



LOOK AT THE CAMERAMAN, NURSE

Little Ian Hill was in the hospital last week, but he was bright-eyed and alert when he spotted the cameramen roaming through Clinton Memorial Hospital and pointed one of them out to nurses' aide Judy Rivest. It could be imagined he was pointing to you and asking you to attend the open house from 2 to 5 p.m. this Sunday at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Ian won't be there; he went home later Wednesday. The 18-month-old lad is the son of Mr and Mrs Robert F. Hill of DeWitt.

Open house Sunday at Clinton Memorial

Residents throughout Clinton County are being invited this Sunday to attend an open house designed to show off more than \$1 million in additions and improvements at Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns.

The open house will be from 2 to 5 p.m. The hospital is located on South Oakland Street near the intersection with Sturgis Street.

All improvements at the hospital are not complete yet, but

Special section

A special section with stories and pictures of the enlarged Clinton Memorial Hospital accompanies this week's Clinton County News.

new additions on the west and east and to the boiler room have been finished and in use for anywhere from a year to several months. These areas will hold the prime emphasis for visitors to the open house, but the remodeled areas of the building will also be of interest.

Mrs Lloyd Love is chairman of the open house and will represent the hospital administration on the open house committee. Others on the committee include Lorenz A. Tiedt representing the board of directors; Kurt Becker representing the board of trustees; Mrs Fraser Mac Kinnon, representing the Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary; and Mrs Doris Prowant representing the Red Cross Volunteers.

BUILDING COMMITTEE
Chairman Bill Barker and Co-Chairman William Richards Sr. point out the hospital improvement project is the biggest that has taken place in the 41-year history of the organization, and when all work is complete will

have cost in excess of \$1 million.

The most apparent improvement is the new Fehling Wing to the west side of the building. It now houses the lobby and main waiting room, accounting areas, physicians' conference room and central supply room on the main floor and the obstetrical department, nursery and rooms for some medical and surgical patients on the second floor.

The new east wing of the building provides a new kitchen and enlarged dining and food service facilities. An addition to the boiler plant and a third boiler were also added.

Considerable remodeling and reshuffling of rooms and departments have gone on in the original structure in an attempt to

make the old and the new into one blended hospital facility.

The rearrangement of space on the upper floors of the hospital and the new additions has made it possible to increase the hospital's bed-capacity to 85 beds.

St. Johns architects St. Clair and Douglas Pardee designed the improvements, which were approved by the board of trustees of the hospital in mid-1966. Work got under way in August that year. Contractors doing the work have been: Clark Construction Co. of Lansing, general; Holwerda - Hulzinga Co. of Grand Rapids, mechanical; Fox Electric Co. of Lansing, electrical; Haughton Elevator Co. of Toledo, Ohio, elevators; and Douglas Brothers of Grand Rapids of Grand Rapids, equipment.



WITH MICHIGAN WEEK ART SHOW IN MIND

Mrs Paul Schueller (at the easel) accepts some hints from Mrs Kenneth Penix as she paints a landscape last week during a class at the home of Mrs Doris Anderson. Looking on is Mrs Peter DeCamp. The ladies will be among numerous local artists who will display their works starting Sunday at the Central National Bank during a weeklong art exhibit sponsored by the Friends of the Bement Public Library.

Lots to do and see

Clinton all set for Michigan Week

There aren't any single big events to mark Michigan Week in Clinton County next week, but there are enough programs, exhibits and talking going on to keep the heat up in the fires of enthusiasm about Michigan.

Michigan Week Chairman Betty Jane Minsky pointed to a wide range of activities for a wide segment of Clinton County's population — all designed to extol the virtues of the county, and the state.

"There are many, and most of them we take for granted," Mrs Minsky said. "This is the purpose of Michigan Week — to remind ourselves and to tell others about the advantages of living and working in Michigan."

St. Johns has probably the widest range of activities, set up or coordinated for Michigan Week by St. Johns Chairman William Patton. The weeklong program starting Sunday includes art shows, open houses, service club speakers, displays and essay contests.

SUNDAY, THE KICKOFF day for Michigan Week, will indeed be busy.

The Friends of the Bement Public Library will sponsor a public art show at the Central National Bank all week, with a reception to be held Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m. Mrs Brandon White, president of the Friends of the Bement Public Library, said the

paintings will be exhibited every day and will be works by local artists.

Exhibits by St. Johns industries will be set up all week at three locations. Saylor-Beall Manufacturing Co. will have one at the Clinton National Bank, F. C. Mason Co. products will be on exhibit at Capital Savings and Loan Assn., and both Federal-Mogul and Sealed Power products will be displayed at the Central National Bank.

A display by the Clinton Tool and Die Co. will be set up at Clinton National Bank.

Sunday's open house at the Clinton Memorial Hospital will be tied in with both Michigan Week next week and National

Hospital Week this week. The open house will be from 2 to 5 p.m. and is being hosted by the hospital's board of directors, board of trustees, Women's



MICHIGAN WEEK
MAY 19-25

Auxiliary and the Red Cross Volunteers.

High School youth are being invited to write essays incorporating one or more of the Michigan Week daily themes — Community Pride Day May 18, Spiritual Foundations Day Sunday, Government Day May 20, Our Heritage Day May 21, Our Livelihood Day May 22, Education Day May 23, Hospitality Day May 24, and Our Youth Day May 25. The essays are being handled through the English Department at the high school.

Sunday is Religious Heritage Day, and churches that have bells have been asked to ring them at noon to signify recognition of

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CD siren test set May 24

A test demonstration of St. Johns' five tornado warning sirens is being planned for Friday, May 24, during the noon hour.

John Furry, chairman of the city's civil defense committee, said the sirens will be sounded at 12:05 p.m. May 24, and will give out a wavering tone for three minutes. This will be followed soon after by an "all clear" signal, consisting of three aerial bombs.

Posters are being distributed to homes and businesses around town explaining the meaning of the sirens and giving instructions on what to do if they are sounded on an unscheduled basis. Persons not receiving one by next week may pick one up at the municipal building.

Furry said the small posters are designed to be hung in the appropriate area of the home or business basement which would likely afford the best shelter in case of a tornado.

The posters are being distributed by St. Johns Boy Scouts and the St. Johns Jayettes.

Furry said current plans are to test the five sirens on a regular basis once every three months. Advance notification of residents will be made. The sirens are located atop the courthouse, Clinton Memorial Hospital, Sealed Power, Federal-Mogul and Hettler Motor Sales.



FRANCIS JOHNSON

Johnson promoted by MMPA

OVID — Francis Johnson, 47, of 125 W. Front Street, Ovid, has been appointed production manager of the Michigan Milk Producers Assn., the state's largest dairy farmer cooperative. Johnson will also continue to serve as manager of the MMPA Ovid plant, the largest dairy product manufacturing facility in Michigan, a post he has held for the last nine years.

A 17-year employee of MMPA, Johnson had previously served as manager of the MMPA plant at Imlay City and superintendent at Elsie, and as a laboratory technician. He received his B.S. degree in dairy manufacturing from Michigan State University in 1949.

A native of Cassopolis, Mich., Johnson is a member of the Central Michigan Dairy Technical Society, has served four years as treasurer of the Ovid-Elsie School Board, and on the Clinton County Board of Review.

He is a member of the Ovid Development Corp. and the Ovid Businessmen's Assn. Johnson and his wife, Marlene, have four children: Mary 15; Jim, 12; Susan, 11, and Karen, 10.

Johnson succeeds Fay C. Ewbank, who resigned, as MMPA production manager. The appointment was announced by MMPA General Manager Jack W. Barnes.

HOME-MADE ICE CREAM SOCIAL: Saturday, May 18. Also barbecues, hot dogs, cakes, and beverage. West Pilgrim United Methodist Church, Cor. Parks and Grove Roads (formerly Bengal E.U.B.) Serving starts at 5:30 p.m. — Adv. 3-1



REV WESLEY MANKER

Nazarene Church has new pastor

The Rev Wesley Manker of Traverse City, has begun his pastoral duties at the St. Johns Church of the Nazarene, on Sunday, May 5, he and his family were presented to the members and friends of the local congregation.

Rev Mr Manker comes to the local church from the field of evangelism where he has been engaged in spiritual life crusades and revival campaigns throughout the Midwest.

An ordained elder, he is the father of four children: Mrs Daniel (Diana) Byers; Donald a freshman at Northwestern Michigan College in Traverse City; Darlene, who will be graduating from Traverse City Central High School this year; and David, who will complete his ninth year of school this year.

Rev Mr Manker was a 1941 graduate of Hastings High School. He was a World War II veteran, being wounded three times in action. He furthered his studies at Owosso College where his daughter Diana, a sophomore, is the third generation to attend there.

A converted "dance band" leader, he plays several instruments, including the violin, the piano, the guitar, the accordion, organ, and several others.

Prior to coming to St. Johns, he served parishes at Athens, Luther and Traverse City.

The new pastor reported that after taking a vote of the people on the past Sunday, the Church voted by 92 per cent, to erect a new parsonage on the lot of 609 N. Lansing Street, adjoining the church.

A county-wide drive to open the Veteran's Memorial Swimming Pool in St. Johns this summer is within reach of success.

As of Monday, evening's volunteer committee meeting, \$11,625 had been raised and banked. The committee agreed that with a successful car wash which St. Johns students will have this weekend they are assured of reaching their goal of \$12,500.

Besides the student car wash this weekend, there are still a few who have pledged money, but as of Monday evening the cash had not been received.

At Monday evening's meeting, Dr Herbert Oatley, chairman of the volunteer committee noted that "The outlook for a swimming pool program for the children of Clinton County has had a complete change from our meeting here of less than two weeks ago. The people of St. Johns and Clinton County have poured their hearts out to us, which will enable us to have a swimming program this summer, and many summers to come."

THE COMMITTEE ALSO reported that two pumps had been ordered over a week ago with money donated within a no-return-clause. This enabled the committee to get a head start on the equipment replacement. The pumps, even though ordered that early, will take at least until the first of June for delivery. Other equipment was ordered late last week as the goal came within reach. This equipment was ordered with a return guarantee in case the money goal should not be reached in time.

In other action Monday evening, the committee decided to order a dry-feed slurry tank. This was one piece of equipment which the pool could have operated without by hand-mixing the

chemicals, but with the drive looking so successful — especially with a good turnout at the student car wash this weekend — it was decided to add the tank to the equipment order. The slurry tank would prolong the life of the filters and save time of the pool personnel, eliminating hand mixing of chemicals.

Another suggestion was to the effect that if the pool fund should come up with a surplus, this would be used to open the pool next year if the City of St. Johns still happens to be without available funds.

Larry Scramlin, representative (Story continued on Page 2-A)

Bath special ed students plan trip

BATH—Special education students at Bath High School are in for a treat — and a well-earned one — next Thursday and Friday. Fourteen of the youths will travel by car to Detroit for an overnight stay.

They'll visit Greenfield Village and Museum May 23, have dinner at Carl's Chop House and then go to the theater to see "Gone With the Wind." On Friday, May 24, they'll visit the Detroit Zoo. The students have earned about \$300 by selling popcorn at the school for 10 cents a bag. Mrs Susan Raasch is their instructor.

SHEPARDVILLE WSCS chicken and roast beef supper, Thursday, May 16, 5:30. Adults \$1.50, children 75¢, pre-schoolers free. Adv. 3-1p

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The St. Johns High School Student Council will sponsor a car wash from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. this Saturday and Sunday at the Randolph's Car Wash on South US-27, and the proceeds are expected to push the Clinton County Memorial Swimming Pool Fund over the top. Making a test run on one of their own cars are students Kathy Davis (left), Beth Weber, Roxanne Bradley, Kay Rademacher, Janet Pung, Ted Loomis and Bob Cochran.

Sickles assessments OK'd by commission

Two controversial assessment rolls were approved by the St. Johns City Commission last Tuesday evening during a meeting at which public attendance dropped down to only 20. The commission passed resolutions confirming assessment rolls for sanitary sewer and curb and gutter, both on West Sickles Street between Lansing Street and the city park. The public hearing on the assessment rolls was quiet, compared to four other meetings at which the hearing was started and continued. The only questions from the audience concerned the amounts of cost per unit or benefit or per front foot to property owners. The cost per unit of benefit for the sanitary sewer will be \$375.68, with 36 units being assessed along the street. The City of St. Johns is assuming eight benefits because of property it owns, the George Smith property is being assessed nine units, A. J. Weseman one unit, William Moon one unit, Doyle Bancroft one unit and St. Johns Public Schools 16 units. THE FRONT-FOOT assessment for the curb and gutter will be \$6.60, with the City of St. Johns assuming 630 feet, George Smith property 726, A. J. Weseman 156, 321 and 75 feet on three parcels, William Moon 72.58 feet, Doyle Bancroft 80 feet and the St. Johns Public Schools 1,233.42 feet. Mrs. A. J. Weseman addressed the commission briefly, saying she thought the assessments were grossly unfair. "This is not a normal city street," she said. "It's noisy and busy. We get no benefit (from the improvements) but we do get a whole lot of headaches." She contended the street improvements had been made primarily for the benefit of the schools and Smith Hall and she thought they should pay more of the cost. Approval of the confirmation resolutions was unanimous by the commission, although Mayor and Commissioner Charles Coletta was absent. The resolution provides for splitting up the payments into three installments.



FLOYD PARMELEE
Parmelee Exchange president

Floyd Parmelee of 429 Meadowview Drive has been elected president of the St. Johns Exchange Club for the fiscal year that begins July 1. Parmelee, who has been vice president this year, was named to his new post last Thursday at the noon bi-weekly meeting of the club. He succeeds Ken Moore. Other officers next year will be Robert Wood as vice president, Robert Gill as secretary and Bill Patton as treasurer. Elected as new members of the board of directors were Rev Harold Homer and Emil Fiermoen. Other members of the board are Robert Thompson, Moore and John Paradise. Parmelee is office manager for the Federal Land Bank in St. Johns. The club membership voted to donate \$200 to the swimming pool fund drive following a talk by Dr Herbert Outley, chairman of the citizens group and the answering of questions on the drive by Dr Outley and William Kemper. The club's next meeting will be Thursday, May 23.

City commission takes resignation of city manager

As expected, the St. Johns City Commission accepted the resignation of City Manager Ken Greer last Tuesday night in their first formal session since Greer announced his intentions two weeks ago. The commission gratefully accepted Greer's offer to stay on the job through July, if necessary. Greer's letter of resignation to the commission was read publicly at last Tuesday's meeting. Here is the text of the letter: "It is with sincere regret that I herewith submit my resignation as city manager for the City of St. Johns. I have enjoyed my many experiences and the opportunity to have served the community after choosing to locate here some 22 years ago. During the past 12 years of service with the city, I have worked for and with many of the real community leaders. I certainly appreciated their co-operation and considerations and thank them for their personal support. The social unrest of the nation and state has influenced a certain element within our community. In the public interest and to satisfy this unrest I have determined that my resignation will help by allowing you, the elected representatives, to proceed in an orderly manner to solve the serious problems faced by this community. You will not be able to solve or cope with these situations if you are under constant harassment relative to alleged inefficiency of your administrator, while dealing with your legislative policy and decisions. Greer was not present for the city commission meeting last Tuesday night. The city, meanwhile, has placed advertisements in municipal statewide and nationwide magazines and other media in a search for a replacement for Greer, as well as for a city clerk and assessor. "No one regrets your decision to resign more than I do," Coletta told Greer in the letter. "However, under the circumstances that prevail, I cannot blame you for your decision. You and I both know that these circumstances came about by your dedication to carry the brunt of the load for decisions made by the city commission. No manager in the past has even displayed such dedication." "INDIVIDUAL ACTION If every driver strives to drive safely it will make our highways safer for everyone. "IN THAT I FEEL certain per-

Pool fund splashes within reach of goal

(Continued from Page 1-A) tive of the Lansing YMCA was present and outlined the swimming program for the summer. The program at St. Johns will be similar to that which was held at Williamston. This would include adults, youths, children, scuba, swim team clubs and group instructions to various age groups from three years of age up. SCRAMBLIN STATED the swimming staff will be recruited from local sources with the exception of the director, who will come from the YMCA. Certified Red Cross or YMCA instructors will be used in the pool program, although the number of instructors needed has not yet been determined. Tentative fees for swimming have been set at \$6 for swimming lessons and 25¢ for children and 50¢ for adults for open swimming. One evening a week will be devoted to family time in the pool. Promotion programs will be handled through the schools, as will the possibility of bus transportation. Scramlin said the YMCA hopes to maintain a ratio of one instructor to 10 students. In the tiny tot classes, one parent must accompany the child to class. In these classes a ratio of one instructor to five or 10 will try to be maintained. Five two-week swimming lessons will be held in the newly heated pool. Cards of qualification will be issued after each session. Locker room scheduling will be rearranged to cut down on the confusion of changing for swimmers. Progress reports will be given to every donor to the swimming pool fund at the end of the year. This will list the children who have received lessons and of those who qualified. A YMCA representative will meet this Friday, May 17, at the municipal building auditorium at 4 p. m. with all persons who might be interested in being instructors, life guards or locker room attendants for the summer. The Bellant Brothers, local painters, appeared at the meeting and offered their services in painting the pool as their contribution to the pool fund. They stated that they would do the job whenever it had to be done, even if they had to work weekends to get it painted in time. Federal-Mogul has offered their assistance in installing the new equipment when it arrives. The opening of the pool is set for June 7. Thus, the committee felt that all the old equipment which will be replaced should be removed prior to the arrival of the new equipment. This would enable the pool to be ready for use as soon as the equipment is installed and operational. With the acquiring of heaters for the pool, a longer swimming period is envisioned, not only for this year, but for years to come. Contributors to the Veteran's pool fund as of Tuesday noon, who were not listed last week are: Individuals: Mr and Mrs M. Devereaux Mr and Mrs L. Corkin St. Clair Pardee Mr and Mrs Geo. Osgood Robert Ebert F. Earl Haas Dr & Mrs Burkhardt, Jr.



Boy Scout Troop 81 of St. Johns donated \$200 last week to the Clinton County Memorial Swimming Pool Fund, boosting it considerably toward the goal of \$12,500. Patrol leader Ted Cartwright, a first-class Scout, presents the check to Kurt Becker, representing the pool fund committee, while Scoutmaster Gerald Atkinson and boys from the troop look on.

- Vincent Geller Mr and Mrs K. Snider Mr and Mrs D. Shnabery Mr and Mrs R. Wager Mr and Mrs P. Schueller Mr and Mrs J.M. Egan Dr F. W. Smith Mary Ewing Mr and Mrs G. Pope Mr and Mrs E. Riley Mr and Mrs R. Downing Rev and Mrs H. Homer Mrs B. Hilton Mr and Mrs J. D. Robinson, Defa Corwin Rev and Mrs G. Churchill Mr and Mrs J. Willette Mr and Mrs F. Fernholz Mr and Mrs L.G. Rinker Mr and Mrs R. Houska Mr and Mrs R. Miller Mr and Mrs R. Beaufore
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Fowler school year stretched

FOWLER - The Fowler Public School's 1967-68 school calendar has been revised to meet state requirements for 180 days in attendance, and the school year will be stretched out to June 6. Regular school will be held the week of May 27, except for Memorial Day, school officials announced. Final examinations will be held June 3 and 4, with buses following their normal schedules. There will be no school June 5 (it will be marking day), but classes will be in session from 8:30-9:30 a.m. on June 6 for students to receive report cards.

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Clinton County all set for Michigan Week



Standing beside a tall wall poster that extolls the music of Michigan, these second graders in Mrs Thelma Weismiller's room at Central School in St. Johns do just that—they sing "Michigan My Michigan." They are Judy Haynes (left), Marilyn Martin, Susan Studer, Julie Livingston, Jill Andrews, David Wilson, Mark VanBuren and Gregg Bacon.

(Continued from Page 1-A) the state's religious heritage. Bement Public Library will have Michigan Week displays all week on history, culture, developments and other topics about the state. The 4-H youths of the county, under the direction of John Aylsworth, 4-H youth agent, will be planting flowers in the Clinton Avenue planters sometime during the week, not necessarily on Youth Day.

MICHIGAN WEEK will be the general topic for special speakers at meetings of the Lions, Exchange and Rotary Clubs during next week. The Exchange Club will hear Lansing City Treasurer Jerry Graves at their meeting May 23, Bill McGraw of the Michigan Tourist Council will speak to Rotary May 21, and Mike Conboy of the office of Economic Expansion will be the Lions Club speaker May 22. Graves has been Lansing treasurer since October 1961 during that time altering methods and procedures to reduce tax delinquencies to a point of no loss to the community and in general creating an atmosphere of good will with the public through the communications media.

From 1954 to late 1961 he served as executive director of the Michigan Good Roads Foundation and as secretary of the Michigan Joint Legislative Committee on Highway Needs. He served in the Michigan Legislature for two terms as representative from the Alpena district.

Conboy is director of the Office of Economic Expansion, Michigan Department of Commerce. He was appointed by Governor Romney in 1963. Until his appointment he was a marketing consultant in the Michigan district of Ernst & Ernst, a national accounting firm. Over a period of six years he worked with 200 Michigan companies in developing their marketing strategy. Prior to this period he worked in the auto industry in marketing consumer research. During World War II he served three years in the Army, including one year in Europe with an Engineer Battalion.

He is currently vice president of the National Association of State Development Directors. Among his hobbies is an active interest in conservation and the preservation of natural areas. As other examples of Michigan spirit, Patton cited the continuing efforts of the citizen campaign to raise funds for the swimming pool and the Jaycees' project of a children's playground. A pony pull contest at the 4-H grounds Sunday will raise money for a horse barn.

At DeWitt, Community Pride Day Saturday will climax a week-long cleanup campaign, according to DeWitt Michigan Week Chairman Mrs June Lankford. Other chairmen handling events for the special days of Michigan Week include Mrs Earl Kleaver for Spiritual Foundations Day, Mr and Mrs Lawrence Keck and Mr and Mrs Arthur Newman for

Mayor's Exchange Day, Jack Ende for Government Day and Mrs Charles Ferguson for Youth Day.

AT OVID, MICHIGAN Week Chairman Mitchell Das' plans center on Mayor Exchange Day next Monday. Mayor James Lawler of Quincy and Ovid President Harvey Darling are trading executive posts for the day. Lawler will arrive in Ovid about mid-morning, after which there will be a parade led by the Ovid-Elsie High School Band, tours of the MIPA creamery, Vaughn Seeds, Briggs' Green House and the Ovid Nursing Home.

A noon luncheon will be held at the high school, followed by a tour there. Following a cocktail hour at 4:30 p.m., the Lions Club will sponsor a Mayor's Exchange Dinner at 7 p.m. at the Main Street Ovid United Church.

In Elsie, Chairman Guy Mitchell said Michigan Week plans will include luncheon and tour of the high school with the Ovid group and tours of local industry and the site of the proposed Duplain Township Hall-Elsie Library Building. The Elsie Lions Club will host the evening dinner, combining it with the annual Ladies Night.

The Fowler Jaycees are planning a community auction for May 18. Robert Halfmann is Michigan Week Chairman. Michigan Week Chairman at Maple Rapids is Mrs Helen Howe, and at Bath Mrs Robert Zeeb is handling arrangements for the annual observance.



Michigan Week posters, displays and pictures are exhibited in schools all over the county this week, and no exception was Mrs Thelma Weismiller's second grade class at Central School. Showing off their three-dimensional pictures and a Michigan map with their pictures attached to the circle are Lori Goldman, Suzanne Schumaker, Maylyne Foo, Jason Bargar, Debby Holley and Marie Thompson.

Free Methodists plan exchange

The Lansing district of the Free Methodist Church has set May 19 as "Pastor Exchange Day."

The Rev Otte Call of the Lansing Spanish Church will be the speaker at the St. Johns Free Methodist Church, 305 Church Street. Rev Mr Call has been a missionary in Paraguay and Cuba.

The pastor of the local church, Rev E. E. Courser, will speak at the Spanish Church. Services in both places start at 10 a.m. with the Sunday School and the regular worship service at 11.



MIKE CONBOY ... Lions Club speaker

Graduation tonight in boating safety

The final step in a spring boating safety course in mid-Clinton County — graduation — is planned for tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m.

A representative of the American Red Cross from Lansing will come to St. Johns to pass out certificates at the Swegies Street School. The program is for students and their families, according to Darrell Pope, local instructor.

Church to honor servicemen

In observance of Michigan Week, the First Congregational Church of St. Johns Sunday will dedicate a "Roll of Honor" in recognition of young men from the parish now serving in the armed forces.

The brief ceremony during the morning worship service Sunday will be followed by the hanging of the "Roll of Honor" plaque near the north entrance of the church.

The 16 young men from the church now serving in the armed forces include Jonathan Pulling, William Acton, Charles Fisher, Keith Mayers, James Leonard, John Markman, Keith Thurston, Joseph Spusta Jr., Mike Heltinger, Budd Sutliff, Richard Carmack, Rodney Walling, Richard Taylor, Douglas Worrall and Tom VanEtten.

Some guests are most liked for their shortcomings.

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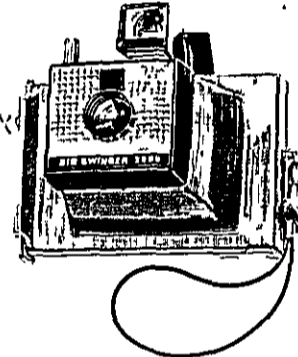
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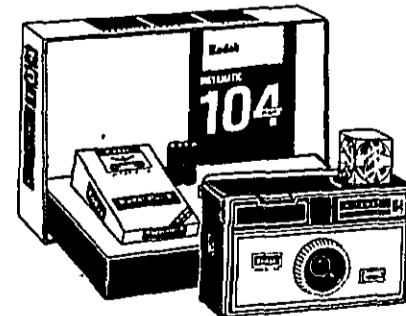
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4 1/2-month '68 traffic toll equals that of all of 1967

Clinton County traffic accidents in 4 1/2 months of 1968 have claimed as many lives as were lost in all of 1967. Fatality No. 13 was recorded Friday morning when Mrs. Carol D. Luft, 20, of Upton Road, R-2, Ovid, was killed in a two-car collision at Shepardsville and Taft roads in Ovid Township. A Fowler boy, Jeffrey L.

Melvin, 13, was hit by a car and killed while riding his bicycle Sunday south of Pewamo, but the death occurred just across the Ionia County line. Only three persons had died on Clinton County highways at this same time last year. Mrs. Luft was the driver of one of the two cars involved in Friday's collision, which oc-

curred about 7:35 a.m. According to sheriff's officers, she apparently did not see the other auto coming and pulled onto Shepardsville road from the east on Taft. A NORTHBOUND auto driven by Nathan L. Casteel, 21, of R-2, Laingsburg struck the Luft car and then both autos went off the

road. Casteel was hurt badly and was taken to St. Lawrence Hospital in Lansing, where he remained in critical condition Tuesday morning. A passenger in Mrs. Luft's car, Elizabeth E. Whitehair, 23, of 9305 E. French Road, Elsie, was treated at Clinton Memorial Hospital for cuts and bruises. The Fowler boy, Jeffrey Melvin, was riding his bicycle on Clintonia Road three miles south

of Pewamo when he was killed. State police from the Ionia post said the boy swerved into the path of an auto driven by Luke R. Thelen, 22, of Grange Road, R-2, Fowler. The accident is still under investigation. Jeffrey died as the result of a fractured skull and internal injuries. Clintonia Road is the county line road between Clinton and Ionia counties, but the death occurred in Ionia. It was Ionia's third traffic fatality this year.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

The Village of Ashley has approved a chloride dust control program for this summer on all gravel streets in the village.

Eric Anderson, 10 year-old son of Mr and Mrs Samuel Anderson of Tucson, Ariz., was seriously injured when he was struck by a gravel truck near his home Thursday, May 9. The Andersons are former residents of St. Johns and Ovid and are now living at R-1, Box 563 Roller Coaster Road, Tucson, Ariz. Eric will be in Tucson General Hospital, 3838 Campbell, Medical W. 4, for about three months.

More than 2,000 persons saw the high school performances of "Oklahoma" May 2, 3 and 4 at Rodney B. Wilson High School.



SHARON SMITH



DUANE WARREN

Name top scholars at DeWitt High

DeWitt—Sharon Smith with a 3.97 scholastic average has been named valedictorian and Duane Warren with a 3.91 average is salutatorian of the DeWitt High School graduating class of 1968.

Sharon, daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert C. Smith of 4740 Clark Road, has been a class officer for the past three years—vice president as a sophomore and senior and treasurer in her junior year. She is a member of the Math Club and a two-year member of the National Honor Society, of which she is serving as president.

Duane is the son of Mr and Mrs Marshall Warren of 415 W. Washington Street. He is president of the senior class, a member of the National Honor Society and is in band. He was student council representative and vice president as a junior.

State of Michigan scholarship winners at DeWitt High School include Stan Becker, Sandy Dinsthler, Louise Green, Lynn Green, Ann Howard, Ron Rademacher, Quinton Smith, Sharon Smith and Duane Warren.

7 other auto crashes occupy deputies in area

Clinton County sheriff's officers investigated a number of automobile collisions last week in addition to the fatal crash last Friday morning. Only one involved injuries.

Ina L. Moore, 19, of 1678 Williams Road, R-6, St. Johns, was treated by a doctor for cuts and bruises suffered in a two-car collision at 7:50 p.m. Saturday at Hollister and Colony roads. She was reportedly making a left turn west onto Colony when her car was hit in the left side by one driven by Walter W. Mitchell, 23, of Lansing, as he was passing the Moore car. Mitchell was ticketed for improper passing.

A school bus and a car collided on Hyde Road at Krepps shortly after noon Monday, with neither driver being injured. The bus, driven by Chester V. Walton, 50, of Williams Road, R-3, St. Johns, reportedly stopped at the intersection and then started across Hyde Road in front of an auto driven by Melody Ann Bowen Dush, 18, of R-1, Elsie. Walton was ticketed for failure to yield the right-of-way.

Leon R. Theis, 27, of Jones Road, R-2, Fowler, escaped unhurt when he failed to negotiate a jog in Jones Road at Centerline and went into a ditch. He said dust at the intersection clouded his view.

JAMES L. RUDNICKE, 19, of Big Rapids reported hitting a deer on US-27 a half-mile south of Jason Road late Friday night.

Brakes failed on a car driven by Patricia M. Smith, 18, of Walker Road, R-2, St. Johns, as she approached US-27 on Hyde Road early Friday evening. Her car hit a boat and trailer being pulled by an auto driven by Robert L. Clark, 25, of Owosso. The trailer was destroyed and the boat damaged. Miss Smith was ticketed for having defective equipment.

Bitia Havens, 21, of Perrinton, and Lyle Houseman, 58, of 218 N. Maple Street, Maple Rapids, were drivers of two cars which collided at Maple and Adelalde streets in Maple Rapids Friday evening. Houseman was ticketed for failure to yield the right-of-way to the Havens car, which was northbound on Maple.

Two cars collided on US-27 a half-mile north of Kinley Road Saturday morning. One driven by John A. Schater, 18, of 5825 West Street, Westphalia, came onto the northbound lanes and then started a left turn onto the highway cross-over when it was struck in the rear by a car driven by Norman J. Luttig, 48, of 11025 W. Ionia Street, Fowler.



NORMAN KETCHUM

Ketchum elected VFW commander

Norman Ketchum has been elected commander of the St. Johns Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4113 and will take over the duties July 1. He succeeds Don Devereaux as commander. Other new officers include Lawrence Peterson as senior vice commander, Ed Schmitt as junior vice commander, John Flak as quartermaster and Tony Rositas as chaplain.

4 men seek 2 board seats

It looks like it will be a four-way race for the two seats on the St. Johns Board of Education that will be filled at the June 10 school election.

The school board met Monday night and approved nominating petitions for Richard Root of R-4, St. Johns, and Clayton Sharick of 415 Meadowview Drive. Last week they had approved petitions for Fred Meyer of 710 S. Oakland Street and Raymond Parr of 207 W. Cass Street.

Meyer and Parr are incumbents; Meyer is serving the board as secretary, and Parr is president. Root was a candidate for the board last year.

The board also Monday night approved a petition for John L. Gaffney of 824 Locher Road, but Gaffney announced Tuesday morning he was withdrawing from the race.

Memorial Day parade forming

Plans for the annual Memorial Day parade in St. Johns were announced this week by Don Devereaux, commander of the local Veterans of Foreign Wars post.

The parade will follow the normal timetable and route. It will form at 9:30 a.m. near the depot on Railroad Street, then move out at 10 a.m., following a line of march up Clinton Avenue to State Street (M-21), then going east to US-27 and north to Steel Street, thence east to the cemetery.

The Rev. Gerald Churchill, minister of the First Congregational Church, will give the talk at the cemetery.

Parade marshal will be Martin McCausey. All Boy Scout, Girl Scout and other organizations are urged to participate in the parade. Cars will be available to those groups which desire to ride, Devereaux said.

2 blazes level rural home

The Glenn Lewis home on North US-27 north of Kinley Road was wiped out last Wednesday and Thursday by two blazes within 12 hours. Loss was estimated at \$25,000.

The new duplex home, which housed Mr and Mrs Lewis on one side and their son Ted and his wife on the other, burned to the ground about 1 a.m. Thursday morning. The fire was believed to have started from still-smoldering embers in the house following a 2:30 p.m. blaze Wednesday which pretty much gutted the south side.

The Lewis families were in a house trailer back of the house when the second fire broke out. St. Johns firemen answered three other fire alarms last weekend and Tuesday morning. The two fires Saturday involved grass along the railroad tracks east of town. Tuesday morning firemen were called on East Steel Road by someone who saw dense smoke billowing up. It turned out to be a permitted brush fire. It was raining heavily at the time.



JOE VANROOYEN

Joe VanRooyen, who has been manager of the Miller-Jones Shoe Store in downtown St. Johns since coming to America from the Netherlands 10 years ago, has joined Rehmman's and will be in the shoe and sportswear department of the enlarged store. VanRooyen and his family live at 208 E. Gibbs Street.

Gunnisonville principal to retire

Mrs. Lola J. Harmon, principal of Gunnisonville School, will retire at the end of the school year, completing a 40-year teaching career.

Mrs. Harmon came to Gunnisonville School in 1927. Her teaching career includes 14 years at Boyne Valley Agricultural School, Boyne Falls, Mich.; five years at James Couzens Agricultural School, Bath, Mich.; principal of Hurd School, 8 years; and principal at Gunnisonville School, 11 years. Mrs. Harmon attended Bay View College at Bay View, Mich., branch of Albion College. She is a graduate of Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti.



The Gunnisonville School PTA will host an open house honoring Mrs. Harmon on Sunday, May 19, from 2 - 4:30 p.m., to be held at the school located at 1454 E. Clark Road. All of Mrs. Harmon's friends and former students are invited to attend. One very special guest will be Mrs. Harmon's father, J. W. Robinson, who is 90 years old, and who lives with Mr and Mrs Harmon at 813 E. North Street, Lansing, Mich. Mr and Mrs Harmon have built a retirement home on Lake Charlevoix near Boyne City, and expect to spend the major portion of their time there, with traveling time planned for visits to their two daughters who reside in Pittsburg, Pa., and Syracuse, N. Y.

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Annual OES county meet held May 6

The 61st annual meeting of Clinton County Association, Order of The Eastern Star, was held Monday, May 6, at the Masonic Temple in DeWitt. The host chapter was DeWitt No. 30.

The morning session was called to order by Worthy Matron of DeWitt, Florence McNaughton. The Prelude was by Evelyn Jones, a Past Matron of DeWitt.

The following worthy matrons and their respective County officers were escorted to the East by the DeWitt Chapter Marshall, Mildred Soltow; Mrs. Mary Lott and president Mrs. Virginia Moore of Ovid Morning Star No. 279; Mrs. Florence McNaughton and first vice-president, Mrs. Julia Smith of DeWitt Chapter No. 30; Mrs. Rosemary Moore and second-vice-president Mrs. Lella Wilson of Elsie Chapter No. 69; Mrs. Margaret Hicks and secretary-treasurer Mrs. Winifred Walker of Maple Rapids Chapter No. 76; Mrs. Virginia Ziegler and county chaplain Kathryn Williams of St. Johns Radiant Chapter No. 79; Mrs. Donna Page and county marshal, Irene Buckmaster of Wacousta Chapter No. 133. The County officers were escorted to their stations and the Worthy Matrons to the sidelines.

The County Officers for 1968-1969 are president, Mrs. Julia Smith of DeWitt; first vice-president, Mrs. Lella Wilson of Elsie; second vice-president, Marguerite Berry of Maple Rapids; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Dorothy Steves of St. Johns; chaplain, Mrs. Ruth Bollinger of Wacousta and marshal, Mrs. Vernice Love of Ovid.

These officers were installed by installing officer, Mrs. Blythe Parks, Worthy Grand Matron; installing marshal, Mrs. Helen Hoag, P.M. of St. Johns; installing chaplain, Mrs. Fay Hansen, P.M. of DeWitt and installing organist, Mrs. Hazel Wright, P.M. of Maple Rapids.

Mrs. Julia Smith gave the tribute to the Worthy Grand Matron and presented her with a gift from the chapters for the Estar Fund. The flag was retired and everyone sang "May The Good Lord Bless And Keep You."

The 1969 Association will be May 5 at Elsie. The DeWitt Eastern Star ladies served the noon luncheon buffet style with decorations in keeping with the colors, emblems and flowers of the Parks-Reighard Grand Family of 1967-68.

Many guests were present for the all day session including worthy grand matron, Mrs. Blythe Parks of Swartz Creek Chapter No. 430; worthy grand patron, Robert H. Reighard of Red Cedar Chapter No. 434; associate grand matron, Mrs. Lucille Koken of Ann Arbor Chapter No. 122; grand chaplain, Mrs. Avis F. Ryder of Edwardsburg Chapter No. 476; grand organist, Mrs. Grace Roberts of Royal Oak Chapter No. 392; grand Ada, Mrs. Elena Dreyvour of Fordson Chapter No. 484; grand warden, Mrs. Marie Peabody of Prudence Nobles Chapter No. 366; grand Martha, Mrs. Louise Travis of Coe Chapter No. 98; grand Representative, Mrs. Anna Dunay of Elsie Chapter No. 69 of Michigan in Oregon; Mrs. Phyllis Martz of Birmingham, No. 220 of Michigan in Virginia; special committee for good will, Mrs. Eleanor Montgomery of Wacousta Chapter No. 133; special committee for publicity, Mrs. Margaret Abraham of Hazel Park Chapter No. 486; past grand appointive officer, Mrs. Floy Miller, a past grand Ada of Wacousta Chapter 133.

The association was also honored by having 13 past presidents of Clinton County. County officers were present from Ingham and Oakland counties. The Rainbow Girls and Bethel of Jobs Daughters were represented by their advisors from Clinton county.

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Announcements

The Mary Smith Union of the WCTU will meet Monday evening, May 20, 7:30 at First Methodist Church Chapel. Robert Dittmer of the local radio station will be the guest speaker. The meeting will be open to the public.

Greenbush WSCS is holding a garage sale May 17 and 18 at the E. G. Stockwell home on French Road east of US-27. The hours are to be from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary's annual tea will be held at the Congregational Church at 1:30 p.m. Thursday (today). The Auxiliary is holding their annual drive for members and dollar donations.

Red Cross Volunteers last meeting before summer is to be held at 8 p.m. Thursday, May 23, at the Forrest Swatman Jr. home of 408 S. Prospect Street, St. Johns. Service awards are to be made.

Bingham Grange will meet at 8 p.m. Friday, May 17, at the grange hall. A light lunch will follow the meeting and program.

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Betty Taylor of DeWitt Chapter and the Response by Lucille Paine of Maple Rapids Chapter.

DURING THE business session the county secretary-treasurer, Winnifred Walker read the minutes of the last years meeting and gave a financial report. The roll call of Chapters showed all Worthy Matrons present with a total of 70 members from the association chapters. Many other Counties were represented, making a total in the registration book of 92.

Ovid Chapter No. 279 pleased the membership as "The Lord's Prayer" was sung by Mrs. Leota Gardner of Goodwill Chapter No. 425 Cadillac. The accompanist was Mrs. Violet Pope of St. Johns. Ovid Chapter members as the Star Points were Mary Lott as Ada; Esther Moore as Ruth; Majel Miller as Esther; Vernice Love as Martha; Lucille Spencer as Electa.

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MISS MARSHA L. MIZGA

The engagement of Marsha Lynn Mizga to Kenneth L. Putnam is announced by her parents, Mr and Mrs Frank Mizga of 8012 Wildcat Road, Ovid.

The bride-elect is a senior, majoring in elementary education, at Central Michigan University and will graduate cum laude June 8. She is affiliated with Beta Beta Beta and Kappa Delta Pi honorary sororities. Her fiancé is the son of Mr and Mrs George Putnam of 7940 W. Hubbard Road, Ovid. He is a graduate of Michigan State University and a member of the Michigan National Guard.

An Aug 3 wedding is planned at the United Church of Ovid.

City Brevities

Mrs. Alice Rophtille was the hostess for a birthday dinner held at her Lansing home Sunday. The guest of honor was Miss Roberta Albers. Guests present were John Albers of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs Gene Warren and son, Mr and Mrs Charles Pasch, Robert Pasch and Gary Bailey, all of Lansing.

John and Roberta Albers were dinner guests Friday of Mr and Mrs Clifford Wermuth of Hhaca. Mr and Mrs Willis Mygrants, Mr and Mrs Luther Cleland and family and Mr and Mrs Arnold Woodhams and family of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs Van Johnson of DeWitt spent Mother's Day with Mr and Mrs Wayne Crowley and family of Mason.

ANNOUNCEMENTS Westphalia Jaycee annual park opening will be Sunday, June 2, from 11 a.m. until 12:30 a.m.



MRS DAVID L. CASSEL

Newlyweds to live in Lansing

Making their first home at 308 1/2 S. Holmes Road, Lansing are Mr and Mrs David Lynn Cassel, who were married April 27 at the Eureka Congregational Christian Church.

Rev. D.L. Green of Lansing officiated at the 2 p.m. double ring service and Mrs. J.O. Gower was the organist.

The bride is the former Mary Lou Oberlin, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. Allen Oberlin of Carland. She was graduated from Ovid High School and Lansing Business University.

THE BRIDEGROOM is the son of Mr and Mrs Leroy Cassel of Holt. He attended Lansing schools.

The new Mrs Cassel designed and made her gown of serrano linen. It was princess styled with a panel of lace from the sabrina neckline to the hem and had short sleeves. A cluster of daisies secured her shoulder length veil. She carried a white Bible topped with a corsage of daisies.

Miss Roylane Sloat of Carland was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Danny Hasbrook of Lansing and Miss Linda Oberlin of Carland. The maid of honor wore green

and the bridesmaids, yellow. Their garden hats of net matched their gowns and they carried baskets of daisies.

THE MOTHER of the bride chose a green crepe jacket dress and the mother of the bridegroom selected a black crepe dress with white lace trim for the wedding. Their corsages were of yellow and white pom pon chrysanthemums.

The best man was Lanny Hasbrook of Lansing and the groomsmen were Lee Howard of Elsie and Robert Boggs of Williamston. Jack Coleman of Carland and Larry Stanton of East Jordan were the ushers.

A reception was held in the church basement. Assisting were Mrs. Lee Howard of Elsie and Mrs. Jack Coleman of Carland, sisters of the bride; Karen Wolfe, Mrs. Erick Richards, Mrs. Ray Peck, Mrs. Thomas Moore, Mrs. Clifford Flegel, Mrs. Burton Tabor and Miss Sharon Stewart.

Mrs. Martha Wells, grandmother of the bride, was an honored guest and was presented with a corsage.

The newlyweds honeymooned in northern Michigan.

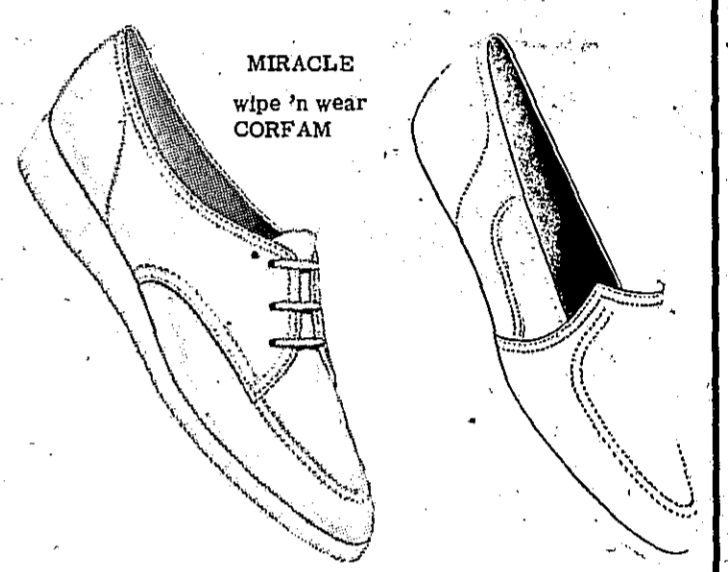
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String quartet receives honors at Ypsilanti

A junior high string quartet—composed of Kathy Beagle, first violin; John Eldridge, second violin; Linda Cole, viola; and Barb Spousta, cello—received honors at the String Ensemble Festival Saturday in Ypsilanti.

