

# Sleepy Hollow State Park in the works for Clinton

By TIM YOUNKMAN  
News Staff Writer

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Plans are nearing completion for the new 2,700 acre state park recreational complex in Clinton County, the News learned Wednesday.

The project, called Sleepy Hollow State Park, will have complete recreational facilities, including a 410-acre lake.

Acting Park Supervisor Lance Koschtal said the state park is still in the property acquisition stage and estimated that the program will not be complete and operational until after 1976.

Two main tracts of land centered in the proposed lake site have yet to be acquired and this may take time, he said.

The park area, as proposed, is bounded by Shepardsville Road on the west, Taft Road on the north, and Jason Road on the south. Upton and Hollister Roads form the eastern boundary. The lands in the north part of the site are in Ovid Township, and the southern part is in Victor Township.

The state park will serve the population centers of Lansing, Flint and Saginaw, with approximately 505,000 people living within a 40-mile (one hour) drive of the site. The proposed lake will be about two miles long and a mile wide at its broadest point, with more than five miles of shoreline.

The northeast section of the park will contain 300 modern sites, with electricity, running water and toilet-shower buildings available to the campers. A sanitation station and a camper registration building will be provided on the campground entrance road.

Numerous areas throughout the park have been designated as picnic zones. Parking lots of varying capacities have been strategically placed to provide pleasant settings and views for the picnicker. An existing island picnic spot for boaters is planned for the center of the lake on five acres of land.

A major feature of the park will be the beach area, designed to allow 4,000 people access to the swimming and picnic areas.

The park visitor will be served by two modern beachhouses - changing courts - concession buildings dividing the beach use in two parts.

A boat launching area is planned and is to be located on the west shore of the lake, with an emphasis on a boat concession operation rather than private craft.

The southern portion of the park will be used as a nature study area, offering interesting geological and ecological features forming a basis for a general public nature study program.

A winter sports section is planned, plus adequate fishing, hunting, and hiking facilities.

Sleepy Hollow will provide 1,775 parking spaces and can accommodate 10,225 people at one time.

Estimated costs for construction of the park has been set at \$2,390,000 excluding acquisition costs, for the five-year plan. Planning for the project was begun in 1964 and was officially revised in May, 1969.

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## Former residents

### Home accident claims two from St. Johns

Two former St. Johns residents and their three sons were found dead in their Okemos home Monday evening, apparently victims of carbon monoxide poisoning, according to the Ingham County Sheriff's deputies.

Dr. Donald O. Tatroe, 41, his wife Marianne, 41, and their three sons, Donald Kevin, 14, Philip Allan, 10, and Thomas Mark, 9, were found by sheriff's deputies after receiving a call from a neighbor.

A daughter, Deborah Jane Tatroe, 19, survives. She is a student at Michigan State University.

Tatroe, son of Mr and Mrs H. O. Tatroe, 610 E. State, St. Johns, and his wife, daughter of Mr and Mrs Marion Walling,

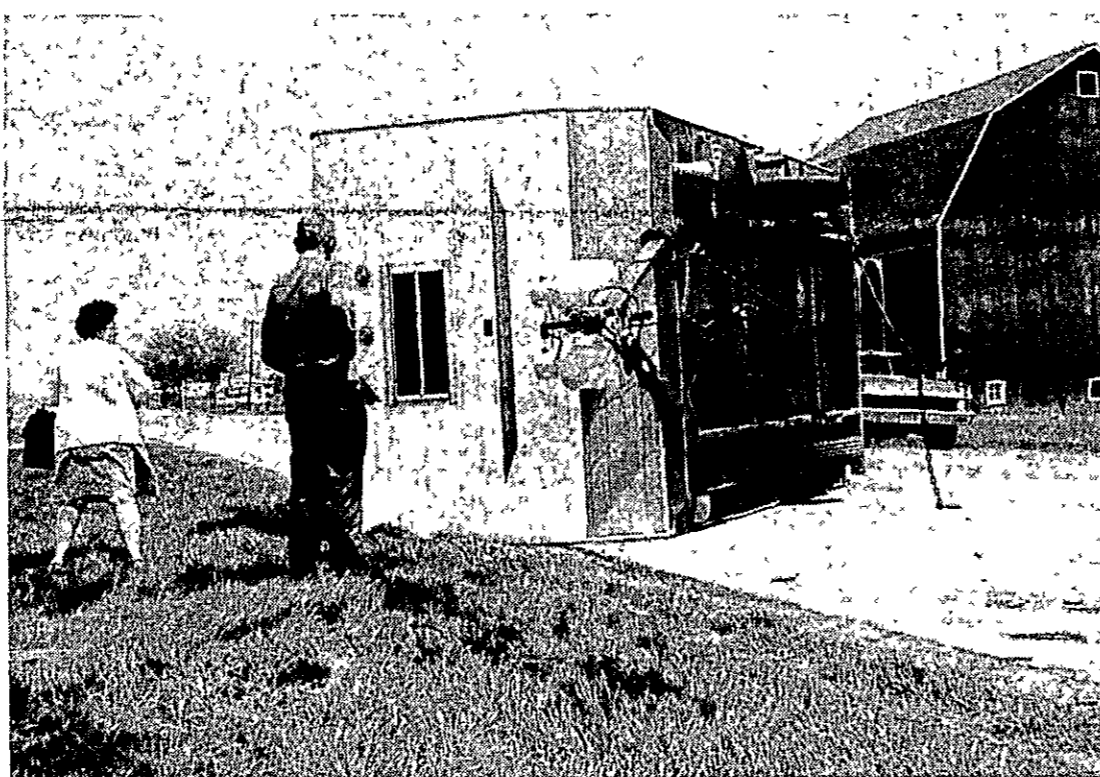
French Road, St. Johns, were graduates of St. Johns High School.

Sheriff's deputies said that they received a call at 5:55 p.m. when the neighbor became suspicious when she saw no activity around the Tatroe home. The neighbor also called Tatroe's daughter, Debra, 19, a student at Michigan State University.

Deputies checked the house attempting to arouse the victims without success and finally forced entry at the rear of the building.

Two of the boys were found in an upstairs bedroom and the other boy was located in a basement bedroom. Tatroe was found

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Mr and Mrs George Fitzgerald view their camper trailer sprawled across US-27. Their auto (just behind the trailer) moments earlier was lying on its roof where the couple is standing.

## Auto, trailer flip, but Ohio couple uninjured

An auto pulling a camper trailer fish-tailed out of control on US-27 Thursday and the car flipped over and came to rest on its roof while the trailer, still connected, fell over on its side.

The occupants of the auto, Mr and Mrs George Fitzgerald, of Kettering, Ohio, a suburb of Dayton, were not injured.

The accident occurred about 10 miles south of St. Johns.

Mrs Fitzgerald said the accident was caused when a semi-trailer truck passed them "and there was so much wind from the truck we . . . fish-tailed."

"The wind just took it," she said. "We can't really blame the truck."

When they came to rest, Mrs Fitzgerald said, "I asked my husband if he was all right."

"He said 'yes.' "Then I asked him, how are we going to get out of here?" She said they rolled down a window and crawled out.

Mrs Fitzgerald, who was driving, said, "He crawled out first. He was on the driver's side."

Both appear calm after their ordeal. She said they were on their way north for a vacation at Lake City.

## But funds still a problem

### St. Johns City Commission advocates co-operation with NRC on pollution

The St. Johns city commission Monday night voted to indicate an air of cooperation with the Natural Resources Commission even though doubts about pollution and financing continues to persist.

The subject was part of Monday night's agenda because city officials have been advised they must be represented at a hearing in Lansing Friday morning May 15. The hearing is slated as one action in a series which ultimately could establish that, to some degree, the city's guilty of pollution as charged. Commissioners earlier had designated Weatherwax and City Attorney Paul Maples as official representatives.

Monday's action came following an extended period of time and one previous hearing with the NRC during which the city denied charges of contributing to the pollution of Hayworth Creek and Lake Michigan. During that hearing, held in January, the city doubted that serious pollution levels were being attained by effluent from the pollution control plant and, in addition, indicated that present fiscal positions left little chance of raising sufficient funds to meet NRC's construction demands.

At that time City Manager Harvey Weatherwax estimated that further pollution control structures proposed by NRC could range between \$50,000 and \$100,000.

On both these matters the commission continued to remain firm, but after lengthy discussion voted to indicate their willingness to cooperate with the resources group. The vote came after City Attorney Paul Maples had pointed out that ultimately, through legal procedures, the city would be forced to meet additional pollution control measures.

Early in the discussion Commissioner Jean Rand tossed out a motion proposing the commission give Maples and Weatherwax authority to agree to the NRC's demands, but her early attempt died for lack of support.

After extended consideration, however, she once again voiced the motion, buffered by direction that Maples and Weatherwax seek a revised time schedule

and Dr James Grost gave support. The additional processes to be installed to lessen pollution possibilities, according to the resources commission, must be entirely completed and operating by December 1972 but various

dates have been set as deadlines for the different levels of progress. These interim dates are the ones alluded to in Mrs Rand's motion.

The St. Johns city commission

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## 17 candidates for 6 Clinton school boards

Seventeen people have filed for 11 positions on the six Clinton County school boards.

The deadline for filing petition was Monday.

Two seats will be vacant in each district except for Ovid-Elsie which has only one vacancy to fill.

St. Johns has the largest number of candidates with six, including two incumbents Wendell Waggoner and William Richards. Others filing in the St. Johns district include Harvey French, Donald C. Haska, Bruce L. Irish and Mrs George (Shirley) Hazle.

Four persons filed in Fowler including two incumbents Marvin Thelen and Charles Mathews. Others are Marvin Simon and Winifred McKean.

In DeWitt, Willard J. Reed, incumbent and Gordon Brown, newcomer, have filed.

Two incumbents have filed for the Pewamo-Westphalia board, President Carl Kramer and Ronald Schaffer.

Filing in Bath were incumbent Cleo Friend and Paul Stoll and Bernard Black.

In Ovid-Elsie David J. Hill has filed for the single seat.

## St. Johns considers kindergarten-only school for 1970-71

School officials in St. Johns are considering a plan which calls for all kindergarten children in the district to attend one school set aside for their age group.

The idea is based on an innovative program at the Olive Center School in the southern area of the district.

At the Olive Center School, which is for kindergartners only, three teachers are involved in various subjects and the children rotate among them and receive more individual attention.

Roger Feeman, principal of Riley, East Olive and Olive Center schools told the St. Johns Board of Education last week that some shifting of pupils in the elementary grades will be necessary next year.

He also commented that he would like to see the East Ward School, an older elementary school in St. Johns, become a kindergarten-only school patterned after the Olive Center School.

Raymond Parr, president, indicated interest in the possibility and asked Feeman to inform the board what costs would be involved.

Feeman said costs would involve replacing toilet facilities and installation of carpeting which is considered an important aspect of the program since children of that age spend much time sitting on the floor.

He said he could have cost figures by next month when the board will either approve the plan for next year or go back to an earlier plan involving the shuffling of pupils in grades kindergarten.

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## New millage proposal for school ballot in DeWitt June 8

By TIM YOUNKMAN  
News Staff Writer

of the DeWitt Board of Education.

Voters in the DeWitt school district will decide an additional proposal in the June 8 school board election, it was announced Monday night at a special session

## Millage meeting in DeWitt

The DeWitt Citizens Committee will hold a meeting Monday evening (May 18) on the problem of renewing expiring operational millage for DeWitt schools.

Frederick Grove, committee chairman, will lead a panel discussion with James Ritchie, Superintendent of DeWitt Schools, and other committee members.

The program will include discussion of the school revenue loss following increased state property evaluation, in which the DeWitt system lost funds. There will be a discussion of the present school tax and millage proposal, followed by a general question and answer period concerning school revenue and funding.

The meeting will be held at 8 p.m. in the DeWitt High School gym and all voters in the DeWitt district are invited.

The unanimous resolution passed by the Board calls for increasing the tax rate limitation by 12.5 mills for a period of five years, from 1970 to 1974, both inclusive, for operating purposes. The increase includes a reassessment of the expiring 10 mills plus the actual increase of 2.5 mills.

The board appointed Esther Klauer, Pat Armstrong, Marilyn Cain, and Thelma Church as election inspectors for the annual election.

Willard J. Reed, incumbent president of the Board, and Gordon Brown were the only candidates to file by the 4 p.m. Monday deadline, and will be unopposed in the election. Two positions on the DeWitt Board will be open.

It was also noted that the election will be held in the gymnasium of the Junior High School building, with the polls open at 7 a.m.

Elementary school librarian Ann Brockman requested \$6,750 for operating and expanding library service for the next school year, 1970-71. This is an increase of \$5,550 above the current school year budget. The Board did not take action, but will study the request.

In other Board of Education action:

-Received for consideration  
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## Tractor-fire accident is fatal

A rural Maple Rapids man died Tuesday night (May 5) when he was struck by a tractor, plowing him in a straw fire he had set earlier, according to State Police at Ithaca.

The victim, Gerald LaVerle Rehm, 53, 4852 County Line Road, had been hauling bales of straw into his field for burning and had left the tractor momentarily to light the fire, Police speculate, when the tractor rolled forward striking him from behind.

## Street light proposal on Bath agenda

Officials in Bath Monday will act on a proposal to install street lights in two township areas.

Originally Bath, Park Lake and Chandler Estates were considered.

Many families in Chandler Estates, however, have indicated they were not in favor of the street light proposal because of the large number of yard lights in the development.

About 40 persons attended a special meeting last week for open discussion of the proposal and most indicated favor with it.

## Boy Scout camporee May 15-17

The Boy Scout's Chippewa District will hold its annual Spring Camporee at Camp Mapleton, May 15, 16 and 17.

More than 300 boys from 16 scout troops in rural Clinton County and Portland will participate this year and compete in several programs.

The scouts will compete in such events as compass and map reading, trail signs, cooking, first aid and hike precautions. A five-mile hike has been scheduled for Saturday morning before the other competition.

Parents are invited to a campfire Saturday evening at the campsite, located on Shepardsville Road, four miles north of M-21 at the Maple River.

POLKA DANCE: Sat., May 16, 9 p.m. to 1, "Studenka Brothers" Band, Slovak Hall, Banister, Refreshments. pd, adv.

# DeWitt School Board

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 an elementary school budget request for an estimated \$20,000 in the 1970-71 school year. Final vote on this recommendation will be taken at a later date.

Received for consideration a budget request from the physical education department for \$9,473 for the next school year.

Received revised state regulations on operating a driver education program. The regulations call for the school district of DeWitt to provide an instructional program of driver education at least once annually (summer school) and on an after-school basis during the fall and spring if enrollment and teacher availability permits. The program is reimbursed by the state and no student tuition will be charged, although students must purchase the textbooks.

DeWitt students, 15-years-old or other students living in the district are eligible, with older students having priority. An added clause to the regulations states that students enrolled shall meet physical requirements specified by law for issuance of a motor vehicle operator's license "as evidenced by the physician's physical required for entry to DeWitt High School."

Lack of attendance to class or driving may cause a student to

be dropped from the program. A student who passes the driver education course will be given a certificate as prescribed by law, signed by the driver education instructor and the high school principal.

Bidding was closed on insurance estimates for the protection of all school equipment excluding buses. Low bidder was Farm Bureau Insurance Co., with an estimate of \$5,738.

Other bidders were Auto-Owners Insurance Co. with \$6,818 and State Farm Insurance Co., with \$7,748. The amounts are annual payments for three years. The Board is expected to vote on approval of the low bid at the next session.

Moved to accept replacement of 30 manual typewriters with new IBM machines priced at \$325 per typewriter. A public sale will be announced at the end of the school year to remove the present machines.

Discussion on the quality of the district teachers' study-plan make-up. Members agreed that there is a need to check the teachers' progress in establishing and completing course goals and objectives. No formal action was taken on this discussion.



### VETERANS' BRIEFING

Sen. Emil Lockwood, St. Louis, Senate Majority Leader, confers with Donald E. Johnson (center), Administrator of Veterans' Affairs for the nation, and Oscar Johnson (right) of DeWitt, Congressional Medal of Honor winner in World War II. Lockwood, who has received many honors from veterans' organizations for his work on their behalf in the legislature, was one of several high ranking state officials and National Guard officers briefed by Johnson on the status of veterans' benefits.

# Dorothy Parker to retire after 37 years of teaching

At the close of the 1969-70 school year in June, Mrs. Dorothy Parker will retire after 37 years of teaching in Clinton County schools.

Mrs. Parker currently is the third grade teacher at East Olive Elementary School.

"I feel completely lost," Mrs. Parker said about retiring. "I don't plan on doing anything for awhile, but my husband and I would like to do some traveling and fishing later," she said.

Mrs. Parker indicated that it would take a year to adjust to the change from a school day schedule.

She began her teaching career in 1921 at the Rheubottom School in Olive Township. She later taught at Price School, Gunnisonville School, Blood School, Reed School, Grove School, Merrilow School, and East Olive.

"The children are easier to handle now," she said. "We used to get children, years ago, that were too old for their grade and it created problems."

She said that the quality of the



Planning to retire at the end of the current school year, Mrs. Dorothy Parker wants to spend some time "traveling and fishing" in the years ahead. Mrs. Parker has been teaching Clinton County children for 37 years.

education is better today, due to better textbooks, but something is missing by not having the old one-room system.

"It seemed that there was a closer knit feeling in the old rural schools," she said. "But I must say it has been a wonderful experience," she added.

There will be an open house held in her honor on Sunday, May 24 in the gymnasium at East Olive School from 2 - 5 p.m. All former students, friends and family are invited to attend

and it has been requested that no personal gifts be offered.

There will be a "money tree" which will be used to purchase books for the library at East Olive School in Mrs. Parker's name.

Hosting the open house will be Mrs. Parker's husband, Dana, and her children Mr and Mrs George J. Hazle, Mr and Mrs Alan Parker and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Dana C. Parker, assisted by her nine grandchildren.

## Guild to host annual art exhibit

The St. Johns Art Guild will hold its annual exhibit open to the public May 17 through May 22 in the community room of the Central National Bank.

The show will open Sunday afternoon with a hospitality hour from 2 to 5 p.m. at which time the exhibitors will be present to meet the public.

The show will be open every day through the week from 2 to 4 p.m. and on Tuesday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m.

The media represented will include pen and ink, charcoal, chalk, crayon, pastel, acrylic, oil and sculpture.

## 19 from Clinton take physicals

Local Draft Board No. 19 in St. Johns ordered the following area men to Detroit for physical examinations April 22:

Gerald Kubica, Paul Crane, Jack Loynes, Morris Conklin, James Sober, Alan Johnson, Dennis Love, Arthur Cardy, Douglas Schafer, Timothy Ross, Brian

Svatman, Daniel Goodrich, Darwin Cobb, Patrick Durner, Larry Hengesbach, Jeffrey Kosloski, Dennis Hyatt, Thomas Tate and Bruce Miller.

The following men were inducted into the service:

Robert Davis, Steven Decker, Jack Purvis and David Nielsen.



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# Ballenger tells results Licenses favored for snowmobiles, antlerless deer hunting, says poll

In his campaign for the Republican nomination to the 30th Senatorial District seat, State Rep. William S. Ballenger last week spoke to the Sleepy Hollow Conservation Club in Greenbush Township on hunting, firearm, and snowmobile legislation and outlined the so-called "Spencer-Ryan" plan for funding K-12 education in Michigan to the Grand Ledge Rotary Club.

Ballenger revealed to Sleepy Hollow Club members the results of a preliminary tabulation of some 1,850 responses to his legislative poll on the question: "Should the granting of licenses to kill antlerless deer during the regular hunting season be drastically reduced or eliminated?" "My questionnaire indicated that citizens in the 87th House District—as well as those out-

side my district in Gratiot, Montcalm, and Eaton Counties—favor some sort of moratorium on antlerless deer hunting in Michigan," said Ballenger. "Specifically, 1044 answered 'Yes' to the question, 392 answered 'No,' and 393 were 'Undecided.'"

Ballenger added that, based on the results of his questionnaire, a strong majority of Clinton County residents also favor the licensing of snowmobile operators; the opening of public facilities such as parks to snowmobiling in hopes of easing abuse of private property; and the implementation of an operating code restricting use of snowmobiles, especially during hunting seasons.

# Campaign committee named for Ballenger

Eight Clinton County citizens and six others from Shiawassee County have been named to a "Volunteers for Ballenger for State Senator" steering committee.

Clinton County committee members include Dr. Bion L. Bates of Ovid, who served in the State Senate from 1947-50; Paul Graff Jr., Lebanon Township Clerk; Dr. James M. Grost, St. Johns city commissioner; Stanley Loznak of Elsie; Kenneth Platte of Westphalia Township; Lawrence G. Sexton of St. Johns; Ink White of St. Johns, a former County GOP chairman who also served in the 1961-62 State Constitutional Convention; and Mrs. Robert (Virginia) Zeeb of DeWitt Township.

# Call No. 473 Charter No. 15420 National Bank Region No. 7 CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION, INCLUDING DOMESTIC SUBSIDIARIES, OF THE Central National Bank

of St. Johns in the State of Michigan, at the close of business on April 30, 1970. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Title 12, United States Code, Section 161.

ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks (including \$0.00 un-posted debits)	\$ 1,959,343.82
U.S. Treasury securities	826,462.97
Securities of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	2,029,421.50
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,509,817.04
Other securities (including \$0.00 corporate stock)	14,950.00
Loans	9,659,173.51
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	171,851.44
Real estate owned other than bank premises	15,003.70
Other assets (including \$0.00 direct lease financing)	177,060.24
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$16,363,084.31</b>

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 1,962,328.61
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	9,056,574.23
Deposits of United States Government	49,054.28
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	3,744,353.86
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	113,905.89
<b>Total Deposits</b>	<b>\$14,929,216.87</b>
Total demand deposits	2,871,694.76
Total time and savings deposits	12,054,522.09
Other liabilities	\$ 529,769.63
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$15,455,986.48</b>

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	\$ 130,933.83
<b>Total Reserves on Loans and Securities</b>	<b>\$ 130,933.83</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common Stock—total par value	\$ 221,750.00
No. shares authorized 22,175	
No. shares outstanding 22,175	
Surplus	\$ 275,000.00
Undivided profits	279,414.00
<b>Total Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$ 776,164.00</b>
<b>Total Liabilities, Reserves, and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$16,363,084.31</b>

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(Directors)

ures demonstrating the effect of the House version of the 1970-71 State School Aid bill (SB-1082), along with its supporting revenue measure (SB 1084), on the average of "typical" Grand Ledge homeowner.

"Let's assume, for purposes of comparison, that such a citizen earns \$10,000 a year, has a wife and two children, and pays taxes on a home assessed at, say, \$11,311 which is the average per-pupil SEV in the Grand Ledge School District. This school district, where the property owner pays 18.8 mills for school operations and another five for bonding, has total basic operating funds of about \$536 per pupil.

"If SB 1082 (the "Spencer-Ryan" plan), as passed by the House, became law, the District could raise the same \$536 per pupil in operating funds with a millage rate of only 13.86 (\$420 for the first 10 mills, and \$30 per mill for the next 3.86 mills).

"The Grand Ledge School District could raise the same per pupil revenue for bonding purposes with a levy of 2.5 mills, since the state would then finance about 60 per cent of the difference between the yield on a \$11,311 district and the equivalent yield for a \$30,000 district.

"This would make possible, if per-pupil expenditures remained the same, a millage reduction of almost 7.5 mills for our typical homeowner, or a saving of roughly \$84.82 on his property tax bill.

"Under the proposed SB 1084 substitute, the homeowner would pay 9/10 of one per cent more on his net income of \$5200 (\$10,000 minus four times \$1200) for a state income tax increase of \$46.80.

"Accordingly, our typical homeowner in the Grand Ledge School District would realize a saving, at equivalent levels of per-pupil expenditures, of about \$38 if the House-passed version of SB 1082 replaced the present formula.

"The cost of this reduction would clearly be shifted to those persons (and firms) possessing no property or below-average amounts of property in relation to their income and/or enjoying above-average levels of income.

"Of course, the Grand Ledge school district could always opt to take advantage of the financial windfall which would be theirs under the Spencer-Ryan plan and levy the same amount of operating millage (18.8) in effect now. If they did, they would be guaranteed \$84 per pupil for the 1970-71 school year as compared to this year's \$536."

# County Line News

By Mrs. Doris Fisher

Mr. Charles Zelinski, lay speaker of Middleton United Methodist Church was guest speaker at Salem United Methodist Church Sunday. Special music was furnished by Miss Beverly Wing, Miss Linda Ashbaugh, Miss Linda Durbin, Miss Sandra Wing who sang "Mother." The sermon theme was "Discipleship." Scripture lesson John chapter 21 verses 15 thru 19. For Junior time Miss Linda Dur-

# SPECIAL CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

A Special Meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Commission will be held on

**TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 1970**

at 8 p.m. in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the Commission will act on the following applications:

# WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP

From Zone A, residential to Zone D, agricultural:

That part of the E 1/2 of the W 1/2 Section 29, T5N-R3W, lying North of Grand River Avenue and south of M.D.S.H. I-96 right of way, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

# WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP

An application for a Special Use Permit for the operation of a sanitary landfill on the following described parcel of land:

That part of the E 1/2 of W 1/2 Section 29, T5N-R3W, lying North of Grand River Avenue and south of M.D.S.H. I-96 right of way, Watertown Township, Clinton County, Michigan.



Point of impact.

# Lansing youth receives minor injuries in crash

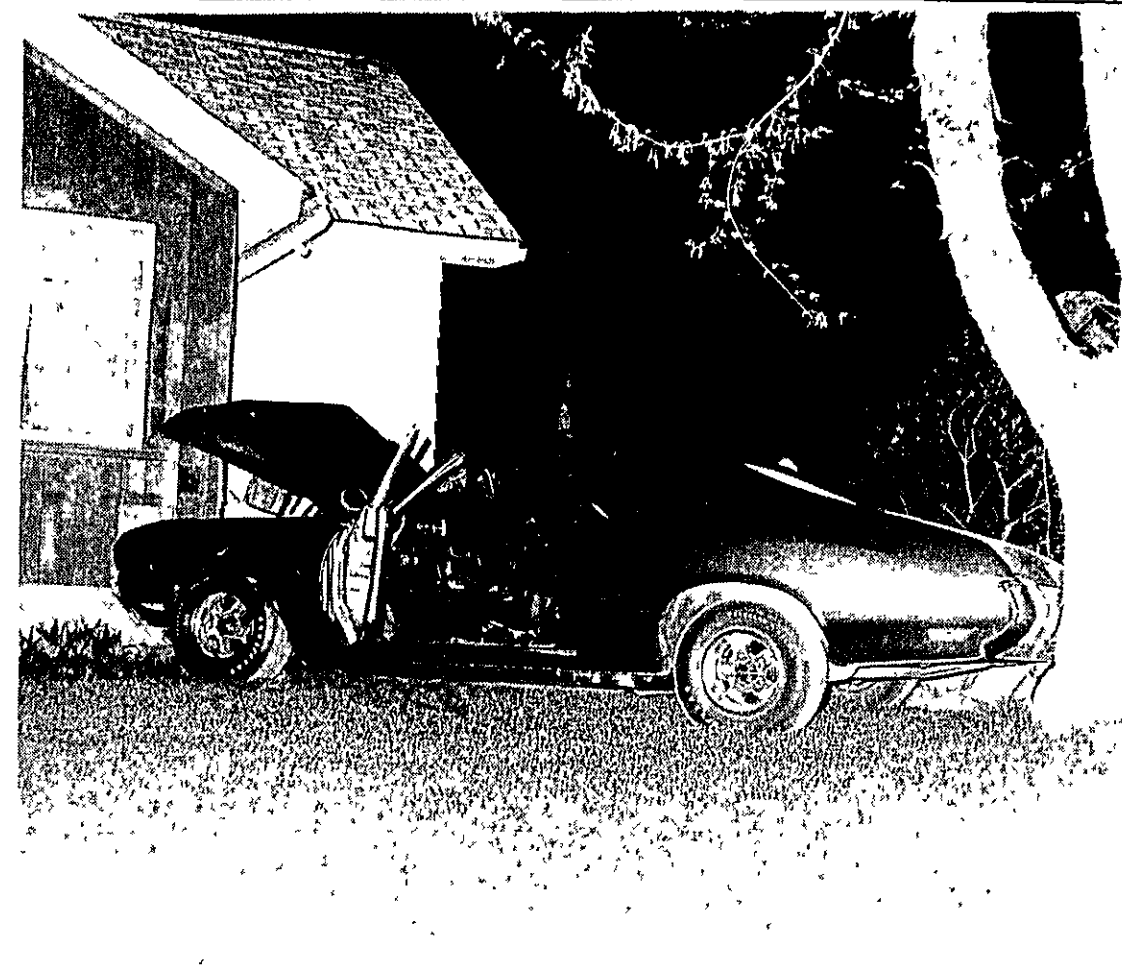
Brian Bender, 19, of Lansing escaped serious injury early Saturday morning when he apparently fell asleep at the wheel of his car striking a tree and a corner of a house, according to a sheriff department spokesman. The mishap occurred at 1:50

a.m. Saturday morning along US-27 south of Round Lake Road. Bender was ticketed for not having his car under control. He was taken to Sparrow Hospital in Lansing where he was treated for minor injuries and released.

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# Pat Smith bride of Lester Thelen

Pat M. Smith and Lester Thelen exchanged wedding vows in St. Joseph Catholic Church on April 3 before an altar of lilies and hyacinths. The double ring ceremony was performed by the groom's uncle Father Matthew

Fedewa and the commentator was Father Sy Fedewa, another uncle of the groom. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Smith of R-2, St. Johns and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Thelen of Wacousta Road, Fowler.

Given in marriage by her father the bride entered the altar in a short white dotted swiss dress with a fitted bodice, full long sleeves which were fitted at the wrists and a pale blue sash around the waistline of the dress. Her short veil was secured in place by a headpiece of daisies and she carried a bouquet of tinted blue daisies and mums.

Matron of honor was Kay Smith, sister of the bride and Jean Smith, sister of the bride assisted as bridesmaid. The attendants wore street-length blue dresses with long sleeves fitted at the wrists and they carried bouquets of large blue and yellow mums.

Best man was Bill Thelen while George Thelen assisted as groomsmen. Seating the guests were Fred Thelen and Carl Murray.

The couple greeted 250 guests immediately following the ceremony in the Social Hall of the church. Special guests at the wedding and reception were Mrs. Joe Fedewa of Westphalia, grandmother of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Thelen of Fowler, grandparents of the groom and Roman

Geller of Washington DC., uncle of the bride. For her wedding trip to Chicago the bride chose to leave in a blue skimmer with bell sleeves and beige accessories. Upon return the couple will reside in Mt. Pleasant.

The bride attended Lansing Community College and is presently attending Central Michigan University and the groom is a junior at CMU.

## Couple to wed in Lansing

Mrs Irene VanElls Barnett of Lansing and Burl Hodges of Watertown Township will be guest of honor at an open house following their marriage Saturday, May 16 at the Church of the Resurrection. The ceremony is scheduled for 12:30 p.m.

The reception will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. at Holiday - Inn East near Frandor in Lansing. Relatives and friends of the couple are invited to attend and the couple requests no gifts.

The future Mrs Hodges was graduated from St. Johns High School in 1914 and was employed in St. Johns for several years, first at the Grand Trunk freight office and later at the St. Johns Foundry. Mr Hodges is a lifelong resident of Watertown Township.

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## Kathryn Grost, Rachelle Stachel Girls' State picks

Kathryn Grost and Rachelle Stachel, both juniors at St. Johns High School, have been selected to attend American Legion Auxiliary Girls State, which will be held at Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti from June 14 to 21.

Kathryn is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Grost of 804 W. Parks Street, St. Johns. She has been very active in various extra-curricular activities in high school, the Girls' Athletic Association, the Drama Club, the Pep Club, the Science Club, and has also been a cheerleader. During her sophomore year, she served as class secretary.



KATHRYN GROST



RACHELLE STACHEL

Rachelle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stachel of 609 S. Kibbee Street, St. Johns. She has also been active in various groups, the Future Teachers Association, the Latin Club, the Creative Writers Club, and she was in the cast of the high school musical.

Girls State was established in 1941 by the American Legion Auxiliary, and is dedicated to the training and development of girls who have qualities of leadership. Girls are selected on the basis of leadership ability, character, a high sense of duty and morality, enthusiasm, and a co-operative attitude in dealing with people.

Miss Grost is being sponsored by the Edwin T. Stiles Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary, and Miss Stachel will be sponsored by the St. Johns Woman's Club.

## CHURCH NEWS

One hundred forty mothers, daughters and guests were present at the annual Mother-Daughter Dessert on Tuesday, May 5 at the First Baptist Church of St. Johns.

Mrs Gerald Livingston, president of the Women's Missionary Union was Mistress of Ceremonies and welcomed the guests followed by devotions.

Mrs Willard Goldman led group singing with Mrs William Patton at the piano.

Mrs Richard Woodhams gave a tribute to the daughters and Jan Woodhams responded with a tribute to the mothers.

