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15 Cents

We're ready to vote

Clinton County Clerk Ernest Carter received primary election ballots this week and by Friday was expected to have them in the hands of township and city clerks.

Carter received the ballots Thursday, a few hours after the deadline dictated by state law. The situation in Clinton County was the same in many other areas of the state, as 11th hour legal questions delayed printing of the complicated ballots.

A total of 8,350 ballots were printed by the Clinton County News for 16 townships; DeWitt and St. Johns. The townships all rely on paper ballots for voting. Although voting in the two cities is on machines, paper absentee ballots must be provided.

TWO DEVELOPMENTS added to complexity of printing ballots.

First was last-minute uncertainty about the ballot listings. A new state law provided that incumbent office seekers would be listed first, with names of challengers for the nomination following, in alphabetical order. After a lower court decision in Wayne County, however, the state Supreme Court ruled that the old "rotation system" of listing candidates should be used.

This means that names of candidates for an office must appear first on the list an equal number of times, and that incumbents be included in the rotation.



Clinton County Clerk Ernest E. Carter (right) is shown checking primary election ballots with Alden Haight (center), Clinton County News business manager, and John Hannah, mechanical superintendent.

A second complexity in producing Clinton County ballots was new county supervisor districts that crossed township lines. There are 11 such districts.

ROTATION OF names is the most time consuming operation for the printer. County News mechanical supt. John W. Hannah said ballots for some precincts were run through the press eight times.

Adding to the confusion was the way Clinton County falls in State House of Representatives districts and in Congressional dis-

tricts. In the legislature, part of Clinton is in the 88th Representative District, and part in the 87th District. Both districts have eight candidates running for Republican nomination. The names were rotated. The 88th has only one Democrat, but the 87th lists two. Names of the two were rotated.

In Congress, a portion of Clinton falls in the Third District where one Republican and two Democrats are competing, while another part is in the Sixth District where only one Republican and one Democrat are on the

ballot. In the latter case, rotating names isn't a factor.

THEN THERE ARE the 11 supervisor districts. Four have unopposed candidates, but seven have races, with as many as four candidates. All four names were rotated.

Sound complicated?

Said John Hannah mid-way through processing the ballots, "I hope they have plenty of room in state institutions, because they just may need it for the people who are printing these ballots."

Road toll now 18

Royal Oak man dies Saturday

A Royal Oak man became Clinton County's 18th traffic victim of 1968 late Saturday afternoon when his car, rammed the rear of an empty gasoline tanker on US-27 four miles north of St. Johns.

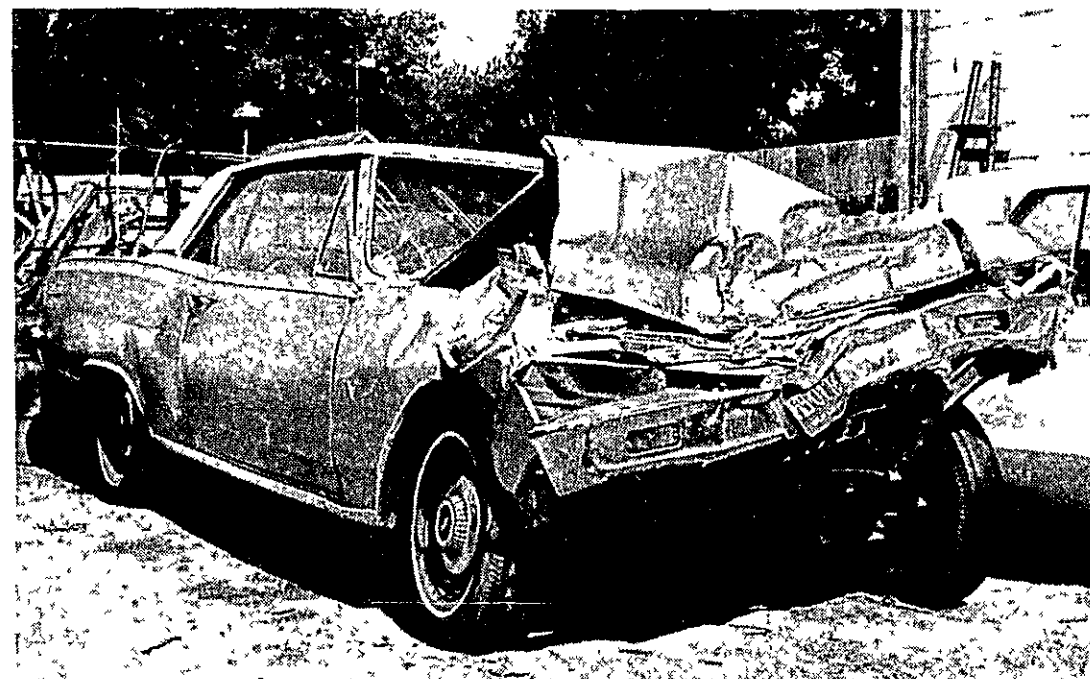
Clinton sheriff's deputies identified the victim as 22-year-old Thomas Andrew Baker.

THE MISHAP occurred at 5:35 p.m. one-quarter mile south of French Road. Deputies said Baker's southbound car rammed into the rear of the empty tanker driven by Larry Lee Williams, 26, of Mt. Pleasant. Baker's car traveled 180 feet after impact, deputies reported.

The twin tanker combination was owned by Taylor Bros., Mt. Pleasant. William complained of neck injuries, but was not believed seriously hurt.

Deputies could offer no explanation for the crash. They said Baker's car left no skid marks.

The victim suffered multiple injuries and was pronounced dead at the scene.



Thomas A. Baker, 22, of Royal Oak, died Saturday when his car (above) collided with the rear of a gasoline tanker on US-27 north of St. Johns.

No easy answers for hike

During the first six months of 1967, Clinton County recorded only three traffic fatalities. This year the total, as of last Saturday, stood at 18.

The 18 deaths have occurred in 15 accidents.

LOCAL LAW officials can only speculate on reasons for the increased slaughter on area roads. Sheriff Percy J. Patterson says most cases involve "carelessness and fast driving." Patterson also maintains that, on some roads, accidents often are the result of "dust flying with cars coming at a high rate of speed from both directions."

volunteers the theory that color of cars may play a part in the accident rate. "One accident involved a car which was solid colored—gun metal gray. It blended in with the road. Some cars which are beige and blend in with gravel roads have also been involved in accidents," Corson explains.

Corson's explanation may be accurate to a point. But he is the first to add that one accident involved two cars that were bright red.

ACCIDENTS persist, whether day or night. Of the 15 fatal mishaps, nine occurred in daytime when vision was good.

Geography also has revealed an interesting pattern. Of the 15 fatal crashes, 14 have taken place in the southern half of the county. Saturday's fatality on US-27 near French Road was the first death posted north of M-21.

High fatality rates are nothing new to Clinton County. Before US-27 became a double-lane highway, the traffic toll reached into the 30's several years. The new road, however, has greatly reduced fatalities in recent years. In 1966, 14 died on Clinton roads and the total for all of 1967 was 13.

What's going on this year? There's no explanation.

Modest cutback by POs

A modest reduction of postal services at Clinton County's first and second class post offices will become effective July 27.

The county's only first class post office is St. Johns. Second class offices include DeWitt, Elsie, Ovid and Fowler.

ACCORDING TO A directive from the Post Office Department's Chicago regional office, window service at post offices will be reduced to not more than two hours on Saturdays, and Saturday operations at windows will be cut. The only window services will be handling of general delivery mail and distributing to business firms mail of primary or secondary classes. Sale of stamps and money orders will be discontinued on Saturday.

Last Thursday Postmaster General W. Marvin Watson announced plans for an austerity program by the Post Office Department. Elimination of Saturday carrier delivery was mentioned, but according to St. Johns Postmaster, J.D. Robinson, there has been no order to this effect.

Robinson has received two orders since Watson's announcement. The first put a freeze on extending city delivery service to new areas and extension of rural routes. This directive arrived Monday.

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Another success story

We'd like to tell you a Clinton County News want ad for three weeks. But frequently it just doesn't work out. For example, Sam Sample of 210 Ross St., St. Johns, needed only one week to realize results from this ad:

1959 CHEVY PICKUP, 3/4 ton box. Also homemade camper, 1960 Rambler, double laundry tubs and a refrigerator. Call 224-7393 or inquire at 210 Ross Street.

Within hours after the paper was out, Mr Sample had disposed of all the items. YOU TOO CAN GET FAST RESULTS WITH CLINTON COUNTY NEWS WANT ADS. Won't you let us print your success story?

Medical care unit planned

A 100-bed medical care facility which will generate an annual local payroll of over \$300,000 is scheduled for construction in St. Johns.

Groundbreaking is slated for late this summer, with anticipated opening late next spring. To be known as Provincial House, Inc., the new facility will be part of a group of convalescent care homes in operation or under construction in four other Michigan cities. Melvin R. Thompson, treasurer of Provincial House, told a News reporter that other locations include Marshall and Hastings, where operations are scheduled to begin in September and February, respectively, and in East Lansing where two facilities are already in service.

THOMPSON explained the objective of Provincial House is to provide a complete range of medical attention in the areas between those offered by hospitals and nursing homes and services will be available for patients of all ages.

The St. Johns Provincial House, which will employ 75 local persons, is to be situated on a site along Scott Road near the intersection of Walker Street. Land for the new facility has been acquired from Saylor-Beall Mfg. Co. and Russell Allman, managing partner of the latter firm, explained proceedings are

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Parr again heads St. Johns board

Raymond Parr has been re-elected president of the St. Johns Board of Education.

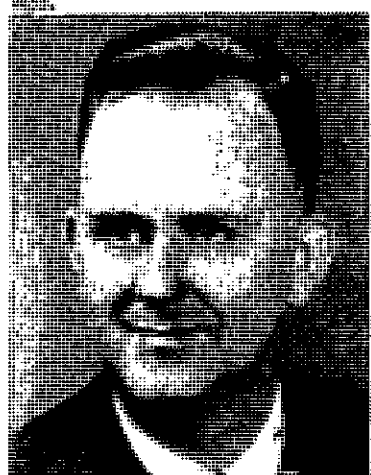
Parr and other officers were re-elected during last week's organizational meeting of the board. Fred Meyer again will serve as secretary and Alden Livingston as treasurer.

A FINANCIAL report showed the district ended the year with an \$87,540 deficit, some \$13,000 less than had been anticipated.

Bids on gasoline, fuel oil and tires were opened. Cutler Oil Co. submitted low bid for gasoline, while St. Johns Oil Co. was tabbed for additional investigation.

The board approved use of the Lamb School for primary

election voting by Bingham Township. The township hall was damaged by a storm three weeks



RAYMOND PARR

CLINTON COUNTY
traffic deaths
Since January 1, 1968
18
THIS TIME LAST
YEAR: 4

Three hurt when car hits wagon

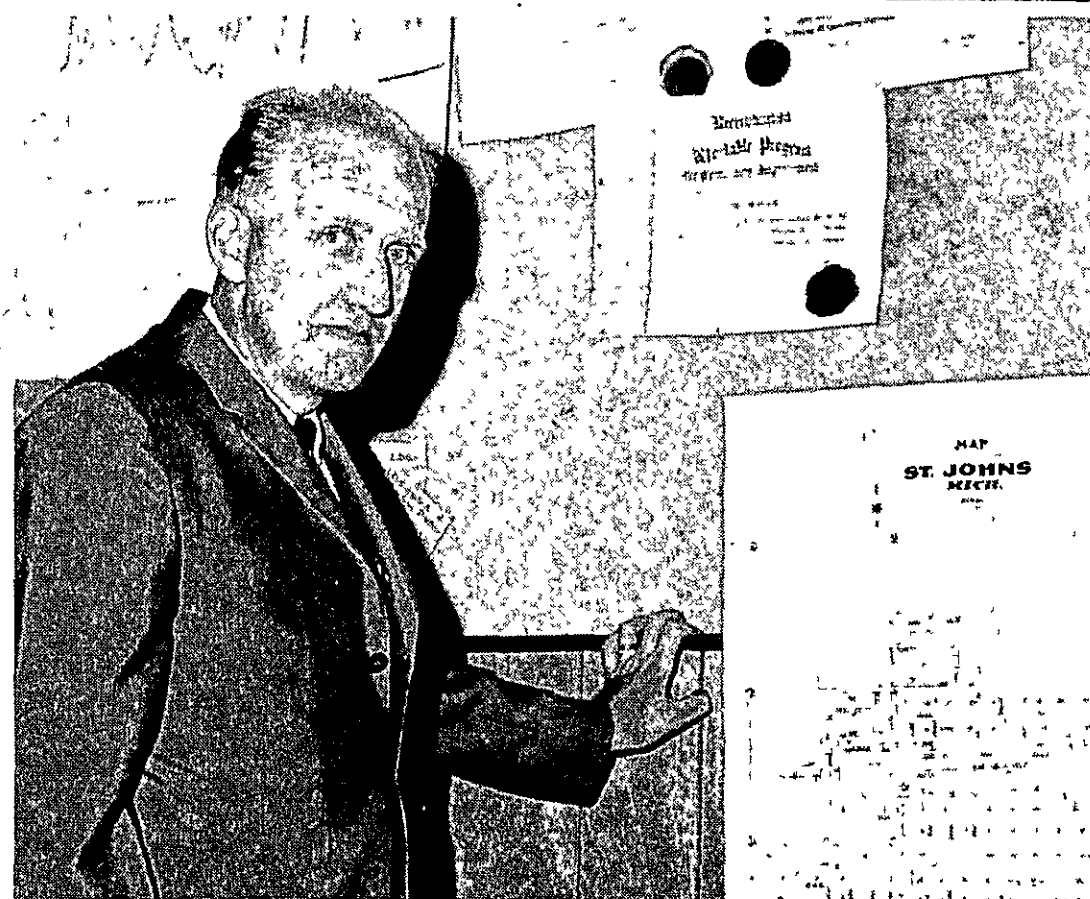
Three persons were injured Thursday night when a car rammed into a farm tractor-wagon combination on Hollister Road one-half mile north of Mead Road.

Sheriff's deputies ticketed Earl Dobberstein, 35, of R-2, Elsie, for driving a farm tractor without lights after dark after the tractor-wagon combination was struck in the rear by a car driven by Robert Wooley, 19, of R-1, Elsie.

Dale Dobberstein, 14, of R-2, Elsie, was riding on the tractor and suffered bruises and abrasions. Taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital with several bruises and abrasions was Ruth Dobberstein, 34, of R-2, Elsie, riding on the wagon, according to deputies.

A passenger in the Wooley car, 19-year-old Karen Lynn Christmas of Bannister, suffered bruises.

The mishap occurred at 9:50 p.m.



SURVEYING HIS NEW TERRITORY

Harvey Weatherwax, new city manager started his new work on Monday, July 15. On his first day, Mr Weatherwax paused a moment to survey the city map of St. Johns. He comes to St. Johns from Imlay City where he was city manager for five years. The appointment was made after the resignation of Kenneth Greer.

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underway for zoning redesignations.

THE AREA is presently zoned for industrial use which precludes operations such as that being considered, but a request for commercial zoning is being forwarded to the city commission and planning and zoning commission.

The location is 360 feet square and encompasses approximately 3-1/2 acres of land.

Provincial House, Inc. was formed five years ago and has been undergoing steady growth since its beginning.

According to Thompson, the facility at St. Johns will maintain a staff physician, dentist, dietitian, podiatrist and a number of therapists. In addition to physical therapy, speech, hearing, occupational and recreational therapy programs will be provided.

Plans for the new Provincial House are being prepared by Mayotte-Webb, East Lansing architects, and construction will be under the direction of Banta-Brooks, Inc., of Lansing.

Vandals cut off power

Residents of Westphalia were without electric service for about one hour last Wednesday following juvenile vandalism to equipment in a Consumer Power Co. hydroelectric plant along the Grand River south of Portland.

Damage was inflicted to high tension insulators, meters and fuses in a fenced-in area of the Weber Hydroelectric Station, causing two transformers to short out.

Consumers Power Co. officials estimated damage to be approximately \$3,500 and stated that the entire area where the damage was done is enclosed by a high fence posted with warning signs advising of high tension power equipment.

Identity of the vandals was not released but Ionia County sheriff's deputies indicated no one was believed injured.

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

Cutbacks

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TUESDAY, ROBINSON and the other postmasters were notified of curtailment of Saturday window service. The St. Johns Post Office has offered full window service from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays. Robinson said he would announce window hours to go into effect Saturday, July 27, by next week.

Robinson said the St. Johns office usually operates with two inside men on Saturday mornings. "There's the possibility we could get by with one man on mornings. There's the possibility we could get by with one man on Saturdays, but we won't know until we try it," Robinson said.

Kramer heading board

Carl W. Kramer was named president of the Pewamo-Westphalia School Board during the group's organizational meeting July 8.

Charles Hengesbach was elected secretary and Gerald J. Thelen treasurer.

Ronald Schafer was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Allan Wood as trustee. Other trustees are Thomas Droste, Francis Trierweiler and Eugene Cook.

The Maynard Allen State Bank Central National Bank and Clinton National Bank were named depositories of school funds for the 1968-69 school year. The Maynard Allen Bank was named as depository for the school checking account.

Regular board meetings are held in the high school building on the second Monday of each month at 8 p.m.

2 mishaps in city

St. Johns Police report two accidents the past week.

Sunday, three cars were involved in a mishap at E. Higham and N. Traver St. Police said a car driven by Welford A. Fermon, 45, of 1206 S. Lansing St., St. Johns, was traveling north on Traver St. when struck in the rear by a car driven by Franklin D. Lyon, 31, of Owosso. Lyon was driving east on Higham, police said. After the collision, the Fermon car was forced into a parked car owned by Jack Spencer of Holt. The mishap was reported at 7:25 p.m.

Monday afternoon cars driven by Rev. C.G. Samograd, 64, of Willowdale, Ont., and Harold Speakman, 50, of Grove City, Ohio, collided at US-27 and M-21. Police said Rev. Samograd, was turning left from US-27 and collided with the northbound Speakman car.

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Joseph Cepko needs to spend much time with his bees. Here he spends a few moments checking the development of the combs on the racks with in each colony. Each colony will be able to produce about 100 pounds of honey.

More than 3,000,000 bees inhabit Clinton County

Did you know that more than 3,270,000 bees live in Clinton County? At least that many live here because that is how many live on the Joseph Cepko farm.

Cepko, a retired Detroit merchant, is a bee keeper and tends to the bees at his home on the edge of St. Johns. He keeps the bees, fruit trees and a small vineyard as a hobby and sells his produce at a road side stand.

He and his family, his wife, daughter and parents, moved to St. Johns in 1963, but had owned the farm since 1940 and had been keeping some bees there since 1941. He says it all started when a small swarm landed on the side of his house. He managed to capture them and then got himself the necessary equipment to properly handle them.

Today, Cepko has more than 40 colonies of actively producing bees and also a few unproducing swarms on his farm. Each colony has about 70 to 85 thousand bees. This year is the first time he has tried to develop his colonies. In the past he says it was strictly a small hobby. Since he retired in 1963 he has had more spare time and has been building his collection. Previous to this year, he usually kept about 20 colonies.

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On occasion he will bottle the honey in one or four pound quantities in a small number, but the majority of his produce is processed in 60 pound containers. Before the honey is ready to be eaten, it must be put through a process similar to homogenization. Carefully, the produce is heated by gas in a way like a double boiler. If he is not careful, Cepko could cause the honey to caramelize.

The bee's produce is collected only once in the summer. The bees will work from the "first flower in May until late August," Cepko says "and I collect the honey once about mid-July or toward the end of that month." Sometimes he will be able to drain off a little at the end of the season in late August or early September.

Each bee will produce about 1 1/2 ounces of honey in a life time which is only about six weeks. The queen bee, the leader of the colony, will live much longer. Sometimes as long as 3 years, but that is only if she does not produce any honey and lays few eggs. Cepko says that his bees will travel as far as six miles to gather nectar for their honey-making, but adds that usually a trip is about one to three miles long.

Cepko has learned how to handle the bees. On a good day for

work, a calm, sunny day he does not bother them. To open a hive, he uses a device similar to a small bellows with a can attached which produces smoke. He smokes the front of the hive and the top before opening it. He claims that this will calm the bees and he then is able to open the hive without bothering the bees. Seldom do the bees bother him. Usually he only wears a hat with a protective net on it. Several times he has been stung on the hands, but the stings affect him very little. His wife though, is very allergic to the bee sting and seldom goes any where near the hives. Seldom does she leave her house. Only three years ago did she discover that the bees had a diverse effect on her. She was stung on the neck and became very ill. Now she has the protection of a serum which was provided by the state health department and will counteract the sting.

Annually the state health department will inspect the premises of bee keepers and Cepko says that he has been told that his bees are some of the best kept bees in the area. He can replenish his supply of bees by the help of the people in the county. He says that when a swarm lands near a house the residents of the home will call him and he will catch the bees and add them to his colonies. Although it is just a hobby, Cepko is kept quite busy with his three million bees.

A busy weekend at county jail

Clinton County Jail had a busy weekend, with 11 persons lodged for various violations.

Richard Lynn Bovee, 21, of Lansing, paid a \$75 fine and \$28 costs after appearing before DeWitt Justice Gordon Willyoung on a drunk and disorderly charge.

Harold N. Hedin, 46, of Lansing, was fined \$100 and ordered to pay costs of \$48.70 by St. Johns Municipal Judge Harold Reed after appearing on a charge of driving while under the influence of liquor.

William A. Shellito, 35, of Lansing, was charged with assaulting a police officer. He appeared before Justice Willyoung and waived preliminary examination. Bond was set at \$1,000 with arraignment in Circuit Court scheduled Aug. 12.

Natividad Medina, 49, of 419 West Gibbs, St. Johns, appeared before Judge Reed on a charge of driving while under the influence of liquor and was fined \$100 with \$18.70 costs.

DeWitt Justice Roy Decker ordered a \$115 fine and \$25 costs after William P. McDaniel, 17, of Lansing, appeared on a charge of attempting to elude a police officer.

Alva Eugene Woodham, 20, of R-5, St. Johns, paid a fine of \$20 and costs of \$6.50 after appearing before Justice Reed for fighting in public.

James H. Green, 52, of Lansing, was fined \$25 with \$25 costs after pleading guilty to a drunk and disorderly charge before Justice Willyoung.

Lee C. Gilmore, 19, of Monticello, was fined \$50 with \$20.50 costs by Justice Willyoung after appearing on a charge of driving with no valid operator's license.

Russell S. Dalley, 32, of Hubbardston was charged with drunk and disorderly and was fined \$50 with \$25 costs and ordered to spend 15 days in jail by Justice Willyoung.

Andrew Girvin, 18, of Hubbardston, was fined \$50 with \$25 costs after appearing before Justice Willyoung on a drunk and disorderly charge.

Patrick H. O'Malley, 41, of North Hampton, Mass., waived examination before Justice Willyoung after being charged with larceny from a building. Bond was set at \$10,000, with July 22 set as date of Circuit Court arraignment.

Cow dies when hit Saturday

Patrick E. Wohlfert, 25, of Box 24, Westphalia, was treated for lacerations of the leg and face after his car struck and killed a cow on Price Road early Saturday morning.

Clinton sheriff deputies said the cow was owned by James Eaton of R-4, St. Johns. After the impact, Wohlfert's car ran into a ditch. The driver was thrown from the vehicle. The mishap was reported at 12:02 a.m.

In other weekend mishaps, cars driven by Dennis Covell, 16, of Jackson, and James C. Butler, 21, of R-5, Grand Ledge, collided on M-100 north of County Line Road at 11:15 a.m. Saturday.

Early Sunday afternoon, cars driven by Howard C. Pearson, 59, of Lansing, and John Stankula, 53, of 609 Birchwood, DeWitt, collided at US-27 and Hill Road. Stankula was cited for failure to yield the right of way.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Constance Wakefield, R-3, St. Johns, and Forest R. Conley, Fowler, are among nearly 300 prospective Central Michigan University freshmen taking part in preregistration and orientation on the campus this week.

In addition to registering for fall classes, the young people are becoming acquainted with the campus, meeting many of their instructors, as well as having an initial experience with dorm living.

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in the State of Michigan, at the close of business on June 29, 1968. Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U.S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 2,229,374.04
United States Government obligations	3,480,112.02
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	5,202,017.17
Securities of Federal agencies and corporations	700,000.00
Other Securities	28,042.00
Loans and discounts	20,503,683.28
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	350,121.21
Real estate owned other than bank premises	21,863.72
Other assets, including \$0.00 direct lease financing	83,244.47
Total Assets	\$32,578,457.91

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 6,664,266.49
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	19,821,702.05
Deposits of United States Government	218,417.31
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	2,792,921.50
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	170,705.78
Total Deposits	\$29,668,013.13
Total demand deposits	8,349,103.18
Total time and savings deposits	\$21,318,909.95
Other liabilities, including \$0.00 mortgages and other liens on bank premises and other real estate	400,000.12
Total Liabilities	\$30,068,013.25

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common stock—total par value	\$ 668,000.00
No. shares authorized 33,400	
No. shares outstanding 33,400	
Surplus	733,000.00
Undivided profits	308,444.68
Reserves	800,000.00
Total Capital Accounts	\$ 2,510,444.68
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$32,578,457.91

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	\$29,647,264.07
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	21,208,168.43
Loans as shown above are after deduction of valuation reserves of	325,250.19
Securities carried at \$1,505,538.13 in the above statement of June 29, 1968 are pledged to secure public deposits, including deposits of \$319,387.60 of the Treasurer, State of Michigan, and for other purposes required by law.	

I, John A. Rumbaugh, Executive Vice President and Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN A. RUMBAUGH

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

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Delegate to institute

Robert G. Craig, 17, Ovid, and Paul R. Grill, 16, Byron, have been selected by Governor George Romney as Michigan's delegates to the National Agricultural Youth Institute, August 5 to 16, at the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Purpose of the Institute is to acquaint outstanding young men from around the nation with the opportunities in agriculture and agrribusiness. Participants will include youths from 44 other states, Japan and Puerto Rico.

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North Victor

By Mrs Elzle Exelby

WCS PREPARES FOR SOCIAL Several members of the Price W.S.C.S. and the M.Y.F. of the United Methodist Church met at the home of Mr and Mrs George Hazle on Monday to prepare the Mix and freeze ice cream for the Social to be held at the church on Wednesday evening, July 17. Sloppy joes, hot dogs, potato chips, coffee and punch will also be served. The serving to begin at 6:30 p.m.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS The Victor Missionary Society met at the Exelby home on Thursday afternoon. Several plants or gifts were reported taken to the sick and plans were made for the coming year. It was voted to have new yearly program books printed with Mrs Jim Huyck and Mrs Floyd Upton on Committees. The election of officers results with all officers being re-elected.

After the business meeting light refreshments were served. A picnic will be held at the Ovid Park on Sunday, July 28th, and there will be no meeting held in August. The September meeting will be at the new home of Mr and Mrs James Huyck on St. Clair Road.

Horton Grange and Stockman Grange are now united and will be known as Stockman-Horton No. 1688. The election of officers resulted as follows: Master, Arthur Curtis; Overseer, Lawrence Hart; Secretary, Irene Upton; Treasurer, Floyd Upton; Chaplain, Eda White; Lecturer, Neva Wallin. Other officers will be announced later.

Thayne Miner attended a Horse Show at Centerville on Sunday. Karen Krenz of Freeland is spending the week with her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Thayne Miner.

The Maag children are the proud owners of a colt. Arthur Curtis and son, Larry, are enjoying a fishing trip in Canada this week.

Mr and Mrs Ivan Whitford and children were Sunday visitors in the Shumacker home. Visitors this week in the Henry Grossman home were Mr and Mrs Forest Grossman of Mishawaka.

Mrs Larry Curtis and children of Ovid are spending several days with Mrs Arthur Curtis. Mr and Mrs Pat Tyler of Durand are spending a few days with her niece and husband, Mr and Mrs Merriel Balcom.

East Victor

By Mrs Ray Ketchum

Mr and Mrs Ray Scott accompanied their son, Mr and Mrs Arthur Scott of St. Johns, to Seattle, Wash., where they visited the former's son, Mr and Mrs Robert Scott and also the former's sister, Mrs Alma Taylor of Olympia, Wash.

Mrs Eda White accompanied her daughter, Mrs Helen Weston of Lansing to Frankenmuth Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Donald Strouse and sons, Mr and Mrs Elwin Ketchum and family and Mr and Mrs Ray Ketchum and several friends spent Saturday night camping at Gladwin.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Barrett called on Mrs Myrtle Gallop of Williamston Sunday afternoon. Mr and Mrs Howard Dennis and Mr and Mrs Robert Dennis and family attended the Dennis reunion at Fort Huron Sunday.

A final estimate placed Michigan's 1966 firearms deer kill at 91,570.

Open Letter from VAN W. HOAG

Dear friend,

The funeral director, like other professional or business men, has accepted the responsibility to serve his neighbors at a time when sincere sympathy, understanding, and wise counsel are in great need.

His compensation cannot be measured in monetary returns alone, but also in the personal satisfaction of rendering an important service to his community.

Respectfully,

Van W. Hoag Hoag Funeral Home ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN

Elsie couple united

Candelabra and vases or roses formed the setting for the ceremony in the First Baptist Church of Elsie, Saturday, uniting in marriage, Diana Lu Perrien and James Ackels.

The bride is the daughter of Julien Perrien of Grand Rapids and Mrs Mary Lu Perrien of Elsie. The groom is the son of Mrs Donald Tucker of Williamston. The Rev. Norris Beck read the double ring service in the presence of the family and friends of the couple.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a floor length gown of silk organza with full length sleeves, fitted waistline and modified hoop skirt. The Sabrina neckline was formed with embroidered lace. Inserts of the same, held the double train which fell to the floor. Matching lace holder shoulder length veil. She carried a bouquet of red sweetheart roses and stephanotis.

Miss Susan Perrien, acted as her sister's maid of honor. She was gowned in a floor length blue taffeta and carried a bouquet similar to the bride's.

The groom chose as his best man, Charles Swarthout of Elsie, uncle of the bride. Ushers were Lyle Perrien, uncle of the bride and Rick Ackels, nephew of the groom.

Mrs Una Serviss played an organ prelude and the traditional music for the ceremony. The bride's mother was dressed in navy blue ribbed jersey. The groom's mother wore flowered chiffon. Both were presented with corsages of white carnations and lilies-of-the-valley, as were also special guests, grandmother Mrs Hilda Swarthout and Mrs Clara Perrien and her stepmother, Mrs Julien Perrien.

A reception for the couple was held at the American Legion Hall in Elsie and dinner was served. The four tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bridal couple, was decorated with pink roses and made by Mrs George Cornell of Ovid.

Farin Eldred reunion held

The 10th Farin W. Eldred family reunion was held at the St. Johns City Park on Sunday, July 14th.

A potluck dinner was served at 1:30 to 60 members.

Mrs Edna Eldred, president, called the meeting to order at 4 p.m. after opening prayer, reports were given by all committees finding no deaths and two births during the past year.

Election of officers was held with Mrs Edna Eldred reelected president, Mrs Myrna Harper, secretary, Miss Dorothy Emmons treasurer, and Mrs Joan Whitford chaplain for the coming year.

Farin Eldred who is 88 years and 5 months old was the oldest member present, and Faye Harper was the youngest at 11 months. Each was presented with a gift.

THE NEWS

John L. Luttig, 11025 West Ionia, Fowler, has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll of the Lawrence Institute of Technology for academic excellence during the past term. He has maintained better than a 3.5 scholastic average out of a possible 4 points.

Luttig is a sophomore in architecture and graduated from Fowler High School.

Mr and Mrs Ralph L. Woodruff, representing Woodruff State Bank DeWitt, attended the 82nd annual convention of Michigan bankers recently on Mackinac Island.

Woodruff, president of Woodruff State Bank, celebrated his 40th year in banking during the week of the convention. He joined Woodruff Brothers Bank as assistant cashier in 1928, and became president of the bank in 1951. In 1953 the bank was converted to Woodruff State Bank.

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CLASS REUNION HELD

In 1919 nine young women received their graduating certificates from the Clinton County Normal School. In 1968 they met at the L & L Restaurant for a reunion. Pictured with their graduation picture are (back row from left) Neva Hettler (Mrs Donald) Pope, Bernice Zacharias (Mrs Alva) Ballinger and Edna Stockwell (Mrs Leo) Pouch. (Seated from left) Eva Jones Leavitt, Harriett Rice Bugbee, Clara Miller (Mrs Gordon) Bygrave. The insert is Beatrice Raymond (Mrs Stanford) Besse. Unable to attend was Frances Kinley Smith who lives in California. One member of the class, Ethel Lewis (Mrs Earl) Rhyndard is deceased.

Alward-Plowman

By BERNICE L. WOHLFERT, Correspondent

Kenneth Wohlfert spent the 4th of July weekend at Torch Lake, with Kathy Mertz and Mr and Mrs Martin Mertz and family.

Betty Wohlfert and Diane Wright have returned from five days vacation in North Carolina.

