

# Clinton County News

Serving the Clinton Area Since 1856

ST JOHNS, MICHIGAN 48879

26 PAGES

AUGUST 1, 1974

119th year

Vol. 50

## Explosion rips Bath Twp home

**BATH TWP** - A gas explosion and fire hit the home of Mr and Mrs Robert Squires at 6484 Drumheller Road in Bath Township last Friday night.

Mrs Bernice Squires, 51, is listed in critical condition at Sparrow Hospital with burns over 90% of her body.

The explosion occurred around 11 pm while Mrs Squires was canning vegetables. Suspecting that the pilot on the hot water

heater was out, Mrs Squires went to the basement to re-light it.

Seconds later, a gas explosion ripped through the house, knocking her across the cellar.

Bath Township firemen, assisted by DeWitt City Fire Dept, fought the blaze for approximately 3 hours.

Robert Squires, 60, who was in the home at the time, pulled his wife out of the basement and took her to Sparrow Hospital. Squires

received only a scratched ankle, and was not treated. Their 16-year-old daughter was not home when the explosion occurred.

Squires, who is president of Gardner Printing Company at 1434 Lake Lansing Road is staying with his married step-children. The Squires have been married 3 months.

The explosion is under investigation by the State Fire Marshall.

## Media meets the candidates on WRBJ

**ST JOHNS** - St Johns Radio Station WRBJ will host meet the candidates programs Thursday and Friday from 11 am to noon, with members of the area media interviewing the candidates.

Candidates in the 30th State Senate District will be on the air. Scheduled to

appear are Republicans Doug Trezise, Richard Allen, Harmon Cropsey and Ed Groot and Democrats Richard Warren and Mable Stolz.

Scheduled to appear Friday are candidates for the 88th State Representative Dist.

Candidates are Republicans Stanley

Powell (incumbent), Roy Ebert and John Fox. Democratic candidates are Donald Stanton and Burton (Bud) Stencil.

Representing the media will be Larry Patrick, news director of WRBJ; Jim Edwards, Clinton County News editor, and Betty Jane Minsky, Lansing State Journal staff reporter.

## DeWitt Twp supervisor responds to letter by Assessors' Association

**DEWITT TWP** - Dale Emerson, DeWitt Twp supervisor, has responded in a letter to the County News to criticism from the County Assessors' Association published in last week's County News.

Emerson began the letter by saying, "I am blamed for Clinton County receiving a 10% equalization factor for 1974. While I

admit I am the one who initiated the appeal, it was done with the advice and consent of the entire DeWitt Twp Board. The letter omits a great deal of pertinent information and the Clinton County Assessors' Association is incorrectly attempting to use DeWitt Twp as a scapegoat for their own shortcomings."

In his letter, Emerson said his township was "being unfairly equalized" and that "it was never our intent to have the people of Clinton County pay more taxes, but to make sure that the citizens of DeWitt Twp did not have to pay more than our fair share."

The letter, in its entirety, is published on Page 2A of this week's County News.

## Federal Mogul names new plant manager

**RI Bortfeld**, operations manager, Federal-Mogul Component Parts Group has announced the appointment of John B. Stevenson as manager of the St Johns Plant effective Aug 1.

He replaces John Fox, who recently resigned and is running for election to the Michigan House of Representatives.

Stevenson joined Federal-Mogul Corp. in July, 1968.

He served in central order and inventory control in management positions at the Lancaster, Pa facility as well as in the bearings group staff in Southfield prior to being promoted to plant manager of the Greensburg Plant of the bearings group in 1968.

He received a BA in industrial management from General Motors Institute and also has a masters in Business Administration from Xavier.

Prior to joining Federal-Mogul he held management positions with the New Departure Division of General Motors.



JOHN FOX

STANLEY POWELL

## Three Republicans, 2 Dems seek House nomination

STANLEY M. POWELL

Stanley M. Powell, Rep, age 70, of Rt 2, Ionia, is an incumbent representative and has been in office 12 years.

Employed by the House of Reps, he has been in this area all of his life. He also held office at the State Constitutional Convention and was Secretary of School Board for many years.

He is a member of the Baptist Church, Farm Bureau, Grange, American Legion, and Veterans of WWI.

He stated to the County News, "My experience in the field of public affairs has given me a familiarity with a wide variety

(See Page 14A)

JOHN A. FOX

John A. Fox, Rep, age 46, of Rt 4, St Johns, is employed by Federal-Mogul Corp.

He is a member of Farm Bureau, Bd of Directors of Clinton Nat'l Bank, Vice-chairman of Parish Council and Holy Trinity Church.

(See Page 14A)

DONALD L. STANTON

Donald L. Stanton, Democrat, age 51, of 405 N Jefferson, Ionia, is a lifetime resident. He is presently employed as Treas Gen Mgr Governmental Emp Credit Union of Ionia and is Mayor of the City of Ionia.

(See Page 14A)



BURTON STENCEL

ROY EBERT

Roy Ebert, Rep, age 42, resides at 602 S Kibbee, St Johns. He is general manager of St Johns Federal Credit Union.

He has resided in the area 35 years and has served as vice-mayor of St Johns and 4 years as City Commissioner.

He is a member of St Johns Planning Comm, St Johns Zoning Comm, Vice-Chairman of St Johns Park Board, is member of the Board of Directors of St Johns Chamber of Commerce, Clinton Area Ambulance Service, Tri-County Finance Committee, and

(See Page 14A)

BURTON STENCEL

Burton Stencil, Democrat, age 42, of 3574 Bradford, Ionia, is a lifetime resident of the area. He is self-employed as a farmer and has 4 children.

He has been on the Co Board of Commissioners for 4 years and is a member of Farm Bureau, 4-H and the Lutheran Church.

He is present chairman of the

(See Page 5A)



DONALD STANTON

# Three Primary races on County Board



COUNTY COMMISSIONER DIST 1 CHARLES (HUBERT) SILLS

Charles (Hubert) Sills, Rep, 54, 311 Carol Dr, Elsie, has held office on the Village Council for 5 years.

Sills is employed as a laundromat owner and has been a resident for 16 years.

He has a high school education and is a member of F & AM, Consistory, Shrine, United Methodist Men, OES,

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DIST 2 WALTER G. NOBIS

Walter G. Nobis, Rep, 51, R1, Fowler, has fulfilled 16 years of township and city government. He has held the office of



WALTER NOBIS

Township Supervisor.

Nobis is employed as a farmer and has 4 children. He has been a lifetime area resident.

He stated to the County News that he would like "to help keep and strengthen local government."

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DIST 2 ROY WESTENDORFF

Roy Westendorff, Rep, age 37, of Rt 1, Pewamo is self-employed.

He has been in Clinton Co for 15 years and graduated from Ovid-Elsie High School.

In his statement to the County News he said, "I was prompted to enter politics because of my concern over the ever increasing loss of freedom we are experiencing through bureaucratic controls and the apparent disregard of our government to the wishes of the people. As an example, we will not be voting on the gas tax issue this coming Nov, even though there were a sufficient number of signatures turned in on petitions. If the people were allowed to vote on it, I wonder if the results of the vote would be allowed to stand or would the majority be over-ruled as they have been in the past?"

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DIST 5 ROBERT DITMER

Robert D. Ditmer, Rep, 44, 1008 Hampshire Dr, St Johns, held the office of County Commissioner in 1971-72.

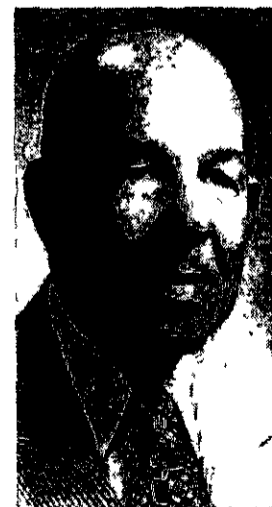
Ditmer, employed by Ditmer Broadcasting Co, has resided in the area 8 1/2 years. He attended Bethel College in Mishawauka, Ind, and was past District Governor, Dist 11-E International Lions, Swegles School PTA President and TV Program Coordinator for Wesleyan Singers.

Only candidates with opposition in the Primary are profiled in this week's election issue.



ROBERT DITMER

Commissioners at one of the first regional Federal Revenue Sharing conferences in 1971 and returned with a report to the Commissioners that Clinton County would benefit greatly by supporting the proposed Revenue Sharing program. Since the inception of Federal Revenue Sharing, Clinton County has received thousands of dollars thus instituting new county programs, up dating others, at no expense to the taxpayers.



DON GILSON

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DIST 5 DONALD C. GILSON

Donald C. Gilson, Rep, 60, S. Oakland, is an incumbent commissioner and has been in

office 2 years.

He is employed by Houghten Nealty and has been an area resident for 60 years. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge, Congregational Church, and Lansing Industrial Personnel Assoc. He served 18 years in retail management with

Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co and 22 years as personnel director at Federal-Mogul, St Johns Plant.

In his statement to the County News, he said, "I believe that I can make a contribution to county government that will benefit all the citizens in the county."

See inside for profiles of candidates running in elections affecting the majority of Clinton County residents

# SIDEWALK DAYS IN ST JOHNS!

SHOP THE STREET FOR BARGAINS!

Sponsored By St. Johns Area Chamber of Commerce

TODAY AND FRIDAY Aug 1 and 2

SPECIAL PRICE MARKDOWNS JUST FOR YOU!

**BIG BONUS**

**FOOD BUYS**

ALL BECK'S MEATS ARE BLUE RIBBON

**PRODUCE**  
BECK'S OWN TRANSPARENT  
**APPLES** 1/2 Bushel \$2.98  
MICH. U.S. NO. 1  
**POTATOES** 10 Lbs. 89¢  
BLACK SWEET  
**CHERRIES** 79¢ Qt. \$9.98 Lug  
RED RIPE EXTRA SWEET  
**WATERMELON** \$1.49 Ea.  
HOME GROWN  
**CABBAGE** Lb. 12¢

BECK'S FRESH  
**PORK SPARE RIBS** 99¢ Lb.  
REG. OR COUNTRY STYLE  
ECKRICH SMOKY  
**LINKS** 69¢  
10 Oz. Pkg.

1 Lb. HOMEMADE  
**BULK PORK SAUSAGE**  
WITH THE PURCHASE OF 3 Lbs. or MORE OF...  
**HAMBURGER**  
FARMER PEET LEAN & MEATY  
**PORK STEAK** lb. 79¢  
FARMER PEET BONELESS  
BONANZA  
**HAMS** WHOLE \$1.09

VINE RIPE  
**TOMATOES** 49¢ Lb.  
3 1/2 Oz. ROYAL  
**INSTANT PUDDING** 14¢  
ASSORTED FLAVORS  
CAMPBELL 21 Oz. Cans  
**PORK & BEANS** 3/\$1  
2 Pkg. Reg.  
**NORTHERN TOWELS** 44¢  
PUFFS 200 Count  
**FACIAL TISSUE** 35¢  
WHITE or

ALL VARIETES  
**SPARTAN LUNCH MEATS** 89¢ Lb.



COUNTRY FRESH  
**ICE CREAM** 1/2 Gal. 73¢  
BLACKBERRY RIPPLE, PEACH  
NEW ALFREDO FROZEN DELUXE  
**PIZZA** 11 Oz. to 14 Oz. 99¢  
CHEESE, SAUSAGE, PEPPERONI  
14 oz. FISHERMAN  
**FISH STICKS** 4/79¢

**DAIRY SPECIAL**  
ALTON FISHER GRADE A MED.  
**EGGS** Doz. 49¢  
COUNTRY FRESH  
**CHOC. MILK** 3 Qts. \$1  
4 Oz. SPARTAN SHREDDED  
**CHEESE** 3/\$1  
PIZZA or CHADDAR  
SPARTAN SKINLESS  
**FRANKS** 2 Lbs. \$1.69

**BECK'S OWN BAKERY**  
ORANGE  
**DONUTS** 6/49¢  
HARD ROLLS 8/59¢  
Hi-C  
**ORANGE DRINK** 46 Oz. 3/\$1  
MOP & GLO  
**CLEANER and WAX** 48 Oz. \$1.19  
SPARTAN LIQUID  
**BLEACH** Gallon 3/\$1  
160 Count NORTHERN  
**NAPKINS** 37¢

Small  
NEW FREEDOM  
**SANITARY NAPKINS** 30 Count 79¢  
MADE RITE  
**POTATO CHIPS** 10 Oz. Bag 49¢  
SPARTAN  
**PRETZEL** 9 Oz. 3/\$1  
TWIST or STICK

**OVEN FRESH SPECIALS**  
WHITE BREAD 20 Oz. 39¢  
PECAN TWIRLS 8 Pak 49¢  
HONEY GLO  
**CRACKED WHEAT** 49¢

CHANCE TO WIN A... \$1,000,000.00  
**FREE LOTTERY TICKET**  
with Each \$25.00 Purchase  
Excluding Beer, Wine, Liquor & Cigarettes.  
Good Wednesdays thru Saturdays Only.

**FREE!**  
Qt. of COUNTRY-FRESH  
**CHOC. MILK**  
WITH ANY \$10 FOOD PURCHASE

**BECK'S FARM MARKET**  
6 MILES NORTH OF ST. JOHNS ON U.S. 27  
14 MILES SOUTH OF ITHACA  
OPEN 7-DAYS A WEEK  
8 A.M. to 9 P.M.  
224-7830  
WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

TO THE EDITOR

DeWitt Twp supervisor

responds to assessors' letter

In a letter to the editor, appearing in your July 25th edition, I was blamed for Clinton County receiving a 10% equalization factor for 1974. While I admit I am the one who initiated the appeal, it was done with the advice and consent of the entire DeWitt Township Board. The letter omits a great deal of pertinent information and the Clinton County Assessors Association is incorrectly attempting to use DeWitt Township as the scapegoat for their own shortcomings.

Department and followed the procedures outlined according to the laws of the state of Michigan, to settle our complaints. The State Tax Commission studied the situation and have found that we were basically correct in our assertion. The Clinton County Board of Commissioners and the State Tax Commission have both accepted the findings of our appeal and have stated that corrective action will be undertaken.

because most government units in Clinton County were improperly assessed. In conclusion, DeWitt Township has withdrawn over 1973 appeal and have been assured by the County Board of Commissioners that they will make every effort to correct the equalization problems. It never was our intent to have the people of Clinton County pay more taxes, but to make sure that the citizens of DeWitt Township did not have to pay more than our fair share. Now is an excellent time for the Assessors Association to take the initiative and correct the problems and assure all of the citizens of Clinton County that we won't face another factor next year because they have failed again to properly perform their duties.

A brief history of events that led to DeWitt Township appeal should make clear some of the reasoning for the appeal. First, at the time the 1973 County Equalization Report was being prepared, Clinton County was given notice that the Tax Commission would be applying a 7.5% factor to the County for 1973. Based upon this information and the fact that we were reasonably sure DeWitt Township was properly assessed and because the Tax laws precluded us from waiting until the State Tax Commission formally acted, DeWitt Township filed an appeal. At the same time, the City of St. Johns also filed an appeal which was later dropped.

Perhaps the time has arrived for the Clinton County Assessors Association to accept the conclusions of the study and proceed to take positive action to correct the problems. It is also time for them to accept the responsibility for the 10% factor. The Tax Commission applied a 10% factor to Clinton County, not because DeWitt Township appealed, but

Between the time the appeal was filed and the Tax Commission took action, we approached the County Equalization Department and requested we be allowed to examine the data used to determine County Equalization we were refused access to what we considered public records. We then decided that because the County refused to cooperate, we would let the appeal stand and have the Tax Commission determine the status of equalization in Clinton County.

ST JOHNS - Forty-four entries have signed to compete in the St. Johns city sponsored doubles tennis tournament Saturday and Sunday. The men's doubles for 26-year-olds and over begins at 9 am and the women's doubles for 21 and over and 20 and under the courts at 10 am. At 11 am, competition begins for men 25 and over. The mixed doubles competition begins at 1 pm Sunday. There is still time to sign up to compete in both singles and doubles. Those wishing to compete may call Al Werbish at 224-2248 after 5 pm or see him at the tennis courts.

We believe that DeWitt Township was being discriminated against in County Equalization. We protested to the County Board of Commissioners and were ignored. Our next step was appealing to the Tax Commission. The Tax Commission accepted our appeal and over the last 16 months have been studying Clinton County.

ST JOHNS - All St. Johns High School athletes are advised to report for physical examinations Aug 13 at 10 am at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Football players should report first to the physical education locker room at the high school at 9 am. The physical date is for boys only.

The results of that study are nearly complete and clearly show that DeWitt Township was being unfairly equalized. Many claims have been made as to the validity of the tax Commission study I would submit that this study is no more or less valid than that conducted by our own equalization department. I would also submit that the one point that favors the Tax Commission study is it is unbiased as to any one unit of government over another. I seriously doubt that the County Equalization department can make that claim about their study.

Athletic physicals scheduled  
ST JOHNS - All St. Johns High School athletes are advised to report for physical examinations Aug 13 at 10 am at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Football players should report first to the physical education locker room at the high school at 9 am. The physical date is for boys only.

All of which leads me to the point I would like to make. The DeWitt Township Board felt we were aggrieved by actions of the County Equalization

For Justice Based On:  
• TRUTH, NOT TECHNICALITIES  
• PROMPTNESS, NOT DELAY  
vote  
**HOLBROOK**  
for  
**Court of Appeals**  
Non Partisan Ballot  
An Experienced Circuit Judge  
Donald E. Holbrook, Jr., Pd. Adv.

**Doubles tennis tourney in St Johns**  
Dear Voters,  
I will direct this letter to the voters of the 88th Mich Congressional District.  
I would like to encourage you to vote in the Primary Election, Aug. 6 for Burton Stencel, Ionia, as your State Representative.  
Burton ("Bud") has been active throughout his youth and adult life in community affairs, 4-H, Service Club and St. John's Lutheran Church. He has been a County Commissioner for four years, serving as chairman this past year.  
He will not sacrifice public interest for party loyalty or personal integrity and morals for a place at the top, nor will he abandon God's will for the whims of man.  
Bud is a young farmer with high ideals and moderate means. He stands ready to serve you and the best interests of the people of Michigan.  
Support him. He will serve you well!  
Sincerely Yours,  
Ruth Hewit Fenwick, Michigan Pd. Pol. Adv.

**WRBJ -AM 1580**  
PRESENTS  
**"KNOW YOUR CANDIDATES"**  
Thursday  
11 a.m. to noon  
30th District Senatorial Candidates  
Friday  
11 a.m. to noon  
88th State Representative Candidates  
**FACE THE PRESS**

# Plenty of candidates for township office



RUSSELL HOWE

**SUPERVISOR  
EAGLE TWP  
RUSSELL HOWE**

Russell Howe, Rep. of 11555 State Rd., Eagle is a self employed farmer. He is 63 and has been a lifetime resident of the area. He has held the office of Justice of the Peace.

He is a member of Farm Bureau, Grand Ledge United Methodist Church, Mich Assessors Assoc. and Clinton Co Assessors. He has had 10 years experience as a certified Property Assessor.

In his statement he said, "As a life-long resident of this community, I am aware of its growth and its needs. I want to continue working to preserve local government and to meet the needs of all the people on an individual basis to the very best of my ability."

**SUPERVISOR  
EAGLE TWP**

**TIMOTHY R O'DONNELL**  
Timothy R O'Donnell, Rep. of Rt 1, Eden Trail, Eagle is employed by the Board of Water and Light in Lansing. He is 30 years old and is familiar with local concerns and understands governmental processes and can relate to people.

In his statement he said, "I

am making my first attempt for public office because I believe citizen participation in government is called for. It is time for a change and time for a



TIMOTHY O'DONNELL

professional approach in the supervisor's post. I am a private citizen concerned with twp affairs and I believe that I can bring a fresh approach to twp gov't."

**CLERK  
EAGLE TWP**

**ALICE SULLIVAN**  
Alice Sullivan (Mrs Harold), Rep. resides at 10945 Grand River, Grand Ledge. She is an incumbent candidate and was first elected in Nov, 1970.

She is Pres of N Eagle Cemetery Soc and has been a 4-H leader for many years. She attends all twp meetings, County meetings and MTA meetings in Grand Rapids and has taken the State bookkeeping course required to keep books for the twp.

She has stated that she is running, "to assist in the twp affairs and help make Eagle Twp a better place to live, help keep local gov't."

**TREASURER  
EAGLE TWP**

**FRED J CATLIN**  
Fred J Catlin, Rep. of 13346 Grand River Hwy., Eagle, is owner of the Eagle Inn. He is 35 years of age and has been in the area for 25 years. He has taken police Admin courses at LCC.

**TREASURER  
EAGLE TWP**

**CARL G LIETZKE**  
Carl G Lietzke, Rep. resides at 11175 Hinman Rd., Eagle. He is an incumbent candidate and has been in office for 23 years. He is a semi-retired farmer.

He has lived in the area all of his life and was previously Justice of the Peace. He is a member of Farm Bureau and treasurer of Eagle Twp Fair Assoc.

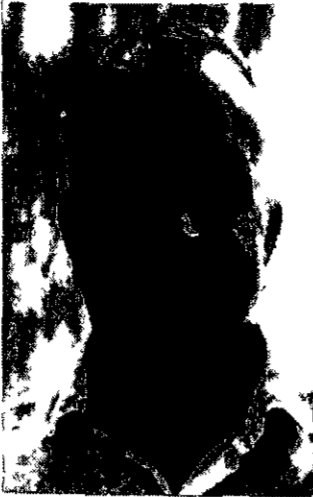
Before becoming treasurer of the twp, he was a bookkeeper, cashier and office manager for affiliates of Nat'l Dairies.

He stated to the County News, "I enjoy the work, and enjoy meeting people and having a part in twp affairs."

**TRUSTEE  
EAGLE TWP**

**ELMER HARDENBURG**  
Elmer Hardenburg, Rep. of 17320 W Clark Rd., Eagle is employed in farming.

He is 64 and has resided in the area all of his life. In his statement to the County News he said, "I know how to co-operate with the people of the



ELMER HARDENBURG

twp, know their problems and will do the best for the people and the twp, Co, and State



DONALD POTTS

**SUPERVISOR  
RILEY TWP  
DONALD POTTS**

Donald E Potts, Rep. of 10450 Wacousta Rd., DeWitt, is em

ployed by the Clinton Co DPW. He is 29 years old and has been in the area for 7 years.

**SUPERVISOR  
RILEY TWP**

**NORMAN M. THELEN**  
Norman M. Thelen, Rep. of 6663 Bauer Rd., Fowler, is an incumbent candidate and has been in office for 8 years.

He is a self-employed farmer and has been in the area for 27 years.

He has held office on the Local School Board, Clinton Co Intermediate School Dist, and Clinton Co Board of Supervisors, and TCRPC.

He is a member of Clinton Co Assessors Assoc, Knights of Columbus and Farm Bureau. He states that he is running because "Citizens requested me to run again."

**TRUSTEE  
RILEY**

**CHARLES SILM**  
Charles Silm, Rep. of 6322 W Price Rd., St Johns is an incumbent candidate and has been in office for 11 years.

He is 34 years of age and a lifetime resident of the area. He is a 4-H club leader and a member of St Peters Lutheran Church.

**TRUSTEE  
RILEY TWP**

**DOUGLAS WITT**  
Douglas Witt, Rep. of 6039 W Jason Rd. St Johns is employed as a dairy and swine farmer.

He is 25 years old and a lifetime area resident.

He is a member of Farm Bureau, Holstein Assoc and Park Producers.

He stated his reason for

running as "To give the people a choice, and to get new faces in gov't."

**TRUSTEE  
LEBANON TWP**

**LEROY JSCHAFFER**  
Leroy J Schaffer, Rep. of Rt 1, Fowler, is employed by the State Journal.

He is 35 years old and has been in the area all of that time.

**SUPERVISOR  
WATERTOWN CHARTER  
TWP**

**HERMAN F OPENLANDER**  
Herman F Openlander, Rep. of 8101 Clark Rd., Grand Ledge is an incumbent candidate and has been in office for 8 years.

He is employed as a farmer and is 60 years of age.

He has taken an assessors course at LCC and is certified Level II by State Assessors Board of State of Mich.

**SUPERVISOR  
WATERTOWN CHARTER  
TWP**

**WILLIAM C NICHOLAS**  
William C Nicholas, Rep. of 3126 W Grand River, Lansing, is self employed.

He is 42 years old and has been in the area for 18 years.

He was Justice of the Peace for 10 years and is a member of the Wacousta F & AM and the Eagles.

He is well versed in Twp law and gov't operations.

He stated that he would like "to have Twp gov't represent all of the people instead of just a select few. I feel the twp is growing too fast and we must build in the safeguards now instead of the 'wait and see' attitude that presently prevails."

Republican

# CHAS. HUBERT SILLS

## COUNTY COMMISSIONER 1ST DISTRICT

# TRY A CHANGE

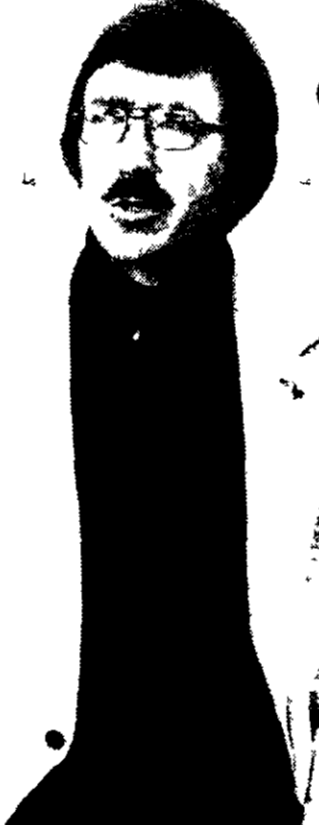
YOUR SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED

Vote Tuesday, Aug. 6

Pd. Pol. Adv.

GO CLASSIFIED

# Should a State Senator be as down to earth as Dick Allen?



successful legislation covering everything from property tax credits to welfare reform and mobile home park regulations. Dick is the leading sponsor of expanded facilities for bicycling, hiking and horseback riding. Dick also first disclosed his financial statements and income tax records back in 1969... the only House member to do so.

### Should a State Senator be as outspoken as Dick Allen?

You may not always agree with Dick Allen but you always know where he stands. That's important nowadays when politicians hide behind catch words, fashionable causes and closed committee doors.

Not Dick. He'll take some unpopular stands but he'll give his reasons.

Dick Allen may not always win friends. But he influences people. And gets things done.

### Should you vote for Dick Allen?

If you want an effective, hard-working, down-to-earth State Senator, you should support Dick Allen in the Republican Primary, this August 6. Thank you.



Dick Allen is running for State Senator from the 30th District. This is a new District, with no incumbent, which includes all or part of nine counties. Dick needs your vote in the Republican Primary, August 6.

### Should a State Senator have as broad a background as Dick Allen?

Dick Allen's done a lot of things in his forty years. Most of them outside politics. Veterinarian, farmer, college professor, businessman, as well as a State Legislator and Director of the Michigan Tourist Council.



### Should a State Senator work as hard as Dick Allen?

Dick Allen's worked hard at everything he's done. From building up his veterinary medicine

practice to being a State Rep. Few can match his attendance and voting record. Or his list of

Paid for by the Dick Allen for State Senator Committee

**DONALD L. STANTON FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE 88th DISTRICT**

S Sincere  
T Truthful  
A Ambitious  
N Noble  
T Thorough  
O Obliging  
N Needed

- ★ Man For The Job
- ★ Farmer - 20 years
- ★ State Emp. - 23 years
- ★ Financial - Treas/Gen. Mgr.
- ★ \$24 million Credit Union
- ★ Ionia City Mayor
- ★ \$6 million Gov't grants
- ★ 70% Federally funded
- ★ "Brings Gov't To the People" Townhall meetings
- ★ Democrat
- ★ August 6 Primary
- Donald L. Stanton

Paid by  
CITIZENS FOR STANTON  
For 88th District  
STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
Donald Leo Stanton

# the WORD

In our service, it's thoughtfulness.

**OSGOOD FUNERAL HOMES**

OSGOOD Chapel GOERGE Chapel  
ST. JOHNS FOWLER

ABBOTT Chapel HOUGHTON Chapel  
MAPLE RAPIDS OVID

# Five seek party's nomination to Michigan State Senate race



**RICHARD J. ALLEN**

Richard J. Allen, Rep. is Director of Mich Tourist Council, was elected to State

Legislature in 1968 and 70, is a veterinarian in Alma, is a farmer in Gratiot Co, and was a former college professor from Alma College.

Allen is a member of the Presbyterian Church, Farm Bureau, Rotary Club, Mich Veterinary Medicine Assoc, American Assoc for the Advancement of Science, Smithsonian Institution, American Museum of Natural History, Mich Historical Society, Sierra Club, Gratiot Co Humane Society, East Africa Wildlife Society, Audubon Society, Republican 300 Club, Mich State Alumni Assoc and Alma College Presidents Club, Century Member.

He stated to the County News that, "It is my strong belief that the democratic process is the only hope for effective government for the people. The 30th Senate District is a rural, small town area that closely matches

my background and experience. I would like to represent its people in Michigan's Senate and help in a small way to return government to the people."



**HARMON CROPSEY**

Rt 3, DeWitt, 56 years of age Republican Education: Graduate Iowa State Univ., BS degree in Animal Husbandry.

Occupation: Executive-secretary Friends of Mich Schools. Have represented our organization for 12 years in Mich legislature.

Other qualifications: 5 years Board member, Lewis Cass Intermediate School Board; 3 years Treasurer local school

board; Legislative Committee Cass County Farm Bureau; Chairman, Farm Policy Development Committee, Clinton Co Farm Bureau.

1. I would like to see some sizable reduction in property taxes.  
2. If we are going to have reform, let's plug all the loopholes. Let's play it fair and make it illegal for unions to contribute to campaign funds as long as corporations cannot legally do so.



**EDWARD GROOT**

Edward Groot, Rep. age 33, resides at 5133 Ivan Dr, Lansing. He has been in the area 4 years and is employed by the Mich State Senate (he is an Admin. Assistant to Senator Fleming of Jackson).

He has 4 years of legislative staff experience; prior experience on assembly-line, retail sales and management. He worked his way through college and has been studying law since 1973.

In his statement to the County News he said, "I believe I can offer a unique blend of balanced experience, a traditional sense of right and wrong, and a refreshing new vigor to the oft-maligned political scene."

"I believe the people of Michigan are sick and tired of increasing taxes and therefore will support a ceiling on state taxes. The only way, apparently, to stop the legislature from spending money is to place a limit on the amount it can spend."

"I believe the people are sick of expressing themselves at the polls - on abortion, daylight-saving time, Proposal C, the 18-year-old-vote - only to find the legislature or the courts reverse the expressed will of the people. I will represent my constituency."

I believe in the sanctity of life, in local government and local control of schools and in unfettered free enterprise and will introduce and support legislation to perpetuate these timeless principles.



**R. DOUGLAS TREZISE**

R. Douglas Trezise, Rep. 49, of 515 Moore Ave, Owosso, is an incumbent representative and has been in office 4 years.

He has been an area resident for 24 years and has also held the offices of councilman, Mayor and Mayor ProTem of Owosso; Member, Shiawassee Co Bd. of Supervisors; State Representative. He has dedicated 10 years of governmental service at state and local levels.

He is a member of the Owosso Rotary Club, Shiawassee Chapter, Amer Red Cross, past Pres Owosso Jaycees, Owosso Chamber of Commerce, Dir First Fed Sav and Loan, Owosso, and First Congregational Church, Owosso.

In his statement, he said, "I believe I have been an effective legislator, accurately reflecting the views of the people of Central Michigan in the House of Reps. I feel I can be even more effective by using my experience in the Mich Senate. I believe I have the maturity needed for the office and have been responsive to citizens' needs. These are the traits people want in government officials today."

**MABEL STOLZ**

Mabel Stolz, Democrat, 202 W North St, Owosso, has been an area resident for 29 years.

She is a former teacher and has held the office of political party officer, chairman of Shiawassee Co Dem Conv and vice-chairman of 5th Cong District. She was also a delegate to the Dem Nat'l Convention in 1964 and 68.

She is a member of Mich Education Assoc, Owosso Education Assoc, National Education Assoc and Michigan



**RICHARD D. WARREN**

In her statement to the County News, she said, "I have had a long-time interest in government and political affairs and served for almost 6 years as chairman of the Shiawassee Co Com. I always wanted to run for office, but could not leave my teaching job. I stopped teaching before retirement age because I wanted to do some other things and running for office is one of them. I think I would make a hard-working, honest public servant. I'm in good health."



**RICHARD D. WARREN**

Richard D. Warren, Dem. of 1220 Sandhill Dr, DeWitt, has been in the area for 3 years.