The ladies were also entertained by a trumpet solo by Pastor Travis accompanied on the piano by Mrs Travis. A Teen Trio, composed of Cheryl Romig, Linda Patton, and Verna Slagell sang.

Mrs Livingston introduced Mrs Peter Nieuwkoop, wife of Rev Peter Nieuwkoop, pastor of the Maranatha Baptist Church in Lansing who was the guest speaker. Mrs Nieuwkoop spoke on "The Meaning of Love."

Mrs Blanche Lee closed the program with prayer.

The refreshments were served by Donna Loudbeck, chairman, Janice Crowell, Sally Berkhousen, Emogene Castner, Mary Walker, Gladys Baker, Joan Glinke and Betty Snider.

The decorating committee was composed of Phyllis Winter, chairman, Marilyn Goldman, Dorien Wood, Lois Woodbury, Wanda Livingston and Mary Lou Moon.

## Green Tee members open golf season

The Clinton County Country Club Green Tee held its opening breakfast Wednesday, May 6. Most of the 36 women present braved the cool temperatures to begin the golf season. Prizes were won by Sandy Swears, Rosie Nuser and Agatha Mankey.

Mrs Lillian Tiedt asked all Green Tee members who plan to attend field and couples events at other clubs to have their reservations and fees in well ahead of the date.

The ladies handicap league begins the season at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, May 13.

## Announcements

Riley Elementary PTO will meet Thursday, May 14 at 7:30 for election of officers.

## Country Club dinner-dance Saturday

The Clinton County Country Club will hold a semi-formal dinner dance Saturday, May 16.

and Mrs Brandon White. Reservations may be made by calling a member of the calling committee Mr and Mrs Richard Wells, Mr and Mrs Thomas Hundley and Mr and Mrs Kenneth Munger in St. Johns; Mr and Mrs Eugene Schoendorf in Elsie and Mr and Mrs Gilbert Boyan in Ovid. Members and their guests are invited to attend.

A champagne cocktail hour will begin at 7 p.m. and dinner will be served at 8 p.m. followed by dancing with music supplied by The Garo-aljo's.

Serving on the committee are Mr and Mrs Rollin Huard, Mr and Mrs William Chalmers, Mr and Mrs Peter DeCamp, Mr and Mrs Gordon Iacovoni and Mr

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## Darlene Dodway weds David Nickelson

A double ring ceremony united Darlene Grace Dodway of 2920 Woodruff Avenue, Lansing and David Stanley Nickelson of 536 Cedar NE, Grand Rapids, on Saturday, May 2 in the First Baptist Church in St. Johns. Rev. William Dodway, the bride's father, performed the evening ceremony assisted by Rev. Paul Travis.

The bride is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. William J. Dodway of Glennie, Mich., and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Estes of 311 South Ottawa Street, St. Johns.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and entered the altar in a white organza empire-style gown with a stand-up wedding ring collar, puffed sleeves gathered at the wrists and accented with lace. The collar and waistline of the gown was trimmed with blue ribbon and her short train was attached at the waistline. Her elbow-length illusion veil was secured in place by a bridal hat trimmed with blue and white artificial spring flowers accented by a trailing blue satin ribbon and she carried a bouquet of yellow and white daisy pom-poms with orchids and stephanotis accented with ivy.

Matron of honor was Lois Dodway, sister of the bride and Helen Benson assisted as bridesmaids. The attendants wore French blue chiffon empire dresses with lace accents on the stand-up collars and waistline. Their headpieces were matching blue bows with yellow and white daisy pom-poms and they carried candles surrounded by daisy pom-poms accented with ivy.

Terry Estes served as best man while Doug Nickelson and Bob Miller assisted as groomsmen. Seating the guests were Richard Hooper and Frank Potts. The couple greeted guests following the ceremony at the reception held in the church parlor.

Special guest at the wedding and reception was the grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Grace Rowe. Following their three week wedding trip to Florida the new Mr. and Mrs. Nickelson will reside at 536 Cedar, Apt. 7, Grand Rapids.

The bride, a 1967 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School, was employed by Michigan State University and the groom, a 1968 graduate of the same school, is employed by Keeler Brass in Grand Rapids.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Clinton County Pomona Grange will meet at Bingham Grange hall on Thursday, May 14. The 5th degree will be held at 11 a.m. with regular order of business followed by the session in the 4th degree. Following the noon potluck dinner, county agent, Earl Haas will speak on "Pollution." Music will be supplied by the members. The afternoon session will begin at 1 p.m.

## Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

**STONE**—A girl, Monica Lee, was adopted by Rev and Mrs Carl Stone of 308 N. Whittemore, St. Johns on April 15. She weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces. Grandmother is Mrs Helen Klassen of Clearbrook, British Columbia, Canada. The mother is the former Elizabeth Klassen.

**KETCHUM**—A girl, Patricia Susanne, was born to Mr and Mrs Melvyn D. Ketchum of 712 N. Washington, Lansing, on May 8 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 5 1/2 ounces. The baby has one brother. Grandmothers is Mrs Eleanor Bancroft of R-2, Ovid. The mother is the former Joanne Bancroft.

**BASHORE**—A boy, Scott William, was born to Mr and Mrs William Bashore of 11885 Barry Road, Bannister on May 6 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs William Evans of Bannister and Mr Galen Bashore of Owosso and Mrs Lorene Bashore of Ovid. The mother is the former Alyce Evans.

**FLEGLER**—A girl, Vickie Sue, was born to Mr and Mrs William Flegler of R-4, St. Johns on May 9 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Earl Flegler Sr., and Mr and Mrs Victor Hopp. The mother is the former Yvonne Hopp.

**MOORE**—A boy, Brent William, was born to Mr and Mrs Roger Moore of R-6, St. Johns, April 26 at St. Lawrence Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces. The baby has one brother and one sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Ted Moore and Mr and Mrs Roy Spedel. The mother is the former Alice Spedel.

**MEAD**—A boy, Brian Richard, was born to Mr and Mrs Richard Mead of 100 Floral, St. Johns on May 6 at Lansing General Hospital. The mother is the former Diane Deming.

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New Officers were installed last week when the Welcome Wagon met at Community Room of the Central National Bank. From left are Mrs Richard Perry, second vice-president; Mrs Lee Worley, vice-president; Mrs Howard Gentry, newly elected president; Mrs James Leon, out-going president; Mrs Joseph Mullaney, hostess; Mrs Kenneth Lashaway, secretary; Mrs Harold Wellman, treasurer and Mrs Glenn Hunt, publicity.

## Welcome Wagon Club installs new officers

Welcome Wagon Club held its last meeting until fall in the Community Room of the Central National Bank on Wednesday, May 6.

New officers were installed at the meeting and are Mrs Howard Gentry, president; Mrs Lee Worley, vice-president; Mrs Richard Perry, second vice-president; Mrs Kenneth Lashaway, secretary; Mrs Harold Wellman,

## Engaged

Mr and Mrs Lester Howell of Route 2, St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty Lou of 824 Conrad, Lansing to Thomas Richard Putz of 1309 W. Saginaw, Lansing, son of Mr and Mrs Romeo Putz of Iron River.

The bride-elect is a 1964 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and is employed at the Okemos Beauty Salon. The prospective groom is a graduate of Iron River High School and is employed at the Okemos Barber Shop. He served in the Army in Vietnam being discharged in 1968.

The couple is planning an Aug. 22 wedding.

treasurer and Mrs Glenn Hunt, publicity.

Mrs Joseph Mullaney recently assumed the duties of Welcome Wagon hostess.

Mrs Ron Huard was presented a corsage by out-going president, Mrs James Leon for serving as president in Mrs Leon's absence.

Mrs Stuart Fitzpatrick was introduced as a new member.

The Welcome Wagon group will continue their weekly coffees in the park starting in June.

New persons to the area are welcome to attend.

## Carol Jacoby to theatre group work

Carol Jacoby, daughter of Mr and Mrs R.V. Jacoby of Sturgis Street, St. Johns will be employed as the costumer for the Blackhills Playhouse for the summer season.

The playhouse, where Miss Jacoby studied last summer, is located outside Custer, S.D. in the Blackhills. The 25-year-old Stock Theatre group is under the direction of the University of South Dakota.

Miss Jacoby will continue in the fall as costumer for the Uni-

versity Theatre in Vermillion where she will complete her master's degree in Theatre Arts.

## Swegles Honor

The following 6th grade students of the Swegles Street School were on the honor roll for the 5th marking period:

Bob Ditmer, Keith Haske, Janice Iacovoni, Diane Knight and Tom Ploszak, Jeanne Snider, Dana Swears, Paul Wood and Marie Woodbury.

## Musical program held in DePeal's

The members of the St. Johns Morning Musicales, met for their final meeting of the year on Thursday morning, May 8. Thirty-three members and guests were served breakfast at Walker's Cafe. Following the meal they went to DePeal's Music Center for the program.

Mrs Jack Stenberg acted as chairman for the day. She first introduced Mrs Basil Deibert, who played "Berceuse" by Gounod, and "Songs My Mother Taught Me," by Dvorak. Mrs H. W. Lundy and Mrs Duane Davis then played a two piano number "Scherzo," from Midsummer's Night Dream by Mendelssohn.

The Ensemble sang two numbers, "The Arrow and the Song," by Wilson, and "Now Let Me Fly," a spiritual, by Kinsman. Mrs Richard Amstutz expressed appreciation of the club for the leadership by Mrs Dean Stork in her directing of the ensemble through the year.

Mrs Stenberg accompanied at the piano by Mrs Stork, sang

three numbers by Romberg, "One Kiss," "Wanting You" and "Romance." Mrs Lundy completed the program by playing the piano solo "Canzonetta," by Schurt.

Officers for the year 1970-1971 are president, Mrs H. W. Lundy; vice-president, Mrs Winchell Brown; recording secretary, Mrs William Patton; treasurer, Mrs Raymond Torpey; corresponding secretary, Mrs Paul Martis Jr.; and program, Mrs Dean Stork.

Mrs Jack Bartoldi, president for the past year, was presented with a gift in appreciation from the group.

The first meeting for the new year will be held in the home of Mrs Conrad Seim on September 24, for the annual fall coffee.

## Announcements

East Essex School will hold a potluck picnic Tuesday, May 19 at 6:30 p.m. for children and their parents. Bring a dish to pass and own table service.

Regular meeting of the Edwin T. Stiles Unit 153 will be held Tuesday, May 19 at the Legion Hall at 8 p.m.

Members are requested to attend this important meeting if possible.

The Bath High School PTA will host an open house in honor of Mrs Eulah McAlvey, elementary school principal who will be retiring at the end of the school year.

The event will be held in the high school cafeteria on Sunday, May 17 from 3 to 5 p.m.

The Lebanon Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs Ralph Watts Wednesday, May 20 for a potluck luncheon at noon.

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## MEETINGS

Jean Nidetch of Little Neck, Long Island, N.Y., founder and president of Weight Watchers International, Inc., will speak at the Lansing Civic Center, Tuesday, May 19.

Mrs Nidetch's address will be given in the main auditorium of the Civic Center, 505 West Allegan at 8 p.m. The program is open to the public, and will be free of charge.

There are approximately 10,000 members of Weight Watchers and 146 classes now in the Western Michigan area.

Weight Watchers was organized by Mrs Nidetch, her husband Mortimer, and Mr and Mrs Albert Lippert after Mrs Nidetch has shed 72 pounds eating the foods in prescribed amounts which were to become the official food program.

Today the organization is headquartered in Great Neck, N.Y. It has 81 franchises in 43 states, and 10 franchises in other countries. Total membership is over 1,500,000 persons.

No advance reservations are necessary for the May 19 program at the Lansing Civic Center.

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Jaycette members Mrs Carleton Jarvis, Mrs Richard Wells, Mrs Kent Daley and Mrs Roger Hammtree complete plans for the Flea Market that the members are planning for Saturday, May 16.



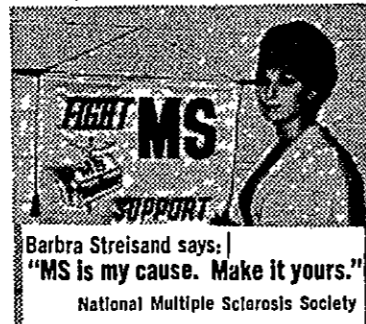
DEBORAH ANN CONLEY Engaged

Mr and Mrs Edgar Conley of 401 Wight Street, St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Deborah Ann, to Richard Norman Irer, son of Mr and Mrs Norman Irer, R-4, St. Johns.

The bride-elect is a 1968 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and Lansing Business College.

The prospective groom is a 1966 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and a senior at Michigan State University. He will begin practice teaching in September.

The couple is planning a September wedding.



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Fowler

Miss Cecilia Thelen, Correspondent-Phone 582-2968

The Misses Josephine and Esther Long accompanied by their sister, Mrs Harold Fox of East Lansing returned home Sunday after a two weeks tour to Gettysburg, Washington D.C., Williamsburg and the Smokies. They joined a retired teachers tour at Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller spent from Sunday until Tuesday with their daughter, Mr and Mrs Donald Fox and family of Flint. The children and their families called on their parents Mr and Mrs Louis Schmitt Sunday, May 10.

Mr and Mrs Paul Schafer and daughters of DeWitt, Mr and Mrs Hilary Miller and family of Lansing, and Mr Henry Leoffert were supper guests of Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller Sunday, May 10.

Mr and Mrs Loyal Bradbury of Houghton Lake were visitors of Mr and Mrs Herman Motz Sunday afternoon.

Mrs Lula Boak spent a week with Mrs Lilly Boak of St. Johns and while there she visited many friends at the Rivard and Jackson Nursing Homes.

Mrs Lula Boak received a Mother's Day call from her son, Mr and Mrs Calvin Boak and family of Tucson, Ariz., on Monday.

Mr and Mrs Vernon Benjamin, Mr and Mrs Charlie Boak, Mr and Mrs Duane Boak and Mrs Lula Boak attended the Smith and Boak wedding reception Saturday, May 9.

Mrs Lula Boak spent Sunday, May 10, Mother's Day with Mr and Mrs Vernon Benjamin and family.

Mr and Mrs Clair Thelen and family were Mother's Day dinner

guests of Mr and Mrs James Olin of Lansing.

Mrs Clair Thelen visited her mother, Mrs Elizabeth Fedewa of Westphalia Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Walter Braun of Ypsilanti spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs Rose Wieber.

Mr and Mrs John Omahan and family, Grand Ledge and Mrs Douglas Brockhaus of Lansing spent Mother's Day with their mother, Mrs Rose Wieber.

Mr and Mrs Robert Bierstetel and family spent Sunday evening with Mr and Mrs Ernest Thelen and family of DeWitt.

Mr and Mrs Donald Simmon and family of Mt. Clemens spent Mother's Day with her parents, Mr and Mrs Martin Schafer.

Mrs Nora Braun attended the birthday party of Mrs Anna Belen at the Fowler Conservation Park Sunday, May 10. It was Mrs Belen's 80th birthday.

Mr and Mrs Robert Mack and family of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Dale Vanloon of Owosso, Mr and Mrs Edgar Conley and family of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Paul Braun and family, Mr and Mrs Leon Wieber and Mr and Mrs Vincent Braun spent Mother's Day with their mother, Mrs Nora Braun.

Mrs Rose Rademacher, Mrs Roger Rademacher and Mrs Anna Belen visited Mrs Nora Braun Monday.

Mrs Caroline Geller spent Mother's Day with Mr and Mrs Herman Thels and family.

Mr and Mrs Edward J. Kramer and Mrs Mark Weber and children visited Misses Cecilia and Amelia Thelen Monday afternoon.

Red Cross to hold Canteen

A Red Cross canteen will be held at 6 a.m. Wednesday, May 20 at the Central National Bank, employees dining room, for Clinton County men leaving for Detroit where there will be 11 being inducted and 18 taking their pre-induction physicals. The entrance to the bank dining room is on the west side of the building (Spring St.), use the same stairway as would be used to reach the community room.

Rev Robert Koepen of the Lutheran Church will represent the Clinton County Ministerial Association at the May canteen.



A COLUMN DEVOTED TO INTRODUCING NEW ST. JOHNS RESIDENTS

DAVID R. HALLIN and his wife Diane are new residents of 1210 S. US-27, Apt. 8. Hallin is employed as an announcer at WRBJ Radio Station. They are former residents of Minneapolis where Hallin was a student at Brown Institute.

EVERETT H. RENEAUD and his wife, Lennis are new residents of 411 Church Street. Renaud recently returned from Vietnam and will resume his position as a food supervisor at Michigan State University. Mrs Renaud is a teacher in the Owosso Public School system.

Pewamo

By Mrs Irene Fox

Mrs Vera Cook was the honored guest at a Mother's Day dinner in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Marvin Thelen and family of rural Fowler. Also present were Mr and Mrs Leon Thelen and family of rural St. Johns and Mrs Joan Daniels of Lansing.

Sister Marie Diane of Grand Rapids spent Mother's Day with her mother, Mrs Hilda Schafer. Mother's Day guests of Mrs. Mary Wahl were Mr and Mrs Ronald Motz and family of rural St. Johns.

Spending Mother's Day with their mother Mrs Mildred Fox were Mr and Mrs Ed Ballard of Detroit, Mr and Mrs Arthur Bussa and family of Rockford and Mr and Mrs Don Fox of Alma.

Dr and Mrs Phil Cook and sons, Chuck, Steve and Joe of Marlette spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs Charles Cook. Mother's Day guests of Mrs Charles Cook were Dr and Mrs Phil Cook, Chuck, Steve, and Joe of Marlette, Dr and Mrs O. E. Schreiber and family of Flint, Mr and Mrs Fred Schreiber of Ann Arbor and Mr and Mrs Michael Cook of Pewamo.

Spending Mother's Day with their mother, Mrs Theresa Simon were Mr and Mrs Dennis Fox and family and Mrs Martin Fox, Mr and Mrs Roy Simon and family of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Don Pung of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Peter Simon and family and Mr and Mrs Louis Simon and family both of Pewamo.

Mrs Theresa Simon left Sunday evening to spend a week at Mt. Pleasant with her daughter and son in-law, Mr and Mrs Richard Thelen and family.

Mrs Mathilda Cook of Hubbardston Road is a medical patient in the Ionia County Memorial Hospital. She was admitted on Friday, May 1.

Michael Miller, son of Mr and Mrs Edmund Miller is home following a stay at Carson City Hospital.

Sister Roseann and Sister Francis of New Orleans arrived Thursday, May 7 at the home of their mother, Mrs Rose Stump spending Mother's Day with their mother.

Mr and Mrs Donald Spitzley, Mr and Mrs Louis Spitzley and Mr and Mrs Robert Spitzley Sr spent Monday evening with Mr and Mrs Wayne Pline at Portland.

Sunday guest of Mrs Iva Rogers in Hubbardston was Mrs Dolly Cook of Pewamo.

Mr and Mrs Robert Spitzley Sr attended the funeral of William Pohl, Portland. Funeral services were Tuesday at 10 a.m. at St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Deacons were Russell Thelen, David Pohl, Gary Fedewa, Donald Simon, Jerome Schneider, Ronald Thelen, Roger Thelen and Tom Brown.

Mrs Ora Roach returned home Thursday May 7 after spending several days with her daughters and son-in-laws, Mr and Mrs Don Fox in Alma and Mr and Mrs Carl Miller and family in Saginaw.

Doris Prowant, unit chairman of the Red Cross, is in charge of all of the canteens sponsored by Red Cross in St. Johns. She is assisted by Mary Newhouse, a Red Cross volunteer.

Ruth Barrett, Alberta Brock and Edna Eldred assist the Red Cross as representatives of the Blue Star Mothers. These ladies present each of the men being inducted with a gift provided by their organization. Homemade cookies are supplied by the Double N Extension Club to enjoy with an early morning cup of coffee provided by the Red Cross.

Jean Rand, executive secretary of the Red Cross in Clinton County will talk briefly to the inductees and their families on how to secure the assistance of the Red Cross in an emergency. Mrs Rand is the only official Red Cross personnel in Clinton County who is able to provide "Service to Military Families."

The canteens are a free service provided by the Red Cross to Clinton County. Join us on May 20 as we wait with these young men for the chartered bus which will transport them to Detroit.



GWENDOLYN DICKMAN

Engaged

Mr and Mrs Edmund Dickman of 709 S. Kibbee, St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Gwendolyn Ruth to Dwight Howard Nash, son of Mr and Mrs Howard Nash of Portland.

The bride-elect is a student at St. Johns High School and the prospective groom is a 1968 graduate of Portland High School. The couple is planning a summer wedding in 1971.



DARLENE WIRTH

Engaged

Mr and Mrs Herman Wirth of rural St. Johns announce the engagement of their daughter, Darlene Rosalyn, to Maurice E. Schmitz of Fowler. He is the son of Mrs Katherine Schmitz, and the late Peter Schmitz.

The bride-elect is employed by Michigan Farm Bureau, Field Operations Division, and the prospective groom at Oldsmobile. The couple has set a date of Aug. 22.



CATHERINE SUE COOKE

Engaged

Mr and Mrs Carl V. Cooke, 726 South Norton Street, Corunna announce the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Sue to Robert G. Fifield Jr., son of Mr and Mrs Robert Fifield Sr. of 302 N. W. Lansing Street, St. Johns. No wedding date has been set by the couple.

Eureka

By MRS. GORDON WAGGONER, Correspondent

On May 4, Monday evening the youth enjoyed an all church roller-skating party at the Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns.

BRIDAL SHOWER FOR RHONDA LEWIS

Miss Rhonda Lewis, daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert Lewis, was honored with a bridal shower on Monday evening, April 6. The affair was hosted by Mrs Maynard Moon and daughter, Theresa. Guests attending were family and friends from the surrounding area.

Rhonda and Jerry L. Sherwood are planning a June 20 altar date.

TWO FROM HERE RECEIVE COLLEGE DEGREE

Barbara Waggoner, former student from Eureka and St. Johns, received her Bachelor of Arts Degree from the University of Michigan Saturday, May 2. Her family attended the 10:30 a.m. Commencement at the Crisler Arena, at the University of Michigan.

Those attending were Mr and Mrs J. D. Robinson; her sister, Mrs Wallace Huggert; her uncles and aunts and six cousins, Mr and Mrs Dale Randolph, Terrie Mason, Larry; Mr and Mrs Wendell Waggoner, Ron and Russ; Mr and Mrs Gordon Waggoner, Gloria and Linda; Mr and Mrs Howard Waggoner and Dr and Mrs Harry R. Holmquist.

Also graduating was Roger Hankey, former student from Eureka, Elsie and Litchfield, receiving his Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree from the University of Michigan, Saturday, May 2. His grandparents, Mrs Gladys Hankey of Eureka, and Mr and Mrs Clifford Dunham, of Elsie, and his parents Mr and Mrs Roland Hankey, Retha and Randy of Litchfield, all attended the commencement at Crisler Arena.

PAPER DRIVE

The Cub Scouts 73 of Eureka are having a paper drive in this area Saturday, May 23. Anyone wishing to call for them to pick up their papers, may call after 5 p.m. Marvin Whitford 224-2980, or leave them out front.

Mr and Mrs Roger Shutes of

St. Johns celebrated their wedding anniversary, May 5.

BIRTHDAYS

Larry Randolph and J. D. Robinson both celebrated their birthdays on April 20. Laura Shinabery celebrated her birthday the 27 of April. Sharon Huggert celebrated her birthday the 6th of May, and Barbara Waggoner will have her birthday on the 28th of May. Roger Shutes will celebrate his on May 31.

Fern Waggoner and Linda attended the musical program of Swegles Street School at the Rodney B. Wilson Jr. High on May 5. Scott Shutes is in the second grade and his teacher is Mrs Wilma Smith.

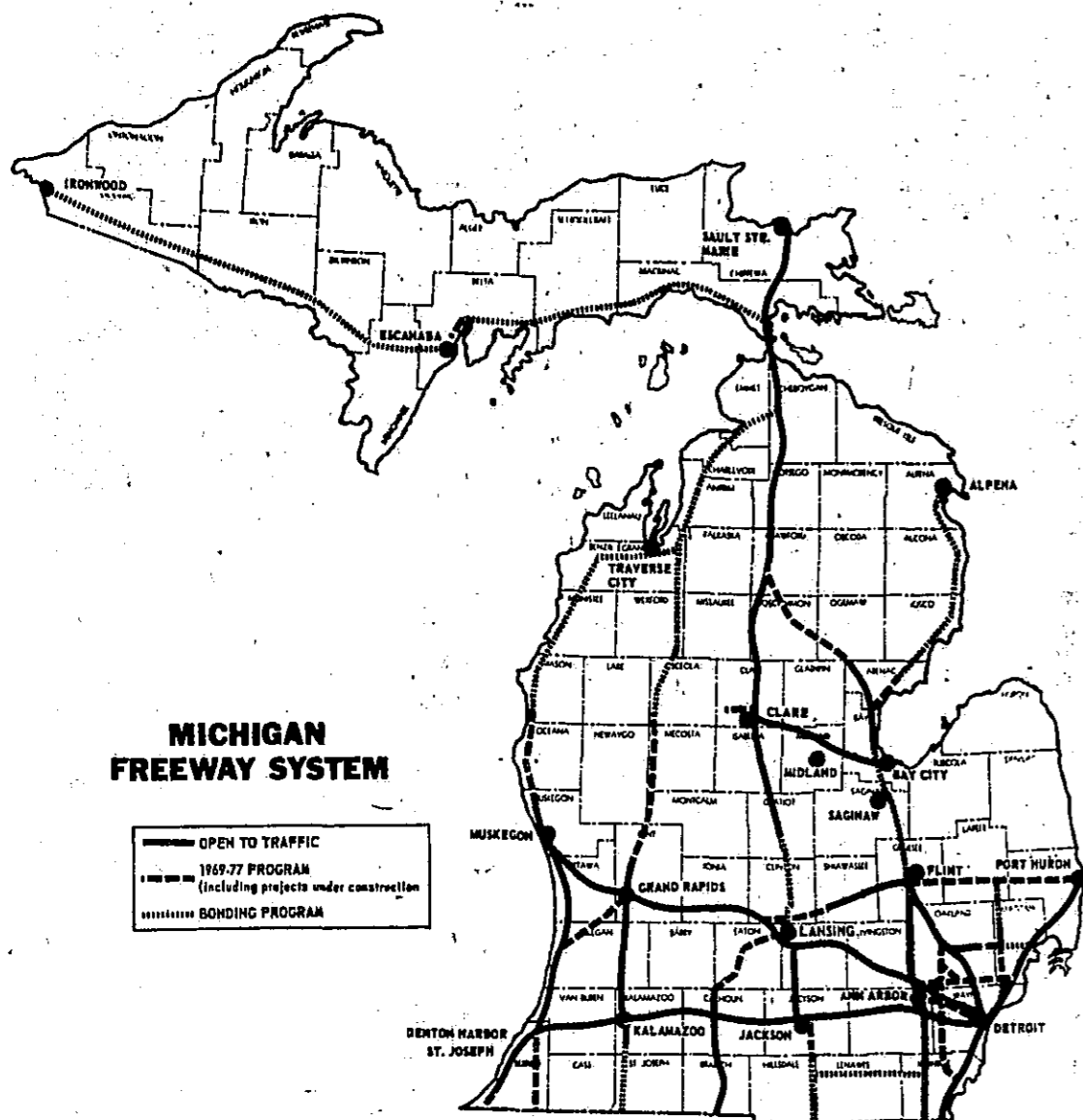
Mr and Mrs Milford Clark returned to their home in Elsie on Thursday after spending ten days at their cottage at Houghton Lake. Friday evening Mrs Clark attended the Mother and Daughter Banquet with her daughter, Mrs Gordon Waggoner and granddaughters, Linda and Gloria, at the Eureka Congregational Christian Church. Saturday and Sunday the Clarks spent with another daughter, Mr and Mrs L. D. Prebble and five children near Mason. Sunday they were having a farewell for their oldest son, Mickey who will be leaving for the service on the May 13.

Rev Samuel T. Hemberger, Missionary at Large from Hinsdale, Ill. will be with us for Special Services next Sunday evening at 7 p.m. There will be refreshments served following the services.

Please Note: Mail or bring to church Pastor Jones' questionnaire by next Sunday.

DATES TO REMEMBER Young Choir each Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. Chancel Choir at 7:30 p.m. each Wednesday, May 19 - Board of Deacons Meeting, May 23 - Garage Sale and May 28 - Board of Trustees Meeting. The Committee for the Grange Sale has asked that each person mark the price on the articles that they bring. Sale will be held at Dale Randolph's garage on Williams Road all day on Saturday May 23.

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## \$35.6 million road building program set for Clinton

A revised \$35.6 million freeway construction program for Clinton County has been unveiled by Charles H. Hewitt, chairman of the State Highway Commission.

Plans call for construction on six projects, mainly in the southern portion of the county, to be started by 1976. The program is part of an expansion of the current four-year plan enabling Michigan to meet its most pressing highway needs, Hewitt indicated.

Specifically, the Clinton County plans are:

—Construction of 2.7 miles of US-127 Freeway, from the Ingham-Clinton county line north to Interstate 69, costing \$2.7 million, to begin in 1971.

—Construction of two miles of Interstate 69 north of Lansing, from US-27 east to US-127, priced at \$5.8 million, by 1971.

—Construction of 16.1 miles of Interstate 69, from Interstate 96 northwest of Lansing, north and east of US-27, and from US-127 east to Clinton-Shiawassee county line. Planning includes a rest area east of Upton Road. This project will cost \$23.6 million and should be started in 1974.

—Construct modern restroom facilities in the rest area on Interstate 96 east of M-100, costing \$10,500 and slated for 1973.

—Construct a new bridge to carry M-21 over South Fork Hayworth Creek, 3.2 miles east of Fowler, costing \$135,000, by 1976.

—Widen 3.8 miles of the Interstate 96 business loop to five lanes, from Waverly Road northwest to Interstate 96, estimated at \$3.2 million by 1975.

A proposed bonding program for 1974-80 includes an upgrade

ing of US-27 to freeway standards from Interstate 69, north of Lansing, north to the US-27 Freeway at Rhacsa, a distance of 31.5 miles.

The Commission is committed for the first time to an eight-year program, said Hewitt. The accelerated freeway program provides for state-wide construction of 802 miles of freeway, including a 281-mile project running east and west across the Upper Peninsula.

"This highway program for the 1970's is the result of a study of our current needs and those that we see for the years ahead," Hewitt said.

"These will be spelled out in more detail upon completion later this year of a needs study for the years 1970-90," he added. "This study was jointly undertaken by the Highway Commission, the Michigan County Roads Association and the Michigan Municipal League."

"The proposed bonding would support this accelerated program," Hewitt said, "supplementing existing federal and state financing." Hewitt indicated that Michigan has used bonding for highways with success in the past and has been "indispensable in allowing us to build one of the nation's finest highway systems."

State Highway Director Henrik E. Stafseth said all the freeway projects could be placed under contract by 1980 if the Legislature approves a \$39-million-per-year tax increase needed to finance revenue bonds totaling \$500 million. The Commission did not recommend a specific tax, but the new revenue would be raised from highway user taxes.

Stafseth said the extended three-year program anticipates approval by Congress for continuation of the federal Highway Trust Fund, financed chiefly by the four-cent fuel tax.

The program also depends in part on Congressional approval of a change in federal-aid formula. The American Association of Highway Officials, Stafseth said, is asking for a uniform 70 per cent federal and 30 per cent state formula to give the states more flexibility in programming construction where it is most needed.

## Ovid-Elsie High Honor Roll

### Twelfth Grade

Richard Acre, Ruth Ann Baker, Lorrie Binger, Marsha Buck, Doris Carr, Vicki Craig, Debbie Forrester, Carl Goodknecht, Vickie Hood, David Hunt, Joel Jorae, Tom Leodler, Rozanna Likomisky, Jan Michutka, Carter Moore, Dennis Nethaway, Doug Parmenter, Rosemary Remenar, Lyale Smith, Kathleen Szilagyi, Bruce Thornton, Ada Von Schwanbach, Debra Watson, Sharon Ashmead, Linda Bancroft, Debbie Boose, Julie Byrnes (All A's), Debbie Clark, Sharon Crell, Ed Fortier, Gary Heath, Rosella Howard, Jean Hutra, Walt Kusnier, Jeff Lewis, Connie Mack, Curtis Miller, Debbie Morgan, William Ordway, Donnell Powellson, Corrine Schultz, Rick Stammers, Kris Taft, Linda Vaniman, Charles Walker, Teri Wilber, Sue Babcock, Sue Besko, Mike Bowles, Paul Byrnes, Pamela Coon, Rosemary Forch, Monica Gazda, Lois Hibbard, Ruthann Hubbard, Denise Jorae, Malja Laivalahti, Robert Maron, Sally Miller, Bonna Moseley, Judy Paks, Gayla Rasmussen, David Schwark, Mike Swender, Giles Thelen, Anne Vleck, Ed Waters.

