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Band Day!

By Jim Edwards
County News Editor

ST JOHNS - Saturday is the big day for the St Johns Marching Redwing Band.



Largest frying pan in the United States will fry eggs by the dozen for Band Day.

Saturday is the Oct 5 St Johns Band Fund Day featuring a garage sale as far as the eye can see at St Johns High School, a brunch with eggs cooked on the country's largest skillet and a band show starring 7 area bands.

The activities are being sponsored to raise funds for the band's planned trip to Dallas, Texas next summer to participate in activities of the International Lions Club Convention. Approximately \$20,000 - \$25,000 is needed to finance the trip.

Mid-Michigan's largest garage sale and the brunch kick off activities at 10 am.

The garage sale, planned to occupy most of the high school parking lot will offer thousands of items donated by area residents over the past few weeks.

With all the items to be offered at the garage sale, it's going to take a lot of walking to see it all and that can work up a hunger.

Well, that's no problem.

When the garage sale starts, the eggs go on the largest skillet in the United States - a 7-foot frying pan donated for the occasion by the Egg Division of Michigan Farm Bureau. Vice-president of the division is Clyde Springer of St Johns.

For \$1.25 hungry garage sale fans and all other area residents will be served scrambled eggs, bacon chips, roll, coffee and milk.

The brunch will be served from 10 am until 1 pm and the garage sale will be from 10 until 4 pm.

But, the day's activities don't end then. At 7 pm, the Clinton County Invitational Band Show gets underway at the high school football field.

Participating bands include the St Johns Marching Redwings, St Johns 9th Grade Band, and bands from Fowler High School, Pewamo-Westphalia High School, Ovid-Elsie High School, Dansville High School and Orchard View High School.

Each band will present a regular 10-12 minute half-time show.

Ticket prices are \$1 for adults and 50 cents for children under 12.



The front of Phillip Schraub's home near Fowler was ripped off by a pick-up truck Monday night. Occupants of the home at the time of the accident escaped injuries. See story on Page 3A.

Registration hassle ends in DeWitt Twp

BY JAN L. BEADERSTADT
County News Writer

After a 5 week battle between Township Clerk Donna Syverson and Democratic candidate for supervisor, Theodore L. Powell, Powell is now a registered voter of DeWitt Twp.

Water Dept announces hydrant flushing dates

ST JOHNS - The St Johns Water Department will be flushing the fire hydrants to remove sedimentation that has developed during the summer months.

The schedule for flushing will be as follows and will be done between the hours of 10 pm and 6 am.

Oct 6 & 7 - All hydrants north of Grand Trunk Railroad.

Oct 8 & 9 - All fire hydrants east of U S -27 and south of the Grand Trunk Railroad.

Oct 10 & 13 - All fire hydrants east of Oakland Street to U S -27 and south of the Grand Trunk Railroad.

Oct 14 & 15 - All fire hydrants east of Lansing Street to Oakland Street and south of Cass Street.

Oct 16 & 17 - All fire hydrants west of Lansing Street and south of the Grand Trunk Railroad, plus the downtown area west of Oakland Street between State Street and the railroad.

Upsets highlight contest

ST JOHNS - It was a close one this week in the County News Football Contest thanks to a major college upset.

One game was eliminated because of the LSU-Rice tie and Purdue threw a curve to almost all contest entrants by upsetting Notre Dame.

Winner of the contest because of his tie-breaker was Charles Spaulding, 724 E. Park Terrace, Lansing who picked 7 of 10 correct and missed the total point score of 45 by 1. He predicted total points of 44.

Four others also had 7 correct. A total of 110 readers entered last week's contest.

The hassle occurred when Powell tried to register to vote on Aug 23, when he moved back into DeWitt Twp after he had been a resident of DeWitt for a year.

Syverson became suspicious of Powell's residency and had the Sheriff's Dept check the address of his wife, Joyce Powell who was a registered voter of the twp. The Sheriff's department reported that his address was 9 Laura Lane, but found no one at home on 4 spot checks. On the information in the report, Syverson cancelled Powell's wife's registration and refused Powell's.

Powell's residency on his drivers license is 2201 E. State Rd (King Arthur's Trailer Court) and he lives on 100 Brittany in his trailer court. Powell claims that he has lived in the court since before July 28 and the primary election of Aug 6, on which he was nominated as Democratic candidate for the office of supervisor.

Syverson was given a tour of Powell's mobile home Sept 23 in which Powell said that she looked through closets and drawers. She told him that she would register him as of Sept 23, but he refused, wanting the registration dated Aug 28. She refused.

Two days later, on Sept 25, Powell's attorney, Ron Kregel called Syverson, instructing her to register Powell as of Aug 28. She refused. After some disagreement, she suggested that they take it to court since they differed so much.

Powell's attorney advised Powell and his wife to register and accept the current date for the registration date, since no one was really hurt in the date problem. The Powells did so, registering Oct 1.

Powell was upset about the "harassment" he and his wife received. "I didn't realize that outside of the deep south a political candidate would face so much harassment by the people in office."

McNamara names chairmen for United Way Campaign

ST JOHNS - Paul E. McNamara, Clinton County 1974 Capital Area United Way Campaign chairman, has announced the appointment of volunteer division chairmen.

Industrial chairman is Dean Bosman, 403 Meadowview, St Johns, chief executive officer of Sealed Power in St Johns.

Nancy Wells, wife of attorney Richard Wells, 900 W. Baldwin, has been named professional division chairman.

Heading the government division is Willard Krebel, 4363 W. Price Rd, Clinton County register of deeds.

Area towns division chairman is Irene Zeeb, 1103 Hampshire.

Anthony A. Kuntz, 506 S. Oakland, district manager for Britannica Corp, is special gifts division chairman.

Soil Dist tabloid wins award

ST JOHNS - The Clinton Soil Conservation District was presented a plaque as a state award winner in the newspaper class of annual report at the summer meeting of Soil Conservation Districts at Houghton Lake.

The presentation was made by the Michigan Association of Soil Conservation Districts and the Cheney Limestone Company.

This award was made for the annual report published by the Clinton County News that featured the sod farm of Jerry Bower on the cover.



St Johns High School band members and director Walt Cole inspect just a few of the items to be offered in Mid-Michigan's largest garage sale Saturday at the high school parking lot. Proceeds will go toward the Marching Redwing's planned trip to the Lions International Convention in Dallas next summer. With Cole are (from left) Caren Dietrich, Larry Slagell, Barb Dilts and Mary Rosner.

Blue Star mothers dedicate veterans memorial

ST JOHNS - A 1:30 pm flag ceremony Saturday at St Johns City Park opened a 2-part tribute to Clinton County veterans by the Blue Star Mothers.

A 2d ceremony at 3 pm at the county courthouse honored all Clinton County veterans who have served in the Korean and Vietnam eras.

The 1:30 ceremony featured the donation of a US flag to be flown from the flag pole at the entrance to the park as a tribute to all veterans. Edna Eldred, president of the Blue Star Mothers, raised the flag, assisted by Nora Heibeck, patriotic instructor.

Rev Averill Carson of the St Johns Congregational Church opened ceremonies at the courthouse with the invocation.

The presentation of colors was conducted by the Blue Star Mothers, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance by all present.

The St Johns High School played the Star Spangled Banner, followed by the in-

roduction of the Blue Star Mothers chapter and explanation of the group's requirements and aims.

Edna Eldred explained the main interest of the chapter is the veterans' welfare.

The monument was then unveiled by Dorothy Welsh, 1st vice-president of the local chapter, after which the monument was presented to the veterans by Mrs Eldred.

State-wide greetings from the Blue Star Mothers state officers were given by Pat Thrush, state vice-president.

A tribute to members of service was given by Billie Pierson (Navy), Myrtle Tolle (Army), Chloe Bartholomew (Air Force), Ruth Barrett (Marines) and Grace Shipley (Coast Guard).

A Gold Star Wreath was placed by Audie Wright, Blue Star state chaplain, in tribute to the deceased veterans and their families.

Following the singing of "God Bless America" by Gordon Vandemark, an ad-

dress was given by guest speaker Eric Halverson, Michigan VFW senior vice commander.

Guest commentators were Commander Mike Zigler of St Johns VFW Post 4113; Eloise Hambleton, Post 4113 Auxiliary chaplain; Douglas Huyk, commander of Ovid Post 8964; Tom George, commander of 671 in DeWitt; Nancy George, president and Claudia Conley of DeWitt 671 Auxiliary; World War I vets of Fowler; Dale Robinson of the American Legion; Carl Light, representing the American Legion Auxiliary; Rose Randolph, state Gold Star chairman; Derrill Shinabery, chairman of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners; John Hannah, St Johns city commissioner.

Benediction was given by Rev Paul Jones of Eureka.

Refreshments for veterans and Blue Star Mothers followed at the Veterans Post Hall on US-27.



Blue Star Mothers unveil Veterans Memorial on the courthouse lawn Saturday.

Attorney to open St Johns practice

ST. JOHNS - Randy L. Tahvonen, new St. Johns attorney, will open his practice Oct. 7 at 200 W. State St.

He will occupy the former office of attorney Robert Wood who has joined Paul Maples in his practice at 210 N. Clinton. A resident of DeWitt Twp from 1966 to 1969, Tahvonen is a

1973 graduate of the Detroit College of Law.

He was graduated from Michigan State University in 1970 with a bachelor's degree in multi-divisional social science.

For the past 18 months, he has been employed by the Michigan Court of Appeals as a law clerk

to Judge Louis D. McGregor of Flint.

He received his Juris Doctor degree Cum laude from the Detroit College of Law and, while there, was awarded an alumni scholarship, Michigan Consolidated Gas Company scholarship, received his class

cup and the American Jurisprudence Book Awards for agency and corporations.

Tahvonen and his wife, Penny, have 2 sons, Eryk, 3, and Daniel, 8-months, and reside at 911 E. Cass St, St. Johns.


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RANDY L. TAHVONEN

GREEK WORD FOR IT
 The Greeks had a word for hunchmaking, phoresy. The name is applied by scientists today to parasitic organisms which attach themselves to mobile animals.

First Church of God congregation to honor pastors' 25-year ministry

ST. JOHNS - The First Church of God in St. Johns is hosting an open house honoring the Rev and Mrs W. Jeff Webb on their 25th anniversary in the ministry.

Pastor Webb graduated from Anderson College, Anderson, Ind., June, 1949. He was ordained the same month. He then moved to Madisonville, Ky., to accept the pastorate of First Church of God.

He resigned in Nov. 1963 and accepted pastorate of Irontale Church of God in Anderson, Inc. After 5 years of ministry there along with additional training at Anderson College Graduate School, he resigned in Nov. 1958 to accept the pastorate of Wilshire Church of God at Wilshire, Ohio.

He left Ohio and came to Michigan in 1963. He accepted the pastorate at Floy Church of God in Midland. This is Pastor Webb's third church in Michigan. He served 5 years at Floy, 4 1/2 years in Greenville and for the past 2 years he has been serving the St. Johns Church of God.

During the past 25 years their 3 children have grown up and



REV. JEFF WEBB

married and established homes and professions of their own.

They are Mrs. Dan (JoAnn) Burda of Port Huron, Dr. William J. Webb Jr. MD of Texas City, Texas and Mrs. John (Joyce) Okeson of Lansing.

Pastor Webb has served as past chairman of Michigan General Assembly of the Church of God for 1972 and is

presently chairman of the Board of Church Extension of the Church of God in Michigan.

The open house is a climax to a series of weekend meetings of Spiritual Renewal.

The guest speaker will be Rev. E. E. Wolfram of Anderson, Ind., who came to the US from Germany in 1914 at the age of 5.

He was raised in the Benton Harbor-St. Joseph area. He graduated with an AB degree from Anderson College and Theological Seminary.

He has traveled the world speaking in mission fields in Mexico, Africa, India and Japan.

He preached in the German language in Germany, Switzerland and Holland and served as interpreter at the 1967 World Conference in Zurich, Switzerland.

This will be his first speaking engagement after retiring as executive secretary, Church of God Board of Pensions, this past summer.

The first meeting will be on Oct. 4 at 7 pm followed by services Saturday at 7 pm and Sunday morning at 11 am.

There will be a mixed trio from The Penway Church of God of Lansing who will be in charge of the Music.

The public is cordially invited to share in the fellowship and worship with the congregation during the services.

Coming Events

OCT 1-3-8-10-15 - St. Johns Jaycees baby-sitting clinic for boys and girls 11 years and older. Basement of Methodist Church. Use the parking lot entrance.

OCT 3 - Chicken dinner, Wacoona United Methodist Church, serving at 5, 6 and 7 pm. For reservations, call Leona Phillips 626-6478. The Bazaar Table will be sponsored by the WXYZ Club.

OCT 3; annual Turkey Dinner and Bazaar. Congregational Christian Church Maple Rapids serving at 5 pm.

OCT 4 - Bingham Grange will be held at the hall on Friday evening at 8 pm. Please be present.

OCT 5 - St. Jude Parish of DeWitt extends an invitation to their Fall Dance, Oct. 5, in St. Jude's Community Center, 801 N. Bridge St, DeWitt, from 9 to 1, music provided by The Music Makers, \$5 per couple, B.Y.O.B. Snacks and set ups will be available.

OCT 7 - Clinton County Chapter of MPTA will have a dinner meeting at the L&L Restaurant at 6:30 pm. Spouses are invited. Reservations and money must be given to group chairman.

Oct 8 - County Annual Meeting - Smith Hall, 7:30 pm. Ham dinner tickets \$2.50.

OCT 10 - Chicken and Ham Smorgasbord at Lowe Church by Lowe U.M.W. Serving starts 5:30 pm. 5 and under free. Directions: 4 mi. n. of St. Johns on US 27 west on French Rd follow tarvia 4 mi to church.

OCT 12 - 5-8 pm. Pancake Supper at Pompeii 100F Hall. \$2 for adults and \$1 for children under 12.

OCT 14 - 8 pm, Fowler PTA will meet at Fowler High School.

OCT 15 - Greenbush Senior Citizens will meet at the Township Hall Tuesday, Oct 15 for a noon polluck. Mrs. Firstner of Sunfield will talk about recreation and tours for senior citizens.

Oct 24 - 4-H Leaders Recognition Banquet, 7 pm, Smith Hall.

Oct 30-Nov 1 - Annual Conference for Extension Agents.

Nov 18-19 - Income Tax School for Practitioners, Hospitality Inn, East Lansing - Repeating Dec 9 & 10.

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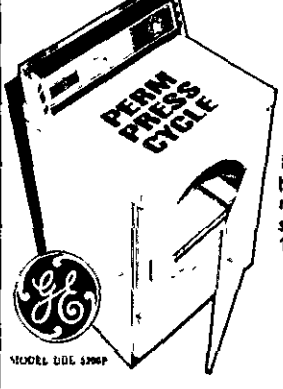


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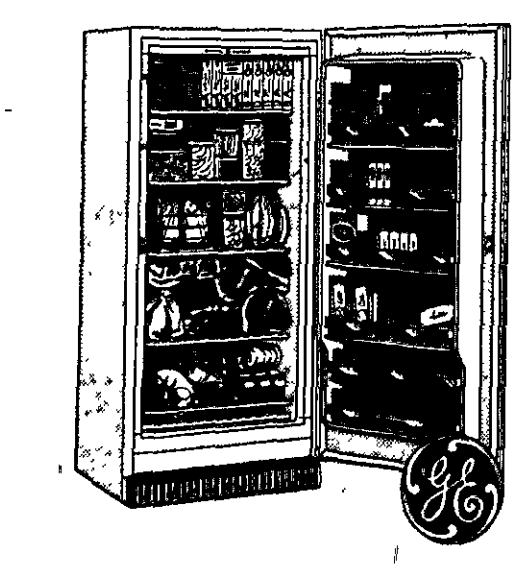
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DeWitt schedules Friday Founders Day celebration

DEWITT - Dedication of a new city limits sign will take place in DeWitt Friday Oct 4

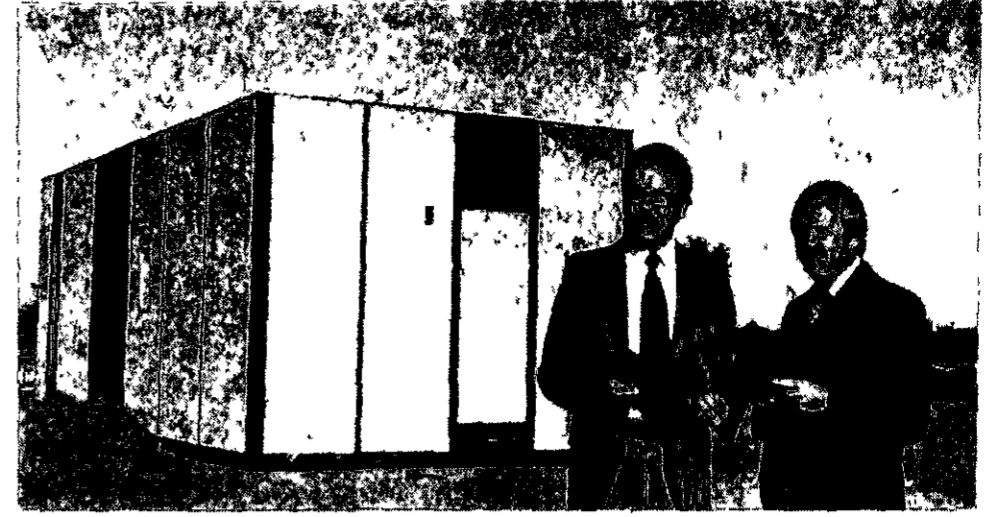
TIP TO MOTORISTS

The right-of-way in highway traffic means very little - it's the safe way that counts

as the city celebrates Founders Day.

DeWitt, which will be 141 years old Friday is the oldest settlement in the Clinton-Lansing area. DeWitt is 3 years older than Lansing and the former county seat of Clinton County.

The dedication will take place at West River Park, 6 blocks west of the traffic light at 4 pm. A large wooden sign bearing the inscription "Welcome to Historic DeWitt, founded Oct 4, 1833," is to be dedicated at the park on the corner of Howe Rd and Norris Rd. A reception will follow at 841 Andover in DeWitt.



New CNB&T branch

Officers of Clinton National Bank recently inspected the site of a new branch office being erected on south US 27 near the Wheel Restaurant. Executive Vice President Gayle Desprez, left, and President Brandon C. White, Jr. stand before a section of the unit which is slated for opening Wednesday Oct 30. Identified as Plaza 27, the new location will provide auto drive-up service as well as facilities for in-lobby pedestrian transactions.

Truck smashes house

FOWLER - A pick-up truck ripped the north wall off the home of Phillip Straub on Monday night. The accident occurred at 10:20 near Fowler on Colony Rd.

The driver, Bradley Robert Western, 18, of Colechester Drive in Grand Rapids was

traveling westbound on Colony when a deer jumped out in front of his truck. He swerved to miss the animal and lost control of his truck, skidding 500 ft before striking the north wall of the living room. Two occupants watching television in the living room at the time escaped in jury. Western received minor

injuries. The accident is still under investigation.

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Clinton County legal secretaries, hold fall meeting

The Clinton County Legal Secretaries began this fall and winter meetings with a cocktail at the home of Penny Cox Sept 26.

Following the meal, the ladies visited the Banner Antique Shop. The next meeting will be Oct 17 with Kenneth Baker, the Clinton County probation officer as the guest speaker.

All legal secretaries are invited to attend. Further notice will be given.

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Morning Musicales begins

1974-75 club season

ST. JOHNS - Members of the St. Johns Morning Musicales gathered at the home of Mrs Maurice Witteveen to begin the 1974-75 club season.

Mrs Winchell Brown, program chairman, announced the theme for the year as "A Musical Patchwork", comparing the title to a quilt in which there are light and bright spots amidst the sombre and deep rich pieces of patchwork. The guest speaker, Bryan Payne, of the music department of the St. Johns school system, outlined the music program of the elementary grades thru the high school comprising of choirs, string orchestras, and marching, concert and symphonic bands.

He stated that there are 35 students in the senior orchestra

who meet once a week in the evening not as a scheduled class in the curriculum. He also discussed the merits of introducing music theory or music history courses in the curriculum. He explained his own responsibilities as a music teacher and others, namely: Jeanne Fangbner, Algie Watkins, Donald Valentine, William Tennant, John Speck and Walter Cole in the music department of the city and rural schools. Mr Payne spoke of the desire of the music instructors to cooperate with the community in promoting music and the arts to enrich the lives of all its citizens.

The student scholarship winners of May 1974 completed the program. Donelle DeWitt

played a selection for the flute, Ballade by A. Perillou, Jeff Massey sang Air From Comus by Dr Arne and My Favorite Things from the Sound of Music, and Rosa Leonard, violinist, played a Concerto by Seitz. Mrs Howard Woodbury announced the selection of two club members to serve in positions of the Michigan Federation of Music Clubs. Hila Bross, Historian and Phyllis Rice as Student Advisor. Carolyn Rule and Rhonda Hambleton were guests of the club.

