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## Police plan further drug arrests

ST. JOHNS—The aftermath of last week's drug crackdown in St. Johns has stirred various emotions among area residents. Most parents are concerned—some more than others. Police are continuing their investigation and many area youngsters known to have experimented with drugs are being watched.

YOUNGSTERS INVOLVED in the drug scene are concerned—some more than others.

Monday about two dozen young people paraded into Clinton County Circuit Court as three of the suspects arrested appeared before the judge.

Meanwhile St. Johns Police Chief Everett Glazier reported receiving numerous telephone calls from parents thanking police for their efforts in making the drug arrests.

The seven suspects were apprehended Thursday following several weeks of undercover work by agents from the Tri-County Metro Squad. Coordinating the undercover operation were Chief Everett Glazier and Sgt. Lyle French of the St. Johns Police along with Clinton County Detective Sgt. Richard May.

OBTAINING WARRANTS issued by Clinton County Prosecutor Jon Newman, police struck first at a home in the small Gratiot County community of Wheeler. Arrested while asleep in a bedroom were 24-year-old Thomas Vine and 20-year-old Michael Nelson. Larry Jon Snow, 27, was apprehended in a car outside the home. The trio, all residents of Wheeler, were charged with distribution of LSD.

Later that afternoon four St. Johns men were picked up in the city and also charged with distribution of LSD. Arrested were Chris Alan Gentry, 19, of 602 E. Oak St.; Ronald Michael Jones, 17, of 908 E. Cass St.; Douglas Clare Rhines, 22, of 204 N. Mead St. and Kris Warren Mabie, 22, also of 204 N. Mead St. The charge against Rhines was listed as delivery of PCP or phenylcycidine, an animal tranquilizer.

All seven were arraigned in Clinton County District Court late Thursday. Vine, Nelson, Snow, Gentry and Jones demanded examination which was set

for 1:30 p.m. August 29. Vine was charged on two counts of LSD delivery and remanded to jail in lieu of a \$15,000 bond. Nelson and Snow were each held in lieu of \$10,000 after being charged with one count of LSD delivery.

GENTRY AND Jones appeared in district court again Monday on further charges. Gentry is now being charged on three counts of LSD delivery and was released after posting a bond of \$1,500 on each count. Jones is charged on two counts of the same charge and upon request St. Johns attorney Richard Wells has been appointed by the court as his legal counsel.

### Views on drug scene

ST. JOHNS—Last week's arrest of seven men suspected of selling LSD in St. Johns has sparked concern among parents and area residents.

In an effort to explore the question of a drug problem in Clinton County, the COUNTY NEWS asked several persons who work directly with youth "how serious is this situation?" Here are their responses.

ST. JOHNS POLICE CHIEF EVERETT GLAZIER: "Parents should definitely be concerned. We've got the transfers, now we'll go to the users. This isn't the end of our work by a long way. A lot of people have called to thank us for these latest arrests."

BARRY DEAN, St. Johns merchant and board of directors member for the Clinton County Common Ground Crisis Center: "I've been working on this for better than a year and we're just starting to get some meaningful reports back from the crisis center. Our young people must be made aware of what effects drugs have and what they can do to the body because once they leave this community it's one of the major problems they must cope with. There are plenty of drugs in the area but as to how serious the problem is... that's something you can't measure."

JOHNA FURRY, head of counseling at St. Johns High School: "As far as my counseling, I've run into very little evidence of kids using drugs. Some kids

want to talk about it. Others wouldn't. In the kid's mind, I don't think they view this as a very serious thing. According to the drug survey which was pretty comprehensive, it didn't reveal a serious drug problem. Guess I'm pretty naive and haven't been confronted with it. Yet, I don't think I'm so naive to think that being a small community we're immune to it."

REV. ROBERT KOEPPEN, pastor of St. Johns Lutheran Church: "Yes, there's a problem existing. A few young people in my parish have experimented with it and are involved in the drug scene. I've dealt with it both directly and indirectly. There's enough of a problem that the community ought to continue doing something about it and not shut its eyes and say we're some small isolated town that doesn't have a problem. It's not true."

SGT. LYLE FRENCH, St. Johns City Police: "We found out in this investigation there are a lot of good kids in the St. Johns area. But if it's only one kid involved we've got too many. If you've got seven people delivering, you know you have some users."

DAN CHISHOLM, Clinton County Probation Officer: "If you take the percentage of users to the population, I guess you'd have to say we don't have that serious of a drug problem. But if there are only seven people in the county taking drugs, I still consider it serious."

and Gratiot County.

ONE ST. JOHNS City Policeman said the drugs were often sold second or third hand and users included youngsters from their pre-teens to mid-twenties.

"We're hoping local kids will get out of it," said Chief Glazier in discussing further arrests expected.

The LSD uncovered in the raid was believed by police to come from a manufacture point in Saginaw. Detective Sgt. May reported "the kids thought they were buying mescaline but lab tests revealed it was LSD and PCP."

Also uncovered during the probe by

Metro Squad agents was a 17-year-old St. Johns youth, Chris Root, who was reported AWOL from Ft. Knox, Ky. and an escapee from Southern Michigan Prison in Jackson. The escapee, Ronald Dean Jones from Pompeii, was serving 2-14 years on a bad check conviction. Both were returned to proper authorities.



### Fight for jug

Will the St. Johns Boys Club keep the "Blood Jug" or will another St. Johns service club take possession? This remains an unanswered question until after the Bloodmobile Drive on Aug. 9 at the St. Johns High School Cafeteria. Holding the jug is Roger Beebee, president of the St. Johns Boy's Club whose organization won the last contest. Reaching out are hopefuls Gayle Deprez, past president of the Lions Club; Virgil Zeeb, St. Johns Rotary president; Barry Dean, past president of the St. Johns Jaycees and Marvin Barclay, Exchange Club president. The various service clubs vie for the jug through membership participation in the drive.

### Local units seek funds

ST. JOHNS—The Michigan Water Resources Commission has set a deadline of September 15 as the final date local communities may apply for state-federal grants to construct sewage treatment projects.

According to Clinton County Drain Commission Dale Chapman, the village of Elsie, Watertown Township, Bath Township and Park Lake will be renewing grant applications after being bypassed last year. Elsie officials are moving toward an entirely new system while the other three areas seek funding for sewer lines slated to tie in with an existing waste water treatment plant in DeWitt Township.

The Water Resources Commission will consider all applications received by September 15 for grants from state and federal funds as may become available for the fiscal year beginning next July 1.

ANY CITY, village, township, county or other public body created by state law and having jurisdiction over the disposal of sewage, industrial wastes, or other wastes may apply for grants for assistance in financing construction or reconstruction of sewage treatment works, intercepting sewers and outfall sewers. Collecting sewers which have not previously been eligible for grant participation under this program may become eligible under pending Federal legislation if such sewers are necessary to the effective and economic operation of an existing community's waste treatment system.

The level at which individual projects will be federally funded will not be definite until new Federal legislation is adopted. Present indications are that Federal funds will cover 60 to 75 per cent of eligible project costs provided the combined State-Federal grant does not exceed 90 per cent of the eligible project cost, according to the Water Resources Commission.

TO QUALIFY for grants under this joint Federal-State program, projects must comply with regulations pertaining to basinwide plans for pollution control, metropolitan or regional pollution abatement plans, adequacy of treatment, industrial waste treatment and cost recovery and the design, operation and maintenance of treatment works.

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HAROLD SCHMALTZ



BARBARA CASE

### Staff changes at Clinton County News

Two major staff changes are announced this week at the Clinton County News, according to General Manager Robert MacDonald.

Named to the position of advertising director is Harold Schmaltz, and a new member of the advertising department is Mrs. Barbara Case.

Schmaltz, who with his wife Virginia and family reside at 800 W. Baldwin in St. Johns, joined the Clinton County News staff a year ago as assistant advertising manager. He succeeds Michael Preville who has resigned.

THE NEW advertising director, began his newspaper career at the Gratiot County Herald in Ithaca where he served as a news reporter before moving into the display advertising department of the Gratiot publication.

His first responsibility upon joining the Clinton County News was to organize the North Clinton Shopping News which is circulated in the Ovid-

Elsie area and other northern county mailing routes. This responsibility is now turned over to Mrs. Case. In addition to his directing of the advertising department of the newspaper, Schmaltz will serve as the assistant to the general manager.

MR. AND MRS. Schmaltz have seven children: Deborah, 15, Robert, 14, Rebecca, 13, Gregory, 11, David, 9, Eric, 4, and Frederick, 2.

Schmaltz is a member of the St. Johns Rotary Club and Mrs. Schmaltz has assumed an active role in the Clinton County Republican Party.

Mrs. Case, 20, whose husband, Clayton is employed with Oldsmobile of Lansing, is a native of Traverse City. She was the former Barbara Smith and is a graduate of DeWitt High School. Mr. and Mrs. Case, who have a year-old son, Robbi, will be moving from DeWitt to St. Johns in the near future. Mr. Case is a member of the Michigan National Guard with the Owosso unit.



Norb Rehmann, St. Johns clothing store owner, erects a sign proclaiming the city's annual Sidewalk Sale Days this Thursday and Friday while Fred Shimunec keeps the ladder secure. Shimunec is the manager of a St. Johns Shoe Store. Area Shoppers will be given a streetful of bargains to view during the two-day sale as St. Johns merchants set up tables along Clinton Ave. Thursday store hours run from 9 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. while Friday the sale continues from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.

### Merchants hawk wares

ST. JOHNS—Get out your shopping bags and head for St. Johns this Thursday and Friday "cuz the retail committee of the Chamber of Commerce is staging its annual "Sidewalk Days" sale. The event, which traditionally draws shoppers from throughout the mid-Michigan area, finds merchants hawking their wares along the

sidewalks of the city and the activity closely resembles the open-air markets of lands across the seas.

This year's promotion is being directed by Norb Rehmann, Barry Dean and Max Field, all members of the retail committee and the Chamber board of directors. According to the trio, all member merchants are participating in the event and a number of

outside groups and organizations will be conducting booths for the sale of merchandise or refreshments.

AS IN the past, the prospects are excellent for a two-day sale packed with exceptional bargains on quality merchandise. In the event of rain either of the two scheduled days, the sale will be extended to Saturday, July 29.

**Eagle**  
Mrs. Charles Higbee  
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Mrs. Carl Galvin is in  
Room 425 at the Sparrow

Hospital. She had surgery  
Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
Higbee spent Thursday at  
Eight Point Lake at the  
home of Laura Richards.  
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Higbee

spent the past week at the  
Fourth Lake of the Six  
Lakes, Mrs. June, Bertha,  
Jane and John joined them  
on Thursday. Mrs. Bertha  
Higbee and John stayed with  
them for the rest of the week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford  
Leonard attended the  
funeral of Mrs. Leonard's  
half-brother at Ohio Thurs-  
day.  
Mrs. Lillian Beachnau  
Fink returned from the  
hospital to her sister's home

following surgery.  
Mrs. Beatrice Biergan will  
be able to leave the hospital  
and go to her daughter's  
home Friday, July 21.  
You never miss the water  
until the well runs dry so  
says, Herb and Beatrice  
Patrick when lightning  
struck their well pump  
Friday. Their wellman,  
Morris Johnson was at the  
lake, so they were without  
water until late Monday.

**F.C. Mason elects  
Idzkowski president**

ST. JOHNS—The F. C. Mason Company directors has elected Edward A. Idzkowski, President of this agricultural manufacturing and distributing organization. He succeeds John R. Pennell who has retired.  
"Jack" Pennell, known throughout the agriculture industry, has been with F. C. Mason for 50 years. He started as Sales Representative for the state of Michigan and later was appointed Sales Manager. In 1943 he was elected to the Board of Directors and in 1952 became Vice President. Jack Pennell was elected President in 1959 and has served in this capacity until his retirement.  
Edward Idzkowski joined the F. C. Mason Company in July 1971 as Vice President. Prior to this, he was associated with the company as a director for several years. The new president has a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering from Michigan State University and his previous experience has been in the steel industry, oil

well equipment and most recently in the automotive industry where he was manager of the Federal-Mogul operation in St. Johns. Under the leadership of Jack Pennell, F. C. Mason Company began shifting its emphasis from manufacturing to merchandising, as Idzkowski explained in a recent interview. He also pointed out that the company's traditional product lines have been supplemented with new products that have excellent growth potential.  
"We are also expanding our interest in the segment of Agricultural Marketing. The rapidly changing business climate today makes it essential that we seek new areas for investment and new approaches to the challenges in Merchandising and Distribution," said Idzkowski.

**NOTICE  
OF PUBLIC HEARING  
ST. JOHNS CITY COMMISSION  
NECESSITY HEARING**

The St. Johns City Commission will hold a Public Hearing to determine the necessity of a Special Assessment for the installation of Curb & Gutter and Storm Drainage on Wight Street between Oak Street and Elm Street.

Said Public Hearing will be held August 14, 1972 at 7:45 P.M. in the Municipal Building, City Commission Chambers, 121 E. Walker St., St. Johns, Michigan.

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1 - GE TB 12 Two Door, White, Dent on Side	Reg. \$269.00	\$199.00
2 - GE TB 14 Two Door, Harvest Color, Slight Dent	Reg. \$299.00	\$204.00
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1 - GE 21 Cu. Ft. 2-Door, Top Freezer, White, Dent in Side	Reg. \$499.00	\$369.00
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**Riley and Olive**  
By Mrs. Goldie Moore

Friday evening, July 14, Mrs. Harry Williams entertained a group of relatives and friends at a bridal shower at her home on West Cutler Road. The honored guest was Debra Williams of Green Road who will become the bride of Dan Haviland on August 12.

Games were played during the evening, gifts to be used in the home of the new bride-to-be were opened by Miss Williams. Refreshments of cake and punch were served by the hostess.

Mrs. John Greenfield is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Greenfield and baby son at Colorado Springs, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore were among the friends and relatives entertained at a Sunday supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Silm of Price Road on July 16. Mrs. "Vanita" Hill and children, Melanie, Shirley and Bill, of Colorado Springs, spent a couple weeks with her parents.



Representative Powell

**REPRESENTATIVE  
STAN POWELL**

**ACTS WHILE OTHERS  
TALK**

While others talk of welfare reform, Stan Powell saw several key amendments he co-sponsored to the Welfare Bill enacted.

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# Group feels I-69 route incomplete

ST. JOHNS—Officials from Clinton County, the townships of DeWitt and Watertown and the city of DeWitt met Monday evening to consider which of three proposed routes for the new I-69 freeway planned along Lansing's northside would be the best.

According to Clinton County Clerk Ernest Carter, "everybody was universally agreed that alternate B-1 is incomplete." He explained officials felt the proposal needs an interchange at I-96 near Grand River Ave. While most people at the meeting favored this alternate, no consensus of opinion was reached.

Initially the meeting was called so the various governmental units affected by the new freeway could agree upon one alternate route before a public hearing on the matter slated for tonight. The hearing is scheduled for 8 p.m. tonight in the DeWitt High School. At this time,

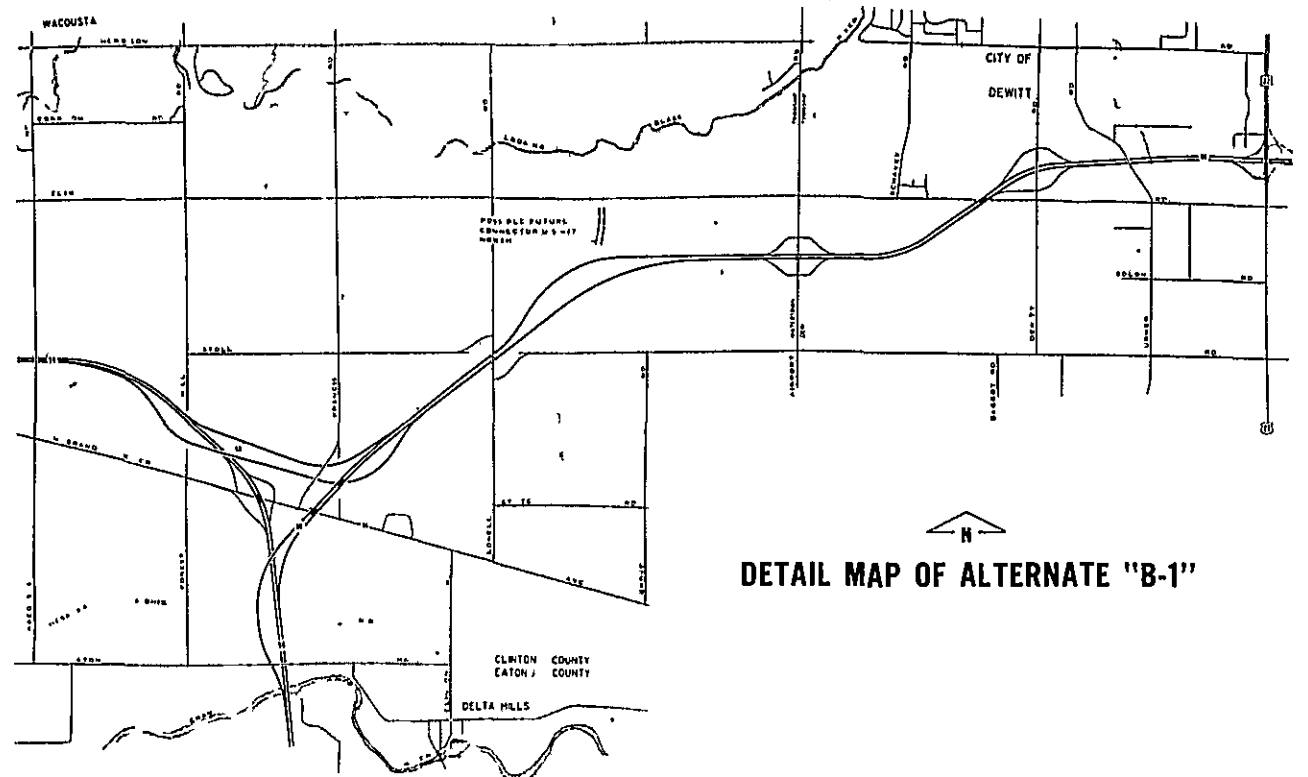
local citizens will be given an opportunity to voice their opinions to the Michigan Department of State Highways. Written comments on the new freeway proposals will also be accepted by highway officials if received within the next 15 days.

Alternate B-1 shown in map is the freeway route most consistent with state and local planning in that it is more closely aligned with both existing and proposed land uses. Another major factor is that this reduces potential urban sprawl by remaining closer to Lansing than the other two routes also being considered.

In length, this route is the shortest at 8.5 miles but would require the relocation of more homes—15. Cost of this plan is estimated at \$17,213,000. A

state highway engineer at Monday's meeting said the addition of a Grand River interchange would require relocation of two more houses and increase the project's cost to well over \$20,000,000. He declined to speculate on how high the cost could go.

Under present plans, the B-1 route would begin at I-96 near Grand River Ave. and proceed northeasterly section of Stoll and Lowell Roads. Interchanges are proposed with the I-96 freeway, Airport Road, DeWitt Road and US-27. A grade separation would be constructed over Grand River Ave. Part of Francis Road would be closed and relocated with structures built to carry this route over the freeway. Grade separations would also be provided for Lowell, Clark and Turner Roads. Plans for Stoll Road call for it to be closed and frontage roads constructed as a connector to Lowell Road.



Monday fire

A fire that broke out at the William Armbrustmacher farm, located at Wacousta Road and Townsend Road, resulted in the total loss of a barn housing feed and livestock. Fire departments from both Fowler and St. Johns responded to the call which came in about 4:45 p.m. Slight winds kept the fire raging for some time. However firefighters managed to protect all nearby buildings and the residence. While helping fight the fire William Armbrustmacher was overcome by heat and was taken to Clinton Memorial Hospital for treatment. Cause of the blaze was undetermined.



LIONS PITCH IN

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Carpenter are the proud owners of a freshly painted house all made possible by the Lion's Club of DeWitt. The members took it upon themselves to give the Carpenter's home, located at 204 Webb Drive, a brand new look. The elderly couple are retired and live on Social Security. All of the paint was donated by the Calkins Paint Co. in Lansing. Mr. Carpenter is shown watching the painters who are left to right: Carroll Snyder, Floyd Fowler and Roger Overway.

## Farm Bureau sponsors panel discussion by sheriff candidates

ST. JOHNS—The Clinton County Farm Bureau will sponsor a panel discussion by the four Republican candidates for sheriff at 8 p.m. on Wednesday August 2, at Smith Hall located in St. Johns City Park.

Moderator of the panel will be Larry Ewing, manager of program development for the Michigan Farm Bureau. Each candidate will be given ten minutes to speak and then the meeting will be thrown open for questions from the audience.

THE FOUR candidates seeking the Republican nomination for sheriff during the August 8 primary election are Anthony Hufnagel, Ray Terpening, Larry Floate and Bruce Angell. Winner of the primary will encounter no Democratic Party opposition on the general election ballot in November and therefore becomes the new Clinton County Sheriff. The present sheriff, Percy J. Patterson, is not seeking reelection.

Following the meeting, refreshments

will be served and the candidates have agreed to visit informally with people.

## Clinton residents

DETROIT—Taxpayers who suffered disaster losses may claim their losses by filing amended returns for last year's income tax under a new amendment to the Federal Tax Law, according to Thomas A. Cardozo, District Director of the Internal Revenue Service.

Under the old law, a disaster had to occur before the end of the income tax filing period, usually April 15, in order for taxpayers to claim such losses on the previous year's returns. Now taxpayers may claim losses on last year's returns for disasters which occurred after December 31, 1971, and within six months after the close of their tax year.

This means, for example, that if a taxpayer suffered a loss in a section of the country designated by the President as a disaster area during the first six months ending June 30, 1972, he may claim a deduction for the loss by amending his 1971 return. This applies to all taxpayers who suffered losses in all sections of the country declared disaster areas during the first six months of 1972. The following Michigan counties have been declared disaster areas due to severe storms and freezing beginning about March 13, 1972: Allegan, Barry, Calhoun, Clinton, Eaton, Ingham, Ionia, Jackson, and Kalamazoo.

## Search begins for outstanding citizen

ST. JOHNS—Members of the St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce have again begun their search for the community's outstanding citizen who will be honored during the Chamber's annual banquet slated for early October.

Initiated last year, the "Outstanding Citizen" award is an annual presentation to the man or woman who has, in some way, contributed greatly to a civic project or activity. Last year's recipient of the trophy was Jack Downing for his efforts in the formation and operation of the Little League program in St. Johns.

