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## Moonlight Madness—then and now

St. Johns area shoppers, struck by Moonlight Madness, in this photo from the past, flock to Clinton Avenue to admire the new-model cars of the 1950s. This year, shoppers will be able to examine the 1976 model cars on Oct. 15 from noon until 9 p.m. while about 25 downtown merchants will offer enticing specials to shoppers from 6:30 until 9 p.m. during Moonlight Madness sponsored by the St. Johns area Chamber of Commerce.

## Citizens group will ask County Board not to approve millage

DEWITT TWP. — A DeWitt Twp. citizens' group is looking for a standing room only crowd at Tuesday's County Board of Commissioners' meeting when the board

will consider millage requests from county governmental units. The citizens' group, led by Joan Calder, plans to tell the board not to approve the township's millage request because: 1. they

## County seeks crop damage relief funds

Heavy rainfall in late August and early September caused millions of dollars of damage to county crops. To offset this loss, the County Emergency Board, chaired by Peter Lodico, head of the federal Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, is asking Gov. William Milliken to have President Ford, through the federal Farmers Home Administration, declare Clinton County a disaster area. If the board is successful, the county could be given federal disaster relief funds that some 16 Michigan counties, including Gratiot County, have already been earmarked for.

At the Sept. 30 County Board of Commissioners' meeting, Lodico told the board that county farmers had lost 12,000 acres of dry, edible beans, about 80-90 per cent of the total acreage planted; 38,000 acres of soybeans, about 25 per cent of the total; 76,000 acres of corn, about 20 per cent of the total, and 35,000 acres of alfalfa, about 25 per

cent of the total. Money wise, dry bean loss amounted to about \$1.9 million, soybeans, \$1.8 million, corn \$3.5 million and alfalfa, \$1.7 million.

Lodico cautioned the board that county farmers could find it more difficult getting the federal funds this year. In the past, Lodico said, a farmer only needed to prove he had lost 10 per cent of a particular crop; this year, he must show that 20 per cent of a given crop was lost and he must also prove he can't get any loans locally.

Lodico also listed some interesting figures about the Aug. 20 to Sept. 15 rain. Between Aug. 20 and Aug. 30, some areas in the county were hit with 11 inches of rain. Other areas, Lodico said, were pelted with 7 inches of rain in the first 3 days. Because of the rain storms, Lodico added that county farmers will be delayed this year in planting their winter wheat.

## St. Johns woman leader in welfare reform drive

LANSING — Support continues to build all around the state for a petition drive and Capitol rally for laws to control welfare fraud and waste. Local leader in the effort is Henrietta Teare of St. Johns, who has been circulating petitions and encouraging the area citizens to go to the Lansing rally.

The rally is scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 15, in front of the State Capitol in Lansing. The outdoor meeting will begin at noon, with several legislative leaders of the reform effort speaking to the group. Participants will be encouraged to go into the Capitol and meet with legislators, and "lobby" for effective reform bills which have been bottled up in committee since early this year.

Some of the sponsors of those bills, particularly State Senator Robert Young of Saginaw and Senate Minority Leader

Robert Davis of Gaylord, decided to launch the petition-rally effort when their attempts to get the bills moving were frustrated.

Area coordinator, Mrs. Teare, said there's no way to predict how many people will respond to the call to go to Lansing to seek action. But there are strong indications of support throughout the state, and she is optimistic about the success of the effort. "The big problem, of course, is that we have to have the rally during the week while the legislature's in session, and many people who support us just can't get away. But the very inconvenience of it all, we hope, will show just how serious Michigan people are about this issue," she said.

Additional information on the Capitol rally and petition drive is available by contacting Mrs. Teare at 600 S. Oakland in St. Johns, or by calling 224-2917.

feel they have more than the required 10 percent of the township property owners' names on petitions asking for a referendum on the police and fire assessment, 2. they feel the special assessment district is unconstitutional because they say the 1 additional mill the assessment calls for would put the township millage over the 15.6 limit set by the Michigan Constitution. According to the state constitution, governmental units cannot levy more than 15.6 mills without the approval of the voters.

The citizens are at odds with the Township Board of Trustees, particularly, with Township Clerk Donna Syverson, because she told them they couldn't hand in petitions asking for a referendum after Sept. 15.

The reason, she said, is because Township Attorney J. Richard Robinson told her that Sept. 15 was the deadline for any petitions because that's when the township has to spread the taxes on the roll in order to get the statements out to township residents in December.

On Sept. 15, Mrs. Syverson said that out of 5,266 property owners listed on the township assessment roll, only 423 had signed petitions calling for a referendum on the special assessment for fire and only 412 signed for police.

The citizens, according to their Attorney, William Jackson, don't agree with the township's Sept. 15 deadline and Jackson said they have until Tuesday's Board of Commissioners' meeting.

Mrs. Calder said on Monday they have now turned in enough signatures and also said her group has received \$200 in contributions to help defray the legal costs.

The squabble over the special assessment started this past summer when the Township Board of Trustees created the special assessment district to make up for an expired mill that had been divided evenly for police and fire.

Many citizens who attended the public hearings on the assessment weren't so much against the 1 mill, but were upset because they wouldn't be able to say yes or no at the polls if the special assessment district replaced the millage election process.

This led to the challenge and while the citizens group is maintaining the 1 mill the assessment is asking for its unconstitutional, they are finding that township officials have a different version of the story.

Mrs. Syverson has said the township meets the state constitutional requirements because the special assessment is specified in terms of dollars, not mills and maintains not enough signatures were turned in on time asking for a referendum.

While the approval of local government millage requests are usually a routine matter for the county board, the citizens' group isn't giving up and has sent letters to the 11 county commissioners and County Clerk, Ernest Carter pleading their case.

Jackson also plans to send board members a letter prior to Tuesday's meeting.

## It's official--there's a sewer authority

By Jim Schmitz  
County News Writer

The long drawn out battle between the County Board of Commissioners and DeWitt and Bath Twp. came to a close Sept. 30 when the county board finally gave the 2 South Clinton governmental units what they've been asking for: a wastewater treatment authority that will include DeWitt city and will be independent of the County Department of Public Works (CDPW).

### "Meet the candidates" Oct. 22

ST. JOHNS — St. Johns area voters will have the opportunity Oct. 22 to meet the 4 candidates for 2 City Commission offices at a Meet the Candidates meeting in the community room of Central National Bank.

Also present at the meeting will be several St. Johns city officials. Incumbent candidates for the City Commission are John Hannah and Donald

By an 8 to 1 vote in their afternoon session, the Board OK'd the DeWitt - Bath Twp. sewer pact that outlines the authority and gives Bath a place to dump its sewage once Fisher and Municipal Construction finish installing the sewers.

Commr. Duane Chamberlain cast the only dissenting vote and absent from the afternoon session and not voting were Comrns. Walter Nobis and Maurice Gove. The authority will take over from the CDPW the status of being the lead agent in

seeking federal and state funds for the expansion of the wastewater treatment plant on Herbison Road.

DeWitt Twp. will have 4 votes on the authority government board to Bath's 2 and DeWitt city's 1. Previously, the 2 townships only wanted to include DeWitt city in an advisory capacity which is why the city and the county board balked at agreeing to the authority.

Watertown Twp., which was to also be included in the authority, elected not to join at this time, but will be allowed to do so when the facilities plan for the expansion is completed.

Before the Herbison Road plant is turned over to the authority, the CDPW, the current title holder, will be audited. The authority won't take control until Jan. 1, 1976.

Bath Twp. Supervisor Thomas "Woody" Woodruff said he was "speechless" on the board's approval and DeWitt Twp. Supervisor Dale Emerson commented, "I'm amazed."

Roesner, while opposing candidates are Richard Cornwell and James Quick.

The candidates will be presented in a brief panel and question session moderated by Charles Colleta, a former mayor of St. Johns and Sealed Power executive.

Sponsor of the Meet the Candidates meeting is the St. Johns Woman's Club.

An informal coffee hour will follow the meeting.

## Searles announces plans for \$4.7 million shopping center in St. Johns

A \$4.7 million shopping center to be built in northeast St. Johns, has been announced by Willard D. Searles, developer of the facility. North Pointe Shopping Center is scheduled to open next summer. Located on U.S. Highway 27 adjacent to Gibbs Street, it will be spread over almost 150,000 sq. ft.

The main building containing 90,625 sq. ft. will house grocery, drug, hardware, shoe, clothing and specialty stores. According to the developers, a bank, restaurant and 40,000 sq. ft. office building will complete the center. Leases for several businesses, including Coast-to-Coast, a hardware chain, have been finalized. Negotiations with several other prospective tenants are underway.

"Plans for North Pointe were begun based on projected growth statistics for the area," Searles explained. "It is estimated that St. Johns will experience an absolute population increase of 29% from 1973 to 1978, creating new investment opportunities in terms of both housing and business. A retail sales growth of 28% is projected for this same period, with an additional 15% from 1978-1981 and again from 1981-1985."

Searles said some of this growth would represent inflation, but emphasized that a substantial portion of it will represent real growth.

"An intensive four month marketing feasibility study by Kennedy Research, Inc. of Grand Rapids also revealed that employment figures will climb steadily in St. Johns, attaining 5,000 by 1983 compared to the 1973 figure of 3,000," Searles said.

"Many of these new employees will be in the services field. It is predicted that traffic along Highway 27 will increase too -- from 17,000 cars daily in 1973 to 25,000 in 1983. We plan to break ground in early 1976."

The North Pointe Shopping Center is expected to draw shoppers from a 10-mile radius, since there is no comparable shopping facility in the area. Towns included within these limits are Fowler, Maple Rapids, Ovid, Eureka and DeWitt, representing a total 1973 population of 28,500 persons.

Also in the planning stage are 2 complexes which will be built adjacent to the proposed shopping center. They include Searles Estates, a single-family housing development of 200 homes, and North Pointe Apartments, which will contain 200 moderate-priced rental units.

Searles has been active in the construction business for almost 20 years, primarily in single family and institutional type developments. A 450-unit mobile home park bearing his name is now operating just south of St. Johns.

## Senior Citizen Craft Day will be Nov. 8

ST. JOHNS — A Senior Citizens Craft Day, sponsored by the St. Johns City Recreation Dept., will be held Nov. 8 at Smith Hall. Demonstrations and exhibits will be from 1-5 p.m. with musical entertainment from 3-5 p.m.