Mildred Brown, Evangeline Caudy and Diantha Witteveen served on the coffee committee. The next meeting will be Oct 10 at the home of Ora Fish, beginning at 9:45 am.



Alan Pohl, Fowler Jaycee, presents Larry Swartsoph a check from the proceeds of the Fowler Jaycee Jelly Week to be used for the Walter Kyes Trainable School. With them are Ken Hungerford, president of the Fowler Jaycees; Walter Kyes, board member of the Clinton County Intermediate School Dist since its beginning and B. Stanley Pocius, superintendent of the Intermediate Dist.

Valley Farms

DeWitt

By Mrs Julia Richards

Mrs Howard Walker will entertain the DeWitt Past Matrons Club for luncheon Friday, Oct 11, at her home. Mr and Mrs William Schaar of Mecosta were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr and Mrs Henry Wohler.

Dr and Mrs J W Cunkleman of Lansing were dinner guests last Thursday of Mr and Mrs Henry Wohler. Mr and Mrs Ken Richards were callers of their aunt, Mrs Hazel Findlay of St Johns last Tuesday.



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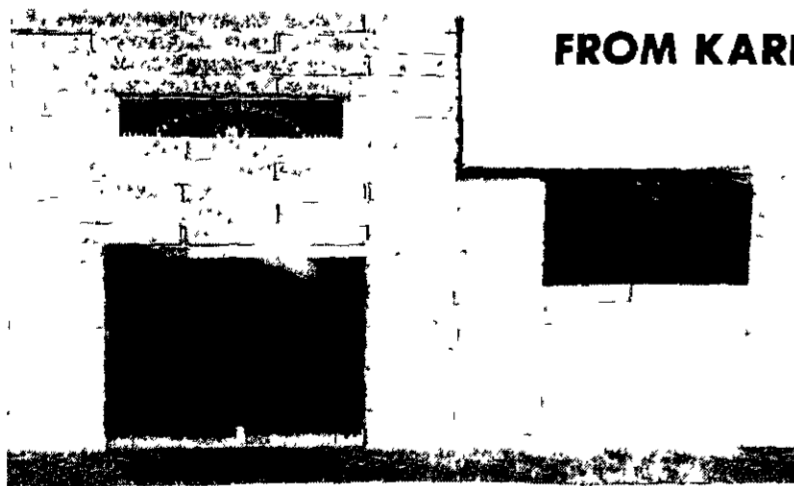
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- If you have the 6-digit number in the Jackpot Number space at the top of your ticket for that week, you are in the Jackpot Finals described below.

- Every Jackpot gold ticket gives you 11 possibilities to win.
- A new sales period will start every eight weeks.
- **Losers' Drawing** - One week after the close of each eight week period, a Losers' Drawing will be held. All Jackpot tickets for that eight week period which did not win a prize at the finals have a chance to win one of the \$1,000 prizes in the Losers' Drawing. Save all your Jackpot losing tickets for the Losers' Drawing.
- **Jackpot Finals** - Two weeks after the close of each 8 week period, the Jackpot Finals for that period will be held. Finalists will win at least \$20,000 and could win \$50,000, \$75,000 or the top prize of \$333,333 cash with an option to take \$20,000 a year for life.

Jackpot tickets on sale Oct. 1.

Clinton County News

Family and Society

Announce engagements

Ringle-Avery

On Sept 22, 1974 Rev and Mrs Richard C Ringle of 400 E. Wieland Rd, Lansing, Mich announced the betrothal of their daughter, Peggy Dear to Mr David Avery of Milan, Mich. Miss Ringle attended the DeWitt High School and is a graduate of American High School of Chicago. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Rev and Mrs Arthur Avery of Milan. He is a 1971 graduate of Milan High School. He has been an employee of the University of Michigan since graduation. A May 31, 1975 wedding is being planned.



Jumper-Rademacher

ST JOHNS - Mr and Mrs Stanley Jumper of 3388 S. Chandler Road in St Johns wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Christine Elaine Jumper to Mr Kenneth Edwin Rademacher of Parks Road in Fowler, Mich. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Clarence Rademacher of the same address.

A 1971 graduate of St Johns High School and a 1972 graduate of Lansing Community College Practical Nurse Program, the bride-elect is employed by E W Sparrow Hospital in Lansing. The prospective groom graduated from Fowler High School in 1969 and is employed at Fisher Body in Lansing. A wedding date of Dec 14 has been set.



Feldpausch-Feldpausch

FOWLER - Mr and Mrs Louis Feldpausch of Fowler wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Ellen Marie to Glen Feldpausch, son of Mr and Mrs Francis Feldpausch, also of Fowler. The prospective couple are both graduates of Fowler High School. She is employed by the

Michigan Department of Labor in Lansing and he is employed by Bee's Chevrolet-Oldsmobile in St Johns. They have selected April 11th as their wedding date.



Rewerts-Watros

ST JOHNS - Mr and Mrs Norman Rewerts of 200 E Buchanan wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Terese Ann of the same address to Mr Chris L. Watros in Germany. He is the son of Mr Dale Watros and Mrs Laura Albert of 1600 Lansing Ave, Lansing. The bride-to-be is a 1973 graduate of St Johns High School and is employed at Nick's Fruit Market. Her fiancé graduated in 1972 from Sexton High School in Lansing. He is with the US Army in Germany. A Nov 8 date is set.



Terrell-Thelen

Mr and Mrs Allan K Terrell of Bannister, announce the engagement of their daughter Deborah Eileen, to Charies Thelen, son of Mr and Mrs James Thelen of Ovid. The bride is a 1973 graduate of Ashley High School and is employed with General Telephone in Owosso. Her fiancé is a 1973 graduate of Ovid-Elsie High School and is employed with Motor Wheel Corporation in Lansing. A Nov 9 wedding is being planned by the couple.

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Hoffman-Clark

FOWLER - William and Maxine Hoffman of 11531 W Second Street in Fowler wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Brenda Joyce Hoffman to Mr Ward Ferris Clark of 200 Lathrop in Lansing. He is the son of Donald and Lera Clark of 247 Cambridge in Diamondale. A 1973 graduate of Fowler High School, the bride-elect is employed by the Michigan Department of Mental Health. Her fiancé is a 1965 graduate of Mason High School, and has attended Lansing Community College and Michigan State University. He is also employed for the Michigan Department of Mental Health and served in the US Air Force. They have set January 18 as their wedding date.

BIRTHS

A boy, Jason Allen, was born to Mr and Mrs Robert Loar of Manchester, Iowa Sept 7 at Manchester Hospital. He weighed 6 lbs 10 ozs. The baby has 1 sister. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Marion Loar of Ohio and Mr and Mrs Emery Havens of St Johns. The mother is the former Gloria De Geer.

A boy, Craig Allen, was born to Mr and Mrs LaVerne Cogswell of Lansing, Sept 6 at Lansing General Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs 9 1/2 ozs. The baby has 1 brother. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Halbert Cogswell of Holt and Mr and Mrs Jack Myers of Fowler. The mother is the former Monica Myers.

A boy, Timothy John, was born to Mr and Mrs Leonard W Schmidfranz Jr of R#4 Owosso, Sept 24 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs 15 1/2 ozs. The baby has 4 sisters and 2 brothers. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Michael Chunko of Howell and Mr Leonard Schmidfranz Sr of Owosso. The mother is the former Virginia Chunko.

A girl, AmyJo Marie, was born to Mr and Mrs Richard Taylor of Eureka, Sept 28 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6 lbs 10 ozs. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Jack Brown of St Johns and Mr and Mrs Richard Taylor of Perrinton. The mother is the former Jeri Brown.

A girl, Angela Susan, was born to Mr and Mrs Brad Fedewa of R#2, Portland, Aug 30 at St Lawrence Hospital. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Edwin Schueller, Westphalia and Mr and Mrs Vernon Fedewa, Portland. The mother is the former Karen Schueller.

Marriage-Ritter

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Marriage of 234 Clinton St, Ovid wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Devona Jean to Michael Lee Ritter, son of Mr and Mrs James Ritter of St Johns. An Oct 25th wedding is being planned.

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OCTOBER 9, 1974
7:30 P.M.
Office of Superintendent of Schools
501 W. Sickles St.
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Copies of Proposed Budget May Be Obtained at the Superintendent's Office
FRED G. MEYER, Secretary
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THE NEW DRIVE-IN FACILITY
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DeSander & Lamerson

Wed



MR & MRS JOHN W LAMERSON

Nettie M. DeSander of Lansing and John W. Lamerson of New Port News, Virginia, were united in marriage in a double wedding ring ceremony at St. Therese Church Sept 7. Father M. Delany of St. Therese Parish officiated and Father J. Jensen of St. Paul Episcopal Church in Greenville assisted. Attendance for the bride were Kay Chapman of Tecumseh, maid of honor, Mary Ellen Bender, sister of the bride, Teresa DeSander, sister-in-law of the bride and Debbie Cowles of Greenville. The groom's attendants were Stanley U. Perry, Emiel E. DeSander, brother of the bride, William Halterman and Gary Hatlerman of Muskegon, cousins of the groom. Flower girl was Lori Steavens and ring bearer was William Halterman Jr. Special guitar and soloist was the brother-in-law of the bride,

Harold Bender of North Aurora, Illinois. Ushers were Harold L. Kendall, cousin of the bride and Larry Lamerson, brother of the groom.

Nettie DeSander is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emiel DeSander, 3746 Turner St., Lansing and John Lamerson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lamerson, 218 Weber St., Greenville Mich.

Very special honored guest was Mrs. Dorothy Johnson of Manistee, grandmother of the groom, other very special guests honored as grandparents of the bride were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wohler of Lansing.

There was a large reception at King Arthur Court Club House.

The couple will make their home in New Port News, Virginia where the groom is stationed in the Navy.



MR & MRS ABNER TURNER

50th anniversary

DEWITT TWP - Mr and Mrs Abner Turner celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception held Sunday, Sept. 22, at the King Arthur's Court Clubhouse in Lansing.

Mrs. Turner, the former Marian Neighser and Mr. Turner were married Sept. 24, 1924 in St. Marys Church, Rockwood, Mich.

The couple have resided in Lansing since 1970, prior to that, they had been residents of Detroit for 36 years. Following their marriage, they lived in Carleton. They have one son, William.



MR & MRS DENNIS DUANE PARKER

Barclay-Parker United

Susan Esther Barclay became the wife of Dennis Duane Parker July 12 at the St. Joseph's Catholic Church. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Father William Hanker. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Adelbert Pong of 115 Floral Ave and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon B. Parker of 707 Church St.

Blue and white mums decorated the altar. Soloist was Janet Davis while the organ was played by Jackie Schneider and John Worsler played the guitar.

The bride, given by her step-father, Adelbert Pong, wore a candlelight color gown of polyester chiffon. The daisy edge train swept to chapel length. Full Victorian sleeves showed a wide cuff of moonlight lace, which also adorned the bodice and daisy lace, outlining the crescent waist, bodice and high neckline.

She wore a elbow-length veil made of an imported French illusion. The camelot headpiece was covered in a complementing lace. Livestones sparkled radiantly atop the headpiece.

Susan carried a bouquet of white daisies with a single yellow rose for the presentation to the blessed mother.

Rebecca Bond of 210 Oakland served as the maid of honor. The sister of the bride, Sandy Barclay, Carol Parker, sister of the groom and Beth Henning served as bridesmaids while Barbara Parker, sister of the groom served as junior bridesmaid. The bride's cousin, Deanna Pong served as flower girl.

The girls wore dresses of blue polyester chiffon over light blue chiffon. Ivory lace encompassed the V-neck line, shoulders and down the back. A

ruffle circled the bottom of the dresses and a blue satin ribbon accented the empire waist. A small daisy bouquet was worn at the crown with satin streamers. They each carried bouquets of off white daisy mums and blue pom poms.

The bride's mother wore a aqua blue polyester chiffon dress with an empire waist with embroidered bodice. The mother of the groom wore a pale orange polyester chiffon outfit with an empire waist, a white crisscross patterned skirt and embroidered bodice.

The groom's brother, Dick Parker was the best man. Groomsman were Mike Sutherland, Rick Longoria, and Leon Parker. Junior groomsman was Chad Thompson and the ring bearer was Todd Hufnagel. Ushers were Dan Molnke and Leon Stanley.

The reception followed at 8 pm at St. Joseph's gym. Punch was served by Mary Rowell while the cake was served by Helen Thompson. Gertrude Bast and Mary Jean Kerr Dinner was served by Mary Cornwell and family. Others helping were Mary Zuker, Debby Wieber and Ramona Hubbard with the gifts and Gina Mazzolini attended the guest-book.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gonzales and Steven, grandmothers of the bride, Mrs. Joseph Pong and Mrs. Russell Stanley, great-grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Edith Fineout and the grandparents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon R. Parker and Mrs. Dolores Hufnagel.

The bride and groom are both graduates of St. Johns High School, 1974 and 1973 respectively. After a trip to Beaver Island, they will reside at E. Mead Rd in St. Johns.



MR & MRS LEONARD J SMITH

Anniversary

PEWAMO - Mr and Mrs Leonard J. Smith were the honored guests at the silver anniversary party Sept. 14. The event was hosted by their children, Mr and Mrs Michael

Smith and Mr and Mrs Gerald Vergeson. Mr and Mrs Smith were married 25 years ago in Pewamo and have lived there all their lives. Their anniversary was Sept. 10.



MR & MRS ELMER B SWAGART

55th anniversary

ST. JOHNS - In honor of Mr and Mrs Elmer B. Swagart on their 55th wedding anniversary, their children, Mr and Mrs Donald Swagart, Mr and Mrs Ronald Beemer and Mr and Mrs Robert Rice in vite friends and relatives to an open house this Sunday afternoon, Oct. 6 from 3 to 5 pm at the home of Robert Rice, 3072 W. Townsend Rd., St. Johns. The couple request no gifts.

St Joseph Altar Society

announces card party, style show

ST. JOHNS - St. Joseph's Altar Society Annual Card Party and Style Show will be Thursday, Oct. 17 at 8 pm in the St. Joe gymnasium.

Cost of the evening is \$1.25 and includes a smorgasbord, dessert and salad table.

Tickets may be purchased in advance at Carol Ann Shop, Julie K. MacKinnon's, Lambert's or Rehmann's and may also be purchased at the door.

A door prize drawing will be held.

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Dr. Billy Martin to speak at Grove Bible Church

Dr. Billy S. Martin, evangelist of Winston-Salem, North Carolina will speak at Grove Bible Church, Shepardsville and Price Roads October 6-11 at 7:30 nightly.

Dr. Martin brings to the pulpit a background of experience gained as pastor, evangelist and college professor.

His evangelistic work has taken him throughout the eastern United States and Canada. Presently, he is pastor of the Urban Street Baptist Church in Winston-Salem, where he has conducted over 35 evangelistic campaigns in the various Baptist churches.

A busy ministry has enabled him to average preaching once a day for the last 19 years.

His educational background includes work at Elon College, a degree from Piedmont Bible College, and 2 degrees from Bob Jones University. His Doctor of Divinity degree was awarded by the latter institution.

The public is invited.

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P-W maintains perfect record with 3-0 overtime victory

DeWitt's hopes to hand Pewamo-Westphalia their 1st football defeat of the season ended in overtime Friday night when the P-W Pirates defeated the Panthers 3-0 with a field goal after regulation play.

Both teams fought to a scoreless deadlock and time ran out.

DeWitt got first possession in overtime, but failed to score. Then, Pewamo-Westphalia took the ball and got it to the 3-yard line and called on Dan Lenneman.

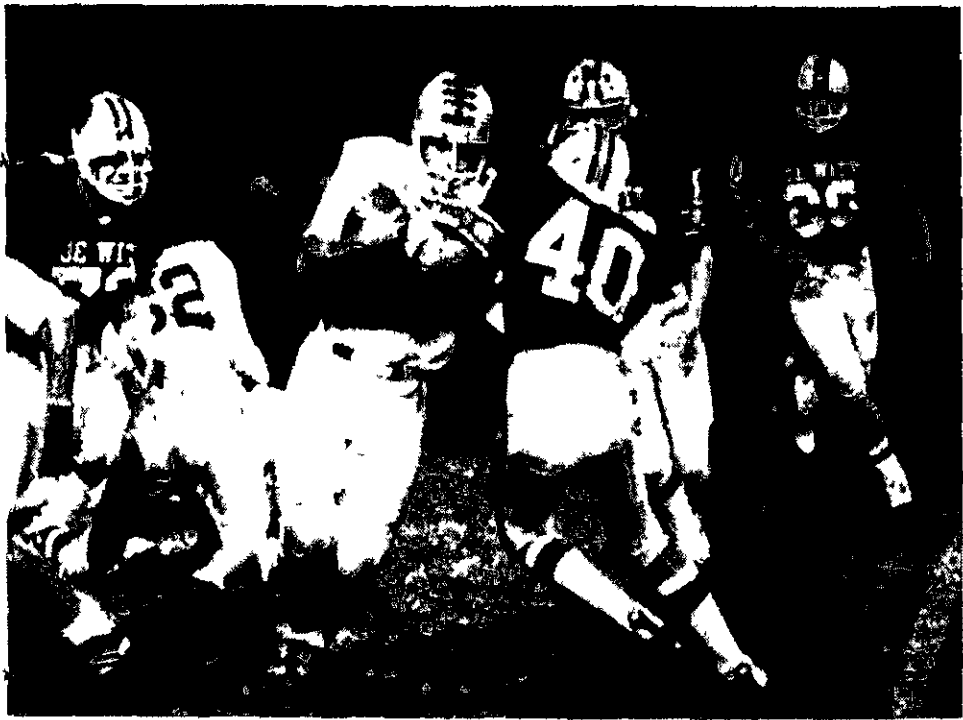
The snap came, the ball was spotted and Lenneman booted it over the crossbar for the 3-0 victory and a 3-0 season for the Pirates.

Another Pirate kicker, Dan May helped the P-W cause with powerful punts to keep DeWitt out of scoring range during regulation play.

The Pirates are now tied with Fowler and Fulton for 1st place in the CMAC, all with 3-0 record.

DeWitt is now 1-2 for the season, losing the week before to Portland St Pats.

Pewamo-Westphalia travels to Portland St Patrick's Friday. St Pats fell to Webberville last Friday 20-14, the first team to lose to the Spartans in 16 games



DeWitt and P-W battle it out in a defense contest Friday, won by P-W in overtime 3-0.



A P-W runner gets loose, but no runners get past the goal line.

Punt, Pass, and Kick winners

GROUP	WINNERS	TOTAL SCORE
8	1 Mike Green	148
	2 Billy Kobagen	112
	3 Bob Wohlfiert	111
9	1 Mitch Kinlugh	161
	2 Chris Parsons	144
	3 Steve Jakus	133
10	1 Jeff Casler	202 1/2
	2 Scott Little	159 1/2
	3 Darryl Thelen	158
11	1 Gary Blasen	204
	2 Sam Williams	189
	3 Richard Kingsley	184
12	1 Calvin Rice	243
	2 Tim Hafner	232
	3 Brian Barrett	220
13	1 Timothy Thelen	271
	2 Mark Schrauben	245 1/2
	3 Tim Bates	241 1/2



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Marauders fall to Bullock Creek 14-0

MIDLAND - Bullock Creek's Duane Wyse and the Lancer defense combined to frustrate Ovid-Elsie all night and the Marauders came home with a 14-0 defeat.

Wyse carried the ball 33 times and ground out 133 yards against the Marauders.

The Marauders couldn't crack the Bullock Creek defense and finished the game with only 118 total yards. They rushed for 76 yards and Perry Munson was 3-for-10 in the air for another 42 yards.

Bullock Creek's offense controlled the ball, running 78 plays, while Ovid-Elsie ran only 48 plays.

In the 2d quarter, the Marauders had the ball for only 3 plays. Of the 76 Marauder rushing yards, 52 came from Paul Case, who carried the ball 13 times.

Dean Hebbler led the defense with 18 tackles and Dennis Cross added 12.

The Marauders had a tough game coming Friday when they

take on Corunna in an away game

Corunna upset 6th ranked Class B Big Rapids Friday 3-0.

The Marauders are also battling an injury bug.

In freshman action, Ovid-Elsie fought Bullock Creek to a 14-14 tie.

The junior varsity won their game 8-6.

and 9th to notch their 16th victory over competitors without a loss.

Mark Hansen took first place,

followed by Alward 2d, Clark 3d, Tarrant 4th, Brian Studdard 6th, Dave Hansen 7th and Jim LeClear 9th

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CALL TO CITIZENS

On Saturday October the Fifth, 1974 at 10:30 in the Morning the Historical Society of Greater Lansing will hold a DEDICATION of a MARKER to honor JOSHUA SIMMONS, Continental Soldier in the American War for INDEPENDENCE.