Mrs C.F. Wohlfert, Mrs Keith Wohlfert and Mrs Robert Volsinet spent last Saturday at South Haven.

Scott Wohlfert spent a few days with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs George DeVries at Owosso.

Supper guests Sunday of Mr and Mrs C.F. Wohlfert were Mr and Mrs Keith Wohlfert and girls. Cindy and LaTonia were over night guests of their grandparents.

Mrs Waunita Hardman will be news correspondent for Riley and Plowman instead of Mrs Bernice Wohlfert, so please give her your club dates and news items. Phone, 669-9727.

The Riley and Olive aids will meet with Mrs Donna Baldefson July 25 for dinner.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Martzke and family of Lansing were Sunday guests of their grandmother, Mrs Lottie Martzke.

Mr and Mrs Gene Sigafosse were guests of his niece, Mr and Mrs Robert Preston, and to see his brother, Charles Sigafosse of Florida.

Mr and Mrs Gene Sigafosse attended funeral services at Elsie for his brother, Walter Sigafosse.

Mrs Nellie Farrier was a caller of Mrs Maud Davis in St. Johns Friday morning at her home.

Tina, Rae and Dean Bailey of DeWitt were guests of their grandparents, Mr and Mrs Duane Peck.

David Peck spent two days at Ferris Institute for orientation and testing.

Mr and Mrs Duane Peck and family were guests of Mr and Mrs Tom Bailey in DeWitt Sunday in honor of Niki Bailey's third birthday.

Mrs Waunita Hardman called on Mrs Maud Davis Tuesday in St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Hicker, son, Mr and Mrs Gary Brady and baby, Mr and Mrs Dale Haviland and family, Mr and Mrs

Have you met...? A COLUMN DEVOTED TO INTRODUCING NEW ST. JOHNS RESIDENTS

Mr and Mrs RICK A. WIEBER, a newly wed couple will reside at 304 East State Street. Rick is a local boy and his wife Jeanie is from Carson City. They were married on May 18. He is an inspector for Motor Wheel in Lansing.

New residents of 412 Giles Street are the DONALD J. GRANT family. They came to St. Johns from Manistee. Mr Grant was a self employed carpenter, but will now work for Oldsmobile in Lansing. He and his wife, Joyce, have three children. Donna is 7, Donald is 6, and Jeff is 2.

Mr and Mrs TOM B. HENEY are former residents of Park Lake, and will now live at 513 North Lansing Street. Mr Henev will work for Dick Martin siding houses. He and his wife, Judy, are proud parents of Tony, 4, and Troy, 3.

RONALD L. SHOWERS, his wife, Kathy and their baby, Scott have moved into St. Johns from Ithaca. Mr Showers is employed by Oldsmobile. They will reside at 411 Church Street.

A newly wed couple, Mr and Mrs DONALD WILSON now reside at 411 1/2 Church Street. Mr Wilson and his wife, the former Ginny Wolf were married on June 22. He is employed by the Centrifuge Foundry in Lansing. His previous home was in Elsie and she lived in Ovid.

The new publisher of the Clinton County News ROLLIN A. HUARD, is the new occupant of a home at 206 North Oakland. Mr Huard and his wife, Jeannette, have four children, Theresa, 12, Carol, 11, Joe, 9, and Ann, 6. He and his family moved to St. Johns from Charles City, Iowa.

Coming to St. Johns from Millford are Mr and Mrs THOMAS A. COLEMAN. Mr Coleman is a civil engineer with the State Highway Department. He and his wife, Jo Ann, are parents of Susan, 7, and Chuckie, 5. They will reside at 1001 South Lansing Street.

It's often a bad sign to write your name on a friend's note.

RE-ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS VILLAGE OF OVID CONTRACT NO. 1-SEWAGE COLLECTION SYSTEM

The Village of Ovid will receive sealed proposals for the work shown below until 4:00 p.m. E.D.S.T., on the 30th of July, 1968, at the office of Harvey Darling, in the Village Hall at 117 East Front Street, Ovid, Michigan, 48866, at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Village Hall.

The work on which proposals are to be submitted includes:

CONTRACT NO. 1 - SANITARY SEWERS: Approximately 37,400 lineal feet of 8", 10" and 12" sanitary sewer with appurtenances, 1 prefabricated lift station, and approximately 5,000 lineal feet of 10" force main.

The bidding documents are available for inspection at:

Office of Village President 117 East Front Street Ovid, Michigan

R. W. Petrie and Associates, Inc. Benton Harbor, Michigan

F. W. Dodge Corporation Lansing, Michigan

Copies of documents including plans and specifications required for review or bidding purposes may be obtained only from the Engineer, R.W. Petrie and Associates, Inc., 557 Paw Paw Avenue, Benton Harbor, Michigan, 49022, by depositing \$25.00 for proposed Contract No. 1 with the Engineer for each set of documents so obtained and the fee will not be refunded.

A certified check or bank draft payable to the Village of Ovid, or a satisfactory bid bond executed by the bidder and a surety company in an amount equal to five percent of the bid shall be submitted with each proposal.

It is understood that the work to be done is being financed in whole or in part with a loan or grant or both from the Farmers Home Administration, U.S. Department of Agriculture. Bidders' proposals shall hold firm for ninety (90) days to allow the Owner to complete its financing arrangements. Mutually agreed upon extensions of time may be made, if necessary.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY CLAUSE. Bidders on this work will be required to comply with Section 301 of the President's Executive Order No. 11246. The requirements for bidders under this order are explained in the bidding documents.

The Village of Ovid reserves the right to waive any irregularities, reject any or all bids, or accept any bid when, in their opinion, such act will serve their best interests.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a satisfactory performance bond and labor and material bond in the amount of 100% of the contract price.

VILLAGE OF OVID, MICHIGAN Harvey Darling, President

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City personals

(omitted last week)

Mrs Barbara Popera and daughter, Linda and Don McFadden, all from Chicago, spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs Ed Rudloff. Other Sunday guests of the Rudloff's were their son and wife, Mr and Mrs Leonard Rudloff of Lansing.

Miss Dorothy Hostetler of Detroit returned Saturday to her home here for the rest of the summer. She spent the early part of the summer on a three-week tour of Spain and then a trip to Puerto Rico for 10 days.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Studer of Tucson, Ariz. are visiting relatives and friends in St. Johns and the area. Mrs Oral Ryan who has been living at 600 W. State Street, is a patient at the Ovid Nursing Home.

Mrs Jessie Finch and Miss Carmen Tranchell spent the weekend in Lansing with Miss Maude Spencer and Mrs Gladys Reynolds.

Twelve members of the Wesleyan Service Guild enjoyed a picnic supper at Friendship Park at the Colony Monday night. They spent the remainder of the evening at the home of Mr and Mrs Wilbur Brandt where Miss Dorothy Hostetler showed slides of a trip a year ago to the South Sea Islands and Australia.

Mrs Doris Thorsch and daughter Jennie of Tarzana, Calif., are spending a few weeks here with her mother, Mrs Alta Rhyndard.

Mrs Mildred Abbott of S. Clinton Ave., is spending a few days with her granddaughter and husband, Mr and Mrs Jim Droste at Westphalia. Miss Flossie Woodhams is spending a few days in Greenbush with her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Stanley Weilton.

Miss Clara Vanschoyck spent the day Sunday and again Tuesday at St. Louis with her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Rhyndard. The Rhyndard children are all home, three from California, one from Texas and one from New Jersey, with their families.

Mr and Mrs Glenn Hopp and daughter, Luanne, of S. Lowell Road, are on a vacation trip down through Kentucky and Tennessee and back by way of Wisconsin and crossing Lake Michigan.

Price District

By Mrs Harold Crowley

Price Women's Society will meet at the church Wednesday, July 31, for a dinner meeting with Mrs John Beachler and Mrs Fred Musolf as co-hostesses. Mrs Richard Curtis will conduct

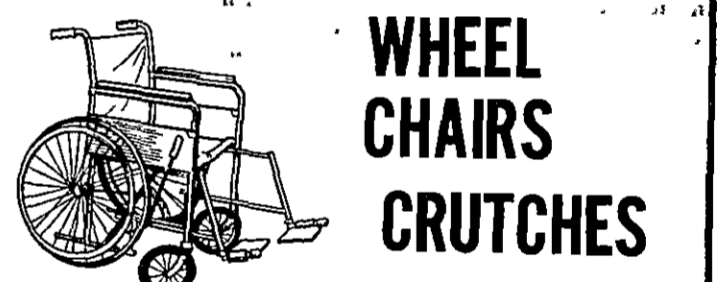
the devotionals and program with the topic being "Six Serving Women."

A leadership training meeting will be held for all WCS members Tuesday, July 23 from 7 to 9:30 p.m. at Ashley in the United Methodist Church.

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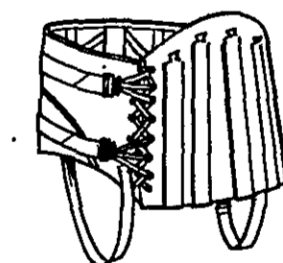
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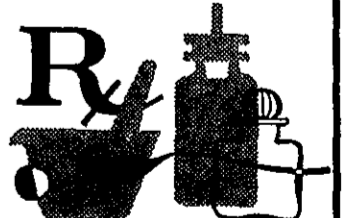
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Each girl is given duties by the assignment board called a caper chart. Each unit designed its own. With their caper chart are the girls of the unit no. 4 headed by Fern Waggoner who is pictured with (at left) Lynne LeDuke, Peggy Dalton, Christine Houghton, and Susie Bell.



The older group at the camp, the cadettes who did spend the night, had as much to do as the other girls. Here, Mrs. Hilda Bancroft, leader, helps the girls do dishes on a hand-made duty table. The girls are Debbie and Lynn Davis (Lynn is center).

Local Girl Scouts at Camp Stoney Creek

"A wonderful experience for everyone, the girls, the counselors, and myself," is how Dorothy Nichols, camp director, describes the Girl Scout Day Camp at Camp Stoney Creek.

The day camp is the first major event held at the new site. The camp, Stoney Creek, is a recently purchased camp of the Michigan Capitol Girl Scout Council. It is located 5 1/2 miles west of US 27 on Parks Road.

The camp will operate for four one week sessions, the first of which was held last week, July 8 to 12 for the girls of Clinton County in Dewitt, Bath, Eureka, St. Johns and Maple Rapids.

Predominantly, the camp is in operation from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. About 140 girls attend the daily sessions. They are divided into six units with two adults as supervisors and about 18 to 22 girls in each unit. One unit, comprised of cadette girl scouts about 13 to 15 years of age, spends the night on the camp site with their counselors. A unit, called the boys unit, is set up to keep sons of the counselor busy while the mothers attend to the girls in their unit.

During the one week, the girls have an opportunity to involve themselves in many activities. Each unit is a separate working body with responsibilities of the days agenda upon themselves or their counselors. One day this week, Mrs. Ruth Glinde of Fowler was on hand to talk with the girls about nature studies. She is a specialist in her field and discussed many aspects of wild life with the girls. Crafts, hikes and other activities are carried on by

the girls each day. Activities this week also included an all camp sing led by the cadette unit.

Also in the day, the girls prepare one meal. Duties are assigned by a "caper chart" which colorfully denotes the duty of a girl for a day. She might be a fire builder, a dishwasher, a cook, or responsible for other jobs which will need to be done during the day. Lessons in safety are explained with example while the girls participate in an activity; such as fire safety while they are building the fire to cook on. They learn to keep a water bucket close to contain a fire, should a sudden wind cause the girls to lose control and other such precautions.

The girls pay a \$5 fee which includes everything, busfare to and from camp, milk, crafts, and all other camp expenses. The food is mostly United States Surplus and the help is mostly volunteer.

Each camp session is run under a new staff. Mrs. Nichols is from the Lansing Capitol Council office and is on duty full time for the four week period, but for each new session, she has a new staff. Each of the new staffs has its own director and two counselors for each unit. Mrs. Ardenel Davis was the director for last week.

The counselors all participate in a pre-camp training. They meet at three different times to accomplish various goals set by the council. At the first session all counselors meet with their own staff director and the camp director. They discuss the

work book, cookbook manual, financial reports are distributed to fill out and they receive a manual covering all important aspects of their camping endeavors. At the second meeting, the women plan a cook out and go over the camp site. The equipment is on display or set up so that they will know what they have to work with. For the final meeting, they meet with the directors again and receive more specific information about the camp at which they will serve. They learn the size of the groups they will lead and the ages of the girls in them. During the course of the three meetings, ideas are discussed on crafts, meal planning and other necessities of camp life. The women are also briefed on camp procedures they are not sure of like a flag raising ceremony or how to tie knots. They learn "almost everything" at the meetings, Mrs. Nichols says. Also, specialists of various fields are present at the meetings to discuss ideas with the leaders.

Mrs. Nichols, who has been with the Girl Scouts in a professional capacity for nearly 13 years, says she is honored to be given the position of camp director at Stoney Creek. "It is encouraging to see the devotion of these women to an organization as worthwhile as the Girl Scouts. They know how important the groups is to the girls and how important the girls are to the organization and they seem to give their all. With the troubles we have in the world today, it is really wonderful to see this kind of thing."



Typical of a Girl Scout camp are hours spent in creating hand-crafts. One Brownie unit made autograph books. Mrs. Gene Jasman helps some of the girls in her unit put together the books. At left is Robin Greene, Roxanne Rogers and Lori Goldman.



During the week's activities, Brownies learned how to properly build a fire and what safety precautions were necessary. Here, Mrs. Mohr instructs three girls from her unit in fire building. From left are Patty King, Rhonda Pierson, Kim Canfield and Angela Jasman.



Although it sounds uncommon, there was a boys unit at the scout camp. Here, camp director Mrs. Nichols (standing) stops to visit with the boys and their councillor at the teepee they have constructed. From left they are Mike Ferland, David Ferland, Jeff Schafer and Larry Pease. Leader is Mrs. Charlotte Summers.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Seven Clinton County students will take part in the second pre-registration and orientation period July 18 to 19 at Central Michigan University.

They are: Jane M. Stump, R-1, Pewamo; Jantee E. Kelley, 434 North First Elsie; Donald P. Wilson, 6701 Maple River Road, Elsie; Norman L. Dunkel, R-5, St. Johns; Dorothy Jane Jenkins, 701 South Baker, St. Johns; James G. Salisbury, 704 South Clinton, St. Johns, and Richard Max Eastick, 4614 Hollister Road, Elsie. Carol Jean Ormsby of 3314 South Watson Road in St. Johns is enrolled in an English course at Alma College's three-week summer session, July 8 to 27.

Both college and advance high school students are participating in the session. Credit earned by high school students under the Alma summer program is held in escrow until they enter Alma or another college.

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Grover L. McMillan, 49, of Lansing, waived examination in St. Johns Municipal Court for driving with a suspended license, second charge, and was bound over to Clinton Circuit Court where he will appear July 22. McMillan posted \$300 bond.

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To discuss problems of races

The nation's racial problems and implication in St. Johns will be subjects of a meeting Thursday, July 25, at 8 p.m. in Niles Hall at First Methodist Church. Speaker will be Dr. James Fendrich, professor of sociology at Florida State University.

According to the Rev Joseph Labish, "For the past several

weeks an interested group of citizens and clergy in the city have been expressing a concern about the racial situation in our country and its relevance to our town. The indications are so far that we are wanting in knowledge of Afro-American history and in understanding what is happening and why with regard to race relations in our nation."

Rev Labish added that Dr Fendrich's talk will concentrate on "How to inform and educate ourselves and our community in these areas."

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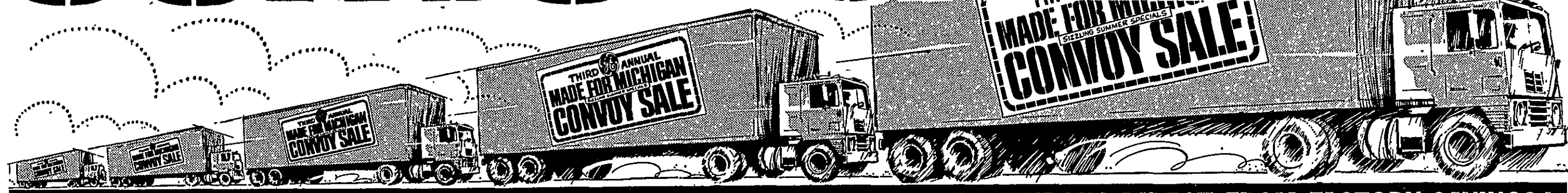
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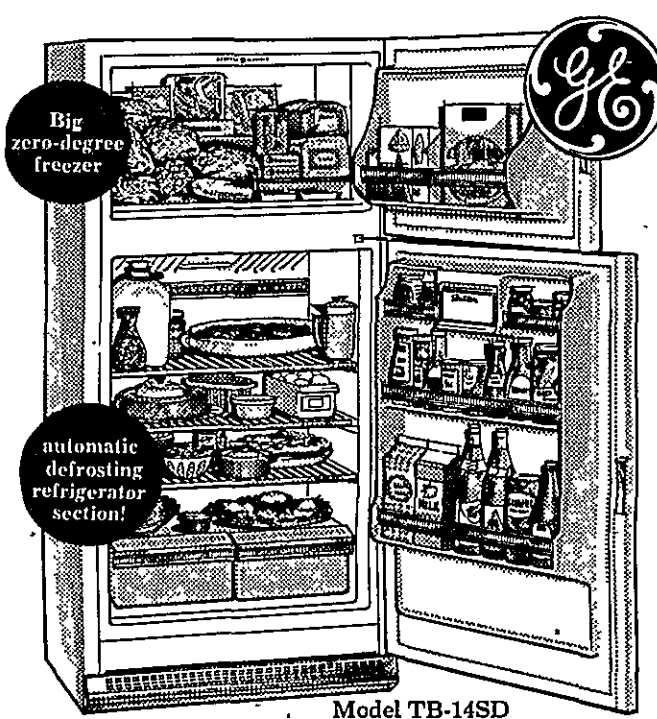


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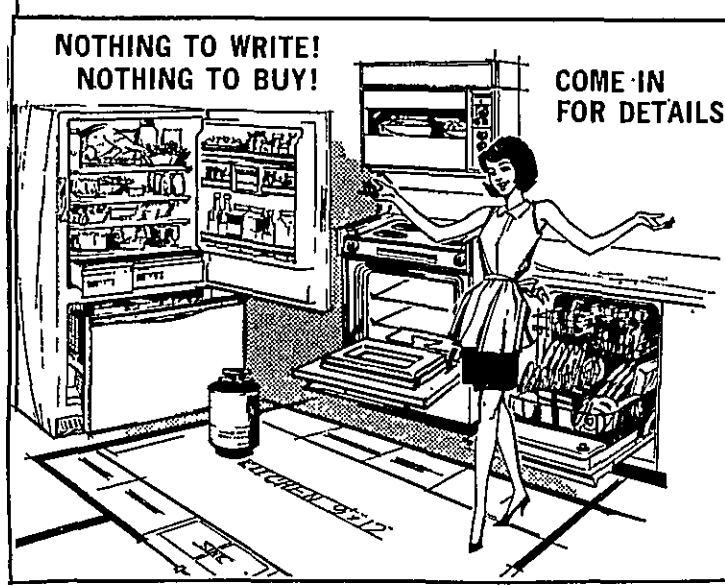


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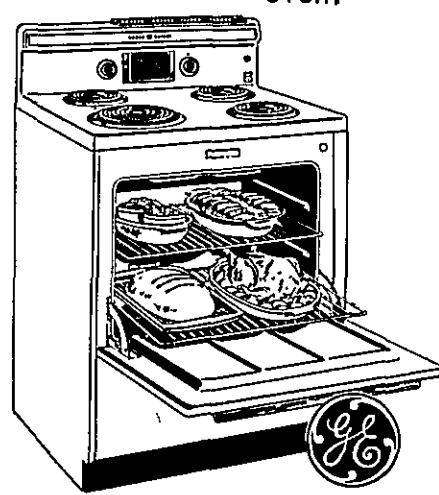
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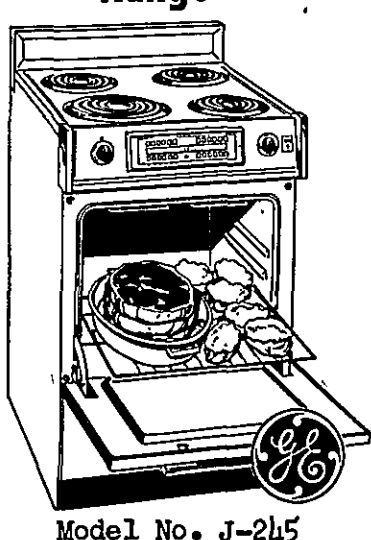
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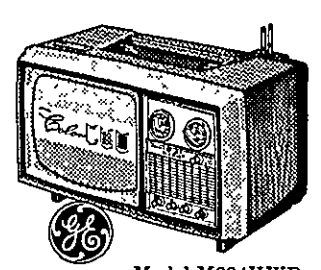
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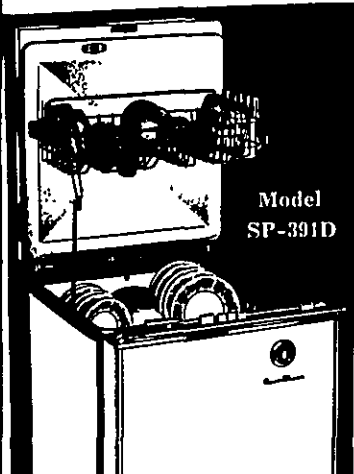
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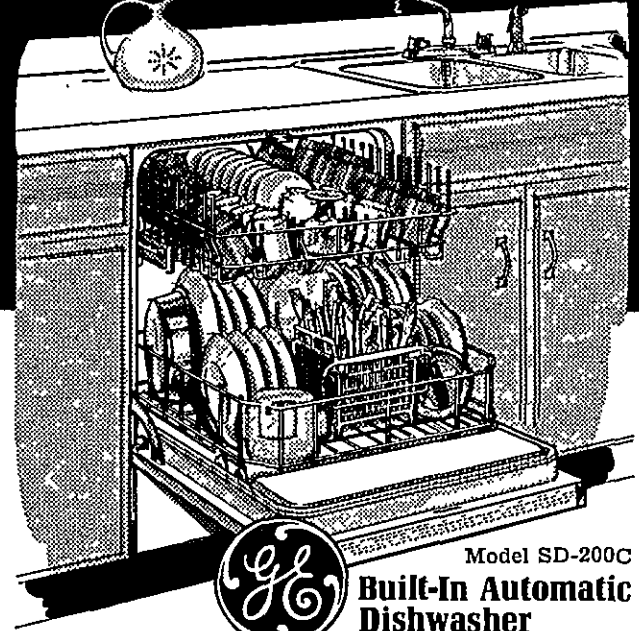
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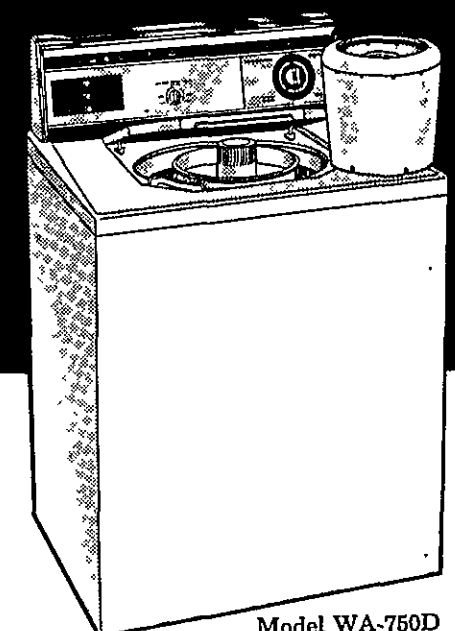
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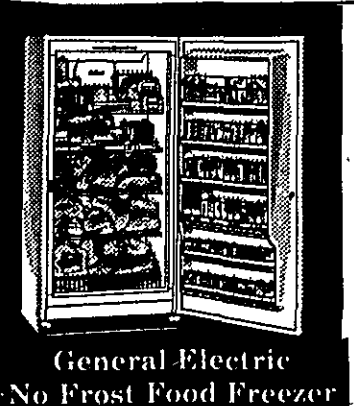
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Daughters meet in Mt. Pleasant

Coureurs DeBols chapter of the Daughters of the American Colonists held their last season meeting at the home of Mrs. Clyde V. Showalter of Mt. Pleasant. A luncheon was served with several Mt. Pleasant members as assisting hostesses.

Miss Shirley Pouch, regent, conducted the ritual and meeting. Plans were made concerning the state convention which this chapter will host. Miss Maralyse Brooks was appointed chairman of the housing and meals committee.

Mrs. Hubert Caskey immediate past state president was the speaker for the afternoon.

National president, Mrs. Carol McMurray will not attend the convention during her term of office unless she appears in September. The Detroit chapter invited all state chapters to hear the national president when she is there.

At the meeting were Mrs. Leo K. Pouch, Mrs. George Brooks and several Lansing members.

The Shepardsville Church will sponsor a smorgasbord supper on July 25. Serving will start at 5:30.



MRS. ROBERT PANASIEWICZ

Cynthia Fox weds Bob Panasiewicz

Fr. Albert Schmitt of the Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Fowler united in holy matrimony, Miss Cynthia Marie Fox and Robert L. Panasiewicz. The double ring service was performed before an altar decorated with ferns and white mums.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Panasiewicz of Lansing and has attended Lansing Community College. Cynthia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Fox. She is a student of X-ray at St. Lawrence Hospital.

Given by her father, the bride wore a dress of French lace in empire styling. Sequins and pearls accented the bodice. Her veil was shoulder length and held by cabbage roses enhanced by lace, sequins and pearl trim. She carried a bouquet of white glameia and baker fern.

For her sister, Priscilla, was maid of honor. Mary also attended her sister. Mrs. Joan Fox was maid for her sister-in-law, Maria Kennedy, a friend, completed the wedding party.

The gowns worn by the bride's attendants were pink A-line with three-quarter length sleeves. The dress featured a rolled collar and rose appliques. Cabbage roses set with seed pearls for headpieces added the finishing touch to the ensemble. They carried pink full mums set in white pompon mums in baskets that hung from the wrist.

James Panasiewicz was best man for his brother. Grooms-

men were William, a brother of the groom, James Fox, brother of the bride, and Paul Bartlett, friend of the groom.

A reception was held at the Holy Trinity School Hall following the nuptial mass. Serving at the bride's table were Lorraine and Louise Hicks and Carol Mitchell. Opening gifts were Mrs. Jean Pardike and Delana Sykora. Cutting cake were Annie Simon and Jeanne Zuker. Attending the guest book was Mary Panasiewicz.

Special guests of the day were the bride's grandparents, Linus Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vitke and the grandfather of the groom, Joseph Panasiewicz.

For her going away ensemble, the bride chose a pink whip-cream shift with long ruffled sleeves and a ruffled bodice. The couple will spend their wedding trip in southern Michigan, after which they will reside at 1105 North Hapeman Street in Lansing.

Pre-nuptial showers feted the bride. One, a grocery and kitchen shower was given by her sisters Mary and Priscilla and her sister-in-law, Joan Fox. Two miscellaneous showers were given in her honor. One was hosted by Mrs. Jean Pardike, Lorraine Hicks and Delana Sykora. The second was thrown by her co-workers at the hospital. The family of the groom, his mother and sister-in-law, hosted a linen shower for Cynthia.

Celebrates anniversary

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas T. Rewbotham, 8149 Green Valley Dr., Grand Blanc, was the scene of the 60th wedding anniversary celebration of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Schultz of St. Johns, Michigan. The former Lillian Gibbs married Edward H. Schultz on July 4th, 1908.

The reception in Grand Blanc on July 4th was attended by their two children, Edwin Schultz of St. Johns and Mrs. Rewbotham, six grandchildren, five great grandchildren, and many other relatives.

Mrs. Boak hosts Blue Star Mothers

The Blue Star Mothers of St. Johns had a picnic on the lawn of Mrs. Alma Boak July 9 with a business meeting following.

Plans were completed for the reception for state president, Grace Shipley. This will be held July 19 at the United Methodist Church at 7 p.m.

Some members are planning to go to the Veterans Facility July 25 for the carnival. The local chapter will have a booth with cash prizes. They assist in getting the wheel chair patients out on the grounds. Many articles such as lap robes, clothing, etc., will be given at this time. The chapter's knitting committee are to work on the mittens to be given to local children at Christmas.

After the meeting, slides were shown of Viet Nam that were taken by Alan Boak who is stationed there. Committee for the evening was Chloe Bartholomew, Ruth BeBoer and Belle Gillison.

Mr. Bob Robitaille and son, Steve, of Lansing spent Sunday with John and Roberta Albers.

Jack Gees feted at open house

About 100 friends and relatives attended the silver wedding anniversary open house of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gee. The open house was held Sunday, July 14 at the Municipal Building and hosted by the couple's children.

Out of town guests were from Farwell, Pontiac, Hudson and Midland.

Special guests for the affair were Mrs. Virginia Crosson, sister of Mr. Gee, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bunge and Marie Wade of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Commentator of Hudson were also special guests. They were the witnesses for the Gee wedding.

Serving the refreshments were Mrs. Vernon Lyons and Fay Bunge. Marie Wade poured punch and Veena Lyons attended the guest book. Opening and recording the gifts were Cork Lyons and Donna Gee.

The Ladies Auxiliary and Post 4183 St. Johns will hold their family picnic Thursday night, July 18 at seven o'clock at the city park. Please bring table service and dish to pass.



Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

SCHMITT - A girl, Janet Lynn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schmitt of 7591 Clark Rd. of Wacousta, July 2, 1968 at Lansing General Hospital. She weighed 10 pounds 8 ounces. The baby has two brothers and three sisters. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Schmitt, RFD, Fowler and Mrs. Maxine Melster of Delta Mills. The mother is the former Neva Melster.

KINGSLEY - A girl, Joanna Lynn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Kingsley of Eaton Rapids, July 6. The baby has one brother and one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kingsley of Saranac and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Witt of DeWitt. The mother is the former Judy Witt.

LEWIS - A boy, Byron Leon, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lewis of Eureka July 5 at Carson City Hospital. The baby has three brothers and one sister.

BENJAMIN - A boy, Scott Henry, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Benjamin of Fowler, Michigan July 7, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 6-1/2 ounces. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Benjamin of Lyons, Michigan, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Coe, Portland, Mich. The mother is the former Sharon Coe.

SMITH - A girl, Brenda Geraldyn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of R-2, Fowler, Mich. July 10, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds 3-1/2 ounces. The baby has three brothers and four sisters. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Martin Halfmann and Mrs. Antoinette Smith. The mother is the former Marilyn Halfmann.

WELLER - A boy, Bryan Gerald, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Weller of R-2, Ovid, Michigan July 8, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 9 pounds, 1/4 ounce. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Weller and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hughson. The mother is the former Connie Hughson.

LEWIS - A girl, Darcy Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ted R. Lewis of R-3, St. Johns, July 12, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 4 pounds 13-1/2 ounces. The baby has one brother and one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn O. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Van Epps. The mother is the former Nancy Dalrymple.

CARTWRIGHT - A boy, Joseph Edward II was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Edward Cartwright of 701 E. Railroad St., St. Johns, July 1, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 13 ounces. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Davis of Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. William Cartwright of St. Johns. The mother is the former Karen Davis.

SCHUELLER - A girl, Peggy Sue, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Schueller of R-2, Fowler, July 5, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces. The baby has 4 brothers and 1 sister. Grandparents are Mrs. Irene Schueller and Mrs. Matilda Schafer. The mother is the former Julia Schafer.

SCHMIDTFRANZ - A girl, Cindy Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard W. Schmidtfranz Jr. of R-4, Owosso, Michigan, July 3, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds 10 1/2 ounces. The baby has four brothers and one sister. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Schmidtfranz Sr. of Owosso and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Chunko of Howell, Mich. The mother is the former Virginia A. Chunko.

VANDERVEST - A girl, Dawn Marie, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Vandervest of R-3, St. Johns, July 3, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds 8 3/4 ounces. The baby has two brothers. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Benzine. The mother is the former Janice Pardoe.

COFFMAN - A boy, Mark Edward, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Coffman of R-2, DeWitt, July 7, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 9 pounds 7 1/2 ounces. The baby has six brothers. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Coffman and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Curtis. The mother is the former Lorna Curtis.

HUMPHREY - A girl, Kerry Ellen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Randy Humphrey of 402 NW Apts. Mt. Pleasant, July 7, 1968 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 10 pounds 3 1/2 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Timothy M. Green and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Humphrey. The mother is the former Melanie Green.

Mrs. Postlethwaite will be honored

Mrs. James Postlethwaite, 103 South Whittemore, St. Johns, will be honored by co-workers of the Clinton County Cancer Society at a dinner July 22 at Cletino's Restaurant in Lansing.

Mrs. Postlethwaite is resigning from the society after 20 years as service chairman. The dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. and friends and former Cancer Society workers are invited to make reservations with Mrs. Louise Nourse, Eagle.