Marian Shipley, Kathy Smith, Carolyn Stoneman, John Tribelner, Kam Washburn, Fred Arnett, Mark Bashore, Elaine Bloomer, Elaine Chapko, Dan Csapos, Belinda Eastick, Debra Fett, Shirley Groom, Dennis Hoshield, Kurt Kristin, Michael Leslie, Junior Longoria, Wendy Munson, William Parker, Thomas Pumford, Yvonne Rivest, Tom Roof, Stephen Simpson, Mary Ann Sovis, Mary Temple, Vicki Valentine, Duane Wieber.

### Ninth Grade

Suzanne Applebee, Mark Chamberlain, Glenna Doberstein, Mary Ann Fabus, Susan Gilber, Debbie Hinkley, Doug Keek (All A's), Elsie Knutson, Dale Max, Lori Miller, Yvonne Ortiz, Randy Rasmussen, Kent Schultz, Donna Wieber, Holly Wiser, Kim Babcock, Virginia Chapko, Frank Enos, Nancy Foran, Marilyn Groom, Bobette Hubbard, Jim Kelley, Debbie LeMarble, Richard McCreery, Linda Morgan, Thomas Pontack, Cayle Reha, Fredrick Staples, Jenny Williams, Nancy Bohil, Kenneth Dennison, Linda Erfourth, Jayeda Fortier, Sandra Hashley, Richard Johnson, Tom Kirilovic, Rita Lyon, Lea Ann Michutka, Alice Noe, Brenda Pugh, Ronald Risley, Chuck Thelen, David Winkler, Dan Duffield, all A's.

### Tenth Grade

Jeffery Baker, Michael Buck, Linda Copelin, Frank Delaney, Cathy Ensign, Dan Fruchey, Kathy Hawley, Darlene Hoshield, Larry Hunt, Joseph Laditski, Francie Marton, Gwyn Nethaway, Kathy Patterson, Kathleen Saxton, Linda Sheldon, Linda Squiers, Agnes Walasek, Colleen Wilcox, David Wyrick, Patty Barnath, Sue Chamberlain, Gary Csapos, Debra Dennis, Bill Foran, John Glowney, Lester Heinze, Regene Howard, Claudia Joseph, Marcia Latham, Ronald Mead, Charles Olger, Roxie Pearce, Pamela Schroeder, Margaret Shipley, Gloria Swanson, Joe Wassa, Carolyn Woodard, James Ziola, Karan Brewbaker, Linda

### Eleventh Grade

Susan Albaugh, Geraldine Baese, Dick Bates, Diane Bohil, Linda Cox, Ken Davis, Joseph Eger, Barbara Green, Thomas Hachlinski, Kim Jorae, Danna Lannen, Wanda Libertin, Greg McKay, Monica Nemelk, Cheryl Porubsky, Keith Reha, Patty Rodriguez, Cathy Rum-mell, Claudia Smith, Larry Squiers, LeRoy Thomas, David Vostri-zansky (All A's), Cal Woodard, Susan Alderman, Elizabeth Baker, Terry Bernath, Eric Casler, Rick Cross, Barbara DeLaney, Elizabeth Ensign, Ben Green, John Hibbler, John Keys, Jane Latz, Dennis Long, Stephen Melvin, Greg Palen, Byron Prange, Gary Rivest, Darrell Roof,

## Population census nearly complete here

Jeanette St. Clair, District Manager, reports that the 1970 Census of Population and Housing is nearing completion in this area, and that in another week the census takers should have visited every residence on their lists.

The census takers are calling at homes from which no questionnaires were mailed back, as well as at those from which questionnaires were returned incompletely filled out.

The District Manager pointed out that residents can speed up the big count by having the infor-

mation that is asked for on the form ready to give to the census taker.

He emphasized that all information about individuals and their homes furnished to the Census Bureau is held in absolute confidence under Federal law. It is used only to provide summary figures such as totals, averages, and percentages. The information cannot be examined by any one other than census employees who are sworn to secrecy. It cannot be used for investigation, taxation, or regulation.

## Bath High School prom set for May 23

The junior class of Bath High School will present the junior-senior prom, Medieval Magic, on Saturday, May 23 from 8 to 11:30 p.m. It will be at King Arthur's Court on State Road.

Advisor for the Junior class this year is Dale Nuoffer. Class officers are: Rick Smith, president; Cindy Brown, vice-president; Steve Covell, treasurer; and Cynthia Markham, secretary. Tickets for the dance are \$5 for couples; \$3.00 for singles; \$2.50 for senior dates; and no charge for seniors. Chaperones, guests, administration, and faculty will be admitted free.

Cheerleading tryouts for the 1970-71 school year were held the week of April 20 in the high school gym. The girls were judged on appearance, pep, rhythm, timing, voice, cartwheels,

and skills in kicks, jumps, and splits.

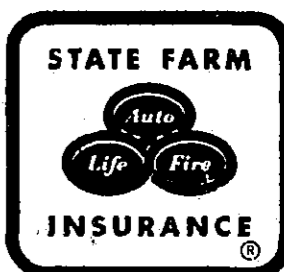
The judges were composed of a committee of seven faculty members and seven students.

The new varsity cheerleaders are: Cindy Brown, Charlice Davis, Cynthia Markham, Rosemary King, Cathy Pardee, and Marilyn Verrette. Subs are: Carol Goff and Rose Jensen. Junior-varsity cheerleaders are: Kim Ankney, Debbie Barr, Mary McGonigal, Robin Jensen, Debbie Hiatt, and Coleen Walker. Subs are LuAnn Doerner and Mary Stoll.

The cheerleaders' sponsor, Mrs. Michael Wood, said the cheerleaders plan to work on different money making projects so they can send some of the girls to cheerleading camp this summer. The varsity cheerleaders are also busy picking out new uniforms for this fall.

### East Victor

By Mrs. Ray Ketchum



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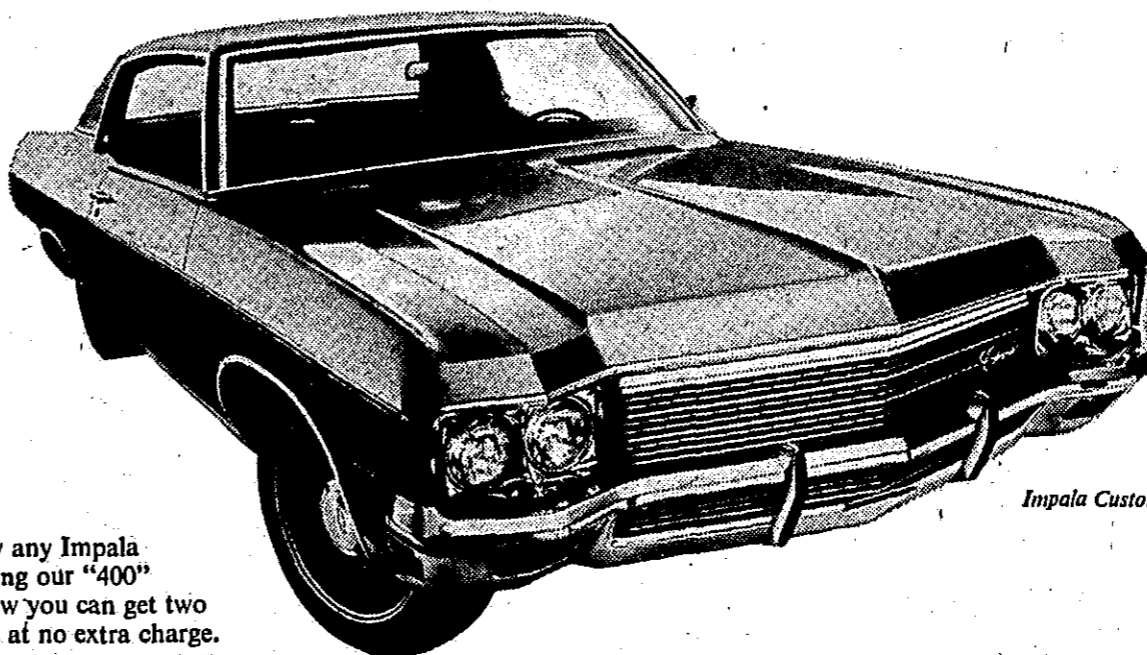
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## Kincaid District

By ROSALYN PARKS, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer visited relatives at Charlotte Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Dell Schmidtman attended the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs Pinkston of near Ionia.

Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer, Mrs Dell Schmidtman and boys and Sheila Wilcox attended the fish fry at Wacousta, Friday night.

Saturday night, Mrs Van Cleve visited Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn.

Mr and Mrs John Dickinson and family of Owosso, Mr and Mrs Eldon Dickinson and family of Delta Mills were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Jenks Jr. and son of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Jerry Myszak and sons of DeWitt, Mr and Mrs Don Henning and children of DeWitt spent Mother's Day with Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and daughters.

Thursday, Mrs William Staines of St. Johns and Mrs Porter Parks were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Carleton Kimball of Half Moon Lake.

Sunday, Mr and Mrs Leland Bloom of Grand Ledge visited Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson.

Mr and Mrs Franklin Wells and family, Mr and Mrs James Morrison and family, Mrs Raymond Smith and children, Lee DuMont and sons, Mr and Mrs Stu Heber of Lansing were dinner guests, Mother's Day, of Mr and Mrs Don DuMont.

Monday night, Mrs Howard Sargent, Mrs Don Potts and son, and Mrs Harold Hoerner went

### DeWitt youth graduates

David Lindsay Cropsey, son of Mr and Mrs Harmon Cropsey, of DeWitt, will be among approximately 565 students to graduate from Bob Jones University May 27.

Cropsey, a candidate for a bachelor of science degree in mathematics, is a member of Chi Alpha Phi Literary Society and was selected to appear in the 1969-70 edition of "Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges."

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PARSONS—I wish to thank Drs Bohr, Jordan and Johnson, nurses and nurses' aides at the Carson City Hospital for their kindness and care shown to me during my stay at the hospital. Also my friends and relatives for their flowers and cards, prayers and thoughtfulness during my stay and since my return home. —Mrs Barbara Parsons. 2-1p

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# Clinton area obituaries

## Henry Nemetz Sr.

Henry Nemetz Sr., 62, of R-1, Perrinton died Thursday, May 7 at the Rivard Nursing Home following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Monday, May 11 at the Abbott Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home in Maple Rapids at 1:30 p.m. with Rev Robert Myers officiating. Burial was in Eureka Cemetery.

He was born in Petoskey on Sept. 2, 1907 a child of John and Caroline Nemetz and has resided in the area most of his life.

Survivors include his wife, Irene; four sons, Henry of Maple Rapids, William of Perrinton, Walter Auer of Mason and Larry Auer of Perrinton; two daughters, Mrs Betty Mable of St. Johns and Mrs Joan Augst of Maple Rapids; 20 grandchildren; 7 great-grandchildren; six sisters, Mrs Mary Miller of Pewamo, Mrs Inez Kubris of Grand Rapids, Mrs Marie Miller of Ionia, Mrs Joyce Houseman of Ionia, Mrs Zava Smejkal of Fenwick and Mrs Lillian Hyler of St. Johns; seven brothers, George

of Jackson, Eugene, Lewis and Glen of Ionia, Paul, Robert and Emerson of Lansing.

## Gerald Rehm

Gerald LaVere Rehm, 53, of rural Maple Rapids died Tuesday, May 5 at his residence following an accident.

Funeral services were held Friday, May 8 at the Maple Rapids Congregational Church at 2 p.m. with Rev Robert Meyers officiating. Burial was in Payne Cemetery. Arrangements were made by the Abbott Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home in Maple Rapids.

He was born in Ingham County on Sept. 15, 1916 a child of Edward and Pearl Rehm and was a graduate of Old Central High School in Lansing. He married Alberta A. Cook in Fulton Township on March 15, 1945 and was a member of the Maple Rapids Congregational Church.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs Nelda Puopolo of Lorman, Miss.; three sons, Duane of Spring Arbor, Dave and Gary at home; one sister, Mrs Hazel Irwin of Perrinton; and his stepmother, Mrs Edward Rehm of Grand Rapids.

## Lettie Purvis

Lettie May Purvis, 81, 210 North Ottawa Street, St. Johns died Sunday, May 10 at the Clinton Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, May 13 at the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns at 1:30 p.m. with burial in Mt. Rest Cemetery.

She was born in Gratiot County on May 4, 1889 and resided all of her married life in the St. Johns area. She married George Purvis in St. Louis on August 25, 1908. He preceded her in death.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs Ruth Good and Mrs Leona Karber both of St. Johns and Mrs Katherine Fenels of Luther; three sisters, Mrs Sylvia Beauchamp of Escanaba, Mrs Sadie Beaudry of Marquette and Mrs James Doherty of Fremont; one step-sister, Mrs Angeline LeVally of Idaho; seven grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; and 10 step-great-grandchildren.

## David Austin

David Austin, 56, of 8317 Welter Road, Ovid died Wednesday, May 6 at the Clinton Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Saturday, May 9 at the Houghton Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home in Ovid with burial in Maple Grove Cemetery.

He was born in Lowell on January 15, 1914 a child of Orville and Martha Austin. He was a graduate of Lowell High School and attended Michigan State University. He married Jean Smit in South Bend on Nov. 29, 1935 and had been a resident of the Ovid area since 1943 moving from Lowell. He was formerly employed by Sealtest Dairy and was a member of Ovid Lodge F&M No. 127 and a 4-H leader for the past 15 years.

Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mrs Sandra Church of Grandville, Mrs Sally Cochran of rural Ovid and Sue Austin at home; one son, Douglas of Swartz Creek; one brother, Austin Munson of Grand Rapids; and seven grandchildren.

EXTRAVAGANCE It would have been expensive even in the good old days to live as well as most people like to live today.

## Tatroe

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In the bathroom and his wife was in the master bedroom, according to deputies.

County Coroner Glenn Dunn said the cause of death was asphyxiation.

Officers said the investigation will be continued to determine the source of the poisoning.

Tatroe was the executive director of the Michigan Association of School Boards. Mrs Tatroe was the director of the Michigan Head Start program.

Tatroe, who held a bachelor's and master's degree in music from Michigan State University and a Ph.D. in education, previously was superintendent of schools at Waterford. Before that he was assistant superintendent at Warren, principal at Haslett High School and music director at Holt.

His wife held a master's degree in special education and counseling from Wayne State University.

She is also survived by a sister, Mrs Patricia Dittio of North Farmington Township.

Tatroe's other survivors include his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Glen Tatroe of St. Johns; two brothers, Norman E. of Libertyville, Ill., and Jon E. of St. Johns, and a sister, Mrs Mary Alice Steckrod of Columbus, Ohio.

## Shepardsville

By Lucille Spencer

Born to Mr and Mrs Richard Mead of St. Johns, a baby boy, at Lansing General Hospital at 1:30 p.m. on May 6. He weighed in at 8 pounds, 15 ounces and answers to the name of Brian Richard. Mrs Mead is the former Diane Deming of Carland. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Leo Deming of Carland and Mr and Mrs Clarence Mead of rural Ovid.

Mrs Karl Smith, Mrs Warren Gutschall, Mrs Ralph Baker, Mrs Lawrence Harvey and Mrs John Spencer of the Shepardsville area attended a salad luncheon at the Elsie United Methodist Church on May 6. The speaker for the day was Miss Edith Parks, a missionary working in Rhodesia. She spoke mostly on Education and how it had changed since she went there in 1938. She has been a missionary for 31 years. She expects to return to Rhodesia

In time to spend Christmas and her birthday. She is on the staff of Mrewa Centre of the United Methodist Church, Rhodesia Annual Conference. The center is 60 years old. There were 80 guests present from Chapin, Ashley, Shepardsville and the surrounding Elsie area.

The Afternoon Circle of the Shepardsville WSCS will meet at the home of Mrs John Spencer on Thursday, May 14 at 2 p.m. Mrs Jessie Davis is now out of intensive care and is able to receive visitors.

Mr and Mrs John Spencer called on Rev Eugene Spencer and Mrs Faye Perkins of Williamston recently.

The people of the Shepardsville community extend their sympathy to the family of David Austin. Mrs Ray Miller has returned home after spending the winter months with her daughter at Fort Myers, Fla.

Friday May 22 there will be a family night potluck supper at the Shepardsville United Methodist Church. This will be a farewell party for Rev and Mrs Karl Zeigler and baby daughter, Rev Zeigler's last Sunday at the Shepardsville and Price Churches will be on May 31. Anyone wishing to give money for a gift may leave it at Alderman's Store.

Dr and Mrs Glenn Frye of Kalkaska were weekend guests of Mrs Albert Fallow. Dr Frye gave the benediction at the morning worship service.

Mr and Mrs Dale Squiers have invited the people of the Shepardsville United Methodist Church to attend the wedding of their daughter, Carol to Gordon Nelson on Friday evening, May 15 at 8 p.m. at the church. Reception follows in the dining room immediately after the ceremony.

## County Line News

By Mrs Doris Fisher

Mr and Mrs Harold Whalen of Owosso called on Mr and Mrs Eugene Ferrall Monday evening.

Mr and Mrs Henry Graham of Mt. Pleasant were Tuesday afternoon and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Eugene Ferrall.

Mr and Mrs Eugene Ferrall were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Harold Whalen of Owosso.

Mrs Mathilda Bishop and Mrs Arthur Krueger were Monday callers of Mrs Sid Stubbs of Westphalia. On their way home they called on Mr and Mrs Glen Whitford of rural Ithaca.

Mr and Mrs Alex Dunay attended the Ashley OES Chapter Wednesday evening.

Friday evening, Mr and Mrs Alex Dunay were host and hostess for the Job's Daughters reception in Ovid, honoring the Grand Choir, the Grand Inner Guard, the Grand Senior Council and the Grand Representatives to State of Mississippi. A special guest for the evening was Ina S. Erith, Grand Supreme Guardian and Past Guardian of British Columbia.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Dunay of Hazel Park were Saturday overnight guests of Mr and Mrs Alex Dunay.

Saturday night, Mr and Mrs Alex Dunay were honored with a 25th wedding anniversary reception at the ZCBJ Hall. There were 250 guests from as far away as Reynoldsville, Pa., Flint, Detroit, Durand and Lansing. The host and hostess of the reception were Mr and Mrs Ernie Santrucke. Mrs Archie Moore Jr and Jane Santrucke attended the money tree, Diane Porubsky attended the punch bowl, Mrs James Wassa attended to the coffee, Mrs Myron Tethal cut the cake and was assisted by Rose Santrucke and Erna Santrucke, while Patricia Dunay attended the guest book.

## Pewamo

By Mrs Irene Fox

Thursday May 21 the WSCS will meet with Mrs Charlotte Finkbeiner of Fowler.

Mrs Martha Miller conducted the services at the Methodist Church in Pewamo Sunday May 10 due to the illness of the pastor.

Regular meeting of the Eastern Stars was held Wednesday, May 6 at the Masonic Hall, Pewamo. Following the meeting those present honored Mr and Mrs Elmer Blair by celebrating their 20th wedding anniversary. There were 17 guests present and four visitors. The tables were decorated with daffodils and a decorated anniversary cake baked by Mrs Lou Shoemaker. Mr and Mrs Elmer Blair were married on May 6, 1950. Also present at the meeting was the honored Grand Committee Woman, Sue Davidge of Edmore from the Grand Chapter of Michigan Eastern Stars.

## LEGAL NOTICES

WILL Spitzley—June 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

ESATE OF ISIDOR J. SPITZLEY, Deceased It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 17, 1970, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms for St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Arnold W. Pohl for probate of a purported Will for granting of administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: May 11, 1970. Walker and Moore By: Jack Walker Attorney for Petitioner Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 2-3

## ORDINANCE NO. 234

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 131, AS AMENDED, CITY OF ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN, KNOWN AS THE "ZONING ORDINANCE."

THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDAINS: Section 1. That the Zoning Ordinance of the City of St. Johns and the Zoning Map of the City of St. Johns, forming a part thereof, shall be amended in the following respects:

Section 2. That the description of the affected zoning re-classification is as follows:

All that area between Baker Street and Scott Road, fronting on State Street, (M-21), on both the North and South sides of State Street, (M-21) to a depth of approximately 200 feet.

Section 3. Regularity of Proceedings. The City Commission has conclusively determined that re-zoning of these premises was duly approved by the St. Johns Planning Commission and that a public hearing has been held thereon, after giving due notice as required by law.

Section 4. Validity of Ordinance No. 131 and amendments thereto. Except as herein provided, Ordinance No. 131, the Zoning Ordinance of the City of St. Johns shall stand as first enacted.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect 20 days after its passage.

PASSED, ORDAINED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED by the City Commission of the City of St. Johns, at a regular meeting held this 11th day of May, A.D., 1970.

ROBERT H. WOOD, Mayor. THOMAS L. HUNDLEY, City Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above ordinance was published in the Clinton County News on the 11th day of May A.D., 1970.

THOMAS L. HUNDLEY, City Clerk. Adoption of the above Ordinance was moved by Commissioner Rand, and supported by Commissioner Hannah.

A roll call vote was taken and those voting "yes" were commissioners: Hannah, Groat, Coletta, Rand, Wood.

# Osgood Funeral Home honored for 12th time

Osgood Funeral Home of St. Johns has been notified of acceptance into the Order of the Golden Rule for the 12th straight year. Also included in this membership agreement is the branch home in Ovid.

The Order is a world-wide association which screens funeral directors - applicants on an impartial basis. Acceptance is contingent upon proof that the applicant meets high ethical and professional standards.

Membership is not automatically renewable, as a firm must undergo intensive re-investigation every year.

There are currently more than

1,400 Order of the Golden Rule affiliates throughout the world. In announcing the Osgood firm's reacceptance, a spokesman for the Order said:

"The Order was organized over 40 years ago with the highest of purposes. It was the goal of the founders to have funeral directors - members throughout much of the world who provide the kind of service which merits public confidence.

"Much credit for the fulfillment of this goal belongs to the Osgood firm, which has worked together with fellow members of the Order for the mutual benefits of the funeral profession and the public."

## Eureka

By MRS. GORDON WAGGONER, Correspondent

### MOTHER AND DAUGHTER BANQUET

The Eureka Congregational Christian Church held a Mother and Daughter Banquet May 8. The menu was juice, ham, potato salad, set salad, corn, rolls, pie, coffee, kool-aid and tea.

The men served the meal and the dishes and cleaning up following the meal. They were Bruce Amos and son Scott, Orrin Blank, Don Clark, Henry Howard and son, Craig, George Hubbard, Bob Lewis and son, Bob, Dale Randolph, J. D. Robinson, and Wendell Waggoner and sons, Ron and Russ.

The program was in charge of toastmistress, Erma Robinson. Organist was Reta Gower and group singing lead by Lela Clark.

The welcome toast to mothers was given by Debbie Howard and the toast to the daughters by her mother, Sharlyn Howard. Terrie Randolph sang a solo, accompanied at the piano by Reta Gower.

Moira Hubbard presented the awards to the youngest mother, Elaine Snyder, 20; oldest mother, Lucy Grubaugh 84, Miss Nora Bebee 89, was also recognized. Debbie Howard was the daughter chosen as closest to a teenager. Marilyn Clark was the mother with the most daughters, four, Teresa, Kim, Bonnie and Lisa.

Four generations of all girls were Lucy Grubaugh, Mary Wadell, Marilyn Clark and four daughters, Nina Ruess, Vera Bryant, Karlene Eckert, and baby daughter, Mrs Earl Darling, Mrs Ruby Taylor, Betty Pettigrew and Shirley, Agnes Lewis, Wava Thornton, Sharlyn Howard and Debbie, also Agnes Lewis, Wava Thornton, Karon Fliegel and Renee.

The "PURPLE X" door prize was won by Linda Waggoner, a hanging basket of flowers.

Corsages were given to the guest speaker, Mrs Marguerite Hoppe, and to an honored guest, Elizabeth Blank.

Miss Patricia Kridner accompanied herself at the piano, as she sang a solo.

Mrs Marguerite Hoppe was the guest speaker for the evening and delivered her message to the mothers and their daughters.

Then Patricia Kridner sang another solo, accompanied herself at the piano.

Benediction was given by Erma Robinson.

### EUREKA CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev Dean Stork delivered his last sermon to the congregation Sunday, Mother's Day. As guest speaker, he has filled in most of the time since early this year. We are going to miss him, but we are also going to welcome a new Pastor to our congregation as he starts his services next Sunday morning.

Following the Worship Services Rev Stork gave each Mother present a potted plant.

Mothers receiving plants during the Sunday School Hour were Marilyn Clark with most daughters, Elaine Snyder, youngest mother, and her grandmother, Mrs Guy Snyder Sr as the oldest mother present.

Remember "Grammie" Ethel Randolph is still in the Alma Hospital.

Dorothy Henry is a patient at the Carson City Hospital.

Blanche Suttin is a patient at the Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Robert Ferrall has returned to his home on County Line Road, following a few week's stay at the Carson City Hospital.

Remember that this Saturday is the Four CCC meeting at Bridgman, Mich. If you are planning to go please contact Bruce Amos or Henry Howard.

Next Sunday will be our new pastor's first Sunday with us and he will be moving into the parsonage the following week. He is Rev Paul Jones, his wife, Gloria and they have a small son.

## Pewamo

By Mrs Irene Fox

Sunday Mrs Dolly Cook was a guest in the home of Mr and Mrs Howard Cook and family. The occasion being the first Communion of her grandson, Danny Cook son of Mr and Mrs Howard Cook.

Other guests were grandparents, Mr and Mrs Perry McDowell of Ionia. All were dinner guests.

Guests on Mother's Day of Mr and Mrs Joseph L. Fox were Mr and Mrs Sylvester Fox of Vermontville, Mr and Mrs Stanley Fox of Fowler, Mr and Mrs Herman Schneider of Westphalia, Mr and Mrs William Fox of Vermontville, Mr and Mrs Ambrose Fox of Pewamo and Mark Fox of DeWitt.

## Open Letter from VAN W. HOAG

Dear friends,

Selection of a family memorial or burial plot is both an important responsibility and a significant investment. This step should be taken in advance of need, to avoid the mistakes of a hasty, confused decision. If you wish it, we can supply information on the subject.

Respectfully,

Van W Hoag



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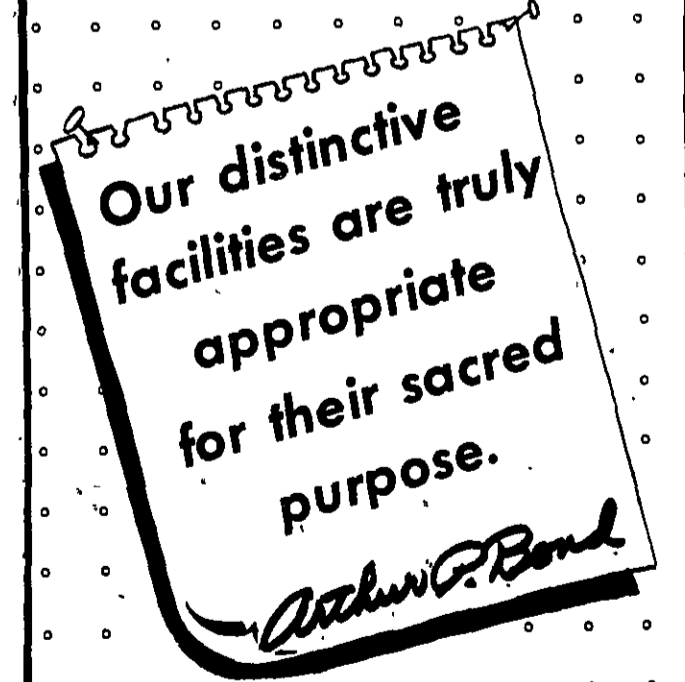
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# Bath names Hixson elementary principal

The Bath Board of Education has named James W. Hixson elementary principal of Bath Community Schools with the retirement of Mrs. Eulah McAlvey.

Hixson, completing work on his Ph.D. degree at Michigan State University, has taught at all levels—college, high school, junior high and elementary.

He earned his bachelor's degree with honors in 1954 from Tennessee Temple College and received his master's degree in teacher education from Michigan State in 1961. He is a 1949 graduate of Chattanooga Central High School.

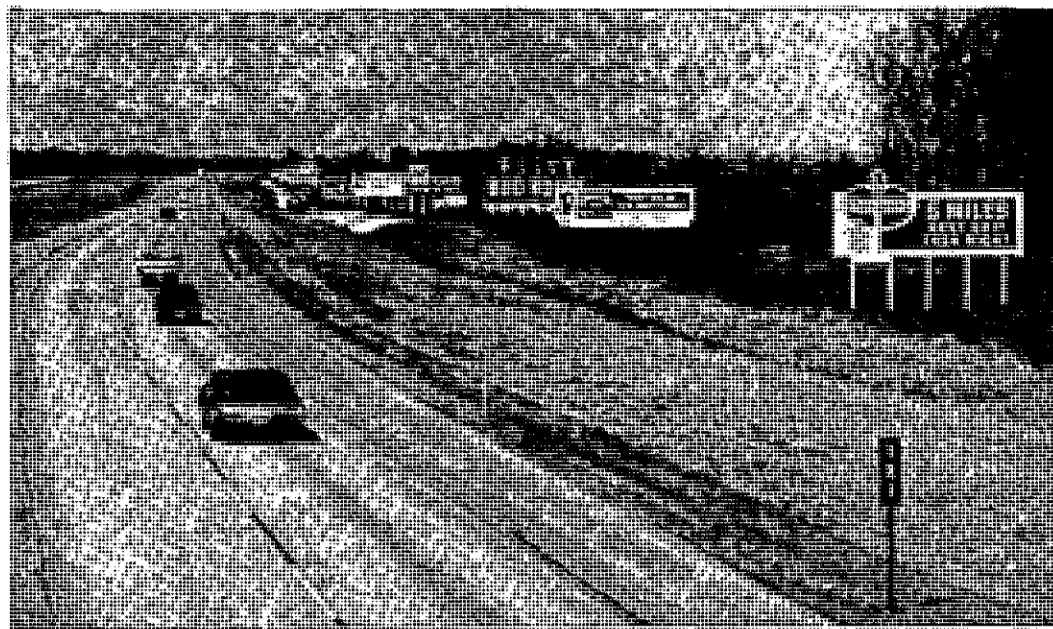
He also holds both an elementary and secondary provisional teaching certificates.

He is a member of the Bath Education Association, the Michigan Education Association, National Education Association, the Michigan Council of Teachers of English and Phi Delta Kappa.

In addition to teaching, Hixson has been involved in the ministry, both educational and pastoral, for seven years.

He received his MRE from Temple Theological Seminary in 1956 and his BD from Central Baptist Theological Seminary in 1958.

Hixson is married and has two sons, Michael, 11, and Timothy, 5. His wife, Lou, is employed in the Bath school system where she supervises remedial reading for the system. She has taught high school English and business and English at the junior high level.



This billboard row along Interstate 96 east of Lansing is the first target of a move by the Department of State Highways and the attorney general's office to remove billboards within 660 feet of the right of way. The department plans to beautify the interstate highway system and then primary state roads such as US-27 in Clinton County.

# DeWitt High Honor Roll

## 12th Grade

David Alger, Mike Ashley, Mike Botke, Rebecca Bouts\*, Alan Cropsey, Martha Outler, Mike Dolby, Joan Ely, Michelle Farhat, Char Grove, Judy Jackson, Shelley Keck, Deborah Hiatt, Sue Koski, Susan Kurkowski, Carol Larson, Jan Mollitor, Peter Morris, Pam Mull, Rita Peikey, Mary Petrowsky, Joyce Ruel, David Salter, Sue Schultz, Barbara Smith, Virginia Snyder, Bettie Soule\*, Brenda Tews, Denis Theroux, Brian Wood.

Bill Thelen, Carolyn Tice, Judi Uschuk, Mark Wheat.

## 10th Grade

Charles Berkimer, Dave Blosssey, Penny Coin, Lorena DeWitt, Douglas Egleston, Harmon Everett, Joyce Felske\*, David Graves, Kim Kelley, Jeffery Kristin, Debbie Krohn\*, Gayle Martin, Ray McNeilly, Michael Moody\*, Jacke Pélkie, Anna Penzien, Thomas Reed, Pamela Stone, Jim Tews, Kathy Tolson, Ron Wilcox, Cindy Wisser.

Debbie DeBow, Karen Denda, Kathy Esterline, Janet Fowler, Pamela Fox, Dawn Hiltz, Susan Jackson, Randy Lankford, Sandra Lewis, Chris McNeilly, Yvonne Mazur, Charlotte Mulford, Pamela Nettleton, Lynn Ordway, Dave Pratt, Randy Pitts, Kent Parker, Anne Reus, Roxane Rice, Pamela Shaw, Susan Shooltz, Susan Steven, Cathy Stevens, Don Strait, Gall Swan, Robin Tallman, Kathy Taylor, Doreen Theroux, Susan Tice, Valerie Uschuk, Jamie VanDyke, John Wheeler, Jenny Wiser, Debra Young, \* All A's.

