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## Court orders removal of hotel hazards

ST JOHNS -- A ruling by Circuit Court Judge Leo Corbin has ordered that hazards at the site of the Steel Hotel be removed, following a show cause hearing last week. Paul Maples representing the City of St Johns asked for injunctive relief to have hazards removed at the location gutted by a fire May 28.

Since the fire, the area has been cordoned off and a police guard has been at the site 24 hours a day.

The attorney for the estate of the late Mary Gore asked that 10 days be granted before the injunction goes into effect.

That would set the time at May 12.

If, at that time, action had not been taken to remove the hazards, The City of St Johns would be empowered to remove the hazard and charge the costs to the owners.

Earlier, Willard Searles, a St Johns

developer indicated to the County News that he was negotiating to buy the property.

He said that, if the purchase was made, he would immediately begin to remove portions of the buildings that pose a hazard.

Negotiations between Searles and the heirs of the estate had stalled earlier, but Searles said his offer to buy the building still stands.

Searles said Tuesday the 2 party's attorneys were to meet Tuesday, but did not know at press time what the outcome of the meeting would be.

He said, if negotiations for the sale were successful that he planned to raze the hotel completely and salvage some of the interior items.

After razing the structure, Searles said future plans call for a possible business and professional building, but said construction was not planned immediately.



St Johns Mayor Roy Ebert and Carmen Tranchell, representing St Johns senior citizens, throw out the first shovel-full of dirt during ground breaking ceremonies at the senior housing project in St Johns. Those participating in the project, to be built by Fedewa Builders Inc., include Rev Hugh Banninga, Commr Gerald Wilcox, Mrs Gerald Wilcox, Rev William Hankerd, Mayor Ebert, Mrs Tranchell, James Fedewa, Commr John Hannah, Robert Fedewa, Assessor Bruce Wood, Jeanne Rand of the senior citizens group and former city commissioner, Lester Lake of the senior citizens, J.D. Robinson, Planning Commission chairman, Richard Colletta, St Johns zoning administrator.

## Receives prison sentence, 6-10 years

ST JOHNS -- Charles Frederick Freeman, 29, was sentenced in Circuit Court Monday to 6-10 years in prison, after being found guilty by the court of assault with intent to

rape. He was found guilty of the offense reported to have taken place Nov 10, 1974 in the Village of Elsie.

## Charge man with possession of drugs

ST JOHNS -- St Johns Police, assisted by the Clinton County Sheriff's Dept, raided a St Johns house Saturday afternoon, confiscating chemicals analyzed to be LSD and marijuana.

Arrested on a charge of possession of LSD and marijuana was Kurt Douglas Ramsey, 26, 407 S. Mead, site of the arrest.

He will appear in District Court May 12.

## Slow-pitch registration deadline set for May 9

ST JOHNS -- Managers of teams intending to play in the 1975 St Johns city league slow-pitch softball league are reminded that May 9 at 5 pm is the deadline to register.

Registration may be made at the St Johns city offices 121 E. Walker between 8 am and 5 pm, Monday through Friday.

Also offered this year is a bloopers ball league for men over 30. Participants may sign up for the league at the city offices.



## Chamber speaker

Chris Manegold, executive manager of the Greenville Area Chamber of Commerce, will be the speaker at the May meeting of the St Johns Chamber of Commerce held Wednesday, May 14, at noon, Daley's Fine Foods Restaurant, South US 27. Chamber of Commerce president Paul McNamara urges all members, especially new members, to attend and bring questions.

## Bath top pick in Clinton County track meet

By John Chipps  
 County News  
 Sports Writer

Record-smashing Joe Green of Bath just may run the fastest 100-yard dash in the history of the annual Clinton County Track and Field Meet Monday night at Ovid-Elsie High School.

Green's speed and a powerful nucleus of returning veterans make Bath High the odds-on

favorite to sweep its second straight title in the meet. "Bath is the favorite, but I see a real scramble for second place," says meet director John Oberlin. "DeWitt, Ovid-Elsie and St Johns should be in the running."

Field events will begin at 4 pm, with track preliminaries set for a 4:30 start. Finals will be held at 6 pm. Tickets will cost a straight \$1 each for all spectators for the 4-hour event.

Concessions will be sold.

Green, whose fastest time in the 100-yard dash this year is a flat 10 seconds, could record a 9.9 with the right conditions on the O-E all-weather track. The Bath senior is one of the swiftest dashmen in the area, including schools of all classes. He leads the area in the 220 (22.8) and 440 (50.7), according to Lansing State Journal tabulations.

Green is one of several returning County champions. He captured the 440 last year in record time (51.8), marking his

2nd straight win in that event.

Also back is two-year winner Ted Geiger of Ovid-Elsie, who will battle Bath's Montee Skorch in hurdles again. Skorch nosed out Geiger by 5 hundredths of a second for the 120-yard high hurdles win last year, while Geiger took the lows 3 tenths of a second ahead of Skorch.

"The high jump should be real competitive this year with several 6-footers in the field," says Oberlin. One of the high jumpers is O-E's Tim Doyen, who recently tied his own school record of 6 feet, one-half inch.

Bath, DeWitt and O-E are expected to put up a real battle for the mile relay title, while on the other hand, Bath is a clear favorite in the 880 relay with a best time so far of 1:33.

The Bees, who won 10 of the 15 events last year, 5 of them in record performances, have gone undefeated through the dual meet season so far and have captured several major invitational championships. They won over 32 teams in the Detroit Country Day meet, took the DeWitt Invitational, and finished 2nd overall, 1st among Class C teams in the recent Marysville Relays.

DeWitt, meanwhile, came up with a strong showing in winning the Williamston Invitational over the weekend, beating out the host team by 9 points.

Medals will be awarded to the 1st 3 place winners in each event and to members of the 1st two teams in relays.

## Pony League sign-up time

ST JOHNS -- Sign-up for the 1975 St Johns Pony League baseball season will be held Wednesday, May 21, at 6 pm.

The sign-up will be at the Little League building behind Bees Chevy-Olds on Townsend Rd.

## Honor Candy Strippers

The Clinton Memorial Hospital Candy Strippers and their mothers were honored recently by the Hospital Auxiliary.

Mrs Otto Thelen, Candy Stripper chairman, presented a Certificate of Appreciation from the Hospital to each girl. The 36 Candy Strippers honored have given a total of 2,589 hours of volunteer service to Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Janell Auten, 110 hours; Patricia Barker, 38 hours; Lisa Burns, 80 hours; Melanie Cain, 48 hours; Joyce Case, 58 hours; Dorie Cook, 38 hours; Maria Fitzgerald, 15 hours.

Linda Jandernoa, 66 hours; Nancy Jorae, 67 hours; Shannon Kelly, 60 hours; Julie Kentfield, 133 hours; Lee Ann Kiel, 63 hours. Germaine Kowatch, 54 hours; Lorraine Lorenc, 175 hours; Marilyn Martin, 258 hours; Kelly McDonald, 62 hours; Tisha Meredith (new); Marie Orson, 25 hours.

Karen Pagel, 52 hours; Sharon Pagel, 85

hours; Debra Pung, 89 hours; Maria Pytlowanyj, 10 hours; Theresa Raines, 42 hours; Linda Schmitz, 59 hours; Linda Schomisch, 32 hours; Joyce Sising, 19 hours.

Susan Slagell, 138 hours; Cindy Spittler, 135 hours; Barbara Thelen, 94 hours; Sue Thelen, 92 hours; Tamara Thelen, 70 hours; Catherine Weber, 46 hours; Carol Williams, 38 hours; Teresa Wood, 96 hours; Susan Woodhams, 115 hours; Kimberly Zarka, 29 hours.

These Junior Hospital Volunteers provide a variety of direct services to the Hospital and the patients. During National Hospital Week, May 11-17, there will be a meeting for Candy Strippers and for anyone at least 15 years old who is interested in joining the Candy Stripper program. The meeting will be Tuesday, May 13, at 7:30 pm in the Clinton Memorial Hospital Cafeteria.

See photos on page 6.

## Move over B. J., Here comes Diana

ST JOHNS -- Diana DeWitt, a St Johns High School junior will precede B.J. Thomas of "Raindrops Keep Falling On My Head" fame in 2 performances at Long's Banquet and Convention Center in Lansing May 18.

For the talented Diana, the performance follows a 13-hour recording session recently in a Nashville studio.

It won't be the first time, Diana has been in famous company. On April 17, she entertained Long's customers with her guitar and singing before a performance by the Righteous Brothers.

Her natural talent has brought her far in just the 2 years she has been performing. She's been playing the guitar for 3 1/2 years,

teaching herself before taking classical lessons just recently.

The performance at Long's may be just a start in good things coming for Diana. Her performance in the recent grueling 13-hour recording session earned her an invitation to return this summer to record material currently being sought for her.

Her performances at Long's May 18 at 3:30 pm and 7:30 pm preceding the 4 and 8 pm performances of B.J. Thomas.

Prior to that, she will join other high school musicians in a musical program at St Johns High School May 13.

Diana is the daughter of Don and Delores DeWitt, 701 S. Mead, St Johns.



Diana DeWitt

## Memorial Day Parade May 29

ST JOHNS -- The 1975 St Johns Memorial Day Parade has been announced for May 29 at 6:30 pm. Parade participants are to gather at 5:45 pm at a location to be announced later.

Those wishing to participate are asked to call one of the following: Ed Schmitt 224-7645, Sonny Cornwell 224-2589, or Cecil Smith 224-3478.



St Johns American Legion Poppy Girl Kristi Bartholomew presents her grandfather Lad Bartholomew (left) with the first poppy to be sold in the 1975 drive. He is the past commander of Alvin D. Siles Post 153. Helping Kristi in her sales is her father Bill Bartholomew, member of Post 153. Official dates of the sale are May 15-16-17. The poppies are made in veterans hospitals and funds are used for veterans' families on the local, district and state level.

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## Exchange Club to hear about suspension of cagers at MSU

ST. JOHNS--Vernon Payne, MSU assistant basketball coach, will be the guest speaker at the May 8 meeting of the St. Johns Exchange Club and he will discuss the suspension of 10 members of the MSU basketball team.

In a letter to John Fedewa, confirming his presence at the meeting, Payne said, "At your luncheon, I will speak out publicly for the first time concerning Gus Ganakas and the suspension of 10 members of the MSU basketball team."

Payne was captain and most valuable player for Indiana in 1967-68.

The Exchange Club meets at noon at Jeanne's Beans in St. Johns.



Vernon Payne--Exchange Club speaker

### LETTER TO EDITOR:

#### He complains about trash

Dear Mr. Editor, I'd like to complain about trash and beer cans that are ruining the beauty of the woods. I don't understand why people dump their trash on the roadside. I wish somebody would do something about it. Wouldn't it be just as easy for people to wait until they got home to throw

their trash away instead of throwing it out the car window? Every 2 Saturdays people could go as far as their property goes and pick up cans and trash. The trash is killing the fish.

Reporter  
Todd Rohrback  
Perrin-Palmer 3rd grader

### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor, In response to the dying Womens Christian Temperance Union movement in this area I can only respond -- Hurrah! Mrs Blanks letter in last week's edition makes me question what a Christian means to temperance ladies. Wherever I look in the Bible I see Christs followers as being made up of such terrible lots as

thieves, robbers, drunks and harlots. And low and behold, Christ showed them LOVE, and even chose them for his apostles. I can find no where in the Bible that Christ had anything good to say for the self righteous. Condemnation of your brothers will do just fine for a sin ladies -- Are you so just as to judge your fellow men?

As for alcoholism not being a disease ladies -- are we to assume that the American Medical Association, doctors world-wide, and the psychiatric professions are incorrect in labeling alcoholism a disease? Or shall we rush right out and be a ladies temperance Christian? Mrs Blank, if you care to spend the time, I will gladly escort you to any alcoholism treatment center, so you may watch a drunk in D.T.'s (delerium tremers) or withdrawl convulsions. Alcoholism does indeed destroy families, and the alcoholic himself, not to mention the huge financial burden on our economy; but I seriously doubt that the self righteous attitude of the Womens Christian Temperance Union is one which will be missed in our struggle against alcoholism and other chemical dependence. An alcoholic and drug dependent person  
Jim Spring

### Parks in St Johns

To the Editor: This letter is in regards to the parks in St Johns, for our children to play in. Namely the park on the corner of North Ottawa and West Gibbs Street. Today, May 1, the swings went up in Ottawa Street Park. As usual at the start of warm weather a bunch of kids came to the park to play. And as usual no parents were there to watch. But my husband and I were out on the porch watching.

The children played fine at first. But as it got later the same patterns of play took over. Sand throwing, holding the end of the slide up so little kids couldn't go down. Then it got rougher. One little girl not much over 9 was singled out and chased over to the fence. There boys of 9 and 10 proceeded to spit on her and slap her face. I finally couldn't stand to watch her crying any more and went over. When I got there her face was beet red from them hitting her.

I sent them all home and told the little girl to go home and tell her parents what happened. I doubt very strongly, however, if one of the parents, or any of them, was confronted with this, if any one would admit it was their children that were at fault. Because their kids never do anything wrong.

It is time that parents start watching their children better. And that someone is at the park to watch the kids so that this same scene doesn't happen again.

A concerned parent,  
Mrs Cathy McCarrick  
St Johns

### Meet the metric system

Metre! Liter! Kilogram! If metrics have you in a maze, plan to attend the Cooperative Extension program where you can be introduced to the whole system.

Meetings are scheduled for the following dates and locations: May 13 -- Central National Bank, St. Johns; May 14 -- Commercial National Bank, Ithaca; May 15 -- Casino, Corunna. All lessons start at 1 pm.

Implications for education, household measures, and buying will be examined. There will also be a chance for you to weigh yourself on metric scales and measure your height in metres.

Handouts will be given. Materials for reteaching this program to other groups will be available.

This meeting is open to all interested persons. There is no admission charge.



The sixth year students of St Joseph's School, St Johns, are studying model economic systems: the command economy in which most decisions are made by a small group of citizens, usually leaders of a government [supply and demand has no effect on this type] and market economy in which decisions are based on interaction between consumers and producers [supply and demand definitely affect this type]. After watching television advertisements, reading newspaper and magazine ads, checking home shelves on sizes, brands used, and prices, the students decided our economy leans more to a market than a command economy. In their visits to local supermarkets they checked the many choices available in our economy. They are making comparisons of unit prices and ingredients in several products. Hopefully, they are learning how to become a discerning and practical purchaser of the future. In addition to visits to Andy's IGA and Kroger's, they were to visit Pierce's Bakery, Clinton National and Central National Banks to complete their unit on economy.

### Fowler

Mr and Mrs Carl Boak spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs Lulu Boak and also other visitors were Mr and Mrs Vernon Benjamin and daughter.

The community wishes to express their sympathy to Frank Becker and sons, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, brothers and sisters, relatives and friends for the loss and death of his wife Eva, who died in a convalescent home in Corunna.

Mrs Fredrick Witt of Tucson, Ariz and her mother, Mrs Clarence Damon, of St Johns were Saturday afternoon and evening guests of Mrs Luke Boak.

Mr and Mrs Richard Brown and family and Mr Frank Fundal of Portland were Sunday afternoon visitors of Miss Nova Brown.

Mr and Mrs Charles Spalding and daughter Doris and friend of Lansing were Sunday afternoon visitors of Miss Lula Boak.

Mr and Mrs Edgar Conley of St Johns were Sunday visitors of Mrs Nora Brown.

### EDUCATION

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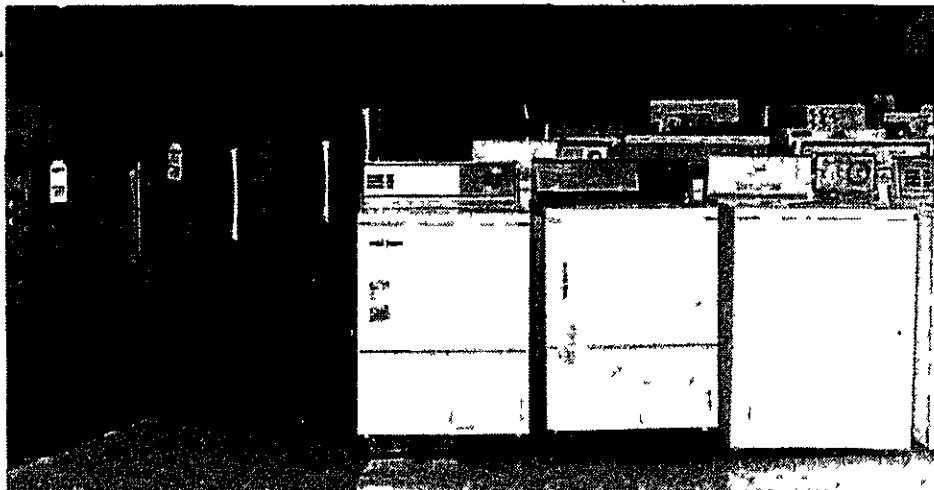
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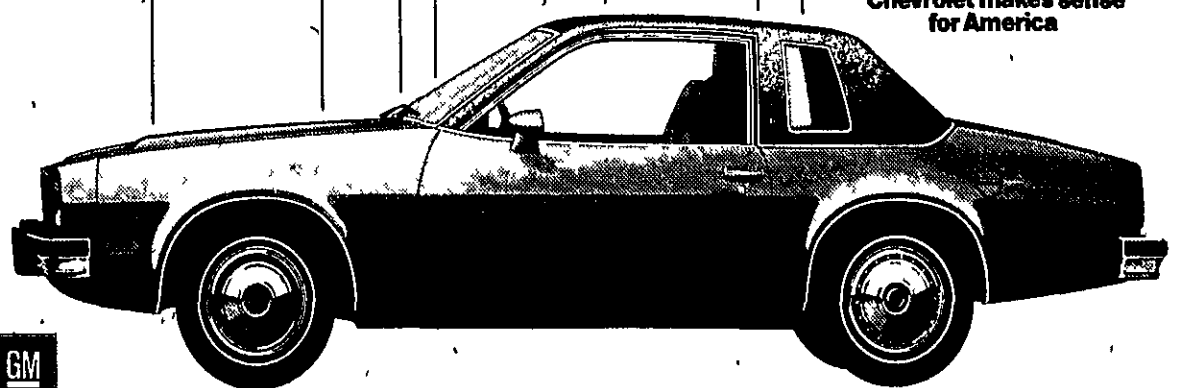
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## Amy Wellman receives U of M scholastic honors

Miss Amy Wellman, the daughter of Mr and Mrs Harold Wellman of 423 Meadowview Drive, St Johns, and a 1972 graduate of St Johns High School was honored at the University of Michigan's 52nd Annual Honors Convocation April 11.

On these occasions the university publicly recognizes and commends the undergraduate students in its schools and colleges who have earned distinguished academic records.

President Robben Fleming

indicated that these achievements have in recent years received more and more attention among the students and in the public press.

He also said it is highly appropriate that these students be honored who have most clearly and effectively recognized the first reason for a University's existence — to offer educational opportunity of the highest quality.

The Honors Convocation takes rank with the Commencement exercises among the important ceremonies of the University year.



Amy Wellman

## Representatives ask citizens' help to stop welfare abuse

Help save your tax dollars. Representatives Stanley M. Powell (R-Ionia) and Ernest W. Nash (R-Dimondale) are urging citizens to help reduce the number of ineligible people receiving welfare benefits.

Currently the Michigan Department of Social Services is conducting a complete reexamination of all welfare cases to reduce fraud and over-payments.

"Should you have questions about the eligibility of anyone receiving welfare assistance," they said, "please contact Mr

Lee Montgomery, Assistance Payments Supervisor, Clinton County Department of Social Services, 911 East State Street, St. Johns, 48879, (phone: 224-6785).

"You may remain anonymous, or you may leave your phone number to be contacted when the investigation is complete," they said.

The State Department of Social Services may lose \$30 million in federal funds if the error rates are not reduced by January 1, 1976. Present

estimates reveal that 7.8 percent of ADC recipients are ineligible, 27.9 percent are overpaid and 8.2 percent are underpaid.

"Private citizens are better informed than anyone else about welfare abuse," they said. "Please help in this effort to safeguard your tax dollars."

"Only by reducing the ineligible recipients from the welfare roles can the continued assistance to the truly needy be assured," concluded Representatives Powell and Nash.

## DeWitt Township proceedings

Synopsis of the regular meeting of the DeWitt Township Board held on Monday, April 28,

1975 at the Township Hall, 780 E. Wieland Road, Lansing, Michigan.

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Emerson at 8:08 pm

Board members present: Emerson, Syverson, Cheney, Pline, Kzeski and Olger. Board member absent: Corr.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

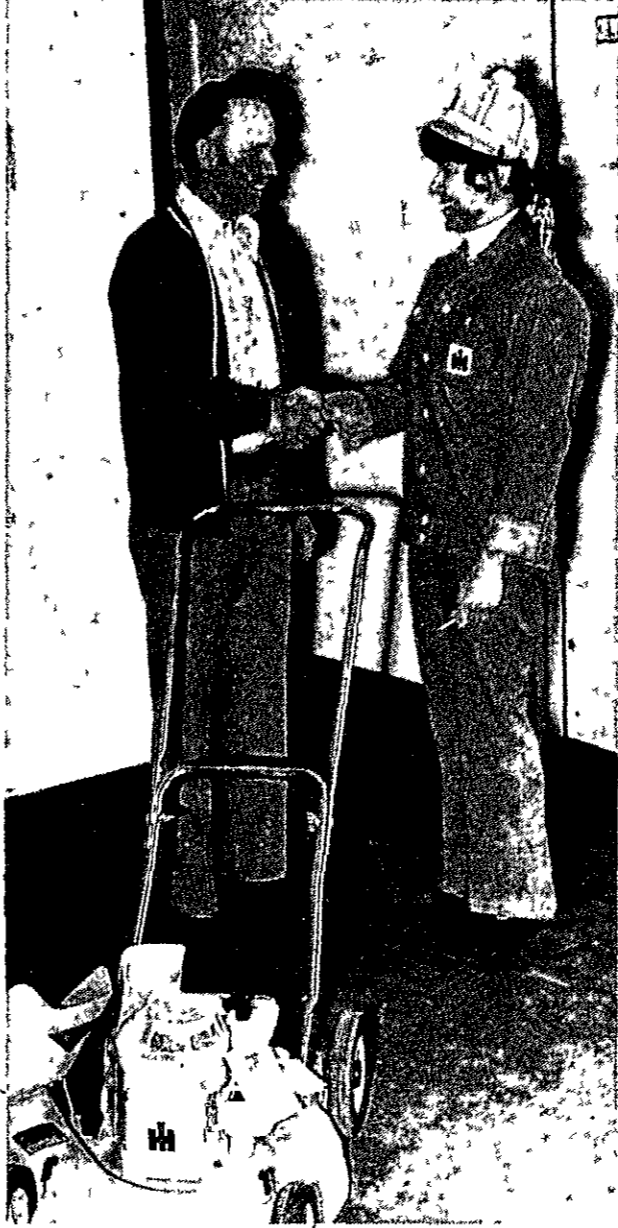
The agenda was approved with one deletion.

There were no public comments.

The Parks and Recreation Commission, Transportation Committee and the Public Safety Committee minutes were reviewed. The zoning forms were reviewed. Adopted a resolution recommending that the Popoff liquor license request be denied. Emerson reported that the Supreme Court will hear our 1974 tax appeal. Discussed a few things that had not been included in the budget. Appointed Jack Kzeski Jr to the Zoning Appeals Board. Discussed the DPW budget. The Bicentennial questionnaire will be filled out after the committee has met. The 2nd annual DeWitt Township employee picnic will be held on Saturday, July 12th. There was a discussion about the flooded basements. The Annual Pancake Supper will be held on May 10th.

Adjournment at 9:55 pm. Respectfully submitted, Donna B. Syverson, Clerk.

Approved by Dale S. Emerson, Supervisor.



He's a winner

Winner of the Mid-State Equipment introductory sale drawing prize is Vernon Piggot, Rt 1, Fowler. He is congratulated on winning the new lawn mower by Jeannette Mehney.



Mary Crosby of the Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary inspects a poster telling of the Auxiliary style show and card party, titled this year "A Spring Evening Out." The show and card party is May 14 at St Johns High School cafeteria. Tickets for the 7:30 pm activity are \$1.50 and may be purchased from any Hospital Auxiliary member.

## Former resident receives promotion

Allan B. Steavens, former St Johns resident, has been promoted by Burroughs Corp.

Formerly a field engineer with the corporation offices in Battle Creek, he has been promoted to hardware systems supply engineer and has been transferred to Detroit.

A 1965 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School, he attended the University of Michigan and served in the US Air Force for 8 years.

He and his wife, the former Vandalee McClintock of St Johns, have 3 children.



Allan B. Steavens

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## Blue Star Mothers meet

The Blue Star Mothers met in the Narthex of the Congregational Church April 22 at 7:30 pm.

The meeting was called to order by president, Dorothy Welsh and prayer by Chaplin Edna Eldred.

Grace Shipley was installed as recording secretary.

A report was given by hospital chairman Rose Randolph. She delivered the two drills to the Veterans Facility at Grand Rapids. She also reported that material is needed for linings for the lap robes.

Cards were signed to be sent to Mable Maier, Betty Casler, and Maria Whitford who are ill and in hospital.

Card party at Bay City was announced for April 30, 1:30 pm. It was reported that Mable Maier is able to have visitors at hospital.

The Mothers will place flags on the graves of deceased mothers Saturday, May 24, at 1 pm.

It was voted to have a "No Bake" Sale during May. It was also voted to send Dorothy Welsh as a delegate and Billy Pierson an alternate to the Convention at Lansing June 1, 2 and 3 at the Olds Hotel.

At the next meeting May 27 there will be a memorial for Dorothy Christenson who passed away April 5, also our yearly memorial for all mothers in our chapter.

Meeting May 27, basement of Congregational Church is potluck at 6:30. Committee Ruth Barrett, Alberta Brock and Sarah Ross.



James W. Koenigsnecht, US Jaycee director of Fowler, talks with Tom Ritter, Michigan State Jaycee president, during the recent Region D meeting held in Fowler recently. Koenigsnecht is a candidate for internal executive vice-president with the election to be held Saturday, May 10, at the Civic Center in Lansing.

## Bath Jr High names honor students

**7th GRADE**  
Cindy Adams, Laura Bauerle, Susie Beachman, Lisa Brook, Julie Cole, Lynn Dall, Terri Froom, Jeanne Hanson, Crista Harris.

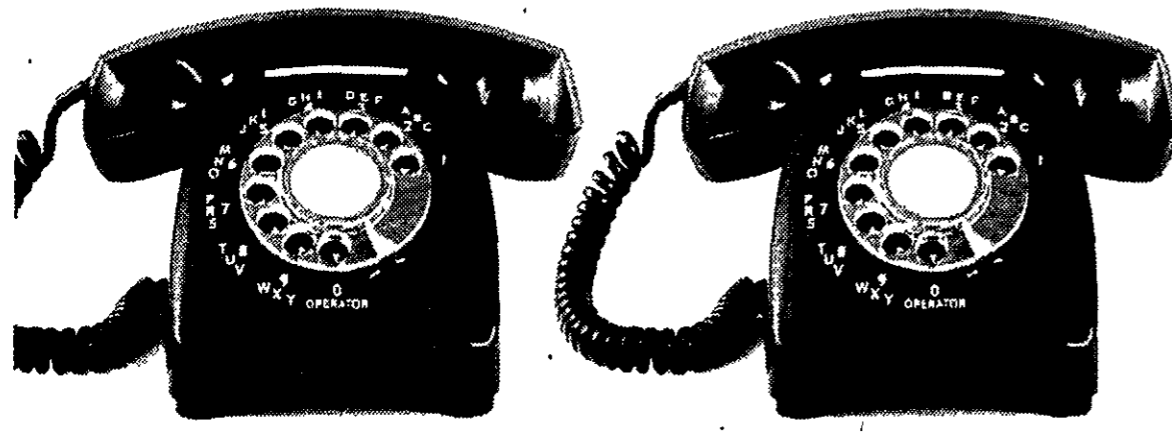
Lisa Hawks, Rich Houghton, Kyle Kelly, Jamie Leab\*, Kellie Miller, Tamela Payne, Michael Risch, Lois Searane, Amy Schaibly, Kim Shaw, Tammy Tucker\*,

Leslie Vietzke, Jack Wood, Robin Wood.  
\* — All A's.

**8th GRADE**  
Sandra Alward, Kim Baird, Linda Baughman, Bret Boutwell, Barry Brown\*, Debbie Church\*, Debbie Collins, Dawn Cooley, Ron Cramer, Ron Eastlick, Beeky Feguer, Dan Farnes, Kris Hull, Kevin Kelly, Patti Kloekner.