Senior Citizens wishing to exhibit or sell their crafts should call 224-3213 or 224-7837.

The public is invited to the free exhibits and entertainment.

## Not a kidnapping

ST. JOHNS — What was at first believed to be a kidnapping in St. Johns early Tuesday morning has since been termed a "run-away."

A juvenile girl, originally reported as being kidnapped from the mobile home park at 609 N. Morton, was later reported to allegedly left the home of her own accord.



They're whoppers

Last week's Clinton County news featured a 105 lb. pumpkin. Ford Jones (left) wasn't to be outdone as he entered this 112½ lb. entry and Christie Boettger in 3d with an 83½ lb. pumpkin. Winners of the decorated pumpkin, sunflower and food items contests will be published in next week's County News.

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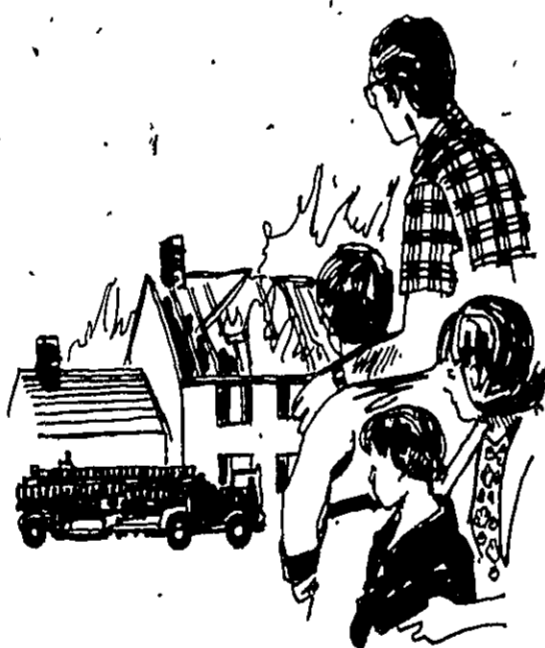
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## CNB&T announces plans for new branch bank

Brandon C. White, president of Clinton National Bank, received word that an application for a branch office in Lansing Township has been approved by the Comptroller of the Currency and plans have proceeded to open that new facility sometime in 1976. According to executive vice president, Gayle Desprez, the building design is currently being prepared for the remodeling of a building at 2201 E. Grand River which the bank has purchased as part of the current expansion plan. "This new location," commented Desprez, "has been appealing to us for some time and we're most pleased to have our application approved. It's been our belief that growing residential and commercial activity in the area have created needs for expanded banking services and approval of our new branch by the Comptroller affirms this thinking."

A definite schedule leading to an opening date for the new branch has not been established but White anticipates a tentative time of late summer of 1976. "We've been optimistic that our application would receive a favorable acceptance and much of our preliminary planning has been based on that premise. Notification has encouraged our activity and we will open the Grand River office as soon as possible." It is expected that the new

facility will offer service from 7 teller stations, 2 drive-up units and a 24 hour automated teller machine. The office will provide all banking services currently offered by Clinton National and an expanded schedule of hours is anticipated. With the opening of the Grand River office, Clinton National will extend its number of locations to 13, serving Clinton County and the north Lansing area. Clinton National's main office is in St. Johns.

## Fowler's Father Beahan to speak to Catholic Women's Council

The Lansing Deanery of the Council of Catholic Women will meet Oct. 15 at St. Mary Cathedral at 9:15 a.m. This meeting replaces one originally scheduled for May 21st and cancelled due to the death of Bishop Zaleski. Chairperson of the day's events will be Mrs. Lucille Raby of the Church Communities Commission. The

mass, to be celebrated by Father James Murray at 9:30 a.m. will be preceded by a fifteen minute prologue on explanation of the mass liturgy. Since all non-Catholic women of the greater Lansing area have been invited to join their Catholic sisters on this "Day of Spiritual Enrichment", it is hoped that the prologue will

enable them to better understand the liturgy. Moderator of the Deanery, Father Bernard Beahan of Holy Trinity Church in Fowler, Michigan will speak on further aspects of Catholic Doctrine later in the morning following registration, and guests will have an opportunity to have their questions answered.

Registration and all further events of the day will take place in St. Mary's parish hall on Walnut St. Mrs. Louis Newhouse is president of the St. Mary Altar Society whose members will prepare the luncheon to be served at noon. Donation for the luncheon is \$2.00. Child care is available. Children should be provided with a sack lunch.

## Request for sewer hook-up causes disagreement at DeWitt City Council meeting

By Jim Schmitz  
County News Writer

DEWITT -- DeWitt City Council ran into another sewer hassle Monday night when Don Boichot and Charles Forsberg showed up to complain that they felt the city was preventing them from hooking the 7 lots they are developing in Riverwood subdivision on Herbison Road into the DeWitt Twp. sewer system.

Boichot claimed he had permission from township officials to hook into their system and wanted the city, since the subdivision is located in the city and would require city approval, to let him go ahead and have the houses, which are on the city and township boundary, included in the township sewer system.

The city had previously said no to Boichot and Forsberg's request last March, but Boichot thought the city might change their mind because City Building Inspector, Robert Ballard, recently granted Boichot and Forsberg building permits for the Riverwood lots. Ballard told council he had

accepted the 2 men's word that they had the township's approval. But under questioning, Boichot admitted he didn't have written approval from township officials; though he could, he said, produce the minutes of the township's meeting where, he said, they gave him the okay. Councilman Charles Bauer however, was skeptical about Boichot's claim.

"We just finished negotiating with the township and were denied access to their system for about 6,000 gallons of wastewater," he said.

Councilman Gerald Kirchen also pointed out that the township is limiting new sewer hook-ups, because they have to make room for Bath Township's 200,000 gallons of daily wastewater that soon will be dumped into the DeWitt Twp. plant on Herbison Road.

Even if, as Boichot said, the township had given its approval for hook in, Councilman Bauer made it clear to Boichot the city couldn't go along with running a township sewer line into the city to accommodate Boichot and Forsberg's 7 lots. "We would have to run a

special line just for you past other resident's homes who would also have to be assessed for a line they very likely couldn't use," he explained.

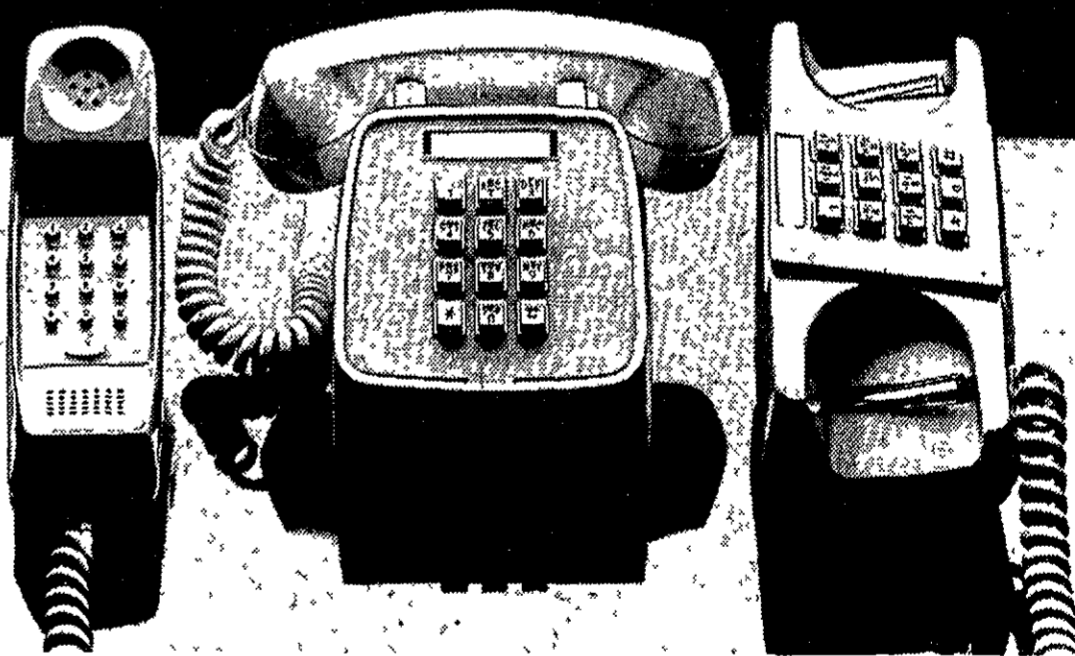
Boichot still thought he and Forsberg were victims of a bad situation because state law requires a property owner to hook into a public sewer system if one is available within 200 feet of his dwelling. As Bruce Jackson from Mid-Michigan Health Dept. (who attended the meeting) interpreted state law, Boichot would have to hook into the sewer line that is available — though that one belongs to the township. Boichot, of course, can't hook in the township's line without the city's approval.

As of now, the city doesn't have sewer lines for the 7 lots and Councilman Kirchen said it could be several years before any are available.

Finally, Council indicated they would consider constructing an intercept system from the city sewer lines to the township sewer lines, if Boichot and Forsberg can produce a letter from township officials agreeing to a sewer hook in for the Riverwood lots.



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**Marilee Homecoming Queen**

Marilee Tavohnen was crowned as DeWitt High School's 1975 Homecoming Queen at the half time of the DeWitt-Fowler Football game Friday. Ballard, Karil Warner and Jeanne Black. Other members of her court in the homecoming festivities included, Nancy Marriott, Mitzu This year's theme was "Bicentennial Comics."



This waterball contest was just one of many activities Sunday as area fire departments demonstrated equipment and skills at DeWitt High School. This contest was between a group of Holt Explorer Scouts and the Holt Fire Department Auxiliary.

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**DeWitt 5th graders have their ups and downs**

DEWITT - Seventy happy 5th graders gather around the trampoline at Furstenau Elementary School on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. in a special after-school trampoline class being conducted by special education teacher, Mike Watson.

5th graders that will end Oct. 31. Because of demand, a second class will be taught from Nov. 1 through Nov. 14.

Watson said he has been teaching the students front drops and back drops and thinks the kids are progressing. "We'll get into back flips and front flips during the next session," he said.

Watson taught a gymnastics class this past summer for DeWitt school kids and since Sept. 23, he has been teaching a trampoline class for Furstenau

"Some of the kids can already do them."