Announcements

Maple Twirlers will hold a Barnyard Dance at the Edwin Boettger home Sunday evening, July 21st, at 7:30-10:00 located west of M-27 at 8582 Centerline Rd., south of St. Johns. Bring own hot dogs and buns for a werner roast in the woods following. Tea and coffee will be furnished. Everyone welcome.

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LINDA SILLMAN

Mr. Orville Sillman of St. Johns, and Mrs. Jeanne Sillman of Lansing proudly announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Marie to James David Mackety.

The bride-elect is a pharmacy intern at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing during the summer and will receive her B.S. in Pharmacy in 1969 from the University of Michigan.

The prospective bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Mackety of Athens, received a B.A. from Western Michigan University. He is currently living in Ann Arbor and student teaching. In the fall he plans to teach and do graduate work.

The couple will be married after Linda's graduation and plan to settle in Colorado.

Jane Larsen tops queen

St. Johns TOPS Club met at the Episcopal Church on July 11 with 21 members present.

The weight record showed 11 tops with a 29 pound loss, seven pigs, with a 13 pound gain and two turtles.

Georgene Hecht was named queen of the week and Jane Larson was named queen for the month of June. Jean Moore was the winner of the door prize.

Members welcomed Sue Shinnberry as a new member. The next meeting will be held at the church.

McGonigal Corners

By Mrs. John McGonigal

Mrs. Chester McGonigal and Mrs. Willard Cable returned last week to their respective homes, after a 10 day sojourn on Drummond Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine A. Tischer, spent the weekend with their parents on Drummond Island and at Detour.

The Bath Baptist Bible School will begin Monday July 29, and continue for two weeks.

The State Fellowship Meeting of the Bath Baptist Church was held at the Capitol City Baptist Church in Lansing, Rev. Erwin Robertson, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. James Church and family of Bath are home again, having spent the past two weeks at Interlochen near Traverse City. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Underhill at Traverse City. Mrs. Underhill will be remembered at the former Hazel Youry.

Roderic Schools of Bath is in the Ann Arbor Hospital, undergoing X-rays and spinal treatments.

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Mrs Smith inducted at convention



MRS DONALD SMITH

Mrs. Donald Smith will be inducted formally as the first vice-president of the 8th District for the American Legion Auxiliary on Sunday.

Mrs. Smith along with other officers will take office at a ceremony at the Lansing Civic Center as part of activities during the 50th annual state convention held by the auxiliary.

Serving with the auxiliary for over 20 years, Mrs. Smith has been president of the local unit No. 153 as well as its secretary. She has been historian for the 8th District and served two years as Girl's State director and another two years as Memorial Scholarship director for the state.

To her knowledge, Mrs. Smith is the third woman from the local auxiliary to hold a state office. Mrs. Emerson Dunham of Elsie held a state office and Mrs.

Goldie Brooks was state music chairman.

Mrs. Smith added that she is also a member of 8 and 40, the honorary Legion Auxiliary.

As first vice-president, it will be her responsibility to see that units of her district fill membership quotas. The boundaries of her district are the same as were the boundaries of the old congressional district. Units under her jurisdiction will include those serving Greenville, Hubbardston, St. Johns, Carson City, Ionia, Saginaw and many others.

Mrs. Smith says that the state has requested that she accept district office before, but she was inclined to refuse, although she has been extremely interested in the auxiliary for many years. As first vice-president, she will be responsible for presidential duties should anything happen to the president. Also, it is customary that she accept the presidential position next year.

Mrs. Smith is the mother of two sons.

Two-car crash

Sie Meadows Jr., 28, of 2814 Hollister Road, Ovid, was ticketed by Clinton sheriff's deputies for failure to yield the right-of-way following a two-car mishap Wednesday morning. Deputies said Meadows drove from a driveway along Parks Road and collided with a car driven by Raymond Torpey Jr., 42, of 508 E. McConnell Street, St. Johns. The 10:50 mishap occurred half a mile east of Hollister Road.



Mr & Mrs Larry N. Flowers

Humphrey, Flowers vows recited here

Miss Sue Ellen Humphrey daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Humphrey, became the new Mrs. Larry N. Flowers on June 15 at the St. Johns Congregational Church. The double ring ceremony that united Sue and Larry Flowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elvin C. Flowers of Brighton, was performed by Rev. Gerald Churchill before an altar decked with yellow snapdragons and white daisies.

The entire wedding was themed in yellow and white. The church was decorated with yellow and white daisies and the attendants wore pale yellow gowns. The gowns were A-line with short puff sleeves. The floor length crepe dresses were accented in back by a train held by a bow. Each of the four maids wore shoulder length veils secured with yellow daisies. They also carried large round bouquets of yellow and white daisies complemented by long yellow and white streamers.

Sharon Spellman was the matron of honor and bridesmaids were Pat Merrill, a roommate from Midland, Nancy Lendel, a former roommate from Ecorse, and Linda Bryant, a friend of St. Johns.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father to organ music played by Mrs. Fran Delbert who later accompanied Wayne Upham, uncle of the bride of Berkeley, as he sang "One Hand, One Heart," "Whither Thou Goest," and "Wedding Prayer."

Finally, the bride appeared attired in a full length traditional white gown in an A-line style fashioned of lace. Long sleeves and a scalloped neckline enhanced the beauty of the bride. Behind her was a full chapel train which was held to the waist of the gown by a bow. Her only adornment was an opal necklace given to her by the groom. She was veiled by elbow length Viennese netting that was secured by a cluster of lace and organza roses trimmed

with seed pearls and crystal petals. To complete her bridal array, her hands were tucked beneath a large bouquet of white daisies and yellow roses highlighted by velvet streamers that touched the floor.

Mrs. Humphrey witnessed her daughter's wedding wearing an aqua crepe dress featuring chiffon sleeves and complemented by matching accessories. She also wore a white rose and daisy corsage. Mrs. Flowers appeared for the wedding in a rose colored lace dress accented by white accessories and a pink rose corsage.

Steve Flowers was the best man for his brother. Groomsmen were Randy Humphrey, brother of the bride, Ron Trebesh, Bruce Evanson. Seating the guests were Bob Lendt, Terry Feret, Tim Williams, and Rick Letz.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the Wilcox Hall. Following the reception, an open house was held at the home of the bride for friends and relatives.

Miss Becky Stilwell attended the guest book and Dr. and Mrs. Donald Kendall acted as host and hostess of the reception. Mrs. Pat Pioszak and Mrs. Sam Serrell cut and served the wedding cake. Mrs. Wanita Criad served the groom's cake. Mrs. Laura Garant poured punch and Mrs. Dale Knight attended the coffee.

Special guests of the couple for the affair were grandparents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Upham and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Humphrey.

The couple are both students of Central Michigan University and will reside in St. Johns for the remainder of the summer, then will be at home at R-12 Washington Court at Central while they complete studies.

Clinton Area Deaths

Helen Cermak

Funeral services for Helen M. Cermak, 76, of Bannister, wife of James Cermak, were held Saturday morning at St. Cyril's Catholic Church in Bannister and burial was in Ford Cemetery. Bible readings were given at the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie Friday evening.

Mrs. Cermak passed away Wednesday morning at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She had been ill a week.

Mrs. Cermak was born in Czechoslovakia March 20, 1892, the daughter of Frank and Anna Podolak. She came to the United States in 1906 and settled in Chicago. She had resided in the Bannister area the past 46 years. She was married at Ithaca, December 16, 1913. She was a member of St. Cyril's Catholic Church.

Surviving are her husband; five daughters, Mrs. Anna Hrymeck of Elsie, Mrs. Mildred Porubsky of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Mary Meade of Elsie, Mrs. Anna Bryzak of St. Louis; Mrs. Bertha Kuchar of Henderson; two sons, Joseph of Brant, and Frank of Bannister; two brothers; Joe Vostriansky of Bannister, Rudy Hawkins of New Lothrop; one sister, Mrs. Mary Kasik of Owosso; 24 grandchildren; and nine great grandchildren.

Byron MacDonald

Byron L. MacDonald, 82, died at the Clinton Memorial Hospital after a prolonged illness. Mr. MacDonald of 300 North Lansing Street, St. Johns, died July 12 after three weeks confinement to the hospital.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Osgood Funeral Home and services were held on July 15. Burial was at the Mount Rest Cemetery and Rev. Edgar R. McLaughlin officiated.

He was born in Toronto, Canada to Robert and Alva MacDonald is September of 1885. He came to the United States in 1921 to the Maple Rapids area and moved to St. Johns in 1960. He and Jennis Stoerck were married in Bryan, Ohio in 1960.

During his lifetime he was a blacksmith. He was affiliated with the Baptist Church and was a member of the Orangemen. Survivors include his widow, Jennie, two sons, Howard Stoerck of Soldotna, Alaska, and

A.G. Reynolds

Arlington G. Reynolds, 72, a former resident of St. Johns, died at his home in Seal Beach, Calif., after a long illness.

Funeral services were held today (Thursday) at the Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns. Burial was at the Eureka Cemetery with Rev. William Moore of the Eureka Christian Church officiating.

Mr. Reynolds was a veteran of World War I and owner-publisher of the Algonac News from 1947 to 1949. He served as printer and publisher of the Detroit News for over 20 years and worked for the Clinton County News and the Gaylord newspaper for some years. He was a life member of the A. & F.M. No. 105 of St. Johns.

He was born to Thaddeus J. and Maude Mosher Reynolds in 1895 and attended the St. Johns schools. He was married on Christmas Day in 1918 to Mabel Gower. They left the St. Johns area in 1930 and had been residents of California for the past 15 years.

Survivors include his widow, Mabel, a son, A.G. Jr. of San Francisco, a daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Szmurlo of Mission Viejo, Calif., a sister, Opal, of Jackson, six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Kennard Clark

Kennard B. Clark, 72, of Wacousta, died of cancer on July 6 at the V.A. Hospital in Ann Arbor where he had been for the last six weeks.

He was cremated and memorial services were held at the First Baptist Church in Lansing on July 10.

He had spent most of his life in the Lansing area. Mr. Clark had been a school crossing guard in Lansing, but was retired.

Survivors include a son, M. Spencer and a daughter, Mrs. Alfred Myers. He also had eight grandchildren.

The family ask that contributions be given in his memory to the Clark Memorial Fund at the First Baptist Church in Lansing and the American Cancer Society.

Ross Darling

Funeral services for Ross Darling, 75, of rural Bannister, were held Wednesday at the Carter Funeral Home, Elsie. Burial was in Eureka Cemetery.

Mr. Darling, who died Saturday at Carson City Hospital, is survived by his widow, Beatrice; two daughters, Mrs. Ina Fruin and Mrs. Lois Ward of Miami, Fla., a stepson, Lester Arbogast; two brothers, Jay of Owosso and Jesse of St. Johns; 10 grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

Julia Keogh

Miss Julia Agnes Keogh, 45 of 109 S. Swegles died at her home early Tuesday morning.

Services were held in her home town of Picton, Ontario, Canada on Thursday and arrangements were made by Hicks Funeral Home there. Remains were at the Hoag Funeral Home in St. Johns before transfer to Ontario on Wednesday.

Miss Keogh had been a resident of St. Johns for seven years and was employed by the Federal-Mogul Company. She was also a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Keogh of Picton, two brothers, William and Bernard of Picton, four sisters, Helen and Claire at home, Mrs. Victor Connelley of Essex, Ontario and Mrs. William Buggs Jr. of St. Johns.

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By Mrs Lucille Heibeck

Mr and Mrs Phillip Summer of rural St. Johns, Mr and Mrs David Yoder and family of Spartan Village, and Mrs Elizabeth Smith of St. Johns attended a Sunday dinner in honor of Mr and Mrs Don Smith of Fortuna, Calif., at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs George E. Smith. The Don Smiths are spending the summer in the Sterling, Ill., area.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Smith attended a wedding reception in honor of Mr and Mrs Richard Brown at Portland Saturday evening.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Smith and Mr and Mrs Carl Thelen, Trudy and Lynn spent Sunday afternoon with Mr and Mrs Cecil Smith at their cottage at Houghton Lake.

Mr and Mrs Thomas Hufnagel and family spent Sunday afternoon with her father, Vernon Sackrider of Stockbridge.

Mr and Mrs Charles Sackrider and family of Lansing spent Sunday evening with Mr and Mrs Thomas Hufnagel.

Mr and Mrs Jack Cornell and family attended the Smith family picnic at the home of Mr and Mrs Harold Murlingha of Howell Sunday.

Mrs Joe Cermak and Mrs Fred Gunnell of Owosso spent Friday with Mr and Mrs Paul Duski.

Mr and Mrs Charles Falvor and family attended a birthday dinner in honor of Pat Cuthbert at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Ronald Cuthbert Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Ross Carr, Gregg, Terry, Penny and Jeff, Don Stockenhauer and children, Karen and Gregg, Mr and Mrs William T. Smith Sr., and Mr and Mrs Peter J. Stockenhauer all of Lansing attended a birthday party in honor of Cheryl Stockenhauer at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs Richard Stockenhauer, Sunday evening.

Calamity howlers seldom have blisters on their hands.



NEW LOOK IN DeWITT

DeWitt Lumber Co. is completing an extensive modernization that includes a new rustic redwood front and addition of a 26 by 35 foot showroom. The showroom features walk-through displays of building, remodeling, painting and hardware supplies.

Seek electric rate increase

Consumers Power Company filed application with the Michigan Public Service Commission Monday requesting authorization to increase its rates for electric service.

The company filed a similar application with the Commission April 19, requesting authorization to increase its rates for natural gas service. The Commission will conduct a hearing on the gas application at a date to be announced.

Consumers Power Company serves more than 1,000,000 electric customers in 61 communities located in 61 counties of Michigan's Lower Peninsula, including Clinton.

THE APPLICATION for revision of electric rates did not specify the amount of the proposed increase. A.H. Aymond, chairman of the board, said this would depend on the level of

relevant costs prevailing when the Public Service Commission conducts its hearings in the matter.

Aymond said the company had been able to avoid increases in its electric rates since 1959. Twice in 1965 and again in 1966, Consumers Power made substantial reductions in electric rates. However, Aymond continued, the enormously increased cost of borrowed money, higher labor and material costs, higher taxes and the increasing cost of installing facilities needed to generate, transmit and distribute electricity leave the Company with no alternative but to petition for relief in the form of an electric rate increase.

"The fact is," Aymond said, "that continuing inflation has reached a point where we can no longer absorb higher costs without an increase in electric and gas rates. Fortunately, the price of electricity and gas to our customers will remain low in relation to the general cost of living, and the increase will add only pennies a day to the bill of the average residential customer."

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Mr and Mrs Willis Ross and son of Grand Ledge and Beryl Dyke of St. Johns called on Sylvia Moyer Sunday.

Mr and Mrs David Rood and family of Saranac were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Hazen Crandall.

Mr and Mrs R.V. Henretty's niece and nephew, Debbie and David Sharp spent four days with them. They returned home with their parents and uncle, Robert Miller of Sheridan, Saturday night.

The 4-H Riverside Riders horse show Sunday was well attended.

Mr and Mrs Andrew Kempf called on Mr and Mrs Bert Barker Sunday afternoon.

Kincaid District

Mrs Porter C. Parks

Tuesday evening, Mr and Mrs Reuben Briggs of Horton, and Mrs Faye Walker of Sunfield visited Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson.

Sunday afternoon, Mr John Dickinson and girls of Portland visited Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson.

Russ Sullivan and Sherri Wright of Berrien Springs were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Don Sullivan.

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TO ATTEND MEETINGS

Plans are underway for a group of men to attend the Northern Meetings to be held July 6,7,8 in the woods near Kalkaska. Each year men and boys from all over the nation meet for three days and attend services which bring them closer to God. Simultaneously with this meeting, the women attend at Clinic at the Kalkaska Church of Christ. Several carloads of women from the Duplain Church of Christ are planning to attend the Thursday meeting this year.

Sunday callers at the James Burnham home were Mrs Donald Johnson and Marilyn of Flint and Mr and Mrs Gerald Mapes and children of Ithaca.

Mrs James Burnham, Pat, Coni and Jeff spent Friday in St. Louis and Alma calling on relatives and friends.

Mr and Mrs Luman Hall are spending some time in the Dakotas on their vacation.

Mr and Mrs Roy Thornton

and Judy returned Sunday from vacationing in northern Michigan.

Mrs Nell Hall called Saturday on Mr and Mrs Ralph Woodard at Rock Lake when she picked up Dean from camp.

Mr and Mrs Justin Shepard attended the Packer-Modlin wedding Saturday at the St. Louis Church of Christ.

Mrs Jerry Weller and infant son, Brian, returned to her home on Thursday.

Mrs Orin Acre returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs Robert Riskey, on Wednesday and is recuperating there after being confined in Owosso Hospital.

Lawrence Stambersky, son of Mr and Mrs Gerald Stambersky of Elsie and David Baese, son of Mr and Mrs Herman Baese of rural Elsie are attending Christian Service camp at Rock Lake this week.

James Petro and son, Steven of Alma called Saturday on the James Burnhams.

Mr and Mrs Dale Schultheiss and family attended the Barnes reunion Sunday at the farm of Mrs Mazie Terry near St. Louis.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF
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of DeWitt in the State of Michigan at the close of business on June 29, 1968. Published in accordance with a call made by the Commissioner of Banking pursuant to the provisions of Section 82 of the Michigan financial institutions act.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection \$ 236,210.04
United States Government obligations 738,209.01
Obligations of States and political subdivisions 390,876.70
Other loans and discounts 1,731,353.30
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises 25,712.82
Other assets 6,558.89
Total Assets \$3,128,918.58

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations \$1,054,670.61
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 1,332,938.65
Deposits of United State Government 34,544.08
Deposits of States and political subdivisions 352,600.64
Certified and officers' checks, etc. 7,107.64
Total Deposits (Items 13 to 19) \$2,781,861.62
Total demand deposits \$1,385,922.97
Total time and savings deposits \$1,395,938.65
Other liabilities (including \$0.00 mortgages and other liens on bank premises and other real estate) 56,258.71
Total Liabilities \$2,838,120.33

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common stock—total par value \$ 100,000.00
No. shares authorized 1,000
No. shares outstanding 1,000
Surplus 85,000.00
Undivided profits 74,768.23
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves 31,000.00
Total Capital Accounts \$ 290,768.23
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts \$3,128,918.58

MEMORANDA

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date \$2,771,957.84
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 1,784,097.98
Loans as shown in item 7 of "Assets" are after deduction of valuation reserves of 20,943.48

I, Howard A. Woodruff, Vice-President and Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOWARD A. WOODRUFF

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Ralph L. Woodruff /
Norma Jean Woodruff
William Dalman
(Directors)

State of Michigan, County of Clinton, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of July, 1968, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

Allen J. White, Notary Public
My commission expires April 11, 1969

Clinton County News

SPORTS

Golfers vie July 27 in best ball tourney

The Clinton County Country Club annual best ball invitational tournament will be held at the St. Johns course on July 27. A total of 38 teams will be competing for prizes in the 27-hole tournament.

Winners will have a choice at the prize table of merchandise. The first place team will be awarded \$100 worth of merchandise. A \$200 prize was given last year, but due to the new ruling set by the United States Golf Association allowing an amateur to take no more than \$100 worth of prizes for a tournament, the prize had to be lowered.

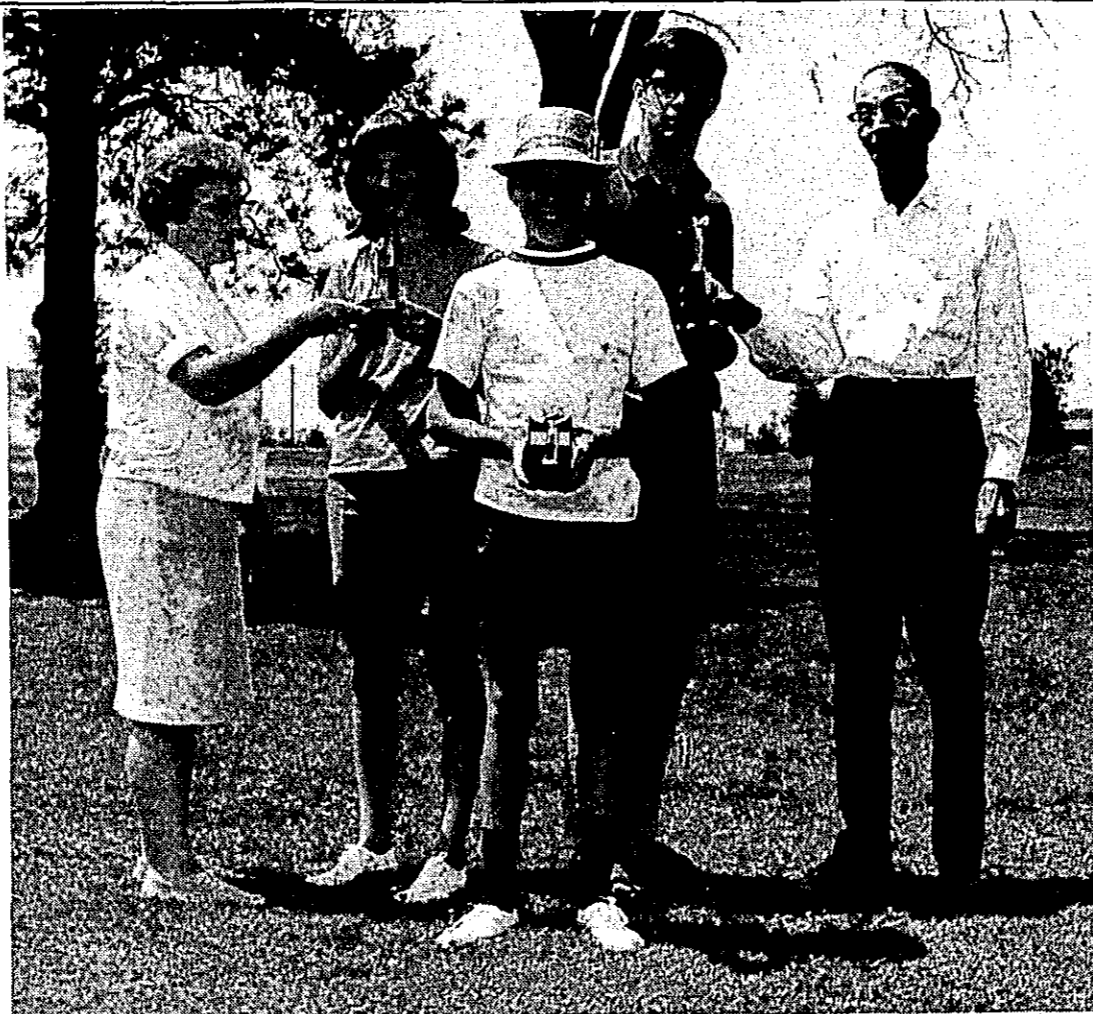
The men in the competition will be some of the best golfers in the state according to club manager Robert Hankey. He also says that the club has hosted the golfers for the tournament for more than ten years and it is known to be one of the finest ball tournaments in the area.

The entry fee is \$30 per team will entitle the golfers to the day of play and dinner which will be served in the evening.

Last year the tournament was won by a Jackson team, Phil Marsten and Andy Andrews. The pair played a sudden death extra hole for the championship against a Lansing duo, John Becker and Bob Myers. The final winning score was only 5 strokes off the tourney record of 97. The record was set in 1957 by Dave Hill and Ducky Andrews of Jackson and tied in 1966 by Ed Sullivan and Ron Stelter of Saginaw.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Floyd Parmelee, manager of the Federal Land Bank office in St. Johns, attended the convention of the American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers at Flagstaff, Ariz. Parmelee was the only appraiser to attend from Michigan. Farm management and appraisal specialists from 40 states were represented.



After completing play with other juniors, three St. Johns youths were awarded trophies for their low scores. Robert Hankey, club director, presents Tim Durner with his, (at left) Tom French is shown center with his and his sister, Cathy (right), receives hers from Mrs Hankey.

GOLF league notes

Tuesday night league, 4 o'clock

J. Sinteropi, 40, F. Masarik, 38, beat K. Becker, 48, P. Maples, 64. R. Kenfield, 49, L. Lake, 49, beat D. Henning, 50, V. Zeeb, 60, G. Bovan, 46, B. Beach, 39, beat H. Houghton, 51, K. Spicer, 48, D. Mazzolini, 48, J. Nuser, 42, beat P. Jopke, 47, B. Barber, 52, B. Thompson, 50, J. McKenzie, 57, beat R. Miller, 47, D. Miller, 52, J. O'Leary, 42, E. MacLuckie, 42, beat H. Woodbury, 55, D. Harper, 57, L. Melvin, 39, S. Keyes, 44, beat B. Henning, 50, T. White, 45, H. Kortez, 48, P. Schueller, 41, beat B. Carmon, 50, J. McKay, 55, A. Harryman, 45, L. White, 47, beat D. Smith, 46, J. Sirrine, 45.

Tuesday night league, 5 o'clock

G. Iacovoni, 60, L. Maki, 48, beat P. West, 69, G. Baese, 62, J. Paradise, 46, D. Devereaux, 48, beat F. Himes, 48, J. Walker, 51, F. Green, 45, D. Antes, 53, beat R. Rademacher, 54, B. Baese, 57, R. Waggoner, 43, C. Hovey, 48, beat J. Hawes, 54, D. Williams, 50, M. O'Neill, 49, N. Hatta, 40, beat A. Masarik, 52, W. Holden, 52, B. Conklin, 49, J. Bartek, 48, beat L. Tiedt, 48, C. Coletta, 51, R. Sirrine, 38, S. Munger, 37, beat S. Loznak, 41, R. Beauchamp, 54, B. Leonard, 60, G. Austin, 45, beat A. Cook, D. Wirick (for) G. Becker, 43, K. Penk Jr., 41, tied B. Lentz, 52, R. Bloomer, 58.

CC Club sponsors junior tourney

The Clinton County Club sponsored a 9-hole tournament last Friday, July 12.

The tournament was at one time an annual event, but for some reason was discontinued. This year, club director, Robert Hankey reinstated the idea and says he hopes to keep it as an annual event.

The winners of the three classifications were Cathy French, Tom French and Tim Durner.

Cathy won honors over four other girls entered in the all girl classification. Her brother, Tom, was top in the group of boys from 8 to 12. Tim captured the title in the class of boys from 13 to 16.

Both French children are the children of Mr and Mrs Lyle French and Tim is the son of Mr and Mrs James Durner.

Tim and John Estes tied the nine holes with 47. A sudden death hole was played with Estes scoring a par which was not enough to beat his opponents birdie. Cathy finished with an 82 for the round and Tom ended with a 56.

After the match, all participants were given a hot dog lunch and pop at the club house.

LITTLE LEAGUE GAMES

July 17: Cubs vs Spartans at 6 p.m.; Indians vs Yanks at 7:15.

July 18: Spartans vs Tigers at 6 p.m.; Orioles vs Yanks at 7:15.

July 22: Orioles vs Sox at 6 p.m.; Spartans vs Cubs at 7:15.

July 23: Yanks vs Sox at 6 p.m.; Cubs vs Cougars at 7:15.

July 24: Orioles vs Tigers at 6 p.m.; Indians vs Cougars at 7:15.

July 25: Spartans vs Yanks at 6 p.m.; Tigers vs Indians at 7:15.

Mrs King captures Green Tee Cup

The Green Tee golf club met with 29 members for a Green Tee Cup Day on July 10. Doris King took home the big prize and Mary Jane Schoendorf was the runner-up. The low putts prize went to Doris Munger.

The Central Michigan Tournament was held on July 15 and 16 at Ionia.

It was voted to approve Mt. Pleasant admittance to the Central Michigan Association. Guest Day is July 24.

Fowler youths attend Farm Bureau seminar

Two Fowler young people, Jane Thelen and George Thelen, are attending a Farm Bureau-sponsored Young People's Citizenship Seminar this week at Camp Kett near Cadillac.

Miss Thelen is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Urban J. Thelen R-2, St. Johns. She is a senior at Fowler High School and a member of Future Homemakers of America, Math Club and Girls' Varsity Club.

Thelen is the son of Mr and Mrs Gerald V. Thelen, R-2, St. Johns, and also is a senior at Fowler High School. He is a member of the Varsity Club.

This week's program offers practical training in citizenship responsibilities for 140 outstanding high school juniors and seniors.

Major discussion topics are: People and Governments Around the World, Americanism, Economic Systems, Participating in Political Parties, and the Challenge of Leadership.

Well-known experts participating in the conference include: Kenneth Cheatham, assistant director of program development for American Farm Bureau Federation; D. Hale Brake, director of education for the Michigan State Association of Supervisors; John H. Furbay, Ph. D., lecturer, author and global traveler; and Arthur Holst, National Football League official and administrator of the Forest Park Foundation, Peoria, Illinois.

Arriving at camp Monday afternoon, young people were welcomed by Elton R. Smith, president of Michigan Farm Bureau, and Ben Westrate, Camp Kett administrator.

Discussion periods and workshops following each major presentation give students an opportunity to evaluate messages delivered by the speakers.

Following Brake's lectures, mock primary elections, county political conventions, a political rally, and a general election will be conducted. These activities are designed to give the young people practical experience in the field of politics. Staffing the conference are representative of Michigan Farm Bureau.

Salon No. 581 of 8&40 met at the L & L Restaurant Tuesday evening at 6:30, June 25 for their annual dinner.

After dinner, a short meeting was held by Chaplain Elinor Bell. Partner Dolma MacKinnon made a quilt top and presented it as a gift to the Salon. The quilt will be sent to the Jewish Community Center.

Partner Goldie Brooks was appointed as delegate to attend the State Convention in Lansing on July 22 at the Jack Tar Hotel.

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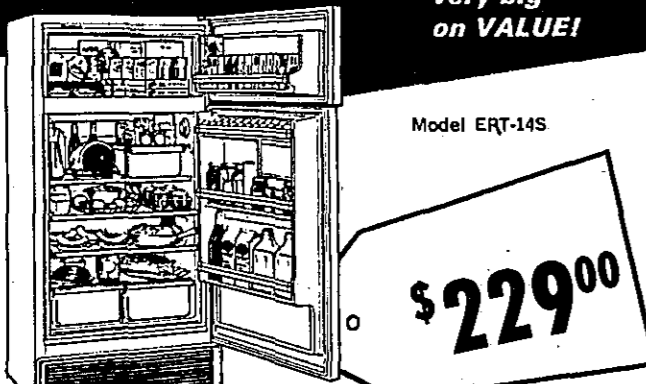
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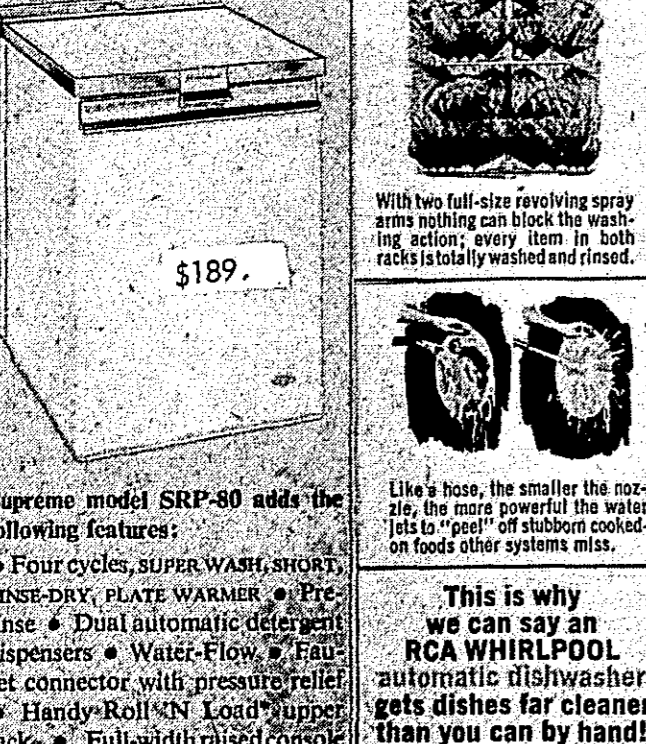
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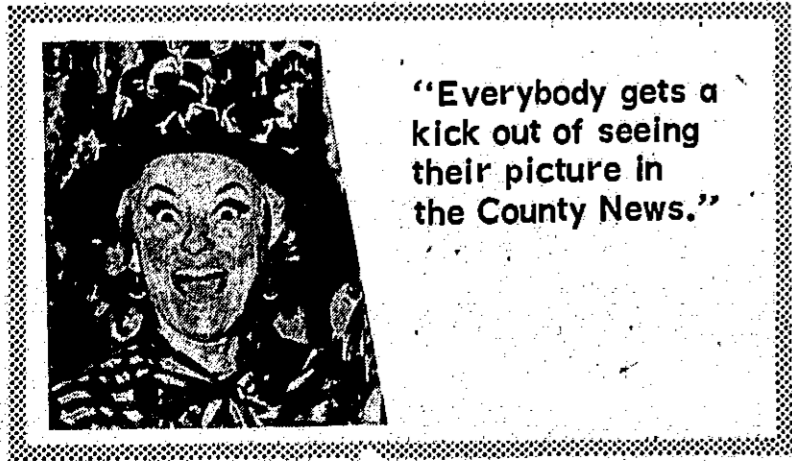


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CLASS HOLDS REUNION

Members of the 1953 class of Pewamo High School held their reunion at the 21 club south of Pewamo. Members of the 1953 class were Joseph Bower, Larry Brayton, Joseph Cook (deceased) Julius Cook, Eugene Downing, Phyllis Fedewa, Donna Fox, Jeanette Fox, Mary Ellen Fox, Ericella Fox, Jean Heckman, Charles Hewitt, Joseph Kavanagh, Charles Rademacher, Alice Schafer, Ellen Schafer, Francis Silvernall, Isabel Simon, Marie Simon, Peter Simon Gladys Theis, and Kathryn Thelen.

