr and Mrs Duain Peck were Mr and Mrs Cliff Phillips, Mr and Mrs Russell Bower and Shelley, Rae Dean and Tina Bailey.

Tuesday evening visitors of Mr and Mrs Al Wickerham were Mr and Mrs Ken Blizzard and boys of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Keith Wohlfert and family called on Mr and Mrs George DeVries of Owosso Sunday.

Debbie and Paul Cowles spent the weekend with their father, Mr and Mrs Leo Cowles of Perry.

Saturday afternoon callers of Mr and Mrs Robert Secord were Mr and Mrs J. B. Maxwell of Ithaca.

Betty Wohlfert stayed overnight with Susan Wickerham Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Robert Secord and Larry called on Mr and Mrs Gale Kuhns of St. Johns Saturday evening while Kathy stayed overnight with Mr and Mrs Lloyd Secord.

Mrs Wayne Bennett and daughter were Saturday afternoon callers of Mr and Mrs Alfred Huhn. Sunday visitors were Mr Lawless and children and Carl Huhn. Friday night supper guests were Mrs Larry Whitney and girls of Holt.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Secord were Mr and Mrs Lloyd Secord and Denny Rathbun. Denny celebrated his birthday. In the afternoon Mr and Mrs Cleon of Lansing and Mr and Mrs John Gavenda of Ithaca visited.

Mr and Mrs Zeke Zook stayed overnight Saturday with Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlfert. They were returning from a visit with their daughter in Florida. Mr and Mrs Fred Strouse of Ithaca were Saturday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlfert.

Mr and Mrs Lyle Smith's Friday night visitors were Mr and Mrs Clarence Hickerson, Mrs Rowland Smith and girls, Mrs Glen Smith and boys and Mr and Mrs Gerald Smith and baby. Sunday Mr and Mrs Smith called on Mr and Mrs Hickerson.

Mrs Duane DeYoe spent Tuesday afternoon and evening with Mr and Mrs Virgil Yanz. Sunday Ronnie, Mary and Tommy McKay were with the Yanz's.

Mr and Mrs Cliff Phillips and Mr and Mrs Ron Phillips and daughter were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Phillips. Louise Phillips celebrated his 81 birthday March 28.

Mr and Mrs Leo Martzke called on Mrs Lottie Martzke Sunday. Lottie has a new great-grandson.

Mr and Mrs Francis Kellen, Mr and Mrs Stanley Simon, and Mr and Mrs Gerald Simon all went out to dinner in Jackson Saturday evening.

Willing Workers Circle will meet April 1 at the home of Mrs Florence Jastram of St. Johns. The program is in charge of Paula Jean Clark. Devotions will be by Doris Snyder. There will be an election of officers and dinner will be at 12:30 p.m.

Mr and Mrs Ray Ray Speerbrecker, Mr and Mrs Fred Black and family and Mr and Mrs William Becker and sons attended the 25th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr and Mrs Tom Mahar at Fowlerville last Sunday.

Mrs Andrew Kempf called on her aunt, Mrs Jessie Rickert of Lansing Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Harold Becker spent Sunday with his brother and family of Lake City.

Mr and Mrs Carl Barnes and daughter and Mrs Mildred Barnes and Suste Jones called on Mr and Mrs Garry Powers and family of Houghton Lake Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Clark and Mrs Nellie Allen called on Mr and Mrs D. C. Allen Sunday.

Shepardsville

By Mrs Ira Birmingham

Mr and Mrs Ralph Baker returned home Wednesday from a trip of more than two weeks, to Winter Haven, Fla., where they visited for some time with Mrs Ed Wood (Alta) and daughter. A week was enjoyed at Lakeland, travelling to points from there. They also enjoyed touring other parts of the state. It was 75 to 80 degrees—a very summery temperature!

Mr and Mrs Keith Baker and children of Detroit were Sunday evening dinner guests of their parents, Mr and Mrs Ralph Baker.

Mr and Mrs Elwyn Aldrich and family of Mt. Morris were Sunday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Chandler Gleason and Mrs S. B. Gleason.

Mr and Mrs Roger Smith and children were dinner guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs R. G. Bancroft. Mrs Bancroft will have major surgery Thursday at Clinton Memorial Hospital, St. Johns.

Thursday, Mrs Betty McIntosh and her daughter, both of Kalamazoo brought the former's parents, Mr and Mrs Harold Bugbee of Gull Lake to spend the day with Mr and Mrs Charles Robbins.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Cutler and Duane and the Richard Beachers were at the home of Mr and Mrs Harold Whitlock of Portland, Saturday for a family birthday party, honoring Mrs Whitlock's birthday.

Mr and Mrs Don Dietrich and family and Mr and Mrs Robert Parker and children spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Mark Culver and family at Davison.

Mrs Russell Waters had word her father, Charles LaBeau, Sr. of Saginaw, has been released from Saginaw General hospital and is convalescing at home following a hernia operation. His friends here will be pleased to know.

Mrs Robert Walter of Lansing was a Sunday guest of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Walter and girls.

Mrs Edmund Larkin and two sons left Tuesday for Germany to be with her husband, who has been there in the Army since August. Mrs Larkin and family have been staying with her parents, Mr and Mrs Joe Martin here since June awaiting word regarding this trip.

Saturday Mrs Joe Martin and Marlene and Mrs Edmund Larkin attended the wedding and reception of Ronda Walker and Dennis Ede at the Laingsburg Methodist Church.

Pewamo

By Mrs Irene Fox

Mr and Mrs Harold Simon entertained Saturday evening, March 26, by having a family get-together. Present were Mrs Theresa Simon of Pewamo, Mr and Mrs Roy Simon of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Dennis Fox of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Roy Pung of Fowler, Mr and Mrs Peter Simon and Mr and Mrs Louis Simon of Pewamo, Mr and Mrs Richard Thelen and Mr and Mrs Donald Cook of Lansing. Cards were in play followed by a luncheon.

Mrs Theresa Simon left Saturday, March 19 and visited Mr and Mrs Roy Pung until Wednesday when she returned home.

IT'S A BOY! Mr and Mrs Stephan Klein announce the birth of their second son, born Sunday night, March 27, at 10 p.m. at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital, weighing 6 pounds and 6 1/2 ounces. Mrs Klein is the former Mary Egan. The new arrival is the 31st grandchild of Mrs Clara Klein.

Mrs A. V. Jandernoa visited the Norman Haskins family Wednesday at Lake Odessa.

Mrs Floyd Bissell spent Monday with Mrs Emma Vance of Fowler.

Mrs Orelia Bissell called on Mr and Mrs Floyd Bissell.

IT'S A BOY! Mr and Mrs Herman Werner announce the birth of their first grandson. Born to Mr and Mrs Herbert Werner of Lansing, a son, Sunday at 4:56 p.m. at St. Lawrence Hospital. Mrs Werner is the former Patricia Byers. The new arrival weighed 6 pounds and 6 ounces.

Sunday visitors of James Long were his two nieces, Mrs Helen Cusack of Belding and Mr and Mrs Chester Hodges of Hastings. James Long and Harold Cook called on John Fitzpatrick of Hubbardston Monday evening.

Mrs A. V. Jandernoa spent Thursday through Saturday visiting her sister, Mrs Alex Jandernoa of Grand Rapids.

Mr and Mrs Paul Bissell and Roy Schafer of DeWitt were Thursday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Phil Waigle.

Mrs Douglas Jolls spent Wednesday visiting Mr and Mrs Floyd Bissell.

Mrs Clara Caston was hostess for her Pedro Club Tuesday afternoon, March 29.

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MISCELLANEOUS: 3/4-hp elec. motor; electric grinder; grain auger; IH wheel weights; fence charger; farm scales; used and rustic lumber; wood wagon bottoms; farm jewelry (at 12 noon); 12-A John Deere combine for parts, etc.; approximately 300 bales of alfalfa hay; approximately 300 bales of straw.

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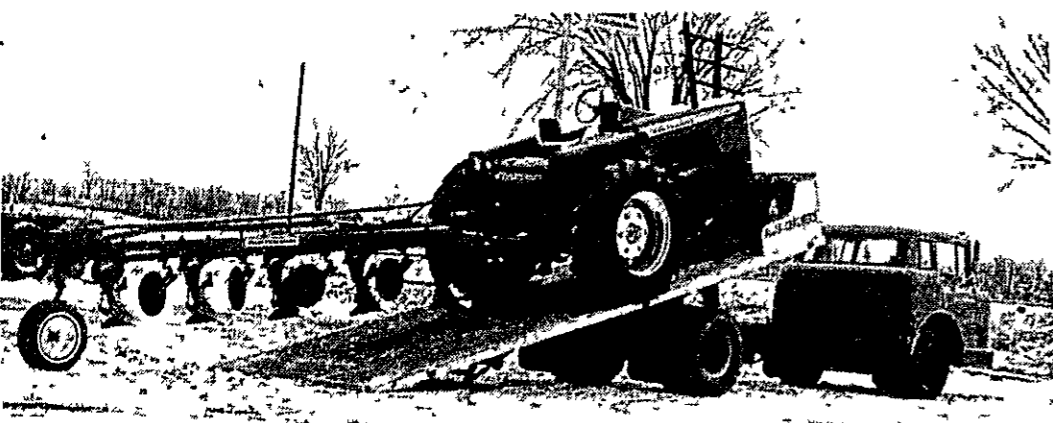
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Federal government moving in on safety

Can you imagine a national driver license, federal license plates, vehicle inspections controlled by the federal government, a nationwide speed limit, federal controls over Michigan's entire safety program?

The idea is not too far-fetched and may not be too far into the future either according to Secretary of State James M. Hare.

The secretary of state, who doubles as chairman of the Michigan State Safety Commission, said some "safety experts predict the federal government will 'move in' on the states within a two-year period."

HE ADVOCATES that Michigan get its safety program into "high

gear just as quickly as it's humanly expedient." Hare would like to see Michigan initiate some of the following programs:

- A meaningful periodic motor vehicle inspection law based on strong standards and a combination of state-owned and state-licensed stations.

- State control over driver license examining to bring about more uniform and rigid standards of examination throughout the state.

- A STUDY WITH an eye toward "beefing up" the state driver education program.

- Hare said he would also like a complete evaluation of Mich-

igan's total safety posture including the state's point system.

A new bill passed by Congress requires states to meet certain federal safety regulations and standards by Jan. 1, 1968, Hare said. These standards are to be set by the secretary of commerce and will be written by the US Bureau of Public Roads in cooperation with safety, highway and vehicle administrators.

"THESE STANDARDS will project the federal government into the licensing and driver improvement programs as well as into such other safety programs as vehicle inspection and highway construction," Hare said. "Michigan can ill-afford to lose any time in getting a safety program into effect."

"Perhaps a federal safety program is the inevitable answer," said Hare. "When you consider the complexity and enormity of the problems in traffic safety, it leads me to wonder if any other branch of government, aside from the federal level, can really do the job effectively."

Keep Paint in Cans In a Cool Place

If you are a do-it-yourself painter, always keep paint in tightly covered cans, and in a cool place, the American Insurance Association said today.

And, when painting, always keep windows open in the room where you are working to prevent an accumulation of what might be flammable fumes.

Fresh air from the outside circulating in the room, also will protect you from the toxic hazard of paint fumes.

And, to further minimize the hazard of fire, keep windows open until the paint has dried.

COMMON SENSE IN BEACH PLAY

The osteopathic physicians and surgeons treat hundreds of Michigan youngsters each year for injuries resulting from accidents at the beach. Statistics show that 240 people were killed in water accidents during 1964. It is the responsibility of parents to make certain their children enjoy, not harm themselves while participating in water and beach play. Outlined below are important guidelines for protecting your child at the beach or cottage.

- Keep small children under surveillance at all times.
- Don't allow youngsters to go into the water without adult supervision—and then be sure they stay in shallow water.

BOWLING

News from Around St. Johns Area Bowling Leagues

BLATZ INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE (Ovid) — J. Jorae had a 228 high game last week, while Bill Butler and R. Ebert tied for series honors with scores of 570. Custer's had the high team scores of 936 and 2722 and now trail league-leading Bashore's by four games. Other 200 games reported included Bill Butler 201, R. Pakel 202, K. Dakers 222, R. Ebert 204 and P. Martis 220.

NIGHT HAWK LEAGUE — Beck's Farm Market, rolling along with a 12-game lead over second-place American Legion Club, fired a 927 high game and a 2572 high series last Tuesday. Ron Motz had a 218 high game and Chris Valkanoff had a high series of 598 that included games of 208 and 204. Other 200 games were by Sonny Cornwell 214, Bruce Amos 210, Joe Greer 201 and Dale Anderson 200.

FRIDAY MIXED LEAGUE — KP's rolled an 802 high game and 2069 high series Friday night and hold second place a game ahead of Guy's Sunoco but still 3 1/2 games out of first place. Diane Reese had the high individual game of 194, while Gert Kolehmainen had a 492 series for the women. Bill Kolehmainen's 233 game and 591 series were high for the men. Other 200 games were by Richard Zapol 213, Ernie Pardee 209, Guy Snyder 204, Rolfe Dunkel 206 and Jack Anderson 200.

TEN PIN KEGLERS — Parr's, lodged in sixth place, rolled an 800 high game and 2293 high series last Wednesday. Shirley Bailey's 200 game and Gert Kolehmainen's 514 series were high individual scores. Huntoon's leads St. Johns Tool and Die by two games in the race for first place. Split conversions were recorded by Louise Fernholz 3-10 and 4-5-7, Connie Cronkhitze 2-7, Doris King 3-10, Jan Herbst 5-10, Dee Cartwright 3-7, Dody Linman 5-6-7, Iva Kees 3-10 and Martha French 5-10.

TEA TIME LEAGUE — The Five Panthers have a 5 1/2-game lead on Bee's Chevrolet and Olds after last Tuesday's bowling. Elsie Bancroft had a 188 high game and Betty Mueller, a substitute bowler, rolled a 510

high series. The Five Panthers had high team game of 768 and Central National Bank had a 2259 series. Doris King picked off the 6-10 split, Judy Payne got the 3-10 and 5-6-10, Barb Robinson the 3-10 and 5-7, Elaine Kraemer 5-7 and 2-7, Donna Shane 4-10, Alma Bashore 5-10, Connie Cronkhitze 9-10 and Betty Penix 3-6-10-7-8.

NITE OWLS — Dog'n Suds and Jim's Insurance took over the lead last Thursday, while H & H Lounge is only a game back. Advance Castings, which led by a game and a half the week previous, dropped to third place 2 1/2 games out of first. Jim's had the high team series of 2516, while Dog'n Suds had a 922 game. Beulah Neller uncorked a 222 game, while Doris Hicks had a 212 game and the high series of 519. Jean Simpson converted a 5-8-10 split.

FIRST NIGHTERS — The Independents lead Clark's and Woodbury's by one game after Monday's bowling. Quality Discount, lodged down in 11th place, exploded and recorded the high score of 782 for game and 2142 for series. The Thelma Elch's 201 game and Joan Pardee's 507 series were high individual scores. Split conversions: Cynthia Tiedt 5-10, Marbeth Hynes 5-7, Margaret Hurst 6-7, Hilda Smith 5-7, Connie Kinney 5-7, Hilda Peck 4-5-7, and Ceclie Ritz 4-5-7, 5-8-10 and 5-6.

COFFEE CUP LEAGUE — The fourth-place Ridgerunners had a 593 high game and 1704 series last Thursday. The Hillbilly 4 continue to lead the league by five games over the Bowlettes and Cookies Cuties. Esther Pratt had a 189 high game last Thursday, and Lela Clark turned in a 467 high series. Split conversions were reported by Dorothy Ritz 4-7-9, Clara Colley 2-7 and 3-10, Joyce Woodhams 3-6-7, Betty Mueller 2-10, Marilyn McQueen 5-7 and 2-7, Helga Warr 3-6-8-10, Mary Snyder 3-7-10 and Shirley Bebon 4-6-10.

CAPITOL — The Nehl Beverage team rolls along 11 games ahead of the rest of the pack, displaying high scores of 669 game and 2551 series after Monday's bowling. Jerry Snitgen had a 224 high game and Harold Pease rolled a 556 high series. Ernie Lance had a 211 game and Roger Heathman whipped up a 204 game.

SHORT CIRCUIT LEAGUE — The M-P's, with an eight-game lead over the Misfits, rolled a 685 high game and 1871 high series Sunday. Grace Masarik had a 174 high game and Judy Payne a 478 series for the women. Terry Masarik's 201 game and 518 series topped the men's scores.

CITY CLASSIC LEAGUE — Lake's Jewelry has a two-game lead over Jim's Insurance as of last Thursday. Lake's fired a 1031 high game and 2891 high series last week. Joe Spousta turned in a 234 high game and 609 series. Other 200 games were by Bob Prowant 205, John Paradise 204, Bud Michels 203, Stu Salters 209, F. D. Warren 202 and 222, Keith Penix 222, Dick Urban 202, Carl Nobis 231, Bob Boettger 202, Charlie Watson 223, Dick Bensingler 201, Charlie Edwards 216, John Kurnez 222, Jim Nuser 202, Steve Michalek 206 and 209, Al Dutcher 200, Ray Johnson 205, Paul Bishop 211, Orth Tatroe 228, Keith Shafley 210, Jim Fedewa 201, Mike Hatta 205, Charlie Bensingler 209 and 202 and Roger Heathman 219.

TWIN CITY LEAGUE — Bee's Chevrolet and Olds, in eighth place, turned in a first-place scoring performance last Wednesday with a 915 high game and 2579 high series. Mobil Gas is the first-place holder with a 70-42 record, two games ahead of Zeeb Fertilizers. Joe Barrett had a 237 high game and Paul Pung turned in a 544 series. Phil Grubaugh had a 230 game, K. Penix 216, Bill Thelen 202 and Paul Pung 227.

KINGS AND QUEENS LEAGUE — Redwing Lanes, in first place by two games over the Night Hawks, rolled a 775 game and 1989 series, high in the league last week. Iola Adair with a 210 game and Kay Penix with a 531 series were high for the women. Larry Salters' 218 game and Don Adair's 575 series topped the men bowlers. Other 200 games were by Al Hayes 200, Rudy Masarik III 205, Orth Tatroe 216, Don Adair 202 and 213, Don Walker 213 and Keith Penix 201.

RAINBOW MAPLE MIXED LEAGUE — The Chubs had a

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MYF had box social Friday

The Bannister MYF has been busy this past week. At their regular meeting, Wednesday, plans were completed for the box social which was held Friday evening. Ray Canfield and Mrs Mildred Bradley acted as judges to pick the three best decorated boxes. Mrs Wayne Walters received a prize for her lunch box which looked like an airplane. Mrs Ray Peck decorated her lunch to be Humpty Dumpty sitting on a wall and Maureen Peck's was a white chicken and she received a prize. Ray Canfield acted as the auctioneer. All proceeds were given to Sharon Stewart for her European trip.

Sunday afternoon representatives of the Youth Group attended the sub-district rally at Ithaca, Rev Donald Strobe of Grand Rapids was the speaker. Following the rally, the group attended the Lenten Services at Ovid.

Nine couples from this area attended the showing of "The Sound of Music" in Lansing Saturday evening and then returned for a time of fellowship at the home of Mr and Mrs Ray Canfield.

Newlyweds, Mr and Mrs Ken Fisher, formerly Pat Reaveley of Ontario, Canada, were guests of honor at a gathering at the

599 high game and 1724 high series last week, and after Sunday's bowling the Starfish lead the Bullheads and Smelt by three games. N. Pardee's 210 game and T. Spear's 493 series were high for the men, while J. Schulthes had a 175 game and 481 series for the women.

INDUSTRIAL MIXED LEAGUE — The Cousins and Mixers are tied for the league lead after last Friday's bowling. The 10th-place Alley Oophs had a 745 high game and 2021 high series. Jack Irish's 227 game and Gene Dunkel's 606 series topped the men's scores, while Sally Martin had a 198 game and Connie Cronkhitze a 520 series for the women. Other 200 games: Rudy Masarik 223, Ed Kaminski 204 and 218, Gene Dunkel 210 and 203, Dale Hardman, 220 and 200, and John Petro 200 and 200.

Frigid Uses For A Special Steel

One of the most successful market growths among new steel mill products in the United States is currently being enjoyed by a special 9 per cent nickel steel for super-cold applications. Although it was introduced for cryogenic applications only five years ago, when less than a million pounds were produced, this year's production is expected to exceed 15 million pounds.

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One of the most dramatic uses for 9 per cent nickel steel has been in equipment to transport natural gas to Europe. A special ship, the Jules Verne, has been launched to haul annually more than 15 billion cubic feet of liquid methane between Algeria and France. The natural gas is liquefied and reduced in volume by 630 times through cooling to -265°F and is pumped aboard the tanker in Algeria. The Jules Verne holds a total of 816,000 cubic feet of liquefied natural gas in its seven insulated tanks made from 2,000,000 pounds of 9 per cent nickel steel.

ed plans last week to begin the drive to finance a new library. Workers from the Bannister area are Mrs Joe Vostriksansky, Mrs Albert Ensign, Mrs Walter Miller, Mrs Joe Korienek III, Mrs Raymond Stewart and Mrs Robert Valentine. They will be contacting people in Elba township from March 28 through April 2.

Although current research seems to indicate that colds are harder to spread than once thought, stay away from children with fresh colds. The American Medical Assn. reports that fresh colds appear to be more contagious than older ones and that children's colds are more contagious than those of adults.

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St. Johns bows out early, Alma wins state cage title

Alma's class C recreation basketball team, the Varsity Shop, drubbed defending state champion Howell 81-60 Saturday evening to win the Michigan Recreation and Parks Assn. Men's State Basketball Class C Tournament at St. Johns.

St. Johns' own entry, Clinton Tractors, lost a thriller to South Haven last Thursday night, 59-58, and didn't see any action after the first round.

Alma beat South Haven 97-65 Saturday afternoon in the semifinals after winning their opening round game Friday evening against Hastings, 86-72.

DEFENDING CHAMPS Howell won their first-round game by eliminating Albion 68-66, and Coldwater edged Marshall 74-71. Howell then beat Coldwater 71-69.

Pete Lear was the big scoring gun for Alma in all three of their victories. He scored 20 in the opener against Hastings, 31 against South Haven in the semifinals, and 26 points against Howell in the finals.

Some 150 enthusiastic fans saw St. Johns eliminated from the tournament last Thursday. The Tractors jumped off to a 13-6 first-quarter lead against South Haven and even extended the margin to 32-24 at halftime as Dick Kutas and Clark Berkhausen scored 21 points between them.

WITH SOUTH HAVEN'S Tony

Kraft getting hot from the floor and 6-5 Jesse Greer controlling both boards, South Haven began closing up the span between the two teams. St. Johns' lead was cut to 46-41 at the end of three quarters.

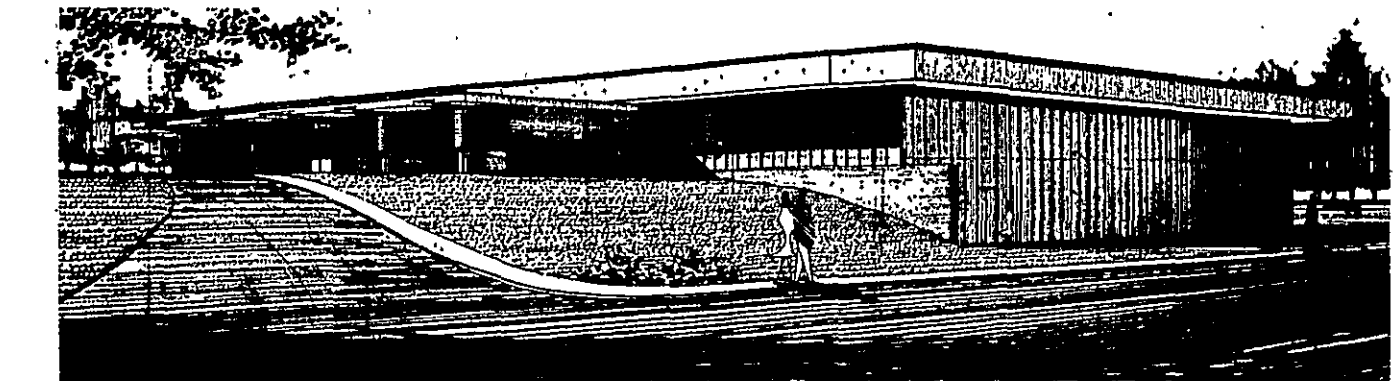
The Tractors, playing with only six men available because of flu, ran out of gas in the final minutes. The score was tied five times and changed hands three times in the hectic fourth period. With 26 seconds left, three costly turnovers of the ball by Clinton Tractors and four free throws by South Haven's Greer gave the visitors just enough for the victory.

DICK KUTAS led the St. Johns scoring with 19 points, while Berkhausen had 17. Frank Rosen-gren played an outstanding floor game for the Tractors, and John Werbish and Dale Knight turned in some good board work despite the taller South Haven team.

Taft led South Haven with 21 points, and Greer had 18 and Burton 10 for the winners.

The game was delayed a half-hour because of snow and poor road conditions which slowed the South Haven team on their 135-mile trip to St. Johns.

The eight-team field in the tournament at St. Johns represented cities with populations under 14,999.



Proposed Indoor Rink at Lansing Would Serve St. Johns Area; Too

CLINTON COUNTY NEWS SPORTS 9th singles classic set to open

The ninth annual St. Johns Men's Singles Classic bowling tournament will get under way this weekend, with bowlers from Lansing, Carson City, Grand Ledge, Saginaw, and St. Charles aligned for the first cracks at the alleys.

About 700 bowlers are anticipated to be registered by Friday and will be shooting for about \$500 first-place money and a trophy. The tournament is being run at the Redwing Bowling Lanes in St. Johns. It will run through May 20.

BOWLERS will roll four games across eight alleys, using their best three games for tournament scoring purposes. One out of every five entrants will get money back in the tournament; last year 152 top bowlers received prize money.

A group of bowlers from Jackson Steel in Lansing will open the tournament, bowling at 8 p.m. Saturday. Thirty-six bowlers from Carson City, Grand Ledge and Lansing will roll at 8 p.m. On Sunday 36-man squads from Saginaw, St. Charles and Olds in Lansing will bowl at 12, 2 and 4 p.m. respectively.

Michael 'Hatta' of 500 Baker Street, St. Johns, is tournament secretary.

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New Lansing indoor ice rink to serve Clinton skaters, too

St. Johns area boys will be invited to form hockey teams if a proposed new ice rink is built southeast of Lansing.

Members of the Greater Lansing Amateur Hockey Assn. announced last week the formation of a corporation called "Ice Land of Greater Lansing" to build an indoor ice skating facility to meet the growing needs of all types of organized and recreational skating in Central Michigan.

The new rink would be primarily for GLAHA teams but would also be available for family skating and group skating. It would be designed to relieve skating pressure on the Michigan State University ice arena, which GLAHA teams use now, as well as to provide additional skating opportunity for those not able to secure ice time at present.

ICE LAND presently has 15 acres of land under option on Okemos Road a short distance north of I-96. It was felt location close to the Interstate highway would be the most convenient spot possible for both Lansing and non-Lansing people.

Initial construction of the Ice Land arena is expected to cost \$375,000, according to officers of the corporation. Future plans could include the addition of more ice, a swimming pool, tennis courts and other facilities to create one of the outstanding recreational complexes in the nation.

OFFICERS of the new Ice Land of Greater Lansing outlined their proposals at a press conference in Lansing last Tuesday evening. They said the new facility would make ice hockey available to youngsters outside the immediate Lansing area, and they urged the formation of local ice hockey teams for competition in a hockey league.

One of the GLAHA teams has included a St. Johns youth, Robert McLuckie.

Other residents and groups would be invited to use the proposed rink.

John R. Barnes, president of the new corporation, emphasized the need for additional ice facilities in the Lansing area. Approximately 150 boys comprising nine hockey teams participated in our program last year, but almost an equal number were turned away because of the lack of ice time.

Hockey teams competing under the auspices of the Greater Lansing Amateur Hockey Assn. (GLAHA) have been renting facilities on the Michigan State Uni-

versity campus. Teams have been limited to about one hour of actual ice time per week and that actually represented "game time" for participants. "This means we are putting teams on the ice that had not had an opportunity to practice together," Barnes said.

THE MICHIGAN State Ice Arena is in use from as early as 6 in the morning to as late as midnight seven days a week, according to campus officials. University hockey and figure skating groups have had to squeeze skating time to make extra time for others. Family skating, figure skating, and public hours have taken additional hours.

Ken Patenge, a vice president with the new corporation, said, "Ice skating is just beginning to come into major popularity with people of all ages. Family skating hours are finding a high percentage of people in the retirement age group that are turning to ice skating as a safe, enjoyable way to get exercise without over exertion."

POPULATION growth and additional time for recreation are also considered major influences that will increase the demand for ice arenas in the years ahead. With 38 per cent of the American population under the age of 19, hockey and figure skating can be expected to grow in popularity at an even faster rate.

Officers of the new corporation hope to start construction of the

Baseball league calls 1st meeting

The Tri-County Baseball League will hold its first meeting of the year April 8 at the Moose Lodge in Ionia, beginning at 8 p.m.