## 11th Grade

Jim Ashley, Elizabeth Berkimer, John Black, Tom Brockway, Mary Lou Cutsinger, Linda DeLine, Steve Doerr, Joy Ely, Beverly Fowler, Jean Fritz, Jean Green, Ann Harold, Jean Irvin, Debra Jackson, Gordon Keck, Ron Kindel, Susan Lewis, Linda Letzke, Kathie McNeilly, David Maki, Cheryl Metzger, Michael Miller, Julie Newcombe, Suzanne Phillips, Ed Reed, Faith Reed, Debra Rice, Judith Rickman, Dan Ruble, Randy Selhorn, Judy Slater, Valerie Strait\*.

## 9th Grade

Sherry Becker, Martha Botke, Murray Brockway, Kristie-Cohon, Tom Couling,

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With food prices what they are today, keeping the figure round keeps most of us flat.

# Clinton schools sweep CMAC math competition

Clinton County teams finished one-two-three in the Central Michigan Athletic Conference (CMAC) mathematics championship last week.

Pewamo-Westphalia won the competition edging Fowler while host school DeWitt finished third.

The P-W scholars insured the victory by winning first place in senior math plus second and third places in both geometry and algebra II.

Twelve-man teams from five of the league's eight schools participated for the "mental sport" crown at the fourth annual league mathematics rally. The competition was divided into four "degrees of difficulty" with four-hour testing sessions.

In fourth place was Webberville and fifth was Portland St. Patrick.

Three other league schools—Lansing, Owosso St. Paul and Fowlerville—did not enter.

Last year's championship math team, Bath, was ineligible to enter because the school has transferred into the Ingham County League.

Here's the breakdown on the math tournament scoring:

SENIOR MATH DIVISION—1, Sandy Smith, Pewamo-Westphalia and Marilyn Simon, Fowler (tie). 2, Mike Dolby, DeWitt; Jim Elzerman, Webberville; and Don Koenigsnecht, Fowler (three-way tie; no third place awarded).

ALGEBRA II—1, John Black, DeWitt. 2, Alice Huhn, Pewamo-Westphalia. 3, Mary Lou Thelen, Pewamo-Westphalia.

GEOMETRY—1, Fred Bohnett, Webberville. 2, Mike Pline, Pewamo-Westphalia. 3, Fred Thelen, Fowler and Jim Thelen, Pewamo-Westphalia (tie).

ALGEBRA I—1, Curtiss Monroe, Webberville and Marilyn Weber, Fowler (tie). 2, Delores George, Fowler. 3, Ellen George, Fowler.

Winners were honored Thursday at a "math games" assembly at DeWitt High School. Each received a ribbon and a mathematical think-game prize.

The winning math coach, Harry Peacock of P-W, carried home the team championship plaque.

# Clinton included Billboards target of state-wide crack down on 'visual pollution'

By TIM YOUNKMAN  
News Staff Writer

Billboards along U. S. Highways 21 and 27 in Clinton County and their owners are being investigated in a major state-wide crackdown on "visual pollution," the state Highway Commission reported Wednesday.

Mike Jones, spokesman for the Highway Commission, said a survey was conducted along Clinton County's primary highways, but the main attention is being placed on the Interstate highway violations.

"The program will be expanded as we go along to include the primary highways such as US-21 and US-27," Jones said.

The State Highway Dept. and the attorney general's office are investigating violations of the 1966 billboard control law which bars signs within 660 feet of the right-of-way of any Interstate or primary highway, with certain exceptions for business and industrial areas.

An inventory in 1966 showed more than 38,000 billboards within 660 feet of the right-of-way, said Henrik E. Stafseth, state highway director, in a prepared release.

"Some 26,000 were in rural areas, principal target of the control law," the report stated.

Another inventory completed recently showed 2,077 billboards have gone up along the 1,400 miles of the Michigan freeway since 1966, Stafseth said. Several hundred of these are undoubtedly illegal, he added.

According to the law, signs in violation of the distance requirement which were erected after Jan. 1, 1968 can be removed at the owner's expense. The state must pay compensation for signs put up before that date, but there is no money in the state highway budget for that purpose, Stafseth said.

"We will probably have to wait until the next budget year," Jones said, "before enforcement can begin on the primary highways."

Att. Gen. Frank J. Kelley is not satisfied with the present law and has asked members of his staff, the highway dept., and the legislature to revise the law and the program to meet the problem.

Kelley noted that Michigan's billboard control law is weaker than those in at least 25 other states, which have collected more than \$3.7 million in federal bonuses for restricting billboards.

"We intend to review this law in detail with the Governor and the Highway Department and then to jointly propose to the next session of the Legislature significant amendments to put more teeth into this law and to strengthen it in the public interest," Kelley said.

Both Stafseth and Kelley voiced hope that the billboard removal program will be preventive as well as corrective, discouraging erection of more illegal signs.

Stafseth said state and county maintenance forces have been asked to report on every new billboard that goes up along the Interstate and primary systems.

# Emergency number interests Gen. Tel

General Telephone has offered to assist governmental units within its central division operating area in exploring the possible use of "911" as an emergency number, according to B. R. Davls, central division manager.

Billed as a "universal emergency number" when it was introduced early in 1968 by the Bell System, the "911" concept is not easily implemented. Nationally, only 72 cities, nearly all of them small and none of them in Michigan, have adopted the short number to make it easier for the public to report emergencies.

Some of the problems which must be solved before the "911" concept can be introduced in a community include: determining which agencies will participate; designating the responsibility for manning the "answer bureau"; determining how to finance the bureau; and deciding on the area to be served.

Davls also pointed out that the telephone company must provide additional central office equipment and modify existing equipment to accommodate the abbreviated dialing, a time-consuming and expensive process.

"We are advising the city governmental bodies within our operating area of our willingness to work with them at the planning stage of any '911' activity they undertake," Davls said. "If other governmental units such as township supervisors or county boards of supervisors want to explore the possibilities of establishing '911' as an emergency number, they should contact our district manager for that area."

Accompanying the letter to city governments is a brochure which answers many of the questions pertaining to the "911" service. Other governing agencies can obtain copies through the company's district offices. General Telephone's central division includes 49 exchanges in the St. Johns, Alma, Durand, Edmore, Grand Ledge, Mt. Pleasant and Owosso districts.

# Jury new Co-op GM at Buchanan

Otto Jury Jr. has been named general manager of Buchanan Co-op, according to Earl Beck, president.

Jury, a 1955 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School, has been with the co-op for two years where he worked as assistant manager of the machinery division until October when he was named assistant general manager.

Before coming to Buchanan Co-op, Jury was a district representative with Atlas Chalmers.

Jury, his wife Phyllis and their four children live in Buchanan. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Otto Jury Sr., of rural St. Johns.

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## Derby time nears for St. Johns lads

It's that time of year again when boys 11 through 15 years of age begin thinking seriously about propelling their home-made racing machines across the finish line at Derby Downs in Akron.

This year, the Soap Box Derby's 33rd season, Clinton County lads will be shooting for a \$500 savings bond and a chance to compete in the World Soap Box Derby Race at Akron, Ohio.

The local derby will be held June 14 and is sponsored by Bee's Chevrolet and Olds and the St. Johns Jaycees. Any boy living within a 20-mile radius of St. Johns is eligible to enter, said John Arehart, local derby official.

Trophies will be presented to all boys who participate with prizes given to the first 15 finishers, Arehart said. Special trophies will be awarded to the car with the "Most Unique Design" and the "Best Constructed Car." Ten of the participants' names will be drawn and these boys will receive an all expenses paid trip to Akron to view the world race Aug. 15.

St. Johns' festivities on derby day include a visit from Miss

Michigan, bands and floats from area communities, and paper structures by St. Johns Junior High School art students. Other guests will be Branch Lew, former World Soap Box Derby champ, and Mason Bell, Director of the Derby for Chevrolet.

Fedewa Builders, Inc. of Fowler have donated a bridge to be placed across the finish line on Main Street for the race judges and photographers.

A total of 262 communities around the nation and the world are already preparing for local races, a record for community interest.

"Chevrolet is extremely pleased that the Soap Box Derby is attracting more cities every year," said Robert D. Lund, Chevrolet general sales manager. "This means more boys building and racing cars, and that is the prime goal of the program."

Lund said the Derby is becoming a year-round activity and more international in scope, with a new overseas entry and dependent children of all U.S. Army personnel in eastern Europe participating.

"The important role given the Derby by large cities, military installations and civic groups emphasizes the program's constructive approach to meeting the needs of today's youth," he said.

The foreign entries are Guam, West Germany, Canada, Venezuela, the Philippines, Okinawa, and the Canal Zone.

Michigan will have 11 local derby days, sixth largest in the nation.



**The Sports Beat**  
Clinton County News

### Smart guy

The top scholar on Michigan State's 1970 swimming team was senior co-captain Bruce Richards of Tacoma, Wash., carrying a 3.29 all-university average in electrical engineering. He placed in three events in the 1970 Big Ten meet.

## Competition tough in Clinton track meet

The guessing game has begun. Who will win the Clinton County News county wide track meet this year?

John Oberlin, Ovid - Elsie track coach and host of the meet, has indicated his choice for first place honors. Ovid - Elsie, of course, Oberlin said, "but St. Johns has had a rough schedule and we will just have to fight it out."

Oberlin picked Ovid-Elsie and St. Johns fighting for the top two spots, with DeWitt and Bath racing for third followed by Fowler.

"We are very strong in the long distance events," Oberlin said. "Both Ovid-Elsie and St. Johns have good milers. Bath and St. Johns have good half-milers, so the long distance events should be tough."

## Redwings blank Hastings

St. Johns' tennis team won its second match in a row and its fifth of the season Thursday sweeping five matches from Hastings.

The victory put the Redwings' season mark at 5-2 and their West Conference record at 3-1.

In a weekend tournament at Waverly, St. Johns placed fifth among 12 schools.

Against Hastings Steve Root defeated Dave Vandermolen, 6-4, 6-2; Larry Zuker defeated Bob Allen, 6-3, 6-1 and Tom Warstler defeated Jerry Kessenick, 6-3, 0-6, 7-2.

In a double competition, Bob Lehmann and Mike Grost defeated Tom Rowland and Pat Kinek, 3-6, 6-2, and Jeff Springer and Dave Weed defeated Than Ostroth and Dennis Acker 6-1, 6-1.

St. Johns defeated Ovid - Elsie this year in a regular season dual meet. But Oberlin points out that his Marauders downed Bath in a big meet, also, this season.

"Our times have been improving steadily," he said. St. Johns has not been improving as rapidly, he indicated, so that both teams should be on equal footing when the big day arrives.

The Clinton County Track Meet will be held at Ovid-Elsie on Monday May 25. The preliminary events are set to begin at 4:30 p.m. with the final competition slated for 7 p.m.

Admission is 50 cents per person.

"The boys were really disappointed last year when no county event was held," Oberlin said. "I know that they are really looking forward to it this year."

Although the meet was discontinued last year, before that it has been held every year since 1964.

Defending champions are Ovid-Elsie which won the 1968 meet.

Other previous winners have been DeWitt, 1967; Ovid, 1966 and 1965 and St. Johns, 1964.

### Breslin tops

Leading scorer on Michigan State's 1969-70 frosh basketball squad with a 21.3 average was Brian Breslin of East Lansing. He's the son of former Spartan football and baseball star Jack Breslin who is now an MSU vice president. Older brother Jay is a first-string linebacker in football.



Bill French hands off to a waiting Gary Koenigskecht to conclude the first leg of the four-mile relay at East Lansing Saturday.

### Problem in depth

## St. Johns track team falls to Alma, Grand Ledge

Although the St. Johns track team continues to reap its share of first place finishes, an apparent lack of depth in the second and third slots hurt the Redwings for the second week in a row.

St. Johns was tripped twice last week by identical scores—68-50—in West Central Conference competition against Grand Ledge and Alma.

Against Alma Thursday, the Redwings took first places in eight of the 14 events with Roger Davis and Dave Flermoen accounting for five of those wins.

Davis won the pole vault, high jump and high hurdles while Flermoen took the 100-yard dash and the 220-yard dash.

Other first place finishers for the Redwings were Rick Flegel, two-mile run; Bill French, 880-yard run, and Dave Oatley, shot put.

Against Grand Ledge, St. Johns



Head Coach Jeff Smith, right, and Linden Laad, assistant had a good vantage point for the East Lansing Relays.

won seven of 14 events with Davis and Flermoen again leading the way.

Davis took first place honors in the pole vault, high hurdles and the high jump while Flermoen won the 100-yard dash and 220-yard dash.

Rounding out other Redwing first places were Fred Root in the mile and Bill French in the 880-yard run.

## Redwing golfers sport 6-1-1 mark

The St. Johns golf team made two fine showings at home last week downing Ovid-Elsie 163-185 and matching Hastings 162-162 for their first tie of the year.

Medalist Chuck Green shot a par 36 in leading the Redwings past Ovid-Elsie. Dan Schueller was second with 40, followed by John Estes with 42 and Rich Stoddard at 45.

Dan Schueller topped the Redwing scoring against Hastings with 39, followed by John Estes—40, Chuck Green—41 and Dave Gaffney—42.

Scoring for Ovid-Elsie were Larry Byrnes—43, Bill Ordway—43, Bernie Everts—46 and Pete Boyle—53.

The Hastings marksmen were Rick Morgan—37, Jim Cummings—39, Rene Unson—42 and Dave McGuire—44.

The win and tie bring St. Johns to a 6-1-1 record for the season. In JV action, the Redwings swept both matches last week dropping Ovid-Elsie 185-252 and Hastings 176-197. St. Johns' JV record now stands at 7-1.

## BOWLING NEWS

Notes from Clinton area leagues

FIRST NIGHTERS Apr. 20 Final			NITE OWLS Apr. 30		
W	L	W	L	W	L
St. Johns Clin.	39 1/2	24 1/2	Caroliere's	39	17
Carling's	39 1/2	24 1/2	Pierson's	38	18
Sears	38	26	Beck & Hyde	38	18
Ray's	36	28	Wheel Inn	36	20
Heathman's	33 1/2	30 1/2	Kurt's Appl.	35	21
Bee's Chevy	33	31	Central Mich. Lum.	33	23
Lanternman Ins.	32	32	Rivard Home	26	30
Roadhouse	30	34	St. Johns Co-op	22	34
Nick's Mkt.	28	36	Gen. Tele.	21 1/2	34 1/2
D & B Shoppe	26	38	Arnold's	17 1/2	38 1/2
Citro	20	38	Boron's	15	41
Benson, carp.	22 1/2	41 1/2	Smith-Dougias	15	41
High team game—Heathmans, 903. High individual game—Marie Buck, 221. High individual series—Ellen Martens, 496.			High team game—Boron's, 856. High individual game—Kurt's Appl., 2319. High individual game—Lynda Knight and Joanne Peck, 181. High individual series—Helen Wakefield, 466.		
NITE OWLS May 4 Make-up game			COFFEE CUP Apr. 23		
Caroliere's	43	17	Daley's Fine Food	89 1/2	34 1/2
Pierson's	39	21	Jay's	80	44
Wheel Inn	39	21	Jems	69	55
Beck & Hyde	38	22	George's	65 1/2	58 1/2
Kurt's Appl.	38	22	Pin Pastors	63	61
Central Mich. Lum.	34	26	S & H Farms	60 1/2	63 1/2
Rivard's	29	31	Wing Traller	56 1/2	67 1/2
St. Johns Co-op	23	37	Jones Boys	56 1/2	67 1/2
Gen. Tele.	22 1/2	37 1/2	Clinton Machine	54	70
Arnold's	20 1/2	39 1/2	Rolling Stones	52 1/2	71 1/2
Smith-Dougias	19	41	Redwing Snack	50 1/2	73 1/2
Boron's	15	45	Harold's	44	80
High team game—Wheel Inn, 834. High team series—Wheel Inn, 2342. High individual game—Joyce Woodhams, 199. High individual series—Ruth Harter, 512. 500 games: Hazel Pearson, 509.			High team game—Daley's Fine Foods, 872. High team series—Daley's Fine Foods, 2556. High individual game—Janet Hasselback, 195. High individual series—Bea Isbell, 512. 200 games: Jean Heathman, 200.		

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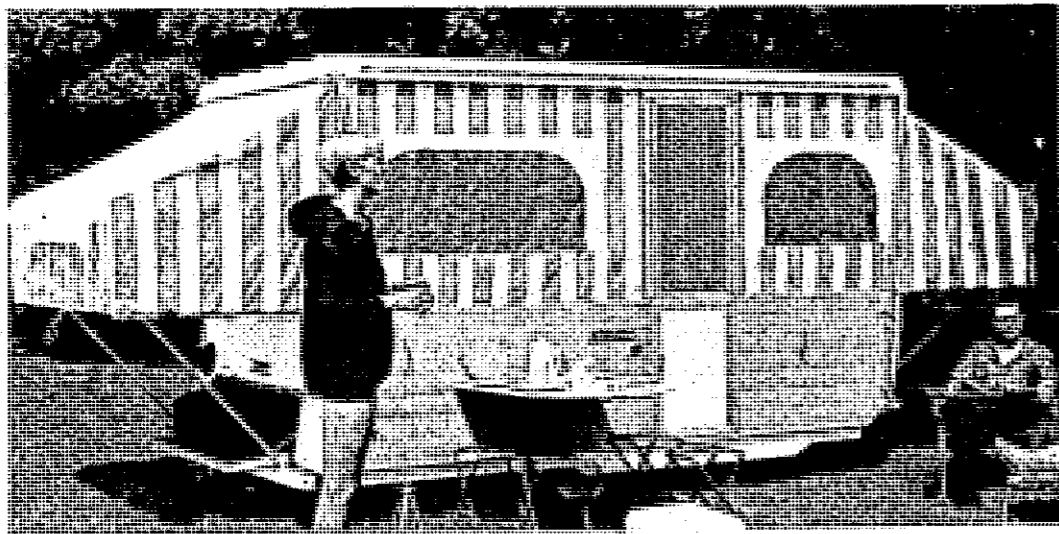
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## 19 P-W High girls at FHA convention

Nineteen girls from Pewamo-Westphalia High School last week attended the 24th Annual Future Homemakers of America convention on the campus of Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo.

Those attending the three-day convention were:

Linda Stump, Patti Trleyweiler, Carol Fox, Cindy Pohl, Joanne Thelen, Karen Fedewa, Julie Spitzley, Beth Noaker, Rosie Simon, Ruth Thelen, Bonnie Fedewa, Denise Fedewa, Alice Huhn, Chris Casari, Chris Rademacher, Irene Pline, Mary Lou Thelen, Diane Simon and Janet Wohlfert.

The P-W chapter has eight state-degree winners this year. They are Linda Stump, Rosie Simon, Ruth Thelen, Carol Fox, Bonnie Fedewa, Denise Fedewa, Mary Lou Thelen and Diane Simon.

Among the girls attending the state convention, Chris Casari is the state vice president of degrees and Beth Noaker is running for state songleader.

The delegates, selected on a chapter quota basis and representing 81 members of the Pewamo-Westphalia Chapter will be accompanied by Mrs. Audrey Casari, Home Economics teacher and local FHA adviser, along with Mrs. Carl Rahl and Mrs. Leon Kellen.

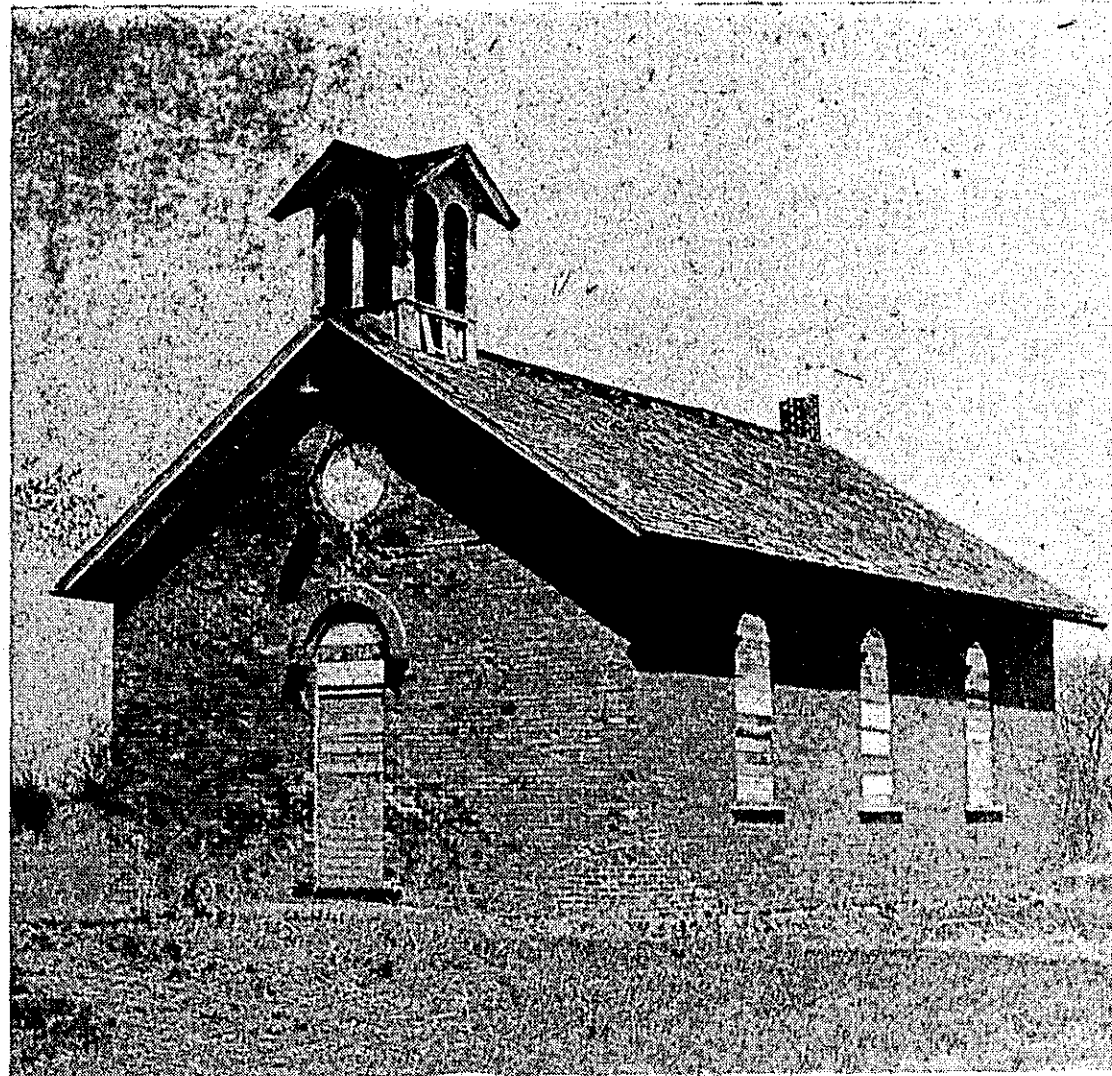
This convention, with four general sessions in WMU's University Auditorium, will draw about 5,500 FHA delegates, members and advisors from 263 chapters throughout Michigan.

The FHA Convention is sponsored by the Home Economics Education Service, Division of Vocational Education, Michigan Department of Education, Lansing. Mrs. Thelma L. Graper

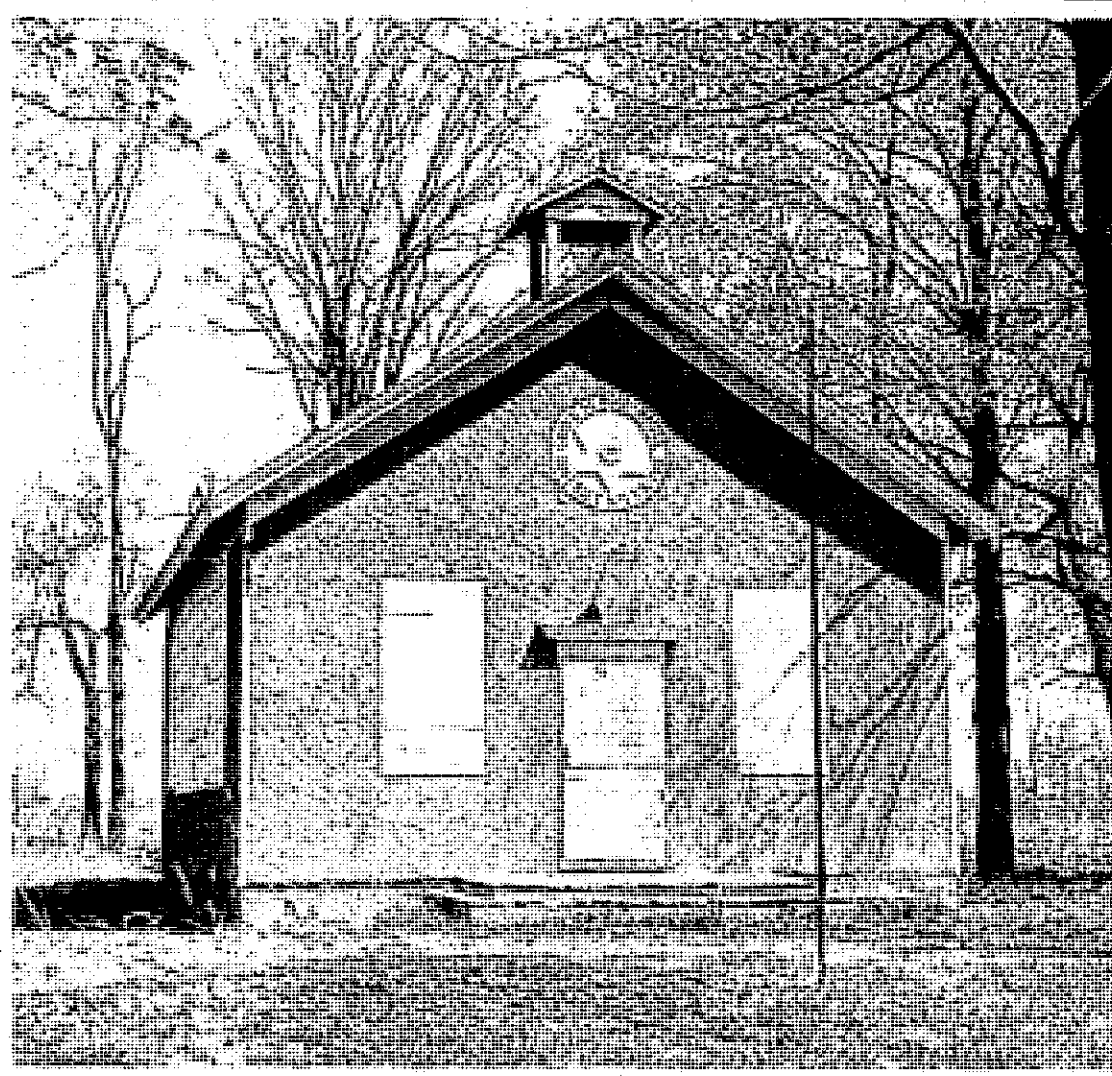
serves as State Adviser.

Following the theme of "FHA Echoes Around The World," the major purposes will be to stress two of the national projects—"To Dare Is To Care" and "Our World—A Growing Heritage."

Speakers at the convention include: Dr. John H. Furbay, lecturer, author, radio commentator and global air commuter of New York City who appears through the courtesy of General Motors; Rt. Rev. Monsignor Hugh Michael Beahan, director of radio and TV for Diocese of Grand Rapids; Rita Oehler, vice president Central Region, Stanford, Illinois; Dr. James Miller, president of Western Michigan University, Symposium of Chloe Ann Westfall, Mrs. Karen Walker and Cheryl Sheathelm who are former state officers. Vocational Educational youth group representatives: Donna Corbin, State Secretary, Education Park C, Grand Rapids; Robert Craig, State FFA President, Ovid and Michigan State University freshman; Keith Vautherot, State President of Office Education Association of Michigan, Waterford High School, Pontiac; Ronald Englehart, State President of Michigan VICA, Lincoln High School, Warren, and Jodi Goodrich, immediate past State FFA President, Onekama.



Dennison School, 80-year-old red brick schoolhouse on the state park grounds, will be restored as a state historical site when the park is completed. Officials are trying to locate an authentic school bell to reproduce the sights and sounds of nearly a century ago.



The century-old Grove School House, located on the Sleepy Hollow grounds, is not included in present restoration plans, but acting Park Supervisor Lance Koschtial says officials do not rule out the school's historical interest for park visitors and may revise the project to include the school.

## DNR names new park supervisor, conservation officer in Clinton

Two new conservation representatives from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources have been assigned to Clinton County to assist residents and

supervise new programs and regulations. Lance Koschtial, 28, has been named acting park supervisor at the Sleepy Hollow State Park site. Originally from Dearborn, Koschtial was assigned to Clinton County when plans for the state park were developed last summer. He was assistant park supervisor at the Grand Haven State Park before moving here. Koschtial and his wife Loraine have three pre-school children and reside in a home on the park grounds. Donald Wealch, 32, has been

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**TO HONOR GRADUATES**  
Saturday evening, May 16 at 7 p.m., family night will begin with a potluck supper and will honor the graduates of 1970. Graduating from Ovid Elsie will be Richard Acre, David Schwark, Bruce Thornton, A. J. Grubough, Lois Hibbard, Rosella Howard, Marsha Buck, Wendy Snyder, Vicki Hood. From St. Johns High School, Howard Kimball and Sylvia Oakley. Program will follow the supper.

Miss Linda Molnaro of Southfield, John Burnham of Michigan State University, Alan Johnson of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Burnham of Naperville, Ill. were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Burnham and attended the musical, "Where's Charley?" at St. Johns High School on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Max Holt and Mrs. Elmore Randolph of rural St. Johns called on their mother in St. Louis Sunday afternoon.

named conservation officer for the county. Wealch, in his first year with the department, will handle special problems of conservation regulations and will police the county for violations. Wealch and wife Joanne have two children and reside at 314 E. Madison, DeWitt.

Both men explained some of the problems recently encountered in their conservation work. "The picking up of wild baby animals by local residents has been quite a problem," Wealch said. "There is a serious possibility of the animal biting the person causing infection and sickness."

"If they could leave these baby animals alone, many of our problems would be solved," he said. "In fact, it is against the law and could bring a \$100 fine and a jail sentence," Wealch added.

Wealch indicated that he does not like to issue a summons for a first offense. "Most people do not realize that these things are against the law," he said. Both men felt that if violations continue, a stricter approach will be taken.

Wealch said that the littering of state and county roads and property is a growing problem. Conservation officers and the courts are stepping up attempts to apprehend and prosecute offenders.

One program allows the offender to return to the scene and clean up the littered area in exchange for a reduced fine. Wealch said that this has worked successfully in recent months.

Koschtial complained about the use of motorized vehicles on state land. He said motorcycles, dune buggies and snowmobiles have caused damage to state property in recent years.

"We are trying to educate the public, informing them that these activities are against the law, also," he said.

These people should use the areas that are established and approved for these vehicles, Koschtial said. By tearing up the earth, they have hindered our planting and reforestation programs.

Removal of trees and shrubs, bearing firearms, archery shooting and the use of BB guns are illegal this year under the revised rules and regulations.

"We are doing a good deal of talking on these rules because education is what we're after, not strict enforcement," Koschtial said.



Clinton County has two new Conservation representatives. At left is Donald Wealch, conservation officer in charge of patrolling state-owned land in the county. Lance Koschtial (right) is the acting Park Supervisor at the Sleepy Hollow State Park site in eastern Clinton County.

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# City Commission

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sion opened its Monday night meeting into the teeth of a buzz saw as a citizen spoke out angrily against lime deposits in his home humidifier and the lack of city softened water.

Russell Welsh of 801 E. McConnell, deposited a small tin of lime deposits on the table before Mayor Robert Wood, intoning his displeasure with the need for removing them from his belt-type humidifier. Welsh also voiced his concern over why residents are not being provided with soft water.

On the lime deposit question Dr James Grost advised Welsh that regardless of the softness of the water the build-up of lime would be a problem and particularly in the belt-type humidifier being used. According to Grost's explanation, the belt-type mechanism is highly efficient and consequently is subjected to greater amounts of moisture than plate-type humidifiers.

In addition, City Manager Harvey Weatherwax and Commissioner Charles Coletta pointed out that no lime is being added to city water. Coletta briefly explained the mechanics of the water plant to Welsh, pointing out that the plant itself is functioning as efficiently as any in the state of Michigan. "However, we are not softening the water," Coletta explained, "because we cannot dispose of the sludge from the softening process."

In other business the commission approved fund raising flower sales for the Blue Star Mothers and VFW to be held June 19-20 and May 21, 22 and 23, respectively.

Approved rezoning ordinances after public hearing changing three parcels of land in the city to commercial designation. The areas involved included areas on either side of State St. between Baker and Scott Road; property adjacent to Swatman's Service at the corner of State and US-27; and the large parcel of land in which Andy's IGA, Ranch Roller Rink and Redwing Lanes are located.

Read a letter from school authorities indicating full support for use of Swegles School and Rodney B. Wilson Junior High as polling places.

