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Deny request for landfill

DEWITT TWP - The DeWitt Township Board Monday voted to deny Metropolitan Land Fill and Recycling Corporation from building a sanitary landfill site on industrial property located on State Road between Chandler and Wood Roads.

It was the consensus of both Board members and members of the Planning Commission that there wasn't a need for a landfill site there, that a landfill site was not the best possible use for the land, since it was good agricultural land and not enough information was presented to either the commission or the board so the board could give the final OK.

The site, located in Section 35 of DeWitt Township is about a mile and a half north of another landfill site operated by Granger Container Service, located on Paulson Road in Lansing.

The proposed site on State would cover an area of 120 acres and have a life expectancy of 15 to 25 years.

A 6-foot cyclone fence would protect it along State Road while a 4-foot field fence would surround the rest of the perimeter.

A 100-foot border would separate the site from the fence except along the railroad tracks where a 50-foot boundary would exist.

Howard Angell is the president of Metropolitan Land Fill and Recycling Corporation which, however, is not listed in state records as a corporation.

The study of the proposed site was made by Thomas A. Handyside and Associates of Mt. Clemens who in a partial study said that the proposed site was feasible for supporting a land fill.

According to Handyside's report for the board of July 1974, the daily waste load (pounds per day) would be 1,337,000 pounds of refuse, 41% of that figure coming from DeWitt Township.

It is estimated 131 trucks a day would have used the site. A paper baler and tire shredder would be located at the site. Only covered trucks would be permitted to dump and private individuals without a license or uncovered trucks would be turned away, according to Handyside.

The citizens of the township at the meeting were opposed to the prospect of having a landfill near them. As one resident who lived across the street from the site stated, "I don't want some dump across the street from me!" When asked why such a site was necessary since another landfill existed just a mile and a half south of there, Handyside replied, "It's a private enterprise, not funded by the township. It's the same as a McDonald and a Burger King right next to each other. If you don't like the service of one, you go to another."

Bruce Love, who operates Granger Container Service, said that Mid-Michigan is in need of more landfill sites but that Lansing was fortunate in having more than enough.

Love's site on Paulson Road has 17 years life left and the other one that he operates on Grand River in Lansing has 20 years of life left, according to the Ingham County Department of Public Works who had a study conducted by Johnson and Anderson for the County.

Love said "No feasible study was made by Handyside." Love also stated there was no

need for another site in the area since he had slowed down operations at his Paulson Road location because there wasn't enough business.

The Planning Commission rejected the proposal at their special meeting July 18 because they felt that insufficient material was presented, not justifying a need for the site.

The Township Board voted 6 ayes and 1 abstention to deny Angell the OK to construct the site. Before the vote, Supervisor Dale Emerson had asked Howard Angell's representative, Handyside if the Board could table it to a later date. Handyside said no, he felt his client wanted either a yes or no that night.

Trustee Jack Kzeski Jr. commented later on why he voted in favor of denying Angell the right to develop his landfill site. "Basically insufficient documentation to show a need or sufficient information to support this kind of operation."



Sidewalk Sales come to St Johns next week, Thursday and Friday and the scene will be much like this as area residents take advantage of the mid-summer Sidewalk Specials by St Johns businesses.

It's Sidewalk Sale time

ST JOHNS - Summer shopping fun is in store for St Johns area shoppers Aug 1-2 when the St Johns Chamber of Commerce sponsors the Annual Sidewalk Sales. Sidewalk bargains will be offered by downtown merchants throughout the 2-day mid-summer sale celebration.

Friday accident fatal

ITHACA - A DeWitt man was killed July 19 and another DeWitt resident was injured in an accident on US-27 south of Ithaca.

Fatally injured was Ford Harvard Schavey, 57, 207 Wilson St, who was employed as bus superintendent with the DeWitt Public Schools.

Listed in fair condition at Gratiot Community Hospital is James Ritchie, 52, 210 Madison, superintendent of DeWitt Schools.

According to State Police reports, Ritchie attempted to avoid a car that reportedly was driven into his path on US-27 from Buchanan Rd.

Schavey was a passenger in the Ritchie car, which rolled over after leaving the road and going into the median.

Schavey was pronounced dead on arrival at Gratiot Community Hospital, due to a fractured neck and fractured skull.

The hospital reported Tuesday that Ritchie was in fair condition.

Driver of the other auto was Ruth Ann Cooley, 325 S. Pine St, Ithaca.

The accident is still under investigation.

Treasurer lists Revenue Sharing uses

The following is an account of Clinton County Federal Revenue Sharing monies and how they were spent during the period from July 1, 1973 thru June 30, 1974.

Balance as of June 30, 1973	\$113,900.75
Amount received during period	247,797.00
Interest earned	8,461.71
Total	\$370,059.46

According to County Treasurer, Velma Beaufore, these monies were voted by the County Commissioners to be used as follows:

The County Road Commission will use \$100,000 for seven mile map program for resurfacing primary roads.

The Sheriff Department received \$68,788.00 for extra men and patrol cars, \$2,500 for Metro Squad and \$14,416 for remodeling the jail.

A total of \$113,870.43 was spent on the purchase of the Hoag property for District Court Building, \$59,000 on the new heating and air conditioning of the old part of the Court House with the balance to be paid out next period.

There is a balance on hand as of June 30, 1974, of \$12,505.03.

Last session for swimming lessons

ST JOHNS - The last session of swimming lessons at the St Johns Pool this summer begins July 29.

The session runs through Aug 9 and will include lessons for beginning, intermediate and advance skills.

Also offered are semi-private lessons, with no more than 3 children per instructor.

The pool has open swimming hours Monday through Saturday from 2:30-5 pm, Monday through Friday at 7-8:45 pm and Sunday from 2-5:30 pm.

Family night is Saturday from 7-8:45. The family night charge is \$1 for the entire family.

The pool is also available for rental to groups. The pool telephone number is 224-6660.

DeWitt Twp approves \$6 million project

DEWITT TWP - Growth is again coming to DeWitt Township, this time on Herbison Road at Airport where James W. Fox and Associates will build Looking Glass Meadows, a complex involving single dwellings, townhouses, apartments, recreational and professional buildings. The DeWitt Township Board approved the \$6 million project at their Board meeting last Monday.

Included in this project is a nine hole golf course, tennis court, pool and a picnic area along the Looking Glass River off Herbison Road. There is also a one-acre lake located on the property which is owned now by James W. Fox & Associates.

The project will bring more business into the community since the plans call for a professional plaza (i.e. Drug Store, doctors, dentists, etc.), restaurant, a bank and a small grocery store.

Looking Glass Meadows will encompass 67 acres along the Looking Glass River. It'll contain 274 units, including five single dwellings, 77 Townhouse Units and 192 Garden Apartments. The project will take five years to complete at the cost of six million dollars.



Over 40 participants competed in the Double M 4-H Club Horse Show at the home of the Double M leader, Lela Clark. Those entered included persons from Clinton County.

Assessors' Association criticizes action by DeWitt Twp

ST JOHNS - In a letter to the editor to the Clinton County News and the Lansing State Journal, the Clinton County Association of Assessors have criticized DeWitt Twp for action concerning an appeal of county equalization.

The letter personally criticizes, although not naming, the DeWitt Twp supervisor, Dale Emerson.

The letter states in part "... in 1973 a new supervisor in DeWitt Twp took over the duties in that township. Three and a half months after he was elected to that position, he decided the entire county, excepting his township, was underassessed. So against the advice of his peers he appealed the county equalization to the State Tax Commission, although DeWitt Twp did not receive a factor at that time.

"As a result the State Tax Commission came into the county and made a partial study and the result was the State Tax Commission imposed on every unit in the county, including DeWitt Twp, a uniform 10% factor."

The letter is printed on Page 2A of this week's County News.

Primary Preview

The County News profiles

Aug 6 Primary candidates

See next weeks' issue

COMING NEXT THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

Aug 1-2

SIDEWALK SALE IN ST JOHNS

Sponsored By St Johns Area Chamber of Commerce

DeWitt Twp meets Monday

DEWITT -- The DeWitt Township Board met last Monday at its regular meeting, beginning at 8:00 pm. The first item of business involved a proposed Land Fill site on State Road. Howard Angell, who wanted to construct the Sanitary Land Fill, was denied by the Board. See related article on front page.

COMMITTEE REPORTS
The Fire Committee reported the Fire Department had \$78.91 in expenses for the month of June.

A new fountain has been added to the Valley Farms Park which is located just east of the DeWitt Township Hall, according to the Parks Committee Report. At present, the township is looking for a minimum of 5 acres for a park within the area of US 27, State, Sheridan and Turner Roads. A possible location on the northwest corner of State and Turner was rejected.

The Transportation Committee asked the Board to send a letter to the County Road Commission, asking the county to place a road closed sign on Stoll Road, closing the area between DeWitt Road and US 27.

Two new full time law officers may be coming to DeWitt Twp. The Board moved to hire Dennis Bonjour and Gary Richardson as the two new policemen Aug 1 pending if final contract with the county. The township is requesting \$18,500 for the project. The money is granted to the county from the federal government which is being divided up for the different townships which need more police officers.

LOOKING GLASS MEADOWS
The Township Board approved the Looking Glass Meadows project, a land development program on Herbyson Road bordering Airport Road. See related article. The meeting adjourned at 10:55 pm.



Refreshments and a tour of the new office was the order of the day as Allaby-Brewbaker Insurance held an open house at their Clinton Ave location.



Clinton County Sheriff Anthony Hufnagel (right) tries out the new slide projector purchased for the Sheriff's Dept by the Sheriff's Posse and presented to the department by Dick Noble (left) secretary-treasurer of the Posse. The projector will be used to present slide-tape educational programs to schools, businesses and civic groups in the county. Eight programs pertaining to the public about law enforcement have recently been purchased by the department with federal grant money.

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TO THE EDITOR

Assessors criticize township action

Dear Editor:
We believe the time has come to make it clear to the tax payers of Clinton County why they will be paying additional taxes for the years 1973 and 1974.

In 1969 an Association of Assessors was formed, and all assessors in the county joined the association making 18 members. This was very successful as a means of communicating common problems in assessments, procedures and keeping all units on a uniform level of assessment.

However, in 1973 a new supervisor in DeWitt Township took over the duties in that township. Three and a half months after he was elected to that position he decided that the entire county, excepting his township, was underassessed. So against the advice of his peers he appealed the county equalization to the State Tax Commission although DeWitt Township did not receive a factor at that time.

As a result the State Tax Commission came into the county and made a partial study and the result was that the State Tax Commission imposed on every unit in the county, including DeWitt Township, a uniform 10% factor. This is not the total picture. The final results of the 1973 DeWitt Township appeal are not known at this time. But the preliminary reports of the State Tax Commission indicate that it will be necessary to spread yet another tax retroactive on the 1973 valuations which will include all units in the county.

The increase in 1974 totals approximately 20 million dollars on real property in Clinton County. Multiply that by our average millage and it is a lot of tax dollars.

This action was in no way endorsed or encouraged by the Clinton County Association of Assessors. In fact, we were very much against it and have tried on many occasions to get DeWitt Township to withdraw its Appeal which it can do up to the time the study is completed and a hearing is held.

We trust that this will help clarify the current millage situation in your minds. For further information contact your supervisor or the assessor in your unit.

Very truly yours,
CLINTON COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF ASSESSORS

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John Fox runs for 88th office

ST JOHNS - John A. Fox, whose resignation as plant manager of Federal Mogul was announced last week, is a late entry into the contest for State Representative in the 88th district as a Republican candidate.

Fox indicated he feels a responsibility to become more directly involved in the affairs of this district.

"The steady increase in the numbers of people that are on government payrolls and must be supported by our tax dollars is a matter of concern for all of us," he said.

Fox, 46, has spent his last 18 years with Federal Mogul. He has been plant manager for the last 10 years in various locations from California to Massachusetts.

He and his wife Shirley, together with 4 teenage children, reside on the family homestead farm southeast of Fowler. Members of Holy Trinity Parish in Fowler, Fox is a member of the Ushers Club and vice-chairman of the Parish Council.

He is a Farm Bureau member, belongs to the St. Johns Industrial Association is a director of Clinton National Bank, and a Korean War veteran.

Fox is a graduate of Fowler High School and received a degree in business administration from Michigan State University in 1956.

"It is essential that government officials become much more responsible with the use of hard earned taxpayers money," he said. "I believe many citizens are challenging the misallocation of welfare funds, trips by state officials to resort areas at tax payers expense, and the general trend of give-



John Fox

away programs that tend to promise something for everybody, all paid for by our tax dollars."

"Problems relating to misuse of drugs, pornography, abortion, crime and leniency for criminals, are signs of a lack of moral and religious orientation. The importance of returning to the basic religious beliefs of the God fearing men who founded our country is evident," Fox stated.

"The problems facing this state and the country will certainly challenge the talents of our elected officials and all responsible citizens in the years to follow."

"I feel a responsibility to become much more directly involved in attempting to reverse the trend of irresponsible spending and waste of tax dollars in state government," Fox indicated he was not accepting any monetary contributions for his primary campaign, and hoped to get his views across by open discussions at club meetings and radio interviews with other candidates on a face to face basis.



Taking on members of local police departments in the recent Carnival Bowl Slow-pitch Softball Game were these local youth (front, from left) Mike Brown (umpire), James Lynch, Tim Fox, Fred Samiguel, Kevin Hayes, Rick Flegel, (rear, from left) Mike Gros, "Lumpy" Lumbert, Mike Sipkovsky, Bob Green, Dean Elster and Levi Flermoen.



Representing the police in the recent Carnival Bowl between police agency players and local youth were (from left) Ben Swanchara, Jack Plowman, Gale Anderson, Fred Corson, Robin Baker, Anthony Hufnagel, Mike Winn, Randy Humphrey, Paul St. John, George Weber, Jeff Geller and Mon Mizer.

Allen sponsors barbecues

Those looking for a little uncomplicated fun in politics, are being offered some by a state Senate candidate.

State Senate campaigner Dick Allen has scheduled a series of 5 old fashioned farm barbecues throughout the 30th District, which spreads into Ingham, Eaton, Clinton, Shiawassee, Jackson and Calhoun counties.

There will be one barbecue each evening in a different location from Thursday, Aug 1 through Monday, Aug 5.

Allen said the cost would be low, visitors would feast on fresh farm products, enjoy live music and be encouraged to have as much fun as possible. The candidate even promised to try to restrain himself from excessive oratory.

"We're going to feature steak and hamburger from steers raised on the Allen farm near Ithaca. The rest of the meal will consist of fresh vegetables from neighboring farms," Allen explained. "We'll just try to recover basic costs by charging only \$5.00 for a steak dinner, \$2.50 for a hamburger dinner, and the kids under 12 will eat for just \$1.00. It's not a fund raiser - it's a fun raiser."

Fowler

Mrs Gladys Trey and Mrs Betty Goodman of Lansing spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs Lula Boak.

Mrs Madge Underwood of Maple Rapids and Mrs Opal Miller returned home Saturday from a bus tour around Lake Missouri.

Mr and Mrs Edmond Thelen and family of Lansing and Mrs Cecelia Thelen spent the weekend at their cottage at Horsehead Lake.

"I guess, however, we'll have to list the steers on my campaign finance report, since they've made the ultimate 'in kind' contribution to my election effort," he added.

Here's the schedule for the Allen old fashioned farm barbecues:

THURSDAY, AUG 1 at Wynalda's in Eaton County, one mile east of I-96 on Saginaw (M-43)

FRIDAY, AUG 2 Livingston Farm, US 27 north of St. Johns in Clinton County

SATURDAY, AUG 3 Allen Farm US 27, two miles north of Ithaca at the Polk Road exit in Gratiot County

SUNDAY, AUG 4 Diehl Farm in Ingham County, two blocks north of Dansville's main corners

MONDAY, AUG 5 Bentley Park on M 52 at Owosso in Shiawassee County

Allen said food would be served from 6 pm to 10 pm each night except Sunday, when the feast would be on from 4 pm to 9 pm. He emphasized that it is welcome to any of the events so that if the closest barbecue is on an inconvenient night, pack the family in the car and drive a few miles to one of the other locations. Allen also invited candidates for other areas of files to attend and participate.

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Family and Society

Ferden - Cooper united

ST. JOHNS - On July 6 Jeanne Ferden, daughter of Mr and Mrs Clarence Schultz of St Johns and Mr Francis Ferden of Ovid, became the bride of Omar Cooper, son of Mr and Mrs Minor Cooper of Newport, Ky. Rev. Joseph Eger performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with white and yellow roses.

The bride chose a floor length A-line gown of antique satin. It was styled with a rounded neckline and short sleeves and accented with medallion lace. She also wore her great-grandmother's antique gold bracelet. Her cathedral length veil was secured by a camelot crown also trimmed with medallion lace, and she carried a bouquet of yellow roses and

ivy. The bridal gown and veil were designed and made by Mrs Sue Ann Shinaberry.

Delene Ferden, sister of the bride attended as maid of honor. She wore a floor length empire waisted gown of mint green with small cap sleeves trimmed in granny lace. For her headpiece she wore a contrasting green bow and carried a nosegay of white rosebuds.

The bride's mother wore a floor length gown of turquoise and had a corsage of red roses and mums.

Attending as best man was Francis Ferden, II, brother of the bride. Robert, Erik, and Kurt Ferden, all brothers of the bride, seated the guests.

A reception for 250 guests was

held at the Fowler Conservation Club. Serving were Joan Schultz, Deb Ferden, Beth Schultz, Delene Ferden, Linda Woodhams, and Sue Shinaberry. Host and hostess were Mr and Mrs Robert Shinaberry.

Special guests included Mr and Mrs Grove Mitchell, great grandparents of the bride, Mr and Mrs Clarence Mitchell and Mrs Bethel Schultz.

Following a honeymoon to Houghton Lake the couple will reside at 104 1/2 W Lincoln, St Johns.

The bride is a graduate of St Johns High School and is attending Mid-Mich Comm College, Alma. Her husband is a graduate of Newport High School, Ky.



MR AND MRS OMAR COOPER

Francine VanAmburg weds Robert Garcia

ST. JOHNS - On June 15 Francine Marie VanAmburg, daughter of Mrs Jean VanAmburg, 806 N Clinton, St Johns, became the bride of Robert Garcia, son of Mrs San Juana Garcia, 343 E High St. Ovid. The Rev Fr Joseph Aubin performed the double-ring ceremony at the Holy Family Church, Ovid. Music was provided by organist Ruth Flegel and Fifi Garcia was soloist.

For her wedding gown the bride chose an old tradition wedding gown. It featured a square lace neckline with a full lace skirt and long sleeves. For her veil she chose a chapel length mantilla edged in lace matching her dress secured in place by a beaded crown. Red roses with pink carnations made up her bouquet.

Lois Ellard attended as her matron of honor. Vickie VanAmburg attended as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Francis Zuniga, Eva Zuniga, Susie Massey, and Mary Dickenson Jr bridesmaids were Adelita Zuniga and Becky Guerrero. Pebbles Zuniga, the groom's niece, and Tracy Dickenson, the bride's niece, were flower girls. Ronbin Zuniga, nephew of the groom was ring bearer.

The attendants wore gowns featuring stand-up collars, V-neckline and long sleeves. The maid of honor was dressed in white, while the bridesmaids wore identical gowns of light blue. Their headpieces were made by the groom's sister, Rebecca Garcia. They were trimmed in flowers with blue streamers. All carried bouquets of white and blue daisies with dark blue streamers.

Serving as best man was Rudy Garcia, the groom's brother. David Zuniga, Cecilio Zuniga, Pat Massey and Duane Dickenson were groomsmen. Todd VanAmburg and Andy Guerrero were Jr groomsmen. Richard Garcia, Edward Garcia, both brothers of the groom, and Jan VanAmburg, brother of the bride, seated the guests.

Mrs VanAmburg chose a 3-piece suit for the wedding. Mrs Garcia chose a long salmon dress. Both were presented corsages of carnations.

Following a dinner for 200 guests at the IOOF Hall, a reception was held at the Slovak Hall in Bannister for 500 guests. Serving were Vi Massey, Katu Petrick, Elna Cockrum, Camille Dara, Mary Kerner, Janet Garcia. The wedding cake, which was made by the groom's sister, Rebecca Garcia, was cut by Rebecca Garcia and Carol Feldpausch. Christine Roldan, sister of the groom, was in charge of the guest book. Guests present at the wedding and reception were from Ohio, Wis., Ill., Ind., Detroit, Grand Rapids, and northern Mich.

Special guest was Mrs Iva Cramer, grandmother of the bride.

The bride, a 1966 graduate of Rodney B. Wilson High School.

is employed as a secretary at the St Johns Egg Station. Her husband is a 1958 graduate of Elsie High School and is also employed by the St Johns Egg Station.

Upon their return from a wedding trip to the Upper Peninsula, they will reside at 409 E. Pearl, Ovid.



MR AND MRS ROBERT GARCIA

Ridley on Dean's List

ADRIAN - Randall Ridley, 141 W. Front St. Ovid, has been named to the Adrian College Dean's List for the 1973-74 spring semester. Ridley is a senior psychology

major. To be named to the Dean's List, a student must have maintained a 3.25 (B+) average on the basis of at least 14 credit hours.