Paul Knaebel, Mark King, Mark Leak, Joyce Laurie, Kay McNeely, Peggy Miehke, Ronda Phillips, Tom Reblin, Karen Reeves, Kathy Reich.

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## Kathleen Schafer and David Berquist exchange vows

**FOWLER** - On April 5 in the Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Kathleen M. Schafer of 516 W. Saginaw, Lansing, became the bride of David J. Berquist, of 1533 S. Pennsylvania, Lansing. The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Norbert Schafer of Rt 4, Parks, Rd, St Johns. Mr and Mrs Val Berquist, of 516 Waverly, Kingsford, are the parents of the groom.

Father Albert Schmitt performed the 1:30 pm double ring ceremony and the music was provided by organist Bernita Halfmann and the church choir. Easter lilies, carnations and daisies dressed the altar.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was escorted down the aisle wearing a floor-length gown accented in peau de soi and venician hand-clipped lace, which swept to a unique V-shaped train.

The full bishop sleeves were made of venician lace with an underlay of sheer peau de soi. The camelot cap attached a chapel length veil, which was edged with chantilly lace.

The bride carried a cascading bouquet of green, pink, blue, yellow and lavender daisies accented with baby's breath.

Marie Schafer of Lansing attended her sister as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Therese Schafer of Lansing, sister of the bride; Judy Braman, Kathleen Fedewa, and

Judy Schneider, all friends of the bride from Portland.

Each bridesmaid wore a different color gown of sheer organza and venice lace, to make for a rainbow wedding party. Large white hats were worn with ribbons matching the color of the girl's gowns.

The attendants carried white parasols with green, blue, pink, yellow and lavender daisies with baby's breath.

Both the mother of the groom and the mother of the bride wore pink floor length gowns and corsages of white mums and pink sweetheart roses.

Steven Berquist of Milwaukee, attended his brother as best man. Grooms-men were John Berquist of Kingsford, brother of the groom; Bob Schafer of St Johns, Jerome Schafer of Fowler, and Dennis Schafer, all brothers of the bride.

Tony Schafer and Roman Thelen, uncles of the bride, served as the ushers.

A reception for 250 guests was held at the Holy Trinity School Hall. Serving at the reception were Ellen Bailey, Pauline Harris, Mary Ann Fedewa, Rita Koenigskecht, and Sandy Fedewa.

Mrs Dora Schafer, grandmother of the bride, was a special guest attending the celebration.

After a honeymoon to Northern Michigan, the couple will be



Mr. & Mrs. David J. Berquist

at home at 1533 S. Pennsylvania, Lansing. The bride is a 1968 graduate of Fowler High School. The groom is a 1968 graduate of Kingsford High School and a 1972 graduate of Michigan Technological University.

## East Ward students plant 100 trees

**ST JOHNS** - Traditionally since 1872, the last Friday in April has been designated as Arbor Day, a time to plant a tree and give back to the earth a little of what we have taken from it.

The children at East Ward Elementary School and their teachers did just that Friday, April 25.

Fourth grade teacher, Michael Muehlenbeck, thought

it would be a good idea to have the children of the school plant a blue spruce in their yards at home for Arbor Day so he began organizing the project in march.

Also participating in the

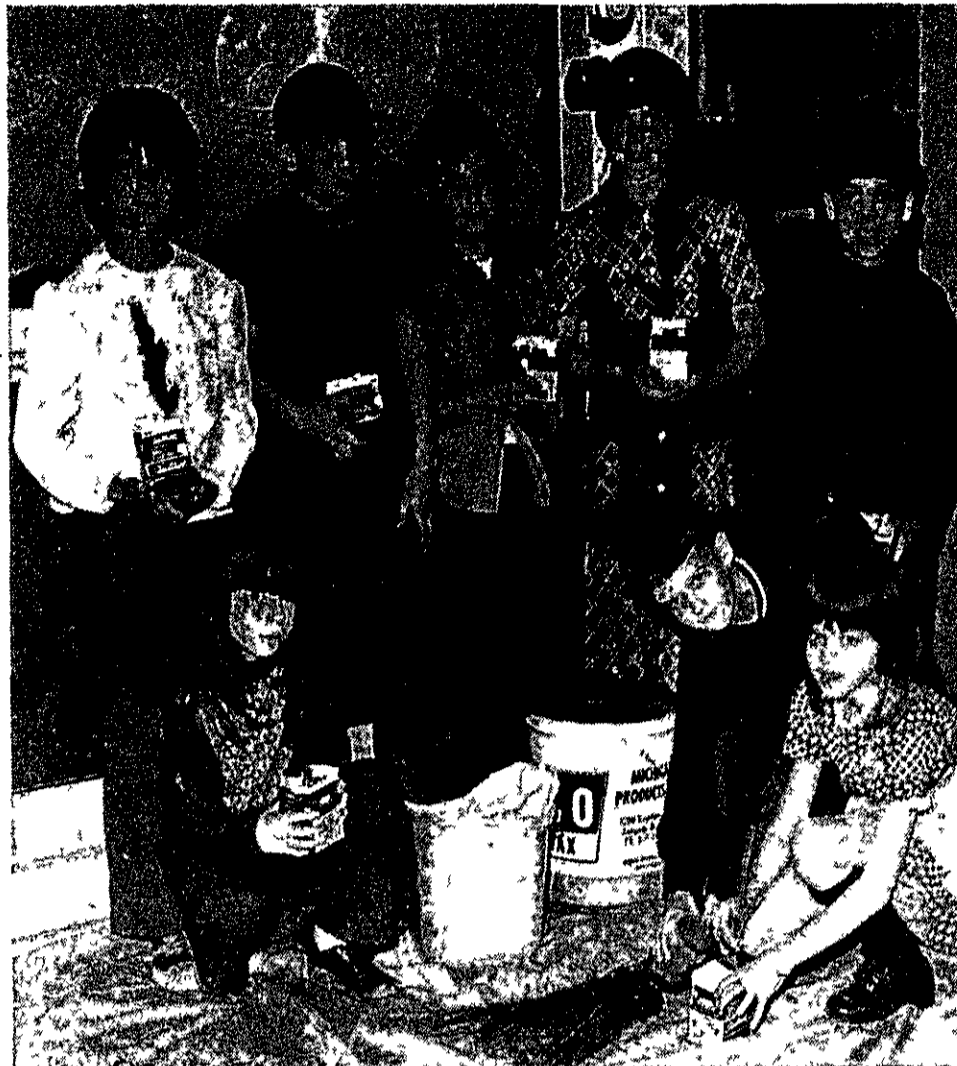
project were Margaret Wyrick's first grade class, Patricia Kuenzli's second grade class and Linda Parr's third grade class.

About 100 trees, each about 6 inches high, were purchased for \$6 each from the United States Soil Conservation Dept. The department offers trees for sale at this price once a year before Arbor Day.

The teachers sent notes to the parents asking permission to send the trees home with the children for planting. Almost 100% of the students participated in the venture.

Muehlenbeck said he would have liked for the children to plant some of the trees around the school but due to so much vandalism there, he decided against the idea.

While waiting for Arbor Day, the students learned of its origin. It was started in Nebraska in 1872 by J. Sterling Morton. He wanted to beautify that part of the country, help the soil and also provide a place for birds to nest.



These students were among about 100 from East Ward Elementary School who participated in planting a tree for Arbor Day. Back row from left are: Jodi Wright, 3rd grade; Greg Kingsley, 4th grade; Rex Brown, 2nd grade; Beth Gavenda, 4th grade; Joey Serna, 3rd grade. Front row from left are: Angela Harrington, 2nd grade; and David Thompson, 1st grade helping Shell Innes, 1st grade, plant her tree.

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## Methodist youth to conduct paper drive

This Saturday, May 10, the high school youth of the St Johns United Methodist Church will be having a 2nd paper drive between the hours of 10 am and 5 pm.

This paper drive is the beginning of several projects the youth will be undertaking this spring.

They are trying to earn enough money to go camping and canoeing this summer on the AuSable River.

They also are planning a glass drive, a cinnamon roll bake, an ice cream social during the Memorial Day parade and possibly a chicken barbecue at still a later date.

The youth ask you to help by stacking your old newspapers (no magazines, please) by the curb this Saturday for pick up by the youth.

If you live outside the city limits but still have papers to be picked up, call Roger or Judy Beebe at 224-6072. Those coming into town Saturday may bring them in and drop them off on the back sidewalk of the United Methodist Church by the parking lot.

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NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE ST. JOHNS PUBLIC SCHOOLS CLINTON AND GRATIOT COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of said School District will be held on Monday, June 9, 1975.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 9, 1975, IS MONDAY, MAY 12, 1975. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M., ON THE SAID MONDAY, MAY 12, 1975, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT SAID ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

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## Ann Fedewa now Mrs. William E. Young

**FJWLER** - Pink and white gladiolas and mums graced the altar of the Most Holy Trinity Church at the wedding of Mary Ann Fedewa and William E. Young May 3.

The father Schmitz performed the double ring service at 1:30 pm. Soloist Cheryl Fedewa was accompanied by organist Mrs Richard VanElls. Mary Ann is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Harold Fedewa of Rt 2, Fowler. William is the son of Mr and Mrs Robert Young of Rt 3 McNeil Rd, St Johns.

The bride's father gave her in marriage. She was escorted down the aisle wearing a white silk peau de soi gown. Daisy venice appliques graced the front and back of the gown.

The sheer yoke and high neckline were edged with venice lace. The gown swept to a lace edged chapel length train. Small ruffles edged the sheer fitted sleeves at the wrists.

Adorning her head was a chapel length veil of imported illusion. The camelot cap and the veil were both edged with venetian daisy lace, accented with tiny seed pearls.

The bride carried a cascading bouquet of white carnations and mums and pink sweetheart roses.

Helen Fedewa, sister of the bride of Rt 2, Fowler, attended as maid of honor.

Bridesmaids were Carol Becker of 10488 Converse Rd, Fowlerville; Gall Coon, 223 W Everettdale, Lansing; and Mrs Julie Smith, 1125 Pacific Ave, Lansing.

Flower girl was Aimee Fedewa, niece of the bride.

The attendants wore pale pink print gowns featuring scoop

necklines and baby doll sleeves. A charmingly lace sash tied at the waist. They wore pink hats to match their gowns.

The bridesmaids and maid of honor carried cascading bouquets of pink carnations, white daisies and mums. The flower girl carried a basket of pink carnations and mums.

Dennis Gillespie was the groom's best man. Groomsmen were Clayton Harsh, Bob Mick and Bill Pershem. David Harsh was the ring bearer and Gerald Fedewa and Mark Young were ushers.

The mother of the bride wore a long double knit peach colored gown with lace trimming the neckline.

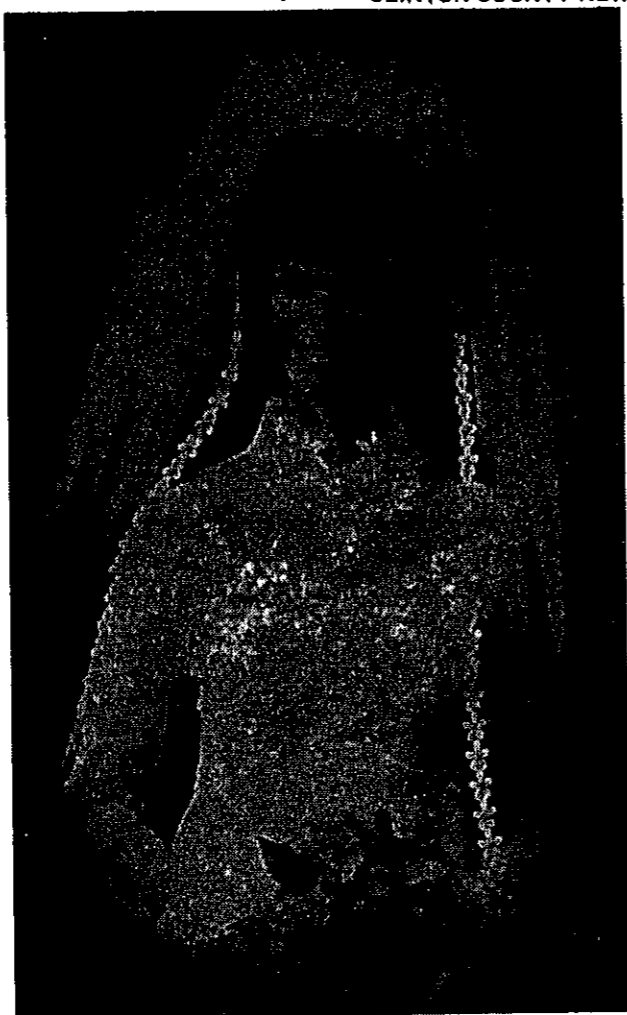
The mother of the groom wore a long double knit mint green gown with a ruffle trim around the neckline. Both mothers wore corsages of yellow sweetheart roses and white carnations.

A reception for 300 guests was held at the Most Holy Trinity School Hall in Fowler. Attending the bridal table were Mrs Peggy Paksi and Mrs Betty Claghorn. Marie Schafer and Mrs Kathy Bergquist cut the wedding cake.

A special guest attending the celebration was Mrs Dora Schafer, grandmother of the bride.

A peach colored double knit pant suit with a matching jersey knit blouse was the bride's going away outfit.

After a wedding trip to Florida, the couple will be at home in St Johns. The bride is a 1967 graduate of Fowler High School and the groom is a 1965 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School.



Mrs. William E. Young

## Extension calendar

- May 10: 4-H Livestock Judging Workshop (beef, sheep and swine) - Livestock Pavilion, MSU - 10 am - 3 pm.
- May 12: Explanation of Farmland and Open Space Act - 8 pm - Ovid-Elsie High School.
- May 13: Family Living Council - Smith Hall, St Johns - 9:30 am.
- May 13: Family Living Program - "Meet the Metric System" - Central National Bank, St Johns - 1 pm.
- May 17: 4-H & Youth Horse Show - 10 am - Fairgrounds in St Johns.
- May 17: County 4-H Award Trip to Detroit.
- May 18: 24 Michigan Week.
- May 20: Family Living Program - "What You Can Do In a Day" (Summertime Activities for Young Families) - Smith Hall - 7:30 pm.
- May 21: 4-H Photography Workshop - 7-9 pm - Smith Hall, St Johns.
- May 27: 4-H Rabbit Meeting - 7:30 pm - Smith hall, St Johns.
- May 22: 4-H Leaders Training - Ballpoint Painting - 7-9:30 - Smith Hall, St Johns.
- May 28: 4-H Food Leader Training - 7:30 pm - Smith Hall, St Johns.
- May 29: 4-H Leader Training - Ballpoint Painting - 7-9:30 pm - Smith Hall, St Johns.
- June 9-10: 4-H Award Trip to Cedar Point.
- June 12: County Commissioners Day at MSU.
- June 16-19: College Week for Women, MSU.
- June 18: 4-H Horse Clinic - Open to public - 7-10 pm - Fairgrounds, St Johns.
- June 19-21: 4-H Exploration Days Program at MSU.
- July 17: District Holstein Show at Corunna.
- July 25: State Holstein Show at Midland.

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### West Elsie

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A good attendance at the Colony Community Club dinner and business meeting on April 19. Plans were made for the chicken barbecue on May 18 at 12:30 and 1:30 pm by reservation only. New members were welcomed to the club. On Monday the men cleaned up

Friendship Park. Mr and Mrs Casper Mead hosted a dinner party Friday evening, May 2, in honor of the 52nd wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Floyd Betzer. Others who attended were Mr and Mrs Wayne Mead and Laurie, Karla Cebulski and Michael Schultz.



A cheerful word at meal time

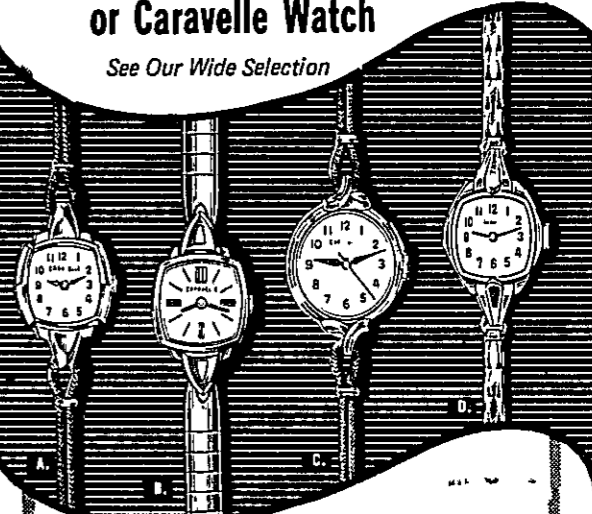


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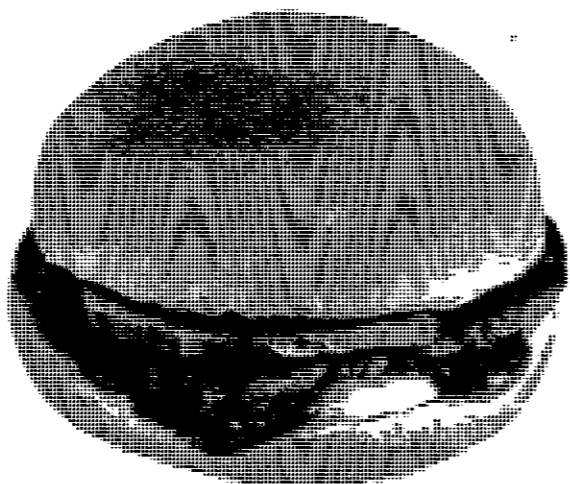
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## TM meeting Thursday

Bruce McCracken, transcendental meditation instructor, is scheduled to speak on the benefits of transcendental meditation Thursday, May 8, at 3 and 7 pm, at Central National Bank, Community Room.

Margaret DeYoung, TM instructor, said the non-religious technique is easily learned and will help a person realize his own potentials. Current scientific research on TM will be reviewed. The IMS is a non-profit, educational, charitable organization.

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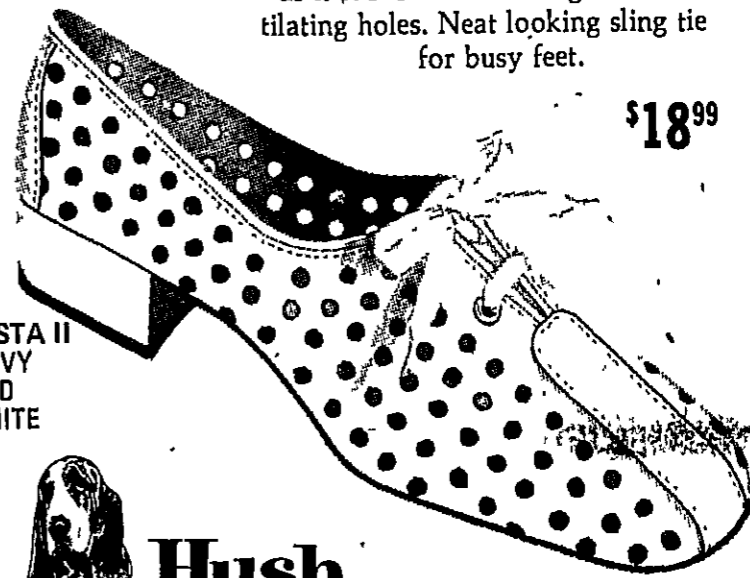
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## Ovid-Elsie School Board meeting report

The meeting was called to order at 8:22 pm by Vice President Webster with the following members present: Charles Bracey, Richard DePond, Merle Green, Frank Rivest, Glenn Webster and Thomas Winkler. Member absent: David Hill.

The meeting was opened with Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Motion by C. Bracey, supported by M. Green to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the regular meeting of April 14, 1975, and approve them as printed. Motion carried.

Motion by T. Winkler, supported by F. Rivest to approve payment of general fund bills represented by checks numbered 1926 thru 1979 in the amount of \$101,971.38. Motion carried.

Vice President Webster read thank you note from Charles Bracey for the terrarium he received while hospitalized.

Vice President Webster read

a letter from Mrs Marie Holm, High School Home Economics teacher, requesting maternity leave of absence. Motion by F. Rivest, supported by R. DePond to grant maternity leave of absence to Mrs Marie Holm for the 1975-76 school year. Motion carried.

Superintendent Kenney reviewed the complicated state aid formulas and the effect each formula could have on schools. A lengthy round-table discussion took place. The proposed budget that was presented to the allocation board was reviewed. The Board was unable to set millage for the ensuing year due to the fact the state aid formula from the state is undetermined and the county allocation millage has not been set.

Mrs Betty Lewis, high school business education teacher, presented the needs for new business machines.

Motion by F. Rivest, supported by C. Bracey to

authorize Superintendent Kenney to pursue the purchase of classroom business machines. Motion carried.

Motion by F. Rivest, supported by R. DePond to approve transfer of monies from Debt I savings to pay semi annual Debt I payment in the amount of \$113,218.46 payable to The Detroit Bank & Trust Company. Motion carried.

Motion by T. Winkler, supported by R. DePond to approve transfer of monies from Debt II savings to pay semi annual Debt II payment in the amount of \$8,997.25 payable to Clinton National Bank & Trust. Motion carried.

Motion by M. Green, supported by C. Bracey to approve transfer of monies from Debt III savings to pay semi annual Debt III payment in the amount of \$15,908.27 payable to Clinton National Bank & Trust. Motion carried.

Vice President Webster recognized the visitors which included Mrs Sandra Jones, 1974-75 president of Elsie P.T.O. and Mrs Judy Volz, 1975-76 president of the Elsie P.T.O.

Also, as a visitor, was Clifford Luft, Superintendent of North Central Area Schools from the Upper Peninsula. Mr Luft had been in our district for the day, taking part in the visitation exchange day arranged by the superintendent's association of Michigan.

Vice President Webster called for an executive session at 10:00 pm to discuss a student matter.

The meeting reconvened at 11:02 pm.

Motion by T. Winkler, supported by R. DePond to adjourn meeting at 11:03 pm.

# Ovid — Elsie Area News

## Elsie

The April Pack meeting of the Elsie Cub Scouts was held on Sunday, April 27, at the E.E. Knight Elementary School.

The opening flag ceremony was presented by Den 1 with Den Mother, Mrs Ernie Bywater.

Awards chairman Gary Smith along with Ernie Bywater presented awards to the following Webelos and Cub Scouts.

Webelos: Jeff Clark — Forester, geologist, naturalist and outdoorsman; David Guyski — Athlete, scholar, and outdoorsman; Al Bywater — Athlete, scholar, engineer, traveler, outdoorsman, and artist; Kurt Wilse — Aquanaut, scholar, outdoorsman; Scott Bates — Athlete, scholar, outdoorsman; Don Gilbert — Athlete and outdoorsman.

Den #1: William Chapko — membership card, Wolf Badge and Gold Arrow; Dale Bywater, Lawrence Stewart, Bill Moore, Doug Schoch and Doug Price —

each a Silver Arrow.

Den #2: Gary Serviss, David Rittenburg and Stanley McQuire each received a Gold and Silver Arrow. Joe Smith received his Bobcat Badge.

Den #3: Dean Dunham, Eric Schroeder, Don Phillips, Kevin Baese, Harold Dunham, Craig Smith and Doug Betts, each received a silver arrow.

Den #4: Andy Porubsky was awarded the Wolf Badge, gold and silver arrows. Pat Warren, Danny Fox, Steve Chapko, Jim Hart and Mike Nicholas received a silver arrow.

Ernie Bywater and Don Gilbert have tickets to sell to the Scout Fair in Lansing on June 7 and 8. The next Pack meeting will be Saturday night, May 31, at 6:30 at the Elsie Park. In case of rain it will be at the E.E. Knight Cafeteria.

Emerson Dunham introduced Walter Taylor and daughter, Debbie from Owosso, who presented a very entertaining program on magic. Several Cub

Scouts and Janelle Price assisted in some of the tricks.

The closing ceremony was given by Den 1. Refreshments were served by the parents of Den 1 members.

There will be an added pleasure on Mother's Day weekend for those who visit the Art Exhibit at the Elsie Public Library. Mrs Nida Dunham of Elsie and her students will display many of their paintings and china on Saturday, May 10, from 10 am to 8 pm and Sunday, May 11, from 1 to 6 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to come and view the arrangements.

Mrs Dunham has been teaching many years; 3 classes a day, 5 days a week. This is the first summer she will take a vacation from the year-round schedule.

The students, some 40 to 50 are given lessons in her home at 418 W. Main St. Elsie. They come from Lansing, Flint,

Owosso, St Johns, Bannister, Chapin, Eureka and Elsie area.

The exhibit which will include porcelain painting, pastels and oil paintings will be displayed in the Historical Room which was recently completed at the southeast corner of the Elsie Public Library.

Mr and Mrs Russell Gilbert of Ovid were the guests of honor Sunday at the Fellowship Hall of the Elsie United Methodist Church for their 40th wedding anniversary.

The meeting opened by singing "Onward Christian Soldiers."

A Grand Representative, Ella Krause of Fowler, representing Alabama in Michigan was introduced. Worthy Matrons presented were Eva Merrill, DeWitt Chapter #30; Ruth Chamberlain, Ovid, Morning Star Chapter #279; Shirley Cramer, Maple Rapids #76; Evelyn Morrow, Wacousta #133 and Worthy Patron Marion Merrill, DeWitt Chapter #30. Worshipful Master, Marshall Warren of DeWitt was also introduced.

Clinton County officers included Adela Moore, president; Anne Praay, 1st vice-president; Christine Brown, 2nd vice-president; Geraldine Workman, secretary-treasurer and Eleanor Montgomery, chaplain of the OES Association.

Mrs Leila Wilson gave a

reading on ESTARL, which explained that the letters stood for Eastern Star Training Awards for Religious Leadership. She said ESTARL also stands for the need of Christian leadership and the return to God in this changing world, the lack of which is evident in our everyday life.

"ESTARL was adopted by General Grand Chapter as a world-wide project in 1952 and had little difficulty in establishing this new department for it answered the need of our return to God and the teachings of His Son whose Star we follow," she added.

She continued by explaining the raising of funds and the granting of scholarships for the promotion of Christian Education with sources of revenue from the Every Member Project, memorial contributions, proceeds from the annual Vesper Services and other donations specified for ESTARL.

Awards are granted for one year only, but may be renewed upon separate application. The size of the grant depends upon the number of applications and the funds available. Blanks must be requested through a subordinate Chapter Secretary and after completion should be in the hands of the Educational Board no later than June. Membership in the Order is not a requirement, but those approved for a scholarship must be approved by an Eastern Star Chapter.

Mrs Wilson stated that the Grand Chapter of Michigan has been one of the outstanding leaders in this field and has granted over \$215,000 in scholarship funds since 1952. It ranks third in contributions and has granted over 854 scholarships.

Archie Moore read the Scriptures from the Bible and Sharon and David Dunham, playing piano and trombone, respectively, gave the following selections: "Sweet," "Sweet Spirit," "God Can See Us," "Freely, Freely," "Why Me," and "Pass It On."

Cookies and punch were served in the dining room by Mrs Jeanne Temple, Mrs Florence Ewer, Mrs Elizabeth Levey and Mrs Rosemary Moore.

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**DAR holds monthly meeting**

The River Wabwasin Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution met recently at the home of Mrs Leo K. Pouch and Miss Shirley Pouch for their monthly meeting.

The meeting was conducted by the Regent Miss Maralyse Brooks. Mrs John F. Caudy read the President General's message. Mrs H. Manning Bross gave the National Defense report on "Bake a Bigger Pie" by Walter J. Campbell. One shouldn't be thinking about producing more to combat inflation; To correct shortages; To build strength; To restore pride?

The program was given by Mrs Harold F. Millman on "Bicentennial Lady" Martha Washington, First in the Hearts of Her Countrymen.

**Attend OES meeting in Maryland**

Mrs Leila Wilson accompanied Mrs Bertha Thomas of Ithaca, Myrtle Chapter #56, a Grand Representative representing Maryland in Michigan to the Grand Chapter Session of OES of Maryland held at the Baltimore Hotel in Baltimore, Maryland.

They left Bishop Airport in Flint on Sunday, April 27 and returned April 30th.

They attended the Grand Chapter Memorial Service on Sunday evening, which was very beautiful and impressive. They were guests to the Grand Representative luncheon held Monday and also attended the Banquet on Tuesday evening.

Other Michigan guests were the Most Worthy Grand Patron D. LaVerne Courtney of Detroit and his wife; Educational Committee General Grand Chapter, Harold F. Kock P.G.P. and his wife; Committee on Unfinished Business General Grand Chapter, Kenneth Wiseman, PGP and his wife; and ESTARL Committee General Grand Chapter, Florence Aday, P.G.M.