Chamber members.

IN ANNOUNCING acceptance of nominations, awards and banquet chairman Bill Patton encouraged participation by individuals and civic groups throughout the St. Johns area. "There are many people who work quietly behind the scenes to make St. Johns a better place to live," Patton said, "and we in the Chamber would like to honor them for the fine work they do."

Nominations, Patton explained, can be mailed to the Chamber office in St. Johns giving a brief resume of the nominee's activities along with name, address and other pertinent information. Deadline for nominations is September 1, 1972. Accompanying form may be used for nomination or forms can be secured from the Chamber office at 117 E. Walker.

165th Semi-Annual Statement	
June 30, 1972	
CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION	
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<b>ASSETS</b>	
First Mortgage Home Loans	\$167,878,666.19
Home Purchase Contracts	5,324,587.64
Savings Account Loans	863,082.09
Home Office and Branch Office Buildings	2,422,768.31
Less Depreciation	239,199.09
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	69,097.80
Less Depreciation	162,961.83
Real Estate including R.E. in Redemption	1,500,000.00
Miscellaneous Assets	9,475,667.44
Federal Home Loan Bank Stock	7,033,001.25
United States Government Securities & Agencies	7,263,057.84
Other Investment Securities	198,232,388.78
Cash on Hand and in Banks	\$176,316,603.84
<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Savings Accounts	.00
Federal Home Loan Bank Advances	4,906,861.29
Loans in Process	1,736,752.75
Tax and Insurance Escrow Accounts	10,389.55
Unapplied Credits	97,806.12
Miscellaneous Liabilities	313,204.12
Contingent Profit on Mortgages and Land Contracts	89,693.34
Reserve for Interest Uncollected	356,345.44
Reserve for Taxes	\$9,880,000.00
Reserves —	4,384,732.33
Legal Reserve	120,000.00
Undivided Profits	14,394,732.33
Federal Insurance	\$198,232,388.78

CLINTON COUNTY NEWS PAGE

# for Women

## 50th anniversary



MR. & MRS. WILLIAM O'REILLY

ST. JOHNS—Friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hodge Sunday, July 23 to celebrate the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William C. O'Reilly and to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hodge, son, Mark daughter, Kris on their visit from California.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Reilly, the former Cecyle Carey, is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. S.S. Carey. The couple was married at St. Johns Episcopal Church in Detroit on Sept. 2, 1922 and have lived in that area since.

Mrs. O'Reilly is the sister of Mrs. Hodge. The celebration was hosted by the O'Reilly's daughters, Mrs. Alice Burnett of Chicago, Ill. and Mrs. Peggy Anderson of Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodge are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hodge, having arrived on Sunday, July 16. Dick graduated from Rodney B. Wilson High School with the class of 1950 and has been in California since 1951.

Hosts for their welcome were his sisters, Mrs. Shirley Douglas of Lansing, Mrs. Joyce Gorman of Detroit and Mrs. Betty Brown of Laingsburg. Guests were present from New York City, N.Y.; Chicago, Ill.; Rochester, New York; and Detroit, Lansing, Ovid, Laingsburg, and St. Johns.

The O'Reilly's were here for the day only, having attended the Baker Reunion held earlier at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peck of St. Johns.

The Hodges will return to California on Friday, after a short trip to Buffalo, N.Y. and other points East, with Mr. and Mrs. Hodge.



MRS. GAILEN O. THORNTON

# Jan Michutka weds Gailen O. Thornton

LAINGSBURG - Jan Patrice Michutka became the bride of Gailen O. Thornton Friday, July 21 in a double ring ceremony taking place in St. Isidore Catholic Church in Laingsburg. Rev. Joseph Aubin officiated at the 7 p.m. service before an altar decorated with daisies, gladiolus and carnations.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Joseph Michutka of 342 West Williams, Ovid and the late Joseph Michutka and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Cleon O. Thornton of 127 Oak Street, Elsie.

The bride was given in marriage by her grand-

father, George E. Myers of Greenville and approached the altar wearing a Victorian-style gown of summer satin and Venice lace featuring lantern sleeves, an A-line skirt and a chapel-length train with a deep flounce at the hemline. Her shoulder-length veil was secured in place by a Camelot-style headpiece trimmed with seed pearls and matching lace and she carried a cascade bouquet of white daisies, stephanotis, lilies of the valley and ivy with jeweled orange blossoms from her mother's bridal bouquet entwined among the bouquet.

Lea Ann Michutka, the bride's sister, served as maid of honor and assisting as bridesmaids were Ruth Ann Hubbard, Detroit, Mrs. Karen Lewis, Ovid, and Janet Thornton, Elsie, sister of the groom. Junior bridesmaid was Amy Jo Michutka, sister of the bride. The attendants wore floor-length gowns of apple green voile styled with trumpet sleeves, a square neckline and a deep ruffled hemline edged in lace. The bodice was trimmed with Venice lace. Each attendant wore a ribbon in her hair matching her gown and carried a bouquet of yellow daisies and stephanotis with yellow streamers.

Best man was Bruce Thornton, brother of the groom and serving as groomsman were Michael Lewis, Mark O'Donnell and Roger Behren. Ben Hubbard was junior groomsman.

A reception was held at the VFW Hall in Ovid immediately following the ceremony with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hubbard serving as host and hostess.

Special guests at the wedding and reception were Mr. and Mrs. George E. Myers, grandparents of the bride, Norman Thornton, grandfather of the groom and Mr. and Mrs. Robert VanSice, Godparents of the bride.

For travel on their wedding trip to the Southern States the new Mrs. Thornton chose a burnt orange dress with brown accessories.

Upon return the couple will make their home at Kewadin Village Apartments in Mt. Pleasant. The bride is a 1970 graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School and the groom is a 1967 O-E graduate and has completed a two year tour of duty in the Army.

## Celebrate anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jerone Kramer will be guests of honor at an open house in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary.

The event will be held from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., July 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kramer. Hosts will be their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Thelen.

Mr. Kramer, formerly of Fowler, son of Mrs. Eleanor

Kramer and the late Edward J. Kramer, and his wife reside at 12501 Musbach Road, Munith. The couple have four children, Mrs. Elaine Thelen, Mason; Dale, Jackson; Mike and Steve at home.

Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the open house.

## Marriage Licenses

MARRIAGE LICENSES  
Ronald E. Waggoner, 20, R-3, St. Johns and Vicki Lynn Amos, 19, R-3, St. Johns.

Raymond L. Schultz, 35, R-4, St. Johns and Ruth Ann Snyder, 30, 224 1/2 N. Clinton, St. Johns.

Terry Martin Tahvonen, 21, 13175 Tucker Dr., DeWitt and Judith Annette Slater, 19, 3132 Clark Rd., Lansing. Michael Richard Bates, 19, 7305 Hollister Rd., Laingsburg and Denise Lynn Bentley, 16, 9340 Oakdale Ave., Laingsburg.

Myron F. Tethal, 25, USS Jarvis PPO San Francisco, Calif. and Celeste Buck, 23, 7307 Island Rd., Elsie.

Gailen O. Thornton, 23, 127 E. Oak St., Elsie and Jan Patrice Michutka, 19, 342 W. Williams St., Ovid.

William H. Wilson, 23, 1529 S. Lansing St., St. Johns and Brenda A. Richmond, 21, 701 N. Lansing St., St. Johns.

Cecil J. Antes, 23, 612 East Main St., Maple Rapids and Susan L. Pineout, 23, 612 S. Clinton, St. Johns.

Donald A. Brown, 20, 14207 Turner St., DeWitt and Karen S. Arthur, 19, 4974 Round Lake Rd., Laingsburg.

Gareth G. Harte, 30, 13461 Center Rd., Bath and Ramona K. Churchill, 24, 13461 Center Rd., Bath. Harold E. Lupnitz, 22, 3507 Howe Rd., DeWitt and Dorothy A. Hart, 21, 1433 1/2 E. Grand River, Lansing.

## Dean's list

Among students at Anderson (Ind.) College who completed second semester of the 1971-72 year with a grade point average of 3.5 or higher, to head the Dean's List, was an area student:

Connie Lynne Gove, freshman, anticipating a major in elementary education; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gove, 2708 West M-21.

Anderson College, with an enrollment of 1,800, is a liberal arts school sponsored by the Church of God.

## Graduates

Terri Bunce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bunce, St. Johns, is a recent graduate of the Summer Modeling program at Joan Jewett Career School in East Lansing.

Terri majored in Basic Modeling.

## Graduates

Linda Green, daughter of Mrs. Janet Harte, Bath, is a recent graduate of Joan Jewett Career School in East Lansing.

Linda majored in Professional Modeling while attending the Summer Modeling Program.

## Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

CASLER—A boy, David Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry D. Casler of 9302 Oakdale Drive, Laingsburg on July 16 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 5 pounds, 14 1/2 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Casler, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard J. Cook. The mother is the former Ruby A. Cook.

WACOUSTA (c) HOLMES—A girl, Julia Katherine, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holmes of Wacousta on July 14 at Ingham Medical Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 1 1/2 ounces. The baby has one brother and two sisters. Grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Donald Wenigar of Cair, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Holmes of Eaton Rapids. The mother is the former Donna Wnigar.

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MR. & MRS. GEORGE MOORE

### 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore will be guests of honor at an open house Sunday, July 30 in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary. The event will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Fellowship Hall of the Elsie Methodist Church.

Mr. Moore, a farmer, has served as a Duplain Township supervisor for the past 20 years.

Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the open house.



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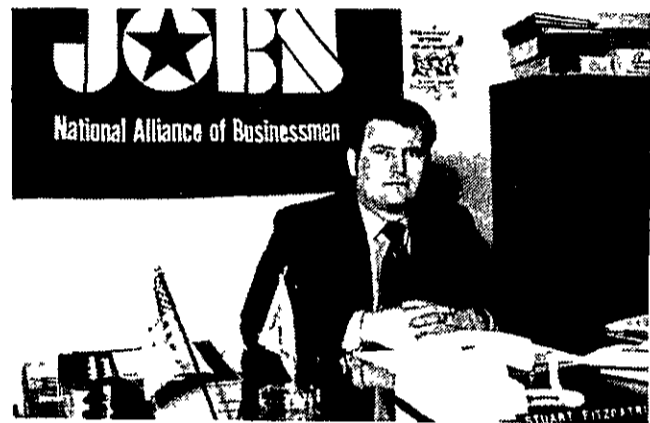
### They're engaged

PEWAMO--Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Miller of 249 Washington Street, Pewamo announce the engagement of their daughter, Ann Marie to Roy Anthony Simon. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin L. Simon of R-1, Pewamo. The bride-elect is a 1971 graduate of Pewamo-Westphalia High School and is employed at the State Treasury Department.

The prospective groom is a 1969 graduate of P-W and is a student at Lansing Community College. He is employed at Oldsmobile.

An Oct. 7 wedding is being planned by the couple.

### Fitzpatrick attends Washington conf



STUART L. FITZPATRICK

Stuart L. Fitzpatrick, Veteran JOBS Representative for the National Alliance of Businessmen in Lansing Metro's eleven south-central county area, attended the Alliance's annual conference in Washington, D. C. on July 17, 18 and 19th.

Fitzpatrick, his wife, Sharon and their three children reside at 4500 S. Francis Rd., St. Johns.

The three-day session was held to give an overall view of where the NAB is headed in the coming year. NAB is this major arm to help find employment in the private sector for the disadvantaged, youth, and Vietnam-era veterans. The vehicle for this effort is the well known JOBS program. Started at the request of the President of the United States in 1968, the Alliance has found jobs in the business sector for about 887,000 disadvantaged persons and placed more than 587,000 youths in summer jobs.

Asked by President Nixon in 1971 to take on the extra task of hiring Vietnam-era veterans, the Alliance found private sector jobs for more than 100,000 veterans in the first year.

The Alliance, a business-government program, is staffed by business executives who are from companies concerned by the plight of these people. It is headquartered in Washington, D. C and operates offices in 164 areas across the nation.

Highlights of the three-day session were four major speeches which were given by Secretary of Labor; James D. Hodgson; General Motors Chairman; Richard C. Gerstenberg; Mayor of Washington, D. C.; Walter E. Washington; and Secretary of Treasury; George P. Shultz. Leading the three-day conference was NAB Chairman Gordon M. Metcalf; Chairman, Sears, Roebuck and Co.

### Blue Star Mothers

Mrs. Myrtle Tolles, Bertha Henning, Ruth Barrett, Nora Heibeck, Edna Eldredd and Sara Ross attended a meeting of the past presidents club in Greenville on July 18. A luncheon was served at 12:30 with Chapter 2 of Greenville as host.

The October meeting will be held in St. Johns with Chapter 88 hostesses. A white elephant auction followed the meeting.

### Births

UNDERHILL--A boy, Darin Scott, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Underhill on July 7 at Carson City Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelley of Elsie and Georgianna Underhill of Ovid.



MR. & MRS. ROBERT HUHN

### Engaged

FOWLER--Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Feldpausch of Walker Road, Fowler announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Marie to Charles Milo Smith. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of Towner Road, Portland. The bride-elect is a graduate of Fowler High School and is employed at the Michigan Liquor Control Commission, Lansing.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Portland High School and is employed at Oldsmobile.

A Nov. 4 wedding is being planned by the couple.

## Thehlen-Huhn repeat nuptials

WESTPHALIA - Saint Mary's Church was the setting for the nuptial High Mass of Marilyn R. Thelen and Robert L. Huhn, which took place June 24 at 1:30 p.m. in the afternoon. Officiating at the double-ring service was the Reverend James Schmitt.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Thelen of Westphalia and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Huhn of Pewamo are parents of the groom.


Given in marriage by her father, the bride selected a white satin gown styled with an empire waistline, high neckline and v-back. Accenting the bodice were three vertical rows of Chantilly lace interwoven with satin ribbon. Sheer bishop sleeves ended in wide cuffs of the same lace and a satin pill box headpiece trimmed in matching lace and ribbon secured the shoulder-length veil.

Ruth Ann Thelen was her cousin's maid of honor. Other attendants were Diane Tess and Alice Huhn, sisters of the groom and Cheryl Wieber, friend of the bride. They were attired in identical dresses of aqua voile with ruffled neckline and cuffs. Deep aqua, purple and gold flowers covered the flocked overskirts. The attendants carried baskets of matching carnations.

Best man was Thomas Huhn, brother of the groom while groomsmen were Richard Huhn, brother of the groom, Jerome Thelen, brother of the bride and Donald Theis, friend of the groom. Ushers were Duane Thelen and Roy Huhn, brothers of the bride and groom.

Special guests at the reception which was held at 5:30 in St. Mary's Hall was the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Ida Smith of Westphalia.

Following a Western honeymoon, the new Mr. and Mrs. Huhn will reside at their home south of Fowler.



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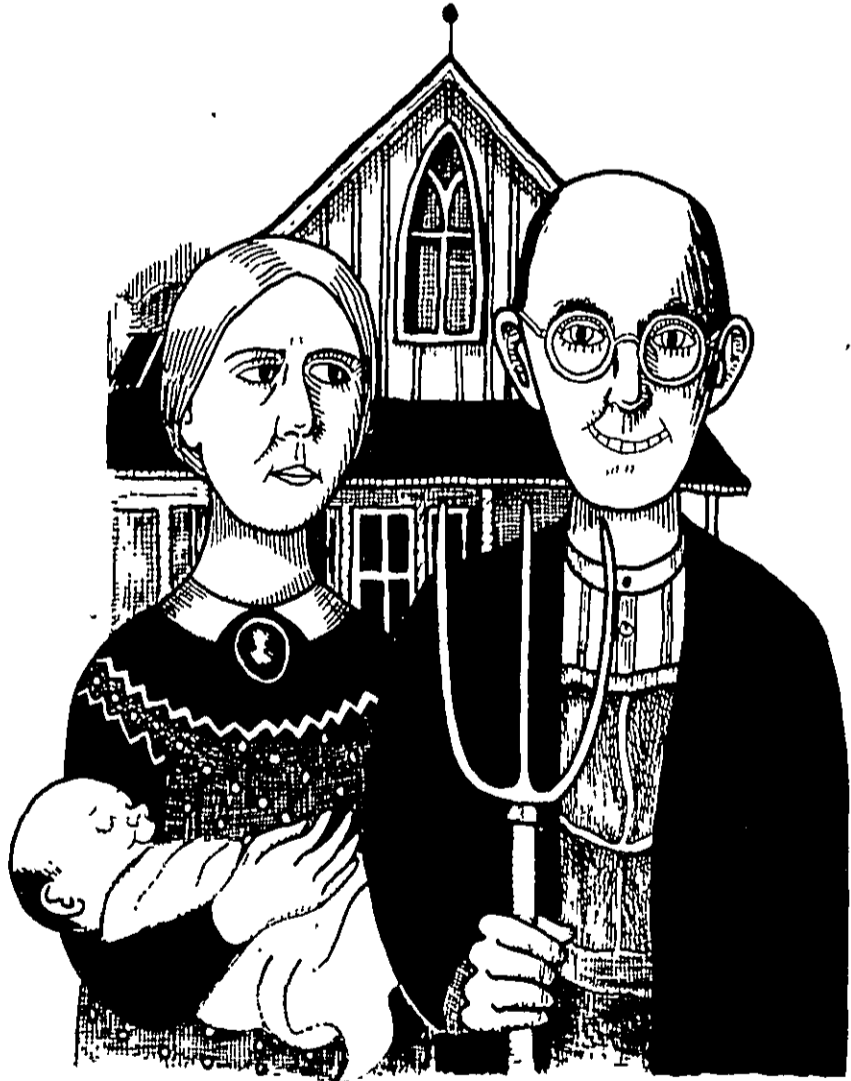
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# St. Johns

MRS. HILA BROSS



Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Estes, former St. Johns residents, are here from Tucson, Ariz., making their headquarters at the home of Mr. Estes' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Pierson. They attended the Todd-Walling family reunion Sunday, July 16, at the home

of Mrs. Estes' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Bissett, and they spent the recent weekend with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Walling, at their home near Deckerville.

Overnight guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Benson Tuesday, were Mrs. Benson's son and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. Linton Budd of Kirksville, Mo. The Budds made a flying trip to Michigan especially to see their new granddaughter, Amy Lynne Budd, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Budd of Eaton Rapids. They also called on friends in Grand Rapids and Carson City, where they formerly lived.

Among those from St. Johns who attended weekend performances of the musical play, "1776", held at Whiting Auditorium in Flint, were Mr. and Mrs. Benson Munger and daughter, Heidi, Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Livingston and Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Bross.

Mrs. Edward Martis and her son, Spencer, accompanied by Jeff Cox, returned home Saturday night from a two-weeks' vacation spent near Kingsville, Ontario.

Mrs. Alan Anderson and her brother, Alan Davis, left Friday on a motor trip to Yuma, Colo., to visit their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Richardson, and their son, Reuben, Lisa Davis is spending the summer with the Richardsons.

Mrs. Dora Jones of Detroit, is visiting in the home of her son-in-law and

daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Davis.

Mrs. Joseph Earl and her five children were in St. Johns last Wednesday and called on Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Brandt and Mrs. Delbert Conklin. Mrs. Earl, the former Stella Conklin, is Mr. Brandt's niece. She and Dr. Earl and their family are moving from Defiance, Ohio, to Lordsburg, New Mexico.

Mrs. John L. Jones and Mrs. Roy C. Davis were hostesses at a bridal shower for Judy Whitlock, Tuesday, July 25, at the Davis home. Miss Whitlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Whitlock, will be married to Charles Romig August 12, at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bissett hosted the Todd-Walling Family reunion, Sunday, July 16, at their home on N. US-27. Among the 55 guests present, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Estes of Tucson, Ariz., came from the greatest distance, and Mrs. Aura Walling Condit of Tecumseh, was the oldest one attending. She is 93. Others came from Traverse City, Ann Arbor, Carson City, Saranac, Rochester, Elsie, Hastings and Lansing. Floyd Todd of Hastings, was elected president; Paul Todd of Carson City, vice president; and Mrs. Doris Walling Bissett, secretary.

Robert Walling, family historian, exhibited the family tree he has compiled. William M. Rice of R-1, St. Johns has applied to the Michigan Historical Society Commission to have his 80 acre farm in Essex Township named as a Centennial Farm. The farm has been in the Rice family since Sept. 25, 1872.

## City commission minutes

### SPECIAL MEETING CITY COMMISSION May 25, 1972

Mayor Wood called the special meeting of the City Commission to order at 4:10 p.m.

The City Clerk informed the City Commission that notice of the special meeting had been posted on the city hall bulletin board at least 24 hours preceding the meeting.

Commissioners present: Rand, Grost, Hannah, Ebert, Wood. Commissioners absent: None. Staff present: City Manager, City Clerk, City Attorney, Zoning Administrator.

City Manager Weatherwax presented the bid from Searles Excavating which was in the amount of \$65,956.25 for street improvements on Oak, Wight and Morton Streets which Mr. Weatherwax explained had a mathematical error in the Oak Street section in the amount of \$3,742.20.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Rand that Searles Excavating Company be instructed to submit a new street construction proposal covering Oak, Wight and Morton Streets according to the formula worked out at this meeting and that such new proposal be submitted to the City Commission at a special meeting to be held Tuesday, May 30, 1972 at 7:30 p.m. The total price of the project to be in the amount of \$65,956.25. Yea: Rand, Grost, Hannah, Wood, Nay: Ebert. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grost supported by Commissioner Rand to open the budget hearing regarding the 1972-73 Water Fund and General Fund Budgets.

### SPECIAL MEETING CITY COMMISSION May 30, 1972

Mayor Wood called the special meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Commissioners present: Rand, Grost, Hannah, Ebert, Wood. Commissioners absent: None. Staff Present: City Manager, City Clerk.

The City Clerk informed the Commission that notice of the special meeting was posted on the Municipal Bulletin Board at least 24 hours before the special meeting.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Rand that the revised proposal of Willard Searles as resubmitted to the City Commission for the construction of Oak Street, on an assessment basis; Morton Street, on a public works contract; Wight Street, on an assessment basis be accepted in the total amount of \$65,956.25. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Ebert supported by Commissioner Rand that all three projects be paid for over a three year period either by special assessment or public works contract. Further, to authorize the City Attorney to draft a public works contract with Searles Construction for street construction. Yea: Rand, Ebert, Wood, Hannah, Nay: None. Abstained: Grost. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grost supported by Commissioner Rand to ask the Chief of Police to make a report regarding the stop sign requests, for the intersection of Swegles and McConnell and Oakland and Elm, at the next City Commission meeting. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Grost to accept the Game Time Bid for park play equipment in the amount of \$11,237. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grost supported by Commissioner Ebert to accept the bid from the Atlantic Richfield Company, for the city's fuel requirements for the next year. Motion carried.