Watson would like to keep the classes going after the Nov. 14 ending date, but the trampoline

is on loan from the high school and has to be returned.

Before it's returned, each kid will get to come about 6 times on his particular day.

Watson thinks the trampoline classes are beneficial because of the experience the kids get.

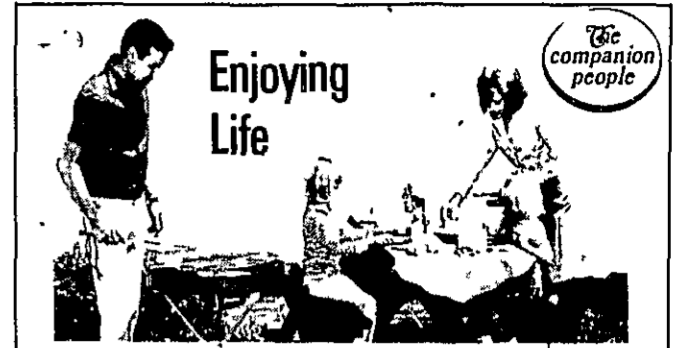
"Basically, the kids are getting trampoline experience they will be able to use when they get to high school," he commented.

"With this, everybody gets to participate and no one has to sit on the bench."

**Johnson is MSU grad**

BATH - Alan B. Johnson, degree in business and distributive education. He resided at 13451 Webster in Bath.

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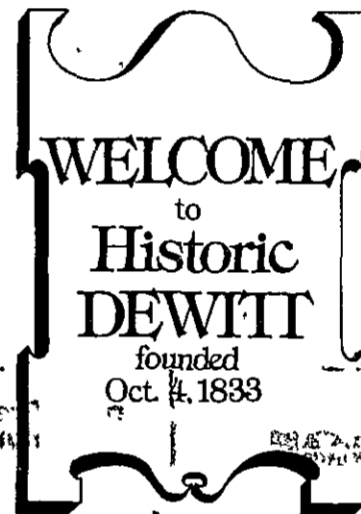
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# Family and Society

## Elaine Ketchum becomes bride of Raymond Bates

Miss Elaine Frances Ketchum became the bride of Mr. Raymond Frank Bates in a double-ring ceremony at the Plymouth Congregational Church, Sept. 6.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frances M. Ketchum of 7196 Chadwick Rd., Laingsburg.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Bates of 7305 Hollister Rd., Laingsburg.

Baskets of white gladiolus and pink carnations decorated the altar from which Dr. Robert Williams performed the ceremony.

Dr. Richard Klauske was the organist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

She wore a victorian-style gown, made by her mother, in sparkle organza over satin, with sheer yoke and sleeves. The gown was trimmed with white Venetian lace and pink ribbons. A wide band of ribbon and lace decorated the cuffs.

The bridal veil consisted of a floor-length veil gathered into a lace and ribbon cap.

The bride carried a colonial bouquet of white daisies, pink roses and baby's breath.

Attending the bride were Mrs. Judy Doyle, cousin of the bride of Laingsburg; Miss Eileen Ketchum, sister of the bride from Laingsburg; and Mrs. Kim Grove, sister of the bridegroom of Okemos.

The bridal attendants wore pink-floral Victorian-styled gowns with empire waists and long, full sleeves trimmed with wide bands of lace. They wore wide-brimmed pink-straw hats and carried baskets of white daisies, pink carnations and baby's breath.

The mother of the bride wore a blue floor-length gown and carried silver accessories.

The mother of the bridegroom wore a pink floor-length gown and carried silver accessories. Both mothers wore corsages

made from white roses and pink carnations.

The best man was Michael Bates, brother of the bridegroom. Groomsmen included Steve Fair and Randy Wrobel.

Jerry Matthews, Bill Ketchum and Tim Ketchum were ushers.

The reception was held at King Arthur's Court in Lansing following the wedding. It was hosted by Mrs. Betty Price, aunt of the bride, Mr. Clarence Galvin, uncle of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Weaver, cousins of the bridegroom. Mrs. Eleanor Samson, the bride's aunt, served the wedding cake to about 200 guests.

Special guests attending the wedding and reception were: grandparents of the groom, Mrs. Goldie Rader, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Bates, Mrs. Glenn Wallace; and Mrs. Dorothy Kirschmann, great aunt of the bride, and Linda Lam, cousin of the bride from Oak Harbor, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bates spent a week at Niagara Falls before making their first home at 9995 S. Upton, Laingsburg.

Mrs. Bates graduated from Bath High School in 1973. Mr. Bates is a 1972 graduate of Laingsburg High School.



Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Bates

## Engagements Droscha-Green

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Droscha of 3833 Island Hwy., Charlotte, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Dana Marie, to Mr. Lynn R. Green. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Basil F. Green of 4180 W. Herbison Rd., DeWitt.

Dana is a 1969 graduate of Charlotte High School and attended Lansing Community College. She is employed by the Registrar's office at L.C.C. Lynn is a 1968 graduate of DeWitt High School, and a 1972 graduate in Accounting from Michigan State University. He is a C.P.A. employed as an auditor by the State of Michigan in the Office of the Auditor General.

The couple plan to be married on December 13, 1975, in Charlotte.



Dana Marie

## Brewbaker is "Mr. Chairman"

During its recent Convention at the Inn on the Park in Toronto, Canada, the Michigan Association of Mutual Insurance Agents presented the coveted "Mr. Chairman" award to Leon Brewbaker, CPCU, of St. Johns.

The award is presented annually to a chairman of one of the Association's twelve committees who, through his devotion of time and leadership

abilities, provided outstanding service to the association's membership.

Brewbaker is owner of the Allaby-Brewbaker Insurance Agency in St. Johns, and has been active in the insurance industry as an agent since 1956.

In addition to his committee activities, he is a member of the Association's Board of Directors and has served as a vice president.

## Kirk Robbins at Lake Forest

Kirk Jeffrey Robbins, son of Mrs. Freda J. Robbins, 508 West Cass Street, St. Johns, is enrolled at Lake Forest College (Illinois) in the freshman class

this fall. The 293 members of the class of 1979 constitute approximately one-third of the total student enrollment of 1060.

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## Marriage licenses

Donald Patrick Lewis, 19, 501 S. Clinton Ave., St. Johns; Barbara Jean Moon, 19, 501 S. Clinton Ave., St. Johns; David Wayne Miller, 20, R.1, St. Johns; Ida Jean Ellsworth, 18, R.1, Fowler; Steven Michael Noble, 19, 819

E. Webb Rd., DeWitt; Tammy Lynn Costello, 16, 819 E. Webb Rd., DeWitt; William L. Yax, 39, 625 Alger, Owosso; Barbara N. Boylan, 34, 523 N. Brady, Corunna; Alan George Weatherwax, 20, 803 N. Oakland St., St. Johns;

Laurie Ann Spafford, 18, 100 N. Emmons St., St. Johns; Douglas James Leithhauser, 22, 1413 Church Rd., Morrice; Loretta Jayne Salisbury, 16, 3815 County Farm Rd., St. Johns.

Larry Alexander Hengesbach, 24, R.2, Portland; Susan Ann Hattis, 20, 6181 5 Willow St., Westphalia; Philip Andrew Enderle, 19, D-1-1, 2nd Pl., Fort Knox, Ky.; Grace Lynn Witt, 20, 5490 West Howe Rd., DeWitt; Archie Joel Gibbs, 20, 3871 Tumbleweed Lane, DeWitt; Kathy Jean Taylor, 20, 500 Solon Rd., DeWitt.

## Coming events

OCT. 14 - The Clinton Democratic Party will meet at 8 p.m. in the Commissioners Room at the County Court-house.

## BIRTHS

A girl, Simona Tanya, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roger and Julia Torralva of 1130 Platt St., Lansing Sept. 30, 1975 at Clinton Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 2 ozs. The baby has 2 sisters. Grandparents are Alfredo and Dolores Torralva and Ismael and Mary Gutierrez. The mother is the former Julia Gutierrez.

## 40th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wirth of Fowler will be celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary on Sunday, Oct. 12, from 2-5 p.m. at Holy Trinity Hall in Fowler. The open house will be hosted by their children. They will be looking forward to greeting their friends and relatives.

## 25th anniversary

A 25th wedding anniversary celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Aiden Kirvan will be held Sunday, Oct. 12, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Village Hall, Maple Rapids.

The event will be hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Gary Abshagen, Patricia Kirvan, Jo Ann Kirvan and Aiden Kirvan, Jr., and Johnny...

The couple request that no gifts be brought; a money tree will be available.

OCT. 15 - Chicken Supper and Fair Price Church (corner of Price and Chandler Rds.). Serving starts at 5:30 p.m. Free will offering.

DATE CHANGED: The Faculty Wives Fun Night and Dessert smorgasbord has been rescheduled for Thursday, Oct. 23, beginning at 8 p.m. at the St. Johns High School Library.

OCT. 25 - Olive School Carnival, E. Green Rd., St. Johns. Drawings for 1/2 beef, \$100 gas gift certificate, 10-speed bike. Door prizes, games and prizes, country store with gift items and baked goods. Home cooked supper.



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## Rose garden ceremonies unite Georgia Goscinski, Arthur Ellwanger

In a summer-candlelight ceremony in the Francis Park Rose Garden of Lansing, Georgia Goscinski and Arthur W. Ellwanger exchanged nuptial vows late afternoon, June 21.

The altar flowers were white gladiolus and daisies; the Rose Arbor overhead was draped with cedar boughs, white daisies and chrysanthemums in small vials, arranged by the bridegroom's mother.

The Rev. Earl Nelson of Lansing conducted the doubling ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Goscinski of 5869 N. Chandler Road, Elsie and the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Ann Ellswanger of Harbor Springs.

Music was played by William Wygocki, who sang "Let There Be Peace" and played the accordion.

The bride approached the altar wearing a gown of white nylon with venetian lace covering the bodice. The high V neckline and cuffs of the long full sleeves of sheer nylon were edged in scalloped venetian lace. The A-line skirt was caught up in a back bustle of nylon and taffeta and the cathedral train was edged in matching lace and secured to a small turban.

The bridal bouquet of white

roses, stephanotis and ivy enhanced her wedding gown. She was attended by her two sisters, Miss Sonya Goscinski of Traverse City as maid of honor and Mrs. Jeff Martin (Janice Goscinski) of Princeton, West Virginia. A friend, Miss Paula Ladiski of East Lansing, was also a bridesmaid.