The festival was sponsored by the American String Teacher's Assn.-Michigan Unit in cooperation with the Michigan Music Educators Assn and Eastern Michigan University.

The event took place in the Alexander Music Building on the campus of Eastern Michigan University. Guest artists were the Michigan State University faculty string trio: Theodore Johnson, violin; Lyman Bodman, viola; and Louis Potter, cello.

The program for the day consisted of student ensemble performances throughout the morning. Each group received oral comments on their performance by the clinicians, Louis Potter and Lyman Bodman.

After all of the ensembles had performed, each clinician selected two outstanding ensembles to perform as a special concert feature for the afternoon's program. The string quartet from St. Johns was one of the four outstanding groups to be chosen for the concert. In addition the Eastern Michigan string ensemble performed.

MISS MARY J. BRUNNER

Mr and Mrs Albert Brunner of Maple Rapids announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Jane, to Warren Lewis Moggengberg. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Moggengberg of Cheboygan. A June wedding is being planned.

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MRS RONALD D. TIPTON

Kayla J. Thornton wed Saturday

Ronald Duane Tipton of Elsie claimed as his bride Saturday afternoon the former Miss Kayla Jean Thornton of rural Ovid.

Rev Justin Shepard officiated at the double ring ceremony at the Duplain Church of Christ of Rochester Colony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Roy Thornton of R-2, Ovid and her husband is the son of Mr and Mrs Donald Lidle of 621 S. Ovid Street, Elsie.

Miss Mary Kiger was the soloist for the service and Mrs Earl Dunham the organist.

THE NEW Mr and Mrs Tipton are both graduates of Elsie High School and also attended Ferris State College of Big Rapids.

For the 2 p.m. nuptials, the bride chose a gown of chrysanthemum patterned lace backed with French net over peau de soie. The floor length sheath was fashioned with a portrait neckline, long fitted sleeves, a high rise waist and a wide detachable chapel length train bordered with wide scallops which fell from the shoulders. Her three tiered veil fell from a peau de sole chrysanthemum edged with lace. She carried a cascade of white full chrysanthemums centered with a white orchid.

Miss Judith Elaine Thornton was her sister's maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miss Jill Bayak of Grand Rapids, Miss Linda Allen of Lansing, Mrs Wayne Sutiliff of Henderson and Miss Lynda Jo Libey, cousin of the bride, of Lansing. The flower girl was Lynette Risley.

THE ATTENDANTS wore floor length a-line gowns of apricot jakarta with elbow length sleeves. Their headpieces were of daisies. The maid of honor carried a cascade arrangement of apricot daisies and the bridesmaids carried white daisies.

The mother of the bride was attired in a pink lace ensemble with matching accessories. Mrs Lidle chose a blue a-line lace and crepe dress with blue accessories. Their corsages were of eggshell cymbidium orchids.

Richard Tipton of Lansing was his brother's best man. The groomsmen were Arnold Mink of Big Rapids and Lonnie McCullough, Rodney Ginther and Jack Wassa, all of Elsie. Seating the guests were Larry and Ron Thornton, brothers of the bride and Gene McCullough and David Walhead, cousins of the bridegroom. Michael Thornton, nephew of the bride, carried the rings.

THE NEWLYWEDS greeted guests at a reception following the ceremony which was held in the church fellowship room. Mr and Mrs George Mowatt of Owosso, aunt and uncle of the bride, were host and hostess.

Assisting were Mrs Larry Thornton, Mrs Ron Thornton, Mrs Sharon Hartsell, Mrs Lonnie McCullough, Mrs Dennis Flegel, Miss Vickie Onstott, Miss Mary Jo Teysen, Miss Jeanne McEvoy, Mrs Randy Heisen, Mrs Rodney Ginther, Miss Joyce Easlick and Mrs Arnold Mink. Mrs James Slea of Lansing registered the 250 guests.

Honored guests present were Mrs George Spiegel, grandmother of the bride; Mrs Agnes Trembley and George Onstott, grandparents of the bridegroom and Mrs Gertrude Wimbles, a friend of the bride's family.

The newlyweds will make their home at 312 1/2 Jones Street, Lansing after they return from their wedding trip to Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

VFW Auxiliary officers named

The Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Post 4113 of St. Johns elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Eloise Hambleton; senior vice president, Mary Kuhns; junior vice president, Ruth Root; treasurer, Dee Stoner; conductor, Virginia Eisler; chaplain, Hazel Worrall; patriotic instructor, Marianna Mills; secretary, Dorothy Saters; guard, Tony Somers and trustees, Leatha Eates, Helen Cornell and Betty Woodhams.

Eight members met at the post home last Tuesday morning and packed and mailed 13 boxes which were mailed to boys in Viet Nam. The Auxiliary and the St. Johns Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4113 are to meet Thursday, evening, May 16, at 8 p.m. for joint installation of the new officers for the coming year. There is to be a memorial service for deceased members. A social hour is to follow.

Eloise Hambleton, president of the Auxiliary, plans to go to Grand Rapids May 21 to place markers on graves and visit Veterans' Facility hospital. Anyone wishing to donate articles may leave them either at Western Auto Store or at 308 N. Ottawa Street, St. Johns.

W. Wilsons host Parker Center Farm Bureau

The William Wilsons were hosts to the Parker Center Community Farm Bureau for their May meeting. The discussion reviewed the many opportunities available in agricultural-oriented occupations off the farm. Mention was also made of the new restrictions issued by the Department of Labor on hazardous jobs for boys.

The group also heard the regular monthly reports on current legislation of interest to farmers, package report information and women's activities. The yearly contribution to Pennies for Friendship was made.

Mr and Mrs Dewey Reist were co-hosts for the meeting. June 12 the group will meet at the Lee Ormston home.

Missionary Society plans tea for mothers, daughters

The Ladies Missionary Society of the St. Johns Baptist Temple held their meeting Thursday evening, May 9, at the Church. There were five members present.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs Gladys Decker. Mrs Fern Hainer had the devotions. The mother and daughter tea was discussed.

The next meeting will be June 13 with Mrs Alice Richmond having charge of the devotions. Mrs Connie Coe and Mrs Alice Richmond will furnish the refreshments.

The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs Connie Coe. Mrs Gladys Decker, Mrs Katie Ellwanger and Mrs Fern Hainer furnished the refreshments.



MISS JEAN L. LEWIS

Mr and Mrs L. Robert Lewis of 7615 Welling Road, Eureka, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean Lavonne to Douglas James Thompson of St. Johns. He is the son of Mrs Doris Thompson, 208 W. Walker Street, St. Johns and Fergus Thompson of rural St. Johns.

The bride-elect was graduated from Rodney B. Wilson High School and is presently attending Butterworth Hospital School of Nursing of Grand Rapids. Her fiancé is a graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and is presently attending Lansing Community College. He is employed at St. Lawrence Hospital of Lansing.

No wedding date has been set by the couple.

Ruth Ely hosts thimble party

WRC held a regular meeting and thimble party Tuesday, May 7, at the home of Ruth Ely of Church Street. After the business meeting, cards were in play with high prize going to Hazel Beebe and low to Eileen Little.

The next regular meeting and thimble party will be with Katie M. Woodruff of 507 Euclid Street Tuesday, May 20.

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MRS ROBERT J. BIERSTETEL

Robert J. Bierstetels honeymooning in West

Presently honeymooning in the Western states are newlyweds Mr and Mrs Robert J. Bierstetel. They were married Saturday afternoon at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church of Fowler.

Rev Albert Schmitt officiated at the 1 p.m. service.

The bride is the former Susan Marie Simon, daughter of Mrs Joan Simon of W. Fourth Street, Fowler and the late Paul Simon. Her husband is the son of Mr and Mrs August Bierstetel of Parks Road, Fowler.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Roman Simon of Fowler, the new Mrs Bierstetel wore a crepe floor length gown of empire styling. It featured a scalloped neckline, pin point sleeves and a chapel length Chantilly lace train which fell from the shoulders. Her triple bouffant veil of silk illusion fell from a headpiece of clustered lace and seed pearls. She carried a cascade of white carnations and yellow sweetheart roses.

MRS EDWARD Pettit of Lansing was her sister's matron of honor and bridesmaids were sisters of the bride, Karen and Monica Simon of Fowler and cousins of the bride Miss Anne Marie Simon of Lansing and Miss Carol Simon of Fowler.

They were attired in yellow crepe empire styled floor length gowns which featured embroidered bodices and sheer floor length capes. Their bouquets were of yellow and white chrysanthemums. The flower girl was Rosemary Weber of Fowler, cousin of the bride. Carrying the rings was a nephew of the bride, David Pettit of Lansing.

MRS SIMON WORE AN aqua blue lace dress with white accessories for her daughter's wedding. The mother of the bridegroom chose a two-piece gold brocade suit with white accessories. Their corsages were of white and yellow orchids. Paul Bierstetel of Westphalia served as best man for his brother. The groomsmen were brothers of the bridegroom, Leon Bierstetel of Westphalia, Dave Bierstetel of Pawamo and Ben Bierstetel of Fowler and Don Werner of Pawamo. Seating the guests were Alvin Bierstetel of Fowler, brother of the bridegroom and brother-in-law of the

22 at TOPS club meeting

St. Johns TOPS Club held their weekly meeting with 22 members present. There were eight TOPS with a 18 pound loss, four turtles, eight pigs with 16 1/2 pound gain and two and KOPS present.

There was no queen of the week. Helen Mueller was queen of the month with six pound loss. The pigs are to bring a small gift.

Red Cross to meet May 23

Red Cross Volunteers are to meet at the home of Mrs Forrest Swatman Jr. of 408 S. Prospect, St. Johns, Thursday, May 23 at 8 p.m.

This will be the last meeting before the summer recess. Service awards will be made. The canteen which is held twice a month, the recent capping and district meeting will be discussed.

Members may bring a guest.



MRS SARAH YOUNG

To honor Mrs Young Sunday

Mrs Sarah Young will be honored at an open house May 19 from 2 until 5 p.m. at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Young of 9020 E. Parks Road, Ovid. They will celebrate Mrs Sarah Young's 80th birthday.

Mrs Young was the South Ovid correspondent for the Clinton County News for a number of years. She has two grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

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Births

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KIDDER — A girl, Katherine Marie, was born to Mr and Mrs James O. Kidder of 15572 Park Lake Road May 10 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds 6 1/4 ounces. The baby has seven brothers and two sisters. Grandparents are Mrs Myrna Finne of Hastings, Carl Christie of Houghton Lake, Wilna Price of Hastings and Joseph Kidder of Nashville, Mich. The mother is the former JoAnne Christie.

PLATTE — A boy, Daniel Richard, was born to Mr and Mrs William D. Platte of Westphalia May 8 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 7 1/2 ounces. The baby has four brothers and two sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Fred Platte of Westphalia and Mr and Mrs H.B. Farley of Fowler. The mother is the former Connie Lou Farley.

THAYER — A boy, Paul James, was born to Mr and Mrs John R. Thayer of 1295 E. Marshall Road, St. Johns, May 11, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds 14 1/2 ounces. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Martin Thayer and Mr and Mrs Leonard Bezemek. The mother is the former Leona Bezemek.

HARRIS — A boy, Kevin Michael, was born to Mr and Mrs William E. Harris of Townsend Road May 8, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 4 pounds 5 1/4 ounces. The baby has two brothers. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Wilbur Diethrich of Three Rivers. The mother is the former Mary Beth Diethrich.

KEILEN — A boy, Douglas Arthur, was born to Mr and Mrs Larry Keilen of R-2, Portland, May 5 at St. Lawrence Hospital. The mother is the former Peggy Miller.

GEORGE — A boy, Michael Joseph, was born to Mr and Mrs Charles George of Westphalia May 1 at St. Lawrence Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds 4 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Joseph Bengel and Mrs Leo George. The mother is the former Agnes Bengel.

BERSTETEL — A girl, Stacey Sue, was born to Mr and Mrs Leon Bierstetel of Westphalia May 10 at Carson City Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds 2 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Edward Spitzley and Mr and Mrs August Bierstetel. The mother is the former Annette Spitzley.

MOON — A girl, Ranae Jean, was born to Mr and Mrs Robert D. Moon of 311 Wight Street, St. Johns, May 7 at Carson City Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds 8 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Robert W. Moon, The mother is the former Nikki Sanders.

GROSS — A girl, Sharon Ann, was born to Mr and Mrs Michael Gross of R-1, Eagle, May 3 at St. Lawrence Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds 8 ounces. The mother is the former Mary Theresa Pung.

SMITH — A girl, Renee LaDonna, was born to Mr and Mrs Jerry Smith of 8090 Howe Road, Wacousta, May 6, at a Lansing hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces. The baby has 1 sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Ray Hickman of Stanwood and Mr and Mrs O. Fred Smith of Lansing. The mother is the former Karen Hickman.

SHINABERY — A boy, Thomas Lynn, was born to Mr and Mrs Robert Shinabery of R-3, St. Johns April 30 at Carson City Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 2 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Charles Zigler and Mr and Mrs Carson Shinabery, all of R-3, St. Johns. Great-grandparents are Mr and Mrs George Black of Greenville. The mother is the former Sue Ann Zigler.

FOY — A girl, Lara Jeanne, was born to Mr and Mrs Larry Foy of DeWitt April 29 at Edward W. Sparrow Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds 4 ounces. The baby has one brother and two sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Allan Foy of DeWitt and Mr and Mrs Carl A. Bair of St. Johns. The mother is the former Linda Bair.

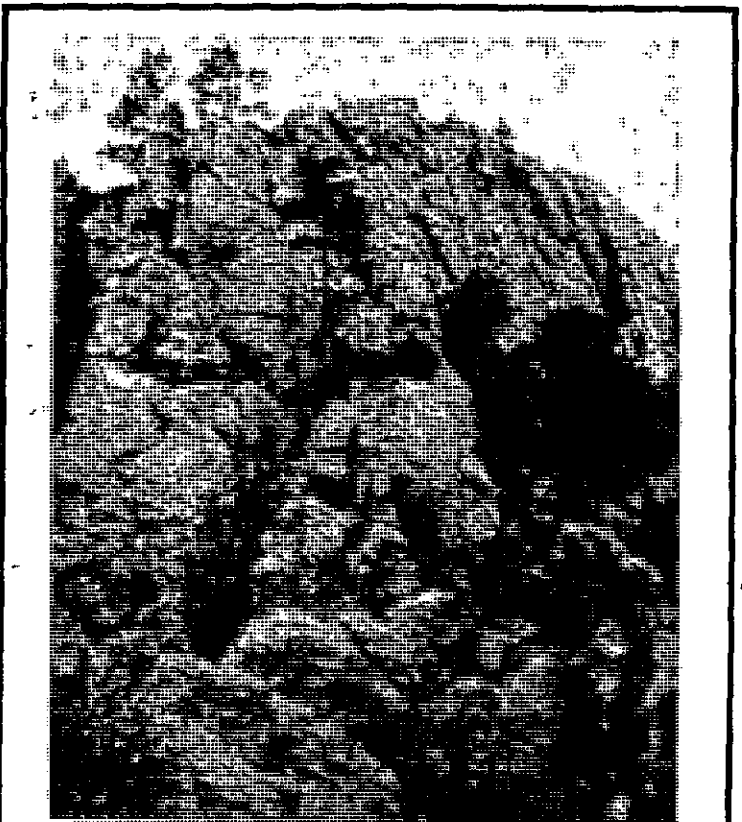
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MR AND MRS MARK OLIVER

Golden anniversary

SOUTH WATERTOWN — Mr and Mrs Mark Oliver of 6096 Clark Road will be honored on their golden wedding anniversary with an open house Sunday, May 26, from 2 until 5 p.m. at Wacousta Community Church.

The event will be hosted by the honorees children, Mr and Mrs Mark Oliver Jr. of Grand Ledge and Mr and Mrs Floyd Dickert of Williamston.

Mark Oliver and the former Lucile Summers were married in DeWitt May 16, 1918. They are life long residents of this area. Mr Oliver was a farmer and carpenter. They have one granddaughter and two great-grandsons.



MR AND MRS HARRY BALCOM

Golden anniversary

Mr and Mrs Harry Balcom of Perrinton will be honored on their golden wedding anniversary with an open house at Newark Hall Sunday, May 19, from 2 to 5 p.m. The party is hosted by their children, Mr and Mrs Russell Balcom, Mr and Mrs Robert Britsch (Virginia), Mr and Mrs Stephen Horvath (Irene), Mr and Mrs Eugene Balcom and Mr and Mrs Joe Stratford (Shirley).



MR AND MRS HENRY SCHMID SR.

Wed 40 years

Mr and Mrs Henry Schmid Sr. of R-1, St. Johns, will be celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary May 26. Their children, Mr and Mrs Henry Schmid, Jr., Mr and Mrs Roland Schmid and Mr and Mrs Gary Skinner, are asking all their friends and relatives to honor them with cards.

Henry and Harriet Danley Schmid were married by the Reverend Samuel W. Large in the Methodist parsonage in 1928. The couple have eight grandchildren.



MR AND MRS WILLARD D. SEARLES

Silver anniversary

Mr and Mrs Willard D. Searles of 423 Meadowview Drive, St. Johns, will be the guests of honor at a silver wedding anniversary celebration Sunday, May 19, from 2 until 6 p.m. at their home.

The affair will be hosted by the children of the honored couple, Mr and Mrs William Washburn, Mr and Mrs William Searles, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Smith, Mr and Mrs Leon Searles all of St. Johns and Joyce, Cindy and Randy at home.

WILLARD SEARLES AND the former Lillian Brown were married May 15, 1943. Rev R. D. Marimon officiated.

The honorees have 11 grandchildren.

Clinton Area Deaths

John L. Sanders

John L. Sanders, 67, of 407 W. Higham Street, St. Johns, died May 8 at Clinton Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

Funeral services were held at St. Johns Episcopal Church Saturday, May 11, at 10 a.m. Hoag Funeral Home of St. Johns had charge of the arrangements.

Mr Sanders was born May 30, 1900, at Blanchard, the son of Joseph and Margaret Lake Sanders. He had resided in St. Johns since 1927.

He worked for an insurance agency and was in the outdoors advertising business.

MR SANDERS WAS married to the former Bessie Feazel, who died in June of 1963.

He was a member of St. Johns Episcopal Church, F & AM of Blanchard and the Elks of Ionia.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs Sherry Bearndt of St. Johns; one son Robert Sanders of St. Johns; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one brother, Joseph of Detroit and two sisters, Mrs Florence Davis of Morrice and Mrs Cora Chittenden of Morley.

Howard Wilkins

BATH — Howard E. Wilkins, 62, of 5356 Clark Road, Bath, died Saturday, May 11, at 9:45 a.m. of a heart attack at Wilkins Service Station of Bath.

Funeral services were held at Lee R. Rummell Funeral Home of DeWitt Tuesday, May 14, at 2 p.m. with Rev Gerald Salsbury of Mulliken officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Hill Cemetery of Bath.

MR WILKINS was born in Bath township Aug. 16, 1905, the son of Charles and Nellie Wilkins. He attended Bath Community Schools and was graduated from Lansing Central.

He owned and operated Wilkins Service Station and was a life long resident of Bath township. Survivors include two sons, Gene and Craig, both of Bath and three grandchildren.

Robert G. Smith

LANSING — Robert G. Smith, 62, of 402 N. Foster Avenue, Lansing, died May 12 at Owosso Memorial Hospital following an illness of one week.

Funeral services were held at Carter's Funeral Home of Elsie

Wednesday, May 15 at 1:30 p.m. with burial in Riverside Cemetery.

MR SMITH was born Aug. 29, 1905, in rural Elsie, the son of Lemuel and Edith Smith. He was graduated from Elsie High School and attended the University of Michigan and Eastern Michigan University.

He had resided in the Elsie and Lansing areas most of his life.

He was a farmer. Survivors include two sons, Richard of Witwell, Ind. and Roger of Owosso; one sister, Mrs Helen Wiltsee of Elsie; six grandchildren and a nephew, Spenser Wiltsee of Elsie.

Martha M. Duffer

Miss Martha M. Duffer, 70, of 104 W. Lincoln Street, St. Johns, died Sunday, May 12, at Clinton Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 14, at 2 p.m. at Osgood Funeral Home of St. Johns with Rev Harold Homer officiating. Burial was in East Plains Cemetery of Clinton county.

Miss Duffer was a retired elementary school teacher. She taught at Carson City, Maple Rapids and St. Johns.

She was a member of the First Methodist Church of St. Johns, MEA, Clinton Memorial Hospital Ladies Auxiliary, Eastern Star and Lebanon Ladies Aid.

MISS DUFFER was born May 6, 1898, in Lebanon township of Clinton county, the daughter of Hershel and Ida Howard Duffer. She was graduated from Hubbardston High School and Central Michigan University.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs Emma Vance of Fowler; two nephews, Bernard Vance of Pewamo and Kenneth Vance of Ann Arbor and one niece, Mrs Betty Long of Jefferson, Wis.

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Mr and Mrs Norman Perkins of Chippewa Lake were recent guests of Mr and Mrs Jesse Perkins.

Mr and Mrs Roy Ketchum were recent visitors of their son, Mr and Mrs Nelson Ketchum and sons of Wacousta.

Mrs Eda White visited her daughter Mrs Helen Weston and also her son, Mr and Mrs Eino White of Lansing, over the weekend.

Dennis Morrill, son of Mr and Mrs Stanley Morrill, who has spent several months in Viet Nam is spending some time at his home here.

Mr and Mrs Wayne Scott and family of Niles spent the weekend with his parents, Mr and Mrs Ray Scott.

The children, grand-children and great-grandchildren were Mother's Day guests of their parents and grandparents, Mr and Mrs Jesse Perkins.

Mrs Howard Dennis who has spent several days in Charleston, W. Va., with her sister returned home Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Stanley Morrill and sons spent Mother's Day with their son, Mr and Mrs Donald Morrill of Britten.

Mr and Mrs George Weeks and family of Lansing spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Orval White.

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O-E's Warren forensic winner

Forensics Speech Finals at the University of Michigan. Rick's topic was radio news broadcasting, which included giving a five-minute newscast report with an editorial. He had won the regional contest at Flint Junior College April 27.

OVIED-ELSIE — Rick Warren, Ovid-Elsie High School Junior, has placed fourth in the State

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June millage request set at 12.8 mills again

When school voters cast ballots June 10 on operating millage for the St. Johns School District, it will be for or against the same 12.8 mills that was narrowly defeated in March.

The school board officially set the millage at 12.8 mills at their regular meeting last Wednesday evening. The amount will represent renewal of 4.5 mills which expired in December and the addition of 8.3 mills in new millage.

The requested 12.8 mill levy would be for one year only. The same millage amount lost by only 44 votes in the March 23 school election.

The school board got a crowded condition report from high school Principal B. Stanley Pocus at the Wednesday meeting. He told the board high school enrollment next fall will be at least 104 students higher than it is this year; enrollment for 1967-68 is 1,040.

ALL ROOMS ARE being used constantly now, Pocus said, and additional space of some kind will be needed next year and until the new high school is completed. No decisions on how the space can be obtained were made pending completion of studies of various possibilities.

In a related item of business, the school board officially named the new high school on Sickles

Street "St. Johns High School." The present high school will become "Rodney B. Wilson Junior High School" when seventh, eighth and ninth graders occupy it in the 1969-70 school year.

Special education enrollment of type B trainable youngsters for next year also shows a marked increase, and the school board has approved the use of the Greenwood School on North DeWitt Road at Banner Road for the special education students. Both the basement and upstairs areas will be used.

No definite plans have been made for the use of the present Orchard School on West State Street, which had been used for special education.

THE BOARD ADOPTED a new series of elementary English text books for grades one through 6, completing a series of steps in which individual grades throughout the whole school system now use the same series of books.

Following annexation, many different series of books were in use, and the board has been changing them subject-by-subject each year, not being able to make a complete changeover because of the high cost.

The board approved a request from the Capital Area Girl Scouts Council for use of the Harper School for four weeks this sum-

mer. The school is near the Girl Scouts' new campsite on West Parks Road.

Westphalia budget set at \$28,000

WESTPHALIA — The Westphalia Village Council has adopted a 1968-69 budget calling for disbursements of \$28,000 — 10 per cent higher than last year due to normal increased costs. Receipts are estimated at \$25,950.

At the village council meeting last Tuesday night, permission was granted to Fedewa Builders to put up a car wash at Church and Willow Streets. Opposition had been voiced by neighbors at a meeting April 16, but there are no zoning restrictions to prevent the installation.

Alfred Pink, a former village employee, was hired as a village maintenance man. The council approved a Helping Hands project by the Westphalia Jaycees and authorized a letter of thanks to be sent to the Westphalia Jaycees who did the work in installing new lighting and wall paneling in the Westphalia Village Hall.

More complaints about dogs running loose were received, and the council warned residents the law will be enforced and loose dogs turned over to the dog warden. Dogs must be tied or penned at all times.

Vocal music program held

A musical program, "Songs of our Land," was presented at the Eureka School Tuesday, May 7. Mrs Joyce Haney was the director and Steve Flegel was the announcer.

—The overture, "Let Us Sing Together," a Czechoslovakian folk song, was sung by all the students and opened the program.

Mrs Summer's second and third graders sang songs of early America. "Old Brass Wagon," an Indiana-Missouri play-party song; Kentucky folk songs, "Paw Paw Patch" and "Jenny Jenkins" and American folk songs, "Skip to My Lou" and "All the Pretty Horses."

SONGS FROM OTHER lands were sung by students of Mrs Cameron's fourth, fifth and sixth grades. Songs presented were "Springtime is Here," Czechoslovakian folk song; "Aloha Oe," Hawaiian song by Queen Liliuokalani; "Mexican Hat Dance," traditional; "Zum Gail Gail," Palestinian folk song; "Kum Ba Yah," African song and Negro spirituals, "All Night, All Day" and "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot."

The same group joined with the seventh and eighth grade students of Mr Beach to sing songs of the West. They sang "Pony Boy," "Leavin' Old Texas," "Schemandoah," "Wild Bill Hecup" and "Old Joe Clark."

Also entertaining was a Pony Drill team from Mrs Ormston's first grade.

For the finale the students sang "This is Your Land." All of the 104 students attending Eureka School took part in the program. The scenery and stage decorations

4 attend Friends of Library district meeting

Twenty-five libraries, covering the mid-lower peninsula of the state, were represented at a district meeting of the Friends of the Library last Tuesday, May 7, at the Charlotte Public Library in Charlotte. Four members of the Friends of Bement Public Library in St. Johns attended the meeting.

Mrs Brandon White, Local President of the Friends, participated in a dramatic skit depicting the need for and function of Friends of the Library in any community. In addition to Mrs White, Bement Public Library was represented by Mrs Manning Gross, librarian; Mrs Lawrence Fish, recording secretary of the Friends of Bement Public Library; and Mrs Basil Deibert, a volunteer worker in the group's library service project at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Friends of the Library constitute a section of the Michigan Library Association. The local group was organized in September, 1967, and has a membership of 74 families. Dues are \$1 a year per family.

Friends of Bement Public Library will be busy next Sunday, May 19, with two projects. Some members will be at Clinton Memorial Hospital staffing the library service cart in connection with the hospital open house.

Other members will be in the Community Room of Central National Bank for the opening reception of the art exhibit being sponsored by the group. The exhibit, which will show the original work of 21 different artists in the area, will continue through May 25, and is open to the public free of charge.



AT BAPTIST CHURCH DINNER

Some 215 persons attended the Mother-Daughter Banquet at the First Baptist Church last Tuesday night at which Mrs Ernest B. "Aunt Bertha" Shooks (standing center) spoke to the group. Chairmen for the dinner included, seated, Mrs Roger Harrison, wife of the church's pastor and Mrs Robert Dimer, decorations chairman; and standing, Mrs Richard Woodhams, food committee chairman, Mrs Shooks, and Mrs William Smith, president of the Women's Missionary Union. "Aunt Bertha" speaks on the Children's Bible Hour from Grand Rapids and is heard on 450 radio stations in the United States and three in South America.

215 mothers, daughters at dinner May 7

The annual mother and daughter banquet of the First Baptist Church was held Tuesday, May 7, with an attendance of 215. The affair was held in the church basement which was decorated in yellow and white with spring flowers and shrubs. Mrs Robert Dimer was chairman of the decoration committee.

Following the meal planned by Mrs Richard Woodhams, the program chairman Mrs William Smith introduced a style show

of yesteryear fashions and Aunt Bertha of the Children's Bible Hour as guest speaker.

Special music for the evening was a piano duet by Mrs Ed Loznak and daughter Kimberly, and the Women's Ensemble. Also group singing led by Mrs Roger Harrison with Mrs Robert Dimer at the piano.

Mrs David McAlvery gave a toast to mothers and Mrs Ken Loudenbeck, a toast to daughters.

Riley School near completion

The Riley Elementary School on the corner of Pratt and Lowell Roads is nearing completion. There are a number of minor tasks that still need to be completed, but no difficulty is expected. Shortly after school closes, furniture and supplies will be moved in.

There have been so many rumors circulating concerning this school that school officials feel that they should be clarified. One rumor was that there is a sump pump in every room. There are no sump pumps in the whole building.

It has also been said that just recently there were inches of water over the whole floor. The floors have been laid for weeks and there never has been any water or evidence of water on them. In fact, before the tile floors were laid, the contractor at his expense took up some concrete and then dug some 30-inch holes in the ground. These were left over night and no water appeared. The contractor then proceeded to finish the floors.

A mistake was made by the contractor in the elevation of the building. The footings are about 20 inches lower than the plans called for. This was not discovered until the walls were up, but there is still about 20 inches fall from the school to the road. The contractor at his expense then graded down the whole site so that the relative elevations of the rest of the site to the building itself are really no different than they were on the original plans.

In addition, the contractor has agreed to give the board a letter stating that he will make good any defects in the building that occur as a result of the error.

The contractor has also agreed to run a six-inch tile drain about 50 feet from the building on the south and east sides. This, too, will be done at no expense to the school.

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GOLF BREAKFAST AT COUNTRY CLUB

About 38 Green Tee Club members were present at the opening golf breakfast held last Wednesday morning at the Clinton County Country Club.



GREEN TEE OFFICERS AT OPENING BREAKFAST

Green Tee officers for the year are Eleanor Sillaway, publicity; Fran Gumaer, board member; Jane Beach, treasurer; Ann Walker, president; Edna Seim, vice president and Fran Deibert, secretary.

Little League tryouts set for May 23, 27

Tryouts for St. Johns Little League and Pony League teams will be held next Thursday, May 23, and on Monday, May 27, at the Little League field on Scott Road, League President Jack Downing announced Tuesday.

Downing said two new teams will be added to the Little League this year. When the teams conduct their draft of new players following the May 27 tryouts, the managers of the two new teams will each choose five of the first 10 players before joining the other teams in a rotational pick of new players.

Downing stressed that Little Leaguers must be 9 years old before Aug. 1 and can't be 13 before Aug. 1 in order to be eligible. Eligible sons of any Little League manager are automatically placed on the father's team.

The Little League has requested the use of the city park ball diamond for two nights a week to take some of the load off the Scott Road field, but no decision on the request has been announced yet by the city commission.

Downing said umpires and coaches are still needed, as well as managers for the Pony League teams. Several high school youth have volunteered as umpires so far, Downing said.

A work bee is being planned for this Saturday afternoon at the Scott Road Field. All interested dads are urged to come out and help prepare the field for play and to bring along any rero tillers or lawn mowers they might have available.

4-H pony pull contest Sunday

A free Clinton County 4-H Pony Pull will be held this Sunday at the Clinton County 4-H fair grounds adjacent to the St. Johns City Park. Proceeds from voluntary contributions will be applied to the cost of constructing a horse barn prior to the 4-H Fair.

The competition will begin at 1 p.m.

There will be two classes of ponies pulling. There will be the featherweight, 42-inch ponies, and the lightweight, 46-inch ponies. Close to 50 teams are entered in each of the pulls. Teams will be arriving from all over Michigan and out of state, too.

The 42-inch teams will start out pulling 2,100 pounds and they have three chances to pull the weight. If by the third try they fail, they must drop out of the competition. The best 42-inch teams will probably pull close to 3,800 pounds. The 46-inch teams will try first at pulling 2,100 pounds, with the top teams pulling close to 5,000 pounds. Seven place trophies will be awarded in each division. The trophies are being donated by Parkers Furniture of Ovid, Grand Ledge Produce Co., Boughton Elevator of DeWitt, Woodruff State Bank of DeWitt, Roger Sloat of DeWitt, A.F. Brya of Laingsburg, Michigan National Bank of Grand Ledge, Clinton County 4-H, Glinther's Foodland of Ovid and Elsie, Dean's Barber Shop of Ovid, Central National Bank of Ovid, St. Johns and Pawamo, Rex Teteriller and Ron Thornton of Elsie, Glackmore Riders 4-H Club of DeWitt, Gorman's Food Market of Lansing and Clinton Tractor Sales of St. Johns.

Golfers defeat Ithaca at 2 levels

The St. Johns varsity and JV golf teams won again Monday, turning back the Ithaca Yellow Jackets in matches at Ithaca.

Mike McKay was the medalist in the varsity match with a 41 as he led his St. Johns team to a 169-202 victory. Lee Lynam had a 42 and Dave Gaffney and Gary Sipkovsky 43s for the Redwings.

On the JV side of the ledger, Dan Schueller shot a 43, Rich Stoddard 46, Jeff Geller 49 and John Estes 51 as St. Johns won 189-228.

The victories ran the varsity record to 9-2 and the junior varsity record to 7-1.

Bath golfers lose

Ed Lutz of Bath was medalist with a 37, but the Bath Bees golf team dropped a 169-173 decision to Portland St. Patrick May 7 at the Portland Country Club, Dick Duvalet of Bath fired a 44, Dave Briggs had a 45 and Burdon Richey shot a 47.

Golfers beat Oilers

The St. Johns varsity golf team defeated Mt. Pleasant 167-176 Friday at Clinton County Country Club. Gary Sipkovsky was medalist with a score of 39, while Lee Lynam had a 41, Mike McKay 43 and Dave Gaffney 44 for St. Johns.

Every Brya leave for Olympic trials

St. Johns two most successful Golden Gloves boxers, Bob Every and Doug Brya, left Tuesday for Trenton, N.J., and the Olympic boxing trials.

DeWitt golfers win

DeWitt's golf team defeated Laingsburg 190-200 in a match May 7 at the Highland Hills Course. Dennis Theroux shot a 46 for DeWitt to take medalist honors, while Bill Ballard had 47, Chris Brown 48 and Andy Cusack 49. For Laingsburg Jerry Brown carded a 50, Don Beavers 49, Mike Canning 49 and Dave McPhail 52.

BOWLING NEWS

Notes from Clinton area leagues

NITE OWLS LEAGUE (May 9)—High team game and series: McKenzie Insurance 843 and 2377. High individual game: Gert Kolehmainen 200. Adelaide Mikula picked up the 4-7-10 split, and Judy Hyde converted the 6-7. McKenzie Insurance won the league trophy with a 55-13 finish, while Pierson's Redwing Shoes was a distant second at 40 1/2-27 1/2. Other teams in the order of their finish included Kurt's Appliance Center, Wheel Inn, American Legion, Rivard Nursing Home, Richards Dairy, St. Johns Lumber, General Telephone Co., Beck & Hyde Farm-arna, Bee's Chevrolet & Olds and Ed's Refinery.

COFFEE CUP LEAGUE (May 9)—High team game and series: Early Birds 622 and Snack Bar 1788. High individual scores: Judy Payne 169 and 449. The Redwings lead the league with a 10-2 record, one point ahead of second-place Mamas Plus One.

Fowler all-sports dinner Saturday

FOWLER — Fowler High School's annual All-Sports Banquet will be held this Saturday evening at 6:30 at the Fowler High School Gym.

George Fox, former Fowler High basketball player on the 1952 state championship team and former Fowler coach, will be the speaker. Fox is currently basketball coach at Lansing O'Rafferty High School.

Master of ceremonies will be Larry Churches, former Fowler football coach. Athletic awards will be presented at the dinner. Tickets are available from the high school athletes.

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St. Pat's undershoots Bath, DeWitt golfers

Portland St. Patrick undershot DeWitt and Bath in a three-way golf match last Wednesday. St. Pat's had a 182 score, while DeWitt shot 184 and Bath 196. Steve Nowak of St. Pat's was medalist with a score of 40.

For DeWitt, Bill Ballard shot a 43, Chris Brown 45, Andy Cusack 48 and Tom Shaver 48. For Bath, Ed Lutz had a 47, Richard Duvant 47, Dave Briggs 50 and Burdon Richey 52.

Redwing net team topples Greenville

The St. Johns Redwing tennis team defeated Greenville handily last Monday, May 6, by a 6-0 score.

In singles, John Salemi won 6-0 6-0, Jeff White won 6-0 6-0, and Rick Warren was victorious 6-0 6-0. In doubles, Tim Durner and Scott Bennett won 6-1 6-1 and Mike Galvach and Larry Zuker were 7-5 6-1 winners.

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POLIO PROTECTION — HOW SWEET IT IS

Over 900 youngsters in the St. Johns School System are receiving their second dose of oral polio vaccine last week and this week. Friday morning school nurses Mrs Gertrude Buehler (left) and Mrs Princess Parker (right) concentrated on Swegles School in St. Johns where kindergarteners Jimmy Barrett, Stephanie Meyer, Brent LaBar, Michael Fettig and Jeff Brown are shown receiving their sugar cube and vaccine. The teacher is Mrs Jean Gibson.

New Ashley school head appointed

ASHLEY—Francis Francomb, Mount Pleasant and Saginaw who is now superintendent of schools at Mackinaw Island, will become superintendent of the Ashley Community Schools on July 1. Mrs Francomb, holder of an A.B. degree, is also a teacher and will teach grade 5 at Ashley. The Francombs have one child. Teaming up with Francomb to administer the Ashley schools for the school year 1968-69 will be Dale Howard, who will take over the duties of high school principal. Howard has served the Ashley schools for nine years as social studies teacher and

head football coach. He will receive his M.A. degree from Central Michigan University in the near future.

Lawrence Follett, who has served as high school principal for the past three years, has accepted the position as principal of the Tri-County Area Schools at Howard City. The Tri-County Area Schools have an enrollment of 1,300 students and a staff of 51 teachers.

Honor outstanding students at assembly

Six Wilson Scholarship Awards for \$750 each were presented Tuesday to graduating seniors at Rodney B. Wilson High School during the annual awards assembly in the gym.

Recipients of the awards were Andre Lewis, Sid Lounds, Ed Lublow, Mark Ott, Susan Warstler and Kathy Zuker.

Other awards not previously publicized and made at the awards assembly included these:

Alumni scholarship awards: Andy Henning, 9th grade, \$10; Cathy Cronkite, 10th grade, \$10; Gary Sipkovsky, 11th grade, \$10; and Donna Ballard, 12th grade, \$20.

Girls State: Gail Shafley from the St. Johns Woman's Club and Jan Fowler from the American Legion Auxiliary.

Boys State: Chuck Romig from Lions Club; Tom Moore from Exchange Club, and Rick Warren from Rotary Club.

Bargar, Jan Fowler and Kathy Powers.

Cheerleading awards: three-year charm, Patti O'Leary; two-year letters, Lexa Swatman, Marlene Stoddard, Shari Liszewski and Sue Koenigsnecht; one-year certificates; Carole Yurek, Cheryl Romig, Colleen Rademacher, Kathy Grosz, Cindy Hollis, Alice Villarreal, Mary Sirrine, Carol Morris and Mel Bond.

Music awards: John Phillip Sousa Award, Lyn LeBlond; senior band service award, Kathy Pierson; outstanding freshman scholarship award, Rhonda Woodbury; "Voce Musica" award for outstanding senior in vocal music, Kathleen Zuker; director's award in vocal music, Kathleen Cornell; Beethoven award for outstanding senior in orchestra, Andre Lewis.

National Honor Society

Awards for new senior members, Albert Allaby, Donna Ballard, Linda Friesen, Bruce Harte, Cynthia Hudson, Sidney Lounds, Lorida Lambert, Robert Lundy, Douglas Luther, Sandra McQueen, Mark Ott, Kathleen Pierson, Kathleen Pope, Edward Rasdale, Judy Ripple, Gerald Rossow, Linda Spousta

and Susan Wickerham; new junior members, Mary Ann Becker, Susan Downing, Charles Kehr, Deanna Rademacher, Charles Romig, Kathy Schaefer, Gail Shafley, Gary Sipkovsky, Judith Whitlock and Deborah Wittgen; current members, Kathleen Cornell, Janean Geller, Dee Ann Gull, Sandra Kramer, Kenneth Kurncz, Lyn LeBlond, Andre Lewis, Edward Lublow, Janet Pewoski, Susan Warstler, Beth Weber, Jeffrey White and Kathleen Zuker.



SERIOUS ABOUT POPPY DAYS

Thirteen-month-old Dawn-ellen Peterson, daughter of Mr and Mrs Eugene Peterson of 202 W. Pearl Street, Ovid, wouldn't smile for the camera but was willing to sit still and help advertise the annual Veterans of Foreign Wars poppy days that will be held May 23, 24 and 25 in Clinton County. Lawrence Peterson of Elsie, Buddy Poppy chairman, said proceeds from the sale of the poppy flowers will go to the organization's relief fund.

Barbecue, queens on derby menu, too

Two noteworthy developments in plans for the annual Clinton County Soap Box Derby were announced this week.

The St. Johns Lions Club announced plans to hold a charcoal broiled chicken dinner during the afternoon June 9 on the lawn near the railroad depot on Railroad Street. Gale Desprez is chairman of the project. Tickets are being distributed to all Lions members.

Serving will be from noon to 6 p.m. (The derby race will get under way about 5 p.m. following a 4:30 p.m. parade.)

The search for the Clinton County Soap Box Derby Queen has turned into a true county-wide pageant, with three communities to select a queen candidate for final selection on the day of the race.

Mrs Lowell Rinker, Jaycette chairman for the derby contest, said local queens will be chosen in the Fowler, Westphalia and St. Johns areas, with the selection of the county winner to be made on Saturday, June 8, at an informal tea for the girls in Westphalia.

The winner, however, will not be announced until after the Soap Box Derby, just prior to the presentation of derby awards.

Queen nominees will soon seek support in their bids by taking donations toward a Jaycette project of helping culturally and emotionally deprived children.

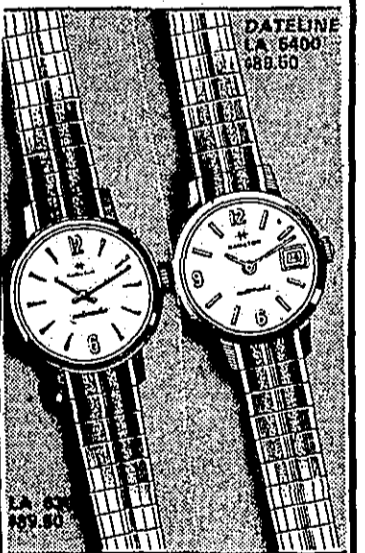
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Perfect attendance awards: for four years, Cheryl Sutfin; for three years, Dana Beaman, Pat Courser, Carol Sutfin, Dennis Ley and Gerald Rossow; for two years, Harold Conklin, Thomas Hungerford, Christina Ott, Eugene Rennells, Donna Riddle, Jon Thrush and Sandra Wing.

Future Teachers of America (Winifred Daboll chapter) awards: Janet-Pewoski, \$100 scholarship; Vicki Johnston, Washington seminar.

Bausch & Lomb Science Award: Ed Rasdale.

Art achievement awards: Charlene Gillespie and Jack Larsen.

Industrial arts foremanship awards: Gary Greenfield in the 11th grade and John Lawrence in the 12th grade.

Outstanding business students award: Donna Ballard and Mark Ott.

