

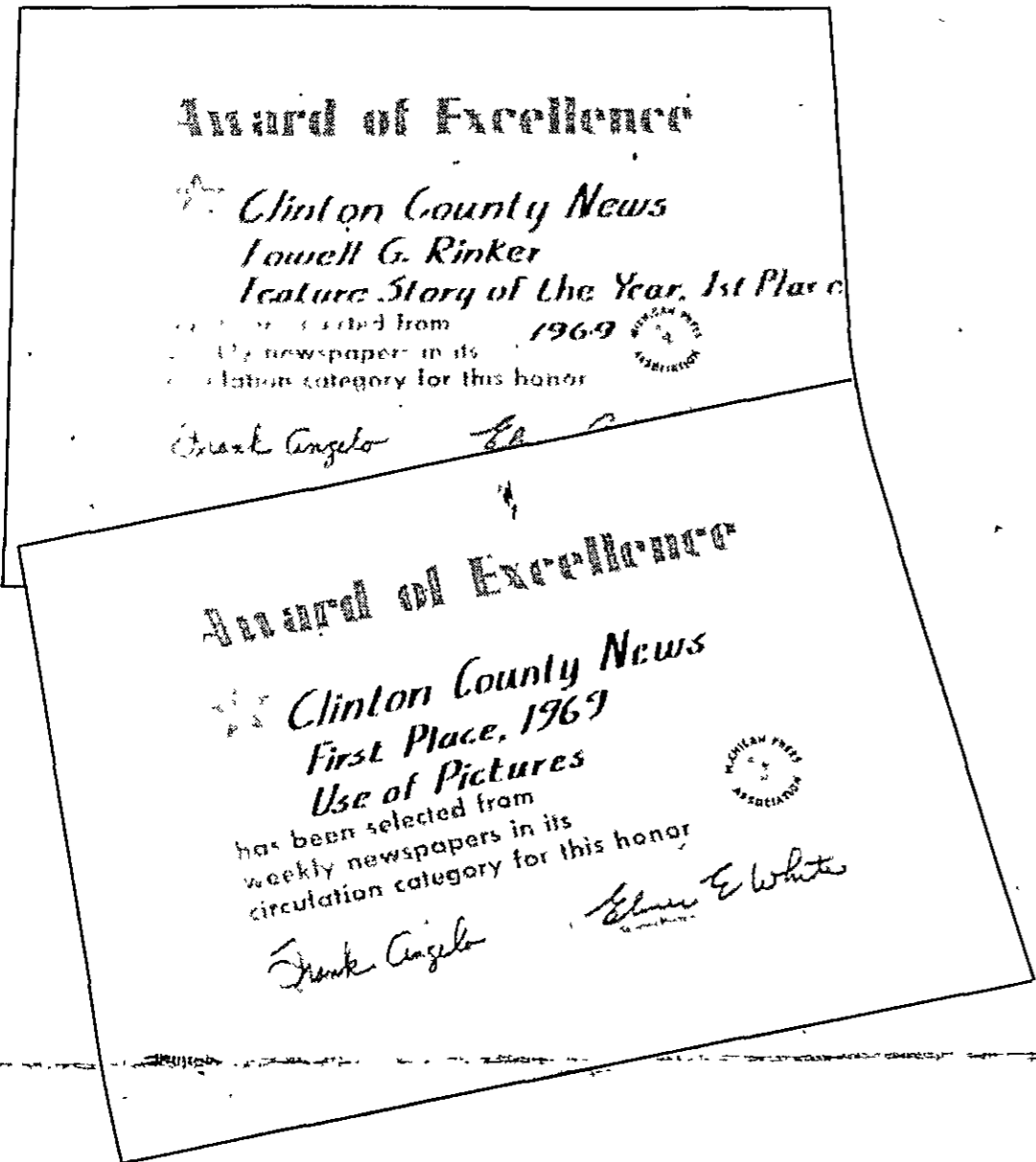
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News, Rinker win first place awards

The Clinton County News this week was awarded two first place honors in judging held as part of the annual Michigan Press Association Weekly Newspaper Contest. The paper won top spots in its circulation category for use of photos and feature story of the year. Former editor Lowell Rinker was recipient of the latter award.



LOWELL RINKER

The honors were the second and third presented to Clinton County News in recent weeks. In late August the paper received a first place plaque from the Soil Conservation Districts in Michigan for a special soil section published Jan. 29, 1969.

Rinker, now editor of the Hart Journal, Hart, Mich., received his first place recognition from a story he wrote on the deposit of over \$160,000 in coins at the Ovid branch of Central National Bank. The deposit, according to bank manager Willie Tabor, was accepted without a full understanding of the details and the large number of coins, along with the difficulties of the storage and secrecy, provided a firm basis for an interesting story.

Upon receiving word of the awards, News publisher Rollin A. Huard Jr. expresses words of praise for Rinker and the staff of the paper. "Lowell's award is one in which we can all take pride," Huard said.

"While with the News he did an excellent job in writing and presenting the events of Clinton County and he is highly deserving of this recognition."

Commenting on the use of pictures award Huard praised the entire staff saying, "The heart of a community newspaper is found in photos of local people and what they are doing. Our entire staff is encouraged to keep cameras handy and their efforts and awareness of the local scene has paid off. To win recognition in these contests there must be conscientiousness on the part of everyone and I believe these awards say much for the people who comprise Clinton County News."

Judging for the contest was based on papers published prior to March 31, 1969.

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reprint of Lowell Rinker's prize-winning story.

"We just could get clipped" --Jeff Smith



Snip . . .
Ionia 20
St. Johns 19

Story on Page 13 A.

College reps. here Monday

Representatives from at least 20 colleges, universities and training schools are expected to attend the annual Clinton County Higher Education Night set for Monday, Oct. 6.

The night is set aside to allow high school juniors, seniors and their parents an opportunity to visit with representatives from these schools and discuss plans for college.

The program will be held at the St. Johns High School cafeteria beginning with a brief orientation at 7:30 p.m.

Following this, parents and students will visit with two college representatives for 40 minutes each.

Representatives are expected from the following schools:

Michigan State University, University of Michigan, Western Michigan University, Central Michigan University, University of Detroit, Ferris State College, Northern Michigan University, Lake Superior State College (St. St. Marie), Lansing Business University, General Motors Institute, Michigan Tech (Houghton), Lansing Community College, Grand Valley State College, Adrian, Alma, Albion, Northwood, Olivet, Detroit Institute of Technology, Aquinas College and Joan Jewett Career School.



Why is this man writing on a banana?

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New sewer system planned for Fowler

By SHIRLEY KARBER
News Staff Writer

If all goes well Fowler will have sewage facility by Dec. 31, 1970. Approximately 325 residents use the sewer facilities in the village which was constructed in the late 1930's. Even though the present facility has been remodeled several times the population increase has made the present plant inadequate for the demands placed on it.

John Spicer, village president, says the council has submitted their applications for federal and state grants totaling \$116,400 and the village would pay the balance of \$123,400. Total cost of the project was estimated at \$240,000 for a lagoon system that would utilize the present treatment plant. Costs would be about \$265,000 if the present plant is expanded and no lagoon built.

The decision has not been made by officials and engineers as to which method would be best. The method of payment is also under consideration with general obligation bonds or revenue bonds up for consideration.

Spicer said village residents will be asked their views and public meetings will be held to inform them of the needs of the village, the choices available and how they want to pay for the project.

About 40 acres of land was purchased by officials last year for \$28,000 and if a lagoon is built it would require approximately 17 acres. The land is located northeast of the village.

Officials are hoping they will receive work on the state and federal grants by March 1. If this is accomplished a proposal

Masonic Association 6th Dedication Chicken Bar-B-Que, Sunday Oct. 5, 12:00 till 3:30. Tickets \$2.00 adults, \$1.00 children, adv.

could be placed before the voters by April 1. If approval is received sooner it could be on the March ballot. Bids could be requested June 1 awarded July 1 and construction could start immediately.

A great deal of paperwork and other items have to be worked out yet before construction can begin, but officials are optimistic, a solution to village sewer problems can be achieved.

In other action village officials,

—Heard a report from Blaine Douglas, trustee, concerning police protection from the Greater Lansing Special Police, at a cost of \$6,800 per year, which includes \$3.50 per hour and 12 cents a mile. Problems in the village occur when the

police are not in town and approximately 50 students in the audience agreed this was true. The students attended the meeting as part of a government class activity.

There were several alternatives suggested, including more coverage during the daytime hours by the Special Police; forming their own department, with the estimated cost given at \$10,000 or more the first year to equip and operate; or work out an arrangement with county officials and the sheriff's department.

Councilmen decided to appear at the Oct. 13 meeting of Clinton supervisors to learn the details on the protection and service possible from the Sheriff's Department.



COUNTY NEWS AWARDS ANOTHER \$20

Ralph Bailey stopped in the Clinton County News office last week and Eileen Erickson presented him with his \$20 prize for winning the News' weekly football contest. Ralph lives at 811 N. Clinton St.; St. Johns. He missed only two of 20 games and won on the tie-breaker score. This week's contest is in Section A.



Mrs. J. A. Bertoldi, president of the Morning Musicales kicks off a drive to raise funds for a grand piano for St. Johns High School as she presents a check to Walter Cole, head of the music department.

Grand piano fund begun for school

The St. Johns Morning Musicales has initiated a grand piano fund for the new high school.

The music department would like to purchase a seven-foot grand piano for the stage in the auditorium.

Several musical groups in the past have expressed an interest

FB contest won by one point

Ruby Pearson, 3540 Jason Rd., DeWitt is this week's Football contest winner. Ruby and Bernie Wawczyk also of DeWitt each missed on only three games but Ruby's tie breaker score was the closest and she wins the \$20 this week. Tie breaker score this week—62 points. Ruby's guess a 59 points. By the way, Bernie guessed 58 points.

in performing at the high school and it is felt a new grand piano would greatly enhance prospects of attracting such groups in the future.

Among those who have been interested in performing at St. Johns are the Toledo Symphony Orchestra and musical groups from Michigan State University, Central Michigan University and the University of Michigan.

The type of piano being sought is expected to cost more than \$5,000.

It is hoped local individuals and groups will contribute to this fund through gifts and memorials. Such donations are tax deductible.

Anyone wishing to contribute to this community project may contact Mrs. Jack Bertoldi, phone 224-7533, President of Morning Musicales; or, Mr. Walter Cole, school music department chairman. (School phone 224-7543, music office.)



MRS. JENNY COOPER

Jenny Cooper retires

After 23 years in the telephone business, Mrs. Jenny Cooper has retired from the General Telephone Co. in St. Johns.

Mrs. Cooper, who has worked 21 of those years for General Telephone, was honored at a banquet last Thursday by her fellow employees.

After working in the Ovid office Mrs. Cooper came to St. Johns in 1942 where she became chief operator. She left in 1944 but returned as an operator 10 years later and in 1962 assumed new duties in the service and assignment department.

Mrs. Cooper and her husband Harold live at Crooked Lake in Montcalm County.

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Tuesday, Oct. 7 — Pizza, buttered corn, Bea's tree cookie, and milk.
Wednesday, Oct. 8—Hot dog, baked beans, whole wheat roll and butter, fruit cocktail bar, and milk.
Thursday, Oct. 9—Turkey and gravy on biscuit, fruit mold, molasses cookie, and milk.
Friday, Oct. 10—Goulash, coleslaw, roll and butter, date cookie.

Clinton weather report

Remember summer?

South-Central Michigan Weather Service
By CHRIS GENTRY



Summer is now just a memory as winter weather closes in. The mercury dipped to 29 degrees Monday morning for the first wintery chill. This is just a preview of what's coming. Precipitation will become more frequent and temperatures will average below normal for October. The normal for October is 63 in the first week to 45 in the last week. Leaf colors will be completely changed in two weeks. Colors are at their peak this week from Clare northward. Next week peak colors will be between Mt. Pleasant and Clare. The peak colors will extend from Lansing to Mt. Pleasant in two weeks. Colors won't be at their peak south of Lansing until the last week of October. The forecast for Clinton County, Wednesday through Sunday: Rain will end Wednesday with very cool temperatures. Highs will be in the low 50's. Mostly cloudy, cold weather will continue Thursday with a chance of showers, or evening snow flurries. The highs will be in the upper 40's. Slightly warmer air will move in Friday with partly sunny skies and highs in the upper 50's. Cloudiness will increase Saturday with a chance of rain. Highs will be near 60. Sunday will be cloudy and cold, with more rain. Temperatures Wednesday through Sunday will average eight to 10 degrees below the normal high of 63 and low of 43. Precipitation will total one-quarter to one inch. Last week's highest temperature was 68 Sunday, lowest 29, Monday.

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BROTHER ISAAC JOGUES

Exchange Club meets

The St. Johns Exchange Club met Thursday to finalize plans for the next day's sidewalk sale of toothbrushes for the club's youth funds.

Program Chairman B. Stanley Pocus introduced Gordon Vandemark, principal of St. Johns High School, who explained some of the doings and problems of opening a new school.

Vandemark then took club members on a tour of the school.

Holy Cross brother marks silver jubilee

The silver jubilee celebration of Brother Isaac Jogues Motz, commemorating 25 years as a brother in the Congregation of Holy Cross, was conducted Sunday Sept. 21 at St. Edward High School in Lakewood, Ohio.

The event was marked by a high mass participated in by four priests from the Cleveland area. A dinner and reception followed the mass.

Brother Jogues is currently assigned to St. Edward High School where he teaches theology, is director of the retreat program and coach of the golf team.

Brother Jogues is a native of Fowler and is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Julius Motz. He attended Holy Trinity school in Fowler and went on to Sacred Heart Seminary in Detroit.

He made his first profession of vows in the Congregation of Holy Cross Feb. 2, 1944 and after receiving his BA degree from the University of Notre Dame he taught for several years at Reitz Memorial High School in Evansville, Ind. Later he received his MA degree from Notre

Dame and went on to the principalship of Reitz Memorial High School.

In 1955 he was appointed assistant master of novices at St. Joseph's Novitiate in Rolling Prairie, Ind., a post he held for five years. During that period, he worked in the formation of the Novices of the Brothers of Holy Cross.

He was appointed to the faculty of St. Edward's in 1960 where he taught Latin, theology and has served as Prefect of Religion. He is a charter member of the Diocesan Language Teachers Assn. and has served as its president.

Other teaching assignments include a summer at Father Gibault School for Boys in Terre

Taute, Ind., and an undergraduate course in methods of teaching languages at the University of Notre Dame.

The silver jubilee celebration was conducted at the Lakewood school and several relatives and friends from Clinton County attended the event.

Those attending from this area were: Mr. and Mrs. Byron Kissane, Mr. and Mrs. William Kissane, Andy Minarik, Jr., Mrs. Frederick Eldridge and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Doyle and Mrs. Bertha Rademacher.

Others included Sister Mary Lucia, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Plunkett and daughter Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lindaman and David, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lindaman and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Lindaman of Lansing.

Fulton H. S. adds six to faculty

JACKIE FEIGNER, correspondent writer
Fulton High School

The high school faculty was joined by six new teachers this year:

MARY SUE BOYD, graduate of Alma College, has a B.A. degree from Alma. Miss Boyd teaches English and Social Studies at Fulton. People, sports, working with decoupage, and sewing, are among Miss Boyd's interests.

CMU graduate MARY JO HUNGERFORD, with a B.A. degree in Education, enjoys reading, cooking, and music. Miss Hungerford is teaching Junior and Sophomore English.

RODNEY MILLER, football coach, Physical Education and Home and Family teacher, graduated from CMU. He received a B.A. degree. Mr. Miller enjoys out-of-doors activities and sports.

Eighth grade teacher RICHARD KNAPP graduated from Spring Arbor College with a B.A. degree. Mr. Knapp is interested in church activities, and also coaches track and cross-country sports.

DEBI WITGEN, Special Correspondent
Fowler High School

A special assembly was held at Fowler High School, Monday,

Sept. 22, entitled "Young American Showcase." Each student was charged 20 cents to see the Young Americans, who entertained the student body with their many talents.

Included in the performance were brief excerpts from popular songs such as "Chrystal Blue Persuasion", "In the Year 2525", "Guitarzan", "Hurt so Bad", and "Born Free." During the last song, two of the Young Americans shook hands with some of the audience.

In addition to the musical part of the show, the entertainers told jokes, and did magic tricks.

The students were unhappy to see the show end. St. Johns can expect many students from Fowler High School there, Sept. 27, when "The Young Americans" present an entirely different program in the new St. Johns Auditorium.

Theresa Proko, senior band majorette, provided some change of pace entertainment for the game spectators last Friday evening.

The Fulton Pirates were defeated Friday evening by the Saranac Redskins. The JV's were defeated also.

The Junior class rings arrive Sept. 30.



MISS CECILIA THELEN

Cecilia Thelen of 323 N. Main Street, of Fowler, has joined the Clinton County News as a correspondent for that area. Miss Thelen has lived all her life in the village.

She is a member of Holy Trinity Church and her hobbies are fancy work. She and her twin sister Amelia made 31 sets of pillow cases last year for the Fowler picnic. She also enjoys reading as a past time, and was formerly employed as a housekeeper. She has also worked in several factories.

Amelia will assist her sister in news coverage for the paper. Their phone number is 582-2963. They will appreciate hearing from residents who have news items.

Young Americans big at Fowler

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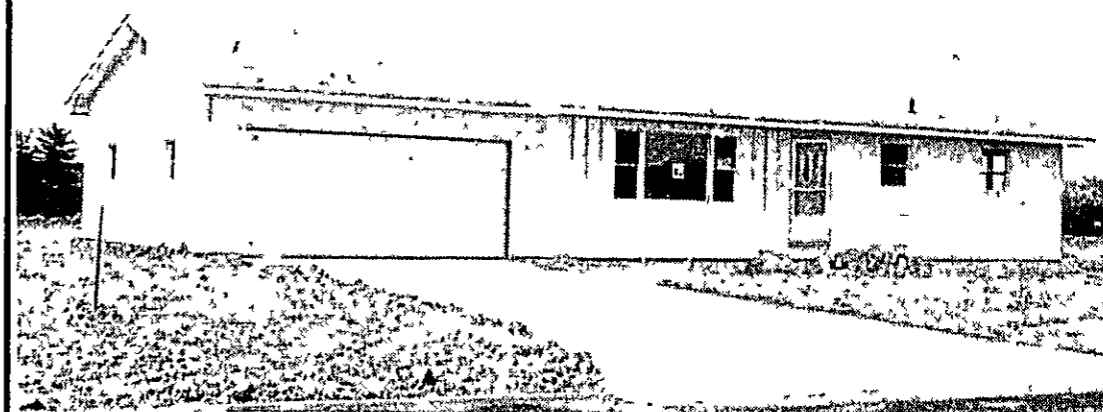
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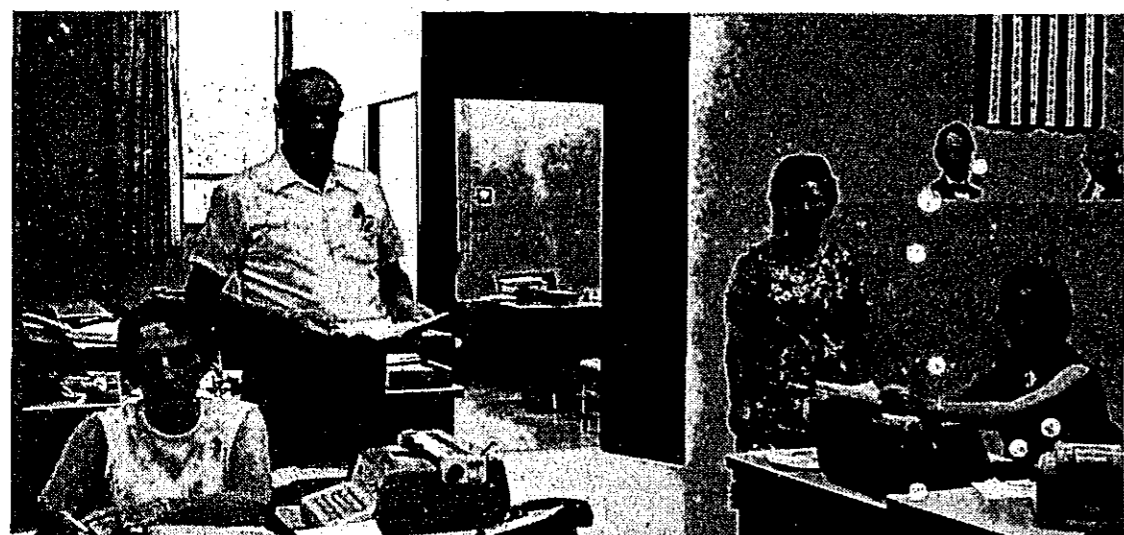
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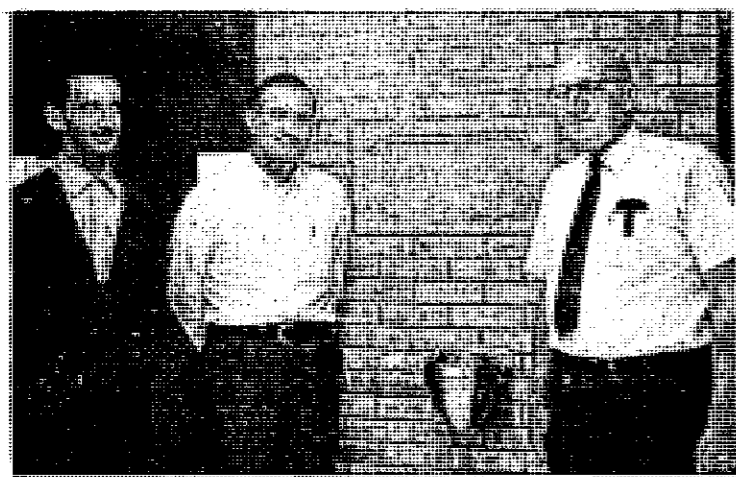
Clinton County Courthouse: the first 100 years



Virgene Kregel, Ernest Carter, clerk, Deloris Betz and Laura Ripple pause in their work for a moment of picture taking in the Clerk's office. The facility serves a variety of functions and houses the "west" vault where court records are kept.



Mary Ellen Simmon, Elnor Bell and Treasurer Velma Beaufore will be on hand to welcome county visitors to the treasury office. Tax records and other items are handled through the office.



William Coffey, zoning administrator, Gerald Wilcox, county engineer, and Charles Frost, civil defense director, pose by the corner stone in the Clinton County Courthouse. The men will all be participating in the various Centennial events planned from 2 'til 8 p.m.



Judge Roland Duguay and Judge Gordon Willyoung will host the centennial open house in their office and district courtroom. The district judgeship began the first of this year and in its brief history has recorded one of the soundest financial records in the state.

Courthouse on State Street, they will show continuous movies on the hazards of cigarette smoking.

Table, seating and other arrangements for the Centennial will be under the direction of R.G. Becher assisted by Maynard Barrett and Cecil LaBar.

A PERSONAL INVITATION

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors extends an invitation to all citizens of all ages to attend the Courthouse Centennial Celebration. The Supervisors will sponsor a coffee and punch refreshment table in the basement next to the Supervisors meeting room. The Centennial committee has requested ladies throughout the

county provide old-fashioned homemade cookies. If anyone cares to donate, please bring the cookies to the Courthouse during the Centennial Celebration and a hostess will deliver them to the basement for you.

After the Centennial Celebration, tentative plans call for the plastic laminating of pictures and material for a "time Capsule" to be placed in the Courthouse.

Those serving on the Centennial Committee include Supervisors, Robert Montgomery, chairman; Maurice Gove, Andrew Cobb and Gerald Langford, assisted by Betty Minsky of the State Journal, Donna Wilbur, of the Ovid-Elsie Banner and Shirley Karber of the Clinton County News.

Centennial schedule

Here is a tentative schedule of centennial events:

The opening of the Centennial Celebration at 2 p.m. with the ringing of the United Methodist Church chimes.

3 p.m.—The Clinton County Senior Citizens Rhythmn Band will perform under the direction of Mrs Bessie Hill, and feature tunes from the "Gay Nineties."

3:30 p.m.—The program will have a change of pace for the younger generation when a youth group named "The Reason Why" will play numbers from the past with todays beat and some selections from the "now" generation.

5:30 p.m.—"The Fowler Four" barbershop quartet will present some toe-tapping numbers that have been favorites of past and present generations.

6:30 p.m.—The "Four Octaves" barbershop quartet will sing a concert of vaudeville type selections complete with straw hats, canes, and striped vests.

7 p.m.—Robert Ditmar of radio station WRBJ will introduce officials and guests, and the winners of the art contest will be announced by Walter Russell.

7:15 p.m.—The St. Johns High School Band will perform the final concert of the evening under the direction of Robert Cole.

The Methodist Church Chimes will close the Centennial Celebration with "God Bless America."



Della Root, Willard Kregel, register of deeds, and Evaline Kuhns have made some informative posters to be used during the Centennial open house. Visitors will find the office a friendly and informative place to stop for a chat during their tour of the Courthouse.



R. G. Becher went to great heights aiding members of the centennial committee. He is shown here next to the bell in the courthouse tower.



Lorenz Tiedt, equalization director, is shown with Bernadette Foerch, and seated, Geraldine Smith. The staff utilizes the latest in business machines and residents will find the department an interesting feature of the Courthouse Centennial. Leon Thelen, insert, is assistant equalization director.

Anniversary fete honors sisters, husbands

It is unusual that sisters are able to celebrate their wedding anniversaries together, but Saturday, October 4, Mr and Mrs Herman Pasch will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary while Mr and Mrs Ervin Martin celebrate their 25th.

Herman Pasch and Dorothy Luecht were married at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Riley, Oct. 2, 1929. Fifteen years later Ervin Martin and Verna Luecht were married in the same church, (Oct. 4, 1944).

In honor of their parents, the couples' children will host an open house at the Martin home Saturday evening at 8 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited but they request that no gifts be given.

Mr and Mrs Herman Pasch reside on Church Road, St. Johns. They have three children and

six grandchildren. Mr and Mrs Ervin Martin of 8458 Lowell Road, DeWitt, have two children and two granddaughters.

VFW Auxiliary at Fowler plans fall projects

Mrs Dorothy Pitman of Hemlock-Merrill Auxiliary No. 7302, 9th district president, was a special guest of VFW Auxiliary No. 3733 at a meeting held on Wednesday, Sept. 24 in Fowler. She performed the annual inspection of the Auxiliary.

Several members will attend "Information and Orientation Day" at Michigan Veterans Facility in Grand Rapids on Thursday, Oct. 2, and will take several articles of used clothing for the men living at the facility. A donation was made toward the Christmas party for indigent patients at the Battle Creek V.A. Hospital.

It was voted to again award a \$25 savings bond to the first place winner of the Voice of Democracy contest. Fowler schools will be contacted by Chairman Doris Klein, and Eunice Wirth will contact Pewamo-Westphalia schools.

It will soon be time to pack Christmas boxes for servicemen in Vietnam. The Auxiliary would like to receive names and current mailing addresses of all Pewamo-Westphalia-Fowler area boys serving in the Vietnam area. In Westphalia, these names should be given to Mrs Anna Droste, Mrs Betty Janderna will collect them in the Pewamo area, and in the Fowler area the names will be collected by Mrs Winnie McKean.



MR AND MRS LOUIS J. POHL

They celebrate 50 years

A mass of thanksgiving will be offered at 10:30 a.m. in the Holy Trinity Church to commemorate Mr and Mrs Louis J.

Pohl's 50th year of marriage. The mass will be offered by their son, Rev Leon H. Pohl of Buchanan.

Senior Citizens host speaker

Miss Helen Goodwin, Director of Visiting Nurses of Lansing, spoke to the Clinton County Senior Citizens about their organization, and how it is run. She reminded them that the Community Chest contributed partial funds to their group, as well as several other groups. The members were urged to contribute to the fund.

About 60 members plan to travel to Owosso, Sept. 30 to visit the Golden Agers Club of that city.

The next regular meeting of the local group will be held on Oct. 14. A pot-luck dinner will begin at 12 noon, followed by a short business meeting, a program and games. All senior citizens are invited to attend.



Most residents have visited this office during the past three years for a driver's license. Howard Witt and Jane Swanchara are in charge of the department and take quite a few pictures on their own.



MR AND MRS HERMAN PASCH



MR AND MRS ERVIN MARTIN

Newcomers install officers

The recently formed Newcomers group in St. Johns will hold its initial installation of officers Wednesday Oct. 1 in the community room of Central National Bank. The event will mark the second official meeting of the group which will be directed in the coming year by Mrs. James Leon, president.

Other officers to be installed during the ceremonies will be Mrs. Rollin Huard, first vice president; Mrs. Wayne Gossett, second vice president; Mrs. Thomas Suppa, secretary; Mrs. Richard Armstrong, treasurer and Mrs. Chester Laskey, historian.

Newcomers is a division of Welcome Wagon, an international organization designed to acquaint new residents of communities with local activities and many

of the efforts of the group are directed toward charitable and humanitarian projects to satisfy needs of the area.

Mrs. Pauline Powers is sponsor of the St. Johns Welcome Wagon group.

City Brevities

Mr and Mrs Hubert Bates, Mr and Mrs Andrew Hays and Mr and Mrs Ralph Woodruff are attending the American Bankers Association annual convention in Honolulu, Hawaii, Sept. 27 through Oct. 1. They are part of a tour group of 175 bankers and their wives from Michigan who will visit other islands for 10 days following the convention. They will return Oct. 11.



MARY ELIZABETH SIMON

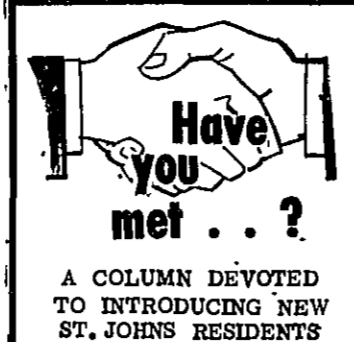
Engaged

Mr and Mrs Roman Simon of West Second St., Fowler, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to William C. Fitzpatrick, son of Mr and Mrs Joseph Fitzpatrick of Tallman Rd., Fowler.

The bride-elect is a 1967 graduate of Fowler High School, and a 1968 graduate of Lansing Community College. She is currently employed by a physician's office in Fowler.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1964 graduate of Fulton High School. He attended Lansing Community College and served with the army in Viet Nam. The prospective bridegroom is currently employed by Oldsmobile in Lansing.

The wedding has been set for May 2, 1970.



A COLUMN DEVOTED TO INTRODUCING NEW ST. JOHNS RESIDENTS

LEONARD D. SWAGART, his wife, Bonnie and two children Debbie, 12, and Paul, 7, recently moved from Cleveland, Ohio, to 609 N. Morton St., St. Johns. Swagart is a construction worker employed by Bee's Chevrolet.

PAUL A. WILKES, and his wife Louise recently moved from Carson City to 406 W. Higham, St. Johns. Wilkes is employed by Oldsmobile in Lansing. They have three children, Doug, 7, Richard, 5, and Pamela, 2, 1/2 years.

FRANK CLARK and his wife Jacqueline are new residents at 810 E. Baldwin Street. They have a daughter Beth, 19, a student at Ohio State, and two sons, Leo 16 and Andrew 13. Clark is employed by the Wayne Feed Co., as a representative. The family formerly lived in Circleville, Ohio, where Clark was employed with the same company.

CHARLES PALMATIER and his bride Linda are making their first home at 609 N. Morton Street, Lot 41. Palmatier is employed at Motor Wheel in Lansing, and is a former resident of Big Rapids. He was formerly a student at Ferris State. Mrs. Palmatier is from Eureka. The couple were married July 26, at the Congregational Church in St. Johns.

KEN J. OSENTOSKI and his wife Lois, former residents of Holland, Mich., are making their new home at 302 W. Gibbs Street. They not only have a new address, but they also have a new baby daughter named Kathy, two weeks old. Osentoski is employed as a teacher in the junior high school. He was formerly a student.

BRIAN J. HORTON and his wife Barbara are new residents at 1008 E. Cass Street. They have one daughter, Kimberly 2. Horton is employed as a salesman at drug stores, by the Hazeltine and Perkins Pharmacy supply company. Mrs. Horton is employed by the state as a social service secretary. They formerly lived in Lansing.

RICHARD WEBER and his bride Virginia are making their first home at 500 E. Walker Street, Apartment 2. Weber is employed at the Hub Tire Center and is from St. Johns. Mrs. Weber is a former Ithaca resident. The couple exchanged wedding vows at St. Paul's Catholic Church in Ithaca on Aug. 23.

REV CARL A. STONE and his wife, Elizabeth are new residents at 308 N. Whittemore. Stone is the minister of the Church of God. They came here from Biggar, Sask., Canada, where he was also a minister of The Church of God.

WILLIAM P. FOX and his wife Judy are now residing at 1105 S. Wight Street. They have two children, Douglas 5 and Denise 1 1/2. The family formerly lived in Lansing. Fox is employed by the state as a social worker.

LEE A. WARLEY, JR., and his wife Bonnie are new residents at 608 W. Cass. They have one son, Ronnie, age 8. Warley is employed at St. Johns Co-Op. Mrs. Warley teaches kindergarten at East Essex Elementary School.



MR AND MRS RICHARD WEBER

Nuptial Mass unites Weber-McWilliams

Virginia McWilliams and Richard M. Weber, exchanged wedding vows, Aug. 23 in a double ring ceremony performed by Rev. Don Eppenbrock at the St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church in Ithaca.

The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs James McWilliams of Ithaca. The bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs Melvin Weber of rural St. Johns.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a hoop-skirted lace gown. Her shoulder-length veil was secured by a crown of pearls. The bride carried miniature white roses centered around a white orchid.

Acting as maid of honor was Rebecca Munson. She wore a mint green gown trimmed with white daisies. She carried a bouquet of yellow daisy chrysanthemums. Bridesmaids Darlene Weber and Cheryl Litwiler, wore matching dresses and also carried bouquets of yellow daisy chrysanthemums. Ringbearer was Curt Swartout.

Serving as best man was Gary Swarthout, Leo and James Weber served as groomsmen, Ushers included Bob Ashbaugh and James McWilliams.

The bride's mother wore an aqua street-length dress and carried white accessories. The groom's mother chose a beige

dress with orange accessories. Both mothers were presented with corsages fashioned with baby yellow roses.

Mrs. Nancy Bowen accompanied the soloist, LeRoy Lake. A reception was held immediately following the service. Serving cake was Doris McWilliams, and Opal Brown. Attending the gift table were Peggy McWilliams and Judy Conn.

Honored guests included the bridegroom's grandparents, Mr and Mrs Guy Ordway of rural St. Johns.

Riley Lutherans host 'school'

St. Peter Lutheran Church, Riley, will host the "Equipping the Saints" study sessions Monday evenings, Oct. 6, 13, 20 and 27.

It was St. Paul who said that in the Church God had given gifts, making some apostles, or prophets, etc., for "the equipping of the saints, for the work of the ministry" (Ephesians 4:11-12).

In order to equip the saints in the Lansing area for their work of the ministry, the Capitol Circuit of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod is holding its fifth "school" for this purpose. Anyone interested, especially those of the Circuit congregations, are invited and encouraged to enroll.

This year's courses include: "Ephesians—Prescription for Unity"—which has been called the greatest and most mature of St. Paul's letters, led by Rev. Les Kimball, from the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, at Lansing.

"Rightly Dividing the Word of Truth" will be a study of the two great doctrines of the Bible: Law and Gospel, will be presented by Rev. Marvin L. Barz, pastor of St. Peter, Riley. "Methods of Teaching the Word" and helps for effective communication of God's Word, will be by Rev. Robert Koepfen of St. Johns, who has spent a number of years in the teaching profession before entering the ministry.

"Discussion Methods for Small Group," will be given by Rev. David Voorhees, chaplain with the Lansing Area Council of Churches, who spends much of



Births

Clinton's Citizens of Tomorrow

BOUGHNER — A boy, Todd Christopher, was adopted by Mr and Mrs Bruce Boughner of Maple Rapids on Aug. 16. He weighed 6 pounds, 8 1/2 ounces. Grandparents are Mrs Marjorie Boughner of Grand Ledge and Mr and Mrs F. D. Warren Sr.



CATHY HALSTED

Engaged

Cathy E. Halsted, daughter of Mr and Mrs Virgil C. Halsted, R-1, St. Johns, received her diploma Sept. 8, from Lansing Business University where she completed the secretarial course. She spent two weeks at home with her parents, before returning to Lansing where she plans to work.

Cathy is a 1968 graduate of Fulton High School.

of R-1, St. Johns. The mother is the former Cathy Warren.

DePRIEST — A boy, Vernon Lloyd, was born to Mr and Mrs Vernon DePriest of 609 Morton Street on Sept. 9 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, 13 1/2 ounces. The baby has one brother and one sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Lloyd DePriest. The mother is the former Alecia Yannatone.

TATROE — A girl, Tricia Ann, was born to Mr and Mrs Jon E. Tatroe of 503 W. Higham, St. Johns on Sept. 12, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 3 1/4 ounces. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs H. Orth Tatroe of St. Johns and Mr and Mrs Russell Sibley of DeWitt. The mother is the former Carol Sibley.

KNIGHT — A girl, Michelle Renee, was born to Mr and Mrs Thomas B. Knight of 104 1/2 W. Steel on Sept. 13 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Charles Kurpila and Mr and Mrs William Knight. The mother is the former Beth Ann Kurpila.

VITEK — A girl, Melissa Ann, was born to Mr and Mrs John Vitek of R-2, Fowler on Sept. 13, at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 7 1/4 ounces. The baby has one brother. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Donald Jorae and Mr and Mrs Alex Vitek. The mother is the former Camilla Jorae.

BECKER — A girl, Gina Lanette, was born to Mr and Mrs Gerald Becker of R-2, St. Johns on Sept. 18 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 10 1/2 ounces. The baby has two sisters. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs W. Harold Shipley and Mr and Mrs Kenneth Wing. The mother is the former Wilda Shipley.

BANCROFT — A girl, Karen Angela, was born to Mr and Mrs Gale R. Bancroft of 139 E. First St., Ovid on Sept. 20 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Dale M. Bancroft and Mrs Alfred A. Ziege and the late Mr Ziege. The mother is the former Mary L. Ziege.

ROAD — A girl, Lisa Kay, was born to Mr and Mrs Mike Road of 609 Liberty Street, Grand Ledge on Sept. 21 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Leo McCreary and Mr and Mrs Glen Road. The mother is the former Linda Halladay.

HARRISON — A girl, Sandra Lou, was born to Mr and Mrs Frank J. Harrison of St. Johns on Sept. 21 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 1 3/4 ounces. The baby has three brothers and three sisters. Grandparents are Mrs Stafford C. Smith of St. Johns, and Mr Ben F. Harrison of Owosso. The mother is the former Nancy Smith.

BROOKS — A girl, Tammy Sue, was born to Mr and Mrs Thomas C. Brooks of 308 E. Walker on Sept. 24 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces. The baby has one sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Clarence Brooks of Cheboygan and Mr and Mrs Edward Lorenz of Tawas City. The mother is the former Patricia Lorenz.

his time working in counseling with small groups and individuals. Classes will begin at 7:30 p.m. and each course will be presented twice each evening, so everyone may choose two courses.

Morning Musicales members perform at opening meet

Morning Musicales met at the home of Mrs Clifford Lumbert for their opening meeting, Sept. 18. Twenty-three members and eight guests were present.

In charge of the program was Mrs Duane Davis, who introduced members and their children, who performed in the program.

During the business meeting, it was voted that the group would donate \$50 to start a fund to purchase a new grand piano for the high school. It will be given in memory of Mary Fedewa, who was a life-long teacher of the values and performance of good music. It was decided that a small change collection would be taken at each meeting to be added to the fund at the end of the year. The next meeting will be held at 9:45 Oct. 2, at the home of Mrs Conrad Seim.

Announcements

The Lowe WSCS will meet Wednesday, Oct. 8 for a 12:30 luncheon at the home of Mrs Harold Dershem.

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Wedding

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If publication of a wedding story is desired in the first publication after it takes place, information should be submitted prior to the wedding and by the established Thursday deadline. Wedding information blanks are available at the County News office.

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Local couple wed in Hawaii

Jeanne Ann McVeigh of rural Fowler flew to Hawaii Sept. 9, where she was met by Sgt. Wesley H. Havens of rural Perrinton, who was on R and R from Vietnam.

They were married at the chapel at Ft. DeRussey by the army chaplain. After a five day honeymoon, the bride returned home, and the bride-groom returned to Vietnam for three more months of active duty.

A reception honoring the newly weds is being planned for some time in December.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs Eva McVeigh. She is currently employed by St. Clair Pardee, Architect, as a secretary. The bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs Donald Havens of rural Perrinton.

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MR AND MRS DALE THELEN

After ceremony they travel to Fla.

Susan Feldpausch became the bride of Dale L. Thelen in a double ring ceremony Sept. 20, at 1 p.m. at the Most Holy Trinity Church in Fowler. Officiating at the service was Rev Albert Schmitt.

The bride was given in marriage by her parents, Mr and Mrs Roman Feldpausch of 681 N. Maple St., Fowler.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs Harold P. Thelen of R-1, Price Rd. Pewamo.

Standing at an altar, framed with bouquets of white and blue gladiolus, the bride was dressed in an A-line gown with an empire-waist bodice fashioned of silk organza over peau de sole trimmed with flowered appliques and tear drop pearls. Her gown featured long tapered sleeves and detachable chapel-length train. Securing her shoulder-length veil of illusion was a tiered crown trimmed in rhinestones and seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums and red sweet-heart roses.