A group of St. Johns teenagers won city commission's nod of approval Monday night for operating the concession stand at the park during summer months.

The action came after a series of visits by the group to city commission meetings and after

details of a contract were tentatively agreed to.

Members of the group, sponsored by Richard Bolyard, include, Pat Iszler, chairman; Lynne Davey, Ron Whitefield, Donna Riddle, Dan Henning and Mary Ann Kanaski.

According to Miss Iszler, the group, all members of retail study class, will operate the concession during normal park hours seven days each week beginning some time after graduation through Labor Day.

Under action taken by the city commission, on a motion by Dr James Grost and Commissioner John Hannah, the city has agreed to allow the group to keep any profits from the stand's operation. This phase of the pact was encouraged by Kurt Becker, chairman of the park board, who indicated an anticipation of only small profit figures.

"The operation of this stand," Becker said, "was thought by the park board to serve twopurposes. One is to give these kids retailing experience and, secondly, to provide the community with a concession service in the park, which hasn't been there the past two or three years."

Becker strongly supported the youngsters' bid for the concession stand and hinted approval would have been earned by efforts the young people in the community have extended in recent years to keep the park maintained.

# Ed Board

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dergarten through six.

In other action, the school board:

Selected board member Wendell Waggoner to give out diplomas at graduation.

Agreed to work with St. Joseph Catholic School to provide space and busing for migrant children in a federal education program this summer.

Told the Rev Hugh Banning and a group calling themselves "concerned parents" that no decision had been reached concerning a special program to aid hyperactive children. The program, a pilot project, has been financed for three years by the federal government and ends this year.

# Bannister

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The Ovid-Elsie Band Banquet was held Monday evening at the high school. Several band members and their families from Bannister attended.

# MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET

The Annual Mother-Daughter Banquet was held Tuesday evening, May 5 at the United Methodist Church of Bannister.

The program followed the banquet which served 170 persons. Mrs Thomas Moore served as toastmistress for the evening. The toast to mothers was given by Cathy Schlarf with the toast to daughters by Mrs John Schlarf.

Mrs Donald Hinkley, Deborah and Donna sang "Sweetest as the Years Go By" accompanied on the organ by Mrs Walter Miller.

President of the WSCS, Mrs Mildred Bradley presented the gifts. Mrs Minnie Scott was the oldest mother present while Karmen Kay Swanson was the youngest daughter. Mrs Mazie Hitchens of Port Huron traveled the farthest. The youngest mother present was Mrs Mary Anderson. Some novelty gifts were given to Karen Tabor for having a ribbon in her hair, to Mrs Clifford Casler for having shoestrings, to Mrs Elmer Leydorf for visiting Hawaii and to Miss Marcie Moore for having the most buttons on her clothes. Mrs Bradley also gave a memorial tribute to two members who passed away in the past year, Mrs Frieda Ferris and Mrs Florence Leydorf.

The main event of the evening was Mr and Mrs Elmer Leydorf showing slides and telling of their visit to Hawaii. Benediction was given by Mrs Wayne Sparks.

The Junior and Senior UMYF of Bannister met Sunday evening in Wesley Center. Plans were made to have the annual camp-out on the banks of the Maple River the weekend of June 13 and 14. The Senior group made plans to conduct a worship service on May 24 during the regular service. Refreshments were served.

Mr and Mrs Robert Valentine and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Russell Pope and family of St. Johns. Other guests were Mrs Irene Crowell and Dale, Mr and Mrs Bill Crowell and family of Lansing and Mr and Mrs William Rando and family of Owosso.

# St. Johns High School site for drama contest

St. Johns High School has been chosen as the site for the 1970 Michigan High School Forensics Association's Region III Drama Contest.

This event, coordinated by R. L. Koger of the St. Johns High Communication Arts Department, will be at Poculis Auditorium Saturday, May 16.

Schools competing for Best Play, Second Best Play, Best Actress, and Best Actor are Flint Northwestern, Flint Beecher, Essexville Garber, Shepherd, St. Johns, and Grand Ledge.

Here is the schedule for the day:

9 a.m.—Flint Northwestern, "White Dresses"

10 a.m.—Grand Ledge, "Waiting for the Bus"

11 a.m.—Flint Beecher, "Mannequins' Demise"

12:30 p.m.—Shepherd, "The Hitchhiker"

1:30 p.m.—St. Johns, "Dope"

2:30 p.m.—Essexville Garber, "The Sandbox"

3:30 p.m.—Award Assembly

St. Johns High is presenting Maryat Lee's production of "Dope." This production was originally produced on East 100th Street in New York and written with the people of that area in mind.

The production was staged on the street by people actually from the street and played before an audience of two to three thousand people standing in open lots and streets for five neighboring blocks.

The public is invited to this event free of charge.

# Fluoride clinics for Clinton children

Clinton County area schools will hold summer topical fluoride clinics for children, says Mrs Luella Canfield, R.N., chairman of the program.

According to Mrs Canfield, 600 children have been enrolled in the program to be held at four county locations.

The procedure consists of four visits to the clinic at approximately two-day intervals. The child's teeth are cleaned during the first visit and a fluoride application is then repeated during the three succeeding visits. This technique has been shown to reduce tooth decay by about 40 per cent, Mrs Canfield explained.

In 1951, when this original production took place, this was the heart of the nation's narcotic traffic. It was produced by the East Harlem Protestant Parish and sponsored by such people as Jackie Robinson, Mayor Robert F. Wagner, and Nipsy Russell. It dealt with a problem that existed then, and still exists today.

The play is about Louie who takes dope and his friend Porse who has begun to give dope to Louie's sister, Celee. Discovering the threat to his sister, the young man—jaded out of his indifference and plunged into dismay—sees in a nightmare what is required of him.

Struggling against agonizing need for dope, he seeks Porse for a showdown. Porse ridicules him and tempts him with more dope. The end result of which is dramatically powerful and unpredictable.

The cast, under the direction of R. L. Koger of the St. Johns High Theatre Division, is headed by Doug Nickelson in the lead role of Louie, Jim Davis as Porse, Kathy Irer as Celee, and a strong supporting cast consisting of Joe Fosmoe, Tom Lynch, Chris Gentry, Mary Patton, and Peter DeCamp.

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Looking over the new building site of the Federal-Mogul Credit Union are members of the Building Committee. From left, are Fred Fernholz, Louis Eisler, Doris Vance and Roy Ebert, committee chairman.

# Federal-Mogul Credit Union plans a new home

The Federal-Mogul Credit Union will have a new home soon, according to Roy Ebert, chairman of the building committee.

Ebert said the new building will be located on the property at the rear and adjacent to the Redwing Bowling Lanes on US-27.

Credit Union officials are studying the future needs and potential growth and evaluating services under a six-week study plan, Ebert said.

"We started the Credit Union in 1955 and we were working out of a shoebox," Ebert said. Since that time the Credit Union has grown into a \$1 million organization and has become a "definite part of the economy to St. Johns," he added.

Ebert indicated that the Credit Union, has enlisted .95 per cent participation among the 700 Federal-Mogul employees.

The Credit Union is planning to add car insurance service to the life and health insurance

services already available. "We will increase these services as we grow," Ebert said.

The larger facility will require an addition to the labor force. Ebert said that two full-time workers and one part-time person will be added to the staff.

# Wacousta

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Wacousta Chapter hosted a banquet Tuesday evening honoring their past matrons and patrons. Mrs Ruth Grier spoke on Antiques.

The tables were decorated with pieces furnished by members and the oil lamps were light on the tables.

Mrs Jay Fuday and Mrs Melvin McDonough were in charge of decorations while Mrs Richard Titus and other officers prepared and served a chicken dinner.

Louise Hemingway, Floy and Carl Miller and King Lee were

He speculated that future growth could require five full-time workers eventually.

When the study group turns in its final report, architects will be chosen and construction will begin, Ebert said.

presented their 50 year certificates.

Spring Creek Circle will meet Thursday evening with Mrs Art Starkey, Mrs Emma Bass is co-hostess. The program "The Age of Peace" will be in charge of Mrs Don Miller.

Mrs Carl Miller, Mrs Frank Wright, Mrs Lester Garlock Sr, Mrs Paul Garlock, Mrs Ed Kraft, Mrs Forrest Shipman, Mrs Albert Patterson, Mrs Albert Craun, Mrs Herman Opendlander, Mrs Melvin McDonough, Mrs Vaughn Montgomery, Mrs John Buckmaster, Mrs Lewis Babbitt, Mrs Ira Ballinger and Mrs Richard Titus attended the Clinton County Association convention of the Order of Easter Star in Maple Rapids, Monday.

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These three gals were all bundled up in snowsuits, boots and mittens as they played king (or in this case, queen) of the snowdrift. They are, from left, Laurie Pouch, Barbara Lundy and Lisa Thelen.



Out on the roads the adults were having their problems with the spring snow. This Clinton County Road Commission truck ran over itself, or at least its own plow. William Richards was plowing Alward Road, between Krepps and Williams Roads when the tip of the huge plow "dove" into the soft rough mud and the side of the road ripping the plow and frame from the truck.



The weather finally warmed, though, and these young fisherman Craig Petrik and Mike Garrod, didn't waste any time getting out to Galloway's Creek, north of St. Johns.

Remember snow?

It was only a month ago . . .

It may be difficult to believe, but only a month ago Clinton County people were mentally and physically involved in winter of the worst kind. Instead of April showers there was April snow. Two of the year's biggest snow storms had hit the area within the space of a week. But finally, the fishermen persevered. And so did the campers and the baseball nuts. Then the backyard barbecues slowly came out of hibernation and suddenly it was spring. And weather-wise, all was right with the world.

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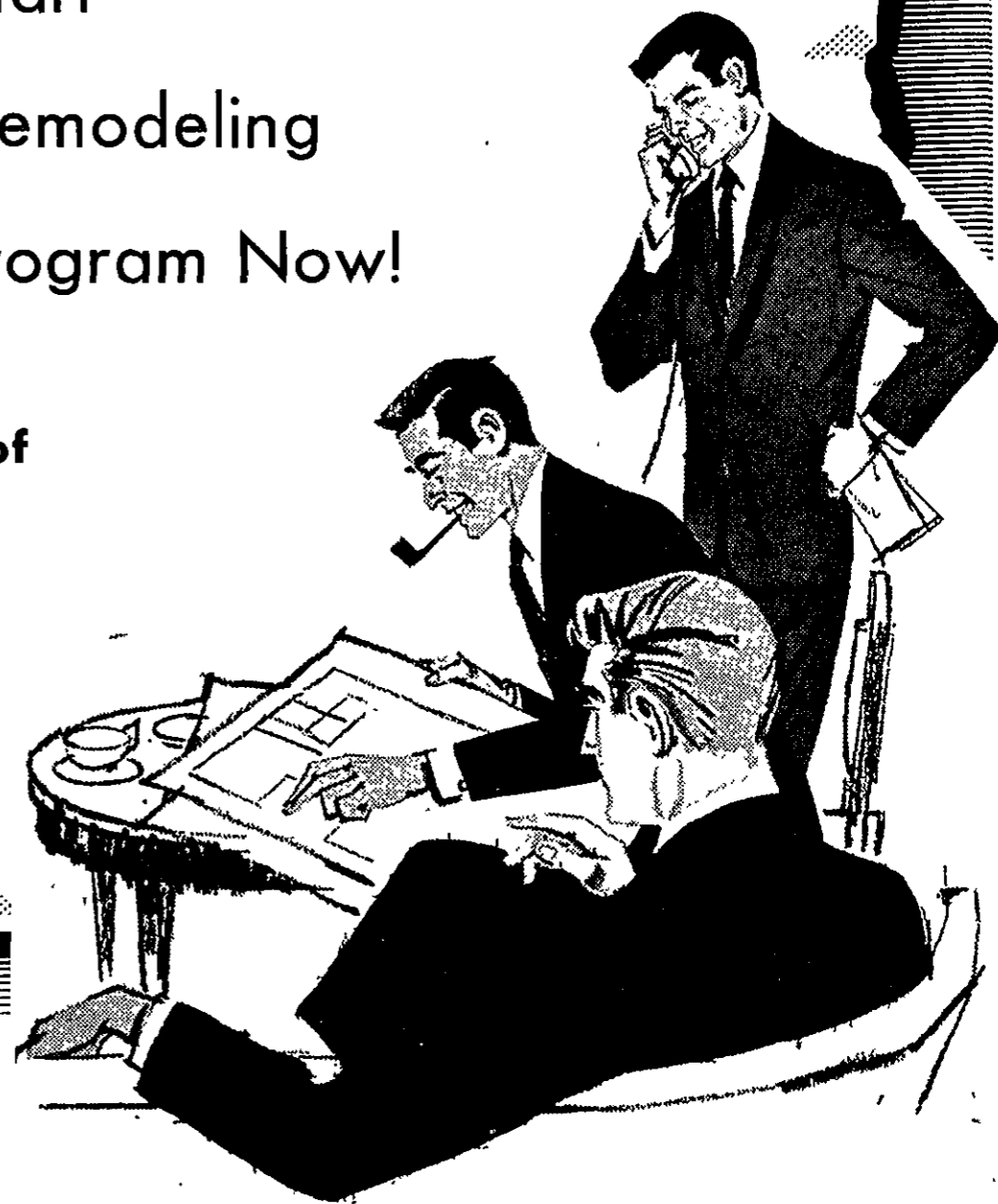
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## Seventh Grade

John Barnes, Jo Ellen Bearup, Leisa Bissell, Andrea Boyce, Polly Bunces, Debbie Butler, Constance Cornell, Karen Dietrich, Renee Dittmer, Karen Foo, Rick Foster, Nancy Gentry, Lori Goff, Makayla Good, Norman Gove, Mark Green, Joseph Hallenbeck, David Harger, Julie Havens, Jeffery Hazle, Pam Hufnagel, Annette Hulett, Bruce Joslyn, Kendra Knight, William Kohls, Marian Kurnez, Leona Ludwig, Cynthia Maier, Dorella Marten, Susan Mitchell, Timothy Mitchell, James Moore, Karen Murton, Sandy Nelson, Theresa Nemcik, Lori Nostrant, Derick Pardee, Barbara Penix, Pat Peterson, Debbie Rudy, Joan Schultz, Sherry Sears, Kristine Shafley, Sherry Sidell, Chris Signs, Larry Slagell, Sherilyn Smith, Sherry Spencer, Laurel Springer, Daniel Stauffer, Dale Stephenson, Brian Stork, Lorene Tait, Lucy Thompson, Terry Tucker, Kathleen Valentine, Randy VanAmburg, Kurt VanBuren, LeAnn Wadsworth, Harold Wellman Jr.

son, John Gossett, Todra Haske, Eugene Hatch, Stuart Hazle, Judy Heiback, Susan Holm, Marguerite Holmer, Jeff Hunt, David Iacovoni, Betty Jolly, Suzanne Ludwig, Leonard Mailand, Gina Mazzolini, Douglas Merignac, Jennifer Minsky, Harry Moldenhauer, Linda Myers, Mike Paradise, Steve Parks, Jack Patterson, Gene Pederson, Jon Prowant, Kathy Quick, David Rappuhn, Diane Rensberry, Vickie Schneider, Diane Schomisch, James Shane, Sue Shimabery, Melinda Slim, Michael Slpkovsky, Teresa Speers, David Spousta, Brian Studer, Penny Taylor, Stephanie Toth, Russell Waggoner, Sue Watt, Mark Wawczyk, Lee Witt, Sharon Wood, Verna Wood, Cheryl Worrall.

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## Ninth Grade

Mary Ellen Albers, Sandra Anderson, Theodore Ashley, Anne Barber, James Barnes, Sandra Barnes, Brian Batterbee, Evelyn Bishop, LuAnn Bond, Randy Boss, Jill Bunces, Bruce Cameron, Chris Chant, Christie Chant, Linda Cole, Mark Crosby, Mark DeBoer, Janet DeWitt, Carolyn Divish, Daniel Downing, Sharon Dubay, Sally Durner, John Eldridge, Glenn Ernst, David Fitzpatrick, Bernice Fox, Patricia Fox, Jane Galloway, John Geller, Susan Goetze, Lynne Grost, Bruce Haas, Debbie Harper, Linda Harper, David Hart, Kim Haske, Susan Hauser, Kathi Haviland, Christine Hayes, James Hebel, Mark Heller, Diane Henning, Sally Henning, Hollie Hethorn, Linda Hosen, Theresa Huard, Sandra Huntley, Barbara Idzkowski, Otto Jacob, Eddie Jorae, Sharon Keilien, Diana Kirkpatrick, Karen Knight, Karen Kramer, Mary Kun-

son, John Gossett, Todra Haske, Eugene Hatch, Stuart Hazle, Judy Heiback, Susan Holm, Marguerite Holmer, Jeff Hunt, David Iacovoni, Betty Jolly, Suzanne Ludwig, Leonard Mailand, Gina Mazzolini, Douglas Merignac, Jennifer Minsky, Harry Moldenhauer, Linda Myers, Mike Paradise, Steve Parks, Jack Patterson, Gene Pederson, Jon Prowant, Kathy Quick, David Rappuhn, Diane Rensberry, Vickie Schneider, Diane Schomisch, James Shane, Sue Shimabery, Melinda Slim, Michael Slpkovsky, Teresa Speers, David Spousta, Brian Studer, Penny Taylor, Stephanie Toth, Russell Waggoner, Sue Watt, Mark Wawczyk, Lee Witt, Sharon Wood, Verna Wood, Cheryl Worrall.

## Eighth Grade

Debra Adamski, Debbie Archer, Sandy Ashenfelder, Susan Barclay, Renee Bashore, Robert Boettger, Eric Bond, Gloria Bond, Debra Bond, Debra Brussel, Doreen Burk, Darlene Burk, Karen Casteel, Sheila Chamberlain, Dick Cochran, Mark Cornell, Janet Davis, Sue Davis, William DeCamp, Kim Delo, John DeWitt, Deborah Eisler, Wayne Flermon, Tom French, Beckie Gib-

son, John Gossett, Todra Haske, Eugene Hatch, Stuart Hazle, Judy Heiback, Susan Holm, Marguerite Holmer, Jeff Hunt, David Iacovoni, Betty Jolly, Suzanne Ludwig, Leonard Mailand, Gina Mazzolini, Douglas Merignac, Jennifer Minsky, Harry Moldenhauer, Linda Myers, Mike Paradise, Steve Parks, Jack Patterson, Gene Pederson, Jon Prowant, Kathy Quick, David Rappuhn, Diane Rensberry, Vickie Schneider, Diane Schomisch, James Shane, Sue Shimabery, Melinda Slim, Michael Slpkovsky, Teresa Speers, David Spousta, Brian Studer, Penny Taylor, Stephanie Toth, Russell Waggoner, Sue Watt, Mark Wawczyk, Lee Witt, Sharon Wood, Verna Wood, Cheryl Worrall.

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# Ovid Junior High Honor Roll

The following students received a "B" average or better for the 5th marking period.

## 8th Grade

Dawn Applebee, Sheryl Arnett, Mary Alice Bates - (All A's), Irene Boose, Randy Bowles, David Brandel, Debbie Carpenter, Joan Carr, Kay Chamberlain, Dan Copelin, Linda Craig, Mike Criner, Rosemary Darling, Dennis Delaney, Mary Dunay, Karen Francis, Joanne Gruesbeck, Robert Hayton, Dwight Hunt, Jim Johnson, Ed Kibby, David Mack, Devonna Marriage, Debra Miller, Grant Palen, Randy Pollard, Maurine Purves, Jim Rees, Robin Shively - (All A's), Karen Sincropl,

## 7th Grade

Teona Arnett, Rex Ballantine, Jim Beauchamp, Tim Bolton, Tom Bracey, Paul Case, Judy Castle, Jack Cook, Janice Deisler, Pam Flegel, Craig Goebel, Christine Gruesbeck, Tracey Hinkle, Mike Hoelt, Kathie Janes, Cheryl Kirinovic, Robin Luckhurst, Gregg Martin - (All A's), Charlene Mead, Robin Miller, Karann Olson, Amber Parks, Brian Parmenter, Cindy Shinaberry, Carl Smith, Mark Smith, Cinda Thompson, LouAnn Tomasek, Ellen Watson, Brian Welton, Barbara Whiting, Rusty Ziegler.

# Elsie Junior High Honor Roll

## 8th Grade

Jo Ann Archer, Renee Basha, Nancy Batora, Paul Barrett, Theresa Cermak, Janet Chapko, Kathy Foreit, Charles Green, (All A's), Debra Holton, Pamela Jewell, Debra Jones, Jeff Keck, Greg Kellogg, Denise Kristin, Christine Laditski, Susan Latz, Stephanie McHarque, Kathleen Moore, Debbie Ordway, (All A's), Jean Raymer, Robin Reha, Tom Rives, Kirk Schultz, Steve Szilagyi, Paul Thornton, Thom Tomasek, Jim Valentine, Debra Webster.

bler, Mike Jewell, Diane Kajdas, Loretta Knutson, (All A's), Karen Libertin, Laura Moore, Perry Munson, Debbie Oberlitter, Robin Porubsky, Susan Vostriansky, Tammy West, Sharon Winkler.

## 7th Grade

Tim Baker, Katie Foran, Lynn Galke, Gary Hashley, Dean Hib-

## Alward-Plowman District

By Mrs Bernice Wohlfert

Mr and Mrs Keith Wohlfert and family, Mr and Mrs Robert Volsiner, Debbie and Paul Cowles and Mrs Betty Wright were guests of Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlfert Saturday evening to celebrate their father's and grandfather's birthday. Mrs Sue Blizard was also a guest.

# St. Johns High School Honor Roll

## Seniors

Jane Allaby 10  
Kathy Asher 15  
Brian Ballinger 10  
Mark Barber 12  
Jamie Bargar 13  
Diane Barnes 11  
Scott Becker 10  
Scott Bennett (6) 13  
Gregory Blanchard 14  
Chris Bohll 13  
Mel Bond (6) 13  
Norma Brya 9  
Amy Castner (4) 10  
Dave Conklin 18  
Cathy Cronkrite (6) 8  
Don Crosby (4) 10  
Lynne Davey 12  
Cindy Davis 15  
Kathy Davis 11  
Roger Davis 15  
Doug Dubay (6) 12  
Jerry Dush 12  
Nate Ellis (6) 9  
Dolores Evitts (4) 14  
Diane Fedewa 13  
Edna Feighner (6) 16  
Brenda Feldpausch (6) 9  
Kathy Feldpausch (4) 14  
Tom Fowler (6) 12  
Dave Gaffney 12  
Ray Gardner 11  
Valerie Gillespie 11  
Cathy Halsey 11  
Mona Harger 14  
Dale Harris 11  
Barb Harte 15  
Daniel Henning 12  
Russ Hicks 10  
Chris Holm 14  
Faith Hopkins (6) 12  
Helen Hospodar 12  
Val Hufnagel 14  
Dave Hylar 14  
Elaine Jastram (6) 15  
Vicki Johnston 11  
Mary Ann Kanaski 17  
Honey Karber (6) 14  
Rhonda Kloeckner 12  
Sue Koengsknecht 13  
Sharon Kowalk 10  
Karen Kobylarz 14  
Larry Kruger (6) 12  
Doug Kurnez (6) 8  
Sherry Kus (4) 11  
Betsy Lanterman 12  
Bill LeFevre 11  
Debbie Locher 14  
Martha Locher 14  
Karon Lundy 12  
Connie Marten 8  
Danny Matice (4) 10  
Jim Mead 11  
Bert Medina 11  
Maureen Miller 13  
Dick Moldenhauer (6) 12  
Mike Munger 15  
Sally MacLuekie 10  
Julie McCausey (4) 13  
Sue Shane (6) 14  
Kathy Nichols 12  
Doug Nickelson 14  
Nancy Nichols 11  
Terry Nobis 12  
Sylvia Oakley 12  
Linda Olsen 12  
Sally Parks 14  
Jon Pierson 16  
Vince Pouch (6) 11  
Karen Price 18  
Craig Puetz (6) 12  
Sheila Pulliam 12  
Sheryl Pulliam 14  
Pearl Pytowany 14  
Ron Rademacher 15  
Allan Rappuhn (6) 8  
Bob Rehman (4) 12  
Ann Remus 13  
Dale Rennells 11  
Denise Reuter 10  
Joan Ribar 10  
Karen Rossow 10  
Sharon Rossow 11  
Christina Schneider 14  
Dan Schueller 14  
Leon Searles (6) 10  
June Selk 14  
Sue Sibley 15  
Julie Silvestri 13  
Mark Simon (6) 8  
Verna Slagell (4) 15  
Kendra Stephenson 15

## Juniors

Richard Stoddard 11  
Sharon Summer (6) 13  
Deborah Taylor (4) 8  
Linda Thayer 12  
Eileen Thelen (4) 9  
Karen Tolles (4) 12  
Daria Wakefield 12  
Sally Welsh 15  
Mary Willbur 13  
Diane Williams 10  
Sandra Wing 14  
Delores Wood 10  
Janice Woodhams 12  
Pamela Zarka 10  
Vicki Amos 14  
Janet Andrews 14  
Joanne Benedict (6) 14  
Kathryn Bowerman (6) 11  
Maynard Boyce 11  
Barbara Brown 11  
Michael Brown 11  
Connie Burnham (6) 15  
Judy Butler 17  
Margaret Castner (6) 17  
Debra Cochran (6) 16  
Ronald Cuthbert 16  
James Davis (6) 13  
Gwen Dickman (6) 14  
Thomas Doyle 11  
Paul Durner 10  
Barbara Eaton 11  
John Estes (6) 11  
Linda Feldpausch (6) 13  
James Findlay 11  
David Flermoen 12  
Connie Gove 15  
Kathy Grost (6) 14  
Christine Baker 12  
Lorraine Harger (6) 12  
Lawrence Hayes 10  
Andy Henning 10  
Patti Henning 11  
Mary Hott (6) 15  
Brad Huntley (6) 12  
Kathy Irner (6) 17  
Deanne Jorae 13  
Christine Jumper (6) 10  
Christine Kissane 10  
Karen Kohls 14  
Quentin Kuntz (6) 12  
Barbara Kurnez 10  
Dean Lerg (6) 13  
Greg Lounds (6) 8  
Xavier Millet 11  
Susan Mohnke 12  
Richard McCann (4) 11  
Jim McQueen (6) 14  
Doug Parks (6) 14  
Tim Pards 10  
Van Patterson (6) 13  
Linda Patton (6) 10  
Donna Rademacher 15  
Tom Rasdale (6) 11  
Lambert Rehmman 10  
Vickie Snyder 12  
Ruth Remus (6) 12  
Lynn Riley 12  
Beth Schultz 15  
Sue Shane (6) 13  
Patti Shinaberry (6) 17  
Jane Smith (6) 15  
Jean Smith (6) 14  
Kelly Spicer (6) 12  
Sandy Spousta 11  
Ricki Stachel (6) 16  
Rosann Szarka 12  
Marlene Taylor 13  
Catherine Turner 15  
Larry Vitek 13  
Theresa Voisenet (6) 16  
Jacq Walton 10  
Darlene Weber 10  
Jody Westland (6) 12  
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Lenore Wood 11  
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Rhonda Woodbury 11  
Carole Yurek 11  
Joyce Zell 13

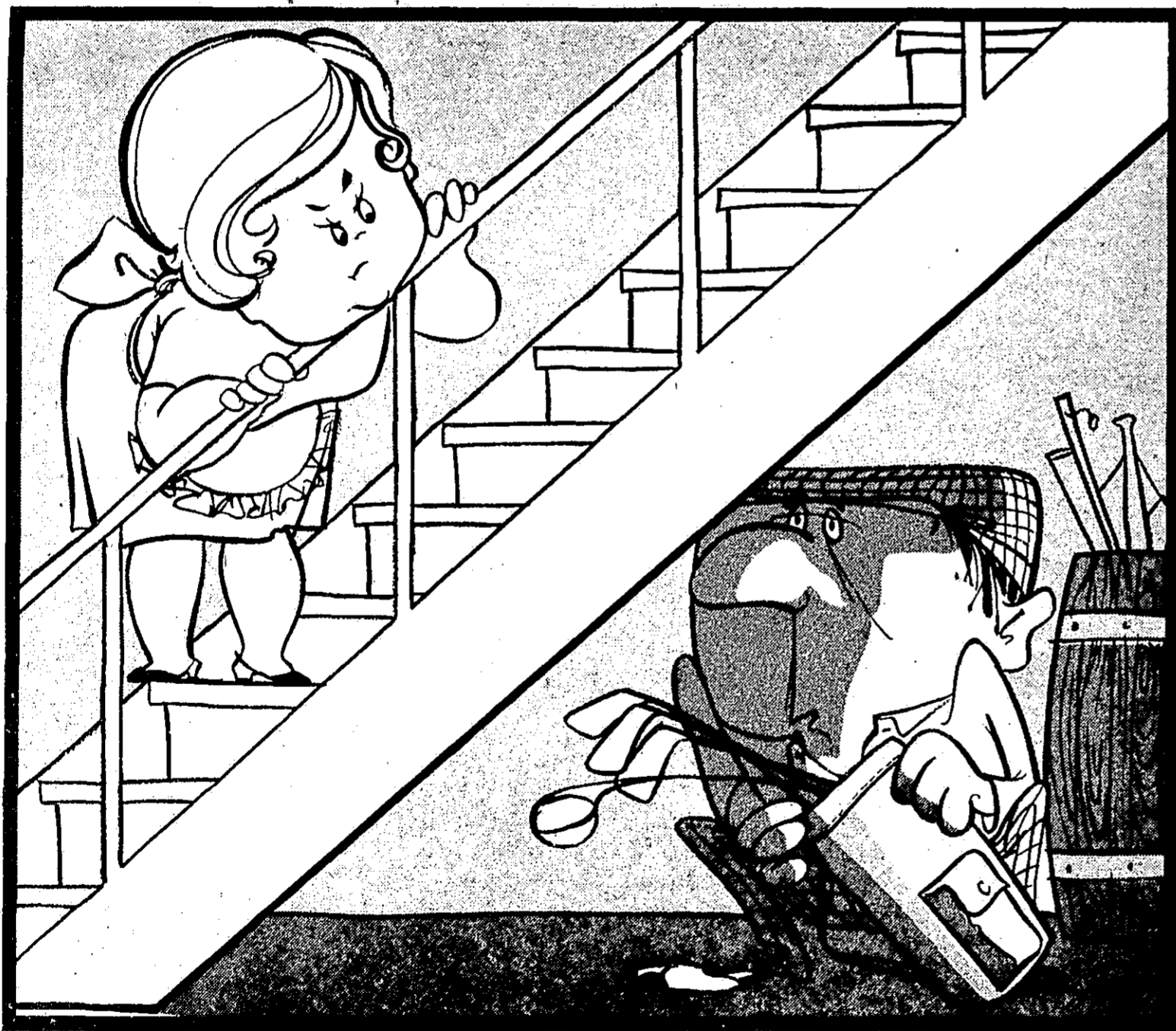
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Julie Aldrich 13  
Michelle Amos 12  
Cheryl Amstutz 13  
Karla Austin (6) 17  
Pat Ballard 10  
Jim Bappert (6) 14  
Katie Barker 16  
Janet Barnes (6) 16  
Paula Barrett 10

Dan Barz (6) 17  
Diana Batterbee (6) 13  
Dorene Bauer (6) 12  
Kathy Beagle (6) 17  
Chris Beechler 13  
Mark Black (6) 13  
Kathy Boettger (6) 17  
Kim Brewbaker 10  
Leanne Brown 12  
Karen Buggs (6) 14  
Terri Bunces (6) 17  
Terri Burnham (6) 16  
Donald Cuthbert 14  
Randy Davis 11  
Jacki DeGeer 13  
Ronald Dollarhite 10  
Beth Doyle (6) 17  
David Dush 14  
Marty Ernst (6) 13  
Joyce Fedewa (6) 14  
Jan Feldpausch 15  
Keith Foote 11  
Anne Fox (6) 18  
Cathy French (6) 16  
Paula Gibson (6) 16  
Michael Grost (6) 14  
Jill Guernsey (6) 13  
Kathleen Halms 14  
Jim Harte (6) 14  
Judy Hayes 13  
Kevin Haskes (6) 15  
Kathy Hazle (6) 12  
Paul Hebel 12  
Denisse Henning (6) 14  
Bernadette Jorae (6) 16  
Bonnie Kimball 13  
Laura Knight 15  
Gary Koengsknecht 11  
John Kruger (6) 13  
Mary LaBrie (6) 16  
Cindy LaChappelle 12  
Cindy Lanterman (6) 13  
Mitchel Leons 13  
Chave Lound 10  
Marilyn Lound 11  
Mary Mather 11  
Maurice Mazzolini (6) 17  
Tom Moldenhauer (6) 15  
Marcia Moiz 11  
Nancy McCausey 11  
Lori McQueen (6) 16  
Phyllis Ochis 15  
Eugene Patterson (6) 16  
Mary Patton 10  
Nancy Prasocki 10  
Karen Rademacher 12  
Celia Remus 12  
Lynn Richards (6) 14  
Marilyn Romig 11  
Judy Roof (6) 16  
Stella Salazar 10  
Kent Schueller 10  
Patricia Sees (4) 10  
Diane Sibley (6) 12  
Jacki Slade 12  
Denice Smith 10  
Trudy Smith (6) 13  
Vickie Snyder 12  
Karin Summer 10  
David Speerbrecker 14  
Larry Spiller (6) 15  
Barbara Spousta 13  
Patricia Spousta 10  
Janet Stampski 10  
Mark Stephenson (6) 12  
Marsha Stevens 13  
Kathy Stoddard 12  
Beth Stork (6) 14  
Anita Stirgar 11  
Mary Summer 14  
Marcia Tait 13  
Lu Anne Thelen 16  
Janie Thrush (6) 16  
Debbie Turner 10  
Laura Vandervort 14  
Jane Vitek 11  
Rebecca Watchorn 13  
Amy Wellman (6) 16  
Sharon Whitford 15  
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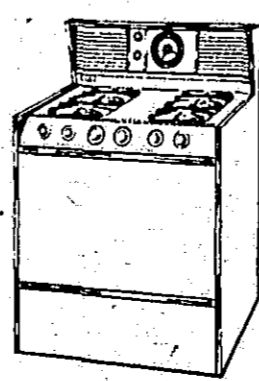
Marshall's Last  
Andrew Jackson was the last president sworn in by Chief Justice John Marshall. It was the ninth time Marshall administered the oath of office to a president of the United States.