Ushers Club certificates: Carolyn DeMorest, Charlene Flak, Kendra Harper, Joanne Hecht, Phyllis Kleuckling, Linda Marek, Cathy Nuser, Kathy Pope, Dawn Smith, Pat Smith and Cheryl Sutfin.

Journalism awards: for the yearbook, to co-editors Roxanne Bradley and Steve Tarr, photographer Ted Loomis, sales manager Jim Salisbury and advertising manager John Barnes; for the newspaper, to editor Sue Warstler, for mimeoscope Judy Ripple, treasurer Nancy Locher and sales manager Pat Fox.

MOST VALUABLE football player award: Norm Love.

Outstanding baseball award: Cary Hambleton.

Outstanding golf award: Lee Lynam.

Jack Wirick Memorial Award: Terry Maler.

Girls Athletic Assn. awards: letters to Kathy Davis, Val Hufnagel, Deb Locher, Ginger Simpson, Dorothy Williams, Trudy Lietzke, Sue Shane and Daria Wakefield; charms to Pat Allan, Janean Geller, Deanne Jorae, Renae Jorae, Sharon Kowalk, Andre Lewis, Cathy Nuser and Kathy Zuker; trophies to Jamie



Harpist La Donna J. Toth

Harpist to be featured at high school orchestra spring concert Tuesday

The second annual Spring Serenade for Strings Concert under the direction of Miss Jean Wilson will be given next Tuesday, May 21, at 8 p.m. in the Rodney Wilson High School Auditorium in St. Johns.

Featured with the high school orchestra will be harpist La Donna J. Toth, formerly of Owosso. She has studied harp with Velma Froude, well-known harp teacher and director of the harp and vocal ensemble of Cass Technical High School in Detroit.

Mrs Toth has received a bachelor's and master's degrees in music education at Michigan State University. In addition, she has received degrees from the Sherwood Music School and Pietro Accordion Conservatory.

Mrs Toth will perform the "Minuet from the L'Arlesienne Suite Number 2" by George Bizet with Kathy Pierson, senior flutist. The strings will join the harp for Carmon Dragon's arrangement of Aura Lee.

In addition, the orchestra will perform Leroy Anderson's novelty number "The Typewriter," with Sue Warstler as soloist.

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6 receive big fines or jail time

The Clinton County Jail was busy with comings and goings last week as at least six persons received major fines or jail sentences from judges and justices of the peace.

Darwin E. Powers, 17, of North Essex Center Road, R-1, St. Johns, was fined \$20 plus \$21.30 costs and sentenced to three days in jail by Municipal Judge Harold Reed on a minor in possession charge.

Gerald W. Pasch, 33, of East Lansing was charged with reckless driving Saturday in DeWitt and drew a \$100 fine and \$19.95

costs as a penalty from Justice of the Peace Gordon Willyoung. Stanley W. Grubaugh, 17, of Meag Road, R-1, St. Johns, appeared before Judge Reed Saturday, charged with minor in possession, and was fined \$20 plus \$21.30 costs and was sentenced to three days in the county jail.

Johann D. DeYoung, 22, of Carson City was arrested for driving on a suspended license in Greenbush Township Friday and was fined \$35 plus \$19.30 and was sent to jail for three days.

Two Ingham County men were fined \$25 plus \$25.50 costs each by Justice Willyoung Monday on charges of being drunk and disorderly. They were Paul E. Ritchey, 25, of Lansing and Le Moine B. Whitbeck, 37, of Williamston.

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CLINTON COUNTY ZONING APPEAL BOARD MEETING

A meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Appeal Board will be held on

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

VICTOR TOWNSHIP

The appeal of Eva Pearl Leffler to occupy a mobile home on the following described parcel of land:

North 1/2 of Southwest 1/4 of Southwest 1/4, Section 30, T6N, R1W.

OLIVE TOWNSHIP

The appeal of Thelma Pardee to occupy a mobile home on the following described parcel of land:

Beginning 1,715 feet East of center of Section 22, T6N, R2W, thence South 600 feet, thence East 137 feet, North 600 feet, West 137 feet to beginning.

OLIVE TOWNSHIP

The appeal of Burdene S. Weaver to occupy a mobile home on the following described parcel of land:

West 1/2 of NW 1/4, Section 17, T6N, R2W.

WILLIAM M. COFFEY
Zoning Administrator



ICE CREAM SOCIAL SUNDAY

Mrs Albert Hufnagel is getting her tickets early for the ice cream social which is to be held Sunday, May 19, from 1 until 3 p.m. in St. Joseph School gymnasium. Seated is Mrs Alvin J. Thelen, chairman of the social and right is Mrs Nicholas Koenigsnecht, co-chairman. The proceeds will go to the Sisters of St. Joseph Guild.

Summer typing course planned

A summer typing course is being planned for St. Johns High School this year.

The six-week course will be offered from 8 to 10 a.m. June 17-July 26 and will be for beginning typists of any age, youth or adult. Richard Kramer will be the instructor.

Registrations are being accepted at the principal's office at St. Johns High School. The course fee will be \$20.

Courteous driving on the highways is a virtue some people expect others to have.

Rew District

By Mrs Howard Witt

Keck. The ladies buy the flags for the soldier's graves and wreaths for the Wilsey and Chadwick lots for Memorial Day. The present officers of the ladies group are Mrs Donald Harnish, president; Mrs Howard Witt, vice president; Mrs Rollin Beardslee secretary and Mrs Albert Young, treasurer.

Mr and Mrs W.D. Chadwick of rural Harrison spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his parents, Mr and Mrs Clyde Chadwick.

Mr and Mrs Howard Witt and Lee called on their daughter, Dr and Mrs James Kingsley and family of Eaton Rapids.

Mr and Mrs David Steavens and family, Mr and Mrs Marvin Witt and Mr and Mrs Lyle Witt and Lyle Jr. came Tuesday eve-

Chamber endorses school millage issue

Establishment of better community "closeness" through a Chamber of Commerce was the topic for discussion last Wednesday, noon at the second in a series of meetings exploring the possible merger of the St. Johns Chamber and retail Division.

In one show of enthusiasm, the 26 persons present voted to go on record endorsing the 12.8 mills school millage issue coming up for a vote June 10. Mal Warren was named to head a committee to work with the board of education in seeking a favorable vote.

A fair dues schedule for the possible combined organization was to be drawn up by a committee of Bill Patton as chairman, Larry Sexton, Bill Richards, Bill Chalmers and Ray Parr. The committee was scheduled to report back at the noon luncheon meeting May 15.

An active Chamber of Commerce was the topic at the noon Rotary Club meeting last Tuesday, May 7. Bill Morris, president, and Dale Mitte, executive secretary of the Chesaning Chamber of Commerce, presented the program. They outlined the 44-year history of the Chesaning group.

Projects sponsored by the Chamber have been of community-wide interest and included the famed Chesaning Showboat, an airport, health center, swimming pool, auction sales, boulevard beautification, new street lights, two new parking lots, park improvement board, Labor Day program, drawings, movies, printed showboat programs, Messiah program sponsorship, winner dinner programs, sweetheart ball, sponsorship of the credit bureau and a community history book.

The Chesaning Chamber now has 100 members, and dues are set at \$7.50 per individual. The Chamber receives 10 per cent of the gross on the showboat each year.

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THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Chemistry instructors Duane Ellis and John R. Stone of Fowler High School were invited to attend the second "night for high school chemistry teachers" Tuesday at Michigan State University. The event, sponsored by MSU's Department of Chemical Engineering, is designed to give teachers an up-to-date report of the career opportunities for students in chemical engineering.

Miles S. Ansbaugh, state commander of the American Legion of Michigan, is urging all citizens to fly their American flag during the Viet Nam peace talks as a symbol of national solidarity "to show all of the world that America is united behind our government in its sincere attempt to bring an honorable peace to the war-ravaged nation of Viet Nam."

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Sealed Proposals will be received by Mr Robert Walker, Assistant Superintendent for Business and Physical Plant, Lansing School District, 6040 Kaynorth Road, Lansing, Michigan until 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, May 29, 1968. Proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud at that time.

PROPOSAL GUARANTY:

Each Proposal shall be accompanied by a Certified Check or Bank Draft in the amount of \$100.00 payable to the Lansing School District.

DOCUMENTS:

Informational documents are available at Engineering Services Department, 430 N. Larch Street, Lansing, Michigan 48912. Telephone 482-0449.

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Board of Education
Lansing School District

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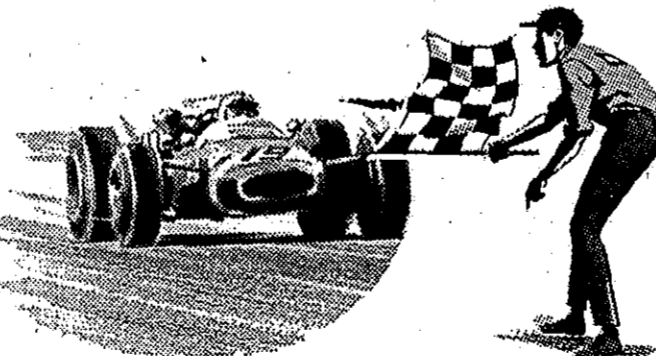


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HOLSTEIN DAIRY COWS, just starting to freshen; located at the corner of Wright Road and Chadwick Road; phone 628-8538. 3-3p

DUROC BOAR: CONTACT Ferd Knoop, 2 miles east and 1 1/2 south of Westphalia. Phone 587-4088 after 6 p.m. 3-3p

6 REGISTERED ANGUS heifers. Also registered Angus bulls. Stanley Geller, 3541 W. Price Road. 1-3

29 FEEDER CATTLE, average 3 to 400 lbs. Ray Cook, R-1, Fowler, phone 582-5471. 53-3p

FOR SALE - Several registered Holstein bulls, ready for service. These are priced to sell. Also have deacon bull calves. Green Meadow Farms, Elsie, Michigan. 40-17

★ FOR SALE

2 FOR 1 MEN'S Spring Factory Suit Sale now on at Dick Butler's O.P.S. (opposite Police Station) in Grand Ledge. Very latest styles and colors. Our regular Men's \$60 suits now 2 suits for \$58. Big selection - all sizes thru 46. Longs, regulars and shorts. If you don't need 2 suits - bring a friend - divide the cost and share the savings. Michigan Bankard's good here at DICK BUTLER CLOTHING CORP., opposite Police Station in Grand Ledge, Michigan. Instant alterations. 52-7



Michigan Certified Hybrid Seed Corn Get your Michigan Certified Hybrid Seed Corn now. The corn that will produce top yields of ripe corn in Michigan every year.

NORMAN FENEIS 1/2 mile east of Westphalia 53-3p

INT. 8 ft. disc in good condition; 1 mile north, 3 1/3 west of Fowler. Arnold Wieber. 2-3p

AUCTION SALE to be held at St. Therese parking lot, 2626 Turner St. on Sat., May 18, 1968 1 p.m.

Household furniture, washers, dryers, ranges (gas and electric), radios, TV sets, record players, lawn furniture, lawn mowers, bicycles, swing sets, sewing machines, tires. Also Miscellaneous Items

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1967 Chevrolet 1/2-ton pickup and camper. 6 cylinder, power glide, radio, west coast mirrors, rear bumper and Stutz Bearcat camper. Priced to sell.

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BY Owners; four bedroom home, excellent location; carpet, drapes, oven, range, garage, breezeway, disposal & gas heat; 305 S. Prospect - phone 224-2047. 2-3p

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TWO THOROUGHBRED Holstein bulls, service age. Leo Kowatch, 3 miles west, 1 mile north and 3/4 west of Fowler. 2-3p

GUERNSEY bull, Bangs and TB tested; ready for service. 1 mile west, 2 south and 2 1/4 west of St. Johns, Marshall Hicks. 2-2p

HOLSTEIN feeder cattle, 350-400 lbs. Daniel Simmons, 2 3/4 miles south of Fowler, 1 1/2 west. Call after 6 p.m. 2-1p

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BOARS for sale, 5 miles west, 10 south and 1/2 east on Cutler Rd. R. J. Thelen. 2-3p

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WEEKLY hatches of DeKalb egg type chicks. Started pullets available every day. Rainbow Trail Hatchery, St. Louis, Michigan. 4-17

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1968 PONTIAC Firebird, 400 miles, 350 cub. inch. V-8 engine, automatic transmission, pw. steering and brakes, radio, vinyl bucket seats and top; 36 months of financing available. Phone 224-3264. 2-3p

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FOR RENT - a 5 yard dump truck; phone 224-7740. 3-1p

TWO GMC TRUCKS; 1964 and 1965; 3/4 ton, 4-speed transmission, heavy duty, good condition; 1 owner vehicles; phone 587-3983 or 587-4234. 2-3p



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1966 DODGE truck with 14-ft. rack and a d holst.

1964 DODGE Several C800 trucks with 5-speed and 2-speed axles.

AUTOS

1965 CHEVROLET Impala 2-door hardtop with V-8, automatic transmission, power steering and brakes.

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★ FOR RENT

COMPLETELY FURNISHED Apartment; 3 rooms and bath; carpeted, 1 child under 2 welcome. Phone 224-7548 or 224-7179 after 5 p.m. 2-1f

57 TILLABLE ACRES, corn and soybean ground; 4 miles north, 3 1/2 east, 1/2 north of St. Johns on Gilson Road. Phone 224-3386. 51-6p

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

Walnut Estates Keusch Bros. Developers - Contractors Medical office space for lease Apartments for rent Herbison Road at US-27, Office hours: 12:00 - 4:30 Phone 669-3303 After hours call: Virginia, 485-4026 or Bob, 669-3027 44-1f

FOR RENT - Air hammer for breaking up cement, etc. We have two available. Randolph's Ready-Mix Plant, North US-27, phone 224-3766. 18-1f

MEADOWVIEW apartments, 902 E. Sturgis, deluxe two-bedroom apartments, unfurnished or furnished, rent from \$145. Completely carpeted, drapes, kitchen appliances, air conditioned, disposal, heat and hot water. Call J.F. Marzke, 224-3316. 49-1f

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IMMEDIATE OPENING available for permanent position as a teller for local financial institution. Other experience not necessary, but must like serving people and some typing is necessary. Pleasant working conditions, periodic salary increases, 2-week paid vacations and other employee fringe benefits. For interview appointment, write: Capital Savings & Loan, Box 9, St. Johns; or call Mr. Patton, 224-2364. 3-1f

\$125. PER WEEK starting wage; plus fringe benefits. Apply at Central Michigan Lumber Co. St. Johns, between 9:30 and 12 noon. 3-1f

MALE & FEMALE, for clerks in new drug store; daytime and night time; good pay, all fringe benefits; apply in person to Mr. Harry Weiler on Friday, Arnold's, 792 US-27, Southgate Shopping Plaza, St. Johns. 3-1

PLEASANT WORK available for high school or college students to earn that extra cash. Write immediately to Box P, Clinton County News, St. Johns, Michigan. 3-1p

WANTED

MALE or FEMALE AUTO SALES PERSONNEL

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DISHWASHER AND A Part Time Cook needed at Daley's Fine Foods in St. Johns. Apply at restaurant or phone 224-3072. 1-1f

COOK - NEED not have had great amount of experience. Must have interest in learning. Will train. Write Box Q, Clinton County News, St. Johns, Michigan. 3-1

★ HELP WANTED

SOMEONE WITH stone picker to pick 10 acres. Clayton Elchorn; R-3, St. Johns, phone 224-2231. 8-1p

WANTED: Experienced full time office girl between the ages of 25-50. Preter woman with no pre-school aged children. General office work, must be able to type accurately, assume responsibility and meet the public. Send resume of qualifications, previous experience and salary expected to Box R, Clinton County News, St. Johns, Michigan. 2-2

WOMAN NEEDED FOR general office work, bookkeeping included. Three to five days per week, 8 to 5 daily. Send complete qualification to Box M, Clinton County News, St. Johns. 3-2

MALE FULL TIME help needed at Karber Block & Tile. Apply in person. 3-2

PART TIME Experienced, male clerk for night work. Starting rate up to \$2.63, plus night incentive. Paid insurance, holidays and vacation. Must be 18 years of age or older. Apply at Kroger, Southgate Plaza, St. Johns. 2-3

★ WANTED EMPLOYMENT

WANTED - IRONINGS - call 224-2496. 1-3p

BABY SITTING JOB Wanted; also will do light housework. Experienced. Call 824-2189. 3-1p

WELL DRILLING and service. Pumps, pipes and supplies. Free estimates. Carl S. Oberlitter, 4664 N. State road, Alma, Phone 463-4364. 48-1f

CUSTOM FLOWING wanted. Also plow down Anhydrous ammonia. Phone 224-2049. 2-2p

★ WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

FREE FILL DIRT wanted. Contact Idlewild Court, South US-27, St. Johns or call 224-7740. 3-1p

HAY AND STRAW wanted: Phone DeWitt, 669-3268. 52-1f

WANTED TO BUY - SILVER CERTIFICATES; Paying Top Current Prices. Morheat Company, 700 E. Kalamazoo, Lansing, Michigan. Phone 482-3813. 50-8p

★ LOST AND FOUND

LOST-Brittany Spandel, male; answers to "Skipper". Phone 224-4081. 3-1p

LOST-Noble clarinet was taken from Central Junior High. Reward offered for return. Phone 669-9122. 2-3p

LOST-Navy blue jacket trimmed with white zippers; exchanged at Computer Dance, DeWitt. My own jacket is WANTED and NEEDED. Please call Pe-wamo, 824-2349 Collect! 2-3p

20-YEAR SERVICE Pen with Oldsmobile emblem; lost in the vicinity of St. Johns. Goes with a set; Reward offered to finder. Phone 834-5644. 3-3p

★ NOTICES

NOTICE: I WILL Pay \$25. reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons dumping rubbish on my property in Bath Township. Floyd F. Over-smith, R-1, Belding, Michigan. 2-3p

HOME-MADE ICE CREAM SOCIAL; Saturday, May 18th. Also barbeques, hot dogs, cake and beverage. West Pilgrim United Methodist Church, Cor. Parks & Grove Road (formerly Bengal E.U.B.) Serving starts at 5:30 p.m. 3-1

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

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ATTENTION NEW MOTHERS OR MOTHERS TO BE: Would you like to get a complete set of baby furniture that has everything you will need for a long time; all at one low price? Come to 126 Lewis or call 224-3180. 3-3p

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YOUR RURAL Watkins Dealer for Clinton County is Edwin A. Wilson, 1529 S. Lansing Street, St. Johns, phone 224-3740. See you soon. 2-3p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

I want to say thanks to Drs. Grost and Russell, nurses and aides, friends and relatives for cards and flowers; also neighbors for helping to mow our lawn during my stay at the hospital. -Erford Eldridge. 3-1p

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to Dr. Henthorn and Dr. Russell, the Clinton Memorial Hospital staff and nurses for their care and kindness shown during the illness and passing of our husband and father. We want to thank the relatives and friends for the beautiful flowers, the many cards of sympathy, the food brought in, and the friends who furnished and served the dinner. We wish also to express our gratitude to Rev. Friesen for his comforting message and calls and to the Osgood Funeral Home for their helpfulness. -The family of John L. Swagart. 3-1p

We wish to thank Dr. Stroller, nurses and nurses' aides for their kind care of Mr. Peter Luci Sr. Also friends, neighbors, and Rev. Howard Homer for his comforting words. The Osgood Funeral Home for their many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy. Also, thanks to all who brought in food. The beautiful flowers were greatly appreciated. Special thanks to Mrs. Julia Thornton and Miss Peggy Pagel for getting the food ready. -The family of Peter Luci Sr. 3-1dh

We wish to express our sincere thanks and deepest appreciation to all our relatives, friends, and neighbors for Masses, flowers, food and cards. Also a special thanks to Fathers Miller, Spillane and Gutha; Gellers Funeral Home and the ladies who helped prepare and serve the dinner. These kind deeds will never be forgotten. -Mrs. Simon Rademacher & family. 3-1p

I wish to thank Drs. Russell, Grost; also my family, relatives, friends for the beautiful flowers, cards, and bake goods brought in to the family while I was in the hospital and since my return home. Thanks also to the Tops Club and Daughters of Isabella; Fr. Schmidt, Fr. Spillane and Fr. Harker for their visit. -Martha Fox. 3-1p

My heartfelt thank to those who who have extended to me their kind expressions of sympathy over the tragic loss of my son in an airplane crash near Dawson, Texas. They were very much appreciated. Very special thanks to Rev. John Huhtala for his comforting words, to Mrs. Allan Personous for the beautiful hymns she played on Sunday morning and to my neighbors for the beautiful plant and other kindnesses. May God Bless and keep you safe in His arms. -John Spencer. 3-1dh

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We wish to express our sincere thanks and deep appreciation to all relatives, friends and neighbors for all the cards, food and contributions made in memory of our son Bernard. Also to Father Banninga for his comforting words, the Osgood Funeral Home for their kind and considerate service and to those who helped with the luncheon for the relatives at the Episcopal Church. -Mr and Mrs. Gerald J. Newhouse and family. 3-1p

The Glenn and Ted Lewis family wishes to express our deepest thanks and gratitude for all the wonderful help and thoughtfulness. To all the people, friends, neighbors, Drs and nurses, and unknown people who contributed and offered help so generously. Also we'd like to thank the unknown person who warned us of the fire and those marvelous firemen who worked so hard and efficiently. 3-1p

Our heartfelt thanks to Dr. Stephenson, the Clinton Memorial Hospital, the nurses and aides for the good care given Hazel Williams. We are appreciative of Rev. Homer's comforting words and prayers and the Ruths' Circle Consideration. The thoughtfulness and kindness of the Osgood Funeral Home will be long remembered; and to tell be long remembered; and to all who sent food, cards, flowers, and memorials; a most sincere thank you. -Jim and Mae Posthewaltte, Bob & Hazel Ashworth. 3-1p

I would like to thank my family, friends, Dr. Russell, nurses and aides for all of the wonderful things they did for me during my stay in the hospital. May God Bless you. -Mrs. Russell Ormsby. 3-1p

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Wacousta

By MRS. EDWARD KRAFT, Correspondent—Phone 626-6944

CENTENNIAL FARM

The farm owned by Charles M. and Vera I. Rose of 9650 Cutler Road in Riley township has been designated as a centennial farm by the Michigan Historical Commission. The farm has been in the possession of the family since 1868. It was originally purchased in 1868 by Edward P. Rose, great-grandfather of the present owners from Edward Dillingham. Charles and Vera Rose have lived 43 years on this farm. They have two daughters Barbara Rose and Mrs. Earl Beagle.

CANCER BENEFIT

Watertown and Eagle township cancer chairman and committee will hold a garage sale Friday from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. until noon for the benefit of the Cancer Memorial fund. It will be at the home of Mrs. Robert Nourse Sr. of Grand River Highway. All proceeds will go toward the Hazel Williams Memorial fund, founder of Clinton County Cancer Association.

Boy Scout Troop No. 60 will spend the weekend at Camp Mapleton. They will be accompanied by Scoutmaster Guy Baker and Tom Morfield and Clark Parsons.

Mrs. Howard McDonough entertained her Bridge Club last Thursday night. Laura Cameron was high and Bonny Garlock low.

Mr and Mrs Melvin Gosnell of Oneida were Wednesday evening callers at the C.M. Forward home.

David Hanna, son of Mr and Mrs Dick Hanna, was a medical patient in St. Lawrence Hospital last week.

Mrs. Don Reed, Mrs. Charles Hemming and Mrs. Mary Reed of DeWitt visited in the C.M. Forward home Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Alton Stackman entertained their son, Walter Stackman of Chicago, for the weekend. Also Mrs. Dan Martin and son of Grand Ledge for dinner Sunday.

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SPELLING BEE

Wacousta School announces the winners of their spelling bee contest. Connie Stephenson, Dorothy Perry, and Ricky Crandall of Mrs. John Crown's fourth grade room; Clint Beagle, David Beach and Susan Irish of Mrs. Ballmans fourth grade room; Lori Ann Frederick, Kevin Beach and Lori Kaschner of Mrs. Knapp's fifth grade room; Susie Jones, Darcy Wells and Judy Bloomer, fifth and sixth grade, Mrs. Ball's room and Pam Murphy, Mona Seering and Gary Wakley, Mr. Gallagher's sixth grade room.

Mr and Mrs James Richardson

of Holt called on the Gary Clark Sunday. Don Miller was involved in an auto accident last week Monday on Howe Road when returning from DeWitt. He was taken to St. Lawrence Hospital and returned home Sunday. He received cuts and bruises.

Glen Shirey returned home from his hospital stay last week Tuesday. He enjoys callers. Lloyd Saxton is with the Carl Millers and would enjoy cards.

Omer Watson is at Sparrow Hospital after a heart attack. Mrs. Watson is staying with a daughter at 121 E. Barnes, Lansing and would enjoy calls and cards.

Master Steven Fuday was in St. Lawrence Hospital with an infection.

Ovid

Mrs Aphra Pixley

Mrs. Luther Hawley and her daughter, Mrs. Linda Behrens, flew to Edinboro, Scotland, where they are spending three weeks with Michael Hawley who is stationed there. Michael will be married there May 18.

Jerry Yerrick who is stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky., spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Lyle Yerrick.

Mr and Mrs Lester Sworthwood spent the weekend in Saginaw with their daughters, Mrs. Lyle Benford and Mr and Mrs David Valliant.

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Westphalia

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

Westphalia wants no stray dogs

Village councilmen have decided it is time to enforce an ordinance prohibiting dogs from running at large. Their action was prompted by complaints and dogs running loose from now on will be turned over to the dog warden.

In other action, the council authorized a letter of thanks to the Jaycees, who recently reformed the village hall.

A building permit was issued to Fedewa Builders for a car wash at Church and Willow, even though the location is in a residential area. Because there is no village zoning ordinance commercial use could not be prohibited there. Officials agreed residents in the area have complained, but said any action would have to be taken by residents in court if they felt the car wash was a nuisance.

THEY ALSO approved a Jaycee Helping Hand project for the village.

In a special meeting held recently, the commission adopted the 1968-69 budget with expenditures at \$28,000 and receipts at \$25,350. This deficit budget is about 10 per cent higher than last year. Normal increased operating costs were given as the reason. The village tax levy of 12 mills is the same as last year.

Joseph Thelen was appointed assessor.

Mr and Mrs Abystus Droste and members of their family held a Mother's Day gathering at the home of Mr and Mrs John Schaffer.

Mr and Mrs Herman Geller entertained their family Sunday. Several members of the Westphalia Jaycees attended the convention in Grand Rapids over the weekend.

Saturday several relatives from the community attended the wedding of Miss Linda Weber, daughter of Mrs Edward Weber of Lansing and Phillip Koelzer of Portland at St. Casimir Church. A reception followed at the school gymnasium.

Mrs James Koster entertained friends at her home Wednesday afternoon.

JAYCEE AUXILIARY LAUNCHES "HELPING HANDS" As part of a nation-wide project, hands will be appearing in windows of homes throughout Westphalia as wordless signs for children in trouble. If a child has an injury, is bullied by other children, has become lost or is threatened by a child molester, he may run to a home displaying a hand to receive aid.

The drive has been launched in Westphalia in time to have as many homes as practicable posted with the "Helping Hand" sign before summer vacation. This will be a continuing program with the Jaycee Auxiliary and is comparable to programs being carried on in many states throughout the country.

Homes with the sign will all have been investigated relative to the character of the home and the importance of having someone home during the school

hours. Persons displaying the "Helping Hand" symbol are instructed to assist the child by summoning the parents and the proper emergency agency. They are advised against any application of medication. The symbol of help is an 8 x 8 placard on which a dark blue hand has been placed. On the back of the card are listed the local emergency telephone and instructions to the volunteers.

Parents have been asked to please explain the symbol to their children and locate, together with the child, the homes in the area with the hand in the window.

LIVING ROSARY

The D of I will have a Living Rosary in honor of the Blessed Virgin Thursday evening at 8 at the church. Everyone is welcome to attend. All the D of I who wish to participate are asked to call Hope Fox. The monthly meeting of the D of I will follow the Rosary.

Recently Mr and Mrs Alex Spitzley and Mr and Mrs Edwin Harr visited the latter's son, Dr and Mrs Kenneth Harr and family of Allen Park.

During the past week the basement was dug for the new home being built for Mrs Martha Bohr. Harold Platte was taken to St. Lawrence Hospital for tests and observation Thursday after becoming ill at work.

The family to Mr and Mrs Ed Harr gathered at their home on Mother's Day.

Esten Beachman was taken to St. Lawrence Hospital Friday morning with injuries he received in an automobile accident while driving to work.

Mrs Dora Platte and Edward were dinner guests Mother's Day of Mr and Mrs Delbert Platte of Lake Odessa.

Mrs Dora Pohl was a dinner guest of Mr and Mrs Elvan Pohl and family Mother's Day. Calling on Mrs Pohl in the afternoon were Mr and Mrs Anthony Pohl and family.

Krepps District

By Mrs Lucille Heibeck

Mr and Mrs Paul Droste and Joe Smith Jr., all of Lansing, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Joe Smith Sr.

Mr and Mrs Joe Smith spent Sunday evening with Mrs Elizabeth Fedewa of Westphalia.

Mrs Kenneth Heibeck Jr. and children and Mrs Robert Pakst and children of St. Johns spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs Kenneth Heibeck Sr.

Mrs Virgil McGinnis and children of Ionia spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs Kenneth Heibeck Sr.

Mr and Mrs Carl Thelen attended a birthday party in honor of John Rehmann of St. Johns at his home Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Carl Thelen were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs John Kusnier of Elsie.

Mr and Mrs Donald Davis and family, Mr and Mrs Duane Davis and family and Mrs Donna Carter of St. Johns were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Glenn Davis.

Mr and Mrs P.J. Stockenauer, Donald Stockenauer of Lansing and Mr and Mrs George Marks, Kathy and Peggy deWitt attended a birthday dinner in honor of Marty Stockenauer at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Richard Stockenauer, Friday evening.



FIRST PUBLIC PROGRAM HELD AT EUREKA SCHOOL GYM

Students at Eureka School put on a program last Tuesday evening for their parents, and not only was it a highlight of their spring school days but it marked the first public program to be held in the multi-purpose room at the new school building. The new areas of the school will be used for classes for the first time starting next fall. Last week's program was entitled "Songs of Our Land."

Pewamo

By Mrs Irene Fox

Henry Klein was home for Mother's Day and the weekend from St. Joseph's Seminary at Grand Rapids.

Letha Klein was the honored guest at the home of Donna Schrauben. Donna and Janette Klein were hostesses for a miscellaneous bridal shower. Games were played followed by a lunch. Many gifts were presented. There were 26 guests.

Many in the surrounding area were surprised to hear the voice of Pvt Roger Kohagen on WDOH Saturday afternoon. Roger who recently completed basic training at Ft. Knox, Ky, is now stationed at Ft. Monmouth, N.Y. for six months of advanced individual training. He was home for Mother's Day. He left by plane Sunday afternoon from Grand Rapids.

The following were guests of Mrs Myron Schafer Mother's Day: Mr and Mrs Matt Spitzley and family of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Roy Simon and family, Mr and Mrs Donald Schmitz and family and Eva Jean.

Mrs Rose Pfaff spent two days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs John Pfaff and family at Flint during the past week.

Mother's Day guests of Mrs Rose Pfaff were Mr and Mrs Carl Pfaff and family of Westphalia, Mr and Mrs Bill Sweeney and family of Saranac, Mrs Rose Pfaffers of Flint and Mr and Mrs Tony Pfaff and family.

Mrs Theresa Simon had as Mother's Day guests Mr and Mrs Richard Thelen and family of Mount Pleasant, who spent the weekend with their mother. Mr and Mrs Roy Simon and family of Lansing; Mr and Mrs Donald Pung and family of Lansing were supper guests. Mr and Mrs Roy Pung and family of Fowler and Mr and Mrs Dennis Fox and family of St. Johns called.

Mrs Wilma Cook spent the weekend with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Al Fuja and family of Durand.

North Victor

By Mrs Elsie Exelby

The May meeting of the Victor Civic Club will be held at the home of Mrs Ray Scott and roll call will be answered by naming one's favorite fabric. The program topic will be "Mew fabrics and their care with Mrs Scott as leader. Several members of the club attended the County Federation at Ovid Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Amil Krenz of Freeland were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Thayne Miner home.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Upton were Mother's Day dinner guests of their daughter, Mrs Woodward Dunkel and family.

A party honoring Mrs John Huhtala, was held at the Price Church Wednesday evening.

Mr and Mrs Elsie Exelby were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Wilbur Brandt of near St. Johns Sunday.

Mr and Mrs David Beechler of Philadelphia spent several days here with their parents, Mr and Mrs John Beechler and Mr and Mrs George Bunce.

The Memorial Service at Stilson Cemetery will be held at 3 p.m. weather permitting Sunday, May 26. A fine program has been planned and Rev Beatrice Townsend of Lalsburg will be the speaker.

Sunday visitors in the Louis Jorae home were Robert Jorae and children of Detroit, Mr and Mrs Joe Jorae and children of Ovid, Mr and Mrs George Gee and Mr and Mrs Victor Jorae of St. Johns, and Eugene Jorae of Lansing.

Shepardsville

By Lucille Spencer

Mr and Mrs Clarence Mitchell have returned home after spending two weeks with their daughter, Mrs Lester Jolley in Texas. They spent one weekend with Mr and Mrs Wayne Horton and family at Wichita Falls. Horton is a cousin of Mrs Mitchell's. On their way home they stopped at Ft Knox, Ky. to see Pvt Douglas Behrens.

A new 4-H Club known as the Happy Hands Group has been organized in this area and Troy Bancroft is the news reporter. This group was organized April 7 at the home of Mrs Iva Risley. They elected officers: President, Ronnie Risley; vice-president, Bruce Levey; secretary, Bonnie Kimball; treasurer, LuAnn Bancroft; recreation leader, Cindy Risley and Wendy Acre and song leader, Tonya Acre. Mrs Elizabeth Levey is the leader and Mrs Iva Risley is the assistant leader.

May 6 the Happy Hands 4-H Club met at Ronnie's. Mrs Iva Risley gave a demonstration on flowers and seeds and Mrs Elizabeth Levey illustrated the do's and don'ts in making sugar cookies. Lynn Bearpat joined the club and is health leader.

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Dean speaks out, urges positive approach for city

Dear Editor:

My first "Letter to the Editor"—and it is not written easily and without broad consideration of the consequences. I am well aware that most such letters do little good except to allow the writer to let off a little steam. However, I strongly feel that our city is in trouble—in trouble financially, and in trouble because of the thinking pervading the minds of too many of our citizens.

We cannot be negative in our approach to city and community problems. We must have positive views to keep our city on the level that we can be proud we live here. What I have to write comes from my heart, with no thoughts of personal gain, personal enmity toward none, but an honest desire to help us all take a positive look and approach to total city and community need.

Taxation is a subject that evokes violent reaction from many people. Everyone becomes an expert on taxes, because everyone pays taxes. It is rather an easy thing to lead people to vote against old or new taxes, because the seed of opposition is already there. I am sure that many people voted against the two city tax proposals because of a feeling of futility in regard to federal and state taxes. But why cut off taxes to our own local government where there is probably the least waste and where it affects each of us the most in our daily living?

WHATEVER THE personal reasons for the negative votes, this is what has resulted. We have tied the hands of our elected representatives so that we have only enough funds for only the most basic, basic municipal service. The level of service cannot reach the point that people in a city like ours should expect. We have had the resignation of two or three administrative officials—yes, officials who have been the center of controversy, but knowledgeable officials, nonetheless. All of this has resulted in our city of St. Johns being practically put on a "black list" when it comes to hiring new administrators. A reputation for progress by an enlightened citizenry, through a cooperative city commission, has been lost. Instead, those from the outside look on us as a community committed to going back instead of forward—and a place to stay away from!

In my 12 years on the Tri County Regional Planning Commission, the work of that group was committed to the future—progress within reason and within a reasonable cost. I had an unusual chance to observe the attitudes and actions of many municipalities in our region. Our city government was considered to be one of the better ones in the area and we in St. Johns had one of the lowest tax bills of any, even before our recent tax votes. We have had government that has looked and planned for the future. Officials must do this as part of the job they were elected to. We elect citizens to represent us and make decisions in our governmental affairs. This has been one of the great strengths of this USA. Sure, we don't agree with every decision made and we shouldn't expect to, because these people we elect have access to and knowledge of more facts than we as individual citizens do.

WE PAY OUT TAX and put it in a common treasury so that the affairs of government may be carried on most fairly and efficiently. Decisions may be made by elected people on how it should be spent. Yet in the last few weeks we have seen a few people, not elected to any municipal body, make a decision that the swimming pool ought to be open this summer. The operation of the pool was turned over to the city government and board of education many years ago, and has been accepted for years as a service expected to be paid from taxes. It was needed when built, and is needed now as much as ever. I hope it will be open. But is that the fair, efficient

Graduation at Fowler Wednesday

FOWLER — The first high school commencement program of the year in Clinton County will be held next Wednesday evening, May 22, in the Fowler High School Gym when 59 seniors at Fowler High receive their diplomas. The program will start at 8 p.m.

The graduation speaker will be Eugene S. Thomas, deputy director of the Children's Charter of the Courts of Michigan, Inc., at Kalamazoo. His topic will be "Progress in Protecting Children."

Also on the program will be the high school band, which will play the processional and recessional, and the high school choir, which will sing "Yea, Though I Walk." Kenneth Thelen, president of the board of education, will award the diplomas.

The Children's Charter of the Courts of Michigan that Thomas works for is a nonprofit organization whose primary purpose is to improve judicial services to children. Its basic support presently comes from the Kellogg Foundation. The organization's

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way to handle the services we expect from city taxes? What about the hundreds of children and young adults who have taken part in the rest of the summer recreation program — softball, baseball, tennis, etc.? Are they less deserving than those who prefer swimming? We can't have good government, and good programs, if we must depend on emotional appeals to raise funds for governmental services, in lieu of a sound tax structure.

Let's carry this a little further. Other people in our city may need sewer repairs or extensions; others may be vitally interested in repair, resurfacing or extension of streets; another group may feel that completion of the city program on removal of dead trees is most important. What chaos we would have if appeals for donations must be made to do each of these things. How ridiculous that each would select the project that he wanted his tax money spent for. Yet that is the road we've started down, with a tax structure that can't stand the cost of regular necessary and expected city services.

IT'S TIME WE citizens must take a positive approach toward the problems faced and a united effort to work with our elected representatives not against them. Let's be able to speak and act with pride about this city again. I have talked with many people who feel essentially the same as I have expressed in the above. I ask for their help in this proposal.

I have made arrangements for the use of the municipal auditorium on the evening of Monday, May 20 at 7:30. I ask that you who want to help St. Johns get moving again join with me at this meeting. There we can explore the possible ways that we can work together for a better community through positive approaches.

ALAN R. DEAN

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The Ashley Village Council has approved a tax rate for this summer that's no different than last year—11 mills for the general fund and two for a water bond issue. The millage will raise about \$14,906.



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By MRS DONALD FEDEWA, Correspondent—Phone 582-2531

CITIZENS COMMITTEE TO HEAR PLANS

Thursday, May 9, the Fowler School Board met with the Architectural firm of Manson, Jackson, and Kane of Lansing, Sketch-

es of the proposed elementary school were presented and plans were discussed. As yet, no decision has been made on the amount that will be asked for the operating millage for next year. Thursday, May 16, the architectural firm will meet again with the school board and the Citizens committee.

The board has made arrangements to explain the building program and discuss millage at the May meetings of the Knights of Columbus, The Christian Mothers and the Jaycees. The TV contract with Michigan State University for elementary TV was approved.

SCHOOL TO CLOSE JUNE 6
A provision in a new law,

which calls for 180 session days of school caused the change of the closing of school. Classes as usual will be held June 3 and 4; June 5, teachers' marking day with no students class and June 6, students will receive report cards. Buses will run.

Mrs Cecil Boak of St. Johns called on Mrs Lula Boak Saturday.

Mrs Lula Boak spent Mother's Day with her daughter, Mr and Mrs Vernon Benjamin and family. Mrs Boak also received a telephone call from Mr and Mrs Calvin Boak and family and their daughter, Mrs Gloria Jackson of Tucson, Ariz., Mother's Day.

Sunday evening, Mrs Alan Boak of Lansing and Elleen Boak of St. Johns called on Mrs Lula Boak. Mrs Alan Boak will leave next Saturday for Hawaii for a six-day vacation with her husband who is stationed in Viet Nam.

The community extends its sympathy to the family of Jeffrey Melvin. Jeffrey was killed in a bicycle-car accident near Pewamo Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Koengsknecht and family, Mr and Mrs Carl Koengsknecht and family and Mr and Mrs Frank Koengsknecht and family drove to Detroit Sunday where they met and visited with their daughter and sister, Lt. and Mrs Roger Kaminski. The Kaminskis are stationed in Alabama now and had flown to Belleville near Detroit for the day.

Many from this area attended the wedding reception of Susan Simon and Robert Blerstetel in Westphalia Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Donald Fedewa and family called on his mother, Mrs Martha Fedewa of Westphalia and her parents, Mr and Mrs Alfred Haltmann Sunday.

The children and their families of Mr and Mrs Martin Schafer spent Mother's Day at home with their parents.

Mr and Mrs Arnold Miller, Henry Loeffert and Mr and Mrs Lester Miller and family were guests of Mr and Mrs Hilary Miller and family in Lansing. The dinner was in honor of Mary Beth Miller's First Holy Communion.

Leonard Wohlert is a medical patient at Carson City Hospital. Mrs Hilary Hafner left Sunday to vacation with her sister, Mrs Louis LaFave, at her Detroit home.

Mrs Howard Hatt is a medical patient at the Carson City Hospital.

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NATIONAL HEALTHY BABY WEEK

Mrs William D. Platte and son Daniel Richard of R-2, receive gifts, donated by local merchants, from Mrs Lyle Fenner, Clinton County Unit of National Foundation—March of Dimes, in observance of National Healthy Baby Week. Daniel Richard was the first baby born at Clinton Memorial Hospital during Healthy Baby week. He is the fifth son of the Plattes and he also has two sisters. Daniel Richard Platte was born Wednesday, May 8 and weighed 7 pounds, 7 1/2 ounces.

County Line News

By Mrs Doris Fisher

Mothers were honored at services Sunday at Salem United Methodist Church. The junior department of the Sunday School presented a short program at the close of Sunday school. The toast to mothers was given by Sharyl Conine and the toast to the children by Mrs Judy Malek. Vases of red and white carnations were presented to Mrs Edna Tinklepaugh, the oldest lady present; Mrs Gladys Hankey, the oldest mother and to Mrs Donna Smith the youngest mother.

Mothers of the Bible and Early Christian church was the sermon topic used by Rev Conine for morning worship services.

The 98th Psalm was the scripture reading. Mrs Donna Smith and Miss Beth Turner sang

"Mother's Prayers Have Followed Me" in recognition of Mother's Day. Mrs Harriet Schmid was the organist and the candlelighter was Darrell Beck. Greeters were Mr and Mrs Joseph Purves.

"Japan, A Nation of Change" was the program topic for the May meeting of Salem United Methodist WSWs Thursday evening. Mrs Marlam Randolph, program chairman, presented the lesson. Treasurer Mrs Eleanor Fogelson reported \$92.14 profit from the mother-daughter banquet and will be given toward expense of the Bible School and \$30 missionary money will be given to the church camp fund. Bathroom tile project at the parsonage was reported completed. Mrs Parmer Phillips, hostess, and Mrs Gayla Phillips, co-hostess, served refreshments. There will be no meeting in June as the Bible School will be held evenings the 10th through 21st.

Salem United Methodist Youth Fellowship will hold their May party at the home of Burnell Grievie Monday evening, May 20, from 7 until 9.

Dennis Phillips will show slides he took on his tour of the United States at Salem United Methodist family night Saturday evening, May 18. A potluck supper will be at 6:30 in the church basement.

Mr and Mrs Richard Vincent and Mr and Mrs Clifford Vincent of Owosso were Saturday luncheon guests of Mrs James Fisher and family.

Mrs Harmon Earegood of St. Louis, Mr and Mrs Jack LaLonde, of Otisville were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Gill Baker and family.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Brown and daughter Kelly of Saginaw spent Thursday with their parents, Mr and Mrs James Fisher and family. Mrs Wanda Baker called Sun-

day morning on her parents, Mr and Mrs Howard Evitts of Pomep.