The league is affiliated with the National Baseball Congress and for the past several years has had a team representing the league in the state National Baseball Congress Tournament in Grand Rapids.

Last year the league was composed of teams from Belding, Lakeview, Carson City, Pewamo, Parnell, Sheridan and Sidney. Lowell is currently planning on entering the league this year.

Any team desiring to join the league is asked to have a representative at the April 8 meeting or contact Eric Halvorsen, league president, at Sheridan.

proposed indoor rink by May 1, with a Sept. 1 opening anticipated.

Directors of Ice Land of Greater Lansing include Eldon VanSpy-brook, principal at Dewitt High School; and Russell V. Allman Jr., manager of the Saylor Beal Manufacturing Co. in St. Johns.



INVOLVING ST. JOHNS TEAMS

MICHIGAN RECREATION AND PARKS ASSN. MEN'S STATE BASKETBALL CLASS C TOURNAMENT

South Haven 59, ST. JOHNS 58
Alma 86, Hastings 72
Howell 68, Albion 66
Coldwater 74, Marshall 71
Howell 71, Coldwater 69
Alma 97, South Haven 65
Alma 81, Howell 60 (championship)

MICHIGAN RECREATION AND PARKS ASSN. WOMEN'S STATE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

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Swimmers shine, win 13 trophies, 11 ribbons at meet

St. Johns swimmers put on an impressive demonstration of their skills and speed Sunday and brought home 13 trophies and 11 ribbons from the third annual Tri-County All-Age Swimming Meet for Boys and Girls at Waverly High School.

Alma Huntly, 4th, girls 15 and over 50-yard backstroke. Bill Bartholomew, 3rd, boys 15 and over 50-yard breast stroke. Val Bartholomew, 3rd, girls 15 and over 50-yard breast stroke.

OTHER FROM St. Johns participating in the meet were Bill Daman, Brad Huntly, Walter Daman, Dwight Smith and Shirley Daman.

Coach Cramer said the swimming time in almost all the events were down considerably from earlier times, and he said the team is looking forward to the dual meets against Owosso April 9 and 16 with new enthusiasm and confidence.

"The performance of the St. Johns swimmers Sunday was tremendous," according to Larry Cramer, coach of the St. Johns Swim Club to which all the swimmers belong. "As coach, I cannot say enough for the effort these people put forth."

ONE ST. JOHNS swimmer, Cathy Stoddard, set a pool and meet record easily in the 25-yard free style for girls 11 and 12, only to see her mark beaten in a later heat by the state champion. Jean Muckle also lost her 50-yard freestyle race by only a few tenths of a second to the state champion.

"Even in these events I feel we gained victories," Cramer said. "A year ago our swimmers would have been overwhelmed by such competition. I only mention these two cases as examples that the whole team did an outstanding job."

ST. JOHNS HAD no first-place finishers in the meet, but there were lots of seconds, thirds, fourths and fifths. Here are the trophy and ribbon winners:

Bill Muckle, 2nd in boys 9-10 25-yard free style and 2nd in 50-yard freestyle. Robert Wabeke, 7th in boys 11-12 25-yard freestyle. Lynn Wager, 6th, boys 11-12 25-yard freestyle. Cathy Stoddard, 2nd, girls 11-12 25-yard free style and 2nd 50-yard free style.

Charles Rehmann, 3rd, boys 11-12 50-yard backstroke. Craig Bartholomew, 2nd, boys 13-14 100 - yard freestyle. Chris Glazier, 4th, girls 50-yard freestyle. Chuck Muckle, 4th, boys 15 and over 50-yard freestyle.

DAVID DEHL, 5th, boys 15 and over 50-yard freestyle. Jane Morris, 5th, girls 15 and over 50-yard freestyle, and 5th, 50-yard backstroke. Jean Muckle, 2nd, girls 15 and over 50-yard freestyle, and 2nd, 50 - yard breast stroke. Cathy Nuser, 4th, girls 15 and over 50-yard freestyle.

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1963 CHEVROLET, 2-door hardtop, 8-cylinder, 327 cu. in. motor, floor shift. Owner gone to service. Phone 827-6031, Carl Krumm. 48-2p
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NEW HOUSE in Bannister, 3-bedroom, completely modern, 2 1/2 car garage, hardwood floor ranch. Good for retired farmer or merchant. For particulars call Charles Walton 489-1207 or Furman-Day Realty Co. 862-5777. 3-ft
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WANTED—Woman to help with cleaning one day a week. Call 224-4247 after 4:30. 49-2p
MAN WANTED to work with farm fitting machine. Steady work, good wages. Call 224-4045. 49-2p
ARE YOU interested in a hospital career? Let us train you as a cook, salad maker or a dietary aide. Add your bit to the care of others. Contact: Personnel Office, Lansing General Hospital, 2800 Devonshire Avenue, Lansing, Michigan. 49-6p
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Refilling and collecting money from new type high quality coin operated dispensers in this area. No selling. To qualify you must have car, references, \$600 to \$1900 cash. Seven to twelve hours weekly can net excellent monthly income. More full time. For personal interview write PO Box 4185, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15202. Include phone number. 49-1p

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★ LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between St. Johns and Roy Fowler farm, one 300-lb. black calf, reward: H. B. Farley, Fowler, Mich. 49-1

★ IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our dear husband and dad, Oren McCann, who passed away 2 years ago March 31, 1964. We miss you very much, will never forget you.—Wife, son, grandchildren and family. 49-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

A special thanks to all who in any way helped with the wonderful care given our daughter, Julie Marie, during her seven week's stay in the nursery at the Clinton Memorial hospital.—Mr and Mrs Gerald Jones. 49-1p
I would like to thank my neighbors, friends and family for all the cards, flowers and all the things that were sent in during my stay at the hospital and since my return home.—Mrs Simon Smith. 49-1p
I would like to extend my appreciation and thanks to Drs Russell and Grost, the nurses' aides, orderlies, to all my friends and to the wonderful kitchen help during my stay in the hospital. It was a pleasant one.—Slim Weaver. 49-1p
I wish to express my sincere thanks to Drs Jordan, Binkert and McLain and the staff at Carson City hospital for their wonderful care, to Mrs Schmitt and Kelley for their visits to my relatives and friends for remembering me during my stay at the hospital and since my return home.—Helen Fox. 49-1p
I would like to take this opportunity to extend my sincere thanks to Drs Russell, Grost and Bennett, to the nurses and nurses' aides of Clinton Memorial hospital for the fine care, also many thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors for all the cards, gifts and visits during my stay in the hospital and since returning home.—A very Squitters. 49-1p
I would like to express my thanks for the care I received from the nurses and aides at Clinton Memorial hospital. To Drs Stephenson, Russell and Grost for their care. To Rev Bovee for his visits and to all of those who sent cards, flowers, gifts and woe so thoughtful. Thanks for all the food brought to me and after my return. A special thanks to Linda and Ron.—Mrs Arthur Bond. 49-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

My sincere thanks to everyone who sent me gifts and cards while I was at Beaumont hospital and convalescing in Royal Oak to make my stay so pleasant.—Mrs Herman Wahl, Pawemo. 49-1p

I wish to thank Drs Hiscal and Adams and the 4th floor nursing staff at St. Lawrence hospital for their care. My thanks to relatives, friends, neighbors, Farm Bureau services, DeWitt grange, Revs Bretz and Klein for visits, cards and gifts during my stay at the hospital and since returning home.—Glenn Locher. 49-1p

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the entire staff of the Clinton Memorial hospital, especially Dr Stephenson, Rev Bovee, Osgood Funeral Home, all our relatives, friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father-in-law, the family of Harry E. Ridenour. 49-1p

We wish to extend our appreciation for the many prayers and the beautiful floral offerings and acts of kindness and sympathy to our friends, relatives and neighbors during the last months and our recent bereavement. Our special thanks to Rev Stickle, Jennings-Lyons Chapel, the ladies who served the dinner and the ones who so generously gave blood for Max.—The Max Schaffer family. 49-1p

★ LEGAL NOTICES

Beaumont—June 15 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton, Estate of NELLIE BAUMGARTNER, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 15, 1966 at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on E. Iai Stewart, Executor, 1186 A Yorkleigh Road, Lansing, Michigan, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. Dated: March 29, 1966 Walker & Moore, Attorneys for Estate. Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan. 49-3
Stewart—June 15 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton, Estate of GEORGE E. STEWART, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 15, 1966 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on E. Iai Stewart, Executor, 1186 A Yorkleigh Road, Lansing, Michigan, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. Dated: March 29, 1966 Hutter and Longson, Attorneys at Law, Conway Longson 2705 E. Michigan Avenue Lansing, Michigan. 49-2

East Hubbardston

Mrs Mamie O'Connell Telephone 981-2374

IT'S A BOY! Mr and Mrs Jack McGinn of Lansing are the parents of a son, Kenneth Patrick, born in St. Lawrence Hospital.

IT'S A GIRL! A baby girl was born at Carson City Hospital to Mr and Mrs Nevells (Sharon Lehner) Sunday.

Donald Taber has been in Carson City Hospital since Saturday for a check-up.

Rev James Cusack spent Wednesday night and Thursday with his mother.

Miss Terrie Barker of St. Johns is visiting Mr and Mrs Virgil Tait and family while her parents are vacationing in Florida.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the clubhouse Friday at 8 p.m.

Mr and Mrs William Hills, Sharon and Janeen of Mason spent Sunday with relatives in Hubbardston.

The Hubbardston mail route east of town has been taken over by Forest Conley of R-1, Fowler. Jerry Burns is the mail carrier out of Fowler and south to the Westphalia line. John O'Brien is the carrier for the remainder of the Hubbardston route at present.

The family of Mrs Minerva Cusack were guests of Rev James Cusack at the Oceola Hotel in Reed City Sunday to celebrate their mother's birthday.

An Easter tea will be held at the Methodist Church Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m.

That electric customers of Consumers Power Co. had a busy year in 1965 is reflected in the company's kilowatt-hour sales figures, which show a 15 per cent increase in industrial use, a 9 per cent increase in commercial use, and a 6 per cent increase in residential use of electricity over 1964. Consumers Power has electric customers in 61 of the 68 counties of Michigan's Lower Peninsula.

Wacousta

By MRS. EDWARD KRAFT—627-2039

There will be a public cafeteria supper tonight served by the WSCS at the Wacousta Community Church.

Willing Workers Circle will meet Friday at the home of Florence Jastram of St. Johns. Mrs Ted Snyder will give the devotions. Mrs Gary Clark will have charge of the program. There will be a Lenten offering and election of officers.

Wacousta Circle will meet next Thursday at the home of Mrs Howard McDonough. Mrs Ross Tibbets and Mrs Loyal Chamberlin will be co-hostesses at the 2:30 luncheon. Mrs John Morroy will give devotions followed by a Lenten offering and election of officers. Laura Cameron will talk about spring.

Wacousta Masonic Lodge No. 359 will have a public fish supper April 8, serving from 5 to 8 p.m.

The regular April meeting of the Wacousta OES No. 133 will be held April 5 at the Temple. The program is in charge of Mrs David Schroeder. Mr and Mrs Roger Walds are chairmen of refreshments. Initiation will be held April 19 at 8 p.m. and at the regular April meeting. Methodist Men will meet April 6 for a 6:30 p.m. pluck. A program is being planned.

HONOR AIR FORCE SON

Mr and Mrs Albert Crown entertained for dinner Sunday Mr and Mrs Dennis Dunkelberger of Marion, Mrs Richard Craun of Grand Ledge, Mrs Pearl Millmore of Lansing, Miss Toni West and Mr and Mrs Terry Saxton and daughters in honor of their son, Terry, who left for the Air Force in Texas Tuesday.

IT'S A BOY!

Born to Mr and Mrs Richard Butler, a 6-pound, 9-ounce son, Forrest Arthur, March 24 at a Lansing hospital.

ANNUAL MEETING SET

Watertown Township's annual meeting will be next Saturday, April 2, at 1 p.m. at the township hall on Clark Road.

Jay Fuday was taken to St. Lawrence Hospital Sunday for tests and treatment.

North Bengal

By Mrs Wm. Ernst

Meeting at the home of Mr and Mrs Ray Rowell Friday evening, the "Who-Who" Club celebrated the birthday of Mrs Rowell which was March 22. Those attending the party and playing "who-who" were Mr and Mrs Frank Rowell of rural Fowler, Mr and Mrs Donald Pung, Mr and Mrs Stanley Thelen and Mr and Mrs Edmund Falk.

Pvt. Roger Tiedt left Monday, March 21, for an Air Base in Louisiana after spending a leave with his parents and brother, Mr and Mrs Rudolph Tiedt and Philip.

Miss Peggy Sturgis and two lady friends from Detroit visited her mother, Mrs Edna Wata-maker, for a few days last week.

A week ago Sunday, Mr and Mrs Otto Thelen entertained Mr and Mrs Walter Falk of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Earl Frechen of Fowler and Mr and Mrs Edmund Falk at a card party. Late in the afternoon the hosts served a lunch.

Mr and Mrs Roy Beck of Maple Rapids were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Floyd Foerch and daughter, Sandra and John Foerch.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Foerch and daughter, Sandra visited Mr and Mrs Carl Nobis and family of Northeast Bengal Sunday afternoon.

Markets

St. Johns

MARCH 31, 1966

Corn, Shelled \$1.21
New White Wheat 1.47
Oats (36 lbs.) 1.70
Navy Beans 8.25
Soybeans 2.69

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Ovid

Mrs Aphra Pixley

The Crescent Club will meet at 7:45 p.m. Monday, April 4, at the home of Mrs Kenneth Parmenter. Mrs Jeanne Wilkins will talk on special education. Mrs Jackson Bates will furnish the music. On the refreshment committee are Mrs James Whittemore, Mrs Earl Fisher, Mrs Edith Simpson and Mrs Bruce Wiegel.

Guild of Ithaca and Mr and Mrs Lester Harrington of Mason were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Lester Harrington Sr. Bride-elect Carol McCaw was entertained at the first of a series of showers Saturday evening. Miss Bertha Parker was hostess for this shower and was assisted by Miss Sharon Thompson. Seventeen guests showered the honored guest with gifts of a miscellaneous nature. Mrs Gary Garlock registered the gifts and Miss Sharon Thompson made the ribbon bouquet. Game prizes were won by Miss Lennis Sloat, Mrs William Bradley and the bride-elect. Miss Janice Bradley won the door prize. The pink covered buffet table was centered with a cake decorated with pink roses and white wedding bells. Carol and Don Har of St. Johns are planning a May 7 wedding in the Ovid Calvary Baptist Church. Chemicals from the tree improve the wetting and flow properties of paint. It clings to a surface better and provides a smoother finish.

Westphalia

MRS JOSEPH FEDEWA, Correspondent Box 147, Westphalia—587-3662

Kindergarten registration in the Pewamo-Westphalia School District will be held Friday, April 1. Students living in the Westphalia area will be registered in the afternoon from 1 to 3:30 p.m. in the Westphalia Elementary school by Mrs Lucille Kramer and Mrs Walker. Parents are requested to bring along their child's birth certificate. Children to be eligible to enter kindergarten next fall must be five years old by Dec. 1, 1966.

The children of Mr and Mrs John A. Thelen gathered at the K of C hall Sunday evening to honor their mother on her birthday anniversary. After several members of the family enjoyed a few games of bowling, progressive set-back was played. A group gift was presented to Mrs Thelen. Lunch and birthday cake was served.

Visiting Mr and Mrs Simon Smith and family Sunday were Mrs Bertha Trierweiler, Mr and Mrs Al Trierweiler of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Ed Bengel of Portland.

Mr and Mrs Urban Rademacher of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Ronald Spitzley of Fowler and Mr and Mrs Lewis Rademacher spent Saturday evening with Mr and Mrs Harold Schneider of Portland.

Mr and Mrs Louis Weber and family of Grand Rapids spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Melvin Weber and family.

Tuesday evening Bishop Green administered the Sacrament of Confirmation to 124 children and two adults.

Little Bruce Platte was rushed to a local doctor Monday noon where he received stitches for a cut he received when he fell at his home. Bruce is the son of Mr and Mrs Gerald Platte.

Sunday afternoon Mrs Martha Fedewa, Mr and Mrs Paul Fedewa, Mr and Mrs Richard Fedewa, Mr and Mrs Donald Fedewa of Fowler, Mr and Mrs James Fedewa of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs Edwin Schneider of Lansing attended the ham dinner at St. Therese to celebrate the birthdays of Mr and Mrs Richard Fedewa.

Gerald Schmitt was able to return home Monday after undergoing emergency appendectomy Wednesday noon at Clinton Memorial hospital.

Miss Janet Halfman, daughter of Mr and Mrs Martin Halfman, was taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital Saturday for observation and was released Thursday.

IT'S A BOY! A son was born to Mr and Mrs Dennis Fandel (Marilyn Irner) March 24, at Clinton Memorial Hospital weighing 7 pounds and 7 ounces. He will answer to the name of Timothy Joseph.

March 18 a son was born to Mr and Mrs Anthony Kolp, of DeWitt, at St. Lawrence Hospital. He will be named Scott Allen.

To Mr and Mrs David Spitzley (Jo Ann Trierweiler) of Mulliken, a son, Scott Allen, was born March 19 at St. Lawrence Hospital in Lansing.

Born to Mr and Mrs Eugene Schueller (Laraine Fox) a son, Joseph Eugene, March 23 weighing in at 8 pounds and 12 ounces at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

At St. Lawrence Hospital a son was born to Mr and Mrs Gerald Trierweiler (Jeanette Wieber) March 26 weighing 7 pounds.

Mr and Mrs Celester Fedewa are announcing the birth of their grandson born to Mr and Mrs Kenneth Fedewa (Mary Jane Feldpausch) of Lowell. The little boy weighed 7 pounds and 14 ounces and was born at a Belding hospital Tuesday, March 22.

IT'S A GIRL! A daughter Lori Ann was born to Mr and Mrs Larry Kellen (Peggy Miller) March 21, weighing 7 pounds and 8 ounces at St. Lawrence Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Gale Twitchell (Clara Martin) of Wacousta are parents of a little girl, Becky Sue, born March 20 at St. Lawrence Hospital.

ATTENTION WOMEN! Thursday evening, March 31, the Christian Mothers Confraternity are showing movies on cancer at the P-W gymnasium starting at 8 p.m. It is important that all women, young or old, see these pictures.

Miss Mary Jane Thelen of Fowler spent Monday evening with Virginia Thelen.

Thursday afternoon Mrs Anthony Simon was taken to St. Lawrence Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Kenneth McDonald and family of Flint spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs Margaret Fedewa. Mr and Mrs Stanley Fedewa and family of Detroit also visited his mother Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Richard Schneider, Mr and Mrs Edwin Schneider, Mr and Mrs Gerald Platte and Mr and Mrs Joseph Fedewa spent Saturday evening playing cards at the home of Mr and Mrs Gerald Pung.

Ronald Pung and Francis Fedewa left Thursday for a two week vacation. They plan to spend time in Florida.

Mrs Mabel Cook of Pewamo visited her daughter, Mr and Mrs Robert Fedewa and family, Friday.

Mr and Mrs Aloysius Platte and Mary Katherine, Mr and Mrs Duane Platte, Mr and Mrs Gerald Platte and Mr and Mrs Celestine Simon were supper guests of Mr and Mrs Clark Becker and family Thursday evening.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED Anyone interested in helping clean the convent Wednesday, April 13, please call Mrs Leon Smith at 587-4964.

Friday evening Joey Hanses was rushed to Clinton Memorial hospital after he fell approximately 12 feet while throwing bales from a mow. Little Joey is the son of Mr and Mrs David Hanses.

There will be no school for the kindergarten children Friday, April 11.

Mr and Mrs Leo Smith visited their son, Carl, at University hospital in Ann Arbor during the past week.

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Sister Ann Terrence was able to visit her parents, Mr and Mrs Melvin Wieber and family, Sunday afternoon.

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County Line News

By Mrs Doris Fisher

The Ten Virgins as taken from the 25 chapter of Matthew was the sermon theme used by Rev Conline for morning worship at Salem EUB church. Renewal in sacrifice was the bulletin theme. The combined adult and youth choir sang. Mrs Glenn Schlarf was organist. Easter Services at Salem EUB Church will begin at 8:30 a.m. with Sunrise Services and Holy Communion. At 7:30 a.m. there will be breakfast; at 10 a.m., Sunday school and 11 a.m., morning worship.

April 24 ground breaking services for a new parsonage for Salem EUB church will be held. The County Line EUB Women's Society will hold their April meeting Thursday, April 14, at the home of Mrs Fred Nieman at 8 p.m.

Mr and Mrs Dorrence Patterson of St. Johns were Thursday evening callers of Mr and Mrs Harry Patterson. Mr and Mrs Richard Vincent of Corunna were overnight guests Saturday of Mr and Mrs James Fisher and family.

Mr and John LaLonde of Otisville and Mrs Harmen Earegood of St. Louis were dinner guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs Gilbert Baker and family following the baptism of Dell Jon.

Park Lake

Mrs Sadie Bass

Mrs William Morgan of Webster Road left Sunday by plane to be with her daughter Mr and Mrs Larry Wells (Billie) of Temple City, Calif., as Larry has gone to Phoenix, Ariz., to attend special training for a gas company. Mrs Morgan will remain there until the latter part of May.

Mrs William Chadwick, chairman of the Park Lake area for the Cancer Drive and her co-workers Mrs Norman Sage, Mrs G. Guise and Miss Darlene Dodds attended the Kick-Off Dinner of Clinton County Cancer Drive Monday at St. Johns Congregational church.

Mrs R. Pittewger of Main Street, Bath, is a patient at Lansing General Hospital. The report is she is to be under doctors care for 30 days again due to a back injury.

Mrs Opal Wildt, Mrs Maxine Wilkens, Mrs Kittle Douglas and Mrs Myrtle Hart will attend the annual "district #14" meeting of Rebekah "Lodges," March 31 at Owosso.

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ATTENTION!

The Board of Supervisor, Olive Township, pleads with you to turn down or table the proposed trailer park in Olive Township. For the people of Olive Township and the St. Johns School District.

TRI-COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

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Case Number: Z-3-66
Community: Olive Township
Identification: DeYoung Petition
Date: February 24, 1966

MEMORANDUM REPORT

SUBJECT:

Petition for a special use permit for the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 and the E 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 20. T6N, R2W, Township of Olive, for use as a mobile home park.

SITE FACTORS:

- (1) The land along Pratt Road is moderately rolling and presently in agricultural use except for the east 20 acres running along Loomis Road where the land is low and consists of alluvial soils. That portion south of Alward Lake is also questionable for this intensive type of development. Surface drainage seems adequate.
(2) Access is provided to the site by Alward and Pratt Roads, from US-27 and DeWitt Road. Both are narrow and unsurfaced. Loomis Road runs north and south along the east side of the parcel and is also unsurfaced.
(3) The area around Alward Lake is zoned commercial with all land surrounding this being zoned agricultural.
(4) Several residences are scattered along Loomis and Alward Roads with two trailers located east of Loomis. These houses are generally in poor condition. The east side of the Lake is a developed beach and picnic area at present.

ANALYSIS:

- (1) While access is provided to DeWitt Road and US-27, the roads providing this access will require much improvement to handle traffic generated by a mobile home park.
(2) A mobile home park is not in keeping with the rural nature of abutting agricultural land.
(3) An isolated area of this size and proposed intensity of development with inadequate accessibility presents problems in obtaining adequate fire protection.
(4) A park of this size will exert a fairly sizable pressure on existing school facilities and may require an expanded school in the area.
(5) Sewer and water facilities will probably not be provided in the future, thus requiring the developer to provide these services or else develop on a large lot basis which would be highly uneconomical.
(6) Mobile home parks must be considered a high density type of development which necessitates greater services, both public and private.
(7) No definite site plans have been presented to enable adequate decisions to be made regarding the general welfare and safety of the residents and the community.

RECOMMENDATION:

Table a decision on this application until site and improvement plans are submitted to enable adequate review of the proposal. In the meantime assurances should be obtained from (1) the School District as to the adequacy of school facilities to handle additional students, (2) the Township regarding arrangements for police and fire protection, (3) the Road Commission regarding road improvements, and (4) the Drain Commissioner regarding needed drainage facilities.

Table with 3 columns: Township Board, Adjoining, Property Owner. Lists names of board members and property owners.

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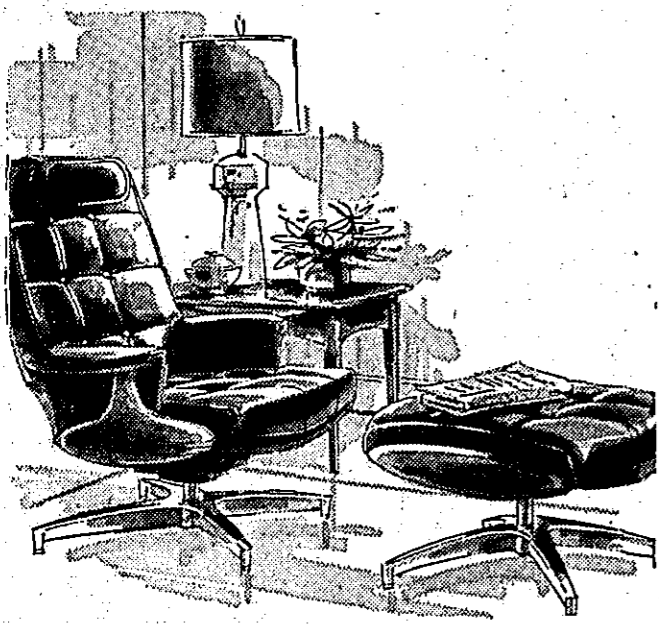
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CLINTON COUNTY ZONING NOTICE

The following recommendations made by the Clinton County Zoning Commission will be heard by the Clinton County Board of Supervisors on

TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 1966

at 2 p.m., or as soon after as time permits:

OLIVE TOWNSHIP

Application to operate and maintain a trailer coach park on the following described parcel of land:

The Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 and the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 and the Northwest 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 20.

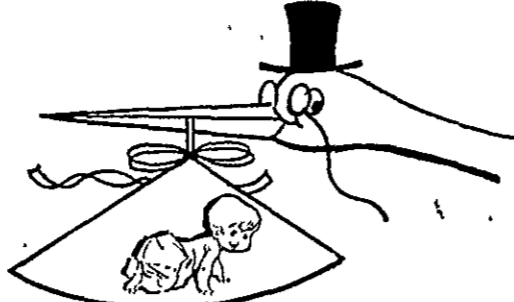
DeWITT TOWNSHIP

Application to operate and maintain a trailer coach park on the following described parcel of land:

The South 7/8 of the Southwest quarter of Section 28, except 150 feet North and South by 250 feet East and West out of the Northwest corner thereof, also excepting 480 feet North and South by 275 feet East and West out of the Southwest corner thereof, except the West 275 feet.

GERALD L. WALTER Zoning Administrator

Our declining birth rate



Clinton County is setting a rugged pace for the rest of the state in the decline in the birth rate. The county's birth rate has dropped about twice as fast over the last 11 years as the fastest of the seven surrounding counties.

It's also about twice as fast as Michigan's decline.

Since 1955, the birth rate in Clinton County has gone down from 16.6 births per thousand population to only 6.5 births per thousand in 1965. That's a decrease of roughly 66 per cent, while the population of the county has risen 23 per cent during the same period.

THESE FIGURES are based upon records of birth maintained by the county clerk and yearly population estimates of the Michigan Department of Health. The births were primarily at Clinton Memorial Hospital, but the numbers include some babies born at home or on the way to hospitals.

The study of the birth situation was prompted by a glance at the total number of births recorded in the county during 1965 and the preceding years. The number has been declining since 1956, as the following table shows:

CLINTON COUNTY	
1955	648 births
1956	651 births
1957	624 births
1958	615 births
1959	553 births
1960	471 births

1961	442 births
1962	425 births
1963	394 births
1964	357 births
1965	283 births

EVEN IF THE total population of the county were to have remained steady, the rate per thousand would still have declined. Helping the decline was the fact the population of the county has been rising.

The decrease in the birth rate has been steady all over the state, and the nation, in recent years, but not such a drastic decline as can be noted in Clinton County. The drop was extreme from 1964 to 1965 in all of the surrounding counties, especially Montcalm.

There are a number of reasons for the differences in birth rates. One is the number of hospitals. Montcalm County, with the highest birth rate of the surrounding seven counties, has five hospitals, including Carson City Osteopathic Hospital to which many Clinton County residents go. The others are at Greenville, Lakeview, Edmore and Sheridan.

INGHAM COUNTY also has five — Edward W. Sparrow, St. Lawrence, Lansing General, Ingham Medical and Mason General — and until 1958 had a sixth hospital, Rowe Memorial at Stockbridge.

Shiawassee County has three hospitals. Eaton County and Ionia County — the only surrounding counties with birth rates that are even near Clinton County's any more — each have two hospitals. In Ionia, they're at Balding and Ionia; in Eaton they're at Eaton Rapids and Charlotte.

NEIGHBORING Gratiot County has only one hospital, but its birth rate has gone down much slower than Clinton's, to the point it is now almost three times higher than Clinton's.