Attending the bride was Pat Feldpausch, Matron of Honor; and bridesmaids, Sharon Costello, and Doreen Thelen, Janet Rademacher acted as junior bridesmaid.

Her attendants wore floor-length aqua gowns with sleeves trimmed in white. The Junior bridesmaid wore a white floor-length gown, with sleeves trimmed in aqua.

Mother of the bride wore an aqua crepe dress and carried matching accessories. She was presented with a corsage of white carnations and yellow sweetheart roses.

The mother of the groom chose a blue brocade dress and carried matching accessories. She was presented with a corsage of white carnations and red sweetheart roses.

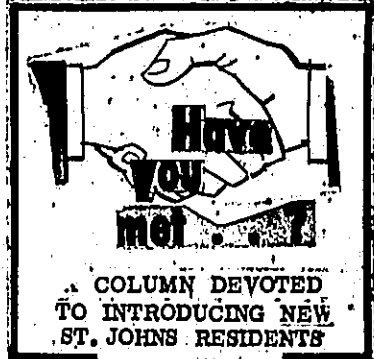
Best man was Allen Thelen. Groomsman included Bruce Thelen and Kenneth Thelen. Ushering the 400 guests were Carl Harner and Glen Thelen.

Immediately following the service a reception was held in St. Mary's Parish Hall, Westphalia. Susie Fox and Gladys Huhnagel served the wedding cake. Watching the bride's table were Eva Schaefer, Kathy Rowland, and Jean Feldpausch.

Honored guests included Mrs Regina Feldpausch, grandmother

of the bride, and Mr Alfred Snitgen, grandfather of the groom.

The new Mr and Mrs Dale Thelen went to Palm Beach, Fla., on their wedding trip. When they return, they will make their first home in Westphalia.



KENNETH KURN CZ, and his bride, Carla (Ernst) were married in June, and moved to Wisconsin. They are currently living at 800 W. State St., St. Johns. Kurncz is a student at Alma College.

BERNARD R. CHAMBERLAIN and his wife Connie are new residents at 1208 S. Lansing St. They have three children; Sheila, 13; Robert, 11; and Scott, age 6. Chamberlain is employed by Admiral Electric in Holt. The Chamberlain family was originally from Alma.

TERRY L. CRESSMAN, his wife Jane, and his son, Thomas (8 weeks old), are living at 1001 Wright St. Cressman is employed by Federal Mogul. They moved here from Ovid.

SAMUEL MEHRLEY, and his wife, Sarah, are making their first home at 207 N. Oakland St. Mehrley is a graduate research assistant at Michigan State University. Mrs Mehrley is teaching English and Speech in grades 11 and 12 at Fowler High School.

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MRS THEODORE LIETZKE

Lietzkes to live and study in Adrian

Mr and Mrs Theodore A. Lietzke are making their first home at 917 1/2 Hunt, Adrian, after their wedding on Sept. 6. They were wed at the Methodist Church of the Dunes by the Rev Albert Frevert. Willbur Scribner was the organist with Gordon Vandemark soloist. Candelabra and vases of white and yellow pompons adorned the altar.

The former Miss Ellen M. Shaver is the daughter of Mr and Mrs James Shaver, 820 S. Ferry, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs Harold Lietzke of Dewitt.

The bride chose a full length white moss crepe gown which was designed and made by her. The gown featured an empire waistline, chapel length train, and hand embroidered panel down the center front. Her chapel length veil was held in place by a headband of fresh flowers, and she carried a colonial bouquet of white roses and blue and white stephanotis.

Mrs Don Magsig was her sister's matron of honor and brides-

maids were Miss Trudy Lietzke and Miss Kathy Shaver. They wore yellow A-line crepe gowns with the sleeves accented by yellow daisies, and picture hats. Each carried a reed basket of white and yellow daisies.

William Duncan was best man with John Lerg and Paul Skinner assisting. Ushers were Larry Olsen and Jack Charletour.

Completing the wedding party as masters of ceremonies were Mr and Mrs Jack Hoebeke and Mr and Mrs Charles Duncan.

Following the ceremony the reception was held in the church parlor. Assisting were the misses Dorene Stevenson, Kathy Fowler, Terry Potter, Karen Zimmerman, Janet and LuAnn Hoebeke, Ruth and Mary Lou Shaver and Pat Green.

The couple has returned following a wedding trip to the Upper Peninsula and Canada. Mr and Mrs Lietzke are juniors at Adrian College. Mrs Lietzke is majoring in mathematics and Mr Lietzke in chemistry.

Wallings honeymoon at Springs

After a honeymoon to Colorado Springs, Colo., the new Mr and Mrs Rodney Walling will reside at R-1, St. Johns.

The local couple were united in marriage Aug. 23, at 7 p.m. by Rev Carson in the First Congregational Church. Fresh flower arrangements of white gladiolus and red chrysanthemums adorned the church altar for the double ring ceremony.

The new bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Dale Hardman of R-1, St. Johns and the bridegroom is the son of Mr and Mrs Burton Walling of 311 S. Mead Street, St. Johns.

The bride was given in marriage by her father while Mrs David Kuhns sang "O Promise Me," and "The Lord's Prayer," accompanied by Mrs Basil Diebert.

The bride selected an empire styled gown of lace over taffeta with pearl sequins and lace trimming the borders. Matching lace trimmed the edge of her train and shoulder length veil. She carried a cascade arrangement of white baby chrysanthemums tinted in royal blue.

Mrs Gary Martens served as matron of honor and bridesmaids were Mrs Susan Shaw, and Rose Walling. Renee Bashore was junior bridesmaid and Cristy Beamon flowergirl.

They wore shades of pale blue and royal blue with veil headpieces matching the bride's. Each carried a cascade arrangement of baby chrysanthemums in shades of red, white and royal blue.

The bride's mother chose a light blue sheath dress with silver accessories and a full length matching lace coat. The groom's mother selected a pink ensemble with color matched accessories. Both had corsages of white baby mums and red rose buds.

Gary Martens served as best man and groomsman were Stan Helms, Doug Walton, and Tim Walling. Master Craig Hardman, brother of the bride, served as ringbearer.

A reception was held immediately after the wedding at the VFW Hall in St. Johns for 200 guests. Mr and Mrs Gerald Bashore, aunt and uncle of the bride served as host and hostess. Those serving at the reception included Mr and Mrs Leonard Cornell, Mr and Mrs Lawrence Kuhns, Mrs Maurice Eleier, Mrs Margaret Crowell, Mrs Earl King, Mrs A. E. George and

DAC holds meet

The members of the Lansing Coureurs de Bois Chapter of the National Society Daughters of the American Colonists met with Mrs George H. Brooks, and Miss Maralyse Brooks on Saturday for a luncheon for the first meeting of the season.

Miss Brooks showed slides of early colonial settlements and battlefields, including Jamestown, Yorktown, Williamsburg, Saratoga, Lake Champlain, Fort Ticonderoga, Boston, and Plymouth.

Miss Kathy Cronkhite, Miss Shelly Glazier was in charge of the gifts.

Special guests at the wedding were the bride's great grandmothers Rita Kuhns and Mrs Louise Bashore, her grandparents Joe Shinlive and Mr and Mrs Donald Bashore, and

the groom's grandmother Mrs Gardner.

The bride attended Rodney B. Wilson High School and the groom graduated from the same school in 1966. He served two years in the Army and is now employed by Federal Mogul Corp., at St. Johns.



MR AND MRS RODNEY WALLING



MRS GARY BROWN

Fowler Graduates repeat nuptial vows

Two hundred fifty guests were present for the wedding and reception uniting Miss Betty Jane Bertram, daughter of Mr and Mrs Alfred Bertram and Gary Brown, son of Mr and Mrs Norman Brown, also of Fowler.

Holy Trinity Catholic Church was the setting for the 5 p.m. nuptial mass, Friday, Sept. 5. Rev Albert Schmitt officiated at the double ring service. Bernita Halfman, organist, accompanied the Holy Trinity Choir.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride walked to an altar decorated with white gladiolus and orange chrysanthemums. She wore a gown fashioned in silk organza over peau de sole with a full skirt. The bodice and sleeves were made of Chantilly lace with a lace insert in front. The dress featured a full chapel train of scalloped lace over silk organza. She wore a shoulder-length veil attached to a tiara set with

pearls and rhinestones. She carried an arrangement of white carnations and apricot roses.

Maureen Arens served her sister as matron of honor and bridesmaids were Virginia and Alicia Bertram. The attendants wore gowns of apricot peau de sole trimmed in lace with full length trains. Their headpieces were apricot bows with net and they carried bouquets of white carnations and apricot chrysanthemums.

Mrs Bertram chose a mint green A-line dress with matching accessories and Mrs Brown wore a gold knit A-line dress with brown accessories. They each wore a corsage of roses and chrysanthemums.

Richard Brown served his brother as best man and groomsman were Ronald Brown, and Dennis Brown. Charles Bertram and John Wieber seated the guests.

A buffet dinner was served immediately after the ceremony at the Fowler Conservation Club. Those assisting at the reception included, Agnes George, Mrs Rosie Feldpausch, Mrs Mary Lou Brown and Karen Brown. The bride changed to a jacket dress of orange knit for the honeymoon trip to Arizona, the Grand Canyon and Las Vegas. The couple will reside at 407 1/2 E. Cass Street, St. Johns.

The bride graduated from Fowler High School and the

Rachelle Beauty School. She is presently employed by the Cameo Beauty Shop. The bridegroom graduated from the same high school. He is now employed by the St. Johns Post Office.

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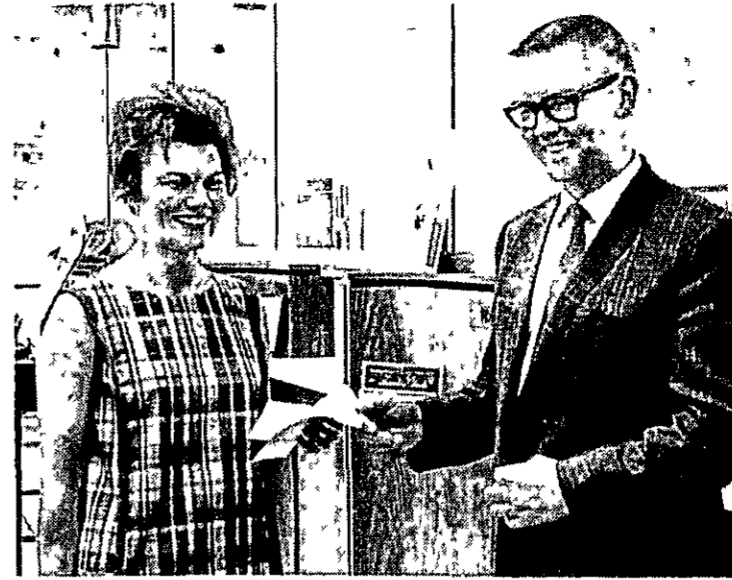
No luck at Central National or Clinton National.



Floyd Parmelee of Federal Land Bank takes time to discuss the problem with Sharon Gilrow, Rene Thelen and Debbie Harper, but no sale.



James Willette, manager of A&P sells bananas but doesn't cash them.



Finally, amid cries of "cheating" and "unfair" from Sam, Betty Minsky makes a deal with Robert Purtell on the second trip to Central National Bank.



That's right, Sam... Yes, we have no bananas today.



By SHIRLEY KARBBER
News Staff Writer

Local bankers 'slip' on automation when it comes to cashing bananas

Few people in St. Johns are aware of it, but a major controversy arose last Friday in John Minsky's 9th grade, General Business Class. Could a check written on a large ripe banana be cashed at a local bank?

The students voiced doubt so Minsky decided to prove a point. Using an idellible marker he wrote a check for \$1 on a large ripe

banana and three girls and one doubting boy were selected to "cash it."

The day previous Bruce Haas had been sent to the bank with a big ripe tomato with the same check written on its bright red

peel. He returned and reported, "The bank says they can't process a tomato through their business machines." Also the writing had gotten smeared.

Doubt and disbelief was spreading through the class like

a flu epidemic. Minsky became more determined.

Sharon Gilroy, Debbie Harper, Renee Thelen and a skeptical Sam Staley proceeded, first to the Central National Bank, ripe banana in hand, to bring back the

"cash."

Sam's purpose was to prevent the girls from cheating. He didn't trust them. He didn't believe the teacher, said he would consider tears cheating, and the only way they would get the bank to cash the check was to cry all over the bank's floor.

These are smart banks today, no foolishness. While he continued to praise modern banking methods and automation in general the group departed.

Who should be selling Exchange Club tooth brushes on the bank corner but Floyd Parmelee, manager of the Federal Land Bank. They approached him with the question of cashing the banana, er check. He agreed if they would take the \$1 and buy a toothbrush. They agreed, Sam didn't, he accused them of underhanded methods.

The group entered the Central National trailed by reporters wanting a piece of the action. Could they cash it? What would the check cancelling machine look like when the banana came sliding through?

The teller said sorry we can't process a banana. We know it's legal but we would be unable to "preserve" an accurate record of the Minsky checking account. The girls suggested they could freeze the banana and thus preserve the record. The bank had no freezer and Lee Hicks, bank official, explained that since most modern banks today have installed automation new rulings state all checks written on an account have to be "processable."

Sam said, "This bank is great! I have my savings here and I'd hate to think my bank was foolin' around with rotten banana accounts."

Undaunted, the girls proceeded to the Clinton National Bank. The first surprised teller listened politely then suggested they "go to the next window." The second teller said, "how would we get it through our machines?" They too agreed it was a legal document, but not "processable."

Sam said, "See I told you so."

Parmelee then entered the bank and attempted to cash the check, er banana from a third teller. No luck. He returned the banana. The girls returned the dollar-kept the tooth brush and took off for the A & P market.

James Willette, manager, considered the banana thoughtfully, said, "I'd rather have paper."

Sam spoke softly, "You can't fool a smart grocer into something like this. I'm gonna walk down the other aisle, I don't want him to know I'm with THEM."

The girls were getting discouraged at this point and Mrs Minsky, wife of the teacher who now appeared to be in deep water with his class, suggested she could cash the check for them and re-deposit the money to the same joint checking account. Back to Central National.

Sam said, "I think that can be called cheating."

Robert Purtell, bank official, listened respectfully, tried to discourage the four determined females, and lost. Mrs Minsky agreed to pay a special "processing" fee. The check, er banana, was cashed-re-deposited to the same account and the ladies were all smiles.

Sam said, "I've been took."

As the group departed for class a huge sigh of relief was heard coming from banks throughout the city.

Annual Statistical and Financial Report

St. Johns Public Schools of Clinton and Gratiot Counties, Michigan

The school year of 1968-69 was again a period of growth for the St. Johns Public School. The total enrollment rose by 168 from 3647 students in 1967-68 to 3815 for the 1968-69 year.

Because of the fact that four new Elementary Schools were opened the fall of 1968 the increase of enrollment was not critical in the Elementary Schools. However, since the new High School was not completed there was a great deal of crowding in the Rodney B. Wilson and Central Schools.

For the school year of 1968-69 the schools were operated with a tax levy of 8 mills allocated, 12.8 mills voted and 7 mills were levied for debt retirement. The operating deficit of \$87,532 which existed on July 1, 1968, was reduced to \$41,995 as of June 30, 1969.

On June 9, 1969, the electors of the district approved a 14.5 mill operating tax for two years.

GENERAL OPERATING FUND

RECEIPTS	AMOUNT
Deficit, July 1, 1968	\$ -87,532

REVENUE RECEIPTS:

From Local Sources:	
Current Taxes Collected	\$ 844,693
Delinquent Taxes Collected	24,012
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	1,565
Taxes Other Than Property Taxes	520
Miscellaneous Income	4,387
From Intermediate Sources:	
County Special Education	28,067
From State Sources:	
State School Aid	1,031,311
Transportation	81,123
Driver Education	7,926
Special Education	16,095
Remedial Reading	6,297
Court Placement of Children	2,374
From Federal Funds Distributed by State:	
Vocational Education	7,190
From Federal Sources:	
National Defense Education Act	1,261
Elementary-Secondary Act -Title I	27,238
Elementary-Secondary Act -Title III	53,221

Funds Due But Not Received:	
County and State Special Education	5,300
Vocational Education	10,600
National Education Defense Act	1,200
Driver Education	8,000
Delinquent Taxes	11,000
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS AND RECEIVABLES DUE	\$2,173,370

EXPENDITURES

Elementary Instruction:	
Salaries of Principals, Teachers	
Substitutes, Aides, Guidance Personnel	868,945
Contracted Services	958
Salaries of Librarians, Secretaries, Clerical	13,192
Textbooks	7,369
Teaching Supplies	17,049
Library Books, Periodicals, A-V	3,330
Office Supplies	740
Mileage and Travel	3,339
Miscellaneous	168
TOTAL	\$ 815,080
Secondary Instruction:	
Salaries of Principals, Teachers	
Substitutes, Aides, Guidance Personnel	461,572
Contracted Services	891
Salaries of Librarians, Secretaries, Clerical	17,819
Teaching Supplies	12,837
Library Books, Periodicals, A-V	6,164
Office Supplies	1,356
Travel and Mileage	1,980

Miscellaneous	1,711
Adult Education	2,444
TOTAL	\$ 606,774

Special Education:	
Salaries of Teachers	\$ 54,480
Textbooks and Teaching Supplies	753
Tuition and Transportation	5,230
Mileage and Travel	32
TOTAL	\$ 60,495

Federal Programs:	
Elementary-Secondary Act -Title I	\$ 20,328
Elementary-Secondary Act -Title III	54,206
TOTAL	\$ 83,535

Administration:	
Salaries	\$ 69,632
Contracted Services: Audits, Membership Audits, Payroll Processing, Election Inspectors	5,023
Office Supplies and Printing	3,758
Mileage and Travel	2,443
Membership Fees	990
Advertising	91
Miscellaneous	527
TOTAL	\$ 82,464

Health Services:	
Salaries	\$ 9,490
First Aid Supplies	222
Office Supplies	118
Travel and Mileage	600
TOTAL	\$ 10,430

Transportation Services:	
Salaries of Supervisor, Drivers, Mechanics	\$ 87,019
Contracted Bus Maintenance	3,130
Gasoline, Oil, Grease	13,989
Tires, Tubes, Batteries	807
Vehicle Repair Parts	4,293
Supplies and Expenses of Garage	345
Replacement of Vehicles	40,595
Insurance	3,827
Replacement of Garage Equipment	585
Interest	2,917
Bus Driver Training School	1,006
Miscellaneous	482
TOTAL	\$ 158,495

Operation of Plant:	
Custodial Services	\$ 83,938
Salary-Switchboard Operator	1,608
Contracted Services	1,700
Heating Fuel	31,861
Electricity	29,599
Telephone	7,301
Custodial Supplies	11,080
Water and Sewage	3,965
TOTAL	\$ 171,052

Maintenance of Plant:	
Salaries	\$ 19,056
Contracted Services	14,189
Supplies for Repair of Building and Equipment	7,561
Replacement of Equipment	10,223
Miscellaneous	508
TOTAL	\$ 51,516

Fixed Charges:	
Insurance Premiums and Hospitalization Subsidy	\$ 36,413
Rental of Land and Buildings	23,980
Interest on Short-Term Loans	12,486
TOTAL	\$ 72,889

Capital Outlay:	
Furniture and Equipment	\$ 15,094

Total Expenditures of General Fund and Federal Programs	\$ 2,127,833
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STATEMENT

Deficit, July 1, 1968	\$ -87,532
Total Cash Receipts and Receivables Due	2,173,370
Total Expenditures: General Fund and Federal Programs	2,127,833
Deficit, June 30, 1969	\$ -41,995

DEBT RETIREMENT FUND-1966 CASH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES July 1, 1968 to June 30, 1969

Fund Balance, July, 1968	\$ 129,567.70
Receipts:	
Current Tax Collections	288,448.24
Delinquent Tax Collections	12,842.79
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	759.88
	\$ 302,060.89
Interest on Investments	306,016.98
Expenditures:	\$ 435,584.88
Redemption of Serial Bonds	\$ 100,000.00
Interest on Bonded Debt	234,850.00
Paying Agents Fee	330.06
	\$ 335,180.06
Transfer to Olive Center Debt Retirement Fund	350.00
Fund Balance, June 30, 1969 (Note A)	\$ 100,054.62

Note A, Represented by:	
Cash in Bank	\$ 5,054.62
Certificates of Deposit	95,000.00
	\$ 100,054.62

EUREKA DEBT RETIREMENT FUND

Fund Balance, July 1, 1968 and June 30, 1969	\$ 6.17
Receipts:	
Delinquent Tax Collections	\$ 30.98
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	2.11
	\$ 33.09
Proceeds From Loan-State School Bond Loan Fund	\$ 2,900.00
Transfer From Debt Retirement Fund-St. Johns 1966	350.00
	\$ 3,283.09
Disbursements:	
Redemption of School Bonds	\$ 2,000.00
Interest on Bonded Debt	1,670.00
	\$ 3,670.00
Fund Balance, June 30, 1969	\$ 126.79

BUILDING AND SITE FUND CASH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES July 1, 1968 to June 30, 1969

Fund Balance, July 1, 1968	\$2,139,034.33
Receipts:	
Interest Earned on Investments	\$ 205,579.76
Proceeds From Sale of School Property	11,859.00
	\$ 217,438.76
Reimbursement-Vocational Education	1,923.00
	\$ 219,361.76
Expenditures:	
Building and Site	\$1,509,868.33
Furniture and Fixtures	45,044.79
	\$ 1,554,913.12
Expenditures Incurred in Connection with Sale of School Property	1,024.05
	\$ 1,555,937.17
Fund Balance, June 30, 1969 (Note A)	\$ 802,498.92

Note A, Represented by:	
Cash in Bank	\$ 1,501.01
Certificates of Deposit	800,997.91
	\$ 802,498.92

SECRETARY'S SUMMARY OF FUND BALANCES as of June 30, 1969

General Operating Fund (Deficit)	\$ -41,995.00
1966 Debt Retirement Fund	100,054.62
Eureka Debt Retirement Fund	6.17
Olive Center Debt Retirement Fund	126.79
Building and Site Fund	802,498.42
	\$ 860,691.00

FRED G. MEYER
Secretary

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Mr and Mrs Jesse Perkins and their daughter and son-in-law Mr and Mrs Frank Odell of California spent a few days recently at Twin Lakes at Lewiston with Mr and Mrs Donald Jeffers.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Patterson of Wacousta were recent callers of Mr and Mrs Howard Dennis.

Bruce Strouse won two trophies at the horse show Sunday at Ashley.

Mr and Mrs Cyril Giffels, Mr and Mrs Fred Lapinski and Mr and Mrs Roy Ryder of Lansing spent last Saturday evening with Mr and Mrs Ray Scott.

Mr and Mrs Jesse Perkins entertained their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren Sept. 21 in honor of their daughter and son-in-law who have been here several weeks visiting from California.

Mr and Mrs George Weeks and Mr and Mrs Mike Weeks of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Orval White.

Floyd Upton who has moved to his new home in Ovid recently called on several friends in this vicinity.

REGULAR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

The Clinton County Zoning Commission will hold a regular meeting on

Tuesday, October 14, 1969
at 8 p.m.

in the Courthouse in 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.

WILLIAM M. COFFEY,
Zoning Administrator

770,000 dimes, 308,000 quarters . . . and one penny

(Excedrin headache No. 150,000 for manager of bank at Ovid)

Editor's Note: Here is a reprint of the story by former News Editor Lowell G. Rinker which received a first place award from the Michigan Press Association.

By LOWELL G. RINKER
Editor

OVID—One of the great fascinating untold stories of the year 1968 can now be told. It involved more than a million dimes and quarters, plus one penny and probably a bottle of Excedrin.

For nearly two months the vault at the Central National Bank office in Ovid was a giant lock box for more than \$150,000 in dimes and quarters stored there by private citizens from another county.

The money had been hoarded for years, undoubtedly for speculative purposes. When the speculator passed away, the man's survivors gathered the silver coins together and searched for a place to store it.

This is where Central National Bank came in.

"This whole deal has been strictly a headache since I first laid eyes on it," Willie Tabor, assistant cashier and manager of the Ovid bank office, said in retrospect. "It kind of snowballed. I never would have accepted it had I known what it was all about. And I would not wish it on anybody."

The story he tells is fascinating, even if it isn't complete. For understandable reasons, Tabor is not disclosing the names of the people involved nor even where they're from. A lot of whys and wherefores of the vast collection of silver aren't known either, and perhaps they are nobody's business. But the general facts can now be told—the money has been removed from the bank and Tabor is breathing normally again.

It all started back about the middle of October. Tabor said an Ovid businessman called him up and wanted to know if the bank could store "some silver" in coin that had been accumulated for speculative purposes.

"We do have some extra storage space," Tabor said, "and it wasn't an unusual request. We frequently have people who want to store some money or valuables for a short period."

So Tabor agreed to store the silver. That was on Oct. 19. Several mornings later he got a call that the money was in Ovid waiting to be unloaded and stored. To Tabor's surprise, he found a heavy equipment truck parked at the side of the bank. On it was a single wooden box about six by 10 feet in size, filled with bags of silver coins.

"I was amazed," Tabor said. "I have gone and gotten for our own use \$10-\$15,000 in silver, but any more than that was kind of hard to visualize. We never did know the amount that was stored until we completed a count of it on Monday, Nov. 18."

The face value of the money came to several thousand more than \$150,000. There were roughly 1,078,000 coins, including about 770,000 dimes and 308,000 quarters. There was also one penny, one or two nickels and a few half dollars.

Normally the bank would not have made a count of the funds. But shortly after the silver had been stored at the bank, a legal determination was made that it was part of the estate of the deceased man who had collected it. With this determination, it became the duty of the county treasurer in the county where the money was stored to come in and make an inventory.

"It was just like opening a lock box, actually," Tabor pointed out. "She (Mrs. Velma Beaufore, Clinton County treasurer) would make an inventory for the administrator or executor of the estate. So the vault was one big lock box."

Because Tabor and his aides, as well as Mrs. Beaufore, have other duties, it was decided to make the count of the huge silver pile after normal working hours. They started counting Nov. 4 and accumulated about 20 man hours on it that night, Nov. 14 and Nov. 18 before the job was completed.

The counting was done in a basement room, small and with low ceilings. It was hot and stuffy—and dusty, because several of the bags had dirt mixed in.

"We don't know how the dirt got there," Tabor said. "Perhaps it was in a container and buried, although I don't know. It did make it uncomfortable in there for a while until the dust died down. We used a square quarter-inch screen to screen the dust out."

A machine was used to count the coins, but even then it took a long time. Three minutes were necessary to count \$1,000 in quarters, and it took about twice as long for dimes. There was about \$77,000 in dimes and \$77,000 in quarters, Tabor said.

The money when it came in was in bags, and Tabor reported it was pretty accurately counted. In some cases, dimes and quarters were mixed in together, so these had to be separated before they were counted. About one third of the coins were put in \$1,000 bags and the rest in \$500 bags.

The weight was tremendous. With a roll of quarters weighing about a half-pound, Tabor figures there was around 35 tons of silver coin involved. That's why the heavy truck was necessary to bring it over; the truck normally was

used for hauling bulldozers and draglines.

PRESENCE OF A large amount of money at the Central National Bank in Ovid wasn't general public knowledge, but it was by no means a secret. Nobody would

St. Peter centennial concludes

Sunday, October 5 will be a day of special services and fellowship at St. Peter Lutheran Church, Riley. This will climax a year of Centennial observances which began on Jan. 6.

Dr. Edwin C. Weber, of Fraser, Mich., a vice-president of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, will be guest speaker at the 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. service.

Rev. James Moehring, of Beulah, Mich., a grandson of a former pastor of St. Peter congregation, will preach at the 3 p.m. service.

Rev. William C. Huener, Circuit Counselor for the Capitol Circuit, and Rev. David Voorhees, both of Lansing will have brief devotions for the 7:30 p.m. Song Service.

Music will be provided by the church choir and the children of St. Peter Lutheran School. Choir members from St. Paul Lutheran Church, Fowler; St. Johns Lutheran Church, at St. Johns; and the Hope Lutheran Church, at DeWitt, have been invited to join the choir for the afternoon service.

Former choir members will unite their voices with the present choir for the evening service and the congregation will sing many of their favorite hymns.

Dinner will be served at noon for all guests. A fellowship hour and a lunch will follow the evening service and conclude the year's Centennial activities.

have realized what was going on by seeing the truck on the highway, with two cars following it, but when it got to Ovid Oct. 21 it was just about bank opening time, and a lot of people going to work saw it being unloaded.

"People would ask me about it on the street," Tabor said. "I'd have to say it was 'just another deposit' and try to let it go at that."

The coins stored at the bank were run-of-the-mill, Tabor said. There were some Canadian coins, some mercury dimes and some Roosevelt dimes. Generally they weren't old coins.

"This was strictly speculation," Tabor said. "It's over and above what a normal coin collection would be. I'd say he had been at it three to five years. It's only been two or three years that this silver thing has broken loose."

Tabor said that while accumulation of this amount of coin certainly is unusual, it is not unusual that people are putting silver away. "When the government started making clad coin there was a lot of people who started investing in the silver coins due to the shortage of silver, which is commonplace nowadays. The silver content in a quarter is around 90 per cent, so at today's prices it would be feasible to purchase this silver coin and hold it in hopes that the government would release their ban on smelting."

"It could be an expensive venture, too, depending on when they get rid of the silver. . . ."

"Some collectors are paying 10-15 per cent over face value for silver coin. There's a lot of it around, but people just have it hoarded up. And this is partially what created our national coin shortage. People who make film and jewelry use a lot of silver. They're just not processing silver like they used to because it is getting costly. So if they don't produce it out of the mines, it becomes scarce and this adds to the price."

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are backed by silver—our silver certificates. For over a year the government advertised they would buy these back for silver bullion at the rate of \$1.29 per ounce when the world market calls for \$1.78 per ounce. So these people who turned in the silver certificates actually got the silver for speculation, and again it drives up the price of silver to where it's feasible to melt the coin."

Tabor pointed out this is not the case yet, and there are heavy fines involved for those melting silver coins.

Tabor said the bank took no special precautions during the eight weeks the coin was stored at Central National—except to keep their fingers crossed. "It was safe in the vault. It is thick concrete, steel lined, and it isn't feasible for anybody to open up a bank vault today."

"But it makes you kind of nervous," he admitted. "It isn't that somebody could come in and make off with the whole thing, because this would almost be an impossibility. But a lot of people wouldn't understand this. They figure \$150,000 with no idea of the size and weight involved."

"For example, if somebody knew it was here and they wanted to knock over the place, they could never load it all in without being caught, in the first place. It would take an hour to load it, and Lord

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only know how long before they could get at it."

He said it would be hard to even get away with any more than \$10-15,000 of it unless they had an awfully awfully strong truck, and usually people just don't do these things in a truck.

"By loading \$10-15,000 in a car, if your springs did hold out, you'd go down the street like a motorboat at full throttle—your front end's going to be high and your rear end low. In a car you couldn't disperse it out where it would be level."

Tabor said his and the bank's main concern involved personnel, and that's why the story hasn't been made general public knowledge until now that the hoard has been removed from the bank.

"If somebody did want to knock

us over, they might raise more damage by getting the employment involved. This was my main concern," Tabor commented. "You don't want to see anybody get hurt. In a deal like this it would be possible, although if anybody did break in it would be at night so employees wouldn't be here. But this is always on your mind that somebody would be stupid enough to try it."

A few Excedrin tablets probably tumbled from the bottle during the course of Central National's great coin adventure. Tabor has vowed it will be the first and only time it happens.

"I think hereafter that if anybody wants to store something in our vault, we'll find out how much and a little more about what we're talking about before we say yes," he said.

PUBLIC HEARING CITY COMMISSION City Commission Chambers 8:00 p.m.

Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held at 8:00 p.m. **Monday, October 20, 1969**

by the City Commission, in the Commission Chambers, Municipal Building, for the purpose of hearing all persons interested in a proposed amendment to the Zoning Map, which by Ordinance No. 131, Article 11, Section 201 is made a part of the Zoning Ordinance. Said amendment, if adopted by the City Commission, would establish the following Zoning classifications to the following described land:

The Zoning Map would be so amended as to fix the Zoning classification on that part of the following described parcel of land having frontage on US-27 to a depth of 300 feet as General Commercial and the balance of the following described parcel of land as M-1.

The Zoning Map would be so amended as to the following described property:

Commencing at the North 1/4 Corner, Run S 930 Feet, W 833.3 Feet, SW 338.6 Feet, NW Along US-27 519 Feet, N 677 Feet, E 18 Feet, N 94 Feet, W 18 Feet, N 33 Feet, E 1213 Feet to P.O. B.

THOMAS L. HUNDLEY
City Clerk 22-1



10 YEARS WITH THE CLINTON COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

Eight men of the Clinton County Road Commission received 10 year awards last week at the county office. Those receiving engraved pen sets included; Joe Barrett, Raymond Martens, Dean Moon, Edwin Nobis, Glen Schlarf, Lewis Smith and Joe Witten. Roy Pung, Superintendent, is shown on the far right presenting the awards. Lloyd Myers has also been employed by the commission 10 years but was not present for the picture.

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WANTED: Reliable woman to help with elderly lady. Must stay nights, be dependable and neat. Inquire at 702 Garfield, St. Johns between 1 and 3 p.m., Thursday and Friday. 21-3p

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WHIRLPOOL 15-cu. ft. refrigerator, floor-free with ice maker. Frost model, \$299. Fox Implement Co., Fowler. Ph: 582-2821. 22-1

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GARAGE SALE: At Plowman School, corner of Airport and Pratt Rds. Adult winter coats, dresses, chubby girls dresses. Man's suit, sweater. Misc. items. Oct. 3, 4, and 5. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. 22-1dh

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FOR SALE: 1961 John Deere 45 combine, rasp bar, cylinder with 2 1/2 corn head, \$2,500. Phone 224-7486. 10-1t

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FOR SALE: Corn picker, New Idea No. 6, 2-row, pull type. Good condition. Ph: 224-3694. 22-3p

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Obituaries in the Clinton County area

Mary Snyder

Mary P. Snyder, 81, of 632 S. Maple Street, Maple Rapids, passed away Saturday, Sept. 27, at 7 a.m. at Carson City Hospital. She had been ill for a long time.

Funeral services were held at the Abbott Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home on Tuesday, Sept. 30, at 2 p.m. Rev Robert Myers officiated and interment was in the Sowle Cemetery.

Miss Snyder was born in Maple Rapids on Oct. 27, 1887, the daughter of Orval and Carrie Moss Snyder. She had lived most of her life in the Maple Rapids area.

She was a member of the Congregational Christian Church of Maple Rapids and the Sorosis Club. She had been employed as the village librarian.

Survivors include, two nieces, Mrs Hazel Wright of Maple Rapids and Mrs Virginia Angel of North Carolina; and three nephews, William and Orval Snyder of Ohio and Robert Snyder of Illinois.

Callie Ensor

Callie C. Ensor, 88, of 5637 Britton Road, Bancroft, Mich., passed away Sunday, Sept. 21 at her residence.

Funeral services were held at the Houghton Chapel of Osgood Funeral Homes in Ovid Wednesday, Sept. 24, at 10 a.m. with interment in Middlebury Cemetery. Rev Robert Prange officiated.

Mrs Ensor was born at Mt. Sterling, Ky., on June 17, 1881, the daughter of John and Mary Jane Tabor. She attended Mt. Sterling schools and resided in Welch, W. Va., in 1918. She came to Michigan in 1940, and formerly lived on Upton Road near Ovid. She was married to Oscar Ensor at Mt. Sterling in 1895. Survivors include, four daugh-

ters, Mrs Ailyn (Agnes) Butler of Laingsburg, Mrs Arthur (Arden) James of War, W. Va., Mrs Lonnie (Noma) Chapman of R-1, Morrice, Mich., and Mrs Frances Chapman of Lansing; one son, Oliver Ensor of War, W. Va.; 23 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; 16 great-great-grandchildren; and 14 great-great-great-grandchildren.

M.E. George

Milton E. George, 79, of Ashley, died early Saturday morning, Sept. 20, 1969, at the Gratiot Community Hospital following a brief illness.

George was born at Benton Ridge, Ohio, Sept. 24, 1889. He came to Michigan in 1900, and married Gertrude Briggs, who died in April of 1956.

George taught school in the Carson City - Crystal area for many years and was active in banking and farming until 1943, when he moved to Ashley. There, George became involved in the reorganization of the First State Bank of Ashley, and was cashier until his retirement in 1958. He continued his duties as Loan Board officer at the Ashley Branch of the Bank of Alma, and Real Estate activities until just prior to his hospitalization.

Funeral services were held at the Burns-Schnepf Funeral Home at Carson City on Monday, Sept. 22 at 1 p.m. Rev Charles Hull of Carson City officiated. Burial was in the Carson City Cemetery.

George is survived by one son, Milton M. of Ashley; two grandsons, Lee M. of Pleasant, and Bruce, who is in the army; five sisters, Mrs Clara Jackson of Findlay, Ohio, Mrs Frances Spencer of Toledo, Ohio, Mrs Ella Ralph of St. Ignace, Fla., and Mrs Iva Showerman of Lansing.

Fredrick Lepper

Fredrick T. Lepper, 87, formerly of 120 E. Pearl Street, Ovid, passed away Saturday, Sept. 27, at 5:10 a.m. in Lansing General Hospital. He had been ill over a year.

Funeral services were held at the Houghton Chapel of Osgood Funeral Homes in Ovid on Monday, Sept. 29, at 2 p.m. Interment was in the Middlebury Cemetery with Rev Walter A. Kargus III officiating.

Mr Lepper was born in Detroit on Dec. 10, 1882. He resided most of his life in Detroit, but had lived the past 25 years in Ovid. He was married to the former Charlotte Alchin in Lansing in 1950 who preceded him in death in 1962. Mr Lepper was a life member of the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include, one step-daughter, Mrs Gordon Tubbs of Arkansas; one step-son, Gerald Eglin of Windsor, Ontario; two step-grandsons; one brother, Arthur of Detroit; and one sister, Mrs Maggie Brock of Corunna.

Clara Cowles

Mrs Clara Cowles, 90, of 411 Riverside Drive, Portland, passed away at her home Saturday, Sept. 27.

Funeral services will be held today, at the Neller Funeral Home in Portland at 11 a.m. with graveside services conducted at 2 p.m. at the Sowle Cemetery in Maple Rapids.

The family requests contributions be made to the Heart Fund. Survivors include, one daughter, Mrs Webster Linebaugh of Lyons; one son, Glenn of South Haven; nine grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

Vesta Sleight

Vesta M. Sleight, 72, of R-5, St. Johns, died Oct. 24 in Carson City Hospital, after being hospitalized for five weeks. The immediate cause of death was pneumonia.

Funeral services were conducted at the McDougall Funeral Home, Laingsburg, Saturday, beginning at 2 p.m. Rev Robert Prang conducted the services. Interment was at the Reed Cemetery.

Mrs Sleight was born in Honor, Sept. 18, 1897, the daughter of Richard and Cora Smith Ely. She attended Honor Public Schools until she graduated from high school.

Vesta Ely married Donald Sleight at St. Johns, in 1931. For 33 years they have lived at their farm, located in Victor Township. Mrs Sleight owned and operated the Central Inn for eight years. Other services included, membership in the Victor Farm Bureau, and serving with the Reed Cemetery Association as treasurer for 20 years.

Vesta M. Sleight is survived by her husband, Donald; her son, Robert Trombley, of Durango, Colorado; her daughters, Mrs Keith (Elaine) Acker, of Ypsilanti, and Mrs Richard (Beverly) Archer of R-5, St. Johns; 10 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and brother, Archie Ely of Honor.

It has been requested that contributions be made to Reed Cemetery Association, in care of Mrs Stanley Morrill.

Miguel Martinez

Miguel Martinez Sr., 76, of R-4, St. Johns died after a brief illness Friday, Sept. 26, at 5 p.m. in Clinton Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were held Monday, Sept. 28, at 11 a.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Burial was in Mt. Rest Cemetery. The rosary was recited at 8 p.m. Sunday evening at the Osgood Funeral Home.

Mr Martinez was born in Mexico, Sept. 28, 1893, the son of Vianno and Juanita Martinez. He resided most of his life in the St. Johns area coming here from Texas in 1932.

He was married to Matilda Marin in Mexico and was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church. He was employed as a laborer.

Survivors include his wife, Matilda; four sons, Ignacio, Francisco, Miguel and Jose all of St. Johns; three daughters, Mrs Juanita Trevino of Lansing, Mrs Cecilia Willis of Detroit, and Mrs Maria Soltz of Mason; 64 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Walter Rose

WACOUSTA—Walter Rose, 90, of South Bend, Ind., died Sept. 20 at a South Bend hospital. He had been hospitalized one week but had been in poor health the past year. Graveside services were held Wednesday, Sept. 24, at 1 p.m. at the Wacousta Cemetery.

Mr Rose was born in Watertown Township on Feb. 1, 1879, the son of Lewis and Esther Rose. He attended the Kincaid school and graduated from Wacousta. He had resided in Watertown

Township and Grand Ledge until six years ago when he went to live with his son Duane in South Bend. He was married to Bertha Perkins at McBride and made farming his life's work. Mr Rose was a member of the Grand Ledge Church of God.