City Attorney Maples read proposed Ordinance No. 247. AN ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH VOTING PRECINCTS IN THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS AND TO REPEAL ORDINANCE NO. 232 AND ALL OTHERS IN CONFLICT HEREWITH. Said reading constitutes charter requirements as found in section 5, page 6 of the St. Johns City Charter. Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Rand to adjourn at 8:30 p.m. Motion carried.

Hand supported by Commissioner Grost to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

### CITY COMMISSION MINUTES May 23, 1972

The regular meeting of the City Commission was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Wood.

Commissioners present: Rand, Grost, Hannah, Ebert, Wood. Commissioners absent: None. Staff present: City Manager, City Clerk, City Attorney, Zoning Administrator.

Reverend Homer offered invocation.

Motion by Commissioner Ebert supported by Commissioner Grost to approve the minutes of May 8, 1972. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Grost to approve the warrants. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Ebert supported by Commissioner Grost to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grost supported by Commissioner Rand to authorize the City Manager and the City Engineer to review the area, a portion of Steel Street which Federal Mogul Company was requesting the vacation of, to be sure there would not be any encroachment regarding municipal service lines. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grost supported by Commissioner Rand to open the budget hearing regarding the 1972-73 Water Fund and General Fund Budgets.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Grost that the 1972-1973 Budget as presented by the City Manager and presented to the public at a public hearing be adopted. Yea: Rand, Grost, Hannah, Wood, Nay: None. Abstained: Ebert. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Grost to reject all street improvement bids submitted to the City Commission May 8, 1972. Yea: Rand, Grost, Hannah, Wood, Nay: Ebert. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Hannah that the City Attorney be authorized to draft a public works contract with Searles Excavating Company for street improvements on Oak Street, Wight Street and Morton Street in the amount of \$65,956 with a ten per cent cash performance bond. Further, to authorize the City Engineers to inspect the work. Further, to authorize the Mayor and Clerk to sign the contract on behalf of the city. Yea: Rand, Grost, Hannah, Wood, Nay: Ebert. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grost supported by Commissioner Rand to ask the Chief of Police to make a report regarding the stop sign requests, for the intersection of Swegles and McConnell and Oakland and Elm, at the next City Commission meeting. Motion carried.

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Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Ebert to accept the Police Report and recommendation in reference to stop signs at the intersection of Swegles and McConnell and Oakland and Elm. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Ebert to raise the consideration in each fire contract with Clinton County Townships 10% and to authorize the City Clerk to notify each township. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Hannah to open the public hearing in reference to vacating a portion of Railroad Street. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Hannah to close the hearing inasmuch as no one wished to discuss the street vacation. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Ebert supported by Commissioner Rand to authorize the City Manager to take bids for street paving and seal coating. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Rand supported by Commissioner Ebert to authorize the City Manager to take bids for street paving and seal coating. Motion carried.

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Del Monte 20 oz. Catsup <b>3 for \$1</b>	California 6 oz. Grated TUNA <b>3 for \$1</b>
Lysol 7 oz. SPRAY Disinfectant <b>69¢</b>	Vlasic FRESH PAK 32 oz. POLISH DILLS <b>49¢</b>
Vlasic 10 oz. SWEET Relish <b>25¢</b>	Spartan 16 oz. POTATO CHIPS <b>43¢</b>
Spartan Glass 35 oz. Applesauce <b>3 for \$1</b>	Spartan 6 oz. ORANGE JUICE <b>5 for 89¢</b>
Pet Ritz 14 oz. CREAM PIES <b>4 for \$1</b>	Banquet 2 lbs. FRIED CHICKEN <b>\$1.39</b>
Spartan Soft MARGARINE 16 oz. <b>29¢</b>	Spartan Luncheon MEATS 1-16 pkg. <b>69¢</b>
Bill Stern's Chip'n Dip 16 oz. <b>39¢</b>	ROUND STEAK LB. <b>99¢</b>
Kent Large Bologna LB. <b>59¢</b>	CABBAGE LB. <b>8¢</b>
Club STEAK LB. <b>99¢</b>	CARROTS 1-16 pkg. <b>12¢</b>
LEMONS 140 Size <b>6 for 49¢</b>	CANTALOUPE 27 Size <b>3 for 97¢</b>

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CITY COMMISSION MINUTES June 12, 1972

Mayor Wood called the regular meeting of the City Commission to order at 7:30 p.m.

### Clinton area obituaries

#### Marguerite Walker

STANTON -- Mrs. Marguerite Walker, 63, of R-3, Stanton died Sunday, July 23 at Sheridan Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services will be held at the Osgood Funeral Home Wednesday, July 26 at 1:30 p.m. with Rev. Neil Sheridan officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Rest Cemetery. She was born in Clinton County on May 31, 1909, the daughter of Robert and Florence Whittaker Hever. She was a graduate of St. Johns High School and Lansing Business University. She had been a lifelong resident of Bengal Township and a resident at her present address for the past 11 years. She married George Walker in Lansing on March 10, 1934 and was a member of Stanton Baptist Church and a former member of the Bengal Aid Society.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Mrs.

Geraldine Swanson of Maple Rapids; three sons, Irvin Walker of Fowler, Wayne Walker of Minden City and Wendell Walker of Junction City; a brother, Doyle Hever of St. Johns; a sister, Mrs. Virgene Kregel of St. Johns; 12 grandchildren.

#### Arnold J. Zachgo

OWOSSO--Arnold J. Zachgo, 74, of 1603 Stewart, Owosso died Wednesday, July 19 at the Shiawassee Medical Care Facility.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 22 at the Houghton Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Homes with Rev. Lawrence R. Neff officiating. Burial was in Middlebury Cemetery.

He was born in Lincoln County, Kansas on June 29, 1898, the son of Anton G. and Margaret Zachgo and had been a resident of Owosso since 1940. He married the former Frances G. Kohler in Kansas on June 3, 1933.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Arnold B. Zachgo of Junction City, Kansas; a granddaughter; three sisters, Mrs. Louise Yeagley of Salina, Kansas, Mrs. Eka of Sylvan, Kansas and Mrs. Anna J. Watson of Bonner Springs, Kansas.

#### Zelda O. Mitchell

ST. JOHNS--Mrs. Zelda O. Mitchell, 70, of Anderson Road, St. Johns died at her home on July 19.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 22 at the Gorsline-Runciman Lansing Chapel with interment in Deepdale Cemetery, Lansing.

She was born June 11, 1902 in Elsie and she had been a resident of Lansing for 40 years before moving to Clinton County seven years ago. Her husband, Grifford A. Mitchell preceded her in death in 1960.

Survivors include a son, Dale E. Mitchell of St. Johns; a daughter, Mrs. Wanda Mae Canell of Lapeer; eight grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Mabel Flanner of Ashley.

#### Rev. William Catton

Rev. William Robert Catton died suddenly at his home in Benzonia, Wednesday, July 19. The Cattons were preparing to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary soon.

Mr. Catton was minister of the First Congregational Church of St. Johns from January of 1942 until a year and a half later, when he became a Chaplain in the U.S. Navy. Mrs. Catton and their children continued to make their home in St. Johns until January of 1946, when Mr. Catton accepted a pastorate in Decatur, Illinois.

He served churches in Manistee and Harrison in Michigan, as well as in the states of Vermont and Kansas. Although retired for several years, he had continued his ministerial services on an interim basis at various churches, the last being in Muskegon.

Funeral services held at the Congregational Church in Benzonia, were delayed until Sunday, July 23, pending arrival of the Catton's daughter, Ruth, who is a foreign missionary. Other children who, with Mrs. Catton, survive are 2 sons, William and Edward.

Since retirement the Cattons have made their home in the northern Michigan village which was his birthplace. Mr. Catton's brother, Bruce Catton, Editor of American Heritage Magazine and author of several books on the Civil War, also makes his home in Benzonia. The deceased was a graduate of Oberlin College and Theological Seminary, and was a veteran of World War I as well as World War II.

#### Dedyne sells grocery store

Edmond Dedyne has sold his grocery store at 709 W. State St. in St. Johns to Orville Sillman, also of St. Johns.

In making the announcement, Dedyne said he plans to retire in his new home being constructed near Belding. He had operated the store in St. Johns for the past 18 years. Sillman has worked at Federal-Mogul in St. Johns for 24 years.

#### Elsie

A son, Darin Scott, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Underhill of Elsie at the Carson City Hospital Friday, July 7. He weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces.

The baby has a sister, Rachelle. Grandparents are Mrs. Georgiana Underhill of Ovid and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kelley of Elsie. The mother is the former Connie Kelley.

#### CITY COMMISSION MINUTES

(Continued from page 6A)

missioner Hannah to adopt proposed Ordinance No. 246, the Subdivision Control Ordinance. Motion carried.

Adoption of Ordinance No. 247, an ordinance to establish voting precincts, was moved by Commissioner Rand and supported by Commissioner Grost. Ordinance declared adopted.

Motion by Commissioner Ebert supported by Commissioner Hannah to open the public hearing regarding Ordinance No. 245, the Zoning Ordinance and Zoning Map. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Grost to close the hearing on Ordinance No. 245. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Ebert supported by Commissioner Hannah that the text and map of Ordinance No. 245 be as presented by the planning commission be adopted. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Ebert that the suggestions and items which were discussed by persons at the zoning hearing be put on an agenda for consideration when the City Commission and Planning Commission meet. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Grost supported by Commissioner Hannah to instruct the City Clerk to write a letter to each member of the Planning Commission commending them for their work on the Zoning Ordinance. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Hannah supported by Commissioner Grost to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:45 p.m.

#### Calendar Of Coming Events

JULY 28 -- A neighborhood carnival, with the proceeds to go to Muscular Dystrophy, will be held at 609 South Clinton, St. Johns from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Games will be played and prizes awarded.

JULY 30 -- The annual Clinton County Pomona Grange picnic will be held at the A.J. Thelen home, 4351 Parks Road at 1 p.m. A potluck dinner will be served with Pomona Grange furnishing the chicken. Members are requested to bring a dish to pass and their own table service. Each Grange will be asked to provide one entertainment number. Speaker for the day is Stanley Powell, Ionia.

AUGUST 3 -- The St. Johns Jaycee Auxiliary will sponsor a Doll and Pet Show at the City Park 4-H grounds starting at 9:30 a.m. Ribbons will be awarded in various categories.

#### NEWS WANT ADS

### WRBJ makes FM debut this week

ST. JOHNS--The special breed of radio listeners in the greater Lansing area who enjoy tuning in the full stereo sounds of FM, may have noticed a new and totally exciting stereo experience at the 92.1 spot on their FM dial. It's WRBJ-FM stereo, which made its program debut on Monday, July 24.

WRBJ-FM is owned by the Dittmer Broadcasting Company, with its studios and transmitter located just south of St. Johns on West Parks Road. Owner, Robert D. Dittmer stated the broadcast day consists of 18 hours, from 6 a.m. to 12 midnight. The format, informed program director Dave Hallin, consists of "a maximum of high quality orchestral and instrumental selections, with a minimum of talk."

This fall, WRBJ-FM will broadcast the live coverage of high school football games on Friday nights. According to chief engineer Arthur Wainwright, WRBJ-FM has an effective radiated power of 3,000 watts, giving broadcast coverage to the entire Lansing, St. Johns, Alma, Ithaca, St. Louis, Carson City, Ionia and Owosso areas.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Boak and son are leaving for Oxford, Maine to visit William Jackson family. They are meeting Mr. and Mrs. Robert (nee Gloria Boak) Jackson, of Tucson Arizona, at the William Jackson residence.

### St. Johns

Charles Spaulding of Lansing spent from Sunday till Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benjamin and family. On Thursday he and Lorie Benjamin spent the day with Lula Boak. Charlie and Edna Boak spent the afternoon also with Lula Boak.

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## ELECT LARRY FLOATE

### REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE

FOR CLINTON COUNTY SHERIFF

**EDUCATION:**

- Graduate of Fulton High School 1953
- Awarded Diploma for Completion of the Basic Police Procedure by Michigan State Police 1967
- Awarded Diploma by Michigan State Police for State Police Reserve Training officer 1969
- Awarded Diploma by Michigan Technological University for emergency operation and simulation 1971

**MILITARY:**


- United States Naval Reserve 1952
- Honorable Discharge 1960

**EXPERIENCE:**

- Elected member of the Maple Rapids Volunteer Fire Department 1962
- Elected Secretary of Maple Rapids Fire Department 1965-67
- Appointed to the Maple Rapids Volunteer Police Dept. 1966
- Appointed Councilman for the Village of Maple Rapids Elected Councilman 1967-69
- Appointed Assistant Marshall for Maple Rapids 1967-70
- Appointed Deputy Sheriff for Clinton County - March 1970

**PERSONAL:**

- Lifetime resident of Clinton County.
- Age 37 Born October 23, 1934
- Resides with his wife the former Virgilene Coleman from Pompeii and their 6 children; Gary 17, Albert 16, Shela 14, Lerry Jr. 13, Brian 12, and Robin 10, and their one dog Charlie, at 216 Mill Street Maple Rapids.



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### Open Letter

from VAN W. HOAG

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The clergyman should be consulted in matters that concern him before any decisions are made.

Respectfully,

*Van W. Hoag*

**Hoag Funeral Home**  
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## SIDEWALK DAYS

Thursday & Friday July 27-28

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**Primary election notices**  
(Continued from page 8)  
Township on Tuesday, August 8, 1972

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

Congressional: United States Senator, Representative in Congress

Legislative: Representative

County: Prosecuting Attorney, Sheriff, County Clerk, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Drain Commissioner, County Commissioners.

Township: Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Trustee(s), Constable(s)

**PROPOSAL A**

**PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO ALLOW TRIAL BY A JURY OF LESS THAN 12 JURORS IN ALL PROSECUTIONS IN ALL COURTS FOR MISDEMEANORS PUNISHABLE BY IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN 1 YEAR**

This proposed amendment alters the provisions of the present constitution relative to the guarantee of a trial by jury in criminal prosecutions. The constitution now permits juries of less than 12 members in criminal proceedings in courts not of record. The proposed amendment permits a trial by a jury of less than 12 members in any court if the offense is a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than 1 year.

Shall this amendment be adopted?

YES

NO

Notice Relative to Opening and Closing the Polls  
Election Law, Act 116, P.A. 1954, Section 720. On the day of any election the polls will be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for closing thereof shall be allowed to vote. The polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election.

RUDOLPH MOHNKE  
Clerk of Said Township  
Dated: July 10, 1972 52-2

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**Annual police auction planned**

Auction fans, particularly those in Central Lower Michigan, are advised that the annual sale conducted by the State Police will be Thursday, August 3, somewhat earlier than it has been in recent years. The sale starts at 9 a.m.

The eighteenth annual auction of confiscated, recovered and unclaimed merchandise will be conducted at State Police headquarters at 714 S. Harrison Road in East Lansing.

Several thousand items will be disposed of in the bidding by lot, which total about 625 this year. The articles were turned in primarily by the State Police and the Departments of Natural Resources and Corrections. The articles come from about 70 of the state's 83 counties.

**Holsteins earn E designations**

Duane and Velmar Green, Elsie, have been notified by Holstein-Friesian Association of America that six Registered Holstein cows in their herd have received an "E" designation for body type conformation.

On the basis of their again being classified "Excellent", Forest Lily Pond Portia 6389367, Dark Wood Supreme Pattie 6312503, Rock River Count Suzy 5350431, Sleepy Hollow Royal Lida 5389885, have been awarded 3E designations. C Hartholm Citation Arab 7027185, Green Meadow Rocket Melody 5948156, have been awarded 2E designations.

This phase of the Holstein Association's herd improvement service provides special recognition for "Excellent" cows that continue to score "Excellent" as they grow older. A cow may be designated 2, 3, or 4E according to her history of previous "Excellent" classifications within specified age brackets.

Among the 131,769 Registered Holsteins scored for body type last year, less than two per cent attained "Excellent" status. Thus, the achievement of multiple "E" designation makes the individual cow a more valuable asset for herd improvement purposes in the dairyman's breeding program.

**OVID**

MRS. OLIVER SMITH  
Phone 834-5252

Mrs. Cal Seidel was the guest of honor at a baby shower on July 14 at the home of Mrs. Jerry Ross.

Appropriate games were played and the winners were Mrs. Cyril Tremblay, Miss Pat Saxton and Mrs. Porter Martin.

The door prize was won by Miss Barbara Hartsuff.

After opening her gifts, refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Jerry Ross, Mrs. David Stilwell and Mrs. Dorothy Sauber.

A miscellaneous shower was given recently for Mrs. Jean Crawford Elmer of Holly at the home of Mrs. C.E. Tremblay with hostesses Mrs. Page Hilton of Saginaw and Mrs. Jerry Ross of Ovid.

This event was to replace articles lost in a fire at Mrs. Elmer's residence. Many useful gifts were given.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Voigt and family of Geneva, Illinois have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maylon Waite for several days.

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**Golf standings**

**TUESDAY FOUR O'CLOCK LEAGUE**

W	L
J. Sincropi & F. Masarik	15 5
D. Mazzolini & J. Nuser	15 5
B. Beach & G. Bovan	15 5
S. Keyes & L. Melvin	15 5
R. Kentfield & L. Lake	13 7
B. Foreback & R. King	13 7
D. Miller & B. Carmon	12 8
K. Baker & R. Wells	12 8
F. Ridsdale & B. Bennett	11 9
O. Estes & B. Henning	10 10
R. Labrato & B. Thompson	9 11
P. Schueller & H. Kortez	8 12
K. Carter & C. Hovey	7 13
V. Geller & O. Tatroe	6 14
K. Becker & P. Maples	6 14
L. Tiedt & R. Briggs	6 14
L. Field & A. Fruchtl	5 15
B. Barber & P. Jopke	2 18

**TUESDAY FIVE O'CLOCK LEAGUE**

W	L
C. Green & D. Hankey	16 2
T. Hundley & M. Westland Jr.	16 2
E. Loznak & S. Bakita	15 3
B. Conklin & J. Bartek	11 7
C. Nobis & B. Wiseman	10 8
B. Lentz & H. Hoshield	10 8
G. Baese & J. Sperl	10 8
M. O'Neil & N. Hatta	9 9
C. Coletta & H. Wellman	8 10
J. Paradise & D. Devereaux	8 10
R. Beebe & B. Fowler	7 11
R. Rademacher & D. Strouse	6 10
B. Baese & A. Rademacher	6 12
G. Wild & D. Williams	6 12
W. Holden & R. Hankey	2 14
L. Sturgis & Dr. Slaugh	2 16

**St. Johns Slow-Pitch**

AMERICAN LEAGUE		NATIONAL LEAGUE			
T & T	W	L	W	L	
Randolph's	4	2	O'Connor's	3	0
Dry Dock	4	2	Jaycees	4	1
VFW Post 4113	3	2	Beaufore's	3	2
UAW Local 182	3	2	Oliver's	2	2
Central National	3	2	Sealed Power	3	3
General Telephone	2	4	Federal Mogul	3	3
City	0	6	Clinton National	0	3
			Beck's	0	5

A schedule of games for tonight through next week includes: TONIGHT-T & T vs VFW Post 4113 and City vs Central National; THURSDAY-General Telephone vs UAW Local 182 and Dry Dock vs Randolph's; MONDAY-Beaufore's vs Oliver's and O'Connor's vs Clinton National; TUESDAY-Beck's vs Sealed Power and Jaycees vs Federal Mogul.