Mrs Ferd Bower and Anthony paid their last respects to Stewart Burt Vault who passed away on July 8. Interment, was July 10 at St. Isadore Parish at Laingsburg.

Mr and Mrs Willard Knapp of Mesa, Ariz., and former residents of Ionia were visitors of Ruth Swindt.

Jim Schafer, wife and their son and Mrs Alice Schafer of Ionia called Ruth Swindt Sunday.

Friday, Mrs Helen Swift and husband of Lansing were luncheon guests of Ruth Swindt.

The tenth wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Phil Kramer was celebrated at the home of Mr and Mrs Louis Thelen on Sunday, July 14. Those present were Mr and Mrs Robert Bearso of Grand Rapids, Mr and Mrs Harry Sabin and Jayn of Lansing, Mr and Mrs Ford Stadel of Mulligan, Mr and Mrs David Hanses of Westphalia, Mr and Mrs Max Hogal and Beth, Mr and Mrs Tony Thelen, and Mr and Mrs William Thelen and Sue Thelen.

Alan Fox of Lansing is spending a week's vacation with his grandmother, Irene Fox.

Debbie and Mary Kay Hanses of Westphalia spent a week's vacation with their grandparents Mr and Mrs Louis Thelen.

Mr and Mrs Henry J. Schafer and family Mr and Mrs Norbert J. Fox and family, and Mr and Mrs Roy Howarth and family of Haynor Road, Ionia spent the weekend at Grass Lake.

Mrs Carl Miller and daughter, Jill, and Mr and Mrs Leonard Smith, were Tuesday guests of their mother, Mrs Orah Roach.

Sunday Larry Miller and friend of Grand Rapids spent the day with Orah Roach.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Silvernall attended the funeral of Joseph P. Hackenbruch Monday at St. Patrick's Church in Portland.

John Fitzpatrick of Hubbardston passed away at the Clinton Memorial Hospital at St. Johns, Interment at Hubbardston.

Mr and Mrs. Kenneth Cummings of Pewamo attended funeral services for Mr Cummings brother-in-law, Judson Gorsuch, Mr Gorsuch, 57, was buried in the Vestaburg Cemetery and services were held at St. Margaret Mary Parish in Edmore.

Sister Hildegard of Chicago spent the weekend with her parents, Mr and Mrs William P. Smith. Sister Hildegard is the former Theodora Smith and for the past six years has been assigned to St. Raphael Convent in Chicago and will be there the coming year. On Sunday the Smith family had a surprise reunion honoring their mother's birthday which is on August 15 when Mrs Smith will be 75.

Monday afternoon, Mr and Mrs William P. Smith, and Sister Hildegard were visitors of their sister and aunt Mrs Lena Miller at her home in St. Johns. Sister Hildegard left Monday evening for Chicago.

Mr and Mrs Henry Schafer called on their mother Monday evening, Mrs Joe Howorth of Saranac. Mrs Howorth is recovering from bruises and abrasions when she was hit by a pickup while talking to a neighbor. X-rays were taken and she was treated.

Mrs Herman Werner submitted to major surgery Monday morning at St. Lawrence Hospital at Lansing.

Mrs Mildred Fox, Mrs Ardis Ludwick, Mrs Mathilda Cook and Mrs Ernest Schafer were visitors of Cynthia Fox at the Villa Elizabeth at Grand Rapids during the past week.

According to the Sentinel Standard the home of Mr and Mrs Owen Smith at Lyons is a very lovely sight, beautifully landscaped with flowers and shrubs. In Pewamo a well kept lawn and home, owned by Mrs Rose Pfaff on the corner of Washington and State, is very neatly kept. Mrs Pfaff who was 78 in February lives alone and does her own housework and lawn work. A weed has no chance to

live in her beautiful flowers which are on all sides of the home. On Lincoln Street, the Doane home is to be admired from early spring. As soon as the snow leaves, flowers are in bloom on the well landscaped lawn. The many different kinds are in bloom till the snow covers them. Mrs Doane is 88. Her daughter, Maude and son Ralph live at 214 Lincoln.

Eureka

Mrs Gordon Waggoner

EUREKA—The Pilgrim Fellowship of the Eureka Congregational Christian Church attended the Free Methodist Church in Owosso last Sunday evening with their Youth Fellowship. Rev and Mrs William Moore, Mr and Mrs Bruce Amos, Mr and Mrs Wendell Waggoner accompanied the group.

GLORIA KAYE IS 15 EUREKA—Gloria Kaye Waggoner was 15 on July 3. Because she was with her family up north for the 4th, her birthday cake with ice cream was served at their house trailer at their lot between Houghton and Higgins Lakes. Those present for the occasion were Mr and Mrs Gordon Waggoner, Gloria and Linda, Mr and Mrs Wendell Waggoner and Ron and Russ, with Vicki and Shelley Amos.

WON BOTH GAMES

EUREKA—Last Friday evening the men of the Church softball league played two games at the field in Elsie. The first game was played with the Maple Rapids Methodist church men, and the second game was played with the Colony Church. The men from the Eureka Congregational Christian Church winning both games.

ATTENDS GIRL SCOUT CAMP

Those from the Eureka Girl Scout troops to attend the Girl Scout Day Camp at Stony Creek last week, were brownies, Patty Eastwood, Lisa and Lori Ormiston; Juniors, Mona Jean Ferrali; cadettes, Gloria and Linda Waggoner. Leader, Mrs Gordon Waggoner was a counselor to a unit of 18 brownies.

Virginia Bernet of Owosso, Mrs Pauline Hebel, Mrs Mary Lou Hebel and son Darryl of rural Ovid, Mrs Margaret Light of St. Johns, and Mrs Stanley Pifer and three children of rural St. Johns were guests of Mr and Mrs Orrin Blank to celebrate the birthday of Mrs Bernet.

Merrill Clark and his son Glen, have just returned for about two years of service duty stationed in Turkey. He visited the 4th of July weekend at Houghton Lake with his parents, Mr and Mrs Ivan Clark, at their cottage. His brother-in-law and a niece from Chicago also accompanied him. His wife, Margie, and new daughter, Gillian, remain in Chicago with her sister.

Mr and Mrs Wendell Waggoner, Ron and Russ, Mr and Mrs Gordon Waggoner, Gloria and Linda, with Vicki and Shelley Amos all spent from evening of July 3 at their lot between Houghton and Higgins Lakes. On Thursday evening Mr and Mrs Bruce Amos and Scott joined them. Gordon went home Thursday night and returned Friday night. The Amos family returned home on Friday. The two Waggoner families stayed on to Sunday. While North, the Gordon Waggoners called on her parents, Mr and Mrs Milford Clark, her cousins, Mr and Mrs Earle Behner, and her aunt and uncle, Mr and Mrs Ivan Clark, all at their cottages.

Mr and Mrs Ward Lewis of Elsie spent from Friday to Monday visiting Mr and Mrs Milford Clark at their cottage.

Mr and Mrs Donald Clark and daughters are vacationing at Houghton Lake with his parents, Mr and Mrs Ivan Clark.

When you give anybody money, always give it in cash; \$100 in cash seems more than \$1,000 in a check.



Pictured with her mother, is Miss Janet Brooke, age 7. Janet is Michigan's Miss 'La Petite'. She is pointing to Dallas, Texas on the map. That is where she and the new Little Miss will be traveling to for the National Pageant.

Little girl can be state beauty queen

Pictured with her mother Mrs Brooke, is Janet, age 7. She looks anxiously at the map of Texas, pointing to Dallas—her destination. She plans to have the 1968 winners and her four brothers accompany her.

Janet is the reigning Michigan Miss La Petite and has been chosen as the official Little Miss Model. She will be modeling clothes at the state and international pageants.

The Our Little Miss pageant was registered in Washington, D.C. in 1962. It was the first international children's beauty and talent pageant ever staged.

Last year the winner was chosen by photograph as Michigan did not have a pageant. This year Mrs Brooke, who is a twirling instructor for Michigan School of Baton, has accepted the role of State Director, therefore Michigan will hold its first Our Little Miss Pageant. The winners will be sent to Dallas to compete for the international title.

The Michigan State Pageant will be held on July 26 and 27 at the Pantlind Hotel in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Because there were no county pageants Michigan will hold an open state pageant meaning any girl who resides in the State of Michigan may enter the pageant. However, entries are accepted with a limited number of contestants from each county on a "first come, first serve" basis.

Any girl who is between the ages of three and twelve is eligible to compete in this contest. Girls who are 3 to 6 will compete for the title of Michigan Miss La Petite. They will model sportswear and party dresses. Girls who are 7 to 12 will compete for the title of Michigan Our Little Miss.

Bridgeville

By Mrs Thelma Woodbury

Mr and Mrs John Woodbury spent from Saturday until Tuesday of last week at Dodge Lake with Mr and Mrs Charlie Woodbury.

Mr and Mrs Douglas Hubert and Mr and Mrs John Woodbury helped Mr and Mrs Bruce Hubert move into their new home on East Hyde Road, Saturday.

The ladies of Bridgeville Aid held a business meeting Wednesday afternoon. Due to shortage of help they decided not to have another supper until September 20th. They will serve a roast pork and dressing supper at that time.

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SCOTT IS 8

Scott Thelen received several useful gifts Sunday when his classmates gathered at the home of his parents Mr and Mrs John H. Thelen to help him celebrate his eight birthday anniversary. Following the afternoon of game playing a lunch, refreshments and ice cream and cake was served to the twelve guests.

Thursday evening, July 18, at 8:30 p.m. the Daughters of Isabella will hold their monthly meeting at the parish hall.

MARRIAGE BANS Wedding bells soon will ring out at St. Mary Church for Miss Sharon Fedewa, daughter of Mr and Mrs Celester Fedewa of Fowler and Clyde Hoerner, son of Mr and Mrs John Hoerner of Grand Ledge.

Sunday the children and grandchildren of Mr and Mrs John A. Thelen gathered at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Marvin Platte for their annual family reunion.

Wednesday, Fr William Rademacher, Fr Raymond Rademacher, Fr Raymond Spitzley and Mrs Anna Rademacher returned home after spending ten days in Canada and other places of interest.

Recently the descendants of

North Bengal

By Mrs Wm. Ernst

Mrs Robert Eldridge, Mrs Rudolph Tiedt and Mrs Erwin Tiedt attended a bridal shower honoring Miss Mary Witt, an August bride-elect, at the home of Mrs Norman Irer of South Bengal on Wednesday evening.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Foerch and Sandra enjoyed a vacation trip to London, Ontario, Canada on Wednesday and Thursday.

On Saturday evening, Mr and Mrs Edmund Falk attended the Brown-Schneider wedding supper and reception held at the American Legion Hall in Portland.

Mrs William Ernest was a Wednesday afternoon visitor of Mrs William Light of St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Fred W. Pasch and Mr and Mrs J.D. Bancroft were Saturday evening visitors of Mr and Mrs Erwin Tiedt. Dr Norma Elesen of Maple Rapids and Mrs Edna Wata-maker were guests from Thursday until Saturday of the latter's daughter, Peggy Sturgis of Detroit.

Mr and Mrs Albert Moritz of rural Maple Rapids, and Mrs Edward Moritz accompanied Mrs Louis Moritz to the Ovid Convalescent Manor where they visited Miss Flora Wood, Mrs Mary Monroe and the former Marie Welter.

Mr and Mrs William Ernst and Maxine spent Sunday evening with Mr and Mrs Herbert Pasch and family of North Dallas. Mr Pasch recently returned home from Clinton Memorial Hospital after being there for a month.

of Darrow's birthday.

Mrs Mamie O'Connell and Clara Hogan visited Crystal Lake on Tuesday.

Mrs Dick O'Sborn and family visited her mother, Mrs Anna Williams on Sunday.

family of Hubbardston entertained Mr and Mrs Arvel Ott Sunday at their cottage on Crystal Lake.

Mr and Mrs Irvin Lattimer are spending vacation at their country home.

Advertisement for Tanous Men's and Boy's Wear. Features a 'July Clearance Sale' with 'SAVE 20% to 40%' on 'SLACKS, SHIRTS, JACKETS, SPORTSWEAR'. Includes 'ON ALL 20% OFF SPORT COATS' and 'TANOUS Men's and Boy's Wear' at 119 BRIDGE ST. DeWITT.

Joseph P. and Theresa Thelen held their family reunion at Droste Memorial Park.

Thursday Mr and Mrs Henry Saller of Lansing called on relatives.

Mr and Mrs Dick Droste and family, Mr and Mrs Dennis Nurenberg and family and Mr and Mrs Dennis Thelen and daughters enjoyed the past weekend camping at Budd Lake.

Mr and Mrs Gerald Platte spent the weekend at Dickinson Lake.

Pat Wohlfert suffered minor injuries Friday when his car struck a cow at Price Road and Dexter Trail. He was released after treatment at St. Lawrence Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Roman Feldpausch of Fowler and Mr and Mrs Louis Rademacher spent a few days during the past week in Wisconsin.

Brenda Geraldyn was the name given to the infant daughter born to Mr and Mrs James Smith on July 10.

Mr and Mrs Don Schneider and family spent the past weekend at Wiggins Lake. The Eucher Club met last week at the home of Mrs Anna Droste.

Elsie

By Mrs Neva Keys

Peter Welter hospitalized

ELSIE (c) — Peter Welter, son of Mrs Joanne Sisco, underwent surgery at the Sparrow Hospital, Lansing last week after being in traction a week.

He recently was involved in an automobile-motorcycle accident, Saturday, June 29, while returning home from work.

He suffered a broken leg and face cuts. He would appreciate hearing from his classmates and friends. The address is Sparrow Hospital, Room 701.

Shower honors bride-elect

ELSIE (c) — A linen shower was held for bride-elect, Carol Conklin of Elsie at Owosso Wednesday evening. It was given by Shirley Smalley, Frances Duncan and Mary Jane Thompson.

Guests were fellow workers at Triggs-Miner Corp. in Owosso and Mrs Bernard Conklin, mother of the honored guest and Miss Connie King of Elsie.

The refreshment table was centered with a cake decorated in pink and blue. Following a social evening, Miss Conklin opened her many lovely gifts.

Miss Conklin's marriage to Edward Polack will take place August 24.

The First Baptist Church of Elsie will hold its vacation Bible School daily from July 22 to July 26. The hours will be 9 p.m. to 11:30 a.m. with Rev Al Hashey as director.

If transportation is required please call Rev Norris Beck 862-5060.

Myron Tethal spent the weekend at home in Elsie. Myron is attending Coast Guard Flight School in Alabama this summer. He brought a friend, Tom Taylor

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of Virginia Beach, Va., with him for his short visit at home.

Mr and Mrs Ward Lewis have returned from several days at Houghton Lake with Mr and Mrs Milford Clark. The Lewises also visited Mr and Mrs Earl Behner of Bainsridge, Ohio, at their cottage at Houghton Lake.

On Tuesday night, Ward Lewis was honored on his birthday at his home. Present were Mrs Lewis, Mr and Mrs Max Rivest and family of Ovid, Mr and Mrs Elmer Thornton of the Colony, Mr and Mrs Henry Howard and family of Eureka, Mr Waldo Roof and son, Darrell, and Mr and Mrs Lonnie McCullough of Elsie.

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Advertisement for 'Family DRIVE IN THEATRE'. Features 'ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN' and showtimes: 'Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat. July 17, 18, 19, 20'.

Advertisement for 'ELVIS & NANCY PRESLEY & SMITRA'. Features 'singing... dancing!' and 'SPEEDWAY PANAVISION & METROCOLOR PLUS'.

Advertisement for 'PATCH OF BLUE'. Features '3 FEATURES SAT. Late Thrill Picture'.

Advertisement for 'Monster of the year!' featuring a large 'AT' logo.

Advertisement for 'THEY PLAY AROUND WITH MURDER AND WITH MEN!' featuring a motorcycle illustration.

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★ FOR SALE MISC. FARM 20x50 CEMENT STAVE Silo for sale. Victor Simon, phone 224-3618. 10-3p

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★ LIVESTOCK 1968 STEPVAN, International, 12 ft. loading space, all aluminum body, minor damage, no miles, full width overhead rear door. Travers Used Auto Parts, N. US-27, phone 224-3204. 12-1

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1 HOLSTEIN BULL, weight - 700 lbs, Phone 824-3412, Roy Court, 1 mile east, 1 south, the first place east of Pewamo, 12-1p

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2 LARGE Shetland ponies with saddles and bridles; \$100 each. Double work harness with collars, \$50, Dale Plowman, phone 224-3824, 1 mile north, 1/2 east of Lowe Church. 12-3p

1 APPALOOSA HORSE, very gentle; 1 Welshpony, good ride or drive, with or without harness and cart; 1 good pony, rides. Inquire 1 mile south of US-27 to Township Rd., 1 mile east to Williams, 1st place on right, Ben Swanchara. 12-1p

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80 acres north edge of St. Johns with 3-bedroom, excellent soil. Owner will take small acreage north of St. Johns.

Nearly new 3-bedroom home on North US-27. Basement, garage, large garden space.

Four 80-acre farms north of St. Johns.

Eureka - 2-bedroom home, \$3,200 with \$1,000 down.

Sharp 40 acres, 3-bedroom home, barn, garage, 5 acres of woods, tools and crops included. 4 1/2 miles north of St. Johns.

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118 acres with good 3-bedroom home, large creek and live spring on farm. Blacktop road.

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1959 FORD dump truck, 5 yard box, \$450. Also purebred Labrador Retrievers, phone 224-7925. 12-11

1 WOLVERINE PUP camper for pickup truck. Call 224-4414 after 5:30 weekdays. 12-3p

LIKE NEW, 1965 GMC 1/2 ton pickup with 8 ft. box and homemade cab; high camper, radio, custom cab. Other extras, 16,000 miles; \$1395. Call Alec Feldpausch, 582-3262, Fowler. 12-1p

1964 TRIUMPH Spitfire Convertible, four speeds ahead, excellent condition - call 224-3394 after 5 p.m. 12-3p

1949 CHRYSLER straight eight. First caller gets for cost of ad. 207 S. Morton, St. Johns, 12-1

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USED TIRES for sale; Good selection of sizes. Cains, Inc., 210 W. Higham, St. Johns. 9-4

1959 FORD V8; standard shift, engine and tires excellent; body fair. Frank Most, 3131 S. Upton Rd., Ovid, Phone 834-2630. 10-3p

NEW 3 bedroom home, carpeted, double garage, 1 1/2 baths, on 1 acre lot. 7771 N. US-27.

Vacant Lot - Zoned commercial, corner of Maple Rapids Road and US-27.

137 acres north and east of Carland. Best of soil. Buildings in good repair, 8-room house, nice yard. All real sharp.

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★ AUTOMOTIVE 80 ACRES SUITABLE for gravel pit. Phone 224-3518. 10-3p

★ AUTOMOTIVE 4 OR 5 bedroom, fully modern home. Extra large 5 piece bath, gas heat, on 1 full acre of ground; phone 862-4469. 11-3p

★ AUTOMOTIVE 2-story Colonial, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 2 dressing rooms, Colonial staircase and fireplace. Sodded lawn. Immediate possession. Phone 224-4585. 12-1

★ AUTOMOTIVE AMUSEMENT CENTER and merry-go-round located at a famous central Michigan resort lake. Seasonal operation. You can make an easy living here! Terms to suit you. Phone Lansing (517) 489-5062, evenings phone St. Johns 224-4488, Stan Loomis and Assoc. 11-2

★ AUTOMOTIVE FIVE BEDROOM home in St. Johns, three up and two down; two full baths, all modern, disposal and dishwasher, gas heat, hot water, full basement with tile floor, cement drive, two car garage. Five blocks from 3 schools. \$23,500. Phone 224-2527. 12-3p

★ AUTOMOTIVE French road, just between St. Johns and Elsie. 4 or 5 bedroom modern home on 1 1/2 acres, well shaded lot. Has large utility and bathroom, kitchen, dining, living, and large enclosed front porch. Barn needs repair. Ideal home for family wanting all conveniences of country living. Would trade for small home near town.

★ AUTOMOTIVE JOSEPH DUCKI, Broker Phone Ashley, 847-3361 12-4

★ AUTOMOTIVE FOR SALE: New Home under Construction in Westphalia. Three bedroom, one and one-half bath. Small down payment can move young couple in. Close to Church and School. Fedewa Builders, Inc. Phone: 587-3811. 11-1

★ AUTOMOTIVE 1-acre Lot for Sale Shady Building Site RAY A. HAMER Phone Ovid 834-5441 9-4

★ AUTOMOTIVE ALL CASH—For contracts. We will buy your land contract for cash or take it in trade on other property. For a fast transaction, call the "House of Action" Furman-Day Realty, 393-2400, 51-11

★ COUNTRY LIVING \$150 down payment buys a new 3-bedroom home on a large country lot. As low as \$13,650 Lower price on your lot.

★ COUNTRY LIVING OVID SERVICE AGENCY Ovid Phone 834-2288 12-1

★ COMMERCIAL BUILDING: Equipped as restaurant with attached living quarters. Can be used as Barber Shop, appliance repair, offices or 2 apartments etc. 1st building North of Standard Station corner of US-27 and M-21, St. Johns. Will sell for \$6000 cash. \$500 down to responsible party, or will lease. Joseph Covello, 513 E. Michigan Ave. Lansing, Michigan. Phone IV. 5-4689 or IV. 2-4077. 12-3p

★ WANTED REAL ESTATE WANTED TO BUY: 3 to 4 bedroom home from owner in St. Johns area; in \$20,000 range. Phone evenings 393-2493, Lansing. 11-3p

★ FOR RENT FURNISHED studio type apartment. Close to downtown; also 2-bedroom upstairs available Aug. 1. Phone 224-4468. 11-3

FURNISHED BACHELOR apartment for rent; also 3 room apartment unfurnished except stove and refrigerator. Phone 224-4465. 7-11

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★ FOR RENT A 2-BEDROOM home for rent. Phone 862-4339, Maple Rapids, H. Tyler. 12-1p

★ FOR RENT DOWNSTAIRS APARTMENT for rent, 4-rooms, partly furnished, close to downtown. References. Phone 224-4779. 10-3

★ FOR RENT FOR RENT: NEAR two supermarkets; small with kitchenette, shower, TV room - no laundry; \$65/ per month - no bums - room for two. Call Mary Siegel or Betty Rademacher. 8-11

★ FOR RENT COTTAGE on Paradise Lake, 5 miles south of Mackinaw City. Modern, can sleep 6. Safe, sandy beach, good fishing. Make reservations now. John W. Hannah, phone 224-4671. 7-11

★ FOR RENT FOR RENT - Air hammer for breaking up cement, etc. We have two available. Randolph's Ready-Mix Plant, North US-27, phone 224-3766. 12-11

★ FOR RENT APARTMENT FOR RENT, stove and refrigerator furnished. 1 Block from downtown St. Johns. Adults, no pets. Phone 224-4654 between 9 - 5. Evenings phone 224-7051. 11-1

★ FOR RENT MEADOWVIEW apartments, 902 E. Sturgis, deluxe two-bedroom apartments, unfurnished or furnished, rent from \$145. Completely carpeted, drapes, kitchen appliances, air conditioning, disposal, heat and hot water. Call J.F. Marzke, 42-11

★ WANTED TO RENT WANTED TO RENT nice 3 or 4 bedroom home in St. Johns. For reference call the Clinton County News, 224-2361. 8-dh

★ WANTED TO RENT WANTED TO RENT: 3 or 4 bedroom house in St. Johns or DeWitt area by Sept. 1st. Will give ownership care and furnish references. Will rent, lease or rent with option to buy. Write Box 3, Clinton County News, St. Johns, 10-3p

★ HELP WANTED WANTED: BABYSITTER over 18 years old for 3rd week in July, 5 children - call 224-3073. 10-3p

★ HELP WANTED LICENSED INSURANCE Agent: Large nationally known company has opening for local representative to service policy owners. Substantial income immediately. Write or call Howard H. Finsilver, 234 State Street, Detroit, Michigan, 48226 Phone 313-962-2705. 12-1

★ HELP WANTED HELP WANTED: LPN: Competent nurses aides for all shifts, also a cook; Near DeWitt; apply to Avon Nursing Home, Solon Rd., DeWitt, Phone 489-1701. 12-3p

★ BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY MAN OR WOMAN: Reliable person from this area to service and collect from automatic dispensers. No experience needed... we establish accounts for you. Car, references and \$985.00 to \$1785.00 cash capital necessary. 4 to 12 hours weekly net excellent monthly income. Full time more. For local interview, write Eagle Industries, 4725 Excelsior Blvd., St. Louis Park, Minnesota. 55416. 12-1p

★ WANT TO PUT YOUR BUSINESS PROCEDURES EXPERIENCE TO WORK? Clinton County News has a business office opening for a woman who is anxious to learn, can exchange ideas and meet the public. Pleasant working conditions with usual benefits. Contact Mr Huard. 11-2dh

★ WANTED MISCELLANEOUS HAY AND STRAW wanted; Phone DeWitt, 689-3268. 52-11

TREES WANTED for fireplace wood. Drop a postcard to: Bolles Farm, R # 2, DeWitt, Michigan. 10-3p

WANTED - SOFA bed. Must be comfortable and in good condition. Call 224-4671. 12-1dh

★ NOTICES I WILL NOT be held responsible for any debts other than those signed by me personally as of July 3, 1968. Edwin Bowen. 10-4p

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★ HELP WANTED FULL TIME OPPORTUNITIES WITH AMERICA'S NO. 1 RETAIL FIRM: Management and Sales Trainees Needed, EXPERIENCE NOT NECESSARY - WILL TRAIN. Company benefits when eligible; Discount Privileges, Profit sharing pension fund, Holiday pay, paid vacations, group life insurance, Travel Accident Insurance, Group Hospitalization Insurance. Apply in Person at SEARS ROEBUCK AND COMPANY, Southgate Plaza, St. Johns, 12-2

★ MALE and FEMALES WELDERS, WELDER TRAINEES and HELPERS (Laborers) Also taking applications for second shift part-time welders. Apply at

★ ASHLEY CORPORATION Ashley, Michigan Monday thru Friday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. 8-11

SERVICING OUR CUSTOMERS during convenient hours is a profitable means of earning for many women. Call Avon Manager, collect at 884-8411 or write Betty Bernard, 4496 Alvarado Drive, Bay City, Mich. 48706. 12-1p

★ RIVARD NURSING HOME Phone 224-2985 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 10-3

★ MATURE WOMAN FOR daily cleaning, phone 224-4514. 8-11

★ WANTED: WOMAN to care for invalid lady; prefer live in; husband welcome but no children; rent and utilities paid, plus some wages if living in. Rural DeWitt, phone 869-9446 or 669-8243. 10-3p

★ DISHWASHER AND A Part Time Cook needed at Daley's Fine Foods in St. Johns. Apply at restaurant or phone 224-3072. 1-11

★ WE STILL HAVE a few openings for this season so you can still earn your vacation money plus your fall wardrobe - Must have 10 hours weekly and own transportation. Call or Write immediately - Interviews close July 19th. Marian Davis, Reg. Mgr., Queen's Way Fashions, Lakeview, Michigan; Phone (517) 352-6874. 10-3p

★ WANTED EMPLOYMENT WANTED: CUSTOM harvesting. Phone Elsie 826-5014. 12-3p

WANTED: CUSTOM combining; Call 224-2049. 12-1p

★ EXPERIENCED mature woman for baby sitting. Can give references; phone 224-4790. 12-1p

★ WANTED: RAG rug weaving and rugs for sale by Mrs John Schafer, 431 North Main Street, Fowler, Michigan; phone 582-5662. 12-3p

★ WANTED: Farm job, full time, 9714 West M-21. 11-1p

★ WELL DRILLING and service. Pumps, pipes and supplies. Free estimates. Carl S. Oberlitter, 4604 N. State road, Alma, Phone 463-4364. 48-11

★ WANTED MISCELLANEOUS WORLD'S LARGEST toy party needs you. Sell Playhouse Company toys from August to December. No experience necessary. No collecting - no delivering! Write or call Dona Krauss, 1709 Benjamin NE, Grand Rapids, Michigan, Phone 363-8550. 11-10

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Real Estate 1 1/2 acres, Wilbur highway, Holt school district. Ann Viculen. 1 1/2 acres inside city of Lansing. 3/4 acre, Grand Ledger school district. 2 1/2 acres, Fitchburg road, Leslie. Bob Anderson. 2 1/2 acres, W. Jolly road. Ann Viculen. 3 acres, Bond road. S. Babcock. 1-acre lots on Rolfe road, Mason. Art Good. Effert road, Holt, 1 1/2 parcels. Connie Smith. Cutler road, DeWitt, 10-acre parcels. Dexter Trail, 5, 10-acre parcels. Gene Townsend. 80 acres, W. St Joe, Grand Ledger. Bob Anderson. College road, Holt, 18 acres. A. Wickham. Every road, Mason, 125 acres. L. Bennett. 80 acres, Columbia and Every roads, Mason. 75 acres, Columbia and Every roads, Mason. A. Viculen. 80 acres, west of Aurelius road, to be divided into 20-acre parcels. A. Good. 10 and 2 1/2 acres near St. Johns. M. Bennett. 2 1/2 acres near Perry. 1 acre, Centerline road. FURMAN-DAY REALTY 5766 S. Cedar LANSING Phone 393-2400

Real Estate Alpena, Mich. - Lovely 2-bedroom furnished home. Living room, oak floors, built-in kitchen, stove and refrigerator. Beautiful river view. Patio and 2-car garage, 100x300-ft. lot, snow machine, Ski-Doo, also snow blower. S. Lansing - 2-bedroom small home, large 165x164 lot. Land contract, \$1,000 down, full price \$6,500. Lewis St. - 2-bedroom home, kitchen and dinette, dining room carpeted, full basement, divided breezeway to 2-car garage, gas heat. Reasonable price. E. Avery Road - 3-bedroom ranch with 2 baths, 990x168 lot has fruit. House has very modern kitchen, 2-car garage, aluminum siding, combination storms and screens, oil furnace. This neat home priced to sell. S. Prospect - 2-apartment house, fully rented showing a good investment return. Two-bedroom apartment down, one up. Reasonable price. Jason Road - 77 acres, 65 acres workland, lots of out-buildings, 3-bedroom home with 2 down. Oil furnace. Good well. W. Price Road - 3 bedrooms, full basement, 2-car garage, oak floors. By appointment. NEW LISTING - S. Kreppls Road, 75 acres, 7-room house. Conley Real Estate Phone 224-2465 or 224-7090

Real Estate 160 to 560-acre dairy farm. 1 to 3 houses available, north of St. Johns, blacktop road. 80 acres north edge of St. Johns with 3-bedroom, excellent soil. Owner will take small acreage north of St. Johns. Nearly new 3-bedroom home on North US-27. Basement, garage, large garden space. Four 80-acre farms north of St. Johns. Eureka - 2-bedroom home, \$3,200 with \$1,000 down. Sharp 40 acres, 3-bedroom home, barn, garage, 5 acres of woods, tools and crops included. 4 1/2 miles north of St. Johns. Three 40-acre vacant parcels north of St. Johns. 118 acres with good 3-bedroom home, large creek and live spring on farm. Blacktop road. 20 acres of vacant land in Section 10 of Washington Township. Ideal for trailer home. Priced at only \$4,250. MELVIN SMITH, Broker 6272 North US-27 Phone 224-3801.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

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★ NOTICES

NOTICE: District Holstein Black & White show to be held at McCurdy Park, Corunna on Friday, July 19th, Charles Bracey, Secretary. 12-1

I WILL NOT BE responsible for debts occurring on and after this date, July 12, by anyone other than myself. Darwin Whitman. 12-3p

ANNOUNCING: HIGH Styling is NOW being done at Helen Daggett's Beauty Shop at 3658 E. Maple Rapids Road by Mrs Judy Moon. Phone 224-2461. 11-3p

HAVE ROOM FOR 1 lady at Marlon's Rest Home in Eureka. Call Marlon Sohn at 224-7088. 10-1f

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Our completely renewed and furnished offices are provided for families who like comfortable and confidential surroundings in which to borrow up to \$1000. If you are not using these conveniences, we invite you to do so, now! Local Loan, 108 E. High Street, St. Johns, phone 224-3926. 12-1

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★ LOST AND FOUND

BILLFOLD LOST WEDNESDAY evening, July 3rd at the City Park. Valuable papers are needed. Notify Keith Lundberg, Dimondale, Michigan, or call 224-7172. 11-1p

LOST ON JULY 4; a black Shepherd male dog with white breast - paws - and tip of tail. Also brown markings. There is a reward for his return. Call 224-8418 after July 19. 12-3p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

I would like to thank the law and law enforcement officers of Clinton County, the City of St. Johns and the citizens of St. Johns. - Maynard Barrett, 12-1p

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the doctors, nurses and nurses' aides for the wonderful care during my stay at St. Lawrence Hospital. Frs Aloysius and Martin Miller, relatives, friends for their visits, cards, flowers and cards. It was greatly appreciated. - Mrs Rita Miller. 12-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to Father Miller, Father Spillane, Father Droste and nuns of St. Mary's. Also to all the doctors and nurses of St. Lawrence Hospital. A special thanks to the family, relatives, neighbors and friends who remembered us with their prayers, cards, food and flowers during our recovery. - Mr and Mrs Gerald N. Thelen. 12-1p

In deepest sympathy of L.G. Olger, husband, father, and grandfather; we wish to express our thanks to all our relatives, friends, and neighbors for all the flowers, cards, and food received during our recent bereavement. We also wish to thank the Osgood Funeral Home for helping out so very much. Thank you. - Anna Olger and children. 12-1p

I wish to express my sincere thanks to Drs Russell and Gross, nurses and nurses' aides for the wonderful care during my stay at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Also Fathers A. and M. Miller, Spillane, Hanker, Labiak for their prayers and visits. I also wish to thank everyone for their cards and my relatives, friends and especially my neighbors for the fruit and delicious baked goods sent to the house. It was greatly appreciated. - Mrs Julius Bengel. 12-1p

Many thanks to Dr Stilwell, nurses and aides for the care I received at Sparrow Hospital; Michigan Milk Producers Association employees of Ovid for flowers and cards; and special thanks to family members and Miss Kjelleras of Sweden for the help with the children. - Jerry Reha. 12-1p

The family of Irene DeVault wishes to express sincere thanks and appreciation to relatives and friends for the many acts of kindness, cards, beautiful floral offerings and Mass Cards during the death of our wife, mother, grandmother and sister. A special thanks to Fr Paul Cummings, the McCougal Funeral Home, the Found Lake Assoc, and the Altar Society who served the dinner. Also our neighbors and relatives who sent food into the home. Your kindness will never be forgotten. 12-1p

I would like to take this opportunity to say "thank you" to Fr Miller, Doctors, nurses, friends and relatives for the fine care I received and for the many nice flowers and gifts given to me. - Edward P. Bengal. 12-1p

Words cannot express our appreciation to all our friends and neighbors who were so thoughtful and comforting during our time of sorrow. - Dewey and Claude Treat, and Fannie Call. 12-1p

I wish to thank Drs Russell and Bennett, nurses and nurses' aides for their wonderful care. Also friends, neighbors and relatives for the lovely cards, gifts, and flowers while in the hospital. - Sandra Fivecoat. 12-1p

I wish to thank Dr Stoller, nurses, aides, friends, relatives, Rev Harrison, Crescent Club and the Riley and Olive Aid Jol-It-Lot Club for all the flowers and cards while I was in the Clinton Memorial Hospital. - Mrs Maud Davis. 12-1p

I wish to thank everyone who voted for me in the Ovid 4th of July Queen Contest. I appreciate your support very much. - Carol Ormsby. 12-1p

★ CARDS OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks to Osgoods Funeral Home, Pastor Bob; our friends, neighbors, relatives for the beautiful floral offerings and food at the time of our mother's death. To all the personnel at Pleasant View Hospital; nurses and nurses' aides, orderlies and her Dr for the kindness and loving care given her for the last fifteen months. Their kindness will never be forgotten. - The Family of Anna Cornell. 12-1p

★ IN MEMORIAM

IN LOVING memory of our father, William E. Hettler, who passed away July 15, twelve years ago.