Employed by the Lansing School Dist, he received a BA and an MA from MSU.

In his statement to the County News he said, "Qualified, responsible people must make themselves available to serve the people if good government is to be maintained."

**COMPLETE BODY WORK AND GLASS REPLACEMENT**  
**BOB'S AUTO BODY, INC.**  
800 N. Lansing Phone 224-2921

**THE COURT OF APPEALS NEEDS YOUR VOTE!**

50% of the Court of Appeals cases are criminal cases.

Elect an experienced prosecuting attorney to serve you.

Leo E. Maki has 17 years of experience as a prosecuting attorney and assistant attorney general. Elect that experience!

**LEO E. MAKI**

VOTE THE NON-PARTISAN BALLOT ON AUGUST 6

**Put yourself on the savings payroll...**

...with "The Big C" Check-a-Month.

You paid for your savings, now let them pay for you! With Check-a-Month, you can receive an interest check every single month delivered to your door. And you'll never touch your principle deposit.

To qualify for Check-a-Month payments, you can choose from either of these accounts. There's the 6 1/2% One Year Golden Certificate Account that you can open with \$1000 or more. And there's the 7 1/2% Four Year Certificate Account with a \$5000 minimum deposit. A minimum \$5000 deposit is necessary to receive the Check-a-Month plan.

Stop in at Capitol Savings & Loan, and arrange your Check-a-Month Account today. Put yourself on the savings payroll.

A substantial interest penalty is required for early withdrawals of certificates in accordance with Federal regulations.

The Check-a-Month Account.

**CAPITOL Savings & Loan**

St. Johns office: 222 N. Clinton Ave., ph. 224-2304  
main office: 112 E. Allegan, Lansing, MI 48901, ph. 371-2911  
branches: Grand Ledge, Mason, Okemos, Williamston, Lathrup Village and Pontiac  
Incorporated 1890 - member: Federal Home Loan Bank System

**TOM'S WESTERN STORF**  
DAVID MICHIGAN 48866  
1171 834 5446

**Family Theatre**  
DRIVE IN  
ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN

Wednesday thru Sunday  
July 31 - Aug 4

They'll give you fast-fast-fast relief!  
Keep abreast of the medical world with the  
**condy stripe nurses**

— ALSO —

**Night Call Nurses**  
THURSDAY NITE SPECIAL!  
ONE LARGE BOX OF POPCORN FREE PER CAR

**Farmers' deserve a break too!**

We urge you to join with us in voting for

**HARMON CROPSEY**

for  
**State Senator**  
**30th District - Republican**

*\*only one of the 38 members of our State Senate is a farmer. We can increase agricultural representation 100% by voting for Harmon Cropsey.*

Leon Schumaker, DeWitt, R. 2  
William Hufnagel, R. 2, Fowler  
William L. Hufnagel, R. 2, Box 167, Fowler  
Jim Becker, R. 2, St. Johns  
Bob Moore, R. 1, Elsie  
Muri Lonsberry, R. R. Grand Ledge  
Audrey Lonsberry, R. R., Grand Ledge  
Keith MacNaughton, Grand Ledge  
Dorothy MacNaughton Grand Ledge  
Viola Sutherland, Grand Ledge  
Gerald Haddix, R. 1, Grand Ledge  
Lilah Wollpert, R. 1, Gr. Ledge  
Keith Wollpert, R. 1, Grand Ledge  
Harry Lilly, R. 2, Gr. Ledge  
Geneva Lilly R. 2, Gr. Ledge  
Ralph Letson, R. 5, Charlotte  
Larry Keefer, R. 1, Mulliken  
Scott Keefer, R. 1, Mulliken  
William Brook, 15870 Upton Rd., E. Lansing  
Wilbur VanZee, 3090 W. Stoll, Lansing  
Earl R. Midlam, R. 1, Olivet  
Loyd Koyl, R. 1, Olivet  
James Koyl, R. 1, Olivet  
Jerry Koyl, R. 1, Olivet  
Paul D. Pripkow, R. 1, Olivet  
Paul D. Pripkow, Jr., Olivet  
William R. Pripkow, R. 1, Olivet

Maurice Gove R. 2, St. Johns  
Mildred Shrontz, R. 1, Olivet  
Clair Shrontz, R. 1, Olivet  
Dean Shrontz, R. 1, Olivet  
Esther Shrontz, R. 1, Olivet  
Leslie Josheck, R. 1, Olivet  
Dr. R. W. Gordon, Parma  
William R. Stimson, Parma  
Gilbert N. Hall, Rives Junction  
Edward Krauz, 4860 Bennett Rd, Rives Jct.  
Leonard Hernine, 2857 Henry Rd., Rives Jct.  
John R. Blair 11925 Lansing Ave., Rives Jct.  
John T. Surbrook, 5457 Wood Rd., Rives Jct.  
Doug Alexander, 8343 Minard Rd., Rives Jct.  
Raymond Mayers, R. 2, St. Johns  
Wm. "Bill" Mayers, R. 2, St. Johns  
Stanley Welton, R. 3, St. Johns  
William Brook, 15870 Upton Rd., E. Lansing  
Corliss Schlicker 9503 W. Parker Rd., Laingsburg  
Gerald Hart 7855 W. Grand River, Laingsburg  
Daryll Heinrich, 9248 Bennington Rd., Laingsburg  
Robert R. Lee 6314 LeLand Rd., Laingsburg  
Harold Klockziem, 9325 W. Parker Rd., Laingsburg  
Elmer Smith 9075 Round Lake Rd., Laingsburg  
Robert V. Beardslee 8410 Beardslee Rd., Owosso  
Harold Crumbaugh Route 2 Ashley  
John S. Jones Route 3, St. Johns  
Adele Jones Route 3, St. Johns

# Five seeking office in 6th Congressional Dist

Five men, two democrats and 3 republicans, are seeking the congressional seat of retiring Congressman, Charles E. Chamberlain of the sixth congressional district. The District encompasses most of Ingham and Jackson Counties, the majority of Livingston and Washtenaw Counties and Bath Township of Clinton County.

**DEMOCRAT CANDIDATES**  
**M. ROBERT CARR** - Robert Carr narrowly lost to incumbent Charles E. Chamberlain in 1972 by 2,455 votes, and has been in the running for the Sixth Congressional seat since the day after the 1972 elections when he announced his candidacy for the 1974 elections. Carr, who graduated from the University of Wisconsin Law School is an attorney in East Lansing and Special Assistant Attorney General for Michigan. Although he has never held an elected office, he has had ex-

perience in Washington, serving as an aide to Senator Gaylord Nelson of Wisconsin. In Michigan, he has served as an advisor on environmental issues in 1970 to gubernatorial candidate Sander Levin.

Carr believes in closing the loopholes for big business and cutting the tax burden of the middle class. He favors better transit systems and better vocational education along with fewer giveaways to foreign countries.

**CHARLES LAROWE** - Presently teaching economics, industrial relations and labor relations is MSU Professor Charles P. Larowe, the other Democratic candidate for the Sixth Congressional Seat. Larowe has been a resident of East Lansing for 18 years.

Larowe, who holds a Ph.D. in Economics from Yale University has had some experience in Washington, serving

as a consultant to the U.S. Dept of State and Defense on maritime policy. He has worked with unions, and the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU). "The economy is the issue" is his slogan. If elected, he plans to introduce measures to curb inflation, roll back gas prices to the levels of last fall and increase the number of jobs available.

### REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

**CLIFF TAYLOR** - Believing that a Democratic Congress has taken away the power from local government and the people, this Lansing attorney says he wants to return this power back to the local townships and cities along with more money through programs like revenue sharing.

Taylor was born in Flint and earned his law degree from George Washington Law School. In the past, he has served on the staff of Congressman James Harvey of Saginaw and was a Congressional researcher in the Library of Congress. Taylor claims that he is the only one in the Sixth Congressional Race that knows anything about Congress.

Inflation-wise, he wants a balanced Federal budget to curb inflation. He favors a National Energy Policy, shifting the cost burden of NATO's defense of Western Europe to our European Allies and opposes the Kennedy Plan for

nationalized health insurance in favor of letting private practice-oriented medical system.

**WILLIAM BALLENGER** - A one-term senator in the Michigan Senate serving the 30th Senatorial District is William S. Ballenger of Williamston. Originally from Flint, Ballenger served in the House of Representatives from Ovid and later became State Senator from Ovid in the 30th Senatorial District. In the Senate, he served as chairman of two standing committees: Agriculture/Consumer Affairs and the Health/Social Services Committees. In addition, he is the co-chairman of the Senate bi-partisan Special Senate Committee on Political Ethics. Ballenger favors a balanced budget and wants to see Federal spending cut, along with lower rates of interest.

**BRUCE A. BARTON** - The prosecuting attorney from Jackson is a Republican running for the Sixth Congressional District.

Barton favors strong local government along with a federal revenue sharing program. He is concerned with prisons and why they are not working in the way they should. As Prosecuting Attorney in Jackson County for the past 7 years, he has had much experience with criminal law. Barton was born in Jackson, Michigan and resides there with his wife, Barbara and his 4 children.



Larowe Taylor Ballenger Barton Carr

# It's GOP contest in 10th Dist

candidates were asked to answer the following question (100 words):

1. What role should the federal government play in providing needed transportation systems in addition to highways?

**ELFORD A. CEDERBERG**  
 MIDLAND, 56 years old  
**REPUBLICAN** Attended public schools, Bay City and Bay City Junior College

**QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE** US Army, 1941-45 Lieutenant, Infantry, Platoon Leader, Battalion Plans and Operations Officer, Division Headquarters Company Commander and Executive Officer, Division Special Troops 5 campaign battle stars, bronze star medal Discharged as Captain, Major in U.S. Army Reserve

Elected to Congress, 1952, served continuously since Served on Appropriations, Post Office and Civil Service, Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committees Sub-Committees of the Appropriations Committee Military Construction, Department of Labor and Health, Education and Welfare, Legislative Appropriations, Departments of State, Justice, Commerce and Federal Judiciary Currently Ranking Minority Member Full Appropriations Committee

**Stand On Issue**  
 The Federal Government should develop a national transportation policy consistent with transportation needs in our rural, suburban, and metropolitan areas. Such a policy will necessarily emphasize efficiency, environmental impact, and public convenience. The Congress has the responsibility to develop methods of seeing that diverse systems obtain the financial

Representative on the important questions of taxes, inflation, and the cost of energy as it affects this district. As an attorney, I have the ability to legislate on these matters.

**Stand On Issue**  
 Clearly transportation directly affects government policies regarding inflation, natural resources, unemployment, and maintaining rural population, as such, it makes little sense to work on these policies without simultaneously approaching

transportation For Mid-Michigan an immediate concern is that rail service remain a viable transportation system. The Dial-a-Rides of Midland, Traverse and Mt Pleasant are a promising experiment. In the long run, Congress must understand that the solution to the urban problems of America lie with maintaining the livability of non-urban America. This livability - jobs, life style, and environment spell the need for a national non-urban transportation policy.

### ANDREW J. MARKS

240 COLDWATER ROAD, MT PLEASANT  
**REPUBLICAN**  
**EDUCATION:** Mt Pleasant Public Schools, Central Michigan University, BS 1969, Magna Cum Laude, majored in Political Science, University of Michigan Law School, J.D. 1972; US Army - AIT Ft Gordon - Communications

**QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE** As the only candidate who owns a home rather than an apartment, who earned less than \$10,000 last year, my experiences are more

**CLINTON THEATRE**  
 ST. JOHNS, MICH.

**7 BIG DAYS**  
 Wednesday thru Tues.  
 July 31 - Aug. 6

**UNEQUALLED ADVENTURE!**

A Great Frontier Adventure! A Great Wilderness Adventure!

**WALT DISNEY**  
 DOROTHY MCGUIRE and FESS PARKER  
**OLD YELLER**  
 TECHNOLOR®  
 DISTRIBUTION CO. INC.  
 © Walt Disney Productions

**WALT DISNEY** presents  
**The Incredible Journey**  
 TECHNOLOR®  
 DISTRIBUTION CO. INC.  
 © Walt Disney Productions

**UNEQUALLED EXCITEMENT!**  
 ONE SHOWING NIGHTLY - 7 p.m.

# Stencel

(From Front Page)

**Grove Church to celebrate ann'y**

The public is invited to the Grove Bible Church 20th anniversary Aug 4 all day with potluck dinner at noon and special program in the afternoon. The film "A Thief in the Night" will be shown in the afternoon for the young people. There will also be something special for the children ages 4-12. Those attending should take food and table service. Sunday School 10 am, Worship Service 11 am, Picnic 1 pm, Afternoon Service 2 pm, Evening Service 6:30-8:30 pm

In his statement to the County News he said, "I feel the 8th District needs a younger rural man who is honest and sincere and willing to listen to the voice of the people, both rural and urban."

ELECT  
**ROBERT RICHARDSON**

CHAIRMAN: State Senate Judiciary Committee, 1967-74;  
 VICE CHAIRMAN: Commission for Revision of Judicial Article of State Constitution 1971-72.

Assistant United States Attorney 1957-58  
 Saginaw County Prosecuting Attorney 1959-62  
 Saginaw County Civil Counsel 1963-64

August 6 (Non-Partisan) To The Court of Appeals Pol. Ad.

Wondering how your present car will perform while on your vacation?

DON'T CHANCE IT, SEE  
**EGAN FORD SALES, Inc.**  
 200 W. Higham ST. JOHNS Phone 224-2285

**Did You Know?**  
 ... DERRILL SHINABERY

**PROMOTED THE** Purchase of the new 65th. District Court Facility?  
**DID YOU KNOW?** By that action, Clinton County Taxpayers do not have a debt of \$1,350,000 as proposed for a new court building  
**DID YOU KNOW?** That the battle he led to have the DeWitt Twp. 1973 tax appeal dropped? Save the taxpayers of all Clinton County \$750,000 or over ¼ million dollars in additional taxes.

**THIS IS DEDICATION!**  
**VOTE REPUBLICAN**  
**AUG 6 for SHINABERY**  
**Clinton County Commission District 1**

**-The Dick Allen Farm Barbecue-**

**C**ome one, come all. To an old-fashioned political party. A farm barbecue in the grand old manner with music, homemade refreshments, speeches (short ones), your friends and neighbors, and steaks and burgers broiled over an open fire.

**S**tarting times: 6PM to 10PM; except Sunday which is 4PM to 9PM.

Friday, August 2nd, Clinton County. At the Livingston Farm, just north of St. Johns. On U.S. 27.

**A**rgue free silver and women's suffrage. Or just enjoy the fun. And, of course, meet Dick Allen, Republican candidate for State Senator.

\$5.00 for steak dinner  
 \$2.50 for burger dinner  
 \$1.00 for children under 12.

Candidates for all other offices are invited.  
 Paid for by the Dick Allen for State Senator Committee

**• Dick Allen • State Senate • Republican Primary • August 6 •**

# Exchange student returns to Brazil from Ovid-Elsie High

By Neva Keys  
Elsie Correspondent

Maria Estele Schmitz, 18 year old daughter of Bertino and Olga Ribeiro Schmitz of Lajes, Santa Catarina, Brazil dreamed about coming to the United States for more than a year and it was a happy day when she went aboard a Braniff International Jet at Rio de Janeiro bound for Detroit Metropolitan International Airport stopping only at Bogota, Columbia, S.A.

Through the Youth for Understanding program, Maria arrived last January and was chosen by Mr and Mrs Kenneth Kiger and daughter, Lora Thornton of Elsie to live with them and attend Ovid-Elsie High School as a senior.

Maria returned last week, July 14 to Brazil in an eight-hour flight to Rio, changed planes to the island city of Florianopolis not far from Lajes, her home, where family and friends gathered to welcome her.

Maria had pleasant memories of the months living with her Michigan family and attending O-E High from which she received a diploma in June She

will think of her many new friends and the social times she enjoyed in school, church, special occasions and vacations.

She will cherish the scrapbooks, pictures, gifts, souvenirs and folders of interesting information concerning Michigan and the places she visited. Most of all she will never forget the love and friendship of her family here in Michigan and they will remember Maria as a loveable and always considerate of others.

Maria shared interesting information of her homeland with her friends. Her father is of German descent and her mother is a native Brazilian. They have eight children.

Maria has one sister, Estelita (nickname Liliinha) married to Flavio Lorenzoni Silva and they have two sons, Kleber and Marcie. She has six brothers: Telmo, Ribetro, a veterinarian; Joao Gmir, a pilot; Miguel Bertino; and 13 year old twins, Jelinei (nickname Alemad) and Jelinei (nickname Niquinho) who hope to become exchange students some day in the future in US.

An older brother Waldir Ribeiro owns and operates the Aeroclube de Lajes, a supper club and lounge. Maria works part time for her brother and his wife Rita de Cassia.

Maria plans to attend college and study to be a nurse or doctor after she completes four months more of high school studies in Brazil. She says they attend school for half-days on six days a week. They also have a strict curfew for the young people from eight to ten on school days, according to age.

While talking to Maria about her home you realize that the family ties are very important to each other. She lives in a city that has grown up rapidly, both in population and business, modern homes, churches, schools and highways. There are many bicycles but few automobiles and no one is allowed to drive until 18 years of age.

Portuguese is the official language of her country and Maria's family all use it except a brother and Maria who have both studied English classes. Lajes is located in the Serra de Marange of mountains and not far from the fantastic beaches along the Atlantic Ocean.

Some points of interest in nearby cities are Sao Paulo, the center of cotton weaving industry and now the largest city of Brazil, Rio de Janeiro with its Sugar Loaf Mountain and the huge statue of "Christ

the Redeemer" guarding its long harbor; the mosaic sidewalks made with small bits of different colored stones; and the famous resort of Copacabana, and Florianopolis' long steel eye-bar suspension bridge from the large island city to the mainland.

Brazil has grown from a small Portugal colony to a large independent republic with 22 states, two territories and two Federal Districts. The president of Brazil is elected by the people and also governors for the states and Senate and Chamber of Deputies much like the United States.

Brazil decided in 1956 to build an entirely new capital city in the central part of the country overlooking the vast underdeveloped areas of forests and jungles near the Great Amazon River. They moved the government 600 miles inland from Rio de Janeiro in 1960-61.

Brazil built large dams to increase water power and supply electricity to homes and factories. The population increased rapidly and now there are high rise buildings, modern homes, beautiful new churches and highways.

Last April, Maria received a letter from her family telling of the terrible floods that occurred after five days of torrential rains. There were 2500 people lost in 66 feet of water that came down the mountains, leaving 16 feet of mud on highways. She said they have little snow and frost in states and temperatures no lower than 20 degrees.

Her father has some farm lands so she told of the main products of the country. They were coffee, sugar, rice, flour, cotton, tobacco, cacao, rubber, Brazil nuts and such fruits as pineapples, bananas, grapes, oranges, guavas, papayas and figs.

Many cattle, goats, sheep, and hogs are raised and mineral resources are extensive with huge iron-ore deposits, quartz and gems, manganese and mica.

On many of the farms, the tools are still very simple and old-fashioned but some landowners have begun to use tractors and other modern machinery.

Maria observed that all Brazilians love to dance and sing and she was no exception. She also enjoys swimming and volleyball and has taken on new hobbies, namely, macrame, ceramics and knitting. Soccer is the national sport, she added, that excites everyone and is called football but not as dangerous as football that

North Americans play.

She reminded us that Brazil is larger in area than US but has only one-third the population.

Upon looking back over the months she lived in Michigan with her American family, Maria will remember so many pleasant occasions like the times she attended the St Cyril Catholic Church in Bannister with the Blakely family and also as a guest of her sister, Lora in the Free Methodist Church at Ovid. Maria and her family are Roman Catholics as 93% of the Brazilian are of that faith.

Through the courtesy of the Clinton County 4-H Clubs, Maria made a field trip to Upjohns in Kalamazoo and Post Cereal in Battle Creek, with the Future Nurses Club. She also accompanied Helen Blakely and family to Cedar Point, Ohio; attended the Detroit Tiger vs Boston Red Sox baseball game in Detroit, spent a five day Easter vacation with her American brother and wife, Mr and Mrs Keith Thornton in Coldwater and Sturgis; the weekly Amish sale in Shipshewanna, Indiana, the Tulip Festival in Holland, Mich., a covered bridge in Centerville, and guest at several restaurants for special affairs.

Maria was one of 25 guests from Ovid Elsie High at a Randolph swimming party and picnic near Eureka, and enjoyed several airplane flights with another exchange student who was spending some time with a family near St Johns.

She saw some real snowstorms, Bradshaw Hill, the harvesting of grain and the famous Green Meadows Farms and their large herd of Holstein cattle, which were other interesting points of interest.

She was disappointed in not seeing the migration of white swans at flood time near Oakley but did see the cottonwood tree roots at the Old Mill Dam. She had hoped to view the Northern Lights which could never be seen in the southern hemisphere but did enjoy the Big Dipper in the sky for the first time.

There was also an Open House with 75 guests at the Kiger home on the Sunday afternoon following graduation for Maria and her American sister, Lora Thornton who were both honored.

During her last week in the US Maria was taken by her mother and father on a four day sightseeing trip of 1100 miles in northern Michigan, Upper Peninsula and Canada. They enjoyed the sand dune rides at Silver Lake, an evening in Ludington, Shrine of the Pines at Baldwin, Hartwick Pines, Indian River Shrine, the Mackinac Bridge and Straits and a night at Mackinaw City and Fort Michilimackinac.

A boatride to Mackinac Island, a promenade of the long porch of Grand Hotel, and a ride around the island in horse-drawn surrey, the old fort buildings and museum were all a thrill to Maria. The next day they drove through the Upper Peninsula to Sault Ste. Marie where they watched from the high tower as an iron-ore ship passed through the locks - another new experience for Maria. Crossing the International Bridge to Canada they stopped for a Canadian lunch. Returning to the UP they drove to Paradise and Whitefish Point for fish dinner.

They also saw the Tahquamenon Falls and the colored falls in the sunlight. Maria remarked that she had seen the three largest of the Great Lakes - Superior, Huron & Michigan. They took many

# Ovid-Elsie Area News

## SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE



**ALL LAWN & GARDEN EQUIPMENT**  
INCLUDING  
**TRACTORS \*LAWN MOWERS**  
**POWER GARDEN EQUIPMENT**

- TORO
- LAWN BOY
- HAHN ECLIPSE
- ALLIS-CHALMERS

Here's a sample of the savings...  
**MTD 10 HP Tractor**  
with mower, electric start, the works for only  
**\$895.00**

Sale includes some good used rider and push lawn mowers... we trade bring in your mower and we'll deal... now thru August 15 only!

SEE **VINCE ACKLES**  
254 EAST MAIN ST.      ELSIE      PHONE 862-4482

Try a classified

## HAPPINESS IS... SAVING CASH

AND... that's just what you'll do by buying your new car NOW!

HIGHER PRICES ARE COMING- Why Wait?

# SAVE NOW

WHATEVER YOU PREFER...

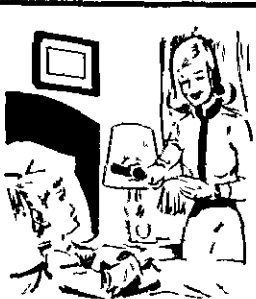
Small  
Medium  
Large

WE HAVE A CAR TO FIT YOUR BUDGET NEEDS!



Stop By And Let's Talk...

**CHEVROLET** **V.L. MOORE & SON**  
OVID      PHONE 834-2213



## HOSPITAL INSURANCE

We have a complete package of health and hospitalization plans which can be tailored to individual family needs.

By tailoring each plan to the individual's needs, the rates become more competitive.

For more information and a quote on our fine plans—

SEE OR CALL  
**WILLIAM F. HOLLEY**

Solicitor for  
**Carter-Melvin**

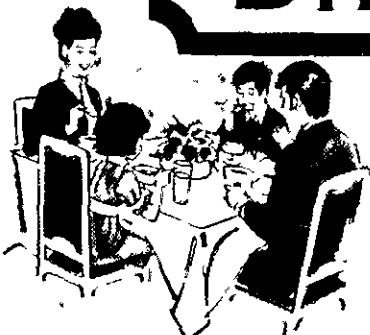
INSURANCE AGENCY

Your Independent Insurance Agency, 122 W. Main, Elsie

Phone 862-4227

Residence phone 224-7580

## Family Style DINING



WE FEATURE CHOICE  
STEAKS AND  
HOMEMADE PIZZA

We Cater to Small Parties, Wedding Rehearsals, Birthdays, Anniversaries.

EVERY THURSDAY NITE:

Spaghetti & Meat Balls, Salad & Garlic Bread; Hot Meat Ball Sandwiches, Veal Parmesan.

**TRI-AMI BOWL**

EVERY FRIDAY NITE:

Perch and White  
Fish Dinners

Keg-lite Lounge  
Located on M-21 at Ovid Corners  
Phone 834-2341

## Buying or Selling CALL US FOR RESULTS

FOR RENT IN OVID - 2-BEDROOM M-21 TOWNHOUSE APARTMENTS, RANGE, REFRIGERATOR, AIR CONDITIONED, FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED.

2 ACRES IN SHIAWASSEE COUNTY. NICE PINE TREES, 1-NEW RANCH HOME IN OVID, 3 BEDROOM, FULL BASEMENT, CARPETING.

9825 E. M-21, 3 BEDROOM, GAS HEAT, CARPETED, CURTAINS, DRAPES AND APPLIANCES INCLUDED. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

1 - ACRE COMMERCIAL LOT, CORNER OF HOLLISTER RD. AND M-21, OVID.

STORE BUILDING ON MAIN STREET IN OVID - SALE OR LEASE

Gilbert O. Bovan, Broker

Phone 834-2288

Tony Sinicropi and David J. Hill

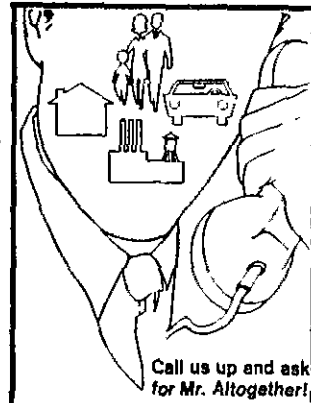
Sales Representatives  
Phone 834-5049 Phone 834-5621

## OVID SERVICE AGENCY

104 N. MAIN

PHONE 834-2288

Ovid



Call us up and ask for Mr. Altogether!

You've probably seen or heard the man in our commercials say, "Coverages don't overlap too often, but even once is too often - why pay twice for anything?" And you perhaps remember the lady who agrees that "we should buy it all together from one agent that's one way we could save a little." As a result, we've had a lot of phone calls asking if there really is a Mr. Altogether who would handle both personal and business insurance for them. If you have the same question, why not give us a call and ask for Mr. Altogether?

it's better  
**altogether**

**OVID SERVICE AGENCY**

PHONE 834-2288

Auto-Owners Insurance  
Life Home Car Business

IT'S HAPPENING IN  
**ST. JOHNS**

# SIDEWALK BAZAAR

**THURSDAY and FRIDAY  
August 1 and 2**

**SHOP  
DOWNTOWN  
AND SAVE!  
IT'S SHOPPING FUN  
FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY!**

**PRICES SLASHED!  
NAME BRANDS!  
MANY ITEMS MARKED  
DOWN AS LOW AS 50%!**

**STORES OPEN  
THURSDAY 9 A.M.-5:30 P.M.  
FRIDAY 9 A.M.-9 P.M.  
OUR BIGGEST  
SUMMER EVENT!**

**2  
Big  
Days!**

- Kurt's Appliance Center
- Parr's Rexall Drugs
- St. Johns Furniture
- Norm Henry Fine Shoes
- E.F. Boron Company
- Julie K
- Dean True Value  
Hardware
- Mackinnons
- Treasure Chest
- Bailey's Music Center
- Harr's Jewelry
- Rehmann's

**TURN THE  
PAGE FOR  
SIDEWALK  
SPECIALS**

Downtown stores have joined together to bring you this great sidewalk bazaar! There are reduced prices and huge savings and fun for the whole family!



THIS PAGE  
SPONSORED  
BY THE  
CLINTON  
COUNTY NEWS  
TO PROMOTE  
DOWNTOWN  
ST. JOHNS  
BUSINESS

An Annual Event  
Sponsored By the  
St. Johns Area  
Chamber of Commerce

**IT'S DOWNTOWN ST. JOHNS**

**Thursday and Friday**

**FOR**

# Summertime Savings

**Admiral**  
**STEREO CONSOLES**  
ONLY 3- 1974  
SAVINGS UP TO **25%**  
WALNUT OR OAK CABINETS TO CHOOSE FROM  
MANY OTHER STEREOS ON SALE!  
"Music is our business, not a sideline"  
**Bailey Music Center**  
120 N. Clinton St. Johns Ph. 224-3134  
MASTER CHARGE and BANK AMERICARD WELCOME HERE



**VERY SPECIAL BARGAINS**

NAME BRAND WATCHES 1/3 & 1/2 off	GOOD SELECTION WATCH BANDS Ladies & Gents 1/2 price
CHROME WARE 1/2 price	ONE TABLE OF GIFT ITEMS 1/2 price
SOME GOOD QUALITY JEWELRY 1/2 price	Anson Tie Sets Jewelry Boxes, Billfolds 1/2 price
Stainless Steel Hostess Set & Odds & Ends of Silverware	Clocks ASSORTED 1/2 price

MANY OTHER ITEMS ON SPECIAL  
OPEN 6 DAYS A WEEK FRIDAY NIGHTS TIL 9  
**Harr's Jewelry**  
"31 Years Selling Diamonds in Clinton Area"  
114 N. Clinton St. Johns Ph. 224-7445

**SIDEWALK DAYS SALE**  
AUGUST 1 and 2, THURSDAY and FRIDAY

BATH TOWELS \$2.59	REG. \$1.98	PLASTIC SHOWER CURTAINS \$3.49	REG. \$2.25
HAND TOWELS \$1.59	REG. \$1.19	BEDSPREADS \$2.25	REG. \$1.25
WASH CLOTHS \$0.79	REG. \$0.69		

SAVE UP TO **50%**  
DISCONTINUED PATTERNS

**SPORTING GOODS**

Corn House Broom \$3.39	NOW \$2.44	Westclock Mens Watches \$19.95	NOW \$12.99
6 Gal. Plas. Gerb. Can 1.99	NOW 1.47	AM-FM Radio 19.98	NOW 16.44
Lettuce Saver .98	NOW .44	Wood Paper Dispenser 14.95	NOW 9.99
Decorative Jars 1.29	NOW .66	Tandem Bike 109.50	NOW 87.50
Turntables .79	NOW .33	Cheese Serving Set 9.95	NOW 6.66
Silverware Trays .49	NOW .24	Metal Tackle Box 2.88	NOW 2.11
Set of 4 20 oz. Mugs 4.00	NOW 2.44	Motorcycle Helmet 48.95	NOW 33.99
4 pc. Mix N Pour Sets 1.98	NOW 1.22		
Plastic Pails .98	NOW .74		

**EXTERIOR HOUSE PAINT Sale!**  
Latex Supreme \$7.44 Gal.  
White & Colors \$8.99 2 Gal. Can  
Good Grade Latex

**SWINGSET CLOSE-OUT**

1 Only Swingset w/slide	REG \$39.95	NOW \$19.99
1 Only Swingset	REG 69.95	NOW 35.00
8 leg w/slide	REG 44.95	NOW 36.99
5 Only Swingset w/slide	REG 87.95	NOW 69.95
2 Only Swingset w/slide	REG 63.95	NOW 43.99
1 Only Swingset w/slide	REG 62.95	NOW 49.97

**DEAN True Value HARDWARE STORES**  
300 N. Clinton St. Johns Phone 224-3271

**CLOSE - OUT ON ALL LAWN FURNITURE ALL STOCK DISCOUNTED**  
SAVINGS UP TO **50%**

**CARPET TILE** 25¢ each While They Last!

**27 x 48 WASHABLE RUGS** Reg. \$3.98 each SALE \$2.79 each

**5 pc. MUG SETS** Reg. \$2.98 set NOW \$1.25 set

**LINOLEUM RUGS** Reg. \$7.95 SPECIAL \$5.95

**CARPET REMNANT** Up to 11' 3" x 15' CASH AND CARRY NO DELIVERY PRICED TO SELL

**SPECIAL PURCHASE**  
WASH CLOTHS 2 for 29¢  
DISH CLOTHS each 11¢

**AT: Norm Henry Fine Shoes**

<b>MEN'S SHOES</b> Florsheim & Freeman From \$13.80 Pedwin & Dexter From \$ 8.80 OTHERS From \$ 6.80	<b>WOMEN'S SHOES</b> Air Step From \$10.80 Connie From \$ 6.80 American Girl From \$ 6.80 Jolene From \$ 4.80 Hush Puppies From \$ 5.80 Cobblers From \$ 8.80	<b>CHILDREN'S SHOES</b> Buster Brown From \$4.80 Mother Goose From \$3.80 Priced According To Size
Children's Canvas FROM \$2.80 Women's Canvas FROM \$3.80 Men's Canvas FROM \$4.80	<b>MEN'S WOMEN'S &amp; CHILDREN'S SANDALS</b> REGULAR TO \$21.95 <b>Up to 1/2 OFF</b>	<b>Bone &amp; White Handbags</b> Regular to \$8.99 NOW \$4.80 <b>Straw Handbags</b> Regular \$8.99 NOW \$3.80 <b>Straw Handbags</b> Regular \$5.99 NOW \$2.80

**SPECIAL - 2 RACKS**  
ODDS & ENDS \$1.80  
WOMEN'S & CHILDREN'S SHOES \$2.80

SHOP INSIDE STORE FOR ADDITIONAL BARGAINS  
SHOP IN AIR-CONDITIONED COMFORT

**Norm Henry FINE SHOES**  
ST. JOHNS 121 N. Clinton Phone 224-2213  
Also Owosso Strand's Shoes Ionia and Durand

"NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE"  
**E F BORON CO.**  
122 N. Clinton St. Johns

**SAVE AT SIDEWALK SALES**



# Shop Our Sidewalk BAZAAR

FOR



COME AND SAVE  
**SIDEWALK SALE**  
 COME AND SAVE

If Pays to Shop at  
**MacKinnon's**  
 FOR BETTER VALUES  
**SIDEWALK DAYS**  
 THUR.-FRI. AUG. 1st 2nd

GIRLS SLACKS	\$1-\$2-\$3
4 PLY WOOL YARN	79¢ EA
FIRST QUALITY 4 oz SKEINS DISCONTINUED COLORS Reg. \$1.49 2 FOR \$1.50	
LADIES SLACKS	VALUES TO \$9.00 \$3-\$4
GIRLS SKI AND SNOW PANTS	SIZES 4 to 12 \$2.00 AND \$3.00
LADIES BLOUSES AND KNIT TOPS	\$1-\$2-\$3
LADIES SHORTS	VALUES \$5.00-\$6.00 \$3.00
DISCONTINUED STYLES OF BRAS AND GIRDLES AT EXTRA BIG SAVINGS	
DON'T MISS OUR TABLE AND RACK OF MISC. MERCHANDISE \$1.00	
DISCONTINUED STYLES OF OUR BETTER PANTY HOSE 96¢	
REGULAR VALUES \$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.00	
MANY OTHER BARGAINS TOO NUMEROUS TO LIST	
SUPER BARGAINS INSIDE THE STORE	
LADIES DRESSES AND PANTSUITS	1/2 PRICE
SUMMER FABRICS	30% OFF
LADIES AND GIRLS SWIMWEAR	30% OFF

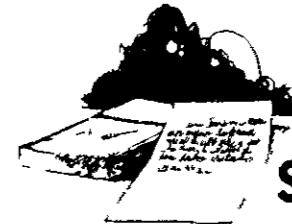
**SIDEWALK SALE**  
 Shop Outside For GREAT SAVINGS!