Ceremonies will be at the North Eagle Cemetery 2 & 1/2 miles north of the Towne of Eagle on GRANGE Rd. The Principle Speaker will be the Hon. James Brickley, Lt. Gov. of the State of Michigan



Bath Cross Country undefeated

HASLETT - Bath cross-country runners took 7 places against 161 runners to win the Haslett Invitational Saturday, competing against schools in B, C and D classes

Mark Hansen was the top finisher for Bath, finishing the course in 6th place

Rick Alward was 11th, Chris Clark 20th, Darrell Tarrant 23d and Dave Hansen 33d.

In a quadrangular meet Tuesday at Pinkney, Bath runners finished the long, hilly course 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 6th, 7th

and 9th to notch their 16th victory over competitors without a loss.

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MMC girls cage champs open season

The Ovid-Elsie Marauderettes opened their league cage season Monday night by traveling to Ashley for a non-conference game.

The action started slowly and stayed close all the way with, coach Mary Nutter's cagers leading 8-6 at the end of the 1st quarter.

Ashley came close in the 2d quarter 17-16 with Ovid Elsie starting guards Brenda Cox and Jayme Bowles in foul trouble Ashley still battled all the way, but O-E went ahead again 23-19 for the victory.

High scorers for O-E were Brenda Cox with 10 and Jayme Kibby with 6.

For Ashley, Carlene LaClair led with 10 and Laine White scored 9.

Ashley junior varsity cagers won 22-16.



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R. Alan Moore receives FFA's highest degree

R. Alan Moore of Bannister has been nominated to receive the American Farmer Degree, highest degree presented by the National FFA Organization. Moore was nominated for the degree by the Michigan FFA Association.

The nomination was approved at a recent meeting of the National FFA Board of Directors in Washington, D.C. One of 642 FFA members nominated for the American Farmer Degree Moore will receive the degree in a special ceremony on Thursday, Oct. 17, pending a final vote of approval of 116 student delegates who represent FFA members in Convention business sessions.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Moore of Elsie and is currently farming in partnership with his father and brother, Cater.

He earned the American Farmer Degree on the basis of supervised farming program and leadership activities while at Ovid-Elsie High School.

Moore's high school vocational agriculture instructors and FFA advisors at Ovid-Elsie were Albert Ackley and Joe Schultz. Present advisor and vocational agriculture instructor is John Mater.

The American Farmer Degree is a highly coveted award because it is presented to approximately one member in 1500 of the 465,180 total FFA membership. It is presented only by the National FFA Organization to members who have demonstrated exceptional agricultural and leadership ability.

Each American Farmer Degree recipient will be presented a gold key and certificate by the National FFA Organization. Recipients who attend the convention will also be presented a check from the National FFA Foundation to help pay their travel expenses.

To qualify for the American Farmer Degree FFA members must have advanced through a system of degrees unique to the FFA organizations.



members begin as Greenhands and after one year of membership may be advanced by the local chapter to the degree of "Chapter Farmer". The third degree, that of "State Farmer," is presented by the State FFA Association and is presented to two percent of the State's FFA membership in any one year. Only students who have earned the State Farmer Degree are eligible for the American Farmer Degree.

Ovid-Elsie Area News

Ovid-Elsie holds breakfast "rap" between students, administration

During a recent meeting of the Ovid-Elsie Area School Board, superintendent Donald Kenney told the board of a unique approach to open communication lines with the students.

Kenney said he and Blaine Lentz, high school principal, scheduled a breakfast last Thursday with 6 high school students.

He explained the breakfast, actually a snack of coffee, juice, milk, cookies etc, was initiated to show the students the administration of the school is "human" and that the feelings of the students would not go unheard.

Kenney reported, following the breakfast, that he was

pleased with the results of the first meeting with the students. The next breakfast will be held Oct. 31 at 8 a.m.

Student participants in the first breakfast were chosen by

turn, will choose the next 6 and so on throughout the year.

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In other business, the board accepted a low bid from the

LAND TITLE UNCLEAR Kenney also reported to the board of his continuing search to see if the school district owns the land on which Carland School is located.

The school district owns the land south and west of the building, but the title to the school land is unclear.

O-E Student Council offers reward for vandal identity

They are offering a \$100 reward for information leading to the identity of the vandals. The incident occurred the night of Sept. 21.

Two windows in the front of Ovid-Elsie High School were broken during a recent weekend and the High School Student Council would like to know who did it.

the administration. However, those 6 students will choose the next 6 to participate. They, in

Carter-Melvin Insurance Agency for fleet insurance for the 1974-75 school year

Clinton County Area Obituaries

Mrs. Dora M. Lowrey

Funeral services for Mrs. Dora M. Lowrey, 87, of 228 E. Pine St., were held Friday at the Carter Funeral Home with the Rev. Elmer Cousemer and the Rev. David Litchfield officiating. Burial was made in Riverside Cemetery.

Mrs. Lowrey passed away Tuesday, Sept. 3, at the Ovid Convalescent Manor, after having been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Lowrey was born in Elsie on July 16, 1887, the daughter of Thomas and Mary Nooney. She had resided all of her life in Elsie and was married there in March 1905 to George Lowrey. A housewife, she was a member of the Ovid Free Methodist Church.

Surviving are: two sons, Eugene Lowrey of Scottsdale, Ariz., Paul Lowrey of Midland; 9 grandchildren, and 15 great grandchildren.

Grover C. Roof

ST. JOHNS -- Grover C. (Bud) Roof of 401 E. High in St. Johns died Monday after a short illness at Clinton Memorial Hospital in St. Johns. Services are being held today, Oct. 3, at the Osgood Funeral Home at 1:30 with the Rev. Averill Carson officiating and the interment will be made at the North Star Cemetery. He was 90.

Born March 31, 1884 to William and Anna Roof in Ohio, he spent the last 30 years in St. Johns. He was married to the former Jennie Hutchinson. She died in 1973.

Roof's life work was on the Grand Trunk Railroad as Station Agent. He was a member of the First Congregational Church in St. Johns and was a member of the Masons in Flint.

He is survived by several nieces and nephews.

Theresa C. Fox

ST. JOHNS -- Theresa C. Fox, 83, of R # 6, St. Johns died Saturday at the Shiawassee County Medical Care Facility after a long illness. Funeral services were held at the St. Joseph Catholic Church in St. Johns and the rosary was held Monday at the Osgood Funeral Home. She was buried at the Mt. Rest Cemetery.

Born to Frank and Louise Wacker on June 25, 1891, she

had been a resident of Clinton County all of her life. She married William Fox on May 24, 1916 and was a member of the St. Joseph Catholic Church in St. Johns. William Fox died in 1972.

She is survived by 1 brother, Mr. Alfred Wacker of St. Johns; 3 sisters, Mrs. Olivia Andrews, Miss Mathilda Wacker and Miss Dorothy Wacker, all of St. Johns; 2 sons, Robert and Bernard of St. Johns and 3 daughters, Mrs. Virginia Eiseler of Owosso, Mrs. Margaret Brya of St. Johns and Mrs. Agnes Arthur of Lansingburg. Nineteen grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren survive her.

Ethel Crane

Private services for Ethel Crane, 83, were held in Minneapolis, Minn., Monday Sept. 30. A memorial service was held at the First Congregational Church of Excelsior, Minn.

Mrs. Crane was the daughter of the late Judge and Mrs. Kelly Searl of St. Johns. Before her marriage she taught in the local schools.

She is survived by two sons, John of Minnetonka, Minn. and Robert of Columbus, Ohio; 5 grandchildren and one great-grandchild, a brother William C. Searl of Holmes Beach, Fla., and a sister, Mrs. Hazel Allaby of St. Johns. Her husband, Dr. Emory Crane, preceded her in death.

Charles E. Fedewa

FOWLER -- Charles Edward Fedewa, 78, of Jones Rd. in Fowler died Sunday at Ionia Manor. Services were held last Tuesday at St. Mary's Church in Westphalia with the Rev. Father James Schmitt officiating. Interment was at the St. Mary's Cemetery.

Born in Westphalia Feb. 5, 1896 to Stephen and Rose Fedewa, he spent most of his life in Westphalia. He was married to Theresa Bohr and was a member of St. Mary's Church and the Holy Name Society. His life work was farming.

He is survived by his wife; 2 daughters, Mrs. Mary Rose Pohl and Mrs. Gertrude Sunday, both of Portland; 1 sister, Mrs. Dora Klein; 14 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

Frank Smith

WESTPHALIA -- Frank Smith, 64, of Chestnut St. in

Westphalia died Sept. 25 at his home after a long illness. Services were held Friday at the St. Mary's Church with the Rev. Father James Schmitt officiating. Interment was the St. Mary's Cemetery.

Born July 11, 1910 to John and Ida Smith in Westphalia, he resided in Westphalia most of his life. He married Gertrude Schrauben and was a member of the St. Mary's Church. He was a farmer and retired from the State Health Dept.

He is survived by his wife, 4 sons, Alvin and Stanley of Westphalia, Ronald of Royal Oak and Peter of Portland, 3 daughters, Mrs. Mary Ann Schneider of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Alice Hafner of Grand Ledge and Ruth Ann Smith at home in Westphalia. Two of his sons, Donald and Robert, preceded him in death. Others surviving are his mother, 1 brother, Melvin Smith of Westphalia; 7 sisters, Mrs. Catherine Thelen, Mrs. Rita Thelen, Mrs. Laurina Thelen, all of Westphalia, Mrs. Pauline Feldpausch, Mrs. Rosaline Feldpausch and Mrs. Agnes Schmosich of Fowler and Mrs. Adeline Feldpausch of St. Johns. Twelve grandchildren also survive him. Funeral arrangements were made by the Neller Funeral Home in Portland.

Glenn N. Boice

Funeral services were held for Glenn N. Boice, 75, of 1360 W. Webb Road, DeWitt on Monday, Sept. 30 at the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie with the Rev. Mrs. Meriam DeMint of Bannister officiating and interment in Mt. Rest Cemetery, St. Johns. Masonic services were conducted Sunday evening for Mr. Boice, who is a life member of Elsie F & AM Lodge #238.

Mr. Boice has been in ill health the past year and passed away in St. Lawrence Hospital in Lansing, Friday night, Sept. 27.

He was born in Duplain Township, Clinton County June 25, 1899, the son of Elmer and Myra Boice. He resided most of his life in the Elsie area until moving to DeWitt in 1957.

Mr. Boice was married in Ovid to Eleanor Hutchinson on Dec. 26, 1925. He was a retired farmer.

Surviving are: his wife, Eleanor; two daughters, Mrs. Marvin (Carol) Witt of DeWitt and Mrs. Robert (Alice) Dunigan of Eagle; and three grandchildren.

Mary C. Burnes

OVID -- Mary C. Burnes of 104 E. Clinton St., Ovid died Friday at the Memorial Hospital in Owosso at the age of 84. Services were held Monday at the Holy Family Catholic Church in Ovid with Father Joseph Aubin officiating and interment made at the Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Lansingburg. The rosary was held the Sunday before at the Houghton Chapel of Osgood Funeral Homes, Inc. at Ovid.

Born August 15, 1890 in Shiawassee County to James and Mary Sieno, she came to Ovid 39 years ago from Lansingburg. She married Leo James Byrnes Feb. 9, 1909 in Lansingburg. He died in 1964. She was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church and Altar Society.

She is survived by 4 daughters, Mrs. Margaret Coe, Mrs. Nellie Miller, both of Ovid, Mrs. Anna Hurst of Lansingburg and Mrs. Donna Zalesak of Owosso, 4 sons, Floyd, Bernard and Larry of Ovid and David Fogerty of Elsie; 1 brother, Albert Sieno of Owosso; 26 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

James D. Sees

DEWITT -- James D. Sees of 6153 W. Howe Rd. in DeWitt died Monday, Sept. 30 in Greenfield, Tennessee at the age of 48. Funeral services will be held Friday Oct. 4 at the Rummell Funeral Home at 2 p.m. The Rev. Jerry Cole will be officiating and interment will be at Deepdale Cemetery in Lansing.

He was born Aug. 8, 1926 in Greenville, Tennessee to James W. and Frances Sees. He married Helen V. McDermott in Dresden, Tennessee April 3, 1945. He came to DeWitt in 1961.

He is survived by his wife, Helen, 3 sons, James and Bobby of Lansing and Dale of DeWitt; 1 daughter, Patricia Earls of Lansing; 1 brother, Otis of Jackson, Tennessee; his mother Mrs. Frances McLain of Greenville, Tenn. and 4 grandchildren.



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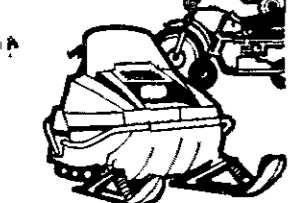
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Jim's Column

Are you getting help from Extension

Jim Pelham
Clinton County Extension Director

Last week I briefly discussed the history and philosophy of the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service. This week, I would like to visit with you about what extension does and what is available to you at the office located at 1003 South Oakland, just south of the hospital in St. Johns.

In the briefest way, I would like to say extension offers information and education on a great many things. I can't go so far as to say that we can, or want to offer information on everything, but you would surely be surprised at the wide variety of questions fielded. For example, in recent weeks questions were answered on Clinton County's elevation; sick trees, falling lawns, bats in attics, ants in cupboards and cash appraisal of growing crops. Clinton County has agents with special training and experience in agriculture, home economics and 4-H Youth work. To keep up with changes and to equip them to help people meet an ever increasing number of educational needs each agent averages a total of more than a month a year in intensive in-service training. Still many questions arise that are too complicated for the agents to

answer or to find answers thru normal study channels. That's where the University based specialists help out. They are as close to your agents as the telephone and often visit the county to help solve special problems.

Many of you know I was out of extension work between 1961 and 1971. One of my colleagues asked, "What is the biggest change that occurred during this interim?" The answer was quite easy: "We answer fewer easy questions than before."

American Farmers are much better educated and informed than in anytime in the past and are better informed than their counterparts in most other countries. Farmers are the group with which I work most, but I think this is generally true with all of the people with whom extension is working including homemakers, homeowners, managers in all fields, public officials and must certainly our 4-H youth.

WHAT'S HAPPENING
As indicated, our program in Clinton County has been more traditional than some, but lets look at some things that have happened this year or are happening right now that are quite exciting to us.

Our 4-H youth program under the direction of John Aylsworth and with the assistance of Marilyn Rice now has far more non-farm than farm kids enrolled. In addition to the

many traditional areas of agriculture, homemaking electrical, handicraft, etc. Many 4-H'ers in Clinton County has become involved in "Challenge" a wilderness

survival program. Bicycle, snowmobile and gun safety programs are also popular. The kids have recycled tons and tons of glass and have a great exchange program underway that sent a busload of them to North Carolina this year and brought visitors from Japan to Clinton County homes this summer.

Chloe Padgett, our home economist has done great in helping migrant children and adults visit to Michigan a pleasurable one rather than just the drudgery of field work to earn a living. She organized and helped teach handicraft and

sewing and introduced them to American food dishes. In return, she gained a great deal of satisfaction when they invited her and her husband to their camp for dinner and a social evening and introduced her to Spanish-American dishes. She is currently getting increasingly involved with Clinton's senior citizen program.

Agricultural Agent, Bill Lasher took time out from his more routine duties to organize and sponsor a summer enrichment program for pre-4-H age children in Ovid. He saw it as

fulfilling a special need previously unmet and great for the kids.

MANAGER'S WORKSHOP
On Oct 16 and 17 extension will be sponsoring a workshop for managers of business and industry in the area. Costs have been kept well with anyone's means and the course work is of

a general nature so it will be of value to anyone in a management role, regardless of the specific nature of responsibilities.

Next week we will conclude this series with a summary of free materials available at the Extension Office and how extension is organized and financed.

Valley Farms

DeWitt Chapter #30 OES will hold their annual meeting Thursday, Oct 3, at 7:30 pm

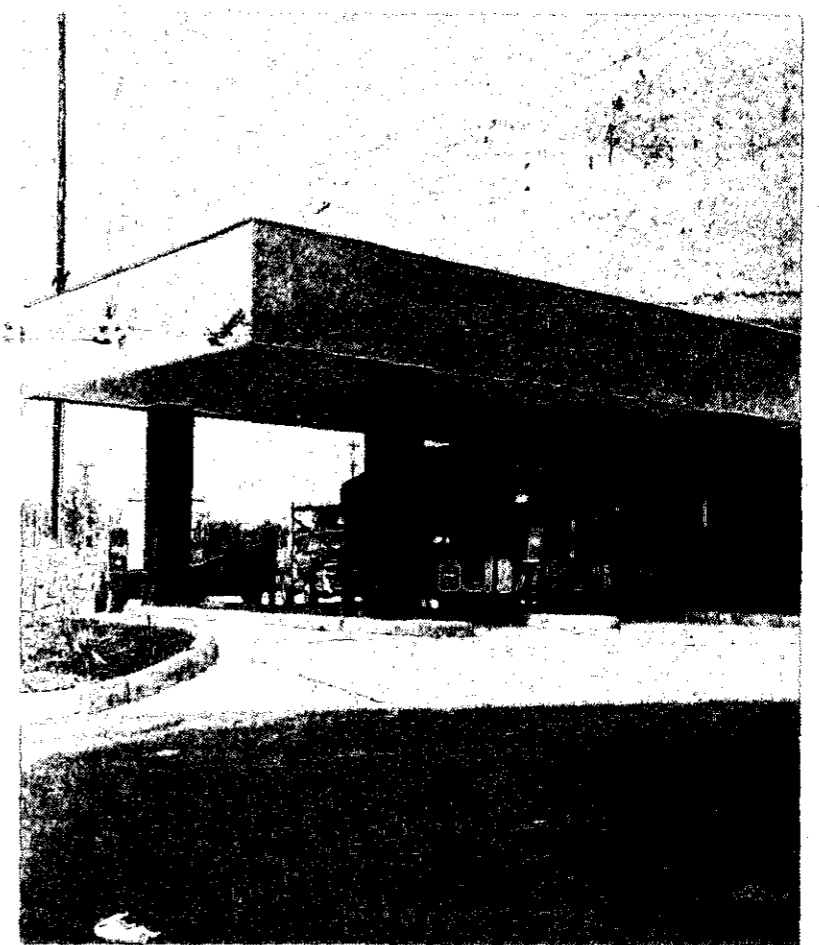
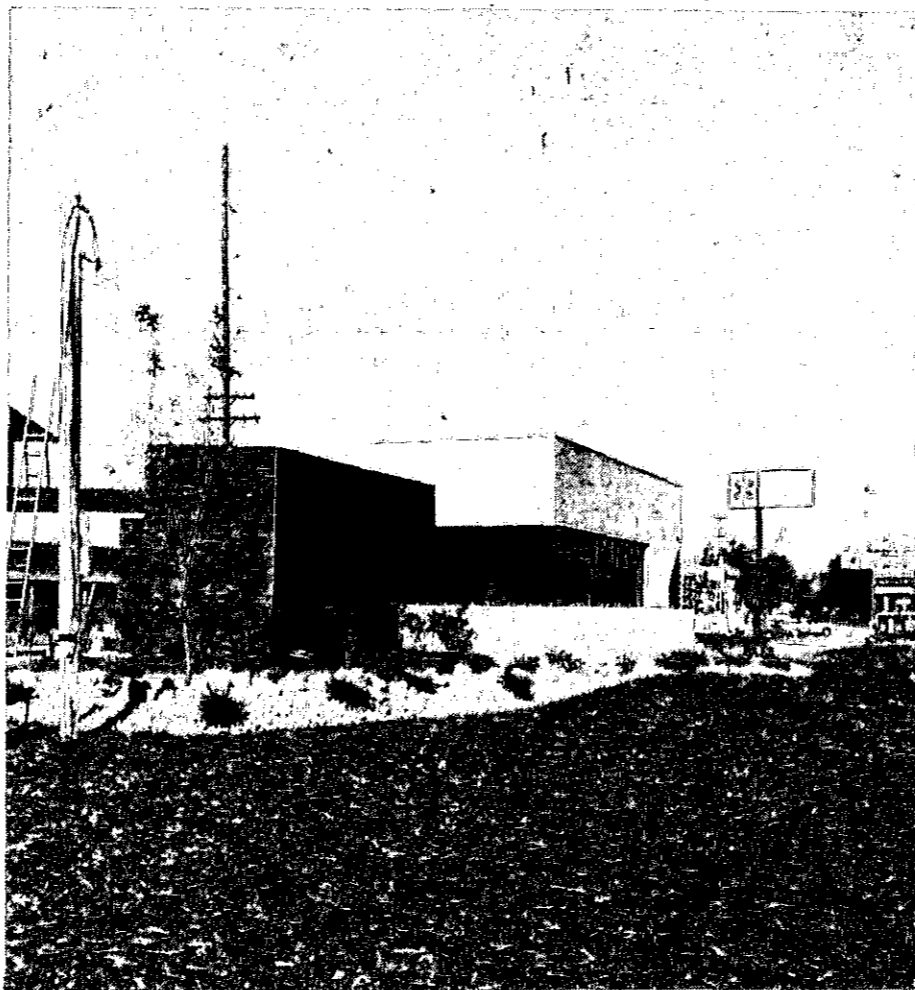
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Central National Bank announces new director

ST. JOHNS - Harold Wellman, chairman of the Clinton National Bank Board of Directors, has announced that John B. Stevenson, manager of the St. Johns Federal-Mogul plant has joined the board as a director.