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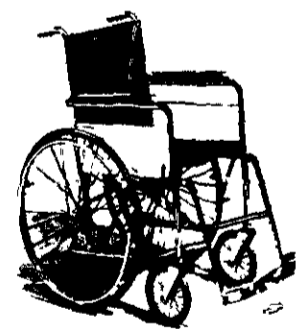


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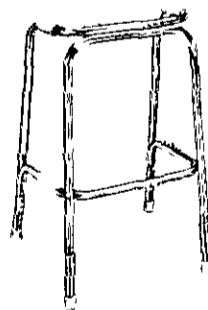
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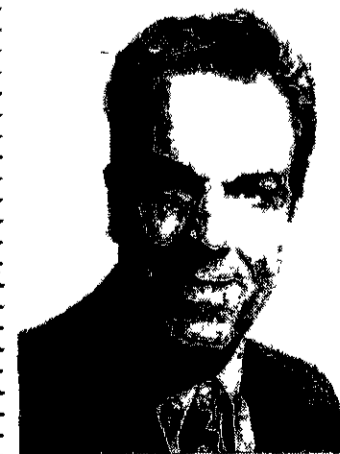
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Pewamo

25th Anniversary
Relatives, friends, neighbors and family gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs Thomas F Weber at 406 West Jefferson St, Pewamo, Saturday evening, July 20, 1974, honoring the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Thomas F Weber. Mr and Mrs Thomas F Weber were married June 5, 1949. Hosting the event were their children.

Mr and Mrs Raymond A (Sue) Darling, Sandy, Linda, Brenda, Sally, Thomas and Michael. Punch and a luncheon including a large anniversary cake was served to the guests. Cards were in play. The couple received many gifts and gifts of money.
Sgt William Pung spent the past year in Thailand is home for a 30-day furlough. Mr and

Mrs Pung spent Wednesday, July 17, with their grandmother, Mrs Pauline Cook. They will soon leave to spend the remaining term of enlistment at the Air Force Base in Dover, Delaware.

Pewamo friends of Mrs Eloise Pease 63 were present at the funeral services at the Congregational Church in St Johns Saturday, July 20, at 1:30 pm. Mrs Pease passed away at her home early Thursday morning. Interment was in Mount Rest Cemetery, St Johns Rev Averill Carson officiating. Mr and Mrs Edward Ladiski and Mrs Dorothy Heckman spent a few days at Higgins Lake during the past week.

Weekend guest of Mr and Mrs David Parks and family July 12-14 was their mother, Mrs Dorothy Parks. On Sunday, July 13, they went to Grand Haven for a picnic and swimming.

Announce birth

A girl, Jennifer Jo, was born to Mr and Mrs Peter Alley of Rt 3 St Johns, Mi 7-874 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs 10 ozs. The baby has 1 brother and 1 sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Carl Ebright, Mr and Mrs Hugh Alley. The mother is the former Pamela Ebright.

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Kim Sanford weds Joseph Leavitt

ST. JOHNS - The First Baptist Church of St Johns was the setting of the June 23 wedding of Kimberly Sanford, daughter of Mr and Mrs Norman Sanford, and Joseph Leavitt, son of Mr Kenneth Leavitt and Mrs Carol Ostrander.

The bride chose a floor length white satin dress with chiffon sleeves and overskirt. Her head dress was a white picture hat with a floor length veil trimmed with lace.

The maid of honor, Evelyn Summer, and the attendants, Connie Hofnagel, Jenny Cleland and Belinda Mudget, wore long lavender dresses trimmed in lavender and white lace, and white picture hats.

The flower girl, Velvet Atkinson, niece of the bride, wore a gown identical to the bride's.

Attending as best man was Stacey Wilkinson, Groomsman were Gregg Leavitt, Joe Helmka and Mitchell Sanford. Doris Losnak played the organ while Charlotte Dennis, aunt of the bride, sang the Lord's Prayer and Whither Thou Goest.

Special guests were Verna Leavitt, grandmother of the groom, Mr and Mrs Paul Lewis, and Mrs O D Sanford, grandparents of the bride. Andre Sanford and Rick Atkinson, cousins of the bride, seated the guests. A buffet supper was served to



25th anniversary

Mr and Mrs Ernest Keener of DeWitt celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at an open house given by their children, Curtis and Susan, Tom and Deb, and Cindy and Ted, at the Wayside Chapel Church on July 13, 1974.

Pewamo

Mrs Ethel Gee was a Sunday dinner guest of her grandmother, Mrs Estella Schaffer Paul and Eric Simon of Lansing are spending this week with Mrs Estella Schaffer, their

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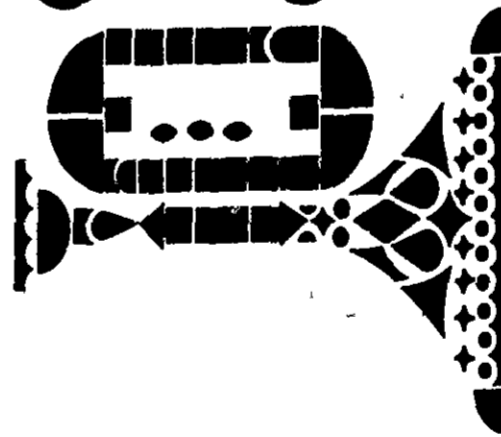
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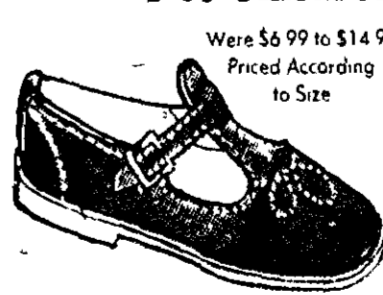
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FOWLER - Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church provided the setting for the June 22 wedding uniting Rose Klein, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Klein, 11128 W 2nd St, and Neil Hafner, son of Mr and Mrs Joseph Hafner, 812 S Main. Rev Fr Albert Schmitt performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with white glads and lavender and yellow mums and carnations. Bernita Halfmann provided music for the occasion.

The bride chose a princess style gown of white organza over taffeta and featuring a high collar, sheer yolk bodice and fitted bishop sleeves. She wore a chapel length mantilla veil secured by a camelot headpiece and carried a cascade bouquet of white mums and carnations, pink roses and lavender baby's breath.

Monica Klein of Fowler attended as her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mary and Lucy Klein, both sister's of the bride, and Rita Koenigs-knecht of Fowler. Flower girl was Jill Plowman, niece of the bride, also of Fowler.

The attendants wore high-waisted floor length gowns of lilac flowered sheer nylon over lilac acetate featuring stand-up

collars, fitted bishop sleeves and white lace boleros. They carried bouquets of yellow and white carnations and mums accented with lavender baby's breath.

The bride's mother wore an aqua floor-length gown with chiffon sleeves and she had a lavender orchid corsage. The groom's mother wore a pink floor-length gown of chiffon crepe and also had a lavender orchid corsage.

Richard Pohl of Portland, brother-in-law of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were Jake and Bill Klein, brothers of the bride and Bob Hafner, cousin of the groom. Ushers were Larry Koenigs-knecht and Mark Armbrustmacher.

A reception for 300 guests was held at the Fowler Conservation Club. Serving were Diane Koenigs-knecht, Rita Simon, Mary Ann White, Ruth Goerge and Mary Jo Duffy.

Special guests included Mr and Mrs William Rademacher, grandparents of the groom.

Following a trip to the Upper Peninsula and Canada, the couple will reside at R2, Grange Rd, Fowler.

Both the bride and groom are 1958 graduates of Fowler High School. The bride is also a 1972 graduate of CMU.



MRS NEIL HAFNER

Summer engagements



DIANE GUST

EUREKA - Mr and Mrs L. Hubert Lewis, 7615 Welling Rd, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean Lavonne, to David Edward Bushre, son of Mrs Ethel Bushre, 8008 N Welling Rd, Eureka.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Rodney B Wilson High School and Butterworth Hospital School of Nursing in Grand Rapids. Her fiancé is also a graduate of Rodney B Wilson High and is employed by Sealed Power, Corp. He was in the US Air Force for 4 years.

A Sept 28 wedding is planned by the couple.



JEAN LEWIS

St Johns grad accepted at Law School

John B Salemi, son of Mr and Mrs Robert J. Dianda, former residents of St. Johns, has been accepted at the University of San Francisco Law School and will begin his studies there this August.

He has his B A degree from Western Michigan University at Kalamazoo and graduated from St. Johns High School in 1968.

Pewamo

The William Steinke Memorial Scholarship Fund Play, "Your a Good Man Charlie Brown" will be presented on Aug 2-3 and Aug 9-10 at the Pewamo, Elementary School, curtain time 8:00 pm.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Act 261, Sec. 3, Public Acts of 1968, State of Michigan, notice is hereby given of the schedule of regular meetings for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1974.

By action of the Board of Education of the St. Johns Public Schools of Clinton and Gratiot Counties regular meetings will be held on the second Wednesday of each Calendar month. Such meetings to be held in the office of the Superintendent of Schools, located in the district administrative office.

The time of meetings will be 7:30 p.m. during the months of November through April and that during May through October the time of the meeting will be 8:00 p.m.

The schedule of the regular meeting dates are as follows:

August 14, 1974	February 12, 1975
September 11, 1974	March 12, 1975
October 9, 1974	April 9, 1975
November 13, 1974	May 14, 1975
December 11, 1974	June 11, 1975
January 8, 1975	

Fred G. Meyer
Secretary, Board of Education

BIRTHS

A girl, Wendy Jo, was born to Mr and Mrs Gary Chartrand of Pewamo, July 14, 1974 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 3 lbs 8 oz. The baby has 1 brother. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Louis Werner and Mr and Mrs Raymond Chartrand. The mother is the former Marlene Werner.

A girl, Tara Renae, was born to Mr and Mrs Michael Bertram of Fowler, July 12 at Carson City Hospital. She weighed 6 lbs 13 oz. The baby has 1 brother and 2 sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Gerald Ratzlaw and Mr and Mrs Alfred Bertram. The mother is the former Dorothy Pohl.

A girl, Kay Lynn, was born to Mr and Mrs Richard Van Ellis of Rt 2 St Johns, June 30, 1974 at Carson City Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs 2 oz. The baby has 6 brothers and 4 sisters. Grandparents are Mrs Eleanor Van Ellis of St Johns and Mr and Mrs Louis Schmitt of Fowler. The mother is the former Rose Schmitt.



LINDA MYERS

ST. JOHNS - Mr and Mrs Darwin Myers of 535 Vancouver St, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Mardel, to Robert Lyle Monnet, son of Mr and Mrs Norman Monnet of 1002 E Cass St. Miss Myers is a 1974 graduate of St. Johns High School and is employed by Kfingers. Her fiancé is a 1973 graduate of St. Johns High School and is an Airman in the US Air Force. No wedding date has been set by the couple.

Coming Events

JULY 28 Pancake, sausage, bacon and egg breakfast at VFW Post 1735 in Perrinton. Sponsored by the auxiliary from 8-12. Drawing for 17 jewel watch.

JULY 31 - The Lebanon Ladies Aid will meet at the St. Johns City Park for their monthly meeting. Potluck dinner will be served at noon. Furnish table service and a dish to pass.

AUG 1 - The annual meeting of Union Home Cemetery Association will be Aug 1 at 1:30 pm at the Thelma Costello residence on S Gratiot County Line Rd. All interested persons are invited to attend.

AUGUST 5 - Sandwiches and ice cream social from 5 to 7:30 sponsored by auxiliary to VFW Post 1735 at Perrinton. Bake sale too.

We wish to thank the following people for their donations to our horse show. They helped make it a success.

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Tennis tournament draws 62 competitors

ST. JOHNS - Sixty-two persons competed in the St. Johns City Recreation Dept. Tennis Tournament July 20-21.

Winner of the 30 and under competition is Dennis Mapes, with Joe Farr runner-up. Mapes took the championship match 6-2, 6-4.

Kevin Knight was the winner in the 20 and under competition defeating runner-up Bob Halmo 6-1, 2-6, 6-3.

In the boys, 14 and over Tim Hallman took top honors, defeating runner-up Dave Hamilton 4-6, 7-6, 6-3.

Rachel Edgenger was the women's 21 and over winner (6-1, 6-0) with Terry Mauro finishing in the runner-up spot.

Lauri Springer was the winner in the women's 20 and under defeating Maria Signs, runner-up 6-1, 6-1.

Chuck Nihart and the Volkens were to play for the men's 31 and over championship Tuesday.

A doubles tournament, including mixed doubles will be held Aug. 3-4. Competition will be men's 26 and over, men's 25 and under, women's 21 and over and women's 25 and under.

Persons wishing to compete should call Al Werbish, 224-2248 or see him from 4-8 pm Monday or Wednesday at the city tennis courts.

St Johns Summer Rec Bulletin Board

With Dean Eisler, recreation director



SORRY LADIES!

There seemed to be a slight mix-up last Thursday night in the women's league about the time limit. From now on ladies it will be as follows:

If an inning starts before the 7:30 limit or the 9:00 limit it must be finished in order that both teams may get their bats.

Those women playing after the 7:30 game may warm up on the sides of the field so that immediately following the 7:30 game we may start the 9:00 game.

We ask that managers do the inquiring about calls and we hope the spectators can control themselves correctly.

KID'S DAY TRACK & FIELD [7th week]

This coming week should be an exciting one for all youngsters from 6-12 Track &

Field events are offered:

Ages: 6-8 Boys
long jump
50 yd dash
baseball throw
softball throw

Ages: 6-8 Girls
long jump
50 yd dash
softball throw
relay races

Ages: 9-12 Boys
high jump
long jump
baseball throw
softball throw
100 yd dash
440 relay

Ages: 9-12 Girls
long jump
75 yd dash
220 relay
softball throw

Ribbons for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places will be awarded.

TEAM	W	L
Dry Dock'd	4	0
R House	5	1
O'Connors	5	1
Brunos	3	2
E J's Standard	3	2
Knob Hill	3	3
Clin National	2	3
McKenzies	3	4
Total	1	4
Moore oil	1	5
Kroger	1	5

TEAM	W	L
Central Nat	6	0
Sillmans	4	1
Hub Tire	4	1
Amer Leg	4	1
Hettlers	3	3
GenTel	3	3
WRBJ	2	3
VFW	2	4
Nicks Market	1	4
C'House	1	5
City	0	5

(July 29-Aug 1) Monday

6:00	D Dock vs Total St
7:30	O'Connors vs E J's
9:00	Clin Nat vs Knob Hill

Tuesday

6:00	Brunos vs R House
7:30	Kroger vs M Oil
9:00	Total vs Clin Nat

Wednesday

6:00	WRBJ vs Amer Leg
7:30	City vs Cen Nat
9:00	N Market vs Hub Tire

Thursday

6:00	Hettlers vs Sill Store
7:30	C'House vs VFW
9:00	Knob Hill vs O'Connors

WOMEN

Hasbeens	2-0
Clin Owls	2-0
Red Hots	2-1
Rookies	0-2
Splints & Linaments	0-3

SCHEDULE

Tuesday

6:00	Hasbeens vs Clin Nat
Owls	
7:30	Splints & Linaments vs Rookies

Thursday

6:00	Hasbeens vs Rookies
7:30	Clin Nat Owls vs Red Hots

Tri-County baseball

BELDING AT PEWAMO

Belding 9 - Pewamo 2

Winning pitcher, Casey. Losing pitcher, A Pohl. Hits Belding 13 - Pewamo 4, Home runs Johnson, Nelson, Casey. Belding, Hi lites Belding got a brilliant pitching performance from D Casey as he struck out 9 and gave up just 4 hits in going the route. All 3 Belding home runs were hit in the 3rd inning and they iced the game with 4 more runs in the 7th. Ben Neelsen had 4 hits for Belding and R Young contributed 3 more. J Thelen had 2 hits for Pewamo.

FWLER AT LOWELL

Lowell 3 - Fowler 0

Winning pitcher, Hawley. Losing pitcher, Ballenger. Hits each team had 2 hits. Home runs None. Hi-lites In another low scoring game Lowell rode the fine pitching of Hawley to its 8th victory of the season. Ballenger from Fowler also turned a fine job by holding the hard hitting Lowell 9 to only 2 hits.

Schedule - July 21

Pewamo at Fowler
Lowell at Middleton
Sidney at Lakeview
Hubbardston at Ionia
Belding at Portland

Receives LBU scholarship

LANSING - Beckie Jo Gibson, daughter of Mr and Mrs Melvin Gibson of 5683 West Chadwick, DeWitt, has been awarded a \$300 scholarship to Lansing Business University LBU awards 15 such

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Royals	3	3
Sox	3	4
Spartans	3	4
Braves	3	5
Twins	2	5
Phillies	0	7

NATIONAL DIV	W	L
Indians	7	0
Cardinals	5	2
Yanks	5	2
Giants	4	2
Orioles	5	3
Astros	3	3
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Ovid—Elsie Area News

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Dale Crossland, Ovid village clerk, and Mike Mulder, branch manager of the Central National Bank in Ovid inspect the progress on street re-building in Ovid. Central National Bank purchased the bonds financing the street project.

United Methodist Summer programs to begin July 29

Summer Sunday School and Bible School programs will be in session at the United Methodist Church from July 29 through August 2 for kindergarten through the sixth grade from nine to eleven o'clock in the morning. Tim and Cindy Hehrer are attending Senior Hi Church Camp at Lake Louise. The Rev. David Litchfield will be acting as dean of the District Elementary camp for youngsters July 29-27.

Sunday, July 21, Pete Montague of Hastings will be the special speaker at the Elsie United Methodist Church during Rev. Litchfield's absence. Pete was youth coordinator for the recent Lay Witness II and is a licensed lay speaker.



Fire destroyed this building behind the downtown business section of Ovid and, up to a week later, smoke was still curling from the debris.

CITY OF ST. JOHNS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Ordinance 268

Notice is hereby given that the St. Johns City Commission will hold a public hearing August 12, 1974, at 7:45 p.m. to be held in Commission Chambers, 121 East Walker Street, St. Johns, Michigan, for the purpose of hearing those interested in proposed Ordinance 268 which would amend the City Code Title 5, Chapter 51, by rezoning the following area of the City from R-2 Two Family Residential to R-3 Multi Family Residential.

Blocks 2, 3 and 5 of Lynn's Addition to the City of St. Johns, Block 19 of the Original Plat of the City of St. Johns, and a portion of Outlot D bounded on the West by Lansing Street, the North by McConnell Street, the East by Ottawa and the South by Baldwin Street.

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Ovid Bloodmobile collects 50 pints

OVID -- A Red Cross Bloodmobile was held July 15 at the Veterans Memorial Bldg in Ovid. There were 61 walk-ins, with 50 actual pints taken. There is a great need for blood to build the Blood Bank back up to a safer level.

Carol Bashore was chairman of the project. The Ovid Free Methodist Church furnished the canteen and the following people donated:
Doris Anderson, Ena Baker, Carol Bashore, Larry Bashore, Barbara Brown, Terry Brown, and Anne Byres.

Anna Carr, Joan Carr, Mervin Chamberlain, Clifford Coon, Marie Coon, Dan Copelin, Linda Copelin, Earl Copelin, Betty Couch and Harvey Darling.

Ronald Darling, Glenn Decker, Vicky Duten, Ano Elwood, Clifford Geiger, Merle Ginther, Richard Gleason, and Roberta K. Goodrich.

Robert Green, Ronald Halstead, Elizabeth Hardaker, Fred Henry, Susan Henry, Mary Ann Hier, Walter Huffman, and Richard Johnson. Jack Miller, Marilyn Miller,

Jean Milks, Ruth Mitchell, Leonard Mitchell, Mary Mead, Dennis Miller, Wells Monroe, Joseph Molz, Jean Lannen, George Nicholson, Opal Parker and Dale Peck.

Eugene Peterson, Bruce Pierce, Caroline Pierce, Ronald Pilot, John Quine II, Irving Rood, Charles Rose, Sue Skutt and Larry Squiers.

Neil Stinson, Cyril Tremblay, Sharon VanGieson, Donald Whitaker, Bruce Whitaker, Bruce Wiegell, Joellen Wonsley and Louella Wonsley. Dr. Louis Terpstra was on call during the bloodmobile.

Elsie writer capsules 46-year CMGA history

By Neva Keys
Elsie Correspondent

Looking backward, in retrospect over the files and scrapbooks of the Central Michigan Golf Association, it was learned that a temporary organization was started 46 years ago this week (July 18, 1928), when representatives from golf clubs in Central Michigan assembled in Ithaca. The organization was completed the following month and plans for its first tournament was scheduled on the links of Ithaca Golf Club, Sept. 3, 4 and 5, 1928.

Dr. Carl Ranger of Ithaca was the first CMGA championship winner with R. W. Clark of Alma as runner-up following the rules of the American Golf Ass'n in addition to local club rules. From time to time the club memberships changed with two and three generations of golfers continuing their love of the sport. The roster of clubs also changed, the three most recent additions were Pleasant Hill Country Club of Mt. Pleasant, Edgewood CC of St. Louis and North Star CC on US-27, five miles south of Ithaca. The latter is host for the 1974 CMGA tournaments with John Hopko, Herb Belts, Sid Keys and John McLoughlin as committee in charge of all arrangements, along with owners, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Cook and managers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook.

Since 1928, Ithaca, Alma, St. Johns and Portland have each hosted the CMGA on seven annual tournaments. Clare and Mt. Pleasant each were hosts for six years, and Midland for three years. Annual tournaments were held continuously except for the war years 1943-44-45, when they were suspended.

It was noted that tournament winners in the earlier years had "unusually fine prizes, such as large silver loving cups to champion golfers, smaller ones to others and golf shoes, leather jacket, slickers, pair of woods and a sweater, knickers and sock outfit, the ultimate in golfwear."

In the 1930's quite a crowd gathered in the gallery following the championship flights. Most golfers today are not familiar with problems facing organizers of country clubs with golf courses. Although it is an old game, it still had a long way to go in capturing the public fancy.