Cards  
 Party Goods



**CANDLES and CANDLE RINGS**

GAMES  
 ASSORTED GIFT ITEMS  
 PUZZLES  
 POSTERS



**STATIONERY**



**TREASURE CHEST**

220 N. Clinton St. Johns Ph. 224-2719

*Sidewalk Days at Julie K's*  
 THURSDAY & FRIDAY AUG. 1 & 2

GROUPS OF Dresses and Pantsuits		GROUPS OF Slacks, Skirts, and Jackets	
VALUES TO:	NOW	VALUES TO:	NOW
\$20.....	\$6.99	\$12.....	\$4.99
\$25.....	\$8.99	\$16.....	\$5.99
\$30.....	\$10.99	\$19.....	\$6.99
\$35.....	\$13.99	\$22.....	\$7.99

ALSO OTHER ITEMS

**BARGAIN TABLES**  
**\$1.00 & \$2.00 ITEMS**  
 including... BLOUSES, LINGERIE, JEWELRY, BOOTS, and OTHER ITEMS

*Julie K* ST. JOHNS

OPEN Monday Saturday 9-5:30 Friday nites til 9 P.M.

## Sidewalk Sale

AUGUST 1st & 2nd THURSDAY and FRIDAY

**SEVERAL 1/2 PRICE TABLES**

**Deodorant**  
 Reg. 69¢ ONLY **39¢**

**AJAX**  
 Liquid Cleaner ONLY **49¢** 40 oz.

**ALL SWIM CAPS** 1/2 off

**BAGGIES**  
 Lawn and Leaf BAG Reg. 79¢ **49¢**

**BANDAGES**  
 83¢ CURRAD'S VALUE PACK **49¢ 49¢**

**PANTY HOSE**  
 \$1.00 3 pair for

**FILM**  
 140 GAF Colorprint **59¢**

**GIFT SHOP CLOSE OUTS**  
 1/2 Price

MANY MORE BARGAINS!  
 COME and SEE!  
**PARR'S REXALL DRUGS**

DOWNTOWN ST. JOHNS PH. 224-2837

## Sidewalk Sales

ARE MORE AT ST. JOHNS FURNITURE WHERE...

SAVE 20% 30% 40% 50% EVERYTHING BUT EVERYTHING GOES!

INSIDE OUTSIDE SAVINGS STOREWIDE!

EXAMPLE  
**SOFAS**  
 724 Reg. - 290. Less **\$434. NOW**

INTRODUCTORY OFFER  
 25% SAVING ON ALL SPECIAL ORDERS ON OUR NEW LINE

EXAMPLE  
**SOFAS**  
 724. Reg. - 290. Less **\$434. NOW**

*St. Johns Furniture*

118 N. CLINTON ST. JOHNS PH. 224-2063

**KURT'S**



# 9th Anniversary SALE

**WE WILL BE CLOSED WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON TO PREPARE FOR OUR BIGGEST 10-DAY SALE. . . Starts Thursday 8 a.m.**

**Open Thursday and Friday Evening For This BIG EVENT!**

• WASHERS • DRYERS  
• REFRIGERATORS

**GENERAL ELECTRIC**

• RANGES • FREEZERS  
• TV • STEREO

**SIDEWALK** Anniversary SPECIALS SCRATCHED and DENTED

- 1 GE Freezer Upright, 11.6 cu. ft. dent on top and right side **Now \$192<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$249.00
- 1 GE Refrigerator 14 cu. ft., frost free, avocado, 2-door, big freezer, dent on top **Now \$288<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$369.00
- 1 GE Automatic Washer Big 18 lb. with mini basket, top of the line, dent on side and top **Now \$196<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$299.00
- 1 GE Refrigerator 2-door harvest gold, automatic defrost, dent on left hand side **Now \$243<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$309.00
- 1 GE Refrigerator 14 cu. ft. frost free 2 door slight dent on front door **Now \$297<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$369.00
- 1 GE Dryer top of the line, automatic dry control, slight dent on door **Now \$187<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$279.00
- 1 GE Range Double-Oven American top of the line, self-cleaning, rotisserie, 2 ovens, avocado, slight dent **Now \$659<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$849.00
- 1 GE Washer Mini basket scratched and dented on left hand side **Now \$218<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$289.00
- 1 GE Combination floor model Washer and Dryer **Now \$297<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$539.00
- 1 GE Automatic Washer 18 lb. dent on right side **Now \$199<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$269.00
- 1 GE Refrigerator 18 cu. ft. 2-door deluxe harvest gold, slight dent on front lower door **Now \$308<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$439.00
- 1 Gas Dryer Big 18 lb top of the line, model G9280, dent on top right side **Now \$179<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$279.00
- 1 GE Refrigerator 19 cu. ft., side-by-side harvest gold, slight scratch on front **Now \$399<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$569.00
- 1 GE Refrigerator 13.6 cu. ft. 2 door, white automatic defrost model, slight dent on right side **Now \$248<sup>00</sup>** Regular \$299.00

REGISTER FOR **FREE** 11.6 Cu. Ft. FREEZER  
To be given away August 10 from our store

**FREE** COOK BOOKS and FAVORS

to the first 10 customers each day

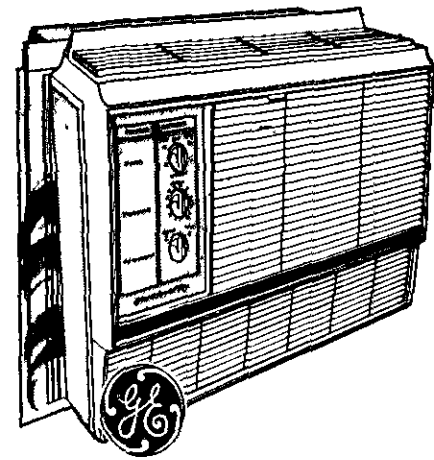
**ARRIVE EARLY AND BUY YOUR CHOICE**

Here's some examples of the OUTSTANDING BUYS. . . . .

- GE Undercounter DISHWASHER.....Reg. \$299.00..... NOW **\$278**
- GE 14.6 Cu. Ft. 2-Door REFRIGERATOR..... Reg. \$369.00..... NOW **\$318** wt
- GE 14 Lb. Capacity Automatic WASHER ..... Reg. \$219.00 ..... NOW **\$188** wt
- GE Big 23" Color Console TV .....Reg. \$549.00 ..... NOW **\$488** wt
- GE Solid State 25" Console TV ..... Reg. \$639.00..... NOW **\$548**

**FREE GIFTS! FREE GIFTS! FREE GIFTS! FREE!**

**15% OFF ON ALL SEWING MACHINES IN STOCK**



**15% OFF** ALL AIR CONDITIONERS IN STOCK



**Adventurer Monochrome TV**  
12" DIAGONAL  
74 Sq. Inch Viewing Area

Up-Front Controls, High Grain VHF Tuner, UHF Solid State Tuner, 3" Dynapower Speaker, Antennas for VHF and UHF.

**\$79<sup>90</sup>**

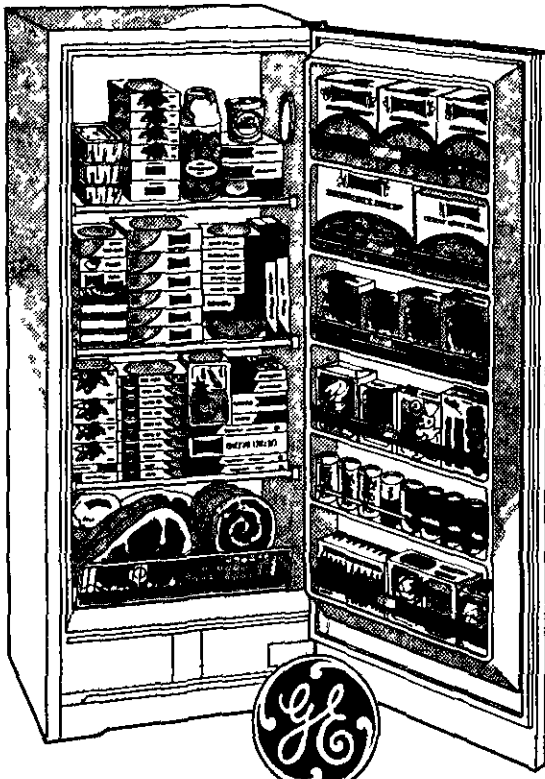
WHILE THEY LAST  
You'll Never Buy for Less



**GE REFRIGERATOR**  
with big freezer section. . . no defrosting ever!

15.6 cu. ft. freezer offers 4.30 cu. ft. storage, two ice 'n easy trays store up out of the way in ice service compartments, power saver switch, 4 cabinet shelves and many other features

**\$328** WITH TRADE



**GE FREEZER**  
401 LB CAPACITY **\$209<sup>50</sup>**  
In The Carton. . . you pick up!



**30"**  
**CLEAN LOOK OVEN**  
Model J301R

**GE RANGE**  
WHITE ONLY **\$188** WITH TRADE



**"Big & Tough" 18 Lb. WASHER**  
With Filter-Flo Wash Action

Up to 18 lb. capacity, two speeds, 3 cycles, 3 water levels, activated soak cycle, heavy duty 1/2 hp GE motor

**\$233** WITH TRADE

**Matching DRYER \$168**

Limited quantities. 10 days ONLY!

**ALL PRICES ON THIS SALE ARE "IN-STOCK" PRICES. . . DUE TO CONTINUING PRICE INCREASES WE CANNOT OFFER THESE PRICES ON OUT-OF-STOCK MERCHANDISE!**

# KURT'S Appliance Center, Inc.

DOWNTOWN ST. JOHNS

PHONE 224-3895

# 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.

### FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Averill M. Carson Minister  
Sunday August 4  
10:00 am Morning Worship  
Wednesday August 7  
8:45 am Boy Scout Troop #1  
7:30 pm Board of Trustees

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

208 East State Street  
St. Johns MI 49879  
Francis Carl Johannes Minister  
Summer Worship Hour 10 am  
Children dismissed during service for Children's Church 4:30 thru 4:45  
Each Wednesday during the summer Prayer and Praise 8:00 pm  
Everyone is welcome

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

South US 27  
Paul A. Travis Pastor  
9:45 am Bible School  
10:00 am Worship Service  
11 am Children's Church  
6 pm IN-TIME and H-TIME  
7 pm Evening Worship  
8:30 pm Church Training  
10 pm Evening Worship  
Each Wed 7:00 pm Hour of Power for the whole family 8 pm Choir practice 8:30 pm Choir Practice  
8:30 pm Basketball  
First Sunday Communion Service  
First Tuesday Deacons Meeting  
Second Tuesday Ladies Missionary Circle  
Mon Fri Minutes of Meditation 9:15 am Harb WIDA  
Church office hours  
\*12 & 13 Mo thru Fri

### ST. JOHNS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner of Mead and Walker  
Reverend Robert Walker  
Phone 224-2800  
Office 224-2800  
1974 Schedule  
Every Sunday 8 am Holy Communion and Sermon  
10 am Holy Communion and Sermon  
10:30 am Morning Prayer and Sermon  
Nursery and church school 10 am for nursery through 1st  
Every Monday eve 7 pm Spiritual Healing Service  
1st 3d Mondays 7 pm Senior Citizens 2d & 4th Tuesdays Noon Senior Luncheon  
Every Tuesday morning and evening weight lifters  
Wednesday 1 pm Family Planning Clinic  
1st & 3rd Wed morning OEO Nutrition class  
Every other Wed evening 7:30 Cadet Girl Scout  
Every 4th Thursday Javelin 8 pm  
Every Thursday 8 pm AA Al Anon  
Prayer service 45 minutes

### CHURCH OF CHRIST OF ST. JOHNS

John Philips Minister  
3:30 am Sunday School  
10 am Morning Worship  
7:30 pm Youth Fellowship  
10 pm Church Training  
Wed 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting  
Call 224-6421 for more information

### ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. William G. Hunker Pastor  
Rev. Raymond Goehring Associate Pastor  
Rectory - 109 Linden St - Ph. 224-3313  
Conf. - 110 S. Oakland - Ph. 224-3789  
School - 201 E. 14th - Ph. 224-2421  
Mass schedule  
Saturdays Evening 7 pm  
Sundays 7:30 9:30 10:30 and 12  
Holy Days See Bulletin  
Weekdays 9:30 am and 7 pm  
Sacrament of Penance Saturdays 9:30 to 10:30 am after 7 pm Mass until 8:30 pm  
Weekdays evenings a few minutes before evening Mass  
First Fridays - Sacrament of Penance Thursday from 9:30 to 5 pm and after the evening Mass until all are heard. Mass and prayers of Adoration at 7 pm Holy Communion on Fridays at 9 and 11:15 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Thursday 7:00 am First Friday after evening Mass  
Devotions - Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena after 7:15 pm Mass each Tuesday  
Religious Instruction Classes - Adult Inquiry Class - Tuesdays at 8 pm High School CCD Wednesdays at 7:30 pm Public Grade School CCD Tuesdays from 4 until 5 pm  
Baptisms - Each Sunday at 1:30 by appointment other arrangements by appointment

### SANT JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Michael R. Hubl Pastor  
10:15 am Divine Worship  
8:00 am Mattins Service 3rd Sunday each month  
9:00 am Sunday School and Bible classes  
Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sundays each month at 10:15 am  
Church Office Hours 9:00-12:00 Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings  
Adult Instruction 7:30 pm Tuesdays  
Weekday School and Confirmation Classes Wednesdays 1:30-6:00 pm  
Ladies Guild WML 2nd Wednesday each month at 7:30 pm  
Elders and Evangelists Tuesdays at 8:45 pm  
Youth 2nd & 4th Sundays at 4:00 pm  
Councils & Committees 1st Tuesday each month at 7:30 pm  
Office Telephone 224-5444  
Parsonage Telephone 224-7400  
Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ Later Day Saints  
407 E. Gibbs  
Church School 10 o'clock  
Worship Service 11 o'clock

### DEWITT AREA

WAYSIDE CHAPEL  
A BIBLE CHURCH  
147 Turner Road DeWitt  
Rev. Douglas Beach Pastor  
Phone 823  
10 am Sunday School  
11 am Worship Service  
5 pm Young People  
7 pm Evening Service  
7:15 pm Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer  
A friendly church with a message for today  
Bible Loving - Bible Believing - Bible Preaching

### EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH

(Non-Denominational)  
Round Lake Road 1/4 mile East of US 27  
Glen J. Farnham Pastor  
Sunday  
10 am Sunday School Classes for all ages  
11 am - Morning Worship  
5:45 pm Youth Fellowship Senior, 1st and up  
Jei Cadets 10-15  
7 pm Evening Service  
Wednesday  
7:30 pm - Bible Study and Prayer  
Supper and prayer for babies and small children in all services.  
"An open door to an open book"  
A Bible preaching church with a message for you

### COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE

Catholic Church  
Father Jerome Schmitt Pastor  
409 Wilson DeWitt  
Daily Mass Mon and Thurs 7:30 pm  
Tues Wed and Fri 7:00 am  
Sunday Mass 9:00 and 11:15 am  
Services at Middle School DeWitt

### WESTPHALIA AREA

WESLEYAN HOLINESS CHURCH  
127 W. William St. Ovid  
Rev. Richard D. Purchase  
10 am Sunday School and Morning Worship  
Sunday Evening 7:30 pm  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meetings  
OVID-FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
Main at Oak Street  
Rev. Earl C. Caplin Pastor  
Paul Johnson Church School Supt.  
9:45 am Church School 11:00 am Morning Worship 7 pm Evening Service  
Wednesday 7 pm Prayer and Bible Study 8 pm Senior Choir  
OVID-FREE METHODIST CHURCH  
"The church with 'acts 20:20 vision'"  
1100 N. Main St., Ovid  
Rev. Richard Gleason  
Church Phone 824-9900  
Parsonage Phone 824-2473  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
8:00 pm Youth Fellowship  
7:30 pm Wednesday evening Prayer Service  
6:00 pm Teen's Softball every Friday  
HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH  
510 Marshall Road, Ovid  
Fr. Joseph Aulin  
10:30 am - Mass on Sunday  
7:00 pm Evening Mass on Wednesday  
Confessions 10 to 10:30 on Sunday mornings

### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Wayne Gleason  
421 N. Elm St. Ovid  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
7:00 pm Evening Worship  
7:00 pm Wednesday Prayer meeting

### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

H. E. Rosow Pastor  
8:00 am Worship  
10:00 am Sunday School

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

SUS 27 & E Baldwin  
Joseph Eger Jr Pastor  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
6:30 pm Youth Service  
7:30 pm Sunday Evening  
Wednesday second and fourth  
7:30 pm Wednesday evening service

### PRILE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Harold Boyd  
9:45 am Church School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
Women's Society meets the 1st Wednesday of each month Dinner at 12:30 Meeting at 1:30  
Youth Fellowship meets the first and third Monday of each month at 7:30 pm  
Council of Church Ministers and Administrative Board meets the first Sunday of each month following a potluck dinner at noon  
Youth choir meets each Wednesday at 7 pm  
Senior choir meets each Wednesday at 7:30 pm

### JERUSALEM WITNESSES

Kingsdom Hall  
1993 North Lansing St  
Tuesdays 7:30 pm Congregation Book Studies Text studied The Nations Shall Know That I Am Jehovah  
Thursdays 7:30 pm Theocratic Ministry School - Texts Used Bible and Aid to Bible Understanding 8:30 pm Service Meeting  
Sunday 9:30 am Public Lecture given by Unaffiliated Representative of the Watchtower Bible and Tract Society  
10:30 am Watchtower Study Current issue of the Watchtower magazine studies  
PUBLISHED COLLECTION TAKEN  
FUTURE OF GOD  
Corner of M 21 and DeWitt Rd  
Phone 224-7190  
9:45 am Church School 11:00 am Worship Service 7:00 pm Evening Worship 8:00 pm Youth Fellowship 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month  
Wednesdays 7:45 pm Family Bible Study

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. Kenneth Anderson  
Phone 224-7850  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
6:30 pm Young People's Service  
6:30 pm Evening Worship  
Wednesdays 7:30 pm Bible Study and prayer hour

### FREE METHODIST CHURCH

214 Church Street  
Phone 224-3349  
Robert Bentley Minister  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
6:00 pm Evening Worship  
Prayer service 45 minutes

### WESLEYAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

U.S. and County Line Rd  
Pastor Paul R. Jones  
Phone 224-7700  
Parsonage & Office 220 E. Maple Rapids Rd. Eureka  
Sunday  
9:30 am Worship  
10:30 am Church School  
10:30 am W.S.C.S. Third Thursday each month

### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Elder E. F. Herzog Pastor  
Services held on Saturdays  
9:15 am Church Service  
10:30 am Sabbath School Service  
WESTPHALIA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Corner of Parks and Grove Rd  
Rev. Brian K. Sheen Minister  
9:45 am Church School  
10:45 am Church School

### WAYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Rev. Roy Green  
The Corner of N US 27 and Roosevelt Rds  
Sunday School 10:00 am  
Morning Worship 11:00 am  
Sunday evening 6:00 pm  
Wednesdays evening service 7:00 pm  
A church where everyone is welcome

### WESLEYAN HOLINESS CHURCH

127 W. William St. Ovid  
Rev. Richard D. Purchase  
10 am Sunday School and Morning Worship  
Sunday Evening 7:30 pm  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meetings

### OVID AREA

WESLEYAN HOLINESS CHURCH  
127 W. William St. Ovid  
Rev. Richard D. Purchase  
10 am Sunday School and Morning Worship  
Sunday Evening 7:30 pm  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meetings

### COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE

Catholic Church  
Father Jerome Schmitt Pastor  
409 Wilson DeWitt  
Daily Mass Mon and Thurs 7:30 pm  
Tues Wed and Fri 7:00 am  
Sunday Mass 9:00 and 11:15 am  
Services at Middle School DeWitt

### EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH

(Non-Denominational)  
Round Lake Road 1/4 mile East of US 27  
Glen J. Farnham Pastor  
Sunday  
10 am Sunday School Classes for all ages  
11 am - Morning Worship  
5:45 pm Youth Fellowship Senior, 1st and up  
Jei Cadets 10-15  
7 pm Evening Service  
Wednesday  
7:30 pm - Bible Study and Prayer  
Supper and prayer for babies and small children in all services.  
"An open door to an open book"  
A Bible preaching church with a message for you

### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Wayne Gleason  
421 N. Elm St. Ovid  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
7:00 pm Evening Worship  
7:00 pm Wednesday Prayer meeting

### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

H. E. Rosow Pastor  
8:00 am Worship  
10:00 am Sunday School

### SOUTH HILLY BIBLE CHURCH

Willard Farrier Pastor  
Located 1/2 mile east of Francis Road on Chadwick Road  
10 am Sunday School  
11 am Worship Service

### HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Worship Service 9:30  
Beginning Feb 27 Wednesday  
Lenten Service at 7:30 pm  
Tuesday Directions at Dawn 7 am

### ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner US 27 and Webblod  
Rev. Glenn V. Calvey Jr Vicar  
Residence 689 2907  
Church 669 3967  
First & Third Sundays  
Morning Prayer 9 am  
Second & Fourth Sundays  
Holy Communion 9 am

### VALLEY FARM UNITED PEWTECOSTAL CHURCH

Rev. Neil Bolinger Pastor  
133 E. State Rd  
Phone 889-1706  
9:30 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
7:30 pm Sunday evening Evangelists  
Wednesdays 7:30 pm Youth service  
Thursdays 7:30 pm Bible Study  
We cordially invite you to attend us in all of these services  
Listen to 300 "International broadcast"  
10:30 am WIDA 1580 on your dial

### ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

MINORVILLE  
41 1/2 miles west of St. Johns on M 21  
5 1/2 miles south on Francis Road  
2 1/2 miles west on Church Road  
Marvin L. Barz Pastor  
8:00 am Worship  
10:30 am Worship  
9:45 am Sunday School and Bible Classes  
Holy Communion first Sunday of the month at 10 am third Sunday of the month at 10:30 am

### ST. THOMAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fathers Francis Murray Joseph Droste and Lawrence DeLany  
Rectory 102 W. Randolph Lansing  
Phone 889-9651  
Mass schedule  
Saturdays 7 pm  
Sundays 6:15 8:15 10:15 12:15 4:15 6:15 8:15 10:15 12:15  
Weekdays 8 am 9 am 10 am 11 am 12:15  
3:15 5:15 7:15 8:15 10:15  
Baptism Sundays at 1 pm Please call in advance

### DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Inter-denominational)  
Muri J. Eastman Pastor  
Jim McGowan  
Sunday School Supt.  
Marilyn Krol Co Supt.  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11 am Church  
6 pm Youth Fellowship  
7 pm Sunday Evening Service  
7 pm Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer Meeting

### WESLEYAN HOLINESS CHURCH

127 W. William St. Ovid  
Rev. Richard D. Purchase  
10 am Sunday School and Morning Worship  
Sunday Evening 7:30 pm  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meetings

### OVID AREA

WESLEYAN HOLINESS CHURCH  
127 W. William St. Ovid  
Rev. Richard D. Purchase  
10 am Sunday School and Morning Worship  
Sunday Evening 7:30 pm  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meetings

### COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE

Catholic Church  
Father Jerome Schmitt Pastor  
409 Wilson DeWitt  
Daily Mass Mon and Thurs 7:30 pm  
Tues Wed and Fri 7:00 am  
Sunday Mass 9:00 and 11:15 am  
Services at Middle School DeWitt

### EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH

(Non-Denominational)  
Round Lake Road 1/4 mile East of US 27  
Glen J. Farnham Pastor  
Sunday  
10 am Sunday School Classes for all ages  
11 am - Morning Worship  
5:45 pm Youth Fellowship Senior, 1st and up  
Jei Cadets 10-15  
7 pm Evening Service  
Wednesday  
7:30 pm - Bible Study and Prayer  
Supper and prayer for babies and small children in all services.  
"An open door to an open book"  
A Bible preaching church with a message for you

### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Wayne Gleason  
421 N. Elm St. Ovid  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
7:00 pm Evening Worship  
7:00 pm Wednesday Prayer meeting

### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

H. E. Rosow Pastor  
8:00 am Worship  
10:00 am Sunday School

### Fowler Area

67 PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH  
Fowler Michigan  
H. E. Rosow Pastor  
9:30 am Worship  
10:30 am Sunday School & Bible Class

### MUSTHLY TRINITY CHURCH

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

### Elsie Area

ELsie METHODIST CHURCH  
Rev. David Littlefield Minister  
9:30 am Morning Worship  
10:30 am Sunday School Supt. Merle Baise

### DEPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. David Littlefield Minister  
10 am Sunday School Supt. Kenneth Riger  
11 am Worship Service

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

10 am Sunday School Rev. Cowley Supt  
11 am Worship Service  
6:30 pm Junior & Senior B & F  
7:00 pm Evening Service  
7:30 pm Wednesday Junior and Senior Choir Practice  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study

### DEPLAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

5 miles west of Elsie High School  
565 E. Lyons Road  
Joseph Schmitt Minister  
Bill Nicholson Youth Minister  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11 am Church  
6 pm Youth fellowship and adult bible study  
7 pm Evening Service  
7 pm Wednesday Prayer Meeting

### Bath Area

ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH  
Rev. Thomas J. Konrad Pastor  
PO Box 97 517 E. Main St  
Bath 49807  
Phone 862-2270  
Sunday Liturgies Saturdays 7:00 pm  
Sunday 8:00 and 10:00 am  
Holy Day Liturgies 7:00 am and 8:00 pm  
Confessions - One half hour before all Sunday Liturgies

### WESLEYAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Rev. McBratney Pastor  
Telephone 627-6533 or 489-2807  
10:00 am Morning Worship  
10:30 am Church School  
7:30 pm Wednesday Bible Study and prayer meeting

### WESLEYAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Rev. McBratney Pastor  
Telephone 627-6533 or 489-2807  
10:00 am Morning Worship  
10:30 am Church School  
7:30 pm Wednesday Bible Study and prayer meeting

### WESLEYAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Rev. McBratney Pastor  
Telephone 627-6533 or 489-2807  
10:00 am Morning Worship  
10:30 am Church School  
7:30 pm Wednesday Bible Study and prayer meeting

### Fulton Area

FULTON FELL GOSPEL CHURCH  
1 1/2 mile east of Ferris on M 36 1/2 mile south  
Rev. Ivan Hank Pastor  
9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
7:00 pm Youth Service  
7:45 pm Evening Service  
7:45 pm Thursday Prayer and praise service

### Lansing

KIMBERLY CHURCH OF CHRIST  
1007 Kimberly Drive  
Lansing Michigan  
John Halls  
11 am Morning Worship  
10 am Bible Study  
6 pm Evening Worship  
Midweek Service 7:30 pm Wednesdays night

### Bridgeville Area

BRIDGEVILLE GOSPEL MISSION  
Pastor J. S. Dingman  
Sunday 3 pm Bible School  
3:45 pm Worship Service  
Thursday 7:30 pm Cottage  
Prayer Meeting  
\*Announced from pulpit

### ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Earl C. Caplin Pastor  
Paul Johnson Church School Supt.  
9:45 am Church School 11:00 am Morning Worship 7 pm Evening Service  
Wednesday 7 pm Prayer and Bible Study 8 pm Senior Choir  
OVID-FREE METHODIST CHURCH  
"The church with 'acts 20:20 vision'"  
1100 N. Main St., Ovid  
Rev. Richard Gleason  
Church Phone 824-9900  
Parsonage Phone 824-2473  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
8:00 pm Youth Fellowship  
7:30 pm Wednesday evening Prayer Service  
6:00 pm Teen's Softball every Friday  
HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH  
510 Marshall Road, Ovid  
Fr. Joseph Aulin  
10:30 am - Mass on Sunday  
7:00 pm Evening Mass on Wednesday  
Confessions 10 to 10:30 on Sunday mornings

### Maple Rapids Area

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Maple Rapids  
Pastor Rev. J. Thomas Churn  
Parsonage Middleton  
Phone 226-7742

Sunday  
9:30 am Worship Service  
10:30 am Sunday School

Tuesday  
7:00 pm Senior Choir Practice  
Wednesday  
2nd Wednesday each month  
7:00 pm W.S.C.S.