Survivors include, one daughter, Myrtle Kowalk of New York City; one son, Duane of South Bend; one sister, Kathryn Klein of Lansing; and 10 grandchildren.

Open house to honor Fowler couple

An open house will be held on Sunday, Oct. 5, honoring Mr and Mrs Ernest Halfmann on their 50th wedding anniversary.

The celebration will be from 2 until 5 p.m. at 10760 E. Third Street, in Fowler, the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Raymond J. Halfmann. Co-hosting the affair will be their daughters and sons-in-law, Mr and Mrs Bernard Cook and Mr and Mrs Ted Vail.

Mr Halfmann married the former Miss Mary Martin on Oct. 7, 1919. Both are retired from the Postal Department.

The couple has eleven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. It is requested that there be no gifts.

Announcements

The women of the Maple Rapids Congregational Christian Church U.C.C. are sponsoring their annual Turkey Dinner, Thursday, Oct. 2. Serving will begin at 5 p.m. and continue until all have eaten. The public is cordially invited.

Norman B. Holmes, C.S.B. of Chicago, will discuss "What is Your Standard for Living?" in a Christian Science lecture, Oct. 2, at 8:15 p.m. in the Owsosoo High School Auditorium. The First Church of Christian Scientists are sponsoring the lecture, which will last about an hour. Admission is free, and everyone is welcome.

Bingham Grange will meet at the grange hall on Friday, Oct. 3, at 8 p.m. A business meeting will be followed by a card party. Light refreshments will be served.

The W.R.C. will hold a regular meeting and thimble party at the home of Millie Abbott and Flossie Woodhams, 608 S. Clinton Ave., Oct. 7.

Bridgeville

By Mrs Thelma Woodbury

Mrs Bruce Hulbert and sons Jeff and Marty, Mrs Lianne Van Horn and daughters Kim and Kelly and Brian and Shelly Hulbert were Sunday dinner guest, Sept. 21, of Mr and Mrs John Woodbury. The family celebrated the birthday of Thelma Woodbury. Mr and Mrs Charles Boots Jr., Jim Boots and sons David and Steve were dinner guest of Mr and Mrs Douglas Hulbert and helped pour their basement floor, Sept. 21.

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Words cannot express our gratitude for the wonderful care our father, Charles Harmon, received in the Veteran's Hospital, Ann Arbor and the Clinton Memorial Hospital; the many visits, flowers, cards and other kindnesses shown during the past several months while he was so ill. We appreciate the many floral offerings, the food, the comforting words of Rev Showers. We especially want to thank the Carters, Mrs Florence Ewer, Mrs Ulah English and Mrs Cereia Thornton for their help during this time. God Bless each and every one of you. —Bob and Dorothy Harmon and Howard and Judy Eldridge. 22-1p

I would like to extend my thanks to Drs Russell and Grost, hospital staff, Gray Ladies and Candy Strippers for their services during my recent stay in the hospital. Also to my neighbors and friends, to the bridge club, Order of Eastern Stars, Rebekah Lodge and St. Johns Commandery for the flowers, gifts and cards and the many visits they made while I was hospitalized. Thanks to everyone. —Mrs Bobbie Hettler. 22-1p

The family of James Y. Smith wish to thank their friends and neighbors for flowers, also to all who brought in food, to Rev Brian Sheen for his message. A special thanks to Ray and Iva Mae Warner, Levi and Rudy Blakeslee, and Blanche Shoup. Your kindnesses will be remembered. 22-1p

We want to thank all our neighbors, relatives and friends for their visits, calls, prayers, get well cards, flowers and gifts, Mrs Miller, Spillane, A. Schmitt, and Guba for their prayers and visits; Drs Swartz, Cook, Wainright, Robinson, the nurses, aides, staff, for their wonderful care; the Sisters, Father Kierman for his spiritual comfort while our mother was a patient at St. Lawrence Hospital. Our sincere appreciation for the many prayers, mass card offerings, flowers and sympathy cards; Mr and Mrs Herman Geller for funeral arrangements; the Rev Frs, Sisters, pall bearers, Christian Mothers Confraternity, choir, food donations, the ladies that made and served the dinner and all other acts of kindness were deeply appreciated. —The family of Mrs Martha Bohr. 22-1p

★ IN MEMORIAM

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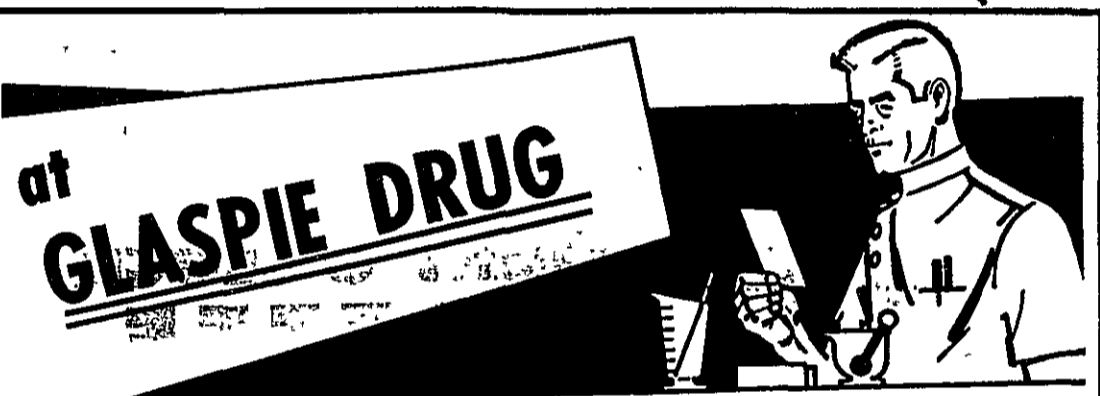
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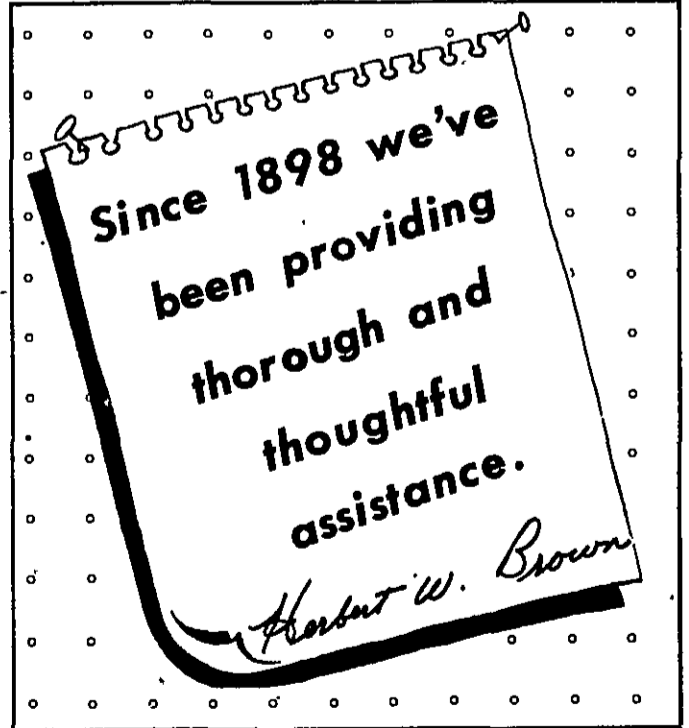
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at 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of considering financing the sewer project as being studied by the Clinton County Department of Public Works. Said meeting to be held at DeWitt Township Hall No. 2, 780 E. Wieland Road, Lansing, Michigan. PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED.

DONNA B. SYVERSON
DeWitt Township Clerk

22-1



MRS KARL KREMER

Autumn wedding vows at Carland

White chrysanthemums and gladiolus framed the altar of the Carland United Methodist Church for the candlelight marriage Saturday evening of Rolayne Fae Sloat, daughter of Mr and Mrs Richard Sloat of Carland and Karl M. Kremer, son of Mrs Marcus Kremer and the late Mr Kremer. The Rev Horace Freeman officiated.

Family living clinic set

The seventh day of October is the date set for the first Extension Family Living training lesson in Clinton County.

The meeting will be held in St. Johns at Smith Hall, to begin at 4:30 p.m. The lesson will center about Hawaii. Extension families have been interested in broadening their horizons by studying food habits, customs and traditions of their neighbors at home and across the seas. Hawaii, our 50th state, offers inspiration for this enjoyable adventure. Extension Study Groups may send two leaders; other groups are asked to contact the county Home Economist to pre-register for the class.

Helen Meach, Home Economist will present the lesson. Foods have been prepared for sampling; there will be outlines for leaders to use in re-teaching study group members. Special slides will be a part of this "Visit to Hawaii."

'Handy Andys' elected

The "Handy Andys" 4-H Club of Westphalia met Sept. 24 for an election of officers. The new officers are: Jan Marie Scheuler, president; Barbara Thelen, vice-president; Ruth Thelen, secretary; Linda Thelen, treasurer; Mary Thelen, telephone reporter; Mary Rademacher, and Sandy Thelen, recreation leaders; and Linda Fedewa, news reporter.

The meeting was held at the home of Jo Ann Smith. Two new members were enrolled in the club, they are Mary Rademacher and Colleen Schmitz.

Richard Holcomb weds Rosalee Yurcso

Two graduates of Rodney B. Wilson High School in 1968 were married Aug. 23 at St. Peter Lutheran Church. The 7 p.m. service united Miss Rosalee Yurcso, daughter of Mr and Mrs Steven Yurcso of R-2, Taft Road, St. Johns and B. Richard Holcomb of Fort Knox, Ky., son of Mr and Mrs Bud Holcomb of 210 Hurd Street, St. Johns.

Area priests among those on new orders

A number of priests with Clinton County ties were among those receiving reassignment orders last week according to an announcement from the office of the Most Rev Alexander Zaleski, bishop of the Diocese of Lansing.

Included in the reassignment schedule are Frs William J. Koenigsnecht, Walter J. Spillane and Matthew J. Fedewa.

Fr Koenigsnecht, a native of Fowler and serving his ordination in June 1968 has been assigned as an associate pastor of St. Mary Cathedral.

Fr Spillane, currently assigned to St. Mary Westphalia, will assume an associate pastorate at St. Jerome, Battle Creek.

Fr Fedewa has received a special assignment in the religious education program in the Lansing area with residence at Gabriels High School.

Rev Marvin Barz performed the 7 p.m. candlelight ceremony in the presence of 250 guests. The wedding music was played by Herbert DePeal. Bouquets of white gladiolus were placed on the church altar for the ceremony.

The bride chose a lace over satin gown trimmed with a lace ruffle and satin buttons. Her train was attached at the waist and she wore an illusion veil fastened to a pearl crown, and carried a white Bible with one single long stemmed rose enhanced with ferns.

Debbie Yurcso served her sister as maid of honor. She wore a long gown of robin egg blue with white bodice and blue satin bow at the waist. Ruffles trimmed the sleeves, front and hemline of the gown. Her headpiece held a floor length veil and she carried a white Bible with a single long stemmed rose.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs Yurcso chose a blue cotton brocade sheath dress with navy blue accessories. Mrs Holcomb



MR AND MRS RICHARD HOLCOMB

selected a pink sheath dress with white accessories. They each wore a corsage of white carnations and blue roses.

Victor Holcomb served his brother as best man and Jeff Hansen and Tim Sirod ushered the guests.

Special guests were Mrs Al Mercur, of Miami Fla., and Oscar Scarberry of Ohio.

After a trip to Kentucky the bride will return to stay with her parents while the groom has a tour of duty in Vietnam for one year.

A reception was held at the bride's home immediately after the service where a buffet supper was served. Those assisting at the reception included, Caroline Padgett, Regina Sehke, Mary Rademacher, Marilyn Weber, and Jeannie Sillman. Mr and Mrs Carl Ludwick acted as host and hostess.

The Brown Bees Study Group met Sept. 18 with Mrs Gertrude Doak. The meeting came to order with all the members reciting the Women's Creed, after which the council report was read and plans for a workshop at Smith Hall were discussed. Mrs Raymond Thayer won the mystery prize.



MR AND MRS SWAGART

Swagarts celebrate 50th anniversary

The children of Mr and Mrs Elmer Swagart will hold an open house at the Greenbush Church, Sunday, Oct. 5, from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. to honor their parents on their golden wedding anniversary. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited.

Elmer Swagart and Mable Hulbert were married in the Methodist parsonage in St. Johns by the Rev Dr Edward Armstrong, Oct. 8, 1919. They have farmed for 36 1/2 years on their present farm in Greenbush Township.

Mrs Swagart was a 4-H Clothing Club Leader for 17 winters, and served as her township treasurer for eight years.

At present, Mr Swagart is on the Township Board of Review, a position that he has held for the past few years.

The Swagarts are active members of the Greenbush United Methodist Church and of the County Farm Bureau.

The couple has three children; Donald Swagart, Phyllis Rice, and Louise Beemer of Grand Rapids. They have seven grandchildren.



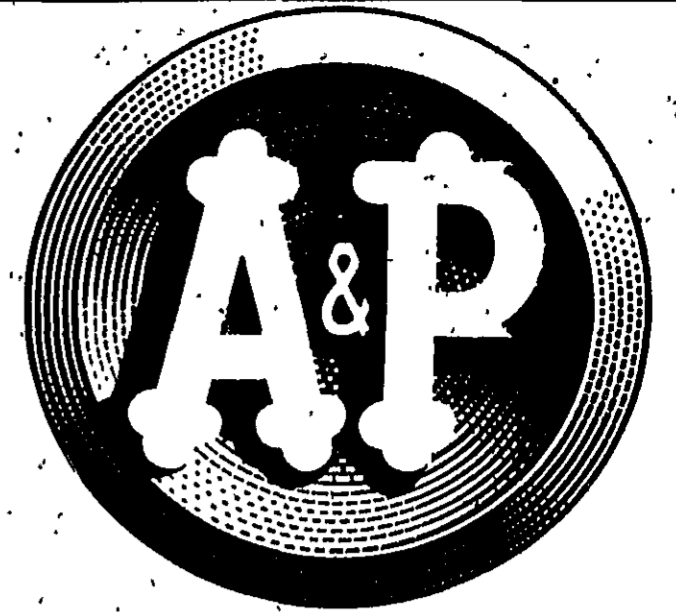
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It's P-W over Webberville, 12-0

Pewamo-Westphalia remained undefeated and unscored on over the weekend as the Pirates continued in defense of their Central Michigan Athletic Conference title.

The Pirates needed only a pair of first half touchdowns to stop Webberville, 12-0, Friday.

P-W picked up the first six when Randy Schafer recovered a fumble in the end zone following a blocked punt.

The other TD came on a 45-yard pass play from John Bengle to Don Pohl.

This week the Pirates, 2-0 in league play travel to Fowler for another CMAC battle. Overall, P-W has a 2-0-1 record.

Last year P-W thrashed Fowler 30-0. Fowler this season is winless in three games.

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Double threat
Trying for a punting specialist berth with Michigan State's 1969 football squad is sophomore Pat Miller of Menominee, in school on a basketball grant-in-aid.

Football

	Overall			League		
	W	L	T	W	L	T
DeWitt	3	0	0	2	0	0
Pewamo-West	2	0	1	2	0	0
Bath	2	1	0	2	0	0
St. Johns	2	1	0	1	1	0
Fulton	1	2	0	0	2	0
Fowler	0	3	0	0	2	0
Ovid-Elsie	0	3	0	0	1	0

GAMES THIS WEEK
Waverly at St. Johns
Pewamo-Westphalia at Fowler
Bath at Perry
Fulton at Maple Valley
Laingsburg at DeWitt
Bullock Creek at Ovid-Elsie

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS
Ionia 20, St. Johns 19
Pewamo-Westphalia 12, Webberville 0
DeWitt 18, Owosso St. Pat 0
Bath 22, Pinckney 0
Lakeview 12, Fulton 8
Portland St. Pat 14, Fowler 6
Ithaca 18, Ovid-Elsie 12

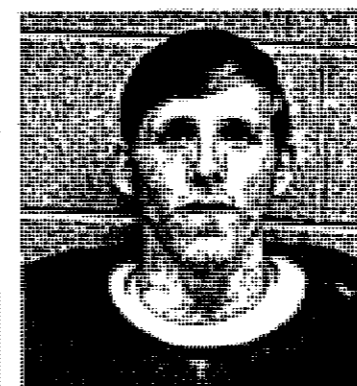
ST. JOHNS REDWINGS Stars of the week

Back

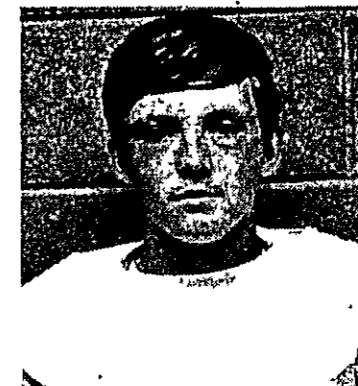


JEFF SILM
Halfback

Honorary Captains



JEFF SILM
Halfback



GREG KIRBY
Halfback

Lineman



BRIAN BALLINGER
Tackle

No, you're not seeing double, Jeff Silm has been accorded dual honors by Head Coach Jeff Smith.

The senior Halfback was named Back of the Week and Honorary Captain for his effort against Ionia which included rushing for

93 yards and two touchdowns. Silm made the Bulldogs see double more than once Friday night as he put on a dazzling display which Smith termed "fantastic." His 38-yard touchdown run was "one of the finest" Smith says he's had the pleasure to see.

Senior halfback Greg Kirby was named as an honorary captain this week by Head Coach Jeff Smith who was impressed by Kirby's hustle, not only in the game but in practice, too. Smith was especially pleased by Kirby's running.

Senior tackle Brian Ballinger was named lineman of the week by Head Coach Jeff Smith for his "outstanding job of blocking on offense." Defensively the 5-foot-11, 175-pound Ballinger also was in on 15 tackles against Ionia.

Pre-competition session

Punt, Pass and Kick clinic Saturday

In order to help boys sharpen their punting, passing and kicking skills for the ninth annual Punt, Pass and Kick Competition to be held Oct. 11 a special pre-competition football clinic will be conducted by Roger Beebe and the St. Johns Jaycees.

The clinic will feature instruction in all of the elements which will be used to determine PP&K winners. It will be held Saturday, Oct. 4 at 1 p.m. at City Park.

"Punt, Pass and Kick is a worthwhile program," said Beebe, "and I feel privileged to do whatever I can to help. At the clinic we'll explain the rules and give demonstrations on how they are done. Distance and accuracy in the punting, passing and kicking."

Beebe urges all boys between the ages of 8 and 13 to come to the clinic—even if they are not registered. He believes they will see for themselves how much fun PP&K really is. The deadline for PP&K registrations is Friday, Oct. 10.

All boys 8 through 13 are encouraged to participate in the ninth annual Punt, Pass and Kick Competition. There is no cost and every boy has an equal chance of winning for he competes only with boys within his own age group.

Local competitions in thousands of towns throughout the country determine winners in each age group—with Zone, District, Area and Division contests following to produce the 12 top finalists. The finalists compete during half-time in the annual NFL Play-Off Game held in the Orange Bowl in Miami, Florida. Also, they and their parents will take an exclusive tour of Cape Kennedy and the Air Space Museum.

Here in St. Johns eighteen trophies will be awarded, Gold trophies for first place finishers in each age group, silver for second place, and bronze for third place.

Judging for the competition is based on the distance and accuracy of the participants in punting, passing and kicking. Punt, Pass and Kick is sponsored nationally by the Ford Dealers of America and the National Football League.

Registration headquarters is at Egan Ford Sales, 200 W. Higham, St. Johns. Boys must be accompanied by a parent or guardian when they register. The St. Johns area competition will be held at the H.S. Athletic Field Oct. 11.

Fowler troubles continue, 14-6

Fowler failed to become untracked for the third time this season as Portland St. Patrick nipped the Eagles, Friday night, 14-6 in a Central Michigan Athletic Conference football game.

Again it was junior halfback Steve Feldpausch offering the only bright spot as he dashed 62 yards for the Fowler touchdown in the final period.

In the same quarter, St. Patrick's junior halfback Tom Brown scored from the 26 and then ran the extra point as he

rolled up 110 yards rushing for the night.

St. Patrick struck for its first touchdown on a sneak by quarterback Bob Keusch in the second period.

The Eagles have lost all three games by only a single touchdown and are 0-2 in conference play.

This week Fowler hosts powerful Pewamo-Westphalia in another conference battle. P-W is undefeated and unscored so far this season.

Local gals win at bowling tourney

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Several St. Johns area women recently won honors and nearly \$800 in cash prizes at the 1969 Women's Bowling Association Championship Tournament held at Midland.

A total of \$100 was won in the team event, \$382 in doubles, \$246.45 in singles and \$75.50 in all event competition.

Here are winners and their earnings:
TEAM EVENT
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DOUBLES
In 24th place for the entire state with a 1237 series were Janet Cox and Ruth Harter winning a total of \$200.

Other doubles winners are: Karin Bargar and Pat Munger—\$42.78, Sharon DeMarais and Mary Lou Hebel—\$32.70, Cathy Prowant and Jo Hardman—\$12.00, Jo Rogers and Margaret Hart—\$10, Ann Hata and Janet Murray—\$8, Gloria Jorne and Hilda Smith—\$8, Marcia Selke and Ellen Martens \$7, Jeanette Schomisch and Mildred Shaw—\$6.38.

Other doubles winners winning \$6 are Carol Cook and Judy Payne, Linda Kohagen and Karen Schneider, Geri Kolehmainen and Helen Kurnez, Christina Shinabery and Dorothy Knight, Judy Hyde and Joanne Peck, Dawn Frost and Shirley Lake.

shall with a 617 series won \$20.

Other winners were: Orva Steffen, Mary Lou Hebel, and Bernice Serrell—\$10 each; Bea DeMarais—\$8.12, Elaine Kraemer—\$8, Marge Cowan \$6.98, Dora Linman—\$6, Marcia Selke—\$5.37, Christina Shinabery, Connie Chamberlain and Jeanette Schomisch—\$5 each; Joanne Peck, Judy Boettger, Juanita O'Leary, Cynthia Tiedt and Charlotte Taylor—\$4 each; Ruth Harter, Kay Penix, Donna Wirth, Marie Bushman, Alice Cole, Sandra Fongers, Helen Glazier, Alice Brooke, Marie Conley, Janet Cox, Maxine Smith, Sharon Altvater, Hilda Smith, Yvonne Asher, Rosalie Ludwick, Shirley Bailey and Sharon Decker—\$3 each.

ALL EVENTS
In 47th place with a 1836 total was Ruth Harter winning \$32.50. Other winners were: Joanne Peck—\$12, Christina Shinabery—\$7, Janet Murray—\$5, Dora Linman, Kay Howard, Marge Cowan, Elaine Kraemer, Darlene Wirth and Sandra Fongers—\$3 each.

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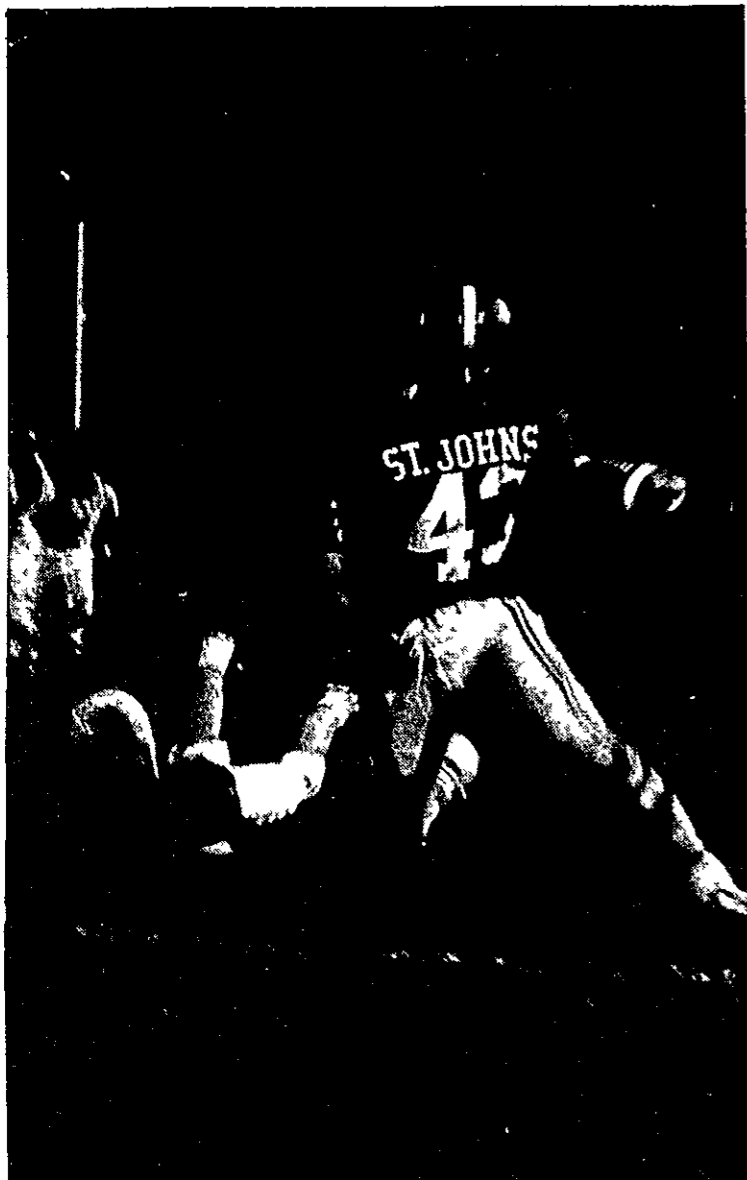
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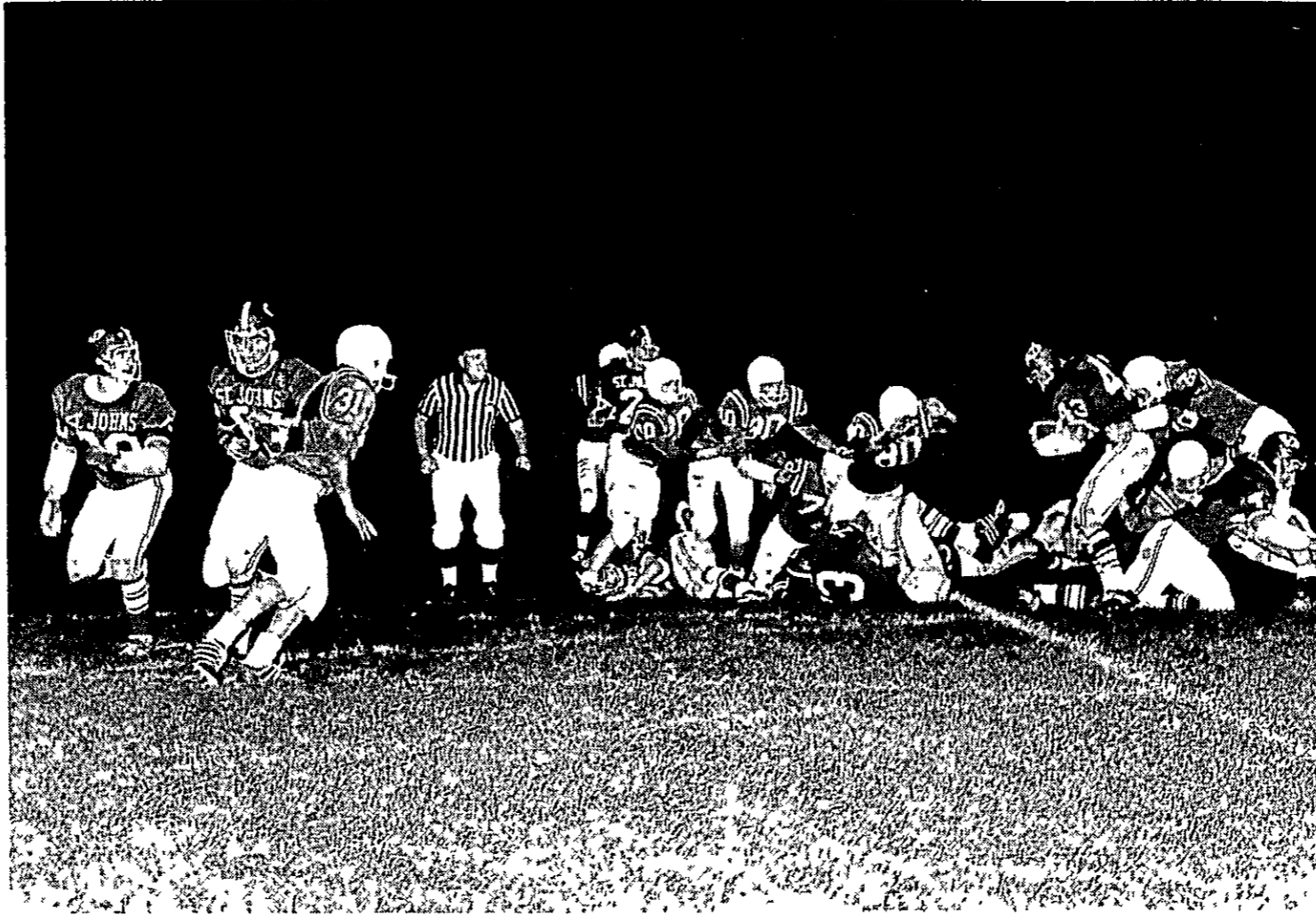
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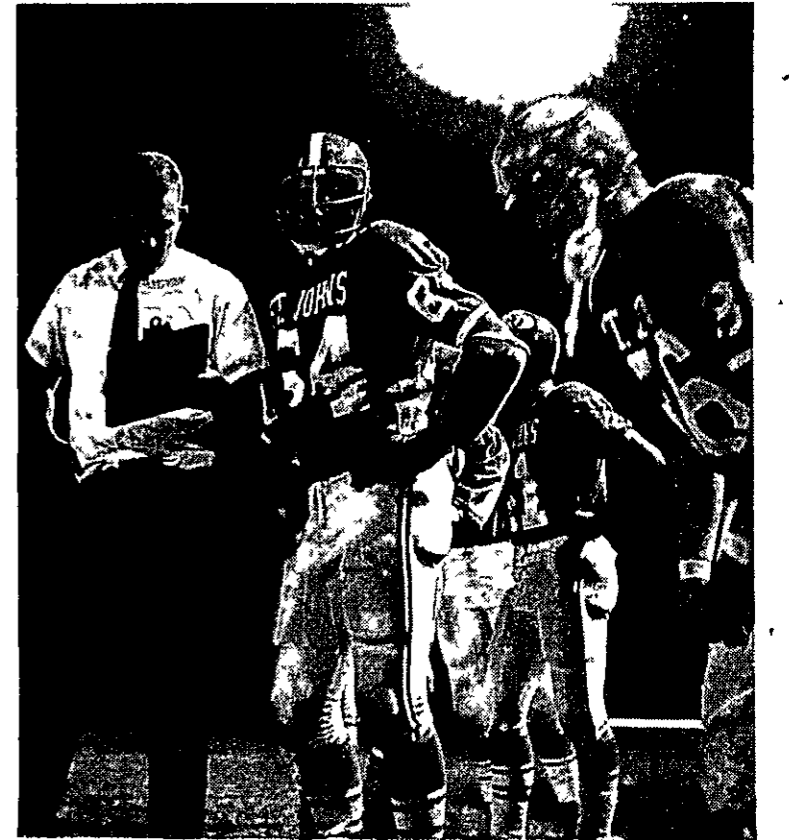


Jeff Silm on the move: 93 yards rushing and two touchdowns.



Jeff Silm (43) has company . . . and six points.

--Photos by Ed Cheeney



Head Coach Jeff Smith consults the figures while Steve Meador looks worried and Pettigrew (86) is a with his thoughts.

But for a point . . . Silm romps as Ionia keys on Green in 20-19 heart breaker

The most popular flick in town this week isn't at the Clinton Theater.

It's over at the film room in the St. Johns High School library.

The title is simply: Ionia 20, St. Johns 19.

Not exactly a tag guaranteed to bring them storming to the box office but there are some interesting scenes.

In the fourth quarter, for instance, there's Ionia quarterback Mike Fuller calling signals six inches from the Redwing goal line before the ball hits his thigh, caroms across his body and bounces around the end zone causing quite a scramble.

After the commercial we see Larry Wakefield come up with the ball for St. Johns.

And now get ready for the instant replay. You'll need it, even if you haven't been sipping on the suds.

Because the referee has just signaled an Ionia touchdown.

The "winning" touchdown, by the way.

If that isn't enough to clinch an Oscar, there's more.

Also in the fourth period we see Ionia block a punt and Gerry Heppe scoop it up and dash 45 yards for another touchdown. A nice run.

Charlie Green was tempted to intercept Heppe and offer con-

gratulations. Trouble was, Green was being illegally held back on that one. Defensive holding was the uncalled penalty.

But then when the ref is only 10 yards away and everybody's moving like that, everything probably gets blurry.

There are a few more scenes that would make the instructors blush over at referee school. But then a reviewer doesn't like to give the plot away.

The Redwings opened up a seven-point lead in the first period when quarterback Tim Durner swept in from eight yards out and Jeff Silm added the conversion.

Ionia went ahead by a point in the second quarter when Mike Perry ran eight yards for the Bulldogs first score and Fuller ran for two more.

But less than two minutes later Jeff Silm capped a 65-yard Redwing drive when he smashed over from the two to give St. Johns the lead 13-8.

Before the period was over Ionia moved within a foot of the Redwing goal but time ran out.

In the third period Silm romped for his second touchdown of the night on a 36-yard run to conclude scoring for St. Johns.

Ionia hit for a pair of touchdowns in the final period—one coming on the run by Heppe following the blocked punt and the other credited to Fuller in the scramble at the goal line.

"We got tough when we needed to," said Fuller later.

Last week's workhorse, Charlie Green, scampered for a 65-yard touchdown run in the third quarter but a penalty nullified the effort. Green was held to 14 yards rushing for the night.

With the Bulldogs keying on Green, Silm broke loose to pick up 93 of St. Johns' 101 rushing

yardage.

"Silm was just fantastic," said Head Coach Jeff Smith. "He had to have one of the finest runs I've had the pleasure of watching."

Smith, referring to Silm's 36-yard touchdown run, named the senior halfback both honorary captain and back of the week.

"This is the first time we have done this," said Smith. "But he did a great job."

Smith said he was also pleased with the showing of senior halfback Greg Kirby who shows "real hustle" not only in the game but in practice, too. "He had a nice run on a screen pass against Ionia and another one on a kickoff return," said Smith.

Smith named tackle Brian Ballinger lineman of the week for his "outstanding job" of blocking on offense. In a defensive effort, Ballinger was in on 14 tackles, second only to 17 for guard Roger Davis.

Smith said he was also encouraged by Steve Parker, a senior borrowed from the wrest-

ling team out for the first time. "He got a couple of solo tackles and did a nice job on the kickoff team," said Smith.

Smith also mentioned junior halfback Dave Flermoen who "caught the ball real well."

Quarterback Durner completed 10 of 20 attempts for 172 yards compared to Ionia's four completions and two interceptions in eight attempts for 34 yards in the air.

The Redwings picked up 16 first downs to 13 for Ionia which gained 147 yards on the ground. But it was penalties—which told an unhappy story: St. Johns 83 yards, Ionia 14.

Looking ahead to Friday's Homecoming encounter against Waverly, Smith hopes his charges will be able to defend a speedy backfield and call the lads from Lansing "an improved" hallclub.

The scouting report: "Waverly is seen as the only team in the league that could beat Ionia—if any team could beat Ionia."

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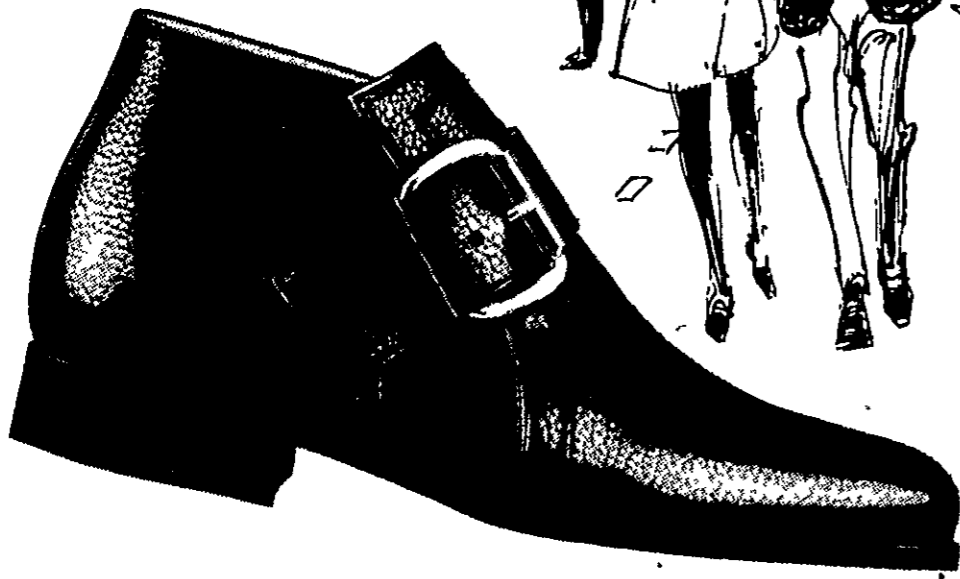
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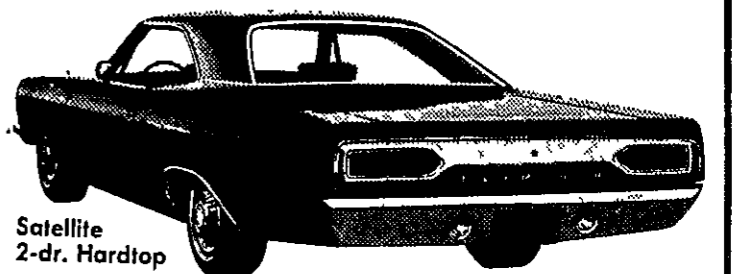
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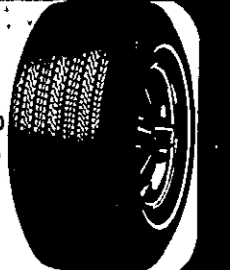


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BOWLING NEWS

Notes from Clinton area leagues

SHIRTS & SKIRTS Sept. 26		
	W	L
Kelly Tires	16	0
Guy's Sunoco	11	5
Misfits	11	5
Dunkel's Plumb.	10	6
Penney's Paints	8	8
Gutter-Gang	8	8
Country-Four	8	8
Ken's Service	6	10
Coldstream	6	10
Patterson's	5	11
Reese Collision	4	12
Dry Dock'd	3	13

High team game—Kelly Tires, 678. High team series—Kelly Tires, 1976. High individual game—Richard Snyder, 225. High individual series—Richard Snyder, 610, 200 games: Richard Snyder, 225-208; Marty Livingston 202; Rollin Dunkel, 209.

WOMEN
High game — Donna Humenik, 196. High series — Kay Penix, 529.

NITE OWLS Sept. 25		
	W	L
Cent. Mich	13 1/2	21 1/2
Rivard Nurfing Home	10	6
Kurt's Appl. Cen.	9 1/2	6 1/2
Wheel Inn	8	8
Carollere's	8	8
Smith-Douglas	8	8
Pierson's Redwing	7	9
Gen. Tele. Co.	7	9
St. Johns Co-op	7	9
Boron's Store	7	9
Arnold's Drugs	6	10
Beck & Hyde Farmarina	5	11

High team game—Carollere's, 853. High team series—Central Michigan Lumber, 2452. High individual game—Ann Greenfield, 201. High individual series — Karin Bargar, 476.

CITY CLASSIC Sept. 25 GAMES		
	W	L
Lake's Jewelry	9	3
Bruno's Bar	8	4
Redwing Lanes	8	4
Federal Mogul	8	4
Dry Dock'd	8	4
Cowan Mercury	7	5
Dick's Standard Ser.	6 1/2	5 1/2
Coca Cola	6	6
Bee's Chev. & Olds.	6	6
Warren's Ins.	3 1/2	8 1/2
Jim's Ins.	1	11
Curley's Laundry	1	11

High team game—Bruno's Bar, 1001. High team series—Bruno's Bar, 2712. High individual game—Clare Floate, 257. High individual series — Clare Floate, 660, 200 games: Dave O'Dell, 204; Linden Lade, 224; Clyde Smith, 219; Keith Penix, 222; Al Thelen, 224; Richard Pease, 202; Randy Masarik, 201; Jim Lance, 213; Merlin Durbin, 201-203; Leo Brunner, 216; F. D. Warren, 210; Clare Floate, 257-210; John Jakovac, 242.

FIRST NIGHTERS LEAGUE Sept. 22		
	W	L
D. and B. Party	13	3
Bee's Chev. & Olds	11 1/2	4 1/2
Lanternman's Ins.	11	5
Heathman's	9	7
Sears	8	8
Carling's	8	8
St. Johns Cleaners	8	8
Ray's Zephyr	7	9
Benson's Carpen.	6 1/2	9 1/2
Cligo	6	10
Roadhouse	6	10
Nick's Mkt.	2	14

High team series—Roadhouse, 2445. High team game — Roadhouse, 864, and Ray's Zephyr, 864. High individual series — Rose Ritter, 527. High individual game — Ellen Martens, 213, 200 games: Rose Ritter, 203, and Barb O'Connell, 205.