Another possible reason for the declining birth rate in the county is the mobility and location of the population. Most of the actual population growth in Clinton has been in the southern part of the county, more easily accessible to Lansing hospitals than to Clinton Memorial in St. Johns. And since many of the new residents in DeWitt, Bath and Watertown Townships are originally from Lansing, their "allegiance" would naturally still be to Lansing hospitals and the doctors who practice at those hospitals.

CARSON CITY likewise draws away many Clinton County

mothers whose children are born in Montcalm County. For the most part those mothers are patients of osteopaths who do not practice at Clinton Memorial.

Even though these factors have a definite effect on why the birth rate in the county is not rising, or lowering gently in keeping with the rest of the state, it is still a curious fact that the number of births in the hospital here has decreased steadily.

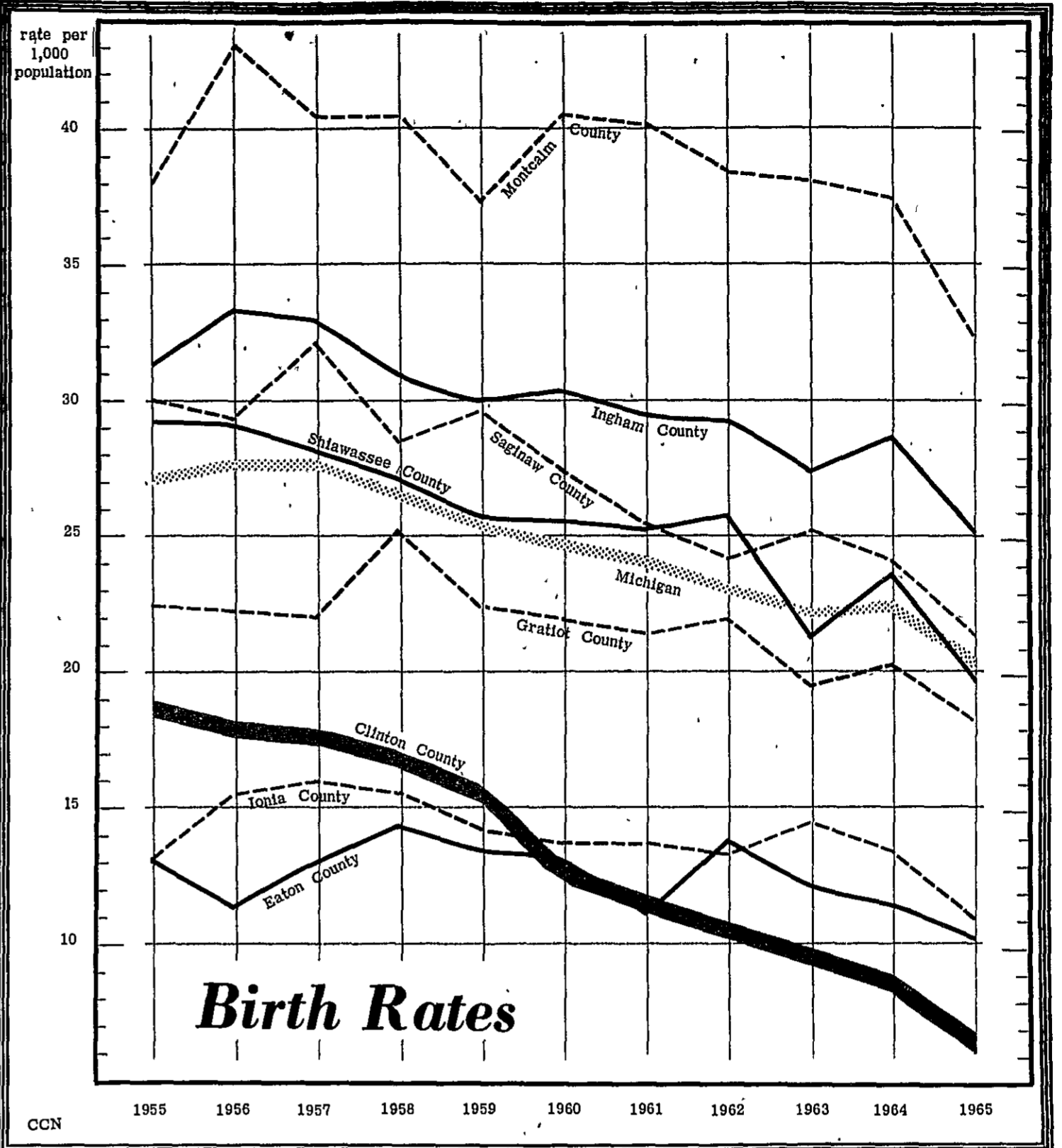
IN OTHER counties in the area, the actual number of births bounce around from year to year, remaining generally on the same plane (although all of them decreased last year).

For examples, here are just a couple of the surrounding counties:

INGHAM COUNTY	
1955	6,445 births
1956	6,963 births
1957	7,048 births
1958	6,421 births
1959	6,571 births
1960	6,471 births
1961	6,366 births
1962	6,403 births
1963	6,171 births
1964	6,552 births
1965	5,812 births

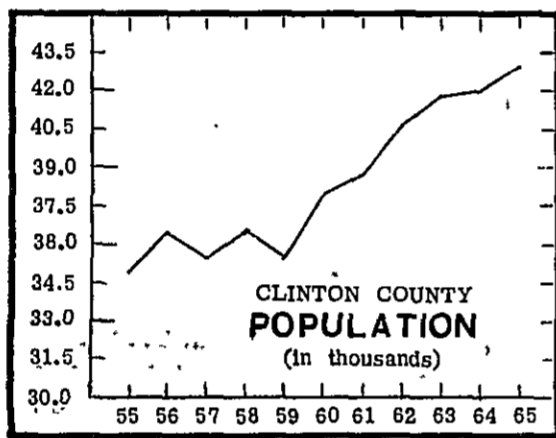
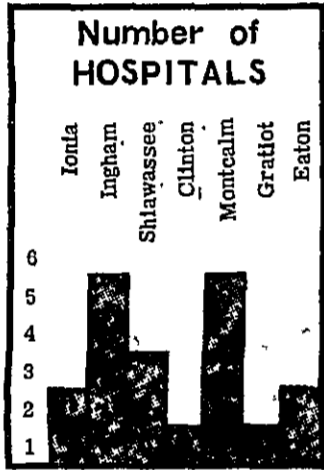
IONIA COUNTY	
1955	536 births
1956	642 births
1957	669 births
1958	677 births
1959	630 births
1960	601 births
1961	626 births
1962	597 births
1963	649 births
1964	609 births
1965	502 births

SHIawassee COUNTY	
1955	1,475 births
1956	1,522 births



Birth Rates

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Wide variety in \$5.4 million school package

St. Johns' public school setup seems to be one of necessity; you've got so many kids to educate and only so much room to do it in.

The superficial result today is crowded classrooms in all levels of education, from the one-room rural school house packed with 40 children at nine grade levels, to a crowded junior high school handling about twice as many students as the building was designed for, to a high school that lacks facilities to provide an adequate final polish before sending its students into the world.

THE CROWDED conditions were there, for the most part, even before last spring's massive annexation of the 32 rural school districts that now comprise the outer core of the St. Johns School District.

In a few cases, some of the rural schools have been closed and their children sent to nearby schools. That's made them a little more crowded.

"The annexation was necessary in order that those rural students could attend high school in St. Johns," Supt. of Schools Earl Lancaster pointed out. "But it also made possible a joint effort to improve the educational facilities for the elementary students by building modern schools with plenty of room to serve the kids from a much wider area than the original districts."

AS CALCULATED by the school board, the new elementary schools will ease the crowded conditions in the rural areas; the new high school would provide more room and facilities for its students, at the same time, freeing the present high school for the junior high. This will give the junior high more room and better facilities to operate. In turn, with the junior high vacating Central School where it is now, more room would be available there to provide the type of education the St. Johns School Board and school administrators would like to do for its younger students.

How to specifically provide the

better facilities the present inadequacies point to was a problem for the school board to decide. It came up with a building program proposal agreed upon after lengthy study by the faculty, school administration, school board and a citizens committee of 110 people.

THAT PROGRAM will be presented to the voters of the district May 8, and it will be up to the voters to decide one way or another whether to accept it. The total package for the whole program is estimated at \$5.4 million and would require an initial tax levy of 7 mills.

Included in the building program is a new high school for grades 10, 11, 12, and 26 new elementary classrooms for grades kindergarten through 6, to be built in the rural neighborhoods.

RURAL SCHOOL student enrollment figures and population

2nd, in a series

of articles examining the building program studies indicate, to the board, the rooms should be located as follows: three added to the existing four at both East Essex and Eureka; a new seven-room school in the southeast quarter of the district; and a new 13-room school in the southwest section. The three present rooms at Olive Center would continue to be used as at present; all other schools would be closed, as far as school teaching purposes was concerned.

In addition to the classrooms, the board proposes that each school would also have:

- 1) SMALL (12 x 12) WORK areas next to each classroom for projects, small group work, committee work, etc.
- 2) A library large enough to take care of 25-30 children, with adequate books, pictures, and equipment. It would have a small workroom next to it. Consideration would be given to a book-

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mobile to serve all of the district elementary libraries.

3) A community room for gym classes and supervised play on bad days and for public community meetings and school public programs (music—PTA—Christmas). It would have a stage with storage facilities. The dining area for hot lunches with in-wall benches and tables would also be available for community suppers. Kitchen facilities for a hot lunch program would be provided, and rest room facilities would be nearby.

4) OFFICE AREA for a secretary and principal.

5) A small conference room for the visiting teacher, speech correctionists, remedial reading groups and elementary counseling.

6) A small room next to the

office for sick students. It could also be used by a doctor for giving immunizations.

7) A small teachers' room so teachers can have a quiet place to go at lunch time and when special teachers (gym, art, music) are in their room.

8) A SITE LARGE enough for playground area, bus loading, parking space and a service entrance. The site should also be large enough so that it isn't surrounded by houses if expansion should be necessary at some future time.

In addition, two special education rooms will be included in the rural building program — one at East Essex and one in the south part of the district. These are not included in the bond issue, school officials point out; they will be paid for from county special education funds.

THE PROPOSED high school for grades 10, 11 and 12 would be located in St. Johns on a 60-acre site southeast of the city park football field. It would include:

Six English classrooms, five mathematics classrooms, one workroom for both departments; a speech classroom; a journalism workroom; eight social studies classrooms and a workroom for the department; two foreign language classrooms and an electronic language laboratory;

five business education classrooms five science classrooms; one special education room for mentally handicapped (financed from county special education funds); two homemaking classrooms; two arts and crafts classrooms separate instrumental music and vocal music classrooms plus practice rooms and storage space; building trades shop and metals shop with a classroom between the two; a farm and auto mechanics shop, laboratory for teaching electronics and a classroom to serve the two shops; a drafting classroom; an agriculture classroom; storage area for lumber, supplies and projects; and an outdoor storage area for farm, shop and building trades.

IN ADDITION to the classroom facilities — about 46 classrooms in all — there would be "core" areas in the building. For example: a gym seating 2,500 people; a regulation size swimming pool; adequate lockers; a library that would seat 100 students with 10,000 books and room for 14,000; a small teachers' library; a 700-seat auditorium with adequate stage, storage and dressing rooms; a combination study hall and cafeteria to serve 450 at one time; a kitchen to prepare meals for 1,600 to 2,000 students at both the high school and junior high.

There would also be offices for the high school principal, guid-

ance personnel and other such facilities. The school system administration would also have office space at the high school building, but it would be separated from the school by a wall.

IN GENERAL THE high school building provides for improved facilities for much the same activities we now have in the present high school," Supt. Lancaster said. "Facilities would be improved and additional space provided. Additional space is provided, too, for vocational education which is assuming greater importance.

"The only real additional facility provided would be the swimming pool, which will be a community, as well as a school facility."

The only major alteration needed to convert the present high school to use as a junior high for grades 7, 8 and 9 would be to change some of the present shop space to a cafeteria for serving meals and dishwashing. Food for a hot lunch program would be prepared at the high school and trucked over to the junior high.

NEXT WEEK: The Clinton County News will get out the "magnifying glass" for a closer look at the elementary school plans, with emphasis on WHY the proposed facilities and rooms are proposed.

Registration on for bond election

Voters in the St. Johns School District have until Monday, April 11, to register so they can participate in the \$5.4 million school bond issue election May 9.

Persons registering after 5 p.m. April 11 will not be eligible to vote in the special election.

Under provisions of the School Code of 1955, registrations will not be taken by school officials, and only persons who have registered as general electors with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are registered school electors.

Fewer births in Michigan

LANSING — There were 8,465 fewer registered births in Michigan during 1965 than the previous year, according to provisional statistics released by the Michigan Department of Public Health.

The figures, compiled by the Health Statistics and Evaluation Center, showed 165,483 births in

1965 as compared to 173,968 in 1964. In 1963, 177,638 births were reported.

Cumulative comparisons of the figures show decreases for every month in 1965, with January showing the lowest birth rate.

Since a high peak of 207,277 births in 1957, the state has experienced a fairly steady downward trend, according to the center. Previously, the birth rate had rapidly shot up from a low of approximately 120,000 in 1945.



Questions from reader, answers from school

I THINK the additional schools are fine, as the children are crowded now and cannot get the individual help with the conditions as they are now.

I do have some questions that I would like to have answered. (Editor's Note: The questions follow, with the answers given to us by school officials following in parentheses.)

1) WHAT IS GOING to be done with the small country schools that are in good shape and that already exist? (All the present rural schools except East Essex, Eureka and Olive Center will be abandoned. They will be sold after consultation with the former district boards of education directly involved.)

2) a. Is there any chance of night swimming for family groups? ("Certainly. Probably at least one night a week.")

b. WILL THE swimming pool be open during the summer season to accommodate more swimmers? (This would depend on the demand; if it is great enough, the pool would be open. "This is a public enterprise; we'll do what the people want if there are enough to justify it.")

c. Why couldn't the swimming pool at the park be enclosed and used, the year around, including the winter, in connection

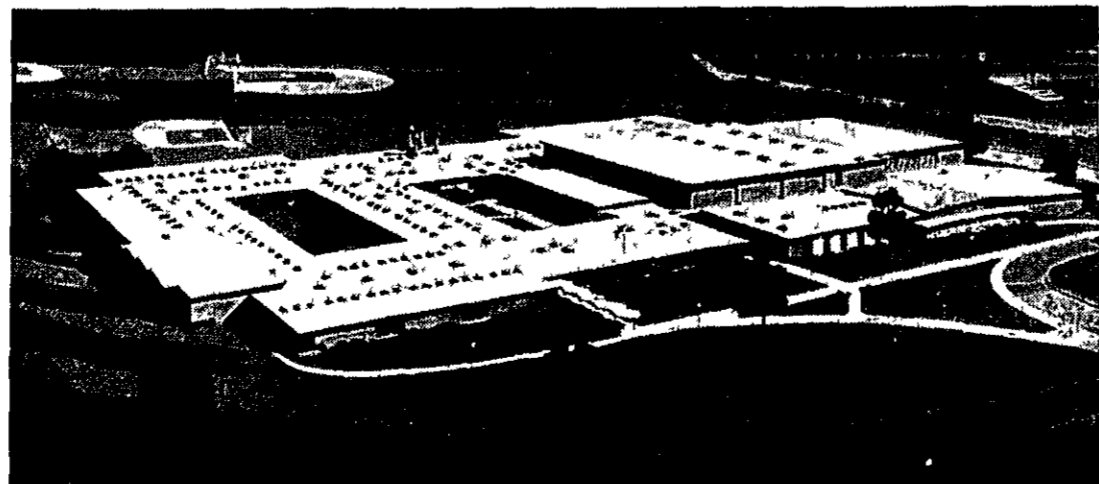
with the school program? (The park pool belongs to the city and not the schools. It would be too far away from the school to be feasible.)

3) a. WHY ARE junior and seniors now excluded from gym while freshmen and sophomores are required to have gym five days a week? (There is simply not enough room. The school requires two years of physical education, and it can be taken during any of the years, although most (not all) of them are freshmen and sophomores. A swimming pool would allow for four years of PE.)

b. The Juniors and seniors need this gym as much as anyone. Why not a part time basis through the four years, starting now? (Again a matter of room. If freshmen and sophomores took gym Monday, Wednesday and Friday, say, where would they go Tuesday and Thursday? And vice versa with the juniors and seniors. No other classes in the high school are now set up on a part time basis to absorb the students who were not in gym.)

4) a. WHAT ARE restrictions to the school gyms, as to use by public organizations? (If a non-civic group uses the gym and makes an admission charge for their event, a \$100 fee is charged; for civic groups no fee is made, regardless of admission charges. There are very few nights during the school year when the gym is

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Westphalia

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

40 pints of blood given to Red Cross

Residents of Westphalia have contributed a total of 40 pints of blood to the Clinton County Red Cross unit. There were four rejected.

Mr and Mrs Edwin Schneider, Mr and Mrs Gerald Platte and Mr and Mrs Joseph Fedewa spent Saturday evening playing cards at the home of Mr and Mrs Gerald Pung.

Ronald Pung and Francis Fedewa left Thursday for a two week vacation. They plan to spend some time in Florida.

Mrs Mabel Cook of Pewamo visited her daughter Mr and Mrs Robert Fedewa and family Friday.

Mr and Mrs Aloysius Platte and Mary Katherine, Mr and Mrs Duane Platte, Mr and Mrs Gerald Platte and Mr and Mrs Celestine Simon were supper guests of Mr and Mrs Clark Becker and family Thursday evening.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Anyone interested in helping clean the convent Wednesday, April 13, please call Mrs Leon Smith at 587-4984.

Friday evening Joy Hanses was rushed to Clinton Memorial hospital after he fell approximately 12 feet while throwing bales from a mow. Little Joey is the son of Mr and Mrs David Hanses.

Their will be no school for the kindergarten children Friday, April 1.

Mr and Mrs Leo Smith visited their son, Carl, at University hospital in Ann Arbor during the past week.

First bans of matrimony were published at St. Marys' Church for Louis Spitzley, son of Robert Spitzley of Pewamo and Ruth Ann Goodman, daughter of Mr and Mrs Leo Goodman.

Mrs Louise Schafer and daughter, Betty, Mr and Mrs Eugene Schafer, Mr and Mrs Stanley Klein and Mr and Mrs Carl May of Portland attended the ham dinner at St. Therese Sunday.

Attending the cana conference at O'Rafferty high school Sunday afternoon were Mr and Mrs Stanley Schafer, Mrs Louise Klein, Mr and Mrs Jim Nurenberg, Mr and Mrs Gerald Nurenberg, Mr and Mrs Joe Fedewa and Mr and Mrs Gerald Pung.

Fr. Matthew Fedewa of Battle Creek and Fr. Sylvester Fedewa of Lansing called on their mother, Mrs Elizabeth Fedewa during the past week.

Sunday Mrs Dorothy Platte, Mrs Adele Fink, Mrs Veronica Arens and Mrs Carl Smith of Lansing attended the ham dinner at St. Therese in Lansing.

SEVEN FROM this community attended the funeral for Edward M. Thelen Friday morning at Most Holy Trinity Church in Fowler. Thelen, who for many years farmed in the Westphalia area, passed away Tuesday in St. Johns hospital.

Saturday relatives received word of the death of Charles Boylan, 67, of Lansing who died at his home earlier that morning. Mr Boylan, who was married to the former Anna Pung, was buried from St. Casimir Church Tuesday morning.

Mr and Mrs David Platte of Mulliken spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Roman Platte.

Miss Mary Jane Thelen of Fowler, spent Monday evening with Virginia Thelen.

Thursday afternoon Mrs Anthony Simon was taken to St. Lawrence Hospital.

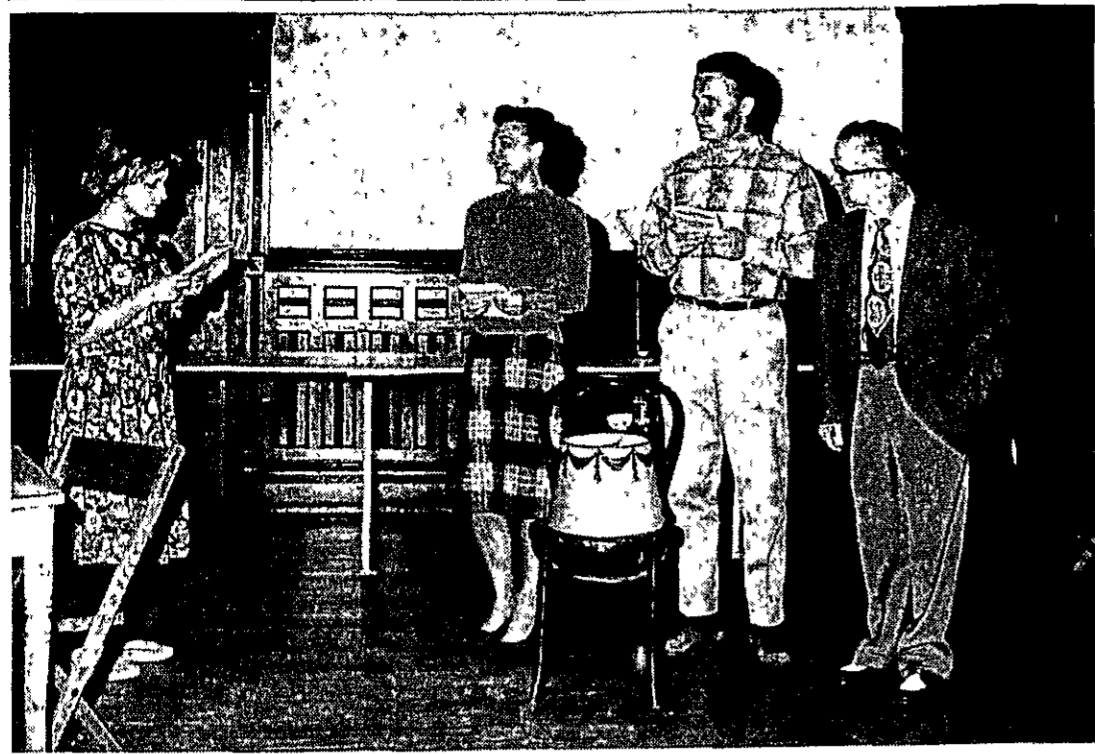
Mr and Mrs Kenneth McDonald and family of Flint spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs Margaret Fedewa. Mr and Mrs Stanley Fedewa and family of Detroit, also visited his mother Sunday.

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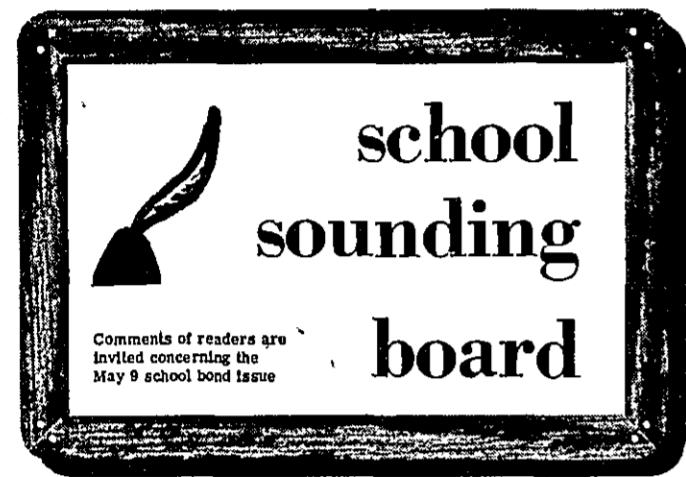
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First Nighters Rehearsals Under Way

Rehearsals are in full swing for the First Nighters' production of "Everybody Loves Opal," to be presented May 6 and 7. Rehearsing for the comedy are, left to right, Wilma "Corky" Paradise as Opal, Vicki Rowell as Gloria, Gene Livingston as Brad, and Wayne Hicks as Sol. Other local talent in the play includes John Martin as the doctor and Arthur Wainright as the law officer.



Property owners must feel pinch of new tax

IN REGARD to the proposed increase in taxes for the new school: It is a good thing to have adequate school facilities, but who is going to get stuck with the bill? As you already know, none other than the property owner again. Therefore, I am writing this letter expressing my own personal opinion about this school tax.

I believe in paying some school tax, but I sincerely believe that the school tax should be spread out to everyone who has an income, if he is a property owner or not, and the only way and fair way is to have a tuition fee charged for every non property owner. By doing this I believe there would not be so many hard feelings and so much disappointment.

A FEW WEEKS ago there was an article in the County News about taxes which was true to the last word. Let me give you an example:

Mr A owns property and makes repairs when needed, and up goes his valuation and taxes. Mr B has his place go to the dogs but might have a bigger income than Mr A, but down goes his valuation. Who gets stuck with more taxes?

The same holds true about this school tax. A family might have a larger income by far than a property owner and is sending his children to school, but he does not pay one penny for school tax due to the fact he is not a property owner. Now I ask you, in all sincerity, is this fair or not?

THERE WAS ALSO a big discussion about school taxes in Lansing, so, as we all know, St. Johns is not the only city with a school problem which can be solved. But by all means let us solve it in a FAIR and HONEST way.

May we all hear or read different suggestions?

Sincerely yours,
GEORGE SAKUP

Bath FFA may buy truck, tractor

BATH—The Bath FFA is considering purchase of a pickup truck and a tractor for use in their agriculture projects.

Part of the cost is reportedly reimbursable through the Vocational Act of 1963. The tractor would be used for corn planting in conjunction with another tractor making minimum tillage for corn possible. It is also best suited to the chapter's hay project, and the chapter also has a cultivator to fit it.

The pickup would be used for pulling loads of hay and corn, hauling seed and fertilizer and for various duties in the chapter's nursery project.

The chapter hopes the purchase of additional equipment will spur interest of the members and non-members in the FFA projects.



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Road Commission Weekly Report

The Road Commission office has been besieged by telephone calls asking when weight limits would be lifted. The rain and snow of last week contributed to the spring breakup, as several spots on local roads became impassible and more breaks appeared in blacktops.

The load limits will remain in effect for an indefinite length of time, and it is impossible to even guess when the restrictions can be lifted.

CONSTRUCTION started on the Island Road bridge this week. This long-awaited and much-postponed project is finally under way. The new bridge is to be opened to traffic by Sept. 1, and final completion is set for Oct. 1, Larry Cavanaugh our new assistant engineer, is the project engineer.

One regular annual task that is done each spring is the state highway litter cleanup. In addition to a daily crew working on roadside litter, the collection of winter litter is cleaned each spring. The amount and variety of things thrown out by passing motorists is unbelievable.

SUCCESSIVE appeals by highway forces and others, laws governing littering, and many other campaigns seem to have little effect on the traveling public. They continue to throw everything from ladies' bifocal glasses to mufflers and tailpipes onto the roadside. Bottles and beer cans are the largest offenders.

So we make one more appeal. Would it help if we said please?

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4th Elsie honor roll announced

ELSIE—Here is the honor roll for the fourth marking period at Elsie High School and Junior High School:

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11th GRADE—Donna Chapko, Joan Crell, Kay Fineout, Lela Holton, Pam Loznak, Carol Martinka, Kathy Melvin, Jackie Moore, Lynne Pilot, Mike Seybert, David Showers, Sharon Stewart, Linda Stungis, Rita Washburn, Janice Zvonek.

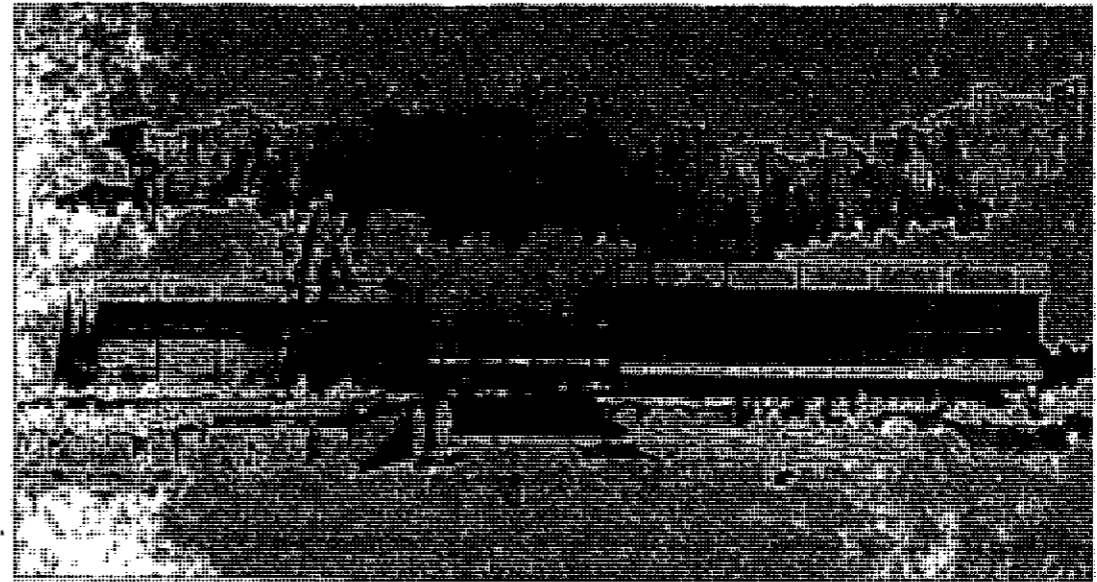
10th GRADE—Rosemary Barrett, David Bernath, Matthew Courter, Gail Criner, Dennis Darling, Steve Draper, Sharon Dunham, Thelma Dunham, Richard Easlick, David Ensign, Susan Farr, L. D. Jones, Janice Kelley, Carol Kusnier, David Latz, Calvin Moore, Tom Purves, James Richards, Linda Rodriguez, Rebecca Smith, Linda Tomasek, Joe Vostrizansky, David Williams, Donald Wilson.