Visitors in the home of Mr and Mrs Harry Patterson Sunday were Mrs Burdene Weaver and grandchildren, Ronald Jr., Lee Ann and Carla Patterson of Lansing. Mr and Mrs Richard Feder-

spiel and family of Saginaw and Mr and Mrs Richard Vincent of Owosso spent Mother's Day with their parents, Mr and Mrs James Fisher and family.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Elchorn of Ashley called Thursday on Mr and Mrs Harry Patterson. They have recently returned home from Florida.

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Austerity, citizenry desires bump 4 times

St. Johns' austerity program and citizenry desire for services bumped together on four occasions at the city commission meeting last Tuesday night.

Three requests involved the city park and the softball diamond, and they were tabled. The fourth request concerned additional help for the municipal court office where paperwork is so far behind the money that the city could be using is still buried in the piles of records that don't get processed right away.

The municipal court was one phase of government that suffered when the austerity program was put into effect in February. Part-time student co-op help was eliminated in the municipal court office, and the court clerk, Mrs. John Anderson, has been handling, or trying to do the clerical work, practically alone.

"We've got to have some help there," Commissioner Mrs. Jeanne Rand stated at the commission meeting. "They're really in a desperate situation."

THE COMMISSION authorized the hiring of part-time clerical help for the municipal court office, feeling the move would make for a more-efficient operation as well as release some tied-up funds to the city.

Two requests for use of the city park softball field were received. Dennis Blakeslee appeared before the commission asking permission for a six-team softball league to use the diamond for two evenings a week. He said three St. Johns and three Ovid teams were involved in the league. He said the players would be willing to pay for electricity used and the preparation of the field before the games.

A letter from Jack Downing, president of the St. Johns Jaycees, was received, and Downing asked permission for the use of the field on two early evenings a week for playing of some of the Little League games this summer. He said two new Little League diamonds the Jaycees are building at the south edge of town won't be ready for play this summer and the Saylor-Beall Little League field won't be able to handle the full schedule, in all probability. All games would be played prior to darkness.

The city commission tabled both requests until definite schedules of days desired could be worked out, as well as other requirements of the two groups.

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out, as well as other requirements of the two groups.

Ed Schmitt told the commission he thought some volunteer help should be solicited so that the city park could be open this summer. He said he didn't think the cost of operation was that great that the park should have to be closed, but if it was, volunteer assistance might be forthcoming to open it and operate it.

COMMISSIONERS told Schmitt the park is available for use; people may walk in and wander around, and the main road through the park is open to traffic. But no recreation program is going to be held, and only minimal necessary maintenance is planned.

Schmitt said he thought he could set up a voluntary force to set out picnic tables and do other such work to keep the park attractive to use by residents and visitors alike. "We're not opposed to any such effort if a concrete plan can be set up," Vice Mayor John Furry said.

Schmitt said he would set up a volunteer work plan and submit it to the commission.

In other miscellaneous business last Tuesday, the city commission tabled a request from

Lansing radio station WITL to broadcast from their trailer unit from downtown St. Johns May 16, 17 and 18. The commission asked more information on the purpose of the plan before taking action on the request.

Discussions of fire contracts, the city budget and new water rates were postponed for one reason or another. The water rates were left hanging until a full commission could be present to take action. Action on fire contracts with surrounding townships was delayed until a recommendation is made from a special mayor's study committee and until a visit can be made to see the operation of the Grand Ledge Fire District.

The city budget has to be passed by June 1, according to city charter, so that means action will be taken at the May 21 meeting. The commission didn't act on it last Tuesday because there wasn't a full commission and because there were some points they felt had to be hashed out at a special session.

The calendar is loaded with special "weeks" the year around, but those which occur in the spring seem especially worthy of observation. Bement Public Library helped the St. Johns Morning Musicale celebrate National Music Week from May 5 to 11 by displaying a handsome poster flanked by books on music subjects.

The poster, which depicted the great maestro, Arturo Toscanini, in bold black on white, was sent to them by the National Federation of Music Clubs, which in turn received enough such posters to send to all the music clubs in the nation, as a gift from the Bell Telephone Hour.

And so it goes; the name of the game is cooperation, it seems.

The library also exhibited books on music at DePeal's Music Center, in connection with the meeting held there by the St. Johns Morning Musicale as their celebration of National Music Week.

Musicale celebrates music week

St. Johns Morning Musicale met at DePeal's Music store for their final meeting of the year May 9.

President Francis Deibert introduced guests Mrs. Benson, Mrs. Kemper, Mrs. D. A. V. S., Mrs. Swagart, Mrs. Salisbury and Mrs. Gillette.

Opening the program were solos by several high school students introduced by Mrs. Jean Woodbury.

Miss Kathy Zuker accompanied herself as she sang "Unchained Melody." Martha Lundy accompanied Miss Peg Young in her solo "Sound of Music." Tom

Fowler sang "Rovin' Gambler" and was accompanied by Miss Sheryl Pulliam. Miss Kathy Zuker played the guitar as she and Tom Fowler sang a duet. An organ and piano duet by Jean and Rhonda Woodbury of two selections, "Satisfied" and "Onward Christian Soldiers" was enjoyed by members and guests.

MRS. MILDRED BROWN continued the program by introducing Mrs. Phyllis Rice who sang a Cantata Number 169, by Bach. Mrs. Martha Lundy was her accompanist.

Next on the program were

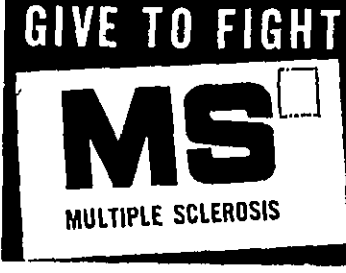
three selections by the Musicale ensemble "God Is Love," "O Praise God in His Holiness" and "White Orchids." Those in the ensemble were Joann Martis, Barbara Amstutz, Ora Fish, Alice Stark, Hilda Bross and Esther Jacoby.

Closing the program was a two-piano duet by Barbara Davis and Martha Lundy entitled "Capriccio Brillante" by Mendelssohn.

Members were then adjourned to the L and L Restaurant. The guest luncheon climaxed the National Music Week and members were given an opportunity

to see an exhibition of music books at DePeal's that Bement Library arranged for the meeting.

Following the luncheon a short business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Francis Deibert in which the new president Mrs. Ruth LeBlond was introduced and committee reports were given.



Bement Library Book Shelf

By Hila Bross

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Clinton's Civic Calendar

Officers of these organizations are advised to notify The Clinton County News at least one week in advance of the date of publication of the issue in which any change in the regular schedule should appear.

- St. Johns**
- American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
 - American Legion Auxiliary—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., Legion Hall
 - Banner Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
 - Blue Star Mothers—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., American Legion Hall
 - Child Study Club—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., in homes of members
 - Clinton County Farm Bureau—Committee women meet the 1st Tuesday of each month, 10:30 a.m. at Farm Bureau office rooms
 - Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary—Board meets the 3rd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., in the hospital sewing room
 - DAR—2nd Tuesday, in homes of members
 - Disabled American Veterans—1st Friday, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
 - 8 at 40—4th Thursday, in homes of members
 - Exchange Club—2nd and 4th Thursdays, noon, Walker's Cafe
 - Griston WRC—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 2 p.m. in homes of members
 - 40 at 8—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., St. Johns and Breckenridge Legion Halls, alternate months
 - IOOF—Every Wednesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
 - Jaycees—2nd Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., L & L Restaurant
 - Jaycee Auxiliary—4th Thursday, 8 p.m. in members' homes
 - Knights of Columbus—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., K of C Hall
 - Knights Templar—1st Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Lions Club—2nd and 4th Wednesday 8:30 p.m., IOOF Hall
 - Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Morning Musicale—2nd and 4th Thursdays 9:45 a.m. in homes of members
 - Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Rotary Club—Every Tuesday, noon Walker's Cafe
 - Royal Arch Masons—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Royal Neighbors of America—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
 - Senior Citizens—2nd and 4th Tuesday, every month, Drop-in Center, E. Railroad St.
 - St. Johns Woman's Club—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 1:30 p.m., in homes of members
 - St. Johns Honor Guard—2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p.m., VFW Hall
 - Tops Club—Every Thursday, 7:45 p.m., Senior Citizens' Drop-in Center
 - VFW Auxiliary—1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
 - VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., VFW Hall
 - WCTU Mary Smith Union—Third Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the homes of members
- Bath**
- American Legion—2nd and 4th Thursdays, Memorial Hall
 - American Legion Auxiliary—2nd Tuesday and 4th Thursday, Memorial Hall
 - Bath Shootin' Stars Square Dance Club—Club nights the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. during regular dancing season at the James Couzens Gym
 - Club Scout Committee—1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., at James Couzens Building
 - Club Scout Pack—4th Thursday, 6:30 p.m., school
 - Firemen's Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., home of members
 - Park Lake Improvement League—4th Wednesday, 8 p.m., Improvement League Hall
 - East Grand Club—4th Thursday, homes of members
 - PTA—2nd Thursday, 8 p.m., Junior High gym
 - PTA Executive Board—Monday before Thursday PTA meeting, 8 to 9 p.m. at school
 - Sunbeam Rebekah Lodge No. 165—1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month starting at 8 p.m. at the community hall on Main Street in Bath
 - Volunteer Firemen—2nd Monday, 8 p.m., fire hall
 - WCSB—General meeting 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Methodist church
- DeWitt**
- Blue Star Mothers—2nd Thursday afternoon, Memorial building and homes of members
 - Boy Scouts—Every Monday, 7 p.m., Memorial building
 - Brownies—Every Wednesday, 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
 - Brown Bee Study Group—3rd Tues-
- Maple Rapids**
- Amica Club—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., homes of members
 - Band Parents—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., students Commons
 - Baseball Boosters—3rd Wednesday 8 p.m., at the school
 - Blue Star Mothers—1st and 3rd Wednesday, 2 p.m., homes of members
 - Deo Decum Club—1st Saturday, 8 p.m., homes of members
 - High School PTA—1st Monday, 8 p.m., students Commons
 - IOOF—Every Thursday 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
 - Maple Rapids Improvement Association—1st Monday, 8 p.m. in Municipal building
 - Maple Rapids Twirlers—Meet the 2nd and 4th Friday night of each month at the Maple Rapids, School gym
- Westphalia**
- Catholic Order of Foresters—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
 - Daughters of Isabella—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
 - Knights of Columbus—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., K of C rooms
 - Young Ladies Socially—3rd Sunday afternoon, every 2 months, St. Mary's parish hall
- Wacousta**
- Breakfast Club—Last Thursday, 8 a.m., in homes of members
 - Child Study Club—2nd Tuesday, evening in homes of members
 - Masonic Order No. 339—Regular meetings first Thursday of the month at 8:00 p.m. at Temple
 - Methodist Men's Club—First Wednesday of each month, potluck at 6:30 p.m., Wacousta Methodist church
 - Neighborhood Society—3rd Thursday, in homes of members
 - Order of Eastern Star—1st Tuesday evening, Masonic Temple
- Pewamo**
- Altar Society—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Parish hall
 - Band Boosters—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., high school
 - Blue Star Mothers—3rd Wednesday, 8 p.m., elementary school
 - Lions Club—3rd Tuesday, elementary school
 - Masonic Lodge—3rd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic hall
 - Order of Eastern Star—1st Wednesday 8 p.m., Masonic hall
 - 21 Club—3rd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., at club house
 - WCSB—3rd Thursday, 2 p.m., home of members
- Eagle**
- Helping Hand Club—4th Tuesday evening in the homes of members
 - Niles Lutheran Society—2nd Thursday, in homes of members
 - North Eagle Cemetery Society—Last Thursday, 3 p.m., Town hall
 - WCSB—1st Wednesday, Methodist Church basement.
- Elsie**
- American Legion—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 8 p.m., Legion hall
 - American Legion Auxiliary—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 8 p.m. Legion hall
 - Band Boosters—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., alternate months, Band room
 - B.V.C.S.—2nd Tuesday, 3:30 p.m., in homes of members
 - Lions Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8:00 p.m., Legion hall
 - Masonic Lodge—2nd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
 - WCSB—1st Wednesday 8:00 p.m., homes of members
 - Order of Eastern Star—1st Thursday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic hall
 - PTA—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., school
 - Woman's Literary Club—Alternate Tuesdays, 8 p.m., homes of members
- Ovid**
- Acme Society—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., in homes of members
 - American Legion—3rd Wednesday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
 - Businessmen's Association—2nd Tuesday, time and place varies
 - Crecent Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
 - Disabled American Veterans—3rd Friday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
 - Home-makers—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 - IOOF—Every Tuesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
 - Job's Daughters—2nd and 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Lions Club—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8:30 p.m., Main Street church of United Church
 - Lat-a-Lot Club—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 - Loyal Arch Masons—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 - Social Evening—Veterans Memorial Building, 8 p.m., every Wednesday.
 - Womens' group by Ovid veterans' group Town and Country Extension—4th Wednesday, in homes of members
 - VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Memorial building
 - VFW Auxiliary—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., in Memorial building
 - Volunteer Firemen—First Thursday, 7:30 at Fire hall
 - World War I Veterans—1st Thursday p.m., Memorial building

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News About Clinton County - Service Personnel -

Boilerman 3.C JACK O. FISK, USN, son of Mr and Mrs Melvin Fish of 5964 Park Lake Road, Bath, helped assist the inhabitants of the hurricane ravaged island of Rodrigues in the Indian Ocean, while serving aboard the

destroyer USS Charles R. Ware. As a crewmember of the Mayport, Fla., based destroyer, he helped distribute thousands of pounds of food, clothes, bedding and medical supplies to the island's 22,000 inhabitants.

Seaman Apprentice JAMES W. ROY, USN, son of Mr and Mrs Norman A. Roy of 401 E. Main Street, Elsie, has reported for duty aboard the command cruiser USS Northampton at Norfolk, Va. The Northampton is the first of two US ships to bear the "CC" designation. The 677-foot ship utilizes some of the most modern communications equipment to carry out its mission as a floating command ship. He joins over 1,100 sailors in the ship's company.

Army Pfc. CHARLES W. LOVER, 21, son of Mr and Mrs Eugene Lover, Mason Road, R-1, Bannister, was assigned April 23 to the 2nd Infantry Division in Korea, as a wireman.

Army Pvt. ERIC G. COX, 20, son of Mr and Mrs George H. Cox, 270 E. Webb Road, DeWitt, was assigned as a construction specialist in the 159th Engineer Group near Long Binh, Viet Nam, April 18.

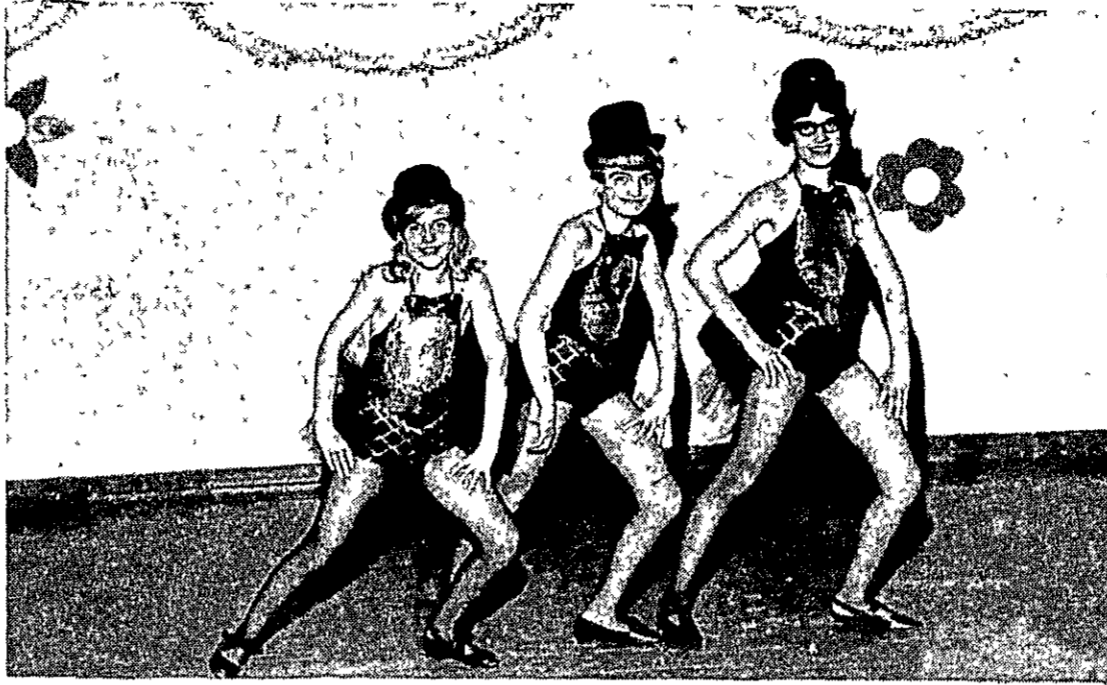
JOSEPH L. SPOUSTA, B 54-17-23 Co. 213 17th Br. 1st Reg. T. C., Great Lakes, Ill., 60088, son of Mr and Mrs Joseph Spousta of 408 East Steel Street, St. Johns entered the Navy April 21 and will graduate from basic training June 21.

LESLIE F. SLOAT, 21, son of Mr and Mrs Forest Sloat, of R-2 Ovid, was recently promoted to Army specialist five. He is stationed at Long Binh, South Viet Nam, with the 199th Light Infantry Brigade as a medic.

Spec. 4 MARTIN KINGMAN, Co. C 1st Bn. 8th Cav, 1st Cav Div. (AIR), son of Mr and Mrs Robert Kingman of 8902 Williams Road, DeWitt, is home for a 30-day leave after returning from Viet Nam. He has been serving at Hue Quang Tri, and Khe Sanh. He received the purple heart, accommodation medal, and air medal. Kingman will finish his term of service at Fort Hood, Tex.

Spec. 4 THOMAS A. EBERT, 21, a 1965 graduate of Elsie High School, took part in an Army Air Defense Command "Short Notice Annual Practice" (SNAP), recently at NAMFI Range, Crete, Greece. He is a member of Headquarters Battery of the 73rd Artillery's 5th Battalion, a Sergeant Missile unit in Germany.

Army Pfc DOUGLAS M. MICHELS, 20, son of Mr and Mrs H. M. Michels Jr. of 700 W. State Street, St. Johns, was assigned as a rifleman with the 1st Infantry Division near Di An, Viet Nam, April 28.



PRACTICE FOR SHARE-THE-FUN

Continuing to practice for the district Share-The-Fun 4-H talent contest in July are these 4-H tap dancers from St. Johns—Kathy Merignac, Linda Brya and Peggy Merignac. The girls' performance was judged one of the best among large group acts at the Clinton County Share-The-Fun show April 26, qualifying them to attend the district contest.



Capt Jay G. Tressler, son of Mrs Jean Tressler of 1009 E. Dill Road, DeWitt, has been graduated with honors at Kessler AFB, Miss., from the training course for US Air Force communications-electronics staff officers.

Capt Tressler is being assigned to duty with the 425th Strategic Wing at U-Tapao Airfield, Thailand.

In his new assignment he will support B-52 Stratofortress bombers which daily attack Viet Cong targets and KC-135 Stratotankers which provide refueling to fighter, bomber and reconnaissance aircraft conducting the air war over Viet Nam. He will join the Pacific Air Forces.

The captain, who participated in the Berlin Airlift, was commissioned in 1958 upon completion of Officer Candidate School. A graduate of Tecumseh (Mich.) High School, he received his B.A. degree in business administration in 1965 from the University of Maryland.

Sgt I. C. RUSSELL R. MUTDOSCH, son-in-law of Mr and Mrs Robert Hall of 212 E. Pine Street, Elsie, took part in an Army Air Defense Command "Short Notice Annual Practice" (SNAP), recently at NAMFI Range, Crete, Greece.

He is a member of Battery B of the 73rd Artillery's 5th Battalion, a Sergeant missile unit in Germany.

Participating units are given only 48 hours warning before being alerted to the range. While at the site, crewmen fire live missiles against radio-controlled aerial targets. The annual testing is designed to keep air defense units in a state of constant readiness to perform their missions.

His wife, Helen, is with him in Germany.

Open Letter from VAN W. HOAG

Dear friends,

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Van W. Hoag
Hoag Funeral Home
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Flag. Mrs Byington gave the devotions. An elevator man from Lansing was with us again. He had a display of various kinds of cereals and cookies. He reported on the grain markets which change everyday.

Three girls and one boy told why they would like to go to Camp Kett. Two will be selected. There were 10 exchange students present and each talked about his country.

Mary Barrett of Owosso invited all of the students to her place for a cookout. There will be a dinner for the students at the city club before they leave the U. S.

Mrs Edna Steadman, Mrs Irene Reed, Mrs Ina Woodworth, Mrs Christine Snyder of Ovid and Mrs Archie Moore of Carland attended the O. E. S. County Association in DeWitt last Monday for an all day session. After the session they all called on Mr and Mrs Russell Hanes in DeWitt. Mrs Hanes and Mrs Woodworth are sisters.

Mrs Shirley Long entertained for her son's 12th birthday Monday afternoon. There were 12 present. The table was decorated with baseball players.

Baptist Church whose pastor is Rev James L. Burligh. The ordination council consisted of Rev Dave Rice of Flint as master of ceremonies; Rev Erwin Robinson of Lansing, Interrogatory; Rev Larry Reed Leslie, clerk; Rev Herbert Gilbert Jr. and Rev Herbert Gilbert Sr. of Detroit; Rev Glenn Johnson of Lansing, Rev Richard Bullock of Millet and Rev James L. Burligh. Supper was served by the Ladies of the Missionary Circle to about 150 guests.

Mr and Mrs Lynwood Mc Gonigal of 5849 Clark Road, Bath and four daughters motored to Detroit Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs McGonigal's brother and family, Mr and Mrs Wallace Ans.

Willard Cable of Chandler Road, Bath, accompanied by his son, Larry of Detroit and Jim Owens of DeWitt, flew to Neibish Island in the St. Mary's River last Friday and returned Sunday with a good catch of pike.

Mr and Mrs Chester R. McGonigal of Watson Road, Bath, visited McGonigal's sister, Mr and Mrs Hollis Fischer and Timothy on Drummond Island for several days recently.

Twenty-one members of the family of Mrs Byrce, a former resident of Bath, gathered recently at the Sweden House of Lansing to help their mother and grandmother celebrate her 88th birthday.

AIC John Brodbeck, husband of the former Dianne Herrguth left Bath last week for a year's duty in Viet Nam.

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McGonigal Corners By Mrs John McGonigal

The Bath Baptist Church voted unanimously at a previous meeting for the ordination of Carl S. Curtis of 3628 Main Street, Bath, into the ministry of the Church. This took place Saturday, May 4. The host church was the Bath

SPECIAL CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

A special meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Commission will be held on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 1968

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

WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP

An application for approval and recommendations to operate and maintain a sand and gravel operation on the following described parcel of land:

The property owned by Walter and Ruth Gierke described as part of S½ of NW¼ of Section 29, T5N-R3W, beginning 663.6 feet South of NW corner of Section 29, thence East 1318.6 feet, thence South 665 feet, thence West 845.7 feet, thence North 462 feet, thence West 470.9 feet, thence North 198 feet to beginning.

WILLIAM M. COFFEY
Zoning Administrator

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Elsie

By Mrs Neva Keys

EXTENSION GROUP MEETS

The Green School Extension Group met at the home of Mrs Raymond Thornton with Mrs John Hall as co-hostess on Thursday afternoon with 11 members present. A former member Mrs Dorothy Matthews was welcomed back into club.

The lesson "Our Michigan Flag" was given by Mrs Kenneth Munson with an interesting quiz on the flag's coat of arms, which was designed by Governor Cass. The business meeting was conducted by the chairman Mrs Francis Pearl. She reminded the members of Michigan Week and Decoration Day to display their flags. After a discussion of making diapers for the county nurse, the meeting was adjourned.

Refreshments of home-made ice cream and cake were served by the hostesses.

Mrs Florence Horn of Elsie and Mrs Esther Klein of Owosso flew to Dallas, Texas, Saturday to attend the American Nurses' Association convention. As Michigan delegates from the Owosso Memorial Hospital they will join the group of 8,000 nurses in attendance at the week-long convention.

Mr and Mrs S.J. Keys, Mrs Dorothy Kaspar of Detroit, Mrs Margaret Edwards of St. Johns and Don Willard spent Sunday in northern Michigan.

Many a man succeeds just by making the most of other peoples' opportunities.



Second grade students of St. Mary School received their First Holy Communion Sunday, April 28.

Westphalia

By Mrs Joseph Fedewa
Box 147, Westphalia—587-3682

Construction has begun on the new home being built for Mr and Mrs Norman Feneis.

Recently Mr and Mrs Warren Dolen and family of Detroit, Mr and Mrs Joseph Trisweller and Mr and Mrs Bruno Thelen and family attended the First Communion celebration for their grandson and nephew, Scott Schoendorf of Elsie.

NEW OFFICERS

Three hundred and one voters turned out for the Parish Board of Education election which was held Sunday following all masses. Elected for the three-year terms were Ray Schafer and Bernadette

Kincoid District

Mrs Porter C. Parks

Mr and Mrs Ron Esple and son, Mrs Melvin McRoberts, Debra Esple and Mr and Mrs Douglas Esple and children of Lansing were Sunday visitors of Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn and daughters.

Charles Fisher and Kevin were visitors of Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and girls Sunday afternoon. Mrs Charles Fisher is in Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Porter Parks and girls, Mr and Mrs David Parks and children, Mr and Mrs Clarence Parks and children and Mrs Jerry Myszak and sons were supper guests of Mrs Don Henning and children for Mother's Day. Donovan Henning, Robert Henning, and Robert Lonier are bear hunting in Canada.

Mr and Mrs Dell Schmidtman and son, George Balmer and Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer had dinner guests at a restaurant near Holt.

Mr and Mrs John Dickinson and girls of Portland and Mr and Mrs Eldon Dickinson and daughters of Della Mills were guests of Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson Sunday. Holly Dickinson will stay a day or two with her grandparents.

Mrs Harold Hoerner visited Mr and Mrs Howard Sargent Sunday morning.

Mr and Mrs Don Potts visited Mr and Mrs Howard Sargent Saturday. Debbie Sargent visited her grandparents Sunday and Vernon Sargent also visited there Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Don Sullivan and Danny went to Mulliken to see the sky divers Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Robert Weaver and family and Mr and Mrs William Weaver and family of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Glenn Weaver and family Saturday.

Sunday Mr and Mrs Don Potts visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner.

Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner went to Grand Ledge Airport and Mulliken to see the sky divers.

Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner took Mr and Mrs Howard Sargent, Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner and girls and Mr and Mrs Don Potts to a restaurant near Holt for supper.

Wayne Valentine visited Harold Hoerner Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Don Potts visited Mr and Mrs Glenn Wall of Detroit Saturday night.

Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner and girls visited Mr and Mrs Harold Morrow of Lansing Saturday.

James E. Webster, 21, son of Mr and Mrs Glen Webster of R-1, Elsie, was initiated into Phi Sigma Kappa social fraternity at Ferris State College April 20. Webster was secretary of this pledge class.

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Roy Simon elected P-W council chief

By DIANE HUHNS
P-W High

Students in the freshmen, sophomore, and junior classes voted Thursday, May 10, for their new 1968-69 student council president. Roy Simon was selected as the new president, and Larry Fedewa as the vice-president.

The Junior-Senior Banquet will take place May 15 in the P-W gymnasium. The wills and prophecies will be read. The Future Nurses Club has announced its title of being foster parents.



Their new foster child, Ioannis Lakontis, is a 10 year-old boy who lives in a tiny hamlet of 503 inhabitants on the island of Corfu, off the west coast of Greece. Ioannis will receive each month an amount of money to help carry him through. The headquarters for the Foster Parents' Plan is located in New York. The Future Nurses Club will receive letters and information of what Ioannis does in Greece, and

the girls in the club will write to their new child.

On May 14 the Future Nurses Club will visit Ionia State Hospital.

The yearbook staff has been busy during the last few weeks preparing for the edition of the '68 yearbook. Mr Dehn, the photographer, has taken pictures and the staff has received them. The new officers for the '68-69 Future Nurses are as follows: president, Carol George; vice-president, Lucille Wieber; secretary, Arlene Fedewa; and treasurer, Barb Simon.

Those girls that have received their caps from the Clinton Memorial Hospital for 25 hours of work are: Marlene Werner, Carol George, Barb Simon, Diane Simon, Sandy Bengel, Kathy Bengel, Mary Ann Droste, Arlene Fedewa, Janice O'Brien, and Diane Huhn.

The P-W Performing Arts Company (PAC) has volunteered to help the eighth graders of Westphalia for their play. Pictures from P-W's annual play which was "Rest Assured," are on sale for those who worked on the play.

A dance will be held at P-W on May 17. Doors close at 10:30. All are welcome to attend the dance.

Fowler prom has theme of Venice

FOWLER (c)—On May 3 the junior class sponsored the annual Junior-Senior Prom, entitled "Romance in Venice." The gym was beautifully decorated with full length red and white drapes surrounding the dance floor, which resembled the romantic city of Venice.

The highlight of the evening was the crowning of queen Marilyn Weber and King Bob Fox. Senior members of the queen's court were: Vonnie Becker and her escort Dan Feldpausch and Joyce Harr escorted by Bud Conley. Representing the junior class were Becky Graff, escorted by Tom Nobach, and Diana Fox with her escort Sam Simmon. Music was provided by the "C a s i n o Royals."



The junior class also honored the seniors at the Junior-Senior Banquet, held the following night. The setting from the prom was used for decorating the gym. The senior class will, prophecy, and history were read.

The class of '68 will graduate from F. H. S. on Wednesday, May 22.

FOLLOWING THE new constitution recently put into effect, student council elections for the 1968-69 school year were recently held. The economics classes and their instructor, Mr Douglas, were in charge of the election.

Registration took place during the noon hour of April 26 and

29. All freshmen, sophomores, and juniors were required to register in order to vote.

The week of April 9 through May 3 was "Campaign Week." Candidates were split into three different parties, each group being supported by individual members of the economics classes.

Voting took place on May 7. The results of the election were: president, Allen Pohl; vice president, Don Koeningknecht; secretary, Donald U. Thelen; and treasurer, Janice Luttig.

The All-Sports Banquet will be held at Fowler High School on May 18. Tickets are available from any varsity club member.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

May 22 is the deadline for team entries in the YMCA Church Softball League. Any church-sponsored softball team in the central Michigan area is invited to join. Further information may be obtained from Norman Hicks, league secretary, at the YMCA in Lansing.

A new color and sound film telling Michigan's coho salmon story is now available for showing around the state, according to State Rep Blair G. Woodman of Owosso. Film reservations should be made with the Film Loan Section, Michigan Conservation Department, Mason Building, Lansing 48926.

A parade of more than 50 units and competitors in excess of 500 persons will feature the first annual Highland Festival and Games to be staged in Alma May 25.

Offices in the Ovid Village Hall have been improved with the addition of new paneling and brighter lighting.

The Bath Charter Township Board has transferred \$11,633 from the general fund to a building and site fund as a final payment for the township hall site purchased in 1959.

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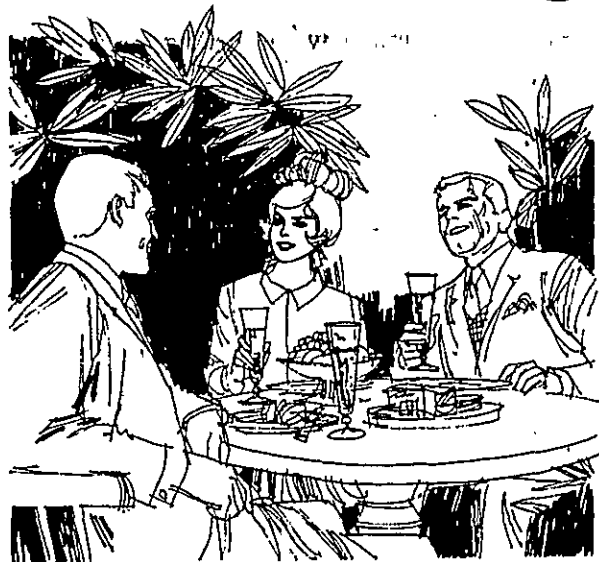
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Price District

By Mrs Harold Crowley

Stanley Drake and John Graham of Farmington and Mr and Mrs Clarence Neller were Wednesday dinner guests at the Ashley home.

Pvt. Terry Crowley recently spent a three week furlough at his home here upon completion of a teletype course in Ft. Gordon, Ga. Following his leave he returned to Fort Dix, N. J. and is now stationed in Viet Nam. Pvt. Crowley is the son of Mr and Mrs Harold Crowley.

Rev and Mrs John Huhtala were Friday supper guests of Mr and Mrs Harold Crowley and Mrs Harl Hunt.

Mr and Mrs Dow Huggert and Mrs Albert Waldelich spent a recent Sunday afternoon with Mrs Stella Waldelich in Lansing.

Shop in Clinton County.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

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Mr and Mrs J. C. Fuday had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr and Mrs Richard Beagle and family of Traverse City, Mr and Mrs Charles Byam and son of Eagle and Mr and Mrs James Fuday.

Almeda Spencer arrived home Sunday after spending six months in Florida.

Mr and Mrs Lyl Chamberlen and family were Mother's Day guests of Mr and Mrs Ben Hany of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs Wayne Dix and family of Gaylord spent the weekend with their parents, Mr and Mrs Howard Beagle.

Mr and Mrs John Morrow were called to Troy, Ohio, early Monday due to the death of John's father, George Morrow.

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Elsie

By Mrs Neva Keys

Mr and Mrs A. W. Stewart of Elsie returned home May 9, after spending four months in Tucson, Ariz., with their daughter, Erma W. Moir, a school teacher there. The highlight of their stay came April 10, Mr Stewart's birthday, when their daughter Reha Day of Lansing arrived by plane as a surprise for her father's birthday and remained for a three week stay.

They visited Roosevelt Dam over the Apache Trail which was a very colorful drive with a picnic at Tonto National Monument. A day at Old Tucson where the NBC Television western "The High Chaparral" is filmed was enjoyed.

The last week was a whirl of parties climaxed by dinner at the Elks Club followed by the fine entertainment of Ernie Menehune and his Polynesian Revue at the Spanish Trail on Saturday night. Sunday Mrs Rosemary Spaulding entertained 14 for lunch and at four o'clock the Richard Wagners gave a patio party where 25 friends gathered to bid the Stewarts good-bye until another year and to send Mrs Day home with many fond memories of her stay in Tucson.

It would not be right to neglect to mention that one of the most looked for events by the Stewarts throughout the winter was the weekly arrival of the "Clinton County News" which was read by all and reread for those little bits of news one likes to hear when away from their native community.

Alward-Plowman District

By Bernice L. Wohlert

Mrs Waunita Hartman spent a week at Harrison and Deer Lake with Mr and Mrs Bernard Randal and Mr and Mrs Ned Tidd.

Mr and Mrs Virgil Yanz and daughters were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Albert Yanz and supper guests of Mr and Mrs Duane DeYoe.

Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlert, Miss Betty Wohlert and Ken Wohlert were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Keith Wohlert and children.

Bobby, Barry, Lisa and Laura Voisinet were weekend guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Voisinet and Debbie and Paul Cowles. Sunday dinner guests of the Voisinet were Mr and Mrs J. Voisinet and Mr and Mrs Jim Bradfield and baby of Laingsburg.

Last Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Jack Wohlert, Ken and Betty were Mr and Mrs A. A. Zook from Alpena, Mr and Mrs Leon Wohlert and family from South Haven, Mr and Mrs Robert Voisinet and Miss Kathy Mertz.

Your correspondent is going on vacation for a few weeks, so please call your news and club dates to Mrs Waunita Hartman phone 689-9727.

Mrs Nellie Farrier has returned to her home after spending the winter in Florida. Mrs Wohlert visited Mrs Farrier Wednesday afternoon.

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The poet Milton, centuries before the royalty system became general in the 19th century, was paid only five pounds by his publisher for writing "Paradise Lost."

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by Dana Antes

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Mr and Mrs Lon Crowell and family of Eureka, Mr and Mrs Russell Pope and family of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs William Rando and sons of Ithaca.

The Senior Choir of Bannister United Methodist assisted Rev. Wayne Sparks in a worship service Sunday evening at the Maple Valley Nursing Home.

Price District

By Mrs Harold Crowley

May Fellowship was observed May 3 at the Price Methodist Church with the tea and dessert enjoyed by about 70 women.

The program which followed was in charge of the Episcopal and First Methodist churches. Mrs. Lloyd Campbell acted as chairman of the day. Miss Joan Ashley sang a solo accompanied by Mrs. William Ashley.

The speaker for the afternoon was Dr. Donahue from Michigan State.

The migrant collection was over \$80 which is to be used for the much needed work among the migrant workers. Anyone or group interested in making quilts from old nylon hose may write for directions from Mrs. Lorenzo Churches of R-4. They are simple to make and they could be put to good use.

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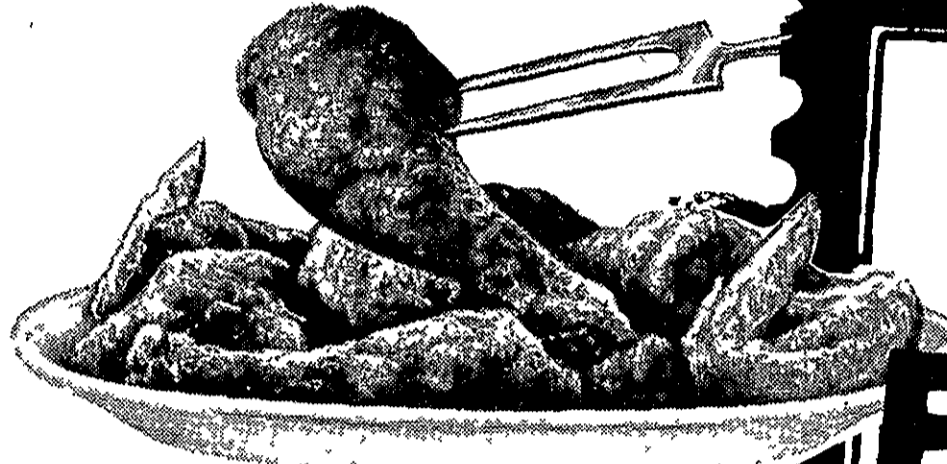
Sunday dinner guests of the Robert Valentine family were Mrs. Irene Crowell and Dale of Shepardsville, Mr and Mrs Bill Crowell and family of Lansing,

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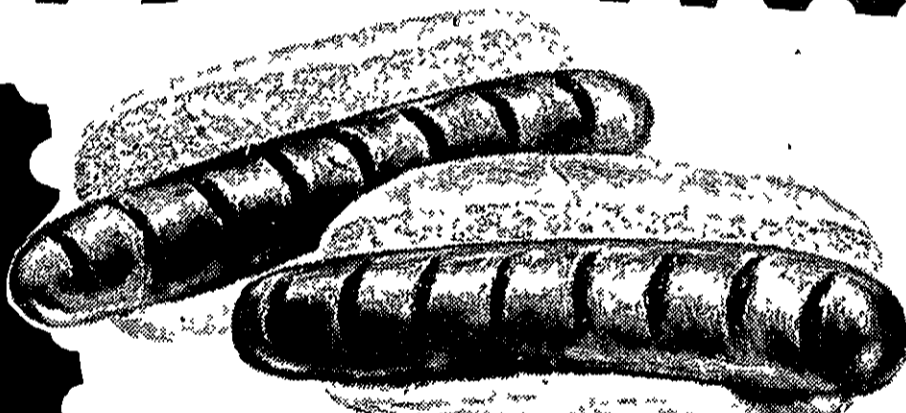


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Spartan Fabric Softener qt. 1 oz.	39c	Dove Liquid detergent pt. 6 oz.	57c	Cold Power detergent "giant" 3 lb. 1 oz.	81c
Spartan Liquid Bleach qt. 1 bl.	17c	Lux Liquid detergent pt. 6 oz.	57c	Fab detergent "giant" 3 lb. 1 oz.	81c
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West Elsie

By MRS. WAYNE MEAD, Correspondent—Phone 862-5447

Miss Mary Kiger and her fiancé, Ken Mitts of Kalamazoo, were weekend guests of her parents, the Kenneth Kigers of Sevy Road. Mary was soloist for the Thornton-Tipton wedding at the Duplain Church of Christ Saturday afternoon.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Kenneth Kiger of Sevy Road included their sister and family the Austin Todds and mother Mrs Sarah E. Post of rural Leslie, daughter Mary Kiger and fiancé Ken Mitts of Kalamazoo. This was a combined observance of Mother's Day, the birthdays of Ken Mitts and Ken Kiger which occur later this week and Mary's graduation next Tuesday evening from Bronson Methodist Hospital School of Nursing at the First United Methodist Church in Kalamazoo.

Mr and Mrs Donald Whitaker and children of Ridge Road were Mother's Day dinner guests of her mother, Mrs Nora Clark of DeWitt.

Mrs Donna Mau of Hudson, Ohio, spent Wednesday night with her sister, Mrs Paul Ladislak and family of Watson Road.

Robert Smith, formerly of this area, passed away at Owosso Memorial Hospital Sunday evening following a stroke.

Joe Kelley of Maple River Road, Alton Fizzell and George Onstott of Elsie were dinner guests of Manley Engebretson at the Village Inn Thursday.

Clare Stone of Sebring, Fla., formerly of Ovid, is ill and in the hospital at Avon Park. His address is, Welker Memorial Hospital, Avon Park, Florida. Room 140.

LOCAL LADIES EXHIBIT IN CORUNNA

Mrs Mae Goodrich, Mrs Majel Schwanbeck and Mrs Evon Gosciński, art students of Mrs Nida Dunham, exhibited oil paintings at the arts and crafts show held at McCurdy Park Casino at Corunna recently. The types of paintings exhibited were still life, seascapes and landscapes. This show was sponsored by the YWCA of Owosso. Some may not realize but these shows that are put on include Clinton County as well as Shawassee County and all are welcome to exhibit their talents at these shows.

Mrs Paul Ladislak accompanied Mr and Mrs Clarence Welsler of St. Clair to Lansing Thursday to a well-drillers convention.

Mr and Mrs Roy Fizzell of Elsie and Mrs Grace Fizzell of Lusk Road were Mother's Day dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Ronald Fizzell and son Ronnie of West Owosso.

Mr and Mrs Everett Cleveland and family of Haslett and Mr and Mrs Ron Decker and girls of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs David Peabody of Shepardsville Road.

Mrs Esther Tweedie, Mrs Phyllis Tweedie and Mrs Doris Buck of Island Road, Mrs Georgia McAninch, Mrs Grace Fizzell, Mrs Elizabeth Levey, Mrs Ruby Levey and Janice Levey of Lusk Road and Mrs Harriet Walker of Watson Road attended a bridal shower Saturday evening for Miss Joan Geiger of Lansing. It was held at the home of Mrs Norman Gelger of Owosso.

Mrs Anna Rozen and Mr and Mrs Dennis Rozen and son of Watson Road and Mr and Mrs Fred Denovich and family of St. Johns spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Richard Smith of Wayne.

Lyla Baese, Joyce Davis, Joan Ladislak and Gwen Personous were among the mothers who accompanied the third grade students of the E.E. Knight Elementary School to Abrams Plantarium and Potters Park at Lansing Wednesday, May 8.

Mr and Mrs Richard Reha and family of St. Clair Road spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs John Reha of Carland and Mr and Mrs Elsworth Fowler of Henderson.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Judd Jackson of Shepardsville Road were Mr and Mrs Richard Keyes and family and Mr and Mrs Richard Hinman of Lansing.

Mr and Mrs George Hubbard were Sunday dinner guests of their daughter, Mr and Mrs Keith Miller and family of Mead Road.

Mr and Mrs Robert Oberlin and family of Maple Rapids Road attended the Gavenda-Cook wedding at Bannister Saturday.

Mrs Emerson Dunham returned to her home on Hollister Road Sunday following major surgery at Owosso Memorial Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Keith Miller and children attended the 3 p.m. wedding of her sister, Mary Lou Witt and Roy Spess, Saturday at the Eureka Church. Mrs Miller was the matron of honor for her sister.

Mr and Mrs Burt Wassa of

Maple Rapids

By Mrs Wilbur Bancroft Phone 682-3553

Mrs Letha Smith and Miss Marie Roberts visited Rev and Mrs Henry Voss at Lawrence Wednesday.

Local members of the OES who attended the County Association of the Order of Eastern Stars were Miss Marie Roberts, Dr Norma Eleson, Mrs Hazel Wright, Mrs Margaret Berry, Mrs Shirley Craig, Mrs Anna

Hicks, Mrs Margaret Hicks, Mrs Berta Abbott, Mrs Lucille Palne and Mrs Pauline Lowe.