Thursday  
10:00 Bible Study

### GREENHURST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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

### LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Low and North Lowe Road  
Minister Rev. Harold McGuire  
Sunday School 9:30 am  
Church Worship 10:15 to 11:15  
Choir 8:30 pm Thursdays  
L.M.W. 7:30 and Wed of every month  
Prayer Study Group 10:11

### CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

4105 Maple Ave. Maple Rapids  
Rev. Harold Loodal Pastor  
Phone 662-4165  
10 am Worship Service  
11 am Church School  
1 pm Song Festival (Everyone welcome)  
Wed. Night 8:00 & 7:30 Choir Practice  
Hours Night 8 pm Fellowship Service

### CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

2812 Maplehurst Rd  
Rev. Paul H. Jones Pastor  
Phone 224-7700  
10 am Bible School for everyone  
11 am Morning Worship  
7:30 pm Adult Bible discussions  
Nursery provided during services  
6:30 pm Youth Meetings  
6:45 pm Wednesday Jr. Choir Practice  
Choir 7:30 pm

### Matherton Area

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH  
2:00 pm Sunday School  
6:00 pm Worship Service

### Wacousta Area

WACOUSTA COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Rev. Edward F. Otto pastor  
Morning Worship 10 am  
Church School Classes 11:15 am  
Jr. and Sr. B & F 6:00 pm  
Choir and Youth Choir Wednesdays 8:00 pm  
Thankful hour Thursdays 7:30  
W.S.C.S. Noon Meetings every 1st Wednesday  
W.S.C.S. Noon Meeting every 1st Wednesday  
Council on Ministries every 3rd Monday at 1:30  
Administrative Board 4th Monday of every 3rd month

### Victor Township

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

### St. Johns Co-op

OF ST. JOHNS  
St. Johns-Ovid Pen. and  
Member FDIC  
N Clinton  
Phone 224-2381

### S & H Farm Sales & Service

New Holland Machinery  
Our Specialty  
4 Mi. N. on US-27 to French Rd  
Phone 224-4861

### Egan Ford Sales, Inc.

200 W. Higham  
Phone 224-2285

### D & B Party Shoppe

Open Monday thru Saturday  
Complete Party Supplies  
224 N. Clinton  
Phone 224-3535

### Antes Cleaners

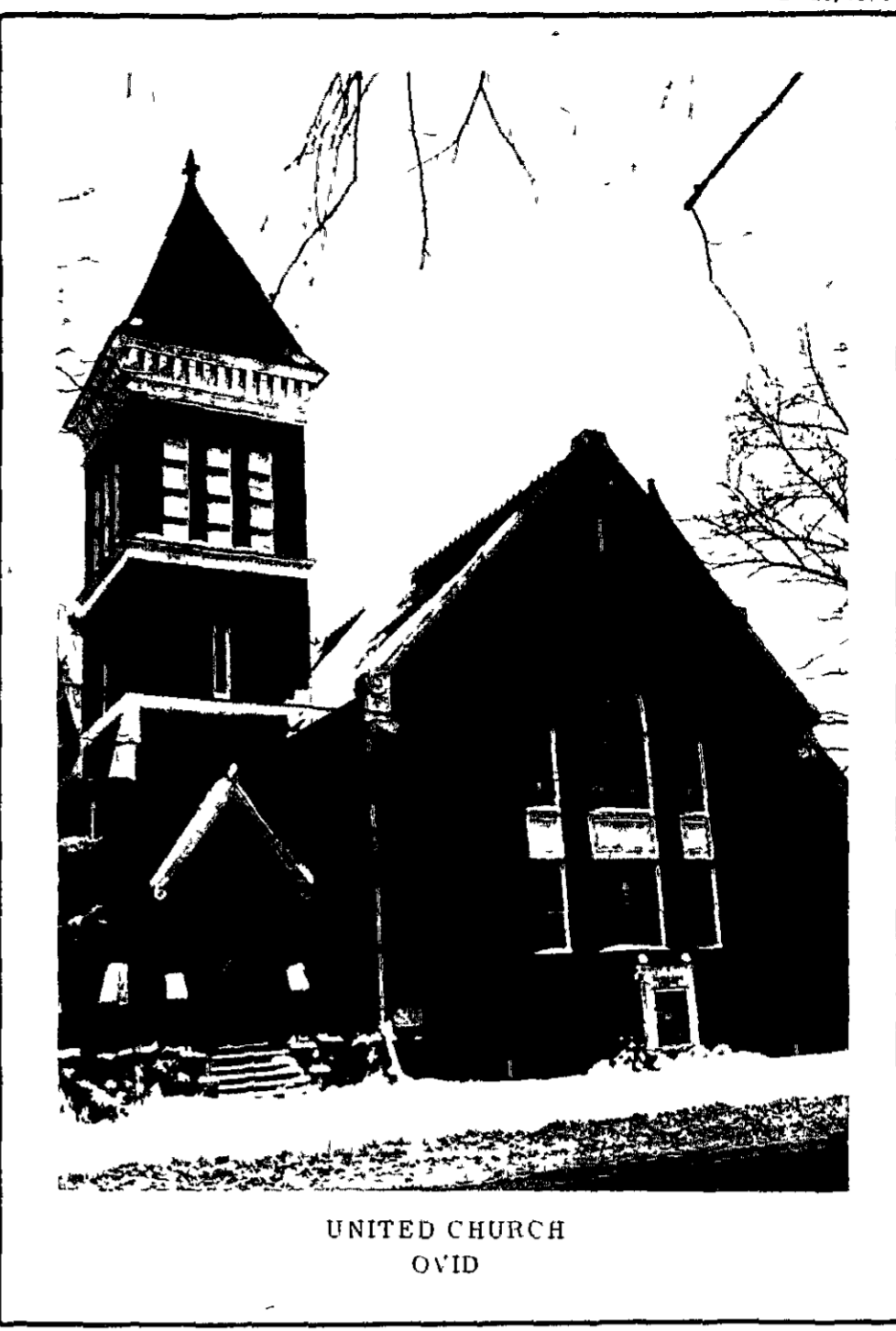
Pickup and Delivery  
108 W. Walker  
Phone 224-4529

### Parr's Rexall Store

The Corner Drug Store  
Phone 224-7837

### Jim McKenzie Agency

212 N. Clinton, St. Johns  
214 W. Washington, Ionia



# Attend the church of your choice this Sunday

## THESE CLINTON COUNTY FIRMS MAKE THIS CHURCH PAGE POSSIBLE

<b>Central Nat'l Bank</b> OF ST. JOHNS St. Johns-Ovid Pen. and Member FDIC	<b>Schmitt Electric</b> 1002 E. State St. Johns Phone 224-4277	<b>St Johns Co-op</b> N Clinton Phone 224-2381
<b>S &amp; H Farm Sales &amp; Service</b> New Holland Machinery Our Specialty		

# Townships have Primary contests



**EDWARD KRAFT**

**TREASURER  
WATERTOWN CHARTER  
TWP**  
Edward H. Kraft, Rep. 13081 Wacousta Rd, Grand Ledge, is an incumbent candidate and has been in office for 12 years. He owns and operates Kraft's Lawn Mower Sales & Service in Wacousta and has been in the area for 29 years. He is past Master of Wacousta F & AM #359 and OES #133. He owned and operated Kraft's General Store in Wacousta for 28 years and has 29 years of bookkeeping experience. He stated his purpose in running is "To serve the citizens of Watertown Charter Twp To help improve our township and make it a better place to reside."



**RICHARD ACKERMAN**

He has an interest in local gov't and has accounting experience and education. In his statement to the County News he added, "The Watertown Twp Board needs a voice that will reflect the needs of Watertown people. Needs that are now lost to the noise from Co Gov't. The present board has not presented a strong case for local needs."



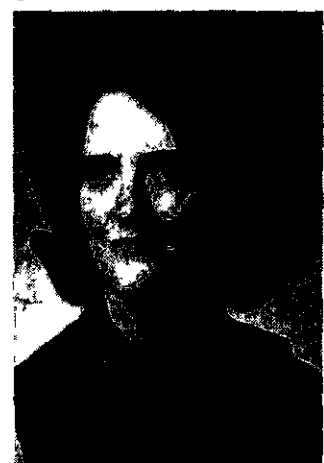
**SYVER THINGSTAD**

has been in office for 8 years. He is a member of the Lansing Rotary, Greater Lansing Chamber of Commerce and St Paul's Episcopal Church. He has stated to the County News that he would like "To attempt to make grass roots government work for the people."

Calvary Baptist Church, Pres of Women's Missionary Soc, Director of Children's Church, is a Farm Bureau Member and member of Eastern Star. She was previously a Girl Scout leader, a 4-H leader and guild Girl counselor. She has done secretarial work and bookkeeping for many varied organizations as well as for employment.

In her statement to the County News she said, "I am running for the office of Olive Twp Clerk because I am very interested in local gov't and I feel that all citizens should take an interest in and participate in their local gov't. I have the time and ability to do the job well."

**CLERK  
OLIVE TWP  
JANET M. BIRNEY**  
Janet M. Birney, Rep. of 325 N Main, Olive, is self-employed. She is 40 years old and has been in the area 6 years. She is a member of the Ovid Business Assoc and Genessee Valley Antique Dealers Assoc. She has been administrative assistant for Mich Assoc of Professions and has been secretary to Director of Sales for an epoxy formulating firm. She has stated that she has a "sincere interest in our community and a desire to contribute to our community gov't."



**MARY BLACK**

**TRUSTEE  
WATERTOWN CHARTER  
TWP**  
WM VAUGHN MONTGOMERY  
Wm Vaughn Montgomery, Rep. of 15285 Grove Rd, Lansing, is an incumbent candidate and has been in office for 1 1/2 years. He is a self-employed farmer and has been in the area for 28 years. He has also held the office of Chairman of Watertown Planning Comm, and is a member of the Delta Mills United Methodist Church and Wacousta Masonic Lodge #359. He says he is running because of "My desire to make a contribution to the community in which I live."

**CLERK  
OLIVE TWP  
NEIL HARTE**  
Neil Harte, Rep. of 2378 W Price Rd, St Johns, is employed as a dairy farmer. He is 52 years of age and has been in the area for 25 years. He has previously been Trustee of Olive Twp and is a member of the Farm Bureau and was chairman of Dist 6 MMPA. He served as trustee for 10 years and is a former School Board Director.

**CLERK  
OLIVE TWP  
DORIS MAE COOK**  
Doris Mae Cook (Mrs David L) Cook, Rep. of 10408 Bond Rd, DeWitt has been in the area for 5 years. She has been a Precinct Delegate and is a member of the

ative of Clark-Chandler Farm Bureau in Clinton Co; Farm Bureau Queen contest for 2 yrs; Clinton Co Farm Bureau Queen and semi-finalist in State Farm Bureau Queen Contest.

She has a desire to help all in the community and is willing to meet with individuals or groups to discuss their wants and needs.

In her statement she said, "I'm running because I feel it is time to pay attention to the needs of the entire community, and because I feel that I can help represent those who otherwise may not have a voice on the board. In the years I have lived here, many changes, not all for the good, have taken place. The once strong sense of pride in the community has deteriorated, and the individuality of our area is threatened by the encroachment of the metropolitan area. I want to see Bath maintain its semi-rural atmosphere, protect its farms and open areas from the pressures of developers, and become once again a community of people working together to preserve the small-town values for which most of them came here in the first place. Progress, too, is important, but not at the expense of everything we now have. We must think of tomorrow, and also of preserving what we have before we become just another faceless suburb."

**TRUSTEE  
BATH CHARTER TWP  
RICHARD L MORRILL**  
Richard L. Morrill, Rep. of 3226 County Line Rd, East Lansing, has spent all 45 years of his life in the area. He is employed by Halmich Sud Nurseries and was previously a self-employed farmer in Bath Charter Twp. He has had 8 years of experience in Twp government. He has been on the Police and Fire committee for several years and has a general interest in the community and the people in it. In his statement he said, "Am interested in all aspects of the community. Participating in policy-making for the betterment of our area, in the past, has been a rewarding part of my life and I feel there is more to accomplish in the future."

**TRUSTEE  
BATH CHARTER TWP  
MARY LOUISE BLACK**  
Mary Louise Black, Rep. is 27 years old and resides at 4147 E Howe Rd, Bath. She is employed at the MSU Library and has been in the area for 22 years. She is a member of the Emanuel First Lutheran Church; Lutheran Collegians; local and nat'l Phi-Kappa-Lambda 'Nat'l Music Honorary', Opera Guild of Greater Lansing, represen-



**JAMES CHURCH**

**TRUSTEE  
BATH CHARTER TWP  
JAMES A CHURCH**  
James A Church, Rep. of 6901 Clark Rd, Bath is employed by Jet Die and Eng in Lansing. He is 35 years of age and has been in the area for 12 years. He is a Deacon at the Bath Baptist Church and is a member of the Bath Twp Fire Dept.

**INSURANCE FOR EVERY NEED!**  
HOME FARM BUSINESS AUTO  
**LANTERMAN INSURANCE**  
200 W. State St. Johns, PHONE 224 7614 BRUCE LANTERMAN

**•ROOFING**  
**•EAVESTROUGHING**  
**•CEMENT WORK**  
**•EXTERIOR PAINTING**  
Call for FREE ESTIMATES  
Long Distance Callers May Call Collect...  
**ROSS BRADLEY CONTRACTOR**  
9320 Oakdale Drive  
ROUND LAKE  
Phone 651-6459

**VOTE AUG. 6**  
Dist. No. 2  
**COMMISSIONER**  
**WALTER G. NOBIS**

**CLUB ROMA** ROUND LAKE  
Fri. Aug. 2 **MUSIC BY**  
**DAV AL LOYD TRIO** 9:30  
1:30  
Sat. Aug. 3 **MUSIC BY**  
**NOVED FOUR** 10:00  
2:00  
Sun. Aug. 4 **MUSIC BY**  
**BENIFIT DANCE**  
8 OR MORE BANDS  
MUSIC STARTS AT 2 UNITS  
FOR RESERVATIONS CALL 651-5308

**A MAN YOU CAN TRUST...**  
**POWELL**  
STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
**ACTED on:**  
ROADS - Opposed moves to divert money needed for our County and Local Roads to other uses.  
AGRICULTURE - Led efforts to pass farm tax credit legislation.  
SALES TAXES - Supported legislation to give tax credit to offset sales tax paid on food and drugs.  
TAX RELIEF - Supported \$384 million tax cut program.  
ATTENDANCE - 2nd best in House of Representatives.  
**RE-ELECT STANLEY M. POWELL**  
FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE - AUGUST 6

**A man of reason, maturity, and experience.**

**What Others Say About Doug Trezise**  
Doug Trezise is his own man. Independent, honest and forthright. I respect him for that. It's a rare thing to have a man of his capacity, his integrity and his honesty.

**Governor William G. Milliken**  
I've always been impressed with Doug's diligent effort on behalf of those he has served. The 87th District is fortunate indeed to have his able representation and leadership.

**Congressman Charles Chamberlain**  
Someone who stands out in the field of government and politics.

**Lt. Governor James Brickley**  
He has been a truly outstanding legislator and is eminently qualified to serve ably as a State Senator.

**Stanley M. Powell, State Representative 88th District**  
I want to express my high regard for your work representing the people.

**Congressman Al Cederberg**  
Mr. Douglas Trezise is a candidate for the Senate. Throughout his service on Taxation he has been diligent in his attendance and effective in perfecting the legislation before the committee. His experience and common sense will be missed on this side, although these qualities can be useful in the Senate, of course, I am sorry to see him go.

**George Montgomery State Representative Democrat Chairman House Taxation Committee**

**elect DOUG TREZISE State Senator**

Introducing **BlocBond** the new mortarless system

**BlocBond helps the Mason compete with poured-in-place and tilt-up walls.**

**BlocBond** allows you to build, with speed and economy, strong, water-resistant finished wall surfaces that are ready to paint.

**BlocBond** carries major code approvals\*\* for above- and below-grade, load and non-load bearing, residential and commercial walls.

**BlocBond** has been tested for structural and wind-driven rain properties by the National Concrete Masonry Association.

**BlocBond** can be trowelled to a smooth or textured finished surface that requires less paint than conventional block walls.

**BlocBond\***  
A faster way to build strong walls  
**BlocBond** is a new masonry product that will save you time  
**BlocBond** is easy to work with, eliminating mortar above the first course  
**BlocBond** is a mortar mix composed of strong alkali-resistant glass fibers, hydrated lime, portland cement and a water-resistant agent

**HOW TO BUILD A STRONG, MORTARLESS WALL**  
**BlocBond** comes in 80-lb bags, ready to mix with four gallons of water in an ordinary mortar mixer. Standard concrete blocks are dry-stacked in a running bond pattern to the desired wall height, length and configuration. Wet down the wall; then trowel a 1/8"-thick layer of **BlocBond** onto the interior and exterior wall surfaces, and that's it.

**BlocBond**  
Builds Strong Walls... See for yourself at...  
**KARBER BLOCK CO.**  
"Radio Dispatch Service"  
READY MIX-SAND-GRAVEL-BLACK DIRT-MORTAR SAND  
PHONE 224-2327 ST. JOHNS

**Township races**



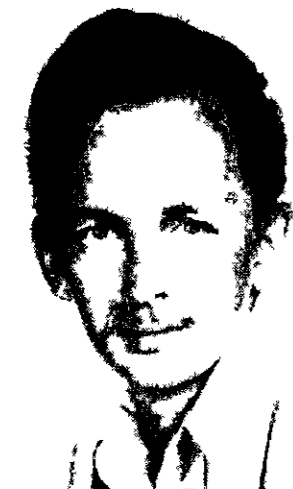
**ALLEN ROSEKRANS**  
 TRUSTEE  
 BATH CHARTER TWP  
 ALLEN L. ROSEKRANS  
 Allen L. Rosekrans, Dem, is 31 years of age and resides at 13964 Upton Rd, Bath.  
 He is self employed as a barber and has been in the area for 26 years.  
 He stated that he is a "concerned citizen and voter."

the Mich and Nat'l Assoc of School Boards and the Mich Assoc of Chiefs of Police.  
 He is educated in business and property valuations and is knowledgeable in the operations of DeWitt Twp.  
 In his statement to the County News he said, "I intend to build good communication channels between DeWitt Twp and Clinton Co as well as other gov'ts."  
 "I intend to communicate with the residents of DeWitt Twp."  
 "I intend to streamline the financial operations of the Twp to save taxpayers money."



**MARJORIE DZIUBAU**

CLERK  
 DEWITT TWP  
 MARJORIE D. DZIUBAU  
 Marjorie D. Dziubau, Rep, of 860 E State Rd Lansing, is employed by the Mich League for Human Services.  
 She is 52 years of age and has been in the area for 21 years.  
 She is a member of the St Therese Parish, Treasurer of Local Boy Scout organization, and is a member of the St Ann Society.  
 In her statement to the County News she said, "I would like to respond to the wants, and needs of the people of this community."



**ROBERT BRIGGS, JR**

TRUSTEE  
 BATH CHARTER TWP  
 ROBERT L. BRIGGS, JR  
 Robert L. Briggs, Jr, is a Dem residing at 5204 Drumheller Rd, Bath.  
 He is 28 years old and is employed by University Olds.  
 In his statement to the County News he said he would like "to be able to give the community good fair representation at township affairs."

CLERK  
 DEWITT TWP  
 DONNA B. SYVERSON  
 Donna B. Syverson, Rep, of 886 Alvin Place Lansing, is an incumbent candidate and has been in office for 5 years.  
 She is employed by DeWitt Twp and has been in the area 11 years.  
 She has stated, "I believe that I can continue to work in the best interests of the people of DeWitt Twp. Since I have been Twp Clerk I have improved the election operation, instituted Uniform Accounting and voted to upgrade many of the Twp roads, improved sewer billings and establish the Twp Park."

SUPERVISOR  
 DEWITT TWP  
 DALE S. EMERSON  
 Dale S. Emerson, Rep, age 29, resides at 15158 Chetwyn, Lansing, and is an incumbent candidate who has held office for 2 years.  
 Employed by DeWitt Twp, he has been in the area all of his life. He has had 2 years experience and has an education in business and finance and economics.  
 In his statement to the County News he said, "I am running for the purpose of serving the citizens of DeWitt Twp, I would like to continue the fight for lower taxes and lower sewer rates. Also to continue the fight for honest government."

SUPERVISOR  
 DEWITT TWP  
 BRUCE E. ANGELL II  
 Bruce E. Angell II, Rep, resides at 2210 Clark Rd, Bath.

SUPERVISOR  
 DEWITT TWP  
 BRUCE E. ANGELL II  
 Bruce E. Angell II, Rep, resides at 2210 Clark Rd, Bath.



**BRUCE WOMACK**

TRUSTEE  
 DEWITT TWP  
 BRUCE D. WOMACK  
 Bruce D. Womack, Rep, of 3463 Twilight Lane, Lansing, is a self-employed real estate broker.  
 He is 33 years old and has been in the area for 7 years.

He is a member of the Masonic, Moose and Greater Lansing Board of Realtors.

In his statement he said, "My purpose of wanting to become trustee for DeWitt Twp is I feel that the residents and tax payers should have a representative that is willing to give them the assistance to solve and receive answers to questions and problems, and a trustee that will be the voice of the residents, voting on matters within the township as the residents desire."

**VOTE AUG. 6**

Dist. No. 2  
**COMMISSIONER**

**WALTER G. NOBIS**

**CASH AND CARRY SPECIAL**

Particle Board **\$365** Sheet  
 4 x 8 x 5/8

WE'RE OPEN MON. thru SAT. 8-5 p.m.  
 TO SERVE YOUR BUILDING NEEDS



**CHAMBERLAIN BUILDING SUPPLY AND NURSERY**

PHONE 834-2300

PHONE 834-5388

**St Johns Summer Rec**

With Dean Eisler, recreation director

**HOT DOG ROAST-KIDS' DAY** Amer Leg 5 1  
**8TH AND FINAL WEEK** Gen Telephone 4 3  
 Hettlers 3 3  
 WRBJ 3 3  
 VFW 2 5  
 Nicks 1 5  
 C'House 1 6  
 City 0 6

A 50 cent charge is attached to all participants to pay for trophies and refreshments.  
 Monday, Aug 5  
 All who wish to take part are to call 224-3213 to sign up before 7:30 Moore Oil vs Clin Nat  
 August 8 at 5:00 There will be trophies for first and runner-up positions.  
 Tuesday  
 The tourney starts at 10 am and will be played on the horse-shoe courts in the main city park. See you there.  
 6:00 Dry Dock vs EJ's  
 7:30 Moore Oil vs Clin Nat  
 9:00 R House vs O'Connors

Wednesday  
 6:00 Hettlers vs City  
 7:30 Gen Tel vs Sillmans  
 9:00 WRBJ vs Cen Nat

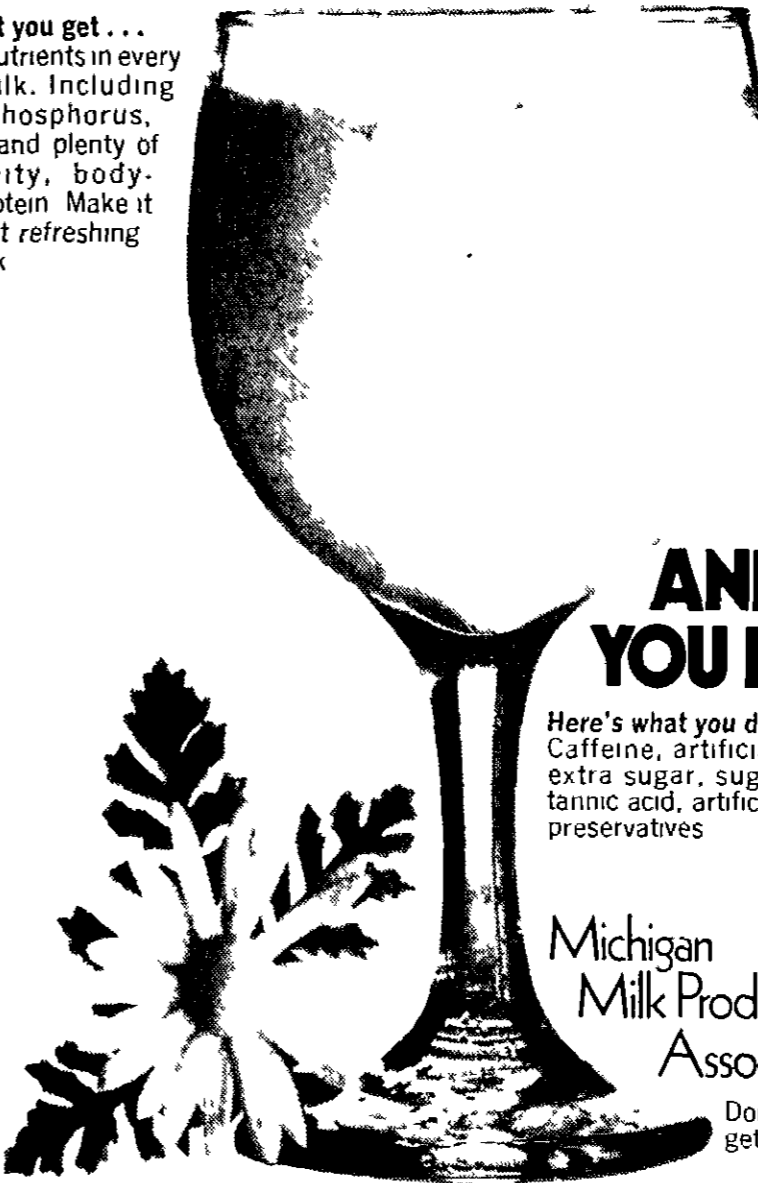
Thursday  
 6:00 Nicks M vs C'House  
 7:30 Hub Tire vs Amer Leg  
 9:00 EJ's vs Brunos

WOMENS SOFTBALL  
 [Thru July 26]  
 Team W L  
 Clin Nat Owls 4 0  
 Has beans 3 1  
 Red Hots 2 2  
 Rookies 1 3  
 Splints & Linaments 0 4

Schedule for 6-8 Aug  
 Tuesday  
 6:00 Clin Nat Owls vs Splints & Linaments  
 Thursday  
 6:00 Red Hots vs Has Beans

**DRINK MILK FOR WHAT YOU GET...**

Here's what you get...  
 Eighty-six nutrients in every drop of milk. Including calcium, phosphorus, vitamin A, and plenty of high-quality, body-building protein. Make it fun. Make it refreshing. Make it milk.



**AND WHAT YOU DON'T GET!**

Here's what you don't get...  
 Caffeine, artificial carbonation, extra sugar, sugar substitutes, tannic acid, artificial flavoring and preservatives.

Michigan Milk Producers Association

Don't run short get enough milk for the weekend

**CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK**

has a savings plan to fit your financial plans

**7 1/4%**

Now...no bank pays a higher rate of interest on savings than **CENTRAL NATIONAL**

On Savings Certificates with a maturity of four years in amounts of \$1,000 or more

**6 1/2%**

On Savings Certificates with a maturity of two-and-a-half, three or three-and-a-half years in amounts of \$500 or more.

**6%**

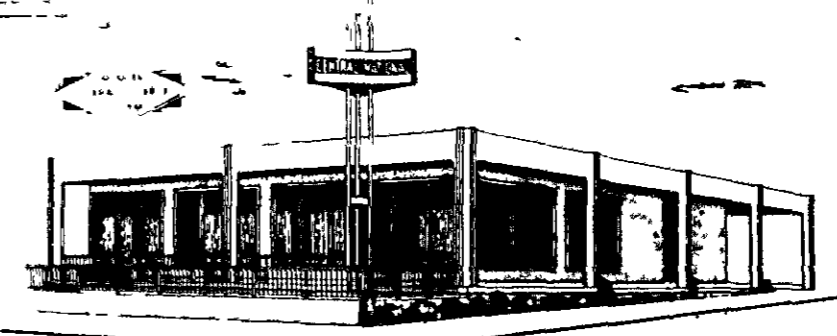
On Savings Certificates with a maturity of one, one-and-a-half or two years in amounts of \$500 or more.

**5 1/2%**

On V.I.P. Passbook Time Deposits maturing every calendar quarter. You can open one for as little as \$100, and additional deposits can be made in amounts of \$100 or more.

You can withdraw your money at any time, however, in accordance with federal regulations on all certificate accounts, a substantial interest penalty is required for early withdrawals.

"The Friendly Folks You Can Bank On"



**CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK**

SERVING THE CLINTON AREA FROM FOUR CONVENIENT LOCATIONS

OVID Branch Office

PEWAMO Branch Office

ST. JOHNS Main Office  
 201 E. Walker

ST. JOHNS BRANCH  
 Southgate Plaza

## Clinton Area Obituaries

### Robert R. Wagner

ST JOHNS -- Robert R. Wagner, 60, of 1595 Avery Rd died Saturday, July 27 in Marion, Mich. Funeral services were held July 30 at Fosnaught Funeral Home with burial in Greenwood Cemetery.

He was born in Eureka on Oct 11, 1913. He was employed by the St Johns Public Schools. Survivors include 1 daughter, Mrs Raymond (Karen) Fleischer of St Johns; 2 sons, Terry L. of Marion and Robert

of Lansing; his father, Floyd Wagner of Williamston; 3 sisters, Mrs Crystal Franks of Williamston, Mrs Katherine Mead of Elsie, and Mrs Wilma Gillespie of Flint, 2 brothers, Ward of Lingsburg and Cecil Davis of Lansing; and 9 grandchildren.

### SHARON'S SHOE SHACK

501 North Clinton St. St. Johns

- Women's Shoes \$3.00 pair 2 pair \$5.00
- Men's Shoes \$4.00 pair 2 pair \$7.00
- Children's Shoes \$2.00 and \$3.00 pair

Come in and look around . . . weekly shipments of name brand shoes

Open daily 9 to 5:30  
Friday 9 to 9

# LETT'S ELECT JUDGE LETT'S

To The Court of Appeals

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT

### Constance C. Ulrich

FOWLER -- Constance C. Ulrich, 41, of 10813 E. Second St, died July 27 at Ionia Manor following a long illness. Services were held at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church on Tuesday, July 30 with Rev Fr Albert Schmitt officiating. Burial was in Holy Trinity Cemetery.

She was born in Fowler on June 21, 1933, the daughter of Peter and Irene (Fines) Ulrich. She resided all of her life in Fowler and was a member of Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

She is survived by her mother, 3 sisters, Mrs Angela Kerkmaz of Harper Woods, Sister Teresa Ulrich of Wice, and Mrs Viola St Johns of Fla; and 2 brothers, Joseph and Paul, both of Fowler

### Jacques F. Calder

Baby Jacques Francois Calder died July 27 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were held Tuesday, July 30 at St Joseph Catholic Church, with Fr William Hanked officiating. Burial was in Mt Rest Cemetery. Prayer services were held at the Osgood Funeral Home.

He was born in St Johns on July 27, 1974, the son of Dale and Mary (Ganiard) Calder.

Survivors include his parents; grandparents, Mr and Mrs Leo Calder of St Johns and Mr and Mrs Hayes Ganiard of Clark Lake, Mich; and his great-grandmother, Mrs Bernard Davies of Jackson.

### Zeila Cook

Funeral services were held Friday July 19 from the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie for Mrs Zeila Cook, 90, 520 E Main St., with the Rev Charles Cowley officiating and burial made in Riverside Cemetery.

Mrs Cook died Wednesday July 17 at the Shiawassee Co Medical Care Facility after an illness of 3 months. The family had asked that memorial funds be sent to the Elsie Public

Library. Mrs Cook was born in Olney, Ill., on Sept 26, 1883, the daughter of John and Margaret Elston. She resided in the Elsie area since 1915.

On August 13, 1905, she married Ezra Cook in Sadorous, Ill. Mr Cook died in 1952.

Survivors include: 3 daughters, Margaret Walter of Henderson, Mrs Emma Baker of Lansing and Mrs Blanch Goodrich of Swartz Creek; 6 sons, Frank of Bancroft, Harold of Houghton Lake, George of Henderson, Ernest of Ovid, Willis of Santa Rosa, Calif, and Kenneth of Lansing; 21 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren, 1 great-great-grandchild; 1 sister, Mrs Bessie Wilhite of Olney; 2 brothers, Arthur Elston of Howell, Valentine Elston of Fort Worth, Texas.

### Walter Siple

DEWITT -- Walter G. Siple, 80, of 3380 Round Lake Rd, died Tuesday July 30 at his home. Funeral services were held at the Lee R. Rummel Funeral Home on Friday Aug 2 at 2 pm. Burial was in Wiley Cemetery.

He was born in Okemos on Feb 22, 1894, the son of William and Whemina Siple. He married Eleanor Hempstead in St Johns on Oct 24, 1930. He resided in Olive Twp most of his life.

Survivors include his wife, 1 daughter, Mrs Leona Ream of DeWitt; 1 son, Victor, at home; 1 brother, Adolph of DeWitt, and 2 grandchildren.

He was a Veteran of WWI

### Edna Schavey

MAPLE RAPIDS -- Edna V Schavey, 84, of 220 E Union St, died July 29 at Carson City Hospital. Funeral services were held at the Osgood Funeral Home on Thursday, Aug 1 with Rev Francis Johannides officiating. Burial was in DeWitt Cemetery.

She was born in St Johns on May 4, 1890, the son of Frank and Emma (Krepps) Bartlett. She married Frederick E Schavey in DeWitt on Feb 25, 1914.

She is survived by 2 sons, Gaylord of DeWitt and Lewis of St Johns, and 4 daughters, Mrs Vera S Ward of Traverse City, Viola Overfield of Tonawanda, NY, Mrs Mabel Beck of Maple Rapids, and Mrs Mildred Roof of DuPlain Twp



Eloise Pease

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

She was born in St Johns on Sept 15, 1910, the daughter of Ray and Anna (Estes) Thurston. She married Gifford Pease in St Johns. She was a member of the First Congregational Church, Blue Star Mothers and Hospital Aux.