9th GRADE—Dawn Baese, Dennis Barrett, Jean Brewbaker, Carol Buck, Vicki Cerny, Lucille Champlin, Kenneth Coon, Colleen Daley, Kelvin Pizzell, Mary Foran, Peter Glowney,

Bruce Harden, Louise Heinze, Beth Holton, Keith Keck, Joanne Ladiski, Kay Ladiski, Becky Latz, Carolyn Lindauer (All A's), Karla Mead, Daryl Melvin, Patricia O'Donnell, Paula Onstott, Al Sheldon, Patricia Skriba, Phyllis Stewart (all A's), Janet Strachota, Judy A. Thornton, Judy E. Thornton, Kathy Thornton, Margaret Thornton, Peter Welter, Jerry Whans.

8th GRADE—Richard Aere, Ruth Ann Baker, Sharon Ashmead, Linda Bancroft, Londa Bradish, Marsha Buck, Wayne Brady, Lon Buchele, Debra Clark, Pam Coan, Sharon Crell, Greg Finch, Debra Forrester, Bryan Green, Glenn Halteman, Gary Heath, Sharon Hines, Mary Kusnier, Kathy Kusnier, Walter Kusnier, Terry Latham, Yvonne Libertin, Carter Moore, Theresa O'Donnell, Vicky Palus, Donnelia Powelson, Rosemary Remenar, Gilbert Rios, Rachel Rodriguez, Corrine Schultz, Connie Smith, Harold Smith, Ricky Stambersky, Ann Vloek, Kathy Szilagyi.

7th GRADE—Susan Albaugh, Terry Bernath, Marie Blakely, Elaine Bloomer, Diane Bohll, Brenda Clark, Elizabeth Ensign, Elaine Chapko, Debra Fett, Cheryl Holton, Dennis Hoshield, Marlene Hoshield, Kurt Kristin, Dana Lannen, Jane Latz, Ronald Lover, Monica Nometk, Cheryl Porubsky, Tom Purnford, Keith Reha, Tom Roof, Terry Smalec, Danny Somers, Alan Thornton, Mary Temple, David Vostrizansky, Vicki Valentine, Calvin Woodard.



New Alma College Health Building

Alma College's proposed new health and physical education building is shown in this sketch by Battle Creek architect Lewis J. Sarvis. The section of the building at left includes an Olympic size swimming pool. The gymnasium area is at the right. The building will also include classrooms, handball courts, a dance studio and a multi-purpose area for activities such as wrestling, gymnastics and weight lifting.

Ovid

By MRS. APHRA FIXLEY, Correspondent

Battle Creek pastor slated at Ovid for final Lenten service

OVID - The Rev. A. B. Little, pastor of the Washington Heights Methodist Church in Battle Creek, will speak at the final Lenten Service for the 1966 series at Ovid United Church Sunday, at 7:30 p.m. His sermon topic will be "Lent, A Time of Soul Searching."

Preceding the evening service the Rev. Mr. Little will address the youth at their Youth Meeting on "The Church and Civil Rights."

A MEMBER of the Michigan Annual Conference, Rev. Mr. Little came to the Washington Heights Church in June 1961, after having served as minister of the John Wesley Methodist Church in River Rouge, for four years.

He attended Rust College in Holly Springs, Miss., and is a graduate of Waveland School of Theology in Waveland, Miss. He has served 33 years in the Upper Mississippi and the Michigan Annual conferences.

HE IS PRESENTLY district director of Christian Social Concern for the Albion-Lansing district, a member of the district cabinet, member of the Battle Creek Human Relations Commission, member of the Battle Creek Fair Housing Committee, member of the Bishop's Strategy Conference on the Church and Race, and the first member of his race to be awarded the outstanding award of Citizen of the Year, by the City of River Rouge.

Rev Copelin gave opening sermon at Ovid Sunday

Rev Earl C. Copelin has accepted a call to Ovid First Baptist Church and preached his opening sermon Sunday, March 27. Rev. Copelin, has been at the Richfield Road Baptist Church in Flint for the past 10 years.

Rev Copelin was born in Illinois in 1913. After attending school there he graduated from Moody Bible, Wheaton College and Northern Baptist Theological Seminary.

In World War II he served three and a half years in the US Naval Reserve as ship's cook.

He served a pastorate at Grassport, Ind. for three and a half years before moving to Flint ten years ago.

His wife is the former Barbara Cummings and they were married at Lansing in 1952. She is a graduate of Michigan State University and is an elementary teacher. They have four children, Martha, 12, Linda, 11, Daniel, 9, and Stephen, 7.

Mrs Lyle Yerrick and Miss Ann Sundell, an exchange student from Sweden, left last Wednesday for a trip to Los Angeles, Calif., where they will visit a cousin of Miss Sundell's, and Mr and Mrs LeRoy Yerrick.

Edward Malenik, who is stationed in Pensacola, Fla., has been spending several days here with his mother, Mrs Anna Malenik.

Rev L. Sanders and Mrs A. H. Phelps attended an all-day workshop district meeting of WCTU at Williamston last Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Clifford Saxton were weekend guests of Mr and Mrs Earl Duffey at Kingsley.



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Although a minister in the Methodist Church, his major interest is in the area of civil rights and better human relations.

The Shepardville and Price Methodist Churches, Rev John Huhtala, pastor, will have charge of the evening worship service. The youth meeting will be conducted by the Elsie MYF.

These services are open to the entire community.

Ovid band gets 6 first, 1 second

Ovid High School Senior Band members were rated high at the state solo and ensemble festival held at Midland recently. In six events they received first division ratings and one second division rating were required to take proficiency examinations with a total of 85 points required for a first division rating. Dan Kusenda received a 95, John Craig received 85 and David Bates received an 82.

The three ensembles all received first division ratings. Included in these were trombone trio, Sylvia Surik, Dean Simpson and Dane Flegel; the brass quintet, David Bates, David DePond, Dean Simpson, Dane Flegel and Barry Nethaway and the percussion septet—Chipper Seward, John Craig, Dan Goodrich, Barry Taft, Larry Patterson, Bill Csapos and David Hunt.

Accompanists for the different events were Sylvia Surik; Juva Lea Wilkins and Nancy Shlabery.

Mrs Elmore Sillaway is spending a two-week vacation in Florida.

A son was born to Mr and Mrs David Stillwell Sunday at Owosso Memorial Hospital.

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the spring season, the tables were decorated with pussywillows and daffodils.

The county president urged all members to turn in their trading stamps towards the new bus being bought for the children at the Villa. It takes over 2000 books to pay for it. So bring your stamps to the next meeting. Do not forget them as they must be turned in before County association in May.

Mrs Mead hosted Extension group

Town and Country Extension group met Wednesday, March 23. Mrs Clarence Mead was the hostess for the eight members and one guest present.

Preceding the business meeting a 1 p.m. luncheon was served by the hostess and co-hostess, Mrs Fannie Call. The roll call was answered with a "spring tonic." The lesson shoe talk was presented by Mrs Leonard Hall. The recreation was conducted by Mrs Ina Woodworth.

The meeting adjourned to meet in April at the home of Mrs Ray Jones.

OES hosted 120 from county

Tuesday evening, March 22, Morningstar Chapter No. 279, OES, entertained the chapters of Clinton county and from outside. Approximately 120 people were present from Wacousta, DeWitt, Maple Rapids, St. Johns, Ashley, Middleton, Elsie and Ovid. A special guest was Mrs Martha Maxa of Ashley, who is on the fraternal relations committee of the Grand Chapter.

The welcome was given by the worthy matron followed by the Lord's Prayer, led by the chaplain. It was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance led by the worthy patron. Guests were introduced from the various chapters, along with others connected with the different Masonic affiliations. Job's Daughters and Bethel #36 of Ovid entertained by singing their closing song, "The Old Rugged Cross." Mrs Iwin Reed, assisted by Mrs John Spencer, presented the history of dolls and showed how closely the history of the Eastern Star coincided with their history.

Mrs Reed had some new dolls, old dolls, big dolls, little dolls, musical dolls, dolls made from cornhusks and from wood and almost everything else one could imagine. Most of these dolls, Mrs Reed says, have been given to her. She also had on display some old doll furniture and doll clothes. Mrs Reed was attired in a centennial costume and among her dolls was one attired as she was. After the program was over, many of the guests came for a closer look at the many dolls on display.

Several announcements were made by the various chapters present. Before the meeting closed all enjoyed some community singing. All in all, the meeting was a complete success.

Refreshments were served by Mrs Richard Sloat and her committee. It being the beginning of

Chauncey Green has returned home from Clinton Memorial Hospital following surgery.

Mr and Mrs Charles Cloek and Mr and Mrs Richard DePond have returned home from a vacation in Florida.

Mr and Mrs Rayman Hamer attended the State Amateur Radio Convention in Saginaw last weekend. The two-day meeting was held at the Bancroft Hotel.

Mrs Myron Woodruff is convalescing at her home here following surgery at Lansing General Hospital.

Mrs Horace Mead has returned home after spending two months at Phoenix, Ariz., with her son, Kenneth and his family.

Mrs Pearl Haskins has left for Hilo, Hawaii, where she will have three months schooling in the Peace Corps before placement in India.

Edwin Goodrich, son of Mr and Mrs Oren Goodrich of rural Ovid, who was wounded in the fighting in Vietnam is now en route to the Philippines from a hospital in the States. He will be hospitalized in Pennsylvania.

Some geysers in Yellowstone National Park are connected underground. Using sodium iodide as a "tracer" at the Daisy Geyser group, hydrologists of the Geological Survey confirmed that certain geysers have a common source.

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8.00-14	25.35	12.67	8.00-14	28.10	14.05
8.50-14	20.45	10.22	8.50-14	23.20	11.60
9.00-14	23.10	11.55	9.00-14	25.90	12.95
9.50-14	25.35	12.67	9.50-14	28.10	14.05
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7.50-14	27.25	13.62	7.50-14	30.50	15.25
8.00-14	29.90	14.95	8.00-14	33.05	16.52
8.50-14	23.80	11.90	8.50-14	27.05	13.52
9.00-14	27.25	13.62	9.00-14	30.50	15.25
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Michigan travel events

The Michigan Tourist Council lists three events this weekend. The Flower and Garden Show continues through April 3 at the Michigan State Fairgrounds in Detroit; the Sports Show at Holland wraps up Saturday, as does the Home and Builders Show at Manistee. They're all within a weekend's drive of St. Johns.

13 from county attend MABC meet

Leonard Puetz, Gerald Pohl, George Hazle, and Carl Nobis of St. Johns; Lawrence Cobb, Glenn Webster and Frank Rivest of Eisle; George Baird and Ervin Martin of DeWitt; Joe Bower of Pawam; Robert Reese of Lansing; Ernest Jackson of Ovid; and James Feldpausch of Fowler were among the more than 400 delegates to attend the 22nd annual meeting of Michigan Animal Breeders Cooperative March 23 at East Lansing.

The event was held at Anthony Hall on the MSU campus. MABC is a 58,000-member non-profit organization which serves farmers throughout Michigan, northern Indiana and northern Wisconsin with artificial insemination for improvement of production and type of dairy and beef cattle.

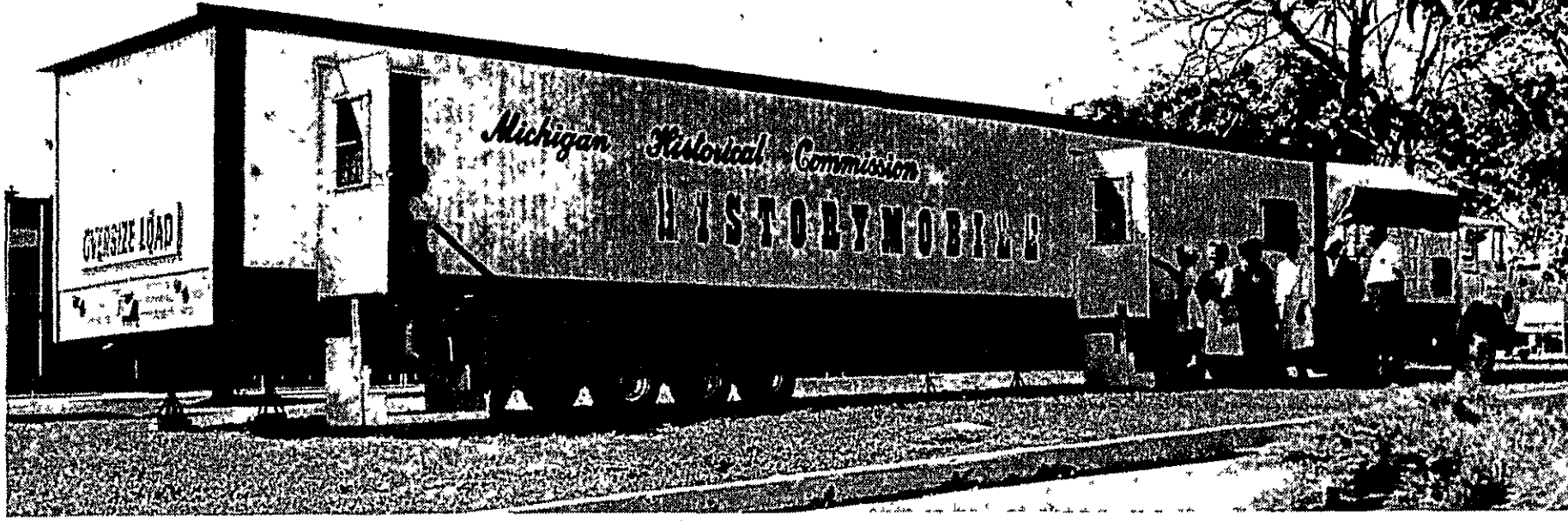
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Historical Commission's Historymobile to Make St. Johns One of First Stops This Summer

St. Johns one of first stops for Historymobile

When Michigan culture "hits the road" this year by means of the Historymobile, St. Johns will be one of the first communities to be visited.

The huge 10-foot by 54-foot museum on wheels will arrive here on April 23 and remain through the 24th.

Co-ordinating arrangements for the visit of the "portable museum" is the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce.

WHILE HERE, the historymobile will be located in front of the Clinton County Courthouse. Everyone is invited to go through the museum and enjoy historical displays, fine paintings and great books. There will be no admission charge and the museum will be open from 9 to 5 on both Saturday and Sunday.

According to Secretary of State James M. Hare, the Historymobile is valued at more than \$50,000. It was developed entirely through the cooperation of 22 Michigan businesses and industries which contributed equipment and supplies.

THE 19 COLORFUL and informative displays housed in the mobile museum were prepared in a cooperative effort by 14 Michigan museums. The topics were selected to interpret Michigan's history from prehistoric times to the present.

Solon Weeks, director of the Michigan Historical Commission Museum, has advised the St. Johns Chamber of Commerce that although several states operate similar traveling exhibits, the Michigan Historymobile is the first in the country to fea-

ture such an extensive cooperative display.

THE UNIQUENESS of the Michigan Historymobile was nationally recognized last year when the American Association for State and Local History voted the Michigan Historical Commission an award of merit for the unusual cooperative way the Historymobile was developed, he said.

Pick top DeWitt students



MICHAEL OWEN Valedictorian



JAMIE MARTEMUCCI Salutatorian

DeWITT — Michael Owen, son of Mr and Mrs James Owen of 3473 W. Clark Road, Lansing, has been named valedictorian of the DeWitt High School graduating class of 1966.

Jamie Martemucci, daughter of Mr and Mrs Dan Martemucci of 12160 Airport Road, Lansing, is salutatorian.

Owen maintained a 3.82 academic average in his four years at DeWitt High School. He is the president of the senior class and was president of the student council last year. After graduation he plans to attend Michigan State University where he will major in chemistry.

Miss Martemucci, as salutatorian, earned a 3.75 academic grade average in her four years. She also plans to attend MSU where she'll concentrate on the study of literature.

Blind danger

Chloroquine, a drug commonly used for the treatment of malaria and other diseases, can lead to blindness, reports an Ohio State University biochemist. "Despite evidence gathered here and elsewhere," he says, "use of this drug is likely to continue because of its great effectiveness against certain diseases. Therefore, it seems some way should be found to prevent chemically its serious side effects on vision."

Fowler

By MRS. ALFRED LOUNDS—Phone 582-2490

2 Wolf badges, 2 Bear badges earned by Cubs

Fowler Cub Scout Pack meeting was held Sunday, March 27, at 1 p.m. at the high school.

Wolf badges were earned by Jim and Paul Simon and Bear badges by David Halfman, Gary Finkbeiner and Jim Kramer, David and Gary also earned a gold arrow for doing 10 achievements each from their bear book.

There were 24 entrants in the Pinewood Derby. The grand winner was Steve Thurston. Winners from each den were 1, Jim Kramer; 2, Mike Fox; 3, Mike Fedewa and 4, Steve Thurston.

The Cubby award for the most parents present went to Den 1.

Mr and Mrs Charles Piggott of Lansing visited Miss Anna Ulrich Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Ernest Halfman were Saturday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Frank Pung.

Tuesday Mr and Mrs Frank Pung attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, Charles Boylan, in Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Frank Pung were Sunday dinner guests of the Isidore Fedewas of Portland.

Mr and Mrs Charles Manning of Westphalia, Misses Rosella and John Bohr of Lansing, Mr and Mrs John Schrauben of Portland and Mr and Mrs Bruce Anderson of Detroit were recent guests of Mr and Mrs Giles Wieber on the occasion of Bruce Anderson's birthday.

Daughters of Isabella are having a social party Sunday, April 3, at 8 p.m. in Holy Trinity Hall. Everyone is welcome.

Mr and Mrs Gordon Essenberg of Lansing spent Thursday with her parents, Mr and Mrs Joe Schafer.

Mrs Martin visited New Mexico

Mrs Herman Martin returned last Sunday evening from a 17-day visit to Albuquerque, N.M., where she stayed with her daughter and her family, Mr and Mrs David R. Schafer. Miss Jean Martin of Lansing drove her mother to Chicago where she boarded a jet with her son-in-law, David Schafer, who accompanied her to his home.

While there she visited the oldest church in the United States, built in 1770. She said most homes there are cream colored or pastel pink and many have flat roofs.

Her son and his wife, Mr and Mrs George Martin, met her at the airport in Chicago Sunday and brought her home.

Mr and Mrs Jack Schafer, Isidore Schafer, Mrs William Schafer and Mrs Jack Totter of Weldman called on Mr and Mrs Joe Schafer Tuesday and attended the funeral of Margaret Smith.

Mrs Myrel Daggett and Mrs Lula Boak accompanied Mrs Helen Daggett and Mrs Walter Russell to Lakeland, Fla. Mrs

Myrel Daggett and Lula Boak stayed nine weeks but the others came home at the end of the first week. While there they visited Cypress Gardens, Stephen Foster Memorial Park, Silver Springs and other points of interest. They took a five-day bus tour to the Keys, stayed in Miami four nights and also spent two days in St. Augustine, the oldest city in the United States. They returned home Saturday morning and spent the day with Mrs Boak's son and his family, Mr and Mrs Carl Boak. Sunday and Monday were spent with her daughter and her family, Mr and Mrs Vernon Benjamin. She described her visit to the John Ringling Museum (formerly his home) as a place of real beauty; marble, gold and silver throughout.

Mr and Mrs John Snyder of Owosso were Thursday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller. The Marvin Millers were also guests.

Sunday Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller called on Mr and Mrs Paul Schafer of DeWitt and Mr and Mrs Hilary Miller of Lansing.

Mrs Bertha Moriarty and Mrs Joe Schafer visited their aunt, Mrs Elizabeth Blundy of Portland, who is ill Friday.

Fowler residents donated 40 pints of blood to the Clinton County Red Cross unit recently. The Bloodmobile was sponsored by the Jaycees and directed by Mrs Fred Tiedt, Herbert J. Thelen received his 1-gallon pin and Gerald Pohl, his 2-gallon pin.

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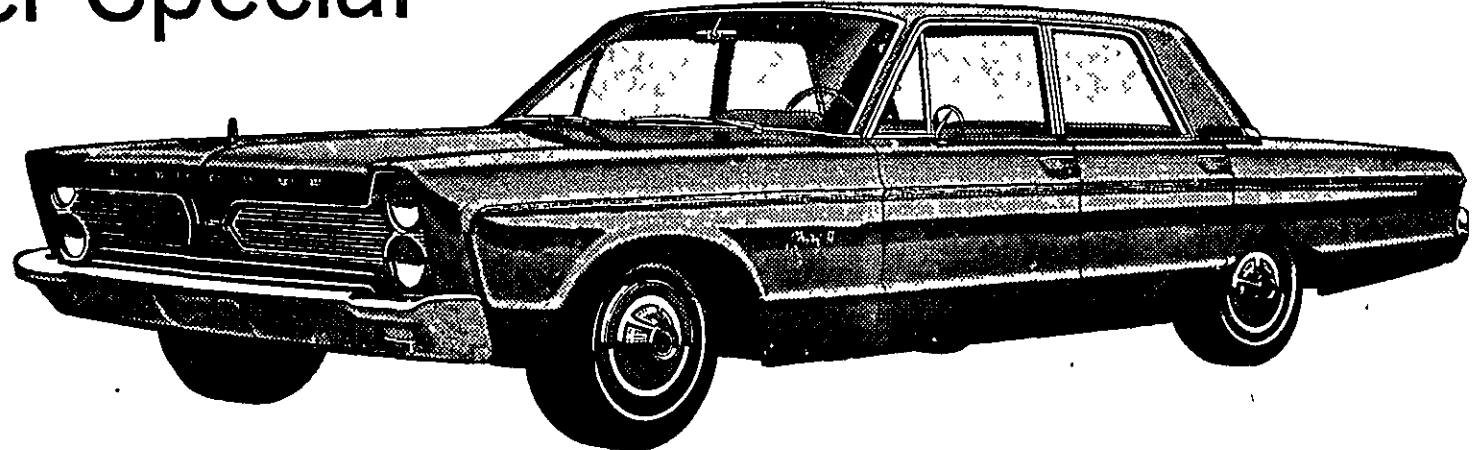


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Shepardsville

By Mrs. Iva Birmingham
Shepardsville Church. They decided to have the school from June 13 through June 24 from 9 until 11 a.m. Mrs. Chandler Gleason was elected director of the school. The chairman of the education committee is Mrs. Iva Birmingham...

and representatives from the Methodist Church here, eight will receive baptism and five will be taken into the church as members.
Maudy Thursday, April 7, will be observed with Holy Communion for both churches, the Shepardsville and the Price Methodist, at the Shepardsville Church from 8 to 9 p.m.
Acolytes for April, at the Shepardsville Church are Linda Thompson and Dana Maltz.
The Shepardsville MYF was well represented Sunday afternoon at the sub-district rally of the MYF at the Ithaca Methodist Church with Rev. Hubala, Don Thompson, Eddie Waters, Susan Alderman, Irene, Helen, Carol Squires and Mary Temple in attendance.
Mrs. William Dentis and granddaughter of Bay City were Sunday afternoon and night guests of their cousins, Mrs. Verne Hettlinger and Donna.
Mr. and Mrs. Max Walasek Jr. and children and Steven Walasek all from Lansing were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Max Walasek and their daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. Adam Muller and two daughters of Redford were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Steven Komlyes.
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nichols of DeWitt brought his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nichols of Park Lake to spend Wednesday, with their sister and daughter, respectively, Mr. and Mrs. August Witt.
Mrs. Charles Palen Jr. left Sunday to stay with her father, Ray and Mrs. A. J. Cramer and Cheney of Lansing until Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Altman and baby son of Chicago were Friday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cramer of Ovid.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jambor and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Zarga, all of Lansing, were Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mrs. Joe Paleco and Ernie.
Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hefly of Townline Lake, near Harrison, were Monday to Thursday guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tomasek and children.
Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Aldrich and sons of Mt. Morris were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Winser.
Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Iva Birmingham were Roy and Mrs. L. Longenecker and Mr. and Mrs. Milo Summer, all from Washington township (Grafton County), Walter Kauf-

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SAVE 10c on the purchase of a Frozen Imperial PET RITZ PIE

SHEPARDVILLE

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day supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hebel and Darel. They were en route to Sweden to visit the ladies' mother, Mrs. J. C. Bastian.
Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Aldrich and sons of Mt. Morris were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Winser.
Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Iva Birmingham were Roy and Mrs. L. Longenecker and Mr. and Mrs. Milo Summer, all from Washington township (Grafton County), Walter Kauf-

Duplain

By Mrs. James Burnham
Revival meetings started Sunday evening at the Duplain Church of Christ and will continue each weekday night at 7:30 p.m., except Saturday, closing next Sunday evening. Jack Ham, minister of First Church of Christ in Owosso will be the speaker each evening and Carl Pruitt of Beverly, Ohio, will lead the singing. Special music will be heard nightly.
At home dad may be the chief executive, but mother is usually speaker of the house.

business meeting. Kathleen Reynolds and Jill Bunce then led the group in several games after which refreshments were served.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Woodward were in St. Louis Sunday afternoon where Woodard officiated at a wedding uniting William Mahin of St. Louis and Diana Chappell of Washington. The ceremony took place at the Wayne Kelly residence in St. Louis and the newly married couple will reside in Lima.
Mr. and Mrs. Oren Goodrich left Sunday to visit their son, Edwin A. Goodrich, at Valley Forge General Hospital in Phoenixville, Pa., where he is recovering after being severely wounded in Viet Nam March 5. For those who would like to send him a card while he is convalescing, his address is 390 C Edwin A. Goodrich, RA 16-897-357, Valley Forge General Hospital, Ward 5 A.B., Phoenixville, Pa.

Monday and Tuesday to hear complaints on assessments of property. March 28 and 29 were settlement days for the village assessor and board of review.
The village council set the review dates at its March 14 meeting. It also approved the purchase of a tractor loader from Duvern Equipment Co. for \$2,050. In other action at the meeting, bills in the amount of \$1,475.35 were authorized for payment.
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Water hookups cost city \$15

The City of St. Johns is losing about \$15 on each water service installation, it makes, under the present \$100 fee.

St. Johns City Manager Ken Greer reported to the city commission recently it costs \$114.80 to hook a residence up to the city water mains. The city charges a \$100 hookup fee if the hookup is a new service, and only \$68 if it is a replacement service where the property already has a meter.

Here are the costs he lists: Corporation stop valve \$3.90; curb stop valve, \$10.15; curb box, \$4.72; 23 feet (average) of copper, \$11.50; meter, \$32.03; outside remote reader, \$15; labor cost for two men for 1 1/2 hours, \$7.50.



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Mental health program a comprehensive plan

A comprehensive, long-range program for the development of community mental health services in Michigan has been put in motion by the Mental Health and Mental Retardation Facilities Advisory Council.

Following passage of the Community Mental Health Centers Act, of 1963, which authorized matching federal funds for construction of local mental health facilities, Gov. Romney designated the Michigan Department of Health to administer the program in Michigan and appointed the 13-member advisory council.

APPROXIMATELY \$6 million will be available for construction of community mental health centers in Michigan during the next three years. The first year's appropriation, nearly \$1.5 million, will be allocated on the basis of the state plan to projects which can be under construction early in 1966.

The state plan was developed jointly by the health department's Division of Hospital and Medical Facilities, which is also responsible for administration of federal Hill-Burton hospital construction grants, and the Research, Planning, and Development Division of the Michigan Department of Mental Health.

IT REPRESENTS a total plan for development of community-based psychiatric services under the Community Mental Health

Centers Act, the Hill-Burton Act, Michigan's Community Mental Health Facilities Act, and the budget and programming of the state department of mental health.

The plan divides the state into 33 mental health service areas consisting of:

1) Groupings of urban and rural counties around population centers which already serve as a focal point for psychiatric services.

2) POPULATION centers with local facilities which have a potential for ultimate development as community mental health centers.

3) Groupings of counties around state facilities which have potential for development as community mental health centers.

4) Groupings of sparsely-populated counties which do not have local resources to develop an adequate level of services.

The plan, which ranks the various service areas on a priority basis, is the result of a comprehensive study of the state's mental health needs and facilities undertaken jointly in 1964 by the health department and the department of mental health.

THE SURVEY indicated a total of approximately 33,000 in-patient admissions with psychiatric

diagnosis in 1963, including 14,000 admissions to psychiatric units of general hospitals; 7,000 admissions to state hospitals; 6,000 admissions to psychiatric hospitals; and 6,000 admissions to general hospitals without specific psychiatric services.

Although data on outpatients was incomplete, at least 15,200 additional persons were treated on this basis. Total admissions to service in 1963 was 47,000 or 5.8 per 1,000 population. In addition, 26,500 persons were resident in psychiatric inpatient facilities or on convalescent or home-care status.