Mrs Ruth Cludy, Mrs Walter Baxter, Miss Marie Roberts and Mrs Verne Craig attended the County Federation of Women's Clubs at Ovid Tuesday.

Mrs Mildred Mathews, who has been visiting relatives here for the past several weeks, left with Dr Norma Eleson for several weeks in California. From California she plans to fly to Texas and arrive home the second week of June. Dr Eleson will stay in California for about a month.

Mr and Mrs Wilbur Bancroft called on Mr and Mrs Clyde Lapham of rural DeWitt Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Preston Corson were Mother's Day dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Bert Hiller of Greenbush. She with her daughters and families attended the Greenbush Church service.

Mr and Mrs Cecil McNutt were Mother's Day dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Jack Spencer of Holt.

Mrs Carl Ball was hostess to the Amica Club Tuesday evening. The members voted to have a float in the Homecoming Parade

and to sponsor a bingo game. They also voted to see the Lowell Show Boat as the Club trip for this year. A bench in the form of a rustic chair to match the picnic tables will be ordered in memory of Harriet Snyder, a former member. This will be for the playground part of the Memorial Park. The program committee held a white elephant auction following the business session. The June meeting will be with Mrs Charles Stead with Mrs Mildred Avery as co-hostess.

Mrs Marge Floate was hostess to the Dorcus Circle for the month

of May. Sandra Williams and Fran Myers reported to the circle on a workshop which they attended. Many ideas were gained and discussed. May 25 they will sponsor a bake goods and homemade candy sale at Upton's Hardware. June 23 they have planned a picnic at Bertha Brock Park for the families. Two new members were welcomed to the Circle boosting the membership to 18. After the business session the members worked on the various projects for the fall bazaar. Mrs Kathy Boughner will host the June 5 meeting.

There will be a bake sale at Upton's Hardware Saturday, May 18, for the benefit of Maple Rapids Improvement Association and a car wash for the United Methodist Youth Fellowship at the Lumbershed downtown.



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Pewamo

By Mrs Irene Fox

Mother's Day guests of Mr and Mrs Norbert Fox and family of Lansing were their mothers, Mrs Virginia Bigger of Ionia and Irene Fox of Pewamo. Other guests were Mrs Larry Hopkins and two daughters, Denise and Julia of Ionia.

Mrs Vera Cook and Mrs Joan Daniels were Mother's Day guests of Mr and Mrs Leon Thelen of rural St. Johns.

Guests of Mrs Anna Cook Mother's Day were Mr and Mrs Carl P. Smith and family, Mr and Mrs Charles Wirth and family, Mrs Fredrick Schmitz and family and Mrs Herald Cook and children.

Mr and Mrs Clare Schneider have a new granddaughter born to Mr and Mrs Larry Keefer at Carson City Hospital Wednesday, May 8. She weighed 8 pounds and 11 ounces. She has been named Lisa Ann. Lisa has four brothers. Her grandparents are Mr and Mrs Clare Schneider of Pewamo and Mrs Rose Keller of Carson and great-grandmothers are Mrs

Eva Wohlscheid, Mrs Louise Schneider, Mrs Larry Keefer is the former Deloris Schneider. Mr and Mrs Clare Schneider were Mother's Day dinner guests at the home of their son, Mr and Mrs Michael Schneider and family.

Mr and Mrs Clement Schneider had the following as guest Mother's Day: Mrs Mary Goodman and her brother Bill, Mr and Mrs Lee Roy Schneider and their mother, Mrs Louise Schneider.

A 14 year-old youth was killed while riding his bike south of

Pewamo on Mother's Day May 12. The body wasn't identified until nearly midnight. He was the son of Mrs Ed Melvin of Fowler. The body was taken to the Geller funeral home by ambulance.

The family of Mr and Mrs Clare Schneider were home for the afternoon. Also present was Mrs Louise Schneider.

The children of Mrs Clara Klein were Mother's Day guests. Mrs Mildred Fox and her daughter, Marjorie Fox of Detroit and Mrs Mary Wahl were

Mother's Day guests of their son and daughter, Mr and Mrs Tom Fox and son Michael in Florida where they have been enjoying themselves the past two weeks. They expect to be home soon. Mrs Rose Spitzley of Lansing spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs Dora Klein.

Rural Pewamo girl, Pamela M. Devers of R-1 escaped serious injury Sunday morning, May 5, when she lost control of the car she was driving on Spaulding Road. She sustained abrasions of the right arm, right ankle and knee and was taken to Ionia County

Memorial Hospital. She was treated and released.

Mrs Carl P. Smith, Mrs Frederick Schmitz, Mrs Charles Wirth and Mrs Anna Cook were visitors of Charles Wright and his sister at the M.J. Clark Memorial at Grand Rapids. The Wrights are former Pewamo residents, Mr Wright was 86 May 12.

SPOOLS SYSTEM

When a quack statesman gets into public office his first official act is to find a roost for the lame ducks.

Duplain-Rochester Colony

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

YOUTH RALLY POSTPONED Area youth rally of the Churches of Christ scheduled for Saturday, May 18, at the Easton Church of Christ has been postponed until Saturday, May 25, at

7:30 p.m. Program will be a Bible Bowl contest on the Book of Luke. Community Club annual chicken barbeque sponsored by the Colony Community Club for club members and friends will be held Sunday, May 19. Dinner will be served promptly at 1 p.m.

TEA WELL ATTENDED Mother-daughter tea Tuesday evening at the Church of Christ found 115 present to enjoy the evening of fellowship. Mrs Joe Bancroft was toastmistress; Patti and Coni Burnham gave the toast to mothers and Mrs James Burnham gave the toast to daughters. Mrs Dennis Schroeder and daughter, Renee, presented a number in song and Mrs Callista Reed showed and told of her doll collection. Mrs Justin Shepard read scripture and lead in prayer and Mrs Dale Schultzeiss gave the benediction. Mrs Jack Hawes was chairman of the event and the Pioneer class of the Bible School had charge of the program.

WCS of the Duplain Methodist Church will have a bridal shower for Miss Diane Hoff Friday evening, May 17, at 7:30 p.m. In the church basement. Miss Hoff will become the bride of F.A. Gordon C. Shipley, USN, May 31.

Duplain WCS met Wednesday evening at the church with the Shepardsville WCS as guests. Mrs Donald Temple presented the lesson of the evening on Music.

Mrs James Burnham called Wednesday on her mother, Mrs Mary Petro and Mr and Mrs Elmer Mapes in St. Louis and Mr and Mrs James Petro and family in Alma.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Rademacher spent Mother's Day with Mr and Mrs Kirk Burt of Shepardsville Road. The occasion also celebrated Mike's birthday.

Mr and Mrs Robert Harden entertained for Sunday dinner, Mr and Mrs Harry Harden, Bruce Brenda and Charles of Ithaca, Mr and Mrs Robert Wilson and Rhonda of Lansing and Mr and Mrs William Harden of rural Elsie.

Many from the area attended the wedding of Ronald Tipton and Miss Kayla Thornton on Saturday at the Church of Christ.

Mr and Mrs Nell Hall and family of Colony Road spent Sunday with her parents, Mr and Mrs Melvin Sheldon in Bridgeport.

GRADUATES F.A. Gordon C. Shipley, USN, graduated Friday from engineering firemen apprentice school at Great Lakes Naval Training Center in Chicago. Following a month's leave F.A. Shipley will report to Coronado, Calif., for further training. Attending the graduation exercises Friday were his parents, Mr and Mrs Harold Shipley and Miss Diane Hoff of rural St. Johns. Mr and Mrs Shipley and Gordon and Diane spent the balance of the weekend in Peoria, Ill., returning home Sunday evening.

Charles Harmon is a patient at Veterans Hospital in Ann Arbor at this writing.

John and Mike Burnham spent the weekend with their parents, Mr and Mrs James Burnham, returning Sunday to their studies at Michigan State University.

"Fourfold Newness" was the sermon topic at the Church of Christ Sunday morning. Men's choir presented the special number in song. At the Bible school hour, mothers were honored with Mrs Fred Oakley receiving the plant for being the youngest mother Mrs Ira Birmingham for being the oldest mother and Mrs James Burnham for being the mother present with the most children also present. Dennis Schultzeiss read the scripture lesson for the morning.

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Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

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St. Johns Area

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Gerald C. Churchill, Minister
Wed., May 15-6:45, Boy Scout Troop No. 81; 7:30, Senior Choir rehearsal.
Sat., May 18—Western Michigan Association of Congl. Churches at Waterlilet; 12:30, Youth Choir rehearsal.
Sun., May 19-9:45, Church School, Nursery through Junior High; 11:00 Morning Worship, Sermon: "Nothing But the Best." 7:00, Youth Fellowship, including eighth graders, who will be in high school next fall.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev Harold E. Homer, Minister
May 18
Rev and Mrs Homer will be in British Honduras. Rev Don War-mouth of Alma will be the speaker.
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
9:30 a.m.—Church School
10:30 a.m.—Coffee Hour
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Junior High MYF
6:30 p.m.—Senior High MYF
Tues., May 21-9:00 a.m., Mary Magdalene Church meets at the church. Mrs Kenneth Kelly and Mrs Eldon LeBlond will present the program. Hostess Mrs Berline Rees; 7:00 p.m., Commission meetings; 8:00 p.m., Official Board meets; 7:00 p.m., Boy Scouts.
Wed., May 22-9:00 a.m., Girl Scouts; 3:30 p.m., Carol Choir rehearsal; 7:00, Chancel Choir rehearsal.
Thurs., May 23-9:00 a.m., Women's prayer group meets in the lounge.

PRICE METHODIST CHURCH
John C. Huhtala, Minister
9:45 a.m.—Church School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
Men's Club meets the third Saturday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
Women's Society meets the fourth Wednesday of each month. Dinner at 12:30. Meeting at 1:30.
Youth Fellowship meets the first and third Sunday of each month at 8 p.m.
Commission on education meets the first Monday of each month at 7 p.m.
Official Board meets the first Sunday of each month following a potluck dinner at noon.
Youth Choir and Craft Club meets each Monday at 4 p.m.
Senior Choir meets each Wednesday at 7 p.m.

SHEPARDVILLE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev John C. Huhtala, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
11 a.m.—Church School
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev Roger Harrison, Pastor
512 S. Whittemore St. (South US-27)
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Arthur Remig Supt.
11 a.m.—The Morning Worship Service, Broadcast on WRBJ.
11:00 a.m.—Children's Church
7:30 p.m.—The Evening Worship Service
Nursery for babies; activity for toddlers during Sunday morning and evening worship services.
6:00 p.m.—Junior High Youth Fellowship.
6 p.m.—Senior Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Family Night (Wednesdays)
The Second Monday—Monthly Deacons Meeting
The First Tuesday—Ladies' Missionary Society
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ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev William G. Harker, Pastor
Rev Joseph Pablik
Associate Pastor
Rectory—182 Linden St.—Ph. 224-3313
Convent—110 S. Oakland St., Ph. 224-3789
Church—201 E. State St., 224-3231
Mass Schedule
Sundays—7:30, 9:00, 10:30, 12 noon and 7 p.m.
Holy Days—6:00, 8:30 and 9:30 a.m.; 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.
Weekday Masses—7:30 on non-school days, 8:15 on school days. Holy Communion at 7:15.
Weekday Evening Mass—7:30 p.m.
Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays: 9:30 to 10:00 p.m.; 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday; 7:00 p.m. after Novena on Tuesday.
First Fridays—Thursday from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m.; 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. Mass and Holy Hour on Thursday at 7:15 p.m.
Holy Communion on Friday at 8:00 and 11:15 a.m.
Masses on Friday: 7:30 and 8:15 a.m.; 7:15 p.m.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: 8:30 p.m. on Thursday thru 7:15 p.m. on Friday.
Devotions—Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena: after 7:15 p.m. Mass on Tuesday.
Religion Instruction Classes—Adult instruction and Inquiry Class: Monday at 8:00 p.m.—Prayer group students; Wednesday at 8:00 p.m.—Public Grade School children; Saturday at 10:00 a.m.—Baptisms—Each Sunday at 1:30 p.m. by appointment.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner of East Walker and Mead Sts.
Rev Hugh E. Banning, Pastor
Rectory 224-2929
1st Sunday of Month—8 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon
Other Sundays—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon
Fall Schedule
10:30 a.m.—Nursery School, kindergarten to 6th grade
11 a.m.—Church School

ST. JOHNS BAPTIST TEMPLE
400 E. State Street
Rev Floyd Mathis, Pastor
Mr Thomas Cox, Minister of Music
Sunday School at 10 a.m., with classes for all ages. Teaching from the Book of Genesis.
Morning worship at 11 a.m.
Sunday, 6 p.m., study hour, with adult group, young people's group and Jet Cadets group.
Sunday, 7 p.m., evangelistic message.
Wednesday at 7, prayer meeting and study hour.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
S. US-27 & E. Baldwin
Joseph F. Eger, Jr., Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Youth Service
7:30 p.m.—Sunday Evening
7 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth, WMC
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday evening service

CHURCH OF GOD
Rev Dean Stork, Pastor
Whittemore and Railroad on US-27
10:00 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Adult Prayer group
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting; choir practice 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
515 North Lansing Street
Rev Wesley Manker
Phone 224-7950
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service
Wednesday, 8:30 p.m.—Caravan.
7:45 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer hour.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
152-27 at Sturgis Street
Rev Herman E. Rossow
Vacancy Pastor
First Tuesday of the month, 8 p.m., Ladies' Guild.
9 a.m.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class, H.S. Bible Class at parsonage.
8 a.m.—Divine Worship, Holy Communion first Sunday of the month. Church nursery.
Third Wednesday of the month, 7:30 p.m., Lutheran Women's Missionary League.
Adult information courses held at the convention of interested parties. Phone 224-7400 for specific information. Church office hours: Tuesday through Friday, 9-12. Telephone 224-3244.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS
588 North Lansing Street
Edgar B. Miller, Pastor
Services held on Saturday
9:15 a.m.—Church Services
10:30 a.m.—Sabbath School Service

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
1993 N. Lansing St.
Thurs., 7:30 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry School, Study "Make Sure." Book pages 322 to 329, 8:30 p.m. Service meeting, "Shining as Illuminators in Among a Crooked and Twisted Generation." (Psalm 2:12)
Sun., 9:00 a.m.—Public Talk, "The Missionary Journeys and Letters of the Apostles Paul." 10:00 a.m. Watchtower Study, "What God's High Priest Will Do for the People." Taken from April 1968 issue.
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.—Congregation Book Study, Held at Schroeder residence in Ovid. Text: "Life Everlasting in the Freedom of the Sons of God." Public invited—free—no collection taken.

PILGRIM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
(Formerly EUB Church)
Eugene W. Friesen, Minister
Brian K. Sheen, Minister
Bengal
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service
10:30 a.m.—Church School
10 a.m.—Church School
10:30 a.m.—Worship Service
6:30 p.m.—Combined Junior High Youth Fellowship at parsonage at Parks and DeWitt Roads.
7:30 p.m.—Combined Senior High Youth Fellowship at parsonage at Parks and DeWitt Roads.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH
E. S. Courser, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:45 p.m.—Evening Worship
Thursday, 7:45 p.m.—Prayer service
8 p.m.—(End and 4th Thursdays)
Free Methodist youth meeting

DeWitt Area
DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH
(Inter-denominational)
Rev Sidney J. Rowland, Pastor
11 a.m.—Morning Service, Nursery available for pre-school children during the worship service.
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship (all sections).

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

EMMANUEL METHODIST CHURCH
Corner Clark and Schuyler Roads
Bertram W. Vermeulen, Pastor
9:30 a.m.—Worship Service
11 a.m.—Sunday School, adults and children.
Newcomers and old friends are always welcome

ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner US-27 and Webb Road
Rev Hugh E. Banning, Vicar
Rectory Office 224-2929
2nd and 4th Sundays—9 a.m., Holy Communion and sermon.
Other Sundays—8 a.m., morning prayer and sermon.
Church school every Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH
(Non Denominational)
Round Lake Road 1/4 mile East of US-27
Glen J. Farnham, Pastor
Sunday—10 a.m.—Sunday School, Classes for all ages
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
9:45 p.m.—Youth Fellowship, Senior, 1st and up; Jet Cadets, 10-13.
7 p.m.—Evening Service
Wednesday—7:30 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer. Supervised nursery for babies and small children in all services.
"An open door to an open book"
A Bible preaching church with a message for you...

ST. THERESE CATHOLIC CHURCH
Fr Robert T. Palmer, Pastor
Fr Eugene Sears and Fr James Murray, Assistant Pastors
Rectory: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing
Mass Schedule—Sundays: 8, 9:30, 10:30 and 12
Weekdays—6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m. (8 a.m. non-school days).
Confessions—Saturdays: 3:30 to 5, 7:30 to 9 p.m. Holy Days and First Friday—4 to 5, 8 to 9.
Perpetual Help Devotions, Saturday, 7:30 p.m.
Holy Day Masses—7, 8, 10 a.m.; 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.
First Fridays—6:30, 8:30 and 9:30 p.m. (8 a.m. non-school days).

Valley Farms Area
VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH
241 E. State Road
Rev. LaVern Eretz, Pastor
9:45-10:45 a.m.—Church School.
There is a class for everyone from the youngest to the oldest. The Bible is our textbook.
11 a.m.—12 Noon—Morning Worship.
Junior Church for children through 6th grade.
8:30 p.m.—BYF for both Juniors and Seniors
7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service
8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practices
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—10-week Prayer Service
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth, WMC
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday evening service

Fowler Area
MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Rev Fr Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor
Sunday Masses—8:30, 9:30 and 10:30 a.m.
Weekdays—During school year, 7 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.
Holy Days—8:30, 7:30 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Sorrowful Mother Novena—Friday, 7:30 p.m.
Saturdays—7:30 a.m.

Riley Township
ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Fowler, Michigan
H. E. Rossow, Pastor
9:30 a.m.—Worship
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class

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

Gunnisonville Area
GUNNISONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH
Clark and Wood Roads
Rev Marcel E. Elliott, Pastor
9 a.m.—Sunday School
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
A friendly church where all are welcome

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

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

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

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

ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL MISSION CHURCH
122 S. Maple
Rev Richard Anderson of St. John's
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service
Services every Sunday at 9 a.m.

Matherton Area
UNITED BROTHERS CHURCH
Matherton, Michigan
Rev Jessie Powell, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
8:00 p.m.—Wednesday, Midweek prayer meeting
We welcome you to the fellowship of our services. Our desire is that you may find the warmth of welcome and the assistance in your worship of Christ.
First and third Sundays Matheson Church, second and fourth at Fenwick Church

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH
2:00 p.m.—Sunday School
3:00 p.m.—Worship service

Fulton Area
FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
1/2 mile east of Perrinton on M-57, 1/2 mile south
Rev. Fred Wing, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:45 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

Wacousta Area
WACOUSTA COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH
Rev Dale Spoon, Pastor
Phone 627-2516
10 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:30 a.m.—Sunday School
6:30 p.m.—Senior and Junior Youth Fellowship
Thursday, 3 p.m.—Children's Choir
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Senior Adult Choir
Official Board meeting at 8 p.m. on 4th Monday of each month.
Methodist Men's Club Meetings—Potluck at church at 6:30 p.m. on 1st Wednesday of Sept., Dec., Feb. and April. Sunday morning breakfast on 1st Sunday morning of Oct., Nov., Jan., March and May at 8 a.m.

Bath Area
BATH METHODIST CHURCH
Rev Ronald Benson, Pastor
Telephone 461-6687
10 a.m.—Worship
11 a.m.—Church School

BATH BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev James Burdick, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

ROSE LAKE CHURCH
Reorganized L.D.S.
Edgar Jack Schott, Pastor
Corner of Union and Stoll Roads
10:00 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, evening service

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

DUPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH
Rev Gordon Showers, Minister
9 p.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth Kiger
11 a.m.—Worship service

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev Norris Beck, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Worship service
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Paul Brown, Supt.
6 p.m.—Junior and Senior BYF
7 p.m.—Evening Service
3 p.m.—Wednesday—Junior and Senior Choir practice.
7 p.m.—Wednesday—Prayer and Bible Study.

DUPLAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST
3 miles west Ovid-Elsie High School
859 E. Colony Road
Justin Shepard, Pastor
Jack Schwark, S.S. Supt.
Mrs. Earl Dunham
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Church Service
7 p.m.—Junior and Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Church Service
7:30 p.m., Thursday—Choirs practice.

Eagle Area
EAGLE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev Alfred Trippe, Pastor
14246 Michigan Avenue
Telephone 627-4533
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:10 a.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Senior High Sunday
7:00 p.m.—Junior MYF Wednesday

EAGLE FOURSQUARE CHURCH
Rev. and Mrs Royal Burnett, Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Prayer meeting

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

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Ovid, Michigan
Rev William Tate
Corney and Elsie Road
George Rogers, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning worship hour
6 p.m.—Youth training hour
7 p.m.—Evening gospel hour
Wednesday, 4 p.m.—Youth choir practice
Wednesday, 7 p.m.—Bible study and prayer service

CHURCH OF GOD
Ovid, Michigan
Rev L. Sanders, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Official Board meets
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Bible Study;
8:45 p.m.—Choir practice

THE UNITED CHURCH
Ovid, Michigan
Gordon E. Spalenka, Minister
Mrs C. E. Tremblay, Church School Superintendent
Sunday
9:30 a.m.—Church School at the Front St. Building.
10 a.m.—Adult Bible Class at the church office.
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
5 p.m.—Junior High Youth Fellowship
8 p.m.—Senior High Youth Fellowship
Each Wednesday—Immediately after school, Children's Choir immediately after school, Junior Choir.
7:30 p.m.—Chancel Choir
Second Tuesday each month—Official Board
Second Wednesday each month—Women's Fellowship
Third Monday each month—United Men's Club

OVID FREE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Richard Glasson, Pastor
Telephone 634-2173
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.
Chapel services—11:00 a.m.
Evening services—7:30 p.m.
Prayer meeting—Wed. at 7:30 p.m.

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH
Ovid, Michigan
Rev Charles Thomas J. Bolger, M.A., Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Sunday Mass
7 p.m.—Evening Mass on Thursdays. Confessions following evening Mass.

Pewamo Area
ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Pewamo, Michigan
Rev Msgr Thomas J. Bolger, M.A., Pastor
Sunday Masses—8 a.m., 8 a.m. and 10
Daily Mass—7:30 a.m.
Holy Baptism—Sunday, 1 p.m.
Sacred Confession—Saturday, 3:30 and 7:30 p.m.
Family Holy Hour for Peace—Saturday, 7:15 p.m.

Victor Township
GROVE BIBLE CHURCH
Rev. Robert Frange, Pastor
Price and Grandville roads
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school. Classes for all ages
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Young People
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting
Ladies Missionary circle meets 4th Thursday
Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in month

Wacousta Area
ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Rev Walter L. Spillane
Assistant Pastor
Sunday Masses—8, 9 and 10 a.m.
Weekdays—During school year 7:00, 7:45 and 11:15 a.m.
Saturdays—8:30 a.m. and 7:30 a.m.
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Evening Mass—Friday, 8:00 p.m.

Westphalia Area
ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Rev Fr C. D. Smolinski, Pastor
Rev Walter L. Spillane
Assistant Pastor
Sunday Masses—8, 9 and 10 a.m.
Weekdays—During school year 7:00, 7:45 and 11:15 a.m.
Saturdays—8:30 a.m. and 7:30 a.m.
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Evening Mass—Friday, 8:00 p.m.

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Holy Days—5:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Evening Mass—Friday, 8:00 p.m.

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

Bath Area
BATH METHODIST CHURCH
Rev Ronald Benson, Pastor
Telephone 461-6687
10 a.m.—Worship
11 a.m.—Church School

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11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Paul Brown, Supt.
6 p.m.—Junior and Senior BYF
7 p.m.—Evening Service
3 p.m.—Wednesday—Junior and Senior Choir practice.
7 p.m.—Wednesday—Prayer and Bible Study.

ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev Fr C. D. Smolinski, Pastor
Rectory: Bannister, Phone 622-5270
Sunday Masses—8-10 a.m.
Daily Mass—7:30 a.m., First Fridays 8 p.m.
Holy Days, Mass—7 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Confessions—4 to 5 and 7:30 to 9 every Saturday except First Fridays before Mass.

ELSIE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
115 E. Main St.
Roy F. LaDuke, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7 p.m.—Evening Service
7 p.m.—Wednesday Bible Study



THE CHURCH FOR ALL... ALL FOR THE CHURCH...

The Church is the greatest factor on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a storehouse of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

He's always there on that busy corner—like thousands of other paper boys across the land. And he doesn't get discouraged though you ignore him day after day. Give him so much as a glance and you'll hear his hopeful, "PAPER... MISTER!"

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Here again is the certainty of something *EVERYBODY* needs!

What they have has come to be called the *Gospel*... an ancient word that means "Good News." A few Sundays in church and you'll understand why!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Exodus 23:22-33	Psalms 73:21-28	Matthew 6:5-15	John 12:20-26	Ephesians 4:25-32	Philippians 2:19-30	Hebrews 4:11-16

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DR FRIESEN TO LEAD TEAM TO BRITISH HONDURAS

Dr Eugene Friesen (far right), pastor of the Pilgrim United Methodist Churches of St. Johns, will lead a team of seven mental health specialists to the British Honduras May 18 for a unique project sponsored by the Michigan Partners of the Alliance and Veterans Administration Hospital in Battle Creek. Dr Friesen was instrumental in getting the VA Hospital to "adapt" a mental hospital in Belize (capital of B.H.) for the purpose of supplying technical assistance and surplus equipment. Other members of his team are (standing) Roy Sampsal, Warren Conrad and Raymond Kreick and (seated) Dr John Jordan of Michigan State University, Mrs Mary Heaney and Dr Donna Powell.

Nazarene parsonage in planning

As a result of a more than 92 per cent majority vote of the membership of the St. Johns Church of the Nazarene, a new parsonage will be constructed at the site of 609 N. Lansing Street adjoining the present church facilities.

Members of the building committee will be Luther Cleland, William Searles, and Rex Phillips. The pastor, the Rev Wesley Manker, states that plans are to erect a four-bedroom home and adds that it is anticipated that the family will be able to move into the new parsonage within two to three months. A mobile home is being provided during the interim, for temporary facilities.

Rev Mr Manker is the new pastor of the local congregation, succeeding the Rev Eldon Raymond, now located in Alpena, in northern Michigan.

Stone of Scone

The Stone of Scone was brought from Scotland by Edward I and placed in the British coronation chair, which he made to hold it. This chair still holds the stone in Westminster Abbey.

South Watertown

By Mrs Bruce Hodges

Mother's Day guests of Mr and Mrs John Cook were Mr and Mrs Roger Clark and Mr and Mrs James Pulver and family of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Howard Caffee and family of Eagle, Miss Eva Belle Caffee of Talledago, Ala. and Mr and Mrs Russell Tanner.

Mr and Mrs Harold Patrick and son were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Roy Patrick of Ionia.

Mrs Millie Kline was a guest at the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity Mother's Day dinner at Albion College Sunday.

Mrs Charles Doherr of Howell spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Lewis Lonier.

David Hodges is undergoing treatment at Lansing General Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Bradley Bogle of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Gerald Phillips and family of Elmwood Road were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Bruce Hodges.

Mrs John Cook entertained the Rebecca Past Noble Grand Club of Grand Ledge at supper Wednesday evening.

Mrs Millie Kline attended an open house Friday evening honoring Don Hartwick of Lansing on his graduation from the University of Michigan.

Mr and Mrs Charles Lonier were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Urban Hengesbach of Portland.

The Hobby Circle met at Wood-

haven Center Tuesday evening for a potluck supper and election of officers. Those chosen were president, Mrs David Hodges; vice president, Mrs Ralph Wilson; secretary-treasurer, Mrs Joe Zalewski; project chairman, Mrs Richard Stevens and Mrs Ralph Wilkinson. Mrs Victor Misner of Wacousta showed pictures of her recent trip to South America.

Mr and Mrs Irving Hansen of Lansing were Monday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Bruce Hodges.

Mrs Floyd Ackerson entertained the Blue Star Service Club at breakfast Wednesday.

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THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Bath cemetery hours have been changed to from sunrise to sunset instead of 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The City of DeWitt Council is preparing an ordinance with stiff penalties on burning aimed at reducing the number of grass fires.

Hugh Wallace of Sealed Power Corp. at St. Johns has been elected an officer in the Lansing Industrial Executives Club for the ensuing year.

The Ingham County Board of Supervisors has rejected a resolution, similar to one passed by the Clinton County board April 16, which would have endorsed tri-county control over Capital City Airport.

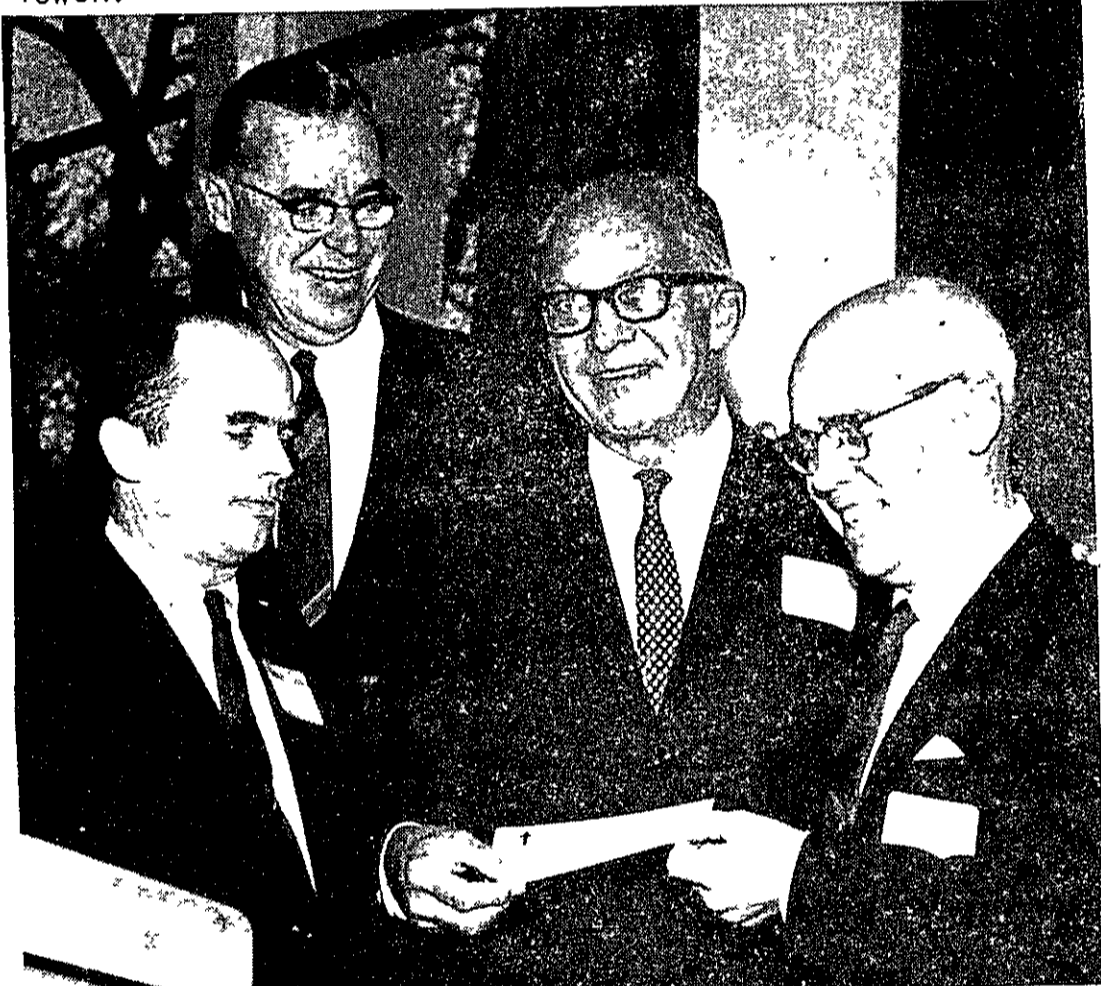
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FIRST METHODIST PRESENTS CHECK FOR \$5,500

The Rev Harold Homer, pastor of First Methodist Church in St. Johns, presents a check for \$5,500 to the Michigan Partners of the Alliance for Progress in a ceremony last week at MSU. Accepting the check for the Partners is Sen. Gilbert Bursley (R-Ann Arbor) who represented Governor Romney. With them are Dr. John Jordan (left) of Michigan State University, and Warren Huff, executive director of the National Association of Partners of The Alliance. The funds will be used to construct a new building for Wesley School in Belize, capital of British Honduras.

6 selected for citizenship course

Six Clinton County 4-H members have been selected to attend the National 4-H Citizenship Short Course July 28 - Aug 3 at Washington, D. C.

The delegates are Judy Whitlock, Kathy Schaefer, Teri McQueen and Dana Sue Hazle from St. Johns, Lois Miller of Fowler and Larry Borton of Lansing. Selection was based on an interview, leadership ability and total contribution to their local 4-H club and county 4-H activities. The 4-H Citizenship Short

Course is a week of learning, hard work and fun. The program is designed to supplement the citizenship education and leadership development training young people receive through their home, 4-H club, school, church and other organizations. Short course participants learn through lectures, discussion, field trips and group living. The historic shrines and branches of our government in the national capital allow for varied field trips to add to this citizenship experience.

The Clinton County 4-H delegates will join 34 delegates and chaperones from Gratiot, Shiawassee, Isabella, Clare, Gladwin, Midland and Ionia counties. The group will leave on Saturday, July 27, via a chartered bus and will be staying at the University of Maryland campus. Larry Nicholas, elementary principal at E. E. Knight School in Elsie, will be the adult leader in charge of this delegation.

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Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News



New Suits Started

Ernest Carter
County Clerk
Donna Terrell and Allan Terrell vs. Roy D. Richards and James L. Richards.

Marriage Licenses

Sherley G. Palmer, 34, of Hubbardston and Betty L. Mead, 30, of Hubbardston.
Donald Taphouse, 28, of Owasco and Joyce M. Stinson, 30, of 530 Vauconsant Street, St. Johns.
Richard A. Weber, 19, of 336 E. Main Street, Maple Rapids and Jeanine K. Proctor, 19, of Carson City.

City Building Permits

March 20: Herbert Houghten, 709 S. Baker, dwelling.
March 20: Herbert Houghten, 431 Meadowview, addition to dwelling.
March 20: Douglas V. Mills, 1003 S. Lansing, addition to dwelling.
March 20: George Mesh, 712 W. Park, dwelling.
March 8: Andrew M. Kuhnmeuch, 1007 E. Walker, dwelling.
March 28: Phillip Howe, 608 W. Baldwin, new porch.
April 5: Edward Sleight, 404 W. Gibbs, garage.
May 3: St. Clair Pardee, 400 E. Buchanan, dwelling.
May 3: Briggs Company, 700 E. Mead, dwelling.
May 3: John A. and Marie Hayes, 904 S. Lansing, dwelling and garage.
May 3: Cyril E. Smith, 404 S. Baker, dwelling and garage.
May 3: Rademacher Constr., 1207 S. Oakland, remodel interior.
May 3: Ralph Lynam, 207 E. State, enclose front porch.
May 3: Richard Phelps, 1008 Wight, dwelling.
May 3: Roderie D. Brush, 106 N. Kibbee, addition.
May 3: Richard Argersinger, 302 W. Gibbs, remodel.
May 3: Joseph Rademacher, 1008 St. Lansing, addition.
May 3: Bryce Fowler, 1003 S. Swegles, dwelling.

Probate Court

HON. TIMOTHY M. GREEN
Judge of Probate
HELENA M. BURK
Register of Probate
Wednesday, May 22, 1968
Etia Mae Smith, Claims,
County Building Permits
May 8: Herbert Gibbs Jr., Center Road, Bath twp., garage.
May 8: Victor Higgins, Walker Road, Ovid twp., dwelling and garage.
May 7: Dale McClintic, corner Welling and Hyde roads, Greenbush twp., addition to dwelling.
May 7: Gerald Shooltz, Clark Road, DeWitt twp., garage.
May 6: Stanley Schrader, 616 Lakeview, DeWitt twp., addition to dwelling and new roof.
May 6: Stanley Searles, Walker Road, Bingham twp., dwelling.
May 3: Westphalia Builder's and Supply Company, Jason Road, Westphalia twp., dwelling and garage.
May 2: Roger Nickols, Pratt Road, Victor twp., dwelling and garage.
May 2: Victor Volz, Cutler Road, Olive twp., garage.
May 2: Hilary Schmitt, corner M-21 and Bauer Road, Bengal twp., addition to dwelling.
May 2: Peter W. Schrauben, DeWitt Road, Greenbush twp., addition to dwelling.
May 2: Flostiz and Rockwood, Wood Road, DeWitt twp., dwelling and garage.
May 2: Charles White, 6498 Coleman Road, Bath twp., garage.
May 2: Edward Scott, Elmira

Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)
Harold N. and Paulene Pennington to Charles and Jean Trieweller, property in Dallas twp.
Clinton National Bank and Trust Co. to Ernie J. and Loelee I. Wicke, property in the Village of Elsie.
LeRoy and Pauline Maurer to James L. and Joyce Maurer, property in the Village of Ovid.
Lyle A. and Edith Benjamin to Edward B. and Loraita Abraham, property in DeWitt twp.
John L. and Dorothy F. Smith to Melvern and Elizabeth Pearson, property in the City of DeWitt.
Edwin A. and Agnes Milks to Frederick P. and Dolores Covert, property in Eagle twp.
Ernest and Erma Jackson to Slr Jr. and Sandra K. Meadows,

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property in Ovid twp.
James E. Wicks to James E. and Iona Wicks, property in DeWitt twp.
Iona M. Wicks to James E. and Iona Wicks, property in DeWitt twp.
Martha E. Parks to Roy R. and Ruth Wenner, property in Greenbush twp.
Robert L. and Elsie Stewart to Glen S. and Ruth Nostrand, property in the City of St. Johns.
Claude and Theresa Wilkinson to Clifford L. and Harriet Squier, property in the Village of Ovid.
Leo J. and Anna Campeau to Raymond C. and Donna Jacobs, property in Bath twp.
Raymond C. and Donna Jacobs to Roy F. and Carol E. Dudley, property in Bath twp.
Capitol City Realty Co. to Eugene and Ruth McGarey, property in DeWitt twp.
Karl H. and Patricia Zander to Starland Investment Co., property in Watertown twp.
Robert A. and Carla Young to Roy F. Briggs, property in Olive twp.
David D. and Sandra Wilcox to Keusch Bros., property in DeWitt twp.
Thomas D. and Lucille Clayton to Eugene S. and Catherine Merglewski, property in Bath twp.
Michael C. and Neva Wesner to Darrel E. and Emma Jones, property in the City of St. Johns.
Joseph and Isabel Donahue to Gordon D. and Carolyn Brown, property in DeWitt twp.
Donald R. and Marlene Ducharm to Ronald J. and Gloria Jacobs, property in DeWitt twp.
Ralph E. and Mary Ann Green to Charlene R. Cordray, property in the City of St. Johns.
Ray R. and Margaret Kimball to Thomas J. and Helen Nonqueskwa, property in DeWitt twp.
St. Mary's Church of Westphalia to Town and County Food Center, property in the Village of Westphalia.
Alexander A. and Carmen Bertram to Mary Elizabeth Ross, property in the Village of Fowler.
John A. and Nellie Thomas to Dominick A. and Frances Verderse, property in Bath twp.
Nell and Margorie Blizard to Herbert E. and Dorothy Houghten, property in the City of St. Johns.