In fact, there were few golf courses in the whole nation, let alone Michigan. It was decided by many to call them "a rich man's game, an old man's game or cow pasture pool." The opening of semi-private courses where the public could play by paying a small green's fee, building of public courses by municipalities, together with a well-received drive to popularizing the game had

begun to produce noticeable results in the 20's and 30's. Then there were years and years of personal service and labor to help prepare the many acres and the hundreds of thousands of dollars expended in grading, drainage, and seeding fairways and greens, sprinkling systems and later the clubhouses and pro-shops, etc.

Today, men and women of all ages are found on the hundreds of courses in Michigan from teenaged youngsters to the Senior Citizen and to better health and happiness. Golf is rapidly becoming one of the top sports in the country.

A review of CMGA tournaments since its organization in 1928 shows that Dick Dawdy of Portland was top winner of championships and also medalists, each 5 times in the years between 1942 and 1961. Both honors were received on three occasions 1948-1955-1961.

Elmer Theisen and Dick Horgan both of Mt. Pleasant were next high with four championships each. Theisen was champion in 1929-32-33-34 and medalist 1931-33 while Horgan's championships were four successive years 1966 through 1969 and also medalist in 1967.

Bill Theunissen of Mt. Pleasant and John McLoughlin of Ithaca were each winners of three championships with Theunissen in 1949-57-59 and McLoughlin 1950-52-54. Theunissen was medalist in 1957-59-63 and McLoughlin in 1949-50-54-64.

Heading the list of champions who were winners for two years 1938 and 1941 was Carl Schuller of Portland, who was a fine businessman and sportsman. He was one of the top golfers and exceedingly popular in the CMGA. His untimely death at the age of 31 in a small game

hunting accident Oct 1948 was a great loss to his golfing friends. Schuller was also a medalist in 1934-39-41.

Others who won championship honors for 2 years were H.H. Theunissen of Mt. Pleasant, 1931 and 1936; Russ Spiker of Midland 1937-51, Byron Gallagher of Mt. Pleasant 1956-60; Barry Dean, St. Johns 1960-72, and Pat Fleming of Alma 1963-64. The above were also medalists as follows: Spiker 1951; Gallagher 1956; Fleming 1968, and Dean 1972.

Other golfers won single championships. They were John Sheahan of St. Johns 1930, Bill Killingbeck of Midland 1936; Ralph Kortge of Midland 1939; Micky McMillan of Midland 1947; Frank McGowan of Portland 1953; McAllister of Mt. Pleasant 1958; Chuck McBride, Mt. Pleasant 1962; Rick Brenaman of Alma 1965; Jim Somerville of Alma 1970, M. Fedewa of Portland 1971; and Jim Dickey of Portland 1973.



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Next Sunday in Clinton County churches

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Averill M. Carson, Minister
Sunday, July 21
10:00 a.m. - Morning Worship, Rev. Paul Margenr. Guest Minister
Wednesday, July 24
6:45 p.m. - Boy Scout Troop 81

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

SOUTH RILEY BIBLE CHURCH
Wildard Parfitt, Pastor
Located 1/2 mile east of Francis Road on Chadwick Road
10 am - Sunday School
11 am - Worship Service

Fowler Area
ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Fowler, Michigan
H. E. Kosow, Pastor
9:30 am Worship
10:30 am Sunday School & Bible Class

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
300 East State Street
St. Johns, Michigan 49879
Francis Carl Johannides, Minister
Summer Worship Service 10 a.m.
Children 4 yrs. thru the 4th grade are dismissed part way thru the service for their own class in Niles Hall.

PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Harold B. Boyd
Church School
11:00 am - Morning Worship
Women's Society meets the last Wednesday of each month. Dinner at 12:30. Meeting at 1:30.
Youth Fellowship meets the first and third Monday of each month at 7:30 pm.
Council of Church Ministers and Administrative Board meets the first Sunday of each month following a potluck dinner at noon.
Youth choir meets each Wednesday at 7 pm.
Senior choir meets each Wednesday at 7:30 pm.

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Sunday School 9 am
Worship Service 10:30
Beginning Feb 27, Wednesday
Lenten Service at 7:30 pm
Tuesday - Directions at Dawn 7 am

MUST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Rev. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor
Saturday Evening Mass - 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00 pm
Sunday Masses 6:30, 8:30, 10:30 am
Holy Days - Holy Day Eve, 4:30 pm, 7:00 o'clock pm. Holy Day - 6:30 & 8:30 am
Sorrowful Mother Novena - During school year 7:30 pm, summer months 8:00 o'clock am.
Sacrament of Penance - Saturdays 3:30 to 4:00 o'clock pm and after 7:00 o'clock pm mass
1st Fridays - Thursday from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm, 3:30 to 4:30 pm & 7:30 pm until all are heard
Baptism - Sundays at 12:30 pm by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment.

Maple Rapids Area

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Maple Rapids
Pastor Rev. J. Thomas Churn
Parsonage-Middleton
Phone 226-7743
Sunday
9:30 am Worship Service
10:30 am Sunday School
Tuesday
7:00 pm Senior Choir Practice
Wednesday
2nd Wednesday each month
7:00 pm W.S.C.S.
Thursday
10:00 Bible Study

GREENBUSH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Scott and Marshall Roads
Pastor - Norman Wood
Sunday,
10:30 am Church School
11:30 am Church Services
W.S.C.S. 3rd Wednesday at 8 pm

LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Lowe and North Lowe Road
Minister Rev. Harold McGuire
Sunday School 9:10 am
Church Worship 10:15-11:15
Choir 8:30 pm Thursday
D.W.M. 7:30 2nd Wed of every month
Prayer Study Group 10:11

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
105 S. Maple Ave., Maple Rapids
Rev. Hector Goodall, Pastor
Phone 682-4165
10 am Worship Service
11 am Church School
7 pm Song Festival - Everyone welcome
Wed Night 6:30 & 7:30 choir Practices
Thurs Night 8 pm Fellowship Service

Eureka Area

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
2619 E. Maple Rapids Rd
Rev. Paul R. Jones, Pastor
Phone 224-7709
10 am Bible Study for everyone
11 am - Morning Worship
7:30 pm - Adult Bible discussions.
Nursery provided during services.
6:30 pm - Youth Meetings
6:45 pm - Wednesday, Jr. Choir, Chancel Choir, 7:30 pm

Matherton Area

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH
2:00 pm Sunday School
3:00 pm Worship Service

Wacousta Area

WACOUSTA COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Edward T. O'Lo, pastor
Phone 626-6622
Morning Worship - 10 am
Church School Classes 11:15 am
Jr. and Sr. H.V.F. 6:00 pm
Cherub and Youth Choir Wednesdays, 3:00 pm
Chancel Choir, Thursday, 7:30
W.S.C.S. Noon Meetings every 3rd Wednesday
W.W.V.E. Noon Meeting every 1st Wednesday
Council on Ministries every 3rd Monday
Administrative Board, 4th Monday of every 3rd month.

Victor Township

GROVE BIBLE CHURCH
Rev. Robert Prange, Pastor
Price and Sheppardville Roads
10 am - Sunday School. Classes for all ages
11:00 am - Morning Worship
6:30 pm - Young People
7:30 pm - Evening Service
7:30 pm - Wednesday, prayer meeting
Ladies' Missionary Circle meets 4th Thursday
Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in month

Lansing

KIMBERLY CHURCH OF CHRIST
1077 Kimberly Drive
Lansing, Michigan
John Halls
11 am - Morning Worship
10 am - Bible Study
6 pm - Evening Worship
Midweek service 7:30 pm Wednesday night

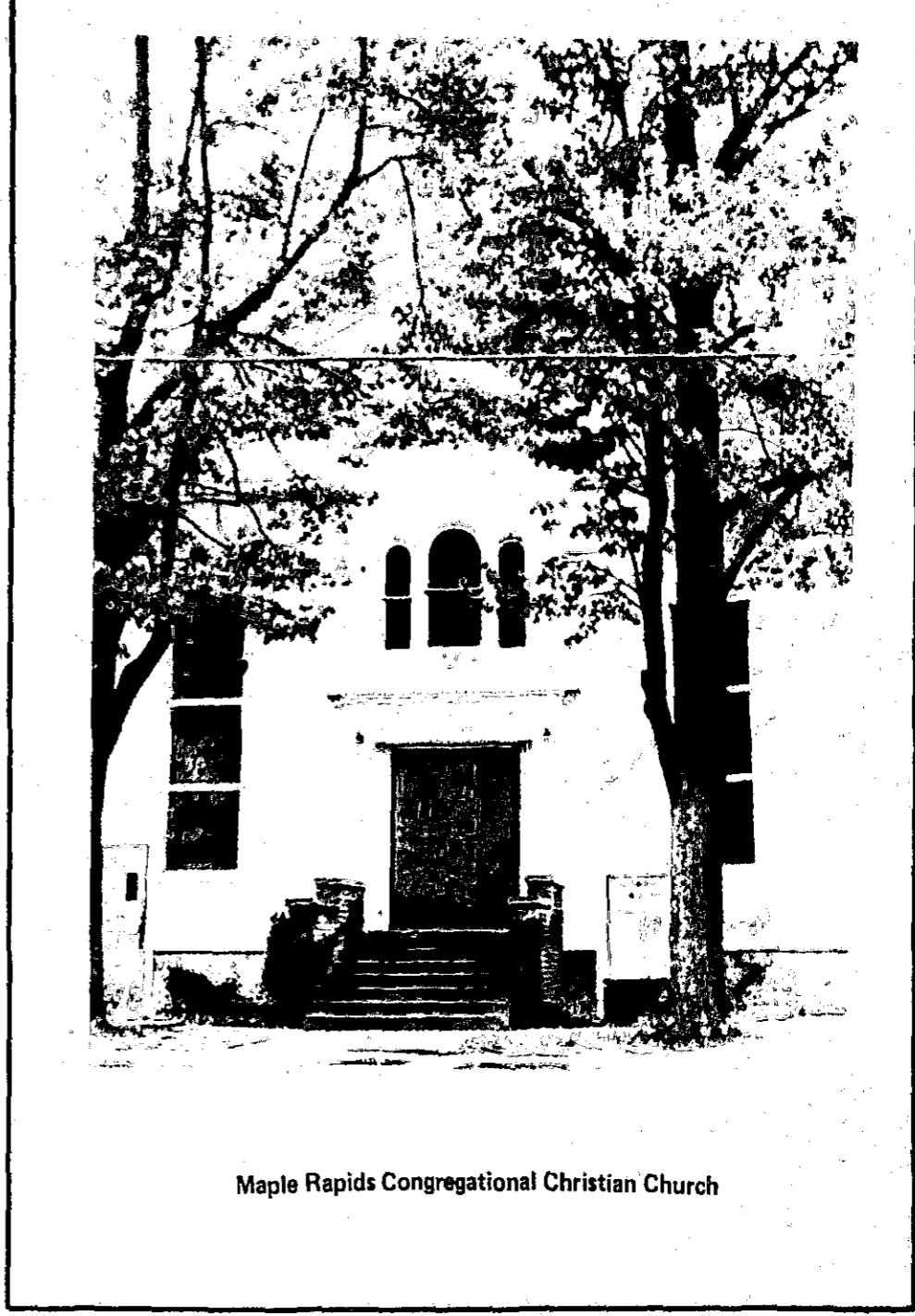
Bridgeville Area

BRIDGEVILLE GOSPEL MISSION
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Thursday 7:30 pm Colosse
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Clinton Area Obituaries

Ford H. Schavey

DEWITT - Ford H. Schavey, 57, of 207 Wilson St died July 19. Funeral services were held at the Lee R. Rummel Funeral Home with Rev Murl Eastman officiating. Burial was in DeWitt Cemetery.

He was born in DeWitt Twp on Aug 14, 1916, the son of Harrison and Bessie (Taylor) Schavey. He attended DeWitt Schools and resided most of his life in DeWitt. He married Helen Bouts in DeWitt on June 19, 1939, and was business superintendent and custodian at DeWitt Public Schools.

He is survived by his wife Helen; 1 son, James of DeWitt; 1 daughter Mrs Marcia Smith of Westphalia; 1 grandson, Scott; 4 brothers, GW of Colo; Lorrice of Fife Lake, William of S. Carolina and Forest of Iowa; 2 sisters, Mrs Shirley Munding of Muskegon and Marion Clew of Tucson, Ariz.

Louis C. Rossow

DEWITT - Louis C. Rossow, 57, of Lehman Rd, died July 22 in Lansing Hospital following a long illness. Funeral services were held at St Peter's Lutheran Church on Thursday, July 25 with Rev E.L. Woldt officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Arrangements were made by the Lee R. Rummel Funeral Home.

He was born in Riley Twp on Sept 16, 1915, the son of Fred and Anna (Witt) Rossow. He

resided most of his life in the DeWitt area and was a member of St Peter Lutheran Church. He was employed by Motor Wheel and later continued working as a farmer.

Survivors include 6 brothers, Raymond of DeWitt, Kenneth of Bath, Herwin of St Johns, Edwin and Leonard, both of Lansing, and Harold of DeWitt; and 1 sister, Mrs Norena Sperry of St Johns.

Dale T. Atkinson

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 Thursday at Osgood Funeral Home in St Johns July 25 for Dale T. Atkinson, 39, 500 Euclid, who died July 22 at the Veterans Hospital in Ann Arbor.

He was born in St Johns Jan 10, 1935, the son of Thomas and Helen Atkinson.

He lived all his life in St Johns and was a member of the American Legion and was formerly a yard foreman at Wickes Corp.

Surviving are his mother, Helen Atkinson; 3 brothers, Jerry, Douglas and Ronnie all of St Johns; 2 sisters, Mrs Betty Knight and Mrs Connie Welton both of St Johns.

Rev Francis Johannides of the First United Methodist Church will officiate with burial at Mt Rest Cemetery.

Augusta Wieber

FOWLER - Augusta Wieber, formerly of Fowler, died Thursday, July 18 at San Jose, Calif following a long illness.

Funeral services were held at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church, July 22 with Fr Albert Schmitt officiating. Burial was in St Joseph Cemetery.

She was born in Westphalia on April 23, 1889, the daughter of August and Anna Simon. She married Louis A. Wieber.

Survivors include 4 daughters, Mrs Anna Simon of Fowler, Miss Catherine Wieber and Miss Bernadette Wieber, both of Calif, and Mrs Rita Boggs of Lansing; 3 sons, F.J. of Grand Ledge, Rev Fr Joseph Wieber of Ariz, and Ben of St Johns, and 27 grandchildren.

Eloise Pease

ST. JOHNS - Eloise L. Pease, 63, of 610 N Lansing, died July 18 at her home. Funeral services were held Saturday, July 20, at the First Congregational Church with Rev Averil Carson officiating.

She was born in St Johns on Sept 15, 1910, the daughter of Ray and Anna (Estes) Thur-

Pewamo


Thursday, July 18, a family gathering including Mrs Richard F. Refsnyder of Penn. del. Penn enjoyed a potluck meal at the home of Mr and Mrs Frederick Schmitz.

Kathleen Kohagen and Julie Kohagen and friends of Carson City were callers at the home of Mrs Irene Fox Thursday afternoon.

Mrs Dolly Cook spent the weekend in Durand with her daughter, Mr and Mrs Al Fuja and family.

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Clinic to climax Chianina Days

A journey up the "Chianina Trail from Italy to the Rail" best describes the program planned for the First Annual Michigan Chianina Clinic at Alma, Aug 7 and 8.

The clinic climaxes a series of events during Chianina Days that include a visit by the traveling Chianina Caravan at the Alma-Gratiot Youth Fair.

Typical steers and heifer Chianina crosses will be displayed. Tours of nearby feedlots will show Chianina steers on feed

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JOHN BAKER, Gratiot County Extension Agent, operates one of the larger feed lots in the State and will evaluate the Chianina steer as an important addition to feed lot production.

The Alma-Gratiot County area was chosen, for one

reason, because of its central location for a clinic. Equally important, however, is the fact the county has been number one in the state for corn production for sometime . . . and some 30,000 head of cattle are fed out annually in the county. Visitors at Chianina Days and those attending the Clinic will be able to observe to their own satisfaction, how well Chianina steers are performing as a feed lot animal.

Additional information and registration forms for the Clinic may be obtained by writing: Michigan Chianina Association, PO Drawer 1828; East Lansing, Michigan 48823.

REGULAR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

The regular meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Commission will be held on Thursday, August 15, 1974 at 8 p.m. in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the Board will act on the following:

DEWITT TOWNSHIP

Zone R-1C, One-Family Medium Density Residential to R-M1, Multiple Family Residential:

A parcel of land described as follows: Beg at a pt 780' N of the SW cor of the SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 32, T5N-R2W, DeWitt Twp., the E 231', th S 100', th E 1089', th N. 660', th W 1188', th S. 500', th W. 132', th S. 60' to P.O.B. Also, Lot 48, Northdale Farms located in Section 33, T5N-R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Mich.

DEWITT TOWNSHIP

A-1 Agriculture to R-1B, One-Family Low Density Residential:

A parcel of land having a p.o.b. 594' S of N 1/4 cor. of Sec 27, T5N-R2W, Clinton Cty., Mi., th E 300', S. 726', W 300', N 728' to P.O.B. Also a parcel of land beg. 1120' N of cen. of Sec 27, T5N-R2W, th E 181.5', N. 120', W. 181.5', th S 120' to beg.

The text of the Zoning Ordinance as proposed to be amended and a map showing the Zoning Ordinance as proposed to be amended may be examined at the Office of the Clinton County Zoning Administrator at 100 S. Ottawa St., St. Johns, Michigan between the hours of 7:00 A.M. to 12 Noon and 1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. of any day Monday through Friday.

Arnold R. Minarik,
Zoning Administrator

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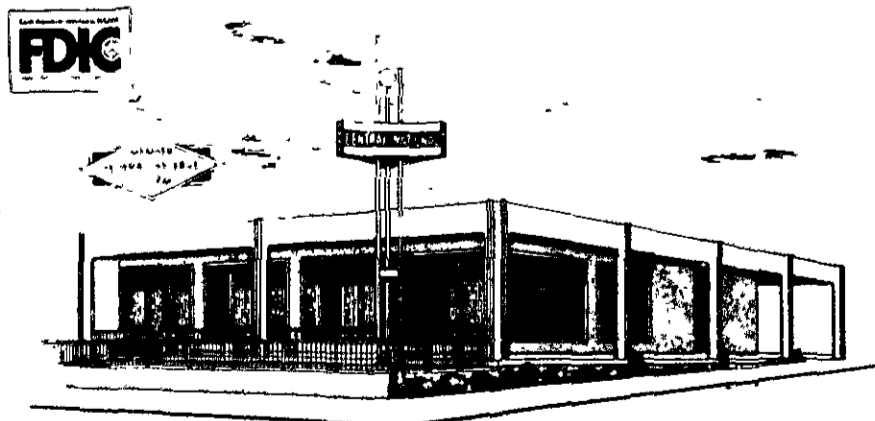
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ORDINANCE (1st reading of Ordinance to be adopted)

TO DEFINE THE PUBLIC PARKS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF BATH AND TO REGULATE CONDUCT, USE, HOURS, AND OTHER MATTERS RELATING TO THE OPERATION OF THE TOWNSHIP PARKS.

Section 1 - Public Parks For purposes of this Ordinance, a public park shall be deemed to include any property owned or leased by the Charter Township of Bath and posted as a Township or public park.

Section 2 - Use by the General Public Use of the public parks in the Charter Township of Bath shall be open to any individual or group of individuals on a non-discriminatory basis, subject to the rules and regulations hereinafter set forth.

Section 2.1 - No group of more than twenty (20) persons shall use any park or any portion of any public park to the exclusion of any other individuals unless he shall have first obtained permission of the Township Supervisor or his designated agent at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance.

Section 2.2 - When permission for use of a park by a group as defined above has been given, a notice of said permission shall be posted at the entrance to the

park and no person shall remove said notice until after the group has discontinued use.

Section 2.3 - Permission for use of park by a group shall be definite as to the area to be used and duration of exclusive use.

Section 3 - No person or vehicle shall remain upon public park property between 11:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.

Section 4 - Vandalism and Destruction of Property

No person shall willfully destroy, deface, alter, change, or remove any natural object from any park, nor shall any person willfully destroy, deface, alter, change or remove any sign, notice, marker, monument, bench, table, or any other improvement in a public park without permission of the Township Board.

Section 5 - No person shall drive or operate a motor vehicle except in accordance with the posted signs in a public park.

Section 6 - Penalty Any violation of or any failure to comply with the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed \$100 or by imprisonment not to exceed ninety (90) days or both.

Section 7 - Effective date This ordinance shall become effective immediately after final adoption and publication.

Supervisor Clerk 13-1

Pewamo

The descendants of the late John Hattis and Mrs John (Nina) Hattis had a family reunion July 7 at Bertha Brock Park, Ionia. About 50 members attended. A potluck meal followed by games in the afternoon. They expect to have another reunion in 1975.

Mrs Jack (Sharon) Parks of Ionia had surgery at St Mary's Hospital in Grand Rapids July 18.

Mrs Dorothy Schiska, a medical patient, at the Carson City Osteopathic Hospital was discharged during the past week July 17.

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Routine business for DeWitt City Council

By JIM EDWARDS
County News Editor

DEWITT - The mayor and 2 councilmen were absent from Monday night's meeting of the DeWitt City Council, but they didn't miss much - it was all pretty much routine, although several items were discussed.