# If men had to clean ovens



every woman would have a gas range that cleans itself automatically

Set yourself free from oven cleaning. Ask your husband to scrub away the stubborn spatters — crusted-on spillings and drippings. Then see where he goes! If you don't find him in hiding, he'll be at the nearest appliance dealer's buying you a new gas range that cleans its own oven automatically. Play it smart and get yourself a range that does the job nobody likes... cleaning a dirty oven.



SEE YOUR GAS APPLIANCE DEALER

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**\*RADISHES**  
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Pascal Celery stalk **39¢**  
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**FRECHEN'S MARKET**  
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# the Michigans

the almost islands of the Great Lakes

## New slogan:

As one of the first steps in meeting the challenges of the '70's, the Michigan Tourist Council has adopted a bold new slogan designed to create more travel to Michigan by out-of-state vacationers.

"The Michigans—the Almost Islands of the Great Lakes" will be the 1970-71 advertising campaign theme as the result of official action by the Council during its April meeting in Detroit.

"Never before has a campaign theme so aptly described the uniqueness of Michigan," said Ron Gamble, Council chairman. "Michigan is the only two-part state in the union, and on the map it appears to be islands nestled in the midst of the magnificent Great Lakes."

"Among the states, competition for tourist dollars is fierce," Gamble said, "because modern travel literally has placed the world at the vacationer's doorstep."

"If we are to attain our goal

of generating \$3 billion in annual visitor spending by 1980, we must imbue in the vacationing public a fresh desire to come to Michigan. We feel this new slogan will help do the job. It has an aura of intrigue with a hint of peaceful island atmosphere, yet implies that Michigan offers far more—its great cities, cultural attractions, industry," Gamble said.

"The Michigans—the Almost Islands of the Great Lakes. No other state can make this claim. This puts us on the map, pinpointing our locations. It also gives us a new public image," he said.

During its two-day session, the Council reviewed proposals for the 1970-71 advertising campaign, with final approval scheduled for a subsequent meeting. The new slogan will serve as the underlying theme of the new campaign, appearing in media advertisements and on Council literature.

## Asphalt paving racket warning is given

"Many thousands of dollars will be wasted this spring and summer by Michigan people who think they're getting something for next to nothing when, in reality, they're getting nothing for something," warns Walter Tervo, executive secretary of the Michigan Asphalt Paving Association.

Tervo was referring to the annual so-called "gypsy paving racket" in which bands of itinerant gypsies go house to house about this time of year offering to re-surface your driveway with a tar-based substance for a few dollars.

Actually, a worthless paint compound, similar in appearance to the sealing compound

used by reputable firms, but lacking proper chemical ingredients, is used by the band, Tervo stated.

"Cost usually is whatever the market will bear, and threats of physical violence have been used against people who complain or threaten to talk to authorities.

"Reputable paving firms would do a far better job at less cost than that extorted by the people working the racket," said Tervo.

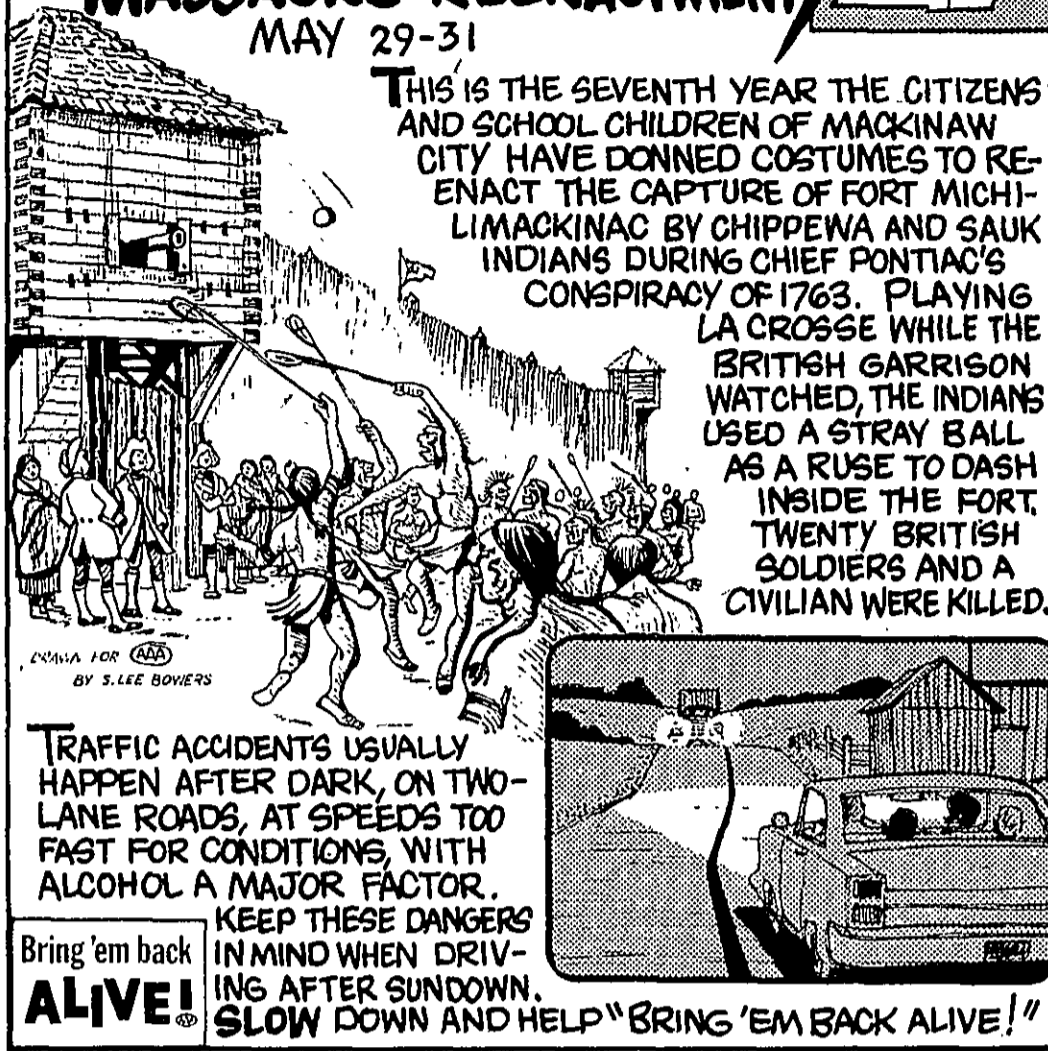
"Anyone approached should first check with their local police, Better Business Bureau or our association's state office before agreeing to the work," he said.

# michigan GO guide

Festival of the Week

## FORT MICHILIMACKINAC MASSACRE REENACTMENT

MAY 29-31



THIS IS THE SEVENTH YEAR THE CITIZENS AND SCHOOL CHILDREN OF MACKINAW CITY HAVE DONNED COSTUMES TO REENACT THE CAPTURE OF FORT MICHILIMACKINAC BY CHIPPEWA AND SAUK INDIANS DURING CHIEF PONTIAC'S CONSPIRACY OF 1763. PLAYING LA CROSSE WHILE THE BRITISH GARRISON WATCHED, THE INDIANS USED A STRAY BALL AS A RUSE TO DASH INSIDE THE FORT. TWENTY BRITISH SOLDIERS AND A CIVILIAN WERE KILLED.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS USUALLY HAPPEN AFTER DARK, ON TWO-LANE ROADS, AT SPEEDS TOO FAST FOR CONDITIONS, WITH ALCOHOL A MAJOR FACTOR.

Bring 'em back ALIVE! KEEP THESE DANGERS IN MIND WHEN DRIVING AFTER SUNDOWN. SLOW DOWN AND HELP "BRING 'EM BACK ALIVE!"

## Soybean contest announced

A European excursion for two will be the happy fate of Michigan's top soybean producer in 1970.

Early in 1971, the Grand Award winner in Michigan's first soybean yield competition will accompany other state champions and their wives on a tour of European agricultural enterprises which includes stops in Holland, Germany and Spain.

Conducted by the Michigan State University Extension Service and the Michigan Crop Improvement Association, the 1970 Soybean Production Contest also features cash awards for second and third place state winners.

Copeland, MSU seed improvement specialist, the awards will be sponsored by the Elanco Chemical Company and the Michigan Crop Improvement Assn.

"This is the first time we've had a soybean production contest in Michigan," Dr. Copeland says. "We hope it will focus attention on this important cash crop and its expanding status in Michigan's agricultural markets."

Contest sponsors also hope that friendly competition among growers will increase awareness of the need for top yields and up-to-date cultural and management practices. The contest is open to growers in all Michigan counties where

soybeans are grown. Producers interested in participating should contact the extension office in their county for information on contest rules and for official entry blanks.

"Top producers in each county will also receive recognition," says Dr. Copeland. "Any entrant with yields over 35 bushels per acre will receive a citation and the top two producers in each county will get a cash award."

## Motherhood is awesome - be alert to the dangers

By LORRAINE SPRAGUE  
Extension Home Economist

A mother of a small child faces an awesome problem. She wants to encourage her youngster's natural curiosity (one of our greatest learning experiences) yet at the same time prevent disasters that may come of such curiosity. Children are born explorers and what better place than the home surroundings for providing such fascinating areas of discovery. Low cabinets, easy to reach shelves and drawers, and closets all containing bottles, boxes, cans and jars invite an inquisitive child to investigate. A youngster seldom can distinguish between foods and non-food items, either by taste or odor.

With the huge number of aids to help today's homemaker keep her house and surroundings clean, shining and insect free, there are bound to be a wide variety of dangerous products among them. Carelessly stored medications, lotions, alcoholic beverages and other non-food items in their attractive colors and containers pluck the average child's inquisitiveness too.

It takes a bit of ingenuity, time and effort, for one to devise methods and organize space to set up "child-proof safety areas" in most compact homes. But if it can save your child's life, or even his illness and discomfort, it's worth while.

A few "rules" can help in this organization. Keep all household chemical preparations in their original containers. To a child, a soda pop bottle, a cup or a bowl, is something to drink from! That red cleaning solution you've put in a pop bottle, reminds him of his favorite red "pop," so he drinks it from the pop bottle. Besides, the original container carries information on the label in the event of accidental ingestion.

Keep the product where you can see it while using it. A moment's pause to answer the door bell or telephone is ample

time for a child to drink from the container.

Never store non-food items with food items. It's too easy to pick up the wrong container in the rush of meal time preparation. Pesticides, fertilizers, paint thinners and such are best kept locked up and out of the kitchen.

Keep all medicines and lotions locked in a medicine cabinet. Pink, yellow, green or orange pills are mighty tempting to the exploring child. Never call medicines "candy" to entice a child to take his necessary medication. He may grab a handful when you aren't looking.

When discarding empty containers, be certain they are

empty. It's been found that too many accidents occur when a child reaches into a refuse container in search of a bottle or can to use as a toy. Too many times he decides to taste the contents.

Know how to reach your doctor, or local Poison Control Center, if the need arises.

The records of child poisoning due to carelessness in the home becomes more staggering each year. Let your vigilance keep you one step ahead of your child's developing curiosity. Don't wait, stop right now and check to be sure all harmful products in your home are safely stored and well out of reach of your child.

## State alfalfa yields may top estimates

Michigan farmers may be getting much higher alfalfa yields than previously estimated in reports to census takers and the federal-state crop reporting service.

Samples taken from 527 Michigan farms during the 1969 crop season showed farmers taking three cuttings averaging 4.09 tons an acre. Those cutting twice, averaged 3.02 tons an acre, while farmers making one cutting averaged two tons an acre, although some regrowth may have been grazed for pasture. Two tons an acre is the estimate commonly used by the crop reporting service in Michigan.

Samples were taken by the Michigan Cooperative Extension Service. All yields were measured on a dry matter basis—the moisture being removed before the samples were weighed.

Of the 527 farmers in the Alfalfa Booster Campaign, 244 made two cuttings. Another 95 farmers cut their alfalfa three times and, as a result, got an extra ton of alfalfa an acre. The

186 farmers cutting only once had an average dry matter yield of two tons an acre.

Donald Hillman, extension dairy specialist, and Leyton Nelson, extension crops and soils specialist, are co-chairman of the extension committee.

The three year project is designed to: (1) determine the yields and quality of Michigan's hay crop over a wide range of farm conditions, and (2) to determine the potential yields and quality of forage crops when specified management practices are controlled.

The chairman report the computer analysis of the statewide samples showed the yield was positively related to the soil test (amount of phosphorous and potash on land) and an application of boron in the fertilizer.

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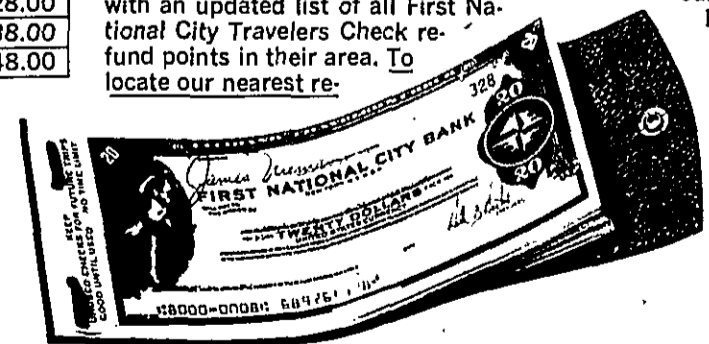
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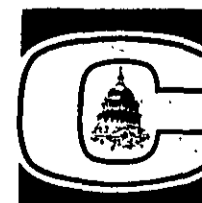
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# Prices received index is down by five points

The Index of Prices Received by Michigan Farmers, as of April 15, was 281 per cent of the 1910-14 average, according to the Michigan Crop Reporting Service.

This was a drop of five points (two per cent) from the mid-March 1970 level. Sharp declines in average prices received for eggs, calves and hogs were responsible for most of the decline

in the index. Small increases in the price of corn, dry beans, soybeans, beef cattle and lambs were only partially offsetting.

Compared with a year previous, the mid-April index was up 10 points (four per cent). Prices of beef cattle, calves and hogs were considerably higher than last year, and most other major items were higher. Only

dry beans and eggs were significantly lower than a year ago.

Although the price of dry beans advanced 10 cents to \$6.60 from mid-March to mid-April, it was still at the lowest level for April since 1967. Beef cattle prices, at \$26.60, averaged the highest for April since 1952. Hog prices, at \$24.20, averaged the highest for April since 1954.

The National Index of Prices Received by Farmers dropped eight points (three per cent) during the month ended April 15 to 281 per cent of its 1910-14 average.

This was the lowest index since October 1969.

Contributing most to the decrease were price declines for hogs, eggs, cattle, and oranges. Higher prices for cotton and wheat were partially offsetting. The index was four per cent above April 1969.

The Index of Prices Paid by Farmers for Commodities and Services, Including Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates increased three points (3/4 per cent) to 388, a record high. During the last 12 months, the index advanced 15 points (four per cent).

With prices of farm products declining, and prices paid by farmers rising, the preliminary Adjusted Parity Ratio decreased to 78 and the Parity Ratio to 72.

The meat animal price index declined 13 points from mid-March to mid-April. Prices received by farmers for all species of meat animals declined from mid-March levels.

Prices of hogs continued their decline from the February high dropping \$1.80 per cwt. to average \$23.80; lambs were off \$1.10 per cwt. to average \$26.50. Calves were down 90 cents from their record high of March to average \$35.60; and beef cattle were off 20 cents to average \$28.60.

The sharp decline in egg prices along with lower prices for broilers dropped the poultry and egg index 14 per cent during the month. Egg prices averaged 35.1 cents per dozen in mid-April, 17 per cent less than in mid-March, and four per cent below a year earlier.

The index of prices received by farmers for commercial vegetables was nine per cent below a month earlier. The dairy products declined two per cent during April. Fluid market milk sold to plants averaged \$5.84 per cwt. in April, 11 cents below the revised March price, but 21 cents above a year earlier.



## Silent scream

Perched atop the sand dunes along the shores of Lake Michigan looking out on the lake, Mother Nature's brisk, cool whip of wind commands one's eyes to blink. Turning them to the backside of the dunes, one sees her work on the landscape. The rolling miles of tree tops are spotted with ripe, red fruit — the best in the world, growing right here in Michigan, one of the diversified agricultural states in the fifty.

Experts say this fruit belt could not exist if it were not for those winds cooled by the lake water as they blow across from the west. They say the cool wind retards the budding process and lessens a chance of a freeze-out in the first months of the new year. If Lake Michigan warmed up and caused the temperature of the air to rise a few degrees, it could cause havoc along the fruit belt. Warm winds could cause early budding and possible freeze-out if temperatures should drop. Warm winds can destroy the fruit crop, that's plain.

South, southwest, west, down the beach, past the breaking caps, out where the wind begins to push the waves and cool itself, the waters are heating. Industry is circling the cupped bottom half of gourd shaped Lake Michigan. More factories are moving in — more hot waste spills into the Great Lake. Industry's machinery systematically grinds out production and belches its hot sweat into the lake, while Mother Nature, in animation, shrieks "stop!"

But it must be the same "silent scream" nature has endured for decades. Man has only recently begun to realize he must push the brake on the ghastly steamroller of his creation. Because it is true, without our agriculture we will not need other industry. It's time to evaluate our priorities. The question is not posed to end industry, but to suggest a redirection of growth, starting with relocation of many existing factories and future industrial complexes to areas more compatible with the environment.

Along the shore of Lake Michigan by the fruit belt, the "silent scream" of Mother Nature can almost be heard, while five per cent of the population (farmers) continues to produce crops and warn others of their folly.

## 4-H Chatter



# Enrollment deadline near

By JOHN AYLWORTH



Clinton County youths are reminded that Thursday, May 14 is the deadline for enrolling in a local 4-H club. Any boy or girl who will be 10 years of age or older by Sept. 30 is eligible to join this summer. The maximum age to join is 18 years of age. Projects are available in many different areas such as livestock, rabbits, dairy, horses, food, vegetables, flowers, conservation, cultural arts, family living, crops, plus many other areas if leaders are available in the local club. If you do know who the leader is in your area please contact the County Extension Office in St. Johns, 224-3288, for more information. Besides learning new skills in their project areas, the members have a lot of fun with activities, tours, trips and club events.

The 4-H talent show will be held on Friday, May 15, at 8 p.m. at the St. Johns High School auditorium with 15 talent acts participating in areas of instrumental, vocal, dance and dramatic. The public is invited with no admission charge.

Forty-six 4-H members who won the county 4-H award trip to Detroit will be leaving Saturday, May 16 for their day in the "big city." In the morning they will visit the Greenfield Village in Dearborn where they will see history come alive, then eat lunch at the Top of the Flame Restaurant located on the 26th floor in the Gas Building downtown, Detroit and then spend the afternoon visiting the Detroit Zoological Park. The members were recommended by their leaders for a trip award based upon their good work in the local 4-H club.

An officers training workshop will be held on Thursday, May 21, 7:30 p.m. at the Rodney B. Junior High School in St. Johns for all 4-H officers in the local clubs. Adult resource people will work with the different officers on their responsibilities and duties in their local club. All of the local 4-H club officers are urged to attend this training workshop.

A horse clinic will be conducted on Tuesday, May 19 at 7 p.m. at the fairgrounds in St. Johns for 4-H members, leaders, parents or anyone interested in learning more about horses. Hawley Murch, a professional horse trainer from the Russ Jamelson Ranch near Flushing will be the instructor. Murch will show some short-cuts in grooming a horse, how to load a green horse in a trailer, how to ride English or Western with members demonstrating each method. Also he will show how you can train a horse to ride both English and Western style plus answering questions the audience may have. The public is invited to attend and learn more about horses and their care.

Pat Kelly, the county prosecuting attorney, was the speaker for the teen leaders Thursday evening. Kelly spoke on the duties and role of the prosecuting attorney and described the role of the

courts in our society. Before the meeting the teen leaders had the opportunity of touring the Clinton County Jail and learned more about how the county sheriff's department is operated. The teen leaders will have a 4-H softball team and voted to hold their canoe trip weekend on August 1-2. Vickie Thelen spoke about her experiences while attending the Dairy Food Conference at Michigan State University. Jane Vitek, Jane Smith, Vickie Thelen, Randy Davis, Charles Favior and Jerry Smith volunteered to participate in the camp work weekend on May 22-24 at the Algonquin 4-H Camp at Hastings. They will join 4-H'ers from the other counties in preparing the camp for the coming season. The next meeting of the teen leaders will be Tuesday, June 9.

The 4-H Award Committee has reviewed the results of the 4-H telaward forms and nominated 4-H members to represent the county in the State and National 4-H Awards program. The members will compete with 4-H'ers from 16 other counties in District 5. Two members will be selected from each of the five districts in the state for each project area who will be interviewed at the 4-H Youth Exploration Day program in August. One person will then be selected in each project area as the state winner and will receive either a trip to National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago or some other award. We will know by June 1 if any of Clinton County 4-H'ers are district winners and eligible for the interview at MSU in August.

Members and leaders working with the 4-H beef project attended a training meeting Wednesday evening where they learned about balancing a feed ration or requirements for their animals, techniques in fitting and showing their animals for exhibit, the change in judging of cattle and discussion of the fair livestock sale in August. Dr. Richard Dunn, Extension Specialist from MSU, assisted with the program.

4-H clubs planning to have a 4-H softball team this summer are urged to have their team

Older club members help to improve the health of the community by searching out insect breeding places, studying the life cycles and learning methods to control or exterminate the pests. Insects are no respecters of border lines, man, animals or plants. Diptera (flies and mosquitoes) bite country boys and city girls with equal vigor. While orthoptera (crickets and roaches) thrive in town houses and rural homes alike.

Sponsor of awards offered in this useful program for nearly two decades is Hercules Incorporated of Wilmington, Del.

Participation in the entomology program is fascinating and rewarding, say 4-H'ers. They find that "knowing your insects" protects health and possessions as well. Much pleasure is derived by young lepidopterists who collect, identify, and mount the beautiful butterflies for display. This popular hobby often leads to state and national recognition.

Awaiting 1970 winners are medals of honor, a \$50 U.S. savings bond, an expense-paid trip to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago, and a \$600 scholarship. They are awarded at the county, state, sectional and national levels.

Winners will be announced by the Cooperative Extension Service.

The Riverside Riders 4-H Club members held a very successful 4-H horse show with over 100 different members participating. An evaluation of the show was made with several suggestions for revision in future horse shows. The members discussed having another club handle the refreshment stand for their show so they could concentrate on their other responsibilities for a better show. The members held a work meeting Saturday, May 9 at the Wacousta Arena.

The Westphalia Sunshiners is the name selected by a group of seven boys organizing a new club in the Westphalia area under the leadership of Mr and Mrs Dennis Thelen and Mr and Mrs Duane Platte. The following officers were elected: President, David Thelen; Vice-President, Wayne Wieber; Secretary, Wayne Wieber; Treasurer, Alvin Smith and Reporter, David Modlin. The boys discussed some of the items they would like to get accomplished this summer.

The Border 4-H Club members have elected the following officers for the summer program: President, Theresa Palmer; Vice-President, Micki Palmer; Secretary, Eric Baker; Treasurer, Laurie Palmer; Newsreporter, Jan Richey and Recreation leaders, Terry Braman and Kevin Palmer. The members made plans for a bake sale, taste exhibit, family potluck and blackberry tour for their club activities.

## Three from St. Johns at Grand Rapids meet

Mrs Eugene Frieson and Sam and Jo Pardee, all of St. Johns, were among the more than 15,000 distributors attending the Eleventh International Convention of the Amway Corporation and their independent distributors, last month in Grand Rapids.

This year's Convention was the largest Amway has conducted in the brief 11 year history of the company. The distributors were divided into three groups of 5,000, each group attending one day's activities. Highlighting the day's activities were speeches by Jay VanAndel, Chairman of the Board of Amway Corporation and Richard DeVos, President of Amway. Conventioneers also had the opportunity to tour the 504,302 square feet of office and plant facilities. Distributors in Seminars learned new techniques which will help them in the operation of their independent distributorships.

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## \$10,000 in scholarships offered to 4-H members

There is nearly \$10,000 in eight scholarships awaiting 4-H members who plan careers in animal science, crop production or forestry.

The grants are part of the national College 4-H Scholarship fund for 1970 arranged and announced by the National 4-H Service Committee, Chicago, and awarded by the Cooperative Extension Service.

Two \$800 scholarships will be awarded to 4-H boys who will be college juniors this fall and who plan to major in animal science. Candidates must have completed at least one year of 4-H membership. Allied Mills Foundation, Chicago, provides these scholarships.

Two 4-H members enrolled this fall as college freshmen in agriculture will be awarded \$800 scholarships offered by Chevron Chemical Company—Ortho Division, San Francisco. Candidates must have completed at least one year as 4-H members. Homelite, a Division of Textron Inc., Port Chester, N.Y., provides four \$1,600 scholarships to 4-H members enrolled this fall as college freshmen who plan to major or minor in forestry. To be eligible for the grants, candidates must have completed at least three years of 4-H membership.

Interested candidates should contact their local or state 4-H office for further details. Winners will be announced at the 49th National 4-H Congress in Chicago, Nov. 29-Dec. 3.

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# Six-year soybean average of 73.6 bu. for Illinois grower

Going for maximum yields without thinking about costs can lose money for farmers. Only complete, carefully kept farm books can keep you on the "straight and narrow" path to continued net profits. High yields may win contests but they don't always result in increased bank deposits.

One Illinois grower who is a consistent contest winner is John Reiser, of Ashland in the west central part of the state. He has won first place for four consecutive years, then fourth in 1968, and second in 1969. Six-year average on contest plots is now 73.6 bushels per acre, and his farm average is comfortably about 50 bushels. Reiser relies heavily on extensive farm record-keeping to tell him which combinations of cultural practices earn him the most net profit per acre. His two-year corn soybean rotation is, he says, best for him because he hasn't found continuous corn or beans as agronomically sound and productive on his rich prairie soils.

He applies fertilizer to all his fields to meet their test needs. In fact, all fields are treated on an individual basis. Liming is also based on Frequent soil testing. At planting he shoots for not more than seven beans per foot of row to give him the optimum plant population in his 30-inch rows, whose width he has settled on after years of experimentation.

Reiser continues to experiment but when it comes to weed control he relies year after year on Amiben to give him control of both broadleaf and grassy weed species. He has found granular Amiben, rather than liquid, easier to handle for his particular planting operation, and applies the material in about 12-inch

bands. Followed by normal rotary hoeing he later cultivates the middles as needed, and counts on total weed control to give the soybean crop the best chance for use of moisture and plant nutrients.

In passing it is worth noting that Reiser has tried most of the major corn and soybean herbicides on the market and made his choice considering broad spectrum weed control and chemical carry-over. Together with a weed-free harvest and a clean crop in his bins, Reiser points with pride to his six-year records which reflect consistently high soybean yields.

As he is quick to say, it's not the yield that goes into the bank — it's the net profit per acre.

# Pointers to consider for weevil spraying

When you consider spraying for alfalfa weevil, remember the following pointers, suggests George McQueen, Clinton County Extension Agent.

1. Some insecticides require more days between application and date of harvest or pasture than others.

2. If weed sprayers are used, be sure sprayer is clean before using.

3. Be careful of drift. Don't spray on windy days.

4. Immediately spray stubble after harvesting the first hay crop. One or two days delay may mean considerable loss in the second crop.

5. For custom application, notify the supplier ahead of time. This aids his operation even if you can't give exact dates for applications.

# Weevil larvae check should begin now

Start inspecting fields for alfalfa weevil larvae in early May to determine if spraying or other control measures will be needed, recommends George McQueen, Clinton County Extension Agent.

Walk through the fields and look for tattered and whitened (skeletonized) new growth, he suggests.

Examine the affected growth for cylindrical, thick-bodied larvae that are:

- 1. 1/4 to 3/8 inch long
  - 2. black headed
  - 3. green with a white stripe down the back
  - 4. have fleshy ridges instead of legs
- For more information, check MSU Extension Bulletin E-639, Alfalfa Weevil, available through the county extension office located at 1003 S. Oakland, St. Johns.

# Still time to join Soviet farm tour

Several Michigan farmers and their wives will embark by jet on Aug. 25 to visit farms in Europe including the Soviet Union, as members of an official People-to-People Goodwill Tour.

There's still a chance for interested individuals or couples to sign on for the tour if they act within the next few days, according to tour leader Stan Quackenbush, a deputy director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture. He can be contacted at his office in the Lewis Cass

Building, Lansing, or by telephone (517/373 1098).

The purpose of the visit will be to learn, in person, methods and working conditions in lands abroad, as well as to visit with people in many lands in the interest of international goodwill. People-to-People is an internationally approved, privately sponsored program. Quackenbush said that many doors in foreign lands, ordinarily closed to travelers, will be opened for this official group.

# Minority training Green cauliflower

More than 8,000 apprentices from minority groups represented a record 11 per cent of the 73,000 new apprentices admitted to registered programs throughout the Nation in 1969. The percentage of minorities now in all ongoing registered programs was nearly eight per cent compared to the 4.4 per cent during 1966.

A green cauliflower is being developed by Michigan State University scientists.

It doesn't need any special tending or handling to stay green before harvest, and it even stays green after cooking. This cauliflower, which was produced by crossing a good white cauliflower variety with broccoli, should be available from commercial seedsmen within a year or two.

# Dishwasher is a treat - - but check the variables

By HELEN B. MEACH Extension Home Economist

It has been estimated that an automatic dishwasher cuts the time in half that Mrs. Average Homemaker spends in front of the sink. There are other benefits too—dishes are washed cleaner and are more sanitary than those washed by hand. Less water is used because in most homes it is necessary to run the machine only once a day. Meanwhile dishes are quickly loaded and the door closed ending the clutter of dirty dishes in and around the sink.

Dishwasher sales in 1968 reached one and three-quarter million units according to industry reports. And it is believed that by 1975, 35 per cent of the homes will include dishwashers.

If you are an about-to-be owner, you have a genuine treat in store or, if you are contemplating replacing an old model you will want to check the newest features.

Have some idea of how a dishwasher operates before making a selection. There are many variables, but within the dishwasher itself two factors contribute to thorough cleaning of glassware, dishes, pots, pans, flatware, cutlery, and cooking utensils. These are washing levels and cycles.

The washing level refers to where the water enters the tub. Remember that the dishes placed on the upper and lower racks are stationary. It is the water that must move in such a manner that it swirls around the inside, outside, top and bottom of each item on both racks. It is the efficiency of the water action and distribution which permits random loading and the inclusion of large water trapping items such as mixing bowls and saucepans.

Cycle means the entire process of washing, rinsing and drying. The basic cycle of dishwashers generally includes a pre-rinse, wash, rinse, second wash, two or three rinses and dry. Most machines offer selection of cycles geared to light, medium and heavy soil with a corresponding change in the wash-rinse-dry pattern. The amount of water consumed and the length of operating time can also be selected.

Besides washing levels and

cycles there are other features in today's dishwashers that contribute to convenience in the cleaning of dishes. There are automatic dispensers which release detergent at the proper time for both first and second wash action, and dispensers that hold and automatically release rinse conditioners which help prevent water spotting. Both conveniences are especially important in hard water areas.

Generally, front loading is more convenient than top loading—a space saving feature of many portables. In some top loaders, the upper rack is a part of the lid that lifts when the dishwasher is opened. This arrangement permits easy placement of additional dishes in the lower rack.