Driving Licenses Revoked in County

(As reported by Secretary of State)
Kenneth E. Barnhart of 306 S. Lansing Street, St. Johns, for driving under the influence of liquor, financial responsibility in effect; James Walter Baxter of 538 Maple Street, Maple Rapids, for driving under the influence of liquor, financial responsibility in effect; Charles Lynwood Lynch of 2101 W. Townsend Road, St. Johns, for unsatisfactory driving record, revoked; and James A. Windram of 214 E. Main, DeWitt, for driving under the influence of liquor, financial responsibility in effect.
To say the least is not some people's way of doing it.
★ LEGAL NOTICES
Will Danley—June 13 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of JACK G. DANLEY, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Thursday, June 13, 1968, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Agnes H. Danley for appointment of an executor to the estate of a purported will, for granting of administration to the executor named, or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: May 6, 1968.
Walker & Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 3-3
MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by EDITH M. BOWLING of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, Mortgagee, to COMPAC CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, Inc., a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 20th day of April, A.D. 1965, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan,
and Whereas the Drainage District of the proposed improved and extended Maple River Inter-County Drain includes lands within the Townships of Newark, Fulton, North Star, Washington, Hamilton and Elba, County of Gratiot, Townships of East Greenbush, Bingham, Duplain, Ovid and Victor, County of Clinton; Townships of Fairfield, Middlebury, Sloats, Rush, Owasco, Bennington, California and Shiawassee, County of Shiawassee,
and Whereas a certified copy of said petition was served upon Dale Chapman, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Clinton and Frank Baker, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Shiawassee and the Director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture by Thomas Moore, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Gratiot,
Now, Therefore, in accordance with Act No. 40, P.A. 1956, as amended, a meeting of the Drainage Board of said drain will be held at the Extension Hall, 112 East McArthur Street in the City of Cornua, County of Shiawassee, on the 23rd day of May, 1968, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to determine the practicalities of said proposed improvements and extension of the Maple River Inter-County Drain.
Now, Therefore, all persons owning lands liable to an assessment for benefits or whose lands will be crossed by said drain, or any municipality affected are requested to be present at said meeting, if they so desire.
Lansing, Michigan, this 3rd day of May, 1968.
D. DALE BALL, Director of Agriculture
By STANLEY R. QUACKENBUSH, Drain Director of Charge of Drains (Inter-County) 2-2
Claims Rivers—July 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of RUSSELL T. RIVEST, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 17, 1968, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Mildred J. Whitaker 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 a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 23, 1968.
Jack L. Barney
Attorney for Estate
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
Pontiac, Michigan 1-3
Sale West—June 13 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of PEARL E. WEST, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Thursday, June 13, 1968, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of W. S. Lusk for license to sell real estate, and that all persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing in order that their claims may be heard and such license should not be granted.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 23, 1968.
Walker & Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 1-3
Claims Schools—July 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of ALONZO SCHOOLS, Deceased
It is Ordered that on July 17, 1968, 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 Dorothy Lusk, Administrator for the Estate.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 23, 1968.
Harold B. Reed
Attorney for Said Estate
305 East State Street
St. Johns, Michigan
nw a against
Heirs Schneider—June 13 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of STANLEY ANDREW SCHNEIDER,
It is Ordered that on Thursday, June 13, 1968, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Melvin H. Schneider, for appointment of an administrator and for a determination of heirs.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 23, 1968.
Robert H. Wood, Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker
St. Johns, Michigan 1-3
ORDER TO ANSWER
STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.
VICTOR J. CAREY, Plaintiff
EMILY CAREY, Defendant
On the 21st day of March, 1968, an action was filed by Victor J. Carey, Plaintiff, against Emily Carey, Defendant, in this Court to secure a divorce.
It is hereby Ordered that the Defendant, Emily Carey, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 21st day of May, 1968 at 10 o'clock A.M. Failure to comply with this Court will result in a judgment by default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.
LEO W. CORRIK, Circuit Judge
Date of Order: April 23, 1968.
Walker & Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Business Address:
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 48870 1-4
Final Account Smith—June 19 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of M. BLANCHIE SMITH a/k/a BLANCHIE M. SMITH,
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 19, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Darwin W. Smith, executor, for allowance of his final account.
Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 24, 1968.
Ward W. Kelley, Attorney for Darwin W. Smith, Executor of Said Estate
305 Hollister Building
Lansing, Michigan 48933 1-3
Annual Account Speer—June 13 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of ANNIE SPEER, M.I.
It is Ordered that on Thursday, June 13, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Little Myers, guardian, for the allowance of her annual account.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: May 3, 1968.
Alvin A. Noller
By James R. Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 2-3
Will Whitaker—June 12 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of ELWIN E. WHITAKER, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 12, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Mildred J. Whitaker 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 a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: May 3, 1968.
Walker & Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 2-3
MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by WILLIAM A. ECKLER, his wife, of the Township of DeWitt, County of Clinton, and State of Michigan, mortgagee, to THE NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a Wisconsin Corporation, mortgagee, dated the 31st day of August, 1955, in Liber 2 of the County of Clinton, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan, on the 24th day of September, 1955 in Liber 24 of Mortgages, Clinton County Register of Deeds Records at Page 218 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest and other charges the sum of Fourteen Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty and 16/100 (\$14,880.16) Dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt 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 of the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder on Monday, the 22nd day of July, 1968, at 11 o'clock in the afternoon, Local Time, at the Court House, St. Johns, Michigan (that being the building in which the Court for the County of Clinton is held) cause to be sold at public auction to the highest bidder

the premises described in said mortgage and hereinafter described or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so assessed, due on and secured by said mortgage, and any additional amount due thereon and secured thereby on the time of sale said, including interest at the rate of Seven (7%) Per Cent per annum, the attorney's fees as provided by law and all lawful costs. The said premises so to be sold are described as follows, to wit, lands, premises and property, situated in the Township of DeWitt, County of Clinton State of Michigan, described as follows to wit:
Lot No. 12 Delvin Hills Subdivision, a part of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 23, T3N, R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded June 4, 1959 in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 20, said Clinton County Records.
(Said premises may be redeemed during the six months immediately following the sale.)
THE NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Mortgagee
Dated: April 25, 1968
Bodman, Longley, Bogie, Armstrong and Dahling, Attorneys for Mortgagee
1400 Buhl Building
Detroit, Michigan 48226 53-13
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE
DEFAULT having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Stanley Charles Wright and Judith Wright, husband and wife, of the Township of Ovid, County of Clinton and State of Michigan, mortgagees, given by the Township of Ovid, County of Clinton and State of Michigan, mortgagee, to the Veterans Affairs, whose principal office and post office address is: The Veterans Affairs Administration, Building C, dated January 19, 1965 and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof as recorded February 28, 1964 in Liber 2 of Plats on page 43, said Clinton County Records.
The redemption period as determined under Section 27 A, 2340 of Michigan Statutes, is twelve (12) months from the time of such sale.
NATIONAL HOMES ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION, Mortgagee
Dated: March 28, 1968
Fraser, Trubick, Davis & Foster
Attorneys for Mortgagee
Michigan National Tower
Lansing, Michigan 48103 49-13
MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage on single residence property not exceeding 3 acres in size made by CLAUDE E. BUTLER and KAYE BUTLER, his wife, Mortgagees, to Citizens Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated April 21, 1965, in Liber 2 of Mortgages, Clinton County Register of Deeds, and assigned by said Mortgagee to MANU-FACURERS NATIONAL BANK OF DETROIT, a National Banking Association, by an assignment dated May 10, 1965, and recorded on May 20, 1965, in Liber 2 of Mortgages, on Page 238, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at this date the sum of THIRTEEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR and 13/100 (\$13,924.13) DOLLARS, including interest at 6 1/2% per annum which is more than 66 2/3% of the original indebtedness secured by said mortgage.
Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, it is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or so much thereof, at public vendue, at the main entrance to the County Building, in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on Friday, the 14th day of JUNE, 1968, with a redemption period of six months.
Said premises are situated in the Township of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as:
Lot No. 150, Clinton Village No. 2, a Subdivision of part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 27, Town 5 North, Range 2 West, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof as recorded February 10, 1956, in Liber 2 of Plats, on Page 53, said Clinton County Records.
Dated: March 5, 1968.
MANUFACTURERS NATIONAL BANK OF DETROIT, a National Banking Association, Assignee of Mortgagee.
Mr. Marion H. Cravner
Monaghan, McCrone, Campbell & Cravner, Attorneys
1722 Buhl Bldg., Detroit, Mich. 48225
1-313-961-9473 47-13

By Les Carroll



and Shiawassee, County of Shiawassee,
and Whereas a certified copy of said petition was served upon Dale Chapman, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Clinton and Frank Baker, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Shiawassee and the Director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture by Thomas Moore, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Gratiot,
Now, Therefore, in accordance with Act No. 40, P.A. 1956, as amended, a meeting of the Drainage Board of said drain will be held at the Extension Hall, 112 East McArthur Street in the City of Cornua, County of Shiawassee, on the 23rd day of May, 1968, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to determine the practicalities of said proposed improvements and extension of the Maple River Inter-County Drain.
Now, Therefore, all persons owning lands liable to an assessment for benefits or whose lands will be crossed by said drain, or any municipality affected are requested to be present at said meeting, if they so desire.
Lansing, Michigan, this 3rd day of May, 1968.
D. DALE BALL, Director of Agriculture
By STANLEY R. QUACKENBUSH, Drain Director of Charge of Drains (Inter-County) 2-2
Claims Rivers—July 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of RUSSELL T. RIVEST, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 17, 1968, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Mildred J. Whitaker 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 a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 23, 1968.
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Clinton National Bank Bldg.
Pontiac, Michigan 1-3
Sale West—June 13 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of PEARL E. WEST, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Thursday, June 13, 1968, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of W. S. Lusk for license to sell real estate, and that all persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing in order that their claims may be heard and such license should not be granted.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 23, 1968.
Walker & Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 1-3
Claims Schools—July 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of ALONZO SCHOOLS, Deceased
It is Ordered that on July 17, 1968, 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 Dorothy Lusk, Administrator for the Estate.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 23, 1968.
Harold B. Reed
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305 East State Street
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Heirs Schneider—June 13 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of STANLEY ANDREW SCHNEIDER,
It is Ordered that on Thursday, June 13, 1968, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Melvin H. Schneider, for appointment of an administrator and for a determination of heirs.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 23, 1968.
Robert H. Wood, Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker
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ORDER TO ANSWER
STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.
VICTOR J. CAREY, Plaintiff
EMILY CAREY, Defendant
On the 21st day of March, 1968, an action was filed by Victor J. Carey, Plaintiff, against Emily Carey, Defendant, in this Court to secure a divorce.
It is hereby Ordered that the Defendant, Emily Carey, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 21st day of May, 1968 at 10 o'clock A.M. Failure to comply with this Court will result in a judgment by default against such defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.
LEO W. CORRIK, Circuit Judge
Date of Order: April 23, 1968.
Walker & Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Business Address:
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 48870 1-4
Final Account Smith—June 19 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of M. BLANCHIE SMITH a/k/a BLANCHIE M. SMITH,
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 19, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Darwin W. Smith, executor, for allowance of his final account.
Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: April 24, 1968.
Ward W. Kelley, Attorney for Darwin W. Smith, Executor of Said Estate
305 Hollister Building
Lansing, Michigan 48933 1-3
Annual Account Speer—June 13 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of ANNIE SPEER, M.I.
It is Ordered that on Thursday, June 13, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Little Myers, guardian, for the allowance of her annual account.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: May 3, 1968.
Alvin A. Noller
By James R. Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
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Will Whitaker—June 12 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of ELWIN E. WHITAKER, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, June 12, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Mildred J. Whitaker 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 a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate.
Dated: May 3, 1968.
Walker & Moore
Attorney for Plaintiff
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 2-3
MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by WILLIAM A. ECKLER, his wife, of the Township of DeWitt, County of Clinton, and State of Michigan, mortgagee, to THE NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a Wisconsin Corporation, mortgagee, dated the 31st day of August, 1955, in Liber 2 of the County of Clinton, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan, on the 24th day of September, 1955 in Liber 24 of Mortgages, Clinton County Register of Deeds Records at Page 218 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest and other charges the sum of Fourteen Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty and 16/100 (\$14,880.16) Dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt 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 of the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder

the premises described in said mortgage and hereinafter described or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so assessed, due on and secured by said mortgage, and any additional amount due thereon and secured thereby on the time of sale said, including interest at the rate of Seven (7%) Per Cent per annum, the attorney's fees as provided by law and all lawful costs. The said premises so to be sold are described as follows, to wit, lands, premises and property, situated in the Township of DeWitt, County of Clinton State of Michigan, described as follows to wit:
Lot No. 12 Delvin Hills Subdivision, a part of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 23, T3N, R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded June 4, 1959 in Liber 3 of Plats, Page 20, said Clinton County Records.
(Said premises may be redeemed during the six months immediately following the sale.)
THE NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Mortgagee
Dated: April 25, 1968
Bodman, Longley, Bogie, Armstrong and Dahling, Attorneys for Mortgagee
1400 Buhl Building
Detroit, Michigan 48226 53-13
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE
DEFAULT having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Stanley Charles Wright and Judith Wright, husband and wife, of the Township of Ovid, County of Clinton and State of Michigan, mortgagees, given by the Township of Ovid, County of Clinton and State of Michigan, mortgagee, to the Veterans Affairs, whose principal office and post office address is: The Veterans Affairs Administration, Building C, dated January 19, 1965 and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof as recorded February 28, 1964 in Liber 2 of Plats on page 43, said Clinton County Records.
The redemption period as determined under Section 27 A, 2340 of Michigan Statutes, is twelve (12) months from the time of such sale.
NATIONAL HOMES ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION, Mortgagee
Dated: March 28, 1968
Fraser, Trubick, Davis & Foster
Attorneys for Mortgagee
Michigan National Tower
Lansing, Michigan 48103 49-13
MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the conditions of a mortgage on single residence property not exceeding 3 acres in size made by CLAUDE E. BUTLER and KAYE BUTLER, his wife, Mortgagees, to Citizens Mortgage Corporation, a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated April 21, 1965, in Liber 2 of Mortgages, Clinton County Register of Deeds, and assigned by said Mortgagee to MANU-FACURERS NATIONAL BANK OF DETROIT, a National Banking Association, by an assignment dated May 10, 1965, and recorded on May 20, 1965, in Liber 2 of Mortgages, on Page 238, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at this date the sum of THIRTEEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR and 13/100 (\$13,924.13) DOLLARS, including interest at 6 1/2% per annum which is more than 66 2/3% of the original indebtedness secured by said mortgage.
Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, it is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or so much thereof, at public vendue, at the main entrance to the County Building, in the City of St. Johns, Michigan, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on Friday, the 14th day of JUNE, 1968, with a redemption period of six months.
Said premises are situated in the Township of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as:
Lot No. 150, Clinton Village No. 2, a Subdivision of part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 27, Town 5 North, Range 2 West, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof as recorded February 10, 1956, in Liber 2 of Plats, on Page 53, said Clinton County Records.
Dated: March 5, 1968.
MANUFACTURERS NATIONAL BANK OF DETROIT, a National Banking Association, Assignee of Mortgagee.
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4-H Club Chatter

By JOHN AYLSWORTH
Extension 4-H Youth Agent

Ninety-six 4-H club officers attended the county officers training workshop Thursday evening at St. Johns High School. These officers represented 24 of the summer 4-H clubs. Adult resource leaders assisted each of the different officers on their obligation and responsibility of that office to their local club. For many of the members this was their first experience in holding a club office.

Thirty-one members and adults participated in the Detroit 4-H award trip Saturday where they visited Greenfield Village, ate lunch at the "Top of the Flame" restaurant and attended the Cinerama showing of "2001 - A Space Odyssey." For some of the members it was their first experience in visiting Detroit, for others a first experience in eating at a top-notch restaurant and visiting Greenfield Village.

Friday afternoon eight teen

leaders will be attending Camp Kett for the camp counselors training workshop for May 17 and 18. They will participate in training sessions on recreation, inspiration, craft, nature activities and song leading. These camp counselors will assist with the county camp training to be held June 24-28 at Barry County 4-H Camp near Hastings.

The 4-H Council will meet Thursday evening, May 16, at the home of Mrs. Karl Schaefer on Forest Hill Road. The council will take a look at the final 4-H enrollment for the county, the summer activities and jobs to be done before the county fair in August.

The Kountry Cousins 4-H Klub members will be holding a hayride and wiener roast on May 24. The club plans to sell fire extinguishers and ironing board covers for fund-raising activities. Demonstrations will be

given by Dennis Ballinger, Ed Falvor, Patty Mygrants, Jane Smith and Frank Falvor at their June 3 meeting. According to Jane Smith, a new kind of recreation called group singing went very well for the first time.

The 4-H Wonders' 4-H Club members have elected Glenn Pung as their club president. Other officers include: Barry Knickerbocker as vice-president; Alan Henning as secretary; Kenneth Andrews as treasurer; Gloria Bond as newsreporter; Diane Schomisch as song leader; and Janice Woodhams and Debbie Fedewa as recreation leaders. The members filled out their progress papers and discussed a party for the winter club members.

The Willing Workers 4-H members participated in "Operation-Cleanup" in cleaning up the community roadsides of litter. The officers attended the training conference last Thursday at St. Johns. The members have already started with their project meetings. Susan Morehouse, Earlene Flegler and Phyllis Flak attended the Detroit 4-H Award trip last Saturday.

The Elsie 4-Corners 4-H Club members held their achievement meeting with 39 members and 32 guests attending. Vocal enter-

tainment was presented by Thelma Dunham and Caroline Oberlin, magic acts by Larry and Garry Bernath and group singing led by Mary Temple. Members met with their project leaders to set up their summer schedules. Parents and guests were able to see many of the winter members project accomplishments.

The Glackmore Riders 4-H Club members have elected the following officers for the summer program: president, Renee Drouin; vice-president, and newsreporter, Marlene Gorman; secretary, Kris Mysak; and treasurer, Shari Grove. The next meeting will be a riding clinic.

The Saddlemates 4-H Club members discussed their participation in the county 4-H Saddle Horse Show on June 30 at St. Johns and the Pony Pull Benefit on May 19 at St. Johns. Annette Pederson told the members about the Arabian clinic which some of the members attended on April 27 at MSU. The officers attended the 4-H officers training conference on May 9.

Mary Ashley is the new president elect of the Jolly Green Giants 4-H club. Other officers elected include: Ruth Ashley as vice president; Renee Bashore as secretary; Bruce Irish as treasurer; Judy Irish as reporter; Jackie Pline and Joan

Ashley as health leaders; Kathy Vitek and Marilyn Rennells as safety leaders; and Judy Irish as recreation and song leader. The club program plans include a bowling party in May, a hayride in June and a surprise party in July.

The Bengal Community 4-H club held their first meeting for the summer, with 21 members enrolled. The election of officers are as follows: President, Keith Foote; vice president, Steve Thelen; secretary, Vickie Thelen; treasurer, Fred Thelen; newsreporter, Jane Vitek; recreation and song leaders, Jeff Hazle and Debbie Thelen.

How to show the horse at halter was demonstrated to the Pioneer Trail Blazers 4-H members by their leaders. The club now has 14 members. Any member who misses three meetings during the summer after school is out will not be allowed to exhibit at the county fair. Members are to bring their horses for a workout at their next meeting on May 21 at the Nelson Ketchum home.

The Riverside Riders 4-H members have 12 members in their club this year, and the club is part of the Eagle Beavers Community Club. The saddle horse members helped celebrate the birthday of Miss Tagg's colt.

Businesses cited for IOOF eye bank promotion

Edward Elsing, World Eye Bank committeeman, announced the presentation of citations to several area firms. The citations were presented on behalf of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows World Eye Bank to Parr's Drug Store, DePeal's Music and the Clinton County News in St. Johns, to the DeWitt Pharmacy in DeWitt and Don's Sinclair at Bath. Ovid Service Agency in Ovid was the recipient there.

The citations were presented in recognition and appreciation for their cooperation and assistance in the promotion of the program seeking to preserve sight and prevent blindness. Area cooperation such as this really helps any organization to promote any humanitarian project, Elsing said.

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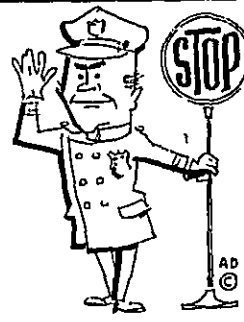
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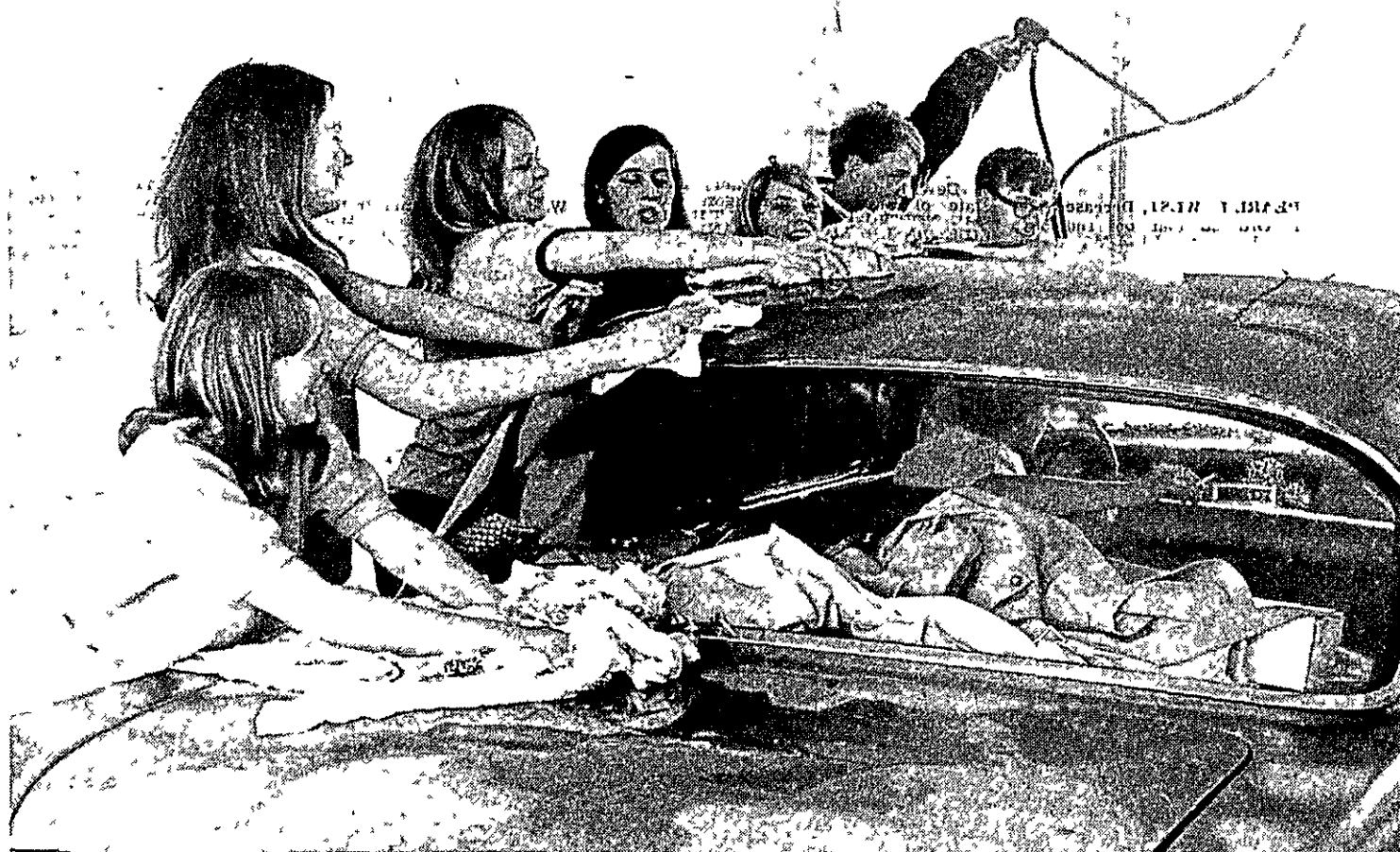
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Soil Stewardship Week (May 19-26) rich in history

"A Time for Initiative" is the theme for this year's Soil Stewardship Week May 19-26, according to Stanley Baird, chairman of the Clinton County Soil Conservation District.

The annual national observance, sponsored by the National Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts (NACD), focuses on man's obligations to God for the care and wise use of the natural resources He has entrusted to man.

"Today, clean water and air, along with trees and soil, are taking on a new meaning," said Baird. People are discovering these resources are not only limited and vital, but vulnerable to fouling, waste, and ruin. They are awakening to the needs for better stewardship. On all sides there is a new climate for conservation.

This is the idea behind the theme drawn up by the Inter-

denominational Soil Stewardship Advisory Committee and NACD, explained Baird. The advisory committee works with the NACD in developing the annual theme and materials that are made available to churches, laymen, or any group interested in initiating some form of Stewardship activity.

THE THEME EMPHASIZES that now is the time for initiative—for action, innovation, trial runs, and exploration. It is a time for ideas, a time to assess problems and prospects, and a time to identify alternatives.

Stewardship worship services will be held May 19 in most churches in the Clinton County Soil Conservation District.

Soil Stewardship Week reaches as far back as 452 in Vienne, France. Due to a year of bad weather and earthquakes, the people of Vienne were suffering from serious crop failures and



ROBERT SHOUP

Local man gives talk on physics

Robert Shoup, son of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Shoup of R-2, St. Johns, recently presented a speech to the American Physical Society in Washington D.C. at their annual spring meeting.

The purpose of the meeting was to acquaint physicists through out the United States with recent developments in physics and related fields.

Shoup, a 1962 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School and a 1966 graduate of Michigan State University, is presently working on his doctorate in the field of physics.

In preparing for his speech, Shoup obtained the data to write it while under the direction of Dr John Fox, internationally recognized for his work in isobaric analogue states, a phase of study in physics. "Proton Particle - Hole States in ¹¹⁶Sn from the ¹¹⁵In (3 He, d) ¹¹⁶Sn Reaction," the complicated sounding title of Shoup's speech, was presented Wednesday, April 24, in the Sheraton Park Hotel in Washington.

Shoup hopes to continue his work on his doctorate at Oak Ridge National Laboratory and Heidelberg, Germany, under the direction of Dr Fox. He expects to receive his PhD in physics in either 1970 or 1971.

Small dairy farms limit return to owner

Bigness isn't everything in dairy farming, but being too small can make each dollar invested worth a lot less, according to F. Earl Haas, Clinton County Extension Agricultural Agent.

"A Michigan State University study of 252 southern Michigan dairy farms for the 1964-66 period proved this out," he said.

"The 25 smallest operations, with an average investment of \$44,200 earned a rate of 3.6 per cent or an average return of \$1,591. This is about four cents for every dollar invested. These farms averaged 164 tillable acres.

"The 25 largest farms earned a return on investment of 6.3 cents—two cents more on each dollar than the low-investment farms. These larger units, with an average investment of \$310,900, earned 6.3 per cent, or \$19,586 each. They had an average of 521 tillable acres.

"All other farms in the study showed a rate of return on investment ranging from 4.8 per cent to 6.3 per cent," commented Haas.

BUT IT WAS NOT necessary to be in the top investment size to earn a good rate of investment. Al Tinsley, MSU agricultural economist who conducted the study, said the second smallest group, with an average of only \$63,300 invested, earned 6.1 per cent on investment. But because of low investment the net returns were only \$3,861.

Tinsley concluded that decisions about major new investments require that operators compare the likely returns from new investments with the cost and principal payments associated with these investments.

"Although it's useful to look

at the results of past investments, tomorrow's earnings depend more upon investments being made today. Investing is a continuing process," he said.

He suggested the dairyman ask himself these questions before making investments: 1) Will there be sufficient income from the new investments to pay the interest on borrowed money and the principal payments? and 2) Will there be enough left over after the change to provide the family or families involved with an adequate return for family living expenditures?

The southern tip of Illinois is often referred to as "Egypt." Some say this name was given by early settlers who came down from the north to get grain, as travelers did in the Bible story of Joseph. Another explanation is the presence of such Egyptian names as Cairo and Thebes.

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Bean bargaining to be renewed

The Michigan Bean Growers Marketing Cooperative is starting its final all-out campaign to complete organization of all Michigan Navy Bean growers into one marketing and bargaining organization, announced Lyle Sherwood, bean grower from Gratiot County and president of the cooperative.

Sherwood pointed out that officers of the cooperative have been meeting with leaders of various farm organizations this past winter to attempt to gain support in a united program for navy beans. A meeting is scheduled for next Thursday, May 23, at Smith Hall in St. Johns.

As a result of the work this winter, says Sherwood, the dry bean advisory committee of the Michigan Farm Bureau recommended that Farm Bureau give support to the efforts of the Michigan Bean Growers Marketing Cooperative.

On Friday, May 29, directors of Michigan Bean Growers Marketing Cooperative met with Farm Bureau presidents and bean committee chairmen from major navy bean producing counties to discuss plans for the membership campaign.

"Our goal," Sherwood said, "is to have at least 75 per cent of the growers of Michigan navy beans signed up as members of our organization before harvest time this year. We already are more than half way to our goal, and with the additional help of county Farm Bureau members we should soon reach our objective of having one strong bargaining organization for Navy beans operating by harvest time."

SHERWOOD STATED that efforts would continue to gain support from the leadership of other farm organizations in addition to Farm Bureau. He said their membership to date does include members of all major farm organizations. "It is our feeling," said the president, "that only an independent organization can effectively unite Navy bean growers into a strong bargaining group."

In stressing the importance of being completely organized by harvest time this year, Sherwood pointed to the government's report of planting intentions for dry

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beans in Michigan. "Normal yields on the acres growers intend to plant to navy beans this year will result in another year of farm prices near the support level unless we are in position to market our beans together as one strong bargaining organization," the cooperative president said.

"Our combined membership drive will attempt to contact every Navy bean grower as soon as possible. It is time now for Navy bean growers to forget the policy differences of their major farm organizations and unite together on their common problem of profitable market prices and an orderly marketing program for Navy beans.

Certified pea bean seed vital to a quality crop

Those few extra dollars "saved" now by buying noncertified instead of certified bean seeds could turn into a profit loss at harvest time, according to Larry Copeland, Michigan State University crop scientist.

Copeland says that seed costs, which amount to three to twelve per cent of the total production costs, can make the difference between high profits or loss on the bean crop.

Certified seeds have built-in resistance against bacterial blight, anthracnose, bacterial wilt and a host of other diseases which cost Michigan farmers so much money each year, explains Copeland.

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"Noncertified seed may look clean," Copeland warns, "but it may be carrying bacterial blight or the common bean mosaic virus internally. It would be impossible to detect 20 to 30 anthracnose infected beans in a 100-pound bag of beans."

He adds that noncertified seeds may germinate poorly as a result of mechanical injury, frost damage and wet weather damage caused when the seeds were harvested. Plants may be retarded,

nonvigorous, stunted or bald-headed when the seeds are damaged during harvesting and processing.

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W. M. SMITH
County ASC Manager

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There are three quonsets, 40 feet wide and 100 feet long. The quonsets are offered for sale to be used in connection with the storage or handling of agricultural commodities, and for use by eligible nonprofit agencies or organizations.

A nonprofit agency or organization is one whose income is exempt from federal, state, and local taxation.

Each offer to purchase a structure will be used to store or

handle agricultural commodities.

PRIVATE OR public nonprofit agencies or organizations must certify that the structure will be used for the purposes of such agency or organization.

We have forms prepared in our office that contain all the information necessary to make an offer and to certify use of the structure.

These offers are to be submitted in a sealed envelope and such envelope must bear in the lower left hand corner the notation: "Do not open until prescribed time per invitation No. 68-1". Offers submitted by mail, or by hand, must be received at our office, 100 S. Ottawa Street, St. Johns, not later than 4 p.m. June 7.

We invite interested bidders to inspect the grain structures being offered for sale prior to submitting an offer. The structures will be available for inspection at the Elsie bin site between the hours of 10 a.m., and 3:30 p.m. on June 5 or by special arrangement with our office. Beginning May 15 there should be someone at the bin site nearly every day.

In addition to the three quonsets there are 49 round grain storage structures that will be

sold early in June. These structures will be dismantled and sold at auction. Each structure will be sold individually, giving everyone a chance to a bid. These structures are in good condition and may be inspected by contacting our office, or calling at the bin site when bins are being dismantled.

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Minutes of the City Commission Meeting

Municipal Building Commission Room
ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN

APRIL 16, 1968

The regular meeting of the city commission was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Coletta. The invocation was offered by Rev Harold Homer. Commissioners present: Furry, Irerer, Rand, Sitrine, Coletta. Commissioners absent: none. Staff present: City Atty, Kempar and Assistant Wells, Deputy Clerk Cox.

Motion by Commissioner Rand, supported by Commissioner Sitrine, to approve the minutes of the April 2, 1968, meeting, Yea: Furry, Irerer, Rand, Sitrine, Coletta. Nay: none. Motion carried. Motion by Commissioner Rand, supported by Commissioner Sitrine, to approve for payments general fund voucher numbers 1542 through 1575 inclusive, library fund voucher numbers 143 through 150 inclusive, operation and maintenance voucher numbers 285 through 292 inclusive, and improvement fund voucher numbers 115 and 116. Yea: Furry, Irerer, Rand, Sitrine, Coletta. Nay: none. Motion carried. Motion by Commissioner Rand, supported by Commissioner Irerer, the proposed agenda be approved, Yea: Furry, Irerer, Rand, Sitrine, Coletta. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Mr Joe Karber appeared before the commission with reference to his complaint on noise and buildings at the 2-Brothers Store.

Mr Almond Cressman appeared on behalf of Gratiot Farmers Corp. inquiring if any progress had been made on amending the ordinance to allow an addition on the south side of the existing building at 510 S. Lansing.

This being the night set by the commission as the hearing on special assessment Roll #1-68 and #2-68, the mayor opened the hearing with discussion from the floor. Mr Timothy Green appeared on behalf of his clients, Mr George Smith (800 S. Lansing), Mr and Mrs A. J. Weseman (902 S. Lansing) and Mr and Mrs Doyle Bancroft (615 W. Sicles) in regard to proposed special assessment Roll #1-68 and #2-68. Mr Green presented his opinions on this subject and registered the following objections to sanitary sewer assessment roll #1-68. 1.) Cost per unit of benefit; 2.) Sur-charge for administrative expense, inspection and engineering; 3.) Inclusion of Roll #1024-04.

Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Sitrine, to continue the hearing on sanitary sewer assessment roll #1-68 until the next regular commission meeting May 7, 1968. Yea: Furry, Irerer, Rand, Sitrine. Nay: Coletta, Motion carried.

Mr Green then voiced the following objections to special assessment Roll #2-68 curb and gutter, on behalf of the same clients. 1.) Sur-charge; 2.) Cost inclusion (questioned the commission's definition of curb and gutter); 3.) Cost comparison to previous years; 4.) If ordinance on special assessments followed correctly.

Motion by Commissioner

Rand, supported by Commissioner Sitrine, the hearing on special assessment Roll #2-68 be continued until the next regular commission meeting May 7, 1968. Yea: Furry, Irerer, Rand, Sitrine, Coletta. Nay: none. Motion carried.

The mayor presented a letter from the Blue Star Mothers requesting permission to sell blue daisies on the street June 14 and 15. Motion by Commissioner Sitrine, supported by Commissioner Irerer, the Blue Star Mothers be granted permission to sell blue daisies on the streets June 14 and 15. Yea: Furry, Irerer, Rand, Sitrine, Coletta. Nay: none. Motion carried.

Mayor Coletta declared the meeting adjourned at 9:45 p.m.

JANET J. COX, Deputy City Clerk

CHARLES C. COLETTA, Mayor

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BATH

TOWNSHIP BOARD REPORT

Regular monthly meeting of the township board was held Monday, May 6, 1968 at the township hall with all board members present.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Township received a cemetery closing ordinance from the township attorney T.M. Green, which was discussed at great length. Trustee Morrill moved that the cemetery closing ordinance (to be Township Ordinance No. 8) be adopted, Seconded by Trustee Trofatter - carried unanimously.

Ordinance published in full at close of minutes. Board accepted the report from the supervisor, clerk and treasurer to not open the township hall for evening meetings. It will be the policy to consider use of the township hall meeting room for daytime meetings upon request in writing to the township board.

Board received a report from our insurance agent about a blanket bond policy and instructed the supervisor to have agent at the next board meeting.

Board approved the purchase of flags for the veterans graves. Board considered the possibility of changing the flood lights at the township hall to mercury lights, supervisor to get cost figures.

Board also considered the purchase of a duplicating machine and instructed the supervisor to get at least 3 cost figures.

John Snider of the village of Bath thanked the board for the study of sanitary sewer in the Bath area and advised the board that the petition circulators had not been able to get enough signatures for a vote on the project.

Board received petitions from the residents of the Bath area asking the township board to cease securing signatures to petitions in favor of the constructing of a sanitary sewer system within said area. (Residents were advised that the township board was not securing signatures for or against the proposed sanitary sewer system in the Bath area that this was a

matter for the resident of the area to secure signatures for or against the project, further that the only thing the board had done was to have a preliminary study made by a civil engineer for the residents of the area.)

Board approved the payment of a loan to the Woodruff State Bank for \$10,375.00, with this payment the township hall at 14480 Webster Road is completely paid for. Meeting was adjourned until June 3, 1968.

LEE D. REASONER, Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 8

An ordinance to establish closing hours and to restrict all traffic in Bath Township Cemeteries, and provide penalties for the violation thereof.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BATH, ORDAINS:

Section 1. All cemeteries owned, operated, or controlled by the Charter Township of Bath, located within the limits of said Township, shall be closed during the hours from Sunset, to Sunrise, daily.

Section 2. All cemeteries shall be, during said hours, closed for all purposes and to all persons. No person shall enter any cemetery during said hours, by any means or for any purpose.

Section 3. The Charter Township of Bath Township Board shall cause signs, setting forth said closing hours, to be posted at or near the entrance of the respective cemeteries.

Section 4. Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not more than One Hundred and 00/100 (\$100.00) Dollars, or imprisonment in the County Jail not to exceed Ninety (90) Days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 5. If any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall contravene or be invalid under any laws of the State of Michigan, as determined by a Court of competent jurisdiction, such contravention or invalidity shall not invalidate the whole ordinance, but it shall be construed as if not containing the particular provision or provisions held to be invalid.

Section 6. Publication of this Ordinance shall be made by causing a true copy thereof to be inserted once in a newspaper circulated within said Township, which publication shall be made

within Ten (10) Days after the passage thereof. This Ordinance shall not take effect until Thirty (30) Days have elapsed after publication thereof.

Passed, ordained, and ordered published, by the Charter Township of Bath, at a regular meeting of the Charter Township

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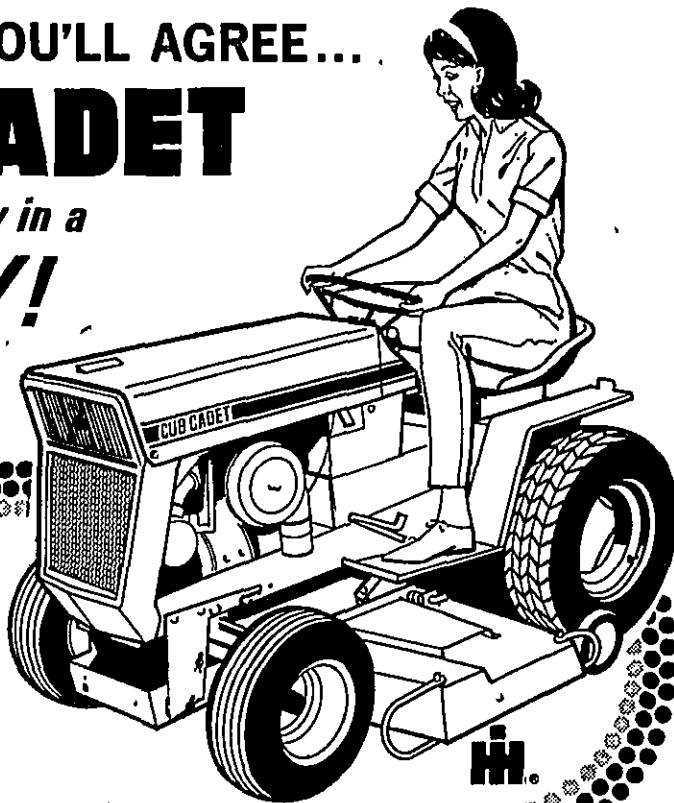
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EDITORIAL PAGE

The first step has been taken . . .

The Veterans Memorial Swimming Pool in St. Johns will be open this summer for the children of Clinton County. It is assured. The money needed to put the pool in shape for the summer has been raised.

Some said it couldn't be done. Others were hoping it couldn't be done. But, there were many who decided that to penalize the children of Clinton County because of the behavior of grownups was wrong.

WE EXTEND OUR heartfelt "Congratulations for a job well done, to all those who made the effort, who put aside any and all prejudices, and united to raise the \$12,500 needed to put the swimming pool in shape for this summer and many more summers to come.

A small group decided it was the thing to do. Others joined in and the group went to work. And it was work to raise this amount of money in such a short period of time, two weeks. But determined to do something above and beyond the normal, these people united in one idea, to raise the necessary funds and open the pool.

IT WAS NOT an easy job. The first few days brought forth moments of despair, to the point of almost giving up and forgetting the whole thing. But out of the despair of the first few days came rays of hope, optimism and finally reality.

At first some money came in voluntarily, but it was a small group who started making the rounds asking for financial help which ignited the idea and it finally caught fire. This group met with some problems, but determined to finish something they believed in. Some people

gave when asked; others had to think about it, others said no, but in the end enough had the courage of their convictions to ante up what they could spare.

The children of the St. Johns schools have joined the drive and will have a car wash this weekend at Randolph's car wash on south US-27. It's their pool, too, and they wanted to help. This they are doing.

TO US THIS IS not a victory of one group over another, but it shows what can be done when people forget their animosities toward one and another and unite in a common goal — a goal that will benefit the community, not just a few.

WE BELIEVE THAT this could be the beginning of something we have lacked in St. Johns. The ability to forget our personal prejudices and grudges and unite to work for the betterment of the community.

A few months ago in an editorial we made the statement that St. Johns might be on its knees financially, but it was not out. We think the last two weeks have seen St. Johns get off its knees and begin to move. One step, we agree, but one step at a time is all any of us can take.

WE HAVE TAKEN THE first step. It has been shown to us that if we unite in a common goal, we can succeed. This we can continue to do. A group of dedicated people has made St. Johns take this first step. Our hats are off to these men and women for their courage in trying to do something good for the community and succeeding in their endeavor. Again, our congratulations.

New movement in conservation

Just as spring is in the air, so is a new movement in conservation.

What better time than during Soil Stewardship Week, May 19-26, to examine this new movement.

Across the nation, in our villages and towns as well as in our cities and suburbs, a deep-rooted change is taking place. Natural resources once taken for granted are being regarded with increasing importance. Clean water and air, along with trees and the soil, are taking on a new meaning. People are discovering these resources are not only vital, but vulnerable to fouling, waste, and ruin. They are awakening to the needs of better stewardship.

"A Time for Initiative," this year's theme for Soil Stewardship Week, outlines the importance of this time for each of us. The theme of Soil Stewardship Week was developed by an interdenominational advisory committee, and the National Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts, the sponsors. The theme states:

"It is a time for initiative—for 10 million actions great and small to set in motion a tide of resource care, converting desires into deeds and opportunities into accomplishments.

"It is a time of courage—to examine your conscience and measure how well you are meeting your responsibilities to God for the care of His resources.

"It is a time for initiative—because values must be weighed. Changes are being made in the use of resources and more are coming. What is happening is worthy of your concern and needs your attention.

"It is a time to join in planning—to bring your experiences and views to bear, along with those of your neighbors, on the inventory of resources, the identification of development possibilities, and the establishment of resource goals in your own community and watershed.

"It is a time to become involved—because inaction is usually an evidence of fear or apathy and neither is creditable to a man of honor or a servant of God.

"It is a time of leadership—because the job to be done is as large as the nation and the years for doing it are short."

Consider the time. Consider it well.



GRANDFIELD, OKLA., NEWS: "...predictions made... about farming operations by the year 2000 seem quite frightening to us. The frightening thing about it all is not the use of computers, or the automation to eliminate the back-breaking work, or even the partial control of weather or the growing of things on order of specific quality. The frightening thing is the apparent regimentation of human beings, the lack of individual decision making and the accompanying lack of any means of showing individual initiative, craftsmanship and ability."

MARYSVILLE, CALIF., APPEAL-DEMOCRAT: "A man who has been following the antics of student protesters and demonstrators with increasing incredulity looked up from his paper the other day and remarked to his wife: 'Some of these kids who are paying for a college education certainly want as little for their money as they can possibly get.' He was referring, of course, to a small but spectacular minority of students. But he was saying what many Americans must be thinking. Perhaps we are overlooking the probability that the campus protesters feel the public attention they are getting is worth the price of tuition—especially when in most cases the old man is picking up the tab."

COATESVILLE, PA., RECORD: "The next time they hold hearings on firearms regulations we hope someone will mention what happened in the Congo. Belgians there used to carry firearms for protection. Then the President, Joseph D. Mobutu, went in for firearms regulation in a big way. He forced the Belgians to give up all their firearms; in fact, he confiscated them. Since that time, according to a press report, 'robbers have had a field day in Belgians' homes.' Of course such a thing couldn't happen here. We are, after all, a law-abiding people."

MICHIGAN MIRROR

Income tax yield so far is larger than expected



BY ELMER E. WHITE (Michigan Press Assn.)

Some \$155 million poured into the state treasury since last October when Michigan's personal income tax took effect. Additional revenue from the taxes on corporations and banks, which began Jan. 1, is just now beginning to trickle into state coffers.

Officials now calculate the net yield at more than the \$218 million they formerly estimated for the current fiscal year ending June 30. "The estimates were on the conservative side," admits State Treasurer Allison Green.

A petition drive, now underway throughout the state, may change the picture this fall. State fiscal officers and budget-minded legislators are watching to see if the required number of signatures are obtained to put the income tax question to a popular vote.

If that happens, tax-resistant voters could produce chaos in the state's financial affairs. The problem could be compounded even more if, in addition to losing the tax, the state is compelled to refund all of the withholding tax it has already collected this year.

The prospect has led to behind-the-scenes maneuvering. Emergency proposals are being prepared for use if the income tax petition drive is successful. One would ask voter approval to raise the sales tax to 6 per cent.

cent of all state tax collections in the 50 states.

AN EXPERIMENT begun two years ago by the Michigan Department of Corrections promises to be an effective means for rehabilitation of inmates. Under the program selected inmates leave the prison during the day to hold regular jobs at regular pay. They return to prison each evening. Money earned is either saved for release or sent to families. In many cases, the income lowers welfare costs.

Since its inception there have been 329 men and eight women placed with 67 different employers. Three-fourths of those placed continued on the job until released from prison. Some were removed because they could not handle the work, some because of prison rule violation.

Almost all were rated highly by employers. The average weekly pay totaled \$82, but the range was up to twice that amount for skilled workers. A total of \$425,000 was earned by all inmates during the two-year period. About \$100,000 of this amount was sent home to dependents, most of whom had been aid to dependent children recipients. Another \$25,000 was contributed to the state general fund. The rest was saved by inmates.

Transportation to and from the job is the biggest problem, according to Gus Harrison, director of corrections. It is not provided at state expense. A solution to that problem plus location of a few more employers would permit the placing of about 100 inmates per day. Currently, 65 men participate in the program.

JOBS COVER A wide variety of industries and include manufacturing, contracting, auto washes, farm work and wholesale sup-

pliers. The eight women in the program work at a theological seminary.

Harrison indicated that the department was following progress of early parolees who had worked under the work-pass system. Harrison states, "We don't need to know the parole outcome to conclude that the program is clearly worthwhile. In addition to the money sent to dependents, our parole agents report that savings have helped re-entry of many men into the community. We can't measure the gains in self-esteem and satisfaction, but those who work with these men say that improved morale is apparent."

The corrections commission recently approved a new program which permits selected inmates to attend nearby academic and trade courses. This program offers training not available in institutions and also eases the re-entry of prisoners into society.

Back Thru the Years

Interesting Items from the Files of the Clinton County News

ONE YEAR AGO

From the Files of May 18, 1967

The appearance of Lt. Gov. William G. Milliken in St. Johns Tuesday and the exchange of mayors by several communities in the county highlight next week's Michigan Week observance in Clinton County.

St. Johns will host Grand Ledge Mayor ALVIN Kempf and his wife during the annual Mayor Exchange Day program of Michigan Week.

A stepped-up search for additional doctors for St. Johns is being launched from Clinton Memorial Hospital.

10 YEARS AGO

From the Files of May 15, 1958.

An open meeting of the citizens of the Pevamo school district was held Tuesday evening at Pevamo high school. About 150 attended the meeting which was to inform members of the action that their board has taken up to this time.

Members of Clinton County's Social Welfare Commission and their director, Julia Jerry, will meet with representatives of the state surplus commodities committee here Friday afternoon to discuss a proposal to distribute surplus foods to welfare recipients, unemployed, old age pensioners and others in the county seriously affected by the present economic situation.

Percy L. Jensen, director of the 8th congressional district of The Michigan Townships association, announced this week that there will be a meeting for all township officials of the district on Monday, May 19, in the Municipal Building in St. Johns.