Taking over for absent Mayor Murl Eastman was mayor pro-tem Frederick (Bill) Shaver. Also absent from the meeting were councilmen J. Dale Bohm and Arthur Newman.

GARBAGE BAGS
Included in the business handled was a price increase in garbage bags from 25 cents per bag to 30 cents. The council also

increased the amount paid to local merchants who handle the sale from 2 1/2 cents to 3 cents a bag.

That policy will be reviewed again in September.

INTEREST RATES SAME
The council also voted to retain the present 6% interest rates on unpaid special assessments for sewer lines.

TENNIS COURTS
In other business, it was learned construction could be started by Aug 12 on new tennis courts for the city. Present at the meeting was Mill Redick of Capitol Consultants who asked the council for authorization to advertise for construction bids to be opened at the Aug 5 council

meeting. He received authorization with all bids to be submitted by July 31.

NEW FIRE TRUCK
Councilman Gary Gillespie informed the council the new city fire truck will be ready July 31 and it was moved to reimburse up to 4 firemen for expenses involved in traveling to pick up the truck and attend a 2-day course of instruction in operation and maintenance of the equipment.

SIGN INVENTORY
Councilman William Drouin asked the city to request the State Highway Dept to make an inventory of all traffic control signs in the city and to replace antiquated or obsolete signs.

Funds will be 10% local and 90% from state sources.

DRAINAGE PROBLEMS
Drainage problems were brought up by 2 local residents.

One concerned water coming from a 20-acre farm field in the Lake Geneva area and the other concerned silt and dirt washed into the street on Manchester. City officials were advised by Floyd Fowler, city Dept of Public Works superintendent, to not accept the streets in the Manchester area until the situation is corrected and the City Council said a letter will be written to affected property owners in the Lake Geneva situation to determine if drain improvements are feasible.

MORE ABOUT WEEDS
Once again the subject of tall weeds was discussed and Gillespie seemed ready in his words, to "sock it to" owners of property who hold off on cutting weeds until warned by the city in an effort to cut the weeds

fewer times in a summer. He suggested those who waited until they received a registered letter from the city saying the weeds must be cut be assessed a substantial charge for the expense and time incurred by the city.

Five area students on WMU Dean's list

KALAMAZOO - Five Clinton County students have been named to the Western Michigan University Dean's List for the past winter semester.

They are Anne Terease Fox, 310 S. Clinton Ave; Mary Kundrata, 103 S. Oakland and

William Parker, 5393 E. Taft, all of St. Johns and Randy Lankford, 402 W. Main, and Susan Lewis, 11065 DeWitt Rd, both of DeWitt.

Lankford, Fox and Kundrata earned perfect 4.0 records

Sawall-VSMI grad

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA - Clare Sawall of St. Johns, Field Manager with Vigortone Products Company, recently graduated from the Vigortone Sales Management Institute here. Sawall completed an intensive 1-week course of study involving product knowledge, territory management and sales techniques. He was presented his diploma by Vigortone's president, Art Swartzentruber.

General Telephone adds long distance circuits

ST. JOHNS - General Telephone Company employees will soon start the installation of additional long distance circuits between the St. Johns and Mur exchanges, according to W. J. Langland, Customer Service Manager for General Telephone Company.

The \$53,503 project will provide for an additional 24 channels, needed to relieve busy circuits and allow for future growth.

"This addition is part of General Telephone's continuing service improvement program to insure the best possible service to our customers in the St. Johns area," Langland said. The equipment is slated to be in service in September this year.

4-Hers visit North Carolina

Eleven Clinton County 4-H members and two chaperones enjoyed a 4-H interstate trip to Reidsville, North Carolina July 5-13.

tobacco plant making cigarettes and how tobacco is grown as most families raise some tobacco.

Each member lived with a different 4-H host family learning more about their way of life in North Carolina, the 4-H program and met many new friends. During the week, the group had a tour through a

The Clinton 4-H'ers were joined by 4-H members from Gratiot and Shiawassee Counties to make up the bus load. Next year a group of North Carolina 4-H members will visit Michigan staying with 4-H host families in Clinton, Gratiot and Shiawassee Counties.



Recent 4-H visitors to Reidsville, North Carolina are (front, from left) Lorene Tait, Pauline Kissane, Leanne Thelen, Brian VanVleet and Jeanne Striz (rear, from left) Shirley Hazle (chaperone), Theresa Palmiter, Linda Bappert, Cindy Lehman, Connie Cordes, Barbara Lehman and Dorella Marten. Not shown is Violet Phinney (chaperone).



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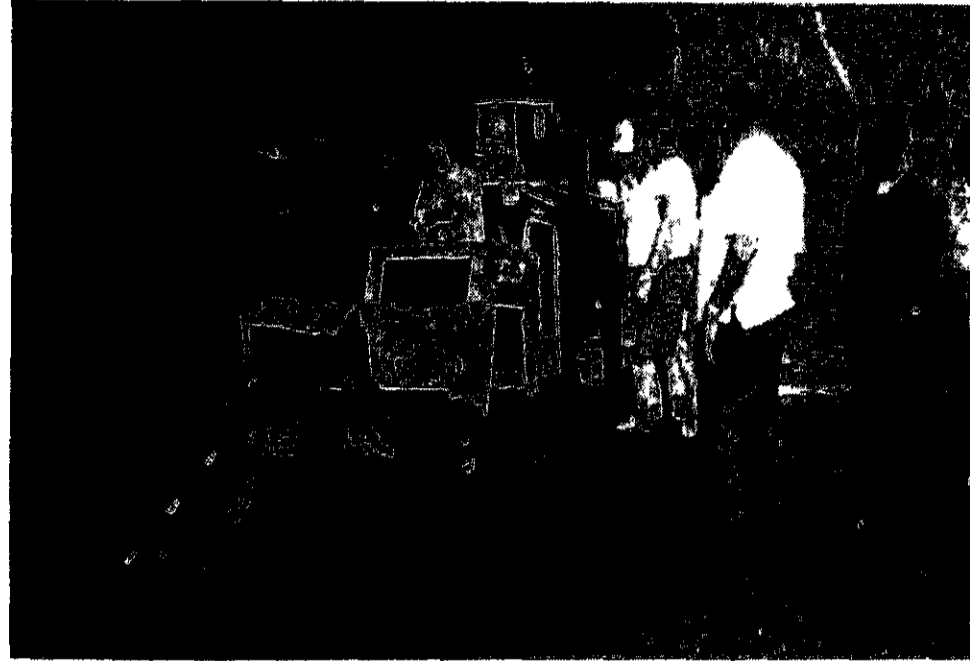
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DeWitt Lions members put in water and electrical lines from the restroom area to the pavilion area at Riverside Park in DeWitt during the annual "Work Night" Tuesday, July 16. They also painted and set in place a life boat for children. Approximately 50 Lions worked on the project.

North Bengal

Mrs. Floyd Foeber visited her daughter and grand-daughter, Mrs. Steve Thelen and Sherry Lynn of Bengal Center on Wednesday, July 10.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Moritz and Ann on Tuesday, July 9 were Mrs. Albert Moritz of Essex and Mr. and Mrs. Clare Moritz and children of rural Grand Ledge. On Thursday, July 11, Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine Ernst visited the former's sister and Aunt Miss Agnes Bearndt and Peggy Lee Mowhatt of rural Six Lakes Enroute home they called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beckhorn at Ionia.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sehlke of Fowler spent Friday evening, July 12 with Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Pasch.

Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine Ernst spent Wednesday evening, July 10 with Mrs. Albert Moritz of Essex.

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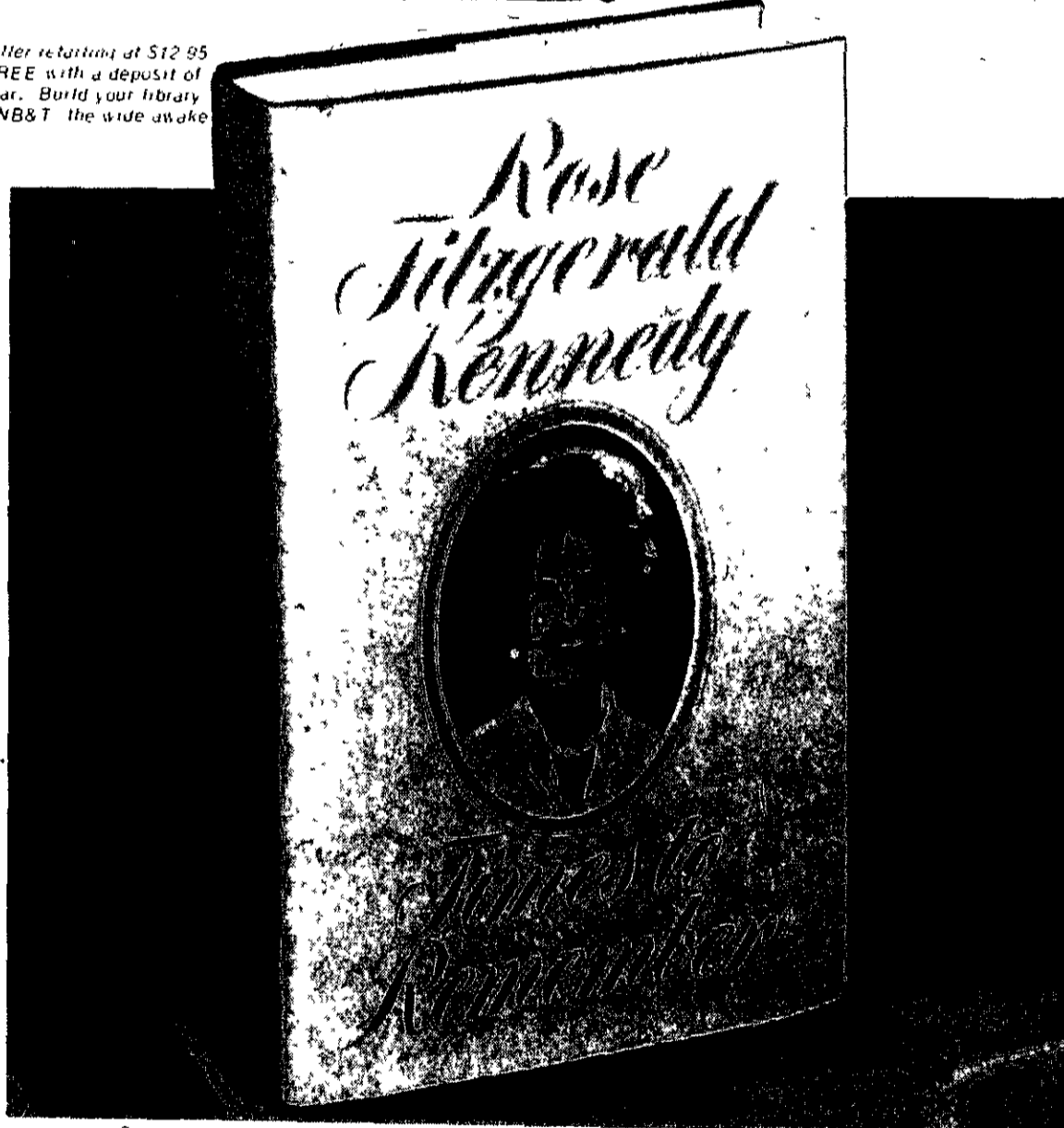
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'The end of living'

The following was originally sent in a letter to President Franklin Pierce in 1855. The author was Chief Sealth of the Duwanish Tribe in Washington. The words have been reproduced by the National Wildlife Federation.

'WE KNOW that white man does not understand our ways. One portion of the land is the same to him as the next, for he is a stranger who comes in the night and takes from the land whatever he needs.'

'There is no quiet place in the white man's cities. No place to hear the leaves of spring or the rustle of insect wings. But perhaps because I am savage and do not understand - the clatter only seems to insult the ears.'

'THE WHITES too, shall pass - perhaps sooner than other tribes. Continue to contaminate your bed and you will one night suffocate in your own waste.'

'If It Fitz ...'

A plague on her

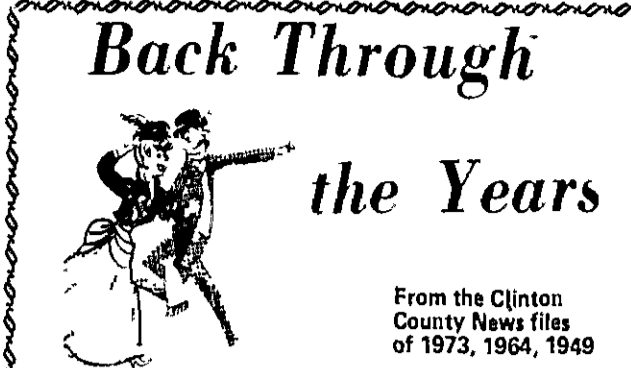
Editor, Lapeer County Press 'By Jim Fitzgerald

It was Dominion Day in Toronto, something like our 4th of July, and I figured that was why hotel management had stolen my car. They couldn't fool me. I've seen too many movies.

I was planning a lot of reading the next 4 days (wine lists), so I went back to Stall 34 for the glasses. My brown Oldsmobile was gone. Parked in its place was a green Ford, no relation I double checked my notes and the stall sign. 34. There was no mistake.

I PARKED IN Stall 34, immediately writing 34 on my notepad, shirt and chest. I had almost completed the walk back up to the hotel when I remembered I'd left my reading glasses in the

IT TURNED out she was right, on the level, as usual. A plague on her would be a good idea.

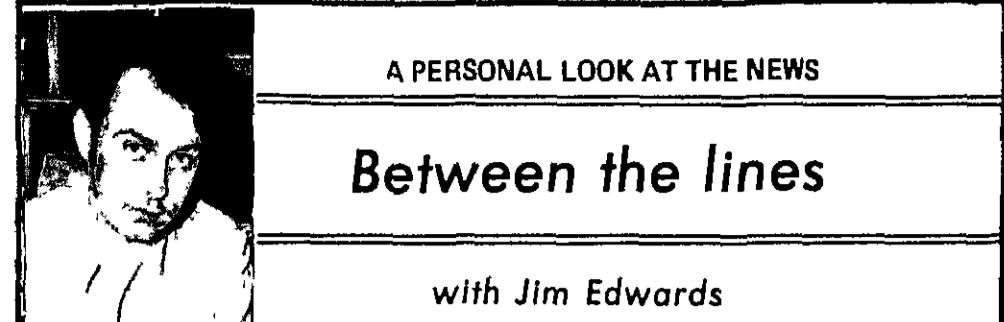


Back Through the Years

ONE YEAR AGO July 26, 1973 The cattle rustlers are at it again. Two Holstein calves have been reported stolen from the Don Harper residence, 5808 W Parks, St Johns Taken July 20, the calves are valued at \$300.

25 YEARS AGO July 21, 1949 Mr and Mrs George G Hunter were honored by Mr Hunter's fellow Rotary Members on the couple's 50th wedding anniversary Tuesday. Mr Hunter was presented with an office desk and a beautiful corsage was presented to Mrs Hunter.

TEN YEARS AGO July 23, 1964 There is no indication yet as to the cause of a \$100,000 fire which destroyed the C.W Roberts Produce Co Plant southwest of Bath last Friday evening.



Between the lines with Jim Edwards

Life is full of little mysteries which will never be solved. They are what I call 'why is it?' For instance Why is it? - a pen that's just run out of ink will still have enough left to stain a shirt pocket?

Letters to the Editor Spiraling taxes

Are you sick of rising taxes? I am and I know that about 99% of all people are. The old tradition, that you can't fight city hall, just does not stand up if the people will not stand up and be counted.



NOTICE OF CHANGE OF MEETING DATE Due to the August 6th Primary Election, the regular meeting of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners will be held Monday, August 5, 1974 instead of August 6, as previous stated.

North Bengal

Mr and Mrs William S Ernst and son, Ron of Battle Creek spent Saturday, July 13 with Mrs William Ernst and Maxine Ernst On Sunday, July 14 they all went to the 5th annual reunion of the John and Alma Ernst family at Horseshoe Lake near Lakeview.

LOOK MA - BOTH HANDS Carrying packages on bicycles can be hazardous. For packages or school books and the like, you should get a carrier for your bike. Remember, keep both hands on the handlebars at all times.

Be a BIG-TRACTOR man! Case HAFNER'S ELECTRIC 616 S. Main Ph. 593-2188

Ponder This... 'ADVERTISING DOESN'T COST ... IT PAYS!' Many of our community's long established and most reputable businesses have relied heavily on display advertising in this newspaper to get greater profits. Why not you? Make plans now to get your share of the advertising dollar. Schedule your business-producing advertising now!

ACTUAL USE REPORT Table with columns for CATEGORIES (A) CAPITAL (B) OPERATING/ MAINTENANCE (C). Rows include Public Safety, Environmental Protection, Public Transportation, Health, Recreation, Libraries, Social Services, Financial Administration, Multi-Purpose and General Gov, Education, Social Development, Housing & Community Development, Economic Development, Other Expenditure.

General Primary Election Notices

ELECTION NOTICE

General Primary Election

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS

Notice is hereby given, that a General Primary Election will be held in the

CITY OF ST. JOHNS

State of Michigan

- Precinct 1 Swegles School
- Precinct 2 City Dept of Public Works Bldg
- Precinct 3 Rodney B Wilson Junior High School
- Precinct 4 Municipal Bldg
- Precinct 5 St. Johns Episcopal Church

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

for the purpose of placing in nomination by all political parties participating therein, candidates for the following offices, viz:

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VERNE UPTON Clerk of said City

Dated July 25, 1974

RANDY HUMPHREY Clerk of said City

Dated July 25, 1974

ELECTION NOTICE

General Primary Election

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS

Notice is hereby given, that a General Primary Election will be held in the

CITY OF DEWITT

State of Michigan

- at the fire station, 118 S. Bridge within said city

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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MRS DOROTHY KECK Clerk of said City

Dated July 25, 1974

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Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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TOWNSHIP OF EAGLE

State of Michigan

at the Township Hall within said Township on

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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ALICE SULLIVAN Clerk of said Township

Dated: July 25, 1974

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General Primary Election

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS

Notice is hereby given, that a General Primary Election will be held in the

TOWNSHIP OF ESSEX

State of Michigan

- at the Maple Rapids Village Hall within said township on

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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VERNE UPTON Clerk of said Township

Dated July 25, 1974

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Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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Notice is hereby given, that a General Primary Election will be held in the

TOWNSHIP OF GREENBUSH

State of Michigan

at the Township Hall on French Road within said Township on

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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ONALEE MANEVAL Clerk of said Township

Dated July 25, 1974

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Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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TOWNSHIP OF LEBANON

State of Michigan

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Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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PAUL GRAFF, JR. Clerk of said Township

Dated: July 25, 1974

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Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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TOWNSHIP OF OLIVE

State of Michigan

- at the Township Hall within said township on

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

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MRS AGATHA LYON Clerk of said Township

Dated July 25, 1974

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Tuesday, August 6, 1974

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS

Notice is hereby given, that a General Primary Election will be held in the

TOWNSHIP OF HURLEY

State of Michigan

at the Township Hall within said Township on

Tuesday August 6 1974

for the purpose of placing in nomination by all political parties participating therein, candidates for the following offices, viz:

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VICTOR HOPP Clerk of said Township

Dated July 25, 1974

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General Primary Election

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TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS

Notice is hereby given, that a General Primary Election will be held in the

TOWNSHIP OF DEWITT

State of Michigan

at the following places within said Township:

- Precincts No 1 and 4 Town Hall No 1, 414 E. Main DeWitt
- Precincts No 2, 3 and 5 - 780 Wieland Road

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

for the purpose of placing in nomination by all political parties participating therein, candidates for the following offices, viz:

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JACK KZESKI, JR. acting in his capacity as Trustee for the Township of DeWitt, has sanctioned an arbitrary and improper adjustment of sewer use rates within the Township, has arbitrarily and without cause discharged the Police Chief of DeWitt Township, and has failed to

maintain proper communications with the residents of DeWitt Township

STATEMENT OF JACK D. KZESKI, JR.

1. There has been no adjustment of sewer use rates since I have been a Board Member

2. I devote approximately 60 hours per month to my duties as a Township Trustee and have made myself available to speak to any interested person or group that resides in DeWitt Township

3. Some of the reasons why I voted to discharge the Police Chief are:

A. He used Township men and equipment for personal gain

B. He used Township men and equipment to be chauffeured to Lansing School Board meetings and used these employees to conduct Lansing School Board business

C. He removed Township records from the Township Police Department without permission

4. The charges of the petitioners are wholly false and substantiated by any facts what so ever

SHALL EILEEN M. CORR BE RECALLED FROM THE OFFICE OF DEWITT TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE?

YES NO

STATEMENT OF PETITIONERS

Eileen Corr, acting in her capacity as Trustee for the Township of DeWitt, has sanctioned an arbitrary and improper adjustment of sewer use rates within the Township, has arbitrarily and without cause discharged the Police Chief of DeWitt Township, and has failed to maintain proper communications with the residents of DeWitt Township

STATEMENT OF EILEEN M. CORR

I submit the three charges against me, as Trustee for DeWitt Township, are completely unfounded and totally false, as follows:

CHARGE I In fulfilling my duties and obligations as Trustee of DeWitt Township and as a caretaker of the tax monies and rightful interests of its residents, I voted to discharge the Police Chief for the following reasons:

- A. Fabrication of records
- B. Attempted fabrication of records
- C. Dishonesty
- D. Insubordination
- E. Illegal use of license plates on his personal vehicle
- F. Removed Police Department files to his residence without returning same
- G. Used Township facilities, officers and equipment for personal gain and outside business
- H. Lack of interest in providing essential departmental supervision and accountability
- I. Would not, or could not, work cooperatively with other law agencies and departments

CHARGE II I have not only made every attempt possible to communicate with any resident or group wishing information concerning the Township, but have sought out, within time limits, residents and groups to provide information to

SHALL DUNNA B. SYVERSON BE RECALLED FROM THE OFFICE OF DEWITT TOWNSHIP CLERK?