Stevenson assumed his duties as manager at Federal-Mogul Aug 1.

He joined Federal-Mogul Corp in July, 1964.

He served in central order and inventory control in management positions at the Lancaster, Pa facility as well as

in the bearings group staff in Southfield prior to being promoted to plant manager of the Greensburg Plants of the bearings group in 1968.

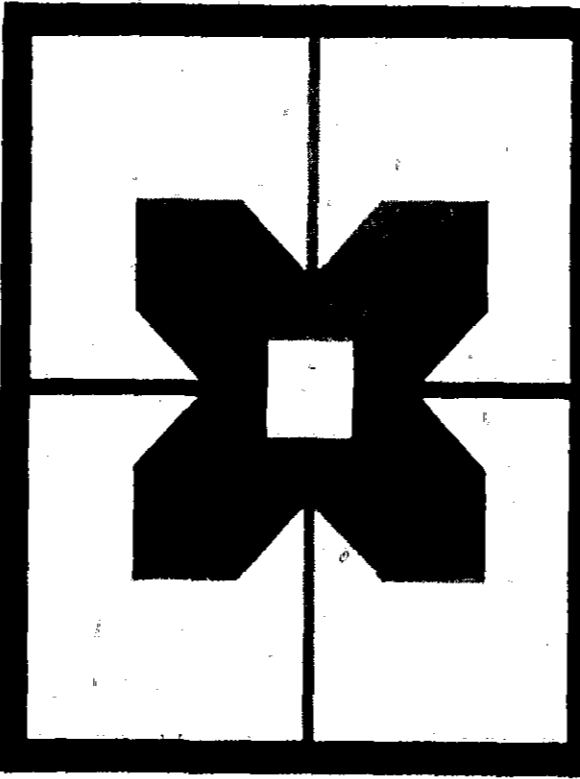
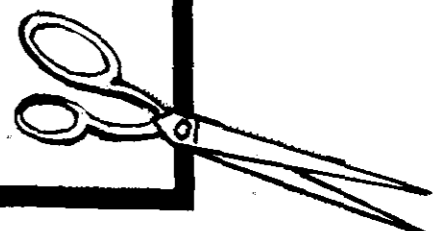
He received a BA in industrial management from General Motors Institute and also has a masters in business administration from Xavier.

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

Stevenson and his wife, Devera, have 10 children and reside at 306 S. Oakland.

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forcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits.

Section 2. All ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

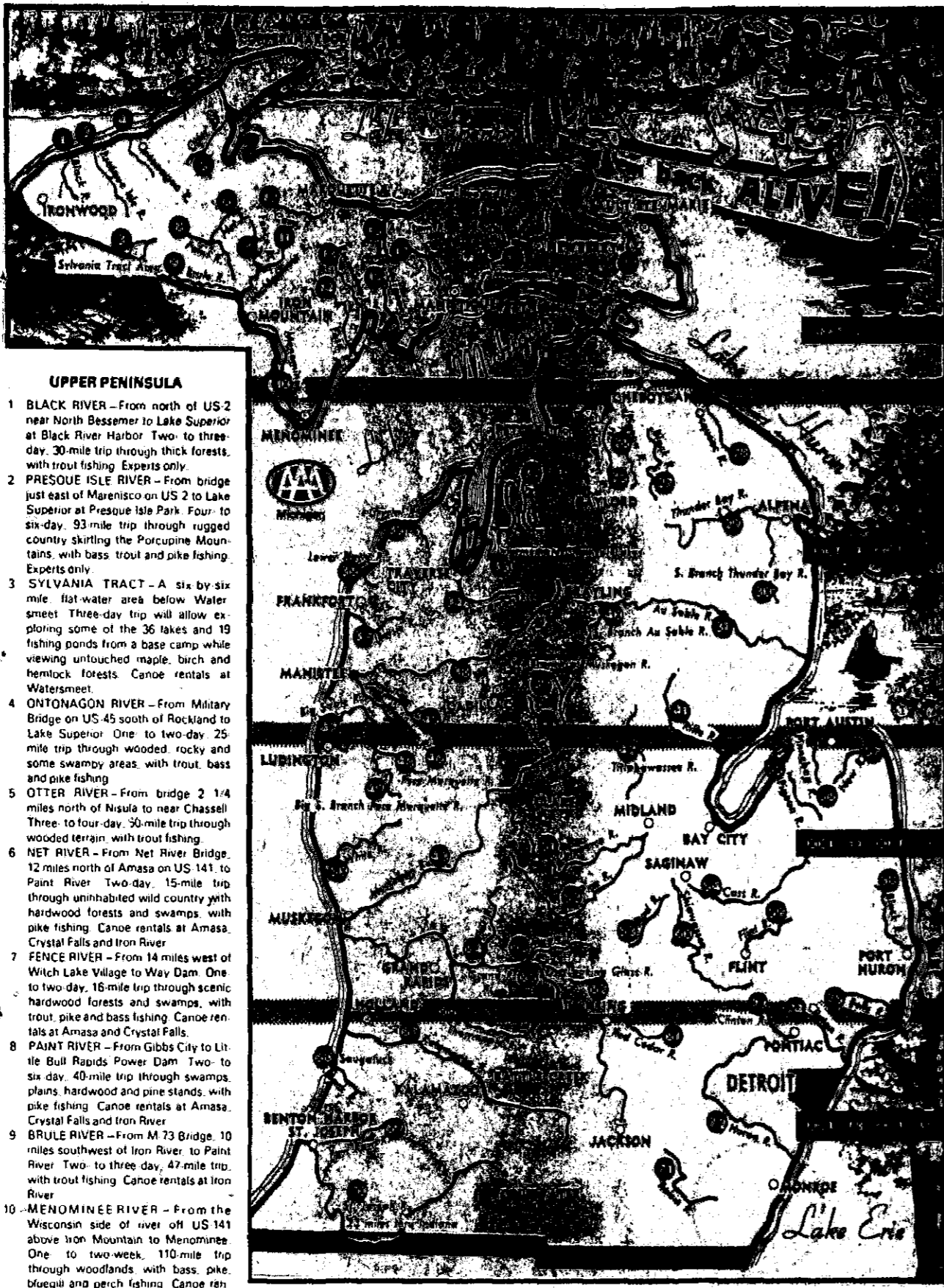
Section 3. This Ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and the passage of twenty (20) days in accordance with law.

ADOPTED THIS 16 DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D., 1974.

John Lehman, Village President
Wilma Shafer, Village Clerk
I hereby certify that the above ordinance was duly passed at a regular meeting of the Village of Westphalia Council, held September 16, 1974, and ordered published in the Clinton County News.
Wilma Shafer, Village Clerk



Fall Color Guide to 75 Scenic, Canoeing Rivers



UPPER PENINSULA

- 1 BLACK RIVER** - From north of US-2 near North Bessemer to Lake Superior at Black River Harbor. Two to three days. 30-mile trip through thick forests, with trout fishing. Experts only.
- 2 PRESQUE ISLE RIVER** - From bridge just east of Marquette on US-2 to Lake Superior at Presque Isle Park. Four to six days. 53-mile trip through rugged country, skirting the Porcupine Mountains, with bass, trout and pike fishing. Experts only.
- 3 SYLVANIA TRACT** - A six by six mile, flat-water area below Water Street. Three-day trip through exploring some of the 36 lakes and 19 fishing ponds from a base camp while viewing untouched maple, birch and hemlock forests. Canoe rentals at Water Street.
- 4 ONTONAGON RIVER** - From Military Bridge on US-45 south of Rockland to Lake Superior. One to two days. 25-mile trip through wooded rocky and some swampy areas with trout, bass and pike fishing.
- 5 OTTER RIVER** - From bridge 2 1/4 miles north of Nausa to near Chassel. Three to four days. 30-mile trip through wooded terrain, with trout fishing.
- 6 NET RIVER** - From Net River Bridge, 12 miles north of Amasa on US-141 to Point River. Two days. 15-mile trip through uninhabited wild country with hardwood forests and swamps, with pike fishing. Canoe rentals at Amasa, Crystal Falls and Iron River.
- 7 FENCE RIVER** - From 18 miles west of Wilch Lake Village to Wav Dam. One to two days. 16-mile trip through scenic hardwood forests and swamps, with trout, pike and bass fishing. Canoe rentals at Amasa and Crystal Falls.
- 8 PAINT RIVER** - From Gibbs City to Little Bull Rapids Power Dam. Two to six days. 40-mile trip through swamps, plains, hardwood and pine stands, with pike fishing. Canoe rentals at Amasa, Crystal Falls and Iron River.
- 9 BRULE RIVER** - From M-73 Bridge, 10 miles southwest of Iron River, to Point River. Two to three days, 47-mile trip, with trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Iron River.
- 10 MENOMINEE RIVER** - From the Wisconsin side of river off US-141 above Iron Mountain to Menominee. One to two weeks, 110-mile trip through woodlands, with bass, pike, bluegill and perch fishing. Canoe rentals at Iron Mountain, Menominee and Marquette, Wis.
- 11 MICHIGAMME RIVER** - From Michigan Lake off US-41 north of Champlain to Dickinson County Hwy. 607 bridge, three miles north of Channing. Seven days. 50-mile trip through forests and swamps with pike, bass, perch and trout fishing. Experts only.
- 12 CARP RIVER** - From Deer Lake north of Channing off Hwy. 373 to Old US-41 east of Negaunee. One day, 10-mile trip for viewing marsh life with perch and trout fishing.
- 13 ESCANABA RIVER** - From Gwynn at M-35 to west Gladstone Bridge on Hwy. 420. Eight to 14 days. 55-mile trip through rocky, scenic upper river with farmlands and swamp areas at lower end with trout and bass fishing. Canoe rentals at Gwynn.
- 14 FOND RIVER** - From bridge on County Road E-2, six miles west of Cornell to Green Bay. One to two days. 25-mile trip through wild remote area.
- 15 STURGEON RIVER** - From 10 miles north of US-2 on Hwy. 13, 7 1/2 miles north of Nafina Junction, to Nafina. One day, 15-mile trip.
- 16 AU TRAIL RIVER** - From southeast side of Au Train Lake to Lake Superior. Four to six hours. 10-mile trip through wild country, with perch and pike fishing. Canoe rentals at Au Train.
- 17 INDIAN RIVER** - From U.S. Forest Service Wadsworth Campground near Hwy. 13 to boat landing on Indian Lake near Manistee. Two to three days, 59-mile trip through forest with trout, brown and rainbow trout fishing.
- 18 MANISTIQUE RIVER** - From Germantown to U.S. Forest Service Merwin Creek Campground, seven miles west of Gulliver. Two days, 45-mile trip through undisturbed state forest with fishing for pike, bass and trout. Canoe rentals at Germantown.
- 19 FOX RIVER** - From public access site below Wagner Dam near Moose Lake to Senger. One to two days, 20-mile trip through Sable State Forest, with trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Germantown.
- 20 TWO HEARTED RIVER** - From High Bridge on Hwy. 407, 2 1/2 miles north-west of Pine Stump Junction, to Hwy. 423 near Lake Superior. Two to three days, 25-mile trip through wild, rolling country, with trout fishing.
- 21 TAOUAMENON RIVER** - From 1 1/2 miles north of McMillan at Hwy. 415 to near Whitefish Bay. One to two weeks, 63-mile trip along high, heavily timbered banks with pike, perch, bass and trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Dollarville and Newberry.
- 22 WAISKA RIVER** - From bridge near M-28 three miles south of Bimbley, to Lake Superior. One day, seven-mile trip along timbered high banks with fishing for pike and perch.
- 23 CARP RIVER** - From M-123 bridge 5 1/2 miles north of Moran to St. Martin Bay. One to two days, 20-mile trip through wooded area, with trout fishing.

NORTHERN LOWER PENINSULA

- 24 INLAND LAKE ROUTE** - From Con-way to Cheboygan. Three days, 45-mile trip through lakes and rivers, with a variety of fishing. Canoe rentals at Indian River.
- 25 STURGEON RIVER** - From Burt Lake State Park near Indian River to Wolverine. One to 1 1/2 days, 12-mile trip through wooded country, with pike fishing. Canoe rentals at Indian River.
- 26 PIGEON RIVER** - From Mullett Lake to M-68 near Afton. One day, nine-mile trip through wooded area, with perch and bluegill fishing. Canoe rentals at Indian River.
- 27 BLACK RIVER** - From dam near north end of Black Lake to Cheboygan River. One to 1 1/2 days, 15-mile trip through wooded area and farmland, with trout and perch fishing. Canoe rentals at Indian River.

- 28 OCOUQC RIVER** - From Lake Emma to Lake Huron. Two to three days, 30-mile trip along high banks through forests, farmlands and swamp, with bass and pike fishing.
- 29 THUNDER BAY RIVER** - From Lake Fifteen southwest of Attanta to Alpena. Eight to 12 day trip through timber, swamps and farmlands, with trout, bass and pike fishing. Canoe rentals at Alpena.
- 30 SOUTH BRANCH THUNDER BAY RIVER** - From Hubbard Lake to Seven Mile Dam near Thunder Bay River. Six hours, 17-mile trip through farmland and forests, with trout, bass, perch and pike fishing.
- 31 AU SABLE RIVER** - From Grayling to Oscoda. Two to three weeks, 180-mile trip along state's most canoeable water way through farmlands and wooded high banks, with trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Grayling, Mio and Oscoda.
- 32 JORDAN RIVER** - From Graves Crossing, 11 miles south of East Jordan off M-66 to East Jordan. One day, 15-mile trip through heavily wooded, uninhabited terrain, with abundant wildlife and trout fishing. Canoe rentals at East Jordan and Marquette.
- 33 INTERMEDIATE CHAIN OF LAKES** - From Six Mile Lake to Elk Rapids. Four days, 60-mile trip through 12 lakes and nine rivers featuring lush forests and wildlife, with trout, pike, bass and muskie fishing. Canoe rentals at Marquette.
- 34 BOARDMAN RIVER** - From "The Forks," 17 miles from Traverse City over the Old Supply Road to Traverse City. Two to five days, 40-mile trip through heavily wooded terrain, with fishing for bass, pike, perch and trout.
- 35 CRYSTAL RIVER** - From two miles northeast of Glen Arbor to M-22 near Lake Michigan. One day, 10-mile trip through sand dunes and woods. Canoe rentals at Marquette and along Hwy. 675 near put in point.
- 36 LOWER PLATTE RIVER** - From M-22 Bridge, five miles west of Honor, to Lake Michigan. Two to three hours, six-mile trip along calm river. Canoe rentals at Honor.
- 37 BETSIE RIVER** - From Grass Lake Dam between Interlochen and Thompsonville to Betsie Lake. Two to four days, 44-mile trip through open country, farmlands and swamps, with trout, pike and bass fishing. Canoe rentals at Honor.
- 38 BIG MANISTEE RIVER** - From M-72 near Grayling to north end of Manistee Lake. Ten to 12 days, 200-mile trip through cedar swamps, along high, wooded banks, grass flats and wild country, with trout, pike and bass plus fall coho fishing. Canoe rentals at Manistee and Wellston.
- 39 WEST BRANCH MUSKEGON RIVER** - From bridge on Young Road west of Marret to M-55. One day, eight-mile trip through swampland and hardwood forests. Canoe rentals at Marquette and Wellston.
- 40 SOUTH BRANCH AU SABLE RIVER** - From M-76 bridge, three miles west of St. Helen, to Au Sable River north of M-72. Two to three days, 26-mile trip through Mason Tract wilderness, with trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Grayling and Roscommon.
- 41 RIFLE RIVER** - From state forest campground five miles north of M-55 near Saksik to Saginaw Bay. Five to six days, 80-mile trip through forests and wild country with high, timbered banks, with trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Alpena and Starling.
- 42 TITABAWASSEE RIVER** - From 15 miles north of Gladwin on either Main Street or East Branch to Edenville Dam. One to two days, 30-mile trip through wild country, with bass and pike fishing. Canoe rentals eight miles northwest of Gladwin.
- 43 MUSKEGON RIVER** - From west shore of Houghton Lake to Muskegon Lake. One to two weeks, 227-mile trip through marshlands, hilly farmlands, high banks and forests, with fishing for trout, pike, bass and perch. Canoe rentals at Merritt, Marion, Big Rapids, Newaygo, Grant, Howard City and Twin Lake.
- 44 CLAIR RIVER** - From Falmouth, Mich. to Muskegon River at Church Bridge. Two days, 19-mile trip through farmlands, cedar swamps and hardwood forests, with trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Falmouth.
- 45 PINE RIVER** - From Edgetts Bridge in Lake County northeast of Luther to Stronach Dam at M-55 east of Wellston. Three to four days, 58-mile trip along high sand or clay banks, with very heavily wooded pine and hardwood shores saving way to flatlands, with trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Cadillac, Wellston, Hoxeyville and Luther. Experts only.
- 46 LITTLE MANISTEE RIVER** - From Indian Bridge south of Irons to Manistee. Three to five days, 60-mile trip that wanders through hilly, wooded country and swampland, with trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Luther and Manistee.
- 47 BIG SABLE RIVER** - From two miles east of Marquette County line at bridge on Hwy. 669 to Ludington State Park. Two days, 35-mile trip through dense timberland and marshes, with trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Branch.
- 48 PERE MARQUETTE RIVER** - From just east of Baldwin, east of M-37, to Pere Marquette Lake at Ludington. Four to seven days, 100-mile trip through heavily wooded country, with trout and pike fishing. Canoe rentals at Scottville, Custer, Branch and Baldwin. Not for novices.
- 49 BIG SOUTH BRANCH PERE MARQUETTE RIVER** - From 13 Mile Road west of Biley to Indian Bridge at Pere Marquette Lake. Two to three days, 25-mile trip through oak, hard wood hills and cedar swamps, with brown trout fishing. Canoe rentals at Baldwin.
- 50 WHITE RIVER** - From Hesperia to Shibley Lake. Two days, 60-mile trip through wooded areas and swampland, with bass and trout fishing. Canoe rentals at White Lake, between Montague and Whitehall and at Twin Lake.
- 51 CHIPPEWA RIVER** - From Barriston Dam to canoe landing west of Midland. Three to five days, 75-mile trip through forest and farmland, with trout fishing.
- 52 PINE RIVER** - From Remus to west of Midland. Four to seven days, 110-mile trip through woods and farmland, with trout fishing.
- 53 BAD RIVER** - From St. Charles to near Fernons. One day, 20-mile trip with good wildlife viewing and 14 miles through Shiawassee state and federal wildlife refuges.
- 54 CASS RIVER** - From Cass City to Saginaw River south of Saginaw. Two to three days, 50-mile trip through state game areas.
- 55 PIGEON RIVER** - From eight miles east of Uby to M-53 to south of Pigeon. One day, 20-mile trip through farmlands and wooded areas.
- 56 PINNEBOG RIVER** - From Elkton to Lake Huron. One day, 20-mile trip through farmlands, wooded areas and sand dunes.
- 57 NEW RIVER** - From five miles north of East Ave. to three miles east of M-52. One day, 20-mile trip through farmlands, wooded areas and sand dunes.
- 58 BLACK RIVER** - From below dam at Crowell to 194 bridge near Port Huron. One to two days, 35-mile trip through Port Huron State Game Area, with good chance of sighting deer, beaver and other wildlife.

Canoe and see the colors

Canoeing down Michigan's first highways - its rivers and streams - offers fall color tourists spectacular views of rugged wilderness scenery unavailable to car travelers, according to Automobile Club of Michigan.

"Canoeists can enjoy Michigan's brilliant autumn leaves in a setting that can seem remote even in the most urbanized areas," said Joseph Ratke, Auto Club touring manager. He added that most canoe routes can be handled by the first-time canoeist, who usually can obtain free instruction from liveries.

The accompanying Auto Club map pinpoints 75 canoe routes in the Upper and Lower Peninsulas that cover a total of more than 3,340 miles. Listings details the maximum distance and travel time, the terrain, fishing prospects and locations of canoe liveries for each route. Since most liveries offer pick-up service, canoeists can follow

Auto Club's routes for just a few hours or for their entire lengths. Renting a standard-size, three-seater canoe generally costs \$6 to \$10 for the first day and \$5 to \$7 for subsequent days.

"If planning a camping trip, canoeists should remember to keep equipment at a minimum and, especially if inexperienced, put their items in plastic bags," Ratke said. "Standard camping equipment - a ground tent, sleeping bags, utensils and a portable stove - are suitable for canoe trips."

Auto Club recommends that all canoeists have at least one canoe outfit under their belts before trying an overnight venture.

As a result of a State Department of Natural Resources program, most of Michigan's major canoe routes have signs showing camping, picnic and toilet facilities. In addition, liveries usually provide customers with well-marked route maps.