25 YEARS AGO

From the Files of May 20, 1943

The first annual book to be published by a graduating class of Rodney B. Wilson High School since 1927 was issued to subscribers Tuesday of this week. The profusely illustrated 40-page "Wilsonian" is an attractive record of the student body of the past school year.

Top prices which any retail store in Ingham, Eaton, Clinton, Livingston, Jackson and Washtenaw counties may charge, beginning Friday, May 21, for close to half the food items that go into the housewife's market basket were announced today by Cameron H. Belland, chief price officer of Lansing. Stores must plainly post their selling prices for these items.

Exactly two months after getting word from the War Department that their son, Victor, had been missing in the North African war area, Mr and Mrs Lewis Jorae, received another communication saying that the boy was a prisoner of the Germans.

Tipsy neighbor of ours can always be found at the corner drugstore.

The funniest thing concerning canned television laugh tracks is that anyone could think viewers actually find them amusing.

A great place to live

This is our Michigan

Written by Hayden Palmer, editor Ingham County News, Mason, as a contribution to the Newspapers Committee of Michigan Week

Proud, Progressive, Picturesque—that's Michigan.

One of the leading states of the union, it will parade its accomplishments for the state, the nation and the world to see during its annual Michigan Week, May 21-27.

And it has much to show off. There are areas of industry that have made it the automotive capital of the world. The first car ever seen was built and designed in a machine shop on River Street in Lansing, the capital city, by Ransom E. Olds, who lived to see his invention grow into one of the greatest industries of modern times.

There are important areas of agriculture, for despite the fact that industry appears to take the top spot in the state's claim to fame, it also is an agricultural state, producing livestock, dairy products, corn, hay, beans and several varieties of fruit.

Tourism also plays a vast role in Michigan's economy. The state is a year-round playground, offering many lures to tourists seeking summer or winter fun.

Its thousands of lakes bring hordes of visitors each summer and its many beaches are an added attraction to those who enjoy swimming and other water sports.

Its quests drive through the state on some of the finest highways in the nation. They find parks, golf courses, campsites, lakes and resorts awaiting them.

MICHIGAN'S LAKES AND streams abound in fish of all sorts and its wildlife includes deer,

pheasants, bear, rabbits and other game in abundance.

The state has become a sportsman's paradise.

In winter Michigan is a land of snow, and skiing and skating areas bring fun to the more hardy souls who enjoy these winter sports.

No wonder, then, that Michigan can rightfully be known as a water, winter wonderland. Michigan dates back to 1618 when Etienne Brule, a French explorer, landed at the Sault Ste. Marie narrows. He was followed later by fur traders, more French explorers and missionaries.

The fur trade flourished. It was centered on Mackinac Island.

Detroit was founded in 1701 by Antoine de la Mothe Cadillac. A water route linked Detroit with Mackinac and transportation and the fur trade flourished, a fact that later brought about the joining of the upper and lower peninsulas.

More than 100 years later—in 1805—Detroit became the capital of the Michigan territory and in 1836 they formed a state without sanction of the federal government.

The next year, however, the new state ceded a strip of land to Ohio and Indiana, and Michigan was admitted to the Union.

Mining began to play a large part in the state's economy, accompanied by roads, railroads and canals. This brought more settlers, many of them German, Dutch and Irish immigrants.

AS THE CIVIL WAR YEARS drew near, Michigan took a strong stand against slavery and the Republican Party was organized "under the oaks" at Jackson.

STRICTLY FRESH

Dining by candlelight is romantic, unless you're doing it because the utility company is getting snippy about your electric bill.

The translation for "vodka" is "little water."

unless you happen to patronize the spa near our office.

Fellow we know who is the self-made-man type boasts of 20-20 vision, but WE know he has trouble with his "I's."

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from the HOPPER

By Steven Hopko



The Clinton County Memorial Swimming Pool will be open for the benefit of the children of Clinton County this summer because of the efforts of many people. To list the number of people who cooperated in working and donating funds in this column would take the whole space allotted me.

Of the many people who worked to make the opening of the swimming pool possible, I could single out many for individual praise for their efforts. But most of these people live in this community and their efforts were for the community's benefit.

THERE IS, however, one gentleman who is not a resident of St. Johns who became interested in the project and made a great effort to help. His name: James Leon.

Jim is Sales manager for Saylor-Beall Manufacturing Company and resides with his wife, Jean, in Rochester. Jim's duties keep him away from St. Johns as much as he is around the home plant.

HE FIRST BECAME interested in the swimming pool problem a week ago Tuesday, at lunch. That evening he had decided he wanted to help, but he decided that since the drive would be for the benefit of the kids, he reasoned that they would help if given the opportunity.

His idea of a project for the kids was the car wash which will be held this weekend. That Tuesday evening he made contact with individuals and set up a breakfast meeting with those in charge of the pool fund and Dale Randolph who owns the car wash, on South US-27.

THE POOL committee approved Jim's plan and with Dale Randolph saying he would donate the use of his car wash and everything needed to stage it, except the workers, Jim's

plan was off and running. From this meeting he went to the high school where he was put in touch with Jeff White, president of the student council. Jeff liked the idea and stated he would get the kids behind it.

That same noon, Jim hosted some members of the pool committee, Jeff and about fifteen members of his student council at lunch. The project was proposed, the kids liked the idea and said they would do it and this is how the car wash for the swimming pool fund was started.

WHETHER THE CAR wash for the pool fund will be successful or not will depend upon the people of Clinton County this weekend, but for the idea, the effort, the time needed to organize it and to fulfill the need of trying to help, Jim Leon deserves a thank you from the City of St. Johns.

The car wash was Jim's idea. He organized it, financed it and has followed through on it. This from a fellow who does not live in the community, but has faith in the community and its young people.

All this from a man who is not a resident, but has faith in our community. He took time from his work and money from his pocket to make an effort to help. To Jim I would like to add my "thanks" for a job well done, and to thank him for his efforts on behalf of the children of St. Johns.



"The cigarette lighter doesn't work!"

Answer service

"What can I do?" asks the grandson. Away from his home and his pals, "There's no one I can play with. No schoolmates—not even gals!" There was no ready answer, "But an answer we must find. To direct pent-up ambitions, Nor permit of his "going it blind."

"What can I do?" asks the young man, When school and it's problems confuse Wherein lies my latent talent The tools the world can best use? The answers somehow are not easy It takes time enough to explore. And years of preparation "Ere folks beat a path to your door."

"What can I do?" asks the adult, When youth is fast fading away, 'Tis a changing world I'm facing, Old skills fail to serve me today. New answers to problems are needed New techniques are needed to meet In the changing world of tomorrow Can I salvage success from defeat?

"What can I do?" say the aged, When productive days are done. When ushered quick out of service, And bidden to sit in the sun? So many new answers we're seeking These problems take time to think thru, Each how, when, and where call for answers, The questions is "what can I do?"

Civil defense & you

By CHARLES FROST
Clinton County
Civil Defense Director



How much protection does your basement provide against radioactive fallout? Some 9,445 homes in Clinton County have basements, according to the Bureau of Census survey. Residences in the county were visited by the Bureau of Census enumerators last fall. The census taker may have visited you personally or in the absence of anyone at home, made the assessment and recorded the desired information from outside observations of the house.

Survey figures show 1,872 homes without basements. Some 179 structures where people live were not in the program. I don't know why. This gives us a total of 11,496 residences in Clinton County.

The survey does not show an especially constructed shelter, one that perhaps was built for tornado protection and due to the structural strength has shielding value from radioactive fallout. For householders with basements, you should have received

a tan booklet entitled Fallout Protection For...It contains the information for your basement on the back cover. Also, it has a hole in the upper left corner for hanging on a nail—in the best protected corner of your basement. That's a good place for it—not piled or filed someplace where you can't find it when you need it.

First, study the contents. It tells you how to improve the protection factor. In nearly all basements, the highest protection factor is in the corner and the lowest in the center.

An idea for improving the best corner might be to build a planter extending along the outside walls both ways from the corner. This would be a permanent improvement and may add to the attractiveness of your home.

When too much of the basement wall is exposed above ground, especially if it is constructed of 8 or 12 inch hollow core concrete blocks, you should keep the ceiling of your shelter at the ground level outside. You can see where this would reduce the headroom in the shelter area and you couldn't stand up. The height you create will certainly add to the comfort.

Once you have created height you can put brick or solid concrete blocks between the joists. Be sure you have enough strength in the joists and the necessary posts to support the load. Dirt can be used and it's not so bad to do if you put it in boxes that will fit between the joists, putting up ceiling and sliding the boxes in as you go.

There are a lot of ideas in the little tan book. Some, I'm sure, you can do for yourself; on others you may want to consult a carpenter or the lumber company for advice on what should be added by way of support for the load. We don't want it falling on you, but remember, if it doesn't weigh a lot it doesn't have radiation protection.

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The 'Low Down'

From the Congressional Record

By Joe Crump

The (egg) shell game

There seems to be a surge of bills before Congress to protect the consumer. Hearings will decide whether added protection is necessary. In the process of introducing these bills some interesting information is recorded.

Senator Walter F. Mondale (Minn.), in introducing his bill, exposes a problem related to the egg industry.

"I introduce today, for appropriate reference, the Wholesale Poultry, Eggs and Fish Products Act of 1968. . . .

"The bill (S. 3383) to amend the Poultry Products Inspection Act in order to provide for the mandatory inspection of all poultry and poultry products intended for human food, to provide a mandatory program for the inspection and grading of eggs and egg products. . . .

"The fresh, unbroken hen's egg is one of nature's best protected raw foods. Usually, even when eggs are obtained from diseased flocks, the egg, and yolk remain germ free. Most problems begin when the shell is cracked.

"Increasing numbers of the things that we buy contain not freshly broken shell eggs, but frozen, dried, or powdered egg yolks and whites. The processing of eggs can leave much to be desired. . . .

"I FIRST BECAME aware of the problem with nonfederally inspected broken egg processors when one of my constituents, Mr. James Kosmo, editor of the Edna Courier, brought to my attention the situation in Lonsdale, Minn. The FDA has seized 6,000 pounds of egg whites from the egg company in that town. The egg whites were found to contain salmonella, fecal strep, and a coliform count more than 10 times that of raw sewage. The FDA report on the Lonsdale Egg Co. explained the reason for contamination: flies in the breaking room; dead flies in empty cans that then were filled with eggs; cleaning equip-



CLEANING UP THE TRASH ALONG EAGLE AREA ROADS

Members of the Eagle Beavers 4-H Club were among 25 youth groups around the county on an "Operation Clean-up" campaign along rural roads April 27. Kevin Cook, Steve Wirth, Chris Rademacher, Jeff Huhn, Gerard DeMarco, Myrna Payne and Michael Rademacher are shown here loading up a pickup truck being driven by Robert Payne.

ment that was itself contaminated with a hose in use; raw, whole eggs stored in a holding tank at a temperature of 65-67 degrees for 1 hour or more; employees taking sanitary empty cans from the floor, and stacking them on each other.

"The people receiving these eggs in Iowa and Missouri were lucky they were shipped interstate commerce, and that the FDA inspectors caught them. . . . "These kinds of problems are not limited to Minnesota alone, of course. They exist across the United States.

"In the spring of 1967, the Public Health Service and local health officials investigated the largest epidemic of salmonellosis in recent years in New York City. In one three-week period, 14 outbreaks with 1,790 persons involved were tallied among families who had attended bar mitzvah celebrations in the New York area.

"The cause turned out to be frozen cream chiffonade dessert prepared from contaminated, un-

pasteurized frozen egg yolks distributed not only to New York, but through the Northeastern United States. The source of the problem was in the processing plant. . . .

"Other Public Health Service reports point to six persons infected from drinking eggnog in Illinois; an unknown number infected in Washington, D.C., from egg yolk used in cake filling; 268 persons ill after eating coconut cream pie with meringue in Michigan. . . . And the count continues on. . . .

"As did my original version of the Meat Inspection Act the bill gives the governors of states the chance to choose whether they wish to conduct part or all of the poultry, fish and egg program without forcing it on them. Under this measure governors whose state laws equal federal measures would be able to apply to the secretary for an exemption from federal inspection. . . .

A GRASSROOTS COMMENT
Some of the information disclosed doesn't make for appe-

ting reading. However, sweeping the information under the rug when specific cases of pure food violations are documented is not the intent of this column.

That, of course, is what the Low Down from the Congressional Record is all about.—J.C.

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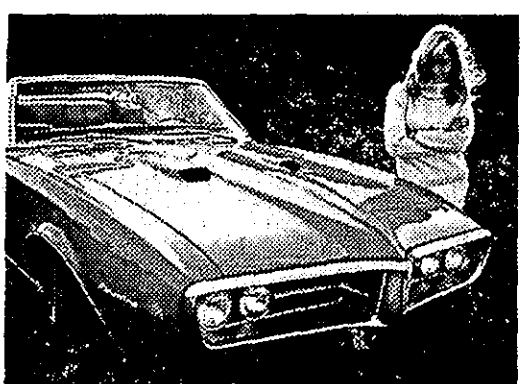
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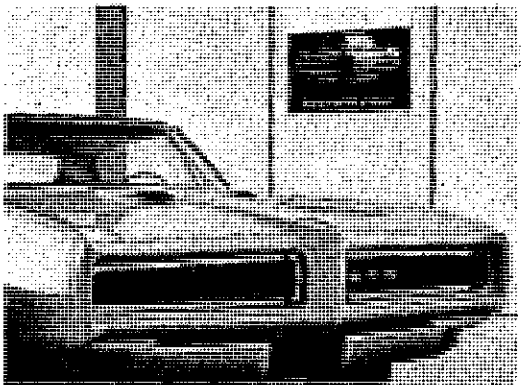
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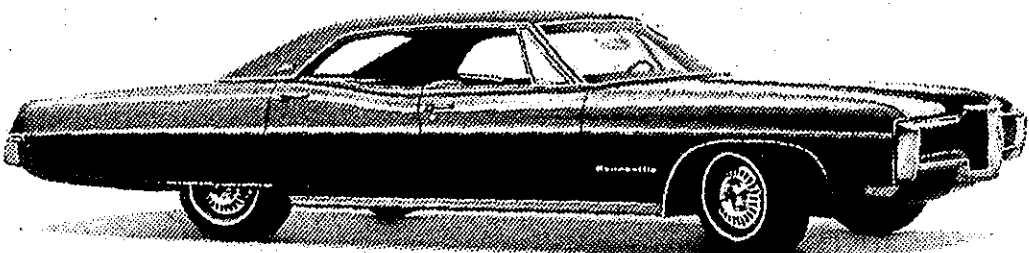
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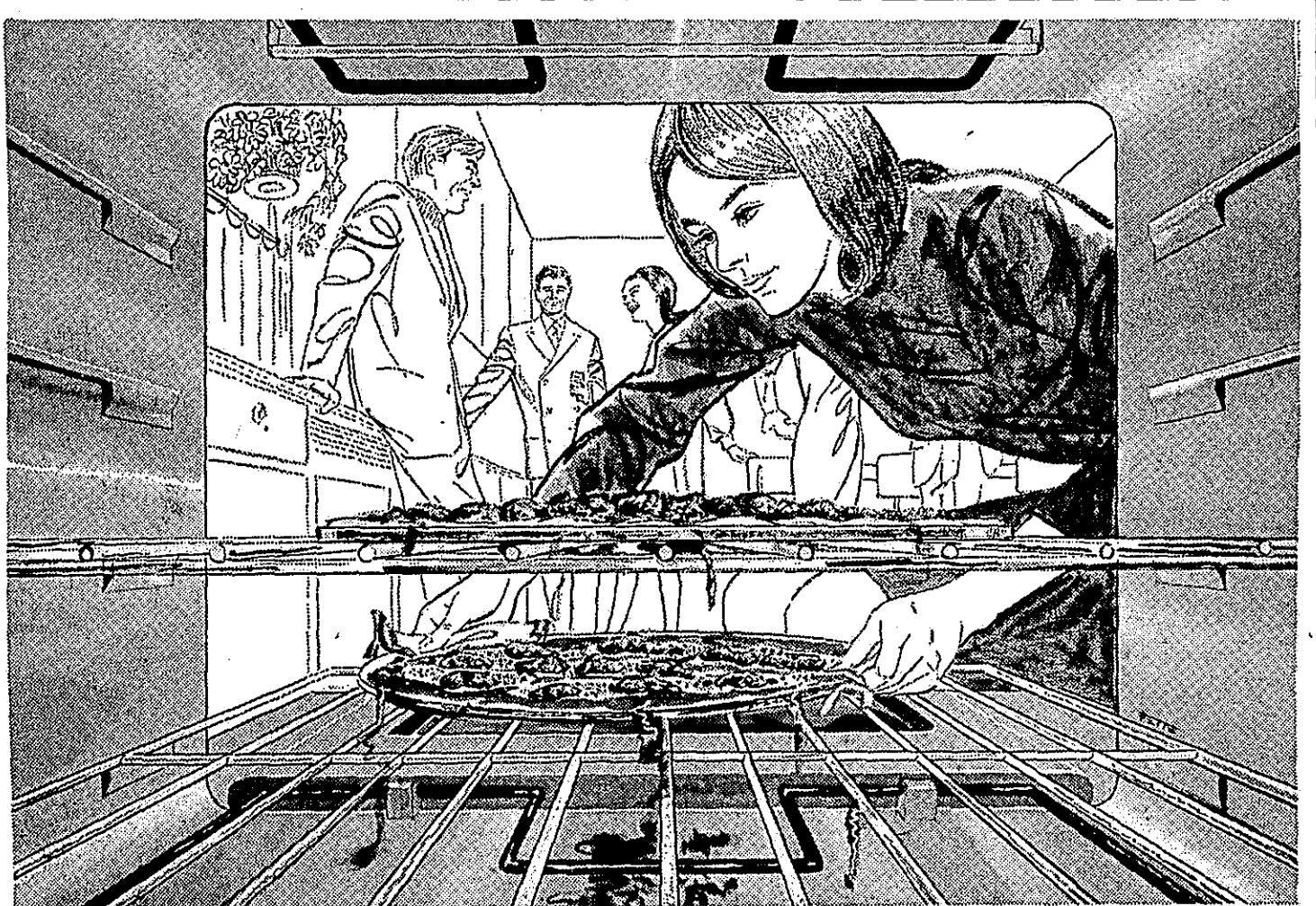
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By Mrs Wm. Ernst

In observance of their 25th wedding anniversary which was May 9, Mr and Mrs Robert Eldridge entertained their card party group for supper Saturday and they entertained relatives at dinner Sunday.

Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine were weekend guests of Mr and Mrs William S. Ernst and family at Battle Creek.

Mrs Fred Hecht of St. Johns spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs Louis Moritz.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Foersch and Sandra attended the VFW Rally held at Owosso a week ago Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Herman Noller of rural Hubbardston were Thursday afternoon visitors of Mr and Mrs William Ernst.

Mr and Mrs Louis Moritz and family attended the Hecht-Quist wedding and reception held at the Congregational Church at St. Johns Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Fred W. Pasch and Mrs Edna Watamaker were Monday evening supper guests of Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine.

Miss Kathy Moritz and Miss Bonnie Swanson accompanied a group from St. Paul Lutheran Church to Ann Arbor Sunday where they toured the Concordia Junior College campus.

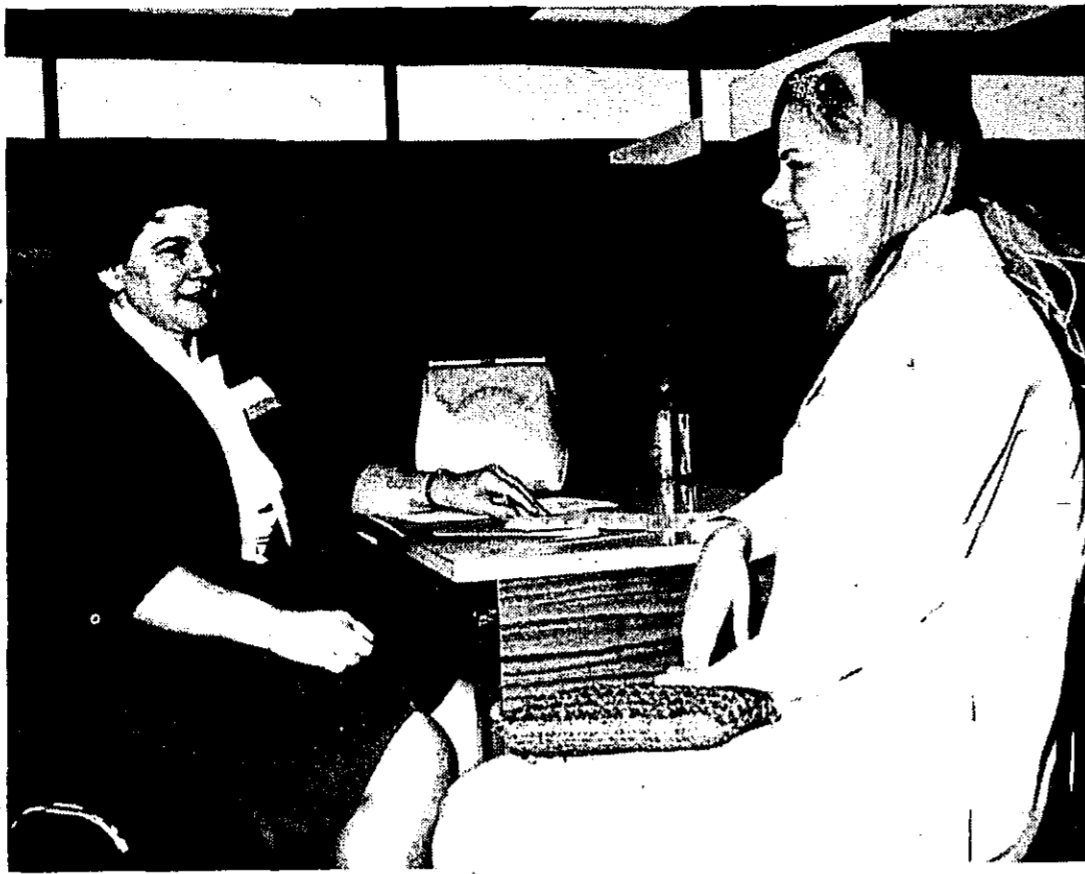
Mrs Edna Watamaker was a guest Mother's Day of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Clark Jeffers and family of Milford.

Mrs Edmund Falk spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs Arthur Martens and niece, Mrs Melvin Argersinger and family of St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Fred Sehlke of Fowler visited Mr and Mrs Fred W. Pasch on Saturday evening. Mrs Ida Schrader of Riley visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Rudolph Tiedt and Phillip for a few days last week.

Mrs Edna Watamaker spent Saturday evening with Mr and Mrs Clare Swanson and family. Mr and Mrs Roger Hall and family recently moved from the Ulrich house to the Arnold Wieber house in Lebanon.

Spend all your time dreaming and they won't come true.



AT COUNSELING SESSION AT GRAND VALLEY

Grand Valley State College freshmen students and their former high school principals and counselors met at GVSC's new Manitou Hall April 26 for conferences designed to acquaint high school personnel with the personal observations of their former students in such areas as campus life, classes, grading, sports and college counseling. Exchanging information at the conference were Arlene Scramlin, counselor at Rodney B. Wilson High School in St. Johns, and Sharon Hall of St. Johns.

DeWitt

By Virginia Ackerman

The DeWitt Alumni banquet will be held at the DeWitt High School June 8 at 7 p.m. For reservations call: DeWitt school during school hours or Nancy Page evenings on or before June 5.

The Junior-Senior banquet was held Friday evening May 10 at the David Scott School. The Junior-Senior prom was held Saturday, May 11, at the High School.

Mrs Genevieve Nabfeld is visiting her sister in Modesta, Calif., for two weeks.

Mrs Burton Flynn is in E.W. Sparrow Hospital at this writing.

Mr and Mrs Duane Rardeen

and Stephen were dinner guests of the Vern Ackermans Saturday night.

Mr and Mrs Brian Tingay are the parents of a boy, Brett, who weighed 7 pounds 14 ounces, May 12, at Lansing General Hospital.

Mesdames Virginia Schafer, Mickey DeLine, Betty Mohr, Mary Ferland, Roberta Hobbs and Barbara Davis spent Thursday, May 9, at Stoney Creek Girl Scout Camp for day camp training.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Hickerson spent the weekend in Columbus, Ohio, with Mr and Mrs Gary Hickerson and family.

Mr and Mrs Richard Kiebler and family and Marsha Schovey spent the weekend at the Kiebler cottage at Houghton Lake.

Mr and Mrs Wilson Nickels Sr and Fred were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Allen Nickels of Lansing.

Ovid

Mrs Aphra Pixley

The Longcor-Dennis Union of WCTU will meet at 1:30 Tuesday, May 14 at the home of Mrs Florence Phelps. Mrs Pearl Haskins will be guest speaker. She will relate some of her experiences while in the Peace Corps. She will also show slides.

Mrs Bruce Plovman was the honored guest at a baby shower Thursday evening in the Tony Sincropi home given by their daughter Angie with Mrs Terry Morehouse as co-hostess. Guests were former classmates.

Mr and Mrs Stuart Baker of Troy were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs Grace Baker.

Mr and Mrs Clare Crawford were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Ennes Loynes at Flint.

Mr and Mrs Dale Bancroft, Mr and Mrs Charles Clock and Mr and Mrs Walter Clock were Saturday evening guests of Mr and Mrs Gaylord Morrill at Bath.

Mr and Mrs Walter Bancroft of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs Walter Clock were Mother's Day guests of Mr and Mrs Dale Bancroft. In the afternoon Gale Bancroft called from New London, Conn., where he is stationed and talked with his parents and grandparents.

Mr and Mrs Austin Woodward and Mr and Mrs Charles Mathews called on cousins at Byron Center and Ravenna Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Tony Sovis and family and Mr and Mrs Austin Woodward surprised Mrs Charles Mathews with a birthday cake and ice cream Monday night.

Mr and Mrs Chauncey Green, Mrs Don Craig, John Spenoer and Mrs Mildred Comstock attended the funeral of Edward Krainbrink in Ionia Monday.

Lawrence Briggs has returned home from Owosso Memorial Hospital following treatment.

Mr and Mrs William Froman of Toledo were weekend guests of her parents, Mr and Mrs Clare Crawford. Mr and Mrs Gary Elmer and sons were Sunday guests in the Crawford home.

Middlebury

By Mrs Don Warren
Phone 834-5020

There will be an open house Sunday afternoon, May 28, from 2:30 to 4:30 in honor of the graduation of Duane Whitmyer, welcome home of Max Whitmyer from Viet Nam and the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Richard Whitmyer, at their home. No gifts please.

The Middlebury MYF met Sunday evening at the church. Officers elected are president, Bob Craig; vice president, Becky Jordan; secretary, Kathy Jordan; treasurer, Phyllis Whitmyer and representatives, Karline Craig and Rick Warren.

Sunday, May 19 there will be an open house held in the Lalingsburg Church Pine Room, 2 until 5 p.m. in honor of Rev Beatrice Townsend's 25th anniversary of ministry, sponsored by joint WSCS of Lalingsburg and Middlebury.

The Middlebury Extension Club will meet Monday evening, May 20, at 8 at the home of Elizabeth Putnam.

Gunnisonville

By Mrs Loui E. Fritz

A mother and daughter banquet sponsored by the Gunnisonville Sunday School was held Wednesday, May 8, at 6:30 p.m. at the Gunnisonville United Methodist Church. About 60 mom's and daughters were present.

A Bohemian dinner was served. The invocation was given by Mrs Margaret Stampfly. "Fruit and Flowers" was the theme which was carried in the flower arrangements made by Mrs Alva Hartman also the programs made by Mrs John Hagy and Mrs John Headley.

The following program was introduced by Toastmistress Mrs Ernie Fritz: Toast to Mother, Miss Karen Shirey; Toast to Daughters, Mrs Marv Rhyndard and Toast to Grandmothers, Karl Sue Fritz. The presentation of gifts was in charge of Mrs Allen Cable. Gifts went to the oldest mother, Mrs McNaughton; youngest mother, Mrs Pat Bacon; mother with most children, Mrs Ray Shirey; mother with the most grandchildren, Mrs Ernie Fritz; mother married longest, Mrs McNaughton married 62 years; youngest daughter, Becky Wollos; daughter with the most freckles, Janet Betts and daughter with longest hair, Kathy Rhyndard.

A talent show was introduced by program chairman Mrs Hagy and Mrs Headley.

PIANO RECITAL

Mrs Allen Cable of Chandler Road, presented her piano pupils in a recital Friday evening, May 10 at 7:30 p.m. at Gunnisonville Methodist Church. Pupils participating were Elizabeth and Rhoda Keith, Anne Ross, Rex and Jim Fouch, Jim Walker, Wendy and Mary Schrader, Teri Gordnier and Nancy Hartman.

Fruit punch and cookies were served in the church parlor by Mrs Barbara Homer, hostess.

Mrs Loui Fritz and Mrs Ethel Bishop of Lansing were guests with their "Dolls of Yesterday"

at a Mother and Daughter banquet Monday evening, May 6, at the Methodist Church of Banister.

Hazen Livermore of Stoll Road is seriously ill in Lansing General Hospital of Lansing. Mr and Mrs Tom Chaffee of US-27 Frailer Court are the parents of a baby girl born Sunday, May 5. Her name is Anna Marie. Mrs Chaffee is the former Anna Urie.

Bridgeville

By Mrs Thelma Woodbury

Mrs Florence Langdon of Owosso was a last Saturday evening supper guest of her brother and family, Mr and Mrs Henry Schmid St.

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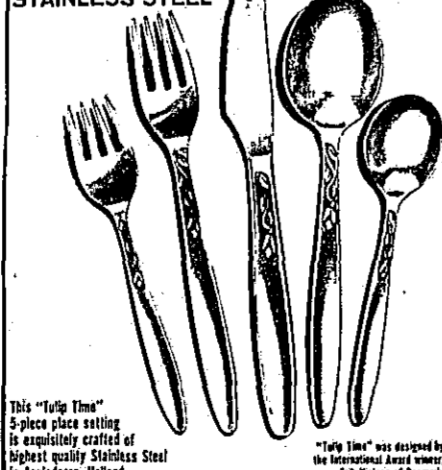
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Special Hospital Section

May 16, 1968

Clinton Memorial Hospital



Pediatrics is a lively place at Clinton Memorial Hospital, and last week when this picture was taken there were five youngsters

as patients — Ian Hill being held by Candy Striper Eileen Boak, Angela Martin being held by Nurse's Aide Judy Rivest, Ke-

in VanAtta in center chair, and Mark Droste and Martin Stone-

man at right. Looking on are pediatrics Head Nurse Mrs R.D. Devereaux, RN (left) and Mrs Doris Prowant, local chairman of the Red Cross Volunteers. Pediatrics IS a lively place.

Sunday, May 19 - 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Clinton Area residents are invited to inspect the hospital's new Fehling Wing and tour the remodeled adjacent structures

GUIDED TOURS FROM 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. SUNDAY, MAY 19

Open house only start of new era at hospital here

Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns will open its doors and most of its facilities to the public this Sunday in an open house intended to show off the new \$1 million - plus additions and remodeling of the hospital.

The open house will be from 2 to 5 p.m. The hospital is located on South Oakland Street near the intersection with Sturgis Street.

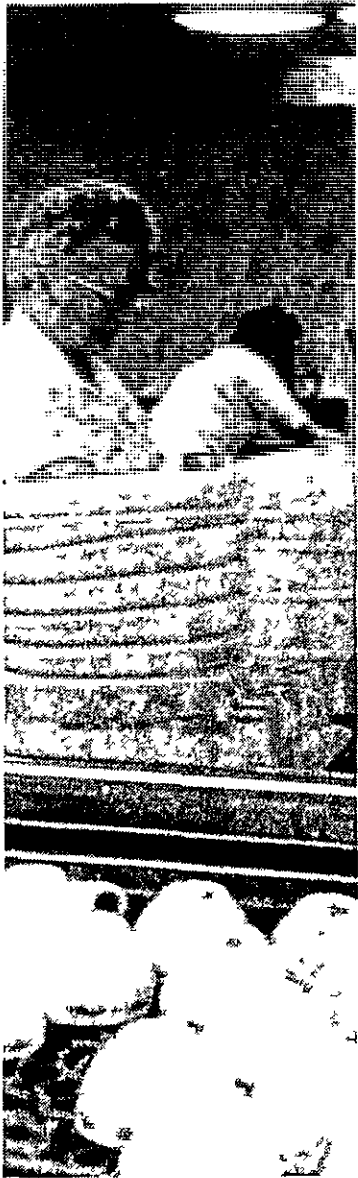
Although the emphasis of the open house will be on the new Fehling Wing on the west side and the new and remodeled other sections, the whole hospital will be involved.

St. Clair and Douglas Pardee of St. Johns are architects for the addition.

Most of the construction work is finished, but there still remains some remodeling in the original building and the relocation of several departments.

Construction of the hospital got under way in August 1966, and one of the first areas to be completed was the kitchen wing on the east side of the building. It was put into use last June, and contractors then shifted the emphasis to the Fehling Wing on the west.

The Fehling Wing is a two-



Mrs. Mary Kus (foreground) and Mrs. Mable Fero work in the dish washing area of the kitchen at Clinton Memorial Hospital. The kitchen is located in the new east wing and has been in use 11 months.

story addition. It houses the hospital's obstetrical department and nursery on the second floor. A section of the wing is also available for medical and surgical patients, according to William W. Barber, chairman of the hospital's building committee.

THE GROUND FLOOR of the Fehling Wing is occupied by a lobby and waiting room for visitors, administrative offices, central supply room and physicians' conference room.

An elevator provides for smooth vertical travel between floors of the new wing. New doors were also installed to shield the shaft of the three floor levels serviced by the original elevator in the older part of the building.

The new east kitchen wing provides not only a new kitchen but enlarged dining room and food service facilities.

The hospital improvement project also included an addition to the present boiler plant at the hospital and a third boiler to service the institution. New sterilizers have been installed and a new washing machine for the laundry is provided among the equipment purchases.

Back over in the main building, considerable remodeling and reshuffling have been going on in the original structure since completion of the additions.

Medical service areas on the ground floor were expanded and modernized, and an estimated \$50,000 is being spent for new x-ray equipment that will soon be housed in the area where the pediatrics department is located. Pediatrics will be moved to the second floor east.

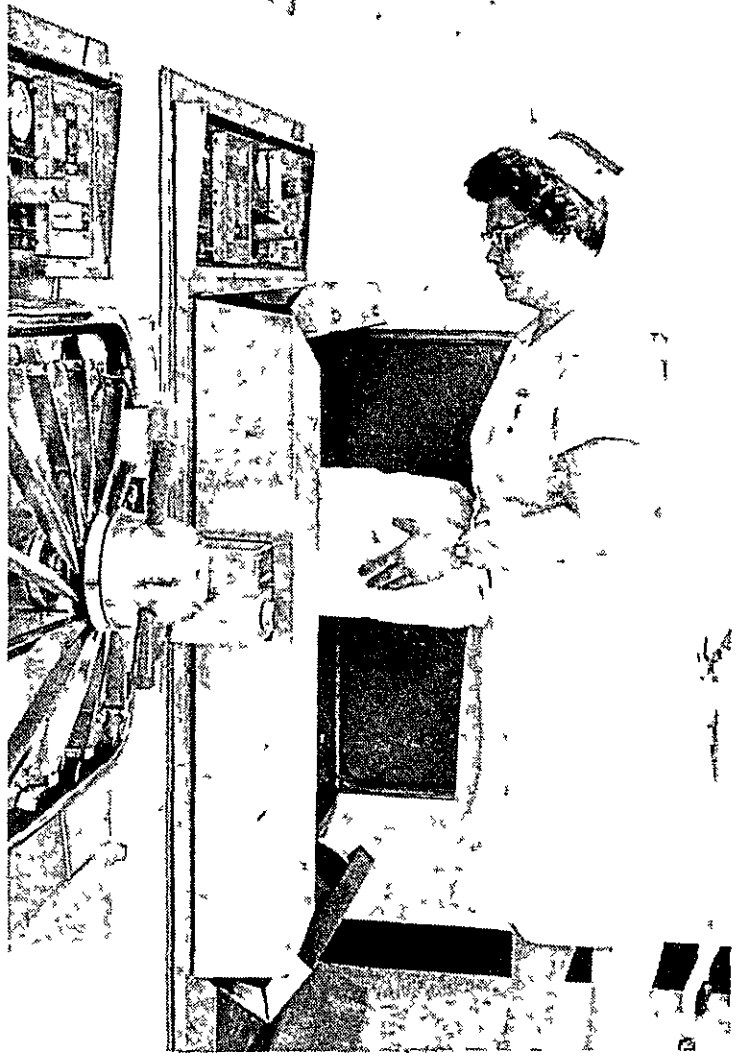
Air conditioning has been installed in the remodeled surgical suite, new delivery suite, new patient rooms and corridors and in the lobby and administrative areas.

Rearrangement of space on the upper floors of the hospital has made possible the addition of 15 new patient beds, increasing the

hospital's normal capacity to 85 beds.

A major factor in financing of the current hospital project was a \$560,000 grant from Federal Hill-Burton Funds. Clinton Memorial Hospital's share will come from surplus funds that were available from previous years' operations, from endowment income and unrestricted endowment funds, from private contributions and from loans negotiated with local banks.

Clark Construction Co. of Lansing has been the general contractor for the hospital work, while Holwerda-Huizinga Co. of Grand Rapids handled the mechanical contract, Fox Electric Co. of Lansing the electrical contractor; Haughton Elevator Co. of Toledo, Ohio, the elevators, and Douglas Brothers of Grand Rapids the equipment contract.



Miss Clara Lee takes a bundle of linen out of a sterilization unit in the central supply room at Clinton Memorial. Much of sterilization work prior to the addition was done in the surgical suite.

7 head association in 41 years

During the 41 years since its incorporation, only seven men have served as president of Clinton Memorial Hospital Assn and four have had the responsibility of secretary-treasurer of the association.

The list of presidents includes:

Coleman C. Vaughan, 1927-1936.
R.G. Allison, 1936-1938.
Lee A. DeWitt, 1938-1946.
Dorr M. Anderson, 1946-1948.
Joseph G. Matthews, 1948-1949 and 1954-1957.
George G. Hunter, 1949-1954.

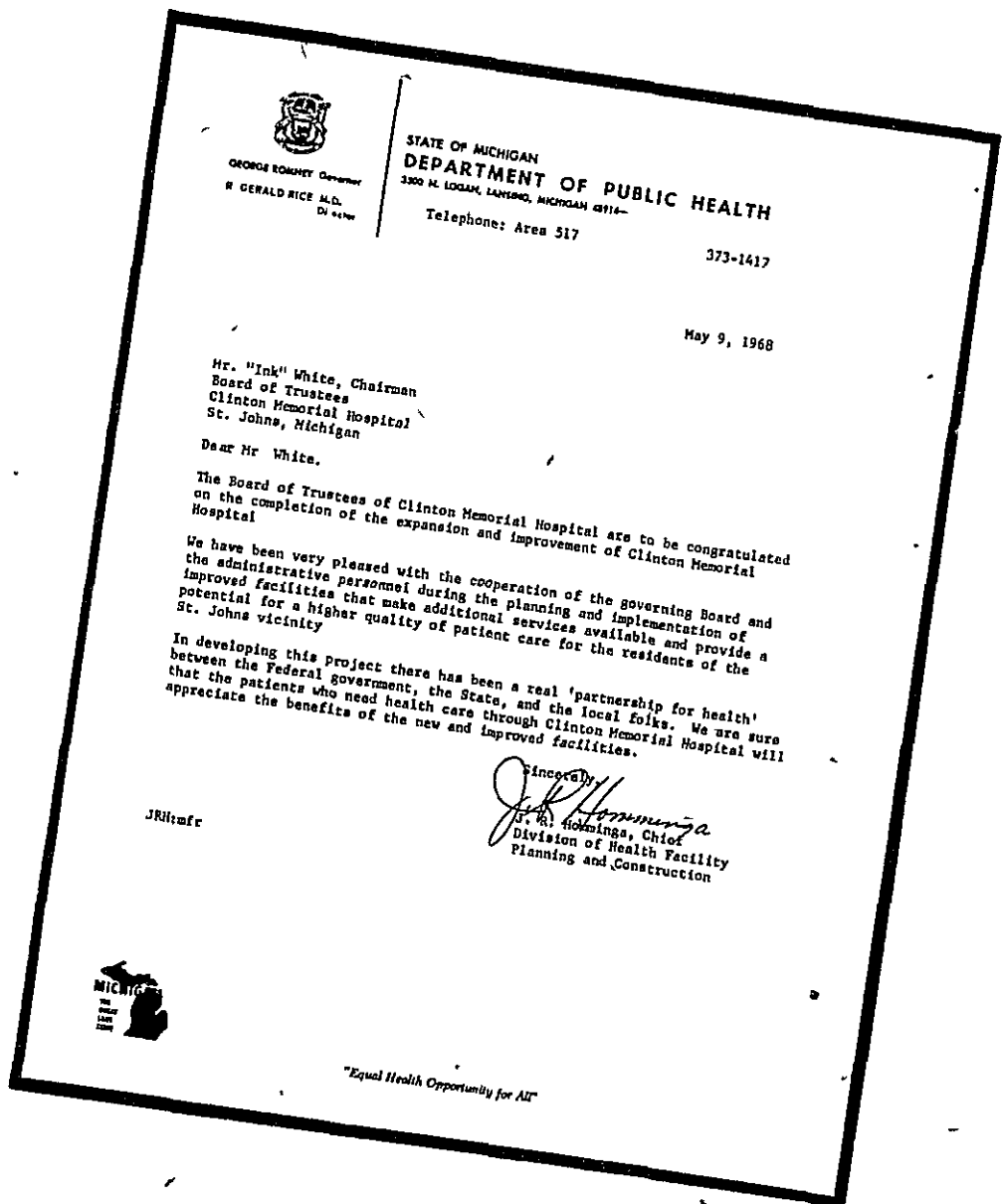
Alan R. Dean, 1957-1968.
SECRETARY - TREASURERS and their terms of service are: Schuyler L. Marshall, 1927-1945.
Arthur E. Wilson, 1945-1946.
Lewis W. Wolf, 1946-1960.
Leo W. Corkin, 1960-1968.

Hospital briefs . . .

During the early years of its operation, Clinton Memorial Hospital was aided materially by housewives in the area who canned fruits and vegetables and donated them for use in preparing patients' meals. Many farmers also donated produce to help reduce the hospital's financial outlay for patient care costs.

Clinton Memorial's physical therapy department administered 1,491 treatments to local patients during the past year.

The housewife who wants to help the various hearts in her family can serve more fish, chicken, veal and turkey, and less of the fatter parts of beef, lamb and pork, says the Michigan Heart Assn., a Michigan United Fund agency.



Purchase of heart monitor unit biggest Auxiliary project

A \$10,000 heart monitoring unit—a gift to Clinton Memorial Hospital from the Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and numerous donors—will be put into use as soon as final department relocations are completed at the hospital.

A year-long project to raise the money for the unit has resulted in it being the largest single project ever for the Auxiliary.

The heart monitor unit's operation is not complicated. It involves placing a small electrode on the patient's chest, and the patient's heart beat is then recorded simultaneously on monitors at the bedside and at the nursing station.

Any disturbance in the heart rate or stopping of the heart sets off an alarm system which alerts the nurse that the patient is having difficulty.

As soon as the alarm is sounded, the monitor at the nursing station automatically records a heart tracing. This assists the doctor in determining what heart irregularity has occurred and helps him in instituting prompt treatment. It also helps in picking up irregularities of the heart in patients who have disturbances occurring for five to 30 seconds.