Their gowns were fashioned with flowered nylon eyelet over a colored background. They wore matching garden hats. The colors of the attendants' gowns were white and pink for Miss Goscinski, white and green for Mrs. Martin, and white and lavender for Miss Goscinski.

They carried small baskets of yellow and pink roses secured with white satin ribbon streamers tied in love knots.

Dan Burl of St. Johns joined the bridegroom at the altar as best man and Rick Neilson and Don Miller of Lansing were groomsmen.

Mrs. Goscinski wore a full-length gown of peace crepe de chine with a corsage of white roses; and Mrs. Ellwanger chose a mint-green crepe with corsage of yellow roses.

The wedding reception for 300 guests was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall in St. Johns. Cutting and serving the

wedding cake were Mary Ann Brier of Harbor Springs, sister of the groom, Mary Bigelow of Breckenridge and Wanda Brehaut of Birch Run, both aunts of the bride. Her grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Kioski, of Elsie was a special guest.

After the reception the bride changed to a mint green suit with beige accessories. The couple spent three weeks in the Cape Cod area of Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellwanger are both graduates of Lansing Community College and are now residing at 2302 Darby Drive, Lansing.



Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Ellwanger



Getting ready for the annual style show and card party sponsored by the St. Joseph's Rosary Altar Society are from top left: Julie Dakers, Tama Sweeney, Joani Idzkowski, Linda Boling, Elizabeth Piggott, Pat Thelen, and Noelle Piggott. The girls are wearing styles they will be modeling for the Land of Oz at the style show, Oct. 16 at St. Joseph's Gym beginning at 8 p.m. Tickets are available from any



Norma Bauer and Theresa Fedewa proudly display three hand-made Christmas hangings that will be raffled Oct. 16 at the style show and card party sponsored by the St. Joseph's Rosary Altar Society. There will also be a dessert smorgasbord. Tickets are on sale at the Carol Ann Shop and by guild members.

### Fowler

The Fowler Bicentennial was a successful affair. A lot of old-time things were on display and the programs were interesting.

Mrs. Lula Boak was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boak of St. Johns. In the afternoon, they all attended the birthday party of Michelle Boak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boak. It was her 5th birthday.

Rica Thelen and Viola Thelen and Jean Lutic returned home from a 16-day Holy Year Pilgrimage to Italy, Switzerland and England. While in Rome, they witnessed the Canonization of Mother Elizabeth Seaton and had an audience with the Pope.

Mrs. Anna Wekenman and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boak were Sunday evening visitors of Mrs. Lula Boak.

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## Engagements

### Eley-Lindstrom

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eley of R-1, St. Johns, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rebecca Jo, to Thomas Lindstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lindstrom of 302 Selden Rd., Iron River.

The prospective bride and bridegroom are both employed by the state and both attend Lansing Community College. The couple is planning a Nov. 1 wedding.

the engagement of their daughter, Lori Jo, to Ronald Mead, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mead, Ovid.

The bride to be is a Ferris State College graduate with an associate degree in dental hygiene. She is currently employed in Fremont.

Her fiancé is currently attending Ferris State College. A Nov. 22 wedding date has been set.

### Castner-Dush

Mrs. Arthur Castner, Rt. 6, St. Johns announces the engagement of her daughter, Amy Louise, to John E. Dush, son of Mr. and Mrs. William

### Miller-Mead

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller, Meridian Road, Elsie, announce

### Dush, Rt. 1, Elsie.

The bride-elect is a 1970 graduate of St. Johns High School, also graduated from Lansing Business University. She is employed by United States Fidelity and Guarantee Insurance in Lansing.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1969 graduate of St. Johns High School. He farms with his father and is employed at Gower's Elevator in Eureka. The couple plan a February wedding.

### Hoover-Potter

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Hoover of DeWitt announce the engagement of their daughter, Tina Lee, to Mr. Jeffery L. Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Potter of Laingsburg.

No wedding date has been announced.

### Elsie

Mr. and Mrs. Al Miller received word from their youngest son, Charles, who attends the University of Montana at Missoula that he shot his first mountain goat while on a hunting trip about 40 miles from his brother, Jim Miller at Lolo, Montana.

Mrs. Echo Saylor is a patient at Carson City Hospital and much improved at this writing. She is in room 77.

ELSIE (c) - The Elsie Senior Citizens met Thursday noon, Oct. 2 at the American Legion Hall for a potluck dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Milford Clark as host and hostess. There were over 50 in attendance.

Presiding for a brief business meeting was Milford Clark, the new president. Routine reports were read. A get-well card was signed by all the guests and mailed to Mrs. Echo Saylor, who is a patient at Carson City Hospital. A birthday card was also sent to Miss Lula Knight, 427 E. Main St., Elsie, who will observe her 92nd birthday anniversary Thursday, Oct. 16. Both are members of the local Senior Citizens group.

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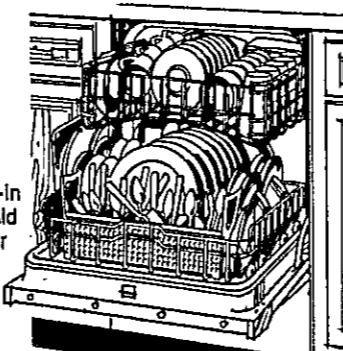
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## Clinton County News



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"If It Fitz . . .

### Shoot at President skeet

Editor, Lapeer County Press

"by Jim Fitzgerald



It is not necessary that everyone who owns a gun should use it to shoot at a President. The National Shooting Sports Foundation (NSSF) is distributing a 12-page booklet titled "How To Organize a News Media Shoot."

As a working member of the news media, I was shook when this booklet hit my desk. On the cover, along with the threatening title, is a cartoon of an editor. You can tell because he has a pencil behind his ear and wears an eyeshade over a dumb look. There are spent shells scattered around his feet. Immediately I realized I should never have written that column about the grave danger of rampaging deer attacking innocent women in the A&P checkout line. I never should have suggested that only brave hunters could prevent the loss of our constitutional rights and a government takeover by pheasants.

I THOUGHT the booklet was urging gunmen to seek improved news coverage of blood sports by taking an editor to lunch and force-feeding him shotgun shells for dessert. But I was wrong. After reading a few pages, I realized the NSSF doesn't really want to shoot at me. Rather, it wants to put me on the trigger end and teach me the joys of sighting a target and whooping a bullet through it.

The booklet is meant for gun clubs. It urges them to invite editors to come out and shoot skeet. "Participation in a News Media Shoot will mark the first time that many editors have ever handled a sporting firearm. This introduction has proven to be a thoroughly enjoyable, even exciting experience for many editors, and some can hardly wait to try it again," the NSSF says.

There was a time, I'll admit, when I thought a skeet was an exotic bird shot freshly unstacked at only the snootiest hunting preserves. But I'm not that dumb anymore. A couple of years ago I went to a hunt club for lunch and mentioned I'd never tried skeet. What I had in mind was an open-faced

sandwich but I ended up out on the range, surrounded by horse-laughing outdoorsmen, shooting a borrowed gun at clay targets that some invisible hireling threw out of a backhouse. The skeet won and my shoulder was sore for 3 months. So the NSSF greatly underestimates this editor's experience with sporting firearms. But the booklet is more on target when it says: "For many editors, their only exposure to guns is what they read in wire stories and other accounts of guns used in crime. Understandably, they can develop a rather one-sided and unfavorable view of shooting."

TRUE. EVERYTIME I hear something about a gun, it's bad. President Ford had to duck again, or a grocer had his face shot off, or an Arab killed a Jew, or a wife made herself a widow with one loud bang. And I'm depressed to learn 11,573 hunters were waiting nearby when 356 pheasants were freed on the opening day of Michigan's put-and-take season. Each hunter took home a feather, strapped to a fender, and the skies were safe once more.

There is no denying my view of shooting has been unfavorable. But the NSSF booklet promises light at the end of the barrel. It encourages gun clubs to "put an editor in your shoes" by inviting him to shoot skeet with a cocktail hour to follow. There is not one mention of shooting anything that breathes, just clay. Nor are there any foolish suggestions that a suitable substitute might be fruit punch.

This is what I call a highly civilized attitude. No one cares when a skeet is shot. What we must do to prevent national trauma is elect a clay President. This would not only avoid bloodshed, it would free hundreds of Secret Servicemen for more productive employment.

Maybe they could throw the skeet out of those backhouses.

## Back Through the Years



From the Clinton  
County News Files  
of 1974, 1965, & 1950

25 YEARS AGO  
Oct. 5, 1950

A large frame barn on the farm of Mrs. William Kuhfal, about one half mile south of Park Lake on the Park Lake road, was destroyed by fire about 12 o'clock midnight Friday.

Classes in the St. Johns' public schools will be in recess next Thursday and Friday, October 12 and 13, to allow teachers to attend the Teachers' Institute at East Lansing.

The Clinton Theatre is installing more than 600 new "Bodeform" seats this week in line with the remodeling program that began this summer. A new marquee will be added later this month.

Herald C. Hunt former superintendent of schools in St. Johns and now head of Chicago's school system, is the subject of an interesting article in this week's issue of The Saturday Evening Post.

County Agricultural Agent Roscoe Smith and his staff have moved from their former offices on Brush Street to new offices in the basement of the court house here. The offices occupy the former supervisors' room in the court house and an adjoining room.

10 YEARS AGO  
Oct. 7, 1965

Clinton County will receive a total of \$680,115 in State Highway Department revenue distribution during 1964-65. Sen. Emil Lockwood of St. Louis has announced.

The Clinton County Communities Chest rolled past the first week of its fall campaign Monday with a total of \$2,859.75 already contributed toward the \$29,350 goal.

Basil Delbert was elected president of the St. Johns library board Monday evening, succeeding Mrs. Nina DeWitt.

who resigned from the board recently.

The new Ovid-Elsie High School will be built by Erhardt Construction Co. of Grand Rapids and will cost \$1,648,000. St. Johns Fire Chief Clare Maier is still hospitalized in Lansing but is showing good progress in recovering from injuries suffered in an accident at work in St. Johns Sept. 21. Improved lighting of the city park softball diamond and tennis courts is in the wind now, but it will apparently stay there for a while. The old bugaboo — lack of funds — will prevent any immediate changes.