She is survived by her husband, 2 sons, Raymond of Grayling and Don of St Johns, 1 daughter, Ellen Griffin of Elsie, her mother, Mrs Anna Pierson of St Johns; 3 brothers, Carl and George, both of St Johns, and Albin of Mendon, and 1 sister, Helen Woods.

### Norman Thornton

ELSIE -- Funeral services for Norman Thornton, 76, of 9008 Meridian Rd, were held Saturday, July 27 at the Carter Funeral Home with Rev Charles Cowley officiating and burial in Ford Cemetery.

Mr Thornton passed away suddenly at his home Wednesday evening. He was born July 7, 1898 in Lake Co, the son of Alexander and Catherine Thornton. He has resided in the Elsie area for 55 years. His life work was farming.

He and the former Mary Elizabeth Phyllis were married March 21, 1921 in Corunna. She died in Sept 1966. Surviving are 1 daughter, Mrs Grace Yerrick of Vernon, 6

sons, Francis at home, Cleon and Max of Elsie, Ivan of Alpena, Irwin of Owosso and Harvey of St Johns; 1 brother, Lewis of Troy; 24 grandchildren; and 7 great-grandchildren.

### Powell

(From Front Page)

of current problems and with legislative procedure. Also I have a wide acquaintance with public officials and with the leaders of many organizations of citizens.

As his purpose for running, he said, "I feel that my experience and my record indicate that I am exceptionally well qualified to serve as State Rep from the 88th Dist. For many years I was the Legislative Counsel and Director of Public Affairs for the Mich Farm Bureau which brought me into constant contact with legislative issues, procedure and personnel. During those years I was appointed to a great many committees, boards, commissions, councils, etc dealing with a great variety of problems such as education, highways, welfare, traffic safety, federal aid, etc. Doing my service as delegate to the Constitutional Convention and during the 12 years that I have served as State Rep, I have an almost perfect record of attendance at committee meetings and daily sessions and I believe I have the second best record of all members of the Legislature in regard to the number of record roll calls on which I have voted. For instance, during 1973 and thus far in 1974, out of over 2,000 record roll calls, I have missed only 2 and those were when I responded to an invitation from Gov Milliken to witness the signing in his office of an important bill which I have sponsored. My familiarity with the setup of our State Gov't and my acquaintance with public officials helps me to respond to many requests for assistance which come to me from my constituents on a great variety of problems. My seniority in the House gives me prestige and influence which can only be acquired through extended service as a Legislator."

### Ebert

(From Front Page)

Executive Comm, Lansing Chapter of the Mich Credit Union League; is a member of the Credit Union Execs Society and member of the Board of Control, St Johns Exchange Club.

He has experience in city government and working with citizens from all walks of life; has the maturity to appreciate the concerns of today's youth and senior citizens; he has always been responsive to the citizens of St Johns and he has always taken his responsibilities seriously.

Ebert has stated to the County News, "Under today's legislative demands, it's going to take a young, dedicated person to fulfill the needs of the people in the 88th district. I have the background, desire and drive to fulfill those needs. "A Representative should be experienced in government, in business and community service, as well as in home and family life. "I was the first candidate to announce plans to run in the 88th district, and if elected I will resign my position as General Manager of the Credit Union to handle the House of Representative job full time."

have worked with people of all walks of life and have a proven record of stimulating people into action and successful endeavors, I truly enjoy working and helping people. I pledge honesty and energy to the task of representing all the people square and on the level."

### Fox

(From Front Page)

He has 18 years of management experience in industry and is a trustee on Employee Income Protection Plan - Federal Mogul United Fund Campaign Service.

In his statement he said, "Concerned about the continuation of excessive state spending programs - wish to promote need for economy in government, question why state employee payrolls (number of employees) have increased at more than 2 1/2 times the state population growth in the last 10 years. Concerned about trips by state politicians at taxpayers expense. Support the outlawing of abortion and tighter controls of pornography. Concerned about the mis-allocation of state welfare funds."

### R. E. BENSON

PLUMBING

&

HEATING

106 N. Clinton

St. Johns

Phone 224-7033

2 MASTER

PLUMBERS

American-Standard  
Plumbing, Hot Water  
Heating

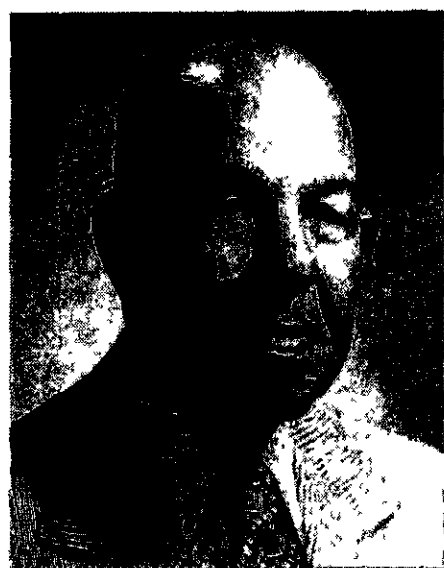
Lennox Warm Air  
Heating and Air  
Conditioning

CUSTOM SHEET  
METAL SHOP

52 Years Same Address

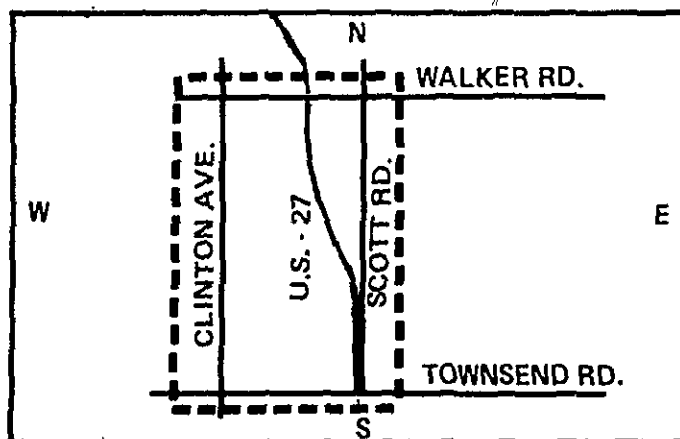
# RE-ELECT DON GILSON

Republican  
CLINTON COUNTY  
COMMISSIONER  
5th District



1st, 4th and 5th Precincts

MAP SHOWING 5th DISTRICT



The 5th District Extends East of Clinton Ave. to Scott Rd., North to Walker Rd., South to Townsend Rd.

- PRESENTLY VICE-CHAIRMAN OF CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
- CHAIRMAN OF GOVERNMENT AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE
- ALSO SERVING ON NUMEROUS OTHER BOARDS AND COMMITTEES IN THE TRI-COUNTY AREA

Your Support Will Be Appreciated  
At The August 6th Primary

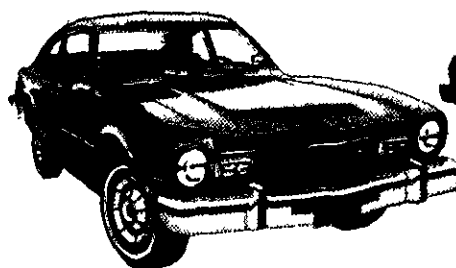
Pol. Adv.

Now, Your Ford Dealer's  
late-late Show presents

# SUMMER OF '74 SAVINGS

Want a great small car  
at clearance prices?  
Ford is now producing more small cars  
than ever before.

That means better selection and prices  
that may never be this low again.



**FORD MAVERICK**  
The family compact has an outstanding reputation for economy. With a standard 200-cubic-inch 6-cylinder engine that's easy to service and easy on gas.



**FORD MUSTANG II**  
The right car at the right time. It's smaller than last year's Mustang. Redesigned to give you luxury, comfort, and economy in one small package. You get many standard features at a surprisingly low base sticker price.



**FORD PINTO**  
America's basic economy car. Get back to basics with Pinto's thrifty 200-cc, 4-cylinder engine. With standard equipment like front disc brakes and rack and pinion steering. It's America's sensible economy car.

Clearance savings now  
at your Ford Dealer's  
late-late Show.



## New type of rustler wrangles copper wire

JACKSON - There is a new type of rustling going on throughout this state. Utilities report that theft of copper wire from electric and communications lines is increasing, causing financial loss to the electric companies and railroads, interruption of service to customers, and possible serious injury to the unsuspecting rustler who comes in contact with an energized line.

Property protection officials from Consumers Power Company, The Detroit Edison Company, Michigan Bell Telephone Company, General Telephone Company and railroads throughout the state have met with law enforcement agencies to lend assistance for the arrest and conviction of individuals responsible for the thefts.

The frequency of copper larceny has shown a marked increase in the past year due largely to the higher prices of the wire in the copper market. Copper now sells from between 80¢ - \$1 per pound.

The utility loses the value of

wire stolen and makes substantial expenditures to restore service to the affected area. The financial picture doesn't include the inconvenience to the customer who finds his home without power or communication because of the wire theft.

Many of the copper thefts are occurring in sparsely populated areas. In these cases, the thief cuts down the distribution lines and in some instances even takes wire leading from a utility pole into a cabin.

Another type of theft involves electric transformers being removed from a pole, construction site or storage yard. The thief normally will strip the quantity of copper windings inside the transformer case and leave the rest of the unit, now useless, behind.

could be "shocking" experience

Theft of copper line is not without danger. If the unsuspecting thief makes contact with an energized overhead line or transformer, electrocution could result. Metal wire cutters

that touch a live line will conduct the current into whoever is holding the shears.

Cooperation between utilities and police agencies has increased the arrest rate of the copper clippers. Utilities have monitors that allow them to immediately inform law enforcement agencies whenever an interruption of service has been caused by a broken circuit believed to be the result of a cut line. Wire rustlers, trying to collect hundreds of feet of line at one time have been surprised on the job by an officer tipped off by the utility that service in the vicinity was interrupted.

Arrests of these illegal linesmen have been made through citizen assistance. State law requires that scrap metal dealers keep up to date records of all purchases and sales of copper. Dealers are requested to notify police agencies about sales of any large amount of copper wire. One copper wire thief was apprehended when police received a call complaining

(CONTINUED ON PAGE 2B)



Secretary of State Richard H. Austin displays a new license plate design for 1976, a red, white and blue symbol of Michigan's role in the United States Bicentennial Celebration. The "Old Glory" plate features white letters on a red background with 4 white stars on a blue field of 2 wavy ribbons of white across the bottom. The symbolism incorporates the national flag, the bicentennial symbol and reminders of Michigan's role in American history. The 4 stars can be viewed as representing the 4 flags, French, British, Spanish and US which have flown over the state.

## United Way increases goal

LANSING - The board of directors of Capital Area United Way accepted the recommendation of its goal setting committee Tuesday and set the 1974 United Way campaign goal at \$2,396,500, a 6.6% increase over the amount raised in last fall's drive.

The committee, comprised of representatives of business, campaign leaders, board members, labor leaders and economists, based its recommendation on preliminary budget requests from United Way agencies and on an overall examination of economic trends in the community.

Its findings were that a 6.6% increase is the minimum required to keep pace with inflation and to insure continuity of agency services.

Philip J. Gannon, volunteer chairman of the campaign, said that the goal is achievable and that he and the hundreds of campaign volunteers were already hard at work.

"We are at a crucial crossroads for independent giving," Gannon said. "The opportunity for our community to express its interest in and show financial support for helping others is there—we can take advantage of it."

Capital Area United Way agencies have probably been affected more by inflation than

most segments of business or government," he said.

"We can combat its effects by meeting our goal."

Gannon said the campaign will focus on segments of the community which have a greater percentage of higher salaried people, specifically employees in government and education. Professionals and employees of social agencies will also be given special campaign attention.

"We expect there will be six to eight thousand fewer employees in industry and business this year," Gannon said. "Our hope is to bring this to the attention of the community and to gain significant support from employee groups which have the greatest potentials for increased giving."

"I hope we will also be able to impress on people the fact that

due to high unemployment the needs for funds by United Way agencies will be even more pressing this year," Gannon said.

The 1974 United Way campaign is scheduled to begin Oct 2, with earlier starts in selected areas. The campaign in the building trades industry will begin July 29.

Funds raised by Capital Area United Way are allocated to 19 local service agencies including the American Red Cross, Boy and Girl Scouts, Volunteers of America, the Salvation Army, Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Lansing, the Boys' Club, and the Y's and a host of other youth, family, social service and health agencies, and to 23 state and national services supported through the United Way of Michigan.

### Pewamo

Mr and Mrs Gerald Cook and daughters, Bonita and Marie, and Mrs Richard F Reysnyder of Pennell, Penn were Friday afternoon and summer guests of their mother, Mrs Anna E Cook.

Mrs Dorothy Parks called on Mr and Mrs Lauren Parks and family and Mr and Mrs Alden Kirvan and family of Maple Rapids July 11. Mrs Dorothy Parks called on Mr and Mrs Lawrence Parks and family of

Lyons July 15. Mrs Barbara Alexander left Saturday to spend the weekend with her daughter. Mr and Mrs Owen Feldpausch of St Johns.

**VOTE AUG. 6**  
Dist. No. 2  
**COMMISSIONER**  
**WALTER G. NOBIS**

ACTUAL USE REPORT		(4)
GENERAL REVENUE SHARING		
The General Revenue Sharing provides federal funds directly to local and state governments. Your government must submit this report annually showing how these funds have been used or obligated during the year from July 1, 1973 thru June 30, 1974. Try to fulfill your government's priorities and to encourage your participation in decisions on how future funds should be spent.		
ACTUAL EXPENDITURES		
CATEGORY (A)	CAPITAL FBI	OPERATING MAINTENANCE
1 PUBLIC SAFETY	\$ 3087	\$
2 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	\$	\$
3 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$	\$ 4691
4 HEALTH	\$	\$
5 RECREATION	\$	\$
6 URBAN AREAS	\$	\$
7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR DISCAPABILITIES	\$	\$
8 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	\$
9 MULTIPURPOSE AND GENERAL GOVT	\$	\$
10 EDUCATION	\$	\$
11 SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
12 HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
13 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$
14 OTHER	\$	\$
15 TOTALS	\$ 3087	\$ 4691
NONDISCRETIONARY REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET		
SEE CERTIFICATION 1 which lists the Civil Service Officers and with respect to the anti-trust funds reported herein 1 certify that they have not been used in violation of rules of the agency, non-discretionary requirement Section 1001 of the Michigan Funds Production Section 1001 of the		
Walter J. Thelen 7-25-74 Signature of Chief Executive		
Date		
Walter J. Thelen, Township Supervisor, Westphalia Mich.		
Signature of Chief Executive		
Date		
And they are open to public scrutiny at 14051 Maple St. Westphalia Mich.		
THE GOVERNMENT OF MICHIGAN		
has received General Revenue Sharing payments totaling \$5,300 during the period from July 1, 1973 thru June 30, 1974.		
ACCOUNT NO. 25 2 015 016		
HEALTHY TOWNSHIP		
TOWNSHIP TREASURER		
CLINTON COUNTY		
HEALTHY TOWNSHIP WITH 48884		
VOTER FUND REPORT		
(1) Balance as of June 30 1973	\$	3327
(2) Revenue Sharing Funds Received from July 1 1973 through June 30 1974	\$	8302
(3) Transfer Balance	\$	95
(4) Total Funds Available	\$	11715
(5) Total Amount Expended	\$	7778
(6) Balance as of June 30 1974	\$	3937
(7) This report shall have been prepared after a complete copy of the report has been published in a local newspaper of general circulation. I have records documenting the contents of the report and they are open to public scrutiny at 14051 Maple St. Westphalia Mich.		

### Fowler

Mr and Mrs Charlie Boak and grandchildren, Timmy and Danny Boak, and Mrs Lula Boak attended the Boak and Wakefield reunion Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs Clare Boak and family near DeWitt. Surprise guests at the reunion were Mr and Mrs George Bohn and Mrs Leonard Carlson of Youngstown, Ohio. Daughters of the late Mr and Mrs Ernie Boak. About 50 people attended.

The community wishes to express sympathy to the families, relatives and friends of Augusta Wieber who died in California. Funeral services were held at Holy Trinity Church in Fowler Monday.

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

## For the price of peanuts.



Fill Your Bag With

### 1. UNLIMITED CHECK WRITING... NO MINIMUM BALANCE...

Write as many checks as you need. Never an additional activity charge or need for a minimum average balance in your account.

### 2. PERSONALIZED CHECKS

With deposit tickets and check covers. As many checks as you need, every one personalized with your name and address and, if desired, your telephone number.

### 3. \$10,000 ACCIDENTAL DEATH INSURANCE

Worldwide, on and off the job blanket coverage by Fidelity's Fund American Life Insurance Company. Fifty percent reduction age 70 and over. Coverage divided equally on joint accounts.

### 4. CREDIT LIFE INSURANCE ON INSTALLMENT LOANS

For members under age 65 who qualify for personal installment loans of \$1,000 or more, credit life insurance is provided through CHB&T Easy BanClub membership when loan is paid as agreed to.

### 5. NATIONAL DISCOUNTS AND GROUP TRAVEL TOURS

The BanClub Newsletter will inform members periodically of national discounts, daily car rentals from NATIONAL Car Rental System, Inc., motel discounts at HIDEAWAY INN, special travel tours, from a weekend to a world cruise, exceptional merchandise offers and other membership benefits and services to be announced.

### 6. OVERDRAFT PROTECTION

CHB&T Easy BanClub members will be protected against charges for checking account overdrafts up to \$25.00.

### 7. TRAVELER'S CHECKS AND MONEY ORDERS

Members of CHB&T Easy BanClub may use all the travelers checks and/or bank money orders they need without any charge whatever.

... all this plus more to come! **\$300** Per Month



Whoever always has something new for you?  
Clinton National, that's whooo!

The wide-awake bank makes it all so easy.

Consumers Power Co.  
Bills Payable At Any  
Teller Window In  
Our St. Johns Office



Main Office: St. Johns • Beth • Elba • Eureka • Fowler • Holland • Lansing • Maple Rapids • Vassar • Vassar • Westphalia



Ponder This...  
"ADVERTISING  
DOESN'T COST  
... IT PAYS!"

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

It always pays when you advertise in your newspaper

# CLINTON COUNTY NEWS

Serving the Clinton Area Over 100 Years

PHONE 224-2361

# Clinton County News

HAROLD SCHMALTZ  
Advertising Director  
JIM EDWARDS  
Editor



CLINTON COUNTY NEWS, ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN

August 1, 1974

## Back Through the Years



From the Clinton  
County News files  
of 1973, 1964, 1949



A PERSONAL LOOK AT THE NEWS

## Between the lines

with Jim Edwards

### Hey, you out there

Telling people who regularly read the editorial page to vote is akin to telling vegetarians not to eat meat.

It's probably a safe bet that the majority of persons who are concerned and take the time to read editorials are the same ones who regularly display their concern at the polling places.

At the same time, we realize there are many who don't read editorials who do exercise their right to vote.

That takes care of 2 groups of persons who don't need to read this encouragement to vote in the Aug 6 Primary Election.

So . . . here we are writing an editorial pleading with the public to vote and the ones we're trying to reach aren't reading this.

Newspaper people are known to do silly things and this is probably one of them - trying to tell people something when you know they aren't reading it in the first place.

But, you can help to keep us from looking silly. If you know a relative, friend, neighbor, enemy etc who you think probably will let the election slip by without voting, show him or her this editorial.

Then, if they don't vote and complain later, we can both tell them to "put up or shut up."

-JE

### Kincaid District

Larry Formenti of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner Saturday.

Sunday morning Howard Sargent and Harold Hoerner went to Dawn Patrol at Pontiac. Harvey Hoerner and girls visited Mrs Harold Hoerner Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Larry Formenti of Lansing flew out to visit Mrs Harold Hoerner. Monday evening

Mr and Mrs Harold Hoerner were supper guests of Mr and Mrs Don Potts and Mike Monday night.

Friday evening Mrs Harold Hoerner was a guest of Mr and Mrs Harvey Hoerner for cake and ice cream for Jill's birthday.

Sunday, Mrs Porter Parks and Rebel Schavey of St Johns visited Mrs Harold Hoerner. Monday

Parks and Ceppy of Lansing were supper guests of his parents Mr and Mrs Porter Parks.

Monday evening Mr and Mrs Lloyd Knapp of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Alexander Lang. Mr and Mrs Charles Fisher and Kevin spent from Thursday noon until Sunday noon at St Ignace.

Mr and Mrs Robert Heath and girls of Wauwatosa Wisconsin visited Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson. Howard Sargent and Harold Hoerner went to Dawn Patrol at Muskegon Sunday morning.

#### ONE YEAR AGO

Bath voters turned out in large numbers to approve construction of a new high school and remodeling of the present facilities to house middle school students.

The railroad crossing situation in St Johns returns again. Another hearing with the Public Service Commission will be held Aug 23 in Lansing.

St Johns City police received 2 complaints of broken windows during the past week.

Seventy six Golden Agers from Owosso and 43 Clinton County Senior Citizens enjoyed a picnic at the city park on July 24th.

Over 350 musicians, square dance callers, friends and relatives attended the "This is Your Music" open house for Arnold Stevens at Club Roma July 22nd. In addition to visitors from throughout Mid-Michigan the honored guest received phone calls from California and Kentucky.

prove an additional millage to build a \$260,000 addition to Fowler High School.

Fire severely damaged a garage on North Lansing Street Sunday afternoon. A 1962 automobile was lost in the blaze.

Ovid and Elsie voters Friday chose a new board to run the new school district and gave approval to three measures that will help get the district off to a smooth start.

#### 25 YEARS AGO

Local units of government in Clinton county received a \$52,541 windfall from the state treasury this week, from the intangible tax returns.

Services were held at Flint Tuesday afternoon for Mrs Bertha Hart Hicks, 75, former well-known St Johns resident, who passed away at Hurley Hospital Sunday morning following several years of poor health. Mrs Hicks has been active until stricken with her last illness about a week ago.

The money collected by the St Johns Boy Scouts and friends of Garry Kasper will be used to buy a marker, the parents, Mr and Mrs William Kasper revealed today.

Contrary to reports that have been circulating about the city this week, there have been no polio cases reported in St Johns as yet. Rumors have been going around that there are as many as three cases here. This is not true.

Clinton county will be the state's largest wheat producing area in 1950, acreage allotments for the coming year reveal.

Five persons were injured Saturday, two of them seriously, in a two-car collision at the corner of Williams and Chadwick roads in Clinton County north of Lansing.

#### TEN YEARS AGO

A Ravenna truck driver escaped unhurt, but his pickles didn't, in a crash Saturday morning on M-21 three and a half miles west of St Johns.

The Rev Gerald Churchill, recently of Anchorage, Alaska, will preach his first sermon Sunday as new minister of St Johns Congregational Church.

A Holt man suffered a cut nose Friday evening about 3:30 when his car crashed in a ditch just inside Clinton County on Wood Road in DeWitt Township.

The city commission last Tuesday accepted a bid for a new Ford truck for the Department of Public Works for a new price of \$1,813.47.

The Fowler board of education will ask voters in a special election Aug 29 to ap-

### DeWitt tops in Clinton County population growth

How much has your community's population increased or decreased since 1970? Has the number of households or the population per household changed at all?

Answers to these questions about community growth patterns are currently available at the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission (TCRPC).

This marks the first year Tri-County has compiled population estimates for governmental units in the Clinton, Eaton, and Ingham county area, according to Paul Freel, TCRPC Data Systems Coordinator. Freel added, that this kind of information will continue to be provided on an annual basis.

For example, DeWitt ranked first in population growth for Clinton County with a 24% increase between 1970 and 1973. The number of households in the City jumped from 496 to 630 during the same three year period.

Eaton County's fastest growing governmental unit was Windsor Township. Windsor experienced a 24% population gain. That's 833 more persons in the Township which had a population of 3,513 in 1970. The number of households also pushed upwards. In 1970 there were 1,068 housing units, and by 1973 the number rose to 1,310.

For Ingham County, Leslie was at the top with 22% more persons at the close of the three year period. Leslie also experienced the development of 124 additional households.

Currently, Leslie is in the process of formulating a comprehensive development plan because the community recognized the importance of future planning with the growth occurring.

While many areas were faced with growing pains, several

governmental units decreased in population in Clinton County. Eagle Village lost 3%, the village of Vermontville in Eaton County dropped 2%, and in Ingham County there were 3% fewer persons in Lansing Township.

Freel explained, that the population estimates were derived using information obtained from agencies issuing building permits, and from demolition records. Building permit data comes from 24 agencies in Ingham, 14 in Eaton, and 7 in Clinton county. "Cooperation has been excellent, and just about 70% of the agencies send us the building permit information on a regular basis."

To arrive at the final estimates, first a regional control total is developed. This figure has a larger geographic base and therefore, more accurately represents what's happening to the region's population. Persons are then assigned to a community based on its building activity. When the population figures for all the governmental units in the region are added up, they can't equal more than the original control total.

"We will be sending copies of the population estimates to governmental units in the Tri-County region within the next couple of weeks." Other interested persons should contact the TCRPC office."

#### USE YOUR ARM

Like motor vehicle drivers, bicyclists should signal their intentions when they are riding down the streets. The left arm extended at right angles serves to signal turns either right or left. The same signal is used when a bicyclist wants to slow down or stop.

### CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

The Clinton County Zoning Commission will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, August 15, 1974 at 8:00 p.m. in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan.

Any persons having interests in the county or their duly appointed representatives, will be heard relative to any matters that should properly come before the Zoning Commission.

Arnold R. Minarik, Administrator



YOU CAN COUNT ON LP GAS TO DO THE JOB!

6560 S. Begole Rd  
PERRINTON  
MI 48874  
From Pompey  
PHONE POMPEY  
838-2201

### New type of rustler

(FROM PAGE 1B)

about excessive smoke and odor coming from a garage. Police found a suspect in the garage burning the insulation off the copper lines, causing a dense black cloud of smoke that was visible for a considerable distance.

Michigan's Copper Theft Control Committee, made up from representatives of utilities and railroads, believes continued cooperation with citizens and police agencies will increase the arrest rate of copper thieves. More importantly, it will help ensure that important communication and electric service is not interrupted.

Embarrassed by your present car?

SEE EGAN FORD SALES, Inc.

200 W. Higham ST. JOHNS Phone 224-2285

### CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING

A meeting of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners will be held on Monday, August 5, 1974 in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At 1:30 p.m. the Board will act on the following recommendations from the Zoning Commission:

#### DEWITT TOWNSHIP

A request for rezoning on various parcels and Special Use Permits by Looking Glass Meadows:

Section 18 - DeWitt Township. More specifically described as being on N. & S. sides of new portion of Herbison rd., also bordered by Airport Rd., Looking Glass River and DeWitt Sewage Plant.

#### BINGHAM TOWNSHIP

Application for a Special Use Permit for a gravel pit on the following described parcel of land:

The E 109 rds of the NE 1/4 lying N of Avery Rd exc beg on the N r/w in of Avery Rd 1182' S & 1371' W of the NE cor of Sec 24, N 181', E 234', S 181' to beg; also exc com at int'n. of Avery Rd & W in of E 109 rds of NE 1/4 th N 495.22', N 84' E 200', S 473.18', SW 1/4 alg Rd to beg. (Sec 2 - T7N-R2W)

#### BATH TOWNSHIP

An application for a Special Use Permit for a kennel on the following described parcel of land:

Commencing at a pt 1077' W of NE cor of Sec 21, th W. 295', S 743', E 295', N 743'

#### DEWITT TOWNSHIP

An application for a Special Use Permit to mine and stockpile peat-moss on the following described parcel of land:

SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec 30, T5N-R2W, DeWitt Township, Clinton County, Michigan.

Arnold R. Minarik, Zoning Administrator

newspaper ads turn her on!

what can newspaper selling power do for you?

Everything! You'll be overwhelmed, Mr. Advertiser, with the terrific results from display advertising. From the moment you begin advertising you'll see the response. For more sales, bigger profits advertise in the CLINTON COUNTY NEWS. Call 224-2361 to have a space salesman quote you our advertising rates. No obligation, of course.

# Tri-County surveying users of rail service in this area

LANSING - The Tri-County Regional Planning Commission has started surveying shippers in Clinton, Eaton, and Ingham counties to determine the impact of the proposed federal abandonment of certain rail lines would have on local businesses and industries.

Planners also want to find out what types of rail service improvements are desired by communities throughout the Tri-County region.

Through a combination of telephone calls, interviews, and questionnaires, Tri-County planners will obtain the required information.

Special attention will be given to regional shippers utilizing Penn Central lines because these have been recommended for abandonment by both the Secretary of Transportation in the Northeast-Midwest Rail Reorganization Plan and the US Railway Association.

"What we want to determine is how the proposed abandonment would affect

businesses in terms of jobs, future expansion, possible closings, or movement out of the area, and what alternative means of transportation would be used instead of rail service", said Robert Kuehne, chief planner.

"Our main emphasis will focus on the development of a regional rail plan that indicates the level of rail service required by the region, identifies improvement areas, and also contains a workable subsidy program and strategy for plan implementation".

Another element includes the preparation of position statements which could be adopted by governmental units that would be affected if rail service was cutback.

"This would provide a unified approach in presenting the region's stand on rail service to the state and federal governments", Kuehne said.

All this data has to be collected, compiled, and plugged into the state plan by

Sept 15. The State is scheduled to have its plan completed by Oct 1.

By the end of this year the federal government will start holding hearings on the rail issue.

According to the Secretary of Transportation's recommendations for abandonment, 27 communities in the region would lose all or part of their rail service including 16 grain elevators and several industrial enterprises.

Among the communities that would be affected are Mason, Leslie, Vermontville, Charlotte, Eaton Rapids, St Johns, Fowler, and Ovid.

"We recognize that some consolidation must occur, but it is in the best interest of each community to determine in cooperation with the rail interests how it may be accomplished most equitably", stated Kuehne.

Currently the region is served by the Chesapeake & Ohio, Grand Trunk Western, Penn Central, and Ann Arbor lines.

# Carland News

By Mrs. Pudge Deming

Mr and Mrs Leo Deming spent a few days in Ludington and Manistee last week and toured the Ludington Pumped Storage Hydroelectric Plant.

The plant was constructed at a cost of more than 340 million dollars, an immense investment required to meet the steadily growing needs of Michigan's residents for electric power.

The scenic overlook of this largest plant of its kind in the world, that is capable of producing 1,872,000 kilowatts of power, is educational and very beautiful and free to all who would like to see The Lake That Works.

A chartered bus group of 300 people phoned for reservations while the Demings were visiting the dam, and they welcome guests by the hundreds, as Pudge and Leo were the 936 and 937 registrant for the day that they visited the "More Energy For Michigan" Ludington project.

The Carland home of Mr and Mrs Richard Sloat was the gathering place for the family following a restaurant dinner sponsored by the Sloat's 3 daughters and their husbands to honor the Richard Sloats on their 30th wedding anniversary.

Mr and Mrs Sloat's children are Mr and Mrs Everett (Lennis) Reneaud of Carland; Mr and Mrs Robert Krueger (Kaela) of Carland, and Mr and Mrs Carl Kremer of rural Elsie.

The Sloats have been in business here in Carland for the 30 years, known as the Carland Ford Sales.

Mr and Mrs Edward Greene and son, Jim have returned from a 2 weeks vacation at Utsego Lake.

Mr and Mrs Richard Mead and son, Brian, of St Johns spent Thursday evening with Mrs Mead's parents, Mr and Mrs Leo Deming in Carland.

The Meads were on their way home from a camping trip in the northern and eastern parts of Michigan.

Mrs Richard Mead and Brian and Mrs Leo Deming visited Mrs Johanna Birmingham of St Johns who is a patient at Pleasant View, the day following their return from their vacation.

An escapee was chased through our community of Carland by the State Police when they chased William J. Pribble, a convicted murderer who escaped from the Grattot County jail after critically stabbing a guard, until he was captured on West M-21, after driving 90 miles an hour on the Carland Road chasing Pribble in a stolen car. Pribble ran three road blocks before the State Police shot out the back tires, ending the chase.

## Simon on Dean's list

MIDLAND - Neil H. Simon, Townsend Rd, Fowler has been named to the Dean's List for the spring term at Northwood Institute.

To be named to the Dean's List a student must earn a 3.0 or above grade point average on a 4.0 scale for that term.

**Sold thru the Classified Ads**

## Donald Potts completes EPA wastewater treatment course

Donald E. Potts of the Clinton County Dept of Public Works, South Clinton Wastewater Plant recently completed the Environmental Protection Agency's national field study course on the operation of wastewater treatment plants. Sacramento State College, Sacramento, Calif, administers the program for EPA and has presented Potts with a Certificate of Completion.