On Tuesday, Roberta Meredith, College Park, Maryland, Grand Representative of Michigan in Maryland took them on a trip to Washington, D.C. They were also accompanied by another

lady from Maryland and two from Missouri. They saw all the government buildings, the White House, Washington Monument, Lincoln Memorial, and Arlington Cemetery. They visited the graves of John and Robert Kennedy and also saw the changing of the guards.

The trees were green and tulips, azaleas, dogwood, crabapple and cherry trees were in blossom. Mrs Wilson said it was a wonderful trip and very enjoyable. They missed the trip to Annapolis as the tour would have been too late for Mrs Thomas and Mrs Wilson to catch the plane back to Michigan and its rain.

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**Elsie OES meets**

Elsie Chapter O.E.S. regular meeting was held Thursday evening, May 1 with Worthy Matron, Alvera Ade and the Associate Patron Dale Levey presiding in the East. There were 17 officers and six members present.

Mrs Anne Praay, 1st vice-president of the Clinton County Association and - James Litomisky, Worshipful Master of Elsie F. & A.M. #238 were introduced.

A Memorial was read by the Secretary in memory of Sister Katherine S. Groomes of Ann Arbor Chapter #122 and a life member of Grand Chapter.

Mrs Gladys Vincent was presented her Life Membership by W.M. Alvera Ade.

Communications were read from the Grand Secretary and

Thank-you notes from Patricia Chamberlain and Nancy Hehrer for the Reception held in Ovid for Jobs Daughters honored members. The Sunshine Committee reported calling on Mrs Elaine Sturgis in the Carson City Hospital and Mrs Ann Mitchell in the Owosso Hospital. It was also reported that Mrs Reatha Capen was in the Sparrow Hospital in Lansing.

Several volunteered to do cleaning as Vesper Service was to be held Sunday, May 4. All Chapters of Clinton County are invited. Thursday, May 8, there will be initiation and May 14 Clinton County Association in the Elsie Masonic Temple. Registration will start at 9:00 a.m. Luncheon will be served at noon, no reservations after May 8.

Guy Mitchell, Dale Levey, James Litomisky and C. Hubert Sills will serve as refreshment committee for the May 8th Initiation.

The next regular meeting will be June 5 when Mr and Mrs Alex Dunay, Mrs Patricia Graham, Mr and Mrs Orville Ade and Mrs Margaret Moore.

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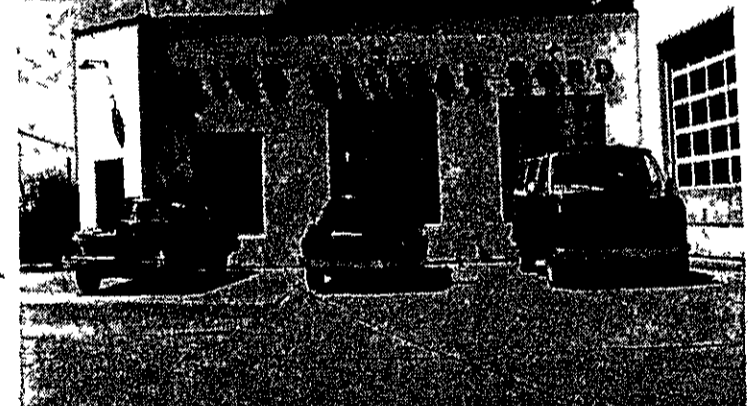
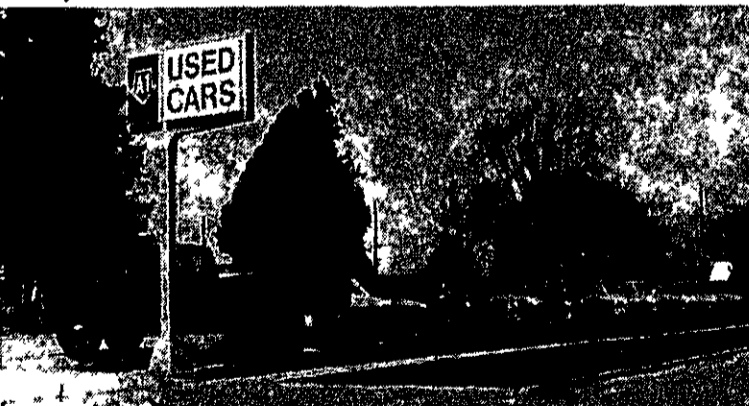
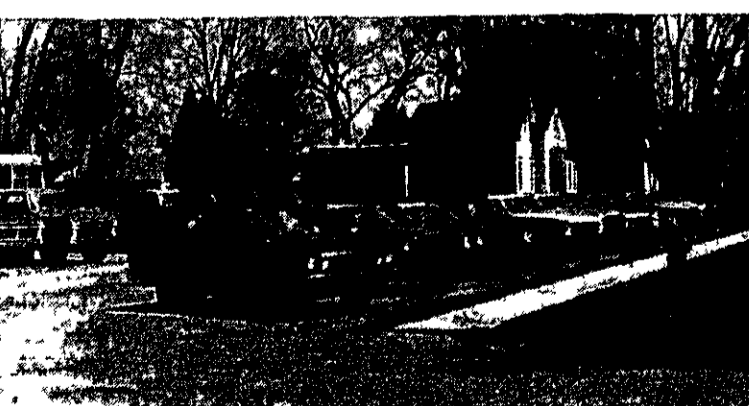
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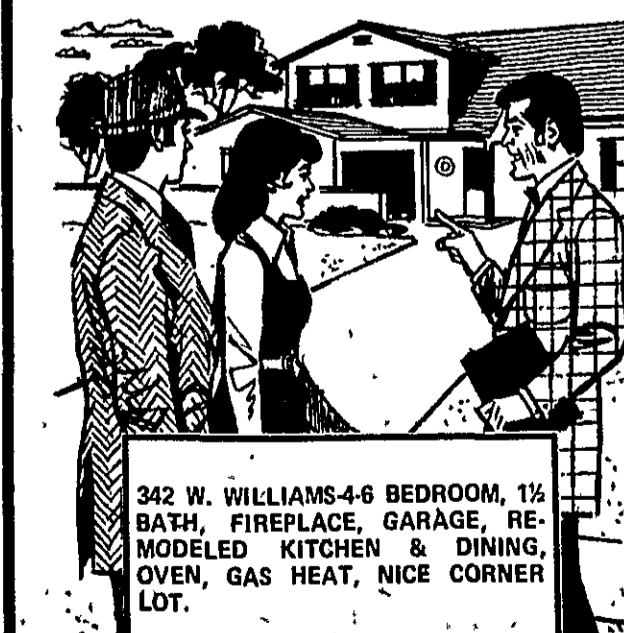
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# New look in DeWitt is The Sycamore Tree

DEWITT — Because of a man with an idea and a lot of courage, DeWitt will soon have a collection of new shops to add to the downtown area and 1 less eyesore to worry about.

The man is Gary Newcombe and his idea is the Sycamore Tree, an old home, a barn and a smoke house, which he restored and made into a series of small shops. It is scheduled to open May 10.

The idea did not come to Newcombe until after he had purchased the home.

"I just got tired of riding by the place and seeing it falling down. I finally came to the conclusion that if anyone was going to fix it up it was going to have to be me," he said.

His first impulse was to make the old home into apartments, as he and his wife, Pat, already owned 24 units of rental property. But after Newcombe found out how much money he needed to put into the place, about \$45,000, he decided that 2 apartments would not give him the kind of return he needed for his investment.

Then he thought of putting in small shops and went to work. He has owned the building for about 8 weeks and the project is near completion.

So far, 12 of the 19 available rooms, with rent ranging from \$65 to \$90 a month, have been rented.

Newcombe has made the rooms available only to people with a hobby who have always wanted to own their own business but were unable to due to high cost of rent and other expenses.

Included in the rental fee is all utilities, as Newcombe will pay water, and electricity bills himself.

The tenants are not bound to the shops with a lease, as Newcombe said the rent is on a month-to-month basis and people can leave when they wish.

Newcombe said when he first got the idea everyone discouraged him. But now as the home is beginning to take shape, people are more enthusiastic.

The Sycamore Tree, located 1 block north of the red light, has had a lot of improvements since Newcombe took over.

The peeling white paint was covered with bright gold siding, and all 3 buildings received new roofs. A new furnace was installed, the home was insulated, and the barn was rewired.

Other improvements include numerous shelves and benches which Newcombe has provided for the different shops.

Newcombe said watching the people who have opened shops in his building is very interesting.

"It's intriguing to see how excited these people are about their shops," he said. "I really get satisfaction just watching them."

Newcombe is just as excited about the venture as the people who are renting from him.

"It's so interesting, I took the first step, and now I can watch the people follow through with my idea."

Newcombe said his main concern was trying to keep people from getting discouraged.

"The traffic will not be the same as in the Lansing Mall," he said. "I just hope the people can maintain their enthusiasm and not get discouraged."

A large variety of shops will be in business on opening day, May 10.

The Stuff and Such, a gift shop, will be located in the old chicken coop. Newcombe said the owner of the shop travels all over Michigan buying hand made items for the shop.

His gifts will be displayed on antique furniture which is also for sale.



The new business in DeWitt is the Sycamore Tree, an old home, smoke house, and barn which were restored into small shops including plant, macrame, leather, and gift shops. Owner Gary Newcombe stands beside the hand made sign which was made for him by Jake Smeltzer of Lansing, who also made the "Welcome to Historic DeWitt" signs.

A Black smith shop will be featuring old fashioned knife, scissor and saw sharpening and lawn mower repair. A furniture maker from Carson City who specializes in making old-fashioned-looking-new furniture, will have a shop open.

Leather chess boards, purses, belts and unique leather sculptured pieces will be offered for sale at the leather and macrame shop.

Newcombe has donated a room to the DeWitt Bicentennial Commission which they will use as headquarters. They will also sell Bicentennial Souvenirs.

Rick Cunningham, Lansing artist who plans to move to DeWitt, has taken a rented shop.

He will display his work as

well as the work of other artists, including pictures done in oils and watercolors. In addition, Cunningham will do sketches and portraits.

A Ceramics shop will feature the usual delicate pieces as well as special pieces with Bicentennial seals.

A perpetual garage sale will be in progress in the Bargain Barn. Newcombe said the owner travels all around the state to stock his shop and will offer such things as antique tools to furniture.

There will also be 2 antique shops and an ice cream parlor.

Newcombe, 30, is also the vice president of Millbrook Meadows and the zoning administrator for the City of DeWitt. He, his wife, and three children live at 835 Andover, DeWitt.

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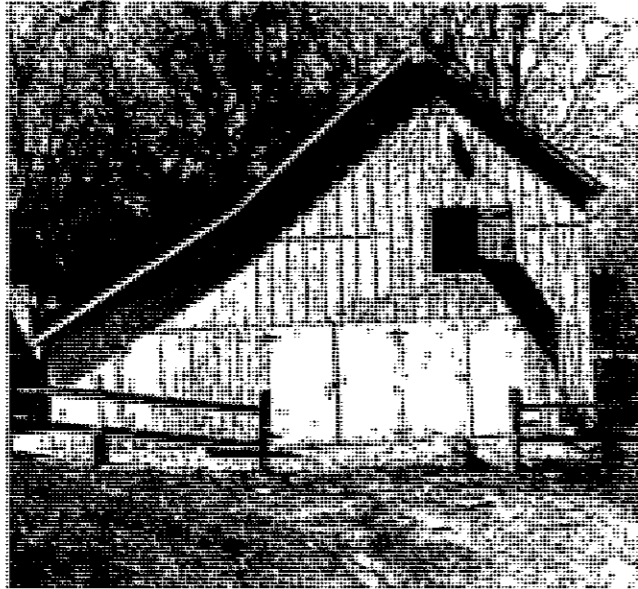
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## Canoes float in swimming pool

DEWITT — In preparation for an outing, Larry Arbanas took the members of his canoe club to DeWitt High School swimming pool May 1 for what he calls drown proofing.

The students were put through a number of exercises to determine if they would be able to survive in the water under capsize conditions.

Arbanas, history teacher and canoe club sponsor, said the students had to tread water for 10 minutes fully clothed. They

then made a float out of their pants and had to swim 2 laps with a life preserver on.

They also had to learn how to get into an empty canoe and pull a canoe partially filled with water, to safety.

The students worked in pairs. They hope to be in shape by May 8, when they have a canoe trip scheduled at Lake Geneva.

The club will not take a trip on the Looking Glass until the water goes down, Arbanas said.

## On Dean's List

MELBOURNE, FLORIDA — Michael Bohm, son of Mr and Mrs. J. Dale Bohm of 1024 E. Geneva Dr., DeWitt, has been named to the winter quarter Dean's List at Florida Institute of Technology at Melbourne, Florida.

Being named to the Dean's List represents outstanding scholastic performance and a letter of congratulations has been sent to Ray A. Work, Jr., Vice President for Student Affairs, at Florida Institute of Technology.

Bohm is a 1974 graduate of DeWitt High School and is a first year student and is majoring in electrical engineering and computer services at Florida Institute of Technology.

## Bicentennial Band in DeWitt May 11

The 5th Michigan Regimental Band, an internationally noted official American Revolution Bicentennial Project of the State of Michigan, will perform at DeWitt football stadium, Sunday May 11, from 3-5 pm.

In case of rain, the concert will be held in the school gym. Tickets are \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for students.

## School notes

**DEWITT** — A Water safety and boating class is being taught at DeWitt Middle School May 12-15 from 7-9 pm.

The class, for 12-16-year-olds, is being taught by Doug Twiss and is sponsored by the Clinton County Sheriff's Dept and the Dept of Natural Resources.

### TRIP

The 8th graders at DeWitt Middle School plan to take a trip to Greenfield Village May 19.

The 151 students will tour the village and the museum.

The trip used to be an annual event, but the 8th graders last year did not go due to the gas shortage. The students this year decided to pay for the fuel themselves.

### SP4 Young

Schofield Barracks, Hawaii — Army Specialist Four Larry A. Young, son of Mr and Mrs Willard V. Young, 247 Round Lake Road, DeWitt, fired expert with the M-16 rifle here.

The expert rating is the highest mark a soldier can achieve on his rifle qualification test.

Spec. Young is a member of the 25th Infantry Division.

### Airman Smith

SAN ANTONIO — Airman Russell J. Smith, son of Mr and Mrs Russell J. Smith Sr of 6161 E. Sleigh Road, Bath, has been selected for technical training in the US Air Force communications electronics systems field at Sheppard AFB, Tex.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex, where he studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

Airman Smith is a 1973 graduate of Bath High School.

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# But victories elude baseball team

## Redwing scores are close

By John Phipps  
County News  
Sports Writer

St Johns High's young baseball team continued to take its knocks despite playing close to several good teams recently. The Redwings lost to DeWitt, Waverly and Grand Ledge by a total of 5 runs.

Coach Joe Gonzales was happy with the hitting of his Wings in the DeWitt contest last Tuesday - "Our bats began to boom in this game - we got 11 hits, and we showed signs of what we can do when we play ball. This was a more encouraging display of baseball and except for two controversial plays at the plate, we

could have easily won this game." DeWitt won by a 5-4 count after leading by as much as 4-1. St Johns continued to be plagued by errors, committing 10 in the 3-game stint.

The Redwings went up against the best pitcher in the West Central Conference when it met Waverly's Gary Organeck the week before the DeWitt contest. Organeck tossed a 3-hitter at the Wings, but St Johns' Jeff Hazel also hurled a 3-hitter while suffering a 3-0 loss.

Waverly scored all its runs in the 3rd inning, including 1 on an error and another on a late throw. The Wings faced another top

pitcher in Grand Ledge's Doug Barey, getting just 3 hits off him while St Johns' starter Carl Bashore allowed only 1 hit by the Comets. It was Bashore's second 1-hitter of the season, but the Wings lost 2-1.

A two-run error gave Grand Ledge all it needed for the win in the 2nd inning.

Bashore smashed a long double to centerfield in the third inning, took third on Brian Pertler's single and scored on a fielder's choice.

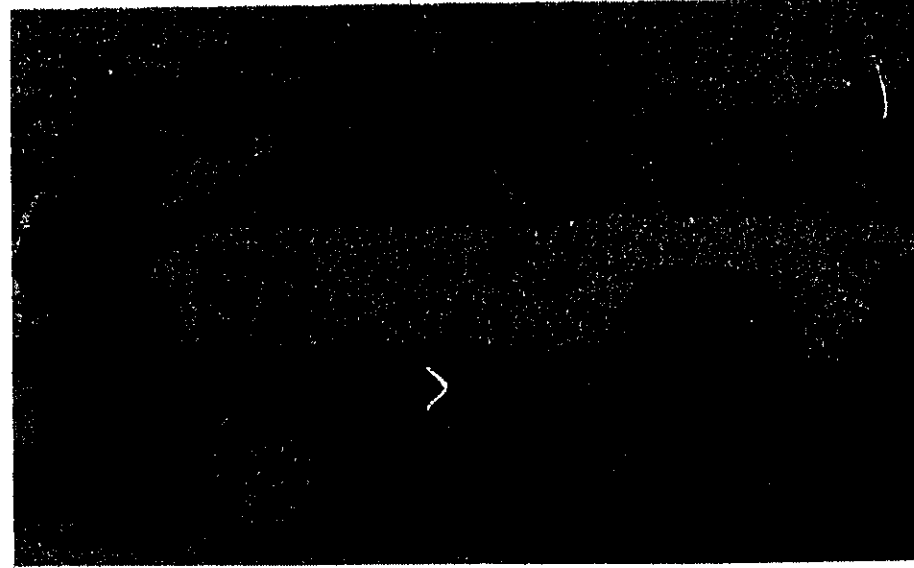
Bashore also pitched the DeWitt game, which turned into a slugfest with 18-hits between the two teams. Julian Villarreal survived as the winning pitcher for the Panthers. St Johns took the lead with a run in the top of the third inning

on singles by Pertler and Keith Haske and an rbi-single by Jeff Thornton.

Bob Rice hit a 2-run homer in the 3-run 3rd inning for DeWitt. Ted Mitchell had moved to second on an error and scored on a single by Paul Simons. Rice brought home Simons.

DeWitt added a run in the fourth inning and broke a 4-4 tie in the bottom of the 5th when Simon scored from second on a fielding error.

St Johns had tied the score with 3 runs in the top of the 5th. Robin Miller reached first base on an error, Frank Faivor hit a pinch-hit single and Rick Atkinson singled to load the bases. Haske doubled home two runs and Jeff Thornton brought another home later with a single.



Alan Taft, of Ovid, poses with his 1967 Chevelle that he will be racing this season at the Owosso Speedway.

## Speedway opens this weekend

The Owosso Speedway will open its gate for the 1975 season this weekend, with the late model stock cars scheduled to compete on the 1/4 mile paved oval. Time trials for the first event will begin at 5 pm, with owners and drivers asked to arrive early this week so inspection can be completed before the racing program is

started. Speedway promoter, Ed Jones, has scheduled the Late Model Stock Cars to race every Saturday night during the summer, with the Late Model Super Stocks scheduled to run seven programs on Sunday afternoon, the first of which is scheduled for Sunday, May 18th on the high banked half mile. Opening day at the Speedway should see many of last year's drivers from around the state return to 'do Battle' with the local boys. Going into his third season at the Owosso Speedway will be Alan Taft of Ovid. Alan started racing when he was sixteen, and has steadily improved until he is considered one of the leading drivers at the Speedway. Alan was awarded the "Rookie of the Year" in his first year of driving, and has finished in the top three in overall points during the past two seasons.

### District time

Ovid-Elsie has drawn Chesaning for the qualifying round preceding the district high school baseball tournament. No date has been set for the contest by press time, but it must be played between May 12 and 22 at the Ovid-Elsie field.

The other qualifying round pairings pits Okemos against Eaton Rapids. Teams drawing byes include St Johns, Durand, Charlotte, Mason, Holt and Corunna.

Those teams and winners of the qualifying rounds will meet in the pre-district round May 24. St Johns will travel to Durand that day, with Charlotte going to the winner of Okemos-Eaton Rapids. The Ovid-Elsie-Chesaning victor will journey to Mason. Holt will play at Corunna.

Four teams will survive and advance to the Class B District 26 tournament at Chesaning High School on May 31. First game will be at 10 am, with another at 12:30 pm. Championship contest is set for 3 pm.

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<b>ASSETS</b>		
Cash and due from banks (including U.S. Treasury securities)	41,357,304	63
U.S. Treasury securities	2,020,421	87
Deposits of Federal Reserve Bank	1,000,000	1
Deposits of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	2,607,191	05
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	2,725,789	72
Other securities (including U.S. Govt. securities)	116,857	23
Trading account securities	2,500,000	00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	40,416,918	70
Loans	870,678	45
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	11,202	22
Real estate owned other than bank premises	11,202	22
Investment in unaffiliated individuals and "connected companies"	11,202	22
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	11,202	22
Other assets (including U.S. Govt. securities)	342,023	91
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>61,456,145</b>	<b>90</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	10,200,212	89
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	50,224,691	16
Deposits of United States Government	116,857	23
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	7,097,053	33
Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	11,202	22
Deposits of commercial banks	11,202	22
Confidential and officers' checks, etc.	228,823	14
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>79,688,138</b>	<b>79</b>
U.S. Treasury securities	2,020,421	87
U.S. Govt. securities	1,000,000	1
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	11,202	22
Liabilities for borrowed money	11,202	22
Mortgage indebtedness	11,202	22
Acceptances issued by this bank on behalf of other banks and companies	11,202	22
Other liabilities	11,202	22
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>94,822,065</b>	<b>94</b>
<b>RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES</b>		
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (not yet provided for)	702,350	74
Other reserves on loans	11,202	22
Reserve on securities	11,202	22
<b>TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES</b>	<b>724,754</b>	<b>76</b>
<b>CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>		
Capital assets and debentures	11,202	22
U.S. Govt. securities	11,202	22
Preferred stock-outstanding	11,202	22
Preferred stock-outstanding per value	11,202	22
No. shares outstanding	11,202	22
Common stock-outstanding	11,202	22
No. shares outstanding	11,202	22
Surplus	11,202	22
Undivided profits	11,202	22
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	11,202	22
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>11,202</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>95,546,819</b>	<b>96</b>
<b>MEMORANDA</b>		
Average of total deposits for the 12 calendar days ending with call date	52,798,330	00
Average of total loans for the 12 calendar days ending with call date	40,283,930	00
Assets collected and turned on installment loans included in total capital accounts	11,202	22
Standing loans of credit	11,202	22

## Marauders suffer the 1-run jinx

"We just haven't been winning those close ones," said Ovid-Elsie baseball coach Jack Nutter after the Marauders had dropped their 3rd 1-run decision in 5 outings.

Mark Hudecek had just tossed a solid 5-hitter while O-E lost a 3-2 game to league-leading Chesaning.

Before that the Marauders lost 5-4 to Owosso despite the 3-hit pitching of Rex Ballantine.

And before that, it took an extra inning for Swan Valley to pull out a 1-0 victory over O-E. Hudecek fanned 13 batters in that game, the best of the trio, in Nutter's estimation. "Our defense was strong, we eliminated some errors for a change, and it was an excellent, well-played game by both teams. Hudecek pitched a great game."

Ray Trevino slammed 3 doubles in that contest, but the Marauders were unable to bring him across the plate.

Also in recent action, O-E swept a double-header from St Charles, taking the opener 8-5 and the nightcap 9-7. Bill Cook pitched both victories for the Marauders, while Dean Hibbler

and Tim Bolton belted home runs in the first game.

Ovid-Elsie came from behind to get both wins. The Marauders took a 4-0 lead in the opener, fell behind 5-4 and rallied with 4 runs in the 7th inning. St Charles went up 5-0 in the second game and stayed ahead until O-E again pulled off a 4-run comeback in the last inning.

Chesaning, 6-0 in the Mid-Michigan B League after topping O-E, picked up a run in the 3rd inning on Joe Toma's double and Dan Beckman's run-scoring single.

Ovid-Elsie retaliated in the 5th inning with a run on Hudecek's double, a grounder that moved him to 3rd and a passed ball that let him score.

Chesaning came up with 2 runs in the 6th inning when Rick Wesley doubled, winning pitcher Doug Mort and John Sedler each singled.

The Marauders didn't give up -- they scored another run in the top of the 7th inning. Hudecek and Hibbler walked with no outs, but a blistering shot to second base turned into a double play and a raging controversy. Hudecek survived at second and scored on Tim

Bolton's single.

"We got some bad breaks -- Jim Quine missed a home run by inches when the ball hit the top of the fence, and everyone thought the Chesaning 2nd baseman caught that hard shot on one bounce," reviewed Nutter.

Quine still wound up with a pair of hits in 4 plate appearances.

Ovid-Elsie took the early lead against Owosso, scoring once in the first inning and twice in the 3rd. Ballantine held Owosso hitless in the first 4 innings. But the Trojans evened it up in the 5th inning and added two runs in the 6th for the winning margin. O-E scored once in the bottom of the 7th.

All 5 Owosso runs were unearned; Nutter credited Cook for good pitching in relief of Ballantine, but said, "our defense cost us again. Since losing our regular infielder, Jack Bashore, we can't seem to get our defense going. We made costly errors in crucial parts of the game."

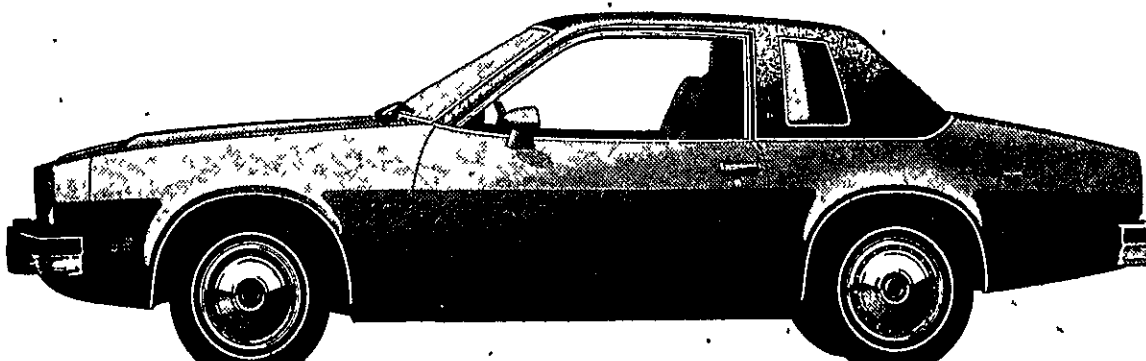
Hudecek got 2 of the 8 hits off Owosso pitching, while Jack Cook and Brian Bracey each hit key doubles.

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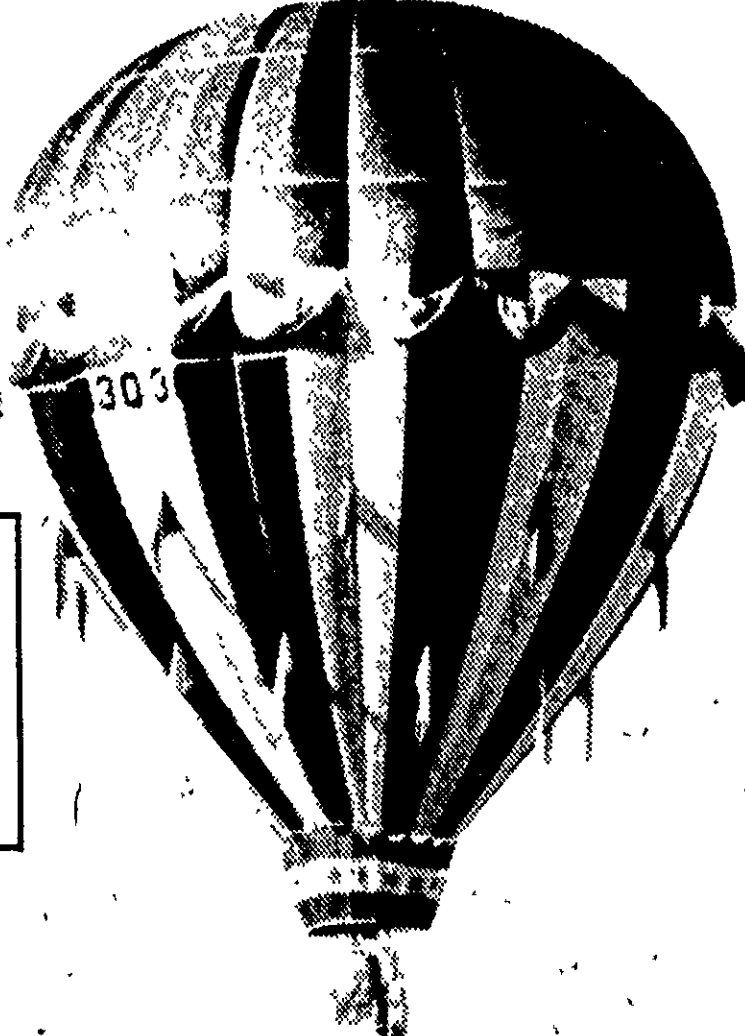
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## "If It Fitz . . ."