Gone, dear father, gone forever; How we miss your smiling face But you left us to remember None on earth can take your place, A happy home we once enjoyed, How sweet the memory still But death has left a loneliness The world can never fill. What is home without parents All things this world may send, But when we lost our parents We lost our dearest friends, Daddy you were the very best.

His five daughters, Mr and Mrs Don W. Rice and family; Mr and Mrs J.B. Vincent and family; Mr and Mrs Donald W. Pope and family; Mr and Mrs Weston E. Knap and family, and Mr and Mrs Robert C. Olds. 12-1p

★ LEGAL NOTICES

Final Account Bearce-Sept. 4 STATE OF MICHIGAN-The Probate Court for the County of Clinton. Estate of WILLIAM IRVING BEARCE, Deceased

It is Ordered that on Wednesday, September 4, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Naomi Inorp Rautanen, Executrix, for allowance of her final account. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate. Dated: July 15, 1968. Robert H. Wood, Attorney for Estate 115 E. Walker St. Johns, Michigan 12-3

Kincaid District

Mrs Porter C. Parks

Mr and Mrs E. J. Brace visited Mr and Mrs Robert Brace and baby of Charlotte. Mr and Mrs Jerry Brace and baby of Howell were overnight guests of Mr and Mrs E. J. Brace Saturday night.

Mr and Mrs Roger Balmer and George went to Sault St. Marie over the weekend.

Mrs Ethel Schmidtman from Bath is visiting Mr and Mrs Dell Schmidtman and Scotty.

Mrs Joyce Hoerner and girls visited Mrs Kay Schmidtman and Scott.

Sharon Flegler of Lansing spent Friday with Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn. Mrs Lewis Flegler and Janis visited the same day.

Monday evening Mr and Mrs Glenn Dickenson of Vermontville visited Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson.

The way of the transgressor is sometimes hard to beat.

4-H Club Chatter

By JOHN AYLWORTH Extension 4-H Youth Agent

At the horse loader's meeting July 10, the Clinton County 4-H Horse Show was rescheduled for July 21 at the St. Johns Fair grounds. The work duties and responsibilities for the stand and the show will remain the same as scheduled for June 30.

There is still time for 4-H members interested in winning a registered Holstein calf to submit their application. This calf will be awarded at the County Fair in August. If you need an application form and eligibility sheet contact the Extension Office. The application forms are due in the Extension Office by Wednesday, July 31.

4-H members who are 14 years and over are encouraged to participate in the county public speaking contest. The contest is being held on Monday, July 22 at 7:30 p.m. at the Central National Bank Community Room in St. Johns. The speeches are to be five to seven minute talks on any subject the participant desires. The selected winning boy and girl will have the opportunity to represent our county at State Show in August. Leaders are asked to send in the names of members desirous of participating in this contest to the Extension Office by July 19.

4-H entomology members will have an opportunity to show what they've learned this summer at an insect identification contest in St. Johns at Smith Hall at 7:30 p.m. The members will be asked to identify insects as to common name and/or order, harmful, beneficial or neither. The meeting will be held on July 25.

There will be a junior division for members 10 to 14 years of age and a senior division for members 14 years and older. From each division two winners will be selected to represent the county at the State 4-H Show Contest in August. Members 10 and 11 years old are eligible to compete in the county contest but not eligible for State Show. Other learning activities besides the contest are being planned for the evening also.

Clinton and Gratiot County 4-H members enrolled in the dairy project traveled to the Green Meadows Farm in Eisele and the Anderson Farm in St. Johns to judge classes of cows. About 35 members judged six classes of cows and calves Tuesday, July 9. The members' placing with highest scores were:

First, Dana Sue Hazle; second, Bob Miller; third, the between Kathy Hazle and Bryon Green; fourth, Jim Miller; fifth, Bruce Harte; sixth, Matthew Peck; seventh, Alan Cobb; eighth, Roger Brook. Winners will be selected to represent our county.

The 4-H vegetable gardening leaders and members will drive throughout the county to visit gardens which have been selected as outstanding next Tuesday, July 23. The drive-it-yourself garden tour will be held from 1:30 to 4 p.m. Members are encouraged to visit as many gardens as possible in the time available on Tuesday.

Project reports were given at the regular meeting, June 27, as follows: Steven Holnyj, conservation; Edna and Pamela Bennett, foods and nutrition; James Huntley, saddle horse; and Susan Holnyj, gardening. A demonstration was given by Susan Holnyj and Cathy Rademacher on the reproductive process of plants and they showed how to save seeds from dried flower heads for planting the following year.

The members also painted their litter barrel. After the lettering it will be ready for placement at the Merle Beach Lake. The next meeting will be held on July 25 at 7 p.m. at the home of Susan and Steven Holnyj.

The Wacousta Park was the scene of the July 8 meeting of the Eagle Beavers. They discussed the 4-H Fair Float Contest. It was decided that Linda Lowell would be in charge of the club's float. The litter barrel contest was discussed also. After the meeting was adjourned, the members painted their litter barrels. The club's next meeting will be held August 5 at Wacousta Park at 7:30 p.m.

At the fourth meeting of the Bath All Purpose Club, the members decided to enter a barrel in the litter barrel contest. Brooks offered a barrel. Sarah Seeger, Brian Gelsenhaver, Pat Zeeb, and Brian Gelsenhaver will paint the club's barrel. To determine their slogan they decided to have their own contest. Each person should have his own slogan on a barrel he has drawn. They will be judged by the 4-H leaders. A prize will be awarded. Demonstrations were given by Sarah Seeger, Cindy Tarrent, Natalie Brook and Doug Brook.

A meeting was held at Friendship Park for the Four Corners Club. Demonstrations were given by Dan Washburn on planting corn and by Terry Bernath and Alan Cobb on "I'm A Green Thumb Gardener." The members were chosen to work on the litter barrels. They also picked the slogan to be painted on the barrel. The club discussed ideas for their float entry. The next meeting will be held Aug. 1 at 7 p.m. at Friendship Park.

The Shabby Shefs, Victor's Cooking Club, held their last meeting July 3. After the business meeting, the members prepared their own dinner. Their next meeting will be held at Round Lake with a cookout and swimming.

Some 35 members and mothers of the summer Eagle Lites 4-H group went to Battle Creek to tour Kellogg's cereal plant. They saw the complete process of Corn Flakes and Fruit Loops. This tour proved to be educational for all the participants.

At recent meetings demonstrations were given by Sandra Volk and Jane Higbee on "Snacks" Bernice Sullivan and Kim Barber on "Babysitting" and Cindy Davis and Theresa Babbitt gave a demonstration on "Table Setting and Manners." Plans are also being made regarding the "Mother's Tea" for July 29.

The Victor Pathfinders at their meeting had a test on the parts of a horse. Another one was given to the members on the parts of a horse saddle.

Teen leaders met July 9 at 8:30 at Smith Hall in St. Johns. Ball practice was held previous to the meeting. Thelma Dunham gave a review of club week which had been held in June. A committee was appointed to make an exhibit and to set up our fair booth. Sandy McQueen gave a speech as an example for the Public Speaking Contest scheduled for July 22. A letter will be sent to the members on the date of the next meeting.

SOFTBALL SCORES Green Teams July 9-Charles Gang over Teen Leaders. July 12-Prairie over Olive 7-4. Stoney Creek over French's, White Teams July 12-Prairie over Bengal.

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NOTICE

Residents of BINGHAM TOWNSHIP SPECIAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

Notice is hereby given that there will be a special Township Meeting

THURSDAY, AUG. 1, 1968, 8:15 p.m. at LAMB SCHOOL

1/2-mile south of M-21 on DeWitt Road for the purpose of reviewing the fire contract with the City of St. Johns and discussing the disposition of the Township Hall. Primary Election August 6 at Lamb School.

BARBARA DAVIS, Clerk Bingham Township

City of St. Johns PUBLIC NOTICE

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT—SIDEWALK

Having received a special assessment roll regarding a sidewalk for the south side of W. Sicksels Street from Lansing Street to the west line of the high school east drive.

And ordering said roll filed with the city clerk for public examination: Notice is hereby given that the city commission will meet on the 22nd day of July, 1968, at 7:30 p.m. in the Municipal Building, to review said Roll and hear any objections thereto.

HARVEY WEATHERWAY City Manager City of St. Johns, Mich. 12-1

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Clinton National promotes three

Clinton County News

SECTION B — Thursday, July 18, 1968

Promotions for three members of the staff at Clinton National Bank & Trust Co. were announced this week by W.S. Lusk, president of the bank.

Paul A. Schueller of St. Johns, an assistant vice president, has been named to a newly-created position as head of the bank's loan department.

Charles J. Halfmann of Fowler, who has been manager of the bank's five community part-time service offices, is to become a loan officer at the St. Johns office.

Duane Bunce, teller with the community service offices since their inception last year, will succeed Halfmann as manager.

IN HIS NEW position, Schueller will co-ordinate loan activities at all of the bank's nine Clinton area offices. He has been associated with banking in Clinton County since 1953 when he joined the staff of the former Fowler State Bank. He moved to the St. Johns National Bank as assistant cashier in 1955.

He has been an assistant vice president and assistant trust officer of Clinton National since 1961. He is a graduate of the U of M School of Banking in Ann Arbor. He has been active in community affairs as a member of the St. Johns post of the American Legion and the Fowler post of the VFW. He has been

secretary-treasurer of the Clinton County Country Club for the past eight years.

Prior to embarking on a banking career, Schueller was associated with the management of a Fowler hardware and farm implement business and worked for a year with a St. Johns accounting firm.

He is a veteran of World War II, serving from 1941 to 1946 as an officer with the US Army infantry in the European theater of operations. He and his wife, Gladys, and their four children live in St. Johns at 308 Church Street.

Charles Halfmann, who is assuming a loan officer post at

the St. Johns office, joined the staff of the former Fowler State Bank in 1949. Except for a hitch with the US Army in Germany, from 1952 to 1954, he has been engaged in banking in the Clinton area all of his adult life.

AS AN ASSISTANT cashier of Clinton National, he was named manager of the bank's community service units at Hubbardston, Maple Rapids, Eureka, Bath and Wacousta when this service was inaugurated in May of 1967.

Halfmann is a native of Bengal Township, but has made his home in Fowler for many years. He is a former treasurer of the village and is a member of the VFW post there. He and his wife, Marilyn, and their four children live at 11139 West Second Street in Fowler.

Duane Bunce, who succeeds Halfmann as manager of county service offices, has been associated with Clinton National since 1965. He is a native of Greenbush Township and makes his home on a farm there with his wife, Leora, and their four children. He is a member of the St. Johns Lions Club.

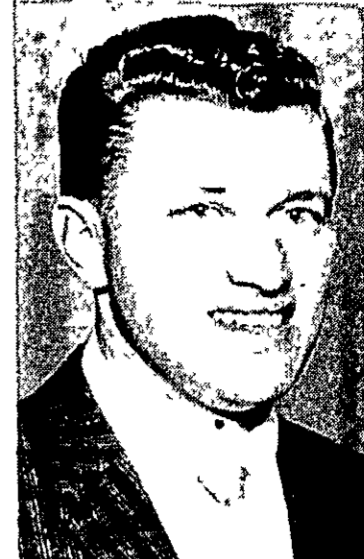
All three of the newly-promoted Clinton National staff men have pursued American Institute of Banking studies in addition to their regular banking work.

Too many people spend their lives trying to make something for themselves, rather than trying harder to make something of themselves.

A gold nugget found in Australia and called "welcome stranger" weighed 157-1/2 pounds—as much as a medium-sized man.



PAUL A. SCHUELLER
Head of Loan Dept.



CHARLES J. HALFMANN
Loan Officer



DUANE BUNCE
Service Unit Manager



SEALED POWER ISSUES VACATION CHECKS

Vacation checks totaling \$49,098 were issued by Sealed Power Corp. last week. Walt Baxter (left), production foreman from Maple Rapids, is shown delivering a check to Orin Carmack of St. Johns, die grinder and 22-year veteran of the St. Johns plant. A total of 170 employees received checks for periods ranging from one to four weeks. The plant will be closed from July 15 to 22.

Air taxis to speed up mail service

St. Johns Postmaster J. D. Robinson attended the Michigan State Convention of the National Association of Postmasters at Boyne Mountain Lodge last week.

Robinson and other Michigan postmasters heard Frederick C. Belen, deputy postmaster general, reveal plans for a new air taxi program to provide overnight first-class mail deliveries through Michigan as well as speed up service between Michigan and five other states.

The air taxi service—for which bids will be solicited this month—will provide the following significant service improvements for letter mail:

1. Overnight delivery within Michigan.
2. Faster connections to other state overnight delivery areas in Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio.
3. Ultimately, connections to overnight delivery areas in western Pennsylvania and western New York.

Air taxis are small two-engine airplanes provided by private owners to move mail on schedules best adapted to the needs of the postal service.

Plan new wellhouse in Fowler

FOWLER—A new \$1,500 wellhouse is scheduled for construction, following approval by the village council.

The new unit will replace the present wellhouse on Ionia Street. It was authorized after councilmen expressed concern the present building would not last through another winter.

The new cement block building will include a removable roof to make work on the well more convenient.

The council also tabled until its next meeting appointment of a successor to John Spicer, who resigned last month.

Possibility of having garbage and junk pickup in the village also is under study. A Saranac firm has indicated interest in providing the service.

Every man has a future before him—but too often his past acts as a handicap.

Pure gold is the world's most malleable or ductile metal. One ounce can be drawn into a gold thread 43 miles long.

Stan Becker serves as U.S. House page

Stanley Becker, son of Dr and Mrs Maurice Becker of 211 Dill Road, DeWitt, is spending his summer in Washington, D. C. He is a Republican and proud of it. His summer job: United States House of Representatives Page.

This has been a busy summer for Stanley. He spent the month of June in Sodus (Michigan) with the Michigan Migrant Ministry. He picked strawberries with a Negro crew on a "work-friend" program. He says the program is a pioneer ministry idea and almost spent the rest of his summer there.

Stan returned home about June 27, expecting to find directions from Charles E. Chamberlain (Michigan Republican Representative who gave Stan the appointment), but there were none. He and his family were under the impression that he would start his duties on July 1, but no word came. Then, like a puff of smoke, he was gone. Word was received on July 5 that he had started work and found it very interesting.

He will stay at a boarding house with pages, most of whom are "Southern Dems". He explained that six are from Texas and two from each Florida and Arkansas, "Michigan has only two" he added.

Duties this summer will include running errands for Congressmen to the various office buildings. The pages use the subways extensively and cover between 10 and 15 miles on foot per day. There are 21 Republican pages who will work until the session is over sometime in August.

During his first week on the job, he says "was fortunate enough to be in the Senate while Senator Everett Dirksen was having a press conference." He says it was "fascinating", so much so that he almost was "brave enough to ask a question", but then he says he "thought better of it."

Stanley served as a page in the Michigan House of Representatives during the 1966-67 term. For the United States House, he will serve as a page to only the Republican representatives. In the State House he served representatives of both parties.

He says that he made application for the State House position two years before the appointment came about. Stan says that he waited, then one day there was a vacancy; he was interviewed and had the job. Then, when he finished as a state page, he applied for the United States House page position. He was

summoned by Gerald Ford, leader of the minority party and interviewed by Ford's secretary before finally securing the position.

Stan is a 1968 honor graduate of DeWitt High School. He was active in the high school band and held offices of his class and clubs he was in. He plans to go to the University of Chicago in Chicago, Ill., and major in social work.

WATER TOWN CHARTER TOWNSHIP MINUTES

The July meeting of Watertown Charter Township was called to order on the above date by Supervisor Openlander. Present: Clerk McDonough and Treasurer Kraft. Trustee Leon Garlock came in later, and Trustee Noble is away on vacation.

Minutes of the June meeting and special meetings were read and approved.

Mr Openlander made mention how he would like to thank those citizens of Watertown Township who mowed the roadsides.

Mrs Frances Austin came in to ask the Board for permission to build an addition to her shop on Frances Road. Permission granted, with a letter going to the Clinton County Zoning Commission stating the Board action. Communications were read and placed on file.

Motion made and carried that the Township Board enact a resolution and post signs to the effect that there will be no overnight camping within the boundaries of the Looking Glass Valley Park.

Mr Kraft made a report on the fire contract with Grand Ledge Fire Department.

Mildred McDonough stated that she had no report to make at this time on a new sign for the Wacousta Cemetery, since the committee had not had time to meet and discuss it.

Treasurer's report was read and placed on file. Bills were read and orders drawn for the same. Meeting adjourned.

MILDRED McDONOUGH,
Clerk

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Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

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

St. Johns Area

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Rev. Gerald Churchill, Minister... UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Harold Homer, Minister...

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

US-27 at Sturitz Street Rev. Herman E. Rossow... 10:45 a.m.—Morning Worship... 9:15 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes...

Riley Township

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...

PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Leroy T. Howe, 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....

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS

Elder, B. K. Mills, Pastor... Services held on Saturday... 9:15 a.m.—Church Service... 10:30 a.m.—Sabbath School Service...

Gunnisonville Area

UNION METHODIST CHURCH... 688 North Lansing Street... Rev. Marcel B. 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... 10:30 a.m.—Church School... 11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship... MAPLE RAPIDS METHODIST CHURCH Rev. William Tate, Pastor... 9 a.m.—Morning Worship... 10:15 a.m.—Sunday School... 7 p.m.—Worship Service...

SHEPARDVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Leroy Howe... 9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship... 11 a.m.—Church School... 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Arthur Romig, Supt....

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Kingdom Hall... 1953 N. Lansing St. Thurs., 7:30 p.m., Theocratic Ministry School... Study "What's New in the World?"... 3:30 p.m.—Service meeting... Hear and Do Jehovah's Will... Sun., 9:00 a.m.—Public Lecture, "Science, the Bible and Your Faith..."

Maple Rapids Area

GREENBUSH METHODIST CHURCH... 10:30 a.m.—Church School... 11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship... MAPLE RAPIDS METHODIST CHURCH Rev. William Tate, Pastor... 9 a.m.—Morning Worship... 10:15 a.m.—Sunday School... 7 p.m.—Worship Service...

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Roger Harrison, Pastor... 512 E. Whittemore St., (South US-27)... 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Arthur Romig, Supt....

PILGRIM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Formerly EUB Church... Eugene W. Friesen, Minister... Brian K. Sheen, Minister... 9:30 a.m.—Worship Service... 10:30 a.m.—Church School... 11 a.m.—Worship Service... 6:30 p.m.—Combined Junior High Youth Fellowship at parsonage at Parks and DeWitt Roads...

LOWE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. William Tate... 9:00 a.m.—Church School... 10:15 a.m.—Morning Worship... 10:15 a.m.—Morning Worship... 11:15 a.m.—Worship Service... 7:00 p.m.—U.C.Y.M. meets on alternate Sundays... 6:45 p.m.—Thursday, Cherub and Junior Choir... 8 p.m.—Thursday, Chapel choir... 1:30 p.m.—Third Friday, Women's Fellowship church assembly... 8:30 p.m.—Service meeting.

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. William G. Hanker, Pastor... 110 S. Cass Street... Rectory: 208 Linden St.—Ph. 224-3313... Mass Schedule... Sundays—8, 9 and 10 a.m., 12 noon and 7 p.m. Holy Days—8:00, 8:30 and 9:30 a.m.; 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. Morning Masses—7:30 on non-school days, 8:15 on school days. Holy Communion at 7:15. Weekday Evenings—7:15 p.m. Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays: 3:30 to 8:00 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.; during Friday Masses. Mass and Holy Hour on Thursday at 7:15 p.m. Holy Communion on Friday at 6:00 and 7:15 a.m. Masses on Friday: 7:30 and 9:15 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. Religious Instruction Classes—Adult instruction and Inquiry Class: Monday at 8:00 p.m.; High School 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 Siker and Mead Sts. Rectory: 224-2600... Office: 224-2603... 1st Sunday of Month—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon... Other Sundays—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon... Full Schedule... 10:30 a.m.—Nursery School... 11 a.m.—Church School, kindergarten to 6th grade... ST. JOHN'S BAPTIST TEMPLE 400 E. State Street Rev. Floyd Matthis, Pastor... Mr. Thomas Coo, Minister of Music... Sunday School, at 10 a.m. with classes for all ages... Teaching from the book of Exodus... Morning worship at 11 a.m. Sunday, 8 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 515 North Lansing Street Joseph E. 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 Holland on US-27... 10:00 a.m.—Church School... 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship... 6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship... 7:00 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 224-3359... 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School... 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship... 6:15 p.m.—Young People's Service... 7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship... Wednesday, 8:30 p.m.—Caravan... 7:45 p.m.—Bible study and prayer hour... VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH 211 E. State Road Rev. LaVern Bretz, Pastor... 9:45 a.m.—Church School... There is a class for everyone from the youngest to the oldest. The Bible is our textbook... 8 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 Services... 8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practices... Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Service; 8:00 p.m.—Morning Prayer; 8:30 p.m.—Choir practice... Saturday 10:00 a.m.—Choir practice... Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Women's Mission Society... 2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for J. H. I. J. 3rd Tuesday 6:30 p.m.—Men's Fellowship... Fowler Area MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor... Sunday Masses—6:30, 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Weekdays—During school year, 7 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. Holy Days—7:30 a.m. and 8 p.m. Borrowing Mother Novena—Friday, 7:30 p.m. Saturday—7:30 a.m. ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH 10 a.m.—Sunday School...

DeWitt Area

DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH (Inter-denominational) Rev. Sidney J. Rowland, Pastor... Bonnie Wickertman, Supt. Morning, 10:00 a.m. Sunday School for all ages 10 a.m.—Morning Worship, Nursery provided during morning worship. 6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship DEWITT METHODIST CHURCH 345 Church Street E. E. DeWitt, Minister... 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School... 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship... 7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship... Thursday, 7:45 p.m.—Prayer service 9:00 p.m. (2nd and 4th Thursdays) Free Methodist youth meeting... Free Methodist youth meeting... BERTRAM W. VERMEULEN, Pastor... 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School... 11 a.m.—Morning Worship... Nursery available for all pre-school children during the worship service... 6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship (all sections)... EMMANUEL METHODIST CHURCH Corner Clark and Schavoy Roads Rev. Bertram W. Vermeulen, Pastor... 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School... 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: 224-2600... Office: 224-2605... 2nd and 4th Sundays—9 a.m., Holy Communion and sermon. Other Sundays—9 a.m., morning prayer and sermon... Sunday, 9:30 a.m. 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... 5:45 p.m.—Youth Fellowship, Senior, 14 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 J. Farnham, Pastor... Fr. Eugene Sears and Fr. James Murray, Assistant Pastors... Rectory: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing... Phone: 487-3749... Mass Schedule—Sundays: 6, 7:30, 9, 10:30 and 12... Weekdays—6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m. (8 a.m. non-school days)... Confessions—Saturdays: 3:30 to 5:30 to 9... Evenings—6:30 a.m., 8 to 8:15 p.m. Holy Days—7:30 a.m. to 8:15 a.m. Holy Day Masses—7, 8, 10 a.m.; 5:30 and 7:30 p.m. First Friday Masses—6:30, 8:30 and 7:30 p.m. (8 a.m. non-school days)... VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH 211 E. State Road Rev. LaVern Bretz, Pastor... 9:45 a.m.—Church School... There is a class for everyone from the youngest to the oldest. The Bible is our textbook... 8 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 Services... 8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practices... Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Service; 8:00 p.m.—Morning Prayer; 8:30 p.m.—Choir practice... Saturday 10:00 a.m.—Choir practice... Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Women's Mission Society... 2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for J. H. I. J. 3rd Tuesday 6:30 p.m.—Men's Fellowship... Fowler Area MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor... Sunday Masses—6:30, 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Weekdays—During school year, 7 a.m. and 8:15 a.m. Holy Days—7:30 a.m. and 8 p.m. Borrowing Mother Novena—Friday, 7:30 p.m. Saturday—7:30 a.m. ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH 10 a.m.—Sunday School...

Matherton Area

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH Corner Clark and Schavoy Roads Rev. Bertram W. Vermeulen, Pastor... 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School... 11 a.m.—Sunday School, adults and children... Newcomers and old friends are always welcome... FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH 1/2 mile east of Ferrinton on M-37, 1/2 mile south... Rev. Fred Wing, Pastor... 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School... 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship... 7:00 p.m.—Youth Service... 7:45 p.m.—Evening Service... 7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service... SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Ralph Conline... 10 a.m.—Sunday School... 11 a.m.—Morning Worship... 7:30 p.m.—Midweek Services... ST. MARTIN DEPORE MISSION Middleton, Mich. Rev. Charles L. Ganley, Pastor... Sunday Mass—8:15 a.m. No weekday mass... 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 841-8887... 10 a.m.—Worship... 11 a.m.—Church School... BATH BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. James L. Bunleigh, Pastor... 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School... 11:00 a.m.—Youth Fellowship... 7:30 p.m.—Evening Service... Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m. ROSE LAKE CHURCH Organized in U.S. Elder Jack Hodge, Pastor... Corner of Upton and Stoll Roads... 11:00 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... 10 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Kenneba 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. 8 p.m.—Junior and Senior BYF... 7 p.m.—Evening Service... 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 862-3270... Sunday Masses—8:00 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. Rev. E. L. Debe, Pastor... 10 a.m.—Sunday School... 11 a.m.—Worship Service... 7 p.m.—Wednesday Bible Study... Victor Township GROVE BIBLE CHURCH Rev. Robert Prange, Pastor... Price and Shepardsville roads... 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School. Classes for all ages... 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship... 7:00 p.m.—Youth Service... 7:45 p.m.—Evening Service... 7:30 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service... 7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting... Ladies Missionary circle meets 4th Thursday... Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in month... Wacousta Area WACOUSTA COMMUNITY CHURCH (METHODIST) Rev. Dale Spoor, Pastor... Phone 627-2516... 10 a.m.—Morning Worship... 11 a.m.—Sunday School... 6:30 p.m.—Senior and Junior Youth Fellowship... Thursday, 8 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—Footlock at church at 8:30 p.m. on 1st Wednesdays of Sept., Dec., Feb. and April. Sunday morning breakfast on 1st Sunday morning of Oct., Nov., Jan., March and May at 8 a.m. Westphalia Area ST. MARY'S CHURCH Rev. Fr. Aloysius H. Muer, Pastor... Rev. Walter L. Spillane, Assistant Pastor... Sunday Masses—6, 8 and 10 a.m. Weekdays—During school year 7:00, 7:45 and 11:15 a.m. Saturdays—8:45 a.m. and 7:30 a.m. Holy Days—6:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m. Evening Mass—Friday, 8:00 p.m. About the hardest problems modern parents have to solve today are those brought home by their grade school youngsters... Antes Cleaners Pickup and Delivery... 108 W. Walker... Ph. 214-4229... 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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 Tuesday, 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 room.
 Clinton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary—Board meets the 3rd Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., in the hospital sewing room
 DAB—2nd Tuesday, in homes of members
 Disabled American Veterans—1st Friday, 8:30 p.m., Legion Hall
 Exchange Club—2nd and 4th Thursdays, noon, Walker's Cafe
 Grison WRC—1st and 3rd Tuesday, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 40 & 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 6:30 p.m., IOOF Hall
 Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Morning Musicals—2nd and 4th Thursday 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 Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., VFW Hall
 Taps 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 Showa't Club—Square Dance Club—Club dances the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m., during regular dancing season at the James Couzens Gym
 Cub Scout Committee—1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., at James Couzens Building
 Cub Scout Pack—4th Thursday, 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
 Past 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
 WSCS—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-

St. Johns

day evening in homes of members
 Child Study Club—4th Monday evening, homes of members
 Cub Scouts—3rd Thursday, 5 p.m., Memorial building
 DeWitt Grange—2nd and 4th Fridays
 Girl Scouts—Every Thursday 3:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Job's Daughters—1st and 3rd Monday evenings, Masonic Temple
 Lions Club—3rd Tuesday evening, Memorial building
 Masonic Lodge—1st Wednesday evening, Masonic Temple
 Merry-Mixers Square Dance—2nd and 4th Saturdays, 8:30 to 11 p.m., at DeWitt Junior High
 Order of Eastern Star—1st Friday evening, Masonic Temple
 PTA—3rd Wednesday, at high school, 8 p.m.
 Royal Neighbors—1st and 3rd Fridays, 1 p.m., Memorial building
 St. Francis Club—1st Monday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Thursday Afternoon Club—Last Thursday in homes of members
 Veterans Club—2nd Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Volunteer Firemen—2nd Tuesday evening, fire hall
 Woman's Society of Christian Service—1st Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
 Priscilla Circle—2nd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
 Mary-Martha Circle—3rd Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.
 Ruth Circle—3rd Thursday, 1:30 p.m.
 Goodwill Circle—2nd Tuesday, 1:30 p.m., in the homes of members

Eagle

Helping Hand Club—4th Tuesday evening, in the homes of members
 Niles Cemetery Society—2nd Thursday, in homes of members
 Royal Eagle Cemetery Society—Last Thursday, 3 p.m., Town hall
 WSCS—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.W.C.S.—2nd Tuesday, 3:30 p.m., in homes of members
 Lions Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 7:00 p.m., Legion Hall
 Masonic Lodge—2nd Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic Temple
 WSCS—1st Wednesday 8:00 p.m., homes of members
 Order of Eastern Star—1st Thursday, 8:00 p.m., Masonic Hall
 PTA—2nd Monday, 7:30 p.m., school gym
 Woman's Literary Club—Alternate Tuesdays, 8 p.m., homes of members

Fowler

Boy Scouts—Every Wednesday, 7 p.m., Holy Trinity gym
 Catholic Order of Foresters—3rd Tuesday, 8:30 p.m., Holy Trinity Hall
 Confraternity of Christian Mothers—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
 Daughters of Isabella—2nd Wednesday, 8 p.m., Most Holy Trinity church
 Fowler Conservation Club—1st Monday, 8 p.m., Conservation Park
 Jaycees—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., Fire hall
 Knights of Columbus—Monday after the 2nd Sunday, 8 p.m., K of C hall
 Lions Club—3rd Monday, 6:30 p.m., Fowler Hotel
 VFW—4th Thursday, 8 p.m., VFW hall
 VFW Auxiliary—Last Wednesday 8 p.m., VFW Hall

Maple Rapids

Amica Club—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., in 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
 Duo 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—4th Monday, 8 p.m. in Municipal building
 Maple Rapids Twisters—Meet the 2nd and 4th Friday night of each month at the Maple Rapids School gym

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, lunch and place varies
 Crescent Club—1st and 3rd Mondays, 8 p.m., in homes of members
 Disabled American Veterans—3rd Friday, 8:30 p.m., Memorial building
 Homemakers—2nd and 4th Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 IOOF—Every Tuesday, 8 p.m., IOOF Hall
 Job's Daughters—2nd and 4th Mondays, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Lions Club—2nd and 4th Mondays, 6:30 p.m., Main Street church of United Church
 La-La-Lot Club—1st and 3rd Thursdays, 2 p.m., in homes of members
 Lohoe-Hennis WCTU—2nd Tuesday in homes of members
 Masonic Lodge—1st Monday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Order of Eastern Star—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Ovid-Duplain Library Club—1st Friday, 12:30 p.m. in homes of members
 Rebekah Lodge—1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 8 p.m., IOOF hall
 Royal Arch Masons—1st Wednesday, 8 p.m., Masonic Temple
 Social Evening Veterans Memorial Building, 8 p.m., every Wednesday, sponsored by Ovid veterans group
 Town and Country Extension—4th Wednesday, in homes of members
 VFW—2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m., Memorial building
 VFW Auxiliary—1st Monday, 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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Altar Society—4th Tuesday, 8 p.m., Parish hall
 Band Boosters—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., high school
 Blue Star Mothers—3rd Wednesday, 8 p.m., Holy Trinity gym
 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
 WSCS—3rd Thursday 2 p.m., home of members

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

B. breakfast Club—Last Thursday, 9 a.m., in homes of members
 Child Study Club—2nd Tuesday, evening, in homes of members
 Masonic Order No. 439—Regular meetings first Thursday of the month at 8:00 p.m., at Temple
 Methodist Men's Club—First Wednesday of each month, 6:30 p.m. at 6:30 p.m., Wacousta Methodist church
 Neighborhood Society—3rd Thursday, in homes of members
 Order of Eastern Star—1st Tuesday evening, Masonic Temple

Westphalia

Catholic Order of Foresters—2nd Tuesday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
 Daughters of Isabella—3rd Thursday, 8 p.m., St. Mary's parish hall
 Knights of Columbus—1st Tuesday, 8 p.m., K of C rooms
 Young Ladies Socially—3rd Sunday afternoon, every 2 months, St. Mary's parish hall

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Diocesan drive nets \$593,785

The 1968 Diocesan Development Fund (DDF) for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Lansing resulted in total pledged support of \$593,785.32, according to Msgr. Herman P. Fedewa, DDF director.