In addition, he has earned 6 units of college credit and received a grade of A for the course.

Topics covered in the course include all phases of the operation and maintenance of wastewater treatment plants. Dr Kenneth Kerri, Sacramento State's Program Director, stated that Potts is

one of the first operators in the United States to complete the program.

This is the first year the course has been offered by EPA to all persons interested in the operation of wastewater treatment plants. The Environmental Protection Agency expects over 2000 operators throughout the United States to complete the program this year.

### Marimba's Origin

Music experts say that the Marimba is neither of American Indian nor of Spanish origin. Because it resembles the native African limba in tone and name the accepted theory is that a Negro slave from Africa made the first one, using gourds as sounding boxes.

**NOW IS THE TIME TO THINK OF A DROUGHT RESISTANT LAWN...**

Let Turf-Tenders Beautify Your Lawn

With This Special Offer:

- POWER AERATE
- FERTILIZATION
- WEED CONTROL
- ROLLING

**\$29.95**

THIS PRICE INCLUDES MATERIAL AND LABOR FOR 4,000 SQ. FEET 1/4" per each additional square foot

It's The National Lawn Improvement Company

**TURF TENDERS**

DeWitt-St. Johns DALE HITCHCOCK

7386 SO. L'OMIS DEWITT PHONE 224-7598

## Damage claim paid in feed contamination incident

By Farm Bureau

LANSING - Insurance companies for Farm Bureau Services and Michigan Chemical Company have begun paying damage claims from farmers affected by contamination of feeds with a chemical fire retardant.

According to Don Armstrong, executive vice president of Farm Bureau Services, "We have now processed and paid the first properly damage claim in the PBB case on July 23, Douglas Swanson, a dairy farmer from Grant, received full settlement for his contaminated cattle, loss of milk, loss of milk production and other damages that came as a result of feeding his cattle contaminated feed."

Other settlements are expected to be made as soon as they can be processed

Representatives of Farm Bureau and insurance company claims adjusters have been assisting farmers in the preparation and filing of claims, in an attempt to expedite the process.

The chemical poly-brominated-biphenyl (PBB) was introduced into Farm Bureau Services feed last fall, when Michigan Chemical Company, a supplier of magnesium oxide, mistakenly shipped the PBB fire retardant commingled in a shipment of magnesium oxide. Both substances are similar in appearance, and both were packed in plain brown bags due to the paper shortage at the time of shipment in the summer of 1973.

Farm Bureau Services, in trying to locate the cause for a

drop in milk production, early in 1974 did extensive testing through 4 laboratories that finally identified the source of the problem in late April as being poly-brominated-biphenyl.

Services had removed the suspected feed from the market in early January 1974. Immediate action to locate all affected animals was taken by Farm Bureau Services, in close cooperation with the Michigan Department of Agriculture and the FDA as soon as the contaminant was identified.

Farm Bureau Services, an affiliate of the Michigan Farm Bureau, obtained approval from the State Department of Natural Resources on a site to dispose of the affected animals, but disposal has been held up due to a court injunction

## DeWitt twp minutes

Synopsis of the regular meeting of the DeWitt Township Board held on July 22, 1974 at the Township Hall, 780 E Wieland Road, Lansing, Michigan.

The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Emerson at 8:00 pm

Board members present: Emerson, Syverson, Angell, Purves, Pline, Corr and Kzeski.

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The agenda was approved as printed.

The only communication was from Rev L.A. Bretz thanking the Board for the letter of commendation.

Bruce E. Angell II, Tom Handyside and Bob Minning gave a presentation for a proposed sanitary landfill on State Road near the expressway Howard Angell is the developer. There was a question and answer period. The Special Use Permit was disapproved because it does not conform to the Land Use Plan, no need study presented, not enough data presented, cannot be used by Township residents, for commercial users only, residents opposed to it

(petitions with 70 signatures were presented to the Planning Commission), and the people making the presentation did not want this tabled in order to allow restrictions to be put on the permit.

There was a short recess. The Fire report was given by Pline and questions were answered.

The Parks Commission minutes were reviewed. There was a discussion on a park site for the area of Turner and State Roads.

The Transportation Committee minutes were reviewed. A letter will be written to the Clinton County Road Commission again requesting signs be placed on Stoll Road at DeWitt and Turner Roads and that protection for the edges of the new blacktop be provided. The DPW will be requested to check the film on the driveway

at 645 Northcrest and report back. The chloride billing will not be paid until there is more information. Signed the Cutler Road agreement.

The Police report and minutes were reviewed. We will hire Gary Richardson and Dennis Bonjour when the PEP funds are available.

Looking Glass Meadows development was discussed. Will recommend approval of the rezoning with a buffer zone near the treatment plant.

Voted to participate in the study of the Remy Chandler drain as long as there is no cost. Will wait on AMTRAC until there is more information available.

Adjourned at 10:55 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Donna B. Syverson, Clerk

Approved by Dale S. Emerson, Supervisor.

## Northerest

**ELECTION TIME**

Campaign signs are sprouting on Northerest lawns for and against the DeWitt Township recall. Be sure to vote on this important issue Tuesday, August 6th.

fashion "help your neighbor" spirit lives on through families like the Corrs', Pasch's, Kangas', Down's, etc.

**AT LAKE GEORGE**

Alberta Pasch, her children Laurie and Jeff, and Tracy Graham are spending several days at Lake George. Mrs Pasch's parents, Mr and Mrs Wolf of DeWitt Twp have a cottage on the lake.

**Laingsburg School Board elects 1974-75 officers**

**LAINGSBURG** - The Laingsburg Community School Board at its organizational meeting Monday, July 8, elected Frank Scripser as president; Donald Morgan, vice-president; Stanley Fair, secretary, Mrs Lorie Fox, treasurer.

The board set 8 pm in the high school library on the 3d Thursday of each month for its regular board meeting during fiscal year 1974-75.

## Cash for Coins

We pay top cash price for your old silver and gold coins. We are currently paying 3 times face and up for old silver coins—any dimes quarters or halves from before 1964. And we pay \$4.00 and up for silver dollars.

We also pay top cash price for all gold coins. A sample: we pay \$100 and up for \$1.00 gold pieces in nice circulated condition.

We also buy all old coins: old pennies, nickels and all foreign coins.

Please call or write for our top cash offer. Or just stop in.

Liberty Coins 223 Abbott Rd (517) 361-3488 East Lansing, MI 48823

**Be a BIG-TRACTOR man!**

8-10-12-14-16 HP MODELS

**MOVE UP TO CASE—**  
It costs LESS than you think!

If you mow 1/2 acre or more, you need a real tractor that can mow 34 to 48 inches wide — sail through long grass without even slowing down. Easy, one-lever Cushion-Control hydraulic drive. Matched attachments for every season. Make yard work fun again!

**BUILT LIKE THE BIG ONES TO LAST LONGER!**

**Case HAFNER'S ELECTRIC**

Fowler 616 S. Main Ph. 593-2188

## BEE'S Chevy-Olds, Inc.

on U.S. 27  
World's Sweetest Place To Deal  
1 Mile South of St. Johns Phone 224-2345

## QUALITY PRE-OWNED CARS

**CHECK**

The differences in a Bee's Pre-owned car

Bee's Pre-owned cars are not purchased at auctions.

**Bee's DO NOT change the Speedometer**

Bee's Pre-owned cars ARE Thoroughly Tested and Conditioned

Complete Financing Available

**BEE'S CARS ARE NOT MISREPRESENTED**

**Warranty Available On All Pre-owned cars**

**BEE'S WARRANTY DOES ALL THIS,**

You get 100% repair or replacement cost coverage on engine, transmission, rear axle, brake and electrical system for 30 days or 2,000 miles. And 15% discount on parts and labor for a full 24 months.

## PRE-OWNED CARS

- 1974 Vega Hatchback, 4-cylinder, 4-speed, radial tires
- 1974 Oldsmobile Toronado, full power, air conditioning, AM-FM stereo, vinyl top
- 1974 Caprice 4-door, full power, air conditioning, vinyl top, AM-FM
- 1974 Ford Mustang II, 4-cylinder, automatic, radio
- 1974 Chevelle Malibu V-8, automatic, 2-door hardtop, vinyl top
- 1974 Vega Wagon, 4-cylinder, automatic, radio
- 1973 Volkswagen 4-cylinder, 4-speed, radio, low mileage
- 1973 Ford LTD 2-door hardtop, V-8 automatic, full power, air conditioning, AM-FM
- 1973 Gremlin 2-door 6 cylinder automatic, air conditioned, radio
- 1973 Vega Hatchback GT, 4-cylinder, automatic, radio
- 1972 Chevrolet Vega Hatchback, 4-cylinder, 4-speed, radio
- 1971 Corvette V-8, 4-speed, radio
- 1970 Ford Country Squire 9-passenger wagon, V-8, automatic, air conditioned
- 1970 Opel GT, 4-cylinder, 4-speed, radio

## USED CARS

- \$595 1968 Oldsmobile 88, 4-door sedan, V-8, automatic
- \$395.00 1966 Mustang 6 cylinder, automatic, radio

## USED TRUCKS

- 1972 Ford 1/2 ton pickup, V-8, standard transmission, radio
- 1972 Dodge 1/2 ton pickup, V-8, automatic, radio
- 1972 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup, V-8, standard transmission, radio
- 1972 Chevrolet 1/2 ton Cheyenne Super pickup, automatic, power steering and brakes
- 1972 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup, V-8, automatic, power steering and brakes, radio
- 1971 Chevrolet 3/4 ton pickup, V-8 standard transmission, radio

## DEWITT TOWNSHIP ELECTION NOTICE

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

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

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

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

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

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

YES

NO

### STATEMENT OF THE PETITIONERS

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

### STATEMENT OF DALE S. EMERSON

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

- I have devoted more than full time to my duties. I normally work at least 50 hours per week.
- I have not made any adjustments in the sewer use rates. The present rates were established prior to my taking office and have remained the same ever since.
- I voted to discharge the Police Chief because he repeatedly violated the rules of proper conduct. He consistently refused to cooperate with other departments within the Township and County. He failed to follow directives concerning the operation of his department; and he continually lied about his activities as Police Chief.
- I have never refused to listen or talk with any citizen of DeWitt Township or anyone else. I have repeatedly supported ideas for improved communication and have made every effort to provide all information requested of me.

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

YES

NO

### STATEMENT OF THE PETITIONERS

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

### STATEMENT OF DONNA B. SYVERSON

- The current sewer use rates were adopted by the DeWitt Township Board on April 28, 1972 on the recommendation of a professional financial consultant in order to retire the bonds that financed the construction of the sewer system. The rates have not been changed during my current term of office.
- I voted to discharge the Police Chief because, while on duty in this capacity, he falsified records and improperly used motorcycle plates.
- I maintain regular hours at the Township offices and have a telephone that is listed. To the best of my knowledge in the capacity of Township Clerk, I have never refused to talk or communicate with any Township resident.

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

YES

NO

### STATEMENT OF PETITIONERS

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

### STATEMENT OF EILEEN M. CORR

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

#### CHARGE I.

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

#### CHARGE II.

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

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

#### CHARGE III.

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

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

YES

NO

### STATEMENT OF PETITIONERS

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

### STATEMENT OF JACK D. KZESKI, JR.

- There has been no adjustment of sewer use rates since I have been a Board Member.
- I devote approximately 60 hours per month to my duties as a Township Trustee and have made myself available to speak to any interested person or group that resides in DeWitt Township.
- Some of the reasons why I voted to discharge the Police Chief are:
  - He used Township men and equipment for personal gain.
  - He used Township men and equipment to be chauffeured to Lansing School Board meetings and used these employees to conduct Lansing School Board business.
  - He removed Township records from the Township Police Department without permission.
- The charges of the petitioners are totally false and unsubstantiated by any facts what so ever.

Voting locations are as follows:

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

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

DONNA B. SYVERSON  
 DEWITT TOWNSHIP CLERK

## City of St Johns Commission meeting proceedings

July 8, 1974

The regular meeting of the St Johns City Commission was called to order by Mayor Wood at 7:30 pm

Comm Present: Wilcox, Wood, Ebert, Arehart.

Comm Absent: Hannah.

Staff Present: Weatherwax, Maples, Humphrey, Vermette.

Commissioner Arehart offered a correction to the minutes of June 24, 1974 pertaining to page nine, annexation motion. The vote should have read Arehart, Nay: Hannah, Yea.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to approve the regular minutes of June 24, 1974 as amended, and the special minutes of July 1, 1974. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Ebert to approve the warrants. Motion carried.

Mayor Wood asked for additions or deletions to the agenda.

The City Clerk asked for several additions.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried.

Officers Jeff Geller and Eugene Anderson of the St Johns Police Department presented a display demonstration of a variety of contraband which had been confiscated within the City of St Johns over a seven month period.

Comm Wilcox asked that the Officers, Geller and Anderson, as well as the entire department be praised for their efforts in assembling the display, as well as their continuing service to the community.

Tony Kuntz, President of the Library Board, was present to discuss the possibility of obtaining an additional parking space for the library staff.

Discussion followed concerning the lack of available parking for employees.

Mr Kuntz was told that employee parking would be studied.

Mr Kuntz then asked the Commission to consider the following question: If the library board was to locate a building suitable to the City Commission as well as the State Library/Commission, would the City Commission levy up to 1 mill for the purchase as well as the operation of a new library.

Discussion followed concerning the question. Mr Kuntz was informed that the Commission would take same under advisement.

Mr Stan Cowan, owner of the property located on the SE corner of Townsend Road and US 27, was present. Mr Cowan was requesting that the clear vision area on the corner of his property which is proposed under the storm sewer project to be rip-rapped, be instead, tiled.

Discussion followed concerning the economics of the

request and it was concluded by the Mayor that the City Manager would investigate the cost of the request and would contact Mr Cowan when such information was available.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Ebert to open the Public Hearing on Ordinance 266. Motion carried.

Mayor Wood asked if there was anyone present who wished to discuss proposed Ordinance 266.

The City Attorney explained the nature of the amendment and recommended its approval.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Ebert to close the Public Hearing on proposed Ordinance 266. Motion carried.

The City Clerk presented a request from Chapter 88 of the Blue Star Mothers to place a memorial stone at the City Park to be dedicated to all Vietnam and Korean Veterans. Also, they would like to donate a flag for the flag pole at the Park and be responsible for keeping it displayed.

Mrs Eldred was present and explained further the Blue Star Mothers' request.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Wilcox to grant Chapter 88 of the Blue Star Mothers' request to place a monument next to the Park flag pole as per the Chapter's written request. Motion carried.

The City Manager presented a report on the City's Bank Investments. Discussion followed concerning the report as well as the nature of investing City funds.

Mr Brandon White, President of Clinton National Bank was present and joined in the discussion concerning the Manager's report. Mr White then read a written communication to the Commission.

Discussion followed.

Mr White then presented the City Clerk with a copy of his communication previously read.

The City Clerk again presented a petition for sanitary sewer extension to South Oakland Street. The Clerk also explained that the petition had been submitted to the City Commission last July and had been tabled pending the special storm and sanitary sewer election.

Mr Mahar one of the petitioners, was present in support of the petition.

Mayor Wood asked that the petition be referred to the City Engineer for his study and report back to the Commission as soon as possible.

The City Clerk presented a list of election inspectors as approved by the Election Commission for the August 6, 1974 General Primary Election.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Wilcox to nominate the aforementioned

list of people as the General Primary Election Inspectors. Motion carried.

The City Clerk read an excerpt from the June 27, 1974 Planning Commission minutes concerning the rezoning of three blocks bounded on the North by McConnell and on the South by Baldwin Street and on the East by Church and West by Prospect Street, and the two blocks bounded on the North by Cass and the South by McConnell Street and on the East by Lansing and the West by Emmons Street.

Discussion followed concerning the recommendation.

Motion by Comm Wilcox, supported by Comm Arehart to authorize the City Attorney to draft an Ordinance depicting the Planning Commission recommendation of June 27, 1974 and to present a copy of same for first reading of the regular City Commission meeting. Motion carried.

The City Manager presented a letter from James A. Park, attorney for Mr and Mrs Searles, withdrawing the Searles' plat for Searles Estates.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to accept the letter of withdrawal concerning the Searles plat as per Mr Searles' request. Motion carried.

The City Manager presented and explained the storm sewer project change order #1 which was necessitated by the location of the South Scott Road storm sewer on the East side of the Right-of-Way as per Commission action.

Manager Weatherwax also stated that he was desirous that the Commission set a dollar limit on a change order which he or the City Engineer could approve without prior Commission approval.

Discussion followed concerning Change Order #1 as well as the Manager's request.

Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Wilcox to authorize the City Manager and/or the City Engineer to approve change orders of an amount not to exceed \$1000.00 without prior Commission approval and further that this policy be reviewed in 30 days. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm Wilcox, supported by Comm Arehart to authorize the City Manager to sign project change order #1. Motion carried.

The City Engineer presented a communication from Williams and Works concerning the railroad right-of-way.

Discussion followed concerning the request that a railroad inspector be on the construction site at all times when the construction is within their right-of-way, said inspector would be at the cost of the City.

A general discussion followed concerning the communication itself.

Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Ebert that it be resolved that the City Attorney be instructed to prepare a letter of acceptance of the conditions of the Railroad concerning the utilization of their right-of-way for the storm sewer project as set forth by the City Engineer which included reference to the letter, and to the railroad specifications and that a copy of said resolution be forwarded to the Grand Trunk Railroad. Motion carried.

Motion by Comm Wilcox, supported by Comm Ebert to adjourn. Motion carried.

Mayor Wood declared the meeting adjourned at 9:20 pm

## Pewamo

Mrs Martha B Miller spent 2 weeks with the Walter Miller family of Gaylord. Enjoying 3 days on Little Manistique Lake, on their way there they drove through Elmira where a tornado did damage on July 3 and Petosky had a cloud burst which ruined many of their streets and roads.

Sunday, July 7, Mrs Ethel Gee spent the day with Mr and Mrs Mark Wieber at Fowler.

Wendy Jo Chartrand was born July 14 at Clinton Memorial Hospital in St Johns, weighing 3 lbs and 8 ozs.

Parents are Mr and Mrs Gary Chartrand of 254 E Lincoln, Pewamo. Wendy will join her brother Brad. The mother is the former Marleen Werner.

### North Bengal

Mr and Mrs Herman Noller of rural Hubbardston called on Mrs William Ernst, Tuesday, July 16.

Mr and Mrs Fred W. Pasch visited Mr and Mrs Marvin Evitts and family on Wednesday evening July 17.

Bruce Fox of St Johns, formerly of this neighborhood, underwent surgery on his leg at the Lansing General Hospital on Monday, July 22. He is having the surgery to repair an old leg injury suffered in a motorcycle accident a couple years ago.

Mr and Mrs Alex Thelen and family enjoyed a trip north on Wednesday July 17. They saw places of interest enroute and went to the Big Mac Bridge.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Forch visited Mr and Mrs Leon Arnold of rural St Johns Sunday afternoon, July 21.

On Friday evening, July 19, Mr and Mrs Harold Pung visited Mr and Mrs Fred W. Pasch.

Mrs William Ernst and Maxine Ernst spent Saturday July 20 with her sister, Agnes Bearndt and Peggy Lee Mowhitt of rural Six Lakes.

Mrs Dennis Imhoff was admitted as a surgical patient at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital Monday, July 8, discharged Saturday, July 13.

Some of Mrs Elizabeth Leonard's Pewamo friends called on her Sunday afternoon at Greenville.

Sister Dona Jean of Our Lady of Grace at Muskegon is spending a week with her parents, Mr and Mrs Louis Thelen.

**TOP MICHIGAN**

## TRAVEL

*Attraction*

---

### BEAVER ISLAND

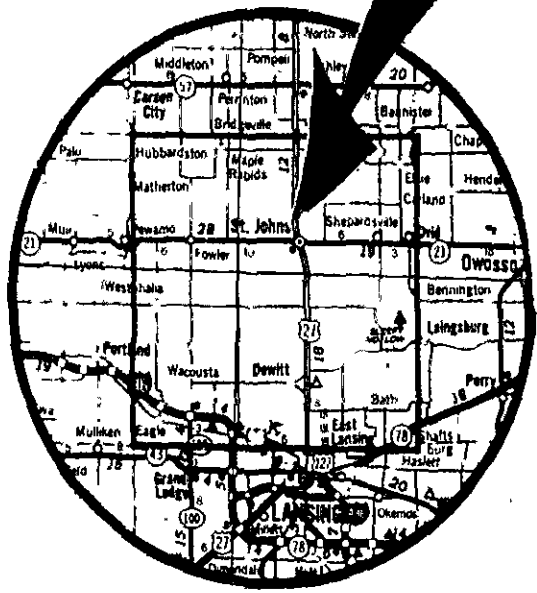
NICKNAMED THE EMERALD ISLE, BIG BEAVER OR BEAVER ISLAND IS THE LARGEST ISLAND IN LAKE MICHIGAN, 25 MILES NORTHWEST OF CHARLEVOIX, FOURTEEN MILES LONG AND THREE TO SIX MILES WIDE. BEAVER ISLAND OFFERS SWAY BEACHES, DENSE PINE FORESTS, SPRING-FED LAKES FULL OF BASS AND TROUT, PLANT LIFE TO DELIGHT A NATURALIST, GOLF AND MORE.

ACCOMMODATIONS, ST. JAMES, STRONG OUT ALONG PARADISE BAY IS THE ONLY SETTLEMENT. ONCE A MORMON STRONGHOLD, THE ISLAND STILL BEARS TRACES OF THE MID-19TH CENTURY RULE OF KING JAMES JESSE STRANG. HIS PRINT SHOP (ABOVE) IS NOW A MUSEUM. YOU REACH BEAVER ISLAND BY MOTOR CHIP FROM CHARLEVOIX OR BY PLANE FROM CHARLEVOIX OR HARBOR SPRINGS.

DRIVER WEARINESS IS A MAJOR FACTOR IN MICHIGAN HIGHWAY DEATHS. NEVER TRAVEL MORE THAN TWO HOURS WITHOUT TAKING A REST BREAK TO HELP FIGHT HIGHWAY FATIGUE. ATTRACTIVE REST STOPS ARE LOCATED AT INTERVALS ALONG MICHIGAN'S HIGHWAY NETWORK. USE THEM TO RELAX, EXERCISE, FRESHEN UP AND HAVE A SOFT DRINK OR COFFEE.

Bring 'em back **ALIVE!**

AS SUGGESTED BY MICHIGAN CLUB OF MOTORISTS



# the market place

"The Place Where The Buying and Selling Of Things Happen"

5B

August 1, 1974



Call 224-2361 NOW!

## Help Wanted

**NURSES AIDE** wanted. No calls after 4. Phone 224-2985. 12-3-p-1

**HELP WANTED** - Building Inspector to enforce the Clinton County Building Code and Zoning Ordinance. Must have experience in the construction field preferable with an electrical background. Person must be responsible and able to meet the requirements of the Federal Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973. For further information call 224-6761 or 669-3663, Ext 221 or 222. 14-2-p-1

**WANTED** - Babysitter in my home from 4:30 pm until 10:30 pm Park Lake area 339-2005 anytime in the morning. 14-3-p-1

## HELP WANTED

**Bookkeeper** Experience necessary. Apply at Karber Block Co. 917 Church St. St. Johns 14-2-1

**HELP WANTED** - Transportation Supervisor/Garage Mechanic. Fowler Public Schools Contact Donald J. Smith, Supt. 593-2250. 14-1-p-1

## Jobs Wanted

**BARN PAINTING** - High quality, references, free estimates. East Lansing, 351-2777. 8-9-p-3

**BARN PAINTING** - Very reasonable. No obligation estimate. Call Jon at 489-1580 (collect). 10-3-p-3

## GO CLASSIFIED

## Real Estate

**WANT TO SELL your Land Contract?** We buy Pay cash. For prompt fast service, call Ford S. LaNoble, 1516 East Michigan Ave., Lansing, Michigan, phone (517) 482-1837, evenings (517) 337-1276. 3-17-4

**LOOKING FOR A NEW HOME?** Interest rates starting at 7 1/2%. Visit or call us. Planning, Financing, Building, Servicing. 20 years experience. Fedewa Builders, Inc., 6218 Wright Road, 5 1/2 miles South of Fowler, 9 miles North of I-96. Call Dick or Bob Collect (517) 587-3811. 8-17-4

**BUILDING LOTS** available in town and country using our plans or yours. Fedewa Builders, Inc., 587-3811. 8-17-4

## CLASSIFIED AD PAGES

CASH RATE 5¢ per word

Minimum 50¢ per insertion  
Save a 25¢ service fee by paying for your charged ad within 10 days of insertion.

BOX NUMBERS in care of this office add 1¢

ALL CLASSIFIEDS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL MONDAY AT 5 P.M.

**FOR RENT** - In St. Johns. 3-bedroom apartment. Stove and refrigerator furnished. Available Sept 1st. Call 593-2659. 14-3-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in country St. Johns school district. Full basement. Prefer school teachers. 224-6702 or 669-5689 after 5. Ask for Linda. 14-3-p-6

**2 bedrooms, fully carpeted, air conditioned Town House** Furnished or unfurnished. Call collect (517) 772-5917. 14-3-p-6

**FOR RENT** - Furnished house, Sept 1 to July 1. 5 rooms, gas heat, garage. Adults only. No pets. Call 224-3137. 12-3-p-6

## Wanted to Rent

**WANTED** - House or apartment in the St. Johns-Fowler area. Originally from area. Teachers with references. Call Collect 694-4451. 12-3-p-7

## Trailers & Campers

**WANT A CAMPER?** Come to DREPS MOTOR HOMES. We sell the AMF Skamper fold-out camper. Ph 669-9996. 14-1-p-9

**FOR SALE** - 15 ft travel trailer. Sleeps 5. Gas and electric. Jacks, mirror and spare tire. 682-4093. 14-1-p-9

## Mobile Homes

**1970 MARLETTE** trailer for sale. 12 x 62 with a 7 x 21 expando. 3 bedrooms. Full carpeted except kitchen and bathroom. Air conditioner, dishwasher, garbage disposal, skirting, storage shed, some furnishings optional. Priced to go. Call after 5:00 pm week days, any time on weekends. 224-3437. If no answer, call 224-6048. 6-11-dh-10

**FOR SALE** - '73 Detroit. \$250 down and take over payments. 2-bedroom, front den. Call 224-8111. 12-3-p-10

## Automotive

**DOES YOUR vehicle need repair???** For all your car, truck and recreational vehicle repairs, come to DREPS MOTOR HOMES. Ph 669-9996 for an appointment today. 14-1-p-11

**1967 1/2 ton Chevy** pick-up with power steering and power brakes; also automatic transmission. In A-1 shape. 236-5319. 14-3-p-11

**WANTED FARMS** any size with or without buildings. We have cash and contract buyer. Tax and financial assistance is included in our program. Why settle for less? FORTY years of FARM and BUSINESS experience - Our Slogan: "An investment in earth is the best on earth." References furnished upon request. THANKS - to our clients for over \$5,000,000.00 in sales in the Tri-County AREA. To realize the TOP DOLLAR for your property, CALL the GOLDEN RULE AGENCY-GELS-BROKER, (No salesman) CALL 1V5-5794 - 1974 will be a good year. 40-p-4

**WE HAVE NINE** (9) new houses under construction in the country. Some of these are on one 1/2 acre parcels of land. Prices range from \$34,900.00 to \$46,000.00. For more information and a private showing call Duane J. Andersen Real Estate, Inc. 669-5126. 14-1-p-4

**IF YOU'VE BEEN** thinking of selling your HOME—but hate to start showing it, dickering over price, looking over legal papers, answering questions, etc. do it the easy way! Let US do all that work! That's our business—that's what we do in return for the privilege of representing you. We'll give you the FAIR MARKET VALUE. What you want is... the most money you can get—as quickly as you can get it—with the fewest problems possible. Isn't that right? Call now and let's get started. St. Johns Realty 224-3145. Eve Frederick R. Denovich 224-2597. 14-2-p-4

**IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY!** No long waiting for legal red tape. This new 3 bedroom ranch is waiting for you. See it today; move in next week. We offer free pick-up and delivery service to inspect this or any other listing (Provided it's not in Alaska). Call St. Johns Realty 224-3145. Eve Frederick R. Denovich 224-2597. 14-2-p-4

**SEALED BIDS** are being accepted for the sale of a house with lot and 2 garages at 2235 North Harmon Road, Ovid Township. Bids must be submitted no later than August 15, 1974, with \$100.00 deposit. The seller reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Call 834-2476 evenings. 11-6-p-4

**NEED a new building?** Pole or steel, farm, commercial, or industrial. Any size. Planning Financing - Building - Servicing, let us help you. Fedewa Builders, Inc. 5 1/2 miles south of Fowler or 9 miles north of I-96 at 621B Wright Road. Phone collect 517-587-3811. Ask for Jim or Bob. 37-4

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

**FOR RENT** - 3 bedroom house in Fowler. 224-7052. 14-1-p-6

## CLASSIFIED BUSINESS SERVICE DIRECTORY

Use This Classified Listing For Fast Service From Clinton County Business Firms

AUCTIONEER	DRUGS	JEWELRY
AL GALLOWAY, AUCTIONEER Used Farm Machinery & Parts. St. Johns, 224-4714.	PARR'S REXALL DRUGS. open daily 7:30 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sunday 8:30-12:30 & 7 p.m.	LEVEY'S JEWELRY. Orange Blossom diamond rings, Balova & Accutron Watches. Elsie, 862-4300.
AUTOMOTIVE	ELECTRICIANS	PARTY SUPPLIES
BILL FOWLER FORD. New & Used Chevrolets see EDINGER CHEVROLET. Fowler, Phone 593-2100.	SCHMITT ELECTRIC CO. Residential - Commercial - Industrial. 224-4277, 807-172 E. State St.	D & B PARTY SHOPPE. Package Liquor 9 a.m. - 10 p.m. Mon. Thurs. Fri. & Sat. 9 a.m. - 11 p.m. 224 N. Clinton.
CAN - BUICK - PONTIAC. New & Used Cars, 210 W. Higham, Complete Body & Service	<b>FARM DRAINAGE</b>	<b>PLUMBING</b>
For the Best Buy in New & Used Chevrolets see EDINGER CHEVROLET. Fowler, Phone 593-2100.	JAMES BURNHAM. Phone St. Johns, 221-4015. R3, St. Johns.	DUNKEL PLUMBING AND HEATING. Licensed Master Plumber Ph 224-3172, 807 E. State St.
EGAN FORD SALES, INC. 200 W. Higham, phone 224-2285. Pinto-Ford-Maverick-Torino-Mustang.	<b>FARM SERVICES</b>	<b>LAWN MAINTENANCE</b>
HUB TIRE CENTER. BF Goodrich Tires, Ph 224-4218. Front End Alignment.	Purina Feeds means \$\$\$ in Your Pocket. MATHEWS ELEVATOR CO. Grain - Feeds - Seeds - Fowler	Aeration, Weed control, Fertilization, Rolling, Thatching, Insect Control, Leaf Removal, Fungus Control, Re-seeding, State and National Ecology Approved Company. Costs less than do it yourself. YOU SIMPLY WATER AND MOW. CALL 224-7598. TURF TENDER.
BOB'S AUTO BODY. Complete Collision Service. 224-2921, 800 N. Lansing	<b>FERTILIZERS</b>	<b>SPACE FOR RENT</b>
C&D CHEVROLET CO. New & used Cars, Elsie 862-4800 You can't do better anywhere.	ZEER FERTILIZERS. Everything for the soil. St. Johns, 224-4231, Ashley, 847-4571.	<b>RESTAURANT</b>
MOORE OIL CO. If it's tires, see us, 909 E. State, Ph 224-4726.	<b>FINANCIAL</b>	DALEY'S FINE FOOD. Dining & cocktails, Ph. 224-9672. S. US 27-1/2 mile S. M-21.
HETTLER'S MOTOR SALES. 21 Hr. Wrecker Service. Good Used Trucks.	CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOC. 222 N. Clinton, 224-2303. Safety for Savings since 1890.	<b>VACUUM SALES</b>
<b>CLEANERS</b>	<b>FLORISTS</b>	KIRBY CENTER. VACUUM SALES AND SERVICE. New & Rebuilt Kirby's. Good selection of other makes. 705 N. US 27 St. Johns, 224-7222.
AVTES DRY CLEANERS. pickup and delivery, 103 W Walker, phone 224-4529.	Say it with Quality Flowers from WOODBURY'S FLOWER SHOP, 321 N. Clinton, St. Johns, 224-4216.	<b>WESTERN</b>
<b>CREDIT BUREAU</b>	<b>FOODS</b>	TOM'S WESTERN STORE. 1 mi. W. Ovid, 9-5:30 Mon-Sat., Fri. 9-9. Anytime by Appt., 834-5146.
Clinton County CREDIT BUREAU. Phone 224-2391. Credit Reports - Collections.	ANDY'S IGA. St. Johns. Home Baked Bread, Pies, Cookies, Choice Meats, Carry-out service.	<b>FOR ALL YOUR CLASSIFIED NEEDS CALL 224-2361</b>
<b>INSURANCE</b>	<b>GIFTS</b>	
Automobile Coverage - Fire Insurance - General Casualty. ALLABY-BREWBAKER, INC. 108-1/2 N. Clinton Ave. St. Johns, Phone 224-3258.	THE TREASURE CHEST. 220 N. Clinton, Hallmark Cards - Russel Stover Candy.	
JIM MCKENZIE AGENCY. 212 North Clinton Ave., St. Johns, 224-2179. Insurance for every need!	<b>SPACE FOR RENT</b>	

**SIMON'S PLANING MILL**  
Manufacturers of:  
Truck, pick-up, hay and grain racks, forage boxes, bulk feeders, portable cattle managers and accessories. Custom woodworkings.  
268 S. Henderson  
Fowler, Michigan  
Phone (Area 517) 593-2000  
E.O.W.