TWIN CITY Sept. 24		
	W	L
Strouse Oil	12	4
Fresca	11	5
Clinton Crop Ser	10	6
Dean's Hdw.	9	7
Kurt's Appl.	9	7
Coca Cola	9	7
Bob's Auto	9	7
Andy's I.G.A	8	8
Hazle's Mobile Fd.	7	9
Zeeb's Plant food	6	10
Clinton Nat. Bk.	4	12
Gen. Telephone	3	13

High team game—Strouse Oil, 901. High team series—Strouse Oil 2589. High individual game—Virgil Zeeb, 222. High individual series, Milo Rowell, 570, 200 games: Milo Rowell, 205; Dick Johnson, 220; Lloyd Hopp, 201; Dick Pease, 201; Barry Dean, 203; Terry Reese, 203; Paul Pung, 200.

NIGHT HAWK Sept. 23		
	W	L
Rehmann's	14	2
Roadhouse	13	3
Beck's	11	5
Miller's Furn.	8	8
Legion	7 1/2	8 1/2
Zeeb's	7	9
Randolph's	7	9
Hettler's	7	9
Farm Bureau	6	10
Colony	5 1/2	10 1/2
Egan's	5	11
Central Nat. Bk	5	11

High team game—Beck's, 926. High team series—Beck's, 2582. High individual game — Richard Snyder, 223. High individual series—Richard Snyder 618, 200 games: Richard Snyder, 223.

TEATIME Sept. 23		
	W	L
Goodtimers	14	2
Kwik Kook	10	6
St. Johns, Furn.	9	7
Cent. Nat'l Bk	8	8
Art's Refinery	8	8
Randolph's	8	8
Redwing Lanes	7	9
Ross Beauty (Fow.)	6	10
Alaha Drive-In	5	11
Sparetimers	5	11

High team game—Ross Beauty Shop, 870. High team series—St. Johns Furniture, 2478. High individual game — Elly Cowan, 203. High individual series—Elly Cowan, 528.

THE GOOD TIMERS MAPLE RAPIDS Sept. 21		
	W	L
Cool Cats	9	3
The Tabby's	8	4
Polecats	7	5
Outcasts	6	6
Alleycats	6	6
Calico Cats	6	6
Top Cats	6	6
Cheshire Cats	6	6
Born Losers	5	7
Wild Cats	5	7
Hepcats	4	8
Tom Cats	4	8

High team game—The Tabby's, 628. High team series — The Tabby's, 1790. High individual game—MEN-Clare Floate, 213; WOMEN - Jean Gavenda, 170. High individual series — MEN-Clare Floate, 528, WOMEN - Mary Beth Upton, 444, 200 games: Clare Floate, 213, Larry Floate, 203; Bob Schmidt, 200.



SUCCESSFUL TRIP IN BEAR COUNTRY

Nine Fowler bear hunters who call themselves "glorified coon hunters" bagged this big fellow earlier this month in Gogebic County on the opening day of the season. The bear, weighing about 250 pounds, was shot by Edmund Reaume and Chucky Thelen, a combat veteran recently back from Vietnam. They used a 12-gauge shotgun and a 30-30 rifle. Shown with their trophy, from left, are David Reaume, Gerald Bertram, Elwood Reaume, Barry Sillman, Leroy Schafer, Edmund Reaume and Chucky Thelen. Also in the party were Walter Williams and Larry Thies. The photo was made available to the News by Elwood Reaume.

Sturgeon creel count in Menominee River

Fish biologists for the Michigan and Wisconsin Departments of Natural Resources have launched a creel census on sturgeon in the Menominee River in a cooperative, fact-finding effort to improve management of the big, long-lived fish in this and other waters of their states. The current study, covering an approximate 25-mile stretch between White Rapids and Grand Rapids dams, will continue through Nov. 1, finale of the hook and line season on sturgeon in the Upper Peninsula boundary stream. Facts and figures collected between now and then will dovetail with results of a fish-shocking survey which the two departments conducted in the Menominee River during the first half of August. The earlier survey was designed to establish estimates on the river's sturgeon numbers and gauge how well that population of fish is being supported by natural reproduction. Results of that study are still being analyzed but from what Michigan fisheries men have been able to sort out so far, it appears that the stream's sturgeon population is unusually high for an inland water in this state. The sturgeon is Michigan's largest and longest-lived fish as dramatized by one "granddaddy" specimen weighing 82 pounds and believed to be 40-50 years old which was captured during the Menominee River shocking survey in August. Under the follow-up creel census, fish biologists from Michigan and Wisconsin now want to measure how many sturgeon are being removed from stream through fishing and, more importantly, they are eager to learn what impact these harvests are having on the population of the fish. Their study has a bearing on more than just the sturgeon population of the Menominee River, stresses Buddy Jacob, warm-water fish specialist for the Michigan DNR. He explains: "What we learn from the Menominee River may very well give us clues to better manage our state's traditional sturgeon fishery in Black, Burt, and Mullett lakes. The sturgeon is a very rare and valuable species in Michigan, and it deserves the stepped-up attention we are now focusing upon it."

Michigan State ranks seventh in the listings of the nation's top major college football teams in won-lost percentages over a 25-year period running through 1968. State has a 160-65-7 mark for a percentage of .711.

Michigan fishermen to get free salmon

"Ready-for-cooking" salmon—about 50,000 of them—will be given away this fall to licensed adult fishermen near four fish-trapping sites on the Platte, Little Manistee, Tawas, and Muskegon rivers, says the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

Under the plan worked out cooperatively between the DNR and the Blackport Packing Co. of Grand Rapids, an estimated 500,000 pounds of early-run coho and chinook will be distributed free in those areas, starting probably in mid-September.

The Blackport Co. has agreed at no cost to the State to pick up salmon at those four sites and to haul the fish in refrigerated trucks to its processing plant at Grand Rapids where coho and chinook will be cleaned, chilled, and packed in ice.

The firm will then truck the dressed-out and iced fish back to points near the stream trapping sites where salmon will be given away on weekends to licensed salmon fishermen who are at least 17 years old.

Fishermen will be supplied free plastic bags and ice by the Blackport Company for protecting their fish from spoilage on the way home.

The fish will be distributed on the basis of one to each licensed fisherman. Wives of licensed anglers will also be able to get free salmon if accompanied by their husbands.

Upon receiving a fish, each angler will have his license marked by a DNR worker in a move to see that salmon are distributed to as many different fishermen as possible.

Although disposal of the fish will be a Saturday and Sunday

operation at three of the sites, the Blackport will make salmon available on week days at the Platte River point if the DNR requests it.

Distribution of salmon is expected to span about six weeks, the exact period hinging upon how long the fish stay in prime eating condition. As salmon advance in their spawning stage, their body darkens and the flesh quality breaks down. When the fish approach the point of being less than best as table fare, the DNR will cut off distribution of salmon.

Waste-saving plans for giving the fish away received the green light recently when preliminary research indicated that is still only takes ordinary cleaning and cooking steps to make all Michigan fish safe for eating.

Laboratory studies by Michigan State University and the U.S. Bureau of Commercial Fisheries reveal that normal cleaning and cooking remove DDT levels in salmon and other fish below five parts per million (ppm) in the edible portion of the fish.

Reports sought on tagged fish

Michigan fishermen taking specially marked trout and salmon are urged to help their sport by supplying the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) with information about their catches.

Specifically, the DNR would like to know when and where the fish are caught, the fin clip or tag numbers of the fish, the length and weight of the fish, and the type of species taken. As part of their reports, anglers are also asked to give their names and addresses.

Anglers who supply this information will be aiding the DNR's fish management programs in several ways. Their reports will help fisheries men evaluate the distribution, migration patterns, planting success, and growth and survival of planted fish.

Most important, this information will allow them to measure angler returns from planted trout and salmon to see if the fish are being released in the right places at the right times for maximum fishing success.

In 1969, the DNR planted some 560,000 marked salmon and 15,000 jaw-tagged steelhead in Marquette Harbor, and DNR fisheries men are eager to get reports on these fish to study results of that planting.

Ron Rybicki, specialist in evaluating the DNR's fish management programs, reports:

"We hope to get better feedback from anglers this year than we have in the past when their reports have accounted for only

about 1.5 per cent of the marked fish we have planted. The more reports we get back from fishermen, the better we can adjust our management efforts for improved fishing."

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St. Johns family has ties in space program

When an Apollo spacecraft lifted off from Cape Kennedy early this summer and set the stage for man's historic moon-walk, there was one St. Johns family whose interest in the event was whetted by personal association.

In fact, the Brandon C. White, Jr. family probably felt some of the jubilation experienced by space program workers, for White's father is an engineer with the Boeing Aircraft Co. and has been assigned to the Apollo program since its very beginning. And if chatting with the senior White is any indication one can be fairly certain that the three grandchildren in St. Johns have been kept abreast of space developments.

"This work has kept me young," explained Brandon C. White, Sr., as he talked about Boeing's role in the moonshot program. Displaying an almost infectious enthusiasm White briefly described the last weeks before liftoff and how the demands of the program honed the mental and physical processes of those involved to a keen edge.

"FOR THOSE MONTHS you are constantly under pressure," White explained, "and you're keyed up to a razor's edge. Almost everything you do during this time becomes automatic and this is when you can see that the training pays off." Then with a twinkling eye and a wiseden smile he added, "And you just don't make mistakes."

The elder White is a management engineer for Boeing and since 1965 has been stationed at Cape Kennedy space center. He was a member of the engineering integration team for the Apollo launch, a group whose responsibility was to assemble, test and launch the spacecraft. In addition the team plays a vital role in the countdown procedures and through the aid of numerous television cameras trained on critical areas of the vehicle information is gathered and compiled for evaluation.

"There are over 12 million parts in the spacecraft," White explained, and hinted that almost as many decisions must be made during countdown periods. "It's hard to explain, but with all those parts and all those people the right decision is always made. You don't have time to

argue and wrong decisions you just don't make."

White skipped through the construction to blast-off schedule for the space craft pointing out that it takes six to eight weeks to assemble and test the vehicle. The launch umbilical tower (LUT) and the craft are assembled approximately three and one-half miles from the launch site and an 11 to 12 hour period is required to transport the units to the point of lift-off.

EACH LAUNCH is preceded by a simulated countdown including everything except the various fuels involved and actual ignition. Then for actual lift-off the countdown is picked up 121 to 122 hours back of scheduled blastoff time and from that point everything is for real. The RP1, liquid oxygen and hydrogen and other fuels are pressured into their respective tanks; a process which involves upwards of 16 hours.

"The job of Cape Kennedy is to get the bird in the air, and once that is done Houston takes over," White explained that when the spacecraft is one ten-thousandth of an inch off the pad it is considered to be in flight and control of the flight is assumed by space teams in Texas.

How does it feel when a launch is successful?

"Well, there is quite a bit of jubilation. And if your constitution is strong enough you just might make most of the celebration parties."

WHITE EXPLAINED that the launch control center is three and one-half miles away and upwards of 40 television cameras are used to transmit pictures of the launch. "Frequently T.V. cameras are destroyed during launch. Because of the fire and smoke you can't see what's going on, but the second you see the nose of the spacecraft above those things you know it's going to be a successful launch."

Having a grandfather working so close to a program which literally changes the course of history seemed to be a routine matter for the White youngsters. Brandon, 11, Mark, 9 and Michelle, 7, sat quietly yet somewhat impatiently as Grandpa discussed

'The job at Cape Kennedy is to get the bird in the air.'

his work with a News reporter and once a picture of the group was snapped they quickly disappeared back to school.

But it was obvious that mementos of the space program the senior White displayed held high interest and each certificate and medallion was examined with wonder. White has two medallions; one struck from metal from an unmanned moon orbit vehicle and another struck from metal from a manned flight.

White joined Boeing in 1957 after serving as a consulting engineer in Ypsilanti. Before that time he was a partner in a production facility which manufactured lapping equipment designed to apply flat surfaces. In the early 1940's he pioneered precision finishing processes which ultimately led to the success of early automatic transmissions in automobiles.

AT THE AGE of 48 he suffered a heart attack and was forced into semi-retirement and as a result dissolved his business. "But retiring at 48, you could go nuts," White quips and after a recuperation period joined the Ypsilanti firm. From there he went to Boeing at Seattle, Wash., and was later assigned to the space program.

He is a native of Michigan, having lived at Detroit and Pinckney, but is presently enroute to Seattle for reassignment. White pointed out that upon the successful completion of the moon shot approximately 4,000 employees of Boeing were laid off and he will not know his assignment until he returns to Washington. However, he expects to continue in the Boeing aero-space program developing and planning for future space shots.

He sees a general relaxation as far as space worker employment is concerned for the next three to four years but feels that plans for a manned space station should cause employment in the

ours." He did add with a smile, however, that experience is on the side of the long-time engineer.

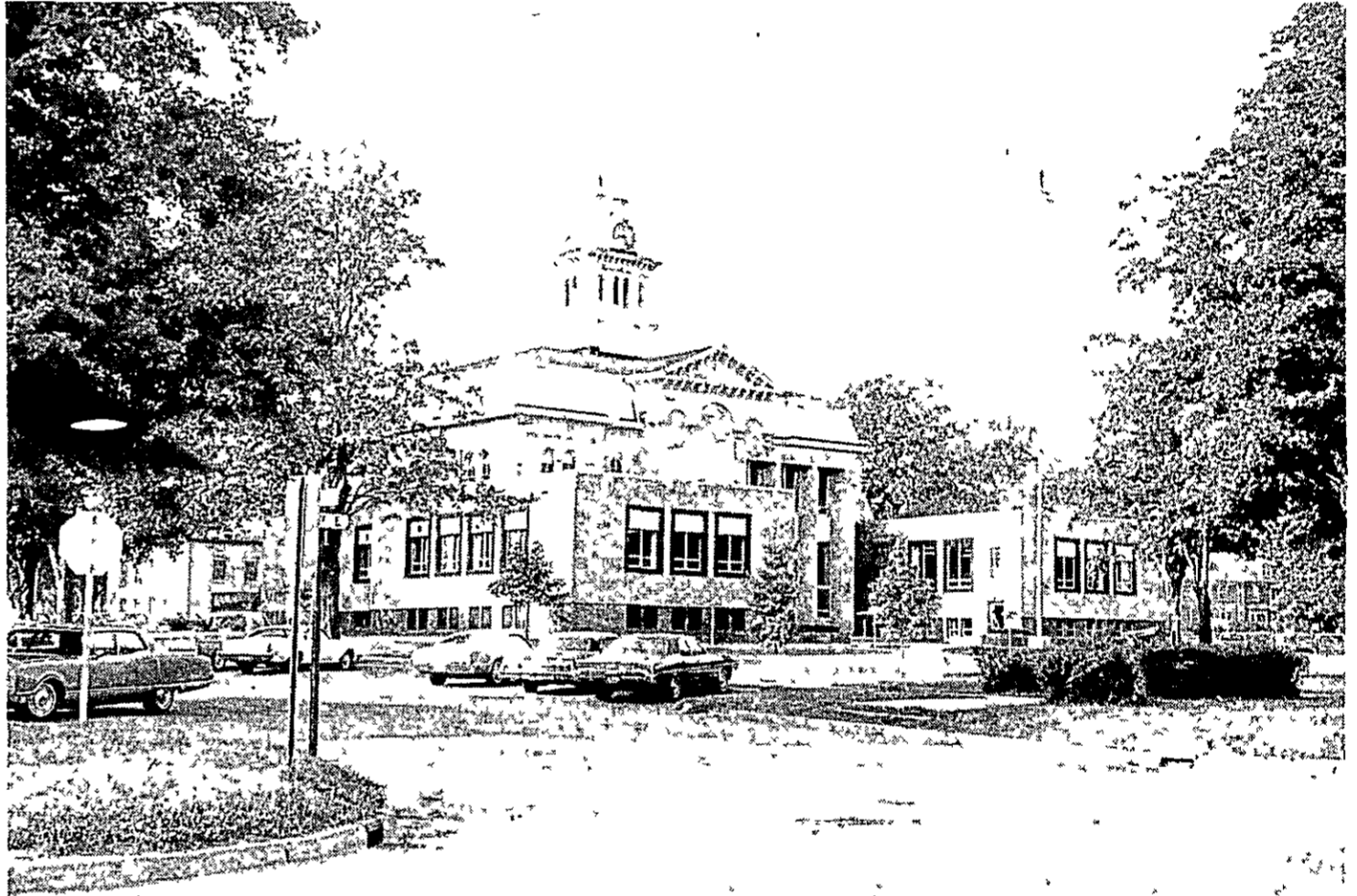
White and his wife have spent several days in St. Johns with their son and his family, but the lure of future space work was easily recognized in his discussions. If the program is one that truly keeps men young, as White stated, the retirement that's waiting for him in a couple of years may hold little attraction... unless he sets up a space center of his own on land he has along the Manstee River. And with his enthusiasm for his work this is not too inconceivable.

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100 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE CLINTON COUNTY AREA



The Clinton County Courthouse will be 100 years old in October. The Clinton County Board of Supervisors is planning an open house celebration for the occasion and all residents will be asked to participate in the centennial events. An old fashioned band concert on the courthouse lawn will be one of the many highlights of the occasion and special refreshments will be served.

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The Brandon C. White Jr. family of St. Johns exhibits a deep interest in space-work mementos shown to them by their grandfather, Brandon C. White. The senior White is an engineer with the Boeing Aircraft Co. and has been assigned to the Apollo project. In photo are, from left, Mr. White, Brandon C. White Jr., his son, Brandon, Michelle and Mark.

CROP battles starvation

Nearly a half-million pounds of CROP foods are staying off starvation in an isolated Sudanese refugee camp in the Central African Republic, according to Jan S. F. Van Hoogstran, Church World Service Africa Director.

"There are UN and CROP food supplies in the C.A.R., but these are located in Bangui, 1000 kilometers from the M'Boki settlement, where 17,500 refugees from southern Sudan are attempting to carve out a new existence and where actual famine conditions have been reported," Van Hoogstran said. "The rainy season has brought excessive rains, and primitive roads are impassable with many of the 120 wooden bridges washed out."

"Most of the food now being distributed to the refugees is CROP food still warehoused at M'Boki," the CWS spokesman declared. "The International Committee of the Red Cross is attempting to arrange for a limited airlift, which is the only way more food can immediately be brought into the area and prevent further starvation."

The Sudanese refugees first arrived in the Central African Republic in 1964, and the United Nations initiated an emergency relief program the following year. The C.A.R. government provided land for homesteading by the refugees. The large-scale rehabilitation program was to have been phased out earlier this year. Church World Service in consultation and cooperation with the World Council of Churches and with Roman Catholic organizations agreed to take over for the League of Red Cross Societies and the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees in assisting the integration of refugees in the area where local population equals the total number of refugees. Late planting, poor harvest, and logistical difficulties produced the current food crisis.

Beginning last December, CROP shipped 457,000 pounds of food and seed, valued at \$130,000, to M'Boki. Those shipments included large amounts of rolled oats, non-fat dry milk, and shelled corn. CROP shipments now en route to the C.A.R. total

108,000 pounds, valued at \$50,000, and include 55,000 pounds of beans. CROP is currently readying a shipment of 17,825 pounds of a high protein beverage for the area.

CROP is the community hunger appeal of Church World Service.

4-H cookbook has 'know-how'

All-American know-how is a phrase long applied to science, technology, farming, merchandising and industry. Now it's applied to 4-H. As a matter of fact it is the theme of a special cook book used by 4-H members, volunteer leaders and Extension Service home economists.

The colorful learn-to-cook manual, All-American Foods, features all-American know-how dating back to the Pilgrims. The table of contents lists "adventure" foods such as Peccos Bill burgers, Yankee snickerdoodles, Squanto's beans, Jambalaya, and Bunyan-style breakfast.

All-American Foods is the second of a series of three "learn-by-doing" books published for youngsters enrolled in the national 4-H Food-Nutrition program supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service and supported by General Foods Corporation.

The first one titled Tricks for Treats, reveals "magic tricks that help even the beginner master kitchen tools and techniques." The third book, Meals for Today—The Easy Way, will be ready in late Fall of this year.

The three imaginatively illustrated books appeal to the eye, arouse enough curiosity about the recipes to try them, and make the learning process fun and rewarding.

Each unit covers six basic facts of food consumption, nutrition, preparation techniques,

selection and buying, efficient management, serving, and food science.

The youngsters learn to cook, bake, prepare and serve lip-smacking dishes loaded with nutrients needed by growing boys and girls. They'll be eating what they like, and liking foods they require.

General Foods provides more goodies. Annual awards of six \$600 scholarships go to teenage members who have completed the most outstanding food-nutrition projects in the nation. Fifty teens can look forward to a trip to Chicago and the 48th National 4-H Congress held right after Thanksgiving. Travel and other expenses will be paid by the sponsor.

Scores of beginner cooks throughout the state will be presented with the food-nutrition medal of honor. Medal winners from coast-to-coast this year are expected to reach a record 10,000, estimates a 4-H spokesman.

The foods project is one of the most popular among the 4-H national programs, having an enrollment last year of some 644,000 young chefs between the ages of 9 and 19. Thousands of volunteer adult leaders help them with their projects.

More information about the 4-H program can be obtained from the County Extension Office.

Farm Bureau lobbies

Members of the County Farm Bureau National Affairs Committee have been asked to contact Michigan's two Senators—Phillip Hart and Robert Griffin—and the Congressmen representing their individual counties regarding the proposed Farm Program Legislation.

The Farm Bureau contends that:

1. The Food and Agriculture Act of 1965 has failed and should not be extended past the present expiration date of Dec. 31, 1970.

2. "Pork barreling" by tying the farm program and the food stamp program together is wrong. These programs should be considered on their own merits rather than having both included on the same bill.

3. Farm Bureau's proposal includes a five-year transitional period during which acreage controls, bases, quotas, processing taxes, and wheat, feed grain and cotton programs would be phased out. The proposal also includes a program to help farmers with average gross annual sales of farm products of not more than \$5,000 and off-the-farm income of not more than \$2,000 a year for husband and wife. This program would provide assistance to help the family make the adjustment to more gainful employment. The cropland adjustment program would be continued on a competitive bid basis, with emphasis on whole farms.

This may well be its most important legislative push for 1969, says the Farm Bureau and chances for a change in direction of farm programs is the best it has seen in a long time.

Each County Farm Bureau National Affairs has been asked to set a goal of 10 letters to Congressmen representing their county and 10 letters each to Senator Hart and Senator Griffin.

Labor Dept. training aids small farmer

Since 1962, more than 7,000 small farmers have benefited from training provided by the U.S. Department of Labor under the Manpower Development and Training Act. In many instances, the farmers receiving this training have increased their income and inventory by as much as 200 per cent to 300 per cent.

The story of one farmer who has benefited from this training is told in the September issue of Manpower, published by the U.S. Department of Labor.

He is Willie Shepperd, an eighth-grade drop-out in Kentucky's Lake Cumberland area. Forty-nine years old and the father of 12 children, Shepperd had an average of about \$850 annual income before entering the Labor Department training. His home had no electricity, no inside water supply, and no telephone.

Shepperd was one of 200 small farmers in Wayne, Russell, Pulaski, McCree, and Clinton counties accepted for training. Of that number, 187 completed the classroom courses and are now producing blackberries, strawberries, raspberries, peaches, blueberries, grapes, green beans, peppers, sweet corn, cabbage, tomatoes, and watermelons. Most of the graduates have tripled their income. Their produce is marketed through the Cumberland Farm Products Cooperative in Monticello.

Before training, most of these farmers were dependent upon tobacco for as much as 75 per cent of their net income. Now they grow a variety of crops suitable to small acreages. Most of the farmers have large families who can help out in the chores associated with truck farming.

The training courses consisted of 30 hours' weekly classroom training, for which each man was paid \$34 subsistence allowance per week, although he was able to continue his usual farm operations. He was taught management of family resources, farm program planning, production and management of a variety of livestock and crops, and operation and care of machinery.

What Willie Shepperd learned in his training course has helped him to raise more than \$1,000 worth of strawberries annually. The original plants are still producing and he plans a new crop in 1970.

Mrs Shepperd and the eight children now living at home are helping harvest his acre of cucumbers this year, plus an acre of sugar corn, 800 tomato plants, a half-acre of beans, 1-1/2 acres of burley tobacco, a large crop of Irish potatoes, peas, and other vegetables. They also help spray care for, and harvest the two-acre peach orchard he started as a result of the MDTA program.

Last year, Shepperd had a profitable income from selling small Christmas trees which

grew from the pine seedlings he planted at the start of his training. He has since planted 35,000 pine and locust seedlings for soil conservation purposes and for cash-producing timber.

Today, Willie Shepperd and his family are living in a \$12,500 house on a 58-acre farm near his old place. With the earnings from his new enterprises, Shepperd was able to pay cash for the

house which has all the facilities his old place lacked.

"I was working just as hard before I took my training," Shepperd observes, "but it was all I could do to make ends meet." Today, thanks to Labor Department training, Shepperd and hundreds of other farmers are proving that small-scale farming can be profitable.

Junior Livestock Show Nov. 7-9

Plans are set for the Detroit Junior Livestock and Horse Show to be held at the Michigan State Fairgrounds Nov. 7-9.

The junior livestock show, which has included steer, swine and lamb entries for the past 39 years, will be twice as big this year because horse classes are being added for the first time. The public is invited to attend. Admission will be free of charge for both the livestock judging and the daily horse shows in the Coliseum.

E. J. (Jeff) Kelrns, Michigan State Fair manager who is the new president of the Detroit Junior Livestock Society, expects 200 entries in the steer, swine and lamb market classes and another 200 entries in the horse classes by the October 17 deadline.

The expanded show will include 42 horse performance classes and 18 in-hand classes, according to James B. Jones of Flint, junior horse show manager. He said it will be the first All-Junior State Horse Show ever held in Michigan.

Registered classes are available for five horse breeds, Quarter Horse, Arabians, Morgans, American Saddlebreds and Appaloosa.

There will be open classes for English Pleasure, Western Pleasure, Saddle Seat Equitation and Stock Seat Equitation.

Open fitting and showmanship horse classes also will be held. Youths, ages 10 through 18, may enter animals in the show.

Copies of the Detroit Junior Livestock and Horse Show premium list and entry forms may

be obtained by contacting Robert McLachlan, Michigan State Fairgrounds, Detroit 48203.

The show is sponsored by the Detroit Junior Livestock Society, Michigan State Fair Authority, Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service, Michigan Department of Agriculture and the Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce.

AGRICULTURE in ACTION

By M. L. Woolf

MICHIGAN FARM BUREAU

Fifty years of progress and dynamic leadership was marked at the birthplace of the American Farm Bureau Federation at the LaSalle Hotel in downtown Chicago this month.

The foundation for the largest farmers organization in the nation was laid in 1919. It was sparked by the success of County Farm Bureaus begun during World War I while farmers were mobilizing food production for the war effort. Later County Farm Bureaus organized state Farm Bureaus, and from there evolved the American Farm Bureau Federation to tackle national farm problems.

This is the "house" that farmers built, a house that has stood the test of time and three days behind the 1968 crop. Site filling continued during the week and was progressing nicely.

Potato harvest was about one-third complete, five days ahead of the 1968 schedule but five days behind the progress of the 1967 harvest. Some growers were busy harvesting clover seed while others were still occupied with fall plowing, liming, land leveling and seeding legumes. Wheat planting is following a normal pattern and was one-fifth planted by Sept. 20. Many growers expressed concern of the planting of wheat in such dry soil. Others indicated they were waiting for fall showers before seeding their wheat. Other farmers were taking advantage of the good fall weather by continuing their buying operations.

Harvest of Niagara grapes was well underway and the crop of all grapes is expected to be much better than the short crops of 1967 and 1968. As of Sept. 1, the grape crop is forecast at 50,000 tons, over twice the size of the 1968 crop and 28 per cent larger than the 1967 crop. The forecast includes both fresh market and processing varieties of grapes. Late peach harvest is nearing completion as is pear harvest. Plum harvest reached its peak in the Southwest. A discouraging market has resulted in some plums being left on the tree.

As the future lays ahead it is the decisions of past leaders who have made such a bright future possible. Men, like our past AFBF presidents... James R. Howard, 1919-1922... Oscar E. Bradtford, 1922-1925... Sam H. Thompson, 1925-1931... Edward A. O'Neal, 1931-1947... Allan E. Kline, 1947-1954.

Granted, farmers are less in number each year, but it only adds to the importance of each individual farmer and his responsibilities to feed a bursting population in the world today.

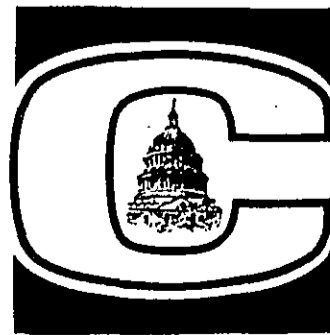
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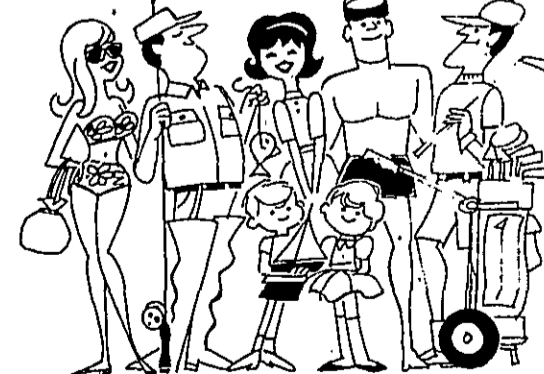
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4-H Club Chatter

By JOHN AYLSWORTH
Extension 4-H Youth Agent

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There will be judging of steers, swine and lamb market classes will be followed by an auction of the animals. The show is open to all youth whether in 4-H or not. Completed entry forms must be mailed by Oct. 17. Entry forms and information on the show will be available soon from the County 4-H Office of the Cooperative Extension Service or upon request from Robert McLachlan, Michigan State Fairgrounds, Detroit 48203.

Matthew Peck of the Elsie 4 Corners 4-H Club had a wonderful experience last week at Richmond, Virginia where he participated in the Eastern Regional Tractor Operators contest. Of 21 contestants Matthew finished

11th which was a good showing and Matthew gained many new experiences with this trip. Also it was educational as he was able to visit many of the historical places such as Gettysburg, Washington D.C., Williamsburg, Richmond and many others. Our congratulations go to Matthew Peck of Elsie for being a fine representative from Michigan. Last year's representative from Michigan was David Schwark from Ovid.

The 4-H Council will be sponsoring several 4-H Roller Skating Activities on the third Thursday of each month starting in October, at the Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. The cost will be \$1 per member. Proceeds will go to the County 4-H Council for various trip awards for the coming year. The first 4-H Roller Skating activity will be on Thursday Oct. 16. 4-H Clubs who would like to hold their Club roller skating party should plan on attending one of these events on the third Thursday of each month.

4-H Clubs throughout the county will be organizing soon for the winter program. Any youth between the age of 10 and 18 who would like to join a 4-H Club should contact a local 4-H Club leader or the County Extension Office, 1003 S. Oakland, St. Johns for information about a 4-H Club in his area.

The 4-H Teen leaders will be holding a hayride and Halloween Party on Saturday Oct. 11, at the home of Randy and Kathy Davis on Chadwick Road near DeWitt. Instead of a regular business meeting on Thursday Oct. 2, members will have the opportunity to bring a guest for this event.

The Lucky Riders 4-H Club Members held a going away party for Sue and Helen Kimball who will be leaving Michigan soon. The members voted to have a dark brown scarf and pants, white shirt, red vest with a horse head on the back for their Club uniforms. The club will have a trail ride Oct. 11 and 12 at the home of Mr and Mrs Royce Smith. The members rode in the DeWitt Ox Roast Parade and received third place as well as making a good showing at the county fair in August. The Club plans to hold a bake sale in the near future.

As people drive back and forth between St. Johns and DeWitt on U.S.-27 they will notice a bill board near DeWitt calling Attention to National 4-H Club Week Oct. 5-11, with the theme "Opportunity for All" Join a 4-H Club. Why don't you do it today?

Elsie youth a finalist in 4-H tractor contest

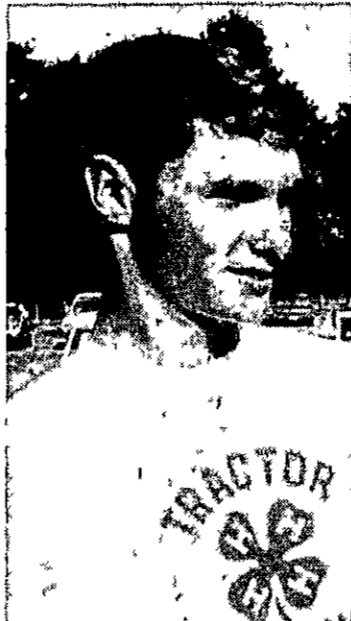
A 16-year-old youth from Elsie was among the 21 finalists for the Eastern 4-H tractor championship held during the Virginia State Fair.

Matthew Ray Peck, son of Mr and Mrs Ray W. Peck, represented Michigan in the 19th annual Eastern U.S. 4-H Tractor Operators' Contest. The American Oil Foundation sponsored the contestant.

Peck and the other young tractor drivers, ranging in age from 15 to 19, earned the right to compete in the 4-H event by winning a series of county, district and state eliminations.

A high school junior, Peck has been in 4-H seven years, two of these in tractor projects. He has completed 30 other 4-H projects in conservation, crops, dairy, electrical, flowers, handicraft and teen leadership.

"The 4-H tractor program has taught me the importance of tractor maintenance and how to take better care of the daily and periodic service needs of our tractors. I have learned about tractor safety and preventive maintenance," the Clinton County teen says.



MATTHEW PECK

Contest events included a written exam, a practical test indicating ability to spot faulty and malfunctioning parts, overall safety and a demonstration of driving competence with two- and four-wheel implements attached.

When Peck arrived in Rich-

mond, he and other contestants toured Williamsburg, Yorktown, and Jamestown, and were guests at a banquet Monday evening.

Hosts for the events, in addition to the American Oil Foundation, were Standard Oil Company (Kentucky), the Cooperative Extension Service, the Virginia Farm Equipment Association and the State Fair of Virginia.

Farm labor home grown

Analysis of Michigan State University's 1,500 TelFarm records in 1968 showed that the family provided most of the labor on these larger than average farms.

Except for the potato and tree fruit farms, which used an average of 5.5 men during the year, labor was "home grown". The average farm used 2.2 men equivalent during the year.

TelFarm is a management educational program involving records and business analysis reports to participating farmers who pay a fee based on the size of the farm.

4-H girls learn to manage time

More and more homemakers are accepting the challenge offered by two jobs, one at home, the other in the labor force. And they are being watched intently by some 128,000 4-H girls enrolled in the national 4-H Home Management program conducted by the Cooperative Extension Service and sponsored by Tupperware.

The 4-H'ers, age 9 to 19, are looking for ways they may learn to balance their time, money and talents in the successful operation of a family household. In the home management program the young people learn time-saving approaches to household tasks and money-saving techniques through comparative shopping. They also make wise management decisions based on an evaluation of each homemaking situation.

And the girls are not dull stay-at homes. Many of them pursue a myriad of school, community and 4-H activities in addition to completing household chores.

They find that good management principles applied to school and housework pay off in extra time for leisure activities. And many hope to call upon their 4-H ex-

perience in the future should they decide to combine home and career.

One of last year's national winners, Karol Farley, of Metropolis, Ill., found time to attend college, work five days a week in the family cafeteria and help with household chores. She says that good management made it all possible.

Nancy Walters of Angola, N.Y., another 1968 national winner, is putting her 4-H management skills to work at State University College at Fredonia. She works for her room and board by doing ironing and housework and still has ample time for studies and recreation.

These young women were among eight national home management winners named last year by the Cooperative Extension Service. Each girl received a \$600 scholarship as an award through the National 4-H Service Committee, Chicago.

This year Tupperware again will provide \$600 scholarships to eight management-conscious 4-H'ers and an expense-paid trip to National 4-H Congress, Nov. 30 - Dec. 4, for the state winner.

EXTENSION REPORT

About beans

By GEORGE McQUEEN

Now that most dry edible beans are harvested, let's take a look at the present situation.

Production estimates by the Crop Reporting Service for September show Navy beans up near-

ly two million hundred-weight over last year's shipments. Combined with some carry over this indicates higher export demand is needed to clear the market. Orderly marketing is the only hope to hold prices.

Dark Red Kidney beans prices are likely to be weak since indicated production should be close to market needs. But some dark reds were carried over.

Light Red Kidney beans should about follow last year's pattern since production about equaled last year's with no apparent carry over supply. The price spread between light reds and dark reds is expected to be greater than last year.

Cranberry bean production is indicated some higher than last year's movement so price improvement appears questionable.

A major factor in next year's bean production will be the scarcity of good quality seed. Both last year and this year were favorable for the development of

Common and Halo Blight. As a result many fields for certification did not pass standards for seed production.

Those farmers normally planting their own seed or a neighbor's will have even less decent seed available. Should you be reasonably sure of growing beans next year we definitely believe early buyers will soon get all the available quality seed.

Students shown pruning

A pruning demonstration was attended by Future Farmers of America from Ovid-Elsie and Bath Community Schools, as well as more than 20 adults. The demonstration, held on the Willis Kosht farm, was led by Mr Elton Twork, Conservation Forester, and Melvin Koelling, Extension Forester.

Twork called attention to the value of removing the small branches on the lower 17 feet of the tree to enable it to grow into a knot free saw log. He cited several examples of walnut trees selling for \$500 to \$1000 each. He emphasized that this price was paid for a high quality tree, one that was free of knots so it could be used for veneer. The best market is for trees more than 18 inches in diameter.

Now is a good time to pick up black walnuts, to plant them in the open areas of your woodlot. Twork said that trees should have about 30 feet to grow in, (50 trees to the acre).

There's super soil in your backyard

Don't throw away those fall leaves, coffee grounds, banana peels, tea leaves, lawn mowings, even vacuum cleaner fluff. Put it on the compost heap. You'll have a richer garden next year.

All you'll need to begin your own compost heap is a bottomless bin made of boards of chicken wire that will be large enough to hold the vegetable waste. A bin 6 feet by 6 feet will be adequate for a garden of half an acre.

Pile the soft waste material in the heap until it is about six to 8 inches deep. If it is dry, water it down until it is thoroughly moist. Add a thin layer of soil for activator to stimulate the rotting process. If natural materials aren't available your nursery or garden center will have commercially prepared products.

Continue this process—layers of waste material and activator—until the pile is four to six feet tall. A productive heap should be moist as well as warm, and

to help create these conditions rake the top of the heap to a slightly concave shape so it will catch rainwater.

The final step is to cover over the entire compost pile with a layer of soil about 6 inches deep. This acts to retain the necessary heat, encouraging the breakdown of the proteins and carbohydrates inside.

The American Association of Nurserymen offer this additional reminder. You are not building a rubbish heap with a mere collection of garbage and trash. That sort of collection will only attract bugs and disease carrying insects, and it is certain not to attract neighbors. A real compost pile will be dark brown or black in appearance, and it will be sweet smelling. It will show no trace of the original materials.

With the guidelines suggested by the nurserymen, you will have a compost pile for your use in feeding your garden soil next planting season. And you'll be feeding it a royal banquet.

Farm Bureau meets

The annual meeting of the Clinton County Farm Bureau has been set for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday Oct. 14 at Smith Hall.

According to president R. Lee Ormston this 50th annual gathering will begin with a dinner followed by a business session. Aside from the consideration of resolutions, election of directors and delegates and annual reports will be part of the agenda.

As in the past the occasion will be highlighted by the presentation of awards to members and various committees and groups.

Hubbardston

Mrs Mamie O'Connell
Phone 981-2374

Mr and Mrs Ray McGinn and family spent Saturday and Sunday camping at Silver Lake and toured the sand dunes.

Mr and Mrs Harold Skinner called on their great-grandson, Robby Penik and mother Mrs Janet Penik, Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs Bob Seboid of Lansing attended the ham supper at the American Legion Club Saturday evening and called on relatives.

Mr and Mrs Roger Shively are the proud parents of a daughter, Katrina Marie, born Sept. 20 at Carson City Hospital.

Mr and Mrs Manuel Cusack, Ginny, Vivian, Chris, Brenda, Mr and Mrs Clifford O'Grady, Janice, Carolyn, Shaun and Shlela were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Raymond Donahue and family of Grand Rapids. The occasion being the birthday of Nancy Donahue.

Mr and Mrs Mike Curtiss moved the past week to the former Pat Cahalan home, which they recently purchased.

Dale Baker of St. Johns called on Mr and Mrs Richard Langdon Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs James Barker are the proud parents of a son born Sept. 24 at Carson City Hospital. He will be called James Jr.

Tudor DeWitt agent

Edward L. Tudor is the new Standard Oil agent in DeWitt after graduating from a 10-day orientation course conducted by the company.

Tudor will be responsible for the sale and distribution of Standard Oil products for the farm and home in the DeWitt area.

A graduate of Miami High School, Tudor also attended Lansing Community College. He formerly was employed by the Bell Telephone Company, and worked in oil burner service and sales. He is a member of the American Legion and Hope Lutheran Church.