### He must be a legislator

Editor, Lapeer County Press

"by Jim Fitzgerald



A jobless friend phoned from Las Vegas and I was surprised because a week earlier he had been living on welfare in Michigan. He explained that he was pretending to be a state legislator so he could show the world how easy it is for a phony to get on the public payroll.

"Right now I am on a junket," he said. "I am attending a seminar on the danger of Asian crickets to the Michigan sugar beet. The first meeting was held last night in the Sands Hotel, under a crap table. I even made a short speech. I suggested that next year's seminar be held in Hawaii. No distance is too far to go in the interest of one of our state's most important products, the sugar beet."

My friend has obviously been inspired by Kirby Holmes, the Michigan legislator who recently pretended to be poor so he could show the world how easy it is for a phony to get on welfare. With the aid of 6 co-conspirators, Holmes defrauded the state out of \$941 in welfare payments. He grew a beard and wore old clothes and told the Social Service Dept he was jobless and needed money to pay the rent and feed his children. The dummies believed him.

WHEN HIS cover was finally blown, Holmes proclaimed loudly that his masquerade had proven that most ADC mothers should be frisked and fingerprinted before being allowed to stand in the foodstamp line. Any common cheat can get on welfare, Holmes claimed. He got his picture in all the newspapers.

My junketing friend admitted his desire to duplicate Holmes' success, flip side. He wants to gain the reputation and image of a legislator. He wants to be so convincing he can draw a legislator's salary without even winning an election. He phoned me because he knows newspapermen keep a fascinated eye on the legislature which is usually the best show in town. He wondered if I had any suggestions on how he might improve his impersonation.

I told him the Las Vegas junket was a brilliant beginning but he should be sure to stop over in Los Angeles and San Francisco on the way home. On his expense account, the entire trip should be charged to cab fare. All legislators and their inebriated "watchdogs" know how impossible it is to get a receipt from a cabbie.

Just the other day a Michigan legislator bought himself a color TV with taxpayers' money and called it a business expense. My friend would be smart to buy himself a jet plane and charge it up to mileage logged while studying the sway of the Mackinac Bridge.

ONE OF MY favorite legislators is always getting drunk and passing out in the parking lots of drive-in restaurants. This is interesting enough to get his name in the papers, but not very classy. I told my friend to strip and dance a jig on the buffet table at Charley's Crab in the Pontchartrain Hotel in downtown Detroit.

My masquerading friend should also establish an out-state office in his basement at home. It should be staffed by his wife, 5 kids, 2 brothers-in-law and assorted nieces and nephews. They can grow sugar beets in a windowbox and the whole thing can easily be charged to the taxpayers.

Mich State Sen Joseph Mack recently spent \$37,000 refurbishing his Lansing office. Much of this public money went for carpeting. A legislator's status is often measured by the thickness of his carpet. Sen Mack must be up to his fanny in pile. I suggested that my friend consider carpeting his ceiling. Then he could request a special appropriation to pay Karl Wallenda to do his vacuuming.

At this point my friend expressed amazement. "Gee," he said, "I think there are more crooks in the legislature than there are on welfare."

"WATCH IT," I cautioned him, "what you just said makes sense. You go around making sense, no one will ever mistake you for a legislator."

## Spaniola announces centers for flood victim assistance

Victims of the recent floods may be available to them through the President's newly established emergency "one-stop" centers, it was announced by State Representative Francis R. Spaniola (D-Corunna).

Those who suffered losses in the floods will, at these centers, be able to obtain information on assistance programs which

may be available to them through the President's newly established emergency "one-stop" centers, it was announced by State Representative Francis R. Spaniola (D-Corunna).

The emergency center at Flint is to remain open for one week, the center at Lansing between two and three weeks. They are scheduled to be open between 9 am and 6 pm, seven days a week.

According to Spaniola, the federal disaster designation will make the following programs available to victims: Temporary housing, emergency loans to individuals, emergency loans to businesses, unemployment benefits for those laid off because of the floods, food stamps and surplus food commodities, and federal income tax deductions.

"Although we have no specific state disaster programs, individuals may be eligible for general assistance and other aid through the Department of Social Services," Spaniola reported. "In addition, the Governor has authority to ask for a federally and state funded individual and family grant program to meet necessary expenses and serious needs of disaster victims. The maximum grant would be \$5,000."

He added, "I would urge flood victims to call at one of the emergency assistance centers as soon as possible to find out what aid is available to them. I am informed that the Red Cross will provide transportation, if necessary."

## Completes LCC trucking class

Dan W. Washburn, 4145 Harmon Road, St. Johns was among the graduates of the #119 Truck Driver Training Class of Lansing Community College.

an over-the-road trip to parts of Michigan, Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana.

Truck Driver Training Certificates were awarded to the students at graduation ceremonies at Fort Custer in Battle Creek, Michigan.

## NOTICE

The Regular Clinton County Zoning Commission Meeting scheduled for May 15, 1975 will not be held.

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## St. Johns City Commission minutes

April 14, 1975

Mayor Ebert called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. COMM: Present: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. COMM: Absent: None. STAFF Present: Attorney Maples, Clerk Wood, Manager Humphrey.

Motion by Comm. Wilcox, supported by Comm. Arehart to approve the minutes of the March 24, 1975 meeting and the Special Minutes of the April 17, 1975 meeting. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Wilcox, supported by Comm. Arehart to approve the Warrants. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Mayor Ebert asked for additions or deletions to the agenda. There was one addition and one deletion.

Motion by Comm. Arehart, supported by Comm. Hannah to approve the agenda as amended. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

The City Clerk read a letter from the St. Johns Lions Club requesting permission to sell White Cane's in town.

Motion by Comm. Hannah, supported by Comm. Arehart that the request of the Lions Club for certain considerations during their annual White Cane Week of April 28 - May 4 be granted. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Mayor Ebert read a proclamation proclaiming the week of May 17th through May 24th, 1975 as Michigan Week.

Motion by Comm. Arehart, supported by Comm. Hannah that Carol Maples and Marilyn Wood be appointed as co-chairladies of Michigan Week. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

The City Clerk presented the monthly report from Fishbeck, Thompson and Carr on Searles Estates.

Motion by Comm. Hannah, supported by Comm. Arehart to accept the report of Fishbeck, Thompson and Carr with the exception of paragraph one on page two which referred to the contractors working on Saturday.

Commissioner Hannah amended his motion to include the entire report. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

There was some discussion regarding the contractor working on Saturdays and the problem of our Engineers scheduling an inspector with any regularity.

Motion by Comm. Wilcox, supported by Comm. Roesner that Fishbeck, Thompson and Carr be retained as per their schedule of time and one half to do the inspection for Searles as is notified and scheduled through the City Manager. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

The City Clerk presented a proposed plan from Consumers Power for street lighting for Searles Estates.

Motion by Comm. Arehart, supported by Comm. Wilcox to accept the street light-plan as presented by Consumers Power. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

A letter from Douglas Austin, Attorney for Willard Searles, was presented. Mr Austin was present to discuss Searles Estates with the Commission.

Motion by Comm. Wilcox, supported by Comm. Arehart that Searles Construction be allowed building permits after all utilities and roads are in and prior to the laying of the asphalt.

Roll Call Vote: YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Arehart. NAY: Roesner, Hannah. Motion carried.

ment stating that it was doubtful if any Metropolitan Discretionary Balance Grants would be available in fiscal year 1975.

A resolution was presented to the City Commission authorizing the City to enter into a lease purchase agreement with A.J.S. Construction for the purchase of a backhoe.

Motion by Comm. Wilcox, supported by Comm. Arehart to approve the backhoe resolution and authorize the City Clerk and Mayor to sign same. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Mayor Ebert stated that on March 19 when Ordinance #273 was passed, certain stipulations were included prior to that ordinance becoming effective. William Johnson of Fishbeck, Thompson and Carr was present and stated that he had met with Fedewa's engineer and that most of the questions had been answered.

Motion by Comm. Wilcox, supported by Comm. Arehart that the Chairman of the Planning Commission be notified that Fedewa Builders Inc. had met all requirements of Ordinance #273; in noting that the sanitary holding tank has been eliminated and that the water service be looped from the northern boundary of the property to the line on Floral Avenue. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Arehart, supported by Comm. Wilcox that the City Manager and City Attorney be authorized to draw an ordinance establishing tap-in fees on lines installed by a private developer. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

The City Clerk read an excerpt from the Planning Commission meeting minutes of April 3, 1975 regarding the Eger Rezoning. There was a lengthy discussion regarding the rezoning, also the future land use.

Motion by Comm. Hannah, supported by Comm. Roesner to approve the rezoning of lots 2, 3 & 4 of Block 46, the Original Plat of the City of St. Johns, and to authorize the City Attorney to draw up the proper ordinance. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Summer employment for Youth was discussed at length by the Commission.

The City Manager said that the State Construction Code Commission requires that a building official be appointed to enforce the State Construction Code.

Motion by Comm. Arehart, supported by Comm. Hannah to appoint Richard Coleita as building official for the City of St. Johns. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

The City Manager said that Bruce Wood had never been appointed as full-time Clerk and was still on an acting basis.

Motion by Comm. Hannah, supported by Comm. Arehart to appoint F. Bruce Wood City Clerk. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Wilcox, supported by Comm. Hannah to authorize the City Manager to take bids on two (2) Police Cars.

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The City Manager presented the City Budget for fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975 through June 30, 1976.

Mayor Ebert complimented the City Manager and staff on the fine budget that had been prepared.

Motion by Comm. Hannah, supported by Comm. Arehart to accept the budget and set a Public Hearing for May 12, 1975 at 8:00 p.m. and a copy of the budget be made available for public review. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

A letter from the Department of State Highways and Transportation was read regarding a resolution from the City of St. Johns appointing the City Manager Highway Administrator and that he be authorized to handle said permits, for the annual highway permit.

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## A PERSONAL LOOK AT THE NEWS Between the lines

with Jim Edwards

### Thoughts through a typewriter

Well, the Tiger bubble has finally burst. After winning 5 straight, their American League opponents are now scoring on them in double figures. But, take heart. Sunday's rained out double header was an omen. Things will be better. Ho, hum.

It's incredible how much excitement is generated by the Kentucky Derby—a 2 1/2 minute event. The Kentucky Derby is an American sporting event that's almost impossible not to get caught up in the thrill of the occasion.

He was joking, of course, but the joke backfired. The esteemed St. Johns mayor, perhaps retaliating against ribbing about the number of times his picture appears in the paper, jokingly hurled a shovel-full of dirt at yours truly. But, the wind caught it and sent particles of the dirt back in others participating in the ground breaking ceremony. Power of the press.

It's not for the faint-hearted. No one knows what evil lurks in St. Johns May 10. John and Elma Cochran have entered into an agreement with Dr

Evil and his Terrors of the Unknown. In person shocks and thrills will be the order of the night. Read about it elsewhere in the County News. I'd add more here, but it's hard to type when I'm trembling.

Speaking of trembling—the balloon ride is still on. Bernard Feldpausch tells me to be at his place of business at 5:30 pm Friday!

Oh, the marvels of the electronic telephone age. I made a call to DeWitt the other day. A recording told me the call would be transferred immediately to another office. It was 2-3 blocks away from where I was making the call.

Whadda they trying to say? I tried to get a soft drink out of a machine recently. The sign said "out of order." But, there was a fella with the key to the machine. One of the office staff said he would open it and did I want the diet soft drink. I said no. She told the fella with the key. He asked who it was for. She told him. He asked if he shouldn't get out the diet kind. I said no. They both looked at me and clucked their tongues etc.

## 88th District Report by Stanley Powell State Representative

Now that the special lobbyists' committee, convened at the request of the House and Senate Democrat leadership, has reported its compromise school strike bill, we're going to get some action on that issue, right?

Wrong. The legislation proposed by the lobbyists for the teachers and school boards already has about two-and-a-half strikes against it, to coin a phrase. First, it was conceived in secrecy, without any chance for the public to observe or comment on the proceedings. There was no public input into a process which was creating a measure to affect the lives of every voter in Michigan who has children in a public school.

Second, the proposed bill would legalize the kind of disruptive strikes which have occurred in Garden City, Crestwood, and Detroit. It would, in effect, allow a strike to go on for up to three weeks before penalties against the teachers and the school boards would be put into force. The strike could then go on for another two weeks before binding arbitration would be instituted. And in the meantime, the school year of the affected children would shrink to 170 days from the current 180, since the bill specifies that the school year will not extend past the third Friday in June.

THIRD, the bill is not supported by those who are necessary to assure its passage. The Michigan Education Association, which helped write the bill, says it cannot support anything which restricts the teachers' right to strike. And my Republican colleagues feel the bill is not in the public interest since it would allow lengthy strikes which would shorten our children's school year. Democrat Representative William Kelih, who chaired the special Committee which wrote a school-strike bill after extensive public hearings, has also said this bill is not a good one.

In fact, it seems like the only ones publicly supporting the bill are House Speaker Bobby Crim and Senate Majority Leader William Fitzgerald, both Democrats. I believe they are doing so only to save face, since they're the ones who asked the lobbyists to write a bill in the first place.

I can understand but not sympathize with the plight of Mr Crim, Mr Fitzgerald and many other of the majority

Democrats in the Legislature, particularly on the Labor Committees which must review any school-strike bill. I'm sure they recognize that the public interest requires a bill which would ensure a full school year for our children, with fair and equal penalties for both sides in order to guarantee this.

BUT THESE Democrats also recognize their great debt to organized labor in Michigan, as exemplified by the overwhelming financial support, verified on campaign expense reports, that labor gave to the Democrats in last fall's elections. They are caught between the public interest and probably the most powerful special interest group in Michigan, and they apparently don't know what to do.

I would hope, however, that Mr. Crim, Mr. Fitzgerald and their fellow Democrats will realize that the responsibilities of leadership require that they forget the special interests and act in the public interest, and that they do so in time to assure tranquility in our public schools this fall.

DOES MORE MONEY NOW MEAN FEWER JOBS LATER? As you may have read, the House recently passed a bill to increase payments for unemployment compensation to idled Michigan workers. While this may sound nice, and seem justified in light of today's economic conditions, the bill was rushed through the House before some serious questions about its long-term effects could be answered.

The bill would increase average unemployment benefits by about 25 percent, increase the wage base on which employers would be taxed to support the program from \$4,200 to \$6,700, and increase the maximum benefit by \$30 per week in each dependent category. It originally increased benefits to 67 percent

Apparently the immediate stimulus for this bill was the exhaustion of Supplemental Unemployment Benefits for automotive workers in the Detroit area. If this bill is approved by the Senate and the Governor, it will provide more money in the short run for Michigan's unemployed workers, many of whom are members of the automotive unions, but in the long run, it could very well mean fewer job openings for all Michigan citizens, particularly those who don't have a powerful union going to bat for them in the Legislature.

## CITY OF ST. JOHNS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

ORDINANCE 275

Notice is hereby given that the St. Johns City Commission will hold a public hearing May 27, 1975 at 7:45 p.m., to be held in the Commission Chambers, 121 E. Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan for the purpose of hearing those interested in proposed Ordinance No. 275. Ordinance 275, if adopted, would change the Zoning Classification of the following described property from Medium Density Residential to Municipal Center:

Lots 2, 3 and 4 of Block 46, Original Plat of the City of St. Johns, 303-307 S. Whittemore St. Tax Roll Numbers 0513-00 and 0514-00.

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## ORDINANCE NO. 274

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND TITLE V - ZONING AND PLANNING, CHAPTER 51, KNOWN AS THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS, WHICH NEW SECTION SHALL BE DESIGNATED AS ARTICLE IV, SECTION 5.58 OF CHAPTER 51 OF TITLE V - ZONING AND PLANNING OF THE ST. JOHNS CITY CODE.

THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDAINS:

Section 1. That the Zoning Ordinance of the City of St. Johns shall be amended in the following respects and by the addition of the following:

Section 5.58 Regulated Uses. Certain uses are declared to be potentially detrimental and to have the possible effect of downgrading and blighting the surrounding neighborhood, particularly when concentrated in one area. For the purposes of this Chapter, the following are declared to be regulated uses:

- (a) Adult Bookstores.
- (b) Adult Motion Picture Theaters.
- (c) Adult Mini-Motion Picture Theaters.
- (d) Pawnshops.
- (e) Cabarets.
- (f) Dance Halls.
- (g) Privately owned Outdoor Recreational and Amusement Centers.
- (h) Massage Parlors.
- (i) Modeling Studios.
- (j) Bathing Establishments.

Section 2. That the following definitions shall apply:

- (a) Adult Bookstore: An establishment having as a substantial or significant portion of its stock and trade, books, magazines, and other periodicals which are distinguished or characterized by their emphasis on matter depicting, describing or relating to "specified sexual activities" or "specified anatomical areas" (as defined below), or an establishment with a segment or section devoted to the sale or display of such material.

(1) Less than completely and opaquely covered: (i) human genitals, public region, (ii) buttock, and (iii) female breast below a point immediately above the top of the areola; and (2) Human male genitals in a discernibly turgid state, even if completely and opaquely covered.

(h) Specified Sexual Activities: (1) Human genitals in a state of sexual stimulation or arousal; (2) Acts of human masturbation, sexual intercourse or sodomy; (3) Fondling or other erotic touching of human genitals, public region, buttock or female breast.

(c) Adult Mini-Motion Picture Theater: An enclosed building used for presenting material distinguished or characterized by an emphasis on matter depicting, describing or relating to "specified sexual activities" or "specified anatomical areas," as hereinafter defined, for observation by patrons therein.

(c) Cabaret: A cabaret which features topless dancers, go-go dancers, exotic dancers, strippers, male or female impersonators or similar entertainers.

(e) Bathing Establishments: Any establishment which, in exchange for a fee, provides as its principal function, bathing facilities, sauna baths, steam rooms or turkish baths.

(f) Nude and/or Topless Services: An establishment which features or offers as a portion of its business, the services of models, masseurs, masseuses, employees, etc. who are nude, semi-nude, or topless when performing their services.

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Years: Arehart, Ebert, Wilcox and Roesner. Nays: None. Absent: Hannah.

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## St. Johns City Commission

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A statement and resolution was offered by said Comm. John Hannah regarding the Steel Hotel Safety Responsibilities, as follows: Our City Attorney has been attempting to negotiate with the owner of the Steel Hotel property through their attorney in an effort to have their assurance that the right responsibilities for taking proper safety measures around their burned out building.

Neither Mr. or Mrs. Haney or their Attorney has seen fit to reply to his communications. Therefore, I move that Mr. Maples be authorized to take the necessary court action to have the owners of the Steel Hotel property assume their

proper responsibility for the safety of our citizens and adjacent property. I also wish this motion to include the authorization of our Attorney to recover, by any legal means from said property owners, all monies expended to date by the City to maintain twenty-four (24) hour safety guards at the property.

Motion supported by Comm. Arehart, YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm. Hannah, supported by Comm. Roesner to adjourn. YEA: Ebert, Wilcox, Hannah, Arehart, Roesner. NAY: None. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 10:10 p.m.

# Fowler area residents donate 122 pints of blood

The Fowler Jaycee Bloodmobile was held on Friday, April 25. One hundred, twenty-two pints were donated and 11 people were rejected.

The following persons donated blood:

- Adam Schaefer, James J. Thelen, Mary Ann Thelen, Kathy M. Luttig, Claude L. Thelen, Fay A. Feldpausch, Jerome N. Klein, Stephanie A. Schafer, Rose M. Myers, Joyce T. Wohlert, Brian J. Thelen, Gene D. Messer, Lorraine L. Thelen, Judy M. Koenigsnecht, Henry A. George (6 Gallon), John C. Simon, Kenneth L. Halfman, Alphonse B. Thelen, Martha R. Fox, Luke M. Koenigsnecht, Raymond L. Koenigsnecht, Leon A. Schneider.

Anthony George, Leon J. Koenigsnecht, Julia F. Miller, Charles Miller, Debra L. George, Adeline Rademacher, Julius J. Thelen, Gerald Rossow, Cathy H. Pohl, Norma J. Fitzpatrick.

Lois Bergdolt, Gerald J. Pohl, Nancy A. Geller, Daniel J. Rademacher, Gary G. Schneider, Therese M. Kramer (1 Gallon), Kurt C. Thelen, Brian F. Koenigsnecht, Patricia A. Mueller.

Cheryl A. Rademacher, Carol A. Huffnagel, Clare A. Koenigsnecht, Kathryn M. Halfman, Mary Ann Schaefer, Gerald E. Armbrustmayer, Lorraine R. Van Ellis, Odella D. Thelen, Wm. A. Hoffman, Janice K. Simon, William R. Thurston, Linda Jandemoa.

Kenneth H. Pung, Joyce K. George, Paul E. George, Phillip A. Tiedt, Mark J. Wirth (3 Gallon), George R. Martin (2 Gallon), Charles D. Thelen, Judy L. Boak, Helen E. George, Larry C. Kohagen.

Bruce J. Boughner, Mary M. Martin, Shirley F. Craner, Doris C. Wieber, Ann M. Smith, Donald A. Schneider, Phillip A. Schmitt, Kathleen Thompson, Raymond G. Bergdolt (1 Gallon), Donald Lucas (1 Gallon), Sharon K. Fitzpatrick.

Shelly E. Boak, Helen E. Schaefer, Henry A. Theis, Katherine E. Huffnagel, Frank L. Huffnagel, Daniel J. Simon, Eugene D. Feldpausch, Wayne O. McCausey, Louis E. Thelen, Wm. P. Schrauben, Jr., Julius Theis, Kay L. Thelen, Terry P. Thelen, Leon C. Simon, Marvin J. Witgen, Kenneth P. Kramer, Bruce A. Simon, Norman J.

Goerge. Stuart L. Fitzpatrick, Pamela S. Rossow, George R. Simon, Kenneth H. Hungerford, Stephen F. Fedewa, James H. Armbrustmayer, Jerome R. Thelen, Alvin A. Fox, Ann M. Koenigsnecht.

Paul Armbrustmayer, Jean Luttig, Carl L. Wieber, Herbert Thelen (1 Gallon), Agnes G. Rademacher, Gerilyn Rademacher, Bill Halfman, Brad Miller.

Wm. F. Thoma, Richard Frechen, Alice Huhn, Bernard R. Thelen, Dennis Simon, Daniel Thelen, Patrick L. Fox, Luke Weber, Leroy Goerge, Ellen Simon.

John C. Rademacher, Bob Halfman, John W. Rademacher, Pam Snyder, Brian McKean, Leon Thelen, Maynard Wirth, Cindy Minarik, Alan Kramer, Mary Ann Schaefer, Sue Thelen, Mary Lee Klein.

WORKERS DOCTOR - Dr. Jordan. NURSES - Esther Tiedt, Mary Feldpausch, Mary Bertram, Charlene Bauer, Margaret Page.

OTHER WORKERS - Gladys Armbrustmayer, Jean Huffnagel, Kathy Rowell, Diane Kohagen, Agnes Schomisch, Joan Feldpausch, Agnes

Feldpausch, Sue Thelen. Lorraine Thelen, Mary Ann Schaefer, Marilyn Thelen, Kay Huffnagel, Jean Schrauben, Viola Minarik, Arlene Harr, Pat Koenigsnecht.

Teresa Thelen, Janet Armbrustmayer, Loretta Rademacher, Nettie Koenigsnecht, Carol Huffnagel, Jan Simon, Mary Ann Rademacher, Helen Hungerford, Linda Schrauben.

DONATED COOKIES - Donna Goerge, Mary Jo Weber, Arlene McCausey, Grace Goerge, Gladys Halfman, Chris Hamilton, Josephine Martin, Joan McNamara, Becky Spicer, Emily Kerekes, Kathy Rowell, Helen Hungerford.

## Canadian musicians to perform

Members of the band, glee club and orchestra from Bloor Collegiate School, Toronto, Canada will present a free public concert at Fulton High School's gym at 8:15, Thursday, May 8.

The students are visiting members of the Fulton band who recently visited Canada. The students will arrive in the Middleton - Perrinton - Maple Rapids area on May 8 and stay until Sunday, May 11.

## BIRTHS

A boy, Donald Clayton, was born to Mr and Mrs David Havens of Inglewood, Colorado March 19 at St Lukes Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs 10 ozs. The baby has 1 brother. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Emery Havens of St Johns and Mr and Mrs Robert Wary of Okla. The mother is the former Jeannie Wary.

A girl, Jennefer Leigh, was born to Mr and Mrs William H. Besko of St Johns March 27 at Lansing General Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs 10 ozs. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Dale S. Plowman and Mr and Mrs Earl Andrus, both of St Johns, and Mr and Mrs Henry Besko of Ovid. The mother is the former Mary Plowman.

## Ovid-Elsie Schools to present program on drug education

Ovid-Elsie Area Schools will present a special program for parents of Ovid-Elsie students in grades 5-8, May 8. The program begins at 7:30 p.m. in the Ovid-Elsie High School auditorium.

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# Next Week in Clinton County churches

All Churches in Clinton County are invited to send their weekly announcements to The Clinton County News. They must reach us by 10 a.m. Monday to insure publication in the current week's issue.

### FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Maple Avenue at State Street  
Averil M. Carson, Minister  
Thursday, May 8  
8:30 am - 11:00 am Health Clinic  
6:15 pm Mother-Daughter Banquet  
Saturday, May 10  
9:00 am - 2:30 pm Western Michigan Association meeting at Durand  
12:30 pm Junior Choir rehearsal  
1:00 pm Children's Choir rehearsal  
Sunday, May 11  
9:45 am Church School  
11:00 am Morning Worship Service, nursery care provided  
Monday, May 12  
6:45 pm Congregators  
Wednesday, May 14  
6:45 pm Boy Scout Troop #1  
7:30 pm Chancel Choir rehearsal

Church Office Hours:  
Monday thru Friday  
9:30 am to noon  
Tel. 224-2555

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

200 East State Street  
St. Johns, MI 49782  
Francis Carl Johannides, Minister  
Church School 9:30 am  
Worship Service 11 am  
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30-9 pm  
Prayer & Share 8:30-10 pm  
Thursday  
Scouts 3 pm  
Carol Choir 4 pm  
Chapel Choir 6:30 pm  
Chancel Choir 7:30 pm  
Share Group 8 pm  
Saturday, May 3  
Sr. Hi Communion Roll Sale 1 pm  
Sunday, May 4  
Men's Fellowship Breakfast 7:45 am  
Monday, May 5  
U.M.W. Executive Meeting 1 pm  
Tuesday, May 6  
Elder Circle 7:30 pm  
Sara Louise Circle 7:30 pm  
Thursday, May 8  
Mother & Daughter Banquet 6:30 pm  
Tickets available in church office.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

512 S. US-27  
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A fundamental Bible believing church.  
9:45 am Bible School  
11 am Worship Service  
11 am Children's Churches  
6 pm Youth Hour  
7 pm Evening Worship  
Each Wed 7 pm Bible Study and prayer.  
8 pm - Choir practice, Jr. Basketball  
Nursery for babies and small children for all services  
Church office hours  
9-12 & 1-3 Mon thru Fri

### ST. JOHNS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner of Vlieland and Walker  
Rector: 406 E. Walker  
Phone 224-2600  
Office 224-2603  
1974 Schedule  
Every Sunday 8 am Holy Communion  
2d & 4th Sunday 10 am Holy Communion  
and Sermon  
Other Sundays - 10 am Morning Prayer  
and Sermon  
Nursery & church school 10 am for  
nursery through 5th  
Every Monday eve 7 pm - Spiritual  
Healing Service  
1st - 3d Mondays 7 pm Senior Citizens  
2d & 4th Tuesdays - Noon - Senior  
Citizens  
Every Tuesday morning and evening  
weight watchers  
2d Wednesday 1:15 pm Family Planning  
Clinic  
1st & 3rd Wed mornings (OEO Nutrition  
Class)  
Every other Wed evening 7:30 Cadet Girl  
Scout Unit  
Every 4th Thursday Jayceettes 8 pm  
Every Thursday 8 pm AA Al Anon  
Every Friday 7:15 pm Brownies

### CHURCH OF CHRIST OF ST. JOHNS

400 E. State  
John Phillips, Minister  
9:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Morning Worship  
5:30 pm Youth Fellowship  
7:30 pm Evening Service  
Wed 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting  
Call 224-4121 for more information

### ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. William G. Hunkeler, Pastor  
Rev. Raymond G. Goehring,  
Associate Pastor  
Rectory: 109 Linden St. Ph. 224-3313  
(Comm.) 110 S. Oakland Ph. 224-3789  
School: 301 E. Cass Ph. 224-4421  
Mass Schedule  
Saturday Evening - 7 pm  
Sunday - 7:30, 9, 10:30 and 12  
Holy Days - See Bulletin  
Weekdays - 6:30 am and 7 pm  
Sacrament of Penance - Saturdays, 5:30  
to 7 pm after 7 pm Mass until 8:30 pm  
Weekday evenings a few minutes before  
evening Mass.  
First Fridays - Sacrament of Penance,  
Thursday from 4 to 5 pm and after the  
evening Mass until all are heard. Mass and  
prayer of Adoration at 7 pm. Holy  
Communion on Friday at 6 and 7:15 am  
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament,  
Thursday, 7 pm on First Friday after  
evening Mass.  
Devotions: Our Mother of Perpetual  
Help Novena - after 7:15 pm Mass each  
Tuesday  
Religious Instruction Classes - Adult  
Inquiry Class, Tuesday at 8 pm. High  
School (C.D., Wednesday at 7:30 pm Public  
Grade School (C.D., Tuesdays from 4 until 5  
pm)  
Baptisms - Each Sunday at 1:30 by  
appointment. Other arrangements by  
appointment.