Kermit M. Hart, Edward A. Idzkowski, and John L. Petro, all associated or once associated with Federal Mogul Inc. at St. Johns, have been awarded a U.S. patent for their "Method for Making Sleeve Bearings". The patent, numbered 3,206,830, was presented Sept. 21.

A cow belonging to Mervin Chamberlain of R-2, Ovid, was killed early Saturday evening when it was struck by a car on Hollister Road a half-mile south of Kinley Road.

ONE YEAR AGO  
Oct. 10, 1974

In a special meeting last week, the St. Johns City Commission chose to go the appointment route to fill a Commission vacancy created by the resignation of Robert Wood as mayor.

The St. Johns and surrounding community turned out in force Saturday to support the garage sale, brunch and band show held to raise money for next summer's trip to participate in the Lions Club International Convention.

Mrs. Mary Epkey, 80, Fowler and Mrs. Lydia Wilsusen, 84, Lincoln Manor, Lincoln, Neb., the only 2 living children of 2 brothers who immigrated to the U.S. from Germany in 1858, met for the first time this past summer.

The Clinton County Historical Society is a recent active group in the area. At the present time they are recalling an interesting visit to Greenfield Village, are planning to reprint the 1880 County history and are looking into the possible restoration of the old octagonal schoolhouse which is presently near Fowler.

### General Telephone adds equipment in Fowler-Pewamo

Additional central office switching equipment is now being added to General Telephone's Fowler-Pewamo office, according to N. Krievins, Owosso division manager for the company.

The \$54,478 addition will provide 200 additional terminals for customers in the Fowler-Pewamo area. This equipment is required to provide for new customers as well as additional private lines for existing customers.

Krievins explained that in the new generation computer controlled equipment, such as in the Fowler-Pewamo office, a piece of terminal equipment is required for each private or party line in use. This terminal equipment provides for both originating and connecting calls.

### Stands mute on marijuana charges

Eulea Loraine McCarthy, 32, 8934 N. U.S. 27, DeWitt, turned herself into the County Sheriff's Dept. Monday morning after officer Robert Winn discovered her growing 25 marijuana plants and drying 302 others Thursday at her home.

Monday morning, she stood mute before District Court Judge Frederick Lewis, on possession of marijuana charges.

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## A PERSONAL LOOK AT THE NEWS Between the lines

with Jim Edwards.



It seems certain individuals in St. Johns felt that a city commissioner and city manager should know where their loyalties lie when they live just a few miles from Spartan land at MSU.

John Arheart [above] may be a Notre Dame graduate, but friends in St. Johns aided him in switching alliances, at least visibly.

Below, city manager Randy Humphrey, was welcomed home from cheering Notre Dame with greetings from the "good guys."



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1974 Toronado, full power. Loaded! Power split seats, cruise.

1975 Oldsmobile Regency Luxury sedan, fully loaded, low mileage, AM-FM radio.

1975 Ford Mustang II Ghia, 4-cylinder, 4-speed, radio, vinyl top.

1975 Corvette coupe, V-8, automatic, air conditioning, AM-FM, tilt wheel.

1975 Monte Carlo, 2-door, air conditioning, cruise-tilt wheel, vinyl top.

1974 Camaro, 6-cylinder, automatic, power steering and brakes, radio.

1974 Chevrolet Impala 4-door, V-8 automatic, power steering and brakes, radio.

1974 Camaro, V-8 automatic, air conditioning, tape player.

1973 Oldsmobile Cutlass 2-door, V-8 automatic, power steering and brakes, radio.

1973 Chevy Vega Hatchback, 4-cylinder, 3-speed, radio.

1973 Chevy Nova Hatchback V-8; standard transmission, radio.

1973 Chevrolet Impala, 2-door hardtop, V-8 automatic, power steering and brakes, radio.

1973 Plymouth Fury III 4-door, air conditioning, vinyl top, radio.

1973 Mercury Comet 2-door, 6-cylinder automatic, radio, vinyl top.

1973 Chevy Vega Hatchback GT, 4-cylinder, 3-speed, radio.

1973 Chevrolet Nova 2-door, V-8, automatic, radio.

1972 Chevrolet Impala 4-door, air conditioning, radio, vinyl top.

1972 Chevelle Malibu, 4-Door Hardtop, air conditioning, power steering, radio.

1972 Oldsmobile 98 Luxury sedan, full power, air conditioning, radio.

1972 Pontiac Catalina, 4-door, V-8 automatic, power steering and brakes, air conditioning.

1972 Pontiac Grandville, 4-door, V-8 automatic, air conditioning.

1972 Buick LeSabre, 4-door, air conditioning, vinyl top, radio.

1971 Ford LTD 4-door, V-8 automatic, air conditioning, radio.

1971 Ford LTD 2-door hardtop, V-8 automatic, power steering and brakes, radio, vinyl top.

1971 Chevelle Malibu, 2-door V-8, automatic, air conditioning, vinyl top.

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## Elsie WLC announces new site and hours for Trading Post

**ELSIE (c)** -- The Elsie Womans' Literary Club will hold its Fall Trading Post in a new location with new hours. It will be held in the American Legion Hall starting Oct. 22. This location will be more convenient as there are no stairs to climb which will make it more accessible for the patrons.

Only seasonal clothes will be accepted for sale that are clean and in good condition. Small household items, books, dishes, toys, jewelry, pots and pans and shoes and boots are also popular sale items.

The Trading Post will be open from Oct. 22 through Oct. 27 as follows: Wed. Oct. 22, 1 to 5 p.m.; Thurs. & Fri., Oct. 23 and 24, 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sat. Oct. 25, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Monday, Oct. 27, 9:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

The Trading Post has been operated for many years and profits are used for community projects. The club women

receive 25% of the selling price which is set by the person bringing in the articles for sale. Many dollars have been put back in the community for sale of excess of clothing and household goods.

The Womans' Literary Club uses its share of the profits toward scholarships for continuing education, equipment for Village Park and Recreation Area, picnic tables, and donations to health drives,

Kelley, and Mrs. Gene Schoendorf.

**FALL SEASON TO BEGIN**  
The fall season for the Womans' Literary Club will open Tuesday evening, Oct. 14 at 6:30 p.m. in the Elsie Junior High School Cafeteria with a cooperative salad bar and coffee. It will be followed by a program and business meeting with Mrs. Ruth Rasdale assuming her new office as president for the 1975-1976 club year.

Emergency Ambulance, charity and other community projects. The Trading Post has been sponsored by the WLC since 1949, twice a year, spring and fall.

Each member has a part in operating the Trading Post, either as manager, assistant, cashier, saleswomen or numerous other tasks. There are 3 managers this fall: Mrs. Harold Hehrer, Mrs. Robert



*Hats from the past*

Past times, fashions, and personalities of past Womans' Club presidents were recalled by Mildred Brown, Hila Bross, and Ann Dean at the first meeting of St. Johns Womans' Club in the First Congregational Church Hall, Oct. 1.

Fifty members and their guests were entertained by a recounting and dramatization of the club's history which was founded in 1891 as the Ladies Literary Society by Mrs. Mary Babcock for the purpose of improving the minds and talents of the members. Each era was illustrated by a different hat in the style of the day.

The program followed a potluck luncheon. Following the program the members toured the home of the founder, Mary Babcock at 100 N. Oakland where the first meeting was held in 1891. The tour hostess was Mrs. J.G. Matthews.

Members of St. Johns Womans' Club paid homage to their past presidents at the first meeting of this season, Oct. 1. Mildred Brown, Hila Bross and Ann Dean are shown above wearing hats representing the first three presidents of "The Women's Literary Society": Mrs. Babcock, president from 1891-1908, Mrs. S.D. Watson, president from 1908-1910, and Mrs. Perrin who served from 1911-1912. The women are pictured in front of the residence of Mrs. Marvin (Mary) Babcock who called the first meeting in 1891 at her home at 100 N. Oakland St. where the club met for many years. Members were invited to tour the apartment of Mrs. J.G. Matthews who now resides in the Babcock home.

## Clinton area obituaries

### Kenneth Young

**OVID** -- Funeral services were held Oct. 5 from Houghton Chapel of Osgood Funeral Homes in Ovid for Kenneth A. Young, 62, 9020 E. Parks Rd., Ovid, who died Oct. 2 at the University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor following a long illness.

Rev. Wayne Gassman officiated with burial at Maple Grove Cemetery.

A native of Clinton County, he was born Feb. 12, 1913, the son of George and Sarah Young.

He attended DeWitt schools and lived most of his life in DeWitt and Ovid Township.

On May 14, 1933, in St. Johns, he was married to the former Beulah Miller.

He was employed for 30 years with Mid-West Abrasive in Owosso and was also a farmer.

Surviving are his wife, Beulah; 2 daughters, Mrs. Neil (Jane) Zeigler of Ovid and Mrs. Richard (Sandra) Rerwerts of St. Johns and 9 grandchildren.

### Michael Weber

**FOWLER** -- Funeral services were held Saturday, Oct. 4 from Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Fowler for Michael W. Weber, 21, 205 E. Oak St., St. Johns, who died Oct. 1 at Ingham Medical Hospital following a long illness.

Rosary was held at Goerge Chapel of Osgood Funeral Homes in Fowler.

He was born Dec. 1, 1953 in St. Johns, the son of Alan and Patricia Weber.

He lived most of his life in the Fowler area and was a 1971 graduate of Fowler High School.

He was a journeyman plumber with Anderson plumbing and heating and was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Fowler.

He was married Jan. 13, 1973 in Fowler to the former Rebecca Huggett who survives.

Also surviving are the parents, 4 sisters, Mrs. Michele Armbrusmacher of Fowler and Susan, Diane and Cynthia Weber, all of Fowler; 3 brothers, PFC. Richard Weber with the U.S. Marines; James and Thomas at home; grandmothers, Mrs. Bertha Weber of Fowler and Mrs. Jennie Smith of St. Johns.

### Charles Clauson

**ST. JOHNS** -- Funeral services were held Friday, Oct. 3 from Osgood Funeral Home for Charles H. Clauson Sr., 61, 426 S. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor, who died Sept. 30 at Ann Arbor's St. Joseph Hospital following an accident.

Rev. Averill Carson officiated with burial at Pleasant Hill Cemetery in Bath.

A native of Milwaukee, he was born Feb. 14, 1914, the son of Johannes and Myrtle Clauson.