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Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches

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

St. Johns Area

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Averill M. Carson, Minister
Wed., Oct. 1—3:30, Girl Scouts; 7:30, Boy Scouts; 8:00, Senior Choir rehearsal.
Thurs., Oct. 2—10:00, Fellowship of Concerns.
Sat., Oct. 4—9:30, Registration for the 15th Annual Meeting of the Western Michigan Association of Congregational Churches at Merrill Congregational Church, 12:30, Junior Choir rehearsal; 1:00, Children's Choir rehearsal.
World-Wide Communion, Sun., Oct. 5—9:45, Church School, Nursery through Junior High; 11:00, Service of Communion; 7:00, Youth Fellowship; 7:30, Doublets meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Amstutz, 807 W. Light St.
Tues., Oct. 7—1:30, Women's Fellowship; 1:00, Board meeting.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
US-27 at Sturgis
Rev Robert D. Koepfen, Pastor
9 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes
10:15 a.m.—Divine Worship
Holy Communion, 1st Sunday each month.
Church Nursery during services, and 7:30 p.m.—Instruction Classes, Mondays.
6:30 p.m.—Junior Choir, Wednesday night.
7:30 p.m.—Senior Choir, Wednesday night.
9:30-11:30 a.m.—Confirmation instruction, Saturdays.
First Tuesday each month, Ladies' Guild, 8 p.m.
Second Tuesday each month, Men's Club, 8 p.m.
Third Tuesday each month, Lutheran Women's Missionary League, 7:30 p.m.
Adult information classes held at the convenience of the interested parties. Phone 224-7400 (parsonage) or 224-3544 (office) for specific information.
Church office hours: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday—9 to 12 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev William G. Harker, Pastor
Rev Joseph Labiak, Associate Pastor
Rectory—109 Linden St.—Ph. 224-3313
Convent—110 S. Oakland—Ph. 241-3789
School—201 E. Cass—Ph. 224-2121
Mass Schedule
Saturday Evening—7 p.m. Sunday—7:00, 10:30 and 12:00
Holy Days—See bulletin.
Weekdays—Monday, Friday and Saturday—7:30 and 9:30 a.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—8:30 a.m. and 7:15 p.m.
Sacrament of Penance—Saturdays, 3:30 to 5 p.m.; after 7 p.m. Mass until 9 p.m. Weekly evenings—a few minutes before evening Mass.
First Fridays—Sacrament of Penance, Thursday from 4 to 5 p.m. and after the evening Mass until all are heard. Mass and Prayers of Adoration at 7:15 p.m. Holy Communion on Friday at 8 and 7:15 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 8:30 p.m. on Thursday through 7 p.m. on First Friday.
Devotions—Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena—after 7:15 p.m. Mass each Tuesday.
Religious Instruction Classes—Adult Inquiry Class, Tuesday at 8 p.m. High School CCD, Wednesday at 8 p.m. Public Grade School CCD, Tuesdays from 4 until 5 p.m.
Baptisms—Each Sunday at 1:30 by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev Harold E. Homer, Minister
World Wide Communion Sunday 10:00—Holy Communion Sunday 11:00—Church School for all ages.
Wed., Oct. 1—9:00, WSCS Fall Rally at Greenville; 7:00, Chancel Choir rehearsal; 7:30, Local Church Conference with Rev E. Wm. Wiltsie presiding.
Thurs., Oct. 2—9:00, Women's Study Class; 10:00, WSCS Executive Committee meeting; 6:30, Chapel Choir rehearsal.
Tues., Oct. 7—3:15, Carol Choir rehearsal; 7:30, Service of the Word with Mrs. Jack Birdsey, Co-hostess; Mrs. Doyne Heuer, Esther Circle will lunch at Light Restaurant in Lansing and then visit the Jewish Synagogue; 7:30, Christian Workers School in Ithaca.

FRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Karl Ziegler, Minister
9:45 a.m.—Church School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
Men's Club meets Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m.
Women's Society meets the fourth Wednesday of each month. Dinner at 12:30. Meeting at 1:30.
Youth Fellowship meets the first and third Sunday of each month at 8 p.m.
Education Commission to meet the 4th Monday night of each month at 7 p.m.
Official Board meets the first Sunday of each month following a potluck dinner at 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir and Craft Club meets on Wednesday night at 7 p.m.
Senior choir meets each Wednesday at 7 p.m.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall
1933 N. Lansing St.
Thurs., 7:30 p.m.—Theocratic Ministry School. Five prepared student talks designed to increase the knowledge of the audience and the speaking abilities of the students. 8:30 p.m.—Service meeting. Lectures and discussions of Bible teachings following the theme: "Jehovah's Name Is to Be Put on High." (Isa. 12:4)
Sun., 9 a.m.—Public Lecture, "Preparing Your Children to Meet the Problems of Life." 10 a.m.—Watchtower Study. Taken from September 15th issue. "Return Evil for Evil to No One."
7:30 p.m.—Congregation Book Study held in two locations in St. Johns area, 1. Kingdom Hall, 2. Jack Schroeder residence in Ovid. Text: "Babylon the Great Has Fallen, God's Kingdom Ruled—free—no collection taken."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
South US-27
10 a.m.—Sunday School, Willard Goldman, Supt.
11 a.m.—Worship Service on WRBJ, 1580 kc.
11:30 a.m.—Children's Churches
9 p.m.—Omega Club for Teens
7 p.m.—Evening Worship
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Sunday, 7 p.m., evangelistic message.
Wednesday at 7, prayer meeting and study hour.
SHEPARDVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev Karl Ziegler
2233 Robinson Rd., Lansing 48910
Phone 129-8276
9:30 a.m.—Morning Worship
11 a.m.—Church School

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner of East Walker and Mead Sts.
Rev Hugh E. Banning, Pastor
Rectory 224-2600 Office 224-2603
1st Sunday of Month—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion and Sermon
Other Sundays—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon
Fall Schedule
10:30 a.m.—Nursery School
11 a.m.—Church School, kindergarten to 6th grade

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS

606 North Lansing Street
Elder, E. F. Herze, Pastor
Services held on Saturday
9:15 a.m.—Church Service
10:30 a.m.—Sabbath School Service

CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. C. A. Stone, Pastor
Whittemore and Nairdroad on US-27
10:00 a.m.—Church School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Adult Prayer group
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting; choir practice, 7 p.m.

PILGRIM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(Formerly EUB Church)
Elder, W. H. Hester, Minister
Brian K. Sheen, Assistant Minister
W. Pilgrim (formerly Bengal EUB)
Corner of Tait and County Farm Rds.
11:00 a.m.—Morning service at the West Church (Bengal).
10:30 a.m.—Church School at the West Church (Bengal).
10 a.m.—Church School at the East Church (Bingham).
Third Tuesday Service at the East Church (Bingham).
Combined Junior MYF will be held at the West Church on 2nd and DeWitt Rds. at 6:30 p.m. Combined Senior MYF will be held at the parsonage at 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

515 North Lansing Street
Rev. W. M. Manker, Pastor
Phone 224-7550
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
9:45 a.m.—Morning Worship
9:15 p.m.—Evening Worship
7:45 p.m.—Prayer and prayer hour.
7:15 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer hour.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Robert Boyer
305 Church Street
E. E. Courser, Minister
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:45 p.m.—Evening Worship
Thursday, 7:45 p.m.—Prayer service
8:00 p.m. (2nd and 4th Thursdays)
Free Methodist Youth meeting

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

S. US-27 & E. Baldwin
Joseph F. Eger, Jr., Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
8:30 p.m.—Youth Service
7:30 p.m.—Sunday Evening
7 p.m.—Wednesday, second and fourth, WMC
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday evening service

DeWitt Area

DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH

(Inter-denominational)
Rev Sidney J. Rowland, Pastor
Marjorie Rowland, Supt.
Amy Mulford, Co-Supt.
Summer Schedule
9 a.m.—Wednesday, Church School.
10 a.m.—Sunday, Worship Service.
11 a.m.—Sunday, Adult, Sunday School.
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Dialogue.

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH

David B. Franzmeier, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Morning Service
Under Construction of Fall 1969
9:15 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Worship at the DeWitt high school.

DEWITT METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Bertram W. Vermeulen, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Service. Nursery available for all pre-school children during the worship service.
11 a.m.—Methodist Youth Fellowship (all sections).

EMMANUEL METHODIST CHURCH

Corner Clark and Schavey Roads
Bertram W. Vermeulen, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service
11 a.m.—Sunday School, adults and children.
Newcomers and old friends are always welcome.

ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner US-27 and Webb Road
Rev Hugh E. Banning, Vicar
Rectory 224-2600 Office 224-2625
2nd and 4th Sundays—9 a.m., Holy Communion and sermon.
Other Sundays—9 a.m., morning prayer and sermon.
Church school every Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH

(Non Denominational)
Rond Lake Road 1/4 mile
Rev. Fred Wing, Pastor
Clend J. Farnham, Minister
Sunday—9:30 a.m.—Sunday School. Classes for all ages.
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship, Senior, 1st and 2nd, 3rd Cadets, 10-15.
7 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer. Supervised nursery for babies and small children in all services.
"An open door to an open book!"
A Bible preaching church with a message for you.

ST. THERESA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fr Robert J. Palmer, Pastor
Fr Eugene J. Gannon, Fr James Murray, Assistant Pastors
Rectory: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing
Phone 487-3749
Mass Schedule—Sundays: 8, 7:30, 9, 10:30 and 12
Weekdays—8:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m. (8 a.m. non-school days), 3:30 to 5, 7:30 to 9 p.m.
Eves of Holy Days and First Friday—4 to 5, 8 to 9.
Perpetual Help Devotions, Saturday, 7:30 p.m.
Holy Day Masses—7, 8, 10 a.m., 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.
First Fridays—8:30, 9:30, 9:30 and 7:30 p.m. (8 a.m. non-school days).

Valley Farms Area

VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH

211 E. State Road
Rev. LaVern Bretz, Pastor
9:45-10:45 a.m.—Church School.
There is a class for everyone from the youngest to the oldest. The Bible is our textbook in the Ovid Text.
11 a.m.—12 Noon—Morning Worship.
Junior Church for children through 6th grade.
8:30 p.m.—BYF for both Juniors and Seniors

BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Alma Glatfelter
Telephone 461-6657
10 a.m.—Worship
11 a.m.—Church School

BATH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev James L. Burleigh, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
8:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

ROSE LAKE CHURCH

Reorganized L.D.S.
Elder Jack Hodge, Pastor
Corner of Upton and Stoll Roads
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
1:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, evening service

GO CLASSIFIED

Call Barbara 224-2361

7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service

8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practices
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Service
8:00 p.m.—Morning Choir practice
Saturday 10:00 a.m.—Jr. Choir practice
1st Thursday 7:30 p.m.—Woman's Mission Society
2nd Saturday 2:00 p.m.—Ann Judson Guild for Jr. Hl. girls
3rd Tuesday 6:30 p.m.—Men's Fellowship

Fowler Area

MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Rev Fr Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor
Sunday Masses—8:30, 8:30 and 10:30 a.m.
Weekdays—During school year, 7 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Sorrowful Mother Novena—Friday, 7:00 p.m.
Saturdays—7:30 a.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Fowler, Michigan
H. E. Hossow, Pastor
9:30 a.m.—Worship
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.

Riley Township

ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH

MISSOURI SYNOD
4 1/2 miles west of St. Johns on M-21
5 1/2 miles south on Francis road
2 miles west on Church road
Marvin L. Barz, Pastor

Gunnisonville Area

GUNNISONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Clark and Wood Roads
Edward F. Otto, Minister
9:30 a.m.—Services and Sunday School.

Maple Rapids Area

GREENBUSH METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Robert Boyer
10:30 a.m.—Church School
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship

MAPLE RAPIDS METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Robert Boyer
Sunday
9 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:15 a.m.—Sunday School
Monday
7 p.m.—Wobelos
Tuesday
1:30 p.m.—WCSA first Tuesday of month.
7 p.m.—Chapel Choir rehearsal
8 p.m.—Official Board meets on second Tuesday of month.
Wednesday
3:30 p.m.—Chancel Choir rehearsal
7:30 p.m.—Boy Scouts
Thursday
8 p.m.—Bible Study
Friday
3:30 p.m.—Junior MYF

LOWE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Robert Boyer
9:00 a.m.—Church School
10:15 a.m.—Morning Worship

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Maple Rapids, Michigan
Rev Robert E. Myers, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Worship Service
7:00 p.m.—Methodist Adult Sunday School
7:00 p.m.—U.C.Y.M. meets on alternate Sundays
8:45 a.m.—Thursday, Cherub and junior choir.
8 p.m.—Thursday, Chapel choir.
1:30 p.m.—Worship Service
7:00 p.m.—Third Tuesday Women's Fellowship, church basement.
8:30 p.m.—Service meeting

ST. STEPHEN'S EPISCOPAL MISSION—CHURCHMOBILE

Rev Richard Anderson of St. John's Alma, in Charge
Services every Sunday at 9 a.m.

Matherton Area

UNITED BROTHERS CHURCH

Matherton Michigan
Rev Jessie Powell, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service
10:45 a.m.—Sunday School
8:00 p.m.—Wednesday, Midweek prayer meeting
We welcome you to the fellowship of our services. Our desire is that you may find the warmth of welcome and the assistance in your worship of Christ.
2nd and 4th Sundays Matherton Church, second and fourth at Fenwick Church

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH

2:00 p.m.—Sunday School
3:00 p.m.—Worship service

Fulton Area

FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH

1/2 mile east of Perrinton on M-57, 1/2 mile south
Rev. Fred Wing, Pastor
East of US-27
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
8:45 p.m.—Youth Service
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service
7:45 p.m.—Thursday, Prayer and praise service

SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Robert Boyer
9:15 a.m.—Sunday School
10:15 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Service

ST. MARTIN DEPORRE MISSION

Middleton, Mich.
Father Charles J. Gannon, Pastor
Sunday Mass—9:15 a.m.
No Weekday mass

Eureka Area

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Eureka, Michigan
Rev William D. Moore
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship

Bath Area

BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Alma Glatfelter
Telephone 461-6657
10 a.m.—Worship
11 a.m.—Church School

BATH BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev James L. Burleigh, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
8:30 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

DUPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Gordon Showers, Minister
10 a.m.—Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth Kiger
11 a.m.—Worship service

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev Lorne Thompson, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Worship service
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, Paul Brown, Supt.
8 p.m.—Junior and Senior BYF
7 p.m.—Evening Service
3:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Junior and Senior Choir practice.
7 p.m.—Wednesday—Prayer and Bible Study.

ELSIE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

115 E. Main St.
Rev F. Ladd, Pastor
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7 p.m.—Evening Service
7 p.m.—Wednesday Bible Study

DUPLAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST

3 miles west Ovid Elsie High School.
5565 E. Colony Road
Justin Sheppard, Minister
Jack Schwark, S.S. Supt.
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Worship Hour
7:45 p.m.—Evening Service
7:45 p.m., Wednesday—Prayer Meeting

ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev Fr J. Konieczka, Pastor
Mrs. J. Konieczka, Organist
Rectory: Bannister, Phone 882-5270
Sunday Masses—8:30 and 10:30 a.m., Daily Mass—7:30 a.m.; First Friday, 8 p.m.
Holy Days—Masses 7 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Confessions—1 to 5 and 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., every Saturday and before Mass on Sundays, Holy Days and First Fridays.

Eagle Area

EAGLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev William W. Cox, Pastor
14246 Michigan
Telephone 627-5533
10 a.m.—Morning Worship
11:10 a.m.—Church School
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7 p.m.—Wednesday, Triple F
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study and Prayer meeting.

EAGLE FOURSQUARE CHURCH

Rev and Mrs. Royal Burnett, Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:15 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday Prayer meeting

Ovid Area

OID FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Main at Oak Street
Rev Earl C. Copelin, Pastor
Myron Woodruff, Church School Supt.
Mrs. Ina Beardlee, Organist
9:45 a.m.—Church School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
Wednesday, 7 p.m., Senior Choir
Wednesday, 8 p.m., Prayer

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Ovid, Michigan
Robert E. Hayton, Pastor
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
6 p.m.—Sunday evening singing for boys and girls
7 p.m.—Sunday evening services, Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. L. Sanders, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
6:00 p.m.—Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, Bible Study; 8:45 p.m.—Choir practice

OID UNITED CHURCH

Walter A. Kargus III, Minister
Vera Tremblay, Church School Supt.
Services at Front Street Church, 9:30 a.m.—Church School each Sunday.
10 a.m.—Morning Worship.
Official Board first Tuesday.
Women's Fellowship second Wednesday.
Circle meetings third Wednesday.
Men's Club third Monday.

OID FREE METHODIST CHURCH

W. William St.
Rev. Richard Gleason, Pastor
Telephone 634-2473
Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
Church services—11:00 a.m.
Evening services—7:30 p.m.
Prayer meeting—Wed. at 7:30 p.m.

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Ovid, Michigan
Rev Fr. Thomas J. Bolger, M.A., Pastor
10:30 a.m.—Sunday Mass
7 p.m.—Evening Mass on Thursday, Confessions following evening Mass.

Pewamo Area

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Pewamo, Michigan
Rt Rev Mgr Thomas J. Bolger, M.A., Pastor
Sunday Masses—8 a.m., 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.
Daily Mass—7:30 a.m.
Holy Baptism—Sunday, 1 p.m.
Sacred Confession—Saturday, 3:30 and 7:30 p.m.
Family Holy Hour for Peace—Saturday, 7:15 p.m.

Victor Township

GROVE BIBLE CHURCH

Rev. Robert Prange, Pastor
Price and Shepardsville roads
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school. Classes for all ages
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
7:30 p.m.—Wednesday, prayer meeting
Ladies Missionary circle meets 4th Thursday
Councils Club meets 4th Saturday in month

WACOSTA COMMUNITY METHODIST CHURCH

Rev Dale Spoor, Pastor
Phone 627-2519
10 a.m.—Morning Worship
11 a.m.—Sunday School
6:30 p.m.—Senior and Junior Youth Fellowship
Thursday, 3 p.m.—Children's Choir
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Senior Adult Fellowship
Official Board meeting at 8 p.m. on 4th Monday of each month.
Methodist Men's Club Meetings—Potluck at church at 8:30 p.m. on 1st Wednesdays of Sept., Dec., Feb. and April. Sunday morning breakfast on 1st Sunday morning of Oct., Nov., Jan., March and May at 8 a.m.

Westphalia Area

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Rev Fr Aloysius H. Miller, Pastor
Rev Walter L. Spillane, Assistant Pastor
Sunday Masses—8 and 10 a.m.
Weekdays—During school year 7:00, 7:45 and 11:15 a.m.
Saturdays—6 a.m. and 7:30 a.m.
Holy Days—5:30, 7:30, 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Evening Mass—Friday, 8:00 p.m.

Lansing

KIMBERLY CHURCH OF CHRIST

1007 Kimberly Drive
Lansing, Michigan
John Halls
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
6 p.m.—Evening Worship
Midweek service 7:30 p.m. Wednesday night.

"What's in the cup, Granddad?"

Not many bother to answer the countless questions he loves to ask. But usually he can count on Granddad.

"What was in The Cup at church this morning?" It's a question many people ask — people sincerely wanting to know its significance . . . people who like to argue. (Is it wine or grape juice?) Theists . . . theologians .

Capitol booklet available

A booklet on the Michigan State capitol building has just been released by the Michigan Historical Commission.

"For some years now, the Commission has received so many requests for added information about Michigan's No. 1 historical building," explained Dr.

Harry Kelsey, state historian, "that the Commission authorized the printing of the 40-page illustrated booklet on the Capitol."

The pamphlet sells for 75 cents and was printed with funds in the Munson fund of the Historical Commission. Orders should be sent to the Michigan Historical

Commission, Lansing 48918.

Kelsey said the booklet was designed to answer many questions about the Capitol building asked by legislators, students, teachers, tourists, and visitors to the State. Among the questions answered are the age of the structure, type of construction materials, architectural features, and changes made in the building over the years.

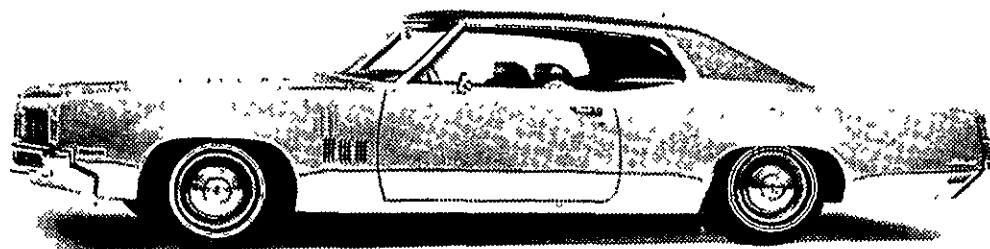
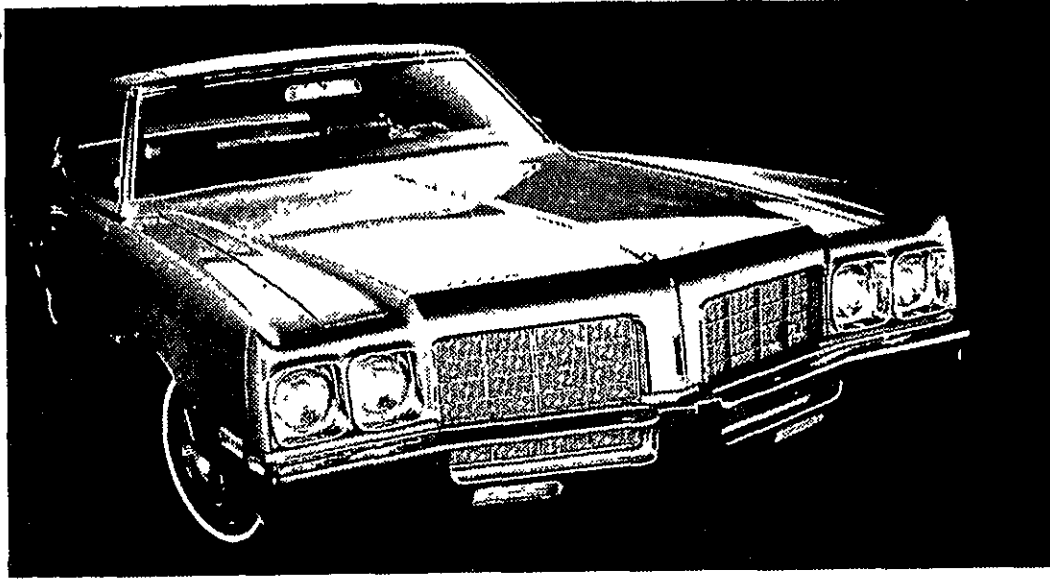
The first chapter begins with a political summary of state history, explaining why the Capitol was moved from Detroit to Lansing and how the Legislature was housed in the new capitol city. The remainder of the chapter deals with the building of the present Capitol during the years of 1871-1879.

A succeeding chapter is a series of modern architectural photographs by Allen Stross, a Detroit professional photographer, who has frequently worked on projects for the Historic American Buildings Survey.

The last chapter is titled, "Capitol Happenings."

It reports on changes made in the building and the grounds over the years and summarizes some of the more unusual incidents that took place.

For example, notes Kelsey, in 1916 the "Human Fly," a man "who defied gravity," climbed to the top of the dome. This chapter also relates the highlights in the career of Elijah E. Myers, Capitol architect, who later designed capitols in Utah, Idaho, Colorado, and Texas.



Offered exclusively in a Holiday Coupe body style, the 1970 Delta 88 Royale represents the top of Oldsmobile's '88' line of cars. A vinyl-covered top, distinctive grille, front fender louvers and specific exterior ornamentation easily identify the Delta 88 Royale. Standard engine on this 1970 Oldsmobile is a 455-cu.-in. V-8. A high output engine option, designated W-33, is available on the Delta 88 Royale and on all other Oldsmobile '88' models for 1970.

TB skin tests for students

A program to give every ninth grader in the state a tuberculin skin test will be promoted during the 1969-70 school year by the Michigan Department of Public Health, the Department of Education and the Michigan Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association.

It is anticipated that the program will provide a reliable state index of tuberculosis infection in this age group and also serve as a guideline for future tuberculin testing programs in the schools. Local health departments will be encouraged to arrange the tests for all ninth graders located in their area.

The Michigan Health Officers Association has given its support to the project. The Board of Directors of the M.H.O.A. approved, "in general the recommendation of the MTRDA as regards the tuberculin testing program for the ninth grade and urge the health officers to put special emphasis on testing ninth graders as a measurement device and a case-finding program."

"Ninth grade students have been selected because the bulk of the teenagers are still in school at this time," says Dr. John Isbister, chief of the Bureau of Community Health, Michigan Department of Public Health.

"Testing students of this age level provides an indirect index of the TB problem in their

families and in the communities in relation to the infecting of children by adults," he adds.

"Testing ninth graders will also indicate progress regarding the national goal of no more than one per cent reactors among the 14 year olds."

For uniformity, use of the Mantoux skin test with PPD-T (tuberculin), now available from the Michigan Department of Public Health has been established. Testing programs in the schools will be performed by physicians or by registered nurses under the direction of physicians.

Follow-up of reactors and their associates will be the responsibility of the local health departments and private physicians. Special reporting forms will be provided to the Michigan Department of Public Health to evaluate the program.

Antimicrobial drugs, which have revolutionized the treatment of tuberculosis, have also been effectively used in chemoprophylaxis, the prevention of active disease in infected individuals. The Michigan Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association has endorsed the position that all reactors should receive chemoprophylaxis.

A spider is not an insect. An insect has six legs and three body parts while the spider has eight legs and two body parts. The spider has no wings, antennae, nor feelers.

How taxes affect food processing

A look at how state and local taxes affect food processing firms in 28 states is provided in a new 58-page report entitled "The Effect of State and Local Taxes on Profits in Food Processing."

Prepared by Dr. W. Smith Greig, Michigan State University agricultural economist, the report points out the wide variance among states in local property taxes, and in state income, gross receipts, franchise, and other taxes paid by three model processing firms—a fruit and vegetable processor, a dairy processor and a grain mill products processor.

Dr. Greig explains that due to recent increases in local and state taxes, the tax factor has become an important consideration in selecting a plant site. The report does not contrast services which a firm receives

for the taxes it pays, e.g., school systems, hospitals and highways, etc.

Nevertheless, says Greig, the study should be required reading for any fruit, vegetable, dairy, or grain mill processor contemplating construction of a new plant.

Copies of the publication may be obtained by writing to: Dr. W. Smith Greig, Department of Agricultural Economics, Michigan State University, East Lansing 48823.

Flag Raising

The first official raising of the new 50-star American flag was from the flag pole at the east and west fronts of the national Capitol. At the same hour, the new flag was raised over Ft. McHenry National Monument in Baltimore, Md., birthplace of the national anthem.

Police auction nets \$8,933

Gross receipts of \$8,933.85, a new high, were reported at the recent fifteenth annual Michigan State Police auction at headquarters in East Lansing.

Receipts from the sale of confiscated, found and unclaimed

merchandise topped the previous high of \$8,369.55 collected at the first auction in 1954.

This year's auction of 694 lots of merchandise required two full days to complete, only the third time in 15 sales when

more than a day was needed.

Net proceeds of the sale, which will be turned into the state treasury, will not be known until all business expense bills have been submitted.

Teen tells what America means

Editor's note: What is America to a teenager? Rebecca Bavin of Pittsford recently put her thoughts on paper and won a national essay contest sponsored by the youth group of the national auxiliary of Rural Letter Carriers. Here is what she calls America.

America. That one word has so much meaning! It would take a lifetime to define it. The boys in Vietnam would call it home. The hungry see it as a place of plenty. To the person persecuted because of religion, it is a heaven on earth. The poor see it as a country full of rich people. The student radical claims it is full of hypocrisy and militant blacks label it as being full of hate and prejudice. The businessman looks at it as a place of golden opportunity while gleaming, teeming cities and peaceful, soothing mountains are the America for tourists.

To me it is all of this and more. I realize America does have elements of hate, prejudice,

and hypocrisy. She has many other faults, too, but think of her virtues and strengths! She is first of all home. That implies that she is a place of security and warmth—a place I love that holds memories both good and bad. Anyone that has ever traveled knows that no matter how exciting a trip may be it is still great to get home—home where you can be comfortable and sure of yourself in familiar surroundings. As vast as she is, America is home to me.

I love America, too, because of the heritage she has given me. Admittedly, her past is not all glorious—she has made mistakes and she will probably continue to do so. But again, think of the good! Think of the men from Nathan Hale to the boys in Vietnam who have died for her values. Think of the rail splitter who rose from a log cabin to the White House! Think of the proud Indian surveying his land and of the pioneer scraping an existence from a harsh, proud land.

Think of the men circling the moon reading "In the beginning God . . ." to the entire world! Think of the slave providing the back-breaking labor to build a proud, aristocratic South. Think of the men—all of them—who have filled the White House and led the nation. Only in America could all of this happen. I am proud of America's history!

Perhaps the most important thing to me about America is the freedom of religion that is given to me. I have never known what it is to be persecuted for my beliefs or to be denied the right to worship. Our nation was built on a belief in God. The colonies were one of the first places where religious freedom was granted. No one seems to know why it was so—it certainly wasn't brought from England. All during the forming of our nation, time was spent in prayer by the leaders of America. I am glad today to be able to point to the fact that the vast majority of our Presidents have prayed

to Almighty God for guidance and strength. And we have had almost every religion represented in the office of President of the United States. God is first in my life. In many other countries I couldn't say this out of fear. Here I am not only tolerated but respected for my belief. God has greatly blessed this land—let's pray that He will continue to do so!

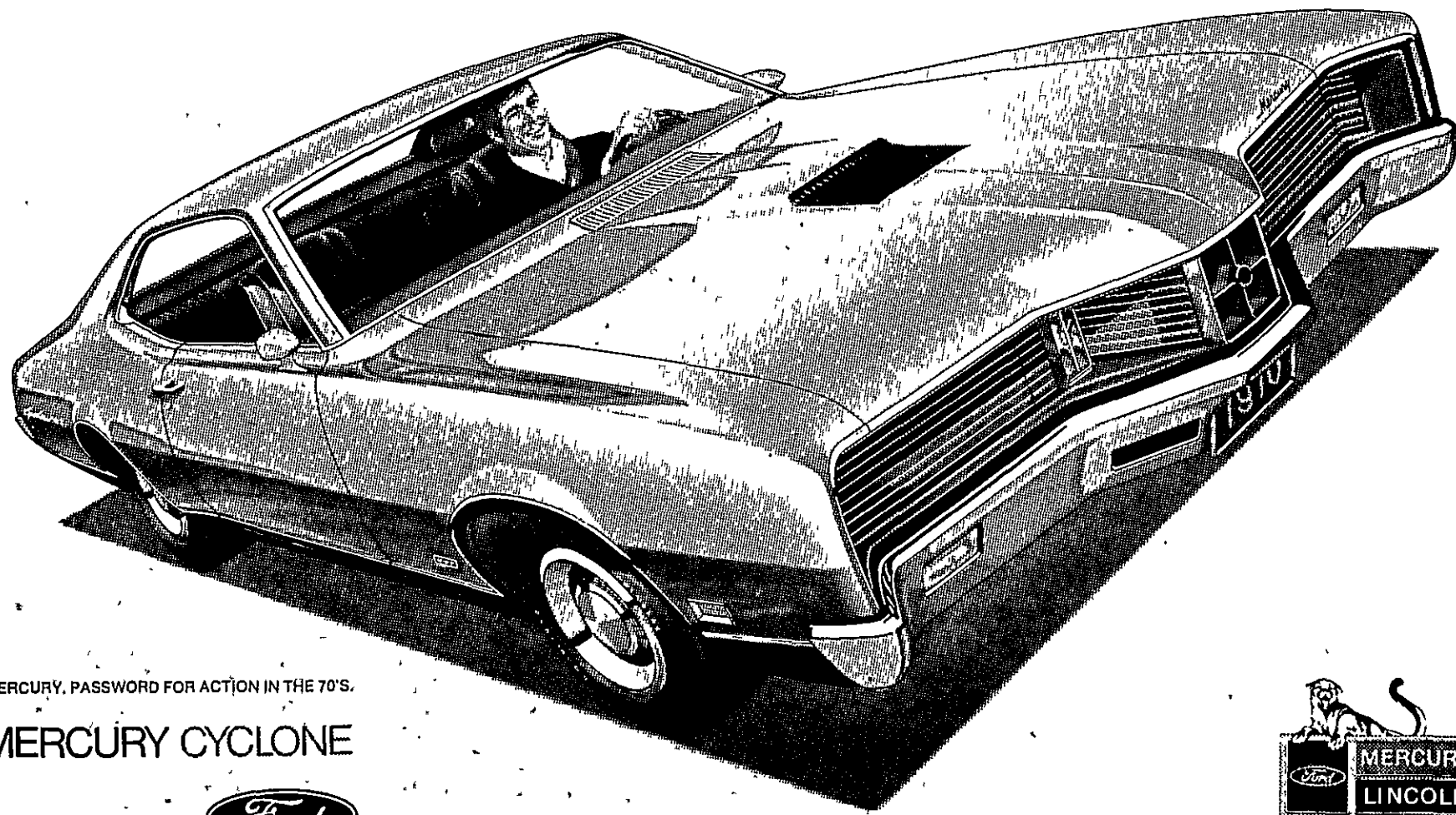
Thinking back over what I have said, I realize that some will consider me very outdated and sentimental. That's fine with me! For this is a part of America too—the right to have and express your own opinion. That's another reason why I'm a lover of America—she is brave enough to allow criticism of herself.

America! Yes, we all have different reasons for loving her. For me, when I think of all the other nations of the world I find none in which I'd rather live. America—with all her faults and glories—is my land and I love her!

'70 Mercury Cyclone GT. Password for action with the accent on action.

Cyclone GT combines the lean, ready-to-race look of a track machine with the quiet, good manners of a street machine. Its bold thrusting grille is flanked by amber Cyclone running lights. Concealed headlights are standard. So are hi-back buckets of cool "breathable" Comfortweave

vinyl, sporty hood scoop, belted wide tread tires and dual side view mirrors. Performance runs from quick to quicker. Cyclone GT is equipped with a standard 351 cubic inch 2-barrel V-8, with options all the way up to a Super CJ-429-4V Ram Air V-8.



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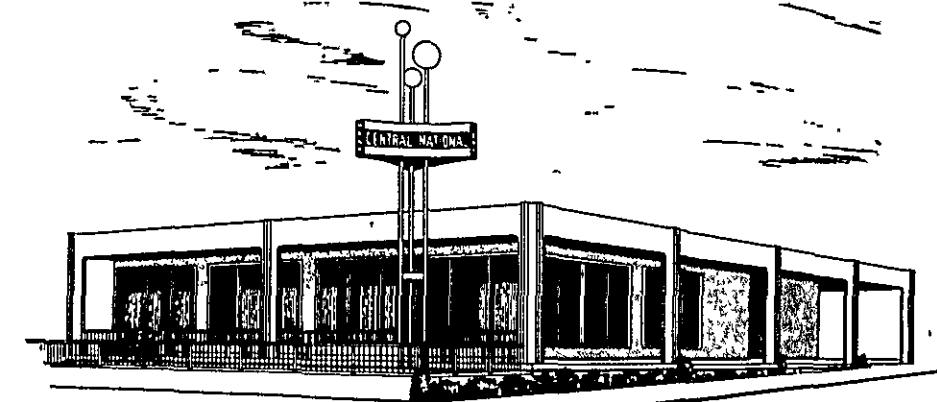
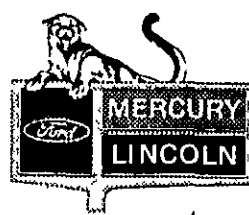
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Business and Professional Announcements, Legal News



New Suits Started

ERNEST E. CARTER
County Clerk

Ellen June Lanford vs. David G. Tanous vs. Gall L. Tanous.

New Business Firms

DeWitt Weekly Advertiser, at 608 Turner St., DeWitt by Donald C. and Edith F. Smith.
Village Printing Company, 608 Turner St., DeWitt by Donald C. and Edith F. Smith.
The Lansing Catholic News, 608 Turner St., DeWitt, by Donald C. and Edith F. Smith.

Marriage Licenses

Barry J. Mead, 22, of 220 W. Front Street, Ovid, and Nancy Jo Cross, 18, of 7749 Island Road, Elsie.

Domingo Molina, 22, R-1, Elwell, Mich, and Janice Irene Garcia, 18, of 604 Church St., St. Johns.

Max D. Green, 45, of 8712 Shepardville Rd., Laingsburg and Margaret G. Hall, 43, of 9311 Oakhill Drive, Laingsburg.

Kenneth A. Gibson, 25, of 601 S. Oakland St. and Linda D. Austin, 20, of R-6, St. Johns.

Neal J. Thelen, 20, of 3766 S. County Farm Rd. and Carol A. Feldpausch, 20, of R-2, Fowler.

Alex Morley, 200 E. Gibbs, add to garage.
B. Stanley Pocus, 904 W. Baldwin, replace garage door.

Robert J. Bogdan, 1200S, Oakland, replace garage door.
Helen L. Hill, 824 N. Clinton Ave., enclose porch.
Gerald Every, 210S, Emmons, ould patio.

Miles Surnick, R-2, Laingsburg, build garage.
Melvin Butler, Rural DeWitt, dwelling and garage.

Gaylord Gray, R-1, St. Johns, enclose cellar way.
Wesley Smith, R-2, St. Johns, add to dwelling.

David A. Pappol, DeWitt, dwelling and unattached garage.
Donald G. Sicles, R-2, Laingsburg, porch.

Ken Roberto Construction Co., East Lansing, equipment storage pole building.
Charles Reeves, 15765 Grove Rd., Lansing, 3-stall carport.
Larry Randolph, R-3, St. Johns, dwelling and garage.

Paul Duski, R-5, St. Johns, aluminum siding addition to dwelling.

Levi and Barbara Conklin to James A. and Ethel Oberlin, property in St. Johns.
James A. and Ethel Oberlin,

to Forrest I. and Linda Hunnicutt, property in St. Johns.
Clarence and Helen Enness to Richard P. and Rosemary Pung, property in Eagle.
Lake Geneva Land Co., to Lyons A. and Sue K. Kerans, property in Geneva Shores.
Donald W. and Bernice Rice to Edward O. and Beatrice Grans, property in Bingham twp.
Melvin H. and Wanda Dague to E. G. and Georgia Swindlehurst, property in Watertown.
William B. and Ona Conright to Capitol City Realty Inc., property in Victory twp.
Helen Everett Wood to Douglas H. and Alice T. Smith, property in Everett Subdivision.
Prudence DeLaere to Leo and Elsie DeLaere, property in St. Johns.
Fred F. Rozmis, to Claude H. and Esther Butler, property in Boichot Acres.
American Central Corporation to Nick and Irene Chomik, property in Royal Shores.
James R. and Mary G. Duncan to Robert M. and Carol Bos, property in DeWitt.
Oliver C. and Marguerite Wieland to James R. and Mary Ducean, property in DeWitt.
Evelyn L. Jarvis to Marion G. Musselman, property in Valley Farms.
Marion G. Musselman to George B. and Barbara G. Strat, property in Valley Farms.
George B. and Barbara Strat to Glenn M. and Marva Simmons, property in Valley Farms.
Paul Schaffer to Larry and Ruth Schaffer, property in Lebanon.
Donald V. and June L. Whipp to John T. and Maxine Mitchell, property in Bath.
Lake Geneva Land Co. to Gary Lee and Shirley Robinson, property in Riverwood.
Merle M. Burns to Conland D. and Barbara Gulick, property in McLaugh Hill.
Robert C. and Jeanne V. Rand to Irene Taylor Post, property in St. Johns.

By Mrs. Neva Keys

The Green School Extension Group met at the home of Mrs. Leone Pittman Friday afternoon to sew cancer dressings for the Clinton County Chapter of the Cancer Society. Mrs. Raymond Thornton a member of the group is also vice president of the Clinton County Chapter.

Mrs. Mae Goodrich returned last week from Kalespel, Montana, where she spent five weeks visiting her grandson and family Mr and Mrs Larry Goodrich and friends.

Mrs. Neva Keys, Mrs. Margaret Edwards of St. Johns and Don Willard of Ovid accompanied Mrs. Dorothy Kaspar to her home in Detroit for the weekend. They also enjoyed a trip to Algonac and Harsen's Island.

On Saturday, September 27, 1969 the office will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

And the last day for receiving registrations will be:

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1969

on which day the clerk will be at her office between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of receiving registrations.

This notice per Act 116, Public Acts of 1954, Section 498 as amended.

DONNA B. SYVERSON
DeWitt Township Clerk
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Final Account Miller—Nov. 12 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of MARY MILLER, Deceased
It is Ordered that on November 12, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms for St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Frances Miller for probate of a purported will, and the administration of said estate be granted to Frances Miller or to some other suitable person, and that heirs-at-law be determined.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: Sept. 24, 1969
Kemper and Wells
By: William C. Kemper
Attorney for Estate
100 North Clinton Ave.
St. Johns, Michigan 22-3

Final Account Brown—Dec. 10 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of ROBERT BROWN, Deceased
It is Ordered that on December 10, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms for St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Lois L. Woodbury, administratrix, P.O. Box 396, Eureka, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: Sept. 23, 1969
Kemper and Wells
By: William C. Kemper
Attorney for Estate
100 North Clinton Ave.
St. Johns, Michigan 22-3

Final Account Kidder—Nov. 12 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of THADDEUS KIDDER A/K/A THAD KIDDER, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, November 12, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Leonard E. Miller, R-2, Cutler Road, Portland, Michigan prior to said hearing.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 19, 1969.
Robert H. Wood, Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker, St. Johns, Michigan. 21-3

Final Account Miller—Dec. 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of PEARL ANN MILLER, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, December 17, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Leonard E. Miller, R-2, Cutler Road, Portland, Michigan prior to said hearing.