For detailed information on the location of liveries along Auto Club's designated canoe routes, Ratke suggested that fall color tourists contact local chambers of commerce.

"Although most liveries do not require advance deposits for canoes in the fall, persons planning weekend trips should check with liveries two to three days in advance to determine upcoming weather conditions," the Auto Club official said. "If good, weekend weather is predicted, canoeists definitely should get their names on a reservation list."

Michigan's fall color season, signaled by the crimson leaves of the sumac, offers tourists outstanding views of more than 85 species of hard and softwood trees.

Although most forests throughout the state are now tinged with autumn's bright hues, Michigan's fall colors will

first peak in the Upper Peninsula late this month. Then at the rate of 50 to 75 miles a week, peak viewing conditions will move down the state, reaching southern Michigan by the end of October.

Cold weather with heavy frost and strong wind can bring peak fall colors to an abrupt end, while warm temperatures with sunny days can keep maximum color development in an area for up to two weeks.

Auto Club's calendar showing the general periods for the most spectacular fall color viewing in Michigan is:

- Upper Peninsula and northern tip of the Lower Peninsula - Sept. 27 to Oct. 9.
- Northern third of the Lower Peninsula - Oct. 4 to Oct. 14.
- Central Michigan - Oct. 11 to Oct. 23.
- Southern Michigan (roughly south of a line from Holland to Pontiac) - Oct. 18 to Oct. 31.

Kincaid District

Lewis Flegler of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn, Thursday.

Mrs Eldoris Hahn, Mrs Porter Parks, Mrs Charles Fisher and several others attended a Tupperware Party at the home of Mrs Donald Sullivan, Wednesday evening.

Mrs Clare Parks visited Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn, Sunday.

Mrs Porter Parks and friends attended the Parade of Bands at Chesaning Saturday to see Kristal Parks with the Redwing Marching Band.

Mrs Porter Parks took care of little Cappy Parks Friday so his mother Mrs Alice Parks could go to Camp Barakel at Fairview.

Mr and Mrs Ray Sherman of Mulliken and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Donald Sullivan and boys. Kevin Sherman had spent several days with his grandparents.

Mr and Mrs Don Buttons of Grand Ledge visited Mr and Mrs Don Sullivan.

Mr and Mrs Eldoris Hahn were supper guests of Mr and Mrs Lewis Flegler, Sunday.

Mrs Charles Fisher and Kevin attended Band Day at MSU with Mrs Porter Parks, all day Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Paul Heller and son of St. Johns visited Clare Hill, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson

attended the Capital Caravan Club's steak supper at Delta Conservation Club, Friday evening.

Mrs John Dickinson and children of Williamston were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Otto Dickinson Sunday.

Jill and Valerie Hoerner spent Sunday with Mrs Harold Hoerner.

Harold Hoerner and Howard Sargent flew to Mackinac Island and spent all Sunday there.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Harndenburg, Stuart Harndenburg, visited Mrs Harold Hoerner, Sunday evening.

Mrs Donna Sargent visited Mrs Harold Hoerner Thursday.

Clare Harndenburg of Lansing visited Mrs Harold Hoerner, Wednesday evening.

Mr and Mrs Don Sullivan visited Mrs Estelle Balli and Mrs James Rogers at Sparrow Hospital, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Clare Harndenburg of Lansing visited Mr and Mrs Howard Sargent Wednesday evening. Mr Harndenburg was taken suddenly ill and was taken by ambulance to Lansing General Hospital. He is reported to be much better at this time.

Friday, Mr and Mrs Howard Sargent visited Clare Harndenburg at Lansing General Hospital.

Plaza 27-it's coming Oct. 30th!!

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Back Through the Years

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

ONE YEAR AGO Oct 4, 1973

A total of 268 boys participated in the 1973 Punt, Pass and Kick competition in St Johns sponsored by Egan Ford and the St Johns Jaycees.

The regular meeting of Clinton County Senior Citizens Sept 25th chairman Clarence Hill appointed directors Clarence Bauerle, Arthur Curtis, Earl Darnell and Lawrence Frees to represent the local organization at a state meeting Oct 8.

The 147 Farm Bureau families of Clinton County received official notification of that organization's annual meeting last week along with a special invitation to attend from the president Robert Kissane.

A call was received at 7:38 am Sept 28 by the St Johns Police that a bomb threat had been reported to Federal Mogul officials. The business was searched by the St Johns Police, St Johns Fire Dept, Clinton County Sheriff's Dept and Federal Mogul employees but no evidence of a bomb was found.

The Head Start pre-school program is currently recruiting children who are 4 years old, or will be 4 by Dec 1. All children must meet low income guidelines.

TEN YEARS AGO Oct 1, 1964

Two young Flint women are in Clinton County Jail on charges of shoplifting about \$150 worth of merchandise at Becker's Dept Store in Fowler Saturday.

Appraisers for the H.L. Yo Co have finished their field work in Lebanon Township as the job of reappraising the values of Clinton County property continues on schedule.

Clinton Tractor Sales and Service at 108 E. Railroad Street, St Johns, was the victim of a thief over the weekend. City police were told someone broke a side window to get in and then made off with some wrenches, drills and drive sockets. Police officer Robert Ott is investigating.

Nine oral polio vaccine clinics have been established in Clinton County for distribution of the vaccine Oct 11 and December 13.

The industrial phase of the Clinton County Communities Chest drive was kicked off Tuesday morning with a breakfast attended by 31 representatives of St Johns and area industry.

The four avenues of Rotary service - international club, community and vocational were emphasized by Rotary District Governor Donald B. Doubleday in a talk to the St Johns club Tuesday noon.

Shoppers young and old are invited to twist with St Johns merchants tonight (Thursday) to end an evening of Moonlight Madness. Music and a twist contest will be held in the middle block of Clinton Avenue to end the Moonlight Madness sales event put on by St Johns Business Unlimited.

25 YEARS AGO Sept 29, 1949

The coal situation is serious in St Johns and Clinton county as it is throughout the rest of the country. Local dealers are rationing most coal and are entirely out of some kinds.

Justice Charles Speer meted out stiff sentences to four East Lansing men who pleaded guilty to charges of stealing chickens in justice court this week. The chickens were stolen from Walter Kyes, of Bath, last Thursday.

The St Johns collection in the Polio Epidemic Emergency Drive will be sponsored by the Rotary Club, it was announced today by Rev Emeral Price, chairman of the Clinton Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.


Herold C. Hunt, a former St Johns superintendent of schools who is now head of the Chicago school system will be principal speaker at the semi-annual Ladies' Night program of the St Johns Rotary Club. The dinner meeting will be held in the municipal building here next Tuesday at 6:45 pm. The Rebekah ladies will serve the dinner and committees in charge of the program that more than 250 people will be on hand.

Clinton county school districts are nearly \$144,000 richer this week after receiving vouchers for payment of the state primary school fund and the county library fund.

A PERSONAL LOOK AT THE NEWS

Between the lines

with Jim Edwards



I lose things. It's as simple as that - I have things and I lose them.

There must be national organization to help people like me - you know Losers Anonymous (and no smart remarks, please.)

There must be millions who suffer lost items day after day and I'm willing to bet the items lost are pretty similar.

Pens, lighters, combs, household and office items such as staplers and tape etc.

Because of the trauma caused by the loser to his family, and co-workers there should be an organization to offer solace, guidance and counseling for the victims of the loser's ire.

Following could be a typical day of me losing things:

8 am - Hey, who took my car keys? How am I supposed to get to work without any keys? For crying out loud, a guy can't leave anything laying around without somebody making off with it. The suffering spouse answers, "Aaaaagghhh, not again. Have you ever made it through a day without losing a half a dozen things? Look, why don't you just finish getting dressed and I'll look for your keys."

"Fine," I said, "but, how am I supposed to get dressed when somebody stole my shoes?"

"Nobody stole your shoes," she answered, "I've got them right here - you put one in the closet and kicked the other under the bed. And, speaking of

shoes, here are your car keys. You've got to be the only person in the world who keeps keys in their shoes."

"Uh, yeah, thanks for finding my shoes," I answer. "And there is a logical reason for putting keys in my shoes. That way, I don't forget the keys because I find them when I put on my shoes," I explained.

"And then he can't find his shoes," I hear her moan.

You know, it's downright depressing to leave for work every day and, instead of receiving a cheery farewell, witness your wife with her head down on the kitchen counter, banging her fists into the cupboard doors moaning, "Why me? Why me?"

Then, at work, it's more of the same.

"Alright, I'll give the whole world 30 seconds to come up with my tape. I'm sick and tired of people stealing things from my desk the minute my back's turned."

"Settle down," a co-worker sighs, "the tape is right there on your desk. See it's right there next to your lighter you accused everybody of stealing last week. We found it in your typewriter. By the way, don't give us the routine about your slaving away at the typewriter all day. That lighter's been in there for 2 weeks and you never noticed it."

Which brings up other things I always lose - arguments

Clarifies Social Security editorial

Dear Mr Edwards:

Many people, both within the government and members of the public, are concerned about the way in which the Social Security system is financed. There is broad support for changes in the financing system.

Your guest editorial in the Sept 26 issue of Clinton County News accurately described the situation. However, the headline which you placed above the editorial was a gross distortion of the facts contained in your editorial. The headline "Social Security on Road To Bankruptcy" is an exaggeration of the situation and has done a great disservice to the 4,600 retired or disabled people and widows and children in Clinton County who receive Social Security benefits.

The headline has frightened many of them into believing

their payments may stop soon. The calls which came to our office after the appearance of this headline reveal that many Social Security beneficiaries are frightened by these headlines into believing their next Social Security check will be their last one.

It seems to me that news coverage concerning this situation can accurately present the facts without unduly frightening the current beneficiaries.

The facts are that most experts agree that the problems with Social Security financing are not immediate, but 5-10 years away. There is more than enough time for Congress and the Administration to review the problem and devise remedies long before any serious problem occurs.

Best wishes,
Sincerely yours,
Roger W Seamon
District Manager

Personal


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We can make it happen during 4-H Week

With the many problems we face as a nation, it is refreshing to see our young people ready and willing to help bring about solutions to these pressing concerns. Enthusiasm and optimism has always been an admirable quality of American youth. Their vigor inspires all of us to do a better job in coping with our problems.

Youthful exuberance, combined with the guidance and experience of adults provides an unbeatable combination. The results of that cooperation are evident in the 4-H program.

We salute the combined efforts of 4-H'ers and their leaders "to make the best better" on the occasion of 1974 National 4-H Week, October 6-12.

The theme of the annual observance is "We Can Make It Happen." Those five words emphasize the commitment and cooperation of nearly 5.3 million youths and 560,000 volunteer leaders working together to solve common problems. With their enthusiasm and energy, in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and Washington, DC, 4-H'ers from all economic, ethnic and social backgrounds are helping clean-up and protect the environment and natural resources.

The youths work to conserve energy, assist in agricultural production, and help improve health and nutrition habits of the community. In the process, the 4-H'ers develop good citizenship and leadership traits and acquire skills that will help them in later life.

Youthful enthusiasm and energy, combined with adult guidance and support and working together in a common purpose -- that's the 4-H story in 1974. And we support the efforts of 4-H'ers, their parents, their leaders and alumni "to make the best better."

And we would encourage our young readers, who have plenty of enthusiasm and our adult readers who may wish to volunteer their time and talents to get involved in 4-H and help "make it happen."

Information on 4-H programs and activities in the area can be obtained from the county extension service office or state 4-H office.

"If It Fitz . . ."

It's for my own good

Editor, Lapeer County Press

"By Jim Fitzgerald



As a United States citizen, I can't understand why I don't feel better.

What I mean is, public-spirited officials are continually doing things for the good of the country. I am a part of the country, truly an average citizen (1.5 TVs, 1.2 cars and 2.5 children). I should feel fine. So how come I break out in a nervous sweat every time Eric Sevareid clenches his teeth?

Spiro Agnew was innocent and he could have proved it. He only admitted he was a crook to spare me the humiliation of watching my Vice President explain the virtues of graft to a dumb jury.

by Cambodia while President Nixon was tied up in court. I figured General Haig could handle things and, if he needed help, he could call on his brother. I was silly enough to think this country might experience a spiritual uplift under the influence of Haig & Haig. (Forgive me, but this has been a tough year.)

I WAS EVEN dumber about the pardon. I didn't want Watergate behind me, any more than I wanted Dan Rather out of the White House. The 6 o'clock news is dull without Ron Ziegler explaining to Rather that Nixon couldn't have lied to the American people on April 21, 1973, because all of 1973 has been declared inoperative. (Except for Christmas and the day Julie was hired by The Saturday Evening Post.)

Even worse, I must admit I wasn't terribly concerned about the possibility of an ex-President going to jail if he were found guilty of a felony. Nixon always said the guilty should be punished, didn't he? They'd lock up your Uncle Jake, wouldn't they? And besides, it would have been interesting to see if the warden could fit Nixon's throne through the cell door.

BUT I WAS WRONG. I didn't know what was good for me - and the entire country. Agnew, Nixon and Ford did. In my own best interests, despite my ignorance, they generously spared me all those traumatic experiences. They took the divisiveness out of my future. Now I can move forward and concern myself with more important problems. For instance, how long has it been since you asked yourself whatever happened to Eddie Fisher? Think about it.

I should be grateful. I should feel good. But I feel lousy.

I guess I'm just an ingrate. The trouble is, I keep thinking of your Uncle Jake.

RICHARD NIXON didn't have to resign. In a Senate trial, he could have proven himself innocent of an impeachable offense. But he quit the highest position in the land simply so I could have a full-time President to keep an eye on the Middle East for me. He wanted to spare me the uncertainties of being led by a President who was continually summoned from summit conferences to answer burglary charges.

Gerald Ford didn't have to pardon Richard Nixon. He knew the liberals would crucify him. But Ford did it anyway, simply so I could put Watergate behind me and devote all my time to worrying about inflation. Also, he wanted to spare me the terrible trauma of possibly seeing a former President go to the pokey.

It was a good thing I had these fine men looking out for my welfare.

Fool that I was, I didn't think it would bother me to see Agnew on trial. Fact is, I was anxious to hear him explain those envelopes full of cash that people kept handing him. And I was curious to see if all nattering nabobs would be automatically excused from his jury.

Likewise, I wasn't worried about being bombed

Vets eligible for insurance

Vietnam-era veterans discharged during a 4-year period before Aug 1 have until Aug 1, 1975, to apply for low-cost

Veterans Group Life Insurance (VGLI), according to the Veterans Administration. An estimated 2.7 million veterans separated from April 2, 1970, through July 31, 1974, are eligible for the insurance. It is designed as interim protection during readjustment to civilian life.

Personnel may convert Servicemen's Group Life Insurance to VGLI without medical examination, if applications are received within 120 days of separation. Applications after that time must include evidence of good health. This requirement is waived for veterans with VA-rated, service-connected disabilities.

Servicemen discharged since Aug 1 will receive application forms automatically, the VA added. Nonrenewable, 5-year term coverage is available in \$5,000 increments up to \$20,000. Monthly premium for the maximum coverage is \$3.40 for veterans aged 34 and under and \$6.80 for those 35 and over.

Application forms are available from VA offices and veterans service organizations. Completed forms and premiums should be sent to the Office of Servicemen's Group Life Insurance, 212 Washington St., Newark, N.J. 07102.

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CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING

A meeting of the Clinton County Board of Commissioners will be held on Tuesday, October 8, 1974 in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At 1:30 p.m. the Board will act on the following recommendations from the Clinton County Zoning Commission:

DEWITT TOWNSHIP

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

A parcel of land desc. as follows: beg. at a pt. 780' N of SW cor of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec 32, T5N-R2W, Th E 231', S 100', S 1089', N 680' W 1188', S 500', W 132', S 60' to POB. Also, Lot #44, Northdale Farms located in Sec. 32, T5N-R2W

GREENBUSH TOWNSHIP

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

The North 340 feet of S. 680.25 feet of E 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 4, T5N-R2W. 10.48

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REGULAR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

The Clinton County Zoning Commission will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, October 17, 1974 at 8 p.m. in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan

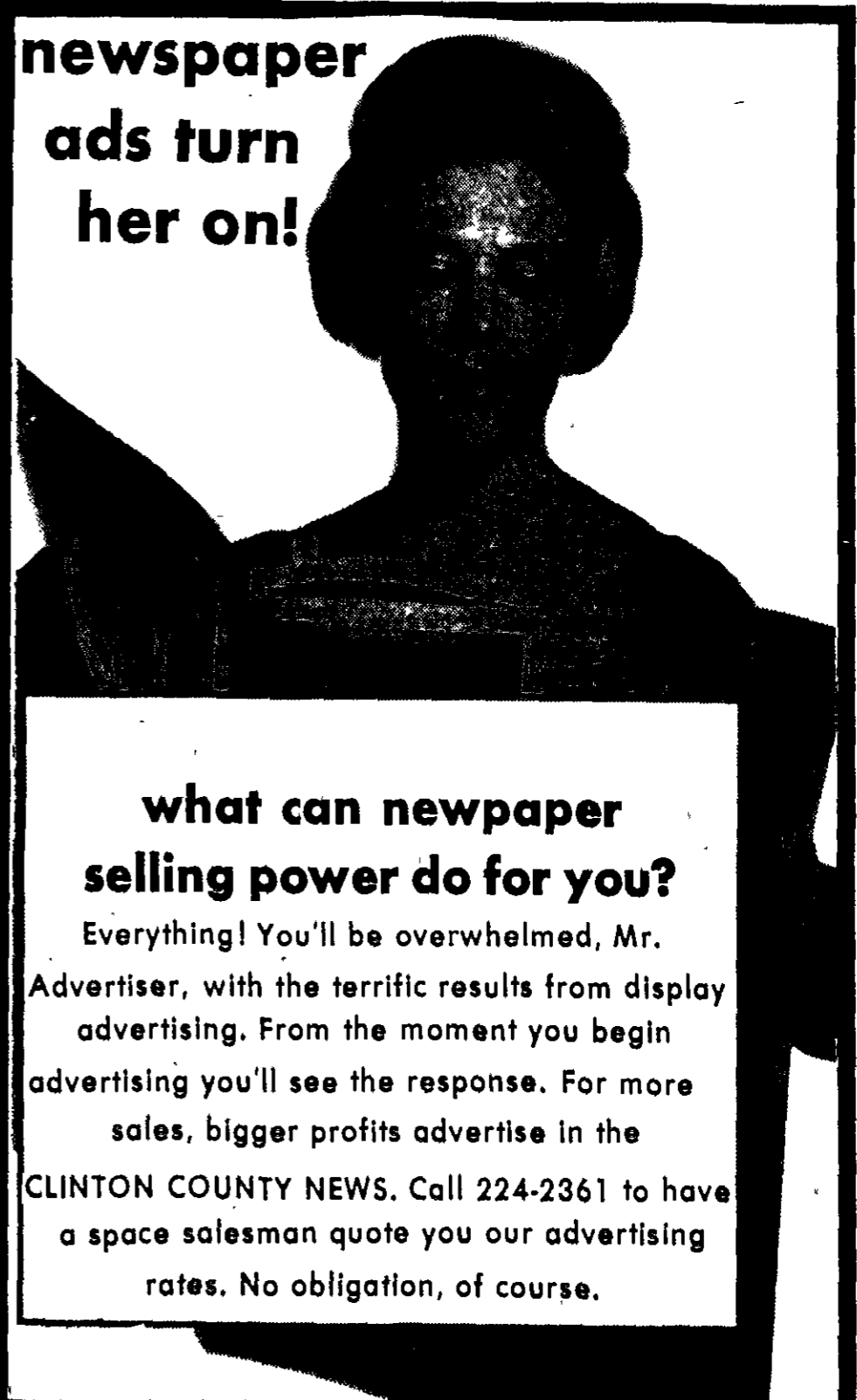
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Farmers determine environment

BY CHARLES M. SMITH,
Biologist
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Wildlife in the United States is largely a product of agricultural lands. Like other products relating to cultivated areas, its welfare and production rests mainly in the hands of the farmers and rural landowners. More than half of our land is in farms, producing not only food, fiber, and wood products but more of the wildlife that we hunt, observe, or otherwise enjoy.

Farmers more than any other group of persons have the best opportunity to enjoy contact with their wildlife neighbors that live on the land. In the process of wooing nature for his own livelihood the farmer directly influences the lives of his wildlife tenants. Many farmers appreciate wildlife enough to encourage it, some ignore it. The kind of farming a man does will largely determine whether wildlife will thrive or just get by on his acres.

Many cropping practices of normal farming operations are favorable to wild plant and

animal populations, others are not. Among the most frequent land abuses are plowing of steep slopes, over-grazing, frequent burning of swales and fence-rows, drainage of wetlands and grazed streambanks. So-called "clean farming" is harmful to wildlife and often to the soil itself.

Modern wildlife management and conservation farming go hand in hand. Soil and water conservation practices tend to improve the habitat for wildlife and satisfy the basic needs of food, cover, water, and living space. And, for each wild species, it is how well its own particular needs are met that determines its abundance.