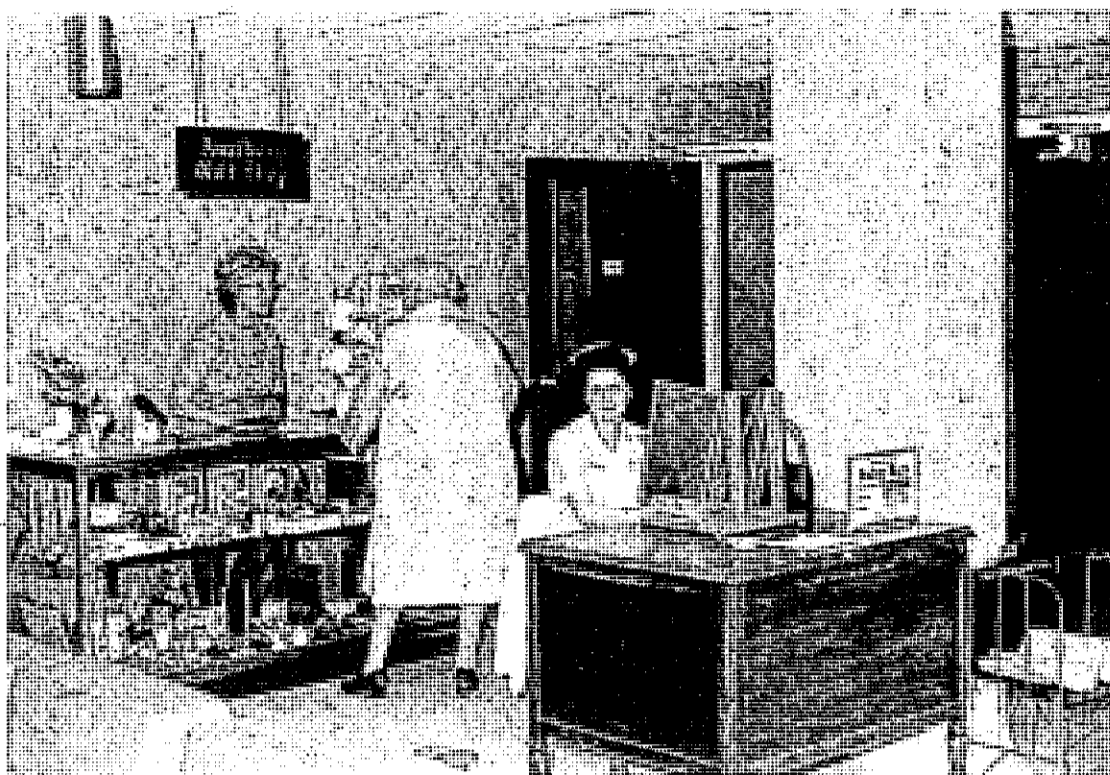
THE MONITOR actually will provide a continuous electrocardiogram on the patient's heart.

Separate from the monitor units but also used for intensive care of coronary patients will be a pacemaker unit. This is used to give an electric stimulant to the heart in times of stress.

Clinton Memorial Hospital presently has one of these units, but it is used strictly in surgery.

The heart monitor is being paid for through special bequests and donations and by numerous projects carried on during the past year by the Hospital Auxiliary. Mrs Fraser MacKinnon is president of the group.

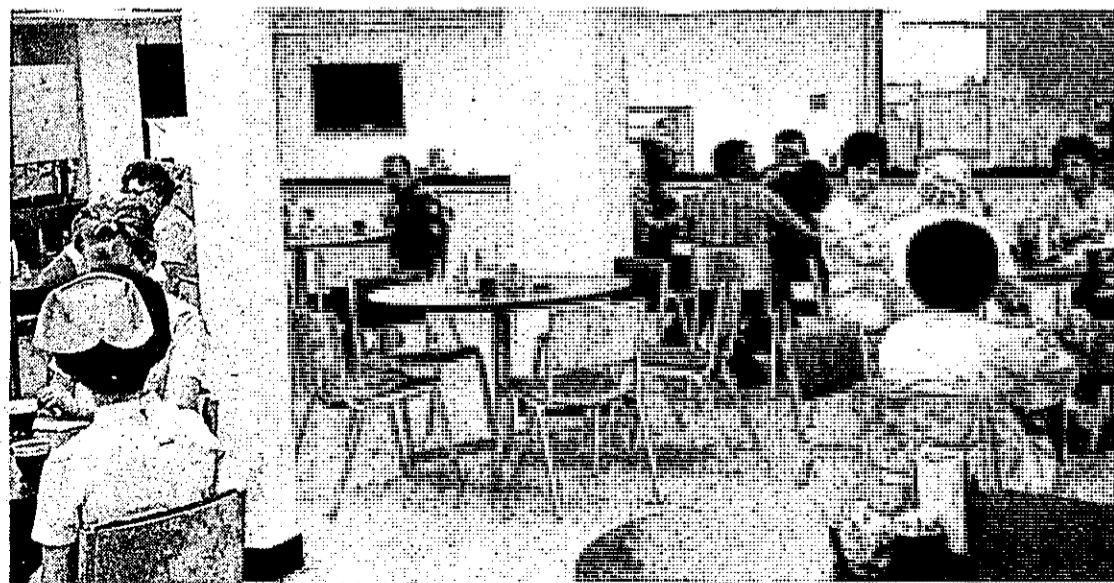
Other projects which the Auxiliary has played the major role in include the installation and service of television sets for patient use, supplying of draperies for the new Fehling Wing of the hospital, operating the gift cart and gift counter at the hospital, providing sewing and linen repair service and making tray favors.



Mrs John Spousta mans the Red Cross Volunteers' visitors desk in the new lobby while Mrs Winchell Brown works in the Auxiliary gift shop.



Mrs Helen Patterson checks out the hospital's heart monitor-pacemaker unit in surgery, a unit similar to one purchased for patients' rooms.



Clinton Memorial Hospital's new cafeteria-dining room area is used extensively on a daily basis by staff members. It's in the east wing.

Volunteers active in patient care

An active group of local Red Cross volunteers give thousands of hours of their time each year in assisting to care for the needs of patients at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

The volunteers' duties cover a wide range of activities which contribute greatly to the comfort of hospital patients. They are also responsible for the issuance of visitors' passes at the reception desk.

Mrs Edward Prowant is chairman of the volunteers, and Mrs Lawrence Merignac is co-chairman.

The current list of 23 volunteers includes Mrs Jane Beach, Mrs Ruby Blakeslee, Mrs Lucille Boak, Mrs Alice Carpenter, Mrs Carole Chalmers, Mrs Martha Foust, Mrs Ruth Going, Mrs Alice Helbeck, Mrs Lucille Helbeck, Mrs Florence Hopp;

Mrs Laura Jorae, Mrs Iva Kleuckling, Mrs Esther Martins, Mrs Elizabeth Millman, Mrs Martha Parks, Mrs Bernice Rice, Mrs Mildred Spousta, Mrs Dorothy Steves, Mrs Doris Swatman, Mrs Mary Warstler and Mrs Helen Woodhams.

Hospital Diagnoses

PROVIDED BEQUEST

The late William M. Smith, former St. Johns attorney, provided a bequest of \$145,000 to Clinton Memorial Hospital in his estate. Mr Smith specified that only the income from this fund might be used for hospital purposes. Over the years, proceeds from this restricted endowment have been most helpful in meeting budget commitments for maintenance of buildings at the hospital.

Medicare patients accounted for more than a third of the total patient days among persons serviced at Clinton Memorial Hospital during 1967. Of the 22,055 days of care provided during the year, 8,114 were patients covered by Medicare.

Technicians in Clinton Memorial Hospital's laboratories issued reports to physicians on 27,840 individual tests ordered during 1967.

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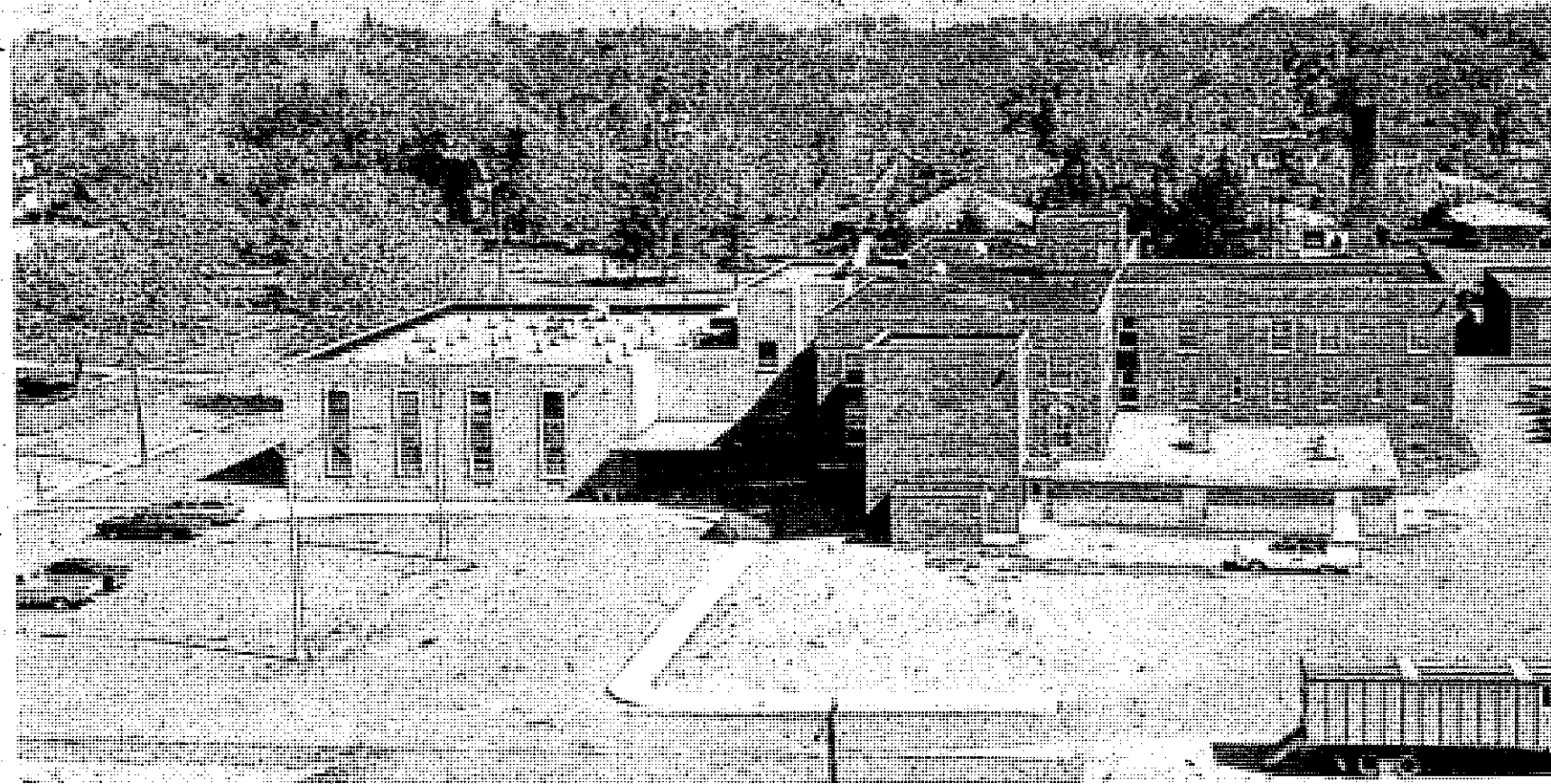
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The new look at CMH



Nurse Mrs. Georgianne Underhill keeps a close watch on a child in the nursery's incubator donated by the Hospital Auxiliary. The nursery is in the Fehling Wing.



CLINTON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL WITH NEW FEHLING WING AT LEFT AND NEW KITCHEN AT RIGHT



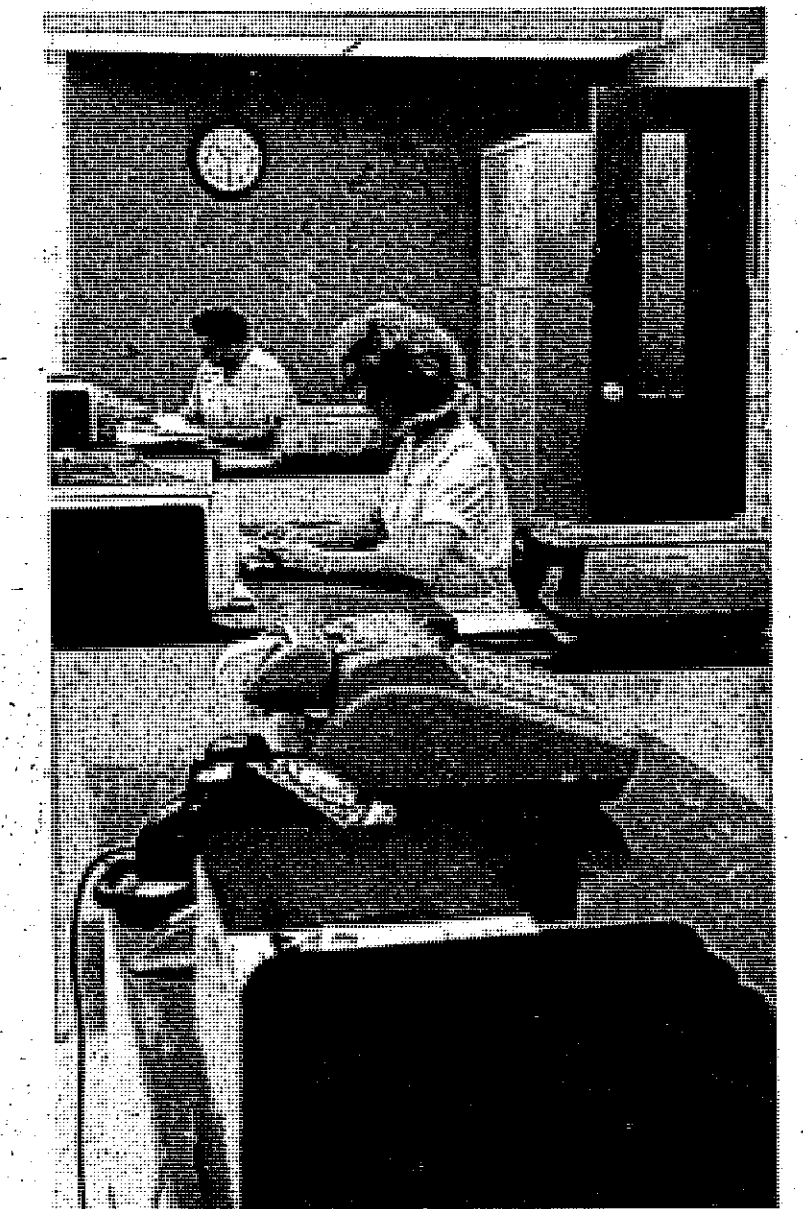
Mrs. Helen Patterson prepares for surgery in one of three surgical suite rooms. Windows formerly in the room were blocked in in the remodeling.



Miss Clara Lee gathers up items from the spacious shelves in central supply.



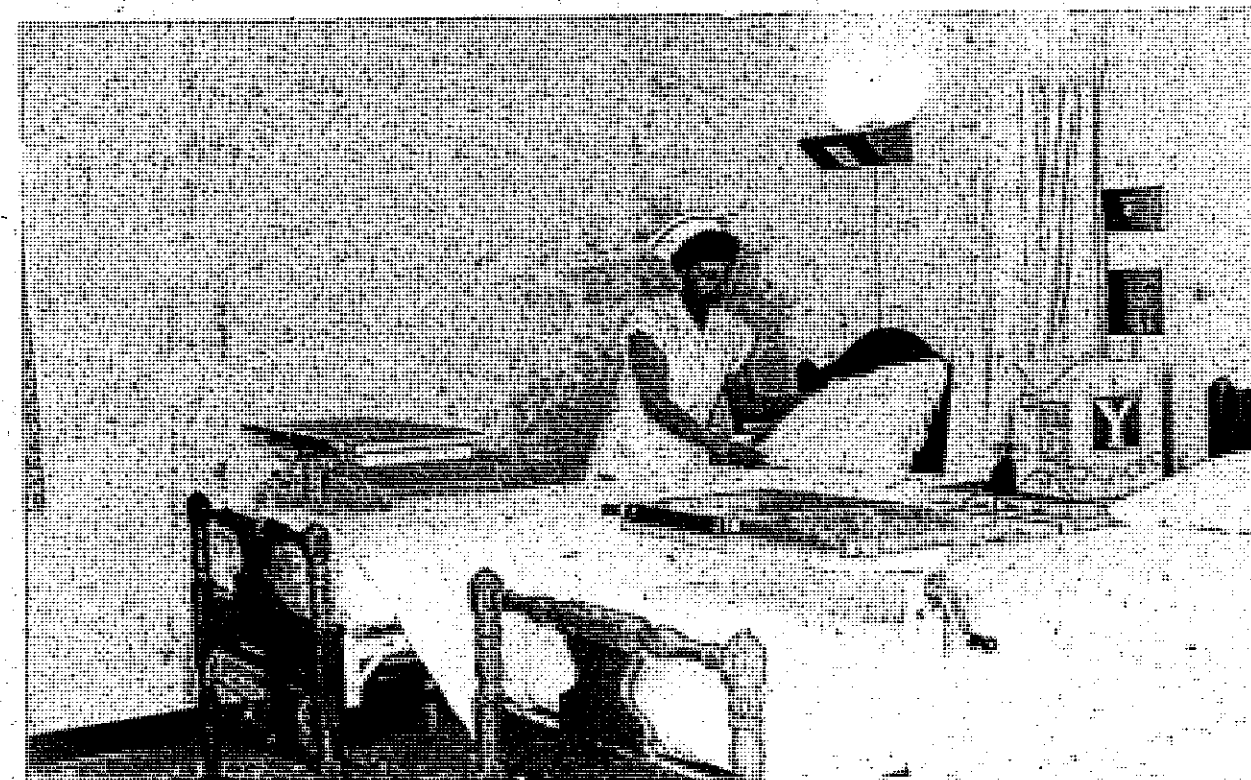
Mrs. Larry Motz prepares medicines for patients following doctors' orders. This "Medi-Prep" area is new and is adjacent to the nursing station near the surgical suite on the second floor. The hospital's new pharmacy room is located on the main floor in the new Fehling Wing.



Mrs. Dale Jorae (nearest camera) and Mrs. James Willette are employed in the accounting office at the hospital.

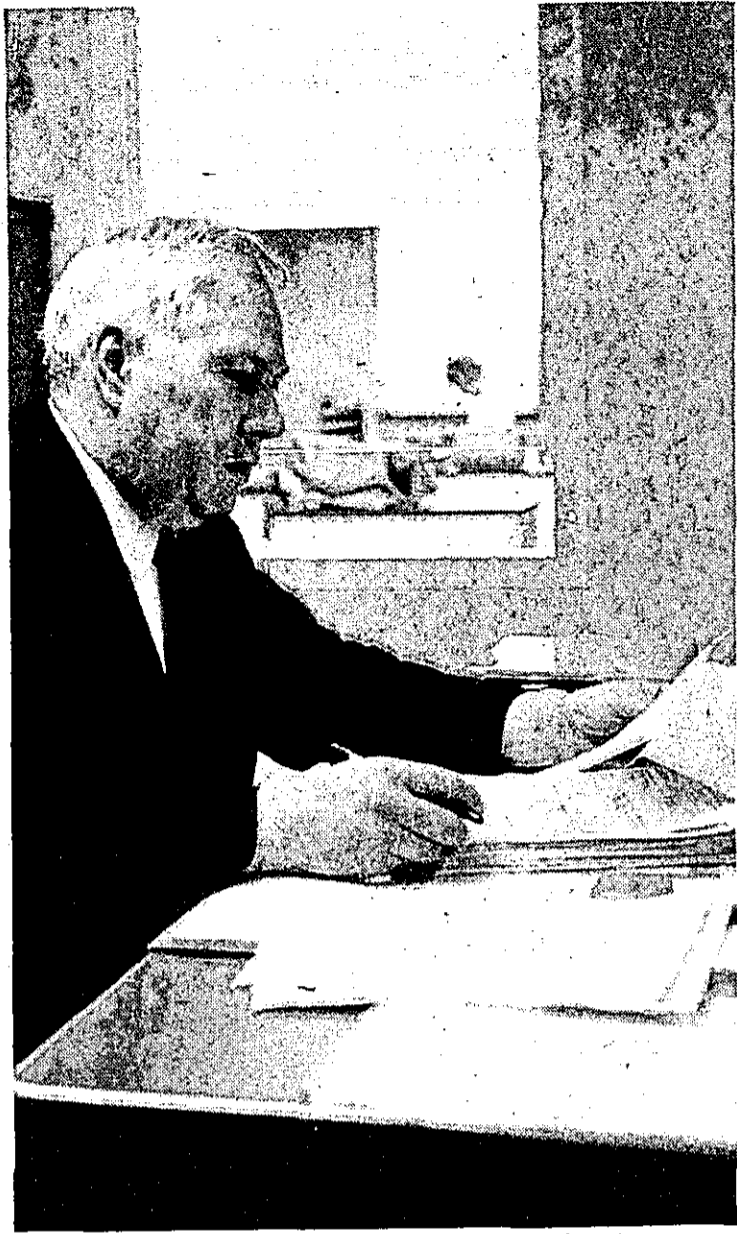


Mrs. Ronald Motz, RN, Mrs. Frederick Barnes, LPN, and Mrs. Rex Rockafello, LPN, talk over patients' conditions at the nursing station on the second floor of the Fehling Wing.

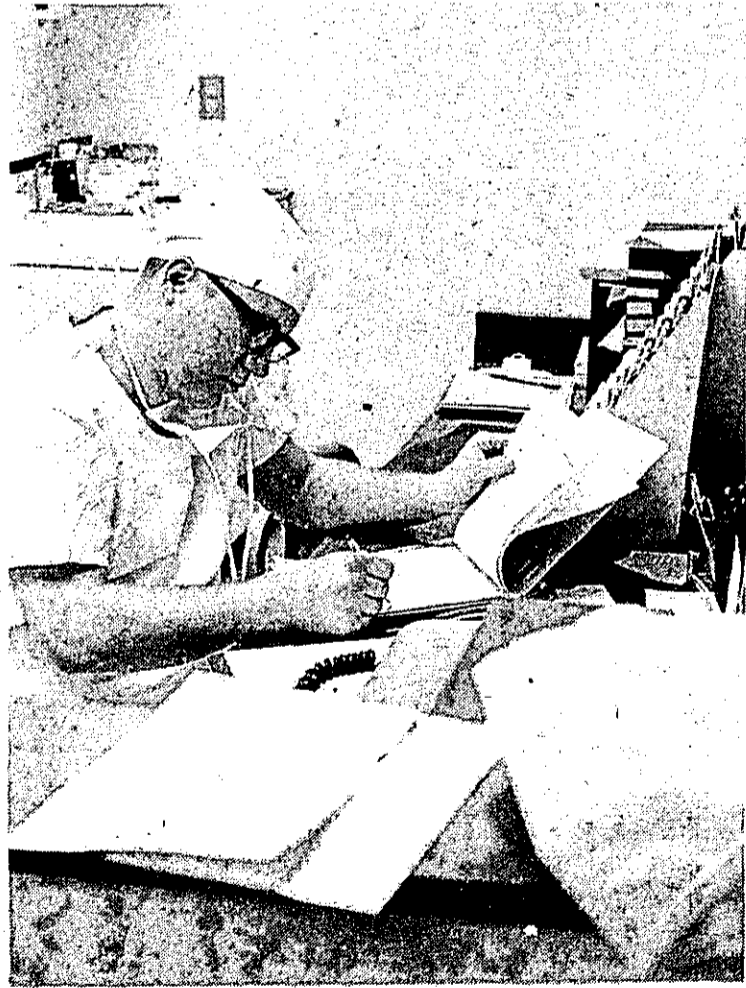


Mrs. William Buggs tidies up one of the new patient rooms in the Fehling Wing at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

54 physicians, dentists serve patients at CMH



Dr Wesley F. Stephenson works in the dictation room in the Fehling Wing. The room adjoins the doctors' lounge and the hospital's record room (background). Complete medical and surgical records are maintained for each patient served at Clinton Memorial Hospital.



Dr James M. Grost writes down medical data during a stop at the nursing station in the obstetrical department.

Fifty-four area physicians and dentists are currently listed on the active, associate, consulting and courtesy staffs which serve patients at Clinton Memorial Hospital.

P.F. Stoller, M.D., St. Johns, is the 1968 chief of staff. Vice chief of staff is W.F. Stephenson, M.D., St. Johns.

Chiefs of the seven service divisions are: S.R. Russell, M.D., F. A. C. S., surgery; W. F. Stephenson, M.D., medicine; J.M. Grost, M.D., pediatrics; P.F. Stoller, M.D., obstetrics and gynecology; G.W. Bennett, M.D., Elsie, anesthesia; P.F. Stoller, M.D., laboratories; and C.W. Lumbert, D.D.S., dentistry.

Other members of the active staff are: Bruno C. Cook, M.D., Westphalia, and Arthur C. Henthorn, M.D., St. Johns.

Associate staff members include W.B. Fillinger, M.D., Ovid; Charles T. Foo, M.D., St. Johns; Robert B. Johnson, M.D., and Victor L. Sheline, M.D., both of Ithaca; James S. Scott, M.D., DeWitt; and Earl M. Slagh, M.D., Elsie.

ST. JOHNS' dentists on the dental staff are: Drs Henry A. Burkhardt, Clifford W. Lumbert, Herbert L. Oatley, Donald R. White and Robert L. Wohlers.

Serving as members of the consulting staffs for the several services are:

Medical: Theodore I. Bauer, M.D., Lansing; Jerome Cordes, M.D., Lansing; Robert M. Stow, M.D., Lansing; and J.W. Wainwright, M.D., Lansing.

Obstetrical: Harry C. George, M. D., Lansing; Therton D. Loughrin, M.D., Lansing; Mahlon S. Sharp, M.D., Lansing; and Frederick W. Tamblin, M.D., Lansing.

Dental: Robert Root, D.D.S., Lansing; and Bernard Luck, D. D.S., Lansing.

Radiology: Charles O. Long, M.D., Lansing; M.A. Budden, M. D., Lansing; Thomas C. Payne, M.D., Lansing; and C.C. West, M.D., Lansing.

Orthopedic: Herbert W. Harris, M.D., Lansing; Jerome Kozak, M. D., Lansing; and George D. Stillwill, M.D., Lansing.

Pathology: Charles E. Black, M.D., Lansing; and Richard C. Mellick, M.D., Lansing.

PEDIATRICS: Howard C. Comstock, M. D., Lansing; Sprigg Jacob, M.D., Lansing; Benjamin J. Stone, M.D., Lansing; and Robert Trimby, M.D., Lansing.

E.N.T.: Jerome LeVett, M. D., Lansing; and Oliver B. Mc Gillicuddy, M.D., Lansing.

Surgery: William H. Meade, M.D., Lansing; Robert F. Thimmig, M.D., Lansing; and Ralph Wadley, M.D., Lansing.

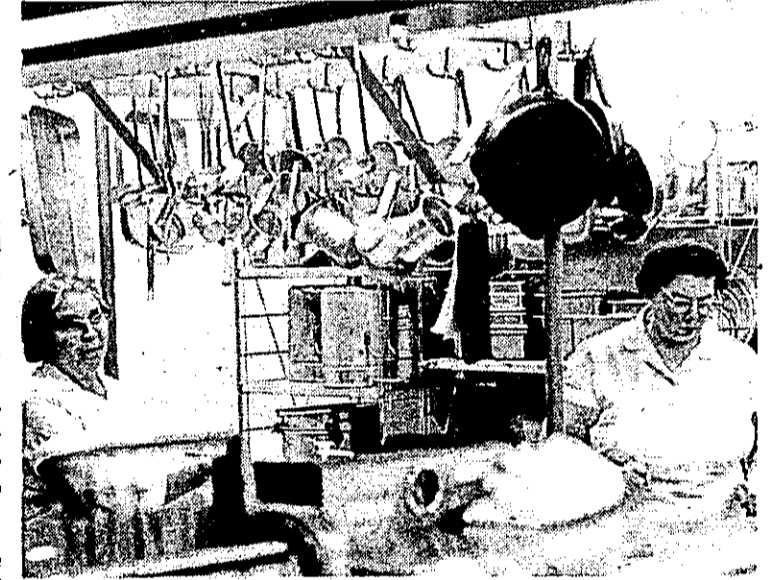
Urology: Jessie F. Harrold, M.D., Lansing; and Richard C. Mellick, M.D., Lansing.

Ophthalmology: Raymond E. Hogg, M.D., Lansing; and Justin L. Sleight, M.D., Lansing.

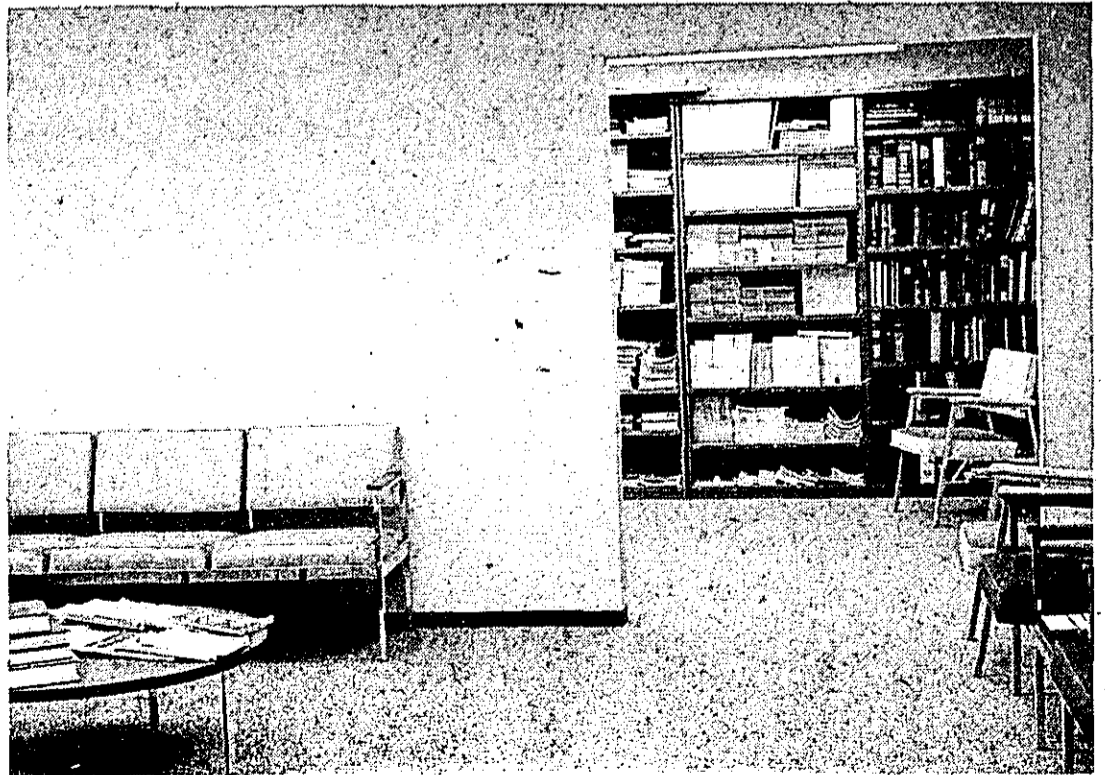
Courtesy staff: Richard Campbell, M.D., Ionia; Robert O. Smith, M.D., Ionia; Franklin W. Smith, M.D., St. Johns; and Joseph Sahlmark, M.D., Owosso.



Mrs Donna Love, RN, is chairman of the open house program this Sunday at Clinton Memorial Hospital.



Mrs James Bolton and Mrs Ed Light are among the ladies working in the kitchen



This bright, spacious room is the doctors' lounge, with the medical library in the background.

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Clinton Memorial Hospital Assn.

Clinton Memorial Hospital Assn is a non-profit corporation incorporated in 1927 under the laws of the State of Michigan. Its officers, directors and trustees serve without pay or any other consideration of monetary value.

The Women's Auxiliary with a contributing membership of several hundred women have over the past 41 years made annual contributions of money, materials, equipment and work of immeasurable value.

Operation of the hospital is delegated by the board of trustees to a seven-member board of directors.

The current list of trustees, directors and members of the Women's Auxiliary board appears below.

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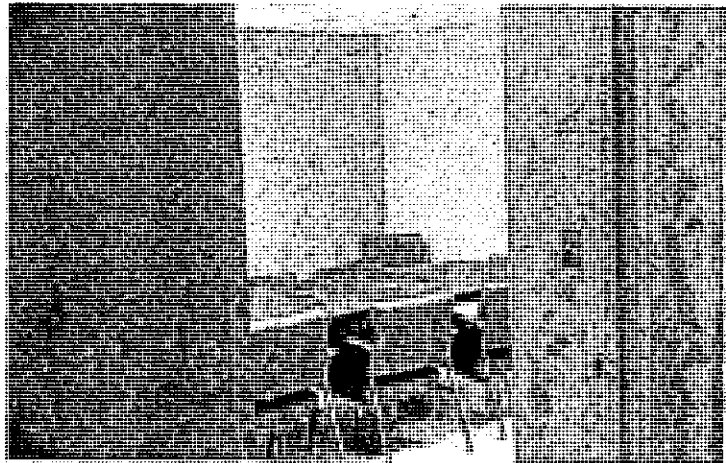
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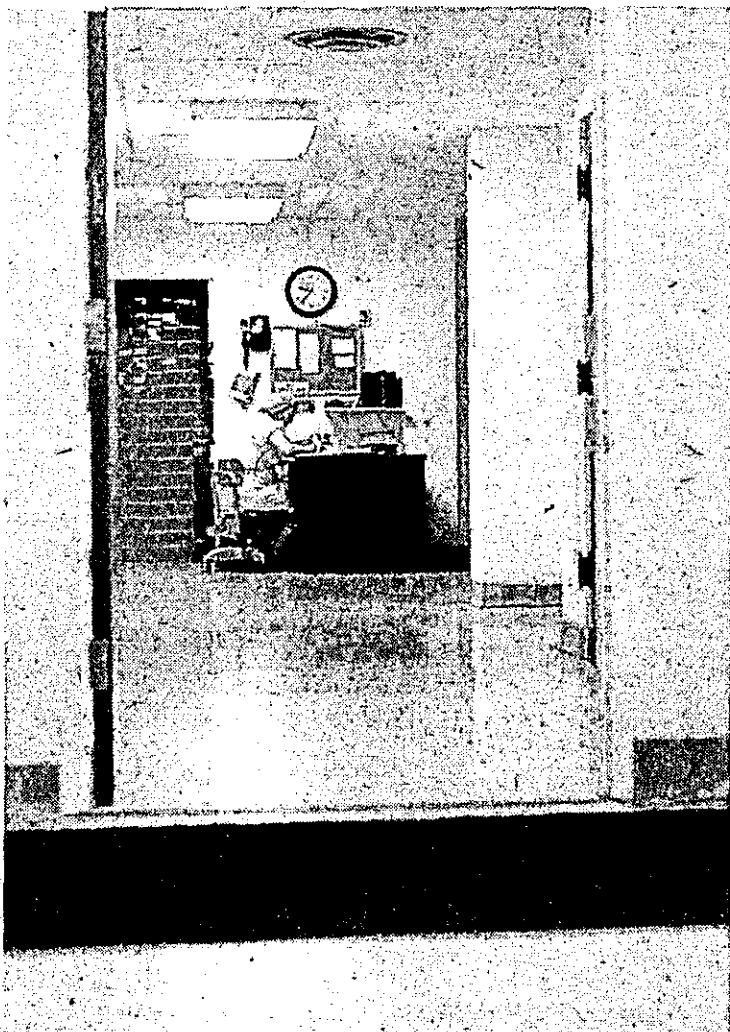
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Mrs Lewis Wolf



The hospital laundry is a busy place as employees keep hospital linen and uniforms clean and fresh. Mrs Miguel Medina and Julia Martinez fold and stack sheets in the foreground. In the background is Mrs Natividad Medina. Included in the current remodeling is a \$10,000 washing machine installation.



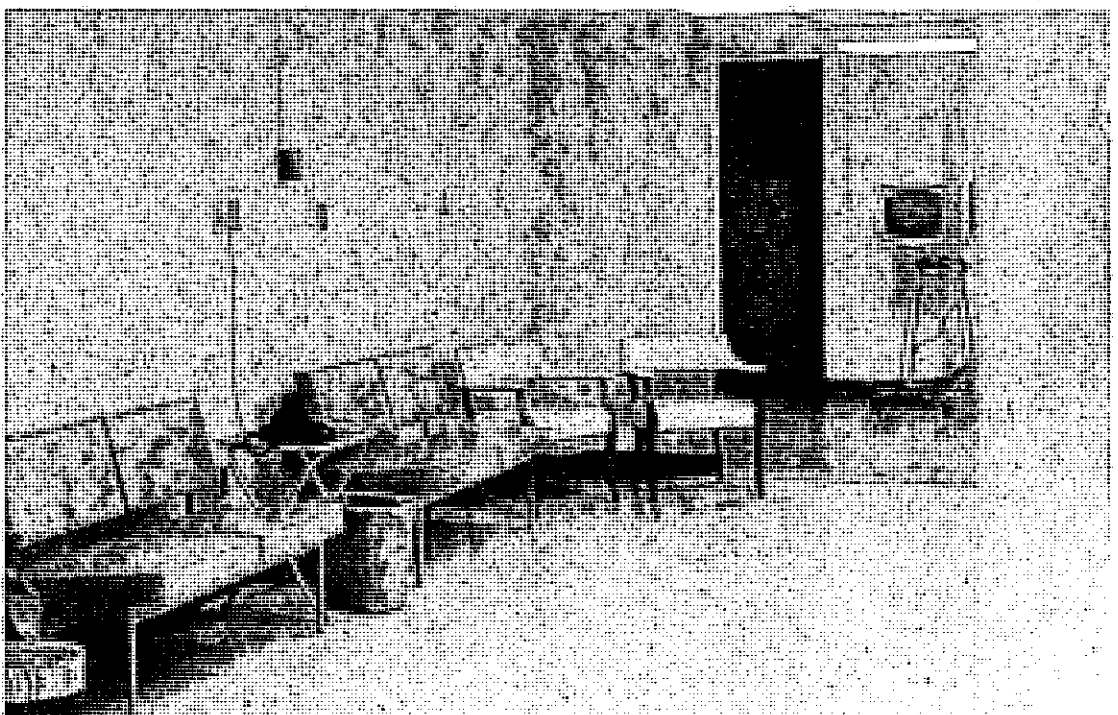
The camera looks into the conference room in the new Fehling Wing. The room is used for hospital staff training sessions and meetings of hospital-affiliated organizations. It is located on the ground floor.



Most patients entering the surgical suite see only the ceiling. It will be open on Sunday.



SHELVES IN CENTRAL SUPPLY ROOM ARE FULL



Just inside the Fehling Wing on the second floor of Clinton Memorial Hospital is this bright, spacious waiting room near the surgical suite.

Hospital growth steady since 1927

New Fehling Wing, adjacent new, remodeled buildings biggest additions

Clinton Memorial Hospital is an investment in community health facilities which has grown from its original cost of \$125,000 when it opened in 1927 to a current value in excess of \$2 million as it welcomes the public to open house in its new Fehling Wing and adjacent new and remodeled buildings this Sunday from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Opened as a 25-bed unit 41 years ago, the hospital has increased its capacity to a total of 85 beds this year and has added significantly to its service facilities for both bed patients and out-patients.

When it opened in 1927, Clinton Memorial was one of Michigan's first modern small-town hospitals. The idea for its construction was conceived at a meeting of community leaders in St. Johns on Jan. 12, 1926.

At subsequent meetings that same year, a building committee was named with authority to solicit funds for the erection and equipping of the building. The \$125,000 necessary to fund the project was raised through public subscription among residents and former residents of the community.

BOTH RURAL AND CITY FOLKS contributed their labor and funds to bring about the successful completion of the project. The county board

of supervisors appropriated \$30,000 for the building which was later repaid through free medical services to indigent patients.

Through judicious management and the generosity of Clinton County citizens over the years, Clinton Memorial Hospital has been able to sustain itself without public tax support for operation. Earnings have been plowed back into improved equipment and facilities.

A nurses' residence was erected north of the hospital's main building in the early 1930s at a cost of \$30,000.

A new east wing was added to the hospital in 1949 financed in part by a public subscription drive which brought in contributions of \$60,000 from local residents. During the 1950s additions were built to the north and south of the original structure and a separate laundry building was erected.

The current \$1,100,000 project which nearly doubles the previous size of the hospital plant, has been financed by a combination of public subscription, bequests and a \$560,000 federal grant of Hill-Burton funds.

A major contribution to the new building came from the estates of Edward W. and Mary B. Fehling. The late Mr Fehling was a successful

St. Johns attorney and former state senator. The combined Fehling bequests to the hospital amounted to more than \$200,000 and were used in the new construction.

Other unrestricted hospital endowments employed in the current building project were provided by generous bequests from the Estates of Jessie and Isabell Crichton, Mary A. Howard, Carrie M. Kellam, Adell H. McMaster, Essie McVean, Dr W.B. McWilliams, Edna Frink Mummery, C.W. Sheilenberger, Maude Townsend and Nettie Vaughan.

ALSO USED IN THE PROJECT were memorial funds given in memory of the following: Edith Setterington, Mrs Schuyler Marshall, Mrs George Olds, Mrs Maxine Antes, Mrs Mary Benson, Miss Minnie Barrington, Joseph G. Matthews and Edna Lamb.

Other major contributions towards the project came from General Motors Corp., Clinton County Medical Society, Consumers Power Co., F.C. Mason Co., Sealed Power Corp., Federal-Mogul Corp., General Telephone Co., Saylor-Beall Manufacturing Co. and members of its union Local 295, from Paul and Helen Freed and the Rev and Mrs Segtman.

Hospital employs 181 people

With 181 people on its regular payroll, Clinton Memorial Hospital is one of Clinton County's larger employers. The hospital's total annual payments for salaries and wages are in excess of \$700,000.

The hospital's operating staff is headed by Harold B. Reed, who has been administrator since October 1958. He previously served as business manager and began his association with the hospital in April of 1955.

Reed is an attorney and, in addition to his hospital duties he currently serves the city of St. Johns as municipal judge. He is former city attorney and a former member of the Clinton County Board of Supervisors.

Other department heads at the hospital are:

Mrs Dorothy Schoals, office manager.

Mrs Maxine Parmelee, dietitian.

Donald Isbell, laundry and housekeeping.

Mrs Patricia Simmett, RN, director of nursing.

Mrs Carol Eckley, X-ray.
Artemio Rigor, laboratory.

Hospital briefs . . .

The current nation-wide reduction in the birth rate is reflected in the records of Clinton Memorial Hospital's obstetrical department in recent years. Births during 1967 totaled only 247 as compared with 277 the previous year.

Prior to the opening of Clinton Memorial Hospital in 1927 the community's principal health facility was the 15-bed Hart Clinic which occupied what is now the Spring Street Apartments in downtown St. Johns.



HAROLD REED

42 girls serve at hospital as candy strippers

Forty-two teenage Clinton County girls serve Clinton Memorial Hospital as Candy Strippers—volunteer workers who contribute several hours of their time each week helping with chores which contribute to the comfort of hospital patients.

The volunteers include:

Kathy Bengel, Sandy Bengel, Eileen Boak, Karen Cornell, Maryann Droste, Lynda Droste, Lisa Davis, Marcia Feldpausch, Diana French, Arlene Fedewa, Dianne Fox, Janet Fox;

Carol George, Mary Jo Halfman, Diane Huhn, Linda Isbell, Mary Ann Kanaski, Diane Kramer, Rita Koenigsnecht, Susan Martinez, Sue McAlvey, Janice O'Brien, Elaine Ruhl, Diane Simon, Barbara Simon, Joan Simon, Kathy Schaefer;

Althea Shaw, Mary Ann Schrauben, Bette Schomisch, Judy Smith, Gall Shafley, Roseanne Smith, Linda L. Thelen, Linda A. Thelen, Louise Thelen, Theresa Thelen;

Lana Upton, Marilyn Weber, Jane Wieber, Marlene Werner and Debby Westland.



Clinton Memorial Hospital's prayer room provides a place for quiet meditation for both patients and visitors.

Hospital showed small '67 profit

In spite of handicaps to efficient operation brought about by the building and remodeling at Clinton Memorial during the 12-month period, the hospital showed a small profit during the year which ended Dec. 31, 1967.

In a report which will be delivered to the board of trustees at their annual meeting Thursday night, Secretary-Treasurer Leo W. Corkin will show that income for the year was \$2,400 in excess of expenses.

Total revenues for the year amounted to \$871,818 and expenses were \$869,418. Included among the costs is a charge of \$23,658 for depreciation.

The hospital operated at 74.3 per cent of maximum occupancy during the year as compared with 67.1 per cent the previous 12-month period.

A total of 7,476 persons were serviced as either bed patients or out-patients. A total of 950 surgical operations were performed.

Cost of food served per patient day was up to \$4.49 in 1967 as compared with \$3.98 in the previous year. Total operating costs per patient day were up to \$37.68 in 1967 in comparison with the 1966 figure of \$35.26.

A total of 5,933 X-ray examinations were performed by technicians in Clinton Memorial Hospital's X-ray department during the past year.