He had lived since 1914 in Ann Arbor, was an employee of Sarns Inc., and member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving are 4 sons, Charles Jr. of Dexter, Donald of Pinckney, James of Ann Arbor and Douglas of Hamburg; 2 sisters, Mrs. Ruth West of Ann Arbor and Mrs. Irene Perkins of Bath and 10 grandchildren.

### Maria Martinez

**ST. JOHNS** -- Funeral services were held Oct. 6 from St. Joseph Catholic church in St. Johns for Maria Olivia Martinez, 17, 232 VonAir, Lansing, who died Oct. 4 in Lansing.

Rev. Fr. Raymond Goehring officiated with burial at Mt. Rest Cemetery.

Rosary was held Sunday at Osgood Funeral Home.

She was born in St. Johns Sept. 10, 1958, the daughter of Jose and Enriqueta Martinez. She was a senior at Waverly West High School and was a member of St. Gerard Parish.

Surviving are her parents; 3 brothers, Jose Jr., Roberto and

David at home; 3 sisters, Virginia, Angela and Andrea at home; grandparents, Matilda Martinez of St. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Jose Villanueva of Lake Odessa.

### Lucille Moon

**ST. JOHNS** -- Lucille Moon, 61, 709 S. Clinton Ave., St. Johns, died Oct. 3 at Clinton Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Funeral services were held Oct. 6 from Osgood Funeral Home in St. Johns. Rev. Roy Green officiated with burial at North Star Cemetery.

A native of Gratiot County, she was born May 25, 1914, the daughter of John and Lena VanBeek.

She lived all her life in Clinton and Gratiot Counties and had resided the past 34 years at the Clinton Ave. residence.

She was married June 10, 1934 in Ithaca to William A. Moon, who survives.

Also surviving are 2 daughters, Barbara Ann Moon at home and Mrs. Phyllis Mills of St. Johns; 1 sister Mrs. Leola Latimore of DeWitt and 4 grandchildren.

Lansing officiated with burial at Union Home Cemetery.

A native of Clinton County, he was born March 11, 1896, the son of Arthur and Meta Russell.

He had resided in Florida for the past 20 years, moving there from St. Johns.

He was self-employed as a mechanic.

Surviving are 1 daughter, Mrs. Glen Dickerson of Montrose; 2 sons, Arthur Russell and John Russell of West Palm Beach; 1 brother, Roland Russell of Winter Haven, Fla.; 2 sisters, Mrs. Robert Anderson and Mrs. Edith Bailey of Lansing; 1 granddaughter and 4 great grandchildren.

### Ethel Bodell

**ST. JOHNS** -- Funeral services were held Monday, Oct. 6 from Osgood Funeral Home for Mrs. Ethel Andrus Bodell, 98, Clearwater, Fla., who died Oct. 2 in Clearwater.

Rev. Averill Carson officiated with burial at Mt. Rest Cemetery.

She was the daughter of former St. Johns resident Mary Jane Bird.

She was born in Gratiot County July 21, 1877.

She was married to Rev. Willard O. Bodell and had lived the past 21 years in Florida.

She was a retired employee of the U.S. Census Bureau in Washington D.C.

Surviving are 1 daughter, Mrs. Virginia A. Darne of Largo, Fla.; son, Colonel Edward D. Andrus of Clearwater; 5 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren.

### Lemon Russell

**ST. JOHNS** -- Funeral services were held Tuesday, Oct. 7 at Osgood Funeral Home for former St. Johns resident, Lemon A. Russell, 77, West Palm Beach, Fla.

He died Oct. 1 in West Palm Beach.

Rev. LaVerne Bretz of

## NOTICE OF CHANGE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Please be advised that the Public Hearing on Ordinance No. 277 - an Ordinance to rezone Lots 3, 4 and 5 of Gibbs Addition to the City of St. Johns, scheduled for Monday, October 13, 1975 at 7:45 P.M. has been changed to Tuesday, October 14, 1975 at 7:45 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers, 121 East Walker Street.

F. Bruce Wood  
City Clerk

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# Next Week 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**  
Maple Avenue at State Street  
Averill M. Carson, Minister

Sunday, October 12  
9:45 a.m. Church School  
11:00 a.m. Worship Service  
Monday, October 13  
6:45 p.m. Congregators  
Tuesday, October 14  
6:30 p.m. Linda Scott Division, Wilson Hall

Wednesday, October 15  
6:45 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 81  
7:30 p.m. Church Choir rehearsal  
Thursday, October 16  
3:30 p.m. Children's Choir rehearsal  
4:00 p.m. Jr. Choir rehearsal

Church Office Hours:  
Monday thru Friday  
8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
Tel: 224-2956

**BANNISTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Emmet Kadwell

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

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
(Non-Denominational)  
Joseph P. Esiger, Jr., Pastor

10:00 am - Sunday School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
6:30 pm - Youth Service  
7:30 pm - Sunday Evening  
7:00 pm - Wednesday, second and fourth W.M.  
7:30 pm - Wednesday evening service

**PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Darold D. Boyd, Pastor  
445 Division St., E. Lansing

9:45 - Church School  
11:00 am - Worship Service  
Women's Society - last Wednesday of each month. Dinner at 12:30 pm. Business meeting at 1:30  
UMWV meets each Sunday at 7 pm. Council of Ministers - last Monday of each month at 8 pm.  
Administrative Board - the first Sunday of each month following a co-operative noon dinner.  
Senior Choir rehearsal - each Wednesday at 7:30 pm

**JEROME WITNESSES**  
Kingdom Hall  
1993 North Lansing St

Tuesday, 7:30 pm - (Congregation Book Studies Text Studies "The Nations Shall Know That I Am Jehovah" - Rev. J. W. B. Taylor)  
Thursday, 7:30 pm - "Theocratic Ministry School" - Texts Used: "Bible" and "Aid to Bible Understanding" 8:30 pm Service  
Sunday, 9:30 am - Public Lecture - Given by Qualified Representative of the Watchtower, Bible and Tract Society.  
10:30 am - Watchtower Study - (current issue of the "Watchtower" magazine studies.  
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**COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE**  
Catholic Church  
Father Jerome Schmitt, Pastor  
801 N. Bridge

Daily Mass: Mon and Thurs - 7:30 pm.  
Tues, Wed, and Fri 7:00 am  
Sunday Mass: 9:00 and 11:15 am

**EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH**  
(Non-Denominational)  
Round Lake Road 1/4 mile East of US-27  
Glen J. Farnham, Pastor

Sunday  
10 am - Sunday School, Classes for all ages.  
11 am - Morning Worship  
5:45 pm - Youth Fellowship, Senior, 14 and up; Catholics, 18-19  
7 pm - Evening Service  
Wednesday - Bible Study and Prayer.  
Supervised nursery for babies and small children in all services.  
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**SOUTH HILLY BIBLE CHURCH**  
William Parrier, Pastor  
Located 1/4 mile east of Francis Road on Chadwick Road

10 am - Sunday School  
11 am - Worship Service

**HOPKINSON LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
308 W. Hebron Rd.  
DeWitt

Sunday School 9 am  
Worship 10:30 am

**ST. JEROME EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Corner US-27 and Webb Road  
Rev. Glenn V. Colley, Jr., Vicar  
Residence 469-3067  
Church 669-2677

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

**VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
214 E. State Rd  
Lansing

9:45 am Sunday school  
11:00 am Morning Worship Service  
6:30 pm Youth Groups Beginning with the 4th Grade.  
7:00 pm Evening Service WEDNESDAY  
7:00 pm Prayer Service

7:30 pm Evening Worship  
9:30 am Ladies Bible Study every Tuesday  
7:30 pm Wednesday evening Prayer Service  
6:00 pm Teen's Softball every Friday

**HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
310 Mabbitt Road, Ovid  
Father Joseph Aubin

11:00 am Mass on Sunday  
7:00 pm Evening Mass on Wednesday  
Confessions 10:30 to 10:45 am Sunday

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Wayne Glassman  
M-21 at Elsie-Rd

9:45 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
7:00 pm Evening Worship  
7:00 pm Wednesday Prayer meeting

**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Fowler

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

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
200 East State Street  
Box 128  
St. Johns, Michigan 48770  
Francis Carl Johannides, Minister

Church School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service 11 a.m.

Each Wednesday  
Chapel Choir 6:30 p.m.  
Chancel Choir 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer and Share 8:30 p.m.

Thursday,  
Carol Choir - 4 p.m.

This Thursday, Oct. 9  
"An African Story" - Visit seven countries with Helen Meach (Former Area 9 Extension Home Economist) and her husband, Stu. - 8 p.m. Call the Church for more information.  
Saturday, Oct. 4  
"Open Door '80's party  
Sunday, Oct. 5  
Men's Fellowship Breakfast - 7:45 a.m.  
Monday, Oct. 6 UMW Executive Meeting

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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St. Johns, Mich.  
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11 am Worship Service  
11 am Children's Church  
6 pm Youth Hour  
7 pm Evening Worship  
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Nursery for babies and small children for all services.  
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**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
St. Paul, Michigan  
H.E. Rossow, Pastor

9:30 a.m. Worship  
10:30 a.m. Sunday School & Bible Class

**MOST HOLY TRINITY CHURCH**  
Rev. Fr. Albert J. Schmitt, Pastor

Saturday Evening Mass - 4:30, 7:00 o'clock  
Sunday Masses 6:30, 8:30, 10:30 am  
Holy Days - Holy Day Eve, 4:30 pm, 7:00 o'clock  
Holy Day - 6:30 & 8:30 am  
Sorrowful Mother Novena - During school year - 7:30 pm, summer months 8:00 o'clock  
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, 4:30 to 4:30 pm until all are heard  
Baptism - Sundays at 12:30 pm by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment.