### ST. JOHNS LUTHERAN CHURCH

(Missouri Synod)  
Rev. Michael R. Ruhl, Pastor  
10:15 am Divine Worship  
8:00 am Matins Service, 3rd Sunday each  
month  
9:00 am Sunday School and Bible Classes  
Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sundays each  
month at 10:15 am  
Church Office Hours - 9:00-12:00 Monday,  
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday  
mornings.  
Adult Instruction, 7 pm Mondays.  
Weekly School and Confirmation Classes -  
Wednesdays, 3:30-4:00 pm  
Ladies Guild - LWML - 2nd Wednesday  
each month at 7:30 pm  
Elders-Tuesdays at 7:00 pm  
Evangeline-Thursdays at 6:30 pm  
Youth-2nd & 4th Sundays at 4:00 pm  
Councils & Committees - 1st Tuesday each  
month at 7:00 pm  
Women's Bible Study - Tuesdays at 9:30  
am. St. Johns Lutheran Church.  
Golden Age Fellowship Group - 3rd  
Thursday each month at 1:00 pm.  
Office Telephone: 224-3644  
Parsonage Telephone: 224-7400  
Educational Wing Telephone: 224-8156

### REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JERUSALEM LATTER DAY SAINTS

477 E. Gibbs  
Church School 10 o'clock  
Worship Service 11 o'clock

### BANNISTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor: Rev Miriam DeMint  
Sunday Worship Service 9:30 am  
Church School 10:30 am  
ASSEMBLY OF GOD  
SUS-27 & E. Baldwin  
Joseph F. Eger, Jr., Pastor  
10:00 am - Sunday School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
8:30 pm - Youth Service  
7:30 pm - Sunday Evening  
7:00 pm - Wednesday, second and fourth  
W.M.C.  
7:30 pm - Wednesday evening service

### PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Donald D. Boyd, Pastor  
445 Division St., E. Lansing  
9:45 - Church School  
11:00 am - Worship Service  
Women's Society - last Wednesday of  
each month, Dinner at 12:30 pm. Business  
meeting at 1:30  
U.M.W. meets each Sunday at 7 pm.  
Council of Ministries - last Monday of  
each month at 8 pm.  
Administrative Board - first Sunday  
of each month following a co-operative  
noon dinner.  
Senior choir rehearsal - each Wednesday  
at 7:30 pm

### JERUSALEM WITNESSES KINGDOM HALL

1993 North Lansing St.  
Tuesday, 7:30 pm - Congregation Book  
Studies: Text studies "The Nations Shall  
Know That I Am Jehovah - How?"  
Thursday, 7:30 pm - "Theocratic Ministry's  
y School - Texts: "Let's Bible" and "Aid to  
Bible Understanding" 8:30 pm Service  
Meeting  
Sunday, 9:30 am - Public Lecture -  
given by (qualified representative of the  
Watchtower, Bible and Tract Society,  
10:30 am - Watchtower Study - Current  
issue of the "Watchtower" magazine  
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### CHURCH OF THE SAZARKS

115 North Lansing Street  
Rev Kenneth Anderson  
Phone 224-7950  
10:00 am - Sunday School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
6:15 pm - Young People's Service  
7:00 pm - Evening Worship  
Wednesday, 7:30 pm - Bible Study and  
prayer hour.

### FREE METHODIST CHURCH

365 Church Street  
Phone 224-3219  
Robert Bentley, Minister  
10:00 am - Sunday School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
6:00 pm - Evening Worship  
Prayer service us announced.

### SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

US 27 and County Line Rd  
Pastor Paul R. Jones  
Phone 224-7709  
Parsonage & Office 2500 E. Maple Rapids  
Hd. Eureka.  
Sunday, 9:30 am  
10:00 Church School  
7:30 pm W.S.C.S. Third Thursday each  
month.

### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

1600 Oakland  
Paul E. Penno, Pastor  
Services held on Saturday  
2d Wednesday 1:15 pm Family Planning  
Clinic  
1st & 3rd Wed mornings (OEO Nutrition  
Class)  
Every other Wed evening 7:30 Cadet Girl  
Scout Unit  
Every 4th Thursday Jayceettes 8 pm  
Every Thursday 8 pm AA Al Anon  
Every Friday 7:15 pm Brownies

### WEST PILGRIM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Corner of Parks and Grove Rd.  
Rev Brian K. Sheen, Minister  
9:30 am - Worship Service  
10:45 am - Church School

### SHEPARDVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Donald Boyd, Pastor  
445 Division Street  
East Lansing, Michigan  
9:30 am - Sunday School  
10:30 am - Sunday School  
7:00 pm - Choir practice.  
8:00 pm - Prayer Service.  
Administrative Board first Monday in  
the month.  
General meeting of W.S.C.S. third Thurs-  
day in January, April and September.  
Afternoon Circle meets second Thursday  
at the homes of members.  
Berean Circle meets third Thursday  
evening in each month at the homes of  
members.

### WAYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Tim Butler  
1821 Adams Rd.  
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Sunday School - 10:00 am  
Morning Worship - 11:00 am  
Sunday evening - 6:00 pm  
Wednesday evening service 7:30 pm  
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### FIRST CHURCH OF GOD METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. W. Jeff Webb, Pastor  
Church: 224-7190  
Parsonage: 224-2448  
9:30 am - Sunday Morning Coffee &  
Fellowship  
9:45 am - Pre-Sunday School Quiet Time  
10:00 am - Sunday School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
6:00 pm - Choir Practice  
7:00 pm - Evening Worship Discussion &  
Fellowship  
Wednesday: 7:00 pm - Choir Practice  
7:30 pm - Jr. Choir Practice and Children's  
Circle  
7:30 pm - Bible Study, Discussion & Prayer  
Youth Fellowship - 1st & 3rd Sundays  
after the Evening Service  
Women of the Church of God - Meeting  
1st Tuesday each month

### WAYRIDE CHAPEL BIBLE CHURCH

1437 Turner Road, DeWitt  
Rev. Darold English, Pastor  
Phone 689-3353  
10 am Sunday School  
11 am Worship Service  
6 pm Young People  
7 pm Evening Service  
7:15 pm Wednesday - Bible Study and  
Prayer  
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### REDEEMER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

116 N. Bridge St.  
Richard L. Clark, Pastor  
9:30 am - Worship (nursery provided)  
10:30 am - Coffee Fellowship  
(No Church School June-August)

### COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE Catholic Church

Father Jerome Schmitt, Pastor  
801 N. Bridge  
Daily Mass: Mon and Thurs - 7:30 pm.  
Tues, Wed, and Fri 7:00 am  
Sunday Mass: 9:00 and 11:15 am

### EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH (Non-Denominational)

Round Lake Road 1/2 mile East of US-27  
Glen J. Farnham, Pastor  
Sunday  
10 am - Sunday School. Classes for all  
ages  
11 am - Morning Worship  
5:45 pm - Youth Fellowship, Senior, 14  
and up; Jet Cadets, 10-13  
7 pm - Evening Service  
Wednesday  
7:30 pm - Bible Study and Prayer.  
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### SOUTH HILLYER BIBLE CHURCH

Willard Farrier, Pastor  
Located 1/2 mile east of Francis Road  
on Chadwick Road  
10 am - Sunday School  
11 am - Worship Service

### HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH

308 W. Heribson Rd.  
DeWitt  
Sunday School 9 am  
Worship 10:30 am

### STANLEY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner US-27 and Webb Road  
Rev Glenn V. Calley, Jr., Vicar  
Residence 689-3067  
Church 689-3957  
Saturday Evening Mass - 4:30, 7:00  
o'clock pm  
Sunday Masses 6:30, 8:30, 10:30 am  
Holy Days - Holy Day Eve, 4:30 pm, 7:00  
o'clock pm Holy Day - 6:30 & 8:30 am  
Sorrowful Mother Novena - During school  
year 7:30 pm, summer months 8:00  
o'clock pm  
Sacrament of Penance - Saturdays 3:30 to  
4:00 o'clock pm and after 7:00 o'clock  
am  
1st Fridays - Thursday from 11:00 am to  
12:00 pm, 3:30 to 4:30 pm & 7:30 pm until  
all are heard  
Baptism - Sundays at 12:30 pm by ap-  
pointment. Other arrangements by  
appointment.

### VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH

214 S. State Rd  
Lansing  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship Service  
5:30 pm Youth Groups Beginning with  
the 4th Grade.  
7:00 pm Evening Service WEDNESDAY  
7:00 pm Prayer Service

### SOUTH DEWITT CHURCH OF CHRIST

2931 Heribson inside DeWitt High School  
Minister: Dr. James Girwood  
Tel: 689-5000 or 626-6008  
9:20 am Bible School  
10:30 am Morning Worship  
Communion Weekly  
6:30 pm Youth Groups  
7:30 pm Evening Worship  
Wednesday, 7:30 pm - Hour of Power: Prayer and  
Bible Study  
Thursday, 7:30 pm Calling Program

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DEWITT, MICH.

Rev. Jerry Cole, Pastor  
1108 DeWitt Rd.  
Sunday School 9:45 am  
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155 E. State Rd.  
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9:30 am - Sunday School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
7:30 pm - Sunday evening Evangelistic  
Wednesday, 7:30 pm - Youth Service  
Thursday, 7:30 pm - Bible Study  
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10:30 am - Worship  
9:15 am - Sunday School and bible  
Classes.  
Holy Communion first Sunday of the  
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at 10:30 pm.

### ST. TERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fathers Francis Murray  
and Lawrence Delaney  
Rectory: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing  
Phone 489-9621  
Mass Schedule - Saturday: 7 pm  
Sunday: 6, 8, 10, 12  
Holyday: Eve before at 7:30 pm and 7 &  
9 am and 5:30 & 7:30 pm  
Weekday Masses: 7:30 am & 7:30 pm  
Parsonage: 8-5 & 8-8:30 pm  
Baptism: Sunday at 1 pm. Please call in  
advance.

### DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Inter-denominational)  
Mur J. Eastman, Pastor  
Jim McGovney,  
Sunday School Supt.  
Marge Pierson, Co-Supt.  
9:45 am - Sunday School  
11 am - Church  
7 pm - Youth Fellowship  
7 pm - Sunday Evening Service  
7 pm - Wednesday Bible Study and  
Prayer Meeting

### THE UNITED CHURCH OF OVID

West Front Street  
Rev. Claude B. Ridley, Jr. Pastor  
Worship Service - 10 am  
Church School - 11 am  
Nursery service for all children up to 2nd  
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### WEHLEMAN HOLINESS CHURCH

127 W. William St, Ovid  
Rev. Loyd Keeby  
10 am Sunday School and Morning  
Worship, Sunday Evenings 7:30 pm  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meeting

### OVIED FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Main at Oak Street  
Rev. Earl C. Copelin, Pastor  
8:45 am - Church School, 11:00 am  
Morning Worship.  
Wednesday 7 pm Prayer and Bible  
Study; 8 pm Senior Choir

### 7:30 pm Evening Worship 9:50 am Ladies Bible Study every Tuesday 7:30 pm Wednesday evening Prayer Service 6:00 pm Teen's Softball every Friday

### 1011 FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

310 N. Hill Rd, Ovid  
Father Joseph Aubin  
11:00 am Mass on Sunday  
7:00 pm Evening Mass on Wednesday  
Confessions 10:30 to 10:45 am Sunday

### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Wayne Glassman  
M-21 at Eble Rd  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
7:00 pm Evening Worship  
7:00 pm Wednesday Prayer meeting

### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Fowler  
H.E. Rossow, Pastor  
9:00 am Worship  
10:00 am Sunday School

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H.E. Rossow, Pastor  
9:30 am Worship  
10:30 am Sunday School and Bible Class

### WEST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor  
Saturday Evening Mass - 4:30, 7:00  
o'clock pm  
Sunday Masses 6:30, 8:30, 10:30 am  
Holy Days - Holy Day Eve, 4:30 pm, 7:00  
o'clock pm Holy Day - 6:30 & 8:30 am  
Sorrowful Mother Novena - During school  
year 7:30 pm, summer months 8:00  
o'clock pm  
Sacrament of Penance - Saturdays 3:30 to  
4:00 o'clock pm and after 7:00 o'clock  
am  
1st Fridays - Thursday from 11:00 am to  
12:00 pm, 3:30 to 4:30 pm & 7:30 pm until  
all are heard  
Baptism - Sundays at 12:30 pm by ap-  
pointment. Other arrangements by  
appointment.

### Elsie Area

ELSAIE METHODIST CHURCH  
Rev David Lichtfeld, Minister  
9:30 am - Morning Worship  
10:30 am - Sunday School, Supt. Merle  
Hase

### DUPAIN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev David Lichtfeld, Minister  
10 am - Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth  
Riger  
11 am - Worship Service

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

10 am Sunday School Rev. Cowley, Supt  
11 am Worship Service  
6:30 pm Junior & Senior B.Y.E.  
7:00 pm Evening Service  
7:30 pm Wednesday Junior and Senior  
Choir Practice  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer and Bible  
Study

### DUPAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

3 miles west of Elsie High School  
3665 E. Colony Road  
Justin Shepard, Minister  
Bill Nicholson, Youth Minister  
9:45 am - Sunday School  
11 am - Church  
6 pm - Youth fellowship and adult Bible  
Study  
7 pm - Evening Service  
7 pm Wednesday - Prayer Meeting

### ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev Thomas M. Kowalsky, Pastor  
390 Box 97, 517 E. Main St  
Bannister 48807 Phone: 862-5270  
Sunday Liturgies: Saturday - 7:00 pm  
Sunday - 8:00, 9:00, 10:00 am  
Holy Day Liturgies: 7:30 am and 8:00  
pm  
Confessions: One half hour before all  
Sunday Liturgies.

### EAGLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Ray McStraine, Pastor  
Telephone 627-6333 or 489-3807  
9:30 pm - Morning Worship  
10:30 am - Church School  
7:30 pm - Wednesday, Bible Study and  
prayer meeting

### EAGLE SQUARE CHURCH

Rev and Mrs Royal Burnett, Pastor  
10:00 am - Sunday School  
11:15 am - Morning Worship  
7:30 pm - Wednesday Prayer meeting

### FATH BAPTIST CHURCH

David J. Zimner, Pastor  
(one mile north of traffic light - Elsie)  
Sunday  
Bible School 10:15 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

### Bath Area

BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Rev Clarence Keith  
9:45 am Church School  
11:00 am Worship  
7:00 pm Bible Study

### BATH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev Richard Cole, Pastor  
11:00 am Morning Worship -  
6:30 pm Youth Fellowship  
7:30 pm Evening Service  
Midweek Service on Wednesday 7:30 pm

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vice - 11 am  
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Mid-Week Prayer Service - Wednesday  
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Price and Shepardsville Roads  
10:00 am - Sunday School, Classes for  
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11:00 am - Morning Worship  
6:30 pm - Young People  
7:30 pm - Evening Service  
7:30 pm - Wednesday prayer meeting  
Ladies Missionary Circle meets 4th  
Thursday  
Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in  
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### Fulton Area

FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH  
1/2 mile east of Perrinton on M-37,  
1/2 mile south  
Rev Lynn Shunk, Pastor  
9:45 am - Sunday School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
7:00 pm - Youth Service  
7:45 pm - Evening Service  
7:45 pm - Thursday, Prayer and praise  
service

### Pewamo Area

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Pewamo, Michigan  
Mr. Hirm Weiss  
Sunday: 9:30 am Morning Worship 7:00  
pm United Methodist Youth Fellowship  
Sunday School Classes 10:15 am.

### Gunnisonville Area

GUNNISONVILLE  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Clark and Wood Roads  
Rev Paul Schiebner, Minister  
9:30 am Church Service  
10:45 am Sunday School

### Westphalia Area

ST. MARY'S CHURCH  
Westphalia  
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Rev James J. Schmitt-Administrator  
Phone 587-4201  
Saturday Night Masses: 4:30 & 7:00 pm  
Sunday Morning 6:00, 8:00, 10:00  
Weekdays Monday & Friday 7:15 & 11:20 am  
Tues & Thurs 7:15 & 8:30 am  
Wednesday 7:15 & 7:30 pm  
Holy Days 5:30, 7:15 & 11:20 am, 7:30 pm  
Wednesday Evening Mass 7:30 pm

### Maple Rapids Area

THE UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH  
Maple Rapids  
Pastor Rev J. Thomas Churn  
Parsonage - Midleton  
Phone 236-7472  
Sunday  
9:30 am Worship Service  
10:30 am Sunday School

### GREENBUSH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Scott and Marshall Roads  
Pastor - Norman Wood  
Sunday,  
10:00 am Church School  
11:00 am Church Services  
UMW 4th Wednesday at 8 pm  
Tuesday  
7:00 pm Senior Choir Practice Wednes-  
day  
2nd Wednesday each month  
7:00 pm W.S.C.S.  
Thursday  
10:00 Bible Study

### LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

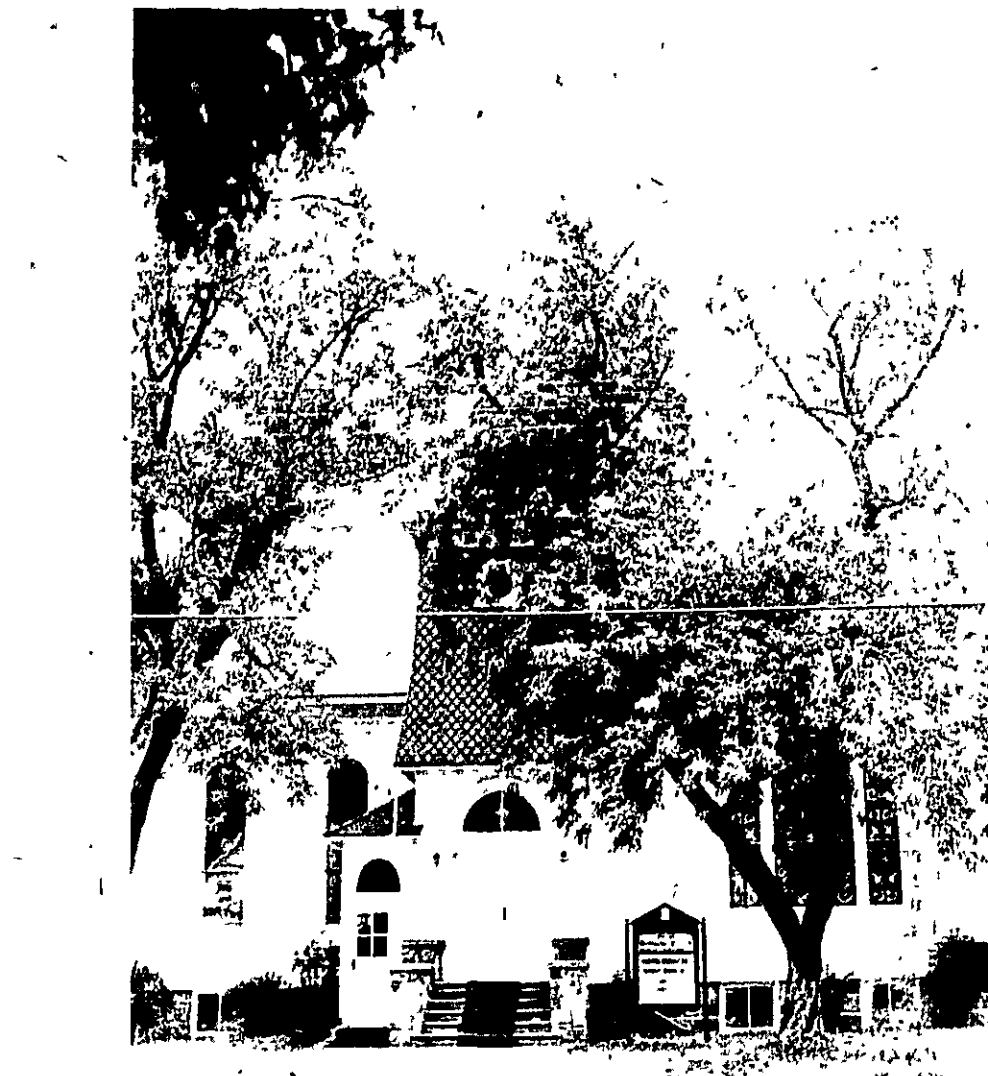
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Pastor: Harold McGuire  
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9:00 am Worship Hour  
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7:00 pm 1st & 3rd week Youth Fellowship

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**Notice 29**

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**HYLER** — We wish to thank everyone who helped in any way during my wife's death.  
George Glenn Hyler and daughter  
2-1-p-30

**THELEN** — I would like to thank Dr. Brown, Dr. Jordan, Dr. Smith, Father of Carson City Hospital, Father Beahan of Fowler, nurses, aids and all hospital staff for their patience, kindness and excellent care while I was a patient in their hospital. Also thanks to relatives, friends and neighbors

for visits, cards, gifts at hospital and since my return home. P.S. All hospital staff sure did a good job working several shifts when others couldn't get in during snow storm.  
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**SIMON** — We sincerely thank our family, relatives, friends and neighbors for their cards, flowers, gifts, masses and spiritual bouquets and other acts of kindness. Your thoughtfulness made our Golden Wedding Anniversary a very happy occasion.  
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**CLINTON COUNTY NEWS, ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN**

Estate of WINNIE R. PHILLIPS, File No. 19410.  
TAKE NOTICE: On May 22, 1975, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held. Notice is given that the Will of said deceased dated August 17, 1967 has been admitted to Probate, and that Joyce Marie Leach has been appointed Administratrix of said Estate.  
Creditors are notified that copies of all claims against the deceased must be presented, personally or by mail, to Philip A. Vilella, attorney for Administratrix, at 318 W. Shiawassee, Lansing, Michigan 48933, and proof thereof, with copies of claims, filed with the Court on or before July 16, 1975 at 10:00 a.m., in the City of St. Johns, Michigan.  
Notice is further given that on the Petition of Joyce Marie Leach, Administratrix of said Estate, the Court will make a formal determination of heirs on May 22, 1975 at 10:30 a.m.  
Notice is further given that the Estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.  
Dated: April 24, 1975.  
Attorney for Petitioner: Philip A. Vilella, 318 W. Shiawassee, Lansing, Mich. 48933, Phone: 1-517-372-5891

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To The heirs of Rose Dumont and Louis J. Dumont of Rte. #1, Bath, Mich. and Leslie F. Dumont, 9963 Babcock Rd., Laingsburg, Mich.; Thelma E. Dumont, 9963 Babcock Rd., Laingsburg, Mich.; Bayard B. Harvey, 125 W. Marion St., South Bend, Indiana; Lucille T. Harvey, 125 W. Marion St., South Bend, Indiana 46601 - last grantee in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.  
The person in actual open possession of said lands: Edward Beckhorn, 6005 Park Lake Rd., Bath, Michigan. Holder of other interest. 2-4

**PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING**  
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
Estate of DORA KLEIN, Deceased. File No. 19206.  
TAKE NOTICE: On May 21, 1975, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Court-house, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of John J. Klein, Executor, for allowance of his final account, assignment of residue and discharge of said Executor.  
Dated: April 29, 1975.  
JOHN J. KLEIN, Petitioner.  
Box 82,

Fowler, MI 48835  
Attorney for Petitioner: WALKER & MOORE, 117 E. Walker, St. Johns, Mich. 48879, Phone 517-224-3241. 2-1

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Johns, in said County, on the 29th day of April, A.D. 1975.  
PRESENT: Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate.  
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MONTEE LEE BACHMAN to have his name changed to MONTEE LEE SKORICH.  
MONTEE LEE BACHMAN having filed his application in said Court that the name of MONTEE LEE BACHMAN be changed to MONTEE LEE SKORICH.  
IT IS ORDERED that the 28th day of May 1975 at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Court be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this ORDER for one week previous to said day of hearing in the Clinton County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.  
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. 2-1

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE**  
State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.  
CLINTON NATIONAL BANK & TRUST COMPANY, Plaintiff, vs. DAVID M. O'DELL, and SHARON J. O'DELL, Defendant.  
File No. 75 CH Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Mortgage made by David M. O'Dell, a single man, of the Village of Elsie, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, which said David M. O'Dell was subsequently married to Sharon J. O'Dell, said Mortgage being dated the 28th day of January, A.D. 1971, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on the 29th day of January, A.D. 1971, in Liber 260 of Mortgages, Page 114, which Mortgage is claimed to be due at the date herein in the amount of Ten Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-Two and 45/100 (\$10,992.45) Dollars, together with collection fees and interest thereon, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof;  
NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage and in pursuance of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 13th day of June, A.D., 1975, at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the North front door of the Courthouse located in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, that being the place for holding Circuit Court in the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, and being the county in which the premises described in said Mortgage are located, and so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amounts due as aforesaid, on said Mortgage, with interest thereon at the rate of seven (7%) percent per annum, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned to protect his interest in said premises, which premises are legally described as follows:  
Beginning at a point 396 feet East of the NW corner of Section 12, T8N, R1W, Duplain Township, Clinton County,

Michigan, running thence South 198 feet, thence East 132 feet, thence North 198 feet, thence West to the point of beginning. There being more than two-thirds (2/3) of the original indebtedness still due and owing, the redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of sale as aforesaid.  
Dated at St. Johns, Michigan, this 23 day of April, A.D., 1975.  
Maples & Wood  
By: Paul A. Maples (P17063) Attorney for Plaintiff  
210 North Clinton Avenue  
St. Johns, Michigan 48879 1-6

**PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING**  
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
Estate of BION L. BATES, Deceased, File No. 19399.  
TAKE NOTICE: On July 16, 1975, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Court-house, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on claims; and all creditors must file statements of claim with Court, sending copy to Clinton National Bank and Trust Company, Executor of 200 North Clinton Avenue, St. Johns, Michigan; and thereupon the estate will be assigned to persons entitled thereto.  
Dated: April 17, 1975.  
s/CLINTON NATIONAL BANK & TRUST CO., Petitioner.  
200 North Clinton Avenue  
St. Johns, Michigan  
Attorney for Petitioner: LEWIS D. BENSON (P10700) 203 Owosso Savings Bank Building  
Owosso, Mich. 48867  
Phone 725-2117 52-3

A true copy, Ernest E. Carter, Clerk of Clinton County.  
State of Michigan in the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.  
MEMORIAL GARDENS ASSOCIATION, INC., a Michigan corporation, Plaintiff, vs. BETTER BURIAL METHODS ASSOCIATION, A MICHIGAN CEMETERY corporation, Defendant.  
No. 75-1641 CZ  
ORDER TO ANSWER  
At a session of said Court held in the City of St. Johns, said county on April 15, 1975.  
PRESENT: The Honorable LEO W. CORKIN, Circuit Judge.  
An action having been filed in this Court on April 15, 1975, by MEMORIAL GARDENS ASSOCIATION, INC., Plaintiff herein, against BETTER BURIAL METHODS ASSOCIATION, defendant herein, for the purpose of quieting title to certain lands located in the Township of Watertown, Clinton County, Michigan, described as  
The South one (1) acre of the West half (W1/2) of the Northeast quarter (NE1/4) and all of the West half (W1/2) of the Southeast quarter (SE1/4) lying north of the Pere Marquette Railroad right of way excepting a strip in the southeast (SE) corner fifteen and one-half (15 1/2) rods east and west by one hundred and three (103) rods north and south and also excepting that part of the West one-half (W1/2) of the Southeast one-fourth (SE1/4) lying between what is now known as the old U.S. 16 and the Pere Marquette Railroad right of way, all in section thirty six (36) Town 5 North of Range 3 West.  
and  
That part of the east fifteen and one-half (15 1/2) rods of the west one-half (W1/2) of the south-east one-fourth (SE1/4) of section thirty-six (36) of section thirty-six (36), T5N, R3W, extending north from the center line of the Old Turnpike (Lansing-Grand Rapids) road one hundred three (103) rods, more or less, to make ten (10) acres of land, except that part extending south from center line of U.S. Highway 16, as now laid out over and across said land, subject to rights of highway and gas lines.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED**  
That the defendant, BETTER BURIAL METHODS ASSOCIATION, and its successors and assigns; and any and all unknown owners; shall answer Plaintiff's Complaint or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before June 23, 1975. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a judgment by default against Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed with this Court.  
LEO W. CORKIN  
Circuit Judge  
Nunneley, Nunneley, Hirt & Rinehart, P.C.  
By Stanley Hirt  
Stanley Hirt-State Bar (#P15003)  
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217 Mount Clemens Bank Building  
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## Chloe's Column

### Cleaning up after storm

Chloe Padgitt.