**Sattler & Son, Inc.**  
Phone 224-7290

**FOR SALE** - 1968 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup. 224-7076. 12-3-p-11

**1962 1/2 ton Chevrolet** pick-up with 1967 283 engine and 4-speed transmission. For parts only. 236-5319. 14-3-p-11

**FOR SALE** - 4 6-ply Dunlop radial tires. Size 165 x 13 black-walls. 13,500 actual miles. \$195.00 Like new. Call 224-3042 before 6:00 anytime. 12-3-p-12

**FOR SALE** - 1970 Mercury Cyclone V8 Automatic power steering and brakes, tape player, chrome wheels, a real nice driving car. \$950.00. 224-4057. 13-3-p-11

## Hobby Supplies

DREPS MOTOR HOMES is now taking bookings for fall and winter rentals on their motor homes. So, make your reservation now before we are all "Booked up." Phone 669-9996 for more information. 14-1-p-17

## Farm Machinery

HAFNER'S ELECTRIC in Fowler has in stock CASE compact tractors and attachments. We also have parts and SERVICE. Phone 593-2188. 41-11-18

INTERNATIONAL tractor, International 7-foot mower, 38' grain or hay elevator, 8' pole type double disc and Oliver pole type 216 plow for sale. 236-5319. 14-3-p-18

**FOR SALE** - Dearborn 6' sickle bar mowed mower. Fits Ford 3-point hitch. Good condition. \$200. 669-3523. 12-3-p-18

**FOR SALE** - AC WC tractor and cultivator. Call 224-7053 after 5pm. 13-3-p-18

**hearthside homes**  
by  
**WHITMAN INDUSTRIES INC.**  
ITHACA, MICHIGAN 48847  
Current Interest rates high? NOT REALLY!  
The key is that payments are being paid with "cheaper" money. The cost of borrowing is actually less today than it was several years ago. For instance, in 1973 inflation was at 10 percent.  
With the cost of homes increasing between 10 and 12 percent annually, mortgage money at 9 1/2 percent is actually a hedge against the buyers who wait until ultimately pay.  
See Us For Complete Home Build Services  
875-4101

**Farm Equipment SALES & SERVICE**  
**NEW EQUIPMENT**  
SET OF DUAL WHEELS w/new tire 18.4 x 34  
NEW IDEA SPREADERS  
YEAR-A-ROUND TRACTOR CABS  
KASCO FOLLOWING HARROWS  
KOOLS BLOWERS  
KOOLS SILAGE DIVIDERS  
KEWANEE  
WAGONS  
CHISEL PLOWS  
JOHN DEERE  
350 PLOWS (1 IN FURROW, 5 BOTTOM 16")  
110 SERIES DISC HARROWS 11' 5" WIDE  
1065 A WAGON GEARS  
1075 WAGON GEARS  
965 WAGON GEARS  
16 A CHOPPERS  
NO. 3800 CHOPPERS  
NO. 350 MOWER  
1209 MOWER-CONDITIONER  
NO. 640 SIDE RAKE  
336 BALERS W/BALE EJECTORS  
**USED EQUIPMENT**  
JOHN DEERE 3020 GAS TRACTOR  
JOHN DEERE F 145 PLOW 4 BOTTOM 16"  
JOHN DEERE 16 A CHOPPER  
JOHN DEERE NO. 38 CHOPPER  
CASE 930 DIESEL TRACTOR  
IHC NO. 650 CHOPPER  
IHC NO. 449 A PLANTER  
SET OF NEW DUALS RIMS W/USED TIRES 15.5 x 38  
KEWANEE ELEVATOR 34 ft.  
4 ROW CULTIVATOR for a J.D. 2010 TRACTOR  
4 ROW CULTIVATOR for a FARMALL H or M TRACTOR  
NEW IDEA No. 254 MOWER w/Hay Conditioner Hookup  
NEW IDEA HAY CONDITIONER  
GLENER A-2 COMBINE w/Grain Platform, w/Bean Head & Pickup and w/3 Row Corn Head  
**DON SHARKEY**  
John Deere Sales & Service  
1 1/2 Miles East of St. Louis  
Phone 681-2440

**Cattle 21**

**FOR SALE** — Holstein heifers. Fresh, vaccinated. 583-3575. 14-2-p-21

**FOR SALE** — 25 Angus cattle. 17 registered, some with calves. Call 587-6777. 14-3-p-21

**FOR SALE** — Wisconsin large dairy type. Holstein springing heifers. Also heifer calves from 100 to 125 lbs. Delivered on approval. Phone 414-788-3332. Donald Gunning, Route 2, Box 230, Kaukauna, Wisconsin. 12-11-p-21

**Pets 23**

**FOR SALE** — Springer puppies. Only two males left. From excellent hunting stock \$20.00. 908 W. McConnell. Phone 224-2394 after 5 pm. 12-3-p-23

**FOR SALE** — 4 German Shepherd pups. 2 1/2 months old. Thoroughbred but no papers. 6864 W. Chadwick, DeWitt, Mich. 669-9923. 14-1-p-23

**Horses 24**

**HORSES BOARDED.** Indoor arena. Lessons and box stalls available. 224-2933. 47-1f-24

**Garage Sale 25**

**GARAGE SALE** — Ladies polyester dresses. Boys clothes, girls clothes, toys, desk, Danish modern couches, and 2 chairs. Lots of odds and ends. 1850 E. Alward Rd., DeWitt. 669-3101. 14-1-p-25

**DISCOUNT VITAMINS**

Vit. E, Lecithin, B-6 and hundreds of more natural vitamins at DISCOUNT prices. Send for FREE catalogue.

Natural Organics, Inc. 10739 W. Fico Blvd. Los Angeles, Cal. 90064

**CHOICE LOTS AVAILABLE IN NEW ADDITION**

- Can accommodate all size mobile homes
- Close to shopping
- Minutes from downtown St. Johns
- City water and sewer

\$70 per month

ST. JOHNS

**MOBILE HOME VILLAGE**

609 N. Morton St. Phone 224-7913

**Robert Strong**

REALTOR

TALK TO KEITH BUNCE FARM - HOME - LAND CONSULTANT

PROVIDING DEPENDABLE SERVICE THROUGHOUT THE MID MICHIGAN AREA

3526 W. SAGINAW LANSING, MICHIGAN 371-2330

REALTOR

**MOVING SALE** — At 1339 S. Main St., Ovid. Starting July 30. 2 refrigerators, washer, dehumidifier, misc. 14-p-p-25

**Miscellaneous 27**

**TIMBER WANTED** — Logs and standing timber. Logs delivered to your yard. DEVEREAUX SAWMILL, INC., 2872 N. Hubbardston Rd., Pewamo, Mich. Phone 593-2424 and/or 593-2552. 40-f-28

**THE ALOHA** — New fabrics from Hawaii. Beautiful, inexpensive, easy-care. For your back-to-school wardrobe. Scented Hawaiian candles. 225 Ann. East Lansing 351-1911. 14-1-p-27

**HAPPINESS IS** Happiness is a new motor home from DREPS MOTOR HOMES. We sell the AMF Skamper, Allegro, Jamboree, Kings Highway, Southwind and Travelmate Motor Homes. Come out to DREPS MOTOR HOMES today. Ph. 669-9996. 13-1-p-27

**PIANOS & ORGANS** — soon to be released from "Interlochen Arts Academy" — nearly new Baldwin pianos and organs. "Direct factory financing available." Write L.L. Bryan, PO Box 172, Interlochen, Mich. or call (517) 487-5995. 14-2-p-27

**BRACE YOURSELF** for a thrill the first time you use Blue Lustre to clean rugs. Rent electric shampooer, \$1. Dean Hardware, St. Johns 14-1-27

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

**STEEL**, aluminum and vinyl siding, also roofing. Free estimates. No down payment. ABC Builders 482-9562. 5-f-27

**WANTED** KEYPUNCH OPERATORS. Many employers have called for keypunch operators in this area. Our course could qualify you for these jobs. 6 week course. Call collect (517) 393-8615 for information. Spartan Keypunch Academy. 28-f-27

**NEED** ready mix concrete, poured walls, or cement work done? We have a fleet of radio dispatched trucks plus a crew of men if needed. Fedewa Builders, Inc., 6218 Wright Road, at Price Road, Phone 587-3811. 38-f-27

**FOR SALE** — A baby cradle, nearly new \$25.00. Five piece living room outfit, 7 piece dinette set, 5 piece bedroom outfit \$750.00 for all but will sell separately. Also electronic bass guitar. Brand new 587-4278. 12-3-p-27

**HONEY BEES** available. Would need hive. For further information call 689-6524. 11-3-p-27

**LET US RECOMMEND** a painter or paper hanger for you. Your Sherwin Williams Dealer, Finkbeiner's, Fowler. Phone 593-2606. 36-f-27

**Wanted Miscellaneous 28**

**WANTED** — Someone who would like to attend a new church in the St. Johns area. We believe the whole bible, healing, deliverance, Holy Ghost baptism, speaking in tongues, righteousness, End Time Revival. Please call or write, Rev. Rick Strawcutter, 229 W. Lincoln St., Grand Ledge. 627-7766. 14-4-p-28

**AGRICULTURAL-INDUSTRIAL-LAWN & GARDEN EQUIPMENT**

Leasing Rentals Service-Parts  
"Home Of The Friendly People"

**MORTON FORD TRACTOR, INC.**

5122 North Grand River, Lansing, Mich. 517-485-4355

**WANTED** — old postcards dating 1900-1920. Telephone 224-7390. 11-4-p-28

**WANTED** — Farmall M loader. call 224-7053 after 5 pm. 13-3-p-28

**WANTED** — To buy good used cars. See Bees Chevy-Olds, St. Johns. Phone 224-2345. 4-28

**COINS WANTED** — IMMEDIATE CASH. US halves, quarters and dimes dated 1964 and before. Also buying silver dollars and gold pieces. Elsie Coin Exchange, 158 West Maple St., Elsie, Mich. 48831. Phone 862-5149. 13-3-p-28

**Notice 29**

**IF YOU** are tired of your dead, dull religious experience and desire a new reason for living, then you need the Acts 2:38 experience. Call or write Rev. Rick Strawcutter, 229 W. Lincoln, Grand Ledge. 627-7766. 14-4-p-29

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

**ANNUAL MEETING** of Union Home Cemetery Association will be Aug 1 at 1:30 at Thelma Costellas on S Gratiot County Line Rd. Anyone interested in Cemetery welcome to attend. 12-3-p-29

**PROBLEM PREGNANCY?** Call 517-235-4282 FOR HELP. 44-21-p-29

**CONCRETE WALLS** — Fedewa Builders, Inc., 6218 Wright Road, 3 1/2 miles south of Fowler. Phone 587-3811. 8-f-29

**FOR SALE** — Parts for all electric shavers. Levey's Jewelry, Elsie. 1-f-29

**THERE IS** now a Timex Repair Service in Michigan. Free estimates will be sent on all repairs. do not send money. We also repair all other makes of watches. Please send watches to Timex Repair Service, P.O. Box 128, Kinde, Mich. 48445. 40-f-29

**LOST** — Billfold. Finder keep money, drop billfold in nearest mailbox. Fred Miller, 2400 E. Wildermuth Rd., Owosso. 13-3-p-29

**BINGO** — Holy Family Church, 519 Mabbitt Rd., Ovid, Mich. Starting Monday Aug 5, 7 pm. 14-2-p-29

**FOR ALL** recreational vehicle parts and accessories, come to DREPS MOTOR HOMES. Phone 669-9996. 14-1-p-29

**CUSTOM BUTCHERING AND PROCESSING**, by appointment. We butcher on Wednesdays and Fridays. Beef, Pork Halves and quarters, also retail cuts. All meats MDA inspected. Vaughn's Meat Processing West City Limits on Busell Rd just off M 57, Carson City. Phone 584-6640. Jake Vaughn. 5-f-nc-29

**FOWLER RESIDENTS** — Take your ads to Finkbeiner's Pharmacy for fast, convenient service! 50-dh-f-29

**SAWS-SCISSORS-TOOLS** sharpened. Factory authorized chain saw service center. Remington chain saws in stock. Parts and accessories. Quality workmanship. Fast service. Popular prices. Jim's Saw Shop, 613 S. Main St., Ovid. 14-4-p-29

**BEAUTIFUL WEDDING** invitations and accessories. Speedy service, Finkbeiner's, Fowler. Phone 593-2606. 36-f-29

**WANTED** — Good used cars to buy. Call Bees-Chevy-Olds, St. Johns. Phone 224-2345. 4-f-29

**Card of Thanks 30**

**ATKINSON** — The family of Dale Atkinson wish to thank all our relatives, friends, neighbors for flowers, food, condolences at the time of death. Also the VA Hospital Ann Arbor, Rev. Johannides, especially Osgood's Funeral Home for the service and kindness to the family. Mother Helen Atkinson, brothers, sisters. 14-1-p-30

**WATTS** — I wish to thank my relatives, friends and neighbors for all the beautiful cards and acts of kindness during my stay at the hospital. Also the Doctors, nurses and nurses aides while at the Carson City Hospital. Margaret Watts. 14-1-p-30

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the friends, neighbors, Congregational Church membership, hospital committees and auxiliary for the many cards, personal visits, food and other gifts received at the time of our recent bereavement. Also to the Rev. Averill Carson for his comforting memorial service and Mrs. B. A. Deibert for the organ music. Signed, W. A. Reid and daughter. Mr and Mrs Forrest Hoot & Family. 14-1-p-30

**WIELAND** — My sincere thanks and appreciation to Drs. Stephenson, Russell and Fitzpatrick, Clinton Memorial Hospital staff and Rev. Carson. Also relatives and friends for their care and thoughtfulness during my illness. Alice Wieland. 14-1-p-30

**SCHAFFER** — We want to thank all the neighbors, passersby and the Westphalia Fire Dept who quickly came to help us put out our field fire. Your aid was really appreciated. Mr and Mrs Ray Schaffer & Family. 14-1-p-30

Fresh high-quality Michigan eggs cover a small area when broken out. They have a large amount of thick white stands high and firm around the yolk.

**SYMBOL OF SERVICE**

200 W. State St. Phone 224-2301

**The Briggs Company**  
REALTORS

**ELSIE BRANCH** REALTOR. Phone 862-4227

**EXECUTIVE TYPE HOME** approx. 1500 sq ft., corner lot, liv. rm 14x26, enjoy the family room & fireplace, can show anytime. Really worth taking a look, asking \$39,000.00. #191

**S MORTON** new 3 bedroom ranch, to be all carpeted, pick your own. Family room w/fireplace & sliding glass door to patio. Liv. rm has nine foot sliding glass door, get started #214.

**NEW LISTING ON E. HIGHAM** 4 bedroom older home w/character! 31 foot liv. rm., fenced yard, beautiful remodeled kitchen, a real must to see! #225

**REALLY DIFFERENT** BLEVEL on Lincolnshire, 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 2 fireplaces, cathedral ceilings, nice kitchen w/dishwasher, hood, disposal, stove, see it! #184

**CHOICE OF** a 4 family or 3 family income apartment. Shield some of your income thru depreciation, invest where you'll make the most. Why not? #169

**CHOICE BUILDING SITES** South of St. Johns. #631

**FOR APPOINTMENTS AT OTHER TIMES** PHONE:

Annette White 224-4296  
Bruce Lanterman 224-4746  
Derrill Shinnery 224-4746  
Bill Holley 224-7580  
or 862-5391  
Roy F. Briggs 224-2260  
Ranny Briggs 224-6074

Member of Lansing Board of Realtors

**Pewamo** ph. 693-3359

Double celebration held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Feldpausch of St. Johns the past weekend. Mary Ellen Albers going away party, she will attend college at Boulder College at Atlanta, Ga. a birthday party for James Gurski, husband of Diane (Albers). James Gurski's birthday was Monday July 29. Mrs. Barbara Alexander of Pewamo attended the party.

Sister Marie Diane of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Roy Howorth of Ionia and Mrs. Hilda Schaefer were afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Feldpausch of rural Fowler one day last week.

Father Philip Cook of St. Joseph spent Wednesday and Thursday with his sister Marie Cook.

Mrs Betty O'Hanusk of Grand Rapids was a Sunday dinner and afternoon visitor of her cousin Arnold Hattis.

Mrs Irene Fedewa spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Tom O'Connell of Carson City.

Weekend guests of Mrs Grace Bissell were Mr and Mrs Robert Bissell.

The Pedro Club was entertained by Mrs Mildred Fox at her home Tuesday afternoon July 30.

Mrs Hilda Schaefer attended a baby shower, hosted by Mrs Larry Cobb at her home in Ionia. The honored guest was Mrs Roy Howorth of Ionia. Many beautiful gifts were presented to the honored guest. A buffet lunch and refreshments were served.

Mrs Marie Mulin, mother of Mrs Carl Fox, Pewamo, after being a patient at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital has been transferred to Ionia Manor as of Friday July 26.

The DeWitt retreat for ladies of St. Joseph parish is August 2-4. Mrs Walter Fedewa chairman. The main topic is Hope. The retreat opens with an evening supper Friday Aug 2 and closes Sunday with benediction at 2:30 pm followed by a fellowship and farewell snack.

Mrs Grace Bissell was an afternoon and evening guest Thursday July 25 of Mr and Mrs Richard Bissell and family of Maple Rapids.

Mrs Joseph Thelen of Parks Rd Pewamo underwent major surgery Thursday July 18 at Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns.

Sandy Weber was a caller at the home of Mrs Joseph Melvin of Muir Wednesday evening.

Friday, July 26 over 30 members attended the Golden Years senior citizens club of Lyons, Muir and Pewamo, starting with a potluck dinner at 12:30 at the Muir Civic Center, games and cards furnished the afternoon's entertainment.

The following from Pewamo, Mrs Vera Cook, Mrs Hilda Schaefer, Mrs Charles Cook and Mrs Irene Fox were visitors of Mrs Leon Thelen at Clinton Memorial Hospital during the past week.

Mrs Mildred Fox and Mr and Mrs Edward Ballard spent some time at a cottage at Grand Traverse Bay during the past week.

Mrs Barbara Alexander spent the weekend with her daughter and husband, Mr and Mrs Owen Feldpausch of St. Johns.

Mr and Mrs Rex Foster and 2 daughters were callers at the home of Mrs Barbara Steinke

**Carland News** by Mrs. Pudge Deming

The Walling-Todd reunion was held this year at the home of Mr and Mrs Bill Bissett, 1 mile north of St. Johns on US-27, with 74 relatives attending.

A 1 o'clock dinner was enjoyed by all prior to a business meeting that was conducted by Paul Todd of Carson City. Secretary Mrs Marge Walling read the minutes of the last meeting and a motion was made to pay the bills and a free-will offering was taken.

The oldest member present was Lewis Walling of Elsie, who is 82 years young. The family coming the farthest distance to attend was Mr and Mrs Scott Walling of Traverse City.

The family tree was brought up-to-date with new births by the reunion's historian, Robert Walling of St. Johns.

Jeanne, the daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert Walling, and her family are spending the Summer in Alaska, a letter was passed around to all to write a few lines to let them know they were missed; the letter will be sent by Robert Walling.

Mrs Marion Walling is spending a few weeks in Europe with her daughter, Mrs Fred Ditto, they are on a Rock Valley tour of Europe, and letters that were received from them were passed among the group to read.

Mrs Donald Wood of rural Owosso was a patient in the Owosso Memorial Hospital and the relatives wrote a combined letter to her, also.

It was voted to have the reunion at the same place next year, after a round of applause was given the Bissetts for their hospitality.

The same officers shall preside at next year's reunion, with the potluck dinner held at the usual time, the third Sunday in July.

Merton Nourse, a former resident of Carland, now residing in Stanton, Mich is a patient in the Greenville Memorial Hospital, in Greenville, Mich. Mr Nourse recently underwent surgery there.

Mrs Kenneth Munson, who recently underwent surgery at the Owosso Memorial Hospital, has returned to her home on West Riley Rd, rural Carland.

Brian Austin, son of Mr and Mrs Brent Austin, has spent some time with his maternal grandparents, Mr and Mrs Casey Jones this week. His father and mother, the former Linda Jones and the rest of the family came to join them this weekend.

4-H interested people should take note that the Shiawassee County Junior Livestock Association is again sponsoring a beef, sheep and swine sale auction at the Shiawassee County Fair, Aug 11 through Aug 17, the sale of livestock will be held Friday, Aug 16 beginning at 10 am with the sheep and swine and again at 1 pm with the sale of the 4-H and FFA boys and girls steers.

Anyone may bid on livestock at the auction, packers and dealers are also invited to come and bid on the animals. For those planning to buy livestock at the annual junior livestock sale, there will be a complimentary dinner served at noon at the McCurdy Park Casino on the fairgrounds.

Expectations are for 40 pens of hogs, six pens of lambs, and 120 steers.

The July Council members met and made plans for the County Fair involving the 4-H club stand during the week, Fairfield Township is scheduled for Saturday, the last day of the Fair at the 4-H stand from 7 am to 3 pm.

Rush Township is scheduled for Tuesday at the 4-H stand from 3 pm until 11 pm; Friday is Middlebury Township's day from 7 am to 3 pm.

All 4-H council members are asked to take note of this schedule and make plans accordingly for help.

**LEGAL NEWS**

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

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

Estate of JOHN L. HOPPES, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE: On Wednesday August 28th, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held On the Petition of Rosaline for appointment of John L. Hoppes, Deceased and for a Determination of Heirs.

Dated: July 29th, 1974

S/Rosaline Kline  
Petitioner

R/L, Eagle, Michigan  
Attorney for Petitioner

Robert H. Wood  
200 W. State  
St. Johns, Mich  
Phone 224-4604. 14-1

**IT PAYS TO LEASE A CAR**

DAY, WEEK, MONTH or LONG TERM LEASE

CAINS, Inc.

BUICK-PONTIAC OPEL-GMC

210 W. Higham 2-f

**M-21 TOWNHOUSES IN OVID**

LUXURIOUS

2 Bedroom all electric, 1 1/2 baths, air conditioned, carpeted, range and refrigerator

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED

OVID SERVICE AGENCY INC. Phone 834-2288

**AL GALLOWAY USED FARM EQUIPMENT**

TRACTORS - COMBINES - CORNHEADS  
TILLAGE TOOLS - PLANTERS - PICKERS  
TRACTOR PARTS - REBUILT HEADS

GOOD SELECTION AT ALL TIMES

Phone (517) 224-4713 or 224-4300

First Farm North of St. Johns on US-27

ST. JOHNS, MICH.

**STEVE'S REFUSE SERVICE**

(Licensed Refuse Service)

ST. JOHNS, EUREKA OVID-ELSIE AND BANNISTER AREA.

Commercial and Container Service

PHONE 834-5539

4007 Carland Rd. Elsie, Mich.

**MINI-PRINT** by PRINTCO

120 E. WALKER ST. Across from the St. Johns City Hall

**ALL TYPES OF PRINTING**

Fast Service! Low Prices!

- ★ Wedding Invitations ★ Lodge Programs
- ★ Service Club Bulletins ★ Business Cards
- ★ News Letters ★ Envelopes ★ Letterheads
- ★ Invoices ★ Statements ★ Scratch Pads
- ★ Direct Mail Pieces ★ Sale Bills ... and more!

Friendly Experienced People at a convenient location...

120 E. Walker St. Across from the St. Johns City Hall

Phone 224-6781

**KARBER READY MIX**

"Ready Mixed Concrete"

No Job Too Large Or Too Small

Commercial-Residential

WASHED SAND & GRAVEL

FAST EFFICIENT SERVICE

Fleet of Riteway Trucks

Rentals Available; Air Compressors Power finishing Trowels Compactors

CALL: 224-6776 224-4084

LOCATED: N. SCOTT ROAD.



### 4-H Chatter

National AIC conference delegate  
By JOHN AYLSWORTH



Susan Striz of St Johns (Scattered Southeast 4-H Club) will leave Lansing Aug 6 to attend the annual meeting of the American Institute of Cooperation at Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas through the sponsorship of the Michigan Milk Producers Association. She is 1 of the 2 Michigan 4-H delegates selected to attend the conference. Susan has been active in 4-H making projects in dairy, clothing, foods, flower arrangements, creative writing and others.

Thursday, Aug 1, 8 pm, Smith Hall in St Johns for all fair superintendents and adults in charge of the buildings. The fair schedule of activities, procedures in checking in and judging of projects and other matters will be discussed. The fair set up will be on Friday, Aug 9 at 9 am when all departments will set up for the 4-H fair to be held Aug 12-14.

October and invites the Shiawassee County 4-H Leader Dog Club members as their guests and will hold a club family picnic on Sunday, Aug 18 near Ionia at 1:00 pm. The members discussed their posters and notebooks for fair exhibits and how they will be judged at the fair. They enjoyed a trip to Mackinac Island this month.

**GUN SAFETY CONTEST**  
The County 4-H Gun Safety Contest will be held Saturday, Aug 3, 9 am at the Thorny Acres Conservation Club on French Road south of Elsie. The County Contest will have 2 age divisions (I - 12-14 years and II - 15-18 years) All contestants must be 12 or older during this 4H year to shoot, must be enrolled in the gun safety project and must have shot in their local 4-H club, shoot before the county contest. A trophy will be presented to the winner in each age division. Members will shoot 20 shots (10 kneeling, 10 standing, and 10 prone) from a distance of 50 feet. Members will be using a 22 caliber rifle with an open or peep sight. Clinton County will have an opportunity to send a total of 6 members in the State 4-H Rifle Shoot Tuesday, Aug 20 at the Ingham County Conservation League Club grounds west of Lansing, from 10 am - 3:00 pm

**SOFTBALL ACTION**  
The 4-H Softball Playoffs got underway this past weekend with a total of 24 games played. Here are the results of those games played:

**FRIDAY, JULY 26**  
**WHITE LEAGUE**  
Fowler Helping Hands-28, Maple Leafs-8  
Green Clover-25, Prairie-9  
Green Acre Boys-27, Victor-5  
Bath All Purpose-25, Fowler Fireballs-7  
Charles, Gang-49, Bengal-Community-0  
Green Acre Girls-21, Stoney Creek-10

**GREEN LEAGUE**  
Father Farms Alone-20, Fowler Fireballs-11  
Bengal Community-23, Victor-18  
Fowler Big D's-10, Green Acres-3

**SATURDAY, JULY 27**  
**WHITE LEAGUE**  
Fowler Helping Hands-8, Green Clover-7  
Green Acres Boys-29, Bath All Purpose-14  
Green Acre Girls-9, Olive 4-H Girls-5  
(CONTINUED ON PAGE 8B)

**FAIR MEETING**  
A meeting will be held Thursday, Aug 1, 8 pm, Smith Hall in St Johns for all fair superintendents and adults in charge of the buildings. The fair schedule of activities, procedures in checking in and judging of projects and other matters will be discussed. The fair set up will be on Friday, Aug 9 at 9 am when all departments will set up for the 4-H fair to be held Aug 12-14.

**CONTEST TIME**  
The County 4-H Demonstration and Action Exhibit Contest will be held on Wednesday, Aug 7, 1:15 pm at Smith Hall in St Johns. Members will give a demonstration from five to seven minutes relating to their project while action exhibits will last from three to five minutes. The five best demonstrations and five best action exhibits will be selected to be given at the county fair on Wednesday, Aug 14 at 10:00 am.

**WHITE LEAGUE**  
Fowler Helping Hands-28, Maple Leafs-8  
Green Clover-25, Prairie-9  
Green Acre Boys-27, Victor-5  
Bath All Purpose-25, Fowler Fireballs-7  
Charles, Gang-49, Bengal-Community-0  
Green Acre Girls-21, Stoney Creek-10

**GREEN LEAGUE**  
Father Farms Alone-20, Fowler Fireballs-11  
Bengal Community-23, Victor-18  
Fowler Big D's-10, Green Acres-3

**SATURDAY, JULY 27**  
**WHITE LEAGUE**  
Fowler Helping Hands-8, Green Clover-7  
Green Acres Boys-29, Bath All Purpose-14  
Green Acre Girls-9, Olive 4-H Girls-5  
(CONTINUED ON PAGE 8B)

**FAIR MEETING**  
A meeting will be held Thursday, Aug 1, 8 pm, Smith Hall in St Johns for all fair superintendents and adults in charge of the buildings. The fair schedule of activities, procedures in checking in and judging of projects and other matters will be discussed. The fair set up will be on Friday, Aug 9 at 9 am when all departments will set up for the 4-H fair to be held Aug 12-14.

### Extension calendar

- Aug 1 - Family Living Fair Exhibit Orientation, 1:00 pm, Central National Bank.
- Aug 1 - Fair Superintendent Meeting, 8 pm.
- Aug 2 - 4-H Softball Playoff Championship Games, St Johns City Park.
- Aug 3 - 4-H Gun Safety Contest - Thorny Acres Conservation Club - Elsie.
- Aug 7 - Pickling Cucumber Field Day at Eaton Rapids.
- Aug 7 - 4-H Demonstration & Action Exhibit Contest.
- Aug 7 - 4-H Family Living Fun Day for Boys and Girls, Ages 9-12, at Park Lake.
- Aug 7-8 - District 4-H Softball Playoffs.
- Aug 8 - Field Day, MSU Bean & Beet Research Farm, Saganaw.
- Aug 11 - State Sheep Show, 10 am, Ionia Fairgrounds.
- Aug 12-14 - Clinton County 4-H Fair.
- Aug 13 - State Farm Management Tour, Tuscola County.
- Aug 14 - Planning Commission, Court House, 7 pm.
- Aug 15 - Central Michigan & Barry County Holstein Breeders Sale, Ionia.
- Aug 17 - Beef Cattle - Forage Field Day - Lake City.
- Aug 18 - Clinton County Holstein Association Picnic at Ervin Martens.
- Aug 20-22 - State 4-H Activities, MSU.
- Aug 23- Sept 2 - Michigan State Fair, Detroit.
- Aug 26 - Operation Information 11 - Annual Update for Area Home Economists - Travel Lodge, Alma.

### CCC loans, a marketing tool for 1974 wheat crop

Experience the last two years on commodity markets has pointed out to many producers the advantage of an orderly marketing policy. Dorn Diehl, State Executive Director of the Michigan State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service Office, stated when discussing the marketing of 1974 crop wheat.

Hot, dry weather, he said, has pushed the wheat toward maturity in the central and thumb areas and speeded harvest in the southern counties. Yields have been generally good with a high test weight from many fields although some wheat has been blown down and lodged prior to ripening or harvest.

The July 10 crop report indicated Michigan's estimated wheat crop at 35.7 million bushels, the largest crop since 1967. Diehl pointed out that market prices for 1973 crop ranged from \$2.88 to 10¢ of over \$6.00 per bushel. Much of the increase in market prices the last two years was due to the extensive export programs developed throughout the world, but primarily with China and Russia. With a market oriented agriculture, producers must devote more thought and time to marketing their crop, particularly cash grain and dry beans.

Diehl stated that many farmers were taking a long look at their 1974 crop with the object of holding for sale later in the marketing season. Contracting part of the crop for later sale is

### Jim's Column

#### Let's be careful

Jim Pelham  
Clinton County Extension Director



As Michigan's harvesting operations accelerate, danger of farm equipment accidents increase, warns Dr Richard G. Pfister, Michigan State University extension safety engineer.