**MID-SUMMER DISCOUNTS**

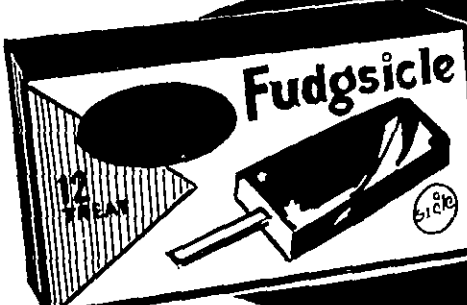
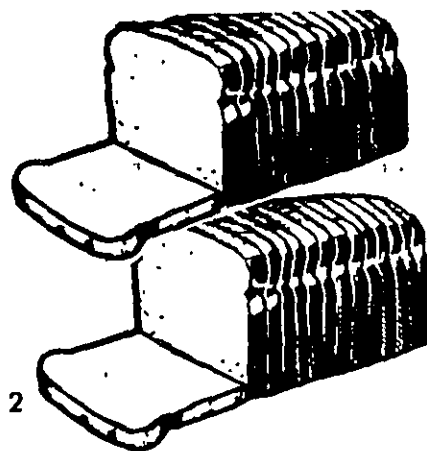


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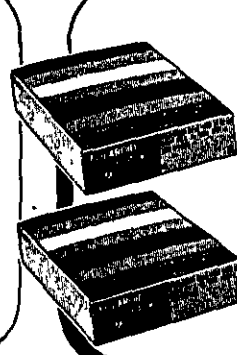
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**36¢**  
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**ARNOLD DISCOUNT COUPON**  
8 OZ. BOTTLE PEPTO-BISMOL LIQUID  
**68¢**  
LIMIT 1 WITH THIS COUPON THRU AUG. 1, 1972

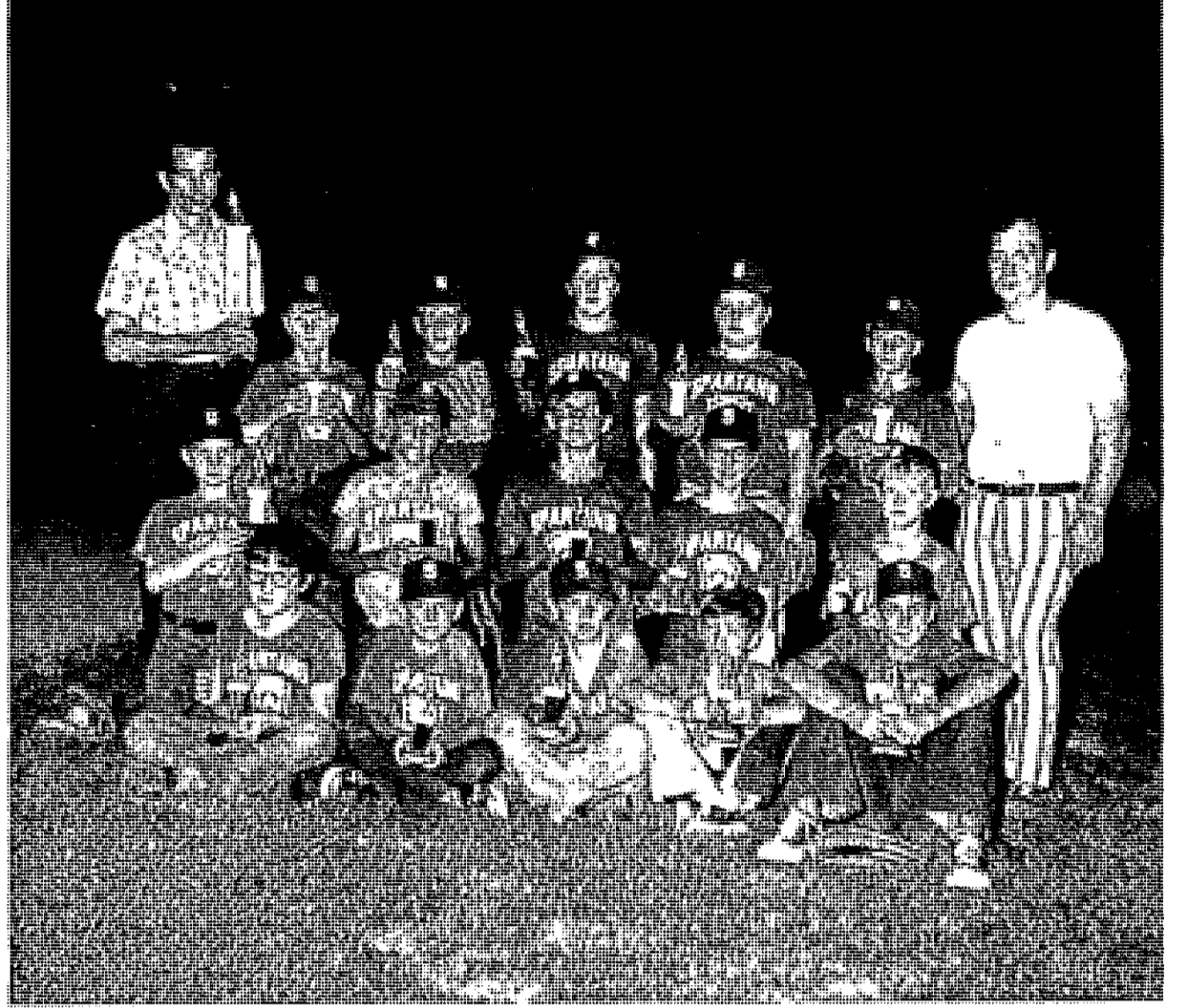
**ARNOLD DISCOUNT COUPON**  
260'S CURRY COSMETIC PUFFS  
**29¢**  
LIMIT 1 WITH THIS COUPON THRU AUG. 1, 1972

# Yanks edge Spartans 9-4 for Little League crown



**Yankees Team**

Little League champs coached by Sheldon Parker and Don Isbell



**Spartans Team**

Little League runners-up coached by Wayne Beaufore and Tony Slamka

ST. JOHNS--The Yanks earned the St. Johns Little League crown Saturday evening by defeating the Spartans 9-4 with a six-run outburst in the final inning. It climaxed a perfect season for the Yanks as the League crown Saturday evening by defeating the Spartans 9-4 with a six-run outburst in the final inning. Members of the championship team include: Calvin Delo, Sheldon Parker, Gaylord Robbins, Brad Delo, Mike Roesner, Jerry Hollis, Duane Hine, Jim Peters, Sam Hollis, Mark White, Todd Bakita, Lonnie Hufnagel, Andy Spencer, Mike Parker and Todd Barbeau. The Yanks reached the championship game after winning the National

Division. The Spartans coached by Wayne Beaufore and Tony Slamka ended the season with an 8-2 mark while winning top spot in the American Division. Members of the Spartan squad include: Tim Beaufore, Mark Bruun, Lynn Thelen, Jim Surdenik, Todd Ballinger, Brent Simon, Jeff Washburn, Jay Pline, Jeff Andrews, Kurt Slanka, Ivan Stebbins, Jim Rewerts, John Blackmer, Todd Gilroy and Pete Smith. Spartan error on a ball hit by Brad Delo. Another runner scored on a bases loaded walk to Calvin Delo. Then Mark White stepped to the plate and rapped a double to knock in three more runs. Todd Bakita ended all scoring for the evening as his triple allowed White to reach homeplate.

**PLAYOFF SCORES**

Cubs 9, Tigers 5; Indians 8, Astros 5; Indians 5, Orioles 4; Spartans 8, Cubs 7, Yanks 8, Indians 6; Yanks 9, Spartans 4 (championship game).

**Little League**

**Standings**

**AMERICAN**

Team	W	L
Spartans	7	1
Cubs	6	2
Tigers	5	3
Sox	4	4
Cougars	2	5
Twins	1	5
Mets	1	7

**NATIONAL**

Team	W	L
Yanks	8	0
Orioles	7	1
Indians	4	4
Astros	4	4
Pirates	4	4
Giants	2	6
Reds	2	6
Cardinals	1	5

IN THE championship game, it was the Yanks to score first by pushing across three runs in the second inning. Triples by Brad Delo and Calvin Delo followed by a home run off the bat of Mark White accounted for the three runs. The Spartans then rallied in the third inning to take a 4-3 edge. Jim Surdenik started the action with a hit and Todd Ballinger reached first base on a walk. Following a strike out by Gary Slamka, Lynn Thelen slammed a double to knock in two runs. Tim Beaufore came through with a hit to score Thelen. The Spartans final run came after a walk to Mark Bruun when Kurt Slamka slammed a hit knocking in Beaufore from third. The 4-3 advantage remained in favor of the Spartans until a fifth inning rally clinched a victory for the Yanks. Andy Spencer opened the inning with a walk, Jerry Hollis singled and a free pass to Sheldon Parker loaded the bases. One run came across after a

The above standings are final results at the end of regular season play. Last week's scores include: Sox 14, Cougars 4; Yanks 12, Mets 2; Astros 5, Cardinals 4; Orioles 5, Astros 4; Indians 8, Pirates 0.

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## Nixon-Griffin quarters established here

ST. JOHNS--Beginning Thursday, July 27 a Nixon-Griffin Headquarters will be set up at 102 North Clinton Ave., St. Johns.

The office space was donated to the Republican Party by Mrs. Esther Hendershot and volunteers

will be on hand to man the phones and answer questions on the issues, candidates, registration and precincts.

The office will be in operation Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Tuesday mornings and all day Friday and

Saturday. Phone number at the headquarters is 224-4212.

Persons wishing to volunteer their assistance in the project may contact Mrs. Liz Nobis, vice-chairman of the Clinton County executive committee at 224-3888.



Dean Montague and Theresa Hackett discuss the Doll and Pet Show, sponsored by the St. Johns Jaycee Auxiliary, which will be held Thursday, Aug. 3 with chairman Janet Scott. The show will be held at the City Park 4-H grounds at 9:30 a.m. Ribbons will be awarded in several different categories and the animals do not have to perform tricks to qualify for a prize. Only domestic animals should be entered. Members of the Nimble Fingers and Happy Hustlers 4-H groups will assist the Jaycettes with the judging.

## Named to band roster

MARQUETTE -- Mary Rasmussen, St. Johns, has been accepted into the 1972 Northern Michigan University "Wildcat" Marching Band.

Mary will be entering the band--the "Pride of the North"--as a flutist. Prior to coming to Northern, she served with the Gerrish-Higgins High School Band.

corps/dance line--the "Sweet Sixteen." Mary is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rasmussen, 10021 Lincolnshire, St. Johns.

## Open House

During the 1971 season the 160 piece Wildcat Marching Band, directed by Tim Lautzenheiser, was the featured half-time entertainment at the Chicago Bears' home opener at Soldier Field. This past season also saw the addition of two new majorettes--the "Silver Twins"--and a flag

OVID--An open house honoring Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Green of Springhill, Kansas will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Perry, 220 West William, Ovid on Sunday, Aug. 6 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. The couple was married in Kansas on Feb. 26. Friends and relatives are invited to the event.

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Card of Thanks

HAYNES - We the family of Edna Haynes wish to express our thanks to all the relatives, friends, and neighbors for their kindness during her illness and passing. Our special thanks goes out to Drs. Russell, and Grost, The Clinton Memorial Hospital, nurses and nurses aides, and house-keeping Dept., for their personal attention and kind consideration. Also we would like to extend our thanks and appreciation to Rev. Francis C. Johannides of the United Methodist Church, the Osgood Funeral Home for their services and the Sarah Louise Circle and Wesleyan Service Guild who provided the luncheon after the funeral. The many acts of kindness extended to us are deeply appreciated and will long be remembered. -The Edna Haynes Family, 13-1p

BECHER - I would like to thank Drs. Poff, Morris, Berndt and Graves and the hospital staff for the wonderful care I received when I was in Carson City Hospital. Thanks also to Rev. Marjorie Matthews and Rev. Litchfield for their visits and the UMW and the Sunshine Club for the gifts. To the relatives, friends and neighbors a big thank you for the prayers, visits, letters, cards, flowers, plants and gifts. May God bless you all. Hazel Becher. 13-1p-nc



Mrs. Liz Nobis, vice-chairman of Clinton County Republican Committee, left, Mrs. Virginia Zeeb, Republican committee secretary and Willard Krebel, Clinton County executive member, finalize plans for the upcoming "good ole barn bash" which will be held at the home of Robert Zeeb, 2840 Herbison Road, DeWitt Township Saturday, July 29. Special guest in attendance will be Senator Robert Griffin and other Republican candidates will be on hand throughout the day. The event is a culmination to the Republican campaign drive and all contributors will be admitted free of charge. The activities will begin at 5:30 p.m. and continue until 9:30 p.m.

WOODHAMS - Thank you Drs. Russell and Grost and all of the nurses and aides and other personnel at the hospital for being so nice and taking such good care of me. I want to thank friends and relatives for the gifts and cards I received. Barry Woodhams. 13-1dh

HAMER - The family of Lucile Hamer wish to thank all the friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness during her recent illness and death. Also a special thanks to Don and Jean Seyfried, the B & B Extension Group and the Naomi Circle for the lovely dinner they served, The Rummell Funeral Home and Rev. Eastman. 13-1p

MARTIN - I wish to thank the doctors, nurses and others at Clinton Memorial Hospital for their wonderful care, visiting clergymen for their spiritual help and words of encouragement, relatives, friends and neighbors for their gifts, flowers, cards, food and acts of kindness. It was most appreciated. -Naomi Martin. 13-1p

In Memoriam

In loving memory of Josephine Jones who passed away 4 years ago the 6th of August. Often a lonely heartache, And many a silent tear, But always a beautiful memory, Of the one I loved so dear. Walter Jones. 13-1p-nc

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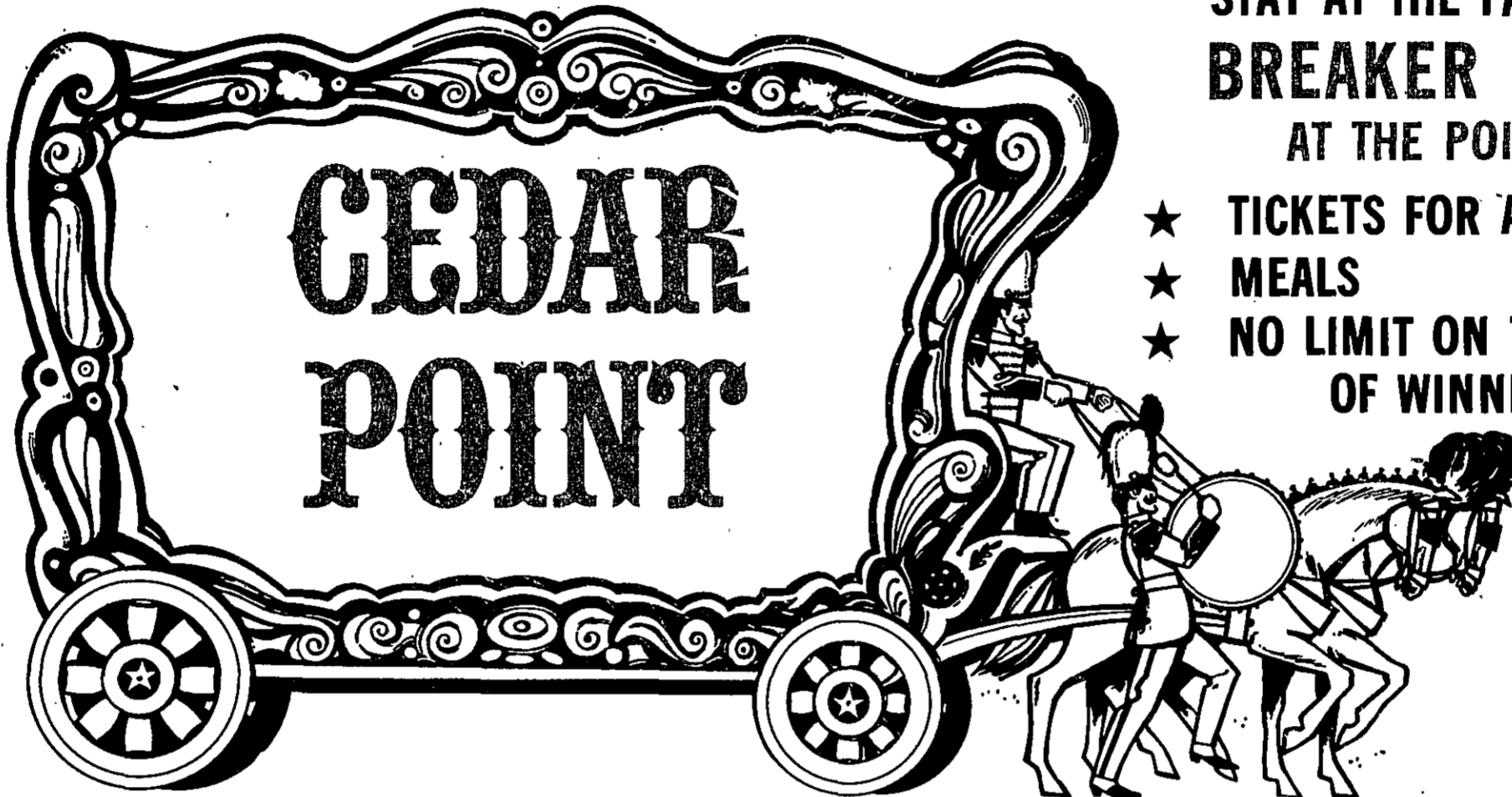
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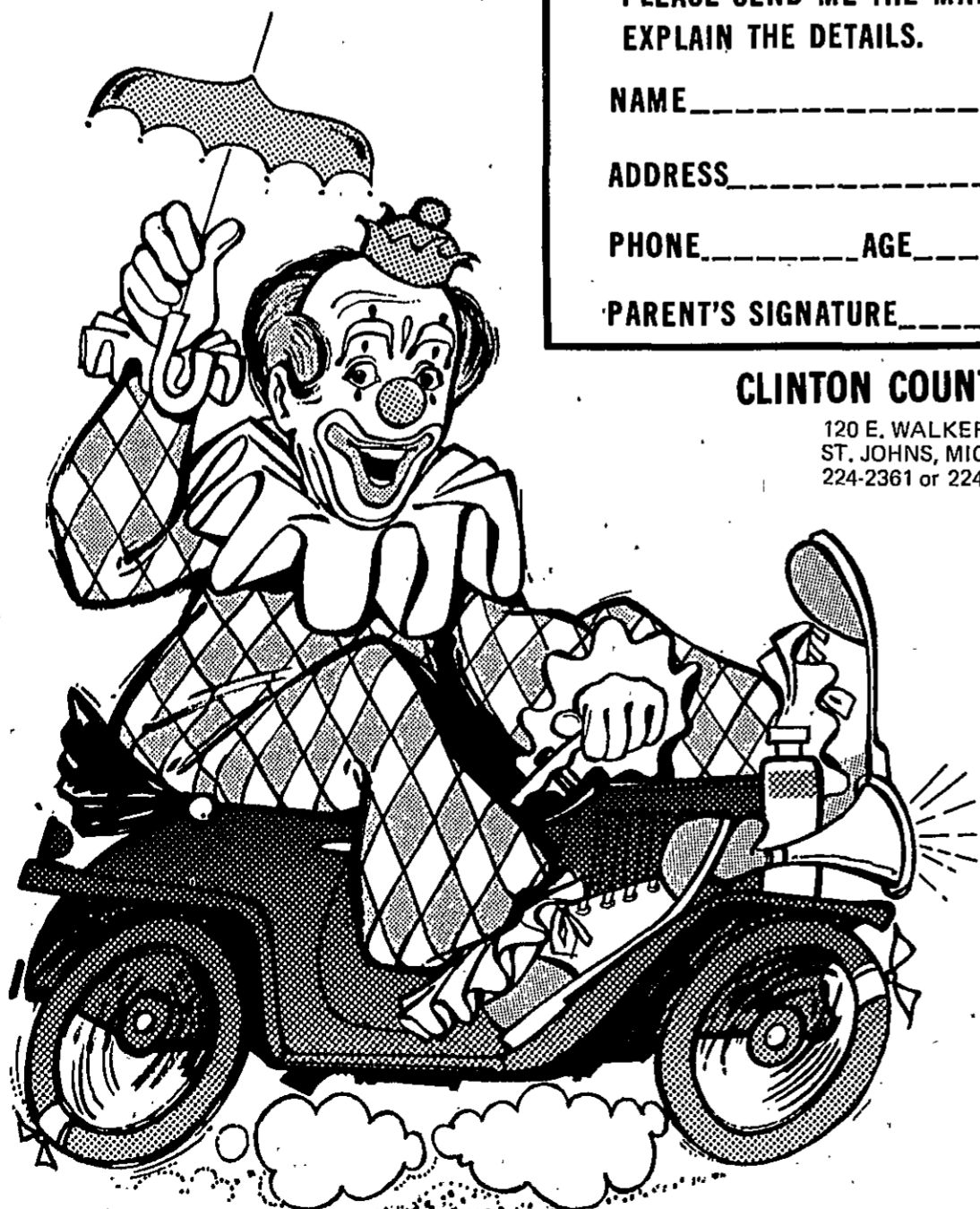
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# School building repair begins in St. Johns



Repairs are underway at Central School as Richard Cornwell and Terry Adams proceed with the task of facing up loose or missing brick work on the building.

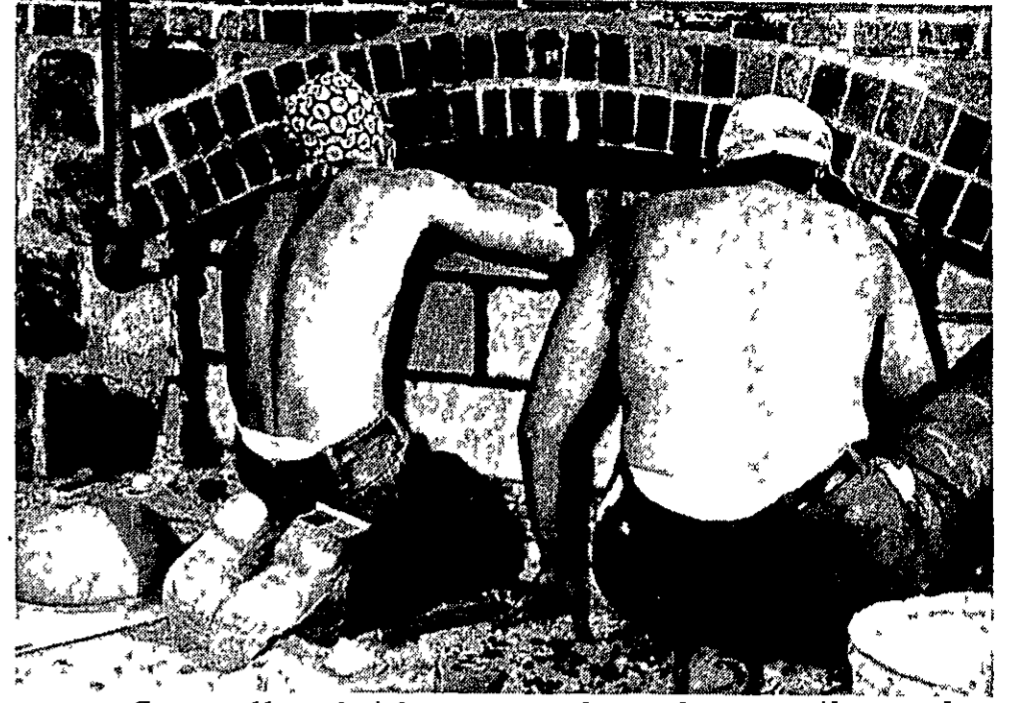
ST. JOHNS—Work began this week in several St. Johns schools from the result of a one mill levy voted last June for school maintenance.

School officials requested the one-mill because they had been carrying a deficit for the past three years and only emergency maintenance had been done. Because of this many areas in the buildings had deteriorated and repairs were badly needed.

Recently the painting contracts were awarded to Ray Schneider and Ray Kentfield, both of St. Johns and cement work contracts were given to Cornwell Construction.

Voters approved the one-mill for a two year period which will total \$60,000 each year for the repair projects.