The annual fund-raising campaign was conducted May 19 through June 2 in the more than 100 Catholic parishes and missions in the 15-county diocese. This year's pledged support is \$8,288 below the 1967 figure of \$602,073 for a drop of 1.4 per cent.

IN CLINTON county, churches and pledged support were: Holy Trinity, Fowler, \$6,632; St. Isidore, Lansing, \$1,486; St. Joseph, St. Johns, \$9,304, and St. Mary, Westphalia, \$6,470.

DDF finances in whole or part, most diocesan programs including social and community service, the Spanish-Speaking Apostolate including the migrant worker's ministry, Church renewal, Newman Apostolate, religious education (CCD), public information and education of future priests.

Bishop Alexander Zaleski, who had appealed for increased support this year for expansion of several programs and initiation of new programs, expressed disappointment over the final results. He said, however, he was "deeply grateful to all who pledged their financial support—with special thanks to all the priests and lay persons who gave of their time and energies to make this campaign a success."

Church sponsoring three-day workshop

Catholic leaders throughout the Diocese of Lansing are being urged by their bishop to participate in a three-day workshop next month aimed at building bridges of justice, compassion and understanding in race relations.

So that all key leaders in the Catholic Church here—priests, sisters, teachers, CCD personnel and parish leaders—can participate, two identical workshops will be conducted, the first in Flint, the second in Kalamazoo.

The Kalamazoo workshop will be held at Nazareth College starting at 7:30 p.m., Aug. 9, concluding at 4 p.m., Aug. 11. Overnight accommodations are available for participants in the Nazareth workshop.

Registration fee is \$3 and advance applications should be made with Mr. Hayes, Office of Social and Community Service, 311 Seymour Avenue, Lansing, 48933.

Tait family meets Sunday

Sunday, July 7th, the Miles Tait Family held an old fashioned get-together at the Robert Tait home, south of St. Johns. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cuskadam and two sons of Lansing, Mrs. Gloria Lappin and Children of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Berl Forch and children of Ovid, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Tait of rural Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Joy Tait of R-1, St. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Denny See and daughter of Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Kimmel and children of Elsie, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Tait and daughter of Hubbardston, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Tait and daughter of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Don Schaffer and daughter of Hubbardston, Mrs. Janice Stever and family of Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford See and daughter of Wayne, Paul Webber of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Swatman and family of Long Beach, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Frank D'Amore and daughter of Hubbardston, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kelly and son, Mr. and Mrs. Gale Forch of Fowler, R-1, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tait and family of Hubbardston.

"These workshops provide opportunity for the study of human conflict and its resolution, particularly in the field of inter-group relations," Bishop Zaleski said. "They are designed to afford participants the opportunity to acquire insights and techniques for better human relations."

RONALD C. HAYES, workshop coordinator for the diocesan office, said the Flint workshop will be held for three days, Aug. 6 to 8, at Mann Auditorium, St. Michael Parish. Each session

Group insurance studied

Experiments in whether "cheaper by the dozen" auto insurance is practical are beginning to take shape in Michigan.

A recent opinion by Attorney General Frank Kelly that group rating of motorists is legal opened the door to exploring the possibility of reducing auto insurance cost through marketing, which has been discussed for some time in the insurance industry and by some consumer groups.

INITIAL offerings of a group program now are being made, and others are in various stages of preparation.

The ruling held that employees who buy their individual insurance as a group through payroll deduction may get the benefits in their insurance cost of any expense savings created by group purchasing and collection. It also allows an employer to pay part or all of his employees' insurance premium. Presumably such a program could apply also to non-employee groups, such as trade or professional organizations, if expense savings could be achieved.

In addition, the opinion approved insurance rating based on the composite loss experience of a group. In a group with low accident frequency and severity, this could decrease insurance cost for most of the members. In one with poor experience, it could make group auto insurance cost more for the better drivers than they would pay for individual coverage.

INCREASED social pressure for careful driving might create better accident and loss experience within a group. Conversely, if the cost were to become a fringe benefit of employment, less regard for safe practices could result.

These questions are involved in the consideration of approaches to such programs, and the answers produced in practice will determine the feasibility of the concept.

Three earned all-A records

Three Clinton County Students achieved all-A records during spring term at Michigan State University. They are:

Mary L. Black, 4147 E. Howe, Bath, junior in music therapy; Margaret Cortright, 3252 E. Chadwick Rd., Dewitt, sophomore studying elementary education, and Gary E. Shumaker, 305 E. Oak, Elsie, communications senior.

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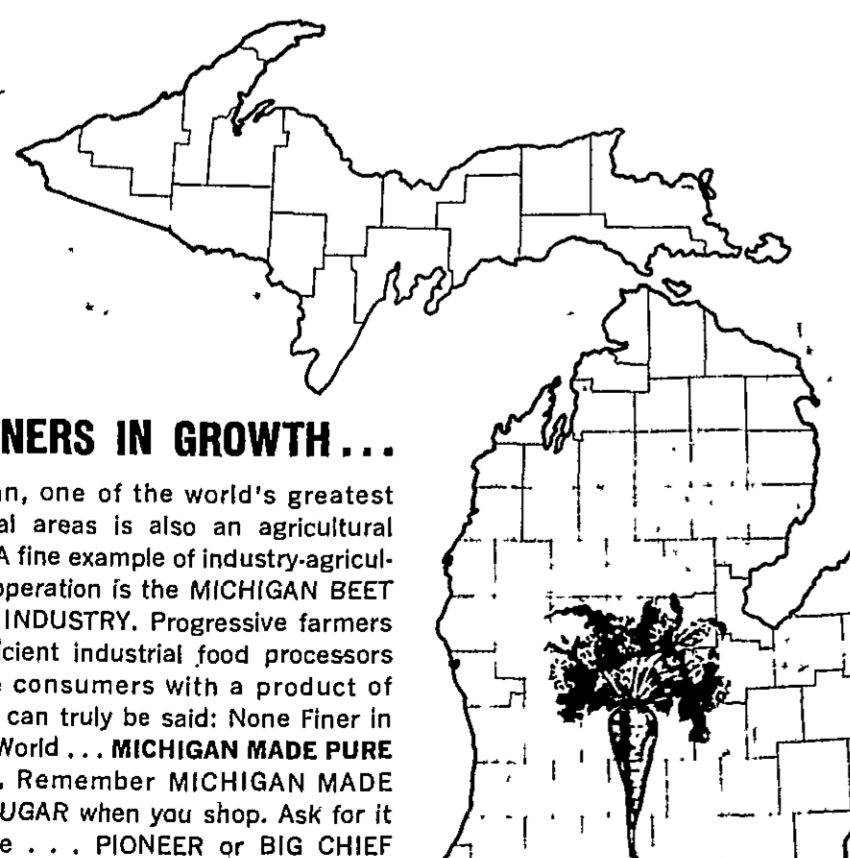
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New Business Firms
Audit Services Company, 2201 East State Road, DeWitt twp., Alward Lake Park, 2120 Alward Road in Olive twp., Miller Interiors, 265 Rowland Drive, DeWitt twp.

Marriage Licenses
James E. Cathey, 25, 100 N. Mead, St. Johns and Diana M. Miller, 23, 410 S. Baker, St. Johns.
Terry D. Beebe, 27, P.O. Box 206, Laingsburg and Margo A. Bandt, 17, 8635 Round Lake Road, Laingsburg.
Jesus Villarreal, 22, 630 West Gibbs, St. Johns and Lonnie Lynn Foland, 18, R-1, St. Johns.
Ralph J. Van Deuren, Jr., 22, 108 Spring St. Johns and Wendy G. Robbins, 19, 305 West Walker, St. Johns.

City Building Permits
Edward J. Loznak, 306 E. Park, single family residence with unattached garage.
Gary and Linda Biddinger, 501-503 East Steel, garage extension.

Real Estate Transfers
(From records in office of Register of Deeds)
Edward E. and La Donna Fowler to Thomas and Betty Jensen, property in DeWitt twp.
Robert and Louise Pontack to James L. and Elva Debar, property in Duplain twp.
Mildred Whitaker to Robert L. and Dorothy Frye, property in Elsie.
Mildred Bolchot to Jack E. and Kathleen Waters, property in Oak Lane in DeWitt twp.
Jack E. and Kathleen Waters to LeRoy J. and Lois Henry, property in Oak Lane in DeWitt twp.

County Building Permits
July 3: Karl Story (Story Oldsmobile), Grand Ledge on Looking Glassbrook Road in Watertown twp., addition to dwelling.
July 3: Joseph Zaleski, R-1, East Lansing, Center Road, Bath twp., dwelling.
July 3: Richard Wilder, R-1, East Lansing, Center Road, Bath twp., addition to dwelling.
July 3: Samuel L. Sweet, Bath, Stoll Road, Bath twp., dwelling and garage.
July 3: Richard Hannon, Jon-Scott Drive, Grand Ledge in Watertown twp., dwelling and garage.
July 3: Robert Remer, RFD, St. Johns, Greenbush twp., Maple Rapids Road, dwelling.
July 3: Reginald Nelson, Brook Street, Lansing, DeWitt twp., enclosed porch.
July 3: Patrick Dionese, Felton Road, Lansing, Watertown twp., addition to warehouse.
July 3: C. N. Eddy, Tucker Drive, DeWitt, DeWitt twp., utility building.
July 3: Robert Niemi, R-5,

Life With The Ripples



Johnson, property in Summer Lane in Watertown twp.
Marguerite L. Rosenkrans to Gladys B., David, and Constance Gage, property in Clinton Village in DeWitt twp.

Samuel D. and Adelaide Frane to Lawrence W. and Rosetta Mangrum, property in Riley twp.
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By Les Carroll



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Mr and Mrs Eugene Ferrall called on friends in Corunna and Owosso on Tuesday evening. Sunday, Mrs. Ruth Weseman and Mrs. Lois McConkey of Ithaca brought a picnic dinner to the farm home of Mr and Mrs Ferrall.
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Estate of
LOELLA NEWMAN, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, August 14, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the allowance of the final account of the administrator with will annexed.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate.
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Petitioner
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan 11-3

Adoption Casler—Aug. 14 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of
JONI MARIE CASLER, Minor
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, August 14, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Betty Dolores Heathman, formerly Betty Dolores Casler, praying that Betty Dolores Heathman be appointed the guardian of said minor to the exclusion of Elton Kenneth Casler, the father of said minor who is legally liable and able for and to support and care for the education of such minor and has nevertheless failed and neglected to do so for a period of more than 1 year last preceding the dates of filing of said petition for the purpose of consenting to the adoption of said minor.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate.
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Final Account Clark—July 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of
ARTHUR J. CLARK, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 31, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Gerald Shepard, Administrator of W.A.A., for allowance of his final account.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
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Final Account West—Aug. 7 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of
PEARL E. WEST, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, August 7, 1968, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of W. S. Luk, Administrator for the estate of Pearl E. West, for allowance of her final account.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
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CARLTON J. GOODELL, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, August 7, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Ethel Goodeell for appointment of administrator, for determination of heirs.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
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Final Account Tucker—Aug. 7 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of
JOSEPHINE C. TUCKER, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, August 7, 1968, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Arnold C. Tucker to determine the heirs at law of said decedent.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate.
By: James A. Moore
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Final Account Michael—July 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of
STEVE MICHAEL, a/w STEPHEN MICHAEL,
It is Ordered that on July 31, 1968, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Stephanie Michael, for allowance of her final account.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate.
By: James A. Moore
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Final Account Davis—July 31 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of
ADA DAVIS, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, July 31, 1968, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in the City of St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Jesse D. Parks, and Rex A. Davis, Co-Executors of the said estate, for the allowance of their final account and order assigning the residue of said estate.
Publication a n d service shall be made as provided by Statute a n d Court Rule.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate.
By: James A. Moore
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Final Account Zacherias—Oct. 2 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.
Estate of
LOUIS CARL ZACHERIAS, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, October 2, 1968, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said decedent are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on the executor of the estate of said decedent.
TIMOTHY M. GREEN,
Judge of Probate.
By: Robert H. Wood, Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the terms of a mortgage made by Robert Lotze and Ann E. Nicholson, his wife to Capital Mortgage Corporation dated July 10, 1967, and recorded August 17, 1967, in Liber 212 of Clinton County Records, and assigned by said mortgage to Bank of the Commonwealth, by assignment dated August 17, 1967, a n d recorded August 21, 1967, in Liber 212, Page 418, on which mortgage there is claimed a debt in the amount of \$15,149.33. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case provided, notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of September, A.D. 1968, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. Local Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the main front door of the Courthouse Building in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan. The premises described in said mortgage are, to-wit: Section 34, T13N, R21W, of Clinton County, Michigan, and more particularly described as follows: the 1/2 of the 2nd quarter of said section, containing 1/2 of 33.33 acres, more or less, as shown on the plat filed in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Clinton and State of Michigan, on the 22nd day of April, A.D. 1965, in Liber 212 of Clinton County Records, on which mortgage there is claimed a debt in the amount of \$15,149.33, plus interest at 6 3/4 per cent per annum and all legal costs and charges.
Said premises are located in the Township of DeWitt, Clinton County, Michigan, and described as:
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BANK OF THE COMMONWEALTH,
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June 17, 1968 10-13

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Economist makes projections on dairy farming in Michigan

(The following article was written by C. R. Hoglund, Michigan State University agricultural economist.)
By C. R. HOGLUND
MSU Agricultural Economist

All types of farms have been increasing in size, and have become more specialized and mechanized in recent years. Dairy farming has been no exception. The number of dairy cows was reduced by 127,000 and the number of dairymen by 10,000 in Michigan during the past five years. An additional 20,000 cows will probably not be replaced on Michigan farms this year. This is a large reduction but much less than for the peak year June, 1965, to June, 1966, when we lost 40,000 cows.

A large percentage of the farmers who quit milking cows had small, inefficient and generally unprofitable operations. Most of them had less than 20 cows although some dairymen with herds of 30 to 50 or more cows sold out.

MAJOR REASONS why dairymen with the medium sized and larger herds sold out were difficulties in acquiring adequate labor, sons leaving the farm, more attractive alternative enterprises or work opportunities off the farm, and advancing age.

By mid-'68, Michigan will have about 18,000 dairy farmers with 490,000 cows or an average of 27 per farm. Milk production per cow will average nearly 10,000 pounds per cow, the highest on record, but still too low for good returns.

Southern Michigan dairymen enrolled in the Telfarm project averaged 51 cows, 12,400 pounds of milk sold per cow, and nearly \$130,000 in total investments in 1967. Considered better than average managers, they earned an average of \$7,262 for their labor and management.

Labor incomes for 1962-65, averaged \$3,030 for southern Michigan Telfarm users, but only \$1,730 for the same dairymen in the northern areas. The southern dairymen averaged 11 more cows and \$53 higher dairy products sale per cow than their northern cohorts. Labor income for well-adjusted dairymen was favorable during both 1966 and 1967 and is expected to be at least as high for 1968. This more

realistic income is due largely to improved prices for milk and higher utilization as Class I milk. Increased size and efficiency in operation have also contributed to increased earnings.

WERE IT NOT for off-farm sources of income, dairy farming would undoubtedly change even more rapidly. The 1964 Census shows that for some major dairy counties in southern Michigan, non-farm income of \$4,491 was more than half of the gross from farming of \$8,753 per farm. Thus, total gross income averaged \$13,234 compared to only \$9,303 for northern Michigan dairymen.

Despite the drastic changes in Michigan dairy farming, average herd size and milk sales per farm are still low. The Michigan Milk Producers Association, which handles more than 50 per cent of the milk produced in Michigan, received less than 500 pounds daily from 24 per cent of its members in 1967. Forty-two per cent delivered between 500 and 999 pounds per day while 34 per cent of the members delivered 1,000 or more pounds of milk daily, supplying 58 per cent of the total milk sold by MMPA members during 1967. The producer members are probably above average and size, but only the latter group of dairymen are attaining adequate volumes and profitable dairy farm operations.

ALTHOUGH adequate volume does not assure high net returns, it is an essential ingredient for success. How many cows or how much volume will be required for profitable dairying in the future? Each present or potential dairyman must decide for himself and family the income needs for family living, education, travel, savings and other allocations.

It has often been suggested that a minimum goal of 400,000 pounds milk, or \$20,000 gross per man, is needed for profitable dairy farming. The 1966 Telfarm record project indicates that the chances of earning a minimum of \$7,000 for labor and management per operator are low for farms with less than 50 cows. Sixty per cent of the dairymen with 50 to 74 cows and 64

per cent of those with 75 or more cows had labor incomes of \$7,000 or more for 1966.

Gross income per man ranged from \$18, 169 for those with 50-74 cows to nearly \$22,000 for those with 75 or more cows. Of the dairymen with 30-49 cows, only 42 per cent had labor incomes that high. Only the dairymen with 100 or more cows averaged 400,000 pounds milk per man.

Dairymen who sell no more than 10,000 pounds milk per cow will earn less than \$1 an hour for their labor. The break-even point in costs and returns with labor charged at \$1.50 is at about the 11,000 pound average. A goal of 13,000 pounds or more of 3.5 per cent milk sold per cow is both attainable and profitable.

A STUDY OF 182 better-than-average dairymen indicates that by 1970, a majority of them would have 50 or more cows. Of the 46 dairymen with less than 30 cows in 1960, only 14 remained by 1965 and only six are expected to have this few cows by 1970. When a dairyman decides to

get out of the one-man family operation, there is no economical stopping place until he reaches 80 to 100 or more cows. If they make substantial changes, a high percentage of these dairymen will likely invest in completely new housing and milking systems. These investments will be utilized much more efficiently when herd size is 100 or more cows. Investments in a new milking and housing system is about \$500 per cow for a 60-cow unit and \$380 per cow for 120 cows.

Ideally, dairymen should recover new investments in 5 years or no more than 8 to 10 years. Expansion of the dairy herd will not pay off unless dairymen attain high crop yields, low feed costs, milk sales of 13,000 pounds or more, a volume large enough to spread overhead costs sufficiently and pay labor high wages. Milk prices can not be expected to be high enough to cover costs of inefficient producers. Only those dairymen with the managerial ability to adjust quickly to changing technology and cost-price relationships will compete in tomorrow's dairy farming.



KING'S MEN QUARTET TO PERFORM

A program featuring the King's Men Quartet will be held at the St. Johns Church of God on Friday, July 19 at 7:30 p.m. The program will be sponsored by the youth fellowship group. The men in the group are Richard Meyer, Ned Rhoads, Noel Drew, John Atteberry and Richard Martin (pianist). They are on a tour which will include Ohio, Michigan, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, Illinois and Wisconsin.

Ten thousand years ago farmers were harvesting wheat in the lake regions of Switzerland, but they used stone sickles, and a grueling four to five hours of labor produced one bushel.

If you hate crowds, the best time to fly is 3 a.m. A recent Federal Aviation Administration study showed only 176 airline flights airborne at that hour, compared with 1,152 at 6 p.m.

Carland News

By Mrs Archie Moore
Phone 834-2383

Mr and Mrs Clyde Gilbert and family and Mr and Mrs Russell Gilbert spent the weekend camping near Atlanta at a new state park on Clear Lake.

Mrs Dorothy Gutshall was a Sunday caller at the home of Mr and Mrs Archie Moore.

Mr and Mrs Harry Curtis and Sally Jo had a picnic dinner at Potter Park with Mr and Mrs James Glass on Saturday.

Mrs Clara Horre called on her

brother, Norman Leavitt in Owosso, who just arrived home from the hospital.

Mrs Edith Simpson of Carland, Mrs Irene Heath of Owosso, Mrs Earl Eaton of Flint and Mrs Fern Pierce of Oakley left Wednesday morning for Kansas City, Mo., to visit relatives. Mr and Mrs Lawrence Kadolph and family spent last weekend in Fort Huron visiting her sister and family and they spent a day at the Detroit Zoo for a picnic.

When cruising in strange waters this summer, use the many charts that are available for the Michigan rivers and lakes.

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West Elsie

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

Mr and Mrs Richard Reha and family attended the wedding of Miss Viva Susan Hayward to Mr Steve Krehmar Jr. at the Colony Methodist Church. The reception followed in the church basement.

Mr and Mrs Elwood Erickson spent the weekend at Houghton Lake as guests of Mr and Mrs Ernest Heinze.

Mr and Mrs Edward Prowant of St. Johns were Sunday evening callers of Mr and Mrs Lewis Walling.

Mr and Mrs David Fogarty and family of Mead Road have returned home after vacationing several days this past week. They traveled the eastern coast and across the upper part of lower Michigan.

Mr and Mrs Richard Reha and family of St. Clair Road attended a birthday party in Henderson Sunday to help their niece, Jill Fowler, celebrate her sixth birthday.

Mr and Mrs David Peabody spent the July Fourth weekend as guests of his uncle, Lee Wheeler, at Torch Lake. On Thursday, twenty-three relatives joined them at a cookout to celebrate the birthdays of Mr Wheeler and Mrs Peabody. On Friday the Peabodys and Mr Wheeler journeyed to Petoskey and Indian River where they stopped at a Rock Shop and saw a gentleman

demonstrating the making of jewelry.

Joe Kelley of Maple River Road has received word from his niece, Mrs Elizabeth Vaughan, of Portland, Oregon, telling of her interesting travels in Finland and Russia. Her husband is chief librarian of the state of Oregon and they are taking this trip to acquire more information on these countries. Mrs Vaughan is the granddaughter of Mrs Ivy Woolf who was formerly an Elsie resident.

Gunnisonville

By Mrs Loui E. Fritz

Dr John P. Keith of East Lansing a former Pastor of Gunnisonville United Methodist Church, was the guest Pastor Sunday, July 7, for vacationing Rev Marcel B. Elliott.

Miss Loui Lea Fritz of DeWitt and Mrs Bert Howard of St. Johns were supper guests Tuesday of Mr and Mrs Ernie Fritz.

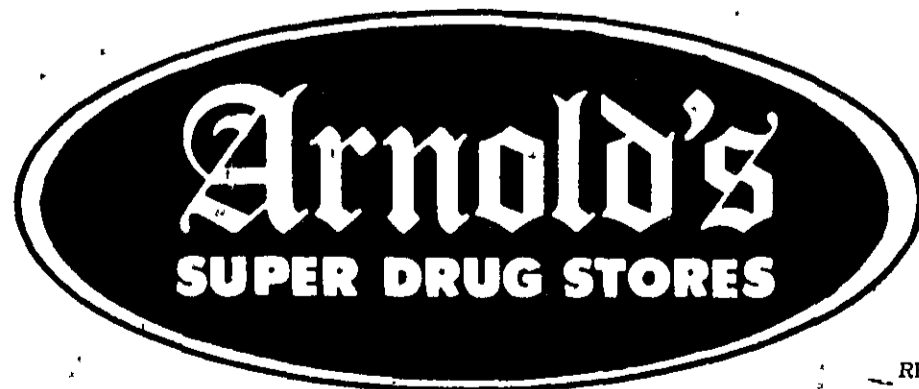
Ted Hartwick of Lansing and Mr and Mrs Ernie Fritz were supper guests Wednesday of Mrs Mildred Hartwick of Elsie.

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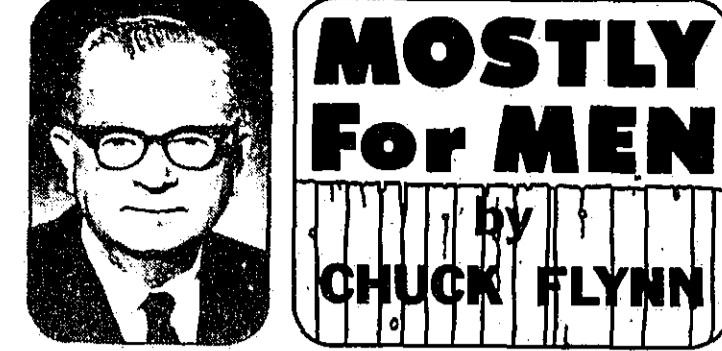
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MOSTLY For MEN

by CHUCK FLYNN

It seems the Chinese were the first to adopt smoke cooking as productive of some of the finest meats one ever had. The Chinese utilize tall ovens of stone with a wood fire at the base. Food is hung down from the top to cook slowly in the smoke from the fire.

American Indians also were excellent "smoke" cooks especially in the preparation of fish. My family provided me with an all-aluminum smoker last fall and I've had some great adventures with this method of food preparation.

One of the best is to prepare a semi-boneless ham by this method. These generally run in the 6 to 8-pound category and will serve 8 to 12 people generously since there is little waste.

In THE SMOKER you lay a charcoal fire in the center of the cooker and allow the coals to become grey. Let the heat build to room temperature then coat the fat side with a mixture of equal parts of sweet pickle juice and hot mustard. While moist and surface with brown sugar.

Make a shallow pan of three thicknesses of heavy foil and place the ham in this "pan" at

one end of the smoker. Cover the charcoal with a quantity of wet hickory chips or bark, close the lid and adjust the dampers for 350-degree heat.

A fully-cooked ham will be heated through and ready to serve in 90 minutes. Baste with the juices each half hour. This is "ham what am."

To accompany the ham here is a delightful dish utilizing fresh vegetables now plentiful in the markets. You'll need 2 pounds of tender young zucchini squash and 2 pounds of fresh tomatoes. Wash, then cut into about 1/8 inch slices.

SLICE THEN one medium-sized white onion and stir into cucumbers and marinade. Add 1/4 cup Italian style salad dressing.

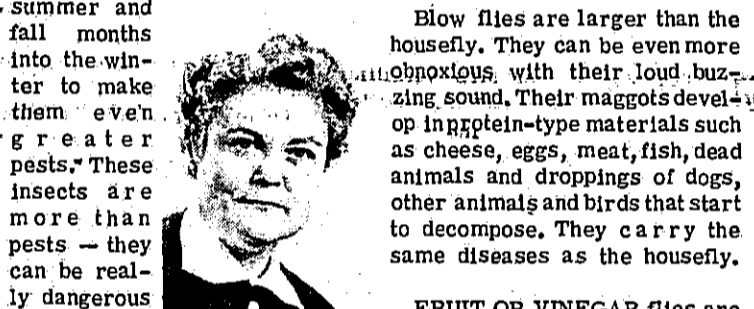
Cover and store for several hours, better for overnight. In fact the cucumbers and onions will continue to gain flavor if stored under refrigeration for several days.

For the Italian style salad dressing, mix 1/3 cup cider vinegar with 1/2 cup of olive oil. Add sugar or sugar substitute and garlic salt to your taste. If you want a real glicky dish, use fresh crushed garlic in the amount you like.

Flies dangerous—plus an annoyance

By LORRAINE SPRAGUE Home Extension Economist

Flies are buzzing around. The common household fly and other species present an almost constant problem in most homes unless special care is taken to control them. Some of them carry their annoyance beyond the summer and fall months into the winter to make them even greater pests. These insects are more than pests—they can be really dangerous in their disease-carrying habits. Each individual household should make every effort to rid their premises and homes of them. Community control is often necessary for real effectiveness.



CONTROL SUGGESTIONS for the house fly, blow fly, fruit or vinegar fly and others are in the extension folder F303, House Flies and their Relatives. Pick up your copy at no cost from your Co-operative Extension office in St. Johns.

Though less dangerous in the carrying of disease, fruit flies can increase spoilage of foods, especially fruits and vegetables. This makes them a real economic pest.

Federal-Mogul names new vp

Thomas F. Russell has been named vice president and group manager of Federal-Mogul Corporation's Service Group succeeding Wayne C. Gille who has resigned to join Massey-Ferguson, Inc.

Russell was formerly vice president-in-charge and group manager-administration, a position that has now been discontinued.

In his 25-year career with Federal-Mogul, Russell has served as cost accountant, in-



terminal Auditor, Controller and Director of Finance prior to becoming vice president-finance in 1964. He was elected to the Board of Directors last February.

Russell is a native Detroit, born in 1924, and a graduate of the University of Detroit. He is also a Past President of the Detroit Chapter of the Financial Executives Institute and currently chairman of the organization's Corporate Reporting Committee. He is Secretary and a Director of Detroit's Well Being Services for the Aging and a member of the Advisory Board of the Co-operative Purchasing Agency of the Archdiocese of Detroit.

Persons interested in serving with the Peace Corps should fill out an application, if they have not already done so, and present it to the tester before the test. Applications are available from post offices or from the Peace Corps in Washington, D. C., 20525.

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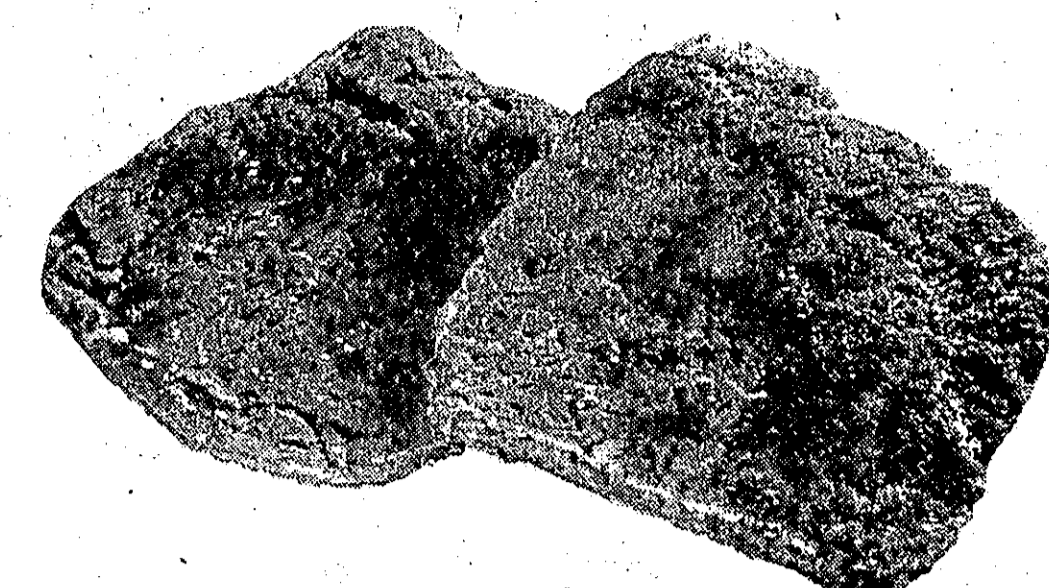
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News About Clinton County

Service Personnel

Army Private JOHN E. WILSON, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clair L. Wilson, 340 W. Chadwick Road, R-2, Dewitt, completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training June 21 at Ft. Polk, La. His last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare exercises.