YES NO

STATEMENT OF PETITIONERS

Donna B. Syverson, acting in her capacity as Clerk of the Township of DeWitt, has sanctioned an arbitrary and improper adjustment of sewer use rates within the Township, has arbitrarily and without cause discharged the Police Chief of DeWitt Township, and has failed to maintain proper communications with the residents of DeWitt Township

STATEMENT OF DUNNA B. SYVERSON

1. The current sewer use rates were adopted by the DeWitt Township Board on April 28, 1972 on the recommendation of a professional financial consultant in order to retire the Township debt and finance the construction of the sewer system. The rates have not been changed during my current term of office

2. I voted to discharge the Police Chief because, while on duty in this capacity, he falsified records and improperly used motorcycle plates

3. I maintain regular hours at the Town office and have a telephone listed to the best of my knowledge in the capacity of Township Clerk. I have never refused to talk or communicate with any Township resident

SHALL DALE S. EMERSON BE RECALLED FROM THE OFFICE OF DEWITT TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR?

YES NO

STATEMENT OF THE PETITIONERS

Dale S. Emerson, acting in his capacity as Supervisor of DeWitt Township, has continuously fails to devote full time to his duties as Supervisor, has sanctioned an arbitrary and improper adjustment of sewer use rates within the Township, has arbitrarily and without cause discharged the Police Chief of DeWitt Township, and has failed to maintain proper communications with the residents of DeWitt Township

STATEMENT OF DALES EMERSON

A. I have devoted more than full time to my duties; I normally work at least 50 hours per week.

B. I have not made any adjustments in the sewer use rates. The present rates were established prior to my taking office and have remained the same ever since

C. I voted to discharge the Police Chief because he repeatedly violated the rules of proper conduct. He consistently refused to cooperate with other departments within the Township and County, and has failed to follow directives concerning the operation of his department, and he continually lied about his activities as Police Chief

D. I have never refused to listen or talk with any citizen of DeWitt Township or anyone else. I have repeatedly suggested ideas for improved communication and have made every effort to provide all information requested of me.

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The Poll

4-H Chatter

4-H hosts seven Japanese youth

By JOHN AYLSWORTH

Clinton County 4-H families will host 7 Japanese youth July 25 - Aug 21 as part of the Japan Labo-Michigan 4-H Exchange. This exchange is a pilot program between Michigan and Japan, where Japanese youth visit Michigan this year and Michigan youth visit Japan in 1975. The age of the Japanese youth coming ranges from 10 years to 16 years of age. A total of 66 Japanese youth and 8 adult chaperones will be staying with 4-H families in 15 counties throughout Central and North-eastern Michigan.

The 7 Clinton County 4-H families serving as hosts include: Mahlon Nichols-DeWitt, Dale Kuenzli - St. Johns, Marvin Fongers - St. Johns, Alvin Thelen - St. Johns, Frank Rivest - Elsie, Donald Whitaker - Elsie and Wendal White - Maple Rapids. The Japanese youth will arrive at Michigan State University July 24 and stay overnight with a formal reception and luncheon July 25. Three Clinton County families (Mahlon Nichols, Dale Kuenzli and Marvin Fongers) will attend the luncheon representing all Michigan families and Leslie Kuenzli of St. Johns will give a welcome on behalf of all Michigan 4-H members. The group will be taken by bus to Kettunen Center near Tustin for 3 days of camping and getting acquainted with their Michigan 4-H member host.

Each host family will pick up their Japanese youth Sunday, July 28, at Kettunen Center. The next 3 weeks will be filled with many experiences and activities, as they will participate in an American way of life. Most of the Japanese youth are from urban areas, so the rural and farm experiences will be very new to them. The youth are not used to doing many chores around the home, as they concentrate on studying and going to school almost 11 months out of the year.

The Japanese Labo Teaching Information Center was organized in 1966 for the purpose of creating an awakening of international understanding and awareness among Japanese children through language. The goal of its language education is to enhance human relationships and cultural exchange in the international community. Japanese wives volunteered to provide language experiences and activities in their homes and "Labo Parties" were born. There are now 3000 women and 60,000 children involved in these activities.

In keeping with its goals, an exchange program was initiated in 1972 with the 4-H Clubs of America Michigan is the first state east of the Mississippi to participate in this 2-way exchange. Next year Michigan will send approximately 60 4-H members to stay with Japanese host

families whose children visited Michigan this year. The cost per member in 1975 will be about \$800 for airplane transportation and other costs.

Any Clinton County 4-H member between 12-17 years of age who would be interested in participating in the Japanese exchange in 1975 should contact the Extension Office for more information.

DOUBLE HORSE SHOW
The Double M 4-H Club members held a successful horse show Saturday, July 20, at the home of their leader, Lela Clark. Over 40 horses from youth and adults from Clinton and Gratiot County participated in the show.

RABBIT TOUR
An out-of-the-county 4-H rabbit tour will be held Wednesday, July 31, when the group will visit Langshaw's Rabbitry near Gull Lake. They will see a rabbitry where over 1200 does are kept on a commercial basis, their facilities, research area and, if time permits, a processing plant. Any 4-H members, parents and leaders interested in rabbits are welcome to attend. The group will meet at the Extension Office in St. Johns to leave at 8:30 am. Everyone is to bring a sack lunch.

DAIRY MEMBERS SUCCESSFUL AT CORUNNA
Clinton County 4-H dairy members had an excellent

showing at the District Black and White Show July 18th at Corunna. Karen Green - Brush & Halter 4-H Club - had the Junior and Senior Champion dairy animal in the Junior show and Jeanne Striz - Scattered Southeast placed 2d in showmanship in the Senior show. Other top placings by the members were: Karen Green - 1st - Senior Heifer, 1st - 2 year cow, 1st - 3 year cow and 1st in Junior Showmanship; Jeanne Striz: 2nd in 4 year cow, and the cow with the best udder in the show; Barbara Striz - Scattered Southeast placed 2nd in 2-year old cow class and 4th in Junior Showmanship; Amy Striz - Scattered Southeast - 5th in Junior Showmanship; Kurt Sheldon - Scattered Southeast - 5th in Senior Showmanship; Jill and John Swagart - 4-H wonders - showed several cattle but did not place in the top 2 in their class.

HORTICULTURAL CONTEST
A 4-H Horticultural Identification Contest practice will be held Thursday, July 25, 7 pm at the Extension Office in St. Johns. Members will have an opportunity to identify different vegetables, fruits, ornamentals and judge several class of vegetables and fruits. A horticulture identification contest will be held at the County 4-H Fair Aug 13 and the state contest will be held Aug 20 at Michigan State University. Members interested in participating should plan to attend this session on July 25.

SUSAN STRIZ-DELEGATE
Susan Striz - Scattered Southeast 4-H Club - has been selected as 1 of the 2 Michigan 4-H delegates to the American Institute of Cooperatives Conference Aug 6-9 at Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas. Her trip is sponsored

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Jim's Column

Quest is over

Jim Pelham
Clinton County Extension Director



A little more than 2 years ago, I was one of the lucky 32 to be selected for an enrichment program funded by Kellogg Foundation called Quest for Quality. This was the second and possibly the last group to receive this special training. Our 4-H Youth Agent was selected in the first group so we are one of the few counties to be represented in both experiences. Two weeks ago Quest for Quality II was completed. How did I benefit from it?

When notified of my good fortune, I wasn't sure whether or not I should be happy. After spending much of one's lifetime at school or study, one doesn't exactly jump up and down with joy at prospects of going back to school.

This study proved different than the others, and though we worked hard, it didn't take long to know this program, headed by Doctors Bill Kimball and Ralph Hepp, was to be a great experience.

In the beginning sessions, we became familiar with group processes in problem solving and learned to take stock of ourselves as well as others. We learned something of inner conflict and determined goals and priorities for our future actions.

Most of those picked, were younger than me and so ultra progressive and action oriented at solving the world's problems, I suspected I would never like them. Instead, over the two-year period, I learned to know them and respect their thoughts.

In the beginning of the Detroit area proved outstanding. Prior to this, I was in favor of breaking the city away from the remainder of the state so it could flow down Lake Erie, over Niagara Falls and into the Slime of the ocean where it would never again be heard from!

In Detroit we were forced to hear many of Detroit's problems were at least in part brought on by others, including the suburbs and state and federal government, and city

hall is trying frantically to solve them. We learned property taxes were nearly as high as ours and a half per cent was added to their income tax levy, bring it to one and a half per cent while we were there. We visited casually with the leaders of Solidarity House and learned of their concerns for auto workers and families.

I went with a small delegation to the city of Taylor and found Mayor Trolley and his staff anxious to show us around their city and willing to openly discuss their many problems, including the follies and relatively fewer successes of HUD. We saw the results of frustration in families who purchased government subsidized homes and still were not able to budget their resources so they could pay their share. Homes three and four years old with walls and ceilings kicked out evidenced their wrath. In these areas there were high percentages of southern whites raised in economically impoverished areas who, believe it or not, didn't know how or didn't have any desire to care for a home. These things and much, much more we saw in Detroit.

In our visit to Ann Arbor we saw an ultra progressive community where public and school officials come and go. Seems one of the major problems is everyone is an expert on everything in University Communities and it doesn't take officials too long to get enough advice!

Then up at Harbor Springs we saw money in circulation like you wouldn't believe! Building lots ranged in price from twenty to fifty thousand dollars, and we got some idea of how those people live who really have it! In the same area we talked with the Indian leadership and saw them produce conclusive proof of the white man first using the red man as a friend when the Indians were in command, and later taking advantage and eventually running them out of their homes. The fire at Burt

Lake set by white tax collectors who disregarded an agreement with the governor of this state was vividly described. While the Indian men were away on a hunting trip the whites burned the homes legally occupied by the women and children. These were not teepees, but relatively good permanent homes from which the Indians were driven.

Previously, I discussed our trip to Great Britain last March in this column, but it was a fantastic study with much worth repeating. To us, it was an opportunity to feel a special part of Bishop Burton, one of England's most beautiful villages, where we lived with a farm family for a weekend; it was the attending of a 1200 year old church in Beverley and a chance to see their educational system in process while visiting an elementary class in session.

The University of Edinburgh threw their doors wide open to us and the comparison between this frugal little country with limited resources was revealing with a great lesson for those of us who have difficulties functioning within our budgets. We were surprised to learn British agricultural efficiency nearly appalled ours with their major limitation being they simply do not have the acreage. A particularly interesting point was when a half dozen of our group opted to visit the dairy department at the Reading experimentation station. Our host researcher admitted he hadn't wanted us to come, but had thoroughly enjoyed our exchange and invited further visits and correspondence. The British have done extremely well with government housing and our visits to three entirely new and well-planned cities will never be forgotten. Neither will the London home show (far superior to anything we have seen in the USA) or Hyde Park or Petticoat Lane, but most of all it was the people who hosted us so well, and even the strangers and passers-by who were so very helpful.

Then in May we went to North

Carolina to study cooperative extension. They, too, have a great extension service headed by George Hyatt, an MSU product with whom I first became acquainted in Lenawee County twenty years ago. North Carolina is an agricultural state, and serves farmers well, but doesn't reach out into other areas to the extent we do in Michigan. They have met a need in helping people make good decisions in buying and maintaining homes and it seems as though we should adopt this and a number of other good ideas. We learned much of the system in that state which should be helpful to our administration.

Two weeks ago the Quest for Quality program ended with a study of Western Michigan problems. During that week we had opportunity to visit with Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, Will Erwin, Chairman of the Board of Clark Equipment, Walter Schirmer and Professors John Ferris and Ray Vlassin of Michigan State University. Mayor Joseph of Benton Harbor joined us for lunch one day and representatives of the Grand Mere ecological attempt to save the sand dunes and wildlife habitat spoke of their long battle. Possibly the most interesting part of the whole trip was a visit to Tree-Mendus Fruit Farm, which does absolutely the best job of merchandising that I have ever seen! This farm has a combination of commercial production, rent-a-tree, and pick-your-own. Can you imagine growing a single apple in the top of a tree with a stencil that works with the sun in lettering a message to the picker. After doing this, the tops of the trees have always been the first picked.

I could ramble on about so many new experiences gained from Quest for Quality, but will conclude by saying it was the greatest kind of educational experience, but I am glad its over so I can devote full time to my job in Clinton County.



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Chloe's Column

Food buying facts

Chloe Padgitt
Clinton County Home Economist



"Dollars and Decisions in the Supermarket" was a class offered at College Week for Women at MSU. Clinton County ladies who attended learned some of the following food buying facts.

Did you know that food is the nation's biggest industry? Last year we spent about \$100 billion on food. Increasing labor and operating costs in food retail operations mean you can expect to see stores handling more nonfood items and using fewer employees. Stores will be getting bigger, too, so they can make up for low profits on food sales with larger volume.

Did you know that the value of products stolen from food stores is equal to the net profits of the whole food industry? Your local supermarket doesn't put products on special just for your benefit. Retailers expect sales of featured sale items to be about 350 percent higher than usual.

Shopping with a friend increases your food costs about 10 percent, on the average. Shopping with your family raises costs still more. So do yourself a favor: Shop alone. If you want to control the money you spend for food, try spending less time in the grocery store. Studies have shown that you spend about 50 cents for every minute in the supermarket. And every extra

trip for something you forgot the first time around costs on the average \$7, with most of that going for things you didn't intend to buy.

If you could take advantage of all the featured weekly specials at your grocery store, you could pare about six percent off your food costs.

Be especially wary of impulse purchases when you first enter the grocery store. You are most susceptible to impulse buying when your cart is empty.

You can save money by buying dairy products that are marked down because they are near their pull date - the last day they can be sold - if your family can use the food within a few days. If they can't and the food is wasted, your "savings" is really a loss.

Want to pare pennies off your grocery bill? Then leave those packaged biscuits and cookies in the dairy department and

make baked goods at home yourself. They're cheaper.

You can usually save 6 or 7 cents per pound if you buy stick margarine rather than the soft stuff in the tub.

Cheese that you slice yourself may not be a better buy than ready-sliced cheese. In a package of sliced cheese, all the slices are the same size. Figure on a cost-per-slice basis, ready-sliced cheese may cost less than cheese you cut yourself.

If buying unclassified potatoes in quantity looks to you like a good way to beat high food price, look again before you leap into a big purchase. There are no regulations limiting the number of bad potatoes you may be buying. And you pay as much for the bad ones you can't use as for the good ones you can use. So be careful and buy unclassified potatoes only from someone you know and trust.



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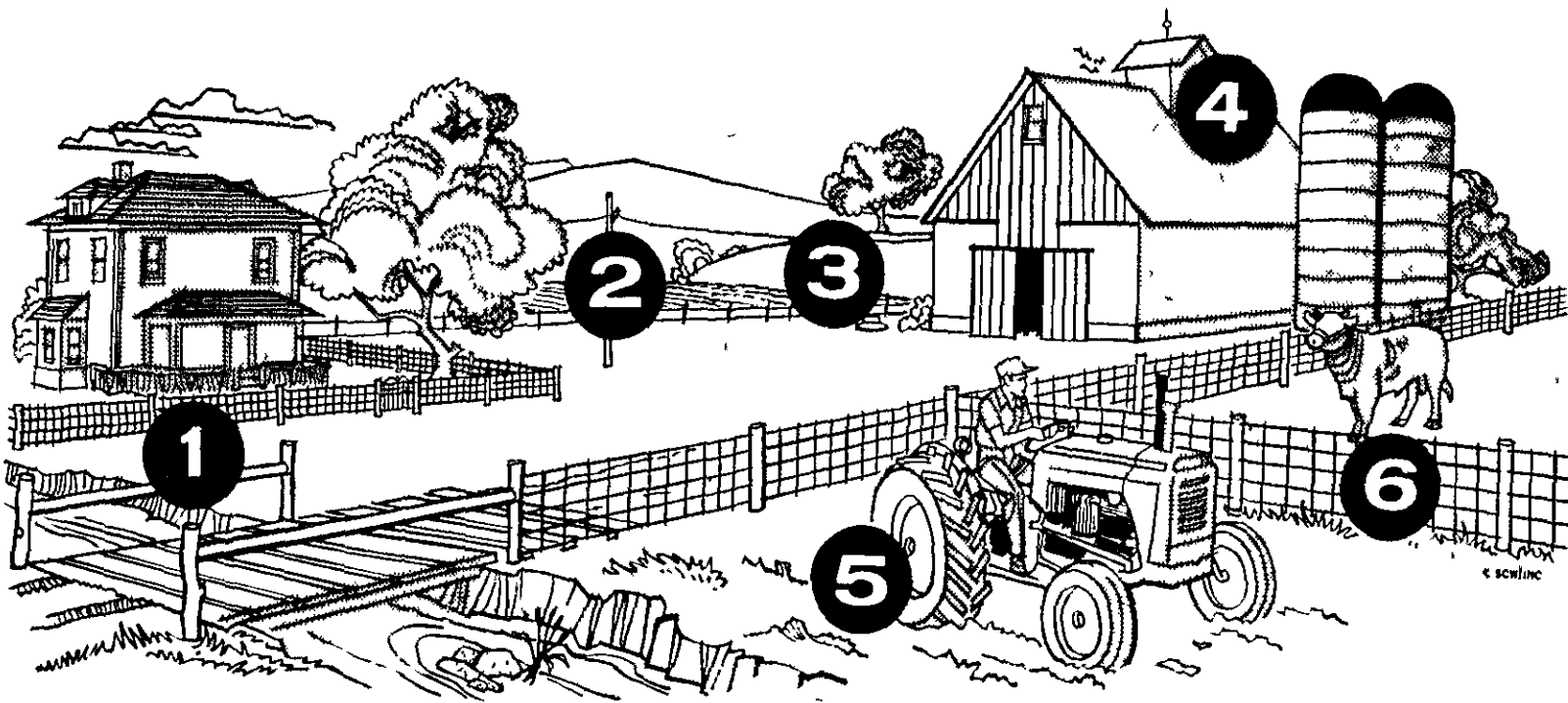
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FARM BUREAU NEWS

Farm Bureau hosts candidate meeting

The 6 candidates for the 30th Senatorial District seat will be on hand at a meeting to be held at Smith Hall in the St. Johns City Park tonight (Thursday).

The meeting, sponsored by the Clinton County Farm Bureau, will be moderated by Robert Smith, legislative

counsel for the Michigan Farm Bureau. It will be a panel type discussion of some issues facing the citizens of Michigan and especially agriculture. Such issues as social legislation, welfare, drugs, taxation, balancing the budget, land use and the environment will be discussed.

The public is invited and will have an opportunity to meet each candidate at the social hour following. Attending will be Richard Allen, Ithaca, Harmon Cropsey, DeWitt; Ed Groot, Lansing, Mrs Mable Stolz, Owosso, Rep Douglas Trezise, Owosso and Richard Warren, DeWitt.

Farm costs compared to those of last year

The following is information prepared by Dan Hall, Director of the Market Development Division Michigan Farm Bureau for use at meetings between farm and city folks. It was given out to those attending the Farm Bureau Rural Urban Tour sponsored by the Clinton County Farm Bureau.

1 The prices paid by farmers for commodities and services for mid-May 1974 was 17% above mid-May 1973.

2 Mid-May 1974 prices paid by farmers for building and fencing materials averaged 4% more than mid-April 1974. Metal products and lumber prices were 2% above mid-May 1973.

3 Prices paid in mid-May 1974 by farmers for family living items was 17% higher than mid-May 1973.

4 Prices paid in mid-May 1974 for autos and auto supplies (including autos, trucks, used autos, and gasoline) averaged 16% more than a year ago.

5 Clothing and textile prices were 15% above May 1973.

6 Labor costs account for nearly 1/3 of the marketing costs of food produced on US farms. In April, 1974, average hourly earnings for employees of firms manufacturing food and

dred products was 8.2% above April 1973 levels.

7 Prices paid by US farmers for production items was 20% above April 1973.

8 Rail, truck, and ocean freight costs have risen sharply during the past 12 months. Costs could average 10% over year earlier figures when current figures are released.

9 Farmers will have paid about 15% more for pesticides in 1974 over 1973 prices.

10 The USDA reports that prices paid for farm machinery advanced 8% from March 1974, when prices were last surveyed. Combines and pick-up balers,

which had not been surveyed since September 1973, contributed most to the increase.

11 Recent projections by the US Dept of Agriculture indicated farm production expenses would rise to \$73.4 billion this year, 14% above the 1973 level and 49% above the level of 3 years ago.

12 As of mid-June, according to the USDA, farm wage rates were 10% above the year-earlier level, while real estate taxes were up 5% interest expenses were up 14%, reflecting increased borrowings and record high interest rates.

Farm Bureau to have cherry sale

There will be cherries available through the Macma Division of Michigan Farm Bureau, and they will be handled through the County Farm

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Jack and Alan Anderson (center) describe milking operation at Anderson Farm During the Rural-Urban Tour.

Area students attend seminar

Over 200 high school juniors and seniors from throughout the state spent the week of June 24 at Albion College learning about their citizenship responsibilities.

This was the 11th consecutive year the Michigan Farm Bureau has sponsored the "Young People's Citizenship Seminar."