As the summer progresses other repairs will be accomplished



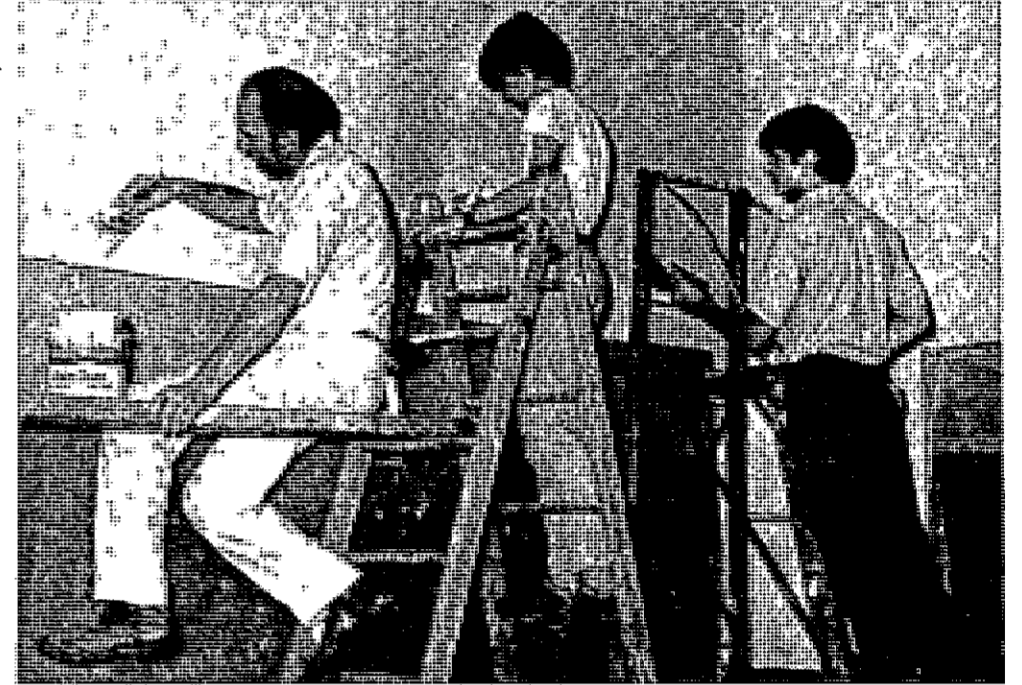
Cornwell and Adams are shown here as they make repairs to an exterior area at Central School.

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July 26, 1972



Ray Schneider and his sons, Jeff and Ray give a classroom at Perrin-Palmer School a new look with a fresh coat of paint.

Photos by Annette White



Terry Kentfield and father, Ray, in background, put the finishing touches on the walls of the art room at Rodney B. Wilson Junior High School.

## Kincaid News

By Mrs. Porter C. Parks

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Pyle spent the 4th of July at Six Mile Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scarborough of

DeWitt. Mrs. Raymond Sherman and Kevin of Grand Ledge were dinner guests of Mr.

and Mrs. Don Sullivan and boys, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Parks and Kris were Saturday supper guests of Mrs. E. Levis Hope and son, Gary of Lansing. Gary Hope is a T-Sgt. in the United States Air Force stationed in Puerto Rico. He was on a six day leave.

Harold Hoerner and Glen Trommater of Wacousta flew to Grand Rapids.

Harvey Hoerner and girls, Mrs. Nancy Potts and Mike visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hoerner, Monday.

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Don Potts, Mike and Richard Volz of DeWitt visited Mrs. Harold Hoerner.

Saturday, Harvey Hoerner and Howard Sargent visited Mrs. Harold Hoerner.

Sunday, Harold Hoerner took Richard Volz and girl friend of DeWitt for a plane ride.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Potts, Mike, Howard Sargent, Harvey Hoerner and girls visited Mrs. Harold Hoerner Sunday.



This is John Arehart Week

As a teacher in the St. Johns School District, John has worked closely with young people and this interest is carried into his off-duty hours. He has established himself as a cooperative and willing member of the Jaycees and his efforts have aided the success of numerous projects undertaken by that group. In addition, John has worked closely with those persons and groups which annually sponsor the Soap Box Derby. For his interest and concern in matters of civic programs we're pleased to recognize John Arehart, our Citizen of the Week.

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Job well done, fellows

The baseball season for young boys has ended here for another year. For the past two months over 400 boys have had the opportunity to participate in an organized baseball program thanks to several interested persons who were willing to donate many hours of their time and efforts.

The program not only catered to those boys participating but gave others many hours of evening entertainment.

We would like to say "thanks" for a job well done to all the team managers, coaches, umpires and sponsors.

A. W.

Political hassles

The political hassle between State Rep. Stanley Powell and Robert Ditmer, a St. Johns radio station owner seeking election to Powell's office, does little toward getting the public enthused about the game of politics.

It's too bad seeking public office has to become a contest of which candidate is on the up and up. The merits of each candidate such as past performance, experience in government and a general display of level headedness should be the basis voters use in electing public officials.

Powell claims Ditmer's billboard ads have depicted him as the incumbent representative from the 88th District. In response, Ditmer strongly denied the charge and said he felt it was a definite disadvantage among voters to be portrayed as an incumbent.

What does it all mean in relation to who is best qualified to represent the people of the 88th District? We think it is totally irrelevant and simply clouds the issue.

This is not to say unfair campaigning should be allowed. We simply feel in this case, the entire controversy was blown out of proportion.

K. C.

Parent-child conference vital

Last week's drug crackdown should make all parents in the Clinton County area take stock of their relationship with their own youngsters.

According to police, it's not over by any means and further investigation is continuing.

The seven suspects apprehended by police are charged with delivery of LSD to others in St. Johns. Investigation indicates the Clinton County seat was a central marketplace for LSD and the dollars involved were well in excess of ten thousand dollars a week.

All parents naturally react to such news by commenting that "I know my kids, they wouldn't become involved in this kind of thing". This may be very true but the fact remains drugs were, and probably still are, available to area youngsters.

There are a lot of good kids in St. Johns and surrounding communities but peer group pressure or the juvenile tendency to try something new is ever present.

The critical question now rests with how parents confront their children in regard to this latest incident. Most youngsters were probably already aware that drugs were present in the community. It's their family upbringing which played a major role in determining whether they were experimenting with drugs or not.

The important thing for parents to remember is that you don't positively forbid your children to mess with drugs—YOU TELL THEM THE CONSEQUENCES OF SUCH ACTION. If they were taught proper values as a child, they'll quickly realize drugs are a dead-end street with all avenues of escape often cut off.

We feel this situation should spur parents in Clinton County to sit down with their children and logically discuss drugs. Youngsters listen if parents will also listen to them. It's the one-to-one relationship and logical give-and-take discussion that is vital toward helping a youngster avoid the trap drugs present.

Nothing beats fresh bread



By LORRAINE SPRAGUE Extension Home Economist

Nothing whets the appetite more than the smell of fresh bread straight from the oven. Using your own refrigerator doughs, brown and serve rolls or frozen doughs, it's easy to serve this delicious treat to your family often.

Refrigerator doughs are retarded doughs in which the yeast action is slowed by the low refrigerator temperature. When the dough warms to room temperature, the yeast starts acting.

You may have a special refrigerator dough recipe you like. Or any regular dough becomes a refrigerator dough by increasing the yeast one-half or double the amount in the recipe. A recipe with a high percentage of sugar makes the best refrigerator dough. Such doughs will keep three

or four days in the refrigerator at about 45-50 degrees F. Pinch off, let rise, and bake just what you need for the meal.

Your own brown and serve rolls are simple to make. Prepare your favorite recipe and bake them at 275-300 degrees F. for 20-30 minutes. Stop baking before the rolls are completely risen, while still a pale color, but baked to the center. Remove from the oven and cool. Wrap securely and freeze. When you want to serve them, take them from the freezer, thaw 10 to 15 minutes, unwrap and place in a preheated 400 degrees F oven for 5 to 10 minutes.

You can freeze your own shaped loaf or bread dough. Wrap the dough and pan in moisture-vapor-proof ma-

terial and freeze. When you want to use, thaw the dough in the wrapping, brush the top with oil and let rise in a warm place (80 to 85 degrees) until doubled. Bake as usual.

Kincaid District

Mrs. Porter C. Parks

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Parks visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Myszak of DeWitt, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Dickinson left June 12 and returned June 24. They went to Red Lake, Canada, by the way of Sault Ste. Marie and came back by way of Minnesota. They stayed at Perrault Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Dickinson attended the Dickinson reunion, Sunday.

Back Through the Years



From the Clinton County News files of 1971, 1962, 1947

ONE YEAR AGO July 28, 1971

The Ovid-Elsie Board of Education has announced the hiring of Donald. D. Kenney of Royal Oak to fill the vacancy created by the June resignation of Supt. Robert Beauchamp.

The City of St. Johns gained an official master development plan when a recently adopted document was recorded in the office of county register of deeds. The action culminated almost two years of effort in updating a similar plan drafted in 1950.

City commissioners were told Monday night at their regular meeting that a cost estimate of \$1.25 million has been established for the renovation of the city's waste water treatment plant.

The Clinton County Republican Committee launched their membership drive July 1 under the direction of Mrs. Paul Nobis, County Republican vice-chairman.

The appointment of John R. Cribbs to the position of manager of the Laingsburg office was announced by Vice President Gayle Desprez, personnel director of Clinton National Bank and Trust Co.

10 YEARS AGO July 26, 1962

The St. Johns City Commission voted in a special meeting to defer action on the purchase of two pieces of property to be used for parking lots until after the proposed planning study of the downtown business district is completed.

Rev. Erwin A. Self, 36, pastor of the Grand Ledge Church of the Nazarene for the past six years, took over the pastorate of the St. Johns Church of the Nazarene.

The officers of the Credit Bureau of Clinton County and the St. Johns Chamber of

Commerce have been moved from the former Steel Hotel location to 117 E. Walker St., formerly the Bo-Kay Flower Shop.

Elephants, clowns, big cats, bareback riders, acrobats—the whole works will be in town Aug. 2 for the first time in nine years when the Sells and Gray three-ring circus moves in for two performances on the showgrounds north of the Family Drive-in Theater.

The Perrinton Merchants defeated the Schafer's Restaurant team of Westphalia, 19-1, at City Park to win the Eastern division championship in Class A softball.

25 YEARS AGO July 24, 1947

Levi J. Dean, Jr., 27, of Rt. 1, Perrinton and Leslie Jolls, 30, of Maple Rapids, were killed July 17 when their army surplus VBT-13 plane crashed and burned on the farm of Orin White, one and one-half miles north of the Maple Rapids airport.

Wayne Duncel, proprietor of Rhynard's Home and Auto Supply Store, in St. Johns, has been named to replace L. H. Hull on the board of education for the Bingham No. 4 school district.

Hull was disqualified from holding the school office to which he was elected because his name does not appear on the city tax roll, a legal technicality.

A tabulation of low bids on the proposed new 20-bed addition to Clinton Memorial Hospital reveals that the new building and necessary remodeling of the present structure will total about \$120,000, according to Dorr M. Anderson, president of the hospital association.

The St. Johns Chapter of the Junior Chamber of Commerce was officially presented a charter by George Frazer, State J.C.C. president, at the Charter Night banquet. The charter list included 48 members.

The Safety Valve

Answers your questions about every day traffic-related problems. Write Michigan Traffic Safety Information Council, c/o Michigan State Safety Commission, Department of State Police, East Lansing, Michigan 48823. The "Safety Valve" will try to answer all inquiries. However, not all will be printed.

Question:

I'm hauling my two-wheel trailer to carry extra gear as we go vacation camping. What are the speed restrictions in Michigan and nearby states. Also, how about the Canadian Province of Ontario? B.L.H., Lansing.

Answer:

If this two-wheel trailer, including load, does not exceed 750 pounds weight, you may proceed as with a passenger car, in Michigan. The American Automobile Association, 1712 G Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006, publishes a handy digest of motor vehicle laws as they apply to passenger cars for all of the United States and Canadian Provinces. It is revised each year and contains information on vehicles, driving, and driver licensing restrictions in each jurisdiction.

However, just like in Michigan, these are quoting state or provincial laws and you still should observe municipal regulations as you may see posted within urban limits.

Question:

I drive a school bus for our parochial school and have heard that a new law requires me to take a course in school bus safety education. Can you tell me where I can take this course? T. O. L., Stephenson

Answer:

This new law, effective July 1, 1972, states that "A driver of a public or non-public school bus shall have in his possession a certificate stating he has been enrolled in or has completed a course in school bus safety education conducted during or not more than two years prior to the school year in which he drives a school bus. The course shall be approved by the superintendent of public instruction and shall be provided by an intermediate school district or a state university. . . . A

driver who fails to complete the course within the school year in which he is enrolled shall not be permitted to drive a bus."

This is only part of the law - there's more to it - and you can get additional information from the intermediate school district in your area, your superintendent of schools, or directly from the Michigan School Bus Driver Safety Education Program and the Transportation Section of the Michigan Department of Education, P.O. Box 420, Lansing, Michigan 48902. This new law also has a section defining who may be a passenger on a school bus.

Question:

Please tell me what that yellow and black highway sign means that has a picture of two children on it - with no other marking. R. C. F., Chelsea

Answer:

This is a warning sign that will replace the present yellow school sign and is intended to inform motorists that they are in the vicinity of a school and thereby alert them to exert special care for the school children's protection, and to be mindful of their often spontaneous, sometimes unthinking, movements.

This is one of the new signs that is universal in design and meaning.

Kincaid District

Mrs. Porter C. Parks

Jay Witt is at St. Lawrence Hospital Room 345.

Mrs. Charles Fisher visited Jay Witt Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Mygant and children of Orlando, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Bartlett of Maitland, Fla. spent a night with Mrs. Ed Fuhr and visited in the neighborhood. They were one time residents of our community.

"If It Fitz . . . Tale of the tears



Editor, Lapeer County Press

By Jim Fitzgerald

Congressman Don Riegle would understand why my wife was crying in a pancake restaurant. He might even understand about her wristwatch fetish.

In his recent book "O Congress," Riegle revealed he is married to a woman who turns to tears at the sight of any old person with a limp. She will worry about such a stranger for hours, wondering fretfully whether anyone is helping him cross streets. It does no good to remind her that Godfather Brando was still killing people when he was so old he couldn't talk.

I hate to brag, but my wife is so sobby she makes Riegle's wife look as sugary as Doris Day at Dinah Shore's wedding. I have previously reported she cried patriotically when the flag goes up at a railroad crossing. Pat has dripped tears of joy at the sight of searchlights criss-crossing the sky, heralding the grand opening of a supermarket. And she plunges into deep mourning whenever our car passes the tattered carcass of a deceased armadillo, pressed flat against the freeway.

So there we were in Aunt Jenny's Pancake House, in a strange city. Next to us, suddenly, there was some kind of a family reunion. Several adults and children were meeting for the first time since Lincoln's funeral. There was much kissing and hugging and exclaiming. My wife sobbed loudly.

"What are you crying about?" I asked her.

"They look so happy," she said.

"In a few minutes they will be fighting over who pays for the pancakes," I said. "You're not fooling me," she said, "your eyes are wet too."

That is typical. She always accuses me of being as soft and sloppy as she is. Misery loves company (you may quote that if you wish).

"Look kids," she said sticking her fingers into my eyeballs, "Daddy's eyes are watering."

Oh well. At least she had quit kissing her watch. People had begun to wonder if she was queer for ticking, or something.

You see, we had just come from visiting our 2-year-old granddaughter. She's a bright kid who spends most her time playing ring around the rosy while singing "ring around the collar" with an Hawaiian accent. When Grandma had to leave, Michele cried for a few minutes. Grandma cried for 200 miles.

But she finally subsides and, in fact, began cooing. I noticed she was nuzzling her wristwatch, actually giving it little kisses. "Are you winding that thing with your nose?" I asked.

"I am just looking at Michele," she said. She showed me a medal attached to her watchband. I thought maybe it was some sort of a Presbyterian St. Christopher. No. Somehow she has a picture of Michele engraved on that medal.

"She's the sweetest little thing," Grandma cooed as she hummed "ring around the collar" and necked with her wrist.

"My eyes are wet," Grandpa sobbed.

Ask the Governor

By Governor William G. Milliken

State of Michigan

Question:

As you well know, Michigan's unemployment rate is at an extremely high level. I know that unemployment is high all over the U.S., but isn't there something that you can do to help the situation in Michigan?

Governor:

I stated in my State of the State address in January that I intend to do all that I can to provide more jobs for Michigan citizens, and I remain firmly committed to that goal. Since January, the Michigan Department of Commerce and I personally have taken a number of steps that are designed to help Michigan's economy reach its fullest potential, thus providing more employment opportunities for our citizens. Most recently, I appointed a revitalized Michigan Economic Expansion Council which will have a major role in shaping the state's accelerated economic development. The Council will meet quarterly, and its principal task will be to formulate both short and long-term economic goals for the state. Its first priority will be to make specific recommendations on economic policy for Michigan which will help to achieve five principal goals; a maximum increase in the real personal income for all Michigan citizens; the fastest possible reduction of unemployment; maintaining and improving the quality of the environment; increasing the number of job opportunities to keep pace with our growing population; and maintaining an optimum rate of increase in the gross state product. I am extremely pleased with the caliber and diversity of talent which we have on this Council. Leaders of business, labor, agriculture, and the banking communities have all agreed to serve, and I am confident that this group will have a significant impact in accelerating Michigan's economy in the years ahead.

Question:

I'm a high school senior this coming fall, and I just bought my first car, and I'm pretty proud of it. I think that a person's first car is a big step in his life and am wondering if you can remember your first one.

Governor:

When I was in high school, my brother John and I pooled our resources, went to Detroit, and spent some time looking over used cars in various lots throughout the city. We finally found, for \$200, the car for us. It was an old, custom-built Ford Phaeton four-door convertible with a chrome dashboard and a tier of six horns run by three different buttons. Although the car didn't have a muffler, and we were out of money, we headed for Traverse City. Before long, however, we had a flat and in order that we could get home, I had to leave my watch at a service station as security. We were extremely proud of that car, and were pleased when, during the

summer of 1939, it was used to drive the Ambassador of Japan in Traverse City's Cherry Festival Parade.

Question:

I am a 68-year-old woman who would very much like to help a family or a child in any way that I can. I have a lot of free time and the desire to assist, but no transportation and no way I can find someone who really needs the help. Do you have any suggestions?

Governor:

The Michigan Commission on Aging recently received a federal grant of \$93,638 from ACTION, the federal volunteer agency, for the development and coordination of a number of Retired Senior Volunteer Programs (RSVP) throughout the state. These programs will provide opportunities for meaningful participation in significant volunteer projects for our many senior citizens who desire the chance to help, and will enable Michigan to take an important first step in creating a statewide network of volunteer offices for our elder citizens. Under the grant, the Commission on Aging will develop and operate programs to provide community volunteer opportunities for persons 60 years of age and over and provide expenses for those volunteers covering costs incident to their service. We are extremely hopeful that these projects will be successful and will help people like you to have a significant impact in bettering the quality of life in our state. Additional information can be obtained by writing the Michigan Commission on Aging, Commerce Center Building, Lansing, Michigan 48926.

Kincaid District

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hoerner had Sunday evening dinner at the Sveden House and then visited Stuart Hardenburg afterward.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Sullivan and Dan visited Mr. and Mrs. Russ Sullivan and baby of Edmore, Sunday.

Mrs. Don Henning and children, Mrs. Lee Schavey of DeWitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Eldoris Hahn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McRoberts and Debra Espie visited Hahns, Sunday.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Wygant, Kathy, and Dwan of Orlando, Fla. visited Mr. and Mrs. Eldoris Hahn and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Berger spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Porter Parks and Kris.

Mrs. Joe Berger, Mrs. Porter Parks and Kris spent Thursday with Mrs. Levis Hope of Lansing. She has sold her home and is leaving Aug. 5 to live in Fresno, Calif. with Anita Phoris.

Kris Parks spent a week at incident to their service. We are extremely hopeful that these projects will be successful and will help people like you to have a significant impact in bettering the quality of life in our state. Additional information can be obtained by writing the Michigan Commission on Aging, Commerce Center Building, Lansing, Michigan 48926.

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## Fishers of men

By REV. HUGH BANNINGA

What the Christian layman today needs to do is to get to know the Lord Jesus more intimately. He needs to realize that in this day of "instant" this and "instant" that, there are some things that do not come instantaneously. An intimate knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ is one of them.

There are no magic ingredients, when mixed together, that produce a mature faith in Jesus Christ. The old ingredients of prayer, meditation, Bible study and a total surrender of one's life to the Lord—these are the only ingredients that can produce a mature faith that leads a Christian to be a fisher of men. And there's nothing instantaneous about these ingredients either. They must be used daily over a long period of years.

One writer says, "The Church needs to get its logic on fire. For the layman to have his logic set on fire, it means, among other things, to stop being suspicious of the motives of the clergy, to stop permitting politics to control his theology to the point where he is rendering unto Caesar the things that belong to Caesar and forgetting the things that belong to God, and together with his pastor, to start writing new chapters of the Acts of the Apostles."

"Who can go into store, bank, hospital, school, college, office, factory and community action group but the minister we call the layman? Who can go into the legal, commercial, political, educational and social areas of life and say what he thinks and vote as he believes, but the minister we call the layman? Who can uphold the good and oppose the bad, greet the right and grapple with the wrong, bear witness in government and ghetto, help black power and brown power to attain green power—and with it self respect based on honest achievement... but the minister we call the layman?"

Yes, it is high time for the minister we call the layman to start writing, with his pastor, some new and exciting chapters in the Book of Acts. It is high time for each of you Christian lay persons out there in Clinton County to become fishers of men.

If you have received God's Holy Spirit in your life, then you should be itching to reenact the exciting event of Pentecost—that event where the disciples received the Holy Spirit from God and then they went out into the streets of Jerusalem to tell everybody about the "Good News" concerning Jesus.

Peter and the other disciples certainly didn't hang around the upper room very long after they had been "hit" with the Holy spirit. They charged out of that room like a football team charges out of their locker room to go out and win the championship. They charged out into the world to bring men, women and children into God's Kingdom. They went out to be fishers of men.

If you are already out fishing to bring others to Christ, then keep up the good work. If, however, you have not been a fisher of men, then pray for the Holy Spirit to move you into this vital work. Fall on your knees,

like Peter did, and confess your shortcomings to the Lord. Because, when you do, you will receive the same



By: ELAINE CINCALA  
County Extension Office

## The home economist

### RIGHT AMOUNT OF POLLUTION

Seeking the "right amount of pollution" might seem like a strange goal. The idea, one would argue, is to eliminate it completely.

But eliminating pollution is impossible. Two of the reasons are our relatively inefficient system of production and consumption; and our ideas of personal property rights. Most production makes waste as well as usable goods. For example, not all fertilizer spread on crop lands is converted to food. Some of it sinks into the soil and ground water. Even at home, the "production" of a tuna casserole leaves an empty tuna can, a macaroni bag or box and several dirty dishes.

Economists call these polluting waste products "externalities".

Technology (garbage disposals, sewage systems, etc.) pushes these externalities out of our homes and, often, into areas of public property; we are less concerned with the pollution of a lake or the air because we don't have a direct, financial stake.

Since we can't eliminate waste from our society, we can't expect a "clean" environment. Instead, we must decide "How clean?" and "At what cost?"