Clinton County Home Economist



"Safety comes first when entering and cleaning your storm damaged home," says Dr. James Boyd, Michigan State University Extension housing specialist.

Before entering your home, be sure that its foundation, walls, ceiling, and roof are secure. If you have any doubts, have a contractor check them. Check the meters to be sure the gas and electricity are turned off. If necessary, turn off the gas. Let the house air for several minutes to rid it of any explosive gases. Do not use any type of open flame—either inside or outside the home—until it has been well ventilated.

Take precautions before turning off the electricity. Wear rubber soled shoes or boots and rubber gloves; stand on a dry

board. Use a piece of rubber, plastic or dry wood to open a switch box. Call an electrician to check the switch box or any electric motors if they are water damaged. Don't turn on the electricity until an electrician has checked it for short circuits.

When entering the building, beware of falling plaster, loose doors, and windows. If the doors are swollen shut, enter through a window. Remove the pins from the door and push it from the outside to minimize further damage.

"The next step should be to check the water and heating systems. First, contact the local health department to determine the safety of the water," advises Dr. Boyd. "If you temporarily need water, you can

boil it or use a chemical treatment. These will destroy most harmful bacteria."

Boil the water for at least 10 minutes. The water will have a flat taste. To improve the flavor add a pinch of salt for each quart of boiled water or let the water stand for several hours.

One way to treat water chemically is to add bleach. Follow the directions on the label or find the percent of available chlorine and use the following amounts as suggested by the U.S. Department of Agriculture:

If available chlorine is 1% use 10 drops per quart of clear water.

If available chlorine is 4 to 6% use 2 drops per quart of clear water.

If available chlorine is 7 to 10% use 1 drop per quart of clear water.

If strength of chlorine is unknown add 10 drops per quart of clear water.

If the water doesn't have a chlorine odor, repeat the treatment.

For other methods of chemical treatment, the Public Health Service Publication No. 24 "Manual of Individual Water Supply Systems" is a good source of information. It is available from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20540, at 40¢ a copy.

Test plumbing by pouring a bucket of water into the drain. If it backs up, remove the trap or clean-out plug and rake out mud with a wire or plumber's "snake." "Contact local health officials for sewage and garbage disposal procedures," suggests Dr. Boyd.

The heating system should be checked carefully. Whether it is gas or oil, clean out the flues, and passages to remove any blockages. In oil-burning systems the burner parts should be cleaned with kerosene and wiped dry. Burn the kerosene rags outside when finished cleaning. "Before lighting, have a good furnace man inspect it," warns Dr. Boyd.

Now that your utilities are in safe working order, clean up can begin. Pump or bail water out of the basement. Shovel out the mud to let the floor dry before cleaning.

Drain water from partitions and exterior walls to allow insulation and the internal structure to dry. Remove the baseboard and drill holes between the studs a few inches above the floor. After the insulation and wood has dried,

replace the baseboard.

Scrub the floors, walls, and other areas to clean and destroy mildew. Open doors and windows for ventilation to help dry out the house. Maintain an indoor temperature of 50 to 60 degrees Fahrenheit. A higher or lower temperature may cause the floors and walls to buckle.

Planing on sanding should level a slightly buckled floor. A level floor can be refinished or covered with a resilient, smooth-surface floor covering. Severely damaged flooring may need to be replaced.

After the walls have been washed, paint or spray them with quaternary disinfectant to prevent mildew. It is available at janitor or dairy supply outlets. Add two tablespoons of disinfectant per two gallons of water. If necessary, refinish the walls after the disinfectant has dried.

Rinse wooden furniture with a hose. Wipe dry and bring indoors to dry slowly. Furniture damaged by dampness may develop white spots or a cloudy film. Wipe the furniture with a cloth dampened in turpentine or camphorated oil, wipe dry, and wax. If this fails, dip 2/3 steel wool in olive, mineral or lemon oil and rub lightly with the grain of the wood.

Deep spots in furniture can be removed with a drop or two of ammonia. Rub at once with a dry cloth then polish. If the stain remains, refinishing may be necessary.

Brush and vacuum upholstered articles, mattresses, rugs, and carpets to remove mildew. Do the cleaning outside, and if necessary, dry the article with a heater or fan. If mildew remains, wash with soap or diluted alcohol (one cup rubbing alcohol to one cup water).

Household equipment such as refrigerators, ranges, washing machines, and vacuum cleaners should be checked for damage by a serviceman.

The 4-H and Youth Horse Show will be held Saturday, May 17, at the fairgrounds in St. Johns with registration at 9 am and the show begins at 10 am. This show is open to any youth under 19 years of age, whether they are in 4-H or not and they do not have to live in Clinton County to participate. The judge is Paul Paquin of Rochester.

The entry fee per class is 50 cents with six Rosette streamers given in each class, plus a high point trophy for the top horse and top pony.

The show will have 21 classes consisting of Fitting and Showmanship, Western Pleasure, Western Horsemanship, English Pleasure, English Equitation, Trail Class, Command Class, Working Hunter over Fence, Barrel Bending, Cloverleaf, Speed and Action and a special walk-trot class for youth 8 years and under.

4-H horse club members are specially urged to participate in this show to see where they need improvement and to give them a taste of competition. A schedule of classes and more information about the show will be available by contacting the County Extension Office in St. Johns, or phone 224-3288. The Pathfinders 4-H Club members will have a lunchstand on the grounds to handle the appetites of the participants and crowd.

### LIVESTOCK JUDGING WORKSHOP

4-H livestock members are reminded of the 4-H livestock judging workshop practice Saturday, May 10, at Michigan State University in the Livestock Pavilion. The sessions start at 10 am and will finish by 3 pm. The youth and adults will receive actual practice in judging beef, sheep and swine. The session will include training on what to look for, use of the judging card, how

## 4-H Chatter

### 4-H horse show

By JOHN AYLSWORTH



activities. Stoney Creek will also have a softball team in the 4-H White League this summer.

### 4-CORNERS ELECTS OFFICERS

The Elsie 4 Corners 4-H members held their summer organizational meeting and elected the following officers: Margaret Horak - President; Joe Horak - Vice President; Rick Batora - Secretary and News reporter; Tammy Woodbury - Treasurer. The members paid their dues and signed up for their summer projects. The litter barrel and fair float committees were elected to prepare club exhibits for the fair. The next meeting is May 6th.

### NEWS FROM TAIL WAGGERS

The Tail Waggers 4-H Club members worked their dogs the evening of April 28, giving the dogs experiences of going up and downstairs and getting them used to traffic situations. The members joined the St. Johns Lions Club Friday and Saturday in downtown St. Johns and Southgate and the Lions Club members sold White Canes to raise funds for the Leader

### SOFTBALL REPORT

The 4-H Softball leaders held their organizational meeting Tuesday evening and set Friday, June 6, as the opening date for the summer schedule. Tentatively, it looks like there will be 18 teams in the White League composed of girls and boys under 14 years of age and 6 teams in the Green League composed of older boys. The summer schedule calls for six games and the playoff will start the weekend of July 25 & 26. The county playoff is to be completed by August 2nd and teams should be ready for district playoffs August 7 & 8. The county will play fast pitch ball in the summer, but will send fast pitch and slow pitch teams to the district in both the White and Green Leagues. There will be a playoff later for all girls 4-H teams to go to the district or state playoffs. Any club wishing to have a 4-H softball team should contact the Extension Office. The following clubs will have teams this year: Green Acres, Olive 4-H, Stoney Creek, Charlie's Gang, Elsie 4 Corners, Fowler Big D's, Fowler Helping Hands, Bengal Community, Eagleites, Bath All Purpose, Victor, Maple Leafs, Prairie and Father Farms Alone.

### A SWEET SALE

The Stoney Creek 4-H Club members will have a bake sale Saturday, May 10, at the D&C Variety Store in St. Johns from 9 am to 12 noon. The club will be using this method of raising funds for their summer 4-H

## Bills Column

By William Lasher

Are moles making a mess of your lawn? The best way to get rid of them is to eliminate their food source.

Moles use grubs for food. If you get rid of the grubs, you'll get rid of the moles.

I recommend drenching your lawn with chlordane and water to get rid of the fat, grayish-white worms that feed on grass roots below the ground surface. Be sure to follow the directions that come with the chemical. You may have to make a second application to kill all the grubs, but once you do, you'll eliminate the resident population of moles.

Baiting and trapping are not generally recommended for killing moles, but there are some other methods of control.

Mothballs placed deep within the tunnels will repel moles. And a rotating pinwheel placed at the entrance to a tunnel will also repel them, because their ears are sensitive to the constant vibrations. These measures are usually successful when used in the early spring.

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There are three types of sprayers you can use: compressed air, trombone or slide-type and wheelbarrow sprayers. If you have more than 12 trees, you will need a power sprayer.

Use an all-purpose orchard spray which has a fungicide and insecticide - do not spray during the bloom period.

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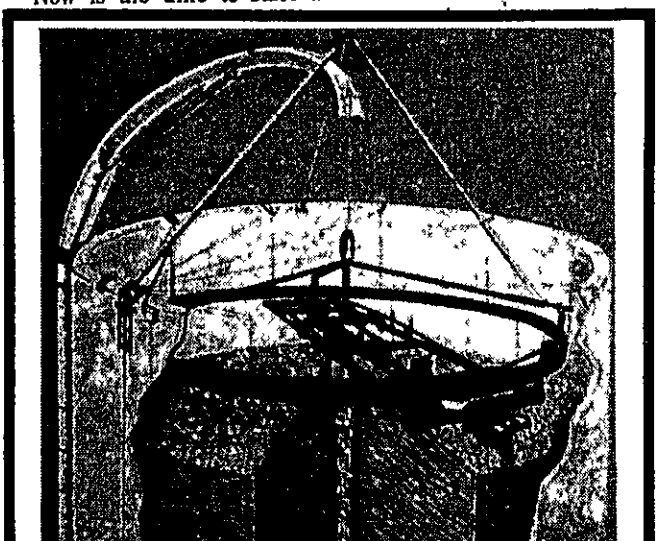
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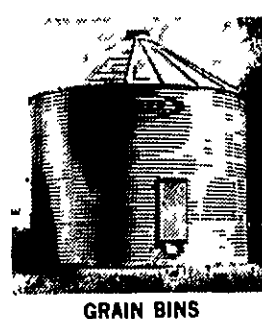
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*Clinton area obituaries*

**Leora O. Bailey**

OVID - Funeral services were held Saturday, May 3, from the Houghton Chapel of Osgood Funeral Home Inc of Ovid, for Leora O. Bailey, 80, 1254 N. Adams, Owosso. She died Thursday, May 1, at Owosso Memorial Hospital.

Reader Roy Ruthruff officiated with interment at Maple Grove Mausoleum.

Mrs Bailey was born Sept 21, 1894 in Shepardsville, the daughter of William and Mary Winfield.

She was married Nov 15, 1941 to Raymond W. Bailey, who preceded her in death May 20, 1963.

She was a member of the Christian Science Church of Owosso and the Mother Church in Boston, Mass.

Surviving is 1 step-daughter, Mrs Margaret Larkins of San Jose, Costa Rica.

**Eva K. Becker**

FOWLER - Funeral services were held Thursday, May 1, from Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church for Eva K. Becker, 74, 340 Pine St, Fowler.

She died Monday, April 28, at Pleasant View Nursing Home in Corunna, following a long illness.

Father Bernam Beahan officiated with burial at Holy Trinity Cemetery.

A native of Westphalia, Mrs Becker was born June 17, 1900, the daughter of Joseph and Theresa Schaefer.

A resident of Fowler all her life, she was co-owner of Becker Stores in Fowler and was a member of Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

Surviving are her husband, Frank A. Becker; 2 sons, Luke E. Becker and Clark D. Becker, both of Fowler; brother, George Schaefer, Fowler; 14 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

**Helen Hyler**

ST JOHNS - Funeral services were held Wednesday, April 30, from Osgood Funeral Home for Helen Hyler, 55, 530 Yaucoasant St, St Johns, who died Saturday, April 26, in Owosso.

Rev Thomas Dunn officiated with burial at Mt Rest Cemetery.

A native of Gratiot County, she was born Nov 1, 1919, the daughter of Charles and Daisey Mae Burton.

She was married in October, 1938 to Glenn Hyler.

Surviving are her husband; 2 daughters, Mrs Joyce Taphouse of Owosso and Mrs Ruth Ann Riddle of Owosso; 1 sister, Mrs Erma Koop of Denver, Colo and 6 grandchildren.

**Fred V. Bond**

DEWITT - Funeral services for Fred V. Bond, 83, 3820 Turner Rd, Lansing, were held Thursday, May 1 from DeWitt Area Chapel.

He died Monday, April 28, at Lansing General Hospital.

Rev LaVern Bretz officiated with burial at DeWitt Cemetery.

Mr Bond was a native of Clinton County and was born Feb 17, 1892, the son of Samuel and Ella Bond.

A resident of the Lansing area since 1943, he was a farmer and an employee of Bishop's Furniture Co.

His wife Edna, preceded him in death.

Surviving are 3 daughters, Mrs Zelma Esch of Fort Pierce, Fla, Mrs Hazel VanBurger, Fort Pierce, Fla and Mrs Marilee Schnabel of Lansing; 2 sons, Eugene Bond of Lansing and Burdette Bond of Lansing; 13 grandchildren and 29 great grandchildren.

**Edith L. Light**

ST JOHNS - Edith L. Light, 57, 302 E. State, St Johns, died May 4 at Clinton Memorial Hospital, following a short illness.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 6, from St Peter Lutheran Church in Riley Twp.

Pastor Roger Heintz officiated with burial at Riley Cemetery.

She was born in Riley Twp, Oct 4, 1917, the daughter of Edward and Emma Luecht.

A resident of Clinton County all her life, she was married Feb 19, 1914 in Riley Twp to Carl G. Light.

She was a member of St Peter Lutheran Church and the Friendly Neighbors Farm Bureau organization.

Surviving are her husband Carl (Gordon) Light; 6 sisters, Mrs Dorothy Pasch of Riley Twp; Mrs Esther Martens of DeWitt; Mrs Edna Flegler of St Johns; Mrs Bertha Light of St Johns; Mrs Florence Hopp of DeWitt and Mrs Verna Marten of DeWitt.

**Oliver Roof**

Funeral services were held for Oliver M. Roof at McNarys Chapel at Woodlawn, California, April 14. The Rev Frank Emitte officiated. Interment was made at Knights' Landing Cemetery, Knights Landing, California.

Mr Roof was a native of Michigan and passed away at Knights Landing on April 9. He is survived by his wife, Alice, and 2 sons; Robert of New Jersey and Jerry of Boston, Mass.; one sister, Mrs Helen Trish of Lansing; 5 brothers, Leland of Lake, Mich, Waldo of Elsie, Mich, Paul, Bill and Bob of St Johns.

**Frances Woodruff**

OVID - Frances R. Woodruff, 60, 230 E. Pearl St, Ovid, died Thursday, May 1, at Owosso Memorial Hospital following an illness of several months.

Services were held Saturday, May 3, from Houghton Chapel of Osgood Funeral Homes Inc in Ovid.

Rev Earl Copelin officiated with burial at Maple Grove Cemetery.

Mrs Woodruff was born in Owosso Oct 27, 1914, the daughter of Reuben and Flossie Dennis.

She was a graduate of Ovid High School and resided in Ovid all of her life.

She was married April 17, 1938 in Ovid to Myron Woodruff.

She was a member of the Crescent Club.

A linotype operator, she was employed with the Ovid Register Union for 10 years, the Owosso Argus Press and the Flushing Observer for the past 5 years.

Surviving are her husband; 3 sons, Ronald of St Johns, Eugene of Ovid and David of Redford; 2 brothers, Robert Dennis of Homestead, Fla and 6 grandchildren.

**Mary Sherman**

ELSIE (c) - Funeral services for Mrs Mary Sherman, 74, of 205 S. Ovid St, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie. The Rev David Litchfield officiated and burial was made in Ford Cemetery.

Mrs Sherman passed away Friday night at the Ovid Convalescent Manor following an illness of four months.

Mrs Sherman was born March 1, 1901, in Chapin, daughter of David and Maude Rogers. She resided most of her life in the Bannister and Elsie areas. She was married to Earl Crippen Oct 18, 1919. He died in March of 1946.

She was married to Burl Sherman March 16, 1950. He preceded Mrs Sherman in death in May 1973.

Surviving Mrs Sherman are: 2 daughters, Mrs Marie Taylor of Tucson, Ariz and Mrs Doris Warner of Elsie; 2 sisters, Mrs Emma Greenwald of Imlay City and Mrs Grace Everden of Owosso; 4 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

**Elnora W. Flegler**

ST JOHNS - Funeral services were held Thursday, May 1, from St Peter Lutheran Church for Elnora W. Flegler, 83, 201 N. Ottawa, St Johns, who died April 28 at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Rev. Roger Heintz officiated with burial at Church Cemetery. A Prayer service was held Thursday at Osgood Funeral Home.

A native of Clinton County, Mrs Flegler was born May 30, 1891, the daughter of Theodore and Wilhelmina Hopp and lived all her life in Clinton County.

Her husband, Herman Flegler, preceded her in death in 1939.

She was a member of St Peter Lutheran Church and St Peter Ladies Aid.

Surviving are 3 sons, Lewis of Lansing, Francis of St Johns and Earl of St Johns; 2 daughters, Mrs Marina Bandt of DeWitt, Mrs Alice Argersinger of St Johns; 2 brothers, Fred Hopp and Herman Hopp of Riley Township; 2 sisters, Mrs Alvina Rossow of Fowler and Mrs Hulda Flegler of DeWitt; 15 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

**Ray Wagner**

ELSIE (c) - Funeral services for Ray Wagner, 76, of 120 Herring St, Ashley, were held Thursday afternoon, May 1, from the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie with burial in Eureka Cemetery.

Mr Wagner died Monday evening in Carson City Hospital. His death was attributed to his heart.

Mr Wagner was born June 20, 1896 in Greenbush Township, son of William and Grace Wagner. He had lived the past 23 years in Ashley, moving there from St Johns, and was a former employee of the Village of Ashley.

Surviving Mr Wagner are his brother-in-law, Joe Brzak, and nieces and nephews.

**Barb VanDouser**

ST JOHNS - Funeral services were held Friday, May 2, from Osgood Funeral Home for Barbara L. VanDouser, 84, 70b E. Walker, St Johns. She died April 29 at Clinton Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Rev Robert Prange officiated with burial at Mt Rest Cemetery.

A native of Detroit, Mrs VanDouser, was born Aug 25, 1890, the daughter of Engbert and Mary Smith.

On Aug 25, 1909, she was married to George VanDouser, who preceded her in death in 1969.

Surviving are 1 son, William of St Johns; 2 daughters, Mrs Louise Hiar of Lansing and Mrs Dorothy Schultz of DeWitt; 4 sisters, Mary Walton of St Johns, Anna Smith of St Johns, Rose Helmer of Lansing and Lena Bond of Marshall; 1 brother, Joe Smith of St Johns; 7 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

**Fulton students**

doing "odd jobs"

Students at Fulton High School have begun a campaign to raise funds for the purchase of a weight machine with money from doing "odd jobs" around the district.

The weight machine will be used by all the various athletic teams, as well as in the physical education classes at the high school, so it will be used by all of the students of the school.

Cost of the machine is estimated at \$3000.

ANYONE IN the Fulton area who has lawn work, window washing, painting, etc, can call 236-7232 and they will be matched with a student qualified for the job. Students doing the work have agreed to donate all of the funds collected for the purchase of the weight machine.

According to a spokesman from the school, students are also involved in a telephone campaign to solicit jobs.

Students would be available from after school on school days and also on Saturday for any work that might be available for them to do, from now until school is out, June 6.

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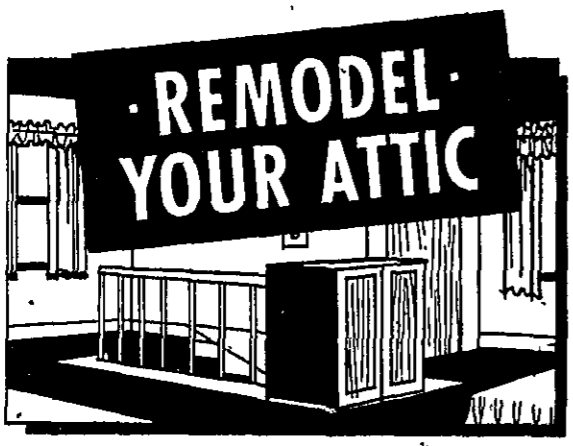




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## A Dream House Is An Insulated House, Federal Energy Administration Sawhill Says

The American dream includes a roof over our heads and comfort in our

homes, and they both can be the wasters of energy. Unless more of us save

energy — insulate our roofs and winterize our homes, among other conservation practices — the dream could turn into a nightmare. Sometime in the next 10 years we could run dangerously short of energy, as was threatened during the 1973-74 embargo.

Federal Energy Administrator John C. Sawhill, in a statement supporting Home Improvement Time—1974, called insulation the prime energy-saving improvement a homeowner can make to a detached dwelling. Others are weatherstripping and storm windows and doors.

"Nearly one-fifth of all the energy used in the United States — about 15.4 quadrillion British thermal units (Btu's\*) out of our total consumption of 77 quadrillion — is used in the nation's 70 million households," Mr. Sawhill explained. "About 18 million of these, counting only detached dwellings, are not adequately insulated. I hope to see one million of them upgraded

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by the addition of attic insulation during the next 12 months."

The FEA Administrator added that he hopes the remainder will be raised to insulation standards by 1985.

"If all existing homes are properly insulated, and if FHA insulation standards are required for all new houses and mobile homes, by 1985, we could save 1.7 quadrillion Btu's in 10 years," Mr. Sawhill said. "That would be equivalent of about 800,000 barrels of oil a day. That's more than a dream — that's our goal!"

To help accomplish this goal, FEA is exploring a number of innovative possibilities.

Would you believe a computer could help insulate a house?

It seems plausible. Several thousand families in Topeka, Kansas, and Danbury, Connecticut, have filled out questionnaires about their homes to test the prospect in an experiment being conducted by the data-processing firm, Applied Urbanetics, Inc., under FEA contract. If enough people in the pilot cities benefit, the system will be

packaged, perhaps as early as the Spring of 1975, so units of State and local governments, utilities, and other organizations throughout the country can set up similar projects to help homeowners and renters in their communities.

Financing new insulation can be a problem for the homeowner. FEA is looking into ways to ease that burden. For one thing, it is reviewing some financial and other assistance programs pioneered by State utility commissions. One outstanding example, conceived and supported by the Michigan Public Service Commission, is the Michigan Consolidated Gas Company's low interest loan offering to customers who wanted to insulate their home ceilings. The gas company, at the request of its customer, arranges for contractors to do the job, essentially guarantees payment, and bills their customers for repayment at very low interest rates. At least 10 other utilities around the country are thinking about adapting the program for their customers. FEA Administrator Sawhill and other FEA

officials are working with the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners and the States to see if similar programs can be developed throughout the country. FEA also is working with the Department of Housing and Urban Development to see if interest rates specified in its Title I loan program can be adjusted to make more money available for home insulation improvements.

Another FEA goal for household energy conservation this year is to see that practical information on energy-efficient practices throughout the home is easily available to those who want it. Again, the Administration is working with other Federal agencies to produce this information and help with its distribution.

A third FEA objective for the year ahead involves helping all homemakers choose the most energy-efficient equipment and appliances they can find.

The average homeowner's third largest investment is in major home appliances. The total lifetime costs of an appliance cannot be judged by initial cost alone. Year-to-year

operating costs are a large item in any household's budget. FEA is supporting legislation to require energy efficiency labeling on many major household appliances, as well as motor vehicles. While energy-efficiency information is generally available from manufacturers and dealers, too often it is difficult for the consumer to obtain or understand. In the meantime, until an energy efficiency labeling act is passed, voluntary energy efficiency labeling has been instituted by a number of air conditioning and automobile manufacturers in cooperation with Government agencies. Manufacturers of other appliances and equipment — refrigerators, freezers, washers, dryers and heating plants, among others — will join the voluntary program in the near future, and FEA will circulate information about each of these products as it becomes available.

Conserving energy is a relatively new idea for most of us. The Arab oil embargo and consequent critical shortages brought home the need. Most Americans now realize that the need to save energy continues, that we must reduce our skyrocketing energy demands to bring them more in balance with our finite domestic supplies.

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is a major purpose in the very broad mandate given the Federal Energy Administration under the Act of 1974 signed by the President on May 7. Among other directives, FEA is to: advise the President and the Congress on national energy policy, assess the adequacy of our energy resources, develop plans and programs for dealing with energy production shortages, and provide technical and other assistance to State and local governments and all increments of the private sector. This involves the collection of considerable data on energy resources and consumption, and hard thinking and careful judgment by a variety of experts who will plan and implement the policy and programs for our "Project Independence."

The American people are participating in this policy-making process for energy self-sufficiency. Their opinions and ideas, expressed at public hearings in the 10 Federal regional cities this summer and fall, will become part of the Project Independence Blueprint.

But for the present, and in the future, conserving energy is the most immediate contribution the individual American family can make toward stabilizing the nation's energy budget as well as its own.

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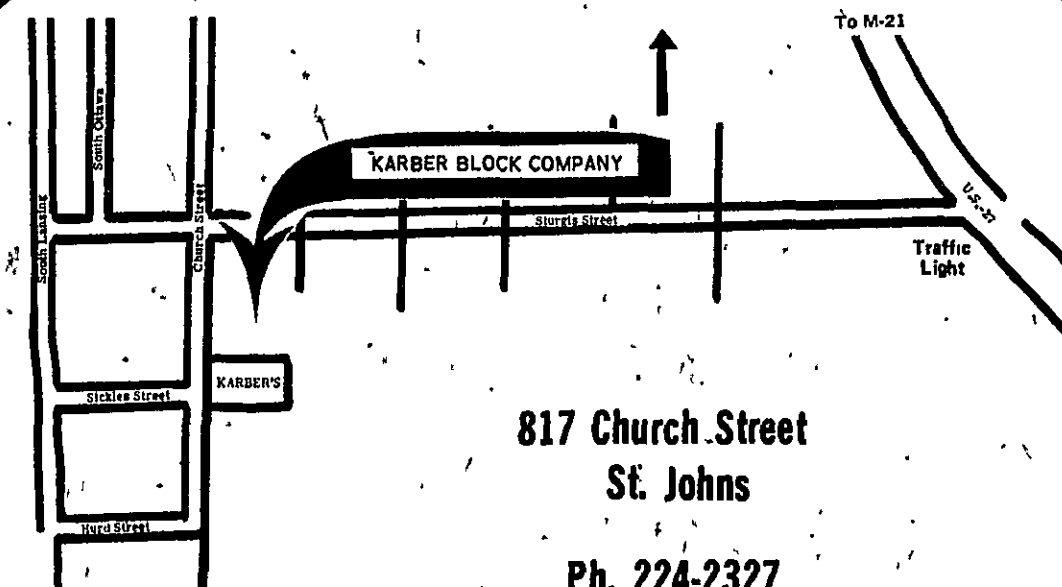
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### Tips On Stain And Spot Removal

Every carpet or rug is occasionally the victim of spots or stains. Most of these accidents of spilling and dropping can be taken care of with little trouble. Since carpet is an especially durable home furnishing, it can withstand a great many accidents without being permanently damaged or ruined.

Essentially, the effects of spots and stains can be minimized if these two basic rules are followed: (1.) act quickly when anything is dropped or spilled on your carpet or rug. Remove all spots and stains before they dry. (2.) have the necessary cleaning materials always within easy access.