Specific practices must be incorporated into land use programs to develop and maintain favorable living conditions, the key to the existence of wildlife resources. These practices can be designed so that they do not "detract" or interfere with agricultural objectives. Actually many land use practices have multiple values. Those essential to wildlife production will also improve farm operations by

contributing toward good soil and water conservation.

What can the farmer do, then, to make his acreage more attractive to wildlife? Various relatively simple practices can many times provide the missing elements needed to make habitat favorable for many wildlife species on the average farm. Planting of additional trees and fruit-bearing shrubs, fencing of woodlots and small odd areas against pasturing, constructing brushpiles, and leaving a few rows of corn unpicked or strips of small grain near good cover all help develop a good food and cover pattern which is of special importance during the winter.

Protection from fire and grazing are very important to farm woodlot management. Underplanting open woodlots with evergreens and adding a border of low-growing shrubs are beneficial to wildlife. When a woodlot is selectively improved by cutting, some hollow trees should be left to provide dens for squirrels and other tree-nesting species. Scattered nut trees in the woodlot and elsewhere on the farm are desirable additions for both the farmer and wildlife.

Managed fence rows can provide a linear type of corridor of shrubby growth that enables wildlife to get from one type of cover to another. Hedgerow plantings of multiflora rose, bush honeysuckle, autumn olive and gray dogwood provide both food and cover. Evergreen trees serve as good windbreaks around open fields, not only as protection against wind erosion

but as winter cover, travel lands and nesting sites. Wetter sites such as stream and ditch banks and pond and lake borders become attractive spots for wildlife when planted to fruit bearing shrubs such as highbush cranberry and silky dogwood. Odd areas or corners when unburned, ungrazed and unmowed, provide excellent nesting cover for birds and rabbits. Marshes planted to reed canary grass provide excellent late summer pasture for livestock as well as roosting sites and winter cover for birds.

Other conservation practices include contour farming, strip-cropping, and terracing that create more "edge" and concentrates a greater variety of food and cover in small areas; crop rotations and stubble mulching providing winter food, and thicker summer nesting cover, grassed waterways, living fences, and protected streambanks providing travel lanes and nesting sites; and ponds that furnish water habitat for fish, waterfowl and aquatic furbearers.

In many cases it is not necessary to plant something for wildlife. By simply protecting and managing existing trees, shrubs and wetland areas, a continuing source of food, cover, and water will be provided.

Habitat management through soil and water conservation promises wildlife its best chances of permanent and better place in which to live. Contact the Clinton County Soil Conservation District for assistance.



FR. DOUGLAS R. OSBORNE

Father Osborne to begin studies in Rome

LANSING -- Fr. Douglas R. Osborne, director of religious education and former principal at Luke M. Powers Catholic High School in Flint, will begin studies in Rome this fall on a doctorate in theology. Bishop Zaleski has announced.

Fr. Osborne is the son of Mr and Mrs Ray C. Osborne St. Johns.

Bishop Zaleski asked Fr. Osborne to apply for graduate studies in systematic theology in Rome, effective with the fall term in October.

Fr. Osborne, one of the original faculty members at Powers High, was chairman of the Religion Department when the school opened in September 1970.

He has a master's degree in religious education from the Notre Dame University School of Theology. He also has been working toward a master's degree in high school administration from Eastern Michigan University.

The Diocese of Lansing has not named a replacement for him at Powers.

Nazarene's hear assistant principal

Bill Swears, assistant high school principal, was the special guest speaker at the Nazarene Men's Prayer Breakfast Saturday, Sept. 16.

He talked to the men of the church concerning discipline problems, drugs, smoking, and

parent-children relations. A question and answer period followed.

This was a time of enlightenment for the men of the church concerning the needs of the schools.

Lowe UMW elect officers

The Lowe UMW held its Sept meeting on Sept. 11, at Lowe Church.

The ladies worked on their bazaar articles from 10 am to 12 following lunch. Mrs. Caroline Anderson conducted the business meeting.

Besides the regular business, the president announced the date of the annual "Chicken and Ham Smorgasbord" at Lowe Church the date being Oct. 10, serving to begin at 5:30 pm. Committees were named and plans discussed.

The following officers for 1975 were elected:

President - Mrs. Don Bast,
Vice-Pres - Mrs. Douglas Cook,

Sec'y - Mrs. Dale Anderson;
Treasurer - Mrs. Allen Moore.
Crim'n Nominating Comm. - Mrs. Robert Belz, Chrm'n Christian Personhood - Mrs. Annie Findlay, Christian Global Concerns - Mrs. Harold McGuire, Christian Social Involvement - Mrs. Roy Davis, Supportive Community - Mrs. Mable Frost, Program Resources - Mrs. Dick Kingsbury, Chrm'n of Comm on Membership - Mrs. Helen Murton.

The program on "Miriam" of the bible was given by Mrs. Dale Anderson. Mrs. Alvina Bast gave the worship with the meeting ending with prayer.

North Bengal

Mr and Mrs Robert Eldridge, Mr and Mrs Erwin Tiedt and Mr and Mrs Rudolph Tiedt attended the Mohnke-Speers wedding reception at the Fowler Conservation Club on Friday evening Sept. 20.

Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine Ernst spent Thursday, Sept. 19 with the former's sister, Agnes Bearndt and Peggy Mowhatt of rural Six Lakes.

Saturday afternoon, Sept. 21, callers of Mr and Mrs Fred W. Pasch were Mrs. Alice Goodrich of Lansing and Roberta Albers of St. Johns.

Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine Ernst were Sunday Sept. 22 supper guests of Mrs. Iva Schater and Mark of Lansing. On Saturday evening Sept. 21 Mrs. Rudolph Tiedt and Mrs. Robert Eldridge attended a bridal shower honoring Mary Sue Zivalic of Chicago at the home of Mrs. Larry Grenel of Bengal Center. Miss Zivalic will

become the bride of Douglas Mohnke, son of Mr and Mrs Alfred Mohnke, on Oct. 12 at Evanston, Ill.

Mr and Mrs Fred Sebke of Fowler spent Thursday evening, Sept. 19 with Mr and Mrs Fred W. Pasch.

Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine Ernst visited Mrs. Albert Mornitz of Essex on Saturday evening Sept. 21.

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Career Opportunity Center completes 1st year of aiding area job seekers

LANSING -- This week marks the 1st year of service by the Career Opportunity Center serving the Clinton, Ingham and Eaton tri-county area.

The center aids those in need of job placement and training and, in the first full year of operation, aided 2000 job-seekers.

Offering extensive vocational counseling including aptitude preference testing, interviewing techniques and occupational information, the center also offers several job placement options.

One of the options is the on-the-job training program. An individual seeking employment or who does not have skills in the job they are seeking can be hired by an employer and receive on-the-job training. During the time that the applicant is working and being trained, the program may reimburse the employer part of the trainee's wages.

For those interested in going into building construction trades, the center offers their Labor Education Advancement Program (LEAP) which works with applicants to aid them in getting into the apprenticeship training programs.

In addition to these programs, the center offers direct job placement so that an individual coming to the center who has a specific skill can be placed directly on the job.

If the individual is 22 years of age or older and does not have previous work experience, and as an individual made less than

\$2,100 last year, the center's Work Experience Program, formerly Operation Mainstream, will probably be recommended.

These different programs are funded by federal revenue sharing, under the Comprehensive Employment Training Act of 1973.

The program serves the tri-county area of Ingham, Eaton, and Clinton counties.

The center has outreach offices in Mason at the Cooperative Extension, in Charlotte at the Cooperative Extension, and in St. Johns at the Department of Social Services.

Since the inception of the center in September of 1973, over 2000 people have been serviced, with 327 placed directly on jobs and 134 people placed in on-the-job training agreements.

The Work Experience program formerly placed 271 with 71 people hired permanently upon completion of training, work experience.

Eighteen individuals have been started in the skill trades apprentice programs through the center's LEAP.

At this time they will be commemorating this occasion with an Open House set for 8:30 am October 1, 1974. They would like to cordially invite all interested parties to attend.

An open house Oct. 1 at 8:30 am at the center, 414 E. Grand River, Lansing will commemorate its 1st year operation. The public is invited.

CMU student pledges sorority

MT PLEASANT -- Karen Kramer, a sophomore at Central Michigan University, has accepted a bid to join Zeta Tau Alpha, social sorority at CMU.

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Card of Thanks 30

CRESSMAN — I wish to thank Drs. Grosz, Russell, nurses, aides, Reverend Carson, relatives and friends for the gifts, flowers, cards and visits while in the hospital.
Mrs. Mabel Cressman
23-1-p-30

DE GEER — I wish to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Russell, Dr. Stephenson for the entire nursing staff for the wonderful care I received while in the hospital. Also relatives and friends for the flowers, cards and gifts.
Dorothy De Geer
23-1-p-30

THELEN — I wish to thank Father Goehring and the Sisters for their visits, thank Drs. Russell, Grosz and Fitzpatrick and staff at Clinton Memorial Hospital for their very good care. Also thanks to St. Natalie Guild for the meals and cards, my family, friends and neighbors for their help, food, flowers, gifts, visits and cards received during my stay at the hospital and at home.
Bertine Thelen
23-1-p-30

LIGHT — My sincere thanks to Drs. Hachglaube, Caruso and Spencer, nurses and aides for the wonderful care at St. Lawrence and Sparrow Hospitals; also Pastor Heintz for his comforting visits, D & C employees, Jason Center Farm Bureau groups and all of my friends and relatives for their visits, flowers, gifts, cards and food. I am most grateful to everyone.
Bertha Light
23-1-p-30

FEDEWA — I wish to thank Dr. Mead, Dr. Kozak, Dr. Jordan, Dr. Smith the nursing staff at St. Lawrence Hospital for their wonderful care. I also wish to thank Father Schmitt, Msgr. Bolger, friends and relatives for their service, flowers, fruit and cards received during my illness. It was very much appreciated.
John Fedewa
23-1-p-30

WINSOR — We would like to thank all of our relatives, friends and neighbors for their prayers, cards, visits, gifts and food during the recent illness of our son Ronald.
The Duane Winsor family
23-1-p-30

ROUSE — Many thanks to everyone for kindnesses extended during the illness and death of Robert E. Rouse.
23-1-p-30

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

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

Estate of DORA M. LOWREY, Deceased, File No. 19329

TAKE NOTICE: On October 30, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, Court-house, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of CLINTON NATIONAL BANK & TRUST COMPANY for probate of a purported Will, that administration be granted to CLINTON NATIONAL BANK & TRUST COMPANY, and for determination of heirs.
Dated: September 24, 1974.
Clinton National Bank & Trust Co.
Petitioner
200 N. Clinton
St. Johns, MI 48879
Attorney for Petitioner:
Walker & Moore
117 E. Walker
St. Johns, Mich. 48879
Phone 517-224-3241 23-1

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

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

Estate of FERDINAND P. MARTIN, Deceased, File No. 19279.

TAKE NOTICE: On Wednesday October 30th, 1974, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of David Martin, Executor, for Licence 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.
Dated: September 27, 1974
S/David Martin
Petitioner
Rei.
Pewamo, Michigan
Attorney for Petitioner:
Robert H. Wood
210 N. Clinton Avenue
St. Johns, Mich.
Phone 224-3238 23-1

ORDINANCE NO. 270

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE AN ENFORCING AGENCY TO DISCHARGE THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CITY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT, THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS ORDINANCES:
Section 1. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 9 of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, (Michigan Compiled Laws, Section 125.1509) the building official of the City of St. Johns is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibilities of the City under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, State of Michigan. The City of St. Johns hereby assumes responsibility for the administration and en-

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forcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits.
Section 2. All Ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.
Section 3. This Ordinance shall be effective after legal publication and the passage of twenty (20) days in accordance with law.

PASSED, ORDAINED AND ORDERED PUBLISHED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ST. JOHNS AT A REGULAR MEETING HELD THE 23rd DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D. 1974.
Adoption of the above Ordinance was moved by Commissioner Wilcox and supported by Commissioner Arehart, YEAS: Commissioners Arehart, Ebert, Hannah, Wilcox, Wood. NAYS: Commissioners None.
THE ORDINANCE WAS DECLARED ADOPTED 23-1

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT AND CIRCULATION

(Act of August 12, 1970: Section 3685, Title 39, United States Code)

1. Title of Publication: Clinton County News
2. Date of Filing: Oct. 1, 1973
3. Frequency of Issue: Weekly.
4. Location of Known Office of Publication: 120 E. Walker

TAKE NOTICE: On October 30, 1974, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the allowance of the Final Account of Special Administrators and First Annual Account of Co-Executors.
Dated: September 24, 1974
Ernest Schworer
7450 Williams Road
St. Johns, Michigan
Donald G. Fox
1108 Michigan National Tower
Lansing, Michigan 48933
Attorney for Petitioner:
Hubbard, Fox, Thomas & Born By: Donald G. Fox
1108 Michigan National Tower
Lansing, Michigan 48933
Phone (517) 485-7176 23-1

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Single issue nearest to filing date (Oct. 1, 1974): 5,500
I certify that the statements made by me above are correct and complete.
HAROLD SCHMALTZ,
Publisher

City of St Johns Commission meeting

City Commission Meeting September 9, 1974.
Mayor Wood called the regular meeting of the St. Johns City Commission to order at 7:30 pm.
Comm Present: Arehart, Ebert, Hannah, Wood.
Comm Absent: Wilcox.
Staff Present: Weatherwax, Humphrey, Maples, Vermette.
Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of August 26, 1974 and the special meeting of Sept. 3, 1974 as presented. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Ebert to approve the warrants Motion carried.
Mayor Wood asked for addition or deletions to the agenda as presented.
Several additions were made.
Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Ebert to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried.
Mr. Leland Pertler appeared on behalf of the St. Johns Football Boosters to ask permission to construct a new press box on the football field.
Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Hannah to refer the Football Boosters' request to the Park Board for their consideration. Motion carried.
The City Clerk read a communication from Simon Real Estate and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Roberts offering to sell property at 208 W. Gibbs Street to the City.
Discussion followed concerning the property which would not conform to the St. Johns Zoning Ordinance, as well as no sources of contamination can be built within 100 feet of a municipal water source.
Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Ebert to reject the Roberts' offer for sale of the property at 208 West Gibbs Street. Motion carried.
Traffic Control Order 52-74 was presented for permanent approval.
Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to approve Traffic Control Order 52-74 as permanent. Motion carried.
The City Manager presented the proposed Hubbell, Roth & Clark contract. Discussion followed.
Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Hannah to approve the Hubbell, Roth and Clark contract and further the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to sign said contract. Motion carried.

The City Manager presented the proposed lease between the City and the American Legion Post #153 concerning the Miller parking lot.
Motion by Comm Hannah, supported by Comm Ebert to approve the parking lot lease between the City of St. Johns and Edwin T. Stiles American Legion Post #153 as presented and further to authorize the Mayor and Clerk to sign said lease on behalf of the City. Motion carried.
Comm Hannah asked the City Engineer for his report as requested concerning the storming of dirt on the Cowan property located on the SE corner of US 27 and Townsend Road.
The City Engineer presented a letter from Mr. Laucis, the project engineer on the matter.
The City Attorney stated that as per the contract, the spoils belong to the contractor and therefore all the liabilities for the disbursement of the dirt will be theirs and not the City's.
Comm Ebert stated he wished to reaffirm the City Manager's and City Engineer's authority to work with the Scott Road people in providing drainage outlets at a price not to exceed \$1000.00.
Mrs. Cerny of 308 S. Scott Road appeared to state her desire for the structure and her hope that it would provide a positive outlet for the storm water which accumulates behind their home and further, that it was her intent to, at their expense, run a tile from said rear yard to the catch basin.
The City Engineer then stated that he would instruct the project engineer to make said change.
The City Manager presented the bid received concerning the 1974 street paving from Spartan Asphalt Paving Company.
Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to accept the Spartan Asphalt bid of \$18.40 per ton. Motion carried.
The City Manager presented a payment request submitted by Williams and Works concerning the storm sewer project.
The Manager also presented a speed letter from Williams & Works.
Motion by Comm Arehart, supported by Comm Ebert to accept the payment report and to authorize the payment of said report, as per the engineer's recommendation. Motion carried.
The City Clerk presented an annexation petition from Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Paseka.
Discussion followed and the

City Clerk stated that they had not yet received the release Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to table the Paseka annexation until the next regular City Commission meeting. Motion carried.
Comm Hannah offered and moved for adoption of a resolution concerning Mr. Rex Strine, Commissioner Ebert supported the motion. Motion carried.
Comm Hannah stated he had been approached by various citizens concerned over the backfilling practices of the contractors on the streets of the City in regard to the storm sewer project.
The City Engineer stated he was not aware of any testing, but that the contract called for 95% compaction.
Mr. Laucis, the project Engineer, stated some testing had been done, but his men were busy investigating uncharted and old sewer lines found during construction, they had not been able to conduct other testing methods for compaction.
Engineer Laucis stated that they would however, test in the future if the Commission so desired.
Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart that we ask the project Engineers, Williams & Works, to provide us with a report which can be combined with their regular monthly report of

authorization to purchase the remaining holding ponds.
Motion by Comm Ebert, supported by Comm Arehart to purchase the purchase of the holding pond sites as presented by the Manager. Motion carried.
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what steps they have taken to secure the 95% compaction ration that we asked for in the contract, as well as what steps they plan to take. Motion carried.
Motion by Comm Hannah, supported by Comm Ebert to adjourn. Motion carried.
Mayor Wood declared the meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm.

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State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of CLINTON.
Estate of JULIA ELOISE HOLTON A/K/A JULIE ELOISE HOLTON, Deceased, File No. 19249.
TAKE NOTICE: On Thursday, October 24, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Clinton National Bank & Trust Company, Executor, for allowance of its Final ACCOUNT.
Dated: September 30, 1974.
S/Clinton National Bank & Trust Co.
Petitioner
200 N. Clinton Avenue
St. Johns, Michigan
Attorney for Petitioner:
Robert H. Wood
210 N. Clinton Avenue
St. Johns, Michigan
Phone 224-3238 23-1

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4-H Chatter

County 4-Hers win state 4-H meat judging contest

By JOHN AYLWORTH



COUNTY 4-H'ERS WIN STATE 4-H MEAT JUDGING CONTEST

Clinton County won the State 4-H Meat Judging Contest Saturday, Sept 28 at Michigan State University. The team consisted of Dale Devereaux (Kountry Cousins 4-H Club), Lisa Hicks and Tyann Cobb (Bengal Community). Clinton County was first with 1919 points, Eaton County was second with 1889 points, Washtenau County was third with 1765 points and Leelanau County was fourth with 1704 points.

The contest consisted of judging a class each of beef carcasses, pork carcasses, beef chucks, beef ribs, pork hams, give a set of oral reasons on beef carcasses, beef chucks and pork carcasses, and identify 25 cuts of meat as to specie, wholesale cut and retail cut.

Individually, Dale Devereaux tied for third place with 653 points, Lisa Hicks was fifth with 634 points and Tyann Cobb was sixth with 632 points out of a possible 775 points. There were 21 contestants in the contest. Phil Korson of Leelanau County was first with 678 points, Kevin Good of Eaton County was second with 655 points and Kathy Baldus of Washtenau County tied for third with 653 points.

The top four individual scorers Phil Korson, Kevin Good, Dale Devereaux and Kathy Baldus will participate in the National 4-H Meat Judging Contest Oct 16 at Kansas City, Missouri. Since Lisa Hicks and Tyann Cobb were not 14 years of age by Jan 1, they will not be eligible for the National Contest and Paul Jackson of Eaton County with 621 points will be the fifth individual to go to National Contest.

GLASS COLLECTION

The Sept 4-H Glass Collection amounted to 12,780# of glass bottles recycled into new products bring the glass project total to date to 692,280# of recycled glass bottles over a four-year operation.

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OPENS MON., OCT. 7

is Saturday, Oct 5 when the Olive 4-H Projects club will handle this project.

IT'S A "BIGGIE"

The 4-H Pumpkin & Sunflower Contest had a record pumpkin this year with a 131½ pound



pumpkin owned by Virginia Bozong from the Fowler Helping Hands 4-H Club. Second place in the big pumpkin contest went to Brian Batara of Elsie 4-Corners with a pumpkin weighing 86½# and third place went to Carrie Barrett of Prairie 4-H Club with a pumpkin weighing 78½#. A total of 36 entries were entered in the contest.

The top 3 sunflower exhibitors were 1st - Annette Faivor (Green Acres) 20½", tied for 2nd - Dan Halstead (Bengal Community) 20" and Ed Faivor (Green Acres) 20". A total of 48 entries were entered in the contest.

The decorated pumpkin contest drew 12 entries with many members using creative and original ideas as they decorated the pumpkins in front of the group in a 15 minute period. The winners were 1st Brian VanVleet, 2nd Annette Irish and 3rd Terrie Speer all from Green Acres 4-H Club.