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**Maple Rapids Area**  
**THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Maple Rapids  
Pastor Rev. J. Thomas Churn  
Parsonage - 216-7442

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

Tuesday  
7:00 pm Senior Choir Practice Wednesday  
2nd Wednesday each month  
7:00 pm W.C.S.S.  
Thursday  
10:00 Bible Study

**GREENBUSH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Scott and Marshall Roads  
Pastor - Norman Wood

Sunday,  
10:00 am Church School  
11:00 am Church Services  
UNW 4th Wednesday at 8 pm

**LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Corner of Lowe & N. Lowe Road  
Across from the Essex School  
Pastor: Harold McGuire

Sunday,  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Worship Hour  
7:00 p.m. 1st & 3rd Week M.Y.F.  
Tuesday,  
10:00 a.m. Prayer, Study Group  
Wednesday,  
7:30 p.m. 2nd of even months U.M.W.  
Thursday,  
8:00 p.m. Choir Practice

**Elsie Area**  
**ELsie METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. David Litchfield, Minister

9:30 am - Morning Worship  
10:30 am - Sunday School, Supt. Merle Hines

**DUPAIN METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. David Litchfield, Minister

10 am - Sunday School  
11 am - Worship Service

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
10 am Sunday School Rev. Cwley, Supt  
11 am Worship Service  
6:30 pm Junior & Senior B.Y.F.  
7:00 pm Evening Service  
8:30 pm Wednesday, Junior and Senior Choir Practice  
7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study

**DUPAIN METHODIST CHURCH**  
3565 E. Colony Road  
Justin Shepard, Minister  
Bill Nickelson, Youth Minister

9:45 am - Sunday School  
11:15 am - Church School Practices  
6 pm - Youth Fellowship and adult Bible Study  
7 pm - Evening Service  
7 pm Wednesday - Prayer Meeting

**ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Rev. Thomas M. Kowalczuk, Pastor  
P.O. Box 37, 517 E. Main St.  
Bannister - Phone: 862-5270

Sunday Liturgies: Saturday - 7:00 pm  
Sunday Liturgy: 7:30 am and 8:00 pm  
Confessions: One half hour before all Sunday Liturgies.

**Eureka Area**  
**CONGREGATIONAL M. CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
2819 E. Maple Rapids Rd  
Rev. Paul J. Jones, Pastor  
Phone 462-1165

10 am - Bible School for everyone  
11 am - Morning Worship  
7:30 pm - Adult Bible discussions  
Nursery provided during services  
6:30 pm - Youth Meetings  
6:45 pm - Evening Service - Chancel Choir, 7:30 pm

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**Bannister**  
By Mrs Robert Valentine  
Phone 862-4342

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**Matherton Area**  
**MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH**

2:00 pm - Sunday School  
3:00 pm - Sunday Service

**Wacousta Area**  
**WACOUSTA COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Edward F. Otto, pastor  
Phone 626-6623

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

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**Victor Township**  
**GROVE HILL CHURCH**  
Rev. Robert Prange, Pastor  
Price and Shepardville Roads

10:00 am - Sunday School, Classes for all ages  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
6:30 pm - Young People  
7:30 pm - Evening Service  
7:30 pm - Wednesday, prayer meeting  
Ladies Missionary Circle meets 4th Thursday  
Couples Club meets 4th Saturday in month

**Fulton Area**  
**FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
1/2 mile east of Perryton on M-57,  
1/2 mile south  
Rev. Lynn Shunk, Pastor

9:45 am - Sunday School  
11:00 am - Morning Worship  
6:30 pm - Youth Fellowship  
7:30 pm - Evening Service  
Midweek Service on Wednesday 7:30 pm

**Pewamo Area**  
**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Pewamo, Michigan  
Rev. Richard Strait

Sunday: 9:30 am Morning Worship 7:00 pm United Methodist Youth Fellowship  
Sunday School Classes 10:45 am.

**DeWitt Area**  
**WAYNESIDE CHAPEL A BIBLE CHURCH**  
1477 Turner Road, DeWitt  
Rev. Darrell English, Pastor  
Phone 669-2333

10 am Sunday School  
11 am Church School  
9 pm Young People  
7 pm Evening Service  
7:15 pm Wednesday - Bible Study and Prayer

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**Ovid Area**  
**THE UNITED CHURCH OF OVID**  
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**  
130 W. William, Ovid  
Rev. Roger Heinen

10 am - Sunday School & Morning Worship  
7:30 pm - Sunday Evening  
7:00 pm - Thurs. Bible Study  
Topic: Prayer - Great Men of Prayer & Answers to Prayer.  
Bible Study held in parsonage rear entrance.

**Ovid Area**  
**OVID FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Main at Oak Street  
Rev. Earl C. Copelin, Pastor

9:45 am Church School, 11:00 am Morning Worship  
Wednesday 7 pm Prayer and Bible Study; 8 pm Senior Choir

**Pewamo Area**  
**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Pewamo, Michigan  
Rev. Richard Strait

Sunday: 9:30 am Morning Worship 7:00 pm United Methodist Youth Fellowship  
Sunday School Classes 10:45 am.

**DeWitt Area**  
**REDEEMER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
106 N. Bridge St  
Richard L. Clark, Pastor

9:30 am - Worship (nursery provided)  
10:30 am - Coffee Fellowship  
(No Church School June-August)

**Ovid Area**  
**OVID FREE METHODIST CHURCH**  
"the church with a face to the vision"  
10 N. Main St, Ovid  
Rev. Richard Gleason  
Church Phone 634-5950  
Parsonage Phone 634-2473

10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Morning Worship  
6:00 pm Youth Fellowship

**ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Pewamo, Michigan  
Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas J. Bolger, MA  
Pastor

Daily Mass - 7:30 am  
Saturday 4:30 pm & 7:45 pm  
Sunday 8:00 am & 10:00 am  
Holy Baptism - Sunday, 1 pm  
Sacred Confession - Saturday, 3:30 and 7:30 pm  
Family Holy Hour for Peace - Saturday, 7:15 pm

**Gunnisonville Area**  
**GUNNISONVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Clark and Wood Roads  
Rev. Paul Schaeber, Minister

9:30 am Church Service  
10:45 am Sunday School



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## 3710 DAYS LATER

Greetings once again to the Clinton County News! It has been 3710 days since I wrote my last article for this paper and I am pleased to have the opportunity to share Bible truths with you again.

I will be coming to you with the same message because the Gospel of the Lord Jesus is unchangeable. Man still cannot save himself and needs help from the outside. Throughout the years I have found so many people who believe the Bible facts concerning His redeeming death and bodily resurrection and many other truths, but what they believe has never made any difference in their lives. The Apostle James, in the second chapter of his book, makes it plain that such a faith is dead. The faith that saves is the faith that transforms a life. It makes a person love God and gives a desire to please Him. It makes him want to read his Bible and pray. It transforms his attitude toward going to Church; that which once was a dread and a bore now becomes something alive and interesting. We invite you to come to any, or all, of the services of the First Baptist Church and I guarantee that every time you come you will hear something interesting from the Bible.

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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**Shepardsville**

Morning Star Chapter No. 279 OES of Ovid will hold their Annual Meeting on Monday evening, Oct. 6, due to Grand Chapter being in session on the regular date.

The Ovid Duplain Library Club will meet on Friday, Oct. 3, at the Shepardsville Church. Potluck luncheon is at 12:30. Roll Call will be a fond memory of school days. Mrs. Leonard Hall will be in charge of the program. Members are asked to bring their Christmas gifts for Traverse City. Hostesses will be Mrs. Harold Frisbie, Mrs. John Bracey, and Mrs. Charles Miller.

Special music on Sept. 28 at the Shepardsville Church was furnished by a Ladies Trio from the Ovid Free Methodist Church. Upcoming dates at the Shepardsville Church are: Oct. 5, World Wide Communion; Oct. 12, Laily Sunday with Shepardsville and Price People participating in both Services; Oct. 26, Reformation Sunday; and Nov. 30, World Hunger Dinner.

Mrs. Grace Baker of Troy has been spending a few days visiting friends and relatives in the Shepardsville area.

**Ovid — Elsie Area News**

**Elsie**

By Mrs Neva Keys  
Phone 862-4301

Stephen Ross of 133 N. Second St., Elsie entered Carson City Hospital Thursday morning for medical treatment.

Mrs. Joanne Wilson and Miss Jeanette Keys of Miami, Florida spent the past week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.J. Keys. They also visited several relatives in the area and many of their old classmates from Elsie High School.

The American Legion Post #502 will hold their annual Hunters' Ball at the Legion Hall. Tickets are available from Lawrence Hess and Frank Bernath.



**Marauder Homecoming Court**

Members of the 1975 Ovid-Elsie Homecoming Court are [front, from left] Kim Winkler, Brian Bracey, Doug Van Effen, Ron Shively, Sherry Decker, Leann Kirnovic, Robbin Reynolds, Sherri Warfle and Deb Pumphord. Not shown is Kevin Byraes. The Marauders take on Alma in the Friday night Homecoming contest.

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**Shepardsville**

The St. Johns Parish Charge Conference for the Price and Shepardsville Churches was held at the Shepardsville Church Sunday evening, Sept. 28. The Pastor-Parish Relations Committee of both churches met at 6:15 followed by the regular conference.

In charge of the meeting was Gerald Pohly, superintendent of Central District. A special guest was the district chairman of social concerns and is called the linking person between local churches and the district. Rev. Pohly opened the meeting by reading from 1 John. His meditation was on sharing and being a good listener.

The report of the Nominating Committee of the Shepardsville Church was read and accepted. There were several changes in the officers. Among some of the changes were: Commission on Education, George Haynes; ecumenical chairman, Lucile Pellow; evangelism chairman, Helen Rustad; mission

chairman, Flora Hall; social concerns, Lucille Spencer; UMYF president, Michele Haynes; director of music, Karen Boyd; youth coordinator, Paul Susan; trustees whose terms expire in 1978, George Haynes, Jane Squiers, Wilma Swender; and nominating committee members whose terms expire in 1976, Wilma Swender and Edith Walker.

The Price Church accepted

their slate of officers as reported by their nominating committee. Shepardsville voted to accept World Service Benevolences. Price did not accept but will pay as they can. During 1974 both churches paid their apportionments in full and were given a citation. The Lay Speakers licenses were renewed. Both churches gave good reports of their summertime activities.

**United Methodist women meet, elect officers**

The Elsie United Methodist Women held their October meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Phillip West.

The program opened with the repeating of the Purpose of the U.M.W. Program chairman introduced Ivan Kurrlea, retired school teacher from Owosso, who presented the evening program. His subject was "Our American Heritage", a presentation of colored slides with background music of hymns. Some of the subjects and hymns were: "I've Been on the Mountain" with mountain scenes in all seasons, snow-covered and fall colors; "Did You Think to Pray?" older people, children, prison scenes, Sunday School classes and Christ kneeling at the wall; and "I Come to the Garden" with flowers from Disneyland, wild flowers from roadsides, roses, apple blossoms with bird nests.