The environmental cost of a product, is the balance between the value we place on having that product, and the harm it might do our environment. For example, we usually feel that the advantages of a car outweigh the carbon monoxide pollution it produces. On the other hand, many people choose to give up the convenience of an electric toothbrush in order to save water and power.

The car owner might compromise by cutting down on unnecessary trips, walking or biking occasionally, sharing rides or using mass transit where it's available.

Finding the "right amount of pollution," then, means that we will try to minimize pollution, but also maintain a personally acceptable standard of living.

This is a difficult balance to strike, but once we compare the environmental costs to our immediate benefits from using a product, our goals may be more clear. We may accept the use of public air to absorb a limited amount of certain pollutants. We may also be more willing to change our own style of living to minimize pollution.

Remember, nothing is garbage until it is thrown away. Recycle as often as

possible. Our thanks to MSU Specialist, Anne Field, for this enlightening information.

power that Peter did when Jesus told him, "Do not be afraid, from now on you will be catching men."

### Play appeals to the youth

GRAND LEDGE—"The Tingalary Bird" is the third production this summer for young people by the Imaginary Players, a company of Lansing Community College students. The show will be performed Saturdays, July 27 and August 5 at the Ledges Playhouse, Fitzgerald Park, Grand Ledge.

"The Tingalary Bird" is a suspense story for young people which tells a mysterious story of a magical bird and his effects on the Poor Old Man and Mean Old Woman whose lives and times he invades. Complete with a wandering Sailor, all manner and sorts of special effects, and costumes by Paula Davis, this production, directed by William A. Peterson, will charm young people with the imaginative problem it presents the audience.

Performances of "The Tingalary Bird" are at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the Ledges Playhouse and admission is 75 cents for young people and adults.

### Dividing dahlias

EAST LANSING, Mich.—Care to multiply your dahlia crop this summer without any extra cost? According to horticulturalists at Michigan State University, several plants can be propagated from a single dormant clump. Just follow these steps:

1) Plant the dormant clump in a box or pail of moist soil. Place the container in a warm location near light with the roots covered but the crown exposed.

2) When the young shoots produce three to four sets of leaves, cut them off and stick them in a propagating media (sand and soil).

3) Water lightly every day to keep the sand moist.

4) When roots develop, in 15 to 20 days, plant in a protected area in the garden or in pots.

To propagate even more plants, grow an extra crop of cuttings from the cut stumps or divide the roots with one or two buds on each root.

Dahlias grow best in hot weather with full, sunshine and rich soil.



To the St. Johns Jaycees and Jack Downing:

We wish to thank you for the opportunity presented us during the past Little League season. Your financial and moral help both contributed greatly to the success and the enjoyment of the past season.

The handling of the games by the umpires was tremendous. We feel there were no "bad calls." Close ones, yes, but there will always be the play that some one will think should have been called differently.

I am also sure that the parents and citizens of St. Johns also appreciate the Little League and the games.

Last, but not foremost, we wish to thank Jack Downing. His coordination of the games and his dedication to program showed us his total involvement to the youth of St. Johns. Also, I am sure all the managers and ball players appreciate his immediate help with any problems. When a man is as willing as Jack was, to interrupt both his home life and his work, to aid the Little League program. He is truly an asset to the city of St. Johns.

### Play appeals to the youth

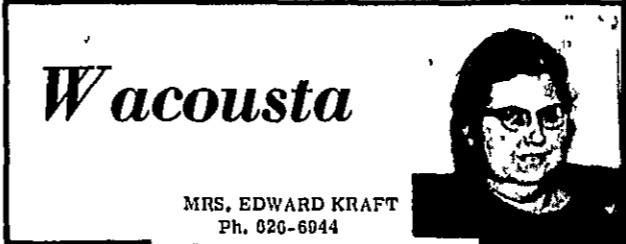
Sincerely,  
The Sox's Team  
Bob Green, Mgr.  
Dick Stark, Mgr.  
Mike Doerr, Mgr.  
Chris Ballinger  
Jim Bertoldi  
Larry Brown  
Rich Carter  
Jim Dedyne  
Vince Doerr  
Gene Dunsmore  
Glen Gilbert  
Fred Kundrata  
Ernie Luttag  
Jeff Moriarty  
Bob Roli  
Craig Taylor  
Joe Rewerts  
Tom Thurston  
Bob Wagar  
Mark Warstler  
Tony Young



Mrs. Edward Kraft—626-6944

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Fuday and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Black have returned from two weeks in Canada, the East Coast and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Hazen Crandall and daughter spent several days last week visiting relatives in New York State.



MRS. EDWARD KRAFT  
Ph. 626-6944



Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kraft were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Goodrich near Charlotte.

Thirteen local couples spent the weekend on a camping and canoe trip on Rifle River.

Wednesday evening July 19, at 7:30 p.m. an informal panel interview will be held when all four candidates for sheriff; Bruce Angell, Larry Floate, Tony Hufnagel and Ray Terpening will be at the Wacousta Community Methodist Church. The public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Ed Kraft entertained her bridge club Monday evening.

Fourteen past matrons attended their club meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Otto Dickinson.

Co-hostesses were Louise Hemingway and Carrie Patterson.

Mrs. Glenn Trommater is home from the hospital. Walter Stackman of Chicago, Ill. spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Stackman.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Buck have returned after spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Jerry Grinnell and family in Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Leah Peterson of New Mexico spent a few days with her parents, the Maurice Forwards, this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Bancroft have returned after a vacation with relatives in Iowa.

## Starter solution boosts transplants

EAST LANSING, Mich.—Starter solutions get transplants off to a fast, healthy start, says J. Lee Taylor, Michigan State University horticulturist.

"A starter solution is a mixture of a water and a water soluble fertilizer," he explains. "The starter solution supplies transplants with nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium in a readily available form."

Starter solution fertilizers are more soluble in water and are more readily available to plants than regular fertilizers.

Many starter solution fertilizer formulations are available at fertilizer dealers and garden centers. Most have a nitrogen-phosphorus-potassium ratio of 1-2-1. Other plant nutrient ratios are also available.

Since there are many different formulations, follow the manufacturer's directions closely when preparing and using the starter solutions. Directions are on container labels.

After applying the starter solution, Taylor advises covering the wetted area with soil.

If you use peat pots when transplanting, be sure the peat pot is covered with soil to avoid moisture loss.



## CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING

A regular meeting of the Clinton County Board Commissioners will be held on Tuesday, August 1, 1972. At 1:30 p.m. the following referrals from the Clinton County Zoning Commission will be heard:

### GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP

Rezone from B-1, Local Business to A-1, Agricultural on the following described parcel of land:

NE-1/4 of the NE-1/4, Sec. 29, Greenbush Twp., T8N-R2W, Clinton County, Michigan. Exc. com. 50' W of SE cor of NE-1/4 of NE-1/4, Sec. 29, th. W. 282', N. at an angle of 45°, 175', E 5' 220', S 232' to beg.

### DEWITT TOWNSHIP

Rezone from B-1, Local Bus. to R-1A, One-Family Rural Residential on the fol. desc. par. of ld:

E-1/2 of the NW-1/4 of the NW-1/4, Sec. 10, T5N-R2W, Clinton County, Michigan.

### DEWITT TOWNSHIP

Rezone from R-1A, One-Fam. Rural Residential to B-2, General Bus. on the fol. desc. par. of ld:

Com. at a pt which is 205' SO 53° & 70' 89' 08" E of the Sec. Cor. com. to Sec. 3, 4, 9 & 10, T5N-R2W, DeWitt Twp., Clinton, Cty., th S 0° 53' E 167' th N 89° 08' E 220', th N 0° 53' W 172.01', th S 89° 08' W 89.9', th S 86° 55' W 131.2' to POB.

### EAGLE TOWNSHIP

Special Use Permit to operate a gravel pit on the fol. desc. par. of ld:

40 Acres of ld off the S side of the NE 1/4 part of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 30, T5N-R4W, Eagle Twp. Clinton County, Mich.

### BATH TOWNSHIP

Rezone from R-1A to M-1 on the fol. desc. par of land:

That part of the SE-1/4 of Sec. 25, T5N-R1W, Bath Twp., Clinton County, Mich., beg. on the N-S 1/4 line at a pt. NO° 32' 24" W 2237.19' from the S-1/4 cor. thereof, th cont. alg sd 1/4 line NO° 32' 24" W 400.57' to the cen of sd Sec. 25, th alg the E-W 1/4 line N 89° 32' 16" 403.65' to a pt 456.5' Wly of the NW 1/4 r/o/w line of Hwy. M-78 as measured alg sd 1/4 line, th S 10° 22' 16" E 411.17' to the survey c/1 of the W Bd. R/w of Hwy M-78, th alg sd c/1 S 49° 17' 56" W 358.34', th // with sd N-S 1/4 line NO° 32' 24" W 236.21' perpendicular to sd N-S 1/4 line S 89° 27' 36" W 200' to POB. Subject to the r/o/w of Peacock Rd. and Hwy M-78 and any other rights of easements of record.

### WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP

Special Use Permit to operate a gravel pit on the following desc. par. of ld:

Com. at a pt. 1972' E of NW cor of SW-1/4 of Sec. 17, T5N-R3W, th S. 80 rds th 1972' W to W. sec. line of sd. Sec., th 683' N, alg sd. W. Sec. ln, th 1231' E, th N 637' to EW-1/4 ln of sd Sec., th E 741' alg sd. EW-1/4 ln to POB.

ARNOLD R. MINARIK, ZONING ADMINISTRATOR

"Vote" Republican Primary August 8, 1972 "Vote"

# RE-ELECT WALTER G. NOBIS

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CLINTON COUNTY

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**FIRM BELIEVER IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND THE PEOPLE I REPRESENT**

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## RE-ELECT COUNTY COMMISSIONER MAURICE GOVE

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# Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News

## Real Estate Transfers

(From records in office of Register of Deeds)

July 12: Burgess, Allen and Vicky to Wolverine Electric Cooperative Inc. property in Sec. 14, Greenbush.

July 12: Tom Clayton Assoc. Inc. to George and Jolene M. Urdiales, Lot 95, Valley Farms No. 2.

July 12: Inosencio, Jesse and Helen M. to Terry L. and Nancy L. Norris property in Sec. 31 Victor.

July 12: Donahue, Joseph F. and Isabel C. to Arlene H. Nicholson Lot 11, Chateau Hills.

July 12: Nicholson, Arlene H. to Richard H. and Ann Simpson Lot 131 Clinton Village.

July 12: Zehr, Clifford L. and Deloris J. to Alva Eugene and Dianne F. Woodhams property in Sec. 25, Ovid.

July 12: Thelen, Louis P. and Alma to Daniel H. and Barbara A. Thelen property in Sec. 19, Westphalia.

July 12: Rossier, Neil and Rosalyn to Robert C. and Bonnie D. Nourse property in Sec. 35, Westphalia.

July 13: Classer, Harry J. and Daisy I. to Ole J. and Anna M. Hargrove property in Sec. 17, Watertown.

July 13: Jones, Spencer R. and Wanda F. to David L. Boedeker property in Sec. 26 Watertown.

July 13: Slinn, Lewis and Ruth to Wendell W. and Dorothy P. Law property in Sec. 2, Riley.

July 13: Kramp, Lawrence B. and Esther E. to Kirk L. and Kathy A. Smith property in Sec. 34 Riley.

July 13: Thompson, Joseph W. and Suzette R. to Frank E. and Ann M. Frank property in Sec. 11, Bath.

July 13: Cassel, Clare H. and Donna K. to David E. and Elizabeth J. Willauer property in Sec. 31 Westphalia.

July 13: White, Edward F. and Leona J. to Alan A. and Alice F. Martel Lot 13 Chandler Est.

July 13: Farrier, Wesley H. and Geraldine Irma to Elwood A. and Dorothy Daley property in Sec. 22, Bingham.

July 13: Kiebler, Richard J. and Nancy to Benjamin D. and Judith M. Hutchinson Lot 15 Rose Subd.

July 13: Cordray, Milford M. and Helen E. to Dale E. and Sammie D. Cashin Blk 88 St. Johns.

July 13: Briggs, Roy F. and Pauline Ahr to Fedewa Builders Inc. Lot 17 Orchard Glen.

July 14: Crandell, Theodore and Jeannette W. to Howard J. and Evelyn J. Niswonger property in Sec. 22 Olive.

July 14: Rathbun, Roscoe and Ruth to Joseph T. and Ruth A. Zaleski property in Sec. 24 Essex.

July 14: Rathbun, Roscoe and Ruth to Joseph F. and Ruth A. Zaleski property in Sec. 26 Essex.

July 14: Security First Bank and Trust Co. to Donald C. and Muriel Gilson; Kenneth and Linda Gilson Lot 5, Orchard Glen.

July 14: Gilson, Donald C. and Muriel to Herman E. and Margaret Ike Lot 5 Orchard Glen.

July 14: Steiner, A. Albert to Beverly S. Steiner property in Sec. 18 Watertown.

July 14: American Central Corp. to Maurice L. and Janice C. Mellor Lot 221 Geneva Shores.

July 17: Goodrich, David and Sarah to Edna I. Stedman property in Sec. 13, Duplain.

July 17: Thelen, Edmund J. and Lillian to Ronald M. and Florence E. Schrauben property in Sec. 10 Westphalia.

July 17: Denton, Roy L. and Marguerite E. to Royal E. and Lucille E. Rose property in Sec. 26, Victor.

July 17: Gibbons, Stanley L. and Virginia G. to Stanley L. and Virginia G. Gibbons property in Sec. 13 Olive.

July 17: Green, Ralph and Mary Ann to Willard D. and Lillian C. Searles Outlot K Lot 2 Wilkins.

July 17: Searles, Willard D. and Lillian C. to Stanley R. and Barbara A. Helms Lot 2 Wilkins Sub.

July 17: Tunmore Cora to William M. and Marian M. Smith Lot 7, 8, 9, 6, 5, Blk 116 St. Johns.

July 17: Smith, William M. and Marian M. to Edwin and Ann Brown Lot 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, Blk 116 St. Johns.

July 17: Brown, Edwin and Ann to Rodney D. and Lee E. Peters Lot 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, Blk 116 St. Johns.

July 17: Mulder, Geert D. and Harriet to Michael D. and Rosemary J. Roberts Lot 8 Delvin Hills.

July 17: Pontack, Albert J.

and Daleta D. to Charles W. and Elizabeth Ann Holcomb property in Sec. 1, Duplain.

July 17: McCrumb, Howard D. and Mary C. to Lowell F. and Theda J. Frazier Lot 6, 7, Blk 9 Eagle.

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July 18: Iacovoni, Gordon and Evelene to United Methodist Church Lot 52 Prince Est. No. 2.

July 18: Swedenberg, Robert J. and Gloria J. to Herbert D. and Marilyn Sue Harrah property in Sec. 6 Greenbush.

July 18: Kuhnmuensch, Andrew M. and Joan R. to Robert W. and Linda K. Taylor Lot 12 Almonds Subdiv.

July 18: Amy, Wilma to Wilfred L. and Laura J. Eldridge Lot 6, Blk 3 Hurd and Suckles.

July 18: Eldridge, Wilfred L. and Laura J. to William C. and Hazel Jean Glisson Lot 6, Blk 3 Hurd and Suckles.

July 18: Frey, Nathan F. and June H. to John Thomas and Carolyn Frances Barclay property in Sec. 28, Ovid.

July 18: Strachota, Joseph and Agnes; Strachota, Jerry, Martha; Mrakova, Mildred; Bernath, Marie to Merle D. and Carol Baese property in Sec. 14, Duplain.

July 18: Lickert, William A. and Maude B. to Keith G. and Jacqueline K. Lickert property in Sec. 25 Westphalia.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN Judge of Probate

Dated: July 11, 1972 G. B. Phillips Attorney for Petitioner 550 Stoddard Bldg. Lansing, Michigan 12-3

Final Account Wicke—Aug. 16 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton

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TIMOTHY M. GREEN Judge of Probate

Dated: July 20, 1972 Walker & Moore, By: James A. Moore Attorney for Estate 115 E. Walker Street St. Johns, Michigan 13-3

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Mortgage Sale — Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by JOHN T. BEAR and GLORIA JEAN BEAR, his wife to MORTGAGE ASSOCIATES, INC., a Wisconsin corporation Mortgagee, Dated April 23, 1971, and recorded on April 23, 1971, in Liber 260, on page 726, Clinton County Records, Michigan and assigned by said Mortgagee to WORTHINGTON FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION by an assignment dated May 22, 1971, and recorded on June 2, 1971, in Liber 261, on page 122, Clinton County Records, Michigan on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eleven Thousand Four Hundred Fifty Five and 31/100 Dollars (\$11,455.31), including interest at 7% per annum.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, at the south entrance to the Clinton County Courthouse Building

in St. Johns, Michigan, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., Local Time, on Thursday August 10, 1972.

Said premises are situated in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lots 6 and 7 of Block 2, Walkers Subdivision of Outlot R, City of St. Johns, Clinton County, Michigan.

During the six months immediately following the sale, the property may be redeemed.

Dated: July 5, 1972 WORTHINGTON FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION Assignee of Mortgagee.

Dickinson, Wright, McKean & Cudlip, Attorneys 800 First National Building, Detroit, Michigan 48226 10-5

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public auction on the 11th day of October, 1972, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., Eastern Standard Time, at the main entrance to the Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, Clinton County, State of Michigan; that being one of the places of holding Circuit Court in said County. Said mortgaged premises are described as follows:

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The length of the period of redemption from such sale will be six (6) months.

Dated at Lansing, Michigan, July 12, 1972.

FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, A National Mortgage Association, Assignee of Mortgagee

DAVID M. LICK OF FARMAT, BURNS AND STORY, P.C. Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee 417 North Seymour Avenue Lansing, Michigan 48933 11-13

Claims Katalenich—Oct. 4 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton

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# Garage sales: trash turns to treasure



"A penny saved is a penny earned," says Helen Dennis to Mrs. Walter Willis.

ST. JOHNS — One person's trash is another's treasure.

That's what the growing number of garage sales these days seems to say. It's the popular way to turning "don't needs" into cash.

Trees and telephone posts sprout cardboard tack-ons with arrows pointing the way. Whether it's in a garage, basement, porch; or just in the yard, they're springing up all over.

TODAY'S INTEREST in ecology with the emphasis on recycling has taken the "stigma" off using somebody else's cast-offs. Wise shoppers are proud to say, "I got it for a quarter at a garage sale."

It's not so important to keep up with the Joneses... after all, you might be wearing one of the Jones boys' shirts.



This one was at 802 W. McConnell. Clothes were the hottest selling item of the day at Shirley Rasmussen's combination garage, breezeway and yard sale.



There are always just lookers at garage sales being held by the dozens in the St. Johns area.

Photos

by

Lee

Peters

## Care needed to protect trees

EAST LANSING-- Changing grade levels during construction can damage established trees, according to Gerald E. Draheim, Wayne County extension horticultural agent.

The injury causes short annual twig growth, smaller and fewer leaves, early leaf drop, leaf scorch and an unhealthy appearance.

These characteristics appear gradually and are noticed two or three years after construction. Draheim offers these tips on preparing your landscape plans to avoid possible damage to trees you wish to save: Try to avoid any change in grade level around trees that are to remain. If a change is necessary and fill is needed,

provide rock or tile drainage at the original ground level before fill is added. Any excavations to lower the grade levels should be started as far from the tree as possible to avoid root damage. Maintain the original grade level near the trunk of the tree. By following these ideas and planning carefully, says Draheim, established trees can become a useful and beautiful part of your landscape.

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Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Bessow and Mrs. Herman Pasch were among the dinner guests entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bancroft and family of S.W. Dallas on Sunday, July 16. The occasion honored Joyce Teresia Bancroft, infant daughter of J. D. Bancroft's, who was baptized by Pastor Bessow at St. Paul Lutheran Church at Fowler on Sunday morning.

Airman Karl Ernst of Battle Creek and Maxine Ernst visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mohrke of South Bengal on Tuesday evening, July 11. Karl left for the State of Washington on Saturday, July 15, where he will be stationed for a few weeks prior to his departure for Thailand.

Alfred Rowell of Mulliken, formerly of this neighborhood underwent major surgery at Sparrow Hospital at Lansing on Thursday, July 13.

Paul Graff, Sr. of Lebanon and Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Pasch were recent Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pasch of Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine spent Sunday evening, July 16 with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pasch. On Sunday, July 16, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beck of Maple Rapids were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bancroft.

On Monday, July 10, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Moritz took their daughter, Ann, to Blue Moon Lake near Muskegon for two weeks on a band scholarship.

Mrs. Arthur Martens and Mrs. Melvin Argeringer of St. Johns and Mrs. Edmund Falk visited their brother and uncle, Alfred Rowell at Sparrow Hospital at Lansing on Saturday, July 15. Frank and Fred Rowell also called on their brother at the

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**Pewamo**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schaefer attended the 23rd anniversary of St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Ionia for Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connor of Ionia Sunday, July 16, and the open house following the mass.

Sister Marie Deane and Sister Marie Auguste of Grand Rapids were visitors in Pewamo Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Caston spent Sunday, July 16 with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith at Lyons Saturday, July 15 visitors of Mrs. Clara Caston were Sister Marie Alberta Gamberblum of near Chicago and Mrs. O'Connell of Hubbardston. Sister Marie Alberta visited her mother at a convalescent home saying her condition is the same.

The wedding mass for Ellen Rose Cook of Lansing and Bruce Bussae of Lansing was held at 6:30 p.m. at the Church of the Resurrection, Lansing on Friday, July 14. Those from the Pewamo area attending were Mrs. Freda Davarn, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davarn and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Davarn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kramer and family, Mrs. Julia Fox and family of Carson City, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cook of Pewamo. The reception following the mass was at St. Theresa's Hall, Lansing. Ellen Rose is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Cook of Lansing.

Spending Sunday, July 9 at the home of their mother, Mrs. Theresa Simon, were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simon and family of Lansing.

Mrs. Frank Ormiston of rural St. Johns was a Monday afternoon and evening visitor of Mrs. Laurine Schaefer.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thelen and family of Mt. Pleasant were visitors of their mother, Mrs. Theresa Simon Sunday, July 9. They also visited his parents at Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Julius J. Thelen.

Mrs. Pauline Cook spent the weekend in Ionia with Mr. and Mrs. Virginia Pung. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Herald and family of New Jersey are vacationing in Michigan for two weeks at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Herald Sr. of Hubbardston.