THE STUDY surveyed existing facilities in the state, the distribution of psychiatric personnel, and patterns of utilization of mental health facilities.

Priority rankings for construction of facilities were based on the demonstration of need for additional facilities, and the community's capacity to provide services. Factors used in the establishment of priority included:

1) Immigration ratio and dependency ratio (percentage of population under 16 and over 65) as a measure of high risk populations.

2) Median income, percentage of sound housing, and percentage of unemployed as a measure of socio-economic status.

3) PSYCHIATRIC admissions per 1,000 population as a measure of expressed demand.

4) Existing beds per 1,000 population and existence of out-patient services as measures of the capacity for service.

Ranked on these factors, the 33 service areas fall into groups with a priority rating ranging from 14 to 9. Within each grouping, areas will be assisted with federal funds on the basis of the following characteristics of projects:

1) preference will be assigned projects which provide for elements of service not now available in the community.

2) PREFERENCE will be assigned to community mental health center projects in areas which: a. Extend use of locally-operated residential facilities to include provision for care of emotionally disturbed; b. Show substantial development of school services for the mentally handicapped and emotionally disturbed child.

Of the 33 mental health service areas, 17 have major elements and resources for the development of community mental health services and will be immediately programmed for use of federal matching funds; eight areas have partially developed complexes of services and limited mental health personnel and will be programmed for expansion of facilities through use of Hill-Burton grants; six areas will have mental health centers developed in existing state facilities; and two areas will be developed for regional - branch services, with the cost of such services assumed by the state.

SEVENTEEN of the areas have less than 200,000 population and will be served by a single mental health center. Fourteen areas have more than 200,000 population and will eventually be served by multiple centers: 10 by two centers, 3 by three centers, and 1 by four centers.

The Michigan Department of Health will provide copies of the state plan to interested societies, organizations, and associations, and a copy of the plan and each annual revision will be

available at all times for public examination at the health department.

THE FOLLOWING is the list of service areas programmed for community mental health centers using federal grants authorized under the Community Mental Health Centers Act:

Muskegon, Battle Creek, Flint, South Oakland, Dearborn, Wyandotte, Grand Rapids, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Lansing, Saginaw, Detroit Riverfront, Ann Arbor, Central Detroit, Northwest Detroit, Nankin Township (Wayne County), and Pontiac.

Other service areas will be developed using Hill-Burton funds or state appropriations. These areas, listed by priority ranking, are: Mt. Clemens, Caro, Mt. Pleasant, Petoskey - Alpena, Western U.P., Benton Harbor, South Macomb, Traverse City, Bay City, Port Huron, West Detroit, Marquette, Northeast Detroit, Newberry, Ypsilanti - Monroe and Northville.

2 seriously hurt in US-27 crash

Two persons were seriously injured early last Friday morning in a three-car accident at US-27 and Price Road in Olive Township.

Taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital with visible signs of injury were Frederick S. Jackson, 18, of 8700 E. Parks Road, Ovid, and Edward Kapustka, 46, of Mid-dleton.

They were drivers of two of the cars involved. The other driver, uninjured, was Floyd H. Barnes, 59, of R-5, St. Johns.

THE accident occurred about 6 a.m. Friday. According to the sheriff's department report, Barnes was stopped on the Price Road crossover waiting for south-bound traffic to clear so he could proceed west on Price. The rear end of his car extended about three feet into the northbound passing lane, the report said.

Jackson, driving north on US-27, had just passed another car and was still in the passing lane when he reached the intersection. His auto struck the rear of Barnes' car, then careened across the median and hit Kapustka, coming south on US-27.

Jackson and Kapustka were hospitalized. They were listed in fair condition at Clinton Memorial Monday afternoon.

Launch hunt for product, ag development of year

Participation from every county and nearly every community in the annual competition to select Michigan's product of the year and its agricultural development of the year is predicted by Judd Perkins of Muskegon, chairman of the Michigan Week product and agriculture awards committee.

Following a final committee meeting in Lansing, rules and deadlines were announced for competition in both categories, which starts with the selection of county winners, goes on to regional contests and concludes with presentation of the two state awards during Michigan Week May 15-21.

COUNTY MICHIGAN Week organizations will start immediately accepting entries of outstanding manufactured products and agricultural achievements.

John Calkins, executive assistant in the Michigan Department of Agriculture, Lansing, is deputy chairman of the state awards committee. Harry Richert, industrial development department manager of the Detroit

Board of Commerce, is executive secretary.

Perkins, who is director of public relations for General Telephone Co. of Michigan, said three deadlines have been established.

ALL COUNTY ENTRIES must be in by Monday, April 11. County winners must be submitted for regional judging by Monday, April 25. Regional winners must be submitted to the state awards committee by Thursday, May 5.

Guidebooks with full details on the two award programs are being supplied to all local Michigan Week chairmen, to chambers of commerce and to county agricultural extension agents.

Sixteen regional awards chairmen will help the county Michigan Week organizations promote entries and later will supervise the regional contests.

The product-of-the-year competition is open to companies and business enterprises with manufacturing facilities in Michigan.

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MORE THAN 500 land owners in the Clinton County Soil Conservation District now have soil conservation plans that include a soil map.

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ELIGIBLE FOR THE agricultural development - of - the - year award are farmers, agricultural and horticultural associations, food processors, and all other groups or individuals located in Michigan who are actively engaged in the growing, developing, processing or marketing of agricultural products.

An agricultural entry may be a product, a process, or a marketing or research program significant to Michigan agriculture or to farming in any area of the state. It must have originated in, or have been developed in Michigan and should be relatively new or recent.

IN BOTH PRODUCT and agricultural categories the entry should represent present or potential gain to the economic welfare of the community or area.

The 1965 product-of-the-year award was won by the F-28 three-place helicopter of the R. J. Enstrom Company of Menominee. The agricultural development-of-the-year award went to Andrew F. Murch of Paw Paw for his fruit juice processing development.

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Exchange takes polygraph test to demonstrate talk

Detective Lt. Steve Naret of the East Lansing Police Department was the speaker at last Thursday's meeting of the St. Johns Exchange Club.

Naret talked about the use of the polygraph, more commonly known as the "lie detector." The machine records pulse rate, respiration rate and blood pressure. From the readings it takes it is possible to observe how a suspect reacts under stress when being questioned. The machine doesn't really "detect lies."

NARET SAID the machine is often as valuable in protecting the innocent as it is in finding the guilty. No one need submit to a polygraph test. In Michigan, polygraph reports are not allowed as evidence in court.

Detective Naret gave a demonstration of the machine with Herm Pohl as the subject. Pohl came through "with flying colors" and was pronounced innocent by the Exchangeites.

Guests present were Steve Bakita, Norbert Rehmann and Larry Sexton. Bob Esseberger of Grand Rapids, Exchange Club state treasurer, was present and spoke briefly.

John Rehmann was program chairman for the day.

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News About Clinton County Service Personnel

KEITH D. TAIT

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In the course he was taught to repair, operate and maintain the armament systems used on helicopters. He entered the service in August 1965. His address is: Pvt. Keith D. Tait, US5528360 Box D-46, HHC 3rd Bn, USA OC&S, Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., 21005.

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Mary-Martha Circle hosted by Mrs Hicks

The Mary-Martha Circle of the First Methodist Church were guests at the home of Mrs Cerelda Hicks Tuesday, March 22. A dessert was served at 1:30 p.m. with Mrs Henry Wood serving as co-hostess.

Mrs O. E. Wells, chairman of the group, opened the meeting with prayer. Announcement was made of the sacrificial breakfast Tuesday, April 5, at 9 a.m., when world banks will be gathered in. April 15 and 16, will be the spring rummage sale.

The annual district meeting, at Alma will be held April 20. May 5 the annual conference meeting will be held at Grand Rapids and on the same day, the Mother-Daughter banquet is scheduled.

THE COOKBOOK, edited by the WSCS, is now available from circle chairmen at \$1.50 per copy. Miss Evelyn Putnam presented a program on "Our Attitudes about Death and Resurrection" and she was assisted by Mrs Cerelda Hicks in a dialogue. Devotions were given by Mrs Wells. A discussion period followed.

The meeting was closed with prayer. The group will meet at the home of Mrs Clifford Lumbert April 26.

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PATRICIA BLUMGRUND

She's from Argentina, will be here 'til July

Patricia Blumgrund of Buenos Aires, Argentina, will be attending Rodney B. Wilson high school, St. Johns, the rest of the semester. She arrived in Michigan Dec. 25 and will remain here until July.

Miss Blumgrund took the exams required to become a part of the Youth for Understanding last June and did not find out until the middle of November she would be coming to the United States.

She graduated from high school in December, which due to the seasons being the opposite of what they are here is the beginning of their summer or like June here.

MISS BLUMGRUND has found many differences between the school system here and in Argentina. There she went to school in the mornings and took 12 subjects a year. She met for her classes on alternate days much the same way college class schedules are attended here. The afternoons were spent attending institutes to learn subjects not taught in school.

At Rodney B. Wilson, she is enrolled in American history, American literature, government, world geography and typing.

When she returns to Argentina, Miss Blumgrund plans to attend college and become a nuclear physicist. It will take six years of college training.

COMPARING her country to the United States, Michigan in particular, she finds the weather similar but colder here.

Since coming to live with the Edward Sulkas of St. Johns she has been very busy seeing Michigan and other parts of the country. She spent two weeks on a trip to California and weekends on other shorter trips. She hopes to go to New York City with the MYF later this year.

During a student's years in

school in Argentina, he is completely supported by his parents. As a result when Miss Blumgrund arrived here she was surprised to see so many students with their own cars.

"I thought their parents bought them," she said. Later she found that many students have jobs after school and weekends and buy their own.

"JUST ABOUT everyone has help in Argentina," she said.

"Until I came here kitchens were just for snitching."

When Mrs Sulka was asked about Patricia's culinary ability, she said with a twinkle in her eye, "Just terrible!"

Miss Blumgrund has a sister, Viviana, 13, and a brother, Claudio, 7, at home. Her father, Ladislao, owns a chemical firm and is an industrial chemist.

Although Patricia comes from Argentina, she is of Czechoslovakian descent. Her parents left Czechoslovakia in 1948 and went to Sweden. From there they went to Argentina.

Radiological course to start

A new course in radiological monitor training, the third one to be held in Clinton County, will start April 14 in St. Johns, county Civil Defense Director Charles Frost announced Monday.

The course is being conducted under the direction of Michigan Technological University at Houghton. Don Ewing, county road commission clerk, will be instructor for the course.

The first class will begin at 7:30 p.m. April 14 at the road commission garage in St. Johns.

DETAILS ON the course, as well as enrollment information, can be obtained from CD Director Frost at his office in the new courthouse wing.

The state-suggested requirement to adequately handle the county is 220 persons trained to use the radiological equipment. Over \$1,200 worth of radiological source material has been assigned to the county for use in the training courses.

Senior Citizens plan Michigan Week parade

About 60 met at the Senior Citizens Drop-In Center for the regular meeting March 22.

Preparations are being made for Michigan Week, the third week in May. The Senior Citizens have been asked to take part in the parade Saturday, May 21. Chairman Clarence Hill has been named chairman of the parade preparations. Wednesday, May 18, the local organization will host a district meeting and dinner which will be served at Smith Hall by the Greenbush WSCS. It is expected there will be between 200 and 300 at this meeting.

RON DUGAS, director of the city recreation department, gave a talk on the activities open to senior citizens, such as trips and a leathercraft class.

Mrs Clarence Hill was in charge of the program. There was community singing with Sydney Christmas at the piano, Earl Darnell gave a comic reading and Mrs Hill gave a humorous description of her married life with our chairman, who she married last October. Christmas concluded the program by playing a medley of familiar songs.

The next regular meeting will be held April 12 at the VFW Hall. All senior citizens are invited.

Polar bears don't kick with their hind legs as most animals do when they are swimming, animal behaviorists have discovered. The scientists speculate that the white arctic bear may be evolving into a sea mammal like the whale.



MRS KEITH WOHLFERT

New correspondent for Alward-Plowman

Alward-Plowman district has a new correspondent. Replacing her mother-in-law Bernice Wohlfert is Mrs Keith Wohlfert of R-2, Pratt Road, DeWitt.

The Wohlferts have three children: Cindy, 8, Scott, 6 and Toni, 6 months. Mrs Wohlfert is the former "Jo" DeVries of rural St. Johns.

Up-date your driving with refresher class

By HELEN B. MEACH Extension Home Economist

If you care enough to help reduce the tragic traffic toll on our highways, you can. If you wish to up-date your driving, you can.

You may attend an 8-hour Driver Refresher Course sponsored by the Clinton County Homemakers Extension Council and the Farm Bureau Women. There is no charge for this course.

The classes will be held at Smith Hall in St. Johns on two consecutive Thursdays, the first one on April 21 and the second on April 28. The hours are from 10 a.m. members are asked to bring a brown bag lunch so they may eat together at the noon hour break. Coffee will be available.



THESE CLASSES will be taught by Mrs Leota Westfall, who is a specialist with the Highway Traffic Safety Center, Continuing Education Service, MSU. Mrs Westfall is an experienced teacher in the area of traffic safety. She has been in this field for 15 years, traveling nearly 12,000 miles in the last year and a half, putting on Traffic Safety Leader Lessons (Driver Refresher Courses) for members of the Home Economics Extension Study groups, Michigan Farm Bureau Women and

B, B study group hears about wills

A lesson on "Wills and the Distribution of Property" was given by Mrs Bruce Mehney and Mrs Oral Rice when the B and B home economics study group met with Mrs Guy Dutcher Friday. There were 12 members present.

The Farm Bureau women and extension classes are sponsoring a driver refresher course of eight hours for two days. A \$4 fee will be charged. Mrs Rowland is a new member of the B and B study group.

The nominating committee for the election of officers consists of Mrs Bud Barnes and Mrs Larry Dershem.

The next meeting will be with Mrs Ross Mehney Friday, April 22. Roll call will be answered by members naming their favorite flower.

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Child nursery group to meet

The Central Michigan Council of Cooperative Nurseries will hold its spring luncheon this Saturday at Andy's Restaurant in Charlotte.

Mrs Gayle Dale, RN, of the Mott Foundation in Flint, will be the guest speaker, discussing "New Frontiers in Sex Education." The Mott Foundation has taken over the work of Mrs Dale's previous employers, the Claire Elizabeth Foundation, nationally known pioneers in sex education.

Attending from St. Johns will be Mrs Jerry Shoemaker, Mrs Lee Hansen, Mrs Jerry Williams, Mrs Ray Ebert, Mrs James Stifler, and Mrs Robert LaBrie. The St. Johns nursery they represent has been organized only within the year.

"Before the century ends it will be possible to introduce or eliminate, enhance or diminish, specific hereditary qualities in the living cell—whether viral, microbial, plant, animal or human," predicts Dr John R. Dunning, dean of Columbia University's School of Engineering and Applied Science.

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Proposed Shiawassee college won't affect St. Johns district

St. Johns won't be affected by the proposed Shiawassee Community College even though it is an outgrowth of a vocational-technical study of the Shiawassee-Clinton area.

St. Johns dropped out of the study after a fact-finding survey had been completed. It involved just the eastern half of Clinton and all of Shiawassee County.

Earl Lancaster, superintendent of schools here, said it was felt the St. Johns district's community college ties were more toward Lansing than toward Owosso. In addition, Lansing Community College was a going concern with a good tax base, whereas the Shiawassee proposal would be new with not such a good tax base.

IN FACT, ST. JOHNS School District voters will decide in

June, at the regular school board election, about whether or not to join the Lansing Community College district. That would necessitate a tax of one mill.

The State Board of Education has referred the formal application from the Shiawassee County Intermediate School District to the State Board for Public Community and Junior Colleges for further study.

THE application requests approval to hold an election on the community college proposal, levy 1.5 mills to operate the college and elect a board of trustees.

If approved, the proposed college would start classes in September with an enrollment of between 400 and 500 students, according to the application. The curriculum would emphasize vo-

ational and technical courses.

THE APPLICATION, presented to the State Board of Education March 23 by Alvin M. Bentley of Owosso, chairman of a citizens' committee that conducted the survey last summer and fall, said the proposed district has an assessed valuation of \$158.3 million. A 1.5 mill levy would raise an estimated \$145,000 for the college.

An operating budget of \$195,000 for the first year is anticipated, the application said.



REV. R. N. RAYCROFT

Rev. R. N. Raycroft is continuing his weeklong series of evangelistic services this week at the St. Johns Church of the Nazarene, 515 N. Lansing Street. Rev. Mr. Raycroft, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene in Howell, will hold the services at 7:30 each evening through Saturday and at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday. The evangelistic series began Monday night. Spiritual songs, choruses, special music and the gospel message are on each night's programs.

ED THELEN

Many from the Pewamo area attended the funeral of Mrs. Ermaline Schaefer's father, Ed Thelen, 74, of Fowler Friday, March 25, at Most Holy Trinity church. He is survived by six sons, five daughters, 63 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. He was a member of the Holy Name Society, St. Joseph's Society and the Knights of Columbus.

High winds during the past week damaged the five-foot copper cross atop the nave of St. Joseph's Church, Pewamo. It was removed for safety's sake Fri-

day, March 25. The cross was erected in the 1920's.

Mrs. Mary Wahl left December 23 to spend the holidays with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fox and family in Royal Oak. It turned out to be quite a stay as she returned to her home Saturday evening, March 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ludwick and Mr. and Mrs. David Van Dornen are spending 10 days or more with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bullis of Leesburg, Fla.

Congratulations and birthday wishes were received by James Long Monday, March 28. James Long makes his home with Mr

and Mrs. Herman Werner. He is well, takes walks on nice days, has a wonderful memory and enjoys life. He was 90 years young March 28.

Mrs. Anthony Thels submitted to major surgery Friday morning, March 25, was still in intensive care as of Monday March 28. Mrs. Thels is at the Carson City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin P. Freund and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Freund of Westphalia spent Sunday March 27, with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Freund of Jackson.

Mrs. Eugene Downing and children of St. Johns visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Fox.

James Cotter, Sr., is doing very well convalescing at home due to a broken hip.

May 1 is First Holy Communion day at St. Joseph's parish in Pewamo. A daughter, Deanne Elizabeth,

was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rocky of Pewamo.

Kindergarten registration is set for Friday, April 1, at 8:30 a.m. at Pewamo elementary school.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gellar and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Barker of St. Johns left March 23 for a weeks stay in Florida.

Miss Marie Simon of Michigan State University spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Simon of Pewamo.

Norbert Simon was dismissed from Ferguson-Droste hospital in Grand Rapids Tuesday, March 22.

Mrs. Anna Pline who was admitted at Clinton Memorial hospital March 19 is still under observation and treatment.

Sue Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kohagen, spent the weekend at home from Central Michigan University at M. Pleasant.

William P. Smith was discharged from Carson City hospital Monday, March 28. Smith underwent surgery March 23.



"The Barber of Seville" and "The Marriage of Figaro" are known now as pleasant operas, but they contributed to the French Revolution. The comedies, written by the French dramatist Beaumarchais in 1775 and 1778, respectively, challenge the privileges of aristocracy.

AUCTION SALE

4 miles east of Owosso on M-21, 2 1/2 miles north at 2424 N. Kerby road, on

Saturday, April 2 — 1 p.m.

THIS IS A PARTIAL LISTING

- 1953 Ford V-8, 1/2-ton pickup truck
- 1951 IHC Model H tractor, pulley, wheel weights, good rubber and 2-row cultivator
- 1949 Ford tractor, as is
- John Deere 2-14-in. bottom plow
- AC combine, bean pickup, scour clean, good
- New Idea 7-ft. mower, good
- 16-hoe Oliver drill; rubber tired wagon and rack
- Double disc; IHC 8-ft. double disc
- 1963 Gehl hay conditioner, good, model H-C-12
- Dearborn 2-14-in. bottom plow; Dearborn pulley, fibre
- Dearborn buzz saw, rear mount; Ford 3-point cultivator
- Miscellaneous items, including quantity whiffletrees; some harnesses, horse collars and sets of rings
- Good wood wheel wagon and rack
- Renown circulating heater, good

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1 mile east of New Lothrop, 2 3/4 miles south at 5224 Byron road, on

Saturday, April 2 — 10 a.m.

NOTE: Sale must begin promptly because of afternoon sale.

THIS IS A PARTIAL LISTING

- 1963 Chevrolet Bel Air, 4-door car, 27,000 actual miles, automatic
- 1952 International 1/2-ton pickup truck, R-110, 44,000 miles, good rubber and cattle rack
- 1952 IHC Model H tractor, good rubber, live PTO
- IHC 2-row cultivator and 2-row bean puller
- IHC 2-14-in. bottom plow
- IHC Model 64 combine, good, with new bean pickup
- IHC No. 40 planter; IHC 45 hay baler; IHC 13-hoe grain drill
- IHC 7-ft. PTO mower; cultipacker; spring tooth; 4-bar rake
- New Idea manure spreader; rotary hoe; 28-ft. Mayrath hay-veyor
- Ladder; grease gun; block and tackle; few hand tools
- Hand post hole digger, new; 50-gal. kettle; 1-horse buggy; used roofing

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- Case 135-bushel power-take-off manure spreader
- Oliver 80 hay baler, PTO
- 4-section John Deere drag
- Brillon stalk chopper
- Dearborn 2-14" plows
- Hammermill 2-row cultivator, 3-pt.
- 8' land leveler, 3-pt.
- "V" ditcher, 3-pt.
- Allis-Chalmers 1-row picker
- IHC 4-row planter
- Allis-Chalmers 80 combine
- John Deere 13-hoe grain drill
- 40' elevator; clodbuster
- Earth Master disc, 22" blades
- John Deere 8' double disc
- IHC 7' double disc
- Cultipacker
- Two 3-section drags
- 2 spike tooth drags
- IHC field cultivator
- 3-section rotary hoe
- IHC side rake
- 2 wagons with flat racks
- John Deere hammermill
- Drive belt; hand seeder
- Unico 12' auger, 4"
- Grass seeder, PTO
- Sprayer, 3-pt. hitch
- Large canvas
- Platform scales; land smoother
- AC heat houser; 2 umbrellas
- Champion 20' elevator
- Boom hoist
- AC sub-soller
- AC wheel weights
- Tractor cushions
- 4 rolls barb wire, new
- 6 rolls picket fence
- Used barb and smooth wire
- Steel fence posts
- Forks and numerous small items
- Pickup camper
- Set 13x28 tractor tires, tubes, rims
- New Century sprayer, plastic tank cart
- Set 24" tractor duals

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- Aryln 12 TV
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- Bed, table, dresser
- 2-stage air compressor
- Homemade tractor, V4 Wisconsin engine
- High speed drills
- Portable home welder on Wisconsin engine
- Paint guns; snow blade
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Bath's Roy Spangler awarded FFA State Farmer degree

BATH — Roy Spangler, graduate of Bath High School, was awarded the State Farmer Degree at last week's annual meeting of the Michigan Association of Future Farmers of America.

Spangler, now taking agriculture education at Michigan State University, supervised Bath FFA chapter corn, wheat, hay and swine projects while at Bath. He owned a tractor, plow, cornpicker and wagon.

Spangler has acted as chapter president, regional vice president and National Honor Society president. He held various offices in his high school classes and the student council. He was a junior director of the Clinton County Soil Conservation District and served as president of the group.

THE CONFERRING of the State Farmer Degree was one of the highlights of the convention for the Bath FFA delegation of five members. Chapter delegates for the conduct of the business of the 10,074-member state FFA were Doug Brook and Dennis Smith.

The Bath chapter supervised ushering for the convention. Vaughn Vondrasek and David Murray were the boys from Bath who helped Chapter Advisor William Vondrasek on the usher project. Harry Nessman, state FFA advisor, commented that the ushers did an "excellent job."

From the 204 State Farmer Degrees conferred, delegates elected state officers for the

coming year. They are: Dale Nye of Lakeshore High, Stevensville, president; Douglas Lewis of Jonesville, reporter; David Tutak of Montague, secretary; Earl Fox of Beal City, treasurer; DeLane Ruess of Owosso, sentinel; and Vern Hartenborg of Eaton Rapids, vice president for Region 4 which includes Clinton County.

RUSS WAS named the Star State Farmer.

Bryon Nichols, Chrysler Corp. vice president, spoke at the delegate banquet. Other convention speakers were Gov. George Romney; Frank Merriman, Michigan State University trustee; Thomas Cowden, MSU dean of agriculture and James Stitzlein of Ohio, national FFA vice president.

THE NEWS in Brief

A public meeting has been scheduled at Ovid High School Tuesday to discuss the issues involved and the need for approval of another bond issue in the Ovid-Elsie Area Schools District. The election will be April 25. Monday was the last day for school district voters to register for the election.

Fulton School District No. 2 has received approval for a \$10,042 federal grant for a special recreation program. The grant was one of 37 made under the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

The Tri-County Regional Planning Commission reports, concerning their three plans for orderly expansion of the region, that areas outside Lansing-East Lansing tend to favor a growth plan which channels expansion into the surrounding "satellite cities." Metropolitan officials, however, have indicated they would like to see growth concentrated in the Lansing-East Lansing area. There was little support reported for a plan to encourage growth in corridors along major regional transportation routes.

Schools, businesses and homes over a wide area around DeWitt were "blacked out" last Wednesday morning when lightning struck a utility pole on Price Road. Some 6,000 to 7,000 power users were reportedly affected for varying times of up to 45 minutes. The lightning hit about 9 a.m. and tangled wires and knocked out four substations.

About 500 high school students will visit the Alma College campus Saturday, April 2, to participate in the mid-Michigan college's annual High School Science Day.

A craft workshop for interested leaders in the Lansing area will be held this Saturday at Miller Road Community Hall, 5118 Curry Lane, Lansing. It is designed for craft leaders and directors working in or with the areas of crafts in children's camps, hospital self care and rehabilitation centers, school art and crafts programs, playgrounds, Senior Citizens crafts, extension clubs and all types of Scouting programs. The day will consist of

sessions from 9:30-noon and 1-3 p.m.

Boys from Pewamo-Westphalia High School represented their FFA chapter last Thursday in farm forum discussion groups competing for honors with seven other chapters at the 38th annual convention of the Michigan Association of Future Farmers of America. They won a silver award.

Jones Farm Emorys Karen, a senior 5-year-old Registered Guernsey cow owned by George E. Smith of St. Johns, has completed an official DHR actual production record of 14,620 pounds of milk and 708 pounds of butterfat in 305 days, with two times - a - day milking, according to the American Guernsey Cattle Club.

Clinton area residents interested in putting their skills to use in developing nations around the world are invited to take the Peace Corps placement test at 9 a.m. Saturday, April 9, at the post office or federal building in Flint, Grand Rapids, Lansing or Saginaw.

Delegates attending the April 25-27 State PTA Convention in Detroit will be electing a new president, first vice president, secretary and a director of district service. All PTA local units and councils are urged to send delegates to participate in the election, consider key resolutions and vote by ballot on national legislation program.

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Climaxing the pre-nuptial activities for Miss Joyce Ann Mrazek and Larry E. Barnes, who were united in marriage Saturday, March 26, was the last of a series of showers.

The bride's employers and co-workers in the title and registration division of Secretary of State Department, Lansing presented her with a group gift Friday afternoon, March 25 and served light refreshments.

A kitchen shower, the evening of March 10, themed in pink, hosted by Donna Mrazek and Patsy VanCamp, in their apartment 201 Leslie Street, Lansing, honored the new bride. Guests were school friends and office associates.

Twenty guests, friends and relatives were entertained at a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mr and Mrs Louis Mrazek, in the Colony, parents of the honored guest, hosted by Mrs Gary Van Fleet and Mrs Jim Mrazek the evening of March 15.

A bride doll centered the gift table and the cake, decorated with bells and roses carried out the pink and white theme in the refreshments served.

Mr and Mrs Walter Kaufman Sr. and their granddaughter, Rita Washburn, attended an All-Star Band Festival at St. Louis Sunday afternoon, March 27.

Michael Burl spent from Thursday through Saturday, last week, with his grandparents Mr and Mrs Al Rademacher of N. Watson Road.

Social security man at courthouse Tuesday

A representative of the Social Security Administration office in Lansing will make regular visits to St. Johns during the coming month, according to Roger W. Seamon, manager of the Lansing office.

The representative will be at the courthouse annex every Tuesday from 9:30 to noon. Anyone desiring information regarding old-age and survivors insurance benefits, social security account numbers or other business concerning social security may contact him at those times.

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Invite residents New Ovid-Elsie bond money for equipment on school tour

Citizens of the St. Johns School District who would like to take a tour of the new Grandville High School prior to the St. Johns school bond issue vote May 9 are asked to contact the high school office.

The Grandville school was designed by Binda and Associates, the same architectural firm handling the work for the St. Johns High School. St. Johns' school will be similar in size and content to the Grandville building, and the tour is being arranged to give citizens a look at what they will be getting if the bond issue is approved.

The mean velocity of a sound wave in a crystal of quartz is 9,811 miles per hour.

OID — Five years have passed since citizens from the communities of Elsie and Ovid worked to prepare a community report on the advantages and opportunities available in their school systems. The study resulted in a new combined district with increase opportunities which the youth of this area would be able to enjoy. The communities have since voted favorably on a merger, a bond issue for construction of new facilities, and a bond issue for a swimming pool and outdoor athletic facilities.