He says farmers should realize potential hazards of hauling forage and grain loads on roadways and take appropriate precautions. More than 225 people were injured and 10 killed last year in traffic accidents involving farm equipment. One-third of all tractor accidents occur on the road even though the average farm tractor is used there one of every 25 operating hours.

When farmers are on the road, they should maintain a controllable speed and avoid sharp turns when leaving or entering a roadway, especially when hauling heavy loads. The chances of a tipover increase four times when speed is doubled, and this can fool the operator because he may not be used to hauling a loaded wagon after pulling comparatively light equipment on the road.

Going downhill with a heavy load can be dangerous because of the extra weight combined with the tractor's momentum. Sometimes the operator forgets the tractor's brakes are not adequate to control that extra four or five miles an hour.

The chances of overturning also increase when heavy loads are pulled through hilly areas. Operators should add weights to the front of the tractor for stability on sharp slopes and move cautiously.

Pfister advised that the tractor should be as heavy as the load being pulled. Too often, for reasons of efficiency, farmers use older and smaller tractors which can be quite unstable on the road. When the load is heavier than the tractor, the operator is heading for trouble.

Rear wheels should be set out as far as possible. This will help stability, and when duals are used, chance of a tipover is reduced.

Operators should be particularly cautious when traveling roads where road graders have recently worked.

"Quite often they leave clods of dirt along the shoulder. If an operator strikes one of these, he can lose control," Pfister said. Age is a contributor to farm equipment accidents. Operators under 15 and over 65 are four to five times more likely to have an accident per hour of use on public roads than those between 25 and 44.

It would be well if younger operators completed high school driver education before being allowed on the roads with farm equipment. This would give them a better understanding of what the motorist faces when a tractor and wagon are encountered.

Good frame and cab design are as important to the operator's safety as are his driving habits.

Any driver on the roadway should be sure to have bright and clean SMV signs on their equipment. When signs become faded, accident chances may increase. We have evidence that collision frequency decreases when they are properly used.

### Bill's Column

#### Seed alfalfa

By WILLIAM LASHER  
Extension Agriculture Agent

Summer seedings of alfalfa made now will yield about as much next year and for several years as spring seedings made in oats.

Summer seeding dates would be between late July and August 30 for south central Michigan. MSU tests at East Lansing from 1968 through 1972 showed that spring seedings of alfalfa in oats yielded seven tons the next year, and summer seedings made on August 12 yielded 6.2 tons the next year. In the second harvest year, yields were the same from both seeding dates, in the third and fourth years, the summer seedings outyielded spring seedings.

About one out of four alfalfa seedings is made in summer. Seedings made in July and August are generally successful on fallowed ground or after wheat stubble has been plowed under and prepared by disking, dragging, and cultipacking.

Seedings on wheat stubble properly plowed and prepared have been much more successful than seedings made in the spring on top of winter wheat.

Other summer seedings are generally successful when seeded on fallowed ground to control quackgrass and other weeds or after oat harvest. If soil pH is below 6.8 it should be corrected by liming to help insure success of summer seedings. Soil tests will indicate the phosphorus and potassium needed. Generally, 400 pounds of a high analysis fertilizer as 0-26-26 is recommended when seedings, if yields of 5 tons or more of hay per acre is expected.

Band seeding is preferred to broadcast seeding because of greater seedling vigor and winter survival. The soil should be cultipacked before seeding. Press wheels or a cultipacker

after a seeding are a "must" they help emergence and almost insure a stand. Seedings without cultipacking are likely to be failures.

Eight to twelve pounds of seed will give maximum yields of alfalfa seeded in spring or summer. Inoculation before planting is always recommended. The inoculated seed purchased this spring should be re-inoculated before seeding.

Saranac, a French-type winter-resistant alfalfa is one of the best varieties for stands to be left for two to four years because of its winter resistance, moderate winter hardiness, and high yields. For long term stands - five years or more - or for pasture, Vernal and other winter-resistant, winter hardy North American varieties are recommended. Will-susceptible are not recommended for Michigan.

### Chloe's Column

#### Food safety for picnics

Chloe Padgett  
Clinton County Home Economist



An uninvited guest - food poisoning - can ruin a picnic or barbecue. An outdoor cook-out or get-together can easily turn into a tragedy if precautions are not taken to prevent food poisoning.

The bacteria that cause food poisoning thrive at temperatures between 40 and 140 degrees F. Goodies left too long in the old picnic basket may be unsafe to eat without showing any signs of spoilage.

The best precaution against food poisoning is to keep hot foods really hot (above 140 degrees) and cold foods really cold (below 40 degrees). High heat kills harmful bacteria, cold does not kill bacteria, but it will slow their growth.

If you cook a food such as fried chicken before you go on your picnic, either keep the chicken quite hot in an insulated carrier, or cool it quickly to cool the chicken, put it in the refrigerator, but do not pile the chicken on the platter. The

outer parts will cool quickly, but the inner ones cool slowly. For better food safety, spread the pieces out so all can cool quickly. Keep the chicken cold until ready to eat. Then you can either serve it cold, or reheat it well if you prefer hot fried chicken on your picnic.

If you are taking rare meat to cook at the picnic site, do so only if you can keep the meat cold. Use a well insulated cooler. For keeping the meat cold for a longer period of time, you may also wish to start out with frozen meat in the cooler. Then keep it free of contamination by preparing the meat carefully. Don't use the same plate to carry raw meat to the grill and cooked meat to the table, because you'll contaminate the finished product with bacteria from the raw food.

The picnic menu may include sandwiches. For the safety of this food, it is better to leave the actual preparation until you are

ready for the meal. Mix salads also just before use. It's quite important to follow these suggestions when mayonnaise or salad dressing is used as both are very susceptible to the bacteria. All items should be well chilled before putting into the cooler.

If you're not absolutely sure you'll be able to keep them safely, avoid high-risk foods like cream pie fillings, potato salad, meat or egg salads and sandwich fillings, luncheon meats, casseroles and other moist prepared foods.

If you do not have well insulated containers capable of keeping cold and hot foods at proper temperatures, then plan to use only non-perishable food for your outdoor eating. Fresh raw fruits and vegetables are in season and perfect for picnics. Packed in a plastic bag with a few ice cubes they make crispy finger foods. Cookies make an easy to carry dessert. Pickled foods usually have enough acid for preserving the food. Canned fruits and puddings can provide a tasty treat that needs no special handling.

If you are not certain something will keep, then leave it home. It's not worth the risk. If you won't be able to handle leftover perishables safely, plan to carry just enough food for your meal. Food waste is costly, but food poisoning is worse. "When in doubt, throw it out!"

### Make phone listing changes, now says General Telephone

ST. JOHNS - General Telephone customers in the communities of Fowler, Pawnee, Maple Rapids, Muir, and St Johns who wish to make corrections or additions to the telephone directory should contact the company's service office now, according to Leo Baker, division manager for General Telephone. The company is beginning to compile information for their new directory.

During the information compilation period, both residential and business customers can change their listings. Representatives of the General Telephone Directory Company will contact business customers to insure that they have an opportunity to review and discuss their Yellow Pages listings. Publication and distribution dates for the new directory will be announced later, Baker said.

**OPPORTUNITY RIGHT IN THE PALM OF YOUR HAND**

**BUY-SELL-RENT-HIRE WITH WANT ADS**

**BUTLER KAN-SUN**

**PAY NO MORE!**

Continuous Flow Grain Dryer

Choose from 8 models to match your harvest rate. Capacity from 185 to 425 bushels per hour.

**BUTLER AGRI-BUILDER**

**BUY THE BEST!**

- Planning Assistance • Construction Service
- Service After The Sale
- Broad Range of Bin Sizes to Meet Your Needs

**FRICKE FARM SERVICE**

4798 S. Ely Hwy. MIDDLETON Phone 236-7358

### FOR YOUR LAWN and GARDEN

SEVERAL RIDERS  
Simplicity 10 H.P.  
GAMBLES 7 H.P. Tractor & Mower

TRACTORS	HAY TOOLS	FIELD CULTV.
1-FARMALL M w/LOADER	N5 J.D. MOWER	J.D. CCA 12'
FORD 9N	1-ROW GEHL CHOPPER	<b>SPRAYERS</b>
M.F. 65D	J.D. 38 CHOPPER	J.D. 25A 3 pt.
I.H. 826D	COL BY FORAGE BOX	HANSON 150q 3 pt.
MH 44	N.H. 818 CHOPPER w/2 HEAD	<b>GRINDERS</b>
<b>COMBINES</b>	I.H.C. 36" ELEVATOR	J.D. 400 GRINDER MIXER
J.D. 25	J.D. No. 15 DIRECT CUT CHOPPER	GEHL GRINDER MIXER
I.H. 91	GEHL FORAGE BOX	O.B. HAMMER MILL
1-J.D. 334	J.D. 24T BALER w/THROWER	<b>PICKERS</b>
<b>CORN HEAD</b>	GEHL CHOPPER w/1 ROW & HAY HEAD	N.I. No. 10 1 ROW
A.C. 90	NH Hay Bine	N.I. No. 7 1 ROW
A.C. 60	<b>PLOWS</b>	J.D. 237 Mtd.
I.H.C. 82 BEAN SPEL.	Oliver 3-16 Mtd.	J.D. 227 Mtd.
<b>N.I. UNI. EQUIP.</b>	J.D. 5-16 SEMI	<b>MISC</b>
N.I. 702 POWER UNIT	I.H. 6-16 SEMI	LILLISTON 14' ROLLING HARROW
N.I. 701 POWER UNIT	OLIVER 5-16 TRAILER	N.I. 210 Spreader
761 HAY HEAD	J.D. 4-14 TRAILER	N.H. 200 BU Spreader
722 SHELLER	J.D. 3-14 Mtd.	N.I. 201 Spreader
720 CORN HEAD	M.F. 4-14 Mtd.	2 USED BEAN PULLERS
721 HUSK BED	J.D. 4-14 Mtd.	J.D. 507 ROTARY CUTTER
760 CHOPPER	I.H.C. 5-16 SEMI	SUPERIOR LOADER FOR FORD NAA
762 CORN HEAD	<b>DISK</b>	Oliver 165 BU Spreader
	J.D. RWA 9' 10"	J.D. 12' PACKER
	J.D. KBA 11' 2"	J.D. 494
	OLIVER 12'	J.D. 494A
	J.D. AW 11' 2"	I.H.C. 4 ROW
	FORD 3 pt. 8'	A.C. 4 ROW
	<b>SEVERAL USED DRAGS</b>	J.D. 290

**BIG DAIRYMEN USE THE BIG Zero**

CAPACITIES UP THROUGH 5,000 GALLONS

THAT'S HOW THEY GOT THAT WAY!

NEW MODEL 70's Zero

COMPLETELY AUTOMATED VACUUM AND NON VACUUM BULK MILK COOLERS WITH BUILT-IN SPATTER SPRAY AUTOMATIC WASHER

Urethane Plastic Foam Insulation

New Space-Saving ZERO THRU-THE-WALL Tanks are Now Available.

Come in, Write or Phone for Full Information!

**NEMANIS ELECTRIC COMPANY**

PLANNING - INSTALLATION - SERVICE

Ask Us About Our New Twin Vacuum Milking System

PAUL NEMANIS OFFICE 834-2200 RES. 834-5172

201 N. MAIN STREET OVID, MICHIGAN

**Production Credit offers a bargain in MONEY for farmers**

PCA loans cost less because of the unique PCA way of figuring interest costs... custom-designed for farmers.

**PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION**

Talk to CHARLES BRACEY your local PCA planner

1104 S. US-27 St. Johns Phone 224-3662

**Carson City Farm Service**

JOHN DEERE SALES AND SERVICE

NEW IDEA

CARSON CITY PHONE 584-3550

# Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News

### Probate Court

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

August 7, 1974  
Dora Klein—Claims  
Harold F. Wohlfert— Final Account—Special Administrator  
Antonette Gazda— Final Account

### Real Estate Transfers

\*From records in office of Register of Deeds\*

July 15, Lusk, Walter S. and Ruth A. to Donald R. and Marlene Ducharme Lot 35, 36 Twin brook Est  
July 15, Voisinet, John V. and Ruth A. to Gary P. and Donna M. Vaughan property in Sec 21 Watertown  
July 16, Bunker, Karl and Evelyn G. to Watson Mobile Home Service, Inc. Lot 31 Bunker Hill Est  
July 16, Kuhnmuensch, Andrew M. and Joan R. to Charles W. and Donna Mae Kurplia Lot 4 Blk 18 Emmosville  
July 16, Wagner, Walton and Dorothy M. to Donald E. Malkin Lot 156 Royal Shores  
July 16, Slout, James and Jill to Ralph and Ila Williams property in Sec 11 Duplain  
July 16, Woods, Margaret to Richard C. and Carol Y. Foster Lot 9, 10 Blk 5, St Johns  
July 16, Larry T. Schaefer Inc. to Darrell D. and Carol K. Andrus property in Sec 19 Olive  
July 16, Sealed Power Corporation to W. Ming and Priscilla Foo property in Sec 16 Bingham  
July 17, Woodbury, Norman L. and Phyllis J. to Michael J. and Carl A. Manko Lot 1 Blk 19 Emmosville  
July 17, Smith, Vernon Gene and Lottie L. to Thomas Michael and Vicki Jacobs property in Sec 5 DeWitt  
July 17, Whitmore, Hugh and Velma to Robin D. and Rebecca L. McMillen property in Sec 17 Eagle  
July 17, McMillen, Robin D. and Rebecca L. to John R. and Marilyn K. Wilson property in Sec 17 Eagle  
July 17, American Central Corp. to Norman P. and Hilda J. Carlisle Lot 163 Westchester Hgts  
July 17, Carlisle, Norman P. and Hilda J. to Dale P. Kirkby Lot 163 Westchester Hgts  
July 17, Curtis, Ronald L. to Jay D. and Ida Mae Kennedy property in Sec 21 Bath.

July 18, Herndon, Adeline F. to Samuel E. and Pauline M. Carter property in Sec 16 Bath.  
July 19, Mohnke, Rosina to Larry G. and Mary Ann Grennell property in Sec 22 Bengal.  
July 19, Mohnke, Alfred L. and Doris L. to Larry G. and Mary Ann Grennell property in Sec 22 Bengal.  
July 19, Eckhart, Bruce L. and Sulinda Kay to Barry D. and Janet Wood Lot 9 Covert's Woodland Acres.  
July 19, Gels Agency Inc. to Larry T. Schaefer Inc. Lot 61, 71, 72, 78 Idylcrest No 3.  
July 19, Ewing, R. Donald and Virginia to David L. and Marilyn C. VanSickle Lot 3, 10, Blk 6 Bath.  
July 19, Schneider, Louis N. and Karen I. to Marvin A. and Mary Eileen Thelen property in Sec 13 Dallas.  
July 19, Thelen, Marvin A. and Mary Eileen to Louis N. and Karen I. Schneider property in Sec 8 Bengal.  
July 19, Minarik, John P. and Eleanor F. to Verne H. and Dora E. Piper property in Sec 5 Eagle.  
July 19, Tomlinson, Roger W. and Leona L. to Thomas P. Smith property in Sec 15 Bath.  
July 22, Anderson, Duane J. and Joyce C. to Larry T. Schaefer, Inc. property in Sec 7 DeWitt.  
July 22, French, Richard and Mary L. to Raymond and Ann M. Summers property in Sec 33 Bingham.  
July 22, Fedewa Builders Inc. to Greg S. and Sharon A. Forbis Lot 18, Sibley Acres No 2.

### LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING  
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Clinton  
Estate of R. S. McPherson, Deceased. File No. 17,221  
TAKE NOTICE: On August 14, 1974, at 10:30 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Clinton National Bank and Trust Company, Trustee for the allowance of its Sixth Annual Account.  
CLINTON NATIONAL BANK & TRUST COMPANY  
Trustee  
By: Rollin A. Huard, Jr., Trust Officer and Asst. Cashier 14-1

### NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage executed by Richard A. Little and Josephine M. Little, husband and wife to Lake Michigan Mortgage Company, a Michigan corporation dated 12th day of May, 1969, and recorded on 14th day of May, 1969, in Liber 255, Page 596, Clinton County, Michigan, Records, which mortgage was assigned by said mortgagee to FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, a National Mortgage Association, by assignment dated the 12th day of May, 1969, and recorded on the 14th day of May, 1969, in Liber 255, Page 600, Clinton County, Michigan, Records, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, the sum of FOURTEEN THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED TEN AND 30/100 (\$14,310.30) DOLLARS  
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 4th day of September, 1974, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., at the north entrance to the Courthouse, in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, that being one of the places of holding Circuit Court in said County. Said mortgaged premises are described as follows:  
Lot 6 and the South 6 feet of Lot 5, Block 18, Village of Bath, Clinton County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof as recorded in Liber Plat Book 1, Page 27, Clinton County Records  
The length of the period of redemption from such sale will be six (6) months.  
Dated at Lansing, Michigan, July 31st, 1974  
FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION  
a National Mortgage Association  
Assignee of Mortgagee  
David M. Lick, of  
Farhat, Burns and Story, P.C.  
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee  
417 Seymour Avenue, Suite 2A  
Lansing, Michigan 48933 14-5  
The world's greatest need is an amplifier for the still, small voice of conscience.

### PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.  
Estate of Gail Darlene Koglin, File No. 19244.  
TAKE NOTICE: On October 23, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, County Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. Timothy M. Green, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held for the determination of heirs. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to said fiduciary, Albert Koglin, 5501 Ann Drive, Bath, Michigan, and copies of the claims filed with the Court on or before October 23, 1974.  
Notice is further given that Albert Koglin was appointed as Administrator of the estate on May 20, 1974.  
Dated: July 24, 1974.  
ALBERT KOGLIN,  
Administrator  
5501 Ann Drive  
Bath, Michigan  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
WILLIAM E. RHEAUME  
ABOOD, ABOOD & ABOOD, P.C.  
117 East Allegan Street  
Lansing, Mich. 48933  
Phone (517) 372-5700 14-1

### PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

State of Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Robert F. Hill, Jr., Administrator, for allowance of his Final Account.  
Dated: July 23, 1974  
S/ROBERT F. HILL, JR.,  
Petitioner  
402 W. Main Street,  
DeWitt, Michigan  
Attorney for Petitioner:  
Robert H. Wood  
200 W. State  
St. Johns, Mich.  
Phone 224-4604. 14-1

### NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON FORECLOSURE

Public notice is hereby given, that pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and order of sale entered by the Circuit Court for the county of Clinton, State of Michigan, on the 22nd day of April, 1974, in favor of plaintiffs, John W. Cockrum and Elma G. Cockrum, and against Robert L. Klausung, Sandra J. Klausung, James L. Fedewa and Linda Fedewa, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, at a public auction to be held at front door of Clinton County Court House, St. Johns, Michigan, on the 8th day of August, 1974, at 9 a.m. That part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 5, T7N, R2W, Bingham Township, Clinton County, Michigan, described as follows: beginning at a point in the West right of way line of Highway US-27, said point being north 89° 06' 00" West 140.00 feet and South 00° 11' 00" West 150.00 feet from the East 1/4 corner of said Section 5, thence South 00° 11' 00" West 309.7 feet along said right of way line, thence North 89° 06' 00" West 210.00 feet, thence North 00° 11' 00" East 210.00 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 1.49 acres and subject to any and all easements and restrictions of record.  
GORDON L. WILLYOUNG,  
District Court Magistrate  
Clinton County, Michigan  
Dated: June 20, 1974  
SUTTON, MATTHEWS & MCKELVEY  
Attorneys for the Plaintiff  
2925 Wood Street  
Lansing, Michigan 48906. 10-5  
Fortune won't smile on you without a lot of encouragement.

### 4-H Chatter

(FROM PAGE 7B)  
GREEN LEAGUE  
Charles Gang-37, Green Clover-1  
Fowler Big D's-21, Olive 4-H-4  
Father Farms Alone-18, Bengal Community-15  
Green Acres-20, Victor-18  
SUNDAY, JULY 28  
WHITE LEAGUE  
Folwer Helping Hands-9, Green Acre Boys-8  
Charles Gang-29, Green Acres Girls-17  
GREEN LEAGUE  
Fowler Big D's-10, Charles Gang-9  
Green Clover-12, Fowler Fireballs-4  
Green Acres-14, Bengal Community-10  
Green Clover-5, Olive 4-H-0  
Fowler Big D's-21, Father Farms Alone-5  
The Championship games will be played Friday Aug 2 at the city park in St Johns with the White League at 7pm and the Green League at 8:30 pm

### Kincaid District

Tuesday the Blue Star Mothers had a picnic at Mr and Mrs Alexander Langs Eighteen people were in attendance Mrs John Dotsuk is a member.  
Wednesday evening the Shrine had a picnic at the Lang home. Twenty-one were in attendance.  
Mr and Mrs Alexander Lang spent the weekend at the Hardy Dam in their trailer.  
Kris Parks spent last week with Mr and Mrs Clyde Jenks of Lansing.  
Kris Parks is spending this week at the Smith-Walbridge Camp in Syracuse, Indiana.

### TOP MICHIGAN TRAVEL Attraction\*

### FRANKENMUTH

LOCATED ON M-23 A FEW MILES OFF I-75 NORTH OF FLINT, FRANKENMUTH'S ANNUAL BAVARIAN FESTIVAL RECALLS THE COMMUNITY'S EARLY 19TH CENTURY GERMAN HERITAGE.  
MOST ENTERTAINMENT IS FREE. THE 1974 FESTIVAL IS JUNE 9-15, BUT ATTRACTIONS CONTINUE THE YEAR AROUND. THE TOWN IS RENOWNED FOR CHICKEN DINNERS, BAVARIAN FOOD, CHEESE, WINES AND BEER. THE BAVARIAN INN'S 35-BELL CARILLON IN A GLOCKENSPIEL TOWER OFFERS DAILY CONCERTS. BREWERS, OPEN ALL YEAR, IS ONE OF THE NATION'S LARGEST DEALERS IN CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS, DOMESTIC AND IMPORTED.  
DRIVING TWO-LANE ROADS AT FREEWAY SPEEDS IS A COMMON ERROR. ADJUST YOUR SPEED DOWNWARD AFTER YOU LEAVE A FREEWAY TO MEET CHANGING CONDITIONS. MORE THAN 70 PERCENT OF MICHIGAN'S FATAL ACCIDENTS OCCUR ON UNPOSTED TWO-LANE ROADS. USUALLY AT SPEEDS TOO FAST FOR CONDITIONS. SLOW DOWN AND...  
"BRING 'EM BACK ALIVE!"  
\*AS ASSURED BY AUTOMOBILE LIFE OF MICHIGAN

# Get Year Round Springtime With Williamson

### SEE US FIRST FOR FARM LOANS

• New Facilities?  
• Repairs?  
• Expansion?  
• Modernization?

1104 S. US-27  
Ph. 224-7127  
St. Johns, Mich.  
Serving America's Farmers: Providers of Plenty

### Zephyr

Charge your purchases to

ST. JOHNS Ph. 224-4726

### AUTO BODY

Any Make-Any Model

Bumping-Painting-Reconditioning  
The finest workmanship makes it look like new.

CAINS INC. Buick Pontiac Opel GMC  
210 Higham St. Johns 224-3231

### SEE Chevrolet FOR 1974

They're all here at  
**EDINGER CHEVROLET**  
FOWLER

### WILLIAMSON "FIVE-IN-ONE" GAS-FIRED

The Williamson FIVE-IN-ONE gas-fired Total Comfort System is designed for easy handling during installation and ready accessible service of the individual components. When necessary, the split heat cabinet construction permits assembly variations for easier installation in those instances where space limitations are a problem.  
The new Williamson solid state modulating gas system is designed to proportion the flow of gas to the burner according to the demand for heat in mild weather the thermostat operating the burner in the conventional on-off manner except it operates at low flame rather than full flame like other systems. As the outside temperature drops and the need for heat increases, the burner stays on full time first at minimum flame then gradually increasing the flame size according to the total demand. The final output is continuous and uniform, matched to comfort requirements instead of cycling fully on and fully off with conventional systems. The solid state system offers the added advantage of a highly responsive thermostat sensing element during both the heating and cooling season allowing temperature settings in increments of one degree or less. The result is uniform room heating at all winter temperatures no more light on full off blasts.

## HOW DOES THE WILLIAMSON "FIVE-IN-ONE" ACHIEVE TOTAL COMFORT?

The Williamson "FIVE-IN-ONE" is a completely self-contained piece of equipment. Inside its attractively styled casing you have a gas burner and heat exchanger, a humidifier, a combination central cooling coil and dehumidifying unit, an electronic air cleaner and a blower. Outside the home you have a compact condensing unit that discharges the heat from the circulating refrigerant.

# DUNKEL

PLUMBING AND HEATING  
807 E. State St. Johns  
Phone 224-3372

### ALWAYS IN THE MARKET FOR

• Oats • Corn • Wheat • Soybeans  
• White Beans

Sell, Store, or Grain Bank

BULK AND BAGGED FERTILIZER  
AND BULK DELIVERY OF PURINA FEEDS

## MATHEWS ELEVATOR

Fowler, Mich Ph 593 2111

### PLUMBING AND HEATING

\*RESIDENTIAL \*COMMERCIAL  
\*QUALITY WORK

## DUNKEL

PLUMBING & HEATING  
St. Johns

### All types of printing

• Fast service  
• Low prices

120 E. WALKER ST.,  
ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN 48879  
TELEPHONE: 517/224-8781

### New Shipment of TRIP and TRAVEL CARDS

Also NEW CALENDARS FOR '75'

Hallmark  
THE TREASURE CHEST  
220 N. Clinton - St. Johns  
224-2719

### BECK & HYDE FARMARINA, INC.

Call 224-3311

Hours: Mon thru Fri 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
Sat and Sun 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
ONE OF MICHIGAN'S LARGEST PARTS DEALERS  
OPEN 7 DAYS Mon - Wed - Fri Evenings 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.  
Located on N. US - 27 6 Mi. No. of St. Johns

OPEN

24

HOURS

Except Saturday Nite, Midnight to Sunday 8am



LET KROGER

Copyright 1974. The Kroger Co. We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities. Prices Good Monday, July 29 thru Sunday, August 4, 1974.

# Mini-Mizer

YOUR FOOD COST

PRICES AND COUPONS GOOD AT YOUR ST. JOHNS KROGER STORE ONLY



The Mini-Mizer Can Prove It!

see for yourself

Make the Mini-Mize Test. Total up your shopping list at Kroger then do the same at any other super-market. We expect Kroger to save you money.

Every week, Kroger offers you many low-priced weekly specials on items our skilled buyers have been able to get for us at bargain prices.

And every week, Kroger's Advertisements feature a group of Mini-Mizer Coupons you can redeem for exceptional savings. We think these programs will add up to a definite savings on your weekly Food Bill.

### KEEPING YOU POSTED

When you complain . . .

**WE SAY "THANK YOU"**

All of us at Kroger work very hard to give you the kind of shopping service and product quality you want and deserve. We want to please you. That's why we guarantee everything we sell on a replacement or money-back basis.

We enjoy hearing from you when you are pleased. But once in a while something can go wrong. And if it does, we want even more to know about that.

When you tell us about a problem, you are giving us the opportunity to show you that we care. You are asking us to keep you as a Kroger customer.

You also are helping us to identify and correct problems and thus to serve all customers better in the future.

So, unusual as it seems, that's why we say "Thank You" when you complain!

*We hear you and we're trying to help!*

**Kraft Miracle Whip**

Quart Jar **68¢** Limit 1

with coupon inside and \$5 purchase

Save Up To 25¢

"It's the Real Thing!" **Coca Cola**

8 Pak - 16-Fl Oz Btls **88¢** Plus Deposit

With Coupon Inside And \$5 Purchase

Save Up To 61¢

**Country Club Ice Cream**

1/2 gallon carton **68¢** Limit 1

with coupon inside and \$5 purchase

Save Up To 31¢

"The People's Choice" US Govt Graded Choice **Chuck Roast**

Lb **79¢**

Center Cut

1973 Price \$1.17 Lb

**Kroger Beef Wieners**

1-Lb Pkg **79¢** Limit 3

With Coupon Inside And \$5 Purchase

Save 90¢ On 3 Pkgs

**US No 1 Michigan Round White Potatoes**

20 lb bag **\$1.79** Limit 1

with coupon inside and \$5 Purchase

Save 50¢ Per Bag





LET KROGER

# Mini-Mizer

Copyright 1974 The Kroger Co. We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities. Prices Good Monday, July 29 thru Sunday, August 4, 1974.

YOUR FOOD COST!

The People's Choice U.S. Gov't. Graded Choice

## Chuck Roast

79¢

Lb

July 1973 Price \$1.17 Lb

Fresh

## Hamburger

79¢

Lb

Any Size Pkg!

July 1973 Price \$1.05 Lb

Whole or Portion

## Semi Boneless Hams

79¢

Lb

Water Added By Mfr

July 1973 Price \$1.09 Lb

"The People's Choice" US Gov't Graded Choice

### Delmonico Steak

\$2.49

Lb

"The People's Choice" US Gov't Graded Choice

### Family Pak Cube Steak

\$1.59

Lb

Kroger Meat

### Meat Bologna

79¢

1-Lb Pkg

Kroger Meat

### Bulk Bologna

79¢

Lb

Kwick Krisp

### Sliced Bacon

89¢

12-Oz Pkg

Herrud

### Roll Sausage

89¢

1-Lb Roll

"The People's Choice" US Gov't Graded Choice Boston Roll Beef Roast or

## E-Z Slice Pot Roast

1.39

Lb

July 1973 Price \$1.97 Lb

US Gov't Inspected Mixed

## Fryer Parts

49¢

Lb

Includes: 3 Forequarters with Wing & Back Attached, 3 Hindquarters with Back Attached, 3 Wings, 3 Pkg. Giblets

July 1973 Price 65¢ Lb

Mixed

## Pork Chops

1.29

Lb

Ends & Centers Included

July 1973 Price \$1.29 Lb

Lean, Meaty

## Pork Steak

99¢

Lb

July 1973 Price \$1.19 Lb

- Kroger Beef Wieners..... 12-Oz Pkg **75¢**
- Beef or Meat Oscar Mayer Wieners... 1-Lb Pkg **\$1.09**
- Oscar Mayer Bologna..... 12-Oz Pkg **99¢**
- Eckrich Smoked Sausage or Smorgas Pak..... Lb **\$1.39**
- Regular or Beef Ball Park Franks..... 1-Lb Pkg **\$1.19**
- All Varieties except Beef Jiffy Entrees..... 2-Lb Pkg **\$1.29**

- Legs, Thighs and Breasts Best-O-Fryers..... Lb **79¢**
- Regular or Garlic Herrud Ring Bologna... Lb **\$1.09**

- Regular or Thick Eckrich Bologna..... 1-Lb Pkg **\$1.29**
- Jumbo or Meat Eckrich Franks..... 1-Lb Pkg **\$1.09**

- Oscar Mayer Sliced Bacon..... 1-Lb Pkg **\$1.49**
- Eckrich Beef Franks..... 1-Lb Pkg **\$1.19**
- Frozen Boneless Turbot..... Lb **79¢**
- Gorton Cheese Fishwich..... 10-Oz Pkg **89¢**
- Gorton Fish Portions, Sticks Fish N Fries..... 2-Lb Pkg **\$1.59**
- Fres Shore Breaded Shrimp..... 2-Lb Pkg **\$3.49**

- Regular or Beef Herrud Smoky Links **79¢** 10 oz. pkg.
- Vandenbrink Ham Loaf **2.29** Lb Pkg

Save 90¢ On 3 Pkgs

KROGER MINI-MIZER COUPON

Kroger

## Beef Wieners

1-Lb Pkg **79¢** Limit 3 Pkgs

Limit 3 pkgs. with coupon & \$5.00 purchase excluding beer, wine, cigarettes. Limit one coupon per family. Prices good Monday, July 29 thru Sunday, August 4. Subject to applicable state and local taxes.

- Bulk, Ring Style Peschke Bologna **89¢** Lb
- Fres-Shore Ocean Perch **59¢** 1-Lb Pkg



## Welcome Kroger Shoppers to the Deli Department!

AVAILABLE IN ALL STORES FEATURING DELICATESSEN DEPARTMENT

<h3>Fried Chicken Dinner</h3> <p>12 Pieces Crispy Fried Chicken 6 Dinner Rolls 1-Lb Potato Salad</p> <p><b>\$3.99</b> Save \$1.00</p>	<p>Smoked Baked Virginia Ham</p> <p><b>99¢</b> Half Pound</p>	<p>American or Mustard Style Potato Salad</p> <p><b>69¢</b> Lb</p>	<p>Eckrich Bar-B-Q Loaf or Honey Style</p> <p><b>99¢</b> Half Pound</p>
---	---	--	---