A new area started last year was the food items made with

pumpkin. A total of 11 entries were entered with Pam Roberts - Elsie 4 Corners placing 1st with pumpkin squares, 2nd was Leslie Vermeersch - Green Acres with pumpkin bread and 3rd went to Denise Halstead -

Bengal Community with pumpkin cookies. After the contest, the audience had the opportunity to sample the different food items. All contestants received a ribbon for participating in the program. Winners in the four areas placing 1st received \$5, 2nd received \$3, and 3rd received \$2.

NEW MEMBERS

The Happy Hustlers 4-H club members had sign up for the winter program with a large number of new members. Kathy Goff gave a demonstration on making center pieces. Marilyn Rice - 4-H Youth Program Assistant, spoke about national 4-H Week Promotion October 6-12 at the Lansing and Meridian Mall where some of the Arts and Craft members would have some of their exhibits on display. Mrs Hugh Banninga told what some of the members would be doing this winter in crafts. Mrs Albert Schaefer is the organizational leader of the club.

Cow is tops

ST JOHNS - A cow owned by a St Johns dairyman has qualified for listing among the Michigan Dairy Herd Improvement Association's exclusive "Milk Top Twenty" high producers for the month of August.

Richard Feldpausch's 23-month-old Holstein cow, with the barn number 125, has completed her 305 MLE lactation record with 25,073 pounds of milk, 776 pounds of butterfat and a 3.1 test. This is truly an

outstanding record as compared to the state-wide Holstein Breed average of 13,774 pounds of milk and 498 pounds of butterfat.

Feldpausch has his herd enrolled in the DHIA testing program and is supervised by Steve Thelen of St Johns.

They work in cooperation with James Pelham, Clinton County Extension Agent, and Michigan DHIA, Inc.

ASCS reports on fuel, fertilizer outlook

Fuel supplies for agriculture have been adequate during the busy summer months, according to Walter Wittenbach, chairman of the Michigan State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

This adequate supply situation is expected to continue for the coming months. Reports from local fuel distributors indicate that they have sufficient fuel supplies to generally fill their customer orders. Wittenbach pointed out that gasoline supplies did not drop to

the critical levels during the summer months that had been earlier predicted. This, in turn, has provided an adequate supply of gasoline for agriculture and other categories of end-users. Attention is now being directed to supplies of natural gas and propane for crop drying.

With a normal amount of fair weather during the harvest period, Wittenbach predicts that supplies of crop drying fuels will be adequate.

However, there are a number of factors which could change the crop drying demand. Much of the corn in Michigan is behind schedule in maturing. Therefore, an early killing frost or continued wet weather could significantly increase the moisture content of the corn crop. This could increase the fuel requirement as much as 50 to 75%.

Assistance in obtaining fuels will be available through local ASCS offices. Farmers having difficulties obtaining an

adequate fuel supply should contact the ASCS office before they actually run out.

Although natural gas distribution does not fall under the Petroleum Allocation Regulations, assistance will be available in resolving natural gas shortages.

Wittenbach said fertilizer supplies are expected to be tight for the coming crop year. Fertilizer companies are working to increase their in-

ventories, but are not expected to catch up with the total demand for 1975.

Government officials are now reviewing plans to deregulate the price of natural gas. This would increase the amount available as an input for fertilizer production.

Fertilizer prices are expected to remain at relatively high levels for 1975.

Extension Calendar

- Oct 3 - Bill Bickert, Agricultural Engineer and dairy structures specialist, available for consultation with farmers.
- Oct 4-5 - Bicycle Workshop for 4-H Leaders - Ketunen Center
- Oct 6-12 - National 4-H Week
- Oct 8 - County Farm Bureau Annual Meeting - Smith Hall
- Oct 9 - Family Living Council Meeting - Central National Bank, 9:30 am
- Oct 9 - Family Living Program, German Cookery, Smith Hall, 1 pm
- Oct 10 - Gaylord Beef Feeder Sale
- Oct 15 - Alpena Beef Feeder Sale
- Oct 15 - Family Living Christmas Workshop Meeting, Central National Bank, 9:00 am
- Oct 16 - West Branch Beef Feeder Sale
- Oct 18 - Baldwin Beef Feeder Sale
- Oct 16-17 - Managing for Profit Workshop-for managers in industry and business-Central National Bank, 8:30-5:00
- Oct 17: General 4-H Leaders Meeting, 8 pm, Smith Hall
- Oct 21: 4-H Fair Association Annual Meeting, 8 pm, Smith Hall
- Oct 23: Clothing Pattern Alteration Workshop, 7:30 pm, Smith Hall
- Oct 24: 4-H Leaders Recognition Banquet, 7 pm, Smith Hall
- Oct 28 - Family Living Council Meeting - Introducing CHICS - 7:30 pm, Smith Hall
- Oct 30-Nov 1 - Annual Conference for Extension Agents
- Nov 18-19 - Income Tax School for Practitioners, Hospitality Inn, East Lansing-Repeated Dec 9 & 10.
- Nov 19, 26 & Dec 3 - Farm Estate Planning and Operating Agreements Workshop First Meeting at Smith Hall. Others at Central National Bank.

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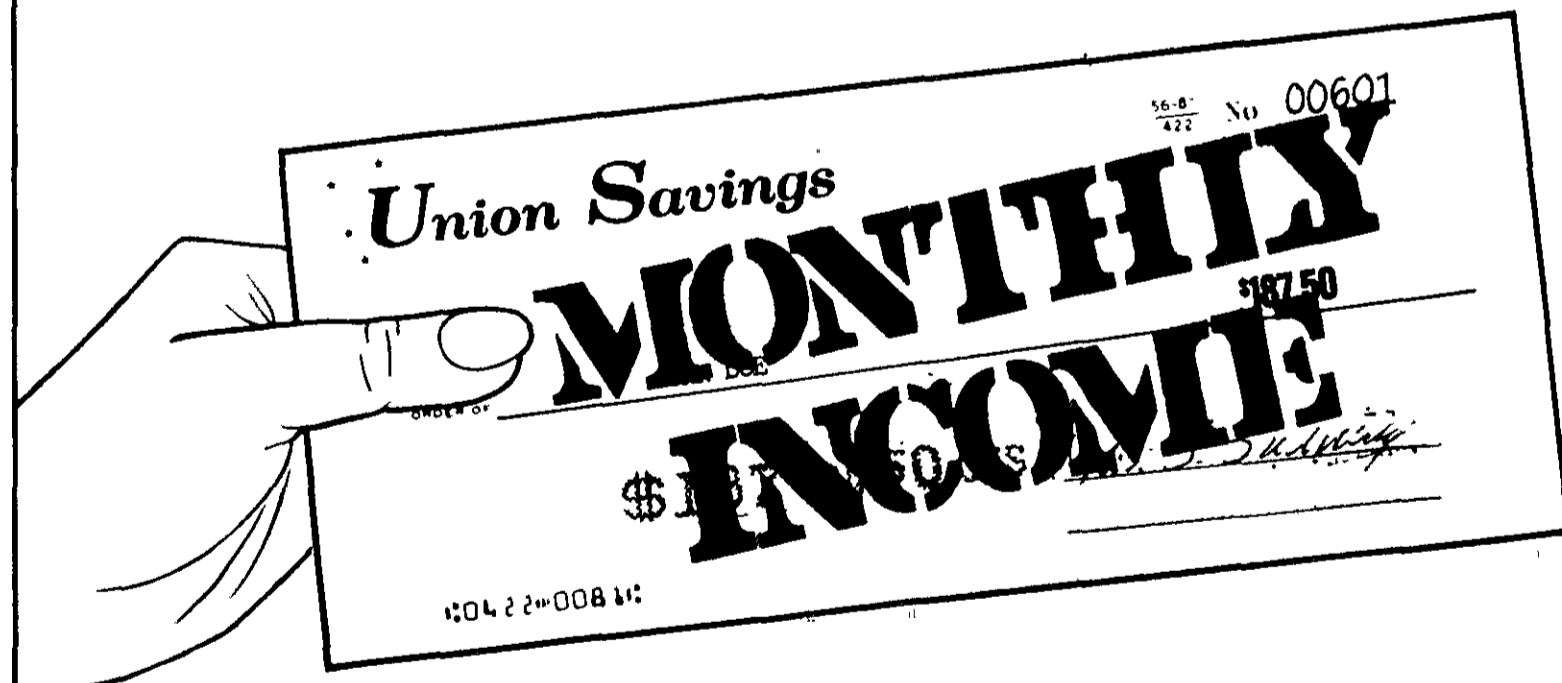
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- 721 HUSK BED
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- 762 CORN HEAD
- 600 GEHL CHOPPER

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- I.H.C. 46 BALER w/ejector
- N.I. HAY CONDITIONER
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- N.I. 254 MOWER

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- N.I. 327 HUSK BED
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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.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Averill M. Carson Minister

Thursday October 3
6:30 pm General Fellowship Potluck
Saturday October 5
12:30 pm Junior Choir Rehearsal
1:00 pm Children's Choir Rehearsal
Sunday October 6
9:45 am Church School
11:00 am Morning Worship
7:30 pm Doublets

Tuesday October 8
6:30 pm Linda Scott Division Wilcox Hall
Wednesday October 9
8:45 pm Boy Scout Troop 8
8:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
SUSAN & E. Baldwin
Joseph F. Eger Jr. Pastor

10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Worship
4:30 pm Youth Service
7:30 pm Sunday Evening
7:00 pm Wednesday second and fourth WMC
7:30 pm Wednesday evening service

PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Donald B. Boyd
Pastor

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

SOUTH RILEY BIBLE CHURCH
Willard Parriet, Pastor
Located 1/2 mile east of Francis Road on Chaswick Road

10 am - Sunday School
10 am - Sunday School
11 am - Worship Service

HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Sunday School
Worship 9 a.m.
10:30 a.m.

Fowler Area
ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Fowler
H.E. Rowson Pastor

9:30 am Worship
10:30 am Sunday School and Bible Class

MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor
Saturday Evening Mass - 4:30, 7:00 o'clock pm
Sunday Masses 6:30, 8:30, 10:30 am
Holy Days - Holy Day Eve, 4:30 pm to 7:00 o'clock pm
Holy Days - 9:30 & 8:30 am
Sorrowful Mother Novena - During school year 7:30 pm, summer months 8:00 o'clock pm
Sacrament of Penance - Saturdays 3:30 to 4:00 o'clock pm and after 7:00 o'clock pm mass
1st Fridays - Thursday from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm 2:30 to 4:30 pm & 7:30 pm until all are heard
Baptism - Sundays at 12:30 pm by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
200 East State Street
St. Johns Michigan 48879
Francis Carl Johnson Minister

Church School 9:30 am
Worship Service 11 am

Wednesday October 2
Prayer and Praise 8:00 pm
Everyone welcome

Friday October 4
Pizza Sale 9:30-11:30 pm
Senior Hi UMF - You may call the church 224-7226 to order your pizza and have it delivered.

Sunday October 6
World Communion Sunday and Confirmation Day
Monday October 7
Pastor Parish Committee Meets 7:30 pm
Tuesday October 8
UMW Guntland family night Potluck UMW West Michigan Conference Annual Meeting in Grand Rapids MI 9:30 pm

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall
1800 North Lansing St

Tuesday 7:30 pm Congregation Book Studies Text studied "The Nations Shall Know That I Am Jehovah - How?"
Thursday 7:30 pm Theocratic Ministry School - Texts Used "Bible" and "Aid to Bible Understanding" 8:30 pm Service Meeting
Sunday 9:30 am Public Lecture - Given by Qualified Representative of the Watchtower Bible and Tract Society
Watchtower Study Current issue of the "Watchtower" magazine studies
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ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner US 27 and Webb Road
Rev. Glenn V. Calvey Jr. Vicar
Residence 669-3907
Church 669-3907

First & Third Sundays
Morning Prayer 9 am
Second & Fourth Sundays
Holy Communion 9 am

Elsie Area
ELSIE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. David Litchfield Minister

9:30 am Morning Worship
10:30 am Sunday School Supt. Merle Baele

DUPAIN METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. David Litchfield Minister
10 am Sunday School Supt. Kenneth Kiger
11 am Worship Service

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
South US 27
Paul A. Travis Pastor

9:45 am Bible School
10:30 am Church School
11 am Children's Church
6 pm IN TIME and OUT TIME
7 pm Evening Worship
8:00 pm Church Training
7:00 pm Evening Worship
Each Wed 7 pm The Hour of Power for the whole family 8 pm Choir practice
8:00 pm Choir Practice
First Sunday Communion Service
First Tuesday Deacon Meeting
Second Tuesday Ladies Missionary Circle
Mon-Fri Moments of Meditation 9:15 am Radio WRBJ
Church office hours
9:12 & 12 Mon thru Fri

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD
Corner of N 21 and DeWitt Rd
Phone 224-7190

9:45 am Church School 11:00 am
Worship Service 7:00 pm Evening Worship
8:00 pm Youth Fellowship 1st and 2nd Sunday of the month
Wednesday 7:45 pm Family Bible Study

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
518 North Lansing Street
Rev. Kenneth Anderson
Phone 224-7850

10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Worship
6:15 pm Young People's Service
7:00 pm Evening Worship
Wednesday 7:30 pm Bible Study and prayer hour

VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH
241 E. State Rd
Lansing

9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Worship Service
5:30 pm Youth Groups Beginning with the 4th Grade
7:00 pm Evening Service
WEDNESDAY
7:00 pm Prayer Service

SOUTH DEWITT CHURCH
2931 Herbolson beside DeWitt High School
Minister Dr. James Girdwood
Tel 669-5000 or 626-6006

9:20 am Bible School
10:30 am Morning Worship
Communion Week
6:30 pm Youth Groups
7:30 pm Evening Worship
Wednesday
7:30 pm Hour of Power Prayer and Bible Study
Thursday
7:30 pm Calling Program

Matherton Area
MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH
11 am Church School
2:00 pm Sunday School
3:00 pm Worship Service

WACOSTA COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Edward F. Otto pastor
Phone 626-6622

Morning Worship 10 am
Church School 11:15 am
Jr and Sr Hi Y F 6:00 pm
Choir 7:30 pm
Youth Church Thursday 6:45 pm
Chancel Choir Wednesday 7:30 pm
WCSA Noon Meetings every 3rd Wednesday
WCSA Noon Meeting every 1st Wednesday
Council on Ministries every 2nd Wednesday at 7:30
Administrative Board 4th Monday of every 3rd month

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner of Mead and Walker
Rectory 406 E Walker
Phone 224-2800
Office 224-2855

1974 Schedule
Every Sunday 8 am Holy Communion
2nd & 4th Sunday 10 am Holy Communion and sermon
Other Sundays 10 am Morning Prayer and sermon
Nursery & church school 10 am for nursery through 6th
Every Monday eve 7 pm Spiritual Healing Service
1st 3rd Mondays 7 pm Senior Citizens 2d & 4th Tuesdays Noon Senior Citizens
Every Tuesday morning and evening weight watchers
2d Wednesday 1:30 pm Family Planning Clinic
1st & 3rd Wed morning OEO Nutrition Class
Every other Wed evening 7:30 Cadeit Girl Scouts

Every 4th Thursday Jaycees 8 pm
Every Thursday 8 pm AA Men
Every Friday 3:15 pm Brownies

FREL METHODIST CHURCH
308 Church Street
Phone 224-2149

Robert Bentley Minister
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Worship
6:00 pm Evening Worship
Prayer service as announced

SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
L 27 and County Line Rd
Pastor Paul R. Jones
Phone 224-7706

Parsonage & Office 2020 E. Maple Rapids Rd Eureka

Sunday
9:00 am Church School
10:00 am Church School
7:30 pm WCSA Third Thursday each month

VALLEY FARMS UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Rev. Neil Bollinger Pastor
185 E State Rd
Phone 489-1705

9:30 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Worship
7:30 pm Sunday evening Evangelistic Wednesday 7:30 pm Youth service
Thursdays 7:30 pm Bible Study
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2 miles west on Church Road
Hector V. Hill Pastor

8:00 am Church School
10:30 am Morning Worship
9:15 am Sunday School and Bible Classes
Holy Communion first Sundays of the month at 8 am, third Sundays of the month at 10:30 am

Bath Area
BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Charles Keith
9:45 am Church School
11:00 am Worship
7:00 pm Bible Study

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH
Rev. Richard Cole Pastor
11:00 am Church School
6:30 pm Youth Fellowship
7:30 pm Evening Service
Midweek service on Wednesday 7:30 pm

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF 147TH DAY SAINTS
Corner Upton and Sull Rd
Elder Jerry Baird
Sunday School 10 am Preaching service 11 am
Choir Practice Wed 6:30 pm
Mid Week Prayer Service Wed 7:30 pm
Everyone welcome

CHURCH OF CHRIST OF ST. JOHNS
400 E. State
John Phelps Minister

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
5:30 pm Youth Fellowship
7:00 pm Evening Service
Wed 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting
Call 224-6421 for more information

WYANDOTTE ADVENTIST
1003 Oakland
Elder E.F. Herzel Pastor
Services held on Saturdays
9:15 am Church Service
10:30 am Sabbath School Service

WEST PHILADELPHIA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Corner of Parks and Grove Rd
Rev. Brian K. Sheen Minister
9:30 am Worship Service
10:45 am Church School

Ovid Area
THE UNITED CHURCH OF OVID
West Front Street
Rev. Claude B. Ridley Jr. Pastor
Worship Service 10 am
Church School 11 am
Nursery service for all children up to 2nd grade

WESLEYAN HOLINESS CHURCH
127 1/2 William St Ovid
Rev. Loyd Keely
10 am Sunday School and Morning Worship
Sunday Evening 7:30 pm
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meetings

Fulton Area
FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
1/2 mile east of Perrinton on W 56 1/2 mile south
Rev. L. H. Shunk Pastor

9:45 am Sunday School
11 am Church School
7:30 pm Morning Worship
7:00 pm Youth Service
7:45 pm Thursday Prayer and praise service

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Pewamo Michigan
Rev. Dr. Walker
1630 Torition Drive Fonta
Sundays 10:30 am Morning Worship 7:00 pm United Methodist Youth Fellowship
WCSA meets 4th Thursday of the month at 2 pm

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. William G. Hanker Pastor
Rev. Raymond Goehring Associate Pastor
Rectory - 108 Linden St - Ph 224-3313
Convent - 110 S Oakland - Ph 224-3789
School - 201 E Cass - Ph 224-2421

Mass Schedule
Saturdays Evening 7 pm
Sundays 7:30 9:30 10:30 and 12
Holy Days See bulletin
Weekdays 8:30 am and 7 pm
Sacrament of Penance Saturdays 3:30 to 5 pm after 7 pm Mass until 8:30 pm
Weekday evenings a few minutes before evening Mass

First Fridays - Sacrament of Penance
Thursdays from 4 to 5 pm and after the evening Mass until all are heard
Mass and prayers of Adoration at 7 pm Holy Communion on Friday at 8 and 7:15 am
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Thursdays 7 pm on First Friday after evening Mass
Devotions - Our Mother of P. spiritual Help Novena after 7:15 pm Mass each Tuesday

Religious Instruction Classes - Adult Inquiry Class Tuesdays at 8 pm High School CCD Wednesdays at 7:30 pm Public Grade School CCD Tuesdays from 4 until 6 pm
Baptisms - Each Sunday at 1:30 by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment

DeWitt Area
WYANDOTTE ADVENTIST
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Services held on Saturdays
9:15 am Church Service
10:30 am Sabbath School Service