Students at the 5-day seminar were selected by county Farm Bureaus in cooperation with their local schools. Their attendance was sponsored by county Farm Bureaus and insurance agencies, local civic clubs and businesses.

With nationally known resource people conducting the classes, the young people studied such topics as people and governments around the

world, America's private enterprise and political campaigns, and held primary and general elections, using voting machines loaned by the city of Albion.

Instructors included lecturer-author Dr. John Furbay, Dr. Clifton Ganus, president of Harding College, Searcy, Ark., and Professor John Sparks, economics expert from Hillsdale College.

Kenn Wimmer, Michigan Farm Bureau regional representative, guided the students in their political activities. A popular speaker with the youth for the past several seasons, Art Hobt, National Football League line judge, also appeared on the program.

The students will be sharing their experiences at the

seminar with interested groups in their home communities.



Rural-Urban Tour participants enjoy a chicken barbecue at Sleepy Hollow.

Extension calendar

July 25 - 4-H Horticulture Identification Meeting
 July 25-31 - National Farm Safety Week
 July 26 - 4-H Softball Playoffs Begin.
 July 26 - State Black and White Show - Goodells
 July 27 - State Purebred Guernsey Sale - Fairgrounds, St. Johns
 July 31 - 4-H Rabbit Tour to Gull Lake
 Aug 1 - Fair Superintendent Meeting, 8 pm
 Aug 2 - 4-H Softball Playoff Championship Games, St. Johns City Park

Aug 7 - Pickling Cucumber Field Day at Eaton Rapids
 Aug 7 - 4-H Demonstration & Action Exhibit Contest
 Aug 7 - 4-H Family Living Fun Day for Boys and Girls, Ages 9-12, at Park Lake
 Aug 7-8 - District 4-H Softball Playoffs
 Aug 8 - Field Day, MSU Bean & Beet Research Farm, Saginaw
 Aug 11 - State Sheep Show, 10 am, Ionia Fairgrounds
 Aug 12-14 - Clinton County 4-H Fair
 Aug 13 - State Farm

Management Tour, Tuscola County
 Aug 14 - Planning Commission, Court House, 7 pm
 Aug 15 - Central Michigan & Barry County Holstein Breeders Sale, Ionia
 Aug 18 - Clinton County Holstein Association Picnic at Ervin Martens
 August 20-22 - State 4-H Activities, MSU
 Aug 23 Sept 2 - Michigan State Fair, Detroit
 Aug 26 - Operation Information II - Annual Update for Area Home Economists, Pine River Country Club, Alma

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WE HAVE Pincor generators. Hafner's Electric, 616 S. Main Fowler, phone 593-2188. 34-U-27

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Notice 29

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TO SETTLE ESTATE I am offering for sale to highest bidder DORA KLEIN HOUSE located on N Willow St. next to corner of St. Mary's Church northeast corner of St. Mary's Church property in Westphalia, Mich. All bids must be in writing and submitted to me on or before August 6, 1974. For information, contact John J. Klein, 11138 W. M-21, Box 62, Fowler, Michigan Phone 593-2623. 12-3-p-29

ANNUAL MEETING of Union Home Cemetery Association will be Aug. 1 at 1.30 at Thelma Costellas on S Gratiot County Line Rd Anyone interested in Cemetery welcome to attend 12-3-p-29

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In Memoriam 31

In Memoriam Anthony J. Thelen, who passed away five years ago, July 21, 1969. July brings sad memories of one who has gone to rest. You'll never be forgotten, Dad, By the ones who loved you best Wife, children and grandchildren 13-1-p-31

LEGAL NEWS

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Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News

Probate Court

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

July 31, 1974
Clara S. Hufnagel— Claims
Martha M. Miller— Final Account
Harold J. Wolfe— Claims
Millie G. Campbell— Claims and Heirs
Raymond Van Alter— Claims
Lyonel R. Studt— Will and Heirs

Real Estate Transfers

From records in office of Register of Deeds

July 9: Johnson Marilyn to Donald and Ella Mae Witt property in Sec 9 Riley
July 9: Ducharme, Donald R. and Marlene to Berry Construction Co. Lot 1, 2, Cateau Hills
July 9: Ducharme, Donald R. and Marlene to Frank W and Anna M. McKnight Lot 152 Geneva Sh No 1
July 9: Taffee, Ethel E to Ethel E. Taffee, Kathryn V. Durner Barbara Anne Taffee Lot 46 Idylcrest Est No 2
July 9: Fedewa Builders Inc to Dale M. and Connie S Martens property in Sec 9 Riley
July 10: Vigas, Edgar Lee and Mae to Raymond A. and Mary Lou McPherson property in Sec 20 Greenbush
July 10: McPherson, Raymond A. and Mary Lou to C Gene and Vickie C Hinton property in Sec 20 Greenbush
July 10: Zerba, Donald K and Melva M. to George F. and Frieda L. Motcheck property in Sec 16 Watertown
July 10: Presocki, John and Emily to Edwin H. and Gertrude A. Lamb property in Sec 9 Olive
July 10: Houser, Sharon M. to Bernard E. and Linda M. Simmer Lot 13 Dondale Sub D
July 10: Edgerly, Morris Earl and Karen Marie to John R. and Sandra M. Guthrie Lot 4 Northland Acres
July 10: L. and L. Farms to Larry T. Schaefer Inc property in Sec 10 Riley
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July 11: Mullaney, Joseph F. and Laura M. to Ronald and

Delores Phinney property in Sec 35 Bingham
July 11: Fricke, Kenneth and Irene to Ronald and Delores Phinney property in Sec 1 Olive
July 11: Millbrook Meadows to Gary L. and Patricia M. Newcombe Lot Millbrook Meadows No 1
July 11: Biochot, Anna; Biochot Josephina A.; Biochot, Donald P. to Joseph F. and Isabel C. Donahue Lot 134 Boichot Ac No 3
July 11: Donahue, Joseph F. and Isabel C. to Verlin Ray Bateman Lot 134 Boichot Ac No 3
July 11: Kingman, Robert N. and Virginia M. to William R. and Laura E. Johnson property in Sec 22 Olive
July 12: Conn, Robert A. and Frances B. to Norbert J. and Mariette A. Rehmann Lot 10, 11, Blk 13 St Johns
July 12: O'Boyle, Robert J. and Cecelia A. to James B. and Shirley M. Ward outlot G Subv Pl No 1 Bath
July 12: Bowen, Carol Ann to Richard E. and Linda M. Price property in Sec 23 Greenbush

LEGAL NOTICES

State of Michigan, in the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton.

ORDER TO ANSWER
SANDRA KAY GAVITT, Plaintiff vs. DONALD LEROY GAVITT, Defendant. File No 74-5124DM GCR 120 5

On June 18, 1974, an action was filed by Plaintiff, in this Court to obtain a decree of absolute divorce

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendant, DONALD LEROY GAVITT, shall answer or take such other action in this Court as may be permitted by law on or before Sept 18, 1974. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a judgment by Default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the fees or costs of publication be paid by Clinton County

HONORABLE LEO W. CORNIN,
Circuit Judge

(Countersigned)
Virgene Krehel
Deputy Clerk

DATE OF ORDER June 18, 1974
9-5

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON FORECLOSURE

Public notice is hereby given, that pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and order of sale entered by the Circuit Court for the county of Clinton, State of Michigan, on the 22nd day of April, 1974, in favor of plaintiffs, John W. Cockrum and Elma G. Cockrum, and against Robert L. Klausung, Sandra J. Klausung, James L. Fedewa and Linda Fedewa, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, at a public auction to be held at front door of Clinton County Court House, St. Johns, Michigan, on the 8th day of August, 1974, at 9 a.m. That part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 5, T7N, R2W, Bingham Township, Clinton County, Michigan, described as follows: beginning at a point in the West right of way line of Highway US-27, said point being north 89° 06' 00" West 140.00 feet and South 00° 11' 00" West 150.00 feet from the East 1/2 corner of said Section 5, thence South 00° 11' 00" West 309.7 feet along said right of way line; thence North 89° 06' 00" West 210.00 feet; thence North 00° 11' 00" East 309.7 feet, thence South 89° 06' 00" East 210.00 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 1.49 acres and subject to any and all easements and restrictions of record record

GORDON L. WILLYOUNG, District Court Magistrate
Clinton County, Michigan
Dated June 20, 1974.
SUTTON, MATTHEWS & McKELVEY
Attorneys for the Plaintiff
2925 Wood Street
Lansing, Michigan 48906
10-5

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of CLINTON

Estate of JOSEPH WILLIAM THELEN, Deceased

TAKE NOTICE On Wednesday August 14th, 1974, at 9:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Paul Thelen and Leon Thelen, Co-Administrators of the Estate of Joseph William Thelen, Deceased for allowance of their Final Account.

Dated: July 22nd, 1974
S/Paul Thelen & Leon Thelen
Petitioners
R#2 R#3
Fowler, Mich. St. Johns, Mich.
200 W. State
St. Johns, Mich.
Phone 224-4604
13-1

State of Michigan, Department of Agriculture, Drain Section.
NOTICE OF MEETING OF DRAINAGE BOARD
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that on the 13th day of May, 1974, a Petition was filed with Fred W. Baker County Drain Commissioner of the county of Shiawassee asking for the cleaning out, relocating, widening, deepening, straightening, tiling, extending, or relocating along a highway of the Thomas Joint Drain.
And Whereas the Drainage District of the Thomas Joint Drain includes lands within the Township of Fairfield County of Shiawassee, Township of Duplain County of Clinton Township of Elba County of Gratiot.
And Whereas, a certified copy of said Petition was served upon Dale R. Chapman County Drain Commissioner of the County of Clinton, Thomas E. Moore County Drain Commissioner of the County of Gratiot and the Director of Agriculture, by Fred W. Baker County Drain Commissioner of the County of Shiawassee
Now, Therefore, in accordance with Act No. 40, P.A. 1956, as amended, a meeting of the Drainage Board of said drain will be held where the drain crosses the County Line on the E. side of Meridian Rd., N. of Maple Rapids Rd., between Sect 1 Duplain Twp., Clinton County and Sect 8 Fairfield Twp., Shiawassee County in the township of Fairfield county of Shiawassee, on the 6th day of August 1974, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, to determine the practicalness of said improvement.
Now, Therefore, all persons owning lands liable to an assessment for benefits or whose lands will be crossed by said drain, or any municipality affected, are requested to be present at said meeting, if they so desire.
Dated at Lansing, Michigan, this 2nd day of July 1974
B. Dale Ball, Director of Agriculture
By Stanley R. Quackenbush, Deputy Director in Charge of Drains (Inter-County).
12-2

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of CLINTON

Estate of MYRUL L. ROCK, Mentally Incompetent.

TAKE NOTICE On October 23, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, at St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held at which all creditors of said Mentally Incompetent person are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Ford McBride, Guardian, 14 Mile Road, Kent City, Michigan, prior to said hearing.
Dated: July 16, 1974.
S/Jefferon P. Arnold
Petitioner
Jefferon P. Arnold
Attorney for Ford McBride, Guardian
100 E. Center Street
Ithaca, Michigan 48847
13-1

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12-2

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of CLINTON

Estate of DORIS I. THOMPSON, Deceased

TAKE NOTICE On Wednesday, October 23rd, 1974, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Douglas J. Thompson, Executor, 811 N. Clinton, St. Johns, Michigan, prior to said hearing.
Dated: July 17, 1974
S/DOUGLAS J. THOMPSON
Petitioner
811 N. Clinton
St. Johns, Michigan
Robert H. Wood
200 W. State
St. Johns, Mich
Phone 224-4604.
13-1

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NOTICE OF MEETING OF DRAINAGE BOARD
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
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And Whereas, a certified copy of said Petition was served upon Dale R. Chapman County Drain Commissioner of the County of Clinton, Thomas E. Moore County Drain Commissioner of the County of Gratiot and the Director of Agriculture, by Fred W. Baker County Drain Commissioner of the County of Shiawassee
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Now, Therefore, all persons owning lands liable to an assessment for benefits or whose lands will be crossed by said drain, or any municipality affected, are requested to be present at said meeting, if they so desire.
Dated at Lansing, Michigan, this 2nd day of July 1974
B. Dale Ball, Director of Agriculture
By Stanley R. Quackenbush, Deputy Director in Charge of Drains (Inter-County).
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Dated: July 16, 1974.
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B. Dale Ball, Director of Agriculture
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200 W. State
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Phone 224-4604.
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PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of ROY FRED CHAMBERLAIN, Deceased, File No. 19210.

TAKE NOTICE: On October 23, 1974, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Court-house, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held to re-affirm the admission of will to probate; re-affirm the appointment of Duane H. Chamberlain as Executor of said estate; determination of heirs, and all creditors must file statements of claim with Court, sending copy to Duane H. Chamberlain, Executor, of 305 West Front Street, Ovid, Michigan.

Dated: July 17, 1974
S/Duane H. Chamberlain
305 West Front Street
Ovid, Michigan 48866
Attorney for Petitioner
Lewis D. Benson (P10700)
203 Owosso Savings Bank Building
Owosso, Mich. 48867
Phone 725-2117
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Now, Therefore, in accordance with Act No. 40, P.A. 1956, as amended, a meeting of the Drainage Board of said drain will be held where the drain crosses the County Line on the E. side of Meridian Rd., N. of Maple Rapids Rd., between Sect 1 Duplain Twp., Clinton County and Sect 8 Fairfield Twp., Shiawassee County in the township of Fairfield county of Shiawassee, on the 6th day of August 1974, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, to determine the practicalness of said improvement.
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Riley and Olive

By Mrs Goldie Moore

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Cooperative barge and rail system will ease fertilizer shortage, move grain

LANSING - C.F. Industries, owned by Farm Bureau Services and other regional supply cooperatives, has announced formation of a new, inter-regional transportation cooperative.

Michigan is represented in this effort by Elton Smith, a voting shareholder in C.F. Industries who is also president of Michigan Farm Bureau and Farm Bureau Services, and William Callum, vice-president for the Farm Supply Division of Farm Bureau Services serves on C.F. Industries' Board of Directors
The system employs 7 tow boats and over 200 covered hopper barges, with facilities to maintain, repair, fleet, switch and clean barges
Agri-Trans, as the system is known, plans to ship nitrogen and phosphate fertilizers from C.F. Industries' plants in Florida and Louisiana up the Mississippi River and inland waterways to the company's terminals and warehouses in the Midwest
Downriver, the coop system will barge member-owners grain to Gulf Coast export facilities. Michigan farmers are expected to benefit from the system because the combination of barge and rail transport will relieve pressure on the railroads, balance movements and free rail equipment for inland shipments.

According to C.F. Industries President R.R. Baxter, "With fertilizer barge shipments expected to increase five-fold in the next five years, a barging operation became essential to CF Industries' planned logistical system in order to maintain and improve service to its member-owned cooperatives at the lowest possible distribution cost
"Grain cooperatives faced similar problems in moving their products from the Midwest to the Gulf. To insure full cargoes up and down the river, it was natural that CF work with the grain co-ops to form Agri-Trans.
"The ultimate beneficiary of Agri-Trans is the cooperative farmer, who now owns the means of getting his fertilizer in the right place at the right time, and is no longer dependent on others to move his grain to market."
"Operation of the new transportation cooperative is the responsibility of Joseph W. Rose, formerly executive vice president of Rose Barge Line, Inc. St. Louis CF Industries purchased the capital stock of Rose Barge Line in February; assets and liabilities were liquidated into CF Industries June 30, and simultaneously transferred to Agri-Trans Joseph Rose is now CF Industries executive vice president, bargaining operations. Former Rose Barge Line board chairman and president Earl C. Rose is acting as a consultant to the bargaining operations.

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Clinton County Board of Commissioners minutes

May 21, 1974

The Clinton County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, May 21, 1974 at 9:00 a.m. Prayer was offered by Ernest Carter. A pledge of allegiance was given to the flag. Roll was called and quorum reported. Present were Derrill Shinabery, William Hufnagel, Harold Martin, Maurice Gove, Donald Gilson, Duane Chamberlain, Roger Overway, Dyle Henning, Alta Reed, Virginia Zeeb and Richard Hawks. Also present were Betty Minsky, State Journal, and Linda Heyboer, (10:00 a.m.) Clinton County News.

Minutes of the May 7, 1974 meeting were presented. Corrections were made. Reed moved, supported by Martin, to approve the minutes as corrected. Voted and carried.

Overway moved, supported by Zeeb, to reconsider the vote on re-appraisal. Voted and carried.

Voting on the original motion as amended by roll call the results were as follows: Aye - Shinabery, Martin, Chamberlain, Overway, Henning and Hawks. Nay - Hufnagel, Gove, Gilson, Reed and Zeeb. Six (6) aye - Five (5) nay. Motion declared carried.

Chairman Shinabery referred the matter of re-appraisal to the Finance Committee to investigate and make a recommendation to the Board.

Communications

Chairman Shinabery appointed Commissioner Reed to the Advisory Board of East Michigan Tourist Association. They will meet at Bill Olivers Restaurant at Houghton Lake, June 6, 1974 at 10:00 a.m.

Robert Russell, State Supervisor of Jail Inspections, states Clinton County Jail is clean and well kept, forms and records are in order. He refers to overcrowding in both the inmates and administration sections and offers the services of their consulting architect to assist in future planning. Zeeb moved, supported by Hufnagel, to receive and place on file. Voted and carried.

A notice from D.N.R. of a State Training Session on Michigan Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Law is scheduled for Monday, June 10, 1974 beginning at 1:00 p.m. thru Tuesday noon June 11th in Lansing Capitol Complex Law Building was read. Gilson moved, supported by Henning, to designate Arden Pierson to attend the session. Voted and carried.

A letter from Alden Livingston states he does not wish to be considered for re-appointment to the County Zoning Commission at the end of his present term. He has served for more than 24 years and has served as Chairman for most of that time. He expressed his appreciation for the confidence and consideration which has been shown him. He expresses a desire for a little less work and more free time. Gove moved, supported by Hufnagel, to accept to Mr. Livingston's request and to express sincere appreciation for his long and devoted service. Voted and carried.

A statement from Michigan Grand River Watershed Council for membership dues July 1, 1974 thru June 30, 1975 in the amount of \$850.15 was read and placed on file.

The Board recessed at 9:55 a.m.

On resuming session, Irving Taylor, John Kessler and Bud Burgess appeared on behalf of CACHPA. Mr. Taylor reviewed the CACHPA program. They are requesting financial support of .10c per capita, approximately \$5,200 annually. Mr. Burgess made a request for support by the Board of Commissioners, both by appointed representatives as well as official recognition. The matter was discussed. Gove moved, supported by Zeeb, that the Health Committee study the matter and make a recommendation to the Board. Voted and carried.

Equalization study was presented. Present were: Leon Thelen, Gerald Shepard, Walter Neolis - Lebanon, Earl Barks - Olive, Russell Libbey - Duplain, Harold Benson - Bingham, Bruce Wood - City of St. Johns, Herman Oplander - Watertown, Russell Howe - Eagle, Clayton Wright - Essex, Carol Bashore - Ovid, Robert Remus - Victor, Norman Thelen - Riley, Dale Emerson - DeWitt, Walter Thelen - Westphalia, William Cox - Greenbush, and Roy Vansickle - Bath.

Commissioner Henning reports that as a result of the State Tax Commission studies, Clinton County is scheduled to receive an overall increase of approximately 10% for 1974. The Finance Committee will meet with the State Tax Commission, Thursday, May 23rd in an attempt to seek a proper explanation of their action. A general discussion followed with a majority of supervisors expressing concern and also dissatisfaction with S.T.C. arbitrary procedures. DeWitt Township drew criticism for initiating their tax appeal.

On a show of hands the assessors expressed complete satisfaction with Director, Leon Thelen and the Equalization Department.

Emerson states the Equalization department is capable but understaffed.

Commissioner Henning renewed his request for historical facts and reference persons to assist with the Bi-Centennial Program.

Roman Koenigsnecht appeared and reviewed the proposal to amend the County Future Land Use plan. Bids were submitted by four (4) consulting firms. The Planning Commission recommends that the contract be awarded to the low bidder. TCRPC submitted a bid of \$4,250.00. Chairman Shinabery referred the matter to the Government and Finance Committee for a recommendation.

Mr. Koenigsnecht also states that we are presently receiving numerous requests for planning materials and he seeks direction as to making a charge for such materials.

The Board recessed for lunch at 12:05 p.m.

P.M. SESSION

On again coming to order, reading of communications was continued.

A letter from a DeWitt Township family expressed their concern over the "Rock Festival", valuation increases, lack of respect for private property rights etc. was read and placed on file.

Commissioner Zeeb reported on the DeWitt Township "Rock Festival". It was apparently kept under reasonable control.

Henning moved, supported by Reed, to send letters of appreciation to the various agencies who cooperated to keep the Concert within reasonable limits. Voted and carried.

A communication from Rep. Dale Warner giving recognition to the Board's position opposing H.B. 4589 and 5084 was read and placed on file.