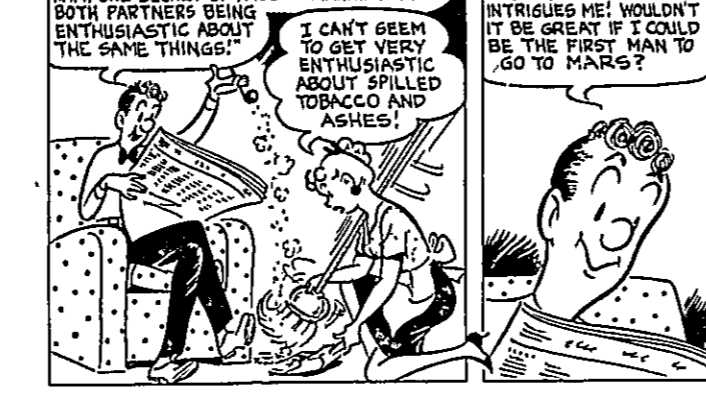
Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 17, 1969
John Brattin, Attorney for Estate
Lansing, Michigan 21-3

Final Account Young—Nov. 20 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Kalkaska.

Estate of BARBARA ANNE YOUNG, Deceased
It is Ordered that on November 20, 1969, at 2:00 p.m., in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, Kalkaska, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Edmund L. Young, 599 Northeast Road, Lansing, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

Life With The Rimples



Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Francis Cartwright, Administrator, to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 25, 1969
Robert H. Wood
Attorney for Estate
115 East Walker Street
St. Johns, Michigan 22-3

Final Account Keelan—Nov. 5 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of JAMES E. KEELAN, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, November 5, 1969, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom for St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition for the appointment of Kitty C. Keelan as administratrix of the estate of James E. Keelan, and the heirs will be determined.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: Sept. 22, 1969
Henry C. Ritchie
Attorney for Kitty C. Keelan
141 Ecorse Road
Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197 22-3

DeWITT TOWNSHIP REGISTRATION NOTICE for SPECIAL ELECTION

To qualified electors of area proposed to be incorporated as a Home Rule City:

Persons who are not registered and are citizens of the United States, at least 21 years of age, a resident of State of Michigan for 6 months, a resident of DeWitt Township for 30 days prior to this election to be held on November 4, 1969, may register at office of the clerk, 780 E. Wieland Road, Lansing, Michigan until October 3, 1969.

The office of the clerk will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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And the last day for receiving registrations will be:

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1969

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DONNA B. SYVERSON
DeWitt Township Clerk
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Final Account Witt—Nov. 5 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of WILLIAM FRED WITT, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, November 5, 1969, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Howard J. Witt, Administrator, for allowance of his Final Account.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 19, 1969.
Robert H. Wood, Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker, St. Johns, Michigan. 21-3

Final Account Miller—Dec. 17 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of PEARL ANN MILLER, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, December 17, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be determined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Leonard E. Miller, R-2, Cutler Road, Portland, Michigan prior to said hearing.

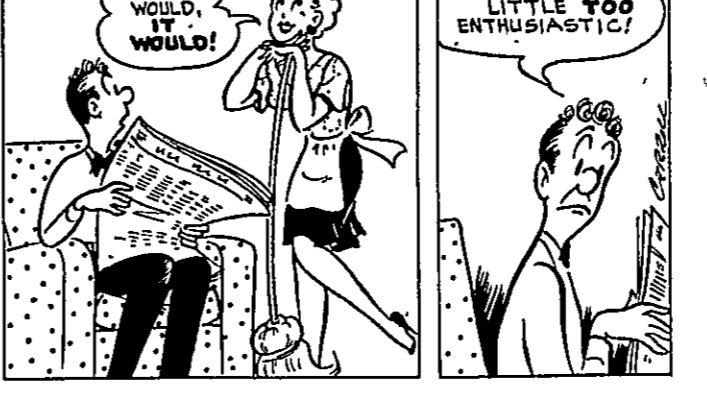
Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 17, 1969
John Brattin, Attorney for Estate
Lansing, Michigan 21-3

Final Account Young—Nov. 20 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Kalkaska.

Estate of BARBARA ANNE YOUNG, Deceased
It is Ordered that on November 20, 1969, at 2:00 p.m., in the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, Kalkaska, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Edmund L. Young, 599 Northeast Road, Lansing, Michigan, prior to said hearing.

By Les Carroll



made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

ODELL B. CARLISLE
Judge of Probate
Dated: September 10, 1969
Robert H. Murchie
Attorney for Administrator
400 State Bank Building
Traverse City, Michigan 20-3

Final Account Avery—Oct. 29 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of ALFRED B. AVERY, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, October 29, 1969, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the City of St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Esther M. Marshall, Administratrix of said estate, for the allowance of her final account, and for assignment of residue.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 15, 1969
Deming & Smith
By: Hudson E. Deming
Attorney for Administrator
214 South Bridge Street
Grand Ledge, Michigan 21-3

Final Account Zimmerman—Oct. 29 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of BERTHA M. ZIMMERMAN, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, October 29, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Robert C. Simmel, Administrator, for allowance of his final account, and there will be a determination of heirs.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 11, 1969
Jack D. Born, Attorney for Estate
1108 Michigan National Tower
Lansing, Michigan 20-3

Final Account Koelgeske—Oct. 29 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of MARGARET KOELGESKE, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, October 29, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Leo J. Koelgeske, Executor, for allowance of his final account.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 12, 1969
Robert H. Wood, Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker, St. Johns, Michigan 20-3

Final Account Cowles—Oct. 23 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of ALFRED J. COWLES, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Thursday, October 23, 1969, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Wilma Sowle for appointment of an administrator, for a determination of heirs, and for appointment of Guardian Ad Litem.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 16, 1969
Kemper & Wells
By: Leon X. C. Ludwig
Attorney for Estate
100 North Clinton Avenue
St. Johns, Michigan 21-3

Final Account Collins—Nov. 5 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of DENNIS L. COLLINS, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, November 5, 1969 at 10 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Ethel M. Coon, Administratrix, for allowance of her final account and assignment of residue, and for determination of heirs.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 16, 1969
By: Conway Longson
Attorney for Estate 21-3

Name Change Smith—Oct. 23 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of ROBERT A. SMITH
It is Ordered that on Thursday, October 23, 1969 at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom at St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Robert A. Smith and Eva Smith Every for the name of Robert A. Smith to be changed to Robert A. Every.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 12, 1969 20-3

Final Account Jones—Oct. 20 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of JESSIE JONES, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, October 23, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of John Patton, Administrator, for allowance of his final account.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 11, 1969.
Robert H. Wood
Attorney for Estate
115 E. Walker, St. Johns, Michigan 20-3

Sale Buck—Oct. 23 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of SARAH E. BUCK, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Thursday, October 23, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Harold S. Beardslee, administrator w.w.a. for license to sell real estate. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 10, 1969,
Kemper & Wells
By: Leon X. C. Ludwig
Attorney for Estate
100 North Clinton Avenue
St. Johns, Michigan. 20-3

Final Account Kooner—Dec. 10 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of ROBERT KOONER, Deceased
It is Ordered that on December 10, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on James W. Blackburn, Administrator at 5895 Blythefield Dr., East Lansing, Michigan prior to said hearing.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: Sept. 10, 1969
Donald A. Hines
Attorney for Estate
10th Floor Michigan National Tower
Lansing, Michigan 20-3

Final Account Robinson—Dec. 10 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of ARVILLA ROBINSON, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Wednesday, December 10, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Arvilla Robinson, Administratrix, of R-2, Ovid, Michigan prior to said hearing.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 9, 1969
Walker & Moore
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Petitioner
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan. 20-3

Final Account George—Oct. 23 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of ROBERT J. GEORGE, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Thursday, October 23, 1969, at 9:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Helen E. George for appointment of an administrator, and for a determination of heirs.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 9, 1969
Walker & Moore
By: James A. Moore
Attorney for Petitioner
Clinton National Bank Bldg.
St. Johns, Michigan. 20-3

Final Account Smith—Oct. 23 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of ETHEL C. SMITH, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Thursday, October 23, 1969, at 11:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Gorsline Runcliman Co., a creditor praying for the admission of a purported will, and appointment of administrator with will annexed and determination of heirs in said estate.

Publication and service shall be provided by Statute and Court rule.

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 9, 1969
Thomas C. Walsh
Attorney for Estate
357 Hollister Building
Lansing, Michigan 48933 20-3

ORDER TO ANSWER STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Clinton. KAY J. LACASSE, Plaintiff vs. DONALD M. LACASSE, Defendant
On July 1st, 1969, an action was filed by Kay J. Lacasse, Plaintiff, against Donald M. Lacasse, Defendant, in this Court for absolute Divorce.
It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, Donald M. Lacasse shall answer or take such other actions as may be permitted by law on or before October 27th, 1969. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.
LEO W. CORKIN, Circuit Judge
Kenneth A. Tucker Attorney for Plaintiff
114 South Main Street
Ithaca, Michigan 48847 19-4

Final Account Valentine—Oct. 23 STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Clinton.

Estate of WAYNE C. VALENTINE, Deceased
It is Ordered that on Thursday, October 23, 1969, at 10:30 a.m., in the Probate Courtrooms in St. Johns, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Wayne C. Valentine, executor, for allowance of her final account.

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

TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate
Dated: September 9, 1969
Jack D. Born
Attorney for the Estate
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Alfalfa is still best for forage

There is no good-forage substitute for alfalfa on well-drained, well-fertilized Michigan soils, contends George McQueen, Clinton County Extension Agent.

Research by Michigan State University crop scientists shows that alfalfa is the best forage for hay, haylage or silage, he says.

To keep alfalfa profitable, McQueen tells farmers to (1) plant a high yield variety, (2) spray to control the alfalfa weevil (3) topdress annually and (4) cut three or four times to produce high yields of five to seven tons or more per acre.

"When you are getting yields in the two to three ton range, it doesn't pay to spray for alfalfa weevil control," he says.

"You can start planning for better yields next year by de-

cidling to make that first cutting in late May or early June."

"The next step is to increase the amount of topdressing, primarily of potassium. The early first cutting, before the alfalfa weevil problem is serious can eliminate the need for spraying until after the cutting is taken."

"Best yields can be obtained by planting early maturing varieties such as the wilt-resistant Saranac. The third or fourth cutting can be made in September or early October without reducing yields the following year—if you topdress adequately with potash and use the proper varieties."

McQueen says the fall cutting practice is a new recommendation established by MSU crop scientists.

Orderly marketing - a key to better prices

With farm expenses at an all-time high, farmers were reminded by Nick Smith, Chairman of the Michigan State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, that orderly movement of crops to market can make a big difference in the net return.

It is particularly important this year, he said, for dry edible bean producers in view of the estimated increase in production of about 21 per cent.

The Michigan white beans, commonly known as pea or navy beans, are Michigan's principal bean crop and reaches customers primarily through the canning trade, Smith notes.

He points out that harvest is just begun, and the market price

to farmers is already down \$2 to \$3 per hundredweight from last year's price.

This should be good news to consumers if the drop is reflected in lower prices for the canned, baked or dry beans in the consumer's shopping basket.

In the meantime, says Smith, bean producers should consider the best way to keep the consumer and trade channel amply supplied without creating price depressing market gluts.

Smith points out that all bean producers are eligible to obtain price support loans if the quality of the beans grade No. 2 or better. Farmers, he added, who may wish to withhold their beans from market during harvest, because of depressed prices, can obtain low cost financing (about 3-1/2 per cent) through price support loans.

Last year, he says, all producers who obtained loans re-

deemed their beans and moved them into the open market prior to the maturity date.

While the supply picture will be different, particularly on pea beans this year, Smith stated that there should be no reason for any producer to accept less than the support price.

In this way, he points out, the farmers will retain title to their beans at least until April 30, 1970, and if better prices materialize, they can take advantage of the increase. He doesn't guarantee that there would be better prices, but adds that efforts of the USDA, the Michigan Bean Commission and the bean trade have all pointed toward improvement in export outlets and increased domestic consumption.

The dry edible bean support prices, he says, are the same as the 1968 crop, and can be obtained at the local county ASCS office.

Health program funded

"Thanks to one of the finest examples of cooperation between voluntary health organizations that I have ever seen, the Michigan Health Council will be able to continue to coordinate the program of the Michigan Council on Smoking and Health," says E. Gifford Upjohn, M.D., president of the Michigan Health Council.

Upjohn and James P. Ricker, president of the American Cancer Society-Michigan Division, made a joint announcement that the American Cancer Society has approved a recommendation to make available an amount toward the staffing and expenses of the Council's program from Sept. 1, to Aug. 31, 1970.

Concern had been expressed that the progress made in Michigan in encouraging Michigan adults to quit smoking and Michigan students not to start smoking

Winter cover deadlines near

Now is the time for farmers to be thinking about sowing winter cover crops, says Nicholas Smith, Chairman of the Michigan Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation State Committee.

He reminds farmers that if they have been approved for ACP cost-sharing, the cover crops must be seeded before the deadline dates established by their local county ASC committees.

These local dates have been established so that a good stand and a good growth is obtained in sufficient time to protect the area this fall and winter from wind and water erosion.

Smith says that the winter cover must be maintained on the land to a date specified in each county program. Dates vary according to climatic conditions in each county.

The growth of cover crops may not be harvested for hay, silage or seed.

Smith says cover crops stop wind and water erosion on farmland and are not only important to farmers, but all the people by stopping erosion and sedimentation from entering streams, rivers, and lakes.

Poll shows desire for conservation

Ninety-seven per cent of the American public favors reallocating Federal spending to provide more money for improvement of the natural environment, according to a national public opinion poll conducted for the National Wildlife Federation.

Although segments of the public differed on areas where they would reduce spending to free money for conservation, the major targets were national defense, the space program and international affairs.

When supplied with information on current Federal expenditures, the under-30 generation particularly favored taking money from defense and international affairs budget. A full 71 per cent of the college educated favored reducing the defense budget.

The pollsters concluded, "... the American people in 1969 appear to desire the focus to be on the solving of domestic problems and the improvement of the quality of life at home. The high concern of younger adults and late adolescents may well indicate, an important shift in the general population's priorities."

Earlier this year, the National Wildlife Federation sponsored a national poll which found more

than 85 per cent of the public concerned about the state of the environment. So concerned, three out of four said they would willingly pay increased taxes earmarked for conservation, including 63 per cent of those with family incomes under \$5,000 per year.

Ironically, in spite of the obvious, overwhelming public desire for solving the country's environmental problems, the Federation's recently completed Index of Environmental Quality found the United States is still losing the battle against pollution and natural resource depletion.

Wacousta

Mrs Edward Kraft—627-2030

Wacousta OES No. 133 will hold their regular annual meeting Tuesday Oct. 7 at the Wacousta Temple at 8 p.m. All substitute officers will be honored.

Ray Spearbrecker is a medical patient in St. Lawrence Hospital.

The Methodist Men's Club will meet Sunday morning Oct. 5 for 7:30 a.m. breakfast and meeting at the Wacousta Church.

Price District

By Mrs Harold Crowley

Mr and Mrs Robert Harris of Sun Prairie, Wisconsin spent Sept. 16 and 17 with Mrs Albert Waidelich.

Miss Lori Pile is recovering from a broken collar bone she received while playing at school.

The Sunday School picnic of the Price United Methodist which was held at the St. Johns City Park Tuesday was attended by about 40.

Mrs Karl Zeigler was guest of honor at a stork shower Sept. 15 which was held at the Price United Methodist Church hosted by the Women's Society.

Games of stork bingo and a quiz were played before Mrs Zeigler opened her gifts.

Mrs Benjamin Walker, Mrs Ivan Whitford, Miss Joan Ashley and Mrs Harold Crowley planned activities for the shower.

The Sept. 9 WSCS Workshop which met at the Price United Methodist Church was attended by approximately 87 women from the Central Michigan District.

The day's activities were directed by the District officers, with sessions conducted for WSCS local officers in order to inform them of their duties and to share their ideas with other church women.

A sack luncheon was served at noon with the women of the host church providing coffee, tea and cookies.



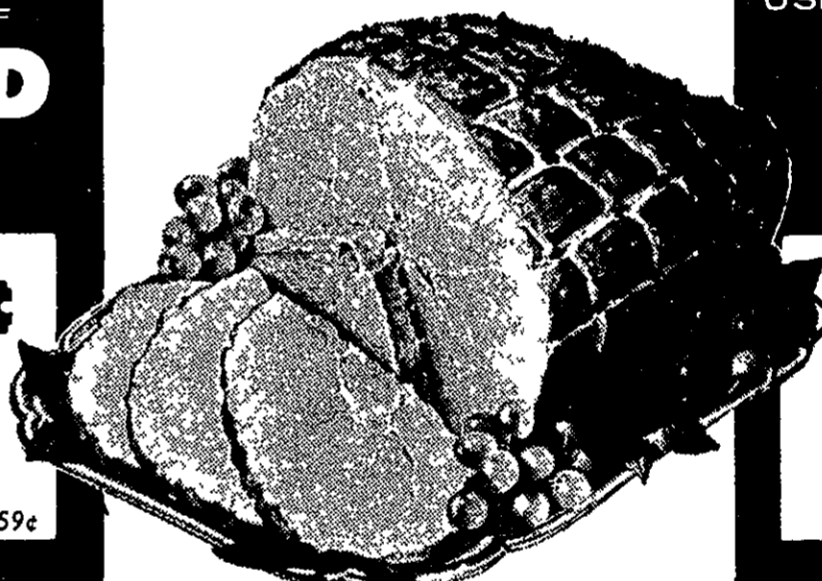
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Clinton County Supervisors Proceedings

MONDAY, JULY 14, 1969

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors met Monday, July 14, 1969, at 9:00 a.m. Prayer was offered by Ernest Carter. A pledge of allegiance was given to the flag. Roll was called and all reported present.

Minutes of the last meeting were presented. It was moved by Lankford, supported by Sirlrine, to approve the minutes as presented. Voted and carried.

Communications were read. A request from Michigan Township Association for membership dues for the county in the amount of \$75.00 was read. It was moved by Montgomery, supported by Shepard, to concur with the request. Voted and carried.

A resolution from Macomb County, relating to student disorders on college campuses was read. It was moved by Underhill, supported by Montgomery, to concur with the resolution. Voted and carried.

RESOLUTION NO. 967

WHEREAS, student disorders on various Michigan college campuses have become increasingly prevalent and increasingly violent, and

WHEREAS, such disorderly and unlawful conduct has not only caused serious disruption of the lives and activities of those students seeking an education in an orderly manner but has also imposed a considerable additional burden upon the taxpayers of this State to restore, replace and repair damages caused by such disorderly minority, and

WHEREAS, the Clinton County Board of Supervisors is fearful that further and more extensive encroachments upon the universities will be promulgated and increasing acts of violence will be committed unless and until firm and decisive action is taken to abate the illegal conduct of the few students and non-students effecting same.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Clinton County Board of Supervisors on behalf of all Clinton County citizens that:

1. The Legislature of the State of Michigan, the boards of supervisors throughout the State of Michigan, all university and college officials and all law enforcement officials be and hereby are requested to utilize all powers at their disposal to restore to the people of the State of Michigan and to the students on college campuses their proper and intended use of the university facilities and give assurance that there will be compliance with the laws of this State and that order will be maintained.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to our State Legislative representatives.

A resolution from Grand Ledge Chamber of Commerce on the formation of a Tri-County Airport Authority was presented. It was moved by Montgomery, supported by Gove, that the chairman appoint a committee of three to investigate and report back to the board. Discussion followed. Voted and carried. Chairman Nobis appointed Roy Andrews, Robert Montgomery and Maurice Gove.

A note of thanks from Sheriff and Mrs. Patterson for the furnishings for the jail apartments was read, also a change of names for the Michigan Title Company to Transamerica Title Insurance Company. A letter from Eugene Wanger, soliciting ideas and suggestions on improving Michigan Association of Counties was also presented.

The board then recessed for committee meetings at 10:10 a.m.

Upon again coming to order, Supervisor Underhill, reporting for the Building & Equipment committee, reports the installation of four air conditioning units at a cost of \$115.00 each, for the welfare building. He reports a request by interested parties to purchase or lease a portion of county property to build a nursing home. After discussion it was moved by Gove, supported by Underhill, to state that the county's property is not available at this time. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Underhill also reports that the cost of rebuilding the drain field at Smith Hall to be in excess of \$1,000.00. He then moved, supported by Hufnagel, that the construction of a new drain field be approved. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Gove reports that the cost of the 6th district meeting held June 25, 1969 at Smith Hall to \$85.00 above collections. It was moved by Gove, supported by Montgomery, to authorize payment of the same. Voted and carried.

In the matter of County Board of Supervisors stationery, the chairman referred the matter to the records committee.

Dale Chapman, drain commissioner, appeared and presented a resolution from the Village of Maple Rapids, requesting the county, through its department of public works, to establish and construct a sewerage disposal system to serve the needs of that village. It was moved by Montgomery, supported by Cobb, to concur with the resolution. Voted and carried unanimously.

GENERAL RESOLUTION REQUESTING ASSISTANCE OF DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OF CLINTON COUNTY IN FINANCING AND CONSTRUCTING PUBLIC WORKS AUTHORIZED BY ACT 185, PUBLIC ACTS OF 1957, AS AMENDED

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary in order to protect and preserve the public health and welfare that a sewage disposal system be acquired and constructed to service the following described area in the Village of Maple Rapids, Clinton County, Michigan:

From the westerly limits of the Village of Maple Rapids to the easterly limits of said village and from the southerly limits of village or Hyde Road to the northerly limits, all being in Sections 5 and 8 of Essex Township, Clinton County.

WHEREAS, a preliminary feasibility study and report has been made with relation to said sewage disposal system by Williams and Works, consulting engineers of Grand Rapids, Michigan, which said report indicates the need for such sewage disposal system comprises facilities generally described as:

- Approximately 18,000 L.F. 8" sewer line
- 72 manholes
- 8 acres pond area—(3 cells)
- 6" forcemain (3,000 L.F.)
- 1 lift station
- Land and rights 40 acres.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authorization provided in Act 185, Public Acts of Michigan, 1957, as amended, and resolutions duly adopted by its county board of supervisors, the County of Clinton has established a department of public works; and

WHEREAS, the authority provided in said Act 185, Public Acts of Michigan, 1957, as amended, in the opinion of the Maple Rapids village council provides the most feasible and logical means of acquiring, constructing and financing the project generally referred to above, and will result in the lowest cost to the citizens and taxpayers of the Village of Maple Rapids for the said project immediately necessary to protect and preserve the public health; and

WHEREAS, the Maple Rapids village council is ready and willing to enter into the necessary contracts and agreements with the said department of public works of the County of Clinton to permit the financing and early construction of the above generally described project within the approximate cost thereof under the provisions of Act 185, Public Acts of Michigan, 1957, as amended;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That the village council of Maple Rapids does hereby request that the County of Clinton pursuant to the authorization provided in Act 185, Public Acts of Michigan, 1957, as amended, take the necessary steps to establish, construct, and finance a sewage disposal system to service the area in said village generally specified in the preamble hereto.

2. That the village council of Maple Rapids recognizes and affirms that the entire cost of said project as herein before described, including all professional services required and other expenses, will be paid by said village council of Maple Rapids in accordance with any contract or contracts to be negotiated with the board of public works, as approved by said village council and as financed by bonds and other evidences of indebtedness of the County of Clinton issued in anticipation of the contractual obligations.

3. The village council of Maple Rapids recognized that the department of public works of the County of Clinton will be expending funds for administrative costs in obtaining federal loan approval and in the acquisition of pumping station sites prior to a final contract being entered into for the construction of the disposal system; and will pay to the said department of public works such costs if said disposal system, and the bond issue to pay therefor, is not accomplished.

4. That a certified copy of this resolution be transmitted to Donald Haske, director, Clinton County Department of Public Works, St. Johns, Michigan, with a request for early action thereon.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE: Ayes, Al Brunner, George Abbot, Jr., Nelson Rumsey, Robert Schmidt, Ron Dean, Lawrence Floate. Nays: None.

GAIL F. WILLIAMS
Maple Rapids Village Clerk

It was moved by Cobb, supported by Lankford, that supervisors' expense accounts be paid as presented. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Underhill, reporting for the Building & Grounds Committee, states that bids for partitioning the circuit courtroom will be opened July 30.

It was moved by Montgomery, supported by Shepard, to meet again Monday, August 4, at 8:00 p.m. Voted and carried.

District Court Judge Roland Duguay appeared and presented a report of the first six months operations of the 65th District Court.

1969 INCOME & EXPENSES FOR DISTRICT COURT FOR FIRST SIX MONTHS OF OPERATION

	TOTAL COST (County General Fund)	TOTAL MONEY COLLECTED BY COURT
January	\$ 3,100.21	\$ 5,623.70
February	4,066.05	6,509.00
March	5,267.75	8,562.60
April	6,685.81	10,681.05
May	6,345.23	11,491.50
June	7,583.63	11,951.50

TOTAL COSTS COLLECTED	\$33,048.68	\$54,819.35 (Collected by Court)
		11,230.36 (Collected by Sheriff)

TOTAL FINES & COSTS \$66,049.71

(This does not include the collection of bonds)

Total expenses of court as reported by county clerk as of June 25, 1969, including the initial setting up of court facilities and equipment amount to \$33,975.66. This amount includes attorney fees appointed by the circuit court.

FINES RETURNED TO CITIES & VILLAGES

City of St. Johns	\$2,053.24
City of DeWitt	83.67
Township of Bath	116.66
Village of Westphalia	312.83
Village of Elsie	70.41
Village of Fowler	382.67
Village of Ovid	120.02
Village of Maple Rapids	44.33

In addition to this amount, \$362.66 was distributed to the above accounts which was collected by the sheriff.

Respectfully submitted,
GORDON L. WILLYOUNG
Magistrate & Court Administrator

Discussion followed.
The meeting was then recessed for lunch.

P.M. SESSION

Upon again coming to order, a communication from the City of DeWitt in regards to a financial contribution to the Greater Lansing Council on Alcoholism was read. DeWitt City seeks further information on the matter. There appears to be no clearly defined jurisdiction in the matter.

A communication from Dr. Llinas, director of Tri-County Mental Health Services, requesting the appointment of one black member and one brown member to the board was read. No action was taken.

Lawrence MacLaren, acting director of the Mid-Michigan Health Department, appeared. He states that he feels that misunderstanding has arisen because of lack of proper communication and adequate personnel to fulfill the existing needs. He states that they have two more men working from that office now and he hopes for better enforcement and inspections from now on. Discussion followed.

William Coffey, zoning administrator, feels that his department should have the support and co-operation of the health department and the drain commissioner in taking legal action against violators. Duane Smith, Bath Township Supervisor, also pleads for co-operation between townships and departments involved. He asks joint action against violators.

Earl Haas, County Extension director, appeared. He states that moisture condensation in their offices is creating a problem. He seeks relief from this situation. He then presented the matter of completing the soils mapping for the county at a total cost of \$56,612.00 which would include completing the mapping, printing and publishing of the maps, costs of which could be spread over a three-year period.

Supervisor Gove reports that the health committee will meet here in the courthouse, Thursday, July 24, at 4:00 p.m. with Dr. Rizen, to discuss the Capitol Area Comprehensive Health Plan.

Patrick Kelly, county prosecutor, appeared and he states that he does concur with the opinion offered by Attorney Maples; namely that the zoning commission has the authority to re-write the zoning ordinance. He suggests opening a branch of the prosecutor's office in the southern part of the county. Supervisor Montgomery moved, supported by Lankford, that the county pay (on a trial basis) \$250.00 a month towards the cost thereof beginning August 1, for the balance of the year 1969. Voted and carried.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, the chairman declared the meeting adjourned and to meet again Monday, August 4, at 8:00 p.m. Meeting adjourned.

WALTER G. NOBIS
Chairman

ERNEST E. CARTER
Clerk

MONDAY, AUGUST 4, 1969

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors met in special session Monday, August 4 at 8:00 p.m. Prayer was offered by Ernest Carter. A pledge of allegiance was given to the flag. Roll was called and a quorum reported. All members of the board were present except Supervisor Hufnagel, who was absent due to illness. Chairman Nobis opened the meeting for business. A resolution from Jackson County in opposition to House Bill 2718 (Medical

Examiners Bill) was read. It was moved by Supervisor Lankford, supported by Supervisor Cobb, to concur with the resolution and to instruct the clerk to find out the status of the bill and to send a telegram to the governor, urging him not to sign the bill, was voted upon and carried.

Regarding partitioning the circuit courtroom:
The architect's recommendation and a summary of the bids was presented. It was moved by Supervisor Lankford, supported by Supervisor Montgomery, that Proposal No. 5 be not considered at this time. Voted and carried. It was moved by Supervisor Lankford, supported by Supervisor Cobb, to concur with the recommendation of the architect and to accept the low bids as submitted on the first 4 proposals. Voted and carried, unanimously.

Proposal I—Rademacher Construction Company	\$1,330.00
Proposal II—Ernst Electric Company	1,931.00
Proposal III—Reichenbach Company	4,852.00
Proposal IV—Classrooms, Inc. (In Steel)	1,500.00
Total	\$9,613.00

The chairman instructed the committee to check with the architect and see that property liability insurance be taken to cover the project.

Drain Commissioner Dale Chapman appeared and presented a resolution from the Village of Westphalia requesting assistance in providing sewerage and water facilities for that village. To qualify for federal and state grants requests must be filed on or before Sept. 15, 1969, so timing is most important. Discussion followed.

It was moved by Supervisor Cobb, supported by Supervisor Gove, to concur with the request of Westphalia in the following resolution. Voted and carried.

GENERAL RESOLUTION REQUESTING ASSISTANCE OF DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS OF CLINTON COUNTY IN FINANCING AND CONSTRUCTING PUBLIC WORKS AUTHORIZED BY ACT 85, PUBLIC ACTS OF 1957, AS AMENDED

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, IT IS DEEMED NECESSARY IN ORDER TO PROTECT AND preserve the public health and welfare that a sewage disposal system be acquired and constructed to service the following described area in the Village of Westphalia, Clinton County, Michigan:

From the westerly limits of the Village of Westphalia to the easterly limits of said village and from the southerly limits of the village to the northerly limits, all being in Sections 4, 5, 8, and 9 of Westphalia Township, Clinton County.

WHEREAS, a preliminary feasibility study and report has been made with relation to said sewage disposal system by R. W. Petrie and Associates, consulting engineers of Benton Harbor, Michigan, which said report indicates the need for such sewage disposal system comprises facilities generally described as:

- SEWAGE COLLECTION SYSTEM
 - Approximately 20,170 L.F. 8" sewer
 - Approximately 1,830 L.F. 10" sewer
 - 6" Sewer service—377 each
 - 6" Sewer riser pipes—95 each
 - 4" Sewer force main—700 L.F.
 - 72 Manholes
 - Bituminous surface replacement—2,750 L.F.
 - Lift station
 - Timber sheeting left in place—10M ft BM

II. SEWAGE STABILIZATION PONDS

- 6" Sewer force main—1,220 L.F.
- Sewage lift station
- 3.7 Acre sewage stabilization pond.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authorization provided in Act 185, Public Acts of Michigan, 1957, as amended, and resolutions duly adopted by its County Board of Supervisors, the County of Clinton has established a department of public works; and

WHEREAS, the authority provided in said Act 185, Public Acts of Michigan, 1957, as amended, in the opinion of the Westphalia village council provides the most feasible and logical means of acquiring, constructing, and financing the project generally referred to above, and will result in the lowest cost to the citizens and taxpayers of the Village of Westphalia for the said project immediately necessary to protect and preserve the public health; and

WHEREAS, the Westphalia village council is ready and willing to enter into the necessary contracts and agreements with the said department of public works of the County of Clinton to permit the financing and early construction of the above generally described project within the approximate cost thereof under the provisions of Act 185, Public Acts of Michigan, 1957, as amended;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That the Village Council of Westphalia does hereby request that the department of public works of the County of Clinton pursuant to the authorization provided in Act 185, Public Acts of Michigan, 1957, as amended, take the necessary steps to establish, construct, and finance a sewage disposal system to service the area in said village generally specified in the preamble hereto.

2. That the village council of Westphalia recognizes and affirms that the entire cost of said project as hereinbefore described, including all professional services required and other expenses, will be paid by said village council of Westphalia in accordance with any contract or contracts to be negotiated with the board of public works, as approved by said village council and as financed by bonds and other evidence of indebtedness of the County of Clinton issued in anticipation of the contractual obligations.

3. The village council of Westphalia recognizes that the department of public works of the County of Clinton will be expending funds for administrative costs in obtaining federal loan approval and in the acquisition of pumping station sites prior to a final contract being entered into for the construction of the disposal system; and will pay to the said department of public works such costs if said disposal system, and the bond issues to pay therefor, is not accomplished.

4. That a certified copy of this resolution be transmitted to Donald Haske, director, Clinton County Department of Public Works, St. Johns, Michigan, with a request for early action thereon.

RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE: Ayes, Denis Fandel, Robert Hengesbach, Harold Schmitt and Gerald P. Miller; Nays, none.

GENE F. DROSTE, Clerk
Village of Westphalia

Supervisor Shepard, reporting for the finance committee, reports the county is operating generally within its budget, while some departments are over, due to unusual circumstances. The overall situation is good.

It was moved by Supervisor Shepard, supported by Supervisor Montgomery, to transfer the contingent fund (\$25,000) to the board of supervisors' account. Voted and carried.

It was moved by Supervisor Montgomery, supported by Supervisor Shepard, to adjourn at this time and to meet again Monday, Aug. 18 at 9:00 a.m. Voted and carried.

Meeting adjourned.

WALTER G. NOBIS,
Chairman

ERNEST E. CARTER,
Clerk

MONDAY, AUGUST 18, 1969

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors met Monday, August 18, 1969, at 9:00 a.m. Prayer was offered by Maurice Gove. A pledge of allegiance was given to the flag. Roll was called and a quorum reported. All members being present.

Minutes of the July 14th and August 4th meetings were presented. It was moved by Cobb, supported by Andrews, to accept the minutes as presented. Voted and carried.

Communications were read. Resolutions from Baraga County and Ingham County to provide a referendum to vote on lowering the voting age to 19 years was presented. It was moved by Andrews, supported by Chamberlain, to concur with the resolution and a roll call vote was taken. Those voting aye were Supervisors Cobb, Gove, Sirlrine, Chamberlain, Montgomery, Andrews and Shepard. Those voting nay were Supervisors Nobis, Underhill, Hufnagel and Lankford. Total ayes 7, nays 4. Motion declared carried.

A resolution from Baraga County in regards to an increase on the hourly rate of pay for juvenile officers was read. It was moved by Lankford, supported by Underhill, to table. Voted and carried.

A resolution from Grand Traverse County protesting a reduction in the level of reimbursement for patient care at the Medical Care Facility was presented. It was moved by Montgomery, supported by Chamberlain, to table. Voted and carried.

A communication from Bernard Apol, State Director of Elections, calling attention to the September 1 deadline for submitting names by the political parties for appointment to the county canvassing board, was read.

A letter from the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission explaining the costs involved in the commission's work on the amendment to the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance, and requesting payment due them on the original agreement in the amount of \$1,157.50, was presented. It was moved by Andrews, supported by Montgomery, to pay the balance due to complete the contract and to relinquish the printing of the copies thereof. Voted and carried.

A request from the Community Mental Health Board (Ingham, Eaton, Clinton) that the board of supervisors appoint two members to act on a selection committee to nominate members to be appointed to the Community Mental Health Board. Supervisor Gove further explained the present membership and status of the existing board. Chairman Nobis appointed Montgomery and Sirlrine to the selection committee.

The chairman declared a recess at 10:10.

Upon again coming to order, Supervisor Lankford reported on a request from the county coroners for an increase in fees from \$5.00 to \$15.00 plus mileage, effective Sept. 1, 1969. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Lankford reports that Betty Minsky is heading up a committee to honor the 100th anniversary of the Clinton County Courthouse.

Supervisor Lankford submitted the name of Janet Woodruff of the City of DeWitt to serve on the county library board. He moved, supported by Hufnagel, that Janet Woodruff be appointed for a 5-year term. (6-30-74). Supervisor Cobb then moved, supported by Montgomery, that nominations be closed and a unanimous vote be cast for Janet Woodruff. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Underhill reports that the electrical service box at the beef barn was destroyed by vandals and has been replaced and that the architect reports that work is progressing satisfactorily on the partitioning of the circuit courtroom. In the matter of carpet for the new rooms created by the partitioning, it was moved by Lankford, supported by Cobb, to table at this time. Voted and carried.

Re: Supervisors' expense accounts—it was moved by Hufnagel, supported by Underhill, to approve supervisors' expense accounts as presented. Voted and carried.

The board then recessed for lunch.

P. M. SESSION

Upon again convening, William Coffey, zoning administrator, appeared and presented the action taken by and the recommendation of the county zoning commission.

Item I. Bath Township—Application for approval to operate and maintain an air strip, requested Dean Dyer. It was moved by Montgomery, supported by Chamberlain, to concur with the recommendation and approve the request. Voted and carried. An application for approval and recommendations to operate and maintain a private air strip on the following described parcel of land:

North 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4; also the N 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4, all in Section 12, T5N-R1W.

Comments and action taken: The application has the approval of the Township Planning Commission and Township Board. Bill Graves, state aeronautical inspector, has approved the lay out of the landing strip.

A motion was made by Earl Barks to approve the application for a private landing strip on the above described parcel of land. Supported by Max Loudenbeck. Passed 4 to 0.

Item II. Bingham Township—To rezone from Zone A Residential to Zone D. Agriculture. A portion of the County Farm, requested by Clinton County Road Commission and Clinton County Board of Supervisors. It was moved by Montgomery, supported by Andrews, to approve the recommendation of the zoning commission and approve the request. Voted and carried.

Item III—Bingham Township (Clinton County Road Comm. and Board of Supervisors) From Zone A, residential to Zone D, agriculture: The East 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 and the South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 28, T7N-R2W, Bingham Township, Clinton County, Michigan, except 21 rods East and West by 24 rods N and S out of SE Cor thereof, containing 96.85 acres, more or less.

Comments and action taken: We have a legal opinion that the county road commission can use the land for public use if it is zoned to D, agriculture.

Mr. Benson, township supervisor, stated that he has no objection and has heard of none regarding the rezoning.

A motion was made by Earl Barks to rezone and was seconded by John Ames. Carried 4 to 0.

Item III. Bengal Township—A request from Clinton Crop Service to rezone from Zone D, Agriculture to Zone G, Industrial property in Bengal Township.

Item IV—Bengal Township (Clinton Crop Service)—From Zone D, agriculture to Zone G, industrial: Section 9 beginning at the intersection of Highway M-21 and Forest Hill Road, Bengal Township, Clinton County, Michigan, thence North on Forest Hill Road to the D.G.H. and M. Railroad Right of Way (9 ch. 95 links); th. E. along said right of way 5 chains, 50 links; thence South parallel to Forest Hill Road 5 chains, 50 links; thence West 2 chains, 75 links; thence South to the center of Hwy. M-21 (4 chains, 45 links more or less); and thence West 2 chains, 75 links to point of beginning. Subject to road rights along said Forest Hill Road and Hwy. M-21.

Comments and action taken: Letter from Marshall Hicks, township supervisor, stating approval.

Clinton Crop Service has been operating on a Special Use Permit since 1963 and wishes to expand. Future expansion would be easier if the parcel was rezoned. Earl Barks made a motion to rezone and motion seconded by Max Loudenbeck. Carried 4 to 0.

It was moved by Hufnagel, supported by Gove, that we concur and approve the zoning change. Voted and carried.

Herbert Maier of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, appeared and with Supervisor Andrews, presented the Revised By-Laws of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission for adoption by the Clinton County Board of Supervisors. After discussion it was moved by Cobb, supported by Andrews, to approve the By-Laws as presented. Voted and carried.

BY-LAWS OF THE TRI-COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

ARTICLE I—ESTABLISHMENT

SECTION 1: This commission was established pursuant to resolution adopted by the boards of supervisors of Clinton, Ingham,

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and Eaton counties on April 15, 1969, respectively, under authority of Act 281 of Michigan, Public Acts of 1945, as amended.

SECTION 2: The official title of this commission shall be the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission.

ARTICLE II—MEMBERS AND COMPENSATION

SECTION 1: The Commission shall be composed of nine(9) members; three (3) from each of Clinton, Eaton and Ingham Counties. Among the appointments from each county shall be; one (1) member who is not an elected official and shall be designated as a "member-at-large." The other two (2) members shall be elected members of the county board of supervisors or county board of commissioners, as the county boards may be designated. Elected county board members and members-at-large shall be appointed by the Chairman of the County Board, subject to the confirmation of the County Board. Terms of office for the Commissioners of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission shall be as follows:

1. Members-at-large shall serve for a two (2) year term beginning on May 1, 1969.

2. County Supervisor or County Commissioner members shall serve for a term equal to their term of office.

3. Any and all Tri-County Regional Planning Commissioners may be reappointed at the discretion of the individual county board chairman and subject to approval of the individual county board of supervisors or commissioners. In no case shall the county boards of any two (2) participating counties review or approve the appointments of the third participating county in its appointments to the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission.

SECTION 2: The chairman of each of the County Boards of Supervisors or Boards of Commissioners, and certain other county officials, as determined by the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission are or may become ex-officio members of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, without vote.