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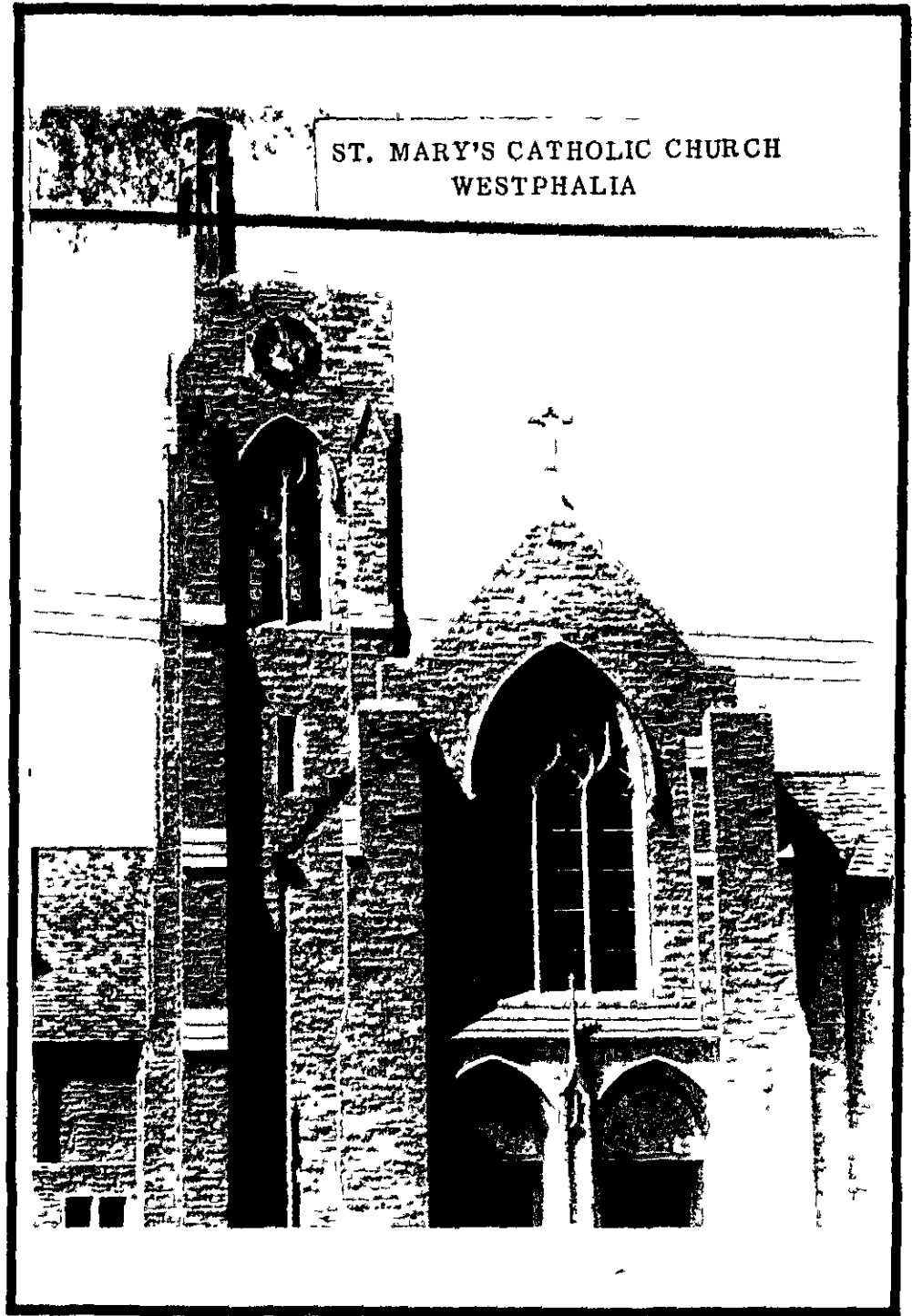
Gunnisonville Area
GUNNISONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Clark and Wood Roads
Rev. Paul Scholten, Minister
9:30 am Church School
10:45 am Sunday School

WESTPHALIA AREA
ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Westphalia
Rev. Father James Bohanick
Rev. James J. Schmitt, Administrator
Phone 224-4281

Saturday Night Masses 4:30 & 7:00 pm
Sunday Masses 8:00, 9:30, 10:30, 11:30 am
Weekdays Monday & Friday 7:15 & 11:30 am
Tuesday & Thursday 7:15 & 8:30 am
Wednesday 7:15 & 7:30 pm
Holydays 6:30, 7:15 & 11:30 am, 7:30 pm
Wednesday Evening Mass 7:30 pm

Westphalia Area
ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Westphalia
Rev. Father James Bohanick
Rev. James J. Schmitt, Administrator
Phone 224-4281

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Sunday Masses 8:00, 9:30, 10:30, 11:30 am
Weekdays Monday & Friday 7:15 & 11:30 am
Tuesday & Thursday 7:15 & 8:30 am
Wednesday 7:15 & 7:30 pm
Holydays 6:30, 7:15 & 11:30 am, 7:30 pm
Wednesday Evening Mass 7:30 pm



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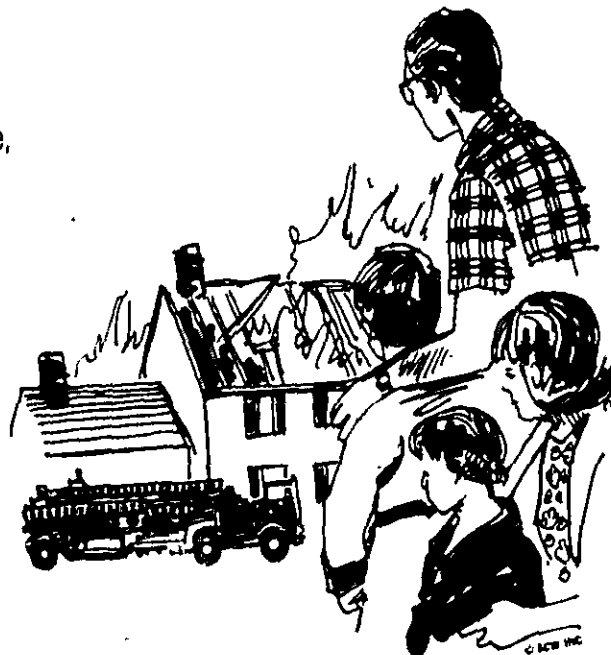
Develop a Home Escape Plan. Hold a practice fire drill. Then continue to practice until each member of the family knows exactly what to do. Your local fire station will be glad to help you.

Learn how to call your fire department. Can you call from a neighbor's house? Is there a pay phone nearby? Where is the closest street alarm box?

Home fire extinguishers can help put out small fires and get you safely out of a burning building. But don't take any chances-get your family out of the fire and always call the Fire Department-even if you think you've extinguished the blaze.

Know your exits. Provide ways to get to the ground from each room in the house. Try to provide at least two exits from each room. To help contain possible fire and smoke, sleep with all doors closed.

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PREVENTION WEEK
OCTOBER 6-12

Bill's Column Economic future

By WILLIAM LASHER
Extension Agriculture Agent

For all their prosperity, the US 3 million farmers could find themselves in worse shape than ever before. Three years ago farmers owed some \$62 million for an average indebtedness of \$21,000. By the end of this year, the figure will increase about 50% to \$95 million and the average farmer will owe more than \$33,000. While farm profits this

year will be double what they were in the sixties, many farmers are perishing of prosperity. What is happening? Why should farmers be sinking

deeper and deeper in debt at a time when farm prices are high? The reason is inflation and scarcity. The cost of staying in business has risen so fast, it cannot be financed out of profits. Farmers have to run to the banks.

This year's drought has only increased the situation. The price of things the farmer must buy has risen at a terrible rate. Fertilizer is up almost 100% in a year, machinery 15%, interest 14%, and crop land 25%. Worse, substantial increases are expected across the board. All this requires financing.

As the cost of producing crops almost doubled during the last few years, many farmers were compelled to borrow \$100,000 to \$200,000 to stay in business. Many are winning big; but many are also losing big.

Potato and cotton farmers are driving around in new cars; but some cattle, poultry and dairy farmers are hitchhiking to town to look for work.

Everywhere the farmer turns is uncertainly. Not just the old worries about too much or too little rain, but questions about fertilizer shortages, exports, interest rates, rail car shortages, and volatile commodity prices.

It used to be commodity markets went up and down 25 cents a week, now they go up and down \$1 to \$3 a day.

Haunted by memories of foreclosures in the thirties, the average US farmer has been an extremely cautious borrower until recently. But today a 600 acre farm, which is some what larger than average, requires about \$850,000 in capital. By 1980 it will require over \$1 million. Farmers will have to borrow like it or not.

Still about half the farmers have no debt to speak of. But the other half are plunging into debt, spurred both by necessity and by dreams of ever higher grain prices. The heavily leveraged farmer, particularly newcomers and the larger corporate operators, are leaving themselves little room to maneuver if farm receipts suddenly sour rather than soar.

Agricultural Economist Gary Benjamin of the Federal Reserve Bank warns: "Farmers haven't faced a really bad year carrying this kind of debt load. Right now many farmers are being gripped by a severe cost-price squeeze, and it could get worse."

In agriculture a good many people seem to be going broke, not because business is bad, but because it is too good. Which is another way of saying that inflationary prosperity is illusionary prosperity. *Adapted from Forbes, Sept 15.

Chloe's Column LUV Part II

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Clinton County Home Economist



LUV-Part II

My column on LUV prompted Ann Lyon, therapist at the Mental Health Center, to contact me. LUV, according to Mrs Lyon, is the name of a new volunteer program. St. Johns' LUV stands for Listening-Understanding Volunteers.

It has long been a hope of Mrs Helen Johnson, recently retired from her position with the juvenile court. Through her extensive experience with young people, she felt there was a need for this program. Last spring she and Mrs Lyon began planning.

They envisioned a situation with one volunteer working with one youth - a one-to-one relationship.

LUV aims to reach persons 17 years old and younger. Several agencies are referring potential participants.

Included are the Mental Health Center, Common Ground Crisis Center, juvenile

court and other law enforcement agencies. Parents and other community members also make referrals.

Potential volunteers are asked to complete written applications. A screening process, including a personal interview, then takes place. Persons of all ages are welcome to apply.

Each volunteer is asked to commit one year to the program. Spending a minimum of one hour a week with a young person is requested. How that time is spent is up to the volunteer and the youth.

There are about ten volunteers presently enrolled. They have attended orientation meetings. Monthly follow-up sharing sessions will also be held.

LUV's ultimate goal is to have a preventative program. It wants to reach kids before they get into trouble. Eventually it hopes to have similar programs in each corner of the county.

A young person who has no one to whom to turn for understanding or for taking the time to listen is a potentially troubled young person. If left alone, they may never learn that the world need not be a frightening, lonely place. And these misguided youth of today can become the misguided adults of tomorrow.

The volunteer can play a part in stopping that process by offering a special kind of relationship - a relationship that says someone cares. What about you?

Chairperson of LUV is Helen Johnson (Phone 224-2105). Andy Ellis (Phone 224-6395) is serving as co-chairperson. You're invited to contact either Mrs Johnson or Mrs Ellis for more information.

Here's your opportunity to really help a young person. You can give what no one else can - an hour or 2 a week of your time.

DeWitt Twp Minutes

Synopsis of the regular meeting of the DeWitt Township Board held on September 23, 1974 at the Township Hall, 780 E. Wieland Road, Lansing, Michigan.

A public hearing for streetlights for Country Meadows Estates Subdivision was held between the hours of 7:00 pm and 9:00 pm.

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

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

The meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The only public comments were regarding the cleanup of the sewer contractor.

The Fire Committee minutes and the fire report were given by Pine. Chief Fancher was given permission to attend the field day at Eaton Rapids. A contract for the use of the hydrants in the City of Lansing will be available around the first of the year.

The Parks and Recreation Commission minutes were reviewed.

The Transportation Committee minutes and final review check list for Phase II of the sewer system were reviewed.

The Police activity report was given by Corr. The Committee minutes were reviewed. Specs have been sent out to dealers for new cars. The Police Department will conduct a study of all Township roads for missing traffic control signs and recommendation for changes in speed limits.

The Buildings Needs Committee minutes were given by Pine. They recommended that a modular unit be purchased for the Police Department and minor changes made to the Township Hall. Plans and specs will be drawn up for the modular unit. Bids will be opened at the first meeting in October.

Voted to remove the Meierson contract from the agenda, deny the request for a lot split from

Clayton Corp, not to contribute to AMTRAC and have the attorney draft and obtain a model ordinance for hardship deferred

tap-in fee payment. Adopted a resolution not to collect the 1% collection fee. The attorney will get with the City of Lansing about an agreement for sewer service for residents on Sheridan Road. The Clerk's quarterly report was reviewed.

Adopted a resolution to have streetlights installed in Country Meadows Estates. A portion of Country Meadows Estates has been accepted into the sewer system. There was a discussion about the new State Construction Code. Further checking will be done before a code is adopted.

Adjournment at 10:21 pm. Respectfully submitted, Donna B Syverson, Clerk. Approved by Dale S. Emerson, Supervisor.

Informed planting attracts wildlife

Landowners who like wildlife can attract animals and birds to their backyards or rural acres by planting shrubs and trees that provide necessary food and cover.

"There are a number of plants suitable to Michigan soils that provide beauty, attract birds and wildlife and don't require extensive care," says Dr Robert George, extension environmental conservation specialist at Michigan State University.

"The best plants are those that produce nuts and berries that wildlife eat," explains George. "Especially good are those that provide food in late winter and early spring when supplies are usually short."

Two shrubs highly recommended by conservation experts for erosion control and wildlife are autumn olive and multiflora rose. Planted as hedges or screens with room to spread in sunny locations, they provide excellent food, cover and travel lanes for songbirds, grouse, pheasants, quail and rabbits. Their red fruits serve as food from early fall well into winter.

In moist ground, especially near a lake or stream, several species of dogwood and viburnum planted in groups will stabilize the soil and produce food for wildlife. These medium-high (8-10 ft) plants include silky dogwood, redosier dogwood, gray dogwood,

nannyberry, viburnum, arrowwood viburnum and high-bush cranberry. Their fruits provide food for songbirds and small game and their twigs are browsed by deer and rabbits.

"Other plants tolerant of moist soil and considered excellent food sources for game and birds are common elderberry, Juneberry and common winterberry," says George. "These plants will grow medium-tall and require little care in a natural environment."

For drier soils, the MSU conservationist recommends Staghorn sumac, fragrant sumac, Tatarian honeysuckle, wild plum, buffaloberry and Indian current. Vines such as American bittersweet, Virginia creeper and wild grape produce food for more than 100 species of song and game birds, as well as rabbits, raccoons, squirrels, opossum and foxes.

Among fruit-producing trees attractive for the landscape and valuable to wildlife, George lists the Sargent crab apple, Siberian crab apple, European mountain ash, American mountain ash, Washington hawthorn and pin cherry. All will grow on a variety of soils and will hold their fruit well into winter.

"In addition to the berried plants, nut-bearing trees such as black walnut, red oak and shagbark hickory are also important," says George.

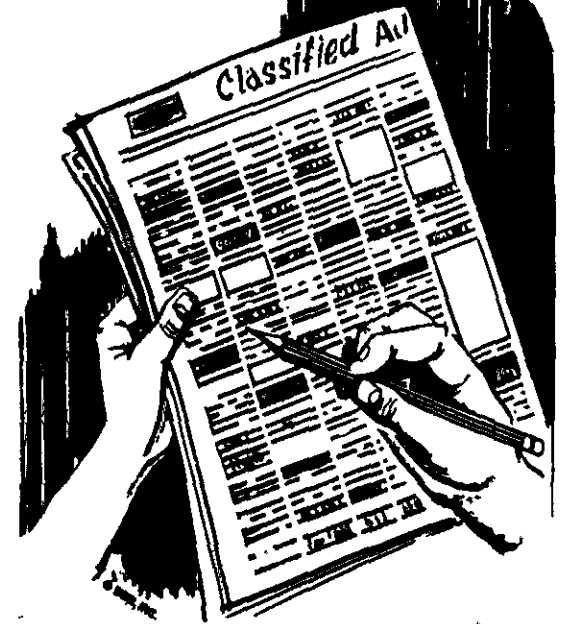
He notes that several evergreens, particularly white and red pine, Norway and white spruce, jack and Scotch pine, northern white cedar, prostrate juniper and ground hemlock provide good cover, nesting sites, and winter food as well.

Persons who wish to plant trees or shrubs to attract wildlife should contact their local nursery, soil conservation district office or county extension office to determine which species are best suited to their property.

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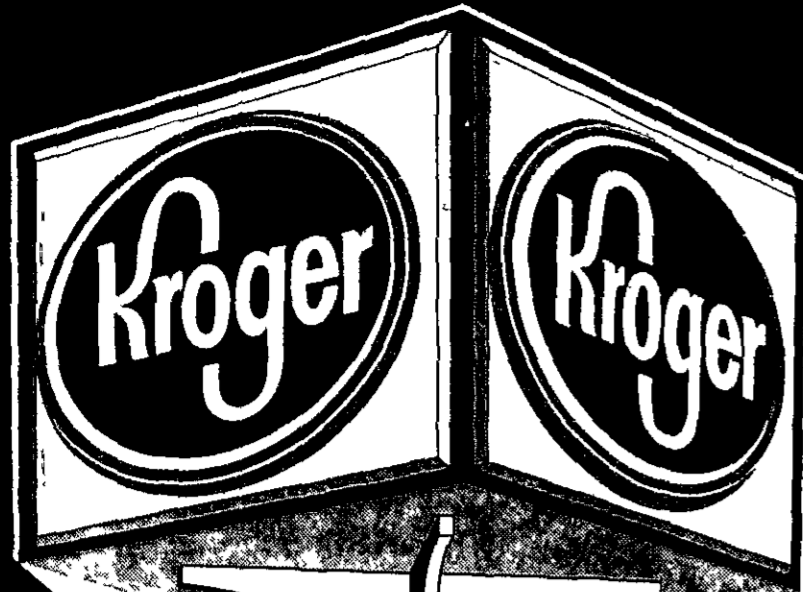
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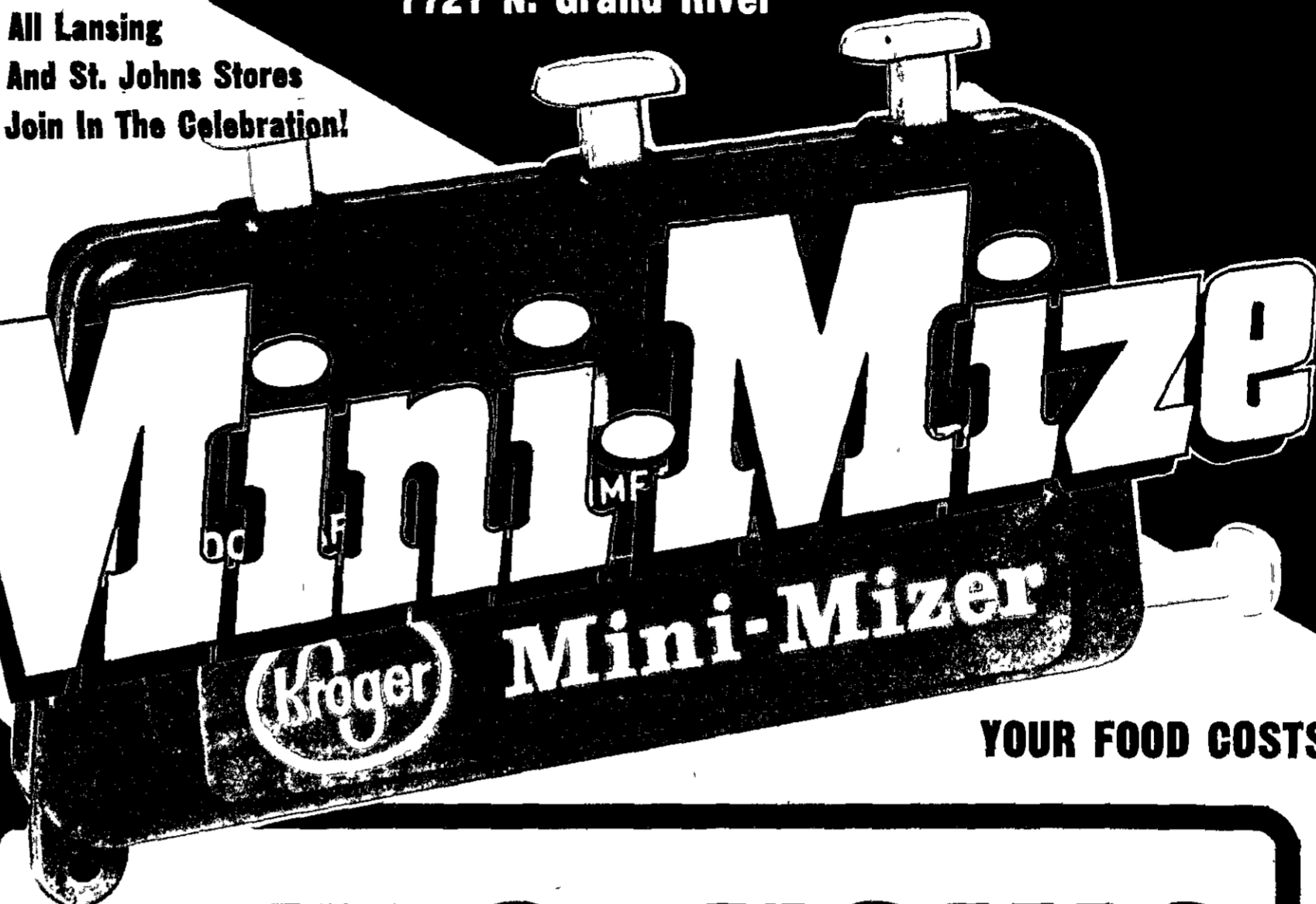


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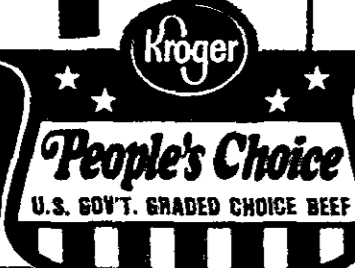
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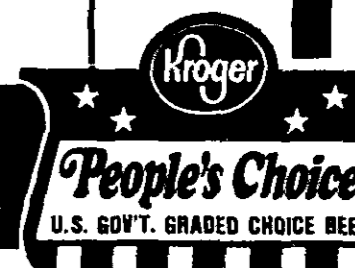
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