All the buildings are under construction. But because of a fantastic and unforeseen jump in construction costs, sufficient monies are not available for the completion of the program.

increased by 25 per cent in the past six months, the school board was able to secure bids and let the contracts at figures that represented increases of only 12 1/2 per cent. No contractors from the Central Michigan area bid on any of these three elementary school projects because of the abundance of work available in this area.

Now that these construction projects have all been started, further increases in construction costs will not affect them. The contractors are legally obligated to provide the buildings that meet the complete specifications as set up by the architect at the price contained in their bid, which was accepted by Ovid-Elsie Board of Education.

bid price caused the board to use monies that were set aside for furnishing and equipping the buildings. Now, to finish the job, additional monies are needed for furnishing and equipping the buildings. To provide the money, a \$350,000 bond issue will be presented to the qualified voters of the school district Monday, April 25.

The decision by the board to present the bond issue to the voters at this time was because of the time schedule involved. Contractors have guaranteed firm prices on all alternates only until June 1. Equipment and furnishings necessary for all buildings must be ordered soon to be assured of delivery when needed.

niture now also freezes the price on the items which will probably continue to rise. This can only be done if the \$350,000 bond issue is approved on April 25.

Use of the money from the proposed bond issue will be discussed next week. Questions regarding the election on April 25 are welcomed. The questions should be addressed to Bond Election, Ovid-Elsie Area Schools, Ovid, Mich.

A particularly interesting African snake is the egg eater. This snake is able to swallow and crack hens' eggs, and sometimes pigeons' eggs, the skin being stretched to breaking point. When the egg is cracked, the swelling collapses with the swallowing of the yolk and the shell is ejected.

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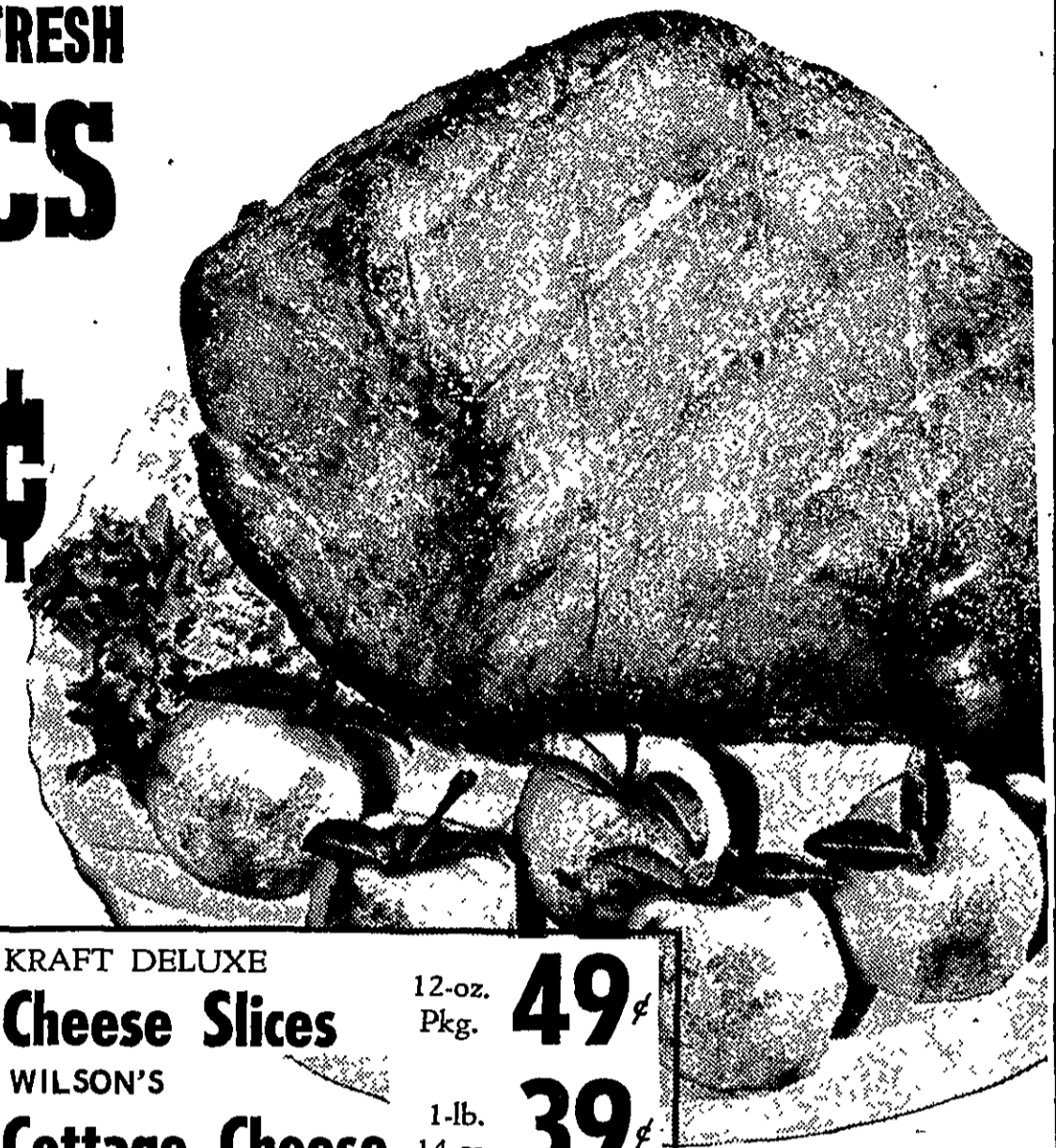
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- St. Johns**
- American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
 - American Legion Auxiliary—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Legion Hall
 - Exaner Hebekeah Lodge—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
 - Blue Star Mothers—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Senior Citizens Drop-in Center
 - Child Study Club—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., in homes of members
 - Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary—Board meets the 3rd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., in the hospital sewing room
 - DAR—2nd Tuesday, in homes of members
 - 8 at 40—4th Tuesday, in homes of members
 - Exchange Club—2nd and 4th Thursdays, noon, Walker's Cafe
 - Grisolon WRC—1st and 3rd Tuesday, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 - 40 at 8—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., St. Johns and Breckenridge Legion Halls, alternate months
 - IOOF—Every Wednesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
 - Junior Chamber of Commerce—2nd Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., L & L Restaurant
 - Knights of Columbus—1st and 3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., K of C Hall
 - Knights Templar—1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Lions Club—2nd and 4th Wednesday 8:30 p.m., IOOF Hall
 - Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Morning Musicals—2nd and 4th Thursday 8:45 a.m., in homes of members
 - Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Rotary Club—Every Tuesday, noon Walker's Cafe
 - Royal Arch Masons—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Royal Neighbors of America—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
 - Senior Citizens—2nd and 4th Tuesday, every month, VFW Hall
 - St. Johns Woman's Club—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 1:30 p.m., in homes of members
 - St. Johns Honor Guard—2nd and 4th Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., VFW Hall
 - Top's Club—Every Thursday, 7:45 p.m., Senior Citizens' Drop-in Center
 - VFW Auxiliary—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
 - VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
 - WCTU Mary Smith Union—Third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in homes of members
- Both**
- American Legion—2nd and 4th Thursdays, Memorial Hall
 - American Legion Auxiliary—2nd Tuesday and 4th Thursday, Memorial Hall
 - Bath Shootin' Stars Square Dance Club—Club dances the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m., during regular dancing season at the James Couzens Gym
 - Cub Scout Committee—1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., at James Couzens Building
 - Cub Scout Pack—4th Thursday, 8:30 p.m., school
 - Firemen's Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., home of members
 - Park Lake Improvement League—4th Wednesday, 8 p.m., Improvement League Hall
 - Fast Grand Club—4th Thursday, homes of members
 - PTA—2nd Thursday, 8 p.m., Junior High Gym
 - PTA Executive Board—Monday before Thursday PTA meeting, 8 to 9 p.m. at school
 - Sunbeam Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., community hall
 - Volunteer Firemen—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., fire hall
 - WCSA—General meeting 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Methodist church
- DeWitt**
- Blue Star Mothers—2nd Thursday afternoon, Memorial building and homes of members
 - Boy Scouts—Every Monday, 7 p.m., Memorial building
- Wacousta**
- Breakfast Club—Last Thursday, 9 a.m., in homes of members
 - Child Study Club—2nd Tuesday, evening, in homes of members
 - Masonic Order No. 335—Regular meetings first Thursday of the month at 8:00 p.m., at Temple
 - Methodist Men's Club—First Wednesday of each month; potluck at 6:30 p.m., Wacousta Methodist church
 - Neighborhood Society—3rd Thursday, in homes of members
 - Order of Eastern Star—1st Tuesday evening, Masonic Temple
- Westphalia**
- Catholic Order of Foresters—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
 - Daughters of Isabella—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
 - Knights of Columbus—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., K of C rooms
 - Young Ladies Sodality—3rd Sunday afternoon, every 2 months, St. Mary's parish hall
- World's largest bird was the elephant bird of southern Madagascar, which survived until the 17th century. It stood 10 feet tall and weighed nearly 1,000 pounds and could not fly.**
- Ovid**
- Acme Society—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., in homes of members
 - American Legion—3rd Wednesday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
 - Businessmen's Association—2nd Tuesday, time and place varies
 - Crescent Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
 - Disabled Veterans—1st and 3rd Fridays, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
 - Homemakers—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 - IOOF—Every Tuesday, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
 - Job's Daughters—2nd and 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Lions Club—2nd and 4th Mondays, 8:30 p.m., Main Street church of United Church
 - Laf-a-Lot Club—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 - Loncot-Dennis WCTU—2nd Tuesday in homes of members
 - Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Order of Eastern Star—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Ovid-Duplain Library Club—1st Friday, 12:30 p.m. in homes of members
 - Past Grand Club—4th Tuesday, in homes of members
 - Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
 - Royal Arch Masons—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Roman Football Boosters—Meet every Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the high school
 - Social Evening—Veterans Memorial Building, 8 p.m., every Wednesday, sponsored by Ovid veteran's group
 - Town and Country Extension—4th Wednesday, in homes of members
 - VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Memorial building
 - VFW Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., in Memorial building
 - Volunteer Firemen—First Thursday, 7:30 at fire hall
 - World War I Veterans—1st Thursday p.m., Memorial building
- Pewamo**
- Allar Society—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Parish hall
 - Band Boosters—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., high school
 - Blue Star Mothers—3rd Wednesday, 8 p.m., elementary school
 - Lions Club—3rd Tuesday, elementary school
 - Masonic Lodge—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic hall
 - Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday 8 p.m., Masonic hall
 - 21 Club—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., club house
 - WCSA—3rd Thursday, 2 p.m., home of members
- Maple Rapids**
- Amica Club—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., homes of members
 - Band Parents—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., students Commons
- Eagle**
- Helping Hand Club—4th Tuesday evening, in homes of members
 - Niles Cemetery Society—2nd Thursday, in homes of members
 - North Eagle Cemetery Society—Last Thursday, 3 p.m., Town hall
 - WCSA—1st Wednesday, Ladies' Rooms Methodist church
- Elsie**
- American Legion—Alternate Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion hall
 - American Legion Auxiliary—Alternate Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion hall
 - Band Boosters—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., alternate months, Band room
 - B.W.C.S.—2nd Tuesday, 3:30 p.m., in homes of members
 - Lions Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 7:00 p.m., Legion hall
 - Masonic Lodge—2nd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
 - WCSA—1st Wednesday 8:00 p.m., homes of members
 - Order of Eastern Star—1st Thursday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
 - PTA—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., school gym
 - Woman's Literary Club—Alternate Tuesdays, 8 p.m., homes of members
- Fowler**
- Boy Scouts—Every Wednesday, 7 p.m., Holy Trinity gym
 - Catholic Order of Foresters—3rd Tuesday, 8:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Hall
 - Confraternity of Christian Mothers—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
 - Daughters of Isabella—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
 - Fowler Conservation Club—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., Fire Hall
 - Jaycees—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., Fire Hall
 - Knights of Columbus—Monday after the 2nd Sunday, 8 p.m., K of C hall
 - Lions Club—3rd Monday, 6:30 p.m., Fowler Hotel
 - VFW—4th Thursday, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
 - VFW Auxiliary—Last Wednesday 8 p.m., VFW hall

Sealed Power growth continues, '65 report shows

Sealed Power Corp. continued its record of growth and progress in 1965. Consolidated sales for the year 1965 reached \$45,055,082, an increase of 9.6% over sales of \$41,119,276 achieved a year earlier. Net earnings totaled \$4,089,908 in 1965 and exceeded the prior year earnings of \$3,666,907 by 11.5%.

Such earnings were equivalent to \$2.80 per share in 1965 based on 1,415,988 shares outstanding at year end, compared to \$2.60 in 1964, adjusted for the 10 per cent stock dividend declared in 1965.

COMMENTING on these operating results, Paul C. Johnson, president of Sealed Power, said, "In addition to the higher sales volume, the improvement in 1965 earnings reflects a reduction in federal income tax rates, which increased earnings about \$142,000 or \$.10 per share. These favorable factors, however, were partially offset by a pause in the growth rate of the replacement market and by higher labor costs resulting from wage increases put into effect during the year and heavy overtime schedules required to meet the strong demand for original equipment products."

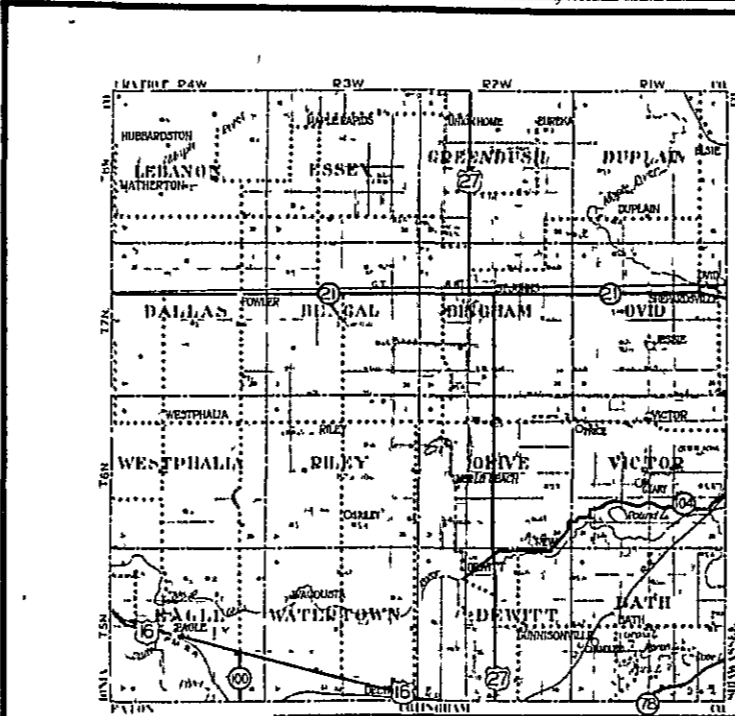
Regular quarterly dividends of \$.25 per share were paid in 1965. A 10 per cent stock dividend was also declared in 1965.

SEALED POWER'S investment in new facilities exceeded \$3,400,000 in 1965, and were the highest in the company's history. During the last five years more than \$12,000,000 has been invested to modernize, improve and expand facilities to keep abreast of market growth and to improve product quality and operating efficiency. Sealed Power believes these investments provide the understructure to maintain its competitive position in the automotive parts industry.

For some time market studies by Sealed Power have indicated that a line of engine bearings would complement its existing product lines and permit improved penetration of the replacement market. Accordingly, arrangements were completed during 1965 to supply engine bearings to this market. Actual marketing of bearings commenced in January 1966, and initial response has been most favorable.

LOOKING TO the future, Johnson said, "Informed sources indicate continued growth for the American economy in the year ahead and Sealed Power believes it will share in that growth. I would be less than candid, however, if I didn't comment that the road ahead looks a little rough. We are in a period of rapidly rising material and wage costs while competitive factors will not permit any significant increase in selling prices."

"We anticipate it will require increasing effort to maintain desired profit margins. To help offset the rising cost structure, we plan to expend \$3,000,000 in 1966 for new facilities to improve operating efficiencies. In addition, every effort will be made to control costs at all levels."



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AUCTION SALE

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Monday, April 4

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Minn.-Moline corn sheller and motor	3 rolls picket fence	
John Deere L manure spreader	50 wood fence posts	
IHC 4-bar side rake	Stock rack, 4' sides, fits 3/4-ton Ford pickup	
IHC 3-14" plows	Stock tank; bench grinder; bench vise	
John Deere 2-14" plows	Air compressor, paint hose and paint gun	
IHC 16-hoe grain drill on rubber	Numerous small items	
IHC rubber tired wagon		
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IHC 2-row corn planter		
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EDITORIAL PAGE

The last, firm 'No!'

Where do you draw the last line, say no and mean "NO?"

The King City, Calif., Rustler commented on this question a while back when high school students at a California school began talking about a "sit in" at the high school in response to action by faculty members regarding students' dress and hair styles.

Recently several boys who had adopted the current long hair fad begun by the Beatles and embraced by the beatniks, were told to leave school and get their hair cut. Most of them did so on their own accord.

SUBSEQUENTLY parents congratulated the administration for the act, saying they had tried for months to make the boys get haircuts.

Herein lies the question. Why should the school, which is primarily an institution geared to learning, be forced to assume the role of the parent in so personal a matter as a haircut?

In point of fact, all high schools throughout the country maintain a standard of decent, suitable dress and behavior which must be met by the student. Occasionally a student is sent home to change clothing to meet this standard and the event always receives publicity.

AGAIN THE SCHOOL must assume the parents' role.

The school is placed in the position of saying — and meaning — the last firm NO.

The law states that minors cannot buy cigarettes, yet businessmen sell them and

parents buy them for youths—and the school must say no. The law says teenagers may not drink, yet businessmen sell liquor to them and parents allow them to have it—and the school at its social functions must say no.

Youngsters complain that there isn't enough for them to do—so the schools sponsor a myriad of social events, dances, clubs, field trips, etc., in addition to providing some facilities for teaching them. If students receive poor grades, the parents blame the schools, and then another NO must be said.

THE STUDENTS' moral attitudes and behavior must be strengthened and protected by the school — again in the position of saying NO.

Some teenagers who have been encouraged to think for themselves and apply the knowledge they have are sincerely concerned about the state of the world in which they live and act out of conviction. There are others more easily led who have been impressed by the publicity received by those involved in civil disobedience, beatnik behavior and irresponsibility under the guise of "freedom."

If the school is to perform its major function in this or any other community, it must be allowed to use its facilities, its faculty and its time for educating our youth to take their places in society — prepared and confident that their efforts have a chance to succeed. This cannot happen if constant personal surveillance of each student is required of the school.

It is time for mother and father to say and mean — The Last Firm NO!

The important question for the American people

It will be a long time, if ever, before controversy over the deeds of the 89th Congress ends. And it will be a long time before the full effect, for good or ill, of the mass of unique legislation it passed is fully felt and understood.

But one thing is certain—the 89th has been a spender with a capital S. Time magazine reports succinctly: "In all the 89th spent \$119.3 billion—a total unprecedented in peace time, and one that will require decades to pay off; interest on this year's national debt alone came to \$11 billion."

IT NOW REMAINS to be seen what spending on this staggering scale will do to the dollar's worth. Federal deficits, as painful past experience tells us, are breeders of inflation. And ironically, inflation is the worst enemy of the people of small means whom much of the new legislation is supposed to help.

If the government cannot come near to balancing its budget in boom times, when tax revenues are at enormous levels, when can it? The dollar's value has been degraded by about half in the postwar years. What will be left of it a few years from now? No more important question than that confronts the American people.

WHY BOTHER to climb the ladder of success? Wait a while and the government will probably build you an escalator.

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RAMBLIN' with Rink

By LOWELL G. RINKER

The little elf pushed aside the low branch of an evergreen tree and looked into the clearing in the woods.
 "Pssst, Alfie, we got visitors," he whispered to a companion elf who stepped up silently behind him. "Two guys. Looks like they're out for a walk in our woods."
 Peering out from behind the branch, the two little ones watched as Ramblin Rink and brother Gary ambled across the clearing toward a small stream bubbling merrily toward Hart Lake. By the way the brothers moved along the banks of the stream and over the hilly terrain, the elves were aware the two had been here before, many times, at some date long ago.

IN A WAY known only to them, the elves signaled their compatriots, and soon the woods were fairly rustling as a whole colony of the little people watched the outsiders. They were certainly strangers, for the elves had inhabited the woods for 10 years and had not seen those two.

It had, indeed, been more than 10 years since Ramblin Rink and brother Rink had visited these particular woods on their boyhood and teenage adventure hikes. To those who didn't know them, the Rinker brothers could have passed off their walk March 20 as "A Scientific Expedition to Observe the Effects of Time and Age on the Behavior Patterns of Small Waterways and to Compare the Effects of Age of the Observer on Reckoned Distances."

TO THOSE who knew them, they merely wanted to see how much of their old stamping grounds had changed.

The elves watching from the underbrush sensed this as they watched the two stop periodically to point out an old land-

mark and launch into a "Remember when . . ." dialogue.
 The paths along the bank were still well worn, signs that other young feet were finding the same joys of boyhood along the creek that the brothers had found years before. The stream still would back and forth through the small valley; the same deep holes existed behind logs in the stream; the wide places in the creek were still too wide to jump "Pine Island," where the \$1.50 treasure chest had been buried, was still there with its plies. New logs across the stream made new bridges, new fishing holes, and new sand bars, but the world of the woods "back toward Hawley's dam" hadn't changed much.

THE ELVES, watching from concealment, had just about decided to go back to their previous Sunday afternoon play, when the Rinker brothers took up woodland pole vaulting. It was good they stayed around, for the elves had never laughed harder than they did in the next few minutes.

Brother Gary found a large pole branch of a tree, and he vaulted smoothly across a wide spot in the stream. He flipped the pole back across for Ramblin Rink. There was one false start. Then, cutting through the spring air like a razor, the thin man sped toward the bank, launched himself, wobbling, into the air and slid down the pole into two feet of water.

HE SLOSHED over to the bank and dumped out two bootfuls of water, laughing so hard the brothers didn't hear the tittering of the woodland elves.

No, things hadn't changed much in the woods "back toward Hawley's dam." Ramblin Rink still couldn't pole vault across a creek. Just like the old days.

— Rink

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Thinks good movie house wonderful idea

ON THE SUBJECT of a good movie house downtown, I think it would be a wonderful idea. I remember when it used to be open and really enjoyed it. My husband works long hours and doesn't arrive home until 7 p.m. or later, so you can see it's hard for us to go out of town to a movie.

My two youngest girls, age 11 and 10, have never been to an indoor movie because of this. My two teenage girls have to go out of town on dates to see movies, and in bad weather it causes a lot of worry.

I really think with good movies being shown and good supervision it would prove out profitable. I know even I would enjoy being able to go.

Thank You.
 MRS GERALD PRICE

3648 N. Airport Road
 St. Johns

'The haunted house' haunted frequently

AN OLD, DESERTED house just south of Shepardsville makes a big hit with the teenagers. All of the students at Rodney B. Wilson High School are talking about "the haunted house." Boys and girls go out to it every night, many to find the great disappointment of a shotgun facing them.

Some run into gangs from other schools. Those who are more familiar with the place go up at night with girls. One boy says "I've been up there four days out of the week. It's a blast."

TWO COUPLES went up to the house recently just to find a man armed with a shotgun. The man was affiliated with the owner. They will be receiving a fine and will be put in the children's detention home. One of the girls said it was really exciting. I think the

Letters to the editor must be signed with name and address and should be as brief as possible. Names will be withheld on request. Deadline for letters to the editor is Friday noon of week preceding publication. The County News reserves the right to edit letters insofar as grammar, punctuation and libelous material are concerned. Letters on all subjects are welcomed.

Kids should know what they are getting into.

If you could hear just a couple of the things that go on in that house, every mother and father would shriek with terror. Every day these things go on, but nobody does anything about it. Parents laugh it off, teachers laugh it off, but does the police force laugh it off?

TEENAGERS SAY they've got it made. There are no houses for miles around, and it's located on an isolated, one-lane road. If no one pays any attention to this, how is anything going to be done about it. The teenagers are right — they have got it made.

KEN LADUKE

206 N. Mead Street
 St. Johns.

Florida vacationers enjoyed getting CCN

I HAVE ENJOYED having our county paper in Florida this winter so we didn't get behind the times. It was a little late but we got it just the same. I think the Florida post offices do well with all the strangers in their midst. We leave the 28th of March, so send from that date on to R-4, Box 14, Lansing, Mich., 48906.

GLENN and RUTH OLIVER

EDITOR'S NOTE: Welcome back; we hope the weather is better when you get here than it was last Thursday when we got your card: snowing like fury!

STRICTLY FRESH

The best recipe for an after-dinner speech is to



to add a good portion of shortening.

The best flings in life are not free.

With every financial setback is likely to come a new circle of friends.

It's still a good idea for a young man to go west, if he can figure out where to exit on the freeway.

Marriage, in a lot of cases, is just friendship that got out of hand.

A bus always seems to go faster when you're on it than when you're waiting for it.



from the HOPPER

By STEVE HOPKO



IN THE LAST couple of weeks there has been a lot of discussion and concern over the proposed new high school for our children.

Of course, when things like this are announced and discussion begins you always hear from the negative side first, loudest and longest. For it seems that these are the ones who, through ignorance or misunderstanding, seem to want to be heard above all others.

THE NEGATIVE thinkers of the world, and we can read about them everyday, are the ones who yell the loudest, as if in making the most noise they will swing the thinking of the affirmatives to their side. As we can see in our past history, this can be done, but those who change sides because of the noise and insinuations are really only those who have not spent the time to look into the situation, get the facts and decide which is the right answer.

Our school election is still six weeks away. There is time for each and every property owner in St. Johns to study the situation and come to a decision. For this question like many, is not to be given one quick thought and then forgotten about.

THERE ARE many reasons as to why we, in St. Johns, should have a new school. The foremost reasons being that the majority of schools we have in our city today are old, overcrowded and antiquated.

The majority of our schools were not built by this generation or the past generation, but by our grandfathers generation. These schools were highly competent buildings for the year in which they were built, but even they had not the foresight to visualize that 60 to 80 years later we would be using these same facilities with the school children quadrupled in number.

THERE ARE very few people around who can remember when East Ward or Central School was built. These schools are still in use although they have been condemned time and again as fire hazards, but then restored to meet the requirements for another couple of years.

Ruripides, who lived in 484 to 406 B.C. said, "Who neglects learning in his youth, loses the past and is dead for the future." This I believe, for without an adequate education our youth of today will have no future. To give our youth the education he needs, we must, in our time, provide the necessary facilities to ensure that all of the children of this community receives the best that he is entitled to.

CAECILIUS Statius, 220-168 B.C. said, "He plants trees to benefit another generation." Adequate school facilities can be the trees of the present generation to the future generation of this city. For almost everything we do, we do for our children in hopes that they will have a better life. We have the ability

See HOPPER page 3-C

A Look Into The Past . . .



Tornadoes Caused Problems in 1902, Too

William Rice of R-1, St. Johns, is one of the few persons in Clinton County who has come through a tornado to tell about it. He was in this one which flattened or tore apart the barn on his father's farm. He, his father, Otis Rice, and brother Clayton Rice were in the barn when the twister hit on May 2, 1902. They all escaped injury.

MICHIGAN MIRROR

Constitution changes needed to break 'vicious circle'



BY ELMER E. WHITE
Michigan Press Assn.

Four short years from now a vicious circle will begin again unless some alteration is made in the 1963 State Constitution.

In the past two years it has been undeniably shown that eight partisan, evenly divided, cannot objectively divide the state into legislative districts as dictated by the Constitution.

Now that the apportionment problem has twice produced deadlocks and been in the courts more than once, it is easy to look back and say the Constitutional Convention delegates should have known better.

PROVISION WAS made for the two major parties to designate their own members to the Apportionment Commission. No one could blame them for selecting faithful party followers.

Wording the Constitution permitted each four-member group to propose a plan. The other group almost automatically challenged the validity of its opposition.

Former Governor Wilber M. Brucker, Republican appointee to the commission, defined the situation: "We originate from opposite political faiths and we come here hoping by some miracle we can agree. It's impossible."

THE FIRST apportionment commission did generally agree on one thing: that its formation process held a fatal defect.

Brucker and other members of the commission indicated some elected state official with power to break the inevitable tie should be named commission chairman.

This might swing apportion-

ment to favor one party or the other, but Brucker and other commissioners said that ninth member, who would be directly responsible to the voters, would be more likely to take an objective view of legislative redistricting.

A BALLOT BOX fringe benefit, the ability to raise one's own pay, is back in the spotlight in the Michigan Legislature.

Last year the House gave a 56-49 vote of approval to a \$5,000 annual salary increase. The boost was stopped in the Senate largely because of strong opposing sentiment voiced in constituents' letters and local newspaper columns.

Gov. George Romney's promise to veto any legislative pay raise also stifled further consideration of the boost then. It was decided instead to appoint a citizens committee to study the matter.

METHODS OF lawmaking, time spent and many other factors were considered by the citizens group headed by University of Michigan Professor James K. Pollock and State AFL-CIO Chief August Scholle. Now their work is done.