There are two types of cleaning material which should be kept on hand at all times for quick spot cleaning of carpet and rugs. These are: (1.) special purpose carpet cleaning detergent and (2.) non-flammable dry-cleaning fluid. Other materials on the market are useful in the hands of skilled professional cleaners. It is advisable for the housewife not to attempt spot removal with such materials as they may do considerable damage if not properly used.

If you cannot identify a spot or stain on your carpet or rug, follow the steps of a general cleaning procedure such as this:

- Step 1:** Remove excess materials. Liquids should be absorbed blotting with a clean white cloth or other absorbent material. Semi-solids should be scraped up with a spoon.
- Step 2:** Pretest any spot removal agent in a corner to make certain it will not effect the dye or damage the carpet or rug.
- Step 3:** Apply a small amount of dry cleaning fluid, blotting gently and working from the edges of a spot or stain toward the center.
- Step 4:** When the dry-cleaning fluid no longer removes any of the stain, apply a small amount of detergent solution. Use a clean cloth and blot gently from the edge of the stained area toward the center. At intervals, blot up all excess liquid.
- Step 5:** Dry the carpet or rug.
- Step 6:** Reapply the solutions if some of the stain remains or reappears.
- Step 7:** Brush the pile with the fingers to restore the original texture.
- Step 8:** Some stains contain dyes that will alter the color of carpet and rug fibers and even a professional cleaner may have difficulty in removing them. If you have any reservations about how to remove a stain, contact your nearest professional cleaner.

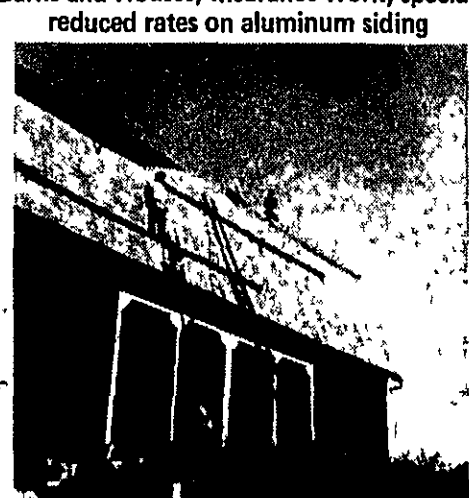
In using this general procedure for spot or stain removal, you must judge whether or not both types of cleaning solution are necessary, or if any application should be repeated. For example, if the detergent solution seems to remove most of the stain, it would be wise to keep repeating the application.

In applying any type of home cleaning method, avoid getting the carpet or rug too wet. Be certain to dry the carpet or rug after cleaning as quickly and thoroughly as possible, to avoid mildew or types of damage.

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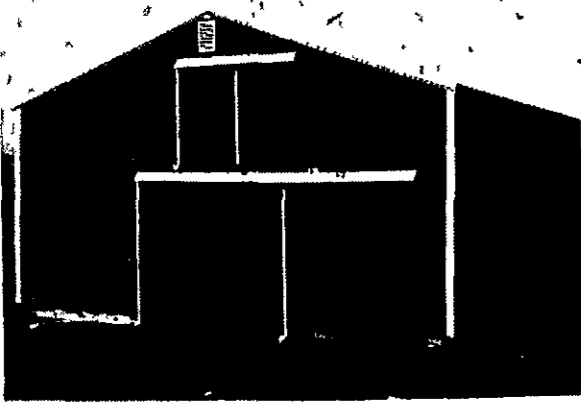
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Lower and modernize an existing ceiling, cover a damaged ceiling or hide exposed plumbing, wiring and joists in a basement gameroom.

A little planning is the secret. It can save you money in unused or wasted material or the nuisance of extra trips to purchase additional materials.

**QUICK AND EASY**  
 An acoustical suspended ceiling is one of the quickest and easiest ways to add new beauty, luxury and quiet to any room.

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Panels are lightweight, washable and can be lifted out of the grid for easy access to the overhead.

**GRID SUPPORT PANELS**

Fiberglas ceiling panels are supported by metal framing members which snap together into a gridwork. The grid is suspended by wires attached to the existing ceiling.

**SHARP PENCIL**

Your most important tool is a good, sharp pencil. Sketch a diagram of the ceiling, indicating each panel and lighting fixture. It's easiest to start with a piece of engineering graph paper available at most office supply stores — the little squares already are marked off for you. One square should equal one square foot.

**MEASURE CAREFULLY**  
 Measure the room

carefully. Remember, walls are not always straight or parallel even though they may appear to be. The more measurements, the better.

Fiberglas acoustical ceiling panels are available in 2' x 2' and 2' x 4' sizes and in several surface patterns.

It's important to remember the decorator effects possible. A long narrow room can be made to appear more roomy and larger by installing rectangular panels perpendicular to the length of the room.

Lighting fixtures should be planned at this time and should be indicated in the sketch.

**BALANCED LOOK IMPORTANT**

Balance the borders. For instance, if your room were 15 feet wide, it would be possible to use three 2' x 4' panels with border panels cut to one-and-one-half feet to span the distance.

But border panels at room edges should be equal and as large as possible.

The 15 ft. room would look more attractive if two 2' x 4' panels were coupled with two border panels cut to three-and-one-half feet for a total of 15 feet. This installation also would require less grid material.

**ESTIMATE THE COST**

To estimate the cost, count the number of panels in the sketch, being certain to count border panels as whole panels. Add one-third to the cost of panels to estimate the cost of the grid system, suspension wires and screweyes. Your building material dealer can supply an exact cost estimate and installation tips that could save you time and money.

Or, if you prefer, simply supply accurate measurements to your dealer. He can estimate the amount of material needed and help you make the layout.

**SIX STEPS TO INSTALL**  
 After securing the

materials needed, simply:  
 1. Nail the L-shaped wall angles along the sidewalls using a level for accuracy.  
 2. Fasten screweyes into overhead joists.  
 3. Attach suspension wires. Use a guide wire stretched between wall angles as a reference level.  
 4. Crimp suspension wires where they are to connect to the grid.  
 5. Install the grid.  
 6. Drop in the Fiberglas panels.

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- (2) Repair dripping water faucets.
- (3) Wash full loads of clothes and dishes.
- (4) Use one-third less hot water for bathing. (A savings of up to 14% of water heating costs can be achieved).
- (5) Insulate hot water pipes. (Clothes Dryer) (1) Dry full loads. (2) Clean lint filter after every load.



### Insulation Does More Than Save Dollars



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owners are likely to overlook some of the other benefits of insulation.

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Finally, with full insulation, you can get by with smaller, less expensive cooling equipment. Both cooling and heating equipment will also last longer because they do not have to work so hard to cool or heat your house.

Everyone's talking about energy conservation. And it's been shown that home insulation will do more than anything else to reduce fuel consumption. Industry studies have found, for instance, that eighty percent of the homes built since World

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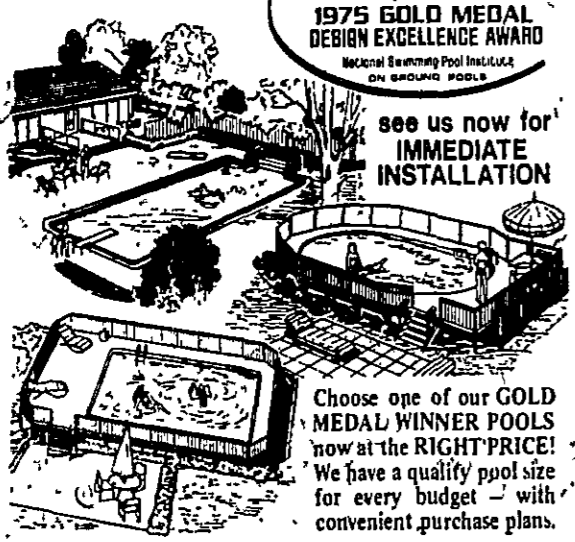


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- Quiet** - Carpet absorbs airborne noise as well as other types of standard acoustical materials and ten times as much airborne noise as any other floor or floor covering. In addition, it virtually eliminates floor impact noise at the source. Since no other acoustical material "doubles" as a floor covering and since no other acoustical material is as effective in reducing floor impact noises at the source, a new concept of carpet's "dual-role" as an "acoustical flooring" can mean substantial savings and greater flexibility in planning. In actuality, carpet's cost should be compared with the cost of other floors or floor coverings plus an equivalent acoustical treatment to appreciate this aspect of its "total delivery."
- Safety** - The National Safety Council predicts that falls will cause the majority of accidents in the home this year. Carpet reduces the incidence of slips and slides in what might otherwise be high accident areas. It protects people in a hurry. And carpet's ability to cushion falls, and thereby prevent serious injuries, means savings in medical costs and man-hours to businessmen.
- Warmth** - Physically carpet's pile construction is a highly efficient thermal insulator. Mechanical demonstrations have shown that over a cold cement slab carpet's surface temperature is substantially higher than that of tile. Thus carpet relieves coldness to foot contact and at ankle level and above. Such coldness is unpleasant, and costly to correct in any other way. It is conceivable that carpeted floors may help sustain empty building temperature over weekends, or non-use periods, because they reduce the absorption of heat by cold floor surfaces.

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The wise use and conservation of energy is an attainable and worthwhile goal for the family, as well as the corporation.

The most effective short term way to control rising costs and maintain adequate supply for residential users is to use energy in the most efficient manner.

According to the American Gas Association, the top energy savers in the home are: (1) 24-hour thermostat set back to 68 degrees F during the cold months (save up to 15% on your heating costs). (2) Adequate ceiling insulation (if you have no ceiling insulation and install 6 inches, you should save up to 17 percent of your heating and cooling costs and your pay back period due to fuel savings will average about 2 years). (3) Water heater set back to 120 degrees F or warm setting (save up to 15% of water heating costs). (4) Weather stripping or caulking. (5) Furnace and air conditioner tune-up — clean air filters frequently. (6) Storm doors and windows (save up to 20% of your heating and cooling costs). (7) Air conditioning thermostat set no higher than 78 degrees F (save up to 15% of your cooling costs). (8) Eight hour thermostat set back at night (save up to 9% of your heating cost). (9) Reduction of bathing water consumption by one third. (Save up to 14% on your water heating cost). If all these things were done, a total potential savings of up to 40% could be achieved.

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reduce the amount of heat entering your home during the summer, and keep the cold out in the winter. Similar properties for the purpose of reducing the outside noise level should also be inherent in the material.

Now, strong popularity is accorded this new exterior sidewall cover that can perform these tasks and more. Its solid vinyl clapboard and vertical styled sidings. For ap-

pearance, it creates handsome architectural effects especially when in use with other vinyl siding panels and with other natural siding materials, such as stone and brick.

Made of one of the toughest of all plastic compounds, solid vinyl siding is manufactured by Bird & Son, Inc., East Walpole, Mass. It is a triumph of modern technology, emerging as one of the most beautiful, durable building materials ever discovered or invented. It took years of research and development to perfect.

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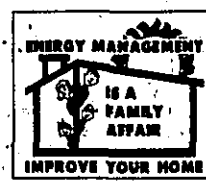
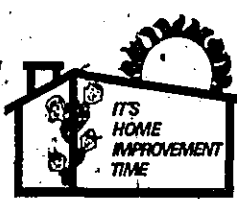
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### Tips For Tightening Your Home

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Insulating your home properly is one of the key ways to stop it from being an energy-waster. In addition, these other tips, from the EEI will help

1. Weatherstrip and caulk around all windows and doors. If they are leaking air, you may be increasing your heating bills.
2. Install storm windows or insulating glass. This will cut in half the amount of heat lost through the windows of your home.
3. By drawing shades or draperies on cold days

4. Close the damper in your fireplace tightly when you're not using it.
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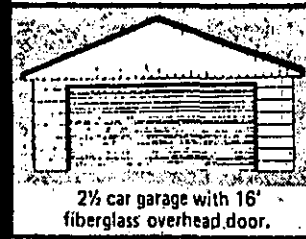
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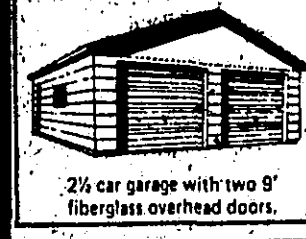
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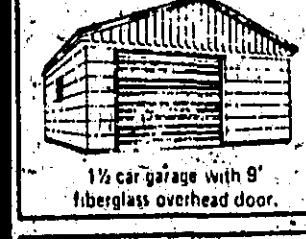
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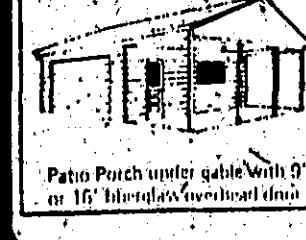
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### Energy Conservation Sum Of Several Home Improvements



One of the best protective safeguards a home can have is a weathertight roof of heavy-textured asphalt shingles, designed to last up to 25 years. Shown are several different types of shingles currently available.

The insulation industry maintains that an adequately insulated house will require 50 percent less energy to heat than a non-insulated home. And the industry adds that a job of installing insulation should pay for itself in about five years.

A ventilating fan in the attic can be another energy saver in the sum-

mer time. Appliance manufacturers say a properly installed attic fan can lower attic temperatures by as much as 50 degrees.

As the largest exterior expanse of a home, the roof, also, plays a role in energy conservation. For example, white asphalt shingles can help cool an attic by 20 degrees in the summer simply by reflecting the sun's heat.

However, white shingles are not suitable or even desirable for all homes. The Asphalt Roofing Manufacturers Association recommends that the style or architecture, geographical location of the home, and personal tastes of the owner all should be taken into consideration. Darker colors are usually preferred for taller homes.

Asphalt shingles are available in a wide selection of colors, including the new earthtones, and a variety of bold textures. A new booklet, "A Homeowner's Guide To The Selection Of Quality Roofing," contains a color guide to help in color selection. To obtain it, send 30 cents to SR&A, Box 3202, Grand Central Station, New York, N.Y. 10017.

### Everything You Wanted To Know About A Heat Pump

In these days we need to do everything possible to conserve the amount of energy we use, yet still live comfortably, such as having adequate heating and cooling in the home. There is one device — the heat pump — that accomplishes both these requirements: — providing maximum heating comfort in the winter and cooling in the summer and at the same time saving energy, according to The Edison Electric Institute.

When heating a home the heat pump takes the heat from the outside air and pumps it into the house. For cooling the unit does just the reverse — it removes the heat from the inside air and pumps it outside, just like any air conditioner.

At the same time it filters the air of impurities, thereby reducing your cleaning chores. During the summer, mugginess, even on the most humid days, is eliminated, and since windows can be kept closed, summer dirt, dust and noise are greatly reduced.

Because windows and doors can be kept closed, pollen is kept out of the house — welcome news for allergy sufferers.

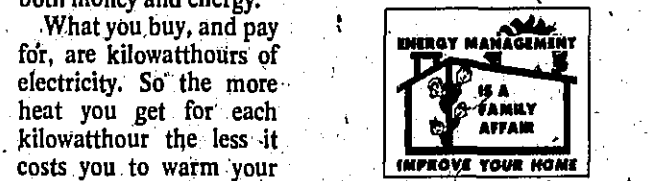
The same compressor, fans and refrigerant coils that provide cooling also provide heating. This means lower installed cost for you compared to using two separate systems — one for heating and one for cooling.

The air, whether warmed or cooled, is distributed by a central system and circulated through ductwork into every room.

Electric duct heaters are usually added to provide supplemental heat in very cold weather and are automatically controlled.

And because it delivers more units of heat for each unit of electricity the heat pump helps to conserve critical fuels.

An electric heat pump saves space too. Some units are completely self-contained. Others, which are called split-systems, have part of the equipment indoors and part outdoors. The part of the system inside the house includes a cabinet, coil and blower and can be located about anywhere — in a basement, attic, or closet, or even hung in a crawl space. The outdoor unit, including a compressor and a coil, is located next to the house and can blend inconspicuously with your landscaping.



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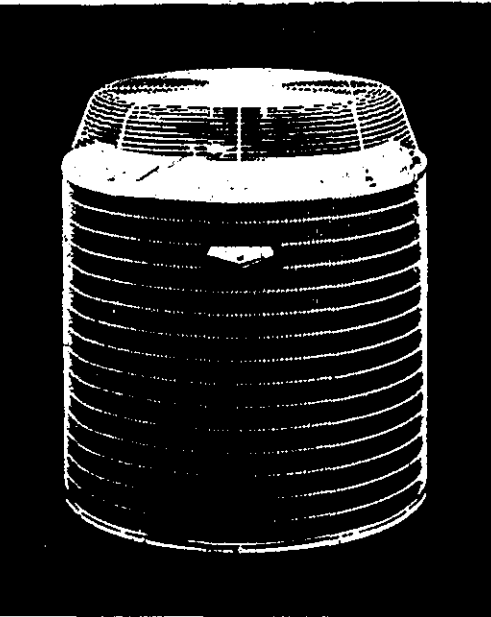
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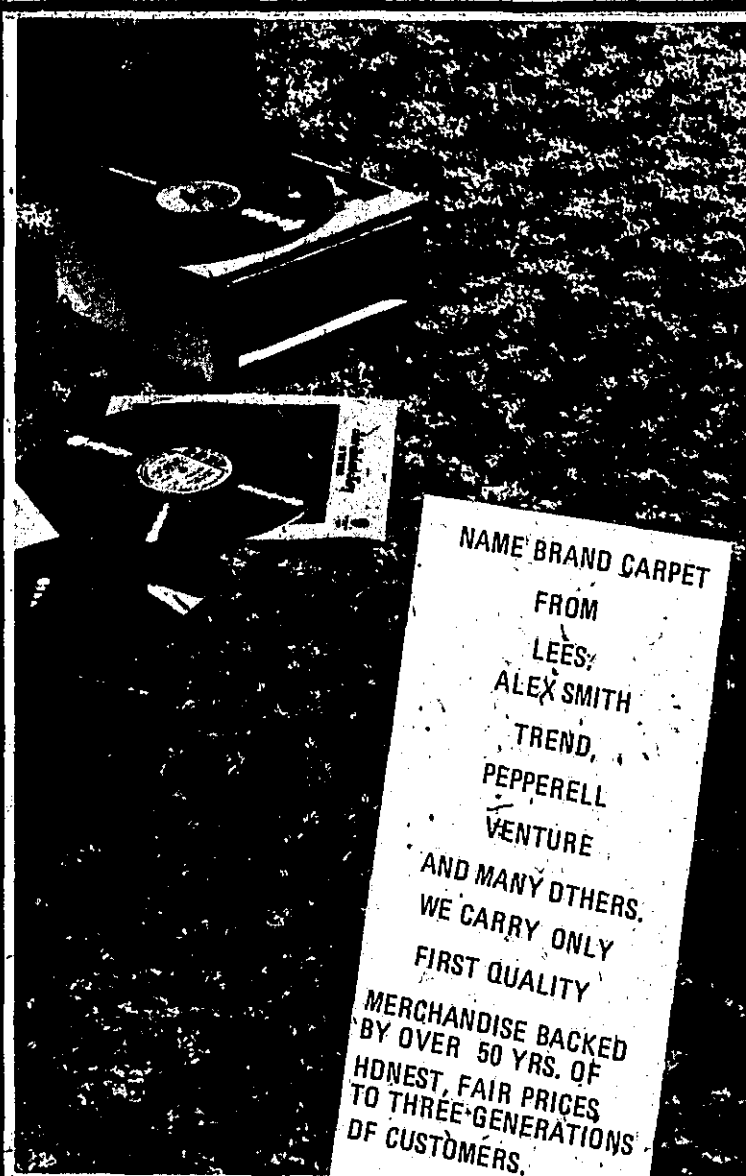
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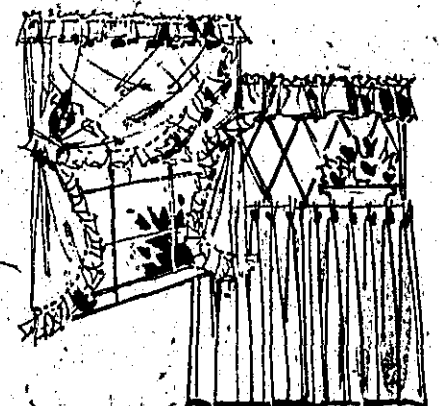
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## NAHB Adopts Program To Protect Consumers

The National Association of Home Builders has taken steps to protect the public from shoddy home remodeling and rehabilitation work by adopting a four point program emphasizing professionalism and education for member contractors.

"To serve the public better and to inspire greater public confidence in remodeling we are doing everything in our power to provide quality contractors," said Gerhard Degemann, chairman of the NAHB Remodeling and Rehabilitation Committee. Degemann is owner of Quality Remodeling in Berkeley, CA, and president of the Bonded Remodelers Council of the Associated Home Builders of the Greater East Bay, an affiliate of NAHB.

The program adopted by the 76,000-member association at their Spring Board of Directors meet-

ing protects consumers by: promoting good ethical remodeling practices in the industry; exposing remodelers and builders to existing and future opportunities through education seminars and conferences; developing remodeling aids to assist members to operate more efficiently; and establishing strong liaison with manufacturers to enlist their support and aid in expanding the use of innovative building and remodeling products.

"Many remodelers are reputable, a few unscrupulous," said Degemann. "From appearance alone you cannot tell the difference. If in doubt," he advised, "make some inquiries, get some references. Don't pay any deposits and don't sign anything — even an estimate sheet." Instead, take the time and trouble to investigate every detail of a remodeling contract.



Not a "gingerbread house," but the frosting on this stylish home is the heavy-textured asphalt shingle roof. Designed to last up to 25 years, top-quality asphalt shingles in rustic earthen shades complement the other color elements of a home.

## Reroof With Color, Texture To Brighten Home Exterior

If the roof over your head leaves something to be desired, exchange it for a new one. As the largest exterior area of a home, a new roof adds to the home's curb appeal.

One of the most

popular reroofing materials is asphalt shingles. In most cases, they can be applied right over the existing roof, eliminating the cost of a tearoff.

If this is the case, common sense suggests you use the savings to purchase top-of-the-line asphalt shingles. Designed to last up to 25 years, these shingles may prove less expensive on a cost per year of use basis than standard shingles because the cost of materials and labor is amortized over a longer period of time.

Premium-quality asphalt shingles in rustic earthen shades of brown and olive may be used to coordinate the roof with the siding colors or to complement other color elements of a home.

Heavy-textured asphalt shingles create a rugged, three-dimensional appearance that relates a home to its environment. The new heavy-textured shingles make it simple for a homeowner to avoid a roof that looks like all the others in the neighborhood.

Asphalt shingles require only minimal maintenance. Shingles listed by the Underwriters Laboratories as Class C or better have been tested to assure they will not easily ignite, will not readily spread flame, and present no burning brand hazard.

To obtain the best cost estimate for reroofing your home, call two or more established roofing contractors in your area. Word-of-mouth recommendations from friends and neighbors are the best reference. Or phone your local roofers' association or Better Business Bureau. The Yellow Pages of the telephone book also contains the names of roofers.

A helpful aid in the selection of roofing or a roofing contractor is a 20-page booklet, "A Homeowner's Guide to the Selection of Quality Roofing." To obtain it, send 30 cents to SR&A, Box 3202, Grand Central Station, New York, N.Y. 10017.

Silence is golden only when it carries an expensive price tag.

## NHIC Was Pioneer In Energy Conservation

Years before the energy crisis erupted the National Home Improvement Council, through its national and local promotional activities, was encouraging the conservation of energy. The Council is an organization of building materials producers, contractors, building supply dealers, lenders, utilities and others seeking to encourage Americans to improve their homes for better living.

By promoting such home improvements as insulation and storm win-

dows and doors NHIC was providing the homeowner with a way to substantially reduce his fuel consumption.

The National Home Improvement Council will continue to promote energy saving home improvements. A new kitchen can result in the purchase of a new energy-saving refrigerator. A remodeled bath should involve replacement of an inefficient energy-wasting water heater. New air conditioning will be selected with maximum efficiency in

mind, and proper insulation will continue to offer an excellent way to conserve energy and reduce fuel bills.

Through its Coast to Coast network of chapters the National Home Improvement Council will continue to implement on the local level the broad programs which are launched in its national promotion, advertising and publicity, including the excellent Home Improvement Time promotion which has had real impact in the home market-place.

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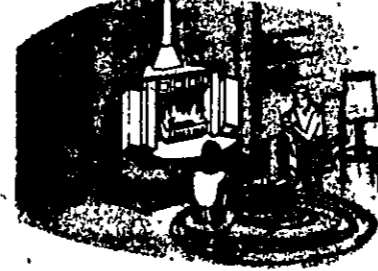
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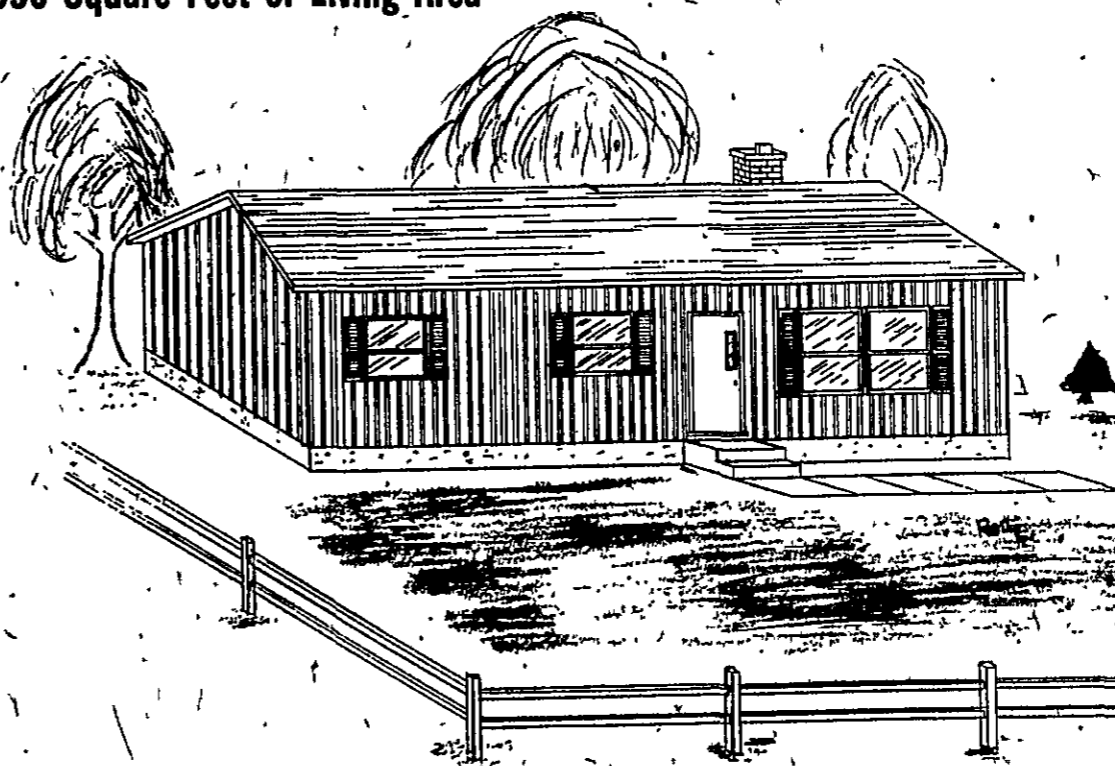
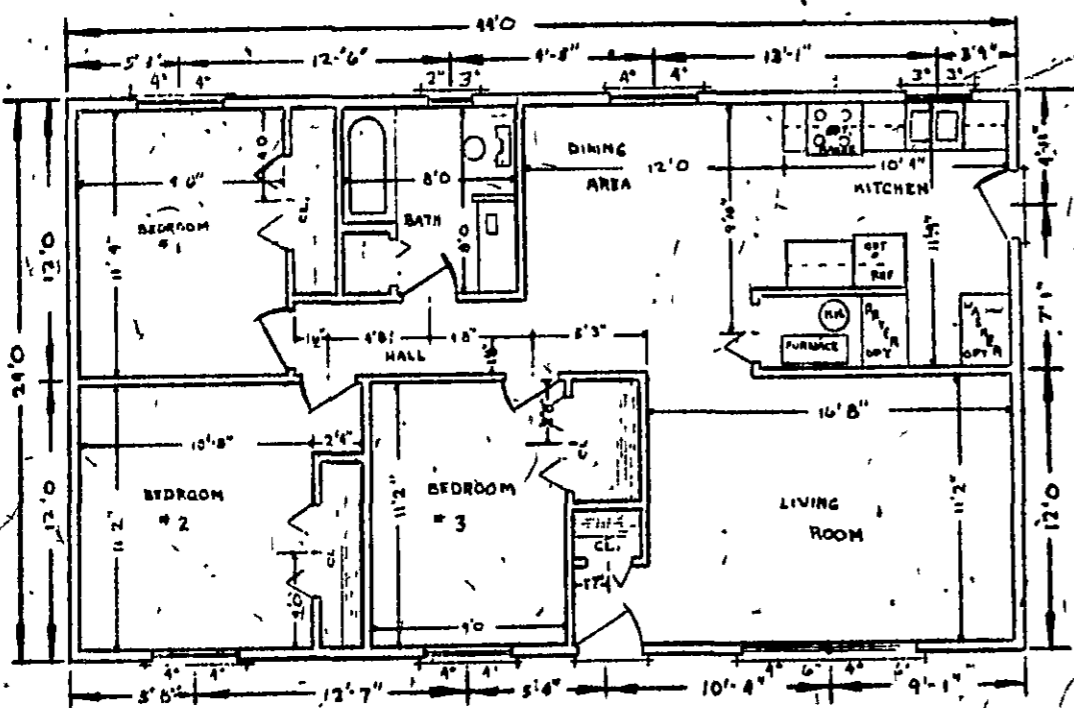
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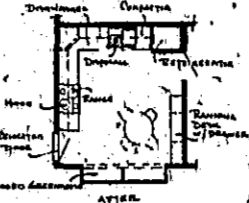
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you'll note the badly placed rear entrance to the kitchen within a work area, and the inadequate storage facilities.