Where a built-in is impossible, a portable may save the dish-

washing day. Portable dishwashers are easily hooked up to the kitchen sink. After use they may be disconnected and pushed out of the way. These are ideal for small kitchens. Or, choose a front loader convertible type which may be used as a portable and later installed under a counter as a built-in. For families that rent and expect to buy a home at a later date, or for families on the move such a model could be considered.

To sum up: when shopping for a dishwasher, you have a choice of purchasing a portable, convertible, or a built-in unit. In studying different models, consider, besides price, washing level, cycles, ease of loading and any special features. Try to relate these factors to your own family needs—and then they are a welcomed convenience.

# Wacousta Mrs Edward Kraft—627-2039

Wacousta Circle meet Thursday morning for a May breakfast which was hosted by Mrs Howard McDonough and Mable Brace. Mr and Mrs Alfred Patterson visited a friend in Laingsburg, Saturday. Mrs Faye Walker of Sunfield spent the weekend at the Ed Kraft home.

The Jaycees Junior Olympics for the 5th and 6th grade girls and boys of Wacousta School and other schools in the district will be held next Saturday, May 16 at 10 a.m. at the High School Track. Public welcome.

Wacousta School PTA Carnival will be held May 23.

The meeting for parents enrolling children for next year in Kindergarten will be held on Tuesday, May 26 at 3:45 p.m. at the Wacousta School. School election is June 8.

# REGULAR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

The Clinton County Zoning Commission will hold a regular meeting on

TUESDAY, MAY 26, 1970

at 8 p.m. in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan. Any persons having interests in the County, or their duly appointed representatives, will be heard relative to any matters that should properly come before the Zoning Commission.

WILLIAM M. COFFEY Zoning Administrator 2-1

# State Crop Report

By MICHIGAN CROP REPORTING SERVICE

CROP COMMENTS FOR WEEK ENDING MAY 2

Unusually warm weather during the week ended May 2 speeded the growth of wheat and legumes. Fruit buds also developed at a very rapid rate. With about four days suitable for field work, farmers were able to partially catch up with their outdoor work at the end of the week.

The progress of field work averaged only three days late compared with six days late at the end of the previous week. Soil moisture supplies were generally reported from adequate to surplus in the southern half of the Lower Peninsula. Some areas reported soil moisture shortages in the Upper Peninsula and northern Lower Peninsula.

Planting of early spring crops moved ahead rapidly during the week. Corn plantings were more than half complete by the week's end. Normally about 40 per cent is planted by this date.

Almost half of the sugar beet acreage has been planted, about the normal amount for May 2. Over half of the potato acreage is planted in Bay county, while about one-fifth of the acreage is planted in the rest of the State. Corn planting has started in the southern and central counties.

Winter wheat developed rapidly during the week. The better fields of alfalfa also made substantial growth. Pastures greened up and are furnishing some feed.

Asparagus development was stimulated by warm weather and harvest has started in the southwest. Planting of carrots, celery, lettuce, onions, peas and other vegetables speeded up.

Fruit bud development started at a later date than usual because of cold weather during the first three weeks of April. However, fruit buds developed at a rapid pace in response to the recent warm weather.

As of May 2 bud development was considered to be only two days late. Sweet cherries reached full bloom and tart cherries partial bloom in the extreme southwest, but were mostly still in the silver tip or delayed dormant stage in the northwestern Lower Peninsula. Some apple orchards reached the pre-pink stage in the southwest.

# SCD has tree sale

The Annual Clinton County Soil Conservation District Tree Sale was held April 23-24 with a total sales of 63,000 trees, and 110 Carpathian Walnut seedlings. There will be trees planted on many farms and homesites in Clinton County.

Some of the most popular varieties of conifers were Austrian Pine, White Cedar, Colorado Blue Spruce, and White Pine (16,000 White Pine were sold), which surely should make Clinton County a much more scenic area in a few years.

The ordering and sale of trees was managed by the Executive Secretary with help from the On-the-Job Training girl from the St. Johns High School who has worked for the District since last Fall.

This cooperative effort by the

District Directors enables co-operators in Clinton County to secure trees for windbreaks, beautification, replanting woodlots, and starting new woodlots at a reasonable cost. Many of these trees will be planted around some of the new farm ponds in Clinton County.

The District tree planter was again made available and scheduled by Stanley Baird, Chairman of the District Board, who lives in DeWitt Township.

If you would like to order trees for next year, look around your farm or home, and decide how many, and the varieties you would like to have, and come into the office sometime early this Fall. Get your order in so that you will be sure to get the kind and number of trees you would like to have.

# Final sign up report for feed grain, wheat

Final returns from all States indicate a near record signup in the 1970 Feed Grain and Wheat Programs. It was announced today by Nick Smith, Chairman of the Michigan Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation State Committee.

Returns for 1970 feed grain participation show 1,613,961 farms signed to divert 39,482,512 acres from production of corn, sorghum, and barley.

These totals compare with the record breaking signup in 1969 when at a similar point in the signup reports 1,645,393 farms had enrolled with intentions to divert 40,728,679 acres. Signup in the 1970 wheat program totals 949,151 farms having 40,226,644 acres of allotments.

# Alward-Plowman District

By Mrs Bernice Wohlferf

Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs John Greenfield were Mr and Mrs Lyle Greenfield and daughter, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Greenfield and Miss Linda Gastner.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Lyle Smith to celebrate Mrs Smith's birthday were Mr and Mrs Glenn Smith and boys and Mr and Mrs Rollan Smith and girls. Afternoon callers were Mrs Dorothea Hickerson, Mrs Meretta Mead, Mr and Mrs Gary Brady and Matt.

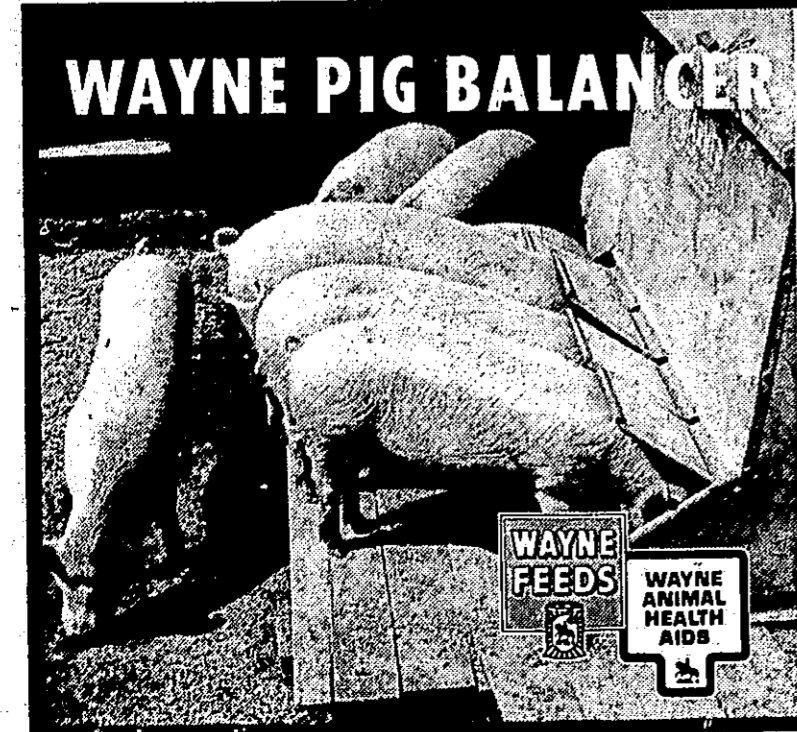
Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlferf and Mr and Mrs Walt Frey were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Clyde Cutler at Edmore.

Mrs Betty Wright was a weekend guest of Mrs Sue Blizard. Mrs Jack Wohlferf called on Mrs George Wohlferf and Mrs Leonard Platte in Westphalia Friday evening.

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WILLIAM BALLENGER Candidate State Senator

# MEETING of the CLINTON COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY

Come and Listen to Your Candidates for these offices:

REPRESENTATIVE OF 87th DISTRICT STATE SENATOR

MAY 14, 7:30 P.M.

CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK COMMUNITY ROOM

HENRIETTA PRINCE Chairman





# Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News

## COURTHOUSE NEWS

### New Suits Started

**ERNEST E. CARTER**  
County Clerk

In the matter of petition of Jimmy L. Thomas and Karen Lynn Thomas.

### New Business Firms

Overland Sports, Lester H. and Susan J. Peckham, 4628 N. East St., Lansing.  
Jack Piner's Sport and Cycles, Lester H. and Susan J. Peckham, 4628 N. East St., Lansing.

### Marriage Licenses

Roger V. Pohl, Portland and Susan T. Thelen, R-1, David Highway, Pawama.  
James William Roof, R-6, St. Johns and Lynda A. Drostie, 716 Chic Ave, Lansing.  
Robert C. McIntyre, 87 Cloverleaf, Lansing and Shirley Irene Peck, 167 Pearl St., Lansing.  
Patrick D. Coe, 201 Woodard St., Oakley and Patricia A. Winer, 5122 Alward Rd., Lansingburg.

May 6: Cornelia M. Bacon to Gerald W. and Helen A. Roberts, St. Johns.  
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May 6: Arthur H. and Ruth Voss to Reuben and Gertrude Eirschele, St. Johns.  
May 6: Dale D. and Lavana E. Manning et al to Reuben V. and Gertrude Eirschele, St. Johns.  
May 6: Mary A. King to Reuben V. and Gertrude Eirschele, St. Johns.  
May 6: George V. Lee to Public.  
May 6: Blanche I. Lee to Clara I. Lee, St. Johns.  
May 6: Sylvester Edwin Ricks to Public.

### LEGAL NOTICES

Will Little—June 4 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of EILEEN F. LITTLE, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 4, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Lillian P. Sump for probate of a purported will, for granting of administration to the executrix named, or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

### Probate Court

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 1970

Fern Antes Hainer, claims.  
Florence Yerrick, claims.  
Helen Ridsdale, license to sell.  
James R. Lowell, license to sell.  
Margaret McLellan, final account.  
Alice O. Buck, claims.

### County Building Permits

May 5: Victor D. Bordes, 3065 E. State Road, Lansing, dwelling and garage.  
May 6: Leon Trierweiler, 557 E. Webb Road, DeWitt, open porch.  
May 6: Hope Lutheran Church, 6235 Corunna Road, Flint, bldg. address, DeWitt Church.  
May 6: Clayton Isenath Jr., 7270 W. Jason Road, St. Johns, unattached garage.  
May 6: Albert Bekmanis, Inc. 2310 Hanover, Lansing, dwelling and garage, address: Bath.

### Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)  
May 4: Winifred Y. Craig to Clinton National Bank and Trust, Essex.  
May 4: Llewellyn and Peggy Bowerman to Daniel G. and Elizabeth T. Ruby, Greenbush.  
May 4: Leon M. and Viola Trierweiler to Thomas A. and Lois J. Lavolette, Watertown.  
May 4: Bernice G. Sleight to Rolan W. Sleight, power of attorney.  
May 4: George E. Ashley to public, death certificate.  
May 4: Nona E. Ashley to William T. and Jean L. Ashley, Victor.  
May 4: Laurence J. Olson to James A. Moore, Duplain.  
May 4: Laurence J. Olson to Elizabeth Stange Olson, Duplain.  
May 4: Elizabeth Stange Olson to Kenneth J. and Elizabeth Stange Olson, Duplain.  
May 4: Eddie L. and Allene L. Folland to Rex G. and Nancy L. Folland, Vauconsant's addition.  
May 4: Hilda Crownhart to Robert C. and Marguerite E. Kelley, Duplain.  
May 4: Paul L. and Evelyn C. Brainard to Robert C. and Marguerite E. Kelley, Duplain.  
May 4: Alice M. Young to Robert C. and Marguerite E. Kelley, Duplain.  
May 5: John V. Peterson to Ronald Cobb, DeWitt.  
May 5: A American Central Corp. to Charles and Tula Naday, Victoria Hills.  
May 5: Theodore and Inez Ashley to Theodore and Inez Ashley, Victor.  
May 5: Floyd and Doris Reeves to William J. and Wilma E. Lyon, Valley Farms.  
May 5: Waldo C. and Lillian L. LaRue to Clinton Co. Dept. of Public Works, Essex.  
May 5: Augustin J. and Dorothy Poursin to Ivan J. and Isla M. Volkérs, Geneva Shores.  
May 6: Harold and Magdalen Armbrustmacher to Lawrence and Virginia Satters, St. Johns.  
May 6: Cornelia M. Bacon to Dale D. Manning, Administrator, St. Johns.

### Life With The Rimples



Hairs VanDusen—June 4 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of MANNIE A. VANDEUSEN, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Thursday, June 4, 1970, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of John Rumbaugh for probate of a purported will, for granting of administration to the Executor named, or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made on the 10th day of October, 1967, between WILBUR DUANE STEWART and WINIFRED EDITH STEWART, husband and wife, Mortgagors, and CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Clinton County, Michigan, on Oct. 10, 1967, in Liber 250 of Mortgages, page 937, on which mortgage is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest, the sum of FIVE THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SIX and 21/100 (\$5,126.21) DOLLARS and an attorney fee of SEVENTY-FIVE (\$75.00) DOLLARS approved by law, as provided in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, on the 31st day of July, 1970, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the South entrance of the Clinton County Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being one of the places where the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton is held, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in the said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven (7%) per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney fee, which said premises are described as follows in said mortgage:

Lot No. 2 in Block No. 28 in the Village of Maple Rapids, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof. Subject to easements and restrictions of record. The period of redemption as provided by statute runs for six (6) months from the date of sale. CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION Dated: April 22, 1970 Cummins, Butler and Thornburn 301 Capitol Savings & Loan Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 48933. 5-1-13

Hairs Dompter—June 3 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of BESSIE B. DOMPTER, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 3, 1970, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Claude D. Martin for probate of a purported will and for granting of administration to the Executor named, or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Marzke—July 22 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of JUSTIN F. MARZKE, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 22, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all claims against said estate will be heard. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Ink White, c/o Clinton National Bank & Trust Company, Executor, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Fitzpatrick—July 15 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of DANIEL FITZPATRICK, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 15, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Vernon Fitzpatrick, Administrator, Route 1, Fowler, Michigan 48835, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Blankenship—June 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of JAMES F. BLANKENSHIP, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 17, 1970, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Crystal Joy Blankenship for appointment of an administrator and for a determination of heirs. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Griswold—May 27 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of J. W. GRISWOLD, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, May 27, 1970, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms at the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of J. William Stoller for probate of a purported will and Testament of J. W. Griswold to be admitted to probate, that the heirs of said deceased be determined and that the administration of said estate be granted to J. William Stoller, the executor named in said will. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Hanning—June 3 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of JOHN E. HANNING, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 3, 1970, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms for St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Elvera G. Wilson, executrix, for the allowance of her final account. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Plunkett—May 27 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of MABEL M. PLUNKETT, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, May 27, 1970, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Bernice C. Jorae for license to sell real estate of said deceased, Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Sperry—July 8 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of JESSIE W. SPERRY, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 8, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Pearl Bow, Administrator, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

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Dated: May 4, 1970 By: Thomas C. Walsh 357 Hollister Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 2-3

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Dated: May 5, 1970 Kemper & Wells, By: William C. Kemper Attorney for Estate 100 North Clinton Avenue St. Johns, Michigan 2-3

Claims Witek—July 8 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of LOUIS V. WITEK, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 8, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Vernon Fitzpatrick, Administrator, Route 1, Fowler, Michigan 48835, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: May 6, 1970 By: Joe C. Foster, Jr. 10th Floor, Mich. Nat'l Tower Lansing, Michigan 2-3

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Dated: April 30, 1970 Walker & Moore By: Jack Walker Attorney for Administrator Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 2-3

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Sale Bishop—June 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of AVINELL BISHOP, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 17, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Paul Bishop of 1011 Church Street, St. Johns, Michigan and Keith Bishop of 703 N. Lansing, St. Johns, Michigan, co-executors for license to sell real estate of said deceased, Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: April 28, 1970 Robert H. Wood Attorney for Estate 115 E. Walker, St. Johns, Mich. 1-3

Claims Marzke—July 22 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of JUSTIN F. MARZKE, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 22, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all claims against said estate will be heard. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Ink White, c/o Clinton National Bank & Trust Company, Executor, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: May 5, 1970 Kemper & Wells, By: William C. Kemper Attorney for Estate 100 North Clinton Avenue St. Johns, Michigan 2-3

Claims Witek—July 8 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of LOUIS V. WITEK, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 8, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Vernon Fitzpatrick, Administrator, Route 1, Fowler, Michigan 48835, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: May 6, 1970 By: Joe C. Foster, Jr. 10th Floor, Mich. Nat'l Tower Lansing, Michigan 2-3

Claims Fitzpatrick—July 15 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of DANIEL FITZPATRICK, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 15, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Vernon Fitzpatrick, Administrator, Route 1, Fowler, Michigan 48835, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Dated: April 30, 1970 Walker & Moore By: Jack Walker Attorney for Administrator Clinton National Bank Bldg. St. Johns, Michigan 2-3

Hairs Griswold—May 27 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of J. W. GRISWOLD, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, May 27, 1970, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms at the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of J. William Stoller for probate of a purported will and Testament of J. W. Griswold to be admitted to probate, that the heirs of said deceased be determined and that the administration of said estate be granted to J. William Stoller, the executor named in said will. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Hanes—June 3 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of RUSSELL G. HANES, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 3, 1970, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Richard A. Hanes, administrator, for the allowance of his final account. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Hanes—June 3 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of RUSSELL G. HANES, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 3, 1970, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Richard A. Hanes, administrator, for the allowance of his final account. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

Hairs Sperry—July 8 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of JESSIE W. SPERRY, Deceased. It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 8, 1970, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Pearl Bow, Administrator, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.

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## Individual Taxpayers Ask IRS

Q) Can I add my driver's license fees and auto tags to my other state and local taxes?  
A) These two items are generally not deductible. Your auto tags could qualify, however, if this fee is based on the value of your car.

Q) To claim the retirement income credit, is it necessary to have worked each of the last ten years?  
A) No, to qualify for this credit, you need only have earned at least \$600 in each of any ten calendar years before the current year. Instructions and the schedule for claiming this credit may be found in the Form 1040 package.

Q) I started working last year when my husband was sent to Vietnam by the Army. What do I do about our tax return?  
A) You have several choices. You may file a separate return based on just your earnings and then when he comes back, amend it to a joint return for the same period. This will give you the advantage of the lower rates for joint returns. You can also postpone filing until your husband leaves Vietnam and file a joint return then.

Another possibility is for you to file a joint return now indicating in the space provided for his signature that he is "serving in a combat zone." When reporting his income, remember that pay received each month while in a combat zone by enlisted men and warrant officers is not taxable. Commissioned officers can exclude the first \$500 each month.

For more information, contact your local IRS office. They will be glad to help you.

Q) If I pay someone to prepare my return, isn't he responsible for it being accurate?  
A) No, you the taxpayer are responsible for the accuracy of income and expenses reported on your return. For this reason, it is advisable to check all the entries on the form before you send it in. Make sure, too, that the form you file has the label with your name, address and Social Security number attached.

Q) Last year I sold some of the shares I received in a stock split. What do I use as my cost basis?  
A) Divide the total number of your shares in this company's stock into the original purchase price to obtain the average cost of the shares you are selling. Report this on Schedule D and attach it to your Form 1040.

Q) How does the \$100 deductible on a casualty loss work?  
A) The first \$100 of a non-business casualty or theft loss is not deductible. Amounts over that can be deducted but the loss must be reduced by insurance or other reimbursement received or expected to be received. The \$100 deductible applies to each loss. This is further explained in the 1040 instruction package.

Q) What's the deadline for sending in my return?  
A) April 15 is the deadline for filing 1969 income tax returns for the 1969 calendar year.

Q) Can I use the same check to pay my 1970 estimated installment and my final balance for 1969?  
A) It is advisable to write separate checks or money orders since the payments cover two different tax years.

Tax returns for different years are processed separately and it is possible for a single payment covering two taxes to be credited to just one tax year. This could lead to a refund on one return and a bill for additional tax on the other. When you make your payment, write what it is for and your Social Security number on each check or money order so that it can be properly credited to your account.

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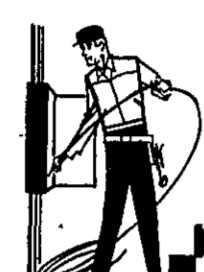
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# The Numbers Game with Phosphates in detergents

## A PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT BY AMWAY CORPORATION

Recently it has become popular to compile and circulate lists purporting to show the percentage of phosphate in detergents and allied cleaning products. The apparent purpose of these lists is to encourage the reader to use low phosphate content products in the interest of cleaner lake and stream water.

While the intent of this activity is laudable, the lists we have seen are so full of errors and omissions we believe they are best ignored. Here is why we make this statement:

First: Amway makes 21 laundry and general cleaning products. Eleven contain no phosphate, 2 less than 2%, and the other 8 have varying amounts according to the purpose they are intended to serve. Yet one widely published list shows only ONE listing of Amway — using simply the trademark "Amway" with no designation of the type of product and showing "73.5% phosphate." To publish a list simply showing a company name with a percentage seems to us about as inaccurate as to publish the name "General Motors — 400 h.p." in a list of auto horsepower ratings.

Second: Another list compares Amway's enzyme pre-soak product (TriZyme) with a group of heavy duty and light duty detergents. This is like comparing apples with bananas. Products, if to be meaningfully compared on the basis of phosphate content, should be carefully classified as to intended use. An enzyme pre-soak should be compared with other enzyme pre-soaks, a heavy duty detergent with other heavy duty detergents, a dishwashing detergent with other dishwashing detergents, etc.

Third: No mention of the amount of the product one would expect to use is made in most of the lists. A low phosphate detergent used in lavish quantities in order to get clothes clean may actually put considerably more phosphate in the water than a high phosphate product that need only be used sparingly because of its high cleaning power. A low phosphate product used frequently might put much more phosphate into the water than a higher phosphate product used only occasionally.

Fourth: One list recognized the fallacy of comparing products merely on a percentage basis, and set about to correct the error by publishing a comparison based on grams of phosphate used per wash cycle and parts per million in the effluent. Unfortunately the compiler of this list flunked his arithmetic. Grams per wash were listed as Amway S-A-8: 39.9, and included in the list were six others listed as 18.1, 20.0, 23.5, 24.1, 26.1, and 27.1 grams per wash cycle respectively. Our laboratory carefully re-checked the work and found the grams per cycle comparison is actually Amway S-A-8: 36.8, and the six others mentioned above are 38.4 instead of 18.1; 34.7 instead of 20.0; 51 instead of 23.5; 44.1 instead of 24.1; 34.2 instead of 26.1; and 37.4 instead of 27.1. In addition, the use amount quoted for Amway S-A-8 is almost double what many users actually put in their machine, so for many users the grams per wash load of Amway S-A-8 would be closer to 20 for actual use dilutions.

A Better Guide. We suggest a good general rule to follow regarding phosphate content in cleaning products and detergents is that with present day brands, most products intended for the same use contain relatively similar percentages of phosphate by weight. Classifications are as follows:

Classification	Phosphate Content expressed as % of PO <sub>4</sub>
Heavy duty laundry powders (Amway S-A-8 Plus — 34.8%)	30 — 45%
Light duty laundry powders	15 — 30%
Liquid hand dishwashing detergents	less than 1%
(Amway Dish Drops — 0%;	

Amway L.O.C. Suds — 0%	
Machine dishwasher detergents 30 — 45% (Amway Automatic Dishwashing Compound — 33.3%)	
Liquid laundry products (Amway L.O.C. Regular — 0%; Amway Germicidal — 0%; Fabric Softener — 0%)	0 — 10%
Liquid all purpose cleaners (Amway Zoom — 1.4%; Amway Industroclean — 1.3%; Amway Car Wash — 0%)	0 — 7%
Enzyme pre-soaks (Amway Tri-Zyme — 54.2%)	about 50%
Water softening products (Amway Water Softening Compound — 83.8%; Amway Smashing White — 22%)	about 80%

But note this: The above percentages reflect phosphate content expressed as percent of PO<sub>4</sub>. The phosphate compound used in these products when so expressed is only about 33% phosphorous, the element all the talk is about. Therefore, total phosphorous content of the products is about one-third that shown above.

What You Can Do about it. We suggest that if you have a concern about phosphate getting into streams and lakes the following would be a common sense approach:

1. Work with your local governments to encourage all municipalities in your area to build 3-stage sewage disposal systems as soon as possible. Hundreds of industrial and household chemicals and pollutants from human wastes are going into streams now because of inadequate sewage treatment facilities. The time has come to build facilities to clean up all of our sewage water and control the total problem. It is estimated removal of phosphate and certain other chemicals from effluent water of a 3-stage disposal system can be accomplished for an operating cost of less than \$3. per person per year. This is a broader and more effective solution to the problem than reformulating detergents and other household products, because at least half of the phosphate in sewage comes from human wastes, and reformulated detergents won't change that. Also, reformulation of cleaning products with phosphate substitutes that totally eliminate the phosphate, even if technically and economically feasible (which it presently is not) might result in only substituting other ingredients with other problems when the effluent reaches streams.

2. Since phosphate content products are used principally in the laundry, it may be possible to dispose of your washing machine water in another way than through the public drain. You may be accomplishing this already, since correctly built septic tanks probably introduce no phosphate into public waters.

3. If you are connected to a city sewer system which does not have complete disposal facilities, and phosphate nutrients in streams are considered a serious problem in your community, you can use a general purpose non-phosphate liquid detergent to do your laundry such as Amway's unique "L.O.C." You must be prepared for a lower level of dirt and soil removal from clothes, however, and you may have to resort to some of the laundering techniques of bygone years such as overnight soaking and boiling.

4. Amway offers a full line of cleaning products carefully formulated for specific purposes. Amway's high performance products used according to directions will produce good results even when used sparingly. When nothing but phosphate containing products will do the job, Amway's products of that type can be re-

lied upon to do the work most economically and with no need to use excessive quantities.

### What Is Amway Doing about Pollution?

Amway is deeply concerned, like any good citizen. Here is Amway's "clean water" program:

1. Even though there is a difference of scientific opinion as to whether the elimination of phosphates in detergents will have a significant effect on eutrophication of lakes, Amway chemists are actively evaluating phosphate substitutes for detergent use that will be economic, efficient, and not cause unforeseen worse problems than phosphate is alleged to cause now.

2. Amway now offers a number of non-phosphate cleaning products that can be used for most cleaning tasks. With regard to heavy duty laundry products, Amway has contacted all possible sources in the free world for phosphate substitutes. Satisfactory substitutes are presently not available in commercial quantity, but when and if available, Amway will produce quality laundry products using such substitutes in the amount that the supply allows. Meanwhile, every effort will be made to limit the phosphate content of laundry products to a degree consistent with satisfactory performance.

3. Amway has long been in the forefront in the field of promoting clean water. Amway marketed detergent products with biodegradable surfactants as much as five years before most of the industry converted. Surfactants are an indispensable ingredient in any detergent product, and present day surfactants used in all detergent products are of a type that can be consumed by bacteria in sewage plants and streams and converted to harmless materials.

4. Some confusion exists in understanding the new terminology regarding pollution matters. For instance, biodegradability of surfactants is technically an entirely different matter than acceleration of plant growth in lake waters by excess nutrients such as phosphate. Many new terms have only recently come into popular use, such as eutrophication, ecology, thermal pollution, oxygen depletion and algal nutrients. This necessitates more exact definition of formerly used terms, such as biodegradability of surfactants. Amway will conduct an educational program to provide its distributors and customers with better understanding of these terms. Future label and advertising copy will include the new terminology with today's connotations.

5. Amway suggests citizens keep these matters in proper perspective. Cleaning up the pollution of our environment — water, air and land — is a great challenge for all of us in this decade. It is a serious problem, with world-wide ramifications. To arouse public interest and support, predictions of impending disaster are being widely published. Facts are not always being separated from opinions. Industry and government become easy scapegoats. But this must not lead to hastily contrived programs and actions that may actually worsen the situation by using funds that could be better spent on well planned long term solutions. We all want a clean environment. We will achieve it best by well reasoned and well planned actions based upon scientifically proven facts, not by hasty actions based on emotional speculation.

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## News About Clinton County Service Personnel

**NATHAN J. DUBOIS**, son of Mr and Mrs Nathan L. DuBois of 2352 N. Ovid Road, Ovid, has been promoted to sergeant in the U.S. Air Force.

Sgt. DuBois is a life support equipment specialist at Perrin AFB, Tex. He is assigned to a unit of the Aerospace Defense Command which protects the U.S. against hostile aircraft and missiles.

The sergeant, whose wife, Judy, is the daughter of Mr and Mrs William J. Mitchell of 621 E. Orange, Sherman, Tex., graduated in 1967 from Ovid-Elste High School.

Marine Cpl. JAMES G. MAHONEY, of 213 First North Street, Laingsburg, is now serving with the Second Marine Division, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Second Lt. JON J. RHYNARD, son of Mrs Dorothy Rhyndard, R-2, Shelburn, Ind., has been awarded U.S. Air Force silver pilot wings upon graduation at Laughlin AFB, Tex.

Following specialized aircrew training at other bases, he will be assigned to Bien Hoa AB, Vietnam. He will be an O-2A Super Skymaster pilot in the 504th Tactical Air Support Group, a unit of the Pacific Air Forces, headquarters for air operations in Southeast Asia, the Far East and Pacific area.

Lt. Rhyndard, a 1964 graduate of North Central High School, received his B. S. degree in 1968 from Rose Polytechnic Institute in Terre Haute, Ind. He was commissioned in 1969 upon completion of Officer Training School at Lackland AFB, Tex.

The lieutenant's father, Jason Rhyndard, resides at 705 Garfield Street, St. Johns.

CHARLES H. BOOTS III, 20, whose parents live on R-1, St. Johns, recently was promoted to Army specialist four while serving as a drill instructor in Company E, 17th Battalion, 5th Training Brigade, U.S. Army Training Center, Armor, at Ft. Knox, Ky.

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Clinton County News Editorial Page

Wednesday, May 13, 1970

Our man in Vietnam

News on the national level in recent days has been anything but pleasant. Names like Cambodia and Kent State have not only caused apprehension and sorrow, but they have further riled the muddy waters of unrest across the country.

We do not like the war, nor do we support the violent tactics and rebellions of maniac-like protestors. But in this big mess there is one faction we strongly support. He's the man in the chow line, in the rice paddy or the one laying battered on a Vietnamese hillside.

There can be little question that our young people serving in Vietnam would rather be home and, in our mind, there can be even less doubt that if they were home they would be looking with disgust on the antics of their student counterparts.

Our man in Vietnam is not there because he enjoys it. He's there because he has a sense of obligation and a motivation to complete that duty.

It is unfortunate that in these days many members of the welcoming home committee stand with contorted faces and clenched fists. What is even less fortunate is the probability that these people, despite their defiant appearances, have less endurance to meet society's challenges.

The man in Vietnam calls this endurance guts. He should know. He's got plenty.

STERLING, Ill., GAZETTE: "School vandalism is a serious and growing problem... One school, however, reports that it has virtually eliminated vandalism by a simple procedure. The anti-vandalism program at suburban Park Elementary School in Alhambra, California, involves the frequent, random checking of the premises by parents, usually in husband-and-wife pairs, during weekends.

Back Thru the Years

Interesting Items from the Files of the Clinton County News

ONE YEAR AGO May 14, 1969

St. Johns school district voters were going to be asked June 9 to approve an operational tax millage issue for 14.5 mills — 1.7 mills higher than the present year.

Gordon Vandemark, principal at the East Olive, Olive Center and Riley Elementary Neighborhood Schools for the past year, was promoted to high school principal effective with the next school year.

"Operation Clean Sweep" project by Clinton County youth over the past three weekends was quite successful in cleaning up more than 258 miles of county roadsides.

10 YEARS AGO May 12, 1960

Gerald E. Shepard, presently supervisor from Bath township, announced that he would be a candidate for state representative from the Barry-Clinton-Eaton district in the Aug. 2 Republican primary.

St. Johns high school golfers sent a get-well card to coach Joe Veramay, recovering from an appendectomy, in the form of a 173-195 triumph over Grand Ledge Monday.

25 YEARS AGO May 17, 1945

A new 48-passenger school bus was put into service by the St. Johns public schools, allowing improved service to the rural areas.

Sgt. John Klein, son of Mr and Mrs Peter Klein who lived just east of the Fowler village limits, was the first Clinton County soldier to be discharged from service since the Army's adoption of the discharge point system after V-E Day.