The 21 Club Festival and chicken barbecue was a success, Sunday, July 16. The three lucky winners were Mrs. Marlon Hafner, \$100, Paul Schaefer won \$50, and Marty Court, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Court won \$25.

# Caution against rabies

Incidence of rabies increases in the summer because more people spend time outdoors. Take care to know the prevention, symptoms and treatment of rabies, advises Michigan State University pathologist Dr. Kenneth Keahy.

Be wary of unusually affectionate or irritable animals, especially dogs, skunks and foxes, which are prone to the disease, Keahy warns. A rabid animal also shows these symptoms: It wanders restlessly, snapping or biting at moving objects. He refuses food, swallows with difficulty and salivates. He urinates often and undergoes a voice change.

If you suspect an animal is rabid, stay away from him and notify local police or your county rabies inspector, Keahy suggests.

If bitten by an animal you suspect is rabid, see your doctor immediately. If the animal is alive, it must be penned for observation. If it has died, have your doctor send it for analysis to a

Michigan Department of Public Health rabies lab in Lansing, Houghton, Powers or Grand Rapids.

Depending upon time and the nature of the bite, the physician will then either wait for the lab analysis or begin rabies treatment immediately. Keahy explains. While the shots may be painful, a rabies bite left untreated is fatal.

Michigan law requires that your pet be immunized against rabies by a veterinarian every other year.

# Valley Farms-DeWitt



Sunday guests of the Henry Wohlers were Mr. and Mrs. David Hann of Winchester, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wohler spent three days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kuhn of Payne, Ohio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wohler were guests of Neta Hyde of Harrison, Saturday, July 15.

# Fowler

Mrs. Agnes Fox spent ten days in Flint with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fox and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Campbell of Lansing spent Saturday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Martin Thelen and family.

Mrs. Calvin Book was a dinner guest of Mrs. Lula Book Friday and she also visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benjamin and family.

# Fowler News

Ella Krauss had as dinner guests on Wednesday evening her sister and husband from Duneside, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. George Kohlmeier. Also guests that evening were her brother and wife, the Walter Baxters of Maple Rapids and her sister, Ruby and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ellis of East Essex and their mother, Mary Baxter.

Gary Book spent a couple days with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benjamin and family. House guests of Ella Krauss for the weekend are Alice Bryson and her niece from Mason.

# Pewamo

Correction-In last weeks issue July 12 in the Pewamo news an item was given stating the Catherine Geller home had been sold. For reasons unknown the deal was not completed. The Geller home is still for sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Donovan of New Orleans, La. spent the weekend Friday, July 14 when 14 classmates and neighborhood friends were present for the occasion at his home. Mrs. Michael Cook was hostess, Mrs. Charles Cook was also a guest.

# An ounce of prevention

By Jose J. Limas, M.D., Director of Community Mental Health for Clinton, Eaton and Ingham



There is, of course, nothing wrong with that basic idea. When you realize, however, that very few people seem to be able to continuously carry out

physician's orders, and that only about half of the prescriptions written by a practitioner are ever filled out, you become aware that there is more to the doctor-patient relationship than following advice.

In fact, in modern medical treatment, the doctor and the patient form a productive partnership, out of which better medical care for the patient will result.

One example of this kind of approach, I was very glad to see, has to do with recommendations of a committee of doctors from the American Thoracic Society in the treatment of chronic bronchitis.

ACUTE RECURRENCES The American Thoracic Society is the medical section of the National Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, a group who has done much to improve the treatment of these disorders.

They are concerned about chronic bronchitis, or inflammation of the bronchial tubes which go from the windpipe to the lungs, because it is a rather common condition, and the cause of much lost time at work.

A characteristic feature of this condition is that it tends to flare up. This is manifested by increase in the amount and change in color of the sputum from white or gray to green or yellow, more frequent and continuous cough, fever, wheezing and shortness of breath. Many of these recurrences are associated with infections, and treatment with antibiotics is indicated.

PATIENTS CAN BE TRUSTED "Some patients," the committee of specialists feel "see a physician early, and are treated promptly with an appropriate antimicrobial agent."

Many others, however, delay seeing a doctor. Poor people particularly try to go to work feeling very ill, because they don't think they can afford the expense, with the result that treatment becomes much more difficult, and the period of disability increases.

I was happy to see the committee not only take this into consideration, but come out with a statement of trust in the patient.

"One relatively inexpensive method for preventive treatment," they recommend, "is to provide the person with a small amount of the drug, which he takes at the first sign of a recurrence."

It would seem that finally, we doctors are developing some respect for the good sense of our patients. Most people, indeed, know enough to come out of the rain!

THE OUNCE OF PREVENTION Chest physicians agree that anybody who suffers from a chronic condition such as bronchitis should try to avoid any kind of air pollution.

The first step is to discontinue self-induced pollution, that is, cigarette smoking.

An urban atmosphere is of course of great help, and when economically feasible, patients may achieve considerable benefit by moving to a less polluted area of the country.

Despite their popularity, bronchidilator apparatuses, expectorants, cortisone and other medicines do not help very much for any extended period of time.

Maple Rapids Mrs. Mary Ball and Margaret Dale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Scholtz are home from Carson City Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bolshakoff and daughter are in California to bring Dennis Bolshakoff home. He flew out earlier for a visit with his family and friends.

Mrs. and Steven Bancroft of St. Johns, sons of Mr. and Mrs. James Bancroft spent the last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bancroft of Maple Rapids.

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# Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

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

10:00 a.m.—Worship Service  
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School  
7:00 p.m.—C.Y.M. meets on alternate Sundays  
9:45 a.m.—Thursday, Cherub and Junior choir  
8 p.m.—Thursday, Chapel choir  
1:30 p.m.—Third Friday, Women's Fellowship, church basement.  
8:30 p.m.—Service meeting

## Matherton Area

**MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
2:00 p.m.—Sunday School  
3:00 p.m.—Worship service

## Fulton Area

**FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
1/4 mile east of Perrinton on M-57 1/2 mile south  
Rev. Fred Wing, Pastor  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m.—Youth Service  
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service  
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

## Eureka Area

**CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
2610 E. Maple Rapids Road  
Rev. Paul R. Jones, Pastor  
Phone 224-7700  
10 a.m.—Bible School for everyone  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m.—Adult Bible discussions.  
Nursery provided during services.  
8:30 p.m.—Youth Meetings  
8:45 p.m.—Wednesday, Jr. Choir; Chancel Choir, 7:30 p.m.

## Bath Area

**BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Clarence Keith  
Telephone 641-6687  
11 a.m.—Worship  
10 a.m.—Church School  
**BATH BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Richard Cole, Pastor  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
8:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service  
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

**REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
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Choir Practice—Wed, 6:30 p.m.  
Mid-Week Prayer Service—Wed, 7:30 p.m.  
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## Elsie Area

**ELSIE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. David Litchfield, Minister  
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Merle Baese  
**DUPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. David Litchfield, Minister  
10 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth Kiger  
11 a.m.—Worship service.

## St. Johns

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Holy Day Liturgies: 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.  
Confessions: One half hour before all Sunday Liturgies.

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Other Sundays - 9 a.m., morning prayer and sermon.

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H.E. Rossow, Pastor  
9:00 a.m. Worship, 10:00 a.m. Sunday School.

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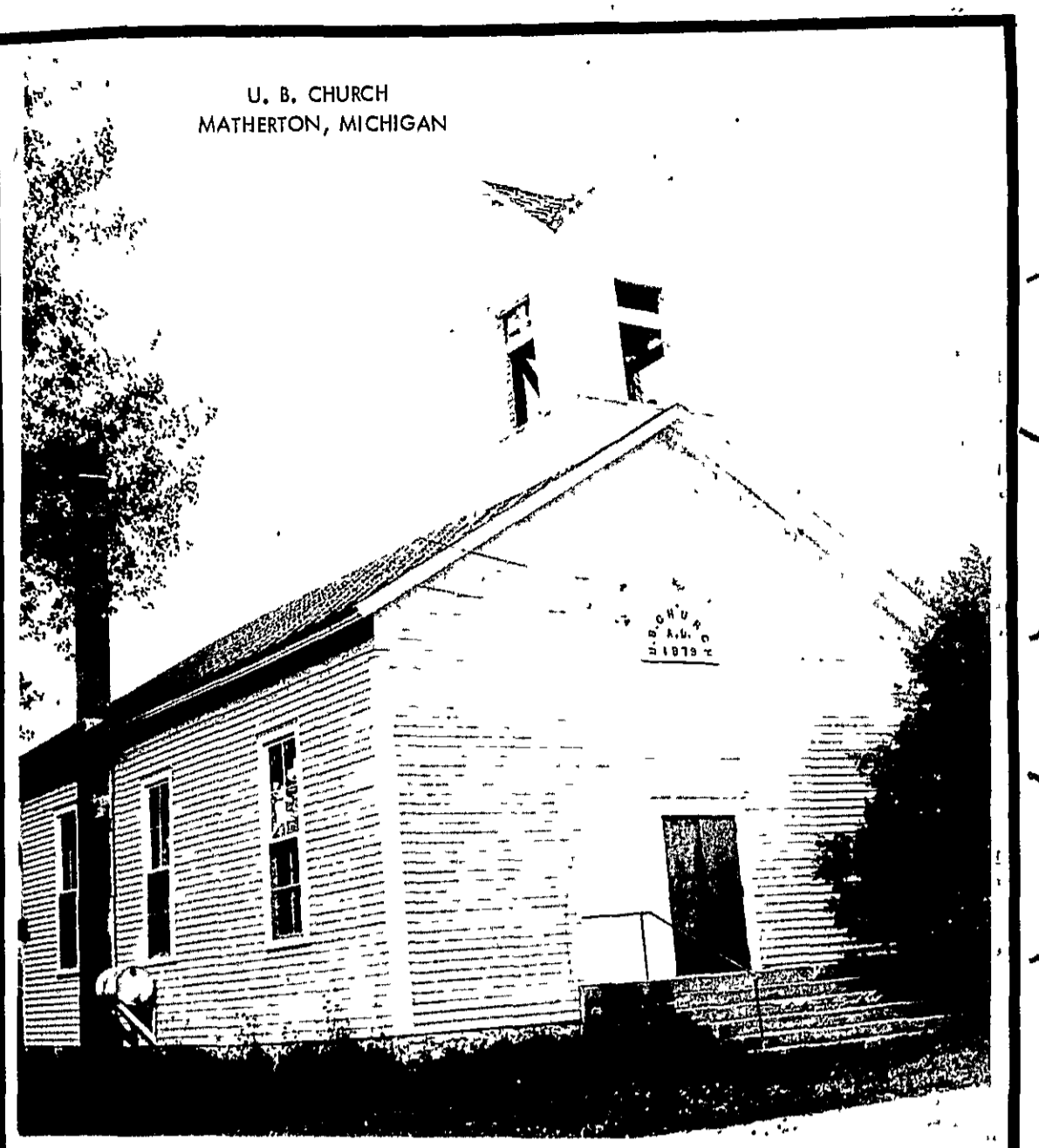
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**Bits and Pieces**  
"Off we go"  
By HAROLD SCHMALTZ

During the traditional vacation months of July and August many exciting and sometimes frustrating experiences can be encountered. Maybe you can think back and recall locking yourself out of your cottage or breaking off your ignition key in the door of the car. Did you ever have such an experience? If you have, then you'll appreciate what I went through a few years ago.

We were all preparing to leave for a week of undisturbed relaxation on the cool sandy beaches of Mullet Lake in Cheboygan County. All the kids were scurrying around collecting such essentials as swimming caps, trunks, bathing suits, beach balls, frogman masks, ball gloves, air mattresses, and last but not least, clothes and plenty of diapers.

Here we were at nine o'clock at night getting ready to cram all this stuff in our little car when my daughter, Debbie, said the car was locked. Wanting to help get the show on the road, she offered to take my keys and unlock the car. I remember at the time thinking how long it was taking her to complete the task when suddenly she appeared with a long sorrowful look you'd never believe. "Dad," she said, "the rest of the key is in the door." I looked at her disbelievingly until I spotted the key ring with a small fragment of metal that had been my ignition key dangling on the end of it. Everyone naturally looked at me for the answer. I had the answer alright. The spare key was locked in the office safe five miles away.

You could imagine the unhappy bunch we were when we realized our planned moonlight trip was off until the next morning. But dear old dad got the bright idea of making a phone call and within an hour we were on our way north. Boy! What a happy crew we were. Right then and there I resolved never to be without a spare

key again, at least if I could help it.

Again when that glorious time of vacation rolled around again. I thought we'd invite some friends to go along. They've always said the more the merrier and the idea struck me just right so I invited them. Were they ever excited! I guess their enthusiasm made the packing ritual something to look forward to rather than dread.

There we were, ready to go, two cars and 11 kids. Most people would just throw up their hands and forget it. Not us—we were built of pioneer stock and taking a trip like this was nothing. Besides we packed an extra bottle of Excedrin.

We were going along fine until somebody got hungry after we had only gone sixty miles up the road. Can you imagine picking up the check for fifteen people at a restaurant with today's prices? Anyway, some of us finished first and I got the insane idea of getting the ball gloves out of the trunk and playing catch with the boys. We did this until the others finished eating, then we each loaded up our respective squads and prepared to leave the restaurant.

BEING ANXIOUS to get on the road again, I pulled out first and after driving about five miles or so, I looked in my rear view mirror and not a car was in sight. I immediately thought of tire trouble and decided to double back and check. As I approached the restaurant drive-way, there he was. First reaching in one pocket than the other, one of the kids had dropped the keys in the trunk when we put away the ball gloves. There we were, sixty miles from home with one car and fifteen frustrated people to share one car.

What to do next was the logical problem. Fortunately my wife had relatives living in the town where we were marooned. Somehow, though I can't believe it yet, two disgruntled wives, two very sorrowful dads and 11 squalling kids managed to squeeze into my two-door car and make our way up the street about five blocks.

You should have seen the look on the relatives' faces when we came driving up as they were preparing to leave. Egads! they must have thought. After explaining our predicament, my friend and I left our families sipping cold lemonade under shade trees while we reluctantly headed back home for an extra key.

EVEN IF THIS had been a normal situation it wouldn't have been near so bad, but wouldn't you know it, my friend had his father's car and his father was off playing golf somewhere in Gratiot County. Oh yes, the spare key to the car was comfortably tucked away in his pocket. After calling several golf courses in the area, we finally located him and after a few other little incidents which I would rather not go into, we got another key and the vacation ended on a happy note.



Sue Hauser shows off some of her mother's prize raspberries.

# Raspberry patch is Jean's pride and joy

By LEE PETERS  
News Staff Writer

CLINTON COUNTY—Mrs. Jean Hauser of 7501 Church Rd. has one of the biggest raspberry patches in Clinton County.

It's only nine rows, but to the rural St. Johns woman it's her pride and joy. She raises her crop with TLC (tender loving care).

SHE EXPLAINS it this way. "I grew up in the fruit business. From the time I was this high," she gestures, "I was in the orchards. I couldn't go to the market and buy produce. And when you're used to buying top

grade you're spoiled and won't settle for less."

Mrs. Hauser's patch occupies only a small part of her husband, Ernest's 80-acre farm in Riley Township. She also dabbles in strawberries, apples, cherries and peaches and is quite a gardener.

Her raspberry patch was planted six or seven years ago, she doesn't remember exactly when. She goes on to say that raspberries are a semi-annual crop, with last year's canes providing this year's berries, so that actually—with planting time included—you have to plan three years before you have a good picking.

Mrs. Hauser prefers the row system, while others grow in hills. But, she emphasizes, they're best kept by keeping a new patch going as the caning gets weak, becomes brittle and breaks off. This spring, her father, H. J. Gilbert set out 250 new bushes.

When picking started July 10, only Mrs. Hauser and her mother, Evelyn could be found working at a half bend. She confides it's because she won't let anyone else come in. "When we quart them they're always the best," she says modestly. "We always pick quiet, never squeezing. Grandpa taught me that."

Back in 1970, the duo had 400 quarts picked. It looks like a heavy set crop this

year, she believes. "We divide the patch into two sections working daily at around 6:30 a.m. as it's coolest then," tells Mrs. Hauser.

"Most people don't realize the very best berries grow inside the bush," she confides. "If you just open up the bush, WOW," she exclaims, "there they are." Although this year's crop looks good, weather conditions aren't helping. "They

can't stand wind and pounding rain—it just beats them together and the next thing you know you've got juice," Mrs. Hauser smiles.

"It used to be fun," she states. "As the weather worsens each year, the picking is always two weeks behind schedule and believe me, those nine rows are plenty."

Besides, she concludes, every berry is spoken for before it comes off the bush.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Rumsey and family Mrs. Marge Rumsey and grandson, Marlin Andrews spent Sunday, July 16 visiting Mr. and Mrs. Loron Rumsey and family in Clarkston.

Shirley Danforth of Maple Rapids and her grandmother flew to California June 8 and drove home on June 18. Visiting relatives, Disneyland, Long Beach and Hollywood were some of the points of interest. She is now employed at Carson City Hospital, Carson City.

## Buying trees and shrubs

EAST LANSING—When nurseries are stocking their finest specimens of plant materials for spring planting, home gardeners should be mindful of a few pointers to help them pick the best plants for their landscape.

Before buying trees or shrubs, say horticulturists at Michigan State University, examine each plant for blemishes caused by insects, disease organisms or rough handling. Insect damage is usually obvious and off-color plants hint of disease damage or poor fertilization. Poorly shaped materials may be due to improper pruning or damage in handling.

The MSU specialists suggest a quick check with the thumbnail on a small twig to find out if the plant is green and alive. If plants are healthy, they will be white to green underneath the outer bark.

Leaves on evergreens should be green—not brown—and the bark of deciduous shrubs and other plants without leaves (at the time you are selecting them) should not be dry.

Don't buy plants that have injury or sunken spots. These areas are ideal for diseases. Swellings or bumps on the crown or lower part of the stem are an indication of crown gall, a common bacterial disease of nursery stock.

The alert shopper should also be aware of the latest improved varieties rapidly replacing the older plants on the market. Proper selection of many modern varieties can give the homeowner flowers in the spring, attractive summer foliage, showy fruit, good autumn foliage color and interesting branch patterns in winter.

Consider the plant's hardness or ability to withstand local winter conditions, adaptability to local soil types and resistance to insects and diseases.

Unfortunately, we often allow the price tag at the nursery or garden center to be major reason for plant selection. The horticulturists advise purchasing only a few high-quality plants at a time. Choose trees and shrubs that will give many years of trouble-free, year-round satisfaction, rather than loading up with rank, filler material.



Mrs. Jean Hauser is hard at work at half bend picking raspberries. Only Mrs. Hauser and her mother, Evelyn are allowed in the patch.

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Gone fishing

# Author Newman retires as DeWitt postmaster



Arthur Newman's a customer at the DeWitt Post Office now after working there 26 years as postmaster.

By LEE PETERS  
News Staff Writer

DeWITT—Arthur Newman's packing up his fishing pole for a Michigan vacation.

He can do that now that he's retired from the U.S. Postal System. After 26 years as postmaster, Newman said goodbye to his fellow workers at the DeWitt Post Office June 30.

BACK ON MARCH 1, 1946, DeWitt mail headquarters were in a small 20 x 30 foot building on West Main St. next to the Family Barber Shop. That's when Newman of 113 E. Dill Dr. became acting postmaster.

Newman recalls that at one time the back half of the building was occupied by the DeWitt Public Library. "I remember there were living quarters on the second floor," he says, "and OUTSIDE plumbing."

When the post office moved in 1952 to a larger building, now occupied by Jan's Apparel, the main feature was inside plumbing. Then in 1963, a new building was built at 211 S. Bridge, Newman adds.

Progress is the keynote of Newman's longtime job. "When I started as postmaster I had one clerk and two rural carriers," he says, "and did a whopping \$6,000 business."

DeWITT'S POST OFFICE has grown from a third class operation to second class with 12 employees and four rural routes. And he continues there are 1,900 boxes compared to 589 over a quarter century ago. Yearly income is said by Newman to be up to \$55,000 with 8,500 people serviced, covering 72 square miles.

"I've seen many changes," admits the retiree. "It's included the changeover from the post office department to postal service. I've read volumes and volumes of postal laws and regulations throughout the years."

Newman was appointed postmaster by President Harry S. Truman and was retired by President Richard Nixon. Officer-in-charge is Alford Wickerham.

Besides vacationing with his wife, Jean, Newman will continue in business with his son, Brent at Newman Sales and Service.



When "mom" Yvonne Foster came home to 206 N. Ottawa from the hospital, a welcoming crowd was on hand to greet her. Making the event a festive affair were her children, standing from left, Chris, Laurie, Rich and Steve, and seated, back, Cammy and Jamie. Helping with the decorations were neighborhood kids and friends. "Dad" is Dick Foster.



## Elsie

MRS. NEVA KEYS  
Ph. 862-4301

Word has been received of the death of Leslie Lyons, 80, of Flint, a former resident of Elsie. He died Tuesday, July 18 and the funeral was held Friday in Flint. He and his family operated a bakery in Elsie for several years, before moving to Flint.

The first annual Gibson reunion was held July 18, at the Elsie Village Park with 38 members present from Vernon, Gregory, Brant, Hemlock, Munith, Rives Junction, Ovid and Elsie. A potluck dinner was served with games played in the afternoon. The business meeting was

called to order by Leo Craven and the following officers were elected for 1973: Leo Craven, president; Mrs. Lyle (Pat) Craven, secretary; and Mrs. Ralph (Gladys) Herron, treasurer. The youngest family member present was Denise Herron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Herron of Ovid. Mrs. Albert (Alice Gibson) Craven was the eldest member present.

Mrs. Ivan Watters of Gregory traveled the farthest and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Craven had the most children present. The reunion will be held at the same place next year.

# Crab apple trees for Michigan yards, gardens

EAST LANSING, Mich.—Crab apple trees are among the most versatile landscape plants available to large and small homeowners, says a Michigan State University landscape architect.

According to Joseph T. Cox, the varied shapes, colors and flowering characteristics of the many crab apple varieties are responsible for the popularity of these trees.

For homeowners considering the addition of a crab apple to their yard or garden, Cox offers a list of varieties adapted to Michigan growing conditions. The list may not be complete and homeowners, especially in northern Michigan should choose planting sites with care. "Even the hardest crab

apple varieties will do poorly if planted in locations exposed to cold winter winds," Cox says.

MEDIUM TREES (25-40 feet tall):

Manchurian Crab Apple: rounded shape, red or yellow fruit, pink to white flowers in April, useful to wildlife, adapted to all of Michigan.