Excepting the chairman of the county board, all ex-officio members of this commission shall be considered as appointed for one (1) year or for the duration of their term of office, whichever is shorter.

SECTION 3: No compensation shall be paid members of the Regional Planning Commission for their services as members of the Commission; provided, that this shall not affect in any way remuneration received by any state or local official who, in addition to his responsibilities and duties as a state or local official, serves also as a member of the Regional Planning Commission. All members may be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred as members of the Commission in carrying out the work of the commission.

ARTICLE III—OFFICERS

SECTION 1: The officers of this commission shall be: a chairman who shall preside at all meetings and shall have special duties as prescribed by the bylaws, and shall have the further authority to preside at any recessed meeting, or call and preside at any special meeting.

A vice-chairman, who shall function in the same capacity as the chairman in the case of the chairman's absence or inability to act.

A treasurer whose duties shall be to function in the same capacity as chairman in case of the chairman's and vice-chairman's absence or inability to act, and such other duties as are usual to the office. He, and such other officers and staff members as are responsible for the handling of funds, shall be bonded in an amount to be determined by the Commission.

SECTION 2: The officers of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission shall be elected each year for a one-year term by the commission from the voting members, at their annual meeting in January of each year, or at a recessed meeting of their first regular meeting in January, or at such times as vacancies may occur.

ARTICLE IV—PERSONNEL

SECTION 1: The commission may employ an executive director and such employees as it deems necessary for its work, and may hire such consultants for part-time or full-time service as may be necessary for the prosecution of its responsibilities.

SECTION 2: The commission shall prepare and adopt appropriate personnel regulations which shall apply to the conduct of all personnel hired.

SECTION 3: The executive director of the commission who shall keep a written record of all business transacted by the commission, serve notification to all members of all meetings, keep on file all official records of the commission, certify all maps, records and reports of the commission, and more specifically, serve notice of all hearings and public meetings, and shall submit the annual report of the commission's activities to the Boards of County Supervisors.

SECTION 4: The chairman, vice-chairman, treasurer, and executive director shall serve as the committee representing the commission and staff for the administration of the Tri-County Regional Planning Commission Employee's Pension Trust Fund; and shall be trustees of said fund.

ARTICLE V—MEETINGS

SECTION 1: The regular meetings of the commission shall be held as prescribed by the commission. Special meetings may be held as required, subject to the call of the chairman, or vice-chairman, or treasurer acting in the chairman's absence. The necessity for a meeting may be called to the attention of the chairman or vice-chairman by the executive director.

SECTION 2: A quorum shall be defined as a majority (five) of commission members and any formal action must be by a majority of the entire commission.

SECTION 3: The commission shall be notified of the place and date of each meeting by the executive director by a written notice, mailed to the address of the member, not less than five (5) days prior to the date set for the meeting.

SECTION 4: All regular meetings shall be public meetings.

SECTION 5: Special meetings may be held as a public or closed meeting; the date and place of meeting of a special closed meeting must be determined by an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present at the regular meeting immediately preceding. At any closed meeting, the commission may designate or invite any member of its technical staff or county official to be present if it so desires.

SECTION 6: The annual meeting shall be the January meeting.

SECTION 7: Monthly commission meetings shall be on the fourth Wednesday of each month. The commission may, by majority vote, designate a different day for its monthly meeting.

ARTICLE VI—BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS

SECTION 1: The executive director shall prepare and submit to the commission at its January meeting the proposed budget for the next fiscal year. The commission may amend any budgetary recommendations of the executive director.

The commission shall adopt a proposed budget at its February meeting and submit the same to the boards of county supervisors with its request for allocations of funds.

SECTION 2: The boards of supervisors shall be requested to jointly approve or agree upon a budget for the commission; when so agreed the boards of supervisors will be requested to allocate funds therefore as follows: twenty-five per cent (25%) of the budget to be apportioned equally between the member counties and the remaining seventy-five per cent (75%) to be apportioned pro rata as the previous year's State Equalized Valuation of each member county is to the aggregate State Equalized Valuation of the member counties for the previous year.

SECTION 3: The fiscal year of the commission shall be on calendar year and shall commence on January 1, and end on December 31.

ARTICLE VII—ADOPTION OF PLANS

SECTION 1: For the adoption of master plans, or any substantial amendment thereof, or precise plans as designated in the Regional Planning Commission Act, Act 281 of Michigan Public Acts of 1945, as amended, an affirmative vote of a majority of the full membership of the commission shall be required. The resolution for adoption shall be made in writing and refer expressly to the maps, and descriptive and other matter intended by the commission to form the whole, or part, of the plan or amendment, and the action shall be recorded on the map and plan and descriptive matter by the identifying signature of the executive director of the commission. Attested copies of master plans shall be certified to the boards of county supervisors. Before adopting a master plan or substantial amendment thereof, the commission shall hold at least one public hearing thereon, notice of the time and place of which shall be given by one publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the counties, not more than thirty (30) days or less than ten (10) days before such hearing.

ARTICLE VIII—COMMITTEES AND COUNCILS

SECTION 1: Internal committees shall be appointed by the chairman as deemed necessary by the commission.

The chairman of such committees shall be commission members other members of the committees need not be commission members.

SECTION 2: The commission may appoint advisory committees or councils whose members may consist of individuals whose experience, training or interest in the program may qualify them to lend valuable assistance to the Regional Planning Commission by acting in an advisory capacity in consulting with the commission on technical and special phases of the program. Members of such advisory bodies shall receive no compensation for their services but may be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred in the performance of their duties. The chairman of such committees may be commission members.

ARTICLE IX—AMENDMENTS

SECTION 1: The bylaws may be amended by a majority vote of the full membership of the commission at a regular meeting. Any proposed amendment to the bylaws shall be submitted to the membership at least five (5) days prior to such meeting.

ARTICLE X—STATUTE

SECTION 1: Act 281 of Michigan Public Acts of 1945, as amended, is incorporated in and is hereby a part of these bylaws.

It was moved by Montgomery, supported by Lankford, that the second amendment in article 6 Sec. 1 the clause on or before March 1, and to add to article 6 a new section No. 4 specifically to add that expenditures are not to exceed the appropriations within a budgeted project. Voted and carried.

Supervisor Andrews, recommended that certain county personnel be encouraged to contribute services in the combined amount of \$1,223.46 towards Tri-County Regional Planning Commission Project P-257. It was moved by Andrews, supported by Shepard, to approve the following Resolution. Voted and carried.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, that action program of Tri-County Regional Planning Commission known as Project No. Mich. P-257 will be to start implementation of and to utilize the information gathered for the Tri-County Regional Comprehensive Plan, and

WHEREAS, it will benefit Clinton County in its own planning of facilities for its own area-wide needs,

WHEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, That this board of supervisors concur and encourage the participation by the various county departments to the extent necessary to assist Tri-County Regional Planning Commission in the completion of the Mich. P-257 Project. The project will be approximately for a time period extending from September 15, 1969 to January 21, 1970. The said participation shall be in contributed services and shall be not less than 192 hours or \$1,223.46 from the following county departments:

	Hours	Amount
Clerk	36	\$210.60
Drain Commission	38	346.18
Equalization Dept.	16	101.44
Mid-Michigan District Health Department (Clinton Br)	50	250.00
Social Services	24	173.00
Zoning Administrator	28	142.24
TOTAL	192	\$1,223.46

Supervisor Montgomery reporting on supplementary pay for District Court Judge Duguay, Montgomery, moved supported by Andrews that supplementary pay for the year 1969 be paid the District Court Judge, on a roll call vote those voting aye were Supervisors Montgomery, Andrews and Lankford. Those voting nay were Supervisors Cobb, Nobis, Gove, Sistrine, Chamberlain, Underhill, Hufnagel and Shepard. Total ayes — 3, nays — 8. Motion declared lost.

Chairman Nobis, reports a meeting by the Airport Study Committee to be held Thursday, Aug. 21 at 2:00 p.m. at the Capitol City Airport.

Gerald Wilcox, chairman of the Clinton County Planning Commission appeared, he states he has conferred with Planning Consultants who can be engaged to do work for the County but to require concentrated or exclusive time on the Project will increase the costs involved. Chairman Nobis, suggests that the Planning Commission secure cost estimates on securing a comprehensive plan for the county and to report to the board as soon as possible, on a show of hands the vote was affirmative.

Supervisor Montgomery, presented the following Resolution and moved that it be adopted, the motion was supported by Lankford. Voted and carried.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, it is becoming increasingly urgent that a comprehensive plan for Clinton County be completed,

AND WHEREAS, the County Planning Commission is in need of directive for procedure from the board of supervisors,

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved that the planning commission be directed to proceed to obtain all information necessary as to arrangements and costs as to the completion of Clinton County Comprehensive plan.

IT IS FURTHER directed that this information be with respect to as expeditious a completion of the plan as practicable preferably in 18 months or less.

Said plan when completed shall include land use, population density, water and sewer and solid waste disposal information. It was moved by Lankford, supported by Chamberlain that all bids on carpeting in library and conference room be rejected and that we re-advertise for bids. Voted and carried.

It was moved by Lankford, supported by Andrews to accept the bid submitted by the Industrial Appraisal Co. to appraise the personal property owned by the county at the bid price of \$875.00 and to accept their proposal for an annual re-appraisal fee of \$88.00 and to authorize the clerk to contract for the same. Voted and carried.

It was moved by Shepard, supported by Montgomery that we adjourn at this time and to meet again Tuesday, Sept. 2 at 8:00 p.m. Voted and carried. Meeting adjourned.

WALTER G. NOBIS, Chairman

ERNEST E. CARTER, Clerk

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1969

The Clinton County Board of Supervisors met Tuesday, Sept. 2, 1969, at 8:00 p.m. Prayer was offered by Ernest Carter, A pledge of Allegiance was given to the Flag. Roll was called and

a quorum reported, all members were present, except Supervisor Lankford.

A petition from the Village of Elsie to determine and to order the annexation of the Elsie Village Park to the Village of Elsie was read.

The Village Council of the Village of Elsie, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, having heretofore at a regularly scheduled meeting of the Village Council, June 23, 1969, adopted a resolution determining the desirability of detaching from the Township of Duplain, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, and annexing the same to the Village of Elsie, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, all of the following described lands:

The East 17 and 3/4 acres of the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 Section No. 11, Town 8 North, Range 1 West, in Michigan.

Pursuant to Michigan Statutes Annotated 5.1470, or Section 74.6 of the Compiled Laws of 1948, State of Michigan, the Village of Elsie does hereby petition the board of supervisors of the County of Clinton, State of Michigan, to order the said annexation in accordance with this petition and resolution of the Village Council, a copy of which is hereby attached and made a part hereof.

The Village Council of the Village of Elsie, shows unto the Board of Supervisors of Clinton County, the above described property is titled to the Village of Elsie, and used for the purpose of a village park for the use and benefit of Village residents. That said property has not heretofore been within the corporate limits of the Village of Elsie. That the Village of Elsie desires to incorporate such into the Village limits, for the purpose of providing recreational facilities for Village residents, for the construction of roadways thereon, for the installation of recreational facilities and equipment, and for the general welfare and well-being of the residents of the Village of Elsie.

Petitioner therefore prays the Board of Supervisors of Clinton County order and determine said annexation proposed herein be approved, and that the land above described be annexed and thereafter be incorporated within the corporate limits of the Village of Elsie, County of Clinton, State of Michigan.

Signed at Elsie, Michigan, this 4th day of August, A.D., 1969.

DURWARD CONKLIN, Village President

ALICE M. BLUNT, Village Clerk Deputy.

It was moved by Cobb, supported by Hufnagel, to concur with the Resolution and to approve the annexation. On a roll call vote those voting aye were Supervisors Cobb, Nobis, Gove, Sistrine, Chamberlain, Underhill, Hufnagel, Montgomery, Andrews and Shepard. Nay — none. Total, ayes—10, nays—0. Supervisor Lankford was absent. Motion declared carried.

Supervisor Montgomery, reported a meeting of the Tri-County Airport study authority held Aug. 21. He feels that it was a good meeting and progress was made favorable to Tri-County ownership of the Capitol City Airport. Supervisor Shepard, then read minutes of the meeting.

Supervisor Hufnagel, reported on a meeting by the committee and the establishment of uniform rates for the use of Smith Hall.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 22, 1969

The committee appointed to set rates for Smith Hall met at 8:00 p.m., Friday, Aug. 22, 1969 at the Extension Conference Room. Present were Walter Nobis Jr., Claude Underhill, and F. Earl Haas, all the committee members. William Hufnagel was also present.

After considerable discussion a motion was made by Nobis that the rates be \$30.00 per day for commercial use and \$15.00 per day for schools, churches, family reunions, etc. Also that there be no additional charge for use of the kitchen. Rates to apply to all groups except Extension Service and governmental units. Rates to be effective as of Sept. 1, 1969. Motion supported by Underhill. Passed unanimously.

Motion made by Nobis and supported by Haas that any group which is delinquent in rental payment shall not be able to schedule Smith Hall until settlement is made in full. Passed unanimously.

Motion made by Underhill and supported by Nobis that a \$5.00 deposit be made when the key is picked up. Deposit will be applied on the rental fee if it is returned to the Extension Office on the next working day following use of the Hall. Passed unanimously.

Meeting duly adjourned.

F. EARL HAAS, Acting Secretary

Dale Chapman, chairman of the D.P.W. and Don Haske, member appeared and presented a Resolution adopted by the DeWitt Township Board and approved by Clinton County Department of Public Works.

TOWNSHIP OF DEWITT, COUNTY OF CLINTON, MICHIGAN

Minutes of a regular meeting of the board of trustees of the Township of DeWitt, County of Clinton, Michigan, held in the Township Hall in said Township on the 11th day of August, 1969, at 8:20 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time.

PRESENT: Members Oliver S. Angell, Supervisor; Donna Syverson, Clerk; William A. Johns, William Purves, Ronald Zeeb, Theodore Powell, Herbert Hardtke.

ABSENT: Members none.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by member Herbert Hardtke and supported by member William Purves: WHEREAS, the Township Board has determined that it is necessary for the public health, safety and welfare of the Township to construct trunk and lateral sanitary sewers and sanitary sewage disposal facilities to service certain areas in the southern portion of the Township; and

WHEREAS, after extensive study, this Township Board has determined that it is not feasible for the Township of DeWitt to finance such necessary construction alone; and

WHEREAS, the County of Clinton has established a Department of Public Works under the terms of Act 185, Public Acts of Michigan, 1957, as amended, with authority to acquire and finance sanitary sewer systems within the County;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. This Township Board does hereby determine that it is impractical and financially unsound for the Township of DeWitt to undertake alone the necessary sanitary sewer improvements described in the preamble hereto.

2. The Township Board hereby requests the assistance of the Clinton County Department of Public Works in the acquisition and financing of the above-described improvements under the terms of the aforesaid Act 185 of 1957, as amended.

3. This Township Board hereby recommends that the Clinton County Department of Public Works engage as consultants in connection with said project the following parties already working with the Township in this regard:

As engineers, Mick and Rowland, Angola, Indiana. As bond attorneys, Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone, Detroit, Michigan.

4. This Township Board, and all township agents and employees, shall cooperate with the Clinton County Department of Public Works to the end that said Department may issue, as promptly as possible, County of Clinton bonds in such amounts as may be needed to pay the total cost of the aforesaid improvements (presently estimated to be \$3,500,000), less such grant funds as may be available to meet part of such costs, which bonds shall be retired out of payments made by the Township of DeWitt to the County of Clinton through the Department of Public Works in amounts fully sufficient to meet all principal and interest requirements thereon.

5. This Township Board hereby agrees to reimburse the County and its Department of Public Works for all expenses incurred in connection with the project should the financing and construction of the project not be completed for any reason whatsoever.

6. All resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution be and the same hereby are rescinded.

AYES: Members; Oliver S. Angell, supervisor; Donna B. Syverson, clerk; Ronald Zeeb, William A. Johns, William Purves, Herbert Hardtke, and Theodore Powell.

NAYS: Members; none.

Breaking state record

Tourist spending should top 1968

Mid-season reports indicate Michigan is headed toward another record-shattering tourist year with new seasonal highs already recorded in most sections of the state, according to William T. McGraw, Michigan Tourist Council director.

McGraw noted too, that the post-Labor Day business is expected to begin under most favorable conditions.

"According to present indications, 1969 will top the record \$1.17 billion tourist spending of 1968, probably by \$100 million and conceivably more," McGraw said.

He said late summer fishing in the Great Lakes has already begun with massive schools of salmon reported running in Lake Michigan. Coho catches have been good, and frequent catches of Chinook — Michigan's new game fish — have been reported, pointing toward an optimistic fall business outlook.

Throughout most of the lower peninsula, July and August tourist business showed from 10 to 15 per cent increases, while the Upper Peninsula is breaking all records with increases ranging from 15 to 18 per cent.

Kenneth Dorman, secretary-manager, Upper Michigan Tourist Association, Iron Mountain, reported that the month of June was average but that July and August were "tremendous." He said there were a few soft spots in the U. P., but this could be traced to a lack of local promotion or because there were no attractions in those individual areas to entice visitors.

West Michigan Tourist Association secretary — manager Wesley Tebeau, Grand Rapids, reported that vacation patronage in west Michigan during August was the greatest ever.

"The expanded business in August undoubtedly will result in overall patronage for the summer, greater than in 1968," Tebeau said.

Tebeau cited the flight of Apollo Eleven as a low period in which families stayed home to watch television.

"Once the flight had ended, they fled from the heat of the cities to the beaches of west Michigan," he stated.

James Hall, secretary-manager, East Michigan Tourist Association, Bay City, reported that business was off as much as 25 per cent during June, blaming heavy rainfall in the area during the month.

"From July 1, just the opposite has been true," Hall said. "Business is up by as much as 25 per cent and the average

should be from 10 to 15 per cent."

Secretary — manager Sidney Baker, Southeast Michigan Tourist Association, Detroit, noted that mid-season travel in the southeast Michigan area is well ahead of last year.

"By May, travel business over last year was up approximately 10 per cent from the previous year, and spring-summer business is up from 10 to 15 per cent, although some 'soft spots' were noted in the attractions category," Baker stated.

Mackinac Bridge crossings, another of the major tourist business indicators, are up 21.3 per cent for the first seven months of 1969.

Strait traffic, amounting to 353,348 crossings during July, set an all-time record topping the previous July, 1958 record and, additionally, showed a 22.2 per cent gain over the comparable 1968 period.

Unofficial bridge counts indicate that from 15 to 20 per cent of recreational vehicles crossing the bridge are pulling house trailers or are mounted with campers.

Council chairman Ralph Fuller, Newberry, said the increases in tourism so far this year are "positive proof that state and regional promotion programs are paying off."

Real earnings the same

The purchasing power of the Nation's rank-and-file workers remained virtually the same between June and July, as a gain in take-home pay was offset by the rise in consumer prices, the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics reports.

Gross weekly earnings rose to \$115.44 in July, an increase of 68 cents from June and \$6.57 (6.0 percent) from a year ago. The over-the-month earnings pickup resulted from a 0.1-hour gain in the workweek and a 1-cent rise in hourly earnings. After adjustment for price changes, weekly earnings were slightly above the June level and 0.5 percent above July, 1968, but remained 0.4 per cent below the September 1968 record.

4,480 servicemen study for jobs

Everyday at 1 p.m. a dun-garee-clad sailor at the Charleston, S.C., Navy Yard leaves his ship for an afternoon course in hotel — motel management. And that evening, in seersucker suit and black string tie, he puts in four hours of on-job training as a desk clerk at a motel.

He and 4,480 other servicemen in their final months of duty have taken Department of Labor training courses during the past two years. Mostly infantrymen, seamen, and artillerymen whose service duties were strictly military, they wanted to acquire skills necessary for civilian jobs.

The courses are under the Manpower Development and Training Act (MDTA) and cover such skills as TV service, drafting, data processing, welding, auto repair, and hotel — motel management. They are given at 30 military bases in 18 states. Sponsors of the larger projects include Ft. Hood, Tex.; Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.; Ft. Knox, Ky.; and Ft. Gordon, Ga.

About 2,600 servicemen took MDTA courses in fiscal 1969 at

a cost of \$1 million; and 1,880 were trained the year before for \$995,000.

Under a new \$101,000 MDTA contract that runs through 1970, the International Association of Chiefs of Police is training 450 men as rookie police officers.

Run under subcontracts with local colleges, the 240-hour course teaches criminal law, patrol procedures, traffic control, and other police skills. Instruction began in June at Ft. Hood, Tex., Ft. Dix, N.J., and Pensacola Naval Air Station, Fla. Courses begin in September at Ft. Carson, Colo., and Camp Pendleton, Calif.

The MDTA instruction for servicemen is part of the Defense Department's Transition Program, which provides counseling, training, and job referral to help returning servicemen prepare for civilian employment. Training is given by industry, Government agencies, and the Armed Forces. Most trainees are in their early 20's, with two to four years of service. They are eligible for the Transition Program six months before separation.

RESOLUTION DELAIED ADOPTED.

DONNA B. SYVERSON, Township Clerk

After discussion it was moved by Montgomery, supported by Andrews, to accept the Resolution as presented. On a roll call vote those voting aye were Supervisors Cobb, Nobis, Gove, Sistrine, Chamberlain, Underhill, Hufnagel, Montgomery, Andrews and Shepard. Nay, none. Total—ayes, 10; nays—0. One absent. Motion declared carried.

Chairman Nobis, instructed the Public Relations Committee to work with Betty Minsky and others to collect information on a planned centennial program for the Courthouse.

It was moved by Montgomery, supported by Cobb, to adjourn at this time and to meet again Sept. 22, at 9:00 a.m. Voted and carried. Meeting adjourned.

WALTER G. NOBIS, Chairman

ERNEST E. CARTER, Clerk.

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Wednesday, October 1, 1969

City, school talks

The St. Johns city commission and St. Johns school board for some time had been involved in negotiations which apparently were designed to serve a two-fold purpose. In essence, the school board, desiring a somewhat permanent athletic facility, extended an offer for a long-term lease on the high school athletic field at the city park. The offer, with apparent intent to aid the austerity budget of the city, called for an advance payment; monies from which would be directed toward sewer improvements.

As negotiations continued indications were that the proposal was at least acceptable to both sides and the general inference could be made that ultimately an agreement would be reached.

Then, last week the city commission rejected the proposal an action which is their privilege but one which left a considerable shadow of doubt. We take issue not with the proposal or the action of the city commission, but we seriously question the atmosphere the termination of these discussions has brought about.

Since early last spring various proposals have been rumored relative to the school board and city commission and on more than one occasion staff members of Clinton County News have talked with officials involved.

Throughout this period the Clinton County News has attempted to secure information and to report it as accurately as possible but in the light of insufficient facts and, seemingly, a mistrust on the part of some, there has been little if any true and meaningful presentations.

As a community publication serving residents of both the city and school district ours is not a role to destroy or undermine what development and accomplishment can be attained. The responsibility of co-operation is as great as that of keeping watch. It would be folly to deny that much of public business is accomplished in private discussions, but it is merely taken for granted that explanations for these actions should be given by the figures involved. There is little that can bring about a community crisis more quickly than failure of officials to make direct movements toward effective communication with the people whom they represent.

For months residents in the city and school district have been confused over the exact reasons and motives behind the continuing discussions between commission and school board and the apparently abrupt dissolution of the talks only tended to increase the concern. If during the period of negotiations both sides were acting in good faith, which there is nothing to suggest otherwise, a few moments of explanation offered periodically for publication would have gone a long way toward an understanding and appreciation of what was being attempted. But to withhold comments or informative statements is probably the most effective method known to create misunderstanding and ill feelings.

Besides being frightfully devoid of material gain, posts such as school board member or city commissioner provide much opportunity to meet the public under trying conditions. The vast numbers of taxpayers, however, never direct objections to whom they believe to be the source of displeasure, but they do look to their officials for leadership, guidance and information which they feel is reliable.

Throughout the entire period of talks there was never an apparent intent on the part of either group to completely discontinue the current arrangement between the school board and city for use of the football field. The general feeling is that the present year to year agreement will continue. It would be most advisable if any interested group use this agreement as a base and work with both city and school

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Seeks need for visual help in area

To the Editor:

The Division of Special Education, Department of Education, in conjunction with the Vision Section of Maternal and Child Health would like to determine the need for services in this area. We would like to enlist your help in a search for the parents of these preschool blind children.

The Department of Education might be able to secure funds through Federal sources for a program for these children if the extent of the problem is quickly ascertained.

If you know any child or parent of a child who is blind please notify the Clinton County Health Department, 106 Maple Street, St. Johns, Michigan by Oct. 1, 1969.

Thank you,

Luella Canfield, R. N.

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A little credit

By RON KARLE, Editor



Happy anniversary, John. Today makes three years doesn't it.

I'll bet on that first day in October of 1966 you came into town with that same "Howdy" type smile and that shuffling gait-in-a-hurry that brought you up to the News office a couple months ago to see what the new editor was all about.

They told me you pronounced your name like it was spelled Ellsworth even though back in Ohio that says Aylsworth and up here in Michigan I still want to stick an "e" in there somewhere.

They also told me you had something to do with an outfit called 4-H. I had seen that four - leaf clover before but where I come from in Detroit we don't have too many people interested in cows and stuff like that.

But then I learned it wasn't the cows that you were really interested in. It was the kids. So began my education.

And you initiated me right off with your County 4-H Fair. So I decided to take a look see. Well, I went out to this field next to the city park and there were no razzle-dazzle neon lights or freak shows or guys hawking souvenirs.

This set me back a piece you know, because a fair to us city types is mostly that and some

barns where they keep the cows and stuff like that. And there's always a few muggings thrown in to keep everybody loose.

But out there at your fair was the darndest thing I've ever seen. All those kids really digging it with those big cows and things and they're having a ball and learning.

I didn't know kids could groove on stuff like that. And it was okay.

Then I strolled over to this Smith Hall and some of the exhibits I saw—some by kids no higher than a belt buckle—really turned me on.

And that homemade berry pie had to be the best in six counties—including Wayne.

Then there was this business about the State 4-H Show down at Michigan State and national shows. Not to mention live-stock sales, exchange programs and study-work courses, family living and on and on.

Well, all this got the best of me, John, so I decided to see a little bit what you're all about. Remember that interview a couple weeks ago you thought was for your activities in the United Fund Drive? Actually, it was for this.

You didn't do much for 4-H publicity, you know, when you admitted you were a graduate of Ohio State University but in a couple of weeks maybe my Spartans will enlighten you about MSU. The least you could have done was give me a couple of points on the game.

Anyway, you said you got your B.A. in ag education at OSU in 1955 and a year later picked up a master's. Then there was some time in Greece in connection with the International Farm Youth Exchange. IFYE I think you called it.

Here you lived and worked with rural families and drank goat's milk for breakfast and a third of the diet was black bread.

Then to Sandusky, Ohio as a 4-H youth agent for 10 years before moving up here because in Ohio that spot is a stepping stone to become an agent and you didn't want to be an agent because I enjoy working with kids.

Well, John, I'm sure there's more than a few folks around who are mighty happy you feel that way and a lot of their kids, too.

And I for one appreciate you helping me in overcoming my newness in such things around here.

It just takes us city types a little longer to catch on, that's all.

Anyway, it seemed like a little credit was due your way and I thought I'd start off the next three years by spelling your name right: J-O-H-N.

Optimism

There is music all around us, Though we sometimes fail to hear, The birds so sweetly singing Their message of good cheer; But I seem to note in passing That among the teeming throng Oft the bearer of real burdens Spreads most cheer with sweetest song.

It sets my head to thinking, The point I miss—no doubt— Why folk who could be happy, Seem perpetually in a pout; While the folk too oft in trouble Be it winter, fall, or spring, Somehow manage with a whistle, And so often laugh and sing! Sure it takes a bit of doing, Keeping sunny side to show, But it soon becomes a habit And good habits grow and grow; No one loves a grouchy person, Hide your fears and come out strong! And your burdens will seem lighter When you greet them with a song.

W. E. Dobson

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., TRIBUNE: "Considerable change may be brought about by the current trend toward business breakfasts instead of lunches. Not even the hardest noon-hour drinker is likely to call for a shot of whiskey first thing in the morning. . . . It looks as if future business mergers will as likely as not be consummated over a merger of ham and eggs."

'IF IT FITZ . . .'

First class firing

By JIM FITZGERALD



When Henry Ford fired his top foreman, Semon Knudsen, he kicked off an incredible amount of newspaper and TV publicity. All of which gave us hired hands a nd our wives plenty to worry about.

The society writers and photographers even went to the Knudsen home to find out how Mrs Knudsen was taking the dumping of her husband.

"If you get fired," my wife told me, "I won't have a thing to wear for the interviews. The drapes need cleaning, too."

One reporter asked Knudsen if he still owned Ford cars. "Yes," he answered, "we have 2 Cougars, an LTD station wagon, a regular Ford and a couple of Mark IIs, I think." But he wasn't sure. That's embarrassing.

"The next time you're in the garage, make a list of our cars," I told my wife.

"We don't have a garage," she said. "And we're using our carport for a porch."

"It might be better if I rent the township hall for the press conference where I explain that I don't know why I was fired," I said.

VERILY, THE Knudsen affair has made it obvious that a man must be prepared in case of sudden canning. It's not something you can do easily, such as getting a job. It takes planning to be fired properly.

For instance, I need a nickname. Knudsen was working on a 5-year contract worth about \$3 million plus stock options. But the reporters took the snobby gleam off all that dough by calling him "Bunkie." Golly, that's right down to earth. Fact is, the only other Bunkie I know is an airedale.

Ford will pay Knudsen \$700,000 for doing nothing the next

3 1/2 years and shucks, the general public would probably have a tough time feeling sorry for him if he weren't Just Plain Bunkie.

Another thing a fired guy needs is "a man." Bunkie admitted he'd had many job offers since Ford got a better idea. He was leaving on a vacation trip himself but Knudsen said he "had a man investigating the offers." That's the same sort of class I showed in 1946 when I paid a friend to stand in line to get my unemployment check.

Most important, a working slob should practice smiling under adverse conditions, perhaps while someone is pounding his foot with a sledge hammer. All the reporters agreed that Bunkie showed his teeth and made little jokes but "fooled nobody." The keen-eyed writers described him as "staggered" and "near shock." The Detroit News even accused Knudsen of shrinking and "his suit was too large for him."

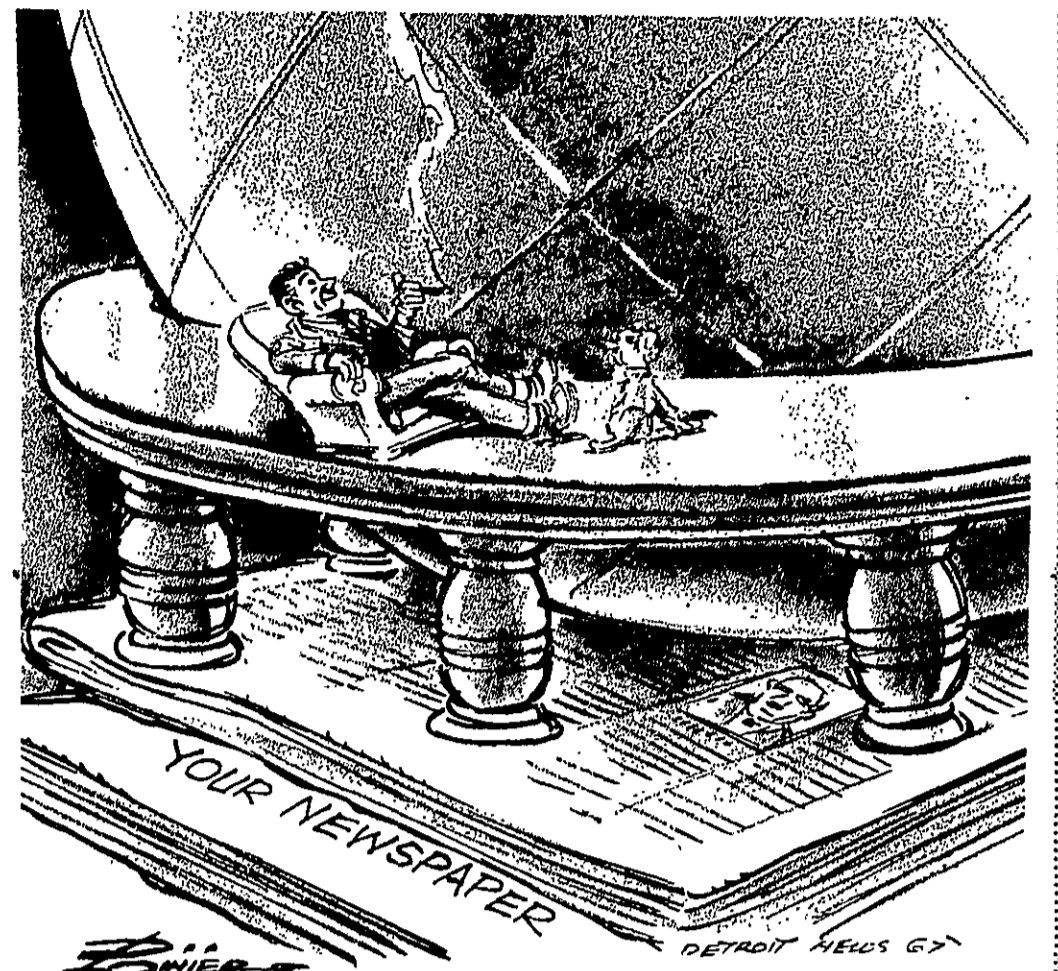
Where does a man go to get sanitized?

It is a screwy world where the firing of a multi-millionaire can keep news and society reporters typing and gushing for days. When Joe Schmo gets fired, and his kids get hungry, the only way he can get in the newspaper is to get shot while robbing a grocery store.

And that's no bunkie.

Newspaper week

Oct. 5-11, 1969



As most other major areas of interest (and some minor ones, too) newspapers have picked a week to draw attention to their existence. It's a time when they can herald the rule they play in this great nation and, from the giants of the industry to the midgets, each is prone to take advantage of the occasion.

We at Clinton County News are no exception. We are proud to be part of the group; to be serving a growing area in the progressive heart of mid-Michigan.

But along with this pride goes a deep sense of obligation for adherence to the principles of journalism and a commitment to public service. We recognize our responsibility to pursue truth and accuracy in our news and advertising columns and we're aware that our critical editorials must be supported with a willingness to cooperate toward the completion of projects beneficial to the entire area we serve.

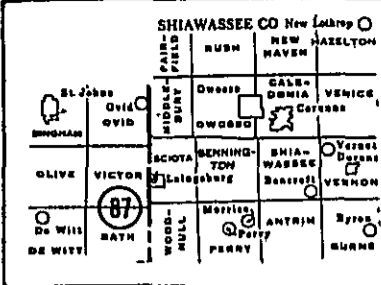
We recognize, too, that the vibrance of an expanding community gives rise to conflicting interests and these in turn often nurture a degree of discord. It is during these times when we must temper our convictions with objectivity; be accurate in our reporting and strive to fill the role of a cohesive force working for the community in general but no interest in particular.

This may sound idealistic. It's intended to. There are few worthwhile achievements in the history of mankind that were not inspired by imagination or belief in an ideal and while some may never feel our goals are attained there will be few who can deny the sincerity of our efforts.

However, there is another side of the newspaper which is supported on a more realistic foundation. As in any profit oriented enterprise the newspaper must operate within the framework of sound business practices to insure that salaries are paid, tax assessments are satisfied and the general financial transactions of a business are maintained. Advertising and subscription sales are the main sources of a newspaper's revenue and in these areas the realities of the business world must be recognized.

But even while business must be transacted toward a profitable end there are few who recognize the amount of advertising turned away in the best interest of subscribers and readers. Advertising which entices, is suggestive or questionable in any way is not the kind from which newspapers seek their business. Like other enterprises dealing directly with the public we are striving constantly to insure that the words "integrity, honesty and quality" can be appropriately applied to us.

There are many, many facets of a newspaper which are in operation everyday of the year regardless of the frequency of publication. It has to be. If any of the cogs were part-time in nature, the wheel would never complete its cycle of public service.



View from the 87th

By WILLIAM S. BALLENGER
State Representative



BAY MILLS—My report today comes from this tiny Upper Peninsula community of some 250 Indians about 20 miles west of Sault Ste. Marie in Chippewa County.

With three Democrats, I am here as the only Republican on a special House subcommittee on Indian Affairs. Bay Mills is not our only stop. Also on the itinerary are the Keweenaw Bay Indian community near L'Anse; the Hannahville Indian community near Harris in Menominee County; and the Saginaw-Chippewa tribe settlement near Mt. Pleasant, the only community we visit in the Lower Peninsula.

Why did we come? Ostensibly to study first-hand the living conditions of one of the nation's—and Michigan's—most savagely impoverished minorities—the North American Indian.

This trip is not the first evidence of concern by the State Legislature over the continued plight of our Indian population. A State Commission on Indian Affairs was established several years ago, and last spring Democratic State Senator Charles Youngblood of Detroit (who is one-quarter Chippewa) announced plans to spearhead a \$750,000 drive to convert the ghost town of Pequaming in Baraga County into an industrial center for some 8,000 U. P. Indians.

There has also been concern on the national level—especially by former U.S. Secretary of the Interior Stewart Udall and, more notably, by the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy and his brother, Teddy.

But I think it's important to make sure, in examining the condition of our Indian brethren and in offering remedies for their shabby condition, that we not preface our actions with unwarranted hand-wringing and loud and senseless cries of "Mea Culpa." It's important that we deal with this problem in clear-headed fashion and not simply try to make political hay out of the plight of still another deprived minority group.

For as John Greenway, a noted Indian anthropologist at the University of Colorado (Boulder), has observed, the unnatural eagerness of Americans to believe themselves monsters sometimes reaches staggering proportions. We find some unrepented sin in ourselves and take up whatever scourge lies at hand to visit its punishment upon our forefathers. Now, more than ever, the American Indian is a favorite scourge. Sympathizers of the "Noble Redman" are using the Indian as a stick to beat the American soul.

According to Greenway, the historical Indian in our present-day American mind is a figment of the imagination—a creation of fantasy, guilt, and ignorance. The real Indian, says Greenway, should be known for what he usually was—ferocious, cruel, aggressive, stoic, violent, ultra-masculine, treacherous, and war-like. (These adjectives do not necessarily apply to the Michigan breeds, however).

As for our treatment of the Indians, Greenway feels that never in the entire history of the inevitable displacement of hunting tribes by advanced agriculturalists in the 39,000 generations of mankind has a native people been treated with more consideration, decency, and kindness. The Mongols in displacing the first comers of Asia, the Negroes in displacing the aborigines in Africa, and every other group following the biological law of the Competitive Exclusion Principle thought like the Polynesian chief who once observed to a white officer: "I don't understand you English. You come here and take our land and then you spend the rest of your lives trying to make up for it. When my people came to these islands, we just killed the inhabitants and that was the end of it."

One Indian sympathizer, Dale Van Every, writing in his recent book, "Disinherited," tells of the "instinctive sympathy" between Negroes and Indians, and of the "ingrained Indian abhorrence of slavery as an institution." (In this regard it is interesting to note that the chairman of our House subcommittee James Bradley of Detroit, and another member of the subcommittee who accompanied us to the U. P., Mrs. Nellis Saunders, are both black.) It is also interesting that an 1825 census of the Cherokee nation listed 15,563 Indians and 1,277 Negro slaves. A year earlier, the Cherokee National Committee prohibited any of

their Negroes from owning stock, voting, or marrying Indians.

Any discussion of our treatment of the Indian should not exclude some mention of the Indians' Treatment of Us. In 1960, for example, the arrest rate for whites in the U.S. was 2,739 in 100,000. For Negroes it was 8,703. But for Indians it was 51,090. These figures have persuaded some racist commentators to explain excessive criminality as an oriental characteristic—yet Chinese and Japanese in the U.S. have the lowest arrest figure of any group, lower even than the most law-abiding WASP.

In 1946, the U.S. Indian Claims Commission was quietly established by Congress as a device to simplify Indians suits against the government for land usurpation. Under the terms of the 852 claims filed, some Indians have been paid as many as six times for the same land, each time returning to claim the palerface was an Indian giver. The Cherokee, who were themselves invaders and usurpers (from other tribes) of the land they occupied, have received \$14 million alone.

Greenway also points out that even the U.S. Office of Economic Opportunity is shotgunning poverty funds into the Indians; in just one caper the OEO spent \$208,741 to show the Zuni how they could mass-produce their hand-crafted jewelry for a guaranteed annual income of \$150,000—evidently unaware that the Zuni already market more than \$2 million worth of their jewelry every year in New Mexico alone. The idea has become known as "the Zany Zuni plan."

How far, asks Greenway, will it all go? Will the 22 million

Negroes in the U.S. sue the government for all that free labor before 1865? Will Americans ever find out where to go to surrender for the crime of being American?

This is not to say that any study of the plight of the Michigan Indian is necessarily a fraud or a farce. In fact, there is no doubt but that the redskins are in a terrible fix; their annual average income is a paltry \$1,500—75 per cent below the national average; their unemployment rate is 10 times the national average; they live 10 years less than the average American; the death rate of their children is twice as high as the national average; tuberculosis rates are seven times higher than the average American's.