A Resolution from M.A.C. in opposition to a proposal by the U.S. Dept. of Transportation to abandon certain RR lines was read. Zeeb moved, supported by Hufnagel, to adopt and send to M.A.C. a resolution on Railroads. Voted and carried.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, a proposal by the United States Department of Transportation would close 37% of Michigan's existing railroad lines serving 8 million persons;

AND WHEREAS, a reduction in existing railroad lines would tend to increase the cost of freight which would ultimately increase the costs of goods to consumers;

AND WHEREAS, the abandonment would aggravate the existing fuel shortage by requiring more transportation by gas and oil burning vehicles;

AND WHEREAS, this forced shift to trucking would overburden our already crowded highways;

AND WHEREAS, this would also mean a great loss of employment in the rail and allied industries which would add to our already worsening employment problems, in Michigan;

AND WHEREAS, increased truck traffic would add to the air and noise pollution of the state;

AND WHEREAS, many business and small industries would be forced to move or close down their operations causing economic hardships for their owners, their employees and their local units of government;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT CLINTON COUNTY expresses the greatest concern over this proposed abandonment and calls upon public agencies including the Department of Natural Resources, Michigan Public Services Commission and Commerce Department and private agencies such as the Farm Bureau and Chamber of Commerce to develop meaningful statistical information for hearing to be held in Michigan and Washington D.C. in order to protect our basic rail system.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, THAT CLINTON COUNTY URGES the Governor of Michigan to call upon our sister states of the Great Lakes Region to join in a common effort to protect the rail system of the region which is so vital to our economic and ecological survival.

Gilson reported on the Manpower Program. They have a funding of \$2,000,000. plus for the Tri-County Area. They are attempting to limit administrative costs to not exceed 20% of total budget.

Gilson also reported on the Government Exchange Day. Arden & Ann Westover from Monroe County were Clinton County guests for the day. The Westovers were a delightful couple. The turnout by officials was very good. It was a beautiful day and a very worthwhile one.

Henning reported on the exchange with Monroe County. Chairman Shinabery along with himself and their wives were very cordially received and spent an interesting and informative day. Monroe County has 14 townships, 11 Commissioners, population approximately 125,000 with a substantial tax base. Detroit Edison being a major one. Monroe County does have considerable amount of agriculture. The people do have a considerable interest and pride in their heritage and have an excellent historical museum.

Commissioner Henning then reported for tax allocation. Maximum tax rate has been set at - School - 8 mills, County - 5.35 mills, Township - 1 mill and Intermediate School District - 15 mills for a total of 15 mills. A final hearing will be held on Wednesday, May 29th at 1:30 p.m.

The advisability of submitting to the electors at the November election the proposal to adopt fixed millage was discussed. There was an apparent lack of enthusiasm for fixed millage at this time. Overway reported for Property Management Committee.

Bids for new Station Wagon for the Drain Commissioner were read.

One 1974 Chevrolet, BelAir - 4 door 2 seat Station Wagon
Bill O'Shaughnessy Chev., Inc.
DeWitt, Michigan 48820 less trade-in \$3,260.00

One 1974 Ford Ranch Wagon - 4 door Station Wagon
Egan Ford Sales, Inc.
St. Johns, Michigan 48879 less trade-in 3,194.00

The Committee recommends that we pay \$267.50 per month for a maintenance agreement with Motorola on the Sheriff's communication equipment.

The Committee also recommends that we pay \$50.00 a year for a maintenance agreement for the Sheriff's Dictaphone equipment.

Overway moved, supported by Hufnagel, to purchase from Egan Ford Sales, Inc., a new station wagon for the Drain Commissioners Office at a trade-in difference of \$3,194.00. Voted and carried.

Overway moved, supported by Gove, to enter into a maintenance agreement contract with Motorola at a monthly charge of \$267.50.

The Chairman declared a recess at 3:10 p.m.

On resuming session, Sheriff Hufnagel explained the maintenance agreement. They do have frequent service calls and it covers specialized equipment. The motion was then voted and carried.

Overway moved, supported by Zeeb, to enter into a maintenance contract with Dictaphone, at \$550.00 per year for the Sheriff's Department. Voted and carried.

Martin reported on the Consortium for the Aging. The Committee has met several times. Roxanne O'Connor has been appointed director. (Her salary not confirmed at this time). They recommend that Chloe Padgett be appointed to serve on the Advisory Council.

Martin moved, supported by Reed, to appoint Chloe Padgett to serve as the agency representative on the Advisory Council Consortium for the Aging Title III Act. Voted and carried.

Two Senior Citizens are to be named to act on the Council. He seeks nominations for appointments to be made at the next meeting.

Commissioner Chamberlain called Harold Benson who presented a request by the Clinton Area Ambulance Service for a long term lease of County owned property near the hospital to house ambulances. They propose to erect a 40x42 building.

Gove moved, supported by Gilson, to authorize the Chairman & Clerk to enter into a lease agreement with the Ambulance Service for a 15 year period.

Said lease subject to approval (including plans) by the Land Use Committee.

After discussion the motion was withdrawn.

Gove then moved, supported by Gilson, to give tentative approval of a lease agreement with Clinton Area Ambulance Service of a site near the D.P.W. building for the erection of a garage to house ambulances. Site and plans to be approved by the Land Use Committee. Voted and carried.

Reed moved, supported by Hawks, to pay Commissioners expense accounts as presented. Voted and carried.

Zeeb moved, supported by Hufnagel, to adjourn at this time and to meet again Tuesday, June 4, 1974 at 9:00 a.m. Voted and Carried.

Meeting adjourned.

June 4, 1974

The Clinton County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, June 4, 1974 at 9:00 a.m. Prayer was offered by Dyle Henning. A pledge of allegiance was given to the flag. Roll was called and a quorum reported. Present were Derrill Shinabery, William Hufnagel, Harold Martin, Maurice Gove, Duane Chamberlain, Roger Overway, Dyle Henning, Alta Reed, Virginia Zeeb and Richard Hawks. Don Gilson was excused. Also present were Betty Minsky, State Journal, William Langeland and Al Frohner, General Telephone, and Linda Heyboer, Clinton County News (10:00 a.m.)

Minutes of the May 21, 1974 meeting were presented. Corrections were made. Reed moved, supported by Gove, to approve the minutes as corrected. Voted and carried.

Communications.
Letters from State Representatives Powell and Trezise in recognition of the Board's opposition to substitute H.B. 4913 which would assign an additional Judge to the 65th District Court were read and placed on file.

A billing from Michigan Township's Association for membership dues, July 1, 1974 thru June 30, 1975 in the amount of \$75.00 was read. Chamberlain moved, supported by Henning to approve payment. Voted and carried.

A request by Edna Eldred, President of Blue Star Mothers Chapter 98, St. Johns, for permission to place a monument on the Court House lawn in memory of those who served in the Korean and Vietnam conflicts was read. Chairman referred the matter to the Property Management Committee with power to act. (They are to confer with R.G. Becher).

A Resolution from Dickinson County Board of Commissioners opposing Antlerless deer hunting in Dickinson and Menominee Counties was read. Reed moved, supported by Henning, to concur with the resolution and to send copies to Governor Milliken, our Senator and Representatives. Voted and carried.

A request from James Stewart, Program Coordinator Tri-County Manpower Area Planning Council, to support a summer job program for youth and to proclaim June 5 through July 5 "Y.E.S. Youth Employment Summer Month". Martin moved, supported by Reed, to adopt the "Proclamation". Voted and carried.

The Board recessed at 9:45 a.m.
On resuming session William Langeland and Al Frohner presented slides of General Telephone operations. Their investment in Michigan presently exceeds \$360,000,000 and is expanding.

The Company encourages employees to participate in local activities and they also supported by director contribution worthwhile community projects. Mr. Langeland expressed appreciation for the opportunity to make the presentation.

With Leon Thelen, Bruce Wood and William Cox present, Commissioner Henning reported on the meeting with the State Tax Commission. In meeting with Robert Purnell Chairman and others, they were cordially received and allowed to present their case. However, at the final hearing the 10% factor was upheld by the S.T.C. and legal action appears to be the only recourse for the County. The matter was discussed.

Chamberlain presented the names of four (4) persons for appointment to the Zoning Commission.

Robert Fedewa Westphalia
Harold Rappuhn Bingham Twp.
Douglas Weir Bingham Twp.
Jack Wiswamer Bath Twp.

Voting by ballot results were as follows:
Fedewa 4 Weir 0
Rappuhn 7 Wiswamer 9

Wiswamer and Rappuhn declared appointed for a three (3) year term.

Commissioner Zeeb reported on a meeting of Michigan Association of Regions held at Mackinaw Island. She attended this meeting at her own expense.

Martin reported on the Senior Citizens Consortium. They will have five (5) full time employees with a salary range of \$8,790.00 to \$16,309. for Director. Nominations to the Advisory Board were opened with the following persons being nominated:

Wallace Watts Margaret Fedewa
Mary Welton Mercedes Farley

Henning moved, supported by Hawks, to close nominations. Voted and carried. Voting by ballot, results were as follows:

Welton 9 Watts 10
Fedewa 0 Farley 1

Welton and Watts declared appointed with Farley as alternate. DeWitt Township has filed legal suit against Clinton County and Bath Charter Township over ownership and operations of the Sewage Treatment Plant. The matter of engaging outside legal counsel was discussed. Martin moved, supported by Hufnagel, to approve outside legal counsel and to refer the matter to the Government & Personnel Committee who are to confer with D.P.W. and Bath Charter Township. Voted and carried.

The Board recessed at 12 o'clock noon.

On again coming to order, Hawks moved, supported by Reed, to pay bills for the month of May in the amount of \$19,649.21 as approved by the Adult Committee. Voted and carried.

Arnold Minark, Zoning Administrator, presented the action taken by and the recommendations of the Zoning Commission at their May 16, 1974 meeting.

Item I - DeWitt Township (Clayton Corp.)
Zone A-1, Agriculture to R-1C, One-Family Medium Density Residential. Henning moved, supported by Overway, to approve the request and to rezone. Voted and carried.

Reg. at the SW cor. of the SE 1/4 Section 28, T5N-R2W, DeWitt Township Clinton County, Michigan, thence North 204.5 feet, East 213 feet, South 204.5 feet, West 213 feet to point of beginning.

Item II - DeWitt Township (John Hamblin)
B-1, Local Business to B-2, General Business

Mr. & Mrs. Hamblin were present to present their reasons for the request. Chamberlain moved, supported by Martin, to approve the request and rezone. Voted and carried.

Reg. 684 feet North SW cor. of Section 3, T5N-R2W, N. 10 rods, E 16 rods, S 10 rods, W 16 rods to beginning.

Item III - Eagle Township (Consumers Power Co.)
A Special Use Permit to erect an electrical substation.

Henning moved, supported by Hawks, to approve the request and to grant a Special Use Permit. Voted and carried.

The West 330 feet of the North 330 feet of the South 495 feet of the NE 1/4 of Section 23, Eagle Township Clinton County, Michigan. Martin reported for the Health Committee.

District Court "OPEN HOUSE" will be held June 23, 1974. (Tentative date)

Overway moved, supported by Zeeb, to approve payment of \$866.70 for drapes, curtains and wall paper for District Court Building. Voted and carried.

Property Management Committee was given power to act in supplying desk mats for District Court Building.

The Committee approved payment of \$110.00 for a sign to be installed at the Sanitary Land Fill in Watertown Township. (To be charged to the County Commissioners Account).

Henning reported for the Finance Committee. He moved, supported by Gove, to transfer \$6,000.00 from Contingency Fund to the Mental Health Account. Voted and carried.

He moved, supported by Overway, to approve a contract with TCRPC for \$4,250.00 to update and furnish maps for the Future Land Use Plan. Voted and carried.

Henning moved, supported by Zeeb, to approve a charge of \$5.00 (purchase price) per copy for Policy Determination Study. Voted and carried.

Zeeb reported for the Health Committee
Programs being proposed are - Substance Abuse Act Program, Quality Water Control, Preview of Proposed sub-division sites.

A note from Arden & Ann Westover expressing their appreciation of the enjoyable visit and the courtesy shown them on Government Exchange Day was read and placed on file.

A note from Brandon White, Chairman Republican Committee, supported the nomination of Harold Rappuhn to the County Zoning Commissions. Also Edward Idzkowski of the County Library Board.

The Board recessed at 2:25 p.m.

On resuming session, Chairman Shinabery presented an award certificate to Alden Livingston for his 25 years of service as a member of the County Zoning Commission. Mr. Livingston expressed his appreciation for the recognition and the fine cooperation accorded him.

Chairman Shinabery then presented an award to Gerald Shepard for his eighteen years of devoted service as Bath Charter Township Supervisor, County Supervisor and County Commissioner, District No. 11. Mr. Shepard expressed his appreciation of the courtesy and consideration shown him by all county officials.

George Moore, Supervisor of Duplain Township for 21 years and a member of the County Board of Supervisors for 15 years was also awarded a certificate of appreciation for his years of devoted service.

Commissioner Henning reports that no decision has been reached at this time on filing an appeal to the State Tax Commission on the County equalization factor.

Sheriff Hufnagel seeks direction in the matter of seeking a Federal Grant to conduct a study of the County Jail needs.

Henning moved, supported by Hawks, to investigate the possibility of securing such a grant. Voted and carried.

Zeeb moved, supported by Reed, to adjourn at this time and to meet again Tuesday, June 18, 1974 at 1:00 P.M.
Meeting adjourned.

June 18, 1974

The Clinton County Board of Commissioners met Tuesday, June 18, 1974 at 1:00 P.M. Prayer was offered by Donald Gilson. A pledge of allegiance was given to the flag. Roll was called and a quorum reported. Present were Derrill Shinabery, William Hufnagel, Harold Martin, Maurice Gove, Donald Gilson, Duane Chamberlain, Roger Overway, Dyle Henning, Alta Reed, Virginia Zeeb and Richard Hawks. Also present were Betty Minsky-State Journal, Roger Lewis-CACHPA and Jim Edwards - Clinton County News (1:30 p.m.)

Minutes of the June 4, 1974 meeting were presented. Corrections were made. Martin moved, supported by Hufnagel, to approve the minutes as corrected. Voted and carried.

Communications.
A note of appreciation from George Moore for the award certificate for 21 years of service as Duplain Twp. Supervisor was read. Gove moved, supported by Hufnagel, to accept and place on file. Voted and carried.

A communication from Helen Johnson expressing her appreciation for having had the opportunity to serve the youth of Clinton County as Juvenile Probation Officer for the past three years. (Mrs. Johnson is retiring for health reasons). She will continue to work with young people experiencing problems on a volunteer basis.

A petition by the Equalization Department to the State Tax Commission for a re-hearing and a re-determination as to its 1974 real property state equalized value and thereupon and thereafter truly and jointly determine both the 1974 and 1973 state equalized values for Clinton County was read. Henning moved, supported by Hawks, to retain the law firm of Fraser, Trebilcock, Davis & Foster of Lansing, Michigan as counsel for the case. Voted and carried.

A communication from the St. Johns City Commission supports the Clinton County Board of Commissioners in their efforts to appeal the State Tax Factor in the Court of Appeals.

State Rep. Stanley Powell acknowledges the Board Resolution opposing antlerless deer hunting in Dickinson & Menominee Counties. He reports the conservation commission has taken action to prohibit shooting of antlerless deer in all of the upper peninsula.

General Telephone Co. will do a study in the month of July of the County business lines to determine requirements.
Clinton Area Ambulance Service is requesting information regarding a lease agreement to erect a building on County property. Chairman Shinabery referred the matter to the Land Use Committee.

Chairman Shinabery appointed the Board as a Committee of the Whole to attend M.A.C. Annual meeting to be held at Mackinaw Island August 14 - 16, 1974.

65th District Court will hold Open House on Sunday, June 23, 1974, 4 - 8:00 p.m. Commissioners are invited to attend.
Chairman also instructed the Government & Personnel

Committee to draft and present to the Board an affirmative action employment plan.

Overway reported for Property Management Committee.

A war memorial was discussed. Chairman appointed Chamberlain, as a committee of one, to investigate and make a recommendation.

Henning reported on Tax Allocation Board. They recommend to submit to the voters at the November election the proposal to adopt fixed millage of 15.50 mills for a 4 year term divided as follows: Schools - 8 mills, County - 6 mills, Townships - 1.30 mills, Intermediate Schools - .20 mills.

Commissioner Henning then reported for the Finance Committee.

The Committee recommends to transfer \$2,380.00 from Contingency to the Agricultural Extension budget. \$500.00 for fence and \$1,880.00 for painting the outside of Smith Hall. The \$500.00 is 100% refundable and the painting is 50% refundable by the Extension Department by the State. He moved, supported by Gilson, to transfer the sum of \$2,380.00 from the Contingency Fund to the Agricultural Extension Department budget. Voted and carried.

The Committee also recommends paying \$1,169.00 to Rozen & Woodard and \$765.90 to Ziegler Electric for work at the District Court Building outside the contracts. He then moved, supported by Reed, to approve the extra costs (above contract) in the amount of \$1,934.90 for District Court building. Voted and carried.

Commissioner Henning then reported on preliminary work on the County re-appraisal project.

Commissioner Martin reported for the Health Committee.
The State Health Department has served notice and will close all modified land fills August 31, 1974. Local units of Government will have to comply either individually or on a regional basis. The matter was discussed.

The Board recessed at 2:30 p.m.

On resuming session, Chamberlain reported for the nominating Committee. He moved, supported by Zeeb, to re-appoint Ed Idzkowski and Janet Everett to the County Library Board for a 5 year term. Voted and carried.

Gilson reported for the Government & Personnel Committee. The Airport was discussed. Chairman referred the matter to the Government & Personnel Committee to make a recommendation at the July 2, 1974 meeting.

Henning reported for the Health Committee. A Supervisor of Nurses has been appointed. They presently have openings for registered nurses in each of the three counties.

The Family Planning Program is progressing satisfactorily. Gilson moved, supported by Henning, to approve Commissioners expense accounts as presented. Voted and carried.

Zeeb moved, supported by Henning, to adjourn at this time and to meet again July 2, 1974 at 9:00 a.m. Voted and carried.

Meeting adjourned.

Service news



Capt Eldridge

DAYTON, Ohio - Fredric G. Eldridge, son of Mr and Mrs Hugh L. Eldridge, 412 Meadowview Drive, St. Johns, Mo., has been assigned to Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, from Bentwaters IAF Station, England.

An Air Force captain, Eldridge is a B-52 Stratofortress navigator with the 34th Bomb Squadron.

He graduated in 1958 from Rodney B. Wilson High School and received his B.S. degree in management from Pennsylvania State University.

Seaman Root

SAN DIEGO - Navy Seaman Recruit Christopher J. Root, son of Mr and Mrs Charles A. Root of 109 Oak St., St. Johns, has been graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego.

He will now report to a formal school for specialty training or to a ship or shore station for on-the-job training.

His wife, Rose, is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Byron Kissage, 3114 E. Walker Rd., St. Johns.

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These flying hands belong to 4-H members who got into a sticky situation last Wednesday when the Clinton County 4-H sponsored an evening of taffy pulling. Taffy pullers dressed in old fashioned styles and historical displays were donated for the evening by area residents.

Social Security payments average almost \$700,000 monthly in Clinton County

Social security benefits were being paid to residents of Clinton County at a rate of \$691,000 a month at the close of 1973. Roger W. Seamon, social security manager in Lansing said today.

Of the social security beneficiaries living in Clinton County, 2,965 are retired workers and their dependents. Another 1,090 are receiving benefits as the survivors of workers who have died, and 600 are getting benefits as disabled workers or their dependents. Seamon said that, although most social security beneficiaries are older people, about 1 out of every 4 is under age 60. In Clinton county, 1,115 people under age 60 are collecting social security payments each month. Nearly

650 are under age 18, receiving payments because a working father or mother has died or is getting social security disability or retirement benefits.

Most of the 90 beneficiaries in Clinton County between 18 and 22 years of age, are getting student's benefits under a provision in the social security law permitting the continuation of a child's benefits beyond his 18th birthday, and up to age 22, if the child is attending school full time.

Also in this 18-22 age group, Seamon said, are some other types of beneficiaries, illustrating the broad family protection that the social security program provides workers of all ages. Some are children of retired, disabled, or deceased workers who became

disabled before they reached 22 and who will probably never be able to work and become self-supporting. The monthly benefits of these young people, severely handicapped by physical or mental disabilities, will continue indefinitely. Benefits are also payable to the mother if the disabled son or daughter is in the mother's care.

Seamon said that another relatively small but significant group of youthful social security beneficiaries are those who are receiving benefits as disabled workers.

Since December 1973, Seamon said, social security benefits have increased 11%, with 7% of the amount payable in March 1974, and 4% in June 1974.

Elsie

MRS. NEVA KEYS
Ph. 862-4301

The following area people were recently admitted to the Owosso Memorial Hospital for surgery and treatment: Mrs. Irene Mead, Mrs. Wilma Miller, Annette Zuckschwerdt, Kathleen Bearup, Gladys Rosecrans, and John Garrett.

Mrs. Gladys Coslette entered the Carson City Hospital Monday for surgery.

Graveside services were held Monday morning at Riverside Cemetery for the stillborn daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pokorny of 4435 Carland Road, Elsie. The Rev. Horace Murry officiated for the rites.

The baby girl was stillborn at the Owosso Memorial Hospital Saturday morning.

Surviving, besides the parents, are two sisters, Rancee and Julie, two brothers, Duane and James, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Leland of Owosso and Mrs. Rudy Pokorny of Elsie.



Ford award winner

Lew Kramer (center) of Egan Ford Sales in St. Johns received Ford Motor Company's highest honor for outstanding customer service - the Distinguished Service Citation - from Philip E. Benton, Jr. (left), a Ford Marketing Corporation vice president, and J.A. Campana, manager of the Lansing service district. The award was presented at recent luncheon ceremonies in Lansing.

This is national Farm Safety Week

The week of July 25 to 31 has been proclaimed National Farm Safety Week by President Richard Nixon. Leaflets promoting farm safety week and reminding farmers to be safety conscious are being sent to about 2000 of the state's farmers by the Michigan Crop Reporting Service.

This year's leaflets stress alertness, balance, and care; the ABC's of avoiding falls.