The "after" plan



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Now consider replacing that old refrigerator for a new frost-free model or even one with an ice maker.

A self-cleaning range is a real work saver. Your clean-up center should include a dishwasher, disposer, and trash compactor.

Then, for the piece de resistance, convert your ordinary windows to a window greenhouse. No matter what the view was before, with a greenhouse in your window the new view will be breathtaking and refreshing.

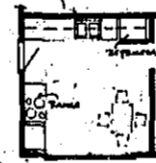
Let's start with a clear look at your kitchen windows.

Plants grow better and bloom faster if the window you select for a greenhouse is exposed to the morning sun. If that doesn't fit your plans, then any window would do that allows about three hours exposure to sunlight every day — even during winter when the sun will favor the southern exposure of your house.

Another point to consider in selecting the right window is the view, or the lack of one. A large double window, for instance, that overlooks your neighbors' garbage cans lets in the view as well as the sun. But add a "garden kitchen" to that window — and the sun shines in, through lush vegetation. If the "garden kitchen" idea appeals to you, and you've decided to redecorate, then now is the time to stop and examine the two opportunities your decision presents to you:

1. An opportunity to improve the work area and correct any irritating flaws you may have discovered in your present kitchen.
2. An opportunity to add new convenience features.

For example, in the "before" plan shown,

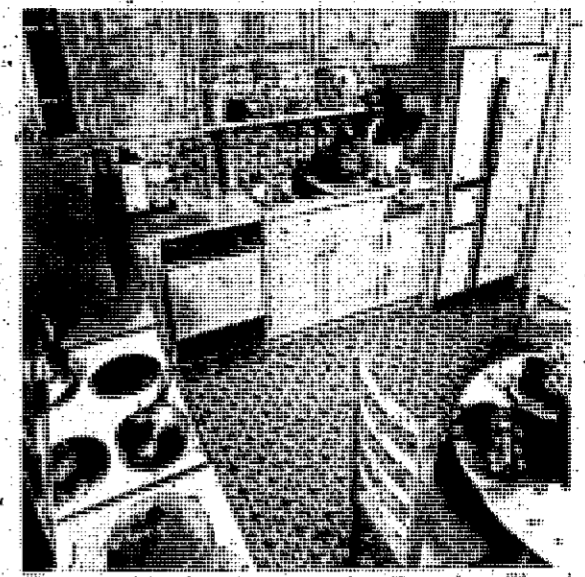


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Could you use some more living space at your home? If your answer is "yes," a redwood deck may well be the most versatile way to add that space at a price you can afford. By choosing the lower-cost "Garden Grades" of redwood and handling some or all of the construction yourself, you can have a deck addition for a lot less than you might think.

A redwood deck is one of the most rewarding of home improvements. It can serve as a play area for the kids, an ideal set-

ting for warm weather entertaining, a comfortable place to read or relax, even a sleeping area for your "back to nature" crew. And a deck addition has the almost magical ability to give your home an instant resort flavor and at the same time add real value. Happily, the most economical grades of redwood are the ones recommended for decks and nearly all outdoor projects. These grades, often called "garden redwood," contain knots and streaks of cream-

colored sapwood which lend an attractive, rustic look to outdoor home improvements. Best of all, the garden grades will cost you far less than the clear architectural grades of redwood. And because of redwood's relative freedom from warping, shrinking, and swelling, your deck will serve you and your family for years and years to come. Alternate wet and dry conditions, which quickly "do in" other woods, have little effect on redwood.

At your lumberyard or

home center, garden redwood will be sold under three grade designations — Construction Heart, Construction Common and Merchantable.

Construction Heart is milled solely from the familiar reddish-brown redwood heartwood, which has an unsurpassed natural resistance to insects and decay. For that reason this grade is usually reserved for members in or near the ground where that special durability comes into play.

Construction Common, which is quite a bit lower in cost than Construction Heart, contains streaks of cream-colored redwood sapwood.

Although the sapwood is as durable as other whitewoods, it doesn't have the decay resistance of redwood heartwood — so only Construction Heart should be used for posts and other members which touch the ground and for supporting members within six inches of the ground. The sapwood streaks in Construction Common are particularly attractive in contrast with the cinnamon color of the heartwood; and this economical grade is an excellent choice for the decking itself and for other off-the-ground portions of the deck.

Merchantable Redwood, lowest in cost of the three Garden Grades, contains larger knots than Construction Heart and Construction Common. But by trimming unsound knots out of Merchantable boards you have an economical source of very useful shorter lengths.

A new full-color booklet, "Redwood Decks Do It," is an excellent source of deck ideas and suggestions on how to get started, on your deck project. It's available for 50 cents from the California Redwood Association, Dept. H, 617 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, California 94111.

## Redwood Decks For City Living And Vacation Homes



A deck takes on many forms, often governed by the available space and the contours of the house, but every residence can accommodate some deck plan. It can be a rather narrow walkway along one exterior wall — or even surrounding an entire house — providing a spot to watch the sun rise or the sun set. It can be an extension of the back-door area to create a space for redwood planter boxes and herb gardens. Sliding doors from a family room may open onto a larger deck extending into the yard, even as far as poolside. Or, if the location happens to be a waterfront or mountain retreat, a deck may overhang the water or a ravine, with a feeling of vast spaces that cannot be found in the city. The

ideas and uses for decks are many, limited only by space available.

Decks have become a way of life in America, and because redwood is easy to work with, homeowners find that

they can achieve the same shaping and detailing as a bona fide contractor. There are double benefits to be derived from a deck: the appraised values goes up and the pleasure of the residents is increased.

Simpson Timber Company redwood dealers have a variety of free do-it-yourself plans to offer for deck construction, as well as other amenities that complement the deck, house or garden: redwood planters, redwood furniture, redwood lamps for deck, patio or garden, redwood fences and redwood storage units.

A house in the woods, a house at the lake, the everyday home address — whatever the setting, it is enhanced by a redwood deck that extends the living spaces of the house. Large or small, a deck can serve as an entertainment center, a lounging spot for pure relaxation or nature observation, or a place for choice plants and flowers.

The use of common grade redwood lumber

keeps costs within a reasonable budget, as in this vacation home at Thousand Islands, Canada. Simpson Timber Company redwood was used for siding as well as the decks, in this instance, but redwood is so versatile it combines with any residential finish.

Whether the deck is an addition, part of a remodeling program, or planned with the initial construction, the practicality of using redwood is demonstrated in its long life, even when exposed to the elements. More than any other commercially available wood, the heartwood of redwood resists decay and insect attack. The beauty of redwood remains whether left to weather to a naturally soft driftwood grey or finished with a semi-transparent stain that permits the natural textures to emerge. A bonus for using redwood lumber is the low maintenance required.

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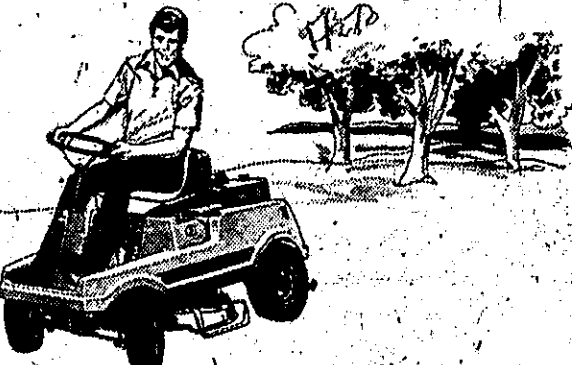
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torial change in *American Home* important," he said. "Thanks to medical science and general affluence, our society has moved quietly from preoccupation with prevention of death to a central interest in quality of life. The average American spends 75 per cent of his or her lifetime at home. The home is a personal, emotional cultural environment: the expression of a family's lifestyle.

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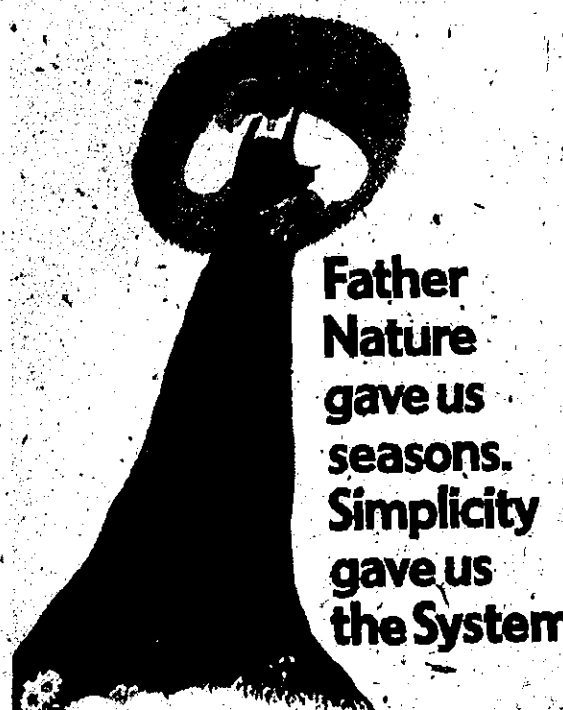
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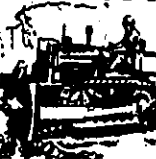
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# Modern Home Needs Modern Ventilation

Modernizing with ventilation can help make the home's indoor environment more comfortable, cleaner and more efficient in use of air conditioning energy.

Mechanical ventilators supply controlled air movement to remove excess heat and other air pollutants effectively from living areas and attics and draw in fresh outside air.

"Use hoods over stoves and use exhaust fans in the kitchen, bath and laundry areas," advises the National Bureau of Standards in its "Home Energy Tips" bulletin.

Exhaust quantities of heat and moisture to the outside during periods when these areas of the

home are in use," the bulletin says. Such ventilation makes any home more comfortable in any season and eases the operating load on air conditioners.

Reducing excess heat from the attic, where temperatures can rise to a torrid 135 to 150 degrees, is another comfort-improving and energy-saving tip from the National Bureau of Standards bulletin. It points out that an exhaust fan "can greatly reduce attic temperatures and the flow of heat into living areas."

Vented range hoods, wall and ceiling exhaust fans, and powered attic space ventilators are certified in air delivery per-

formance by the Home Ventilating Institute (HVI).

Using ratings of ventilators which bear the HVI label and following HVI air change recommendations, one can readily and reliably select a model which will perform the ventilating task according to recognized standards.

All HVI-certified fans have been tested under uniform procedures at Texas A. & M. University which are recognized in the Minimum Property Standards of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

Modern ways of living generate air contaminants in greater

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volume and variety than past living patterns. Further, modern con-



Typical of today's wide variety of range hoods, this handsome new hood may be fitted with a choice of ten different power units, including three interior power units or any of seven exterior-mounted power units. This wall-mounted model incorporates built-in housing, twin-aluminum mesh filters, light receptacles and switches. Interior power units offer an HVI-certified CFM range from 200 to 420, and exterior units—for barbecuing and heavy cooking—provide up to 1,000 CFM.

cooking, baking, broiling and barbecuing load the room with large amounts of airborne grease, moisture, smoke and odors in addition to heat. A freshly decorated or renovated kitchen will keep its beauty longer when properly ventilated. Styling and finishes of range hoods and exhaust fans can contribute their own beauty to any decor plan.

Bathrooms, showers and laundry rooms generate heavy fogs of water vapor, which can cause discomfort, inconvenience, extra load on air conditioning, peeling of paint or wallpaper, and damage to metals.

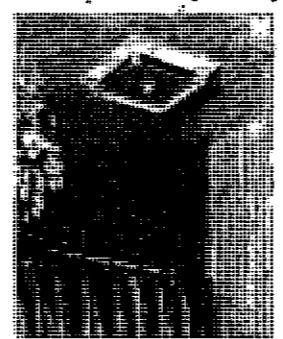
Bath ventilators are styled to complement any decor and some also provide heat or light or both.

All room ventilators with the HVI label carry sound ratings which enable the selection of the level of quietness

struction increases the need for ventilation, because tight construction reduces old-fashioned infiltration and leakage of air into the house.

Many attics lack optimum insulation, and even well insulated homes can benefit from thermostatically controlled ventilation which turns on and off according to need and helps prevent heat buildup.

Excess heat is not the only pollutant removed by ventilation. In the kitchen, for example,



Typical of today's bath fans, this attractive unit fits on wall or ceiling and offers a peripheral air intake at an extremely quiet operation of about 25 sones. This size of unit cleans and freshens a bath of about 55 square feet. Other units provide heat/light fan combinations in today's bath ventilating units. Units are HVI-certified.



Temperatures in the attic will rise to even 150 degrees during the summer with no attic ventilation. Powered attic space ventilators flush out summer heat and enable the air conditioner to work more efficiently. HVI-certified ratings make it simple to select the right capacity for the job. This roof-mounted unit is placed on the rear slope of the roof with air intakes at the eaves. Attic ventilation also removes excess moisture as well—protecting the structure during icy and snowy winter months.

desired. They are rated in easy-to-compare "sones"—3 sones is just half the

loudness of 6 sones, for example. To ventilate by HVI standards, use the following formulas to figure CFM (cubic feet per minute). For wall or ceiling fans, multiply

floor area by 2 for kitchens, 1.07 for baths, 0.8 for family, laundry and other rooms. For range hoods, use a minimum of 40 CFM per lineal foot of range against wall, 50 CFM per lineal foot for

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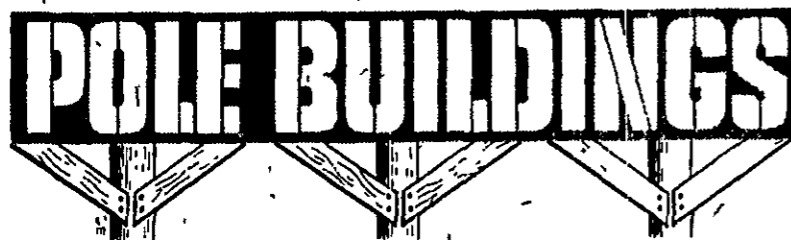
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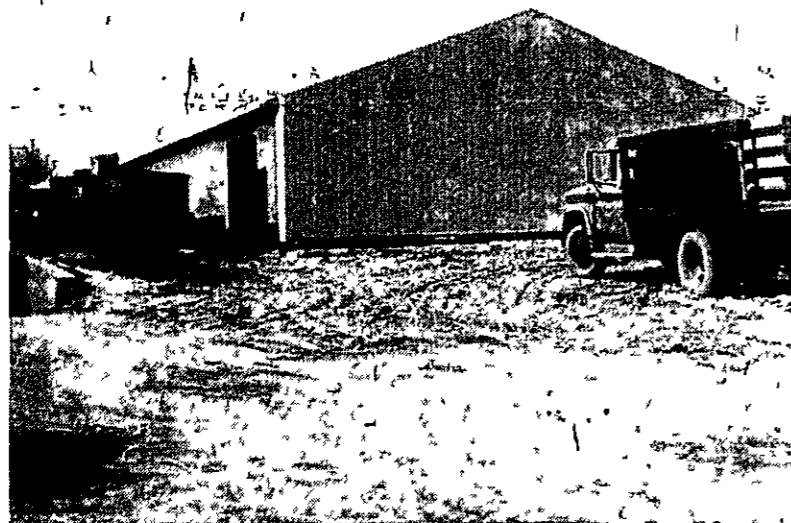
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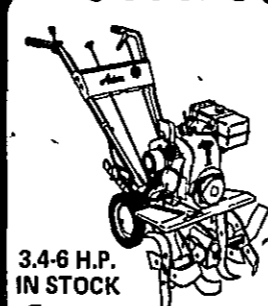


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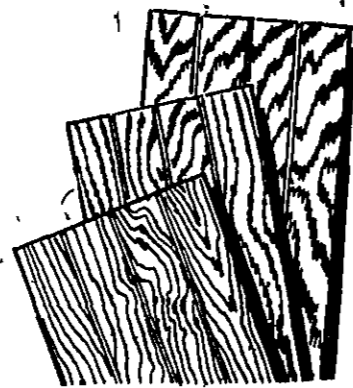
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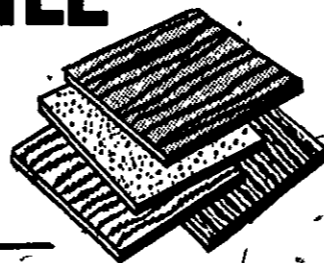


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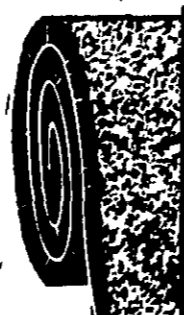
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After a period of time, even with consistent use of the vacuum cleaner, the appearance of your carpet or rug may be dulled by an accumulation of soil which is not readily removed by sweeping or brushing. When this occurs, usually the appearance of your carpet or rug can be vastly improved by utilizing a properly administered home cleaning method.

There are three basic types of home cleaning including the absorbent powder method, using a dry-powder type cleaner; the wet method, using a water-and-detergent solution; and aerosol foam spray.

**The Absorbent Powder Method**  
Absorbent powder cleaners are often used at intervals in order to prolong the periods between wet cleanings. This method will brighten and remove dull, dingy, oily

deposits with a minimum of texture change. There are a number of powder-type cleaners available and manufacturers' directions for using these products should be followed carefully.

**The Wet Method**  
Wet cleaning is suitable for most types of carpet. When using the wet type of cleaner, use one of the mild neutral detergents sold especially for carpet cleaning. Be sure to follow the directions for dilution and application. Avoid the use of soap, ammonia, washing soda or any of the strong household cleaning agents intended for use on hard surfaces, such as woodwork, linoleum or tile.

Since repeated use of some detergent-water solutions may leave a residue which will cause rapid resoiling, do not get the carpet too wet.

When using the wet method of cleaning your carpet or rugs, it is advisable to remove furniture from the room. If it is impractical to do so, place thick plastic film or aluminum foil under and around the legs of chairs and tables and other furniture until the carpet is

dry. This will prevent rust or furniture stains.

After the carpet is clean, brush the wet pile all in one direction with a soft brush or special plastic or wooden rake finishing tool.

Dry your carpet as quickly as possible by turning up the heat and opening the window.

**Aerosol Foam Spray**  
Aerosol foam spray is a relatively new method available for home carpet and rug cleaning. The procedure is to spray a thin layer on the carpet, work in with a wet sponge, mop and vacuum when dry.

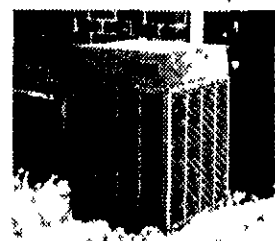
There are several foam sprays available and in each case, the manufacturers' directions should be followed.

**Manufacturers Race To Meet Growing Demand**  
Insulation manufacturers have been hard pressed to keep pace with the ever increasing demands for their products. In the five years 1968-1973, sales in the industry reportedly grew by 65 percent, or at a compounded rate of over 65 percent a year.

To meet this growing demand, Johns-Manville, one of the nation's leading insulation manufacturers, recently opened a new multi-million dollar fiber glass manufacturing plant in McPherson, Kansas. This is part of a \$100 million expansion program which has more than doubled the company's fiber glass production capacity since 1971.

A Johns-Manville executive recently predicted that industry sales would grow another 70 percent in the next five years. He said the total market for all types of thermal insulation in this country amounted to more than \$1 billion in 1973. Gains in the next five years will bring this to \$1.7 billion, he claimed.

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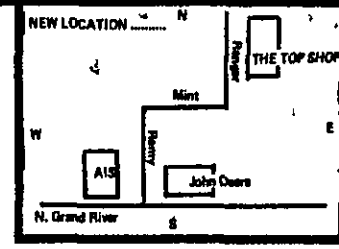
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## Professionally Remodeled Homes Have Higher Resale Value

"Professionally remodeled homes" invariably have higher resale value," says Edward F. Gerber, Remodeling and Rehabilitation director of the National Association of Home Builders.

Every fall, families turn to home improvement. They modernize, add-on and fix up. "Invariably," said Gerber, "it's the professional remodeling job that does it best, lasts the longest and supports the best resale value."

This fall, homeowners are remodeling and restoring for another reason: the spiraling cost of energy. Some are remodeling their present homes with added insulation, storm windows and caulking to make them less energy wasteful. Some are replacing outmoded appliances and heating and cooling systems with new energy efficient models. Others have chosen to restore townhomes closer to central job markets, shopping and recreation to cut commuter time and gasoline costs.

Homes in the first and second tier suburbs — typically built during the post World War II building boom — are now ready for remodeling, additions and modernization. "Their close proximity to central cities and professional remodeling work will certainly enhance families' comfort now and the homes' saleability in the future," said Gerber.

"Row houses in central cities and older suburbs are also promising targets for remodeling and restoration with energy conservation in mind," he said. "Because many are attached, are built to three or four stories and have small roofs, less energy escapes the surface and perimeter area of the home. Heat is used efficiently; and, in summer, less cooling energy is dissipated.

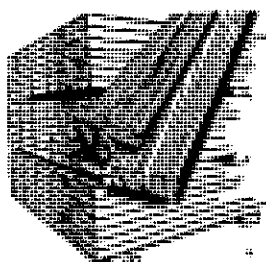
"Unusual features in older homes in the central cities and suburbs; like, extra large rooms, bay windows, stained glass and fireplaces can be terrific focal points for restoration and remodeling. Remodeling with these special features in mind increases the psychological as well as monetary value of the home," said Gerber.

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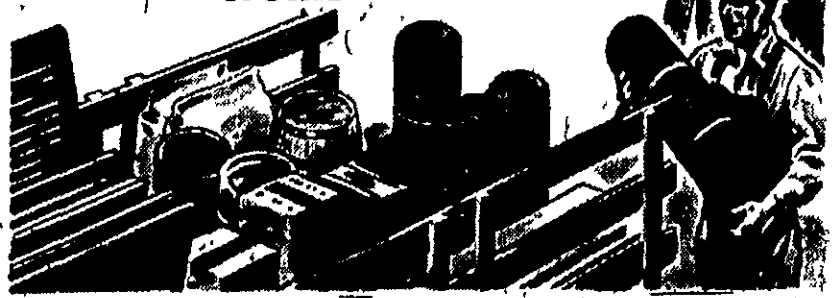
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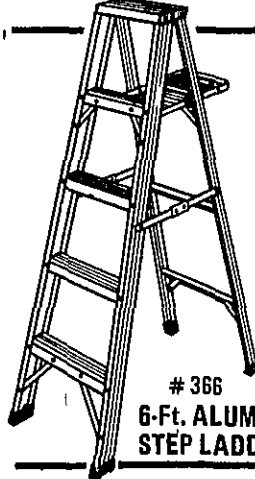
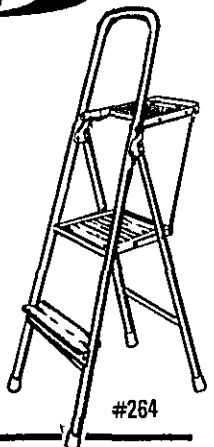
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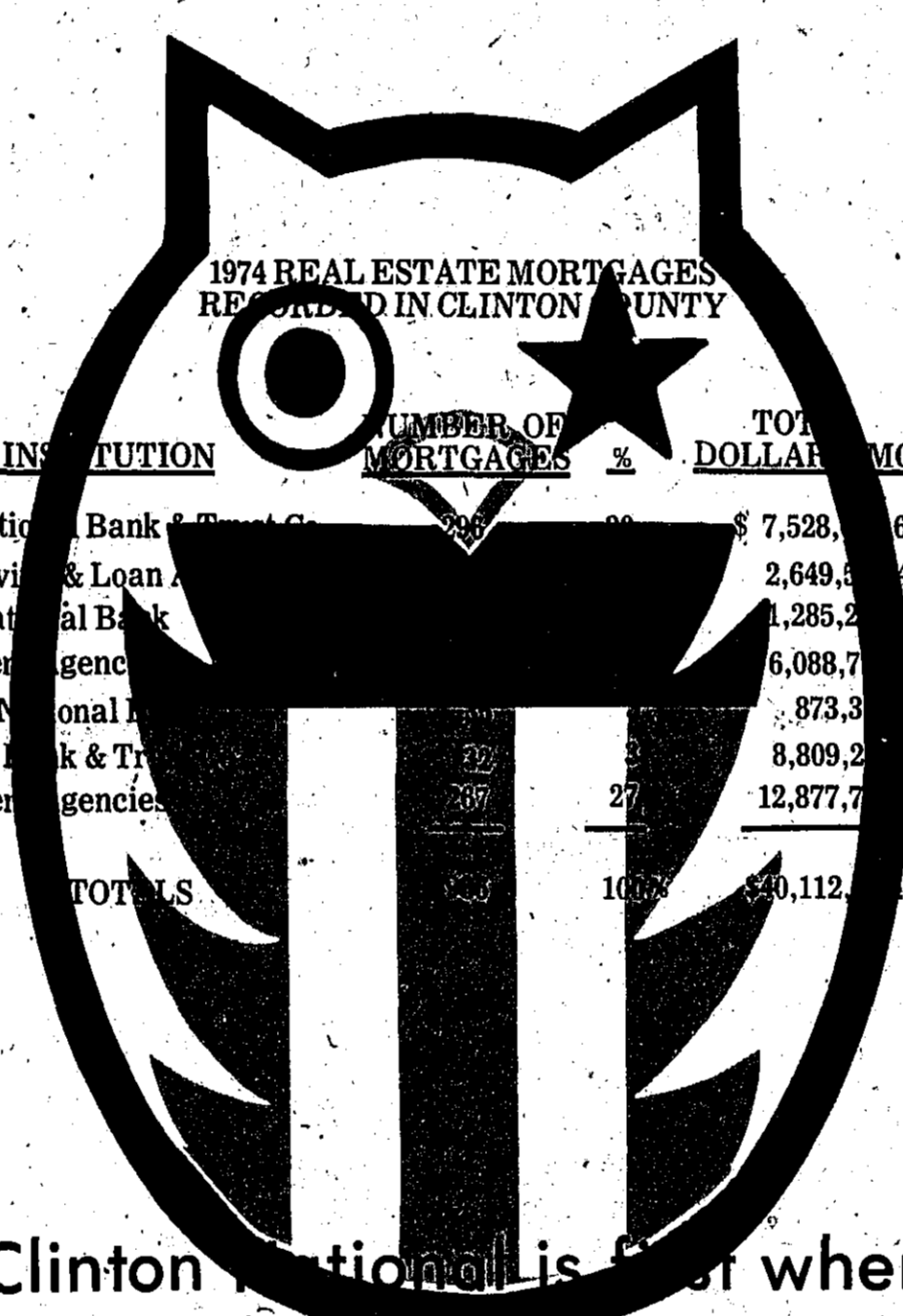
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Once again, Clinton National Bank and Trust Co. provided more real estate mortgages in Clinton County during 1974 than any other financial institution... and we offer that as an indication of how we serve the growth needs of the Clinton area. Be on top, check with the leader before you make your move!



### 1974 REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES RECORDED IN CLINTON COUNTY

LOANING INSTITUTION	NUMBER OF MORTGAGES	%	TOTAL DOLLAR AMOUNT	%
Clinton National Bank & Trust Co.	296	28	\$ 7,528,000	19
Capitol Savings & Loan Assn.	10	1	2,649,300	7
Central National Bank	10	1	1,285,200	3
Government Agencies	10	1	6,088,700	15
Michigan National Bank	10	1	873,300	2
American Bank & Trust Co.	22	3	8,809,200	22
122 Different Agencies	267	27	12,877,700	32
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>1000</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>\$40,112,000</b>	<b>100%</b>

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