The Indians we've seen at Bay Mills, Keweenaw Bay, Hannahville, and Mt. Pleasant are desperately poor, as poor as anybody we know in this rich land of ours. There are more than 9,000 Indians in Michigan, only 2,600 of which live on reservations (Michigan ranks 13th in the U.S. in Indian population)—and they need help.

What is needed is sincere effort to enable the Indian to share in the opportunities of the dominant national culture without losing the things of value in his own. And the Indian who chooses to leave the reservation must be better equipped to deal with an alien and often inhospitable national way of life.

What is not needed is the unending stream of guilt-ridden, fuzzy-thinking, history-distorting, grossly hypocritical fumbblings of unqualified politicians trying to grab a few cheap headlines in their craven efforts to build a broader constituency.

TAKING FIVE

Ticket game

BY KONNOR HUARD



Fall is officially here. I didn't get the word from the turning leaves or the crisp air. I got it from the cacophony of voices asking the traditional question which has come to mark the opening of the autumn season: "Hey, can you get me tickets to the Michigan State-Michigan game?"

Or Purdue - Illinois. Or Western Michigan - Bowling Green?

Regardless of the game, getting tickets has come into its own as a prime attraction for going. I'm surprised the Mission: Impossible force hasn't received an assignment from the secretary to undertake such a challenge. It might be worthwhile to observe their tactics. The group would probably get in disguised as footballs which would convert into leather recliners on the fifty-yard line.

As for me, I'm right in the middle of the seekers. I've been scrounging around for four tickets to any Notre Dame game for so long that it wouldn't surprise me if Ara Parseghian

is no longer coach by the time I get there. Two years ago I embarked on a similar project and ended up paying so much for the ducks I couldn't afford a hotdog at halftime.

Right there, in the shadow of Sacred Heart spire we were taken so smoothly by a slick talking scalper that we began to wonder if somebody up there hadn't deserted Notre Dame for Southern Methodist. In any event, we did make the game but we were so far from the playing field we could hear the cheers from the Purdue stadium at Lafayette.

Being associated with the press provides the suggestion to almost any acquaintance needing tickets that here is a prime possibility but rare have been the occasions when I have been able to oblige. I was once able to acquire passes to a donkey basketball game, but discovered upon my arrival the thing had been called off two days before I got the tickets.

On another occasion, while living in Iowa, a friend from Michigan wrote and asked if I could get tickets to a Michigan State-Iowa game. Having gone to State and having Forest Evashevski, athletic director at Iowa, on the board of directors of the company I worked for I was sure the request could be handled with ease. To this day, however, my friend has never set foot in the state of Iowa and, embarrassed by the burden of failure, I've never had the courage to visit my friend.

That's the way it goes, this "Can you get me tickets" game. If you work your tongue thin trying to get somebody tickets and fail, you feel badly, but they in turn probably feel you didn't even try. Yet each year about this time the office and home phone begins ringing and the recorder in my Adam's apple repeats, "Gee, I'll see what I can do for you."

About this time of year happiness would be for the phone to ring and a voice on the other end of the line say, "Hello, Ron? This is..." and it would be the head coach of a Big Ten school telling me he's stuck with a mess of tickets and wondering if I could help him out. But then I guess this is as improbable as I found it to be a football and ending up on the fifty yard line. Even at that, I doubt that these methods would be successful anyhow. Those gate attendants have heard 'em all.

Wacousta

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

Wacousta School has an enrollment of 301 children this year. Richard Hill is the Principal. Other Wacousta school teachers are: Mrs. Diane Jackson, Kindergarten; Mrs. Ursie Powers and Miss Sharon Bailey, 1st Grade; Mrs. Dorothy Leonard and Mrs. Diana Hinkley, 2nd Grade; Bruce Mance and Mrs. Julie Merkel, 3rd Grade; Mrs. Patricia Cline and Mrs. Vera Craun, 4th Grade; Ron Gallagher and Mrs. Anne Swingle, 5th Grade teachers. Mrs. Richard Rosier is secretary to the school. Mrs. Forest Wessler and Mrs. Robert S. Walker are the cooks. Edward Atherton Jr. is the custodian.

The P.T.A. and open house was held Tuesday, Sept. 23 at 7:30 p.m. P.T.A. will be held the fourth Tuesday of December, March and May. The principal, Mr. Hill has announced no child is to arrive at the school house before 8:40 a.m.

Wacousta Circle will meet Thursday, Oct. 2 for a 12:30 luncheon. There will be a white elephant sale. Willing Workers Circle will meet Thursday, Oct. 2 with Mrs. Carroll Pingel for a luncheon at 1 p.m. There will be a harvest auction.

Word was received Saturday morning of the death of Omer Watson at Lake Geneva. Mr. Watson was a former resident of Wacousta.

Ivora Dush is a medical patient in St. Lawrence Hospital. She would enjoy cards as well as visits.

CHURCH TO HOLD FAIR
Wacousta United Methodist Church will hold their annual church fair Oct. 29 and 30. The theme "Small Town U.S.A." Booths will be open on Oct. 29 from 1 to 4 p.m.

On Oct. 30th Turkey dinner will be served to the public from 5:15 to 7 p.m. Mr and Mrs Carl Miller are in charge of ticket reservations. The booths will open at 3 p.m. on Oct. 30, where you will find aprons, fancy work, Christmas items, children's games and fish pond. Homemade candy, bakegoods, and many other items.

Jim Lowell of Minnesota, son of Mr and Mrs Donald Lowell was a business visitor in Michigan Thursday and an overnight guest of his parents. Sally Lowell of Ann Arbor was also a dinner guest in her parents home so all the family could be together.

Mr and Mrs Ira Bollinger spent five days visiting relatives in Belleville, Canada last week. Word was received Saturday morning of the death of Omer Watson at Lake Geneva. Mr. Watson was a former resident of Wacousta.

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MICHIGAN MIRROR

Teachers' pay

By ELMER E. WHITE



Most taxpayers may not realize it, but teachers salaries have risen faster than ever since teachers began organizing into unions four years ago.

Up until that time, salaries rose at a fairly consistent rate of \$200 per year, or about 3.4 per cent per year. But in the last four years the average rise in pay scales in the state has ranged from \$600 to \$700 per year, or 9.3 per cent. Today, only the state of California pays its teachers better than Michigan.

And Detroit pays its teachers with bachelor's degrees more than any other large city in the country.

The change in the rate of increase was proven by a study completed recently by the Citizens Research Council of Michigan.

"The fact that the legalization of collective bargaining and the rising level in annual teacher salary increases were co-terminous can hardly be viewed as a coincidence," the council said.

"It must be assumed that there has been a causal relationship between collective bargaining and the surge in teacher salary

levels," it concluded. And, the council said, with teachers getting their way in the field of salaries, their organizers are turning their attentions to other areas.

"Even now there is evidence that teacher organizations are becoming interested in negotiating other school policies such as class size," the council said. And, it predicted, the issues could lead to stronger dissension between teachers and administrators than purely monetary considerations.

"School administrators and boards are concerned about the possibility of relinquishing management and school board rights and prerogatives," it said.

"On the other hand, teachers generally appear to want a greater voice in determining a broad range of matters that affect their work and are pressing for broadening the scope of negotiations," the council reported.

If this is true, the relative calm on the education front this fall may not continue over the next few years.

HARE PROTESTS

The man in charge of administering the new state law requiring suspension of a person's drivers license if the person doesn't pay a traffic ticket within 40 days says he doesn't like the law.

Secretary of State James M. Hare says he expects more than 120,000 Michigan drivers will lose their licenses this year as a result of the new law. This is almost double the total who had theirs suspended for a period of time last year.

Hare labels the law "unfair, unjust and too punitive in many instances."

The seven-term officeholder, who announced plans to retire from his job in 1970, says he doesn't think the law is keeping anyone off the road either.

He said he likes the system Illinois is using, where a driver who receives a ticket for a moving violation surrenders his drivers license to the arresting officer.

The ticket he receives serves as a temporary license pending the court appearance date.

If the driver does not appear, he doesn't have a valid driver's license any more.



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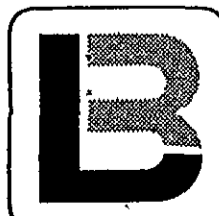
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LOCKNEY, Tex., BEACON: "The one thing which the Reds respect is force. The Free World can maintain its position only by retaining a weaponry stockpile superior, or at least equal, to that of the Russians. While the enemy continues to advance at a rapid pace, can Uncle Sam afford to do less?"

ST. JOHN, Kans., NEWS: "Members of the Congress have been in turmoil... over the matter of extending the surtax. Closing tax loopholes, seeking out new sources of taxes, and trying to decide which taxes can be increased with the least ensuing squealing seems to occupy most of the time of many members of the federal governing body. Odd, isn't it, that nobody in Washington seems to be concerned with 'making do' with the available tax revenues, with setting an absolute limit of taxes, or reducing taxes, and, for goodness sake, trying to ease the awful burden which the unhappy taxpayer bears today?"

'Last call' issued for service schools

Third District Congressman Garry Brown, R-Mich., has issued a "last call" on applications for appointment to the U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colorado; the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, New York; the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland; and the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, Kings Point, New York.

Applications will be for classes entering in June, 1970. Young men desiring to be considered for nomination must apply to Congressman Brown before Nov. 1, 1969. Nominations will be made in December.

The U.S. Coast Guard Academy

is the only one of the Armed Forces Service Academies which tenders appointments solely on the basis of an annual nationwide competition. There are no congressional appointments, nor are there any geographical quotas. Young men interested in the Academy should contact the Director of Admissions, U.S. Coast Guard Academy, New London, Connecticut 06320, or a copy of the Coast Guard Academy catalogue and application form may be obtained through Congressman Brown's Washington office. Applications must be returned to the Academy by December 15, 1969.

In making his announcement, Brown recalled that opportunities for qualified young men to be admitted to the Academies were substantially improved last year. Congressmen are now permitted to nominate 10 candidates to each vacancy instead of the six previously authorized. Congressman Brown commented:

"While some candidates might feel that nomination, as one of ten competitors, offers little opportunity for admission, this is not the case. Nominees who are qualified and recommended by a particular Academy Academic Board, but who do not receive the appointment to fill the vacancy to which nominated, are placed on a list of qualified Alternates. Appointments are made from this list, in order of merit, to bring that Academy to its authorized strength. In my three years in Congress, the overwhelming majority of alternates selected for a mission were offered appointments, and I am confident that next year an equally high percentage of those qualified will also be admitted. I look forward to nominating a full slate of candidates for each Academy, and encourage all young men desiring admission to apply."

To qualify for candidacy, an applicant must be a U.S. citizen, a resident of the Third Congressional District—Clinton, Barry, Calhoun, Eaton, and Kalamazoo counties—between the ages of 17 and 21, unmarried, a high school graduate, and in good physical condition.

Applicants will be required to submit high school grade transcripts and their class standings. Although not a mandatory requirement, Brown pointed out that three-fourths of the young men admitted to the Academies were in the top twenty per cent of their high school classes.

College Entrance Examination Board test scores are also a major factor in determining the qualification of each candidate. Normally, candidates who qualify for an Academy achieve a SAT Verbal of 500 and a SAT Math of 550.

In addition to the mental and physical qualifications, the Academies consider leadership potential, evidence of character, and extra-curricular activities.

Again this year, Congressman Brown intends to employ the advice and counsel of a District Advisory Board to assist him in selecting the best qualified nominees.



ALTAR GUILD CARD PARTY

Preparing for the Altar Guild's annual card party, style and wig show, Thursday Oct. 2, are from left, Eric Rehmann, Corkie Paradise, Gerald Rademacher and Charles Rehmann. Featured in the show will be fashions from Carol Ann, MacKinnon's and Rehmann's Clothing. Hair styles will be shown as prepared by eight local beauticians. A dessert smorgasbord will begin the evening at 8 p.m. and various prizes will be given away during the event.

Maple Rapids sells parcel

Village officials opened the way for a new business at Maple Rapids Wednesday night when they sold a parcel of village

Lynam interns

William Lynam, 32, a doctoral candidate at Michigan State University and a St. Johns resident, is serving his internship period at Montcalm Community College.

Lynam, pursuing his PhD in administration at Michigan State, will be specializing in Community College administration work under the direction of Les Morford, Dean of Academic Studies at the local college until the middle of December.

The MSU intern graduated from St. Johns High School in 1955 and received a BA Degree from Albion College four years later. He attained a Master's Degree in English from Michigan State in 1965.

Lynam taught school at St. Johns High for two years and four at Birmingham. For the last three years he has been an English instructor at Lansing Community College.

For the 1.5 million men and women holding general or "other-than-honorable" discharges from the Armed forces, the Department of Labor offers a special service which might make them more acceptable to employers. The Department will help these people obtain an Exemplary Rehabilitation Certificate which would document their good behavior over a three-year period.

Village of Fowler Council Meeting

Meeting was called to order by President Spicer at 7:30 p.m. Trustees present for roll call: Wohlfert, Douglas, Halfmann, Snyder, Klein, and Pettit.

A motion by Snyder, to approve the minutes of the previous meeting met with unanimous approval.

A motion, introduced by Pettit to pay current bills in the amount of \$8,452.95 from the proper funds, was supported by Wohlfert, and carried unanimously.

Richard Parsons appeared before the council requesting review of sewer hookup at his residence. Klein made a motion that the council allow Parsons to bring the sewer in from Maple Street. The Village is to assume costs equal to the amount of footage it would normally cost to bring the sewer in from 3rd Street. Parsons agreed to assume all other costs. Motion supported by Wohlfert, roll call vote, 5 approved, one abstained.

A report on the meeting with the State Highway Department was given by Spicer. A motion by Pettit to loan necessary funds from the General Fund to the Local Highway fund was made. The motion was supported by Klein, and it was carried unanimously.

A report of police operation costs was given by Trustee Douglas, and it was agreed to have a committee investigate cooperation of Clinton County Sheriff's Dept.

Curbing of the first block of S. Wright Road was discussed, the clerk was advised to notify property owners, to meet with council at the Oct. 13 meeting.

Douglas introduced a motion to close the Village Dump, effective Nov. 1, 1969, and publish a public notice. The motion was supported by Wohlfert. They voted unanimously on this proposal.

Mr. Hanslovsky, financial consultant, explained ways of financing, sewer plant expansion, through General Obligation Bonds, or Revenue Bonds.

Meeting adjourned at 11 p.m.

owned property on Main Street to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Upton.

They also approved the new owners' building permit which was recommended and submitted by Al Abshagen, building inspector. The Uptons plan to construct a pole type building on the property measuring 30 by 64 feet, for a furniture refinishing business.

In other action officials,

—Heard a report from Al Brunner, fire chief, concerning the Fulton Township fire contract. He reported no official action had been taken, but negotiations are still underway.

—Heard a report from Williams and Works consulting engineers, concerning expected increases in school enrollments. Maple Rapids has at present 272 students and can expect that number to increase to 295 by 1971. The report was made in connection with sewer plans for the village. Approximately 230 residents will be using village sewer facilities when they are installed. Maple Rapids was the first village to be approved to try for sewer construction and financing through the newly formed Clinton Department of Public Works.

—Larry Float suggested the village purchase a bulk gas tank for operating the police car, purchased last week. He stated the possibility of saving on gasoline costs if they bought in larger quantities. No action was taken on the matter.

Fowler dump closes Nov. 1

Residents in the southwest section of the village will be happy to learn that on Nov. 1, the village dump will be closed. Officials have received numerous complaints from the area concerning obnoxious odors. The dump is located on Parks Road about two miles southwest of the village. The odors have been especially bad when the dump would catch fire.

The B and B Refuse Service of Saranac has been providing residents with rubbish pick-up for some time on a private contractual basis and the dump at Dallas Township is supported by village taxpayers. The Dallas dump is located on Taft Road about five miles southeast of the village, and is open every Saturday, for the convenience of area residents.

Minutes of the City Commission Meeting

Municipal Building Commission Room
ST. JOHNS, MICHIGAN

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

Commissioners present: Grost, Coletta, Rand, Hannah, Wood.

Motion by Grost supported by Hannah to approve the minutes of Aug. 11, 1969. Motion carried.

Motion by Rand supported by Coletta to approve the warrants. Motion carried.

Motion by Grost supported by Coletta to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Motion by Hannah supported by Coletta to allow the Knights of Columbus to place their banner on Main Street. Motion carried.

Motion by Rand supported by Hannah to approve the cost of a crossing guard at Sturgis and Swegles Street pursuant to the approval of the St. Johns School Board. Motion carried.

Motion by Grost supported by Rand to instruct the City Manager and City Attorney to draft a letter to the property owners on Sturgis Street and Swegles Street pointing out that it might be in their best interest to construct sidewalk on their property and if they so desire, the City will provide engineering services. Motion carried.

Motion by Hannah supported by Grost to table the Bond Issue discussion. Motion carried.

Motion by Hannah supported by Grost to direct the City Assessor to advise the Attorney representing those people on Scott Road of his findings and to request a meeting to determine and consummate a solution to the Special Assessment districts. Motion carried.

Motion by Rand supported by Grost to accept the audit report. Motion carried.

Motion by Grost supported by Coletta to request Consumers Power Company to prepare a street light recommendation for Lansing Street, West Sturgis and Sickles Street. Motion carried.

Motion by Rand supported by Coletta to approve the request to file for a Federal Government

Demonstration Grant. Motion carried.

Motion by Hannah supported by Coletta to authorize the City Clerk or the Mayor to sign any and all papers necessary in connection with the proposed Federal Demonstration Grant. Motion carried.

The Mayor read the letter thanking the City's property owners for their participation in the tax pre-payment.

Motion by Coletta supported by Rand to authorize the City Manager to negotiate a rental contract for a street sweeper up to the maximum amount of \$2,000. Motion carried.

Motion by Rand supported by Coletta to accept the low bid from Egan Ford in the amount of \$2,546.35. Motion carried.

Motion by Hannah supported by Coletta to table the Zoning Board of Appeals appointment until the next meeting. Motion carried.

Motion by Rand supported by Coletta to table the Ambulance Service discussion until the next meeting. Motion carried.

Motion by Grost supported by Coletta to direct the City Manager and Chief of Police to contact Mr. Kent E. Daley in regard to a SDM License. Motion carried.

Motion by Grost supported by Rand that the City of St. Johns assist the Clinton County Planning Commission by contributing services to give guidance and to attend Clinton County Planning Commission meetings; contribute data of existing local plans to accomplish a coordinated development of the County through implementation and assistance that the City Zoning and Planning Commissions can provide. Motion carried.

The Mayor read a proclamation for Constitution Week.

Motion by Hannah supported by Grost to adjourn at 8:55 p.m. Motion carried.

ROBERT H. WOOD,
Mayor
THOMAS L. HUNDLEY,
City Clerk.

Who's Fooling Whom?

100 Plus Prescriptions a Day Can't be Wrong!

We Can Prove That Our Prescription Prices are Lower, TOO!

Our "MYSTERY SHOPPER" Has Also Compared Prescription Prices

on 6 of 10 we were lower
on 2 of 10 we were the same
on 2 of 10 we were higher

WE TELL IT LIKE IT IS!!!

	A's Discount price	Parr's Pharmacy Price
Rx No. 1	\$1.52	\$1.45
Rx No. 2	\$4.07	\$3.12
Rx No. 3	\$1.52	\$1.75

DON'T BE FOOLED! PARR'S *Rexall* DRUGS

SERVING ST. JOHNS FOR ALMOST 60 YEARS

9 a.m. to 9 p.m. —Sundays 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

CORNER CLINTON & WALKER

Ph. 224-2837

ANDY'S IGA

ST. JOHNS, MICH.



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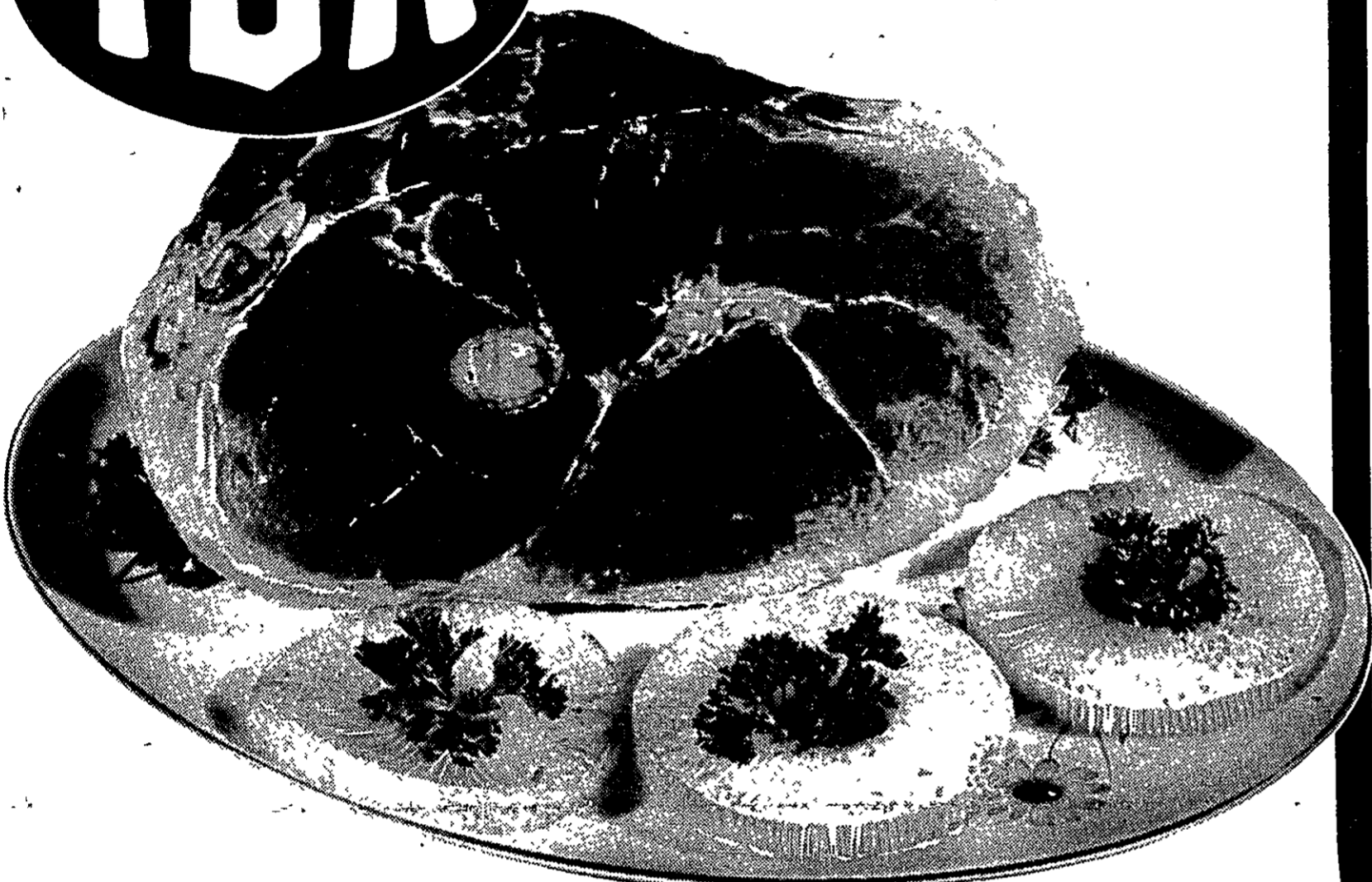
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Super Foods



CARLOAD of VALUES

WITH
"IGA WINNING PRICES"



HYGRADE WEST VIRGINIA Semi-Boneless HAMS

WHOLE **79¢**
lb.

GLENDALE CHUNK STYLE
Canadian Bacon lb. \$1.49

FARMER PEET'S
Ring Bologna lb. 69¢

PAUL BUNYAN 'SLICED'
Boiled Ham lb. \$1.29

FRESH
Perch Fillets lb. 89¢

(Available Thurs. thru Sat. only)

FRESH FRYER
Legs & Breasts lb. 65¢

FAME
Skinless Franks 1-lb. Pkg. 69¢

PETERS
Polish Sausage lb. 69¢

PETERS
Skinless Franks 2-lb. Pkg. \$1.29



HYGRADE ROLLED
PORK SAUSAGE lb. **39¢**

FOR A REAL BREAKFAST TREAT . . .

GLAZED, BAKED, SMOKED HAM
(Fully Cooked)

Use half or whole ham, glazing adds lustre, eye appeal, and an intriguing flavor. Criss-cross lines into fat with sharp knife. Stick whole clove into each diamond of fat. Place in a covered roasting pan with 2 cups of cider, 7-up, Gingerale, water or other liquid. Cover and bake in 350° F. oven allowing 30 min. per lb. When heated through, brush with a mixture of brown sugar and prepared mustard or sprinkling of plain sugar or honey. Return to 450° F. oven. Mixture will caramelize, enrobing ham in appetizing coating. Serve hot.

TABLERITE
Chuck Steak lb. 69¢

TABLERITE
Cube Steak lb. \$1.39

TABLERITE
Hamburger with purchase of lb. 65¢
3 lbs. or more

TABLE KING
Sliced Bacon lb. 79¢

TABLERITE BONELESS
Chuck Roast lb. 79¢

TABLERITE
Rib Steak lb. \$1.19

TABLERITE SLICED
Beef Liver lb. 59¢

TABLERITE BOSTON BUTT
Pork Roast lb. 65¢

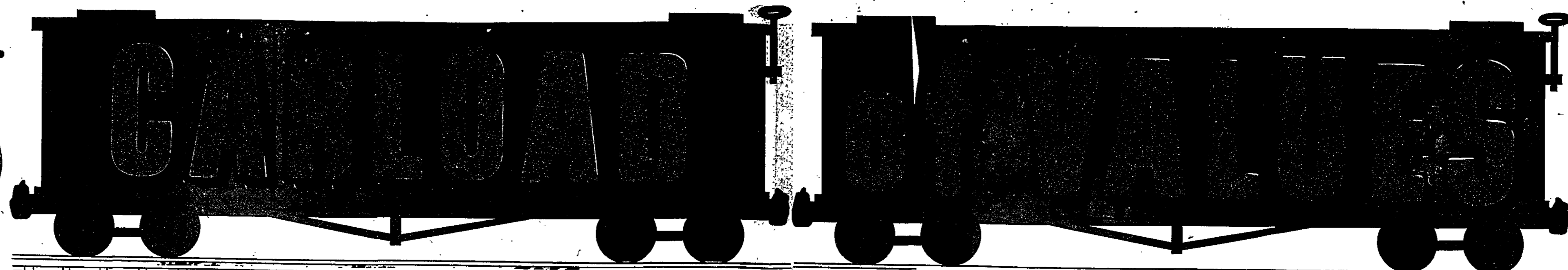
FARMER PEET'S
Ranch Style Bacon 2-lb. Pkg. \$1.49

EVERY POUND OF . . .
TABLERITE MEAT
IS A POUND OF MEAT
EATING PLEASURE



TABLERITE BUTT
**PORK
STEAK** lb.

69¢



at IGA "WINNING PRICES!"

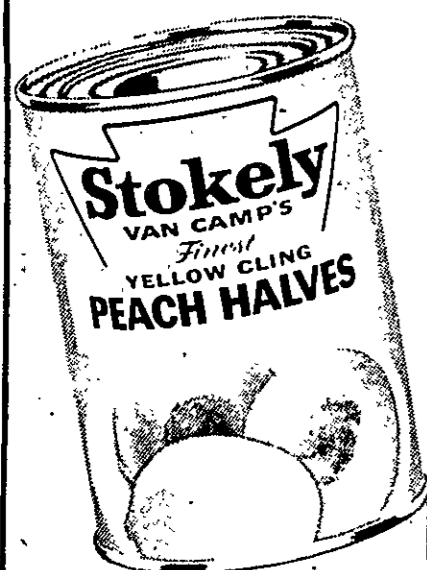
STOKELY YELLOW CLING

PEACHES

HALVES or SLICES

1-lb.
13-oz.
Can

25¢



FAME LIGHT

TUNA

CHUNK
STYLE

33¢



net 9¼-oz. Can

BEECHNUT STRAINED

BABY FOOD

13 99¢

net
4¾-oz.
Jars



BLUE RIBBON FACIAL

TISSUE 6 99¢

200-ct.
Pkg.

HALF CASE 18 PKGS. \$2.89

FULL CASE 36 PKGS. \$5.69



SAVE 20¢

ON PURCHASE OF 25-LB. BAG
Pillsbury's Best FLOUR

Good Only at IGA FOOD STORES

Coupon Effective thru Oct. 4, 1969

GOOD ONLY DURING THIS WEEK



SAVE 10¢

ON PURCHASE OF 5-LB. BAG
Pillsbury's Best FLOUR

Good Only at IGA FOOD STORES

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FAME
**TOMATO
JUICE**

1-qt.
14-oz.
Can

25¢



TABLE TREAT

**SALAD
DRESSING**

Qt.
Jar

29¢



FAME CANNED
POP

net
12-oz.
Can

8 69¢

- BLACK CHERRY
- ROOT BEER
- ORANGE
- LEMON-LIME
- COLA
- GINGER ALE
- GRAPE
- LO-CAL COLA

BUY A FULL CASE.. 24 Cans \$1.99



TABLE TREAT
**MANDARIN
ORANGES**

12 CANS 24 CANS
HALF CASE FULL CASE
net \$2.89 \$5.69

HEALTH & BEAUTY AIDS

RIGHT GUARD Anti-Persperant

DEODORANT 79¢

net
5-oz.
Can

GILLETTE SUPER

RAZOR

ADJUSTABLE \$1.39

Each

LISTERINE

COLD TABLETS

24-ct. 99¢

GILLETTE SUPER STAINLESS DOUBLE EDGE

RAZOR BLADES

10-ct. Pkg. 99¢

RAINBOW

RUG RUNNER

24" x 60" Each \$1.59

WE NOW HAVE
A COMPLETE
SELECTION
of HALLOWEEN
AND
FALL CANDIES . . .

- IGA FAME Strawberry Preserves 1-lb. 4-oz. Jar 59¢
- IGA VLASIC Sweet Butterchips 2 3-Pt. 10-oz. Jar 99¢
- IGA SUNSWEET Prune Juice Quart Bt. 49¢
- IGA STOKELY Pear Halves 2 1-lb. 10-oz. Can 89¢
- IGA MA BROWN Pickled Beets 3 1-Pint Jar 99¢
- IGA FAME Solid White Tuna net 8½-oz. Cans 33¢
- IGA MEDIUM and TODDLER Flush-A-Byes 24-ct. Pkg. 99¢
- IGA Macaroni & Cheese, Italian, Mexican Kraft Dinners 5 net 7-oz. Pkg. 99¢
- IGA SUNMAID Raisin Miniatures 6-ct. Pkg. 29¢
- IGA GARD Liquid Detergent Quart Bt. 29¢
- IGA KRAFT Caramels 2 net 14-oz. Pkg. 69¢
- IGA DOUMAK Miniature Marshmallows 3 net 10½-oz. Pkg. 49¢
- IGA NESTLES Almond, Crunch, Milk Choc. Chocolate Bars 10-ct. Pkg. 39¢
- IGA IGA SOFT COOKIES
- OATMEAL • PEANUT BUTTER • SUGAR
- BLUEBERRY • FILLED OATMEAL
- FILLED SUGAR • BUTTERCOTCH
- CHOCOLATE CHIP • BUTTERMILK
- MIXED ASSORTMENT • MOLAESSES
- SOUR CREAM • SUGAR RAISIN
- JELLY GINGER
- IGA 3 MIX OR MATCH \$1.

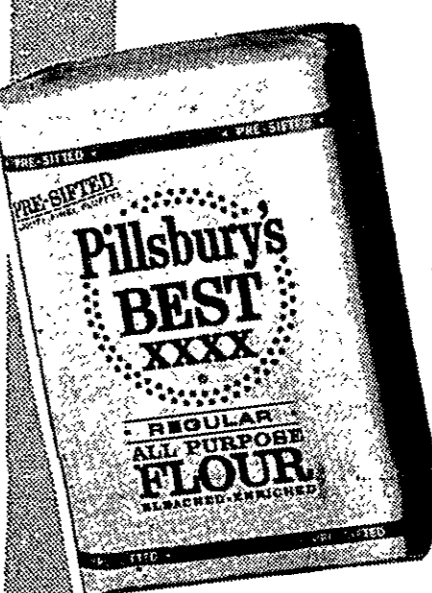


FAME TOMATO

SOUP

net
10½-oz.
Can

9¢



PILLSBURY

FLOUR

25-lb. Bag

\$1.79

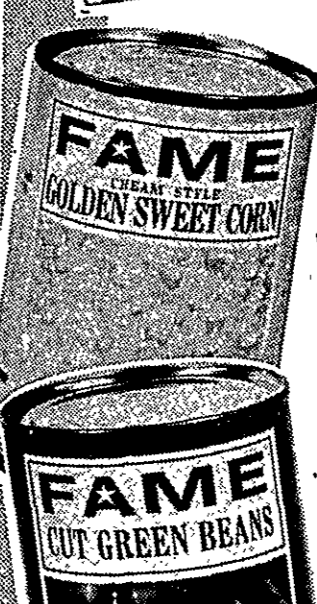
5-lb. Bag 39¢

WITH COUPON

FAME QUALITY

VEGETABLES

- CUT GREEN BEANS
- CREAM CORN
- WHOLE KERNEL CORN



7 99¢

1-lb.
Cans

HALF CASE 12 Cans \$1.69

BIG SAVINGS... FULL CASE 24 Cans \$3.29

IGA PLAIN OR SUGARED

DONUTS 49¢

24-ct. Pkg.

OVEN FRESH
JELLY ROLLS 39¢

net 12-oz. Pkg.

FAME SWEETENED
**ORANGE
JUICE**

1-Qt. 14-oz. Cans

HALF CASE 8 Cans \$2.49

FULL CASE 12 Cans \$4.89

STOKELY
**PINEAPPLE
JUICE**

1-Qt. 14-oz. Cans

12 \$3.89

CANS

TABLE KING
**APRICOT
HALVES**

1-Qt. 14-oz. Cans

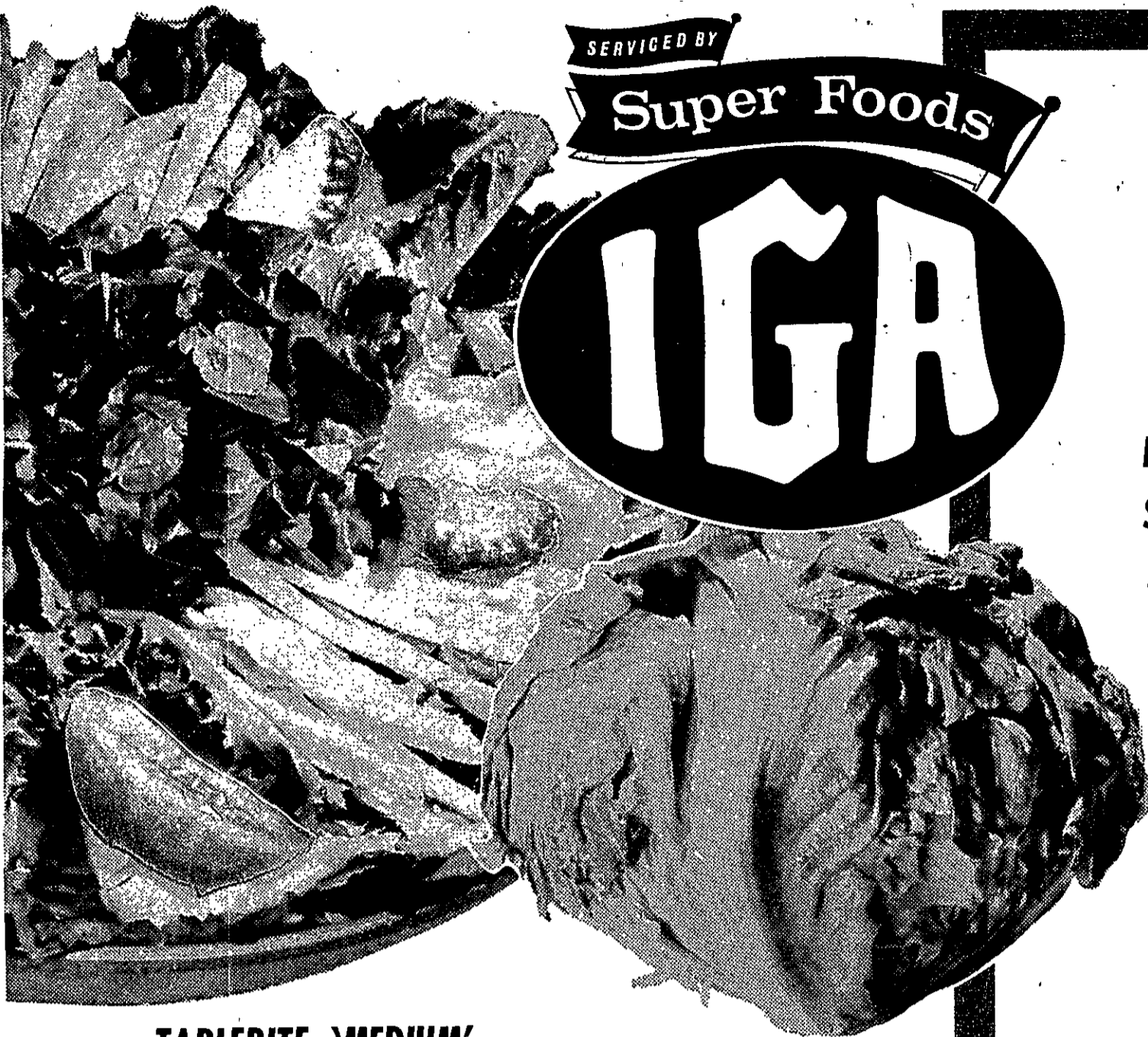
Half Case 12 Cans \$3.69

Full Case 24 Cans \$7.29

VLASIC
SAUERKRAUT

Quart Jar 29¢

Full Case 12 JARS \$3.39



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IGA

FRESH CRISP HEAD

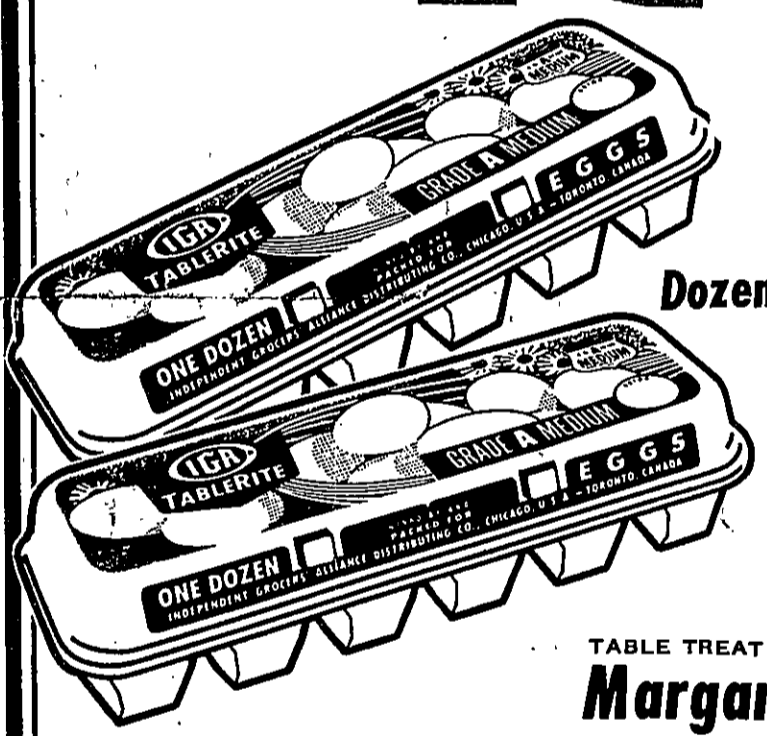
LETTUCE

ENJOY FRESH CRISP
SALAD FOR YOUR
MEALS . . .

Head **19¢**

TABLERITE 'MEDIUM'

GRADE
"A" **EGGS**



Dozen **49¢**

TABLE TREAT QUARTERS
Margarine 6 1-lb. Pkgs. **99¢**

FAME Orange Juice Half Gal. **69¢**

FAME MIDGET random weight
Longhorn Cheese Lb. **87¢**

FISHER'S MR. TOPS
Cheese Slices 1-lb. Pkg. **67¢**

DEAN'S Garlic or French Onion
Chip Dips 4 net 8-oz. Ctns. **99¢**

BORDEN'S ELSIE All Flavors Half Gal. **79¢**

BORDEN'S Fudge Bars 2 6-ct. Pkgs. **49¢**

TABLERITE HALF & HALF PINT CTN. **29¢**

FROZEN FOODS

MORTON 3-Course
DINNERS
4 VARIETIES
1-lb. 1-oz. Pkg. **59¢**

MRS. SMITH'S Lemon & Coconut Custard
Meringue Pies 2-lb. 4-oz. Pkg. **89¢**

JENO'S — 5 VARIETIES
Pizza Rolls net 6-oz. Pkg. **59¢**

TABLE KING FROZEN
Cut Corn 3 1-lb. 8-oz. Pkgs. **99¢**

WELCH'S Grape Juice net 12-oz. Can **39¢**

TABLE KING FROZEN 1-lb. 4-oz. Pkgs.
Cut Green Beans **3/99¢**

FAME SLICED Strawberries 1-lb. Pkg. **39¢**

TABLE KING FROZEN

FRENCH FRIES

4 1-lb. 8-oz. Pkgs. **99¢**

FAMILY FOOD FAVORITES