All farmers in the state are urged to be safety minded and use extreme caution, whether they are in their fields, barn yards, or on state roadways.

C.A. Hines, head of the Michigan Crop Reporting Service, notes that many accidents involving farmers happen on the state's highways.

Hines urges all motorists and

farmers to be on constant alert as Michigan State Police records show 893 farm equipment accidents happened on Michigan roadways in 1973. Motorists need to be alert for slow moving farm vehicles on the highways - while farmers should also use extreme caution when entering roadways.

Accidents involving farm equipment were more common in the heavily farmed and heavily populated southern half of the Lower Peninsula. Approximately 92% of the farm equipment related accidents occurred in this area. Wayne county, the most urban county in Michigan, also had the oddity of leading the state in number of farm equipment related accidents with 20.

Second in farm equipment

accidents were Ionia and Lenawee counties who both registered 16 accidents. Twelve or more farm equipment accidents occurred in the following counties: Berrien, Eaton, Huron, Kent, Monroe, Oakland, Saginaw, VanBuren and Washtenaw. Only 31 accidents occurred in the not as heavily farmed northern Lower Peninsula and Upper Peninsula combined.

STAY OUT OF SQUEEZE
Riding between the lanes of traffic is illegal . . . and highly dangerous. On two way streets, a bicyclist may pass on the left of vehicles moving in the same direction. On one-way streets, bikers should use an unoccupied lane.

DEWITT TOWNSHIP ELECTION NOTICE

To all qualified electors of the Township of DeWitt, County of Clinton:

Notice is hereby given that the GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION will be held in the Township of DeWitt, County of Clinton, State of Michigan on TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1974 from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of voting to nominate candidates for the following offices:

Governor; Representative in Congress; State Senator; State Representative; County Offices; Delegates to the County Conventions; and Township Offices.

Also to be nominated are Judges of the Court of Appeals, Circuit Judges, District Judges, and such other candidates both partisan and non-partisan as are or may be required by law.

Also to be voted on will be State Proposals and the following Township Proposals:

SHALL DALE S. EMERSON BE RECALLED FROM THE OFFICE OF DEWITT TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR?

YES

NO

STATEMENT OF THE PETITIONERS

Dale S. Emerson, acting in his capacity as Supervisor of DeWitt Township, continually fails to devote full time to his duties as Supervisor, has sanctioned an arbitrary and improper adjustment of sewer use rates within the Township, has arbitrarily and without cause discharged the Police Chief of DeWitt Township, and fails to maintain proper communications with residents of DeWitt Township.

STATEMENT OF DALE S. EMERSON

The charges of the petitioners are totally incorrect. They are not based on any facts and have been made even though the facts show the opposite to be true. I believe the facts of the matter will show:

A. I have devoted more than full time to my duties. I normally work at least 50 hours per week.

B. I have not made any adjustments in the sewer use rates. The present rates were established prior to my taking office and have remained the same ever since.

C. I voted to discharge the Police Chief because he repeatedly violated the rules of proper conduct. He consistently refused to cooperate with other departments within the Township and County. He failed to follow directives concerning the operation of his department; and he continually lied about his activities as Police Chief.

D. I have never refused to listen or talk with any citizen of DeWitt Township or anyone else. I have repeatedly supported ideas for improved communication and have made every effort to provide all information requested of me.

SHALL DONNA B. SYVERSON BE RECALLED FROM THE OFFICE OF DEWITT TOWNSHIP CLERK?

YES

NO

STATEMENT OF THE PETITIONERS

Donna B. Syverson, acting in her capacity as Clerk of the Township of DeWitt, has sanctioned an arbitrary and improper adjustment of sewer use rates within the Township, has arbitrarily and without cause discharged the Police Chief of DeWitt Township, and has failed to maintain proper communications with residents of DeWitt Township.

STATEMENT OF DONNA B. SYVERSON

1. The current sewer use rates were adopted by the DeWitt Township Board on April 28, 1972 on the recommendation of a professional financial consultant in order to retire the bonds that financed the construction of the sewer system. The rates have not been changed during my current term of office.

2. I voted to discharge the Police Chief because, while on duty in this capacity, he falsified records and improperly used motorcycle plates.

3. I maintain regular hours at the Township offices and have a telephone that is listed. To the best of my knowledge in the capacity of Township Clerk, I have never refused to talk or communicate with any Township resident.

SHALL EILEEN M. CORR BE RECALLED FROM THE OFFICE OF DEWITT TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE?

YES

NO

STATEMENT OF PETITIONERS

Eileen Corr, acting in her capacity as Trustee for the Township of DeWitt, has sanctioned an arbitrary and improper adjustment of sewer use rates within the Township, has arbitrarily and without cause discharged the Police Chief of DeWitt Township, and has failed to maintain proper communications with residents of DeWitt Township.

STATEMENT OF EILEEN M. CORR

I submit all three charges against me, as Trustee for DeWitt Township, are completely unfounded and totally false, as follows:

CHARGE I.

The present sewer use rates were established before my election to office.

CHARGE II.

In fulfilling my duties and obligation as Trustee of DeWitt Township and as one caretaker of the tax monies and rightful interests of its residents, I voted to discharge the Police Chief for the following reasons:

- A. Falsification of records.
- B. Attempted falsification of records.
- C. Dishonesty.
- D. Insubordination.
- E. Illegal use of license plates on his personal vehicle.
- F. Removed Police Department files to his residence, without returning same.
- G. Used Township facilities, officers and equipment for personal gain and outside business.
- H. Lack of interest or incentive to provide essential departmental supervision and accountability.
- I. Would not, or could not, work cooperatively with other law agencies and departments.

CHARGE III.

I have not only made every attempt possible to communicate with any resident or group wishing information concerning the Township, but have sought out, within time limits, residents and groups to provide information to.

SHALL JACK D. KZESKI, JR. BE RECALLED FROM THE OFFICE OF DEWITT TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE?

YES

NO

STATEMENT OF PETITIONERS

Jack Kzeski, Jr. acting in his capacity as Trustee for the Township of DeWitt, has sanctioned an arbitrary and improper adjustment of sewer use rates within the Township, has arbitrarily and without cause discharged the Police Chief of DeWitt Township, and has failed to maintain proper communications with the residents of DeWitt Township.

STATEMENT OF JACK D. KZESKI, JR.

1. There has been no adjustment of sewer use rates since I have been a Board Member.

2. I devote approximately 60 hours per month to my duties as a Township Trustee and have made myself available to speak to any interested person or group that resides in DeWitt Township.

3. Some of the reasons why I voted to discharge the Police Chief are:

- A. He used Township men and equipment for personal gain.
- B. He used Township men and equipment to be chauffeured to Lansing School Board meetings and used these employees to conduct Lansing School Board business.
- C. He removed Township records from the Township Police Department without permission.

4. The charges of the petitioners are totally false and unsubstantiated by any facts what so ever.

Voting locations are as follows:

- Precinct 1 - 414 E. Main Street, DeWitt
- Precinct 2 - 780 E. Wieland Road, Lansing
- Precinct 3 - 780 E. Wieland Road (Fire Hall), Lansing
- Precinct 4 - 414 E. Main Street, DeWitt
- Precinct 5 - 780 E. Wieland Road (Fire Hall), Lansing

Absent voter ballots will be available at DeWitt Township Clerk's office at 780 E. Wieland Road, Lansing, Michigan by written application on the prescribed form until 2:00 p.m. SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, 1974.

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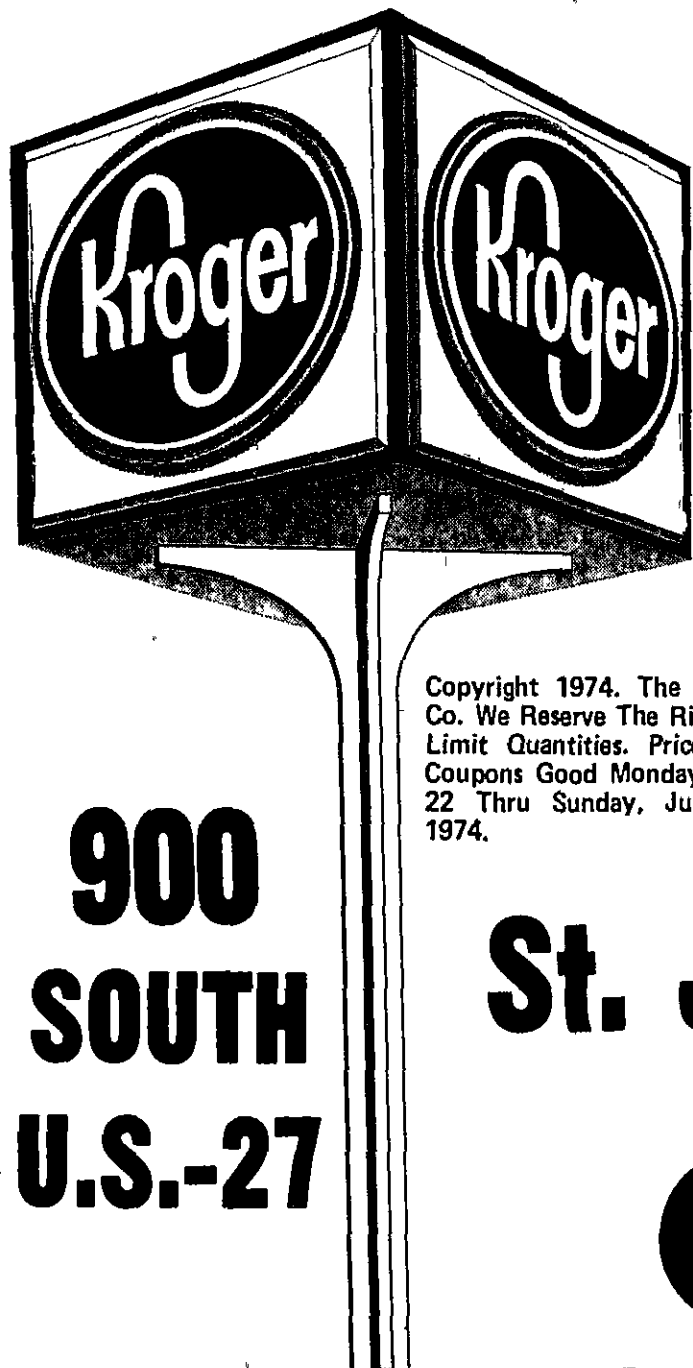


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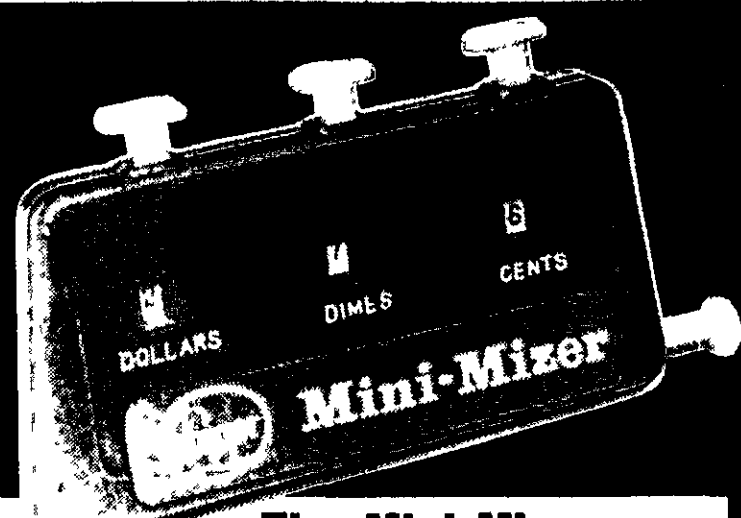
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Kroger Stick Braunschweiger 65¢ Lb	Herrud Smoked or Polish Sausage \$1.19 Lb	Regular or Beef Oscar Mayer Franks \$1.09 1-Lb Pkg
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Spaghetti Ragu Sauce 42¢ 16-Oz Jar	French Kraft Dressing 58¢ 16-Fl Oz Btl	Dessert Topping Dream Whip 78¢ 8-Oz Wt Pkg
Chips Ahoy Nabisco Cookies 77¢ 14-Oz Pkg	Bleach Clorox II 64¢ 40-Oz Box	For Your Kitchen Dixie Refills 68¢ 5-Oz Pkg
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Roll Herrud Sausage 59¢ 1-Lb Roll	Sea Pak Shrimp N Better or Fresh Shrimp Shrimp Crisp 1 49¢ 1-Lb Pkg	Oscar Mayer Sliced Bacon 1 39¢ Lb
Smoked Ham Center Cut Slices 99¢ Lb	All Varieties Except Beef Jiffy Entrees 1 29¢ 2-Lb Box	Kwick Krisp Sliced Bacon 89¢ 12 Oz Pkg

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Save Up To 35¢

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Limit one coupon per family. Prices good thru Sunday, July 28. Subject to applicable state and local taxes.

20¢ OFF

any one can

Raid or Off Insecticide

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Save 60¢ on 3 Pkg

Peschke Wieners 79¢ 14-Oz Wt Pkg

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10¢ OFF

One 12 Oz Pkg

Freezer Pleezer Nut Cap Cones

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10¢ OFF

One 17 Oz Pkg Fresh Home Style

Country Oven Donuts

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12¢ OFF

one 15-oz box

General Mills Cheerios

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Save Up To 40¢

Final Touch 1 09¢ 64 Fl Oz Btl

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10¢ OFF

one 14-oz bag

Keebler C.G. Biggs Cookies

Limit one coupon per family. Prices good thru Sunday, July 28. Subject to applicable state and local taxes.

25¢ OFF

one 72-oz pkg

Prime Variety Dog Food

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20¢ OFF

one 3-oz jar

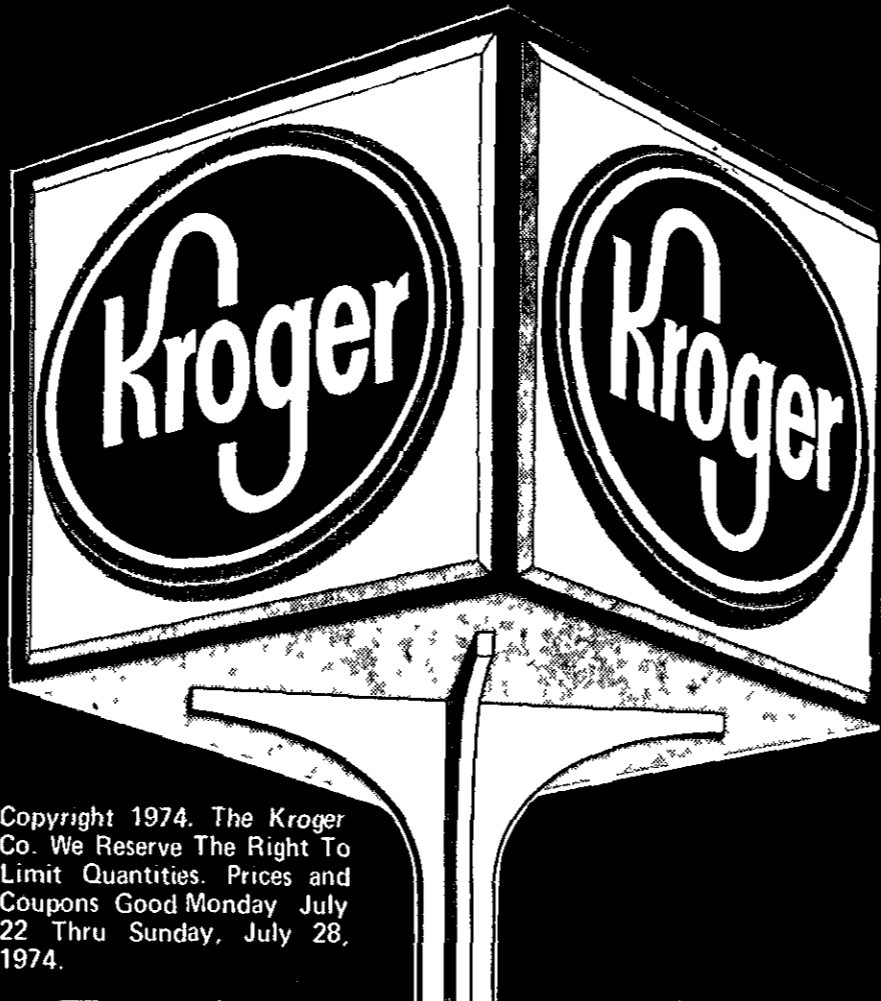
Kroger Instant Tea

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RAIN CHECK

For your convenience and personal satisfaction we do all in our power to have all our Advertisements Specials on our shelves when you shop for them. Sometimes, due to conditions beyond our control, we run out of an advertised special. If this should happen to you, ask at the store office for a RAIN CHECK which entitles you to the same advertised special at the same special price any time within 2 weeks.

ONE STOP SHOPPING CONVENIENCE AT KROGER!



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Manhattan-Style DELICATESSEN

Why not take a break from the kitchen routine and drop by your Kroger Superstore for a visit to the Manhattan-Style Delicatessen? We've got just about anything you might need for a snack, a meal or just a side dish for that special occasion. You'll find salads, deserts, cold meats, domestic and imported bulk cheese, party trays, barbecued chicken and ribs and much, much more.

Available at All Kroger Stores Featuring Delicatessens

Bar-B-Que Chicken Dinner

1/2 Bar-B-Que Chicken \$ **1.59**
2 Dinner Rolls **1** Ea
1/2-Lb Cole Slaw

Kroger
Meat Bologna Lb **79¢**

Kroger
Braunschwiager.....Lb **69¢**

Creamy Cole Slaw or
French Onion Dip.... Lb **59¢**

Pineapple
Cream Cheese Salad Lb **59¢**



Superstore Wine Cellar

IMPORTED & DOMESTIC WINES AND BEERS!

Stop in and browse around. Here you will find one of the state's better wine selections. You don't have to be a connoisseur of fine wines to appreciate the enticing selection of quality imported and domestic wines and beers and accessories. Prices won't scare you as they do in so many wine shops. For unique and exotic foods to go with your fine wines, see the appetizing selections in the Fancy Foods Department at your Kroger Superstore.

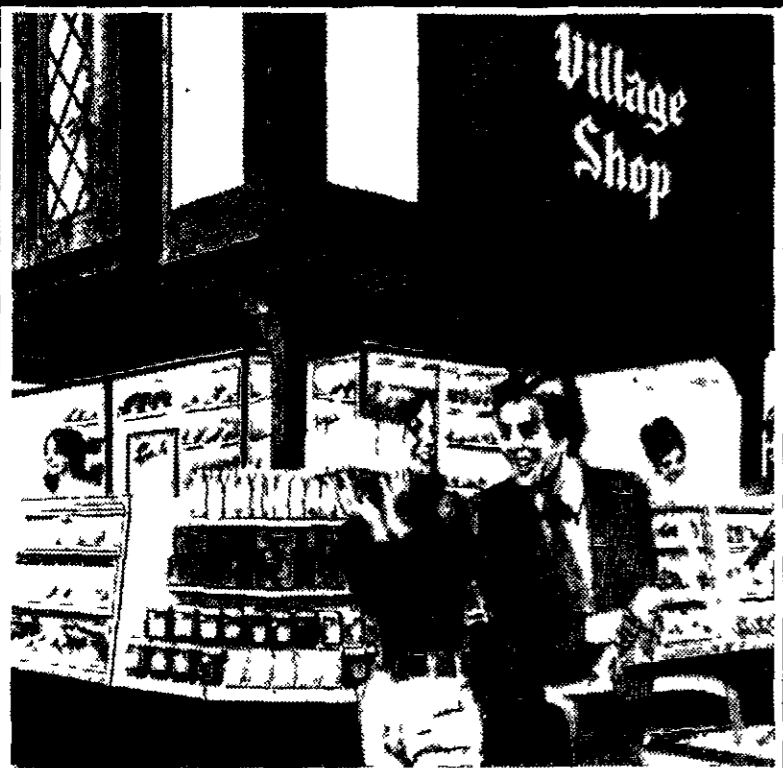


Louise Thelen
Head Meat Cutter

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All Kroger Beef is inspected by a U.S. Dept. of Agriculture grader to make sure it meets quality standards for U.S. Gov't. Graded Choice Beef. Trimmed of excess fat, bone and waste before it is weighed and priced. You get more good eating meat - less throw-away waste when you serve fresh, tender beef from Kroger.



Sanders Bakery

Looking for old fashioned, fresh from the oven quality? Look no further than your Sanders Bake Shop. We've got full variety in fresh baked rolls, breads, pastries and doughnuts. Country bake shop quality at Xtra-Low Discount Prices... only at your Superstore Sanders Bake Shop.

Regular 55¢
Family Bread.....2 ^{16 Oz} ^{Wr} ^{Bege} **89¢**

Plain-Sugared-Mixed
Fried Cakes.....Pkg of 12 **98¢**

Almond Delite
Coffee Cake.....16-Oz **\$1.09**

Yellow Fudge
Marble Layer.....32-Oz **\$2.39**



Donald Thelen
Head Produce Clerk

Superstore Sunrise Fresh Produce

Welcome to the widest array of luscious fruits and dewey fresh garden vegetables in the entire market area. Our fruits and vegetables are carefully selected from the "lush" growing fields of California, Florida, Hawaii, Texas, and throughout the Mid-West, then rushed to our Kroger Store.



Superstore Non Foods Department

Why drive all over town for those special needs when you can get almost anything you might need when you shop for food at your Kroger Superstore? With our new and expanded departments, we offer greater variety on a wider selection of non-food needs - from party hats and streamers to a wide variety of gift wrapping and greeting cards.

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