During his guerrilla training, he lived under simulated Viet Nam conditions for five days, fighting off night attacks and conducting raids on "enemy" villages. He was taught methods of removing booby traps, setting ambushes and avoiding enemy ambushes.

Other specialized training included small unit tactics, map reading, land mine warfare, communications, and firing the M-14 rifle, M-60 machine gun and the 3.5-inch rocket launcher.

Marine Private First Class RUPERTO ORTA Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruperto Orta Sr. of R-5 St. Johns, is serving with the Third Force Reconnaissance Battalion, Third Marine Division in Viet Nam.

As a member of the reconnaissance Marines he undertakes deep into enemy lines and gathers intelligence by means of pathfinding, underwater breathing equipment and parachute jumps.

While on patrol he often calls in and directs artillery and air strikes against the enemy.

Army Pvt. DWIGHT D. SUTLIFF, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dyl E. Suttiff, 144 E. Oak, Elsie, completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training June 21 at Ft. Polk, La. His last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare exercises.

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Army Pvt. FRANK L. PLATTE, 20, son of Mrs. Virgilia Platte, 520 Heyer St., Westphalia, completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training June 21 at Ft. Polk, La. His last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare exercises.

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Army Private JOHN W. GIPSON, Jr., 20, whose father lives on Route 1, Pawamo, completed a light vehicle driver course at Ft. Jackson, S.C. June 28.

During the course, he was trained in the operation and maintenance of military vehicles up to and including the two and one-half ton truck. Instruction was also given in the operation of the internal combustion engine and chassis assembly.

Marine Corporal LAWRENCE D. FLADUNG, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Fladung of Route 3, Myers Road, Dewitt is serving with the Third Battalion, Fifth Marine Regiment, First Marine Division, in Vietnam.

As a member of the battalion he helps capture or destroy enemy forces. He accomplishes this through weapons fire, tactical maneuvering and both large and small scale operations.

His unit is also engaged in a civic action program designed to assist the Vietnamese people in completing self-help projects, such as the building of wells, culverts, small bridges and schools. Equipment and materials are made available through the Marine Corps Reserve Civic Action Fund.

Marine Lance Corporal RONALD E. MONTAGUE, 19, son of Mrs. Earl W. Sperow of 9970 Elm Road, Ovid, is helping to provide transport capabilities in support of Marines in Viet Nam.

He is serving with Transport Company, Seventh Motor Transport Battalion, Force Logistics Command.

Army 2nd Lt. BUDD SUTLIFF has been promoted to Petty Officer 2nd Class in the U.S. Navy. He is a graduate of St. Johns High School, assigned to the carrier USS Intrepid, as a jet airplane mechanic. Budd will be returning to the states from Viet Nam in October and will be stationed in San Diego, Calif. He is the husband of the former Pat Deinger and son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Suttiff of Bureka.

His Address is: Budd Suttiff ADJ2, V.P. 53, PPO San Francisco, Calif. 96601

Marine Pvt. First Class JOHN W. MARQUETTE, 19, son of Mrs. Beatrice Davis of Pawamo, is serving aboard the anti-submarine warfare aircraft carrier USS Yorktown.

As a crewmember he recently visited the port of Singapore and also participated in the traditional equator crossing ceremony.

The equatorial crossing and Singapore visit capped a one month period of the coast of North Viet Nam for him.

BRENT C. AUSTIN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eilwood Austin of 402 West Grauwiler, Irving, Texas, formerly of Ovid has been promoted to Staff Sergeant in the U.S. Air Force. Sergeant Austin is a missile systems analyst at Kincheloe A.F.B. He is a member of the Strategic Air Command.

Army Private GARRY R. SCHNEEBERGER, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loren E. Schneeburger, Route 1, Dewitt, completed a 10-week armor turret maintenance course July 1 at the U.S. Army Armor School, Ft. Knox, Ky.

During the course, he received individual instruction in organizational maintenance on turret mechanisms of tanks and other combat vehicles, tank guns, range finders and small arms.

Army Pvt. JOHN H. MARKMAN, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland W. Markman, 407 East Walker, St. Johns, completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training June 28 at Ft. Gordon, Ga. His last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare exercises.

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During the 11-week course, he was trained in the maintenance of engine construction, earthmoving and support equipment. Instruction was also given in powered bridging equipment.

GARY H. KNICKERBOCKER will return to duty in Viet Nam in August. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Knickerbocker of R-6, St. Johns. His wife is the former Linda Williams and they have two children, Randy 3, and Candy, 4 months.

He has spent 26 months in Germany with the 5th Infantry Battalion and returned from the 1st Infantry Division in Viet Nam in May of 1967. Knickerbocker has spent the past year as an instructor. He is a graduate of NON Commissioned officers academy in 1963. He also holds a blue belt in karate which he teaches in his spare time.

At present he holds a good conduct medal, combat Infantry badge, Viet Nam national defense medal and a purple heart. His family will reside in Hale Valley Station, Ky.

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The Stuart Godfreys

Whatever happened to . . .

What ever happened to the Stuart Godfreys, former residents of St. Johns who left the area more than 15 years ago?

The Godfreys are living in Richmond Beach, Wash., according to the Leaning Tower of Pisa.

According to the Tillotsons, the fix-it shop is located in one of the older buildings in Richmond Beach.

As of Tuesday, July 9, the pace of the bring program has been stepped up considerably.

At the regular meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners held last Wednesday, it was decided to undertake the construction work on Maple Street north out of Maple Road.

Approval was also officially given to the preliminary plans presented for the "Brookview" subdivision which William D. Sealles is contemplating developing on his property southwest of the city of St. Johns in Section 29 of Bingham Township.

Their collection ranges from an 1890 crystal and glass hanging lamp to a clock dating to 1829.

Other antiques accumulated by the family include an 1894 gramophone, a Norwegian sewing machine, several swords from the 1700's and numerous hand tools.

ONE OF Godfrey's prize possessions is a model of a Chinese junk which he purchased while serving four years in the Marine Corps in China.

Those interested in writing the family may address correspondence to: The Stuart Godfreys, 2411 195th Place N.W., Richmond Beach, Wash. 98101.

Shepardsville

By LUCILLE SPENCER, Correspondent

Special music at the Morning Worship Service at the Shepardsville United Methodist was a duet by Mrs. Robert Tait and daughter, Marla.

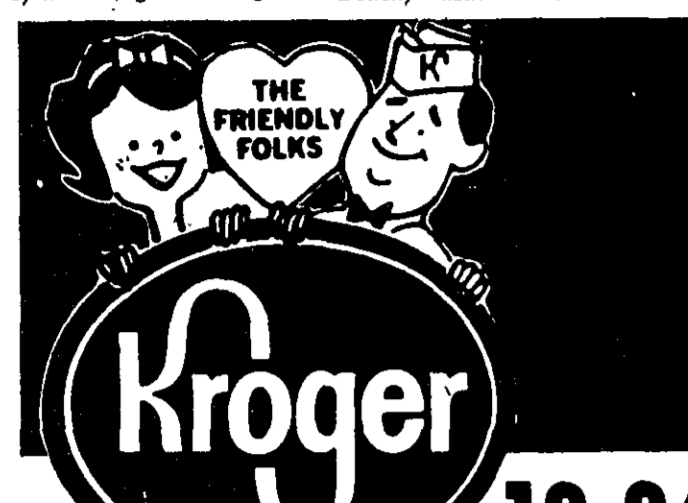
At the Official Board meeting of the Shepardville United Methodist Church decided to meet on the first Thursday in each month beginning in September.

Mr and Mrs John Spencer toured some of the central Michigan area last Wednesday. They stopped at Indian Lake near West Branch and called on Mr and Mrs Frank Lettier.

The gift table was centered with a stork, around which were nut cups made in the shape of diamonds. The color scheme was pink and white.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Walters Jr., was guest of honor at a stork shower on Friday evening, July 12, at the home of Mrs. Rex A. Baker, co-hostess was Mrs. Robert Walters.

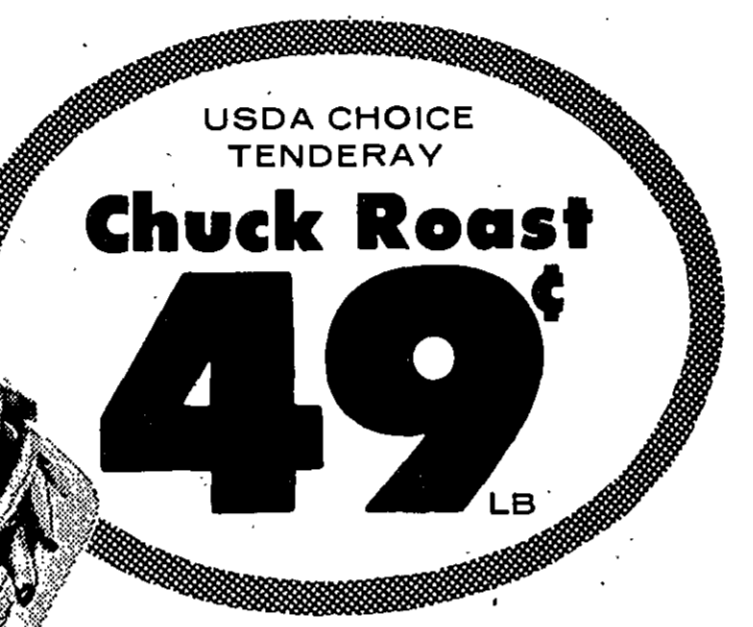
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AGRICULTURE in Action

Does some of the disrespect for law and order so apparent throughout our nation stem from attitudes in dealing with labor strikes, big city riots and student demonstrations?

That question was raised in Sault Ste. Marie at the summer meeting of Michigan Press Association by Senator Robert Griffin.

Griffin, co-author of the Landrum-Griffin labor act while a member of the U.S. House of Representatives, decried a number of current labor practices which lead to violence.

Griffin said, "I don't think we should allow a striking group of people to completely close down an industry, and I believe we are going to come to compulsory government arbitration in those industries regulated by government."

His CONCLUDING argument was one with which Michigan Official policy statements of the Michigan and American Farm Bureau state that unions, "like

prosecutors and judges -- very people who are supposed to uphold the law. He suggested that federal law should require the government supervision of secret strike ballots and, should a strike be called, secret ballots should be taken at reasonable intervals.

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St. Johns pair in sweepstakes

Two St. Johns residents scored holes-in-one which could earn one of them two tickets to Scotland plus \$1,000 in cash in the Rusty Nail Hole-In-One Sweepstakes, a national competition for golfers.

Arden J. Cook, 609 S. Oakland St., and John O'Leary, 902 Scott Rd., both carded their aces at Clinton County Country Club.

The winner will be announced early next year. Other groups should be subject to anti-trust restraints.

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New law hits incorrigibles

If you are one of this state's "incorrigibly" bad drivers, look out . . . you not only may be suspended or revoked for a bad record, but you could lose your car in the bargain.

Recently signed into law is a bill which provides for impoundment of vehicles owned by persons suspended or revoked.

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South Watertown

Mr and Mrs John Buckmaster and their guests Mr and Mrs Yarrowe and son of Lansing spent the weekend at Pentwater.

Mr and Mrs Carl Hammond of Higgins Lake were mid-week guests of Mr and Mrs Mark Oliver.

Mr and Mrs Francis Esch and family are vacationing at Crooked Lake.

Mrs. Millie Kline has returned from a two weeks vacation in Allimtos Calli, where she was a guest of Mr and Mrs Don Parsons.

Mr and Mrs Cross spent a few days at their cottage recently.

Helen Michels and grandson, Bruce Kilpatrick, spent Monday in Lansing.

A farewell party for Mr and Mrs Gordon Tubbs was held recently at the home of Mr and Mrs Harold Boyer.

Raymond Hamer is a patient in Owosso Memorial Hospital.

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Crop acreage is reduced

A smaller total crop acreage is expected to be harvested by Michigan farmers this year than in 1967, according to the Michigan Crop Reporting Service.

Reduced acreages of corn, wheat, rye, soybeans, all potatoes, and all hay more than offset expected increases for dry beans, sugar beets and dry beans. Total harvested acreage of Michigan's 10 major field crops is expected to be 8,067,600 acres this year, compared with 6,230,000 acres last year.

A WARM APRIL with below normal rainfall permitted farmers to start field work at an early date. Most of the intended acreages of grain, sugar beets, early potatoes and soybeans was planted earlier than usual. Heavy rains in the last week of May temporarily halted field work as soil moisture supplies changed from short to surplus. Light rain-

fall in the first half of June permitted resumption of planting. However, a deluge of rain with violent thunderstorms, strong winds and hail caused considerable damage to growing crops in southern Michigan during the last half of June. Extensive half damage occurred in the "thumb" area. Creeks and rivers overflowed their banks flooding adjacent low lying fields. Low spots in other fields were also covered with water for several days. Considerable damage occurred to dry beans and soybeans, and some corn was drowned out. Strong winds also flattened a considerable acreage of wheat and oats.

GRAINS
A winter wheat crop of 35,802,000 bushels is now forecast for Michigan, 11 per cent less than produced last year. A decline of 18 per cent in acreage for harvest more than offset an increase in yield per acre. The first grain corn production forecast of 87,318,000 bushels is 5 per cent below 1967 production. A smaller acreage for harvest more than offsets a higher yield per acre. An oat crop of 29,328,000 bushels is forecast, 20 per cent larger than last year's crop. A 22 per cent increase in acreage for harvest more than offsets an expected lower yield per acre.

DRY BEANS
Heavy rains during the last week of June caused considerable damage to dry beans and also prevented or delayed planting of some of the intended acreage. Low lying fields and low spots in other fields were flooded and fields not flooded were hurt by excessive moisture. Some beans were replanted by the end of June. Fields replanted in July may not mature before a killing frost. About 7 per cent of the intended acreage was reported still to be planted by the end of June. The first forecast of acreage for harvest is 624,000 acres, 24 per cent more than the small acreage harvested in 1967. The first production forecast of 6,864,000 hundred weight is 28 per cent above the small 1967 production.

SUGAR BEETS
Michigan farmers planted 90 thousand acres of sugar beets this year, 13 per cent more than last year. The production forecast of 1,976,000 tons is 10 per cent larger than last year's crop.

POTATOES
Fall crop growers planted 31,000 acres of potatoes, this year, 11 per cent less than planted in 1967. Late summer crop growers planted 11,200 acres this year, compared with 11,300 acres last year.



Who's Supporting Whom?

DHIA REPORT FOR JUNE

Name	No. Cows	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. B/Fat	% Cows In Test
Rostan Mehney and Son	28	1632	61	103
Charles Bracey	32	1411	53	87
Robert Nurenberg	34	1348	48	89
S and H Farms	81	1314	48	99
Robert Wilcox	24	1344	47	86
William Mayers	29	1252	47	98
Fred Mayers	22	1552	46	97
Harry Sanborn	30	1387	46	100
Kenneth Thelen	38	1308	46	91
Francis Motz	32	1280	46	94
Leon Miller	35	1150	46	85
William Knight	43	1201	44	83
James George	29	1225	43	89
Marvin Simon	33	1209	43	90
Mervin Chamberlain	28	1197	43	102
Elmer Smith	28	1179	43	100
Ed Grams and Sons	124	1184	42	90
Don Witt and Son	36	1117	42	79
Ed Dolamater	35	898	42	83
George Smith	31	881	42	88
Lavern Lerg	76	1163	41	89
Wyrick Brothers	30	1136	41	96
Warren Swanson	33	1098	41	89
Woodard Dunkel	23	1102	39	91
D & V Green	1204	1067	39	81
Robert Reese and Son	96	1112	38	91
Frank Rivest	67	1060	38	81
Ernest Jackson	56	1053	38	74
A. W. Cobb and Son	42	1084	37	89
George Jorae	27	1040	37	90
Frucht-Helmlen	30	1149	36	86
Dennis Thelen	38	1065	36	84
George Hazle	11	912	36	100
E. A. Livingston	32	697	35	78
Russell Ormsby	30	989	34	73
Darwin Smith and Sons	33	945	34	92
Paul Nobis	57	958	33	77
Jerome Spitzley	37	960	32	74
Robert Borton and Son	43	930	32	71
Joseph Wing	36	835	32	79
Don Swagart	31	919	31	90
Alex Vittek and Sons	36	901	30	79
Ervin Marten	35	730	29	76
Lynn Fickies	25	595	29	98
Raymond Mayers	85	791	28	86
Peter Kurncz	95	746	27	86
Ron Spitzley	60	769	26	72

HIGH 305 DAY LACTATION RECORDS FOR JUNE

Owner	Breed	Milk	B/Fat
Laweda Farms	Holstein	20738	772
Laweda Farms	Holstein	19555	748
Herb Thelen	Holstein	20929	706
D & V Green	Holstein	19795	697
Ervin Martin	Holstein	18194	691
Marvin Simon	Holstein	14991	690
Warren Swanson	Holstein	20404	688
Marvin Simon	Holstein	15590	686
Laweda Farms	Holstein	18965	681
Warren Swanson	Holstein	19602	673
Frank Prochazka	Holstein	17848	662
Mervin Chamberlain	Holstein	21751	651
D & V Green	Holstein	17731	651

Corn, weed plots displayed

An estimated 35 Clinton area farmers attended a corn field day Wednesday at the Marvin Simon farm near Fowler.

The farmers heard descriptions of corn variety and weed control plots by Earl Haas, county extension agricultural agent, George McQueen, extension agricultural agent, and Don Elliott, field representative of Gely Chemical Co.

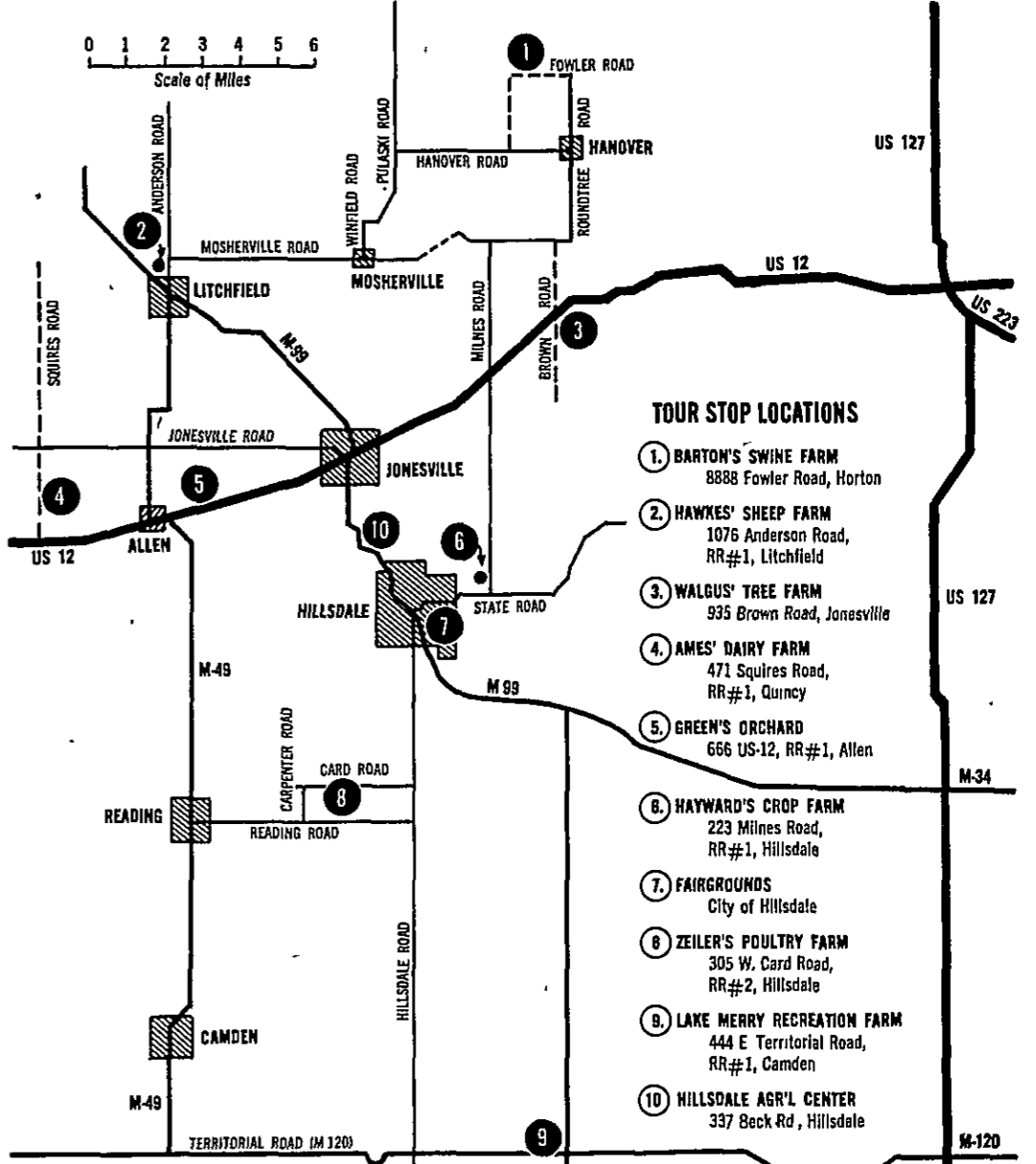
McQueen gave background on the field, farm and 20 variety trials. Elliott discussed the 14 weed control plots, while Haas illustrated problems caused by slugs.

DIFFERENCES in growing characteristics of the corn varieties were pointed out.

In September, another field day will be held on the Simon farm, located one mile south and two and a half east of Fowler. Plots will be viewed prior to harvest.

According to McQueen, harvesting will take place in October. Dry shelled corn production will be measured, along with dry weight of plants.

McQueen has left large signs identifying the varieties for those farmers interested in visiting the plots on their own.



FARM MANAGEMENT TOUR IN HILLSDALE COUNTY

The 20th annual State Farm Management Tour sponsored by the Michigan Cooperative Extension Service will be staged in Hilldale County, Aug. 1. Activities start at 9:30 a.m. with programs at any of the farms listed on the accompanying map. Programs will be repeated at 10:45 a.m.

Activities shift to the Hilldale County Fairgrounds in Hilldale at noon. Lunch will be served, followed by a series of educational meetings with Michigan State University extension specialists from 1:45 to 3:30 p.m.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Robert LaFave will be in charge of the teenage program during the March of Dimes campaign this year...

Mr and Mrs Ervin Hambleton had as dinner guests Sunday Mr and Mrs Dale Hambleton of Enumclaw, Wash., Mr and Mrs Eugene Schmidt and family of Brooklyn, Mich., Mr and Mrs Dale Felghner and son of Grand Ledge, Mr and Mrs Don Hambleton, Mr and Mrs Dick Hambleton and daughter of St. Johns, Mr and Mrs Douglas Harvey of Ann Arbor.

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- D - oppose any measure that would create lifetime appointments for our judges. I believe that all judges should be made to answer to the people of their district at the polls.
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ASC PROGRAM

Wheat payment average is \$345 for each farm



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County ASC Manager

Michigan wheat farmers will begin getting income-boosting wheat payments starting July 17. Payments totaling about \$15,400,000 will be made to some 43,000 Michigan farmers who signed to participate in the 1968 wheat program and who planted wheat within their allotments. These payments will average out to \$345 per each farm signed in the program.

AS WE'VE mentioned many times in the past on this program, wheat payments will add substantially to the income farmers receive from marketing their 1968 crop of wheat. On a national scale, the wheat payments will amount to \$730 million and when related to the total production on the 49.2 million acres of allotment on participating farms will reflect an

added wheat income of 55 cents per bushel, as compared to 48 cents on eligible 1967-crop wheat. In determining total return per bushel for wheat, participants in the program should divide their wheat payment by their total production to get an average per bushel payment. By adding this to the price they receive in the market, participants can determine their total return per bushel. The wheat certificate payment this year is \$1.38 per bushel.

LOOKING AHEAD to the program for next year, it is similar to the one we had for 1966 and offers several options:

- (1) You can sign up, divert to conserving use an acreage equal to 15 per cent of your allotment and plant wheat on all your allotment acres.
- (2) You can plant less than your allotment, earn diversion payments and qualify for marketing certificates. By planting 43 per

cent of your allotment and meeting other program requirements, you can qualify for the maximum of certificates.

(3) You can substitute wheat for feed grains on a farm if you sign and participate in both the wheat and feed grain programs.

(4) If your farm has a barley base, you can, upon request at sign up time also become eligible to substitute wheat for barley provided you divert to a conserving use 15 per cent of the barley base.

FARMERS WHO sign in the 1969 program and qualify are eligible for:

- (1) Price support loans on wheat produced on the permitted acreage at \$1.25 per bushel National average.
- (2) Diversion payments for diverting below the allotment.
- (3) Marketing certificate on 43 per cent of the projected production of the farm allotment.



FARM POND ADDS TO FAMILY FUN

Two very happy youngsters are Luann and Michael Rummell, children of the Richard Rummells of Ovid Township. This summer the small fry are enjoying the spring-fed farm pond recently constructed on the family farm, with technical assistance of the Soil Conservation Service and Agriculture Stabilization Conservation Committee.

Price index up slightly

The index of prices received by Michigan farmers on June 15, was 274 per cent of the 1910-14 average, according to the Michigan Crop Reporting Service.

The June index was up 1 per cent from the previous month. Declines in wheat, corn, barley, wholesale milk and soybeans were more than offset by increases in hogs, dry beans, sheep and eggs.

Compared with June 1967 the index was up 19 points (7 per cent). Higher prices for dry beans, lambs, eggs and broilers were responsible for most of the increase.

During the month ended June 15, the index of prices received by farmers declined 1 point (1/3 per cent) to 259 per cent of its 1910-14 average. Contributing most to the decrease were price declines for wheat and milk. Partially offsetting were higher prices for hogs and eggs. The June index was 1-1/2 per cent above a year earlier.

The index of prices paid by farmers for commodities and services, including interest, taxes, and farm wage rates was unchanged from May at 854. This was 4 per cent above a year earlier.

Safety Week nears

'Keep Your Guard Up - Stop Accidents' is theme for National Farm Safety Week, July 21 to 27.

But George McQueen, Clinton County extension agricultural agent, believes farmers must make every week farm safety week.

"There is no question about it, farming is a dangerous business," said McQueen. "Even with every precaution, the multitude of dangers exists because of machinery, implements, livestock and other things around the farm that can maim or even kill."

He offered these suggestions to prevent tractor accidents:

- Slow down when turning, near ditches, working on slopes, on rough or muddy ground. Operate implements and machines at recommended speeds, but cut speeds for bad conditions.
- Axles are not drawbars. - Wrapping a chain or cable around one for a hard pull can result in backward tip. Hitch only to drawbar set 13 to 17 inches above ground (but the lower the better).
- Farm tractor tollies: Working too close to large open

ditches; horse play; tying blocks on wheels then trying to move forward out of mud; attempting man-sized jobs with boy-sized tractors; hot-rodding.

- Engage power smoothly. Avoid abrupt turns, jerky starts and stops, especially when tractor stability is affected by front-end loader, manure spreader, etc.

- Turn off power before unclogging, adjusting or servicing any machine. Keep shields and safety devices in place.

- Youngsters and machines don't mix. Keep them off and away from machinery. Train older youths to run tractors safely.

- Fatigue leads to accidents. Take breaks with refreshments to keep energy up. Wear comfortable, close-fitting clothing. Get ample rest. Stay off tractors if you are ill or unable to operate safely.

- Inclines, up or down, call for caution. Shift to a lower gear downhill, especially pulling heavy rolling loads. Can your brakes stop the load safely? - Refuel only cool engine. Don't smoke while refueling. Have fire extinguisher and first aid kit on your rig.

- Slow-moving vehicles can be road hazards unless you obey traffic laws, are courteous, signal your intentions, have good lighting and SMV emblem to warn drivers.

- Tractor overturn can be prevented. But if it happens, you, your son, or employee will be far safer if the tractor is equipped with a protective frame and safety belt, or a crush-resistant cap. See your dealer.

Forecasts of commodities

(Following forecasts of various farm commodities were compiled by Michigan State University agricultural economists.)

MILK

If current trends in production and Class I sales continue, Base prices will hold a margin over last year. In 1967, the Base price in the "zero zone" in Southern Michigan reached a low of \$5.33 in June and then increased to a seasonal high of \$5.68 in November. The Base price held near that level into 1968 and was \$5.71 in April 1968, 31 cents over the year before.

CATTLE

At one time, cattle prices tended to follow grass. Prices were highest at the beginning of the pasture season when there was a strong demand for cattle to utilize the grass. Then in the late summer and fall when pastures and ranges dried up, cattle marketings increased and prices declined. With over two-thirds of our beef supply now from cattle on feed, the flow to market has been evened out to a degree that little remains of the old seasonal price pattern. Only cow prices follow this with any degree of regularity. On fed cattle, seasonal price changes are not highly consistent from year to year. In recent years, some tendency has emerged for highest prices in the late summer and early fall and lowest prices in the early spring. Feeder cattle prices are more inclined toward

a strong spring market; but even here the fed cattle market so predominates that it is more important to predict fed cattle prices than to read seasonal price charts on feeder cattle.

HOGS

If hog prices hold near or above the \$20 level for the next 6 months some profit opportunities exist for finishing feeder pigs. Prices in Illinois on 40 pound pigs were about \$18 per head in mid June. Corn prices in Central Michigan have been under \$1.00.

EGGS

In early June, prices on Grade A large eggs at Detroit were just over 30 cents a dozen. Prices are expected to advance seasonally in July.

WHEAT

Market developments in recent months have offered little encouragement to the wheat market. Contract prices for new crop wheat dipped below \$1.10 in Central Michigan in early June, lowest in over 25 years. With the loan rate at around \$1.20 to \$1.25 in Michigan, prices are not expected to drop much lower. If enough wheat is placed under loan, prices would be expected to reach the loan level later in the crop year. Ratification of the International Grains Agreement (some countries, including the U.S., had not signed by early June) would tend to push prices to at least the \$1.30 level.

NAVIES

Navy bean prices recovered

lost ground and moved up to \$8.95 in early June. Growers may want to take advantage of the run up in price and sell at least part of their remaining stocks. The 1968 navy bean crop will be supported at \$6.90 for C.H.P., the same as in 1967.



Soil testing should be performed prior to seeding late summer alfalfa, according to George McQueen, Clinton County extension agent. The fertility status of the soil may be the critical factor in de-

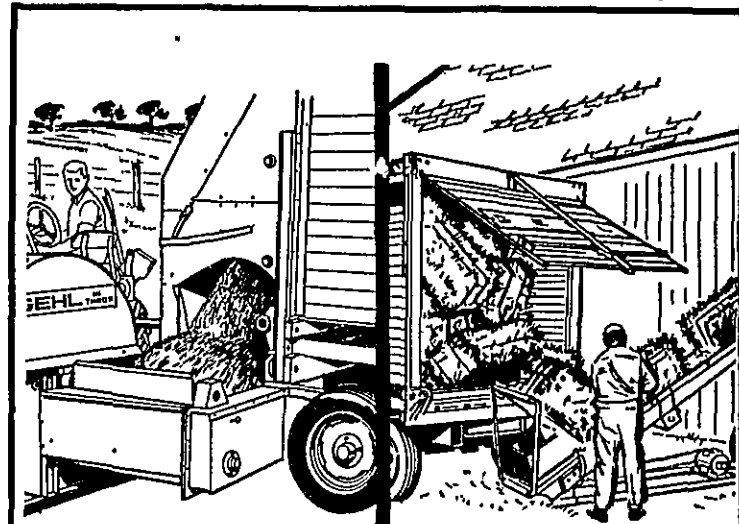
termining the success of late summer alfalfa seeding, McQueen reports. If good stands are to be established and maintained, the soil must be adequately limed, and there must be a high level of available phosphate as well as adequate supplies of potash.

LIME SHOULD be applied before the field is prepared for seedings and it should be well mixed with the soil. It should also be applied to strongly acid soils six months or more before seeding. On less acid soil, early applications of lime, though desirable, are not so critical. Whenever possible, phosphate fertilizer should be applied at planting in a band directly below the seed. This allows more effective utilization of the phos-

phate by the young plant, and lessens competition between the alfalfa seedlings and weeds for the fertilizer.