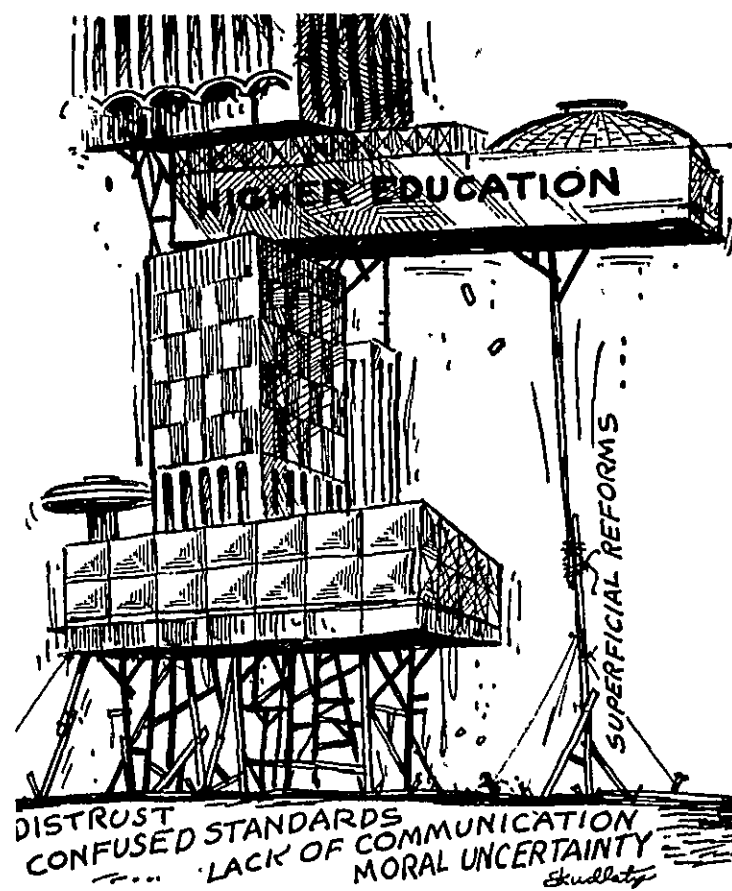
50 YEARS AGO May 20, 1920

The St. Johns Commercial Club thought that the threatened food shortage way of such immediate importance that it unanimously voted to appoint a committee to do what it could to see that every possible garden spot was cultivated.

Many cities of the country, St. Johns included, were practically without gas for power, household, hotel and restaurant cooking, gasoline for power to operate tractors, coal for generating steam to run industries. Sugar was scarce and mounting upwards in price, flour was going up, and even potatoes were fast getting up to where they would be included in the class of luxuries.

Playing at the Victory theater: "I Believe." A detective play very well produced — also a big Mack Sennet Comedy — "Those Summer Girls." Admission 11 cents and 20 cents.

A Little Work Needed on the Foundation



The Editor

By WARREN E. DOBSON

The editor's an oracle Behind his green eye-shade, He daily patrols the hen roost 'Till all the eggs are laid; He measures, counts, 'n scrambles 'em, With neatness and dispatch, Sometimes he sits on 'em awhile To find which ones will hatch!

The editor is an ogre, With his blue pencil high, He gives to some the breath of life, Many others he lets die; He clips, 'n trims, 'n stretches, To fill a given space, He adds a pregnant paragraph, Or draws a funny face.

The editor's a "fly by night," He flits from here to there, He covers countless meetin's, To get the proper air; On each important issue He tells us how to vote, Sometimes he proves a winner, And often he's a goat.

The editor's a fathead, Most anyone can see, He'd do a heap sight better To give his job to me; No silly inhibitions Would fill this wise old head, I'd quick meet every deadline, 'N put the "sheet" to bed.

From the state house

By DICK ALLEN 88th District Representative



A large number of legislators (Allen included) recently violated the State's narcotics laws. We

were in possession of marijuana, an offense punishable in Michigan by up to ten years in jail. If charged and found guilty of this violation, a felony, we would be ineligible to serve in the Legislature. Conviction should be easy. Most of us would admit our guilt and there were many witnesses.

We received a marijuana cigarette in the mail, unsolicited, along with some instructions on how to use it and a few words describing the benefits of its use. At first, many of us doubted it was really marijuana but preliminary tests indicate it was the real McCoy and apparently of high quality.

Whoever sent it to us is guilty of a more serious crime than a mandatory minimum sentence of twenty years. Various legislators are guilty of the same offense having passed the cigarette on to an unauthorized person. In some cases, it was a reporter who came around and in other cases to another legislator who said he was going to turn it over to the authorities.

Here's something interesting. We would not have been any more guilty had we gone ahead and smoked the cigarette! Possession is a more serious offense than use.

I don't believe the shaggy, rather intolerant group of White Panthers who showed up at the Capitol to encourage us to use the cigarettes and to legalize marijuana.

But the tactic they used certainly brought home to the Legislature one of the points being made by advocates of some changes in our laws regarding marijuana. Our present laws are not uniformly and strictly enforced.

At least there are a number of us who hope they will not be strictly enforced in our cases!

'IF IT FITZ . . .

Polluting the St. Clair

By JIM FITZGERALD



The current crusade against pollution is so popular I am worried that everyone will be so busy picking up beer cans they won't have time to eat apple pie, kiss mothers and paste flags on bumpers.

I don't mean to be cynical. It's just that now they have banned fishing in St. Clair River because the fish, like cigrates, may be hazardous to your health. Dow of Canada is dumping mercury into the water and this makes the fish risky eating, the scientists say.

I don't doubt it. I grew up on the banks of the St. Clair, where it separates Port Huron, U.S.A. from Sarnia, Canada. I never fished in my life because I wouldn't want anyone putting a hook in my mouth. But I used to swim regularly in the St. Clair. And in those days, also, Dow and other factories were spitting large amounts of suspect waste into the water and air.

Where were the anti-pollutionists then, while I was getting mercury all over my body?

I know. There's nothing deader than an idea before its time. There was the Big Depression in the 1930's. The important thing was to get the

factories operating, so Dad could earn a paycheck. Who had time to worry about smog and litter and dirty water? Who cared if a little boy got hazardous water up his nose?

People has some interesting attitudes regarding pollution in those days. At least my parents did. I still remember the first time I polluted the St. Clair directly from Dad's place of business.

Dad and his father operated the Dry Dock Iron Works on the St. Clair. They repaired boats. Their rickety collection of wooden buildings and sheds sat partly on the river bank and partly over the water, held up by long, thick spiles.

There was no executive restroom. There was 1 restroom for everybody, including the boss's 5-year-old son. The first time I used it I was thrilled. The job was in the part of the building jutting out over the water. When you looked into the toilet seat, all you saw was the St. Clair River, about 30 feet below.

"Gee Dad," I said, "that's neat. You don't even have to flush it."

During those same years, my mother used to take me swimming in Lake Huron. And

she always cautioned me to go to the bathroom before swimming, or after, but NOT in the water. It just wasn't the right thing to do.

I guess she never used the facilities at the Dry Dock Iron Works.

All of which is certainly more nostalgic than constructive. I have no illuminating moral to make about pollution in the St. Clair, yesterday vs today. My father's business long ago folded and, in fact, literally collapsed, thus adding more litter to the St. Clair (no one was on the John at the time). Dow and the other factories are still polluting — but now people want it stopped and someday, maybe, it will be stopped.

In the meantime, you can be fined \$100 and jailed for 90 days if you are caught fishing in the St. Clair River. Sportsmen say they should be allowed to catch the fish and then throw 'em back in. But, so far, the law says no-no.

I think a better idea would be to catch the fish and then, throw 'em through Dow's front window.

It was a lot easier when all a true American had to do was eat apple pie.



Clickity-click . . . buzz-rrup

By RON KARLE, Editor

I've decided to change telephone companies.

This decision was made in a fit of frustration the other day when I tried to call all the way to Bath.

That's the one in Michigan. I dialed everything properly like it says in the book and settled back to hear the instrumental respond with the traditional click-click, click-click-click, click, and a clickity-click.

Then a buzz-rrup. And dead silence.

Knowing that Bath is about 17 miles away and that getting their attention in this electronic age isn't to be taken lightly, I went through the entire process again.

I counted the correct number of clicks and the clickity-click and even the buzz-rrup. More silence.

So I dialed "0." When Miss O finally responded (apparently I caught her near the end of her coffee break), I explained my plight; that I would like to talk to somebody in Bath—that's the one in Michigan.

There was a puzzled silence before she asked if I had dialed the desired party's zip code

number in between the 120 and the regular number.

No, I said, I didn't know their zip code and would she enlighten me.

Unfortunately, it turned out that this particular party has an unlisted zip code number which of course couldn't be given out.

That's when I decided to change telephone companies. Until about two weeks ago, most of us were pretty much restricted to the efforts of local communications experts in this field.

But now an enterprising young fellow up in Gratiot County by the name of Jim Edwards has set up a competing company. He calls his organization The John Edwards, Ball 'O String and Tin Can Telephone Company.

Edwards, who moonlights as a writer for the Gratiot County Herald when he's not out collecting twine, recently explained his plan this way: "First, I would buy millions of miles of string and then get all the tin cans that now litter the highways.

"I would connect all the cans, with the string and for a \$28 deposit, anybody could have a can in their home.

"The general workings of the company would be the same as they are now.

"Long distance calls would be made direct—just yell a little louder.

"The repair service would be simple. When one of the string lines broke, we would send a repairman right away to tie the string. Such repairs could be expected to be made at least by two weeks.

Edwards says the advantage of his company is that you wouldn't have to go through the process of dialing and have nothing happen nor would you have to place a call more than once.

Edward explains it this way: "Say you wanted to call Aunt Maude in Ashley . . . pick up the can, making certain you aren't standing on the string and yell into the can, "Hey, Aunt Maude, pick up the can, I gotta talk to you."

"That Edwards, I'll bet he'll be the first one to put a tin can and a ball of string on the moon.

Letters to the Editor

Disagrees with printing of Dobson poem

Dear Sir:

I read with some displeasure the piece entitled "Integration" which appeared in the News of Wednesday, April 29, 1970. I feel obligated to respond not for the purpose of debating the pros and cons of bussing but to provide some information on the problem as well as to express my personal disgust with the Clinton County News for printing the above mentioned poem.

The poem, I suppose, is harmless enough if taken as nothing more than an older person's expression of disillusionment with a world increasingly plagued with problems, moving at a pace he can not understand, and his yearning for the relative quietude of times past. However, for anyone who reads the poem carefully, it is clearly a stand on the bussing issue and one made on faulty grounds. My objection is not with the appearance of this viewpoint in the News, for the American freedom of expression must be just that no matter what one's opinion may be. Rather, I am disgusted that the News has selected such a poor presentation of the stance and has set forth the stance in such a subtle manner. The hasty and questionable conclusions drawn

by the author after playing on the nostalgic tendencies of his audience seem to me to serve only to reinforce already existent prejudices as well as to reinforce a kind of decision making process based on "that which would make me most comfortable" rather than on the basis of democratic responsibility and "that which is best for all."

While the rationale of "we have to pay the driver" and "high gas tax" for rejecting "cross-bussing" is beyond response, the statements of the final stanza are not. For it is precisely due to the fact that "good teachers and good pupils make for good sound education" that we ought to provide for and promote discussion on how best to solve the problems of best educating the entire school population. National reports issued over the past few years on this problem would seem to be a natural starting point for research if the individual citizen is truly concerned. Both the Coleman Report of 1966 and the report of the U.S. Civil Rights Commission "Racial Isolation in the Public Schools" of 1967 establish that the predominant socio-economic background of the students in a school exerts a powerful impact upon achievement. The latter of the two reports above attests to the noticeable differences in the quality of schools which blacks attend and those which whites attend. For example, black students

are less likely than whites to attend schools that have well-stocked libraries or which offer advanced courses in subjects such as science and language, and are more likely to be in overcrowded schools than white students. Also black students, according to the 1967 Report, are more likely than white students to have teachers with low verbal achievement, to have substitute teachers, and to have teachers who are dissatisfied with their school assignment. The education section of the "Report of the National Advisory Commission on Civil Disorders" (The Kerner Report) of 1968 also points out these and other important facts to be considered before formulating an opinion on this matter.

The purpose of a newspaper ought to be to provide the public with the best possible knowledge on all sides of an issue and to offer its opinion in clearly labeled form. The poem "Integration" in my opinion does not live up to this purpose.

Paul W. Merritt 64 Midland Highland Park, Michigan

Reader offers views on Viet Nam activity

Here are my views on Vietnam after much reading, thinking, and discussion.

We entered what was basically a civil war. We entered on the side of the minority of the Vietnamese. We have destroyed a way of life mainly rice paddy farming and have offered no new way of living.

Through our "foreign policy," our "military strategy" we are trying to "Americanize" a country that did not understand, did not want, did not need, and would not accept Americanization. We are trying to force free election means in an area that has no background, no history of, or desire for free elections.

We are attempting to force a democracy by the killing of thousands of Vietnamese people in a foreign country.

The future for South Vietnam is bleak. We have driven the rural people from the land into the city that has no way of life except that on a dependence on relief. Our military live in an outdated world.

I say let's get out and let them solve their own way of life. Some say we are fighting Communism but the heart of Communism is Russia and China. Leroy E. Vincent

STRICTLY FRESH

In researching why 13 is considered an unlucky number, we read of a Babylonian king who had 13 wives and immediately concluded our research.

TAKING FIVE

A best seller

By RON HUARD



If Time magazine is right, there is a whole lot of buying going on but very little reading. In a footnote to one of their stories in a recent issue, Time pointed out that the King James version of the bible continues to set the pace in the book-buying field by a substantial margin.

Now, as long as I can remember the bible has held this spot but I've often tried to figure out who does all the bible buying. When did you last buy a bible? Or receive one as a gift? A bible is a family treasure, it seems, and once one makes the ranks it's handed down and down and all the while it collects family notes and memorabilia between its covers.

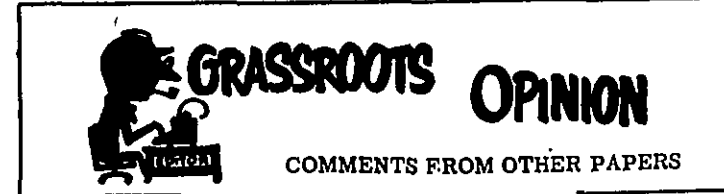
But on the sales charts bibles continue to lead the pack. Obviously the Gideons must be supplying a heck of a lot of motel and hotel rooms to keep the book in its top spot.

In any event, there's a whole mess of bibles being spread across our population and it appears to me that if we were reading this like we read some of the best sellers a few of our traditional values might gain some support. I'm not a fundamentalist when

it comes to religion. In fact I haven't read any more from the bible than what the good nuns and priests encouraged as they tried to raise my grades to a passing level. But it seems strange that so many bibles continue to be sold and yet the messages don't seem to be getting across. Maybe just having a bible among the books in the family library is a status

symbol. Maybe it appears there to neutralize the presence of "Valley of the Dolls" and "The Arrangement."

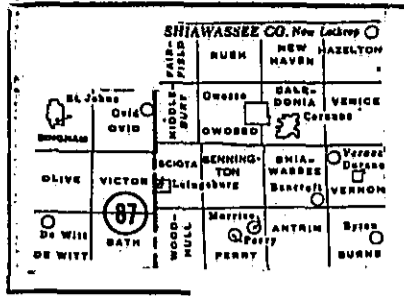
It's hard to say what the reason is that keeps the bible at the top of the sales charts, but whatever force it is it seems to be working. From the looks of the way things are going, it's too bad our reading doesn't match our buying.



COMMENTS FROM OTHER PAPERS

GAFFNEY, S.C., LEDGER: "So many people are yelling stop the war in Vietnam and the screams seem to be aimed exclusively at the United States. Why don't they aim some of their yells at the other side, too, and curve a few toward Russia and China? Let's be fair about it. It takes two to start a war and two to stop it. This the protestors don't seem to realize. It's Uncle Sam do this, and Uncle Sam do that."

SÁLEM, Ore., STATESMAN: "The new Boeing 747 . . . jet is proving its flight tests to be quieter than its smaller predecessors. This will be welcome news to the people who live around airports. In addition, the planes carry two to three times as many people. This will mean fewer flights to carry the same passenger load, with less jet fuel exhaust. It is extremely unusual these days to get any form of progress with less pollution, but the Boeing 747 will accomplish just that."



# View from the 87th

By WILLIAM S. BALLENGER  
State Representative



A number of bills and resolutions concerning new rights and responsibilities for young people have recently been introduced in the Michigan House of Representatives.

House Joint Resolution A, which has already been passed by the House and sent to the State Senate, would place on the ballot, in the coming November election, a proposed constitutional amendment to lower the minimum voting age from 21 to 18.

Twice, in recent years, Michigan voters have soundly defeated proposals to lower the voting age. Most recently in 1966, the needed constitutional amendment was defeated by a roughly 2 to 1 margin.

House Joint Resolutions CCC and III, if approved by the voters, would add an elected student representative to the governing boards of state-supported colleges and universities, while House Joint Resolution DDD would add a student member to the State Board of Education. House Joint Resolution EEE would create a students' grievance committee to hear complaints about expulsions and suspensions and other university actions.

THESE MEASURES would hardly affect the major policy decisions in higher education, since they add a single student vote to eight-member boards. But a student representative might well serve as a spokesman and ombudsman, bringing youthful thought and sentiment to bear on the policy-determining process, and giving the student body in general a clearer voice and a stake in the orderly operation of a university.

One controversial proposal, House Bill 4303, would permit students to vote, if otherwise qualified, at their college residences, rather than their hometowns. Opponents of this measure argue that students are only temporary residents of college towns and have little real concern for the future of such communities.

On the other hand, it could be contended that many non-student citizens are also residents of communities for four years or less, with no one disputing their right to vote there. Most students look upon their colleges as their residences, and many do not return to their parents' communities upon graduation.

In most instances today, we hold persons accused of crimes responsible for their conduct as adults at age 17. (If juvenile courts waive jurisdiction, even 15-year-olds may be tried as adults.) Yet while the U.S. Constitution guarantees a trial before a jury of one's "peers" or equals, our statutes insist that jurors be 21 or older—in most cases, much older.

Whether or not this is truly constitutional has never been tested in the higher courts. But HB 4241 would erase a substantial portion of this discrepancy by permitting 18-

year-olds to serve as jurors on a voluntary basis.

House Bill 4240 would lower to 18 the age at which persons can circulate certain types of petitions and serve as precinct delegates to political conventions. This change, in my opinion, is long overdue and should be the least controversial measure in the entire "Youth Bill of Rights" package.

PERHAPS, in a sense, both political parties are guilty of inconsistent practices—the courting of youth with one hand and the closing of doors to them with the other—is merely a reflection of a larger hypocrisy that permeates our society as a whole. Perhaps the essential questions to be answered are these:

Are we making the so-called "Generation Gap" a reality rather than a catchword by instilling, in young people, a growing sense of alienation

from the basic institutions of higher learning that are so directly concerned with youth?

Is there a serious and widening discrepancy between the demands we make upon persons aged 18 through 20—as individuals and as citizens—and the degree of individual citizenship we permit them to practice?

More bluntly, are we requiring that young people in this age group act like adults—while treating them like children?

These are questions that only the people of Michigan can answer. The key points in the Youth Bill of Rights must be approved by the voters this November to become a reality and will be placed on the ballot only if approved by two-thirds of the members of each house of the Legislature. So in the last analysis, both directly and through their elected representatives, the citizens must pass judgment on these proposals.



SAYLOR - BEALL VISITORS

Two American Oil Co. representatives were at Saylor-Beall Mfg. Co. last week for an inspection tour. Greeting them on the right is Jim Leon, sales manager. To the left is L.R. Otto, chief engineer, Chicago and Harry F. Deegan, regional engineer, Detroit. Saylor-Beall supplies the oil company with air compressors for hydraulic lifts in service stations.

**1040 U.S. Individual Income Tax Return**  
**Taxpayers Ask IRS**

U.S. Treasury Department - Internal Revenue Service

Q) I don't see any place on the new 1040 to deduct the \$600 I get for each of my exemptions. Where do I take this deduction?  
 A) Allowances for your exemptions are taken on Line 4, Schedule T, which is in the Form 1040 tax forms package. If you use the Tax Tables to figure your tax, the allowance for exemptions is provided in the tables.

Q) Do I have to pay tax on my GI insurance dividends?  
 A) No, these dividends are not taxable.

Q) I never had to send in an estimated tax form before, but I got one in the mail this year. Do I have to file it?  
 A) Generally, you should file an estimated tax return if you do not expect the amount withheld from your wages to come within \$40 of the income tax you expect to owe for 1970. Details are in the estimated tax form instructions.

The estimated tax system is meant to help keep all taxpayers on a pay-as-you-go basis. If a taxpayer's income changes during the year, he can make an adjustment in his next installment payment to take care of it.

Q) Are supplementary Medicare premiums deductible?  
 A) Premiums for health insurance under Medicare are deductible if you itemize expenses on Schedule A. Note that one-half of your cost for medical insurance up to \$150 is deductible without regard to the 3 per cent limitation on medical expenses. The remainder is subject to the 3 per cent rule.

Q) I can't pay all I owe on my 1969 income tax return. Can I pay in installments?  
 A) Full payment is required by the filing deadline.

Q) I am still paying my daughter's college expenses even though she married last fall. Can I still claim her as a dependent?  
 A) If she does not file a joint return with her husband and the other dependency tests are met, you may claim an exemption for her. These tests are explained on Page B-2 in the 1040 tax package.

Q) How can I use the pre-addressed label if I've made a mistake on the form it is on?  
 A) Lift the top label off the form on which you made the mistake and place it on the one you are filing. The two-part label has been made so that the top one lifts off easily but sticks tightly when placed on another form.

Q) What is the maximum Social Security tax for 1969?  
 I think I may have paid too much by holding down two jobs.  
 A) The maximum Social Security tax for 1969 is \$374.40. If more than that was withheld from your pay because you had more than one employer, you may claim credit for the difference on Line 20, Form 1040.

Q) I retired early. Do I have to wait until I'm 65 to claim the retirement income credit?  
 A) If you have a pension or annuity established by the Federal government, or state, county, city, or local governments, you do not have to wait until you are 65 to claim the retirement income credit. Details on the retirement income credit may be found in the 1040 tax package.

**Political Parties**  
 Five different political parties have been represented in the presidency of the United States—Federalist, Democrat-Republican, Democrat, Whig and Republican.

## Maple Rapids Lions sponsor eye test

The Maple Valley Lions Club in co-operation with the Michigan Optometric Association will conduct an eye screening program for adults and students at Fulton High School this week.

Hours will be from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., Thursday through Saturday.

A special trailer, called a "sightmobile" will be headquarters for the vision screening program, which will be sponsored by the Michigan Optometric Association, an educational and research organization.

It must be noted that vision screening is not an eye examination and that its sole purpose is to determine whether or not a person requires further professional eye care. Everyone who participates in the screening program will be given a card, which will indicate whether or not the screening has revealed any defects, and if a complete vision examination is recommended.

Although eye screening is for adults as well as high school students, Lions Club President James Glass urges parents to

## Honors List for Romig

Charles Romig of St. Johns is on the Alma College Term Honors List for the second term of the 1969-70 academic year.

Romig, who had a 3.66 scholastic average on a scale in which 4.0 is perfect, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Romig, of 107 S. Swegles, St. Johns. A freshman at Alma College, he is a graduate of St. Johns High School.

## PROCEEDINGS

of the  
St. Johns City Council

SPECIAL MEETING  
April 6, 1970

Mayor Wood called the Special Meeting of the City Commission to order at 7:30 p.m.

Present: Coletta, Grosz, Hannah, Rand, Wood. Absent: none. Staff present: City Manager, City Clerk, City Attorney.

The City Clerk presented the City Commission with the certification from the County Board of Canvassers stating that 1,130 votes were registered in the March 31, 1970 Special Election of which 474 were Yes and 656 were No.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah, supported by Commissioner Grosz to accept the certification as made by the County Board of Canvassers. Yeas: Coletta, Grosz, Hannah, Rand, Wood, Nay: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Rand to adjourn at 7:40 p.m. Yeas: Coletta, Grosz, Hannah, Rand, Wood, Nay: None. Motion carried.

THOMAS L. HUNDLEY,  
City Clerk.

ROBERT H. WOOD,  
Mayor.

## Former Elsie clerk returns to her post

Mrs. Alice Blunt, former Elsie clerk has again been named village clerk, succeeding Mrs. Lenore Foran, who is ill.

Durward Conklin, village president, has named the following people to committees for the current year: Parks, cemetery and dump, Joseph Bartek and Don Lidle; petitions, ordinances and water, Harold Heldeman and Blaine Lentz; drains, streets and sidewalks, Russell Bouck and Patrick Foran; claims, Heldeman and Lentz; vehicles, Bartek and Lidle.

Bartek was named president pro tem, and Conklin fire chief.

Foran and Bouck comprise the law enforcement committee; Lentz and Heldeman the budget committee.

Dr. E. M. Slagh was named health officer and James DeBar, dog warden.

## Clinton County News

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## PROCEEDINGS

of the  
St. Johns City Council

The regular meeting of the City Commission was called to order by Mayor Wood at 7:30 p.m.

Commissioners Present: Hannah, Grosz, Rand, Wood.

Commissioners Absent: Coletta.

Reverend Sheen gave Invocation.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Hannah to approve the City Commission meeting minutes of March 23, 1970 and of April 6, 1970.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Hannah to approve the warrants. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Hannah to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Miss Pat Iszler of 1240 Jason Road, DeWitt, Mich., appeared with several students from the St. Johns High School requesting that the City Commission allow them to open and operate the City Park Concession stand during this summer. Miss Iszler stated that Mr. Richard Bolyard would sponsor this group and that they would like to start June 20, 1970.

The City Manager stated that he had received a request from someone also asking to operate the concession stand this summer. Mr. Weatherwax made a recommendation that he and the City Attorney be allowed to study this area and make a recommendation at the next meeting.

Mr. Kurt Becker appeared before the City Commission stating that he spoke on behalf of the St. Johns Park Board and that it is the Park Board's desire to see the concession stand in operation this summer.

Mr. Becker, further stated that he and several other local businessmen have been working with several students at the High School to find them summer jobs. Mr. Becker felt that letting the students run the concession stand would not only provide employment for the students but also would be a tremendous opportunity for the students to gain invaluable experience in the operation and management of a retail business.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Hannah to table the student's request for review by the City Manager and City Attorney. Motion carried.

The City Clerk read a communication from Dr. W. F. Stephenson in reference to commending the City Commission and administration for their efforts in the management of the Community. De Stephenson's communication also discussed his viewpoint concerning the reason that the recent millage request was defeated at the March 31, 1970 Special Election.

The City Clerk read a communication from the Bement Public Library requesting a joint meeting between the Library Board and the City Commission. Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Rand to designate the date of May 4, 1970, as the date of the Library Board and City Commission meeting.

The City Clerk read a communication from Mrs. Roger Hammonree writing on behalf of the St. Johns Jaycee Auxiliary requesting a sales permit to hold a flea market on May 9, 1970 at the St. Johns High School or in case of bad weather a permit to hold said market on May 16, 1970.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Hannah to grant the Jaycees Auxiliary's request. Motion carried.

The City Manager reported that Traffic Control Order #24 and #25 have been written pursuant to the request of the City Commission.

The City Clerk read a communication from the Water Resources Commission in reference to final order of determination to remove phosphates from

the Municipal Sewage effluent. City Attorney Maples explained that the Department of Water Resources had named a representative, Mr. Victor H. Meier, to hear evidence and testimony and prepare a decision in regard to same.

Mayor Wood read house Bill #4251 in reference to prohibiting sales of detergents and cleaning compounds containing phosphorus in the State of Michigan.

The City Clerk read the following Planning Commission recommendation:

"Motion by Member Wilcox supported by Member Huntoon to recommend to the City Commission that they allow Mr. Lyle Guise to work directly with the Mid-Michigan Health Department for the proposed expansion of his trailer court." Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Rand to allow Mr. Lyle Guise to work directly with the Mid-Michigan Health Department for the expansion of his trailer court. Motion carried.

The City Clerk read the following Planning Commission recommendation:

"Motion by Member Wilcox supported by Member Wood to recommend to the City Commission that the property located at 603 E. State Street be rezoned from B.N. Neighborhood Business to General Commercial." Motion carried.

"Motion by Member Wilcox supported by Member Wood to recommend to the City Commission that they rezone the area between Baker Street and Scott Road on both sides of M-21 that is now zoned Neighborhood Service to General Commercial." Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Hannah to approve both requests of the Planning Commission for rezoning 603 E. State Street and rezoning M-21 between Baker Street and Scott Road and to set the date of May 11, 1970 at 8:00 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers as the date, time and place to hear all persons interested in the proposed rezoning. Motion carried.

General discussion concerning the division of the City's precincts followed.

Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Grosz to instruct the City Attorney to draft an Ordinance in reference to dividing the City's voting precincts in accord with the City Clerk's and City Attorney's recommendations. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Rand to authorize the Manager to submit an action grant application for the St. Johns Police Department radios to the Michigan Commission of Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Rand to name Sgt. Lyle French as Project Director and Harvey Weatherwax as local authorizing official. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Grosz to designate the week of May 4 thru the 8th as Spring Clean up week. Motion carried.

The City Manager requested that the citizens hold the materials that the refuse contractor will not pick up until the last Friday of every month. The City crew will collect these items.

Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Grosz offered Ordinance No. 231. (Copies of Ordinance No. 231 are available at the Municipal Building.) Ordinance adopted.

Motion by Commissioner Grosz supported by Commissioner Rand to adjourn at 8:25 p.m. Motion carried.

THOMAS L. HUNDLEY  
City Clerk

ROBERT H. WOOD  
Mayor

## REGULAR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING APPEAL BOARD MEETING

A regular meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Appeal Board will be held on **MONDAY, MAY 18, 1970** at 8:00 p.m. in the courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the Board will act on the following:

### GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP

The appeal of Carl D. Howe to occupy a trailer coach on the following described parcel of land:

Starting 132' E of NW cor of NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Sec. 27, in Greenbush township, Clinton County, thence E. 138', thence S 180' thence W. 138', thence N. 180' to place of beginning.

### RILEY TOWNSHIP

The appeal of Howard Sargent to occupy a trailer coach on the following described parcel of land:

Beg. at the E 1/4 cor. of Sec. 31, T6N, R3W, thence W 1/4 along S 1/4 in 200' thence N 362 ft., thence E 1/4 200' to the E In of Sec. 31, thence S 1/4 along sec. ln. 362' to the point of beginning; this parcel of land is part of the E 30 A of the S 1/2 of the S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 31, T6N-R3W.

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Administrator

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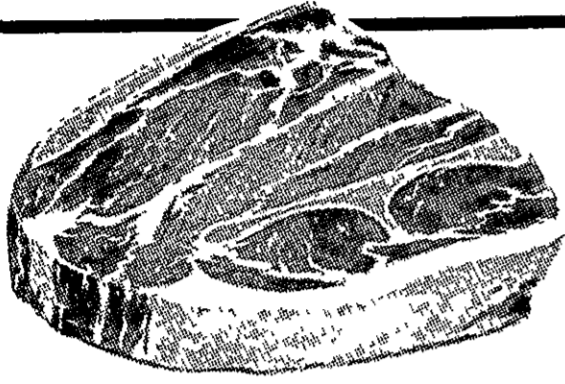
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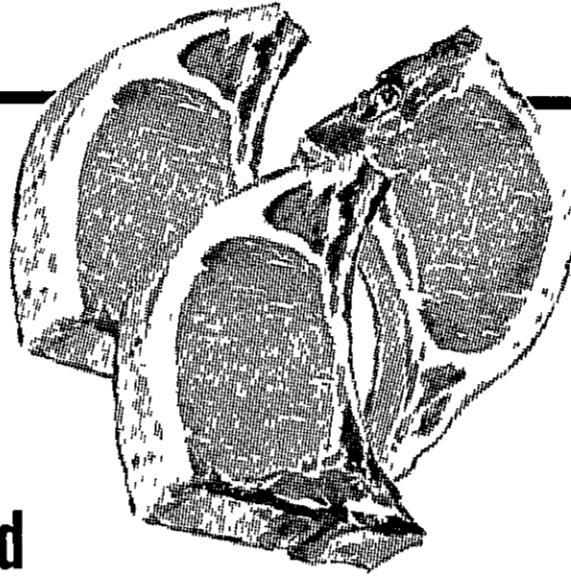
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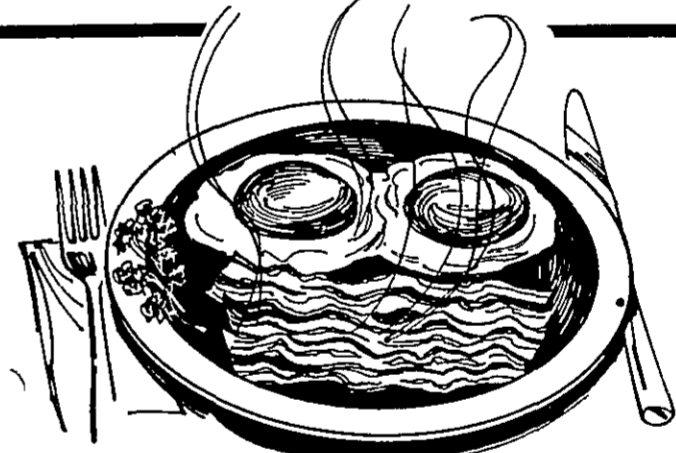
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