It came as a surprise to some that the committee should say that perhaps the Legislature wasn't too far off the value mark in 1965 when the \$5,000 raise proposal passed through one house.

A boost of this size would put Michigan lawmakers far above the pay scales in most other states, with a \$15,000 base pay plus \$2,500 expenses.

SOME OTHER states also pro-

vide funds, over and above salary levels, for legislators to maintain local district offices. There have been overtones here that a serious request for home office funds will be made soon.

Major boosts in the legislative pension plan have been proposed as well.

YOUTHS WHO have sufficient desire for a college education and the necessary ability should encounter little difficulty getting it.

This is essentially what Michigan State University President John A. Hannah has told thousands of Michigan residents. It's quite likely the same is true at other institutions as well.

Hannah has said every Michigan resident attending MSU will be guaranteed help in obtaining all the financial aid he can show he needs.

WILLINGNESS TO disclose family financial status, work during vacations and possibly in the school year, and loans are three keys to Hannah's aid-for-all program.

A key factor in the MSU chief's announcement is found in the fact that the University has had no appreciable increase in scholarship funds of previous years.

Additional money has become available under a new federal law, but Hannah's announcement generally indicates the opportunity for widespread financial aid has existed for some time.

Students need only look for assistance and, in some cases, be willing to gamble against future earning power being enhanced by a learn-now-pay-later plan.

DI-ET

By WARREN DOBSON

If you incline to be obese,
If food somehow provokes increase,
If intake simply turns to grease,
Then Quit!

If finest vlands you do crave,
Beware lest you become their slave,
And your teeth dig an early grave,
Watch It!

If you have quite a yen for pie,
If sweets and gravies don't get by,
Then brother you are gon'na die!
Obit!

PRESCRIPTION

'Ere eating try this simple test—
Take every treat you like the best—
Remove it as you would a pest—
Way Out!

Replace it in your pantry store,
With goods you just don't care much for—
You're not so apt to ask for more—
No doubt!

From all first choices you desist,
Select from a restricted list—
Lest you be tempted to resist—
All Out!

FOLLOW UP

Take daily note of bathroom scale—
Aim for a form sylph-like and frail—
Even though it leave you wan and pale,
Keep Fit!

Keep on good terms with your M.D.,
On payments try hard to agree—
Do not refuse him his just fee—
One Whiff!

Try what the doctor says to do—
Remember when his work is thru—
The undertaker waits for you—
Exit!

The "Low Down"

From the Congressional Record

By Joe Crump



The speaker laid before the House the following message from the President of the United States; which was read and referred to the committee of the Whole House on the state of the union and ordered to be printed. (Excerpts follow):

"The 1st session of the 89th Congress launched a major effort to save American's water resources.

"It authorized quality standards for all interstate waters.

"It provided — in the Water Pollution Control Act of 1965 — new resources for treating the wastes from our cities.

"We mean to make full use of these new instruments.

"I PROPOSE THAT we begin now to clean and preserve entire river basins from their sources to their mouths.

"Standards, however, mean little without the power to enforce them. Existing federal authority to abate water pollution is unnecessarily time consuming, complex in procedure, and limited in jurisdiction. Steps must be taken to simplify and strengthen these procedures.

"I recommend that —

1) The Water Pollution Control Act be amended to eliminate the two mandatory six-month delays that unnecessarily burden its procedures;

2) The federal government have authority immediately to bring suit to stop pollution, when that pollution constitutes an imminent danger to public health or welfare;

3) MORE WEIGHT be given by the courts to the evidence

produced in administrative enforcement hearings;

4) The federal government have the right to subpoena witnesses to appear at administrative hearings.

5) The secretary be given the right to initiate enforcement proceedings when pollution occurs in navigable waters, intrastate or interstate;

6) Registration be required of all existing or potential sources of major pollution and US officials be given the right to inspect such sources; and

7) Private citizens be allowed to bring suit in Federal court to seek relief from pollution.

"THESE ARE STRONG measures. But the menace of pollution requires them.

"It poses a major threat to the quality of life in our country."

A GRASSROOTS COMMENT

It's apparent that time is running out for those who continue to pollute our streams and rivers.

Local officials, many times, in attempts to sidetrack complaints, have asked the federal government for financial help.

The "buck-passing" has now brought the federal government directly into the picture — J.C.

Consumers Power Co. is directly involved in three of North America's largest nuclear power projects, all designed to put the atom to work to help make electricity for Michigan's citizens. The projects are the Enrico Fermi plant near Monroe, the Big Rock Point plant near Charlevoix, and the Palisades plant in Covert Township, Van Buren County, just outside of South Haven.

City of St. Johns

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

A Public Hearing will be held on **April 5, 1966 at 7:30 p.m.**

In the Municipal Building, St. Johns, Michigan. Hearing to be held for the purpose of considering an ordinance which would amend the zoning ordinance (No. 187) of the City of St. Johns, Michigan.

Proposed ordinance would amend the zoning map by changing the zoning from (R-1) single family to (G. C.) General Commercial of a parcel of land located south of Sturgis Street, west of Scott Road, and northeast of US-27.

DONALD H. CLARK, City Clerk
City of St. Johns, Michigan 48-2

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 2, 1966

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

Greenbush Township

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

Bingham Township

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

Lebanon Township

At the New Town Hall at 1:30 p.m.
EUGENE TABOR
Clerk

Dallas Township

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

Olive Township

At the Town Hall at 2 p.m.
HILARY SIMON
Clerk

DeWitt Township

At Town Hall No. 1 in DeWitt Village at 8 p.m.
WARDEN KYES
Clerk

Riley Township

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

Duplain Township

At the American Legion Hall in Elsie at 2 p.m.
KELLEY E. CARTER
Clerk

Victor Township

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

Eagle Township

At the Town Hall at 8:00 p.m.
E. BARD FISH
Clerk

Watertown Township

At the Town Hall at 1 p.m.
RUBY SAXTON
Clerk

Essex Township

At the Village Hall in Maple Rapids at 1:30 p.m.
VERNE UPTON
Clerk

Westphalia Township

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

Dated:

MARCH 15, 1966

in the Townships listed herewith

COUNTRY FLAVOR

True robin redbreast is native of Old World



HAYDEN PEARSON

Each person has his favorite sign of spring. Some judge by the pussy willows, some by the rising of the sap, and some by the return of the wild geese. But spring arrives for many on that March day when they hear the first carols of the robins from the old orchard behind the barn. There is a heartiness in the clear song — an optimism that strikes a responsive chord in the heart.

Our robin is not a robin. The true robin redbreast is a native of the Old World, a bird about

the size of a bluebird. This is the robin one meets so frequently in European literature. Our robin is a thrush, but the English pioneers named it the robin in remembrance of the bird that was common on the English countryside.

PROBABLY ROBIN redbreast is the best known of all our birds. It is a bird that prefers an environment around homes and farmsteads. Most of them go south in winter, but it is not uncommon for them to spend the

cold period in the northland, feeding on berries and weed seeds. The nest has a base of mud, lined with grass. The eggs are a pale bluish green. One of the appealing sights on the lawn is to watch a mother, followed by three or four awkward, fluffy-feathered young, hoping for the worm that the mother pulls from the soil.

Through sunny March days the robins sound their clear, far-carrying carols. Sugar snows may whiten the land the rough winds bludgeon the fields and hillsides, but the robins take it in stride. Soon nest building will begin, but for an interlude the redbreasts spend time making music while they hunt for food. True spring is still a distance away, but when the carols sound in the warming air, the countryman knows that spring cannot be far behind.

HOPPER . . .

Continued from page 2-C to provide them with a better educational system, but whether we do or not is up to ourselves.

Again I would like to quote from I Corinthians, XIII. 11 "When I was a child, I spake as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child; but when I became a man, I put away childish things." The property owners of St. Johns are all adults. They should make this decision on our schools with the consideration an adult is suppose to have for his fellow human being, especially his own children.

The Trash Can

A little elbow grease now may save a lot of grief from fire later. Best prescription for Spring Clean-Up is a good, vigorous clean-out of trash — one of the smartest things you can do to keep your home and your family safe from fire. It's smarter still if you repeat the job at regular intervals throughout the year. Almost everyone's attic, closets and basement get to be the final resting place for clothing, or draperies, or lamp shades, or mattresses — the list is a long one — which seem to be too valuable at the moment to be thrown away. Every bit of it is fuel for destructive fire. So add a trash can to the three tools you probably are using this Spring — broom, rake and paintbrush.

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City of St. Johns PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

As per resolution of the City Commission of the City of St. Johns, Michigan a Public Hearing of Necessity for the installation of curb and gutter is to be held on

April 5, 1966 at 7:30 p.m.
in the Municipal Building, St. Johns, Michigan.

Properties which abutt or are adjacent to the following blocks will be especially benefited:

- Ottawa Street from Gibbs Street to Lewis Street.
- Ottawa Street from Lewis Street to Floral Ave.
- Oakland Street from Lincoln Street to Gibbs Street.
- Oakland Street from Mead Street to US-27.
- Mead Street from Lincoln Street to Gibbs Street.
- Swegles Street from Steel Street to Gibbs Street.
- Lincoln Street from Mead Street to Swegles Street.
- Traver Street from Higham Street to Railroad Street.
- Elm Street from Clinton Ave. to Oakland Street.
- Kibbee Street from Traver Street to Sturgis Street.
- Sturgis Street from US-27 to Scott Road.
- Swegles Street from Oak Street to a point 700 feet South.
- Baldwin Street from Morton Street to the City limits.
- McConeil Street from Morton Street to the City limits.

DONALD H. CLARK, City Clerk
City of St. Johns, Michigan

Time to check tile outlet

By LLOYD B. CAMPBELL
U.S. Soil Conservation Service

Well-drained soils warm up faster than saturated soils. The soil will not be well drained if the tile outlet is plugged with root hairs, grass, etc. or if the outlet pipe is below the water level in the ditch. The tile outlet must be able to run all winter to keep the water table flattened and the soil free from excess water for the spring sun to bring soil temperatures up for rapid germination.

Crops may be affected in a number of ways by high water tables or excess soil moisture. Some affect root development— aeration and temperature of the soil, nutrient uptake, and plant diseases.

THE ROOTS OF most cultivated crops will not penetrate saturated soil areas. When a rising water table inundates a root, there is usually an early change in the appearance of the crop, re-

flecting changes in the ability of the root to function properly.

The specific heat of water is 1,000 at 15 degrees centigrade. The specific heat of dry mineral soils averages 0.20. That means that raising the temperature of a unit volume of water one degree requires five times the heat units required to raise an equal volume of dry mineral soil the same amount.

The higher the moisture content of the soil, therefore, the greater is the amount of heat required to raise its temperature. The rapid evaporation of water from a saturated soil also has a cooling effect—it takes 580 calories of heat to transform 1 gram of water from the liquid state to a gaseous state. This effect of excess moisture on soil temperature is particularly serious during the period when seeds germinate. Low soil temperatures usually restrict the branching and development of the fine roots.

THE ABSORPTION and synthesis of organic materials, translocation of food materials within the root system, and respiration all depend on the temperature of the soil.

When low temperatures accompany poor aeration, plant roots lack the vigor necessary to resist infection. Root rot, and smuts are examples of infectious organisms that flourish when temperatures are low and moisture is excessive. Disease is usually most severe at temperatures that are otherwise unfavorable to the seedlings.

EFFECTIVE surface drainage is particularly important where excess surface water is a problem. Better surface drainage will make a tile system do its work better, enabling the soil to warm up more rapidly. Check your tile outlets and make sure they are removing the water from your fields.

Probably need fewer calories in future

As life becomes more mechanized, people tend to "do less" and gain more weight. A Michigan State University foods and nutrition specialist says future generations may have to "watch those calories" even more carefully than people presently do. The specialist predicts that caloric allowances may be reduced 7 per cent in the next 15 years in an effort to balance actively with calorie needs.

Michigan has adopted the US Public Health Service recommendations for the production of Grade A Milk. The new law becomes effective July 1, 1966. A Michigan State University specialist says the USPH recommendations provide the most up-to-date standards in the United States.

Corn silage can be fed as the only source of roughage to dairy cows without sacrificing milk production, a Michigan State University dairy scientist reports.



Tile Outlets Should Be Kept Clear

Says farm commodity programs in line with US food program

Farmers can make their decisions for participation in commodity programs this year with the assurance that 1966-crop objectives are in line with US food policy as outlined in President Johnson's message on food for freedom, Frank Light, chairman of the State ASC Committee pointed out this week.

The President proposed two bills — one to establish commodity reserves and another to amend and retain the best parts of PL 480. These bills will be debated by Congress and will, if passed, become effective January 1967, Chairman Light has been informed by US Department of Agriculture officials.

AFTER THEY become effective, additional time would elapse before agreements could be developed with other countries to provide self-help program implemented with US food aid. As for reserves, the message noted it is not likely any purchases to build up reserves would be needed during the first year.

While pointing to the 60 million acres now in conservation uses as "major emergency reserve," the message cautioned that this acreage would not be brought back into production to produce unwanted surpluses or to supplement efforts of other countries to develop their own agricultural economies.

For the immediate future, there is urgent need to reduce the carry-over stocks of feed grains and cotton, as Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman recently pointed out. For other commodities, the built-in flexibility of the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965 and other farm legislation provides the means to react swiftly to changing conditions as demonstrated by recent program modifications affecting soybeans, rice, and wheat.

ONLY SPRING wheat producers will not be offered the opportunity to divert wheat acreage for payment. This could encourage some increased wheat acreage. The expected supply of wheat of more than 2 billion bushels for the coming year is more than ample to meet needs. Going into the new marketing year, the carryover of wheat added to sizable 1966-crop production will be more than sufficient to meet a year's domestic food and seed use.

Farmers who participate in the voluntary feed grain program will be able to plant soybeans on per-

mitted feed grain acreage and continue to earn feed grain price-support payments as if they had planted feed grains. This will enable farmer to shift acreage to soybeans from feed grains for which production possibilities continue to outstrip foreseeable needs.

A major proportion of yearly acreage diversion is accounted for by feed grains and if the supply is to be kept in balance with needs, feed grain acreage diversion by program participants must stay at high levels, officials said.

FOR RICE, the acreage allotment level will be 20 per cent above the minimum acreage specified by agricultural legislation. This will bring a record level of production and will provide more than 55 million hundredweight of rice to cover commercial dollar exports plus anticipated food aid needs. At the same time, domestic needs of about 31 million hundredweight will be met and a reserve of 7 to 9 million hundredweight will be maintained.


The need is urgent to move toward reducing the cotton surplus which will climb to a record 16 1/2 million bales this July, Light said. The new acreage diversion program authorized by the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965 provides the means to reduce cotton production and the surplus while maintaining producers' incomes.

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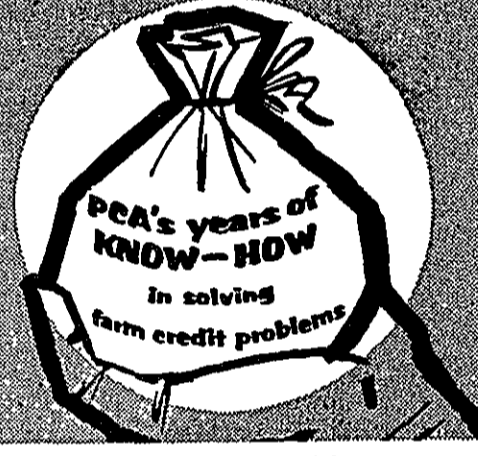
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4H CLUB NEWS

By ALVIN ROOT, Extension 4-H Agent in Clinton County

It's up front and on stage for hundreds of our Clinton County 4-H Club girls taking part in the annual 4-H Dress Revue programs. Our older girls will style their creations on Friday, April 1, starting at 8 p.m. We certainly want our friends to know, too, that some of the girls will be modeling their knitted garments.

The dress revue is an educational opportunity for our 4-H club girls. Girls learn stage presents and composure, how to walk properly and present their costumes to the best advantage. In the style revues the emphasis is on the girl and how she presents herself in her costume. Right along with all of the work that has gone into the making of the dress girls are now working toward awards that are offered for a good performance and achievement in the club work.

AT THE DRESS revues some of our girls will be named to the county honor group. It's during the 4-H Spring Achievement exhibit time that many of our young people will be selected for trip awards and other recognition.

Saturday, April 2, is the date for the 4-H Young Miss Revue. The girls will start across the stage at 10 a.m. Following the Young Miss Revue is the Junior Miss Style Revue at 2 p.m. All girls are asked to be on hand one-half hour early.

Parents are especially urged to back up their leaders and boys and girls in their 4-H work, especially at this time of the year.

SPRING IS here and I would like to back up what Mrs Ray Peck of Elsie has to say about gardens. Flower and garden projects come under the area of horticulture which is the study of plants and how they grow.

Mrs Peck recently returned from a horticulture training ses-

NOTICE OF PROPOSED BANK MERGER

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D.C., 20220, for his consent to a merger of Clinton National Bank and Trust Company, St. Johns, St. Johns, Michigan, and Fowler State Bank, Fowler, Michigan.

It is contemplated that all offices of the above-named banks will continue to be operated.

This notice is published pursuant to section 18(c) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act.

Dated: March 3, 1966

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ASC PROGRAM

1965 wool incentive payment rates announced

The Department of Agriculture announced March 22 that the incentive payment for wool sold during the period Jan. 1 through Dec. 31, 1965, will be 31.6 percent of the dollar value each producer received for his wool sold during this period.

This will mean that a payment of \$31.60 will be made to each wool producer for every hundred dollars he received from the sale of wool for the past year, provided he applied for this payment prior to Jan. 31 of this year.

THE WOOL PAYMENT rate for 1965 was determined on the basis of the difference between the national average price per pound received by growers for their wool sold and the 62 cents per pound incentive level or guaranteed price announced by the Department of Agriculture for 1965. The average price was based on

prices growers received and reported on their applications for payment.

The payments made in our county for wool under the National Wool Act for the 1964 marketing year amounted to \$7,835.74.

The unshorn lamb incentive payment will be 60 cents per hundredweight of 11 ve lambs sold during the 1965 marketing year to all producers who have an application for payment on file in our office. This 60 cents per hundredweight is to compensate producers for the wool grown on lambs that they have sold.

INCENTIVE payments made for unshorn lambs in our county for the 1964 marketing year was \$1,918.73.

I urge wheat producers who have wheat loans to keep track



W. M. SMITH
County ASC Manager

of the wheat market; wheat loans will mature March 31. Warehouse wheat loans that are not repaid before March 31 will become Commodity Credit Corp. property on April 1, 1966.

March 24 we sold 8,000 bushels of corn from our Elsie binsite. High bid accepted was \$1.25 1/4 per bushel and low bid accepted was \$1.23 per bushel. We have 9,000 bushel offered for sale March 31 from our Elsie binsite. Bids must be in our office by 3:30 p.m. on that day. Anyone interested in this corn should contact our office for details.

OUR COUNTY office will be open Saturdays, April 2 and 9, from 8 a.m. to noon to accommodate those who cannot come in during our regular workweek and have the wheat and feed grain programs explained.

Remember, April 15 is the last day to sign up to participate in the 1966 wheat and feed grain programs.

Farmers must train and supervise help

There is a lot of difference between farmers as employers. That's the observation of John Doneth, farm management specialist in the Department of Agricultural Economics at Michigan State University.

"Labor likes to work for some, and doesn't work well for others. I don't think there is any doubt but what more time must be spent by the farmer as an employer in training, giving more specific and clearer job instructions and in demonstrating the work to be done. The farmer needs to spend more time supervising the work initially, as well as when the worker is on his own. After that he should keep a healthy interest in what the employee is doing and how."

DONETH SAYS he realizes this is easier said than done where some workers are involved in piece work.

Doneth thinks wages and living conditions are very important. But he thinks "how good a farmer you are and how good an executive and labor manager you are" represent key factors in successful operation.

Giving attention to families of hired laborers, especially at critical times, can also frequently pay big dividends, the farm management specialist explains.

Dairy cow census shows drop

Michigan's dairy cow census is falling at an alarming rate, Paul Wilkes, executive secretary of the Michigan Dairy Herd Improvement Assn. (DHIA), said last Thursday.

Michigan lost 33,000 cows during 1965, in comparison with a loss of 4,000 a year earlier, he reported.

At this rate of decline, 1980 cow census estimates will have been reached within four years, the former MSU extension dairyman told a DHIA conference at The Kellogg Center for Continuing Education.

WILKES SAW the farm labor shortage as a major cause for the decline.

The reduction in dairy cattle will affect many related industries, among them the DHIA, he said.

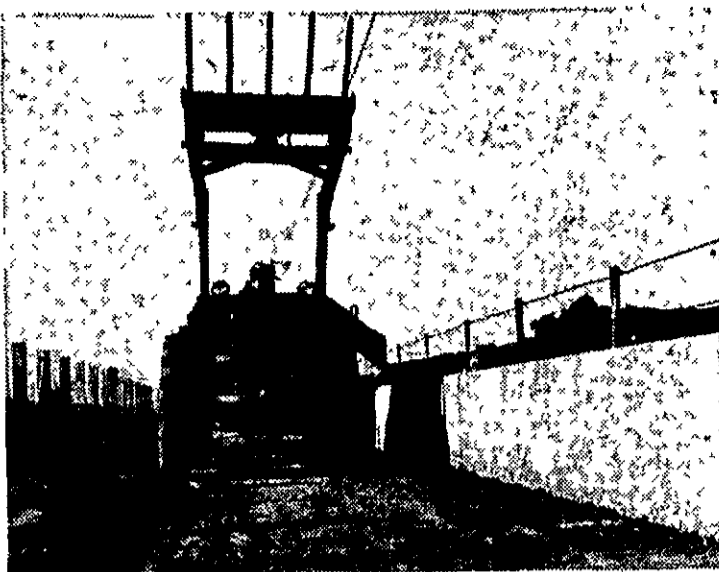
Paved feed alleys pay for themselves

Growing number of beef cattle feeders are installing concrete feed alleys and lanes for their operations. There are sound reasons why so many feeders are sold on paved lanes for perimeter and fence-line feeding.

Concrete feed alleys prevent costly delays and reduce labor needed for cattle feeding, especially during wet or snowy weather. Muddy alleys are often impassable for tractors and feed wagons. When this happens, it may be necessary to move cattle for feeding—and that's time consuming.

PAVED FEED alleys are also important for feedlots during dry weather and in areas with low annual rainfall. Dust from vehicle traffic can cause serious problems. Dust can cause respiratory disorders that impair weight gains in cattle. Cattleman often call it "dust pneumonia." Irritating dust is discomforting to feedlot workers—affecting their performance and health.

So paved feed alleys pay for



Paved feed alleys prevent costly delays and reduce labor requirements for beef cattle feeders and dairymen. Confinement of livestock, along with perimeter and fence-line feeding, have sold many producers on the need for concrete paved alleys. These installations eliminate mud problems and reduce irritating dust.

themselves in time, labor, convenience, and reduced respiratory diseases in cattle.

Feed alley paving should be 4 to 6 inches thick, depending on

the weight of loads it needs to support. Concrete should be increased to 10 inches thick where vehicles are driven onto the concrete. Quality concrete is a must for paved feed alleys.

Dynamic Minnesotan here for NFO dinner

Arnold Paulson, a Granite Falls, Minn., businessman who for several years has expressed a concern over what he sees as "a rapid decline in the rural economy of America," will be guest speaker at the Clinton County NFO public dinner April 6 at Smith Hall.

Paulson will address the audience about 8:45 p.m. A roast beef dinner, under the direction of Ann Giffels and Lois Bracey, will be served from 5-8 p.m.

Tickets for the dinner are available from NFO members or at the door. No tickets are required for persons who want only to hear Paulson's talk.

PAULSON WILL speak "The Decline in the Rural Economy." The NFO has invited farmers, businessmen, clergy and civic leaders, as well as the general public, to attend, with a particular invitation to businessmen and civic leaders.

"It's impossible to comprehend what is taking place (in the rural economy)," Paulson says, "unless a person takes the time and effort to completely evaluate the serious problems that confront every rural community."

Paulson has been in great demand as a speaker throughout the 12 Midwestern states and is currently one of the most sought-after speakers in the country. Speaking on the economic stability and development of rural America, Paulson has done considerable research, and has facts and figures to back up his start-



ARNOLD PAULSON

ling claims of injustice to rural America.

PAULSON SAYS, "We have been living in a fools paradise; we have been sleeping longer than Rip Van Winkle and just as sound. What the people in rural America don't know—they just don't know. Unless we pull our heads out of the sand and quit acting like an ostrich—take the time to be bothered by facts—find out what has already taken place and the serious situation we are in—and take immediate action—we and our rural way of life are doomed!" Paulson was alerted to these problems and conditions while working with communities attempting to attract industry to stimulate their economy—work-

ing with communities who have resolved to "Grow rather than Die."

"If we, the people living in rural America," says Paulson, "are not interested enough to take the time to study our problem, WHO WILL?"

PAULSON WAS named Minnesota's Outstanding Young Man in 1950. He served as state president of the Minnesota Junior Chamber of Commerce in 1952-53. He was national Americanism chairman of the US Jaycees in 1953-54. He was past president of the Granite Falls, Minn., Chamber of Commerce and president of the Granite Falls Junior Chamber of Commerce in 1950 when it was named the outstanding chapter in the nation.