Nitrogen fertilizer is not needed in order to obtain a good stand of alfalfa, McQueen notes. In fact, nitrogen may hinder the establishment of the alfalfa by encouraging more vigorous weed growth. Boron should not be included in the fertilizer at seeding. When needed, it should be top-dressed on established stands.

ACCORDING TO MICHIGAN State University soil scientist Eugene Doll, stands may fail if inadequate levels of any one element are present. On the other hand, excessive levels of an element are not beneficial, and may actually be detrimental to plant development and growth.



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Slugs are increasing

Recent wet weather has caused an increase in population of slugs, small snail-like organisms that attack corn, beans and alfalfa.

According to George McQueen, Clinton County extension agricultural agent, presence of slugs "is hit and miss" throughout the county. He said the pests remain in the ground during the day, then attack plants at night.

The only remedy is spraying at night when the slugs are out of the ground. McQueen recommended application of the chemical Seven, when temperatures permit.

Sphinx's Sculptor

The name of the sculptor of the Great Sphinx of Egypt remains a riddle. Though the Sphinx is referred to as "she" it is believed that it is a stone portrait of King Khafre, 28th-century B.C. builder of the second pyramid.

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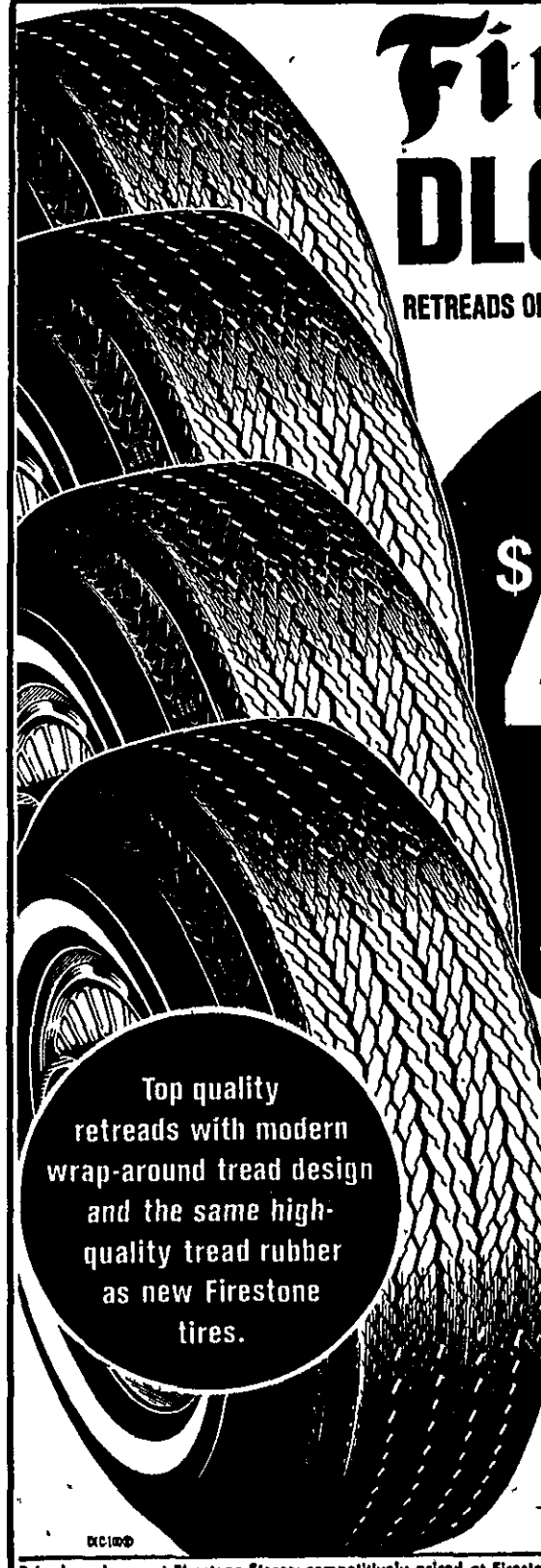
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EDITORIAL PAGE

Clinton County News

About the future of this nation

It is utter nonsense to supinely accept the judgment frequently voiced by both foreign and domestic critics that violence in the United States is the symptom of a critical and perhaps fatal breakdown in the moral fiber of our people...

Violence of the type that could one day precipitate World War III exists in China, in Cuba, and in the Middle Eastern countries from whence came the twisted mind and the hatred that felled Senator Kennedy.

This country has gone further along the way of advancing the cause of individual freedom and opportunity than any other nation in history. This has been our national purpose and the reason why millions of the world's oppressed came to our shores.

It seems to many that what we are experiencing in the United States is not a sickness of our society, but rather what will prove to be in the perspective of history, a relatively short period of confusion concerning the proper application of legal and economic principles vital to the life and development of a free society.

Laws are really only necessary for the small minority who don't have the desire, judgment, or responsibility to make such standards part of their own behavior.

There is no future in a policy of law enforcement which allows a mob or a well-organized group of any kind to do what would be patently a crime if it were undertaken by an individual.

In the meantime, new laws will not solve the problem. As an example, the most restrictive gun legislation in the world may disarm the law-abiding citizen, but it will never stop the criminal or the deranged person from firing an assassin's bullet.

"Hop In"

'IF IT FITZ ...'



A swan song ...

By JOHN STAFFORD

This is my swan song as editor of The Clinton County News. Regular editor Lowell Rinker has returned from a three-week expedition to California and back.

Next week I'll be at the helm of The Gratiot County Herald in Ithaca while associate editor Tom DeWitt spends what I'm sure will be a pleasurable two weeks with the National Guard at Camp Grayling.

discovered, I've moved on. I also meet a whole lot of nice people. About the only disadvantage is the traveling. I'll stack up the miles I've driven the past year with any member of the Teamsters Union.

But no matter where I'm going or what I'm going to be doing, I know that each day will conclude on the same note. I head up the driveway at 5:30 or 6, walk into the house and after absorbing a few well aimed punches from two boys 5 and 3, stand ready for their question, "Dad, what are we going to do tonight?"

A friend in need ...

A phone rang from out of the past, reminding me I haven't always been married, it just seems that way.

The same call reminded my wife she didn't actually marry me so much as she saved me. She didn't wear a wedding veil, she wore a Salvation Army cape.

The phone call was from Jerry Smith (name changed to protect the guilty and avoid a lawsuit). He was two classes behind me at St. Stephen High in Port Huron many years ago.

Jerry and I were members of a loosely knit group of veterans generally called, for lack of a more apt title, the Town Bums. Membership was varied and transient, numbering anywhere from ten on bleary Sunday mornings.

Many of us attended junior college, if classes could be arranged so as not to interfere with the cocktail hour (3 p.m. to last call). Some of us looked for jobs. (I've been sitting on this stool all day and not one job has walked by).

Which reminds me of my special buddy, Tom. He left most of his index finger on Iwo Jima. Tom used to stick his finger stump up his nose, or in his ear, and startle the devil out of innocent passersby.

Tom was the first of us to marry. He was also the first to go to jail for more than overnight—non-payment of alimony—and he was the first to die, in an auto wreck, if he were still alive today.

Old buddy Jerry phoned because he'd hit trouble driving through my town. He'd been in a minor collision, no injuries and not much damage to the cars.

I hadn't seen Jerry twice in the last 15 years. I hadn't heard one word about him in at least five years.

"I think he's a bulldier," I told my wife. "I think he has settled down with a wife and three kids, just like me. I think he is a responsible citizen and he has just had a bad break—the type of thing that might happen to any social drinker who bumps against a cop with a sensitive nose."

"You think," said my wife, "but you don't know. He might be Public Enemy Number 1. He might be the biggest souse in Port Huron. This might be his 25th arrest this year. Are you going to run around trying to get some bum out of jail?"

"He's my friend," I explained, listening hard for the sound of bugles and drums. I felt like Pat O'Brien forgiving Jimmy Cagney for crippling Pat's grandmother. "Besides I know Jerry's not

Port Huron's top souse, Don is. You remember Don, he stopped to use our john last year and fell in the bathtub."

So anyway, folks, I saw the sheriff and I saw the justice of peace. I lent Jerry bond money and offered him the use of my razor. It turned out I was right, he is a steady worker with a fine family and this was the first brush with the law, ever. I shall leave it to a higher court to decide if he was a drunk driver that one night.

I bid Jerry farewell ("Just show me those lousy city limits") on a Saturday morning. That afternoon my wife and I attended an international Girl Scout fiesta at a huge field house in Flint.

"You know," I told my wife, "I'm the only man in this place. I must be losing my mind."

That made me think, really think, about how marriage has enriched my life and changed my Saturdays. I could not give her a dishonest answer.

"No," I answered. Onward and upward.

RAMBLIN' WITH RINK

Let them grow tall as they will

Of every piece of misfortune comes good experience. Children around St. Johns this summer are finding they don't have the organized activity they have usually had in past summers.

So there are lots of kids running around with little organization. This could be beneficial for them if they have the proper ideas of good taste, common sense, decency and good manners instilled in them by their parents.

ORGANIZATION IS one of the big factors in modern living these days. There is an organization for just about everything you want to do, want to see or want to hear.

love, understanding and guidance in which to grow—and the time and freedom to grow as tall as they will."

The danger, as Mrs Fancher pointed out, is in organizing our youngsters' time to the extent they aren't thinking for themselves about what they're going to do next.

Although 90 per cent of all automobiles stolen in the United States are recovered, according to the Insurance Information Institute, about 30 per cent of the recovered cars have been damaged or stripped of parts—many to the extent that they represent total losses.

Today's youngsters are brighter than ever; of that I'm convinced. If they have been raised with the proper set of values instilled in them by parents, then parents should give them some freedom and spare time on their own "to grow as tall as they will."

Stamps between June 25 and August 4 is \$21,000 and the campaign is in full swing. The money so raised will be a part of the \$131,000,000 to be obtained throughout the nation to buy a new airplane carrier.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Elsie writer adds 'Amen'

Dear Editor:

As a former president of the Michigan Skeet Shooting Association, and presently a director of that shooting group, I would like to say a hearty "amen" to the answer given by Mr. Richard A. Parsons of Fowler to your so-called columnist "FITZ" concerning gun legislation.

Your Mr Fitzgerald apparently knows little about guns, gun-safety clubs, or the very high-class group of people who belong to the skeet and trap shooting clubs in America. He has merely jumped on the bandwagon of a group of hysterical people, most of whom are politicians. This is an election year and while it may get a few votes from ill-informed people, no "gun bill" that I have read comes anywhere near solving the crime-on-the-streets problem.

I am not a member of the National Rifle Association, but I do support Mr Harold Glassen, president of NRA (and a personal friend of mine) in the work he and his group are doing to point out the facts of life to our congressmen and representatives.

As a newspaper publisher and editor for over 40 years, I am inclined to believe that most columnists get carried away with themselves and their own importance after seeing their name in print enough times.

Robert D. Martin Elsie

St. Johns kids say 'thanks'

Dear Editor:

We would like to say a sincere "thank you" to everyone who helped open the pool. Because of your concern for us, we are able to enjoy the hot summer days with a good, safe swim at the pool.

Thanks again for making it possible to open the pool.

The Kids of St. Johns

STRICTLY FRESH

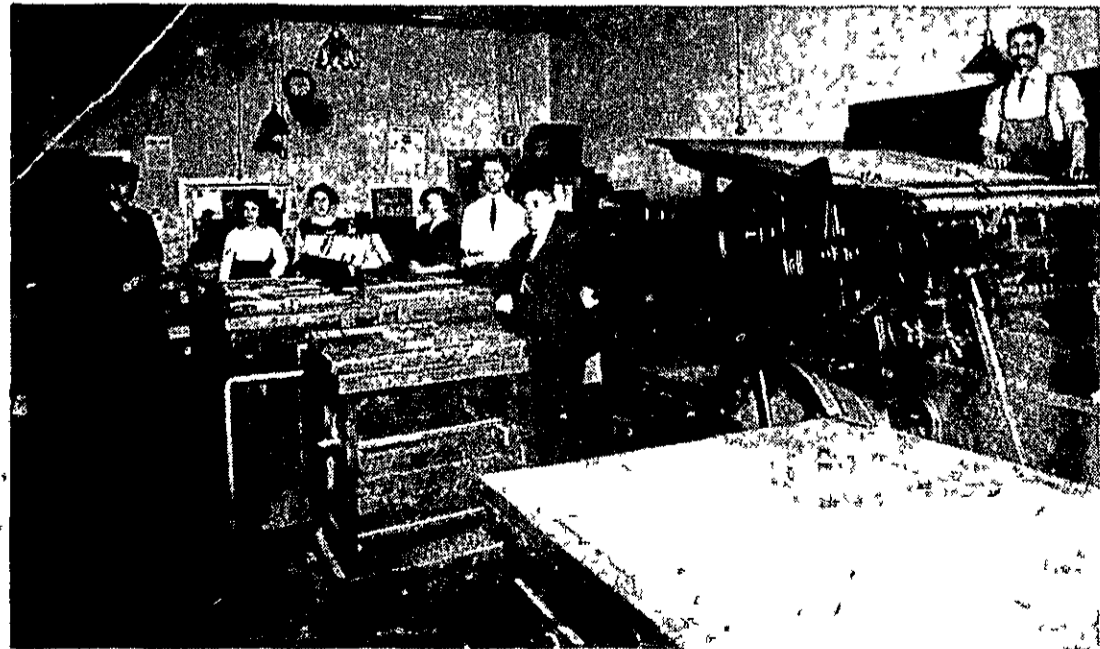
A bore is a thief who steals your time.



If you get the itch to speed while driving—scratch it!

Teen-age girls getting their ears pierced say it isn't the first time they've been needed for fads.

A look into the past ...



A PICTURE OF THIS NEWSPAPER'S FOREFATHERS

Back in the early 1900s a photographer took this picture in the old St. Johns News office that was located where the St. Johns Municipal Building is now located. Mrs Alden Knight sent in the picture and says the man in the suit at center is her father, Charles S. Clark Sr. and the man at the left is Schuyler Marshall, Birdaline Smith, a long-time Clinton County News staffer, says the man on the press at the right is Cal Mott, who was fire chief and who used to stop the presses without hesitation whenever the fire whistle blew. The picture was taken in February 1913.

Back Thru the Years

★ Interesting Items from the Files of The Clinton County News

10 YEARS AGO From the Files of July 15, 1958

The Big Reds Marching Band, happy but tired were overwhelmed by the crowd that welcomed them home after their victory at the Cherry Festival at Traverse City last week.

An official of the Grand Trunk Western Railway told the state public service commission at a hearing last week that two Muskogean-Durand daytime passenger trains which pass through Clinton County are losing \$120,000 yearly.

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25 YEARS AGO From the Files of July 15, 1943

Helen Kraas, well known DeWitt girl received a promotion in the WACS being advanced to the rank of lieutenant after six weeks special training.

The quota of Clinton County merchants for the sale of War

George E. Judd completed his first year as postmaster at St. Johns Wednesday. This anniversary was casually mentioned while he was discussing the changes of the postal rules and regulations. Never in the history of the local post office has there been such a volume of mail.

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50 YEARS AGO From the Files of July 18, 1918

Since our last week's report the district draft board has reclassified the following men, placing them in Class one: William B. Halfman, Fowler; Frank G. Loomis, St. Johns; Edmund L. Klein, Fowler; Jesse E. Greene, St. Johns; and George N. Jones, Laingsburg.

From the Melvin R. Brooks drugstore, you could buy a Kodak camera "for your summer trip" for anywhere from \$2 to \$11.50. The ad also urges you to "try the little Kodak at \$1.00."

MICHIGAN MIRROR

Prisoners cooperating in testing of drugs



BY ELMER E. WHITE Michigan Press Assn.

Prisoners at the State Prison of Southern Michigan in Jackson are helping relieve human misery and prolong life through a volunteer drug testing program.

Without the program, it would take many more years before some of today's "wonder drugs" would be ready for general use, prison officials say.

Drugs used in the tests have already been administered to animals and sometimes to a few humans, but the project at Jackson provides necessary mass testing.

Sophisticated equipment is used to study curative benefits of different drugs, the most effective dosage, and possible side-effects. Tests are run on normal subjects since results would not be as reliable if tested on patients who were emotionally unstable.

New programs aimed at cutting welfare costs are sought as Michigan heads towards a \$500 million welfare package for 1969-70.

With passage of the 1968-69 appropriation, the Legislature issued a stern warning to welfare officials not to seek additional funds.

A test case in Massachusetts is now pending on the question of residency requirements for indigents before they can receive welfare aid.

could encourage an influx of indigents to Michigan from poorer states and make a shambles of the state budget.

A work incentive program for families on Aid to Dependent Children would provide on-the-job training and regular employment for some.

The purpose of the program is to get as many ADC recipients as possible back into the job mainstream and reduce the state rolls which now stand at 46,200.

A percentage of the 1968-69 appropriation will be used to provide more assistance to counties for foster care programs.

Grants and supplemental payments are issued to those in the program to guarantee equal amounts received while on welfare rolls.

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The "Low Down"

From the Congressional Record By Joe Crump

Senator George Murphy (Calif.) "... I am distressed to find that it is becoming fashionable in some circles, in fact in far too many circles, to speak of America as a 'sick' society.

Certain political leaders and highly publicized opinion-makers seem to enjoy promoting the idea of a 'mass gull' for recent tragic events. A Presidential Commission has even suggested that this type of general condemnation is the main source of many of our problems...

"Instead of talking so extensively and morbidly about 'Mass gull' and a 'sick society,' I would suggest that attention be given to some of the real causes of our problem. Let us start, for instance, with the character and the background of some of the individuals charged with the horrible crime of political assassination.

When he came back to the United States—and there were those who counseled against allowing him to return—he exhibited many antisocial attitudes and if I recall correctly, he actively attempted to drum up support for Castro's repressive regime in Cuba.

To date we know very little about what motivated the accused killer of Dr. Martin Luther King. But this much seems to be true, and this much has been alleged in the press: He is an habitual lawbreaker, an escaped convict,

whose record clearly indicates he is an outcast, rather than a representative member of American society.

"However, something more is known of the man alleged to have taken our beloved colleague, Senator Robert F. Kennedy from us. As it turns out, he is not an American at all. In fact, he has lived here only part of his life.

"It is high time that the practitioners of political hatred abroad and the prophets of gloom in the United States be put in their proper places. We are most fortunate that two alleged assassins, James Earl Ray and Sirhan Sirhan, will be brought to trial..."

A GRASSROOTS COMMENT THOSE WHO talk of a "sick American society," live in a world of their own. They've never attended a PTA meeting, a meeting of the City Commission, or attempted to find a parking place near a church or synagogue on a Holy day.

They've never been near a factory at quitting time and observed Americans of all races and creeds, headed for their gardens, their do-it-yourself projects, or about to team-up for a golf or bowling match. They have never attended a night-school class.

Responsible Americans recognize our problems, and sincere efforts are being made to solve them, scenes of disorder not with standing. Television would have had a field day with the rout of the Bonus Army in Washington in the 30's.

-J. C.

40 Years wed

By W. E. DOBSON

It's been a lot of livin' For this last forty years, Lots of hurryin' 'n hustle Now and then a couple of tears.

We don't know all the answers, Though we figured out a few, Sometimes the ones we found were wrong, But we somehow made 'em do.

It hasn't all been easy, But we've no call to fuss, We still come to the table— Not have it come to us.

We still can scan the menu 'N though some of it's taboo, I reckon we dine a plenty 'N the doctor thinks so too.

We sometimes manage to travel, After we have earned the price, 'N though we are not gypsies Gettin' around is sort of nice.

We find some time to loiter, 'N visit with our friends, Who share our passing pleasures As each new day starts and ends.

The dreams we had in twenty-eight Have changed each passing year, But life without its dreams is dull, So here's for dreams a cheer!

Sure there's been a lot of changes, 'N of course we have changed too— So if it's not all better I reckon it will do.

They score the ball game different Since they play most after dark, But perhaps it's not too much to hope We've earned a passing mark.

Civil defense & you

By CHARLES FROST Clinton County Civil Defense Director



"AMERICA FACES MANY CHALLENGES" was the banner headline of the East Texas Light, a weekly newspaper from Texas, in their July 3rd edition.

By U.S. Senator John G. Tower

There are many services which our federal government must provide its citizens, but the greatest service of all is to keep its people free.

I believe it is particularly significant that we examine America's strategic strength carefully during this week when we celebrate our Independence Day.

There can be no question but that our nation must maintain its moral and material strength to deter aggression. In our position of free world leadership we are naturally the target of those who seek to destroy the prevailing principles and the foundation of Western society.

In view of the unsettled nature of the world in which we live, it is absolutely essential that the United States maintain a sound financial foundation and a mili-

tary posture superior to that of our potential enemies.

AMERICANS must understand that technological superiority is essential to our continued ability to deter war or to defeat an aggressor, should deterrence fail. And, I very much fear this Independence Day that our present Defense policies are depriving America of that critical superiority.

There is today a lack of effort to achieve and maintain American technical dominance. There has been a failure to acquire and deploy new weapons on a timely basis.

We imperatively require decisions on new weapons—weapons which will maintain for America in the 1970's the military superiority we have enjoyed in the 1960's as a result of vigorous research development and procurement in the 1950's.

Until the 1960's we sought clear-cut American military superiority. Today we appear to accept—even to seek—parity with the Soviet Union. As an Armed Services Committee member this troubles me deeply.

In recent years Defense Department policy has caused our nation's military research to slow down drastically. At the moment, we are coasting along on past achievement and momentum while the Soviets' military research and development program accelerates each year.

In the last seven years there has been not one new start on an advanced strategic or nuclear weapons system. The Minuteman and the Polaris Intercontinental Ballistic Missiles and our strategic bombers—B-52s and B-58s—were all developed in the 1950's.

OUR NATION has been living for too long off the strategic inheritance of the 1950's. By restricting weapon research and development, civilian defense managers have taken a reckless gamble with American security.

In fact, our research and technology effort in Fiscal Year 1968 was about 70 per cent of that of 1964—a critical 30 per cent reduction in just four years.

This trend must not be continued in the face of a dynamic Soviet weapon research program that has grown five-fold in size since 1950 and continues to expand by close to 10 per cent each year.

We all know that a major technological breakthrough could shift the balance of world power irrevocably—yet while the Soviet Union is forging ahead, the U.S. has been leveling off.

Michigan GO guide GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY. Includes a map of the region with various points of interest marked, such as National Music Camp, Interlochen, National Cherry Festival, and Traverse City. Text on the right provides information for the West Michigan Tourist Association.

number of operational, long-range Soviet missiles doubled. They have developed and deployed the world's first missile defense. They have tested and are developing a Fractional Orbital Bombardment System.

THUS, WHILE the United States seems to have settled for nuclear and strategic equality, the dynamic Soviet research program is clearly geared to Communist superiority—American subordination.

Just this week Armed Services Committee Chairman Richard Russell said that for the first time in his long career he could no longer assure the Senate that the U.S. is superior in the field of strategic missiles.

"I think there is grave doubt about it," Senator Russell said. "It is clear to me that if we are to guarantee the security of the United States, then America must have clean-cut strategic superiority over any combination of potential adversaries."

If we are to help keep global peace and to keep our own nation free from Communist pressure

and tyranny, then we must maintain a posture of superior defensive power.

It is clear from history that the Cuban Missile Crisis was resolved because the U.S. had superior strategic power. It is equally clear to me that we are challenged today in Southeast Asia, in the Pueblo incident, and in the continuing Berlin harassment because the Soviet Union feels safe in challenging us.

We require new defense efforts to restore credible strategic superiority. Only when we have and preserve that superiority will Red challenges to world order cease.

Farm Bureau meet Monday

Mrs. Archie Moore was hostess to the Farm Bureau Women's Committee meeting on Monday at her home for a potluck lunch.

Mrs. Oren Semans opened the meeting with Mrs. Shumek leading devotions. Mrs. William Luft gave the secretary's report.

Mrs Semans gave a report on ACWW Day which will be September 5. Mrs. Merl Bymgton gave

a discussion on safety and reported that Sheriff Cliff Porter feels that the sign to denote show moving vehicles was the best thing the Farm Bureau ladies had ever done.

Mrs. Harry Rozman stated that the local candidates will meet in Town House on State Road on July 3. Mrs. LaMont Meier announced that the District Meeting will meet in Byron on October 21 at the Methodist Church.

4-Hers met at Stewart home

The Busy Green Clovers met July 9 at the Raymond Stewart home. The Nimble Fingers Club of St. Johns were visitors and sang a song. Before the meeting the groups played games.

It was decided in the meeting that the Busy Green Clovers would furnish and decorate a litter barrel to be placed in Bannister. Mrs. Donald Beatty and Mrs. Howard Halteman are in charge of the project. Demonstrations were given by Diane Porubsky and Glenn Halteman.

On July 18, the group is to be guests of the 4 Corners Club at a picnic at the colony.

The next business meeting will be August 1 at the Raymond Stewart home.

Advertisement for Whole-House Gas Air Conditioning. Features a cartoon dog named 'HOT DIGGITY DOG!' and a 'SEE YOUR GAS APPLIANCE DEALER' sign. Text describes the benefits of gas air conditioning for hot summer months.

Large advertisement for the 4th of July Celebration. Features the word 'THANKS' in large letters and text expressing appreciation to the people of St. Johns and Clinton County for assuring a successful celebration. Lists participating organizations: ST. JOHNS VOLUNTEER FIREMEN, ROTARY CLUB, and ST. JOHNS JAYCEES.

Wacousta

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

HONORED AT 50th WEDDING

Mr and Mrs Harold A. Locke greeted about 100 guests Sunday when the Locke's were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary at the Wacousta Masonic Temple. Hosting the affair were their son and daughter-in-law Mr and Mrs Donald Locke of Wacousta and their daughter, Mrs Edward Junak of Grand Junction, Colo. Mrs Ira Billinger had charge of the guest book. Mrs Carl Miller, Mrs Leo Szaslanski and Mrs Clyde Coreyell attended at the serving table.

Neighborhood Society will meet today for a 12:30 picnic at Looking Glass Valley Park.

The Mary Martha Circle will meet next Wednesday evening at 7:30 with Mrs Charles Avery on Bauer Road, Mrs R. V. Henretty will give devotions. Program is in charge of Jo Knepper.

The Adult Fellowship Class of the Wacousta Community United

Methodist Church will meet July 28, for a 1:00 p.m. potluck at the James O'Bryan cottage on Rainbow Lake.

Waterdown Charter Township Board attended a special meeting at DeWitt Monday evening. The Board is very appreciative to the farmers and residents of Waterdown Township who have trimmed the grass along the roadside for the safety of themselves and their fellow men. The Township Board has also negotiated a new five-year contract with Grand Ledge fire department. Remember and get your burning permit by calling, before you start that fire.

Cathy Wisniewski, eight year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Andy Wisniewski underwent surgery Friday at St. Lawrence Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd McDonough and family of Big Rapids spent the weekend with Mr and Mrs Howard McDonough.

Mrs Harry Filss and son, John of Wilton Junction, Iowa, spent last week with her brother, Loyal Chamberlin and family.

Several young people of the Wacousta Church M.Y.F. spent the weekend on a canoe trip.

Mr and Mrs Lester Garlock Sr. and Lloyd attended a 25th birthday party and dinner Saturday honoring Lester Garlock Jr. given by his wife Mrs Lester Garlock Jr. in Grand Ledge.

Floyd Donald Slocum S.T.S.2 (SS) son of Mr and Mrs Floyd Slocum of Herbiuson Road home on a 28-day leave from the U.S. Naval Submarine Base New London, Connecticut. Floyd is a second class senior Technician aboard the Fleet Ballistic Missile Submarine, USS Theodore Roosevelt.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Disbrow spent the weekend with their son, Pvt. James Disbrow at Fort Knox, Ky.

Mr and Mrs Edward Kraft were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Leland Wendel and family at their cottage at Crystal Lake.

Mr and Mrs Jerry Ginnell and family of Maryland are visiting their parents, Mr and Mrs Paul

Buck and family. All the Dennis family had a get-together Sunday at Crystal Lake.

Mr and Mrs Gilbert Clark and son George and Mrs Nettie Haskell all of Lansing, were Wednesday evening guests of Mr and Mrs Gary Clark.

Mr and Mrs Carl Beagle of Bath were Sunday visitors at the Earl Beagle home.

Mrs Hobart Page, Mrs Forrest Shipman and Mrs Ed Kraft were business visitors in Grand Rapids Monday afternoon.

The Jay Fuday's called on Veon Fuday in Grand Rapids Hospital Sunday. He is much improved.

Will pollution be way of life?

"Within 10 years we'll have to adopt new waste water treatment methods or else accept pollution as a way of life," warns Dr Niles Kevern, assistant director of the Institute of Water Research at Michigan State University.

"The routine sewage treatment, common to most large communities, only partially corrects our pollution problem," says Kevern, "and the many small communities which have no waste treatment at all make the problem disgraceful."

NUTRIENT elements slip through the primary and secondary treatments which many of our towns and cities now use. Primary treatment settles out the solid material, and secondary treatment breaks down organic matter. Most of the dissolved materials such as phosphorus and nitrogen compounds escape removal and end up "over-fertilizing" our waterways.

"Southern Michigan lakes are particularly over-fertilized, and we see the effects at this time of year," asserts Kevern.

"Algae and waterweeds grow profusely with fertilization by septic tank drainage and incomplete sewage treatment. Water intake pipes get clogged, the weeds decay and smell, and swimming and fishing are hampered."

SEPTIC TANK leakage and other incomplete human waste treatment methods also benefit disease-carrying bacteria. This contaminates the water for drinking or swimming.

"The ideal way to alleviate these problems is to develop a method which doesn't use our waterways to disseminate wastes," the MSU professor points out.

"On a more practical vein," adds Kevern, "there are methods available at some cost to remove

DeWitt

By Virginia Ackerman

Miss Sharje Cressman flew to Manhattan, Kan., Wednesday night, July 3, to spend a weekend with friends, Spec. 5 John and Carol (Pinkney) Harris at Ft. Riley. She returned to her rural DeWitt home on Sunday.

Janet Mesina of Hawaii is the house guest of Dee Ballard for two weeks. They toured northern Michigan and Mackinaw Island the week of July 7th.

Mrs Roy Decker is at E.W. Sparrow Hospital, Room 823. Mr and Mrs Lynn Hobbs, Robin and Lori spent the weekend at Kaleva with Mr and Mrs Edward Martella.

The DeWitt Brownles and leaders spent the week at Day Camp at Stoney Creek.

troublesome nutrient compounds."

The Institute of Water Research at MSU is now planning studies on waste treatment methods involving both physical and biological systems which will remove these nutrients.

Mrs Agnes Reust, Mrs Cecelia Miller and Dolores Miller spent the weekend in Huntington, Ind., where they attended their cousin's wedding.

Mr and Mrs Edward Dinsbler and family are vacationing this week at Platte Lake near Traverse City.

Leo Spayde, a former resident of DeWitt, is in St. Lukes Hospital, Saginaw, Room 301, recuperating from surgery.

Mr and Mrs Woodrow Armstrong and boys spent last week in LaCenter, Ky., visiting relatives.

Mr and Mrs Russell Janz spent Saturday and Sunday in Harrison with Mr and Mrs William Walker.

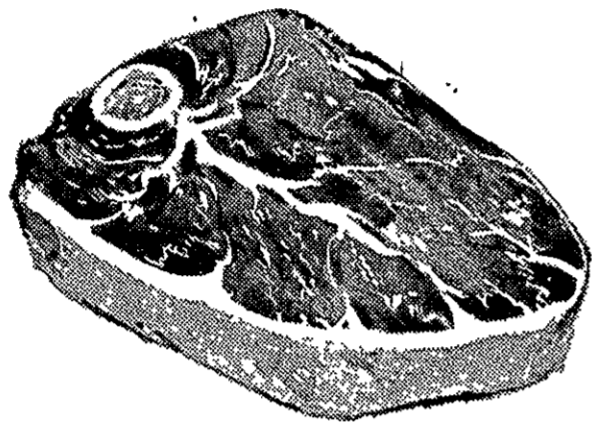
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HAM SLICES CENTER CUT lb. **89¢**

SLICED TENDER

BEEF LIVER lb. **39¢**

BOSTON BUTT

PORK ROAST lb. **59¢**

TABLETTE

SKINLESS FRANKS lb. **59¢**

FRESH GRADE A

FRYER HALVES lb. **39¢**

FRESH GRADE A

FRYER LEGS lb. **59¢**

FRESH GRADE A (with Ribs attached)

FRYER BREASTS lb. **59¢**

ECKRICH

SMOKY-LINKS net 10-oz. Package **69¢**

FARMER PEET'S

RING BOLOGNA lb. **59¢**

OMSTEAD BATTERED & COOKED

LAKE PERCH FILLETS lb. **79¢**

DEL MONTE CATSUP 1-Pint 4-oz. Btl. **25¢**

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WESSON COOKING OIL 1-Pint 8-oz. Btl. **39¢**

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