Hopa Crab Apple: rounded shape, orange-red fruit, rose colored flowers in May, useful to wildlife, adapted to all of Michigan.

Japanese Flowering Crab Apple: rounded shape, yellow and red fruit, red buds and white flowers in May, known for consistent beauty, adapted to lower peninsula.

Bechtel Crab Apple: rounded shape, green fruit, pink flowers in May, flowers

resemble small rambler roses, adapted to all of Michigan.

Dolgo Crab Apple: irregular shape, red fruit, white flowers, useful to wildlife, deep red autumn color, colorful fruit is also edible, adapted to all of Michigan.

Charlotte Crab Apple: pyramidal shape, green fruit, pink flowers in May, has double flowers, adapted to all of Michigan.

Columnar Siberian Crab Apple: upright shape, red fruit, white flowers in May, autumn color is yellow, susceptible to blight, adapted to all of Michigan.

SMALL TREES (up to 25 feet tall):

Arnold Crab Apple: shrubby shape, yellow fruit, pink flowers in May, useful to wildlife, blooms profusely, adapted to all of Michigan.

Flame Crab Apple: shrubby shape, red fruit, pink to white flowers in May, useful to wildlife, hardy in exposed places, adapted to all of Michigan.

Sargent Crab Apple: shrubby shape, red fruit, white flowers in May, useful to wildlife, smallest of all crab apples, adapted to lower peninsula.

Echtermeyer Weeping Crab Apple: weeping shape, red to purple fruit, purple-red flowers in May, sometimes called "pink weeper," adapted to all of Michigan.

shrubby shape, red fruit, rose colored flowers in May, useful to wildlife, fruits not ornamental, good foliage, adapted to all of Michigan.

Dorthea Crab Apple: shrubby shape, yellow fruit, rose colored flowers in May, useful to wildlife, flowers and fruits annually, adapted to all of Michigan.

Flame Crab Apple: shrubby shape, red fruit, pink to white flowers in May, useful to wildlife, hardy in exposed places, adapted to all of Michigan.

Sargent Crab Apple: shrubby shape, red fruit, white flowers in May, useful to wildlife, smallest of all crab apples, adapted to lower peninsula.

Echtermeyer Weeping Crab Apple: weeping shape, red to purple fruit, purple-red flowers in May, sometimes called "pink weeper," adapted to all of Michigan.

purple fruit, purplish red flowers in May, often blooms second or third time during year, adapted to lower peninsula.

Schiedecker Crab Apple: rounded shape, yellow to orange fruit, pale pink flowers in May, autumn color is orange, profuse bloomer, adapted to lower peninsula.

Tea Crab Apple: upright shape, yellow to red fruit, pink to white flowers in May, flowers cover entire length of branches, adapted to lower peninsula.

Midget Crab Apple: upright shape, red fruit, pink flowers in May, usually blooms in alternate years, adapted to lower peninsula.

Katherine Crab Apple: irregular shape, dull red fruit, pink to white flowers in May, double flowers, usually blooms in alternate years, adapted to all of Michigan.

To produce edible crab apples, Cox recommends spraying to control pests.



## Bannister

MRS. ROBERT VALENTINE  
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Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Valentine and children of Atlanta, Ga. were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Valentine and family and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller and family. Sunday, a reunion was held of the Valentine and McFall families at the Robert Valentine home. Approximately 70 people attended the potluck dinner. Guests were from Georgia, Marquette, Brant, Saginaw, Freeland, Peward, Lansing and Elsie.

The 26th annual Ensign reunion was held last Sunday at the Floyd Glowney home. Thirty people attended the event coming from Brighton, Adrian, Higgins Lake, Montrose, New Lothrop and Elsie.

An open house was held for Rev. Marjorie Matthews at the parsonage of the Ashley and Bannister United Methodist Church. The event

was sponsored by the Bannister WSCS and provided an informal time for the parishioners of the two churches to become acquainted with Rev. Matthews. The Rev. Matthews is a summer supply minister for the two churches.

Special music Sunday morning at the Bannister United Methodist Church was provided by Mrs. Earl Moore, Mrs. Thomas Moore and Mrs. Elmer Leydorf. The Rev. Marjorie Matthews conducted the worship service. Carrie Miller and Russell Schlarf gave a report on their week at Pentwater Camp.

Brian Valentine, Carrie Miller, Russell Schlarf and Mrs. John Schlarf returned home Saturday after a week at Pentwater Camp.

One word leads to another, and eventually temper takes over.

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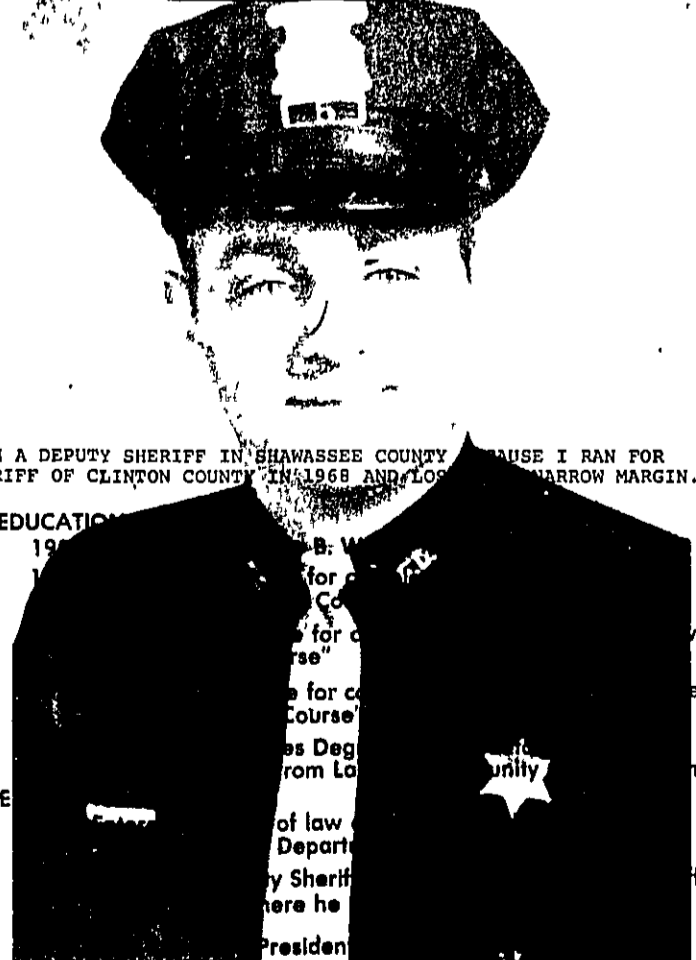


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## 4-H CHATTER



By JOHN AYLSWORTH

"Canada - Here We Come" was the sound voiced by 12 Clinton, Gratiot & Shiawassee County 4-H members as they left Sunday for the Algoma area in Canada. Clinton Counties delegates include Elizabeth Curtis - Laingsburg, Debbie Thelen - St. Johns, Virginia Cordes - Lansing and Mrs. Richard Woodhams of St. Johns. They left Sunday, July 23 and will return Saturday, July 29 met their Canadian 4-H families at the tourist center located at the bridge at Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Canada. Mr. A. G. Mitchell is the Agriculture Representative in Canada. Next week July 30-August 5, 4 boys; 4 girls and 2 leaders from Canada will spend a week with host families in Clinton, Gratiot and Shiawassee Counties.

THE COUNTY 4-H softball play-off drawings were held Wednesday with the play-offs to begin on Friday July 28. In the green league the following teams will meet for round one: Victor vs Olive 4-H; Green Clover Community vs Prairie; Fowler vs Kountry Cousins; Bengal Community vs Charlies Gang; In the White League - Olive 4-H Girls vs Green Clover Community; Victor Gang vs Kountry Cousins and Jolly Green Giants vs Olive 4-H Boys. All games will be five innings with double elimination. The championship games should be completed on Friday August 4.

4-H MEMBERS and leaders with flower projects are reminded of the Flower Arranging Workshop to be held Thursday, July 27 1:30 at Smith Hall in St. Johns. Mrs. Arthur Cox and Mrs. York Osojnak, Flower Show Judges and teachers of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Michigan Division will be present to lead the workshop. Each person is asked to bring in the best specimen they have for evaluation. This will be quite helpful to the members as these two ladies will be the judges at the County 4-H Fair in August.

THE MERRY Makers 4-H Club members went to the Ashley Nursing Home July 19 to put on a birthday party and program for the people there. The 4-H members discussed having a backyard carnival to earn money for the Muscular Dystrophy stricken children but no date was set.

CHARLIES GANG 4-H members drew their four families would donate pies for the 4-H Fair lunch stand at St. Johns, August 14-16. They voted to move last years club litter barrel to be used behind St. Peters ball diamond. Tim Barz, Mark Martens, Ricky Dumigan and Debbie Horman volunteered to paint the clubs litter barrel. The members discussed the coming 4-H Fair, voted not to have a Fair float, the new policies on dues and Charlie Silm explained the 4-H softball play-off system this year.

OFFICERS ELECTED this year to guide the Scattered Southeast 4-H Club includes: Kathy Hazle - President; Jeff Musoff - Vice President; Jeanne Striz - Secretary and Treasurer; and Susan Striz, Reporter. The members discussed the coming 4-H Fair, planned to enter a litter barrel in the Fair and would have a number of members entering the demonstration and action exhibit contest.

THE EAR Floppers 4-H members worked their leader dogs for awhile before discussing the family potluck dinner on July 26 and reducing the number of meetings. Several members participated in the State 4-H Dog Obedience Contest July 22 at Michigan State University.

MEMBERS OF the Bath All Purpose 4-H Club learned about Highway Safety. Mr. Don Holmes from the Highway Traffic Safety Center in Lansing showed a movie on safety features in cars and answered questions relating to highway safety. The members completed their Fair entry slips and

demonstrations were given by Mike Zeeb, Dale Burnham and Barbara Ramsey.

THE HIGHLAND Hills 4-H members worked their horses before their meeting and then completed their Fair entry slips for the 1972 Clinton County 4-H Fair. Members who had show outfits that they wanted to sell or trade brought them to the meeting.

THE SPATS and Spurs 4-H Horse Club members have elected Julie Chant as President for the year. Other officers include: Julie Hoskins - Vice President; Ruth DeBoer - Secretary; Chris Chant - Treasurer; and Lisa Spitzler as News Reporter. The members held a club horse show Saturday, July 22. The members discussed safety tips on riding and trail riding.

THE OLIVE 4-H Projects members learned about the 4-H teen leaders Canoe Trip July 8 and 9 from David Price, Public Speaking Contest from Colleen Wood and the Food Tour to Consumer Power Company at Lansing from Jeannine Wood. A number of 4-H project meetings were held last week - foods, July 17 and rabbits, July 18. The next meeting will be August 1 when they will cover the county 4-H Fair.

THE NIMBLE Fingers 4-H members voted to have a 4-H float entry and a litter barrel entry in the county Fair in August. Demonstrations were given by Bonnie Ister on Food; Pat Thelen on Flowers, Denise Cerny on Entomology. The members learned about health and safety at their meeting.

## Lawn care and exercise

EAST LANSING, Mich.- Get two birds with one stone by treating your early spring lawn care program as a chance to get outdoors for some fresh air and exercise.

A few hours with a lawn rake will provide the exercise and give your lawn a head start by removing accumulated dead plant materials. According to Michigan State University extension turfgrass specialists James E. Bogart and Robert C. Shearman, dead grass, leaves, small twigs, etc., will stop fertilizers from doing their job. They can build up as thatch—a layer of dead

plant material between the grass blades and the soil surface, often leading to lawn diseases and poor turf health.

Once over with the rake in the early spring also helps your grass green up faster. You will have a better looking lawn and the turf will get a head start on weed seeds which will germinate later in the spring as temperatures rise.

A session with the lawn roller can improve the physical fitness of yourself and your lawn. Not only will it develop strong shoulder, back and leg muscles, but it will ease lawn tasks throughout the rest of the year.

According to the MSU turfgrass experts, rolling irons out rough areas caused by freezing and thawing. This reduces the chances of scalping the high spots with your lawn mower. For best results, Bogart and Shearman recommend rolling early in the spring while the ground is still moist. Later rollings when the soil is dry won't level the lawn.

They also caution homeowners to avoid excessively heavy rollers on clay soils. A roller that weighs too much will compact heavy soil and hold back good lawn growth and turf health later in the summer.

## Action

Meeting the Need

Most of mankind's scientific progress has been made in the past 100 years. In fact, over fifty per cent of the scientists the world has known are alive today. With the beginning of the industrial revolution in our country, farmers for the first time in history were offered modern agricultural tools.

As the farm industry of our nation grows, its need for new developments grows also.

Our nation's agriculture is engaged in a battle for survival. The outcome of this battle centers on a farmer's ability to use his resources, land and money to make an adequate income to sustain himself and expand his operation. Money must be available to pay for feed, seed, fertilizer and equipment.

Today, more than ever before, inventive technique plays a basic role in the development of farm machinery. Giant corporations earmark millions of dollars each year for research and development of new equipment for the agricultural industry. What is not generally disclosed, however, is that the individual inventor, the farm shop mechanic and the basement workshop handyman, are contributing greatly toward farm implementation. Each year, equipment manufacturers are focusing more attention on this source for new ideas.

With our agricultural productivity taking an increased international scope in recent years, the search for new developments has been intensified.

It is not surprising to discover that many of the new farm practices, ideas and equipment have been devised by farmers. Ideas came largely from necessity or a means to cut costs.

Farmers have helped develop new pickers, shakers, sprayers, soil

conditioners, sprinklers, weeders, diggers, dusters and many more, and, in most cases, because what was available to them at the time did not quite meet their specific needs.

## Alerts corn growers of loan date

Producers with corn under price support loan were reminded by Arthur Rowley, Chairman of the Michigan State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, that the maturity date is July 31, 1972. He urged producers with corn under price support loan to watch the local market prices closely, especially during the next few weeks so if the market prices do rise enough, they may want to sell and repay their loans.

He added that trade agreements with Soviet Russia recently announced by both President Nixon and Secretary of Agriculture Butz may give the market a boost in the next few weeks or months.

He pointed out that producers with 1969, 1970 and 1971 corn under farmstored loan which is in good condition and good storage may be able to resell or extend their loan through May 31, 1973. Producers who resell their farmstored corn will receive storage payment for the resale storage period at about a cent per bushel per month.

Rowley also added that producers with warehouse-stored corn loans on the 1971-crop may extend their loans

May 31, 1973, with no additional obligations. Storage would be paid to the warehouseman by the Commodity Credit Corporation. If the market increases, the producer may redeem the corn, dispose of it on the open market, repay his loan plus interest, and pocket the difference. In any event, producers must take specific action by the July 31 deadline date.

Family mystery: How junior can know his lessons when he doesn't even look at his books.

## Farmers observe safety week

"Prevention of accidents is important all year, but there should be special awareness of farm safety during National Farm Safety week beginning July 25," according to B. Dale Ball, director of the Michigan Department of Agriculture.

"Michigan farmers should take a good look around their farms to eliminate hazards and make sure protective equipment is being used," Ball continued. "If this is done, many potential accidents could be prevented."

MICHIGAN STATE Police report 364 farm equipment mishaps resulting in 15 fatalities in 1971. Several of these deaths were the result of farm equipment overturning on the operator. Most accidents were reported in Kent County, 18, Berrien, 16, and Saginaw, 14.

"There are many practical, common-sense precautions farm people can take," Ball concluded, "to prevent deaths and injuries



Evelyn Ruestman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delmar P. Ruestman of 309 North Lansing Street, St. Johns admires the petunias in the window box belonging to a neighbor, Helen Fowler. Heavy rains over the weekend have helped the flower growers and the farmers' crops.

## Don't neglect the birds

EAST LANSING, Mich.— Unlike the fickle human race, birds don't get spring fever. "With the snow still covering their natural foods, birds will die of starvation if we forget to keep seeds and other food in their feeders," says Dr. Robert George, extension conservationist at Michigan State University. If you don't have a feeder, it doesn't take long to make one. Fasten an inverted jar over a tray or large lid with just enough space between the lip of the jar and the tray for seeds to flow out as birds consume them. Stationary containers, tin boxes and other such items will also serve the purpose.

You can even use your old Christmas tree. Just stick bread crumbs, suet, peanut butter and numerous other foods on the twigs. The birds will find the food.

If you want to plan ahead for next year, Dr. George suggests planting shrubs and trees that will provide food for birds in late winter and early spring when supplies are critical. He recommends the autumn olive, multiflora rose, prostrate juniper, crabapple, mountain ash, pin cherry and Washington hawthorn.

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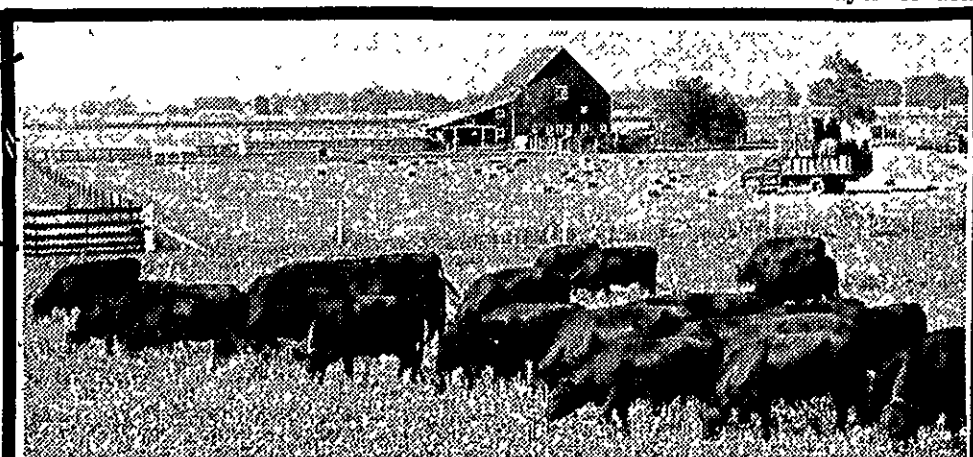
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"Rub-a-dub-dub. . .two boys in a tub." These kids get a morning bath at the Day Care Center.



Linda Friesen teaches colors, shapes and fruits to a group of pre-schoolers.



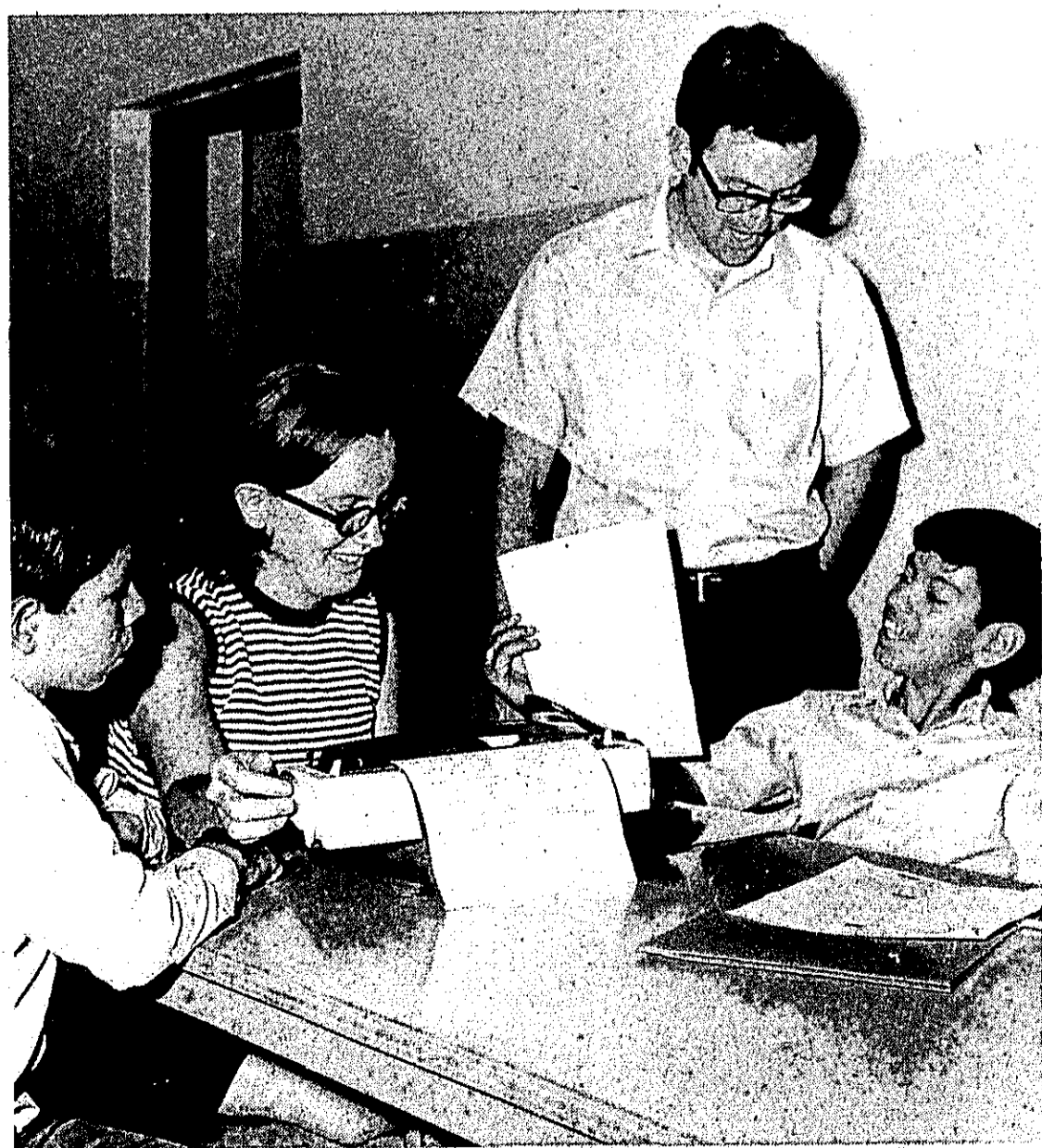
A new friend is what Migrant School means to this girl. She's greeted by Diane Fox, teacher aide.

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Budding journalists is what Principal Mike O'Connor tags his newspaper staff. Lending a hand in laying out the news is teacher aide Barbara Kuhns.



"I can't do a thing with my hair," but with a little help from this Day Care Center worker it comes out great.



It's not all work and no play at the St. Johns Migrant School. Here the boys take to the basketball courts of St. Joseph's School during free time.