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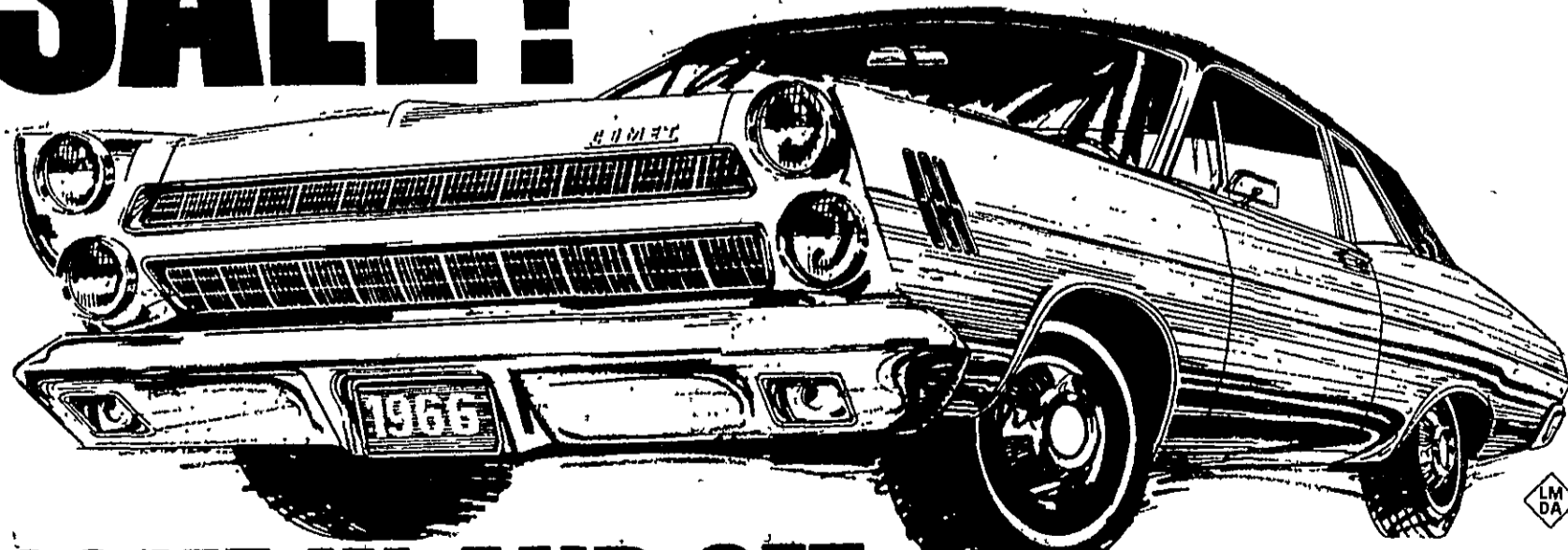
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Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

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

St. Johns Area

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Keith A. Bovee, Minister
Palm Sunday
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
9:30 a.m.—Church School
10:30 a.m.—Coffee Hour
11 a.m.—Morning Worship, Sermon: "The Way of the Cross"
Wednesday, March 30
6:30 p.m.—Last Lenten potluck supper
The Eureka Congregational Church will present the program.
Thursday, March 31
8:30 a.m.—Men's Lenten Breakfast
3:30 p.m.—Carol Choir rehearsal
4 p.m.—Chapel Choir rehearsal
Saturday, April 1
10 a.m.—Confirmation Class meets with Rev. Bovee
Tuesday, April 5
8 p.m.—Ester Circle meets with Mrs. George Pierson
8 p.m.—Rebecca Circle meets with Mrs. Edward Ernst
8 p.m.—Sara-Louise Circle meets with Mrs. Gerald Atkinson
7 p.m.—Boy Scouts
Wednesday, April 6
3:30 p.m.—Girl Scouts

PRICE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. John C. Huhala
10 a.m.—Church School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship, Sermon topic April 3: "A Fleckle Heart"
SHEPARDVILLE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. John C. Huhala
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship, Sermon topic April 3: "A Fleckle Heart"
11 a.m.—Church School

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Gerald Churchill, Minister
Wednesday, March 30
7:30 a.m.—Lenten Breakfast for high school youth
8:45 p.m.—Girl Scout Troop 429
7 p.m.—Boy Scout Troop 8
7:30 p.m.—"Conversations on Church Membership" for high school young people and adults.
8 p.m.—Senior Choir rehearsal
Thursday, March 31
3:45 p.m.—Youth Choir rehearsal
7:30 p.m.—Christian Education Committee

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Roger Ernest, Pastor
512 S. Whitmore St. (South US-27)
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, William DeWayne, Supt.
11:00 a.m.—The Morning Worship Service
11:00 a.m.—Junior Church
7:00 p.m.—The Evening Worship Service
Nursery for babies; playground for toddlers during Sunday School, morning and evening worship services
8:00 p.m.—Junior Youth Fellowship, Mr. and Mrs. Head Phillips, Directors
8:00 p.m.—Senior Youth Fellowship (Wednesdays)
The Second Monday—Monthly Deacons Meeting
The First Tuesday—Ladies' Missionary Society
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Mass Schedule: Weekday Mornings: 7:30 and 8:15, Holy Communion at 7:15. Weekday Evenings: Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 7:15. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at 5:30. Sundays—8:00, 7:30, 9:00 (High Mass October through May), 10:30 and 12:00 noon.
Holy Days—6:00 and 8:00 a.m.: 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.
Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays: 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. and 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. After Novena on Tuesday.
First Fridays—Sacrament of Penance: Thursday from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m.; 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. Friday: During all Masses.
Holy Communion—6:00 and 7:15 p.m.: 7:30 p.m. Devotions.
Masses—7:30 and 8:15 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament—Beginning with Holy Hour at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.
Religion Instruction Classes—Adult Instruction and Inquiry Class: 8:00 p.m. June through August; Monday and Wednesday through Friday, 7:15 p.m. May; Monday and Thursday, High School Students: Wednesday at 8:00 p.m. Public Catechism for Children: Saturday at 10:00 a.m.
Baptisms—Each Sunday at 1:30 p.m. by appointment.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner of East Walker and Mead Sts.
Rev. Hugh E. Banning, Pastor
Rectory, 224-2500 Office 224-2583
1st Sunday of Month—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon
Other Sundays—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon
Fall Schedule
10:30 a.m.—Nursery School
11 a.m.—Church School, kindergarten to 6th grade
ST. JOHN'S BAPTIST TEMPLE
400 E. State Street
Rev. Roy Green, Pastor
Sunday School at 10 a.m., with classes for all ages. Teaching from the Book of Revelations.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Sunday, 6 p.m., study hour, with adult group, young people's group and 1st Cadets group.
Sunday, 7 p.m., evangelistic message.
Wednesday at 7, prayer meeting and study hour.
ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
US-27 at Sturgis Street
Rev. Theodore C. Moeller, Jr.
9 a.m.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class. H.S. Bible Class at 10:15 a.m.
10:15 a.m.—Divine Worship, Holy Communion first Sunday of the month. Church nursery
8 p.m.—Ladies' Guild, first Thursday of each month
7:30 p.m.—Lutheran Women's Missionary League, third Wednesday of each month
7:15 p.m., Wednesdays—Midweek Lenten Services at 7:15 p.m. Thursdays—Midweek Lenten Services
Adult information courses held at the convenience of interested parties. Phone 224-7400 for specific information. Church office hours: Tuesday through Friday, 9-12. Telephone 224-2544.
SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS
583 North Lansing Street
Elder, B. K. Mills, Pastor
Services held on Saturday
8:15 a.m.—Church Service
10:30 a.m.—Sabbath School Service

Maple Rapids Area

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
315 North Lansing Street
Rev. Eldon Raymond, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
8:15 p.m.—Young People's Service
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Prayer meeting

CHURCH OF GOD
Whitmore and Railroad on US-27
Rev. Duane Brewbaker, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
8:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Adult Prayer group
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting; choir practice 8:30 p.m.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
325 Church Street
E. E. Courser, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:45 p.m.—Evening Worship
Thursday, 7:45 p.m.—Prayer service
8:00 p.m.—(2nd and 4th Thursdays)
Free Melite 1st Youth meeting

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
S. US-27 at E. Baldwin
Joseph J. Rogers, Jr., Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Sunday Evening
7 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth Thursdays
Thursday evening service
7:30 p.m.—Thursday evening service

EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCHES
Bingham—Bengal
Rev. Norman Croser, Pastor
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:30 a.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Senior YF
Bengal
9:30 a.m.—Church School
10:40 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Senior YF

JEHOVAH WITNESSES
Kingsman Hill
1903 N. Lansing Street
Sunday, 3:00 p.m.—Public talk
4:15 p.m.—Bible Study
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.—Area Bible Study
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry School

DEWITT AREA
DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH
(Inter-denominational)
Rev. Daniel Keilin, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School, Teaching God
Christ, "The Church," Mrs. Ardis Sibley, Supt.
11:00 a.m.—Divine Worship
DEWITT METHODIST CHURCH
North Bridge Street
Rev. Roger Ernest, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
6:45 p.m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship
Nursery for pre-school children during morning worship hour
EMMANUEL METHODIST CHURCH
Corner Clark and Schavay Roads
Rev. Roger Ernest, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, adults and children
7:00 p.m.—Worship Service
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Matherton Area

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH
Matherton, Michigan
Rev. N. J. Wilbert, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service
10:30 a.m.—Senior YF
8:00 p.m.—Wednesday, Midweek prayer meeting
We welcome you to the fellowship of our services. Our desire is that you may find the warmth of welcome and the assistance in your worship of Christ.
First and third Sundays Matherton Church, second and fourth at Fenwick Church

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH
9:00 p.m.—Sunday School
3:00 p.m.—Worship service

FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
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Rev. Fred Wing, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Youth Service
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

SALEM EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH
Rev. Ralph Conine
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Midweek Services
ST. MARTIN DEPORCE MISSION
Middleton, Mich.
Father Charles L. Ganicy, Pastor
Sunday Mass—9:15 a.m.
No Weekday Mass

Eureka Area
CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rectory, 224-2883
Rev. Jack Barlow
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship

Bath Area
BATH METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Reginald B. Becker, Minister
(Non Denominational)
11:00 a.m.—Church School
7:00 p.m.—Jr. M.Y.F. at church
8:00 p.m.—Sr. M.Y.F. at church
BATH BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. James L. Burleigh, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
ROSE LAKE CHURCH
Reorganized L. B. S.
Corner Jack Lodge, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, evening service

Gunnisonville Area
GUNNISONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH
Clark and Wood Roads
Rev. William C. Cessa, Pastor
9 a.m.—Sunday School
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Wednesday, Prayer meeting

Eagle Area

EAGLE METHODIST CHURCH
Gerald L. Hedlund, Pastor
1426 Michigan Avenue
Telephone 627-6533
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
11:00 a.m.—Senior M.Y.F. Sunday
7:00 p.m.—Junior M.Y.F. Wednesday

EAGLE FOURSQUARE CHURCH
Rev. Mrs. Royal Burnett, Pastor
11:15 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Prayer meeting

Westphalia Area
ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Rev. Fr. Aloisius H. Miller, Pastor
Rev. Stanley Sulka
Assistant Pastor
Sunday Masses—6, 8 and 10 a.m.
Weekdays—During school year, 7:45 and 11:15 a.m.
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Holy Hour—Friday, 7:30 p.m.

Victor Township
GROVE BIBLE CHURCH
Rev. Robert Prange, Pastor
Erie and Shegawville roads
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school. Classes for all ages
6:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Young People
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting
Ladies' Missionary circle meets 4th Thursday
Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in month
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Wacousta Area

WACOUSTA METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Thomas Easton, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
6:00 p.m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship (Both Senior High and Junior High)
7:30 p.m.—Children's choir practice
7:30 p.m.—Thursday, Senior Adult choir
4th Monday each month, 8 p.m. Official Board meeting
Methodist Store meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month, at Wacousta Community Methodist church

Wacousta Area
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10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
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A NOTE OF THANKS

My dear wife died a year ago. Now there's just myself and my little daughter Janice. Don't feel sorry for us, though, because we're managing pretty well.

Last year when the blow came, I admit I went to pieces. We'd only lived in the neighborhood for a few weeks, and it's hard to say what would have happened if it hadn't been for our church. Suddenly I was surrounded by friends. The minister came at once with convincing words of comfort that helped me to face life again. His wife alerted other members and they brought meals, laundered clothing, took care of Janice, and ultimately found the wonderful elderly housekeeper we have now.

I had never given much thought to the meaning of Christian fellowship. Today I know that miracles of kindness can result when people unite in following the "perfect pattern" of self-sacrifice and unquestioning love.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
John 15:1-16	Acts 9:26-31	Romans 12:1-8	Philippians 2:1-8	1 Thessalonians 1:1-13	Hebrews 2:14-17	Revelation 21:1-4

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Appliance Dealers Hear About Water Heaters

James Wilson of the marketing department of Consumers Power Co. addresses St. Johns area appliance dealers last Tuesday night concerning consumers' promotions to appliance dealers and direct to consumers. April 4 through June 18 will be a fast-recovery electric water heater promotion. Consumers' quota is 25,000 fast-recovery water heaters sold and installed in Michigan during 1966. Other promotions during the year will feature electric ranges, gas yard lights, refrigerators, freezers and dehumidifiers, gas clothes dryers and a promotion on smokeless, odorless incinerators.

4 from county make CMU's Honors List

Four Clinton County Students at Central Michigan University at Mt. Pleasant have been honored by being placed on the Scholastic Honors List for the fall semester. The list was released last week by the dean of students.

From Clinton County are Janyth S. Rumbaugh and John S. Vitek of St. Johns, Marshal Lynn Mizga of Ovid and Mark James Motz of Fowler.

Current capitol craze - the name of the game is "Extensions and Exemptions." It's played like this: First, the Legislature

LEGISLATIVE REPORT

REP. LESTER J. ALLEN
of Ithaca, 88th District

consumer. Again, we play the "extension" game and delay the effective date - so that it doesn't fall in this election year.

The need for playing the "extension and exemption" game results from the hasty, last-minute consideration of important measures forced upon us last year and again this session because the majority party delays our getting down to serious work. Occasionally, we must play the game because of unintentional oversights. Regardless of reasons - this year's Legislature is spending a great deal of time granting extensions and exemptions and nobody knows who, if anyone, is winning the game. You can imagine the fun in store when we play the game in the taxation field.

ALL IN THE name of the poor! US News and World Report stated April 28 all poverty projects had to be cleared through political channels and that there was "suspicion" that "vast amounts of money to be poured out to fight poverty will be used either to build new political machines in cities or to lubricate those now in operation."

Hardy bacteria that can exist in temperatures up to 170 degrees F. and in Arctic regions are being studied at Purdue University. The organisms, called thermophiles, are resistant to acids, alkali and a variety of chemicals. Biologist Henry Koffler says their immunity to extremes and chemicals is due to their cellular structure.

Wolverine Stockyards Co.

Market Report

for March 23, 1966—St. Johns

CATTLE

Slaughter Steers

Prime	— to —
Choice	\$26.00 to 28.50
Good	24.50 to 26.00
Utility—Standard	21.50 to 25.00

Slaughter Heifers

Good—Choice	\$24.00 to 27.00
Utility—Standard	21.00 to 24.00

Cows

Heifer Cows	\$21.00 to 23.00
Utility—Commercial	19.50 to 22.00
Canner—Cutter	17.50 to 19.75
Fat Yellow Cows	17.00 to 19.50

Bulls

Fat Beef Bulls	\$21.00 to 23.00
Utility—Commercial	23.00 to 25.00
Canner—Cutter	19.00 to 22.00

STOCKERS AND FEEDERS

Steers

Good—Choice	\$26.00 to 29.00
Common—Medium	— to —

Heifers

Good—Choice	\$23.00 to 26.00
Common—Medium	18.00 to 23.00

Calves

Prime	\$40.00 to 43.00
Good—Choice	35.00 to 40.00
Cull—Medium	20.00 to 34.00
Deacons	25.00 to 35.00

HOGS

Butchers

180-230 lbs. No. 1's	\$25.00 to 25.60
180-230 lbs. No. 2's	24.50 to 25.00

190-230 lbs. No. 3's	24.00 to 24.50
230 lbs. and up	22.00 to 25.00
180 lbs. and down	18.00 to 24.25

Sows

Fancy Light	\$21.00 to 22.00
300-500 lbs.	20.00 to 21.00
500 lbs. and up	18.50 to 20.00

Boars and Stags

All Weights	\$18.50 to 22.00
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Feeder Pigs (Per Head)

Feeder Pigs	— to —
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SHEEP

Shorn Slaughter Lambs

Choice—Prime	— to —
Utility—Good	\$22.00 to 24.00
Cull	— to —

Wooled Slaughter Lambs

Choice	\$25.00 to 27.00
Utility—Good	22.00 to 24.00
Cull	— to —

Ewes

Slaughter	\$ 6.00 to 12.50
Breeder	— to —

Feeder Lambs

Feeder Lambs	\$20.00 to 26.50
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Name	No. Cows	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. B*Fat	% Cows In Test
Lawrence Becker	50	1425	54	97
Mark Pung	23	1378	53	102
Charles Bracey	25	1298	53	87
Harold Bracey	29	1410	52	94
William Mayers	35	1381	51	100
Mrs E. Schafer	17	1315	51	100
Russell Ormsby	51	1344	48	98
Ervin Martin	32	1298	48	100
Francis Motz	33	1130	48	93
Frank Rivest	37	1306	46	97
Robert Nurenburg	32	1253	46	88
Oscar Simon	30	1299	44	95
Ernest-Jackson	58	1244	44	93
William Knight	32	1240	44	86
Dale Anderson	49	822	44	97
Mervin Chamberlain	29	1176	43	96
Wyrick Bros.	32	1103	43	83
MSU Dairy Dept.	60	1287	42	84
Dunkel Bros.	26	1181	42	101
Robert Reese & Son	72	1149	42	90
Harry Sanborn	28	1208	41	87
Ed Delamenter	30	766	40	87
Mark Eaton	32	1102	39	86
Dennis Thelen	49	1099	39	95
Lavern Lerg	57	1064	39	94
Leon Miller	31	1047	39	81
Lewis & Danny Thelen	46	1006	39	93
Robert Borton	44	1188	38	93
Frank Prochazka	22	1130	38	87
Fred Mayers	33	1121	38	92
Robert Zeeb	97	1076	38	97
George Hazle	7	1069	38	100
Melney & Son	31	1012	38	76
S & H Farms	91	998	38	91
George Smith	35	719	38	35
MSU Dairy Dept.	40	1074	37	79
Robert Wilcox	23	1009	37	83
A. W. Cobb & Son	37	984	37	97
Leo Hanson	47	972	37	86
Fred Koerner	59	1009	36	84
Raymond Thornton	72	1149	35	85
Elmer Smith	30	961	35	95
Don Lewis	30	918	34	86
Wesley Erickson	42	913	34	88
Norman Spitzley	24	908	34	92
E. Livingston	36	648	34	86
D & V Green	874	952	33	88
Peter Kurucz	85	933	33	90
MSU Dairy Dept.	28	582	33	84
Darwin Smith & Sons	27	849	32	72
Richard Walker	43	812	32	90
Albert Phinney	37	829	31	75
Raymond Mayers	28	891	31	77
Don Swagart	23	855	30	89
Nobis Bros.	67	869	30	92
Ron Spitzley	49	831	29	82
R & L Fickies	24	571	28	98

HIGH 305 DAY LACTATION RECORDS

Owner	Breed	Milk	Butterfat
William Mayers	Holstein	20227	782
D & V Green	Holstein	22049	754
Charles Bracey	Holstein	19979	745
D & V Green	Holstein	20167	728
Rostan Melney	Holstein	20671	710
D & V Green	Holstein	18855	702
A. W. Cobb	Holstein	19904	699
D & V Green	Holstein	18397	682
Robert Wilcox	Holstein	20787	681
D & V Green	Holstein	18295	681
Robert Reese	Holstein	15910	673
D & V Green	Holstein	19468	668
Harold Bracey	Holstein	19301	665
D & V Green	Holstein	18328	665
A. W. Cobb	Holstein	18519	663
D & V Green	Holstein	16822	655
D & V Green	Holstein	20020	654

passes a law regulating an item of social or economic concern. This action then receives wide acclaim, verbal accolades and election votes from its special interest supporters. The next move, with this group satisfied, turns legislative attention to those who are "hurt" by the new regulation and - always keeping in mind this is an election year - the effective date of the new measure is "extended" or specific groups are "exempted" from the law.

This weird situation is comparable to a person buying a fine new set of dentures and then proceeding to pull out the individual teeth one by one. In some cases, too many teeth were in the set from the beginning.

THESE PROCEDURES would make anyone wonder whether the measure was necessary or proper in the first place. Were the initial passage and subsequent changes merely schemes for partisan gain? Has there been a sincere change of heart by those who would not listen when the discrepancies were pointed out at the time of passage of the legislation? When, if ever, do we reach the end of the road and who will be left to pay?

The Legislature is currently playing the "extension and exemption" game on three issues - workmen's compensation coverage of agricultural workers; minimum wage for certain piece-work employees; licensing and bonding of construction contractors.

AGRICULTURAL workers were included in the Workmen's Compensation Act passed last session, the main purpose of which was to raise benefits for those already covered by the law. This year, the Legislature is about to place a one-year moratorium on the effective date for agricultural workers because it is apparent farmers cannot obtain the needed insurance at reasonable rates. This is a prime example of legislation which should not have been enacted until a schedule of rates was equitably established. It is doubtful if the majority of farmers will be able to afford the \$8.35 a hundred next year any more than they could afford it this year. As a comparison, the heavy construction industry pays a rate of only \$5 or \$6 per hundred.

The Minimum Wage Act of 1964 is in considerable difficulty as it pertains to the coverage of piece-work employees such as fruit and vegetable pickers. So, this year the Legislature is once more "temporarily" exempting this group until a proper study of the situation can be completed - a study which should have been conducted before the law was passed.

LAST YEAR a measure requiring licensing and bonding of building maintenance and alteration contractors was passed and hailed as a great "consumer protection" bill. Now, it has become evident that this act threatens to put small, independent contractors, such as carpenters, plumbers, painters, bricklayers, electricians, and others, right out of business with a resultant increase in building costs to the

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

New Suits Started
PAUL WAKEFIELD
 County Clerk

Lansing Automakers Federal Credit Union vs Irene Brooks.

New Business Firms
 Searles Excavating at 212 Scott Road, St. Johns.
 Searles Produce at 212 Scott Road, St. Johns.
 Hill Top Tavern at Park Lake Road, Bath twp.

Marriage Licenses
 Wendel R. Wardell, 19, of DeWitt and Joanne K. Webster, 16, of Lansing.
 Bobby R. Lawhorn, 23, of R-1, DeWitt, and Karen E. Sheperd, 22, of DeWitt.
 Donald R. Kruger, 23, of DeWitt and Lila Marie Grandy, 19, of Lansing.
 Larry Earl Barnes, 20, of Grand Ledge and Joyce Ann Mrazek, 20, of R-6, St. Johns.
 John W. Boyd, 25, of Diamondale and Janet L. Sisco, 17, of 16997 Forebeck, Lansing.

Divorces Started
 Leatha L. Darnell vs Orwell W. Darnell.
 Mary J. Aardema vs Martin J. Aardema.
 Gayle Beckwith vs Ronald Beckwith.

Probate Court
HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN
 Judge of Probate
HELENA M. BURK
 Register of Probate
 WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1966

Harry W. Ballinger, claims. Edward Schavey, claims. Katherina Miros, claims. Samuel S. Gibson, claims. Lena Hall, claims. Lewis H. Platner, appointment of administrator. Stanley Daggett, appointment of administrator.

FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1966

Roscoe G. Smith, final account. Samuel Walacavage, change of name. Esther Zeeb Gillespie, final account.

March 23: Ross Curtis, Watson Road, Bath twp., septic tank and drain field.
 March 23: Rudy Pekrul, Chadwick Road, Riley twp., dwelling and garage.
 March 23: David Morris, M-100, Eagle twp., dwelling and garage.
 March 23: Dale Griffin, Webster Road, Bath twp., addition to dwelling.
 March 23: Furman-Day Inv. Co., Airport and Herbison Road, Watertown twp., residence.
 March 23: Larry Hoard, Park Lake Road, Bath twp., dwelling and garage.
 March 24: Glen Wilkie, DeWitt Road, Greenbush twp., garage.

Real Estate Transfers
 (From records in office of Register of Deeds)
 Wayne and Beatrice Cook to Douglas and Eloise Cook, property in Essex twp.
 John D. and Donna C. McCrum to Alfred E. and DeLoris A. Smith, property in the City of DeWitt.
 Anna Bolchot, Josephine A. Bolchot, Donald P. and Mildred Bolchot to Joseph F. and Isabel C. Donahue, property in Dondale Subdivision, DeWitt twp.
 Clyde G. and Martha K. Morris to David C. and Betty E. Morris, property in Eagle twp.
 Edward J. and Minnie Long to Sylvester J. and Odella C. Feldpausch, property in Dallas twp.
 Clarence T. and Eleanor J. Lieburn to Lloyd and Mercedes Hammond, property in Bath twp.

The East Michigan Conference of the Free Methodist Church of North America to Arthur J. and Anna M. Davis, property in the Village of Elsie.
 Margaret Chase Metzger and E. Ial Stewart to Fred Flositz and Willis Rockwood, property in DeWitt twp.
 Fred and Evelyn R. Flositz and Willis and Marlon Rockwood to Gordon R. and Fleenor S. Fisher.
 Robert D. and Miles E. Herrguth to Richard E. and Judy M. Miller, property in Bath twp.
 Robert D. and Miles E. Herrguth to Phillip L. Miller, property in Bath twp.
 Iva G. and Ara A. Rice to Carl A. and Wavel A. Schlegel, property in Bath twp.
 George D. Holbrook to Glen H. and Elizabeth Capen, property in the Village of Elsie.
 Wilmoth G. and Evelyn F. Fowler to Robert K. and Maxine P. Swift, property in DeWitt twp.
 Edwin A. Milks to Ormel F. and Helen F. Young, property in Eagle twp.
 Russell C. and Violet M. Lane to Ronald T. and Carol A. Schaad, property in Watertown twp.
 Mary Morrison Gleason to Russell C. and Violet M. Lane, property in Watertown twp.

County Building Permits
 March 22: Albert Warren, Meridian Road, Ovid, dwelling and garage.
 March 22: Glenwood M. Huntley, Chandler Road, Bath twp., dwelling and garage.
 March 22: Louis M. Herman, Round Lake Road, DeWitt twp., dwelling and garage.
 March 22: Theodore Rademacher, Price Road, Westphalia twp., dwelling and garage.
 March 22: Woodrow Womak, Stoll Road, DeWitt twp., dwelling and garage.

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ST. JOHNS SCHOOL DISTRICT Board Proceedings

The regular meeting of the board of education was held on March 9, 1966, in the office of Superintendent Lancaster. Present: Members Schumaker, Meyer, Parr, Gallagher, East, Richards Supt. Lancaster, Principal Poulos, Henry Enochs.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by President Parr. Minutes of the regular meeting of Feb. 9, and special meetings of Feb. 21 and Feb. 24, 1966, were read and approved.

Billings and salaries totaling \$164,964.25 were reviewed and approved for payment.

FRED G. MEYER
 Secretary

LEGAL NOTICES

Final Account **Leut.-April 30**
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
 Estate of
WALTER J. LEUTE, Deceased
 It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 20, 1966, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Robert C. Waters, administrator for allowance of his final account.
 Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Final Account **Thurs.-May 4**
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
 Estate of
MINNIE F. THURSH, Deceased
 It is Ordered that on Wednesday, May 4, 1966, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the allowance of the final account filed by Robert C. Waters, administrator of said estate, and for determination of heirs.
 Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Final Account **Thurs.-May 4**
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
 Estate of
CHARLES W. CHAPLIN, Deceased
 It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 1, 1966, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held for determination of heirs and hearing on claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Doris L. E. Bissell, R-1, DeWitt, Michigan, prior to said hearing.
 Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE
 Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage of mortgage made on the 18th day of June, 1963, by Carl H. Noren and Shirley A. Noren, husband and wife, as Mortgagors, given to them by the American Bank and Trust Company, a Michigan banking corporation of Lansing, Michigan.

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By Les Carroll

such action and give such authorization to the officers of your bank as said Board of Directors may deem necessary or advisable in order to determine whether the conditions precedent to the completion of such Agreement of Merger have been satisfied, and to take such other and further action and give such other and further authorizations to the officers of your bank as said Board of Directors may deem necessary or advisable in order to carry out the provisions of such Agreement of Merger.
 (3) To transact such other business incidental to the foregoing proposals as may properly come before such meeting or any adjournment or adjournments thereof.
 By order of the Board of Directors,
ROMAN P. THELEN
 President

CLINTON NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST CO. ST. JOHNS, MICH. NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

To Our Shareholders:
 You are hereby notified that on April 11, 1966 at 9:30 A.M., Eastern Standard Time, pursuant to action of your Board of Directors, a special meeting of the shareholders of your bank will be held at the Main Office of Clinton National Bank and Trust Company, 200 North Clinton Avenue, in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, to consider and vote upon the following proposals and matters incidental thereto which properly may come before that meeting:
 (1) To ratify, confirm and adopt the Agreement of Merger heretofore entered into on behalf of your bank (pursuant to authorization of its Board of Directors) with Fowler State Bank, Fowler, Michigan, dated December 14, 1965, whereby Fowler State Bank will merge into your bank pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of an act of Congress of the United States entitled "An Act to provide for the consolidation of National Banking Associations," approved November 7, 1918, as amended (12 U.S.C. No. 216a), subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D.C.
 (2) To authorize the Board of Directors of your bank to take such action and give such authorization to the officers of your bank as said Board of Directors may deem necessary or advisable in order to determine whether the conditions precedent to the completion of such Agreement of Merger have been satisfied, and to take such other and further action and give such other and further authorizations to the officers of your bank as said Board of Directors may deem necessary or advisable in order to carry out the provisions of such Agreement of Merger.
 (3) To transact such other business incidental to the foregoing proposals as may properly come before such meeting or any adjournment or adjournments thereof.
 By order of the Board of Directors,
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
 Judge of Probate.

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Spring Action

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1. Clean out any stacks of newspapers and magazines, discarded clothing, mattresses, old furniture and lamp shades, draperies — all the clutter that collects in attics, basements and closets.
2. Do the same clean-up job in the home workshop, too — shavings, scraps, oily rags, old paints must go.
3. Don't forget about the trash accumulating in the garage, and get rid of dead grass and brush around and near the house.
4. Repair defective electrical cords and plugs, check over appliances and call a competent electrician if they need attention.
5. Have your furnace, chimney and stove inspected and cleaned.

Fire danger lurks in every one of these spots, says the NFPA.

City of St. Johns PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

As per resolution of the City Commission of the City of St. Johns, Michigan a Public Hearing of Necessity for the installation of sanitary sewers is to be held on

April 5, 1966 at 7:30 p.m.
 in the Municipal Building, St. Johns, Michigan.

Properties which abutt or are adjacent to the following blocks will be especially benefited:
 Scott Road from Sturgis Street to a point 700 feet South.
 Swegles Street from Oak Street to a point 700 feet South.

DONALD H. CLARK, City Clerk
 City of St. Johns, Michigan

City of St. Johns PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

As per resolution of the City Commission of the City of St. Johns, Michigan a Public Hearing of Necessity for the installation of water mains is to be held on

April 5, 1966 at 7:30 p.m.
 in the Municipal Building, St. Johns, Michigan.

Properties which abutt or are adjacent to the following blocks will be especially benefited:
 Lincoln Street from Garfield to Lansing Street.
 Swegles Street from State Street to Baldwin Street.
 Scott Road from Sturgis to a point 700 feet South.
 Townsend Road from Oakland Street to Swegles Street.
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completion of such Agreement of Merger have been satisfied, and to take such other and further action and give such other and further authorizations to the officers of your bank as said Board of Directors may deem necessary or advisable in order to carry out the provisions of such Agreement of Merger.

(3) To transact such other business incidental to the foregoing proposals as may properly come before such meeting or any adjournment or adjournments thereof.
 By order of the Board of Directors,
JOHN A. RUMBAUGH
 Executive Vice President and Cashier

A copy of the Agreement of Merger referred to above is on file with the Cashier of your bank and may be examined by any shareholder during office hours prior to the Special Meeting.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
 Estate of
LEE ARTHUR BISSELL, Deceased
 It is Ordered that on the 8th day of June, 1966, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held for the allowance of claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Donald G. Fox, 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 16, 1966.
 Hubert J. Moore, Esq. and Born Attorneys for Administrator
 1108 Michigan National Tower
 Lansing 6, Michigan

Platner—April 13
STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
 Estate of
LEWIS H. PLATNER, Deceased
 It is Ordered that on Wednesday, April 13, 1966, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Paul C. Platner for appointment of an administrator, and for a determination of heirs.
 Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
 Judge of Probate.

Dated: March 11, 1966.
 Walker & Moore,
 By: James A. Moore
 Attorney for Estate
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