Others were: "Shall We Gather at the River" with river scenes, falls and old bridges; "Roll, Jordan, Roll", rolling rivers and waterfalls with rocky areas and a beautiful reading of the twenty-third Psalm illustrated with slides and a mother's feelings about bringing her family up in a Christian home with the background music of "How Sweet the Home", which closed the program.

The business meeting was conducted by president, Mrs. Duane Green and routine reports were read by secretary, Mrs. Emerson Dunham and treasurer, Mrs. Harold Hehrer.

The Remembrance committee report was given by Mrs. Lewis Walling. She reported several rose bowls were given to ill members and cards sent to the hospitalized.

Bazaar chairman, Mrs. Charles Holcomb, reported everything was progressing on time. The committee chair for the bazaar are: dining room, Mrs. Jack Rogers; tickets, Mrs.

Bea Kelley; publicity, Mrs. Emerson Dunham; clean-up, Mrs. Robert Kelley; kitchen, Mrs. Lyle Dunham, Mrs. Leonard Burdick, Mrs. Mildred Whitaker and Mrs. Phillip West. The bazaar will be Wednesday, Oct. 22, at Fellowship Hall of the church with serving beginning at 5:00 p.m.

Election of officers for the year 1976 was held with the following elected: president, Mrs. Harold Hehrer; vice president, Mrs. Charles Holcomb; secretary, Mrs. Emerson Dunham; treasurer, Mrs. Gordon Jones. Mission coordinators will be: Global concerns, Mrs. Zella Brewbaker; Christian Personhood, Mrs. Howard Peltier; Christian Social Involvement, Mrs. Beatrice Kelley; and Supportive Community, Mrs. David Litchfield.

Departmental secretaries are: campus ministry, Mrs. Robert Hardaker; membership cultivation, Mrs. Duane Green, Mrs. Clifford Geiger; and program resources, Mrs. Charles Krider.

Other committees were: remembrance, Mrs. Lewis Walling, Mrs. Mildred Clark; nominations, Mrs. Merle Baese, Mrs. Ethel Stull; and local church activities; Mrs. Lyle Dunham, Mrs. Mildred Whitaker, Mrs. Leonard Burdick, Mrs. Phillip West and Mrs. Gathel Martin.

The meeting was adjourned by prayer. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Clifford Geiger, Mrs. Charles Krider and Mrs. Leonard Tillotson.

**Elsie OES holds annual meet**

ELSIE (c) - The annual meeting of Elsie Chapter #69 OES was held Thursday, Oct. 2, at the home of Mrs. Patricia Alvera Ade and the Associate Patron Dale Levey presided in the East.

The following were introduced; Mrs. Anne Praay, president of Clinton County Ass'n, a member of the Elsie Chapter; James Litomisky, Worshipful Master of Elsie Lodge #238; and Guy Mitchell, High Priest of Royal Arch Masonry Ovid #113.

Mrs. Anna Dunay reported for the Sunshine Committee that a call was made on Mrs. Patricia Aldrich and her new baby daughter, Melissa Ilene, presenting her a gift. It was also reported that Mrs. Archie J. Moore was ill.

The following attended the reception for Bertha Thomas, Grand Representative of Maryland in Michigan, at the Ithaca Masonic Temple on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 28: Mrs. Anne Praay, Mrs. Anna Dunay, and Mrs. Leila Wilson, Mrs. Jeanne Temple. The Elsie Chapter presented a gift as Ithaca has been the Sister Chapter of them.

The secretary reported that letters and short notes to the Chapter were received from

Mrs. Mildred Goodrich, Mrs. Jennie Siebenar, Mrs. Owen O'Donnell, Mrs. Verna Legat, Mrs. Sharon Schultz, Mrs. Virginia Albright and Mrs. Anna Mae Thornton. A "Thank You" note from Mrs. Patricia Aldrich for the baby gift was read, also invitations to installations at: Wacousta, Oct. 29; Ashley, Oct. 29 at 2:00 p.m.; St. Louis Oct. 18 at 8:00 p.m. to be held at the Alma Masonic Home.

Worthy Matron Alvera Ade thanked the Chapter in person for the gift received while in the Owosso Memorial Hospital and also thanks to the committees that had worked for her during her illness.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year 1975-1976: worthy matron, Elisabeth Levey; worthy patron, Dale Levey; associate, matron Wanda Litomisky; associate patron, James Litomisky; secretary, Mrs. Leila Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. Esolda Sills; conductress, Mrs. Jeanne Temple; and associate conductress, Mrs. Marguerite Kelley.

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Card of Thanks 30

RUESS - We wish to thank Drs. Stephenson and Groat, the nurses and nurses aids on 2nd and 3rd floor of Clinton Memorial Hospital for their wonderful care, the Clinton Area Ambulance Service, our families and all our friends for their calls, cards and flowers which we received while patients at Clinton Memorial Hospital and during Mrs. Ruess's continued convalescence at The Pleasant View Medical Center at Corunna. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ruess 24-1-P-30

ELDERD - Words cannot express the appreciation we feel for the many kind deeds and for food and cards from our friends, neighbors, Blue Star Mothers, and Rebekah Lodge 194. We thank Dr. Groat and the ever faithful nurses and aids at the hospital who gave our loved one the kindest care possible. God Bless you all. The family of Farin Eldred 24-1-P-30

HALSTED - Sincere thanks to all our family, friends and neighbors for all the cards and

gifts that were sent for our 90th birthdays. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Halsted. 24-1-P-30

HARPER - I wish to express thanks to the Doctors, Nurses, Nurses Aids, Gray Ladies and Candy Strippers for the wonderful care and to all the friends and relatives for the calls, cards and gifts during my stay in the Clinton Memorial Hospital and Sparrow Hospital. Romona Harper 24-1-P-30

FELDAUSCH - We wish to thank our relatives, friends and neighbors for all the cards, gifts and calls and all who in any way remembered us on our 25th anniversary. Special thanks to our children who planned and hosted the affair. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Feldpausch 24-1-P-30

GREEN - Sincere thanks to all my neighbors, friends, relatives and fellow workers for the gifts, plants, cards and visits during my stay at Carson City Hospital. Thanks to Dr. Steigerwald, nurses and nurses aids for their good care. Sam Green. 24-1-P-30

MARTIN - I wish to thank Drs. Garapelian and Chun, also Rev. Heinz for his prayers, also the nurses and aids at Clinton Memorial Hospital. Ethelyn Martin. 24-1-P-30

VONDUSKA - The family of Lena Vonduska wishes to thank everyone for their thoughtfulness, flowers and mass cards during the loss of our dear mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, also to Carlers and Father Frego of St. Cyril's Catholic Church and St. Cyril's Altar Society for the lovely dinner. All the kindness was greatly appreciated. 24-1-P-30

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Sept. 24: Hansen, Helen M.; Loznak, Jennie E. to Robert O'Riverst Van Deusen Add. Elsie Lot 1, 2, Blk 3, Bishop Brown.

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Sept. 25: Ebert, James G. and Joanne M. to Kenneth F. and Mary Lu Davis property in Sec. 11 Duplain.

Sept. 25: Sipkovsky, Frank A. and Maxine to Roger D. and Carol A. Keys property in Sec. 28 Greenbush.

Sept. 26: Fox, Martha E. to James L. and Bernadette E. Fox property in Sec. 13 Dallas.

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# Redwings clobber Ionia 41-18-- 2-0 in West Central

IONIA - St. Johns' Redwings went to Ionia Friday night, started scoring in the first quarter and didn't stop until the game for a 41-18 victory.

In the opening quarter, Ionia had little chance to put their offense to work while St. Johns ate up over 5 minutes in a 70-yard scoring drive. Mark Geller scored the 1st of his 4 touchdowns for the game when he took the ball in on a 32-yard run. Carl Bashore kicked the extra point to put St. Johns ahead 7-0. Still in the 1st quarter, the

defense decided to get in on the scoring action when Nick Koenigsnecht nailed a Bulldog runner in the end zone for a safety, increasing the Redwing lead to 9-0.

It was Geller again in the 2d quarter, this time on a 46-yard scoring trip. Carl Bashore kicked the extra point and it was 16-0.

Ionia got on the scoreboard in the 2d period when Jim Greenhoe went in from the 9-yard line. The extra point attempt was no good.

Before the 2d period was over, however, the Redwings had another touchdown on the scoreboard. Eric Grost grabbed an Ionia fumble and 4 plays later, Ryan Pertler plunged in from the 3-yard-line. Carl Bashore added another extra point kick and St. Johns took a 23-6 lead into the locker room at half-time.

The Redwings chewed up the clock again in the 3d quarter when they kept the ball for 4 minutes and 35 seconds on a 59-yard drive, capped by a 2-yard run by Nick Koenigsnecht. The

pass for the extra point failed and score was 29-6.

Mark Geller added his 3d touchdown of the night when quarterback Keith Haske tossed to him on a scoring pass play that went 60 yards. That gave the Redwings a 35-6 lead going into the last quarter.

Ionia scored twice in the final period, but the Redwing's Mark Geller wasn't through scoring.

He hauled in another pass from Haske and went into the end zone. They play covered 40 yards.

## Redwing golfers take it all in invitational

The St. Johns Golf Team traveled to Alma to play in the Panther classic which is a twelve school invitational, and came away the top team. Following are the results:

1st	St. Johns	419	11th Shepherd	477
2nd	Sag, Swan Valley	424	12th Cadillac	490
3rd	Alma	430	Medalists were John Bond	
4th	St. Louis	440	(80) and Loren Larsen (80) both	
5th	Cent. Montcalm	443	of St. Johns. Bond won on the	
6th	Ithaca	451	second hole sudden death play-	
7th	Oscoda	455	off with 2 birdies while Larsen	
8th	Bullock Creek	458	went birdie par.	
9th	Sag, Eisenhower	459	Varsity Record 20-3-1.	
10th	Montabella	468	Jr. Varsity 11-1-0.	



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Farm Bureau		9	6	High Team Series, Zeeb's		
Egg Station		9	6	2404; High Team Game, G and I		
Beck's		8	7	848; High Ind. Series, T.		
Coca Cola		7	8	Silvestri 560; High Ind. Game,		
Randolph's		7	8	T. Johnson 224; Other 200		
				Games, T. Silvestri 204.		



Pat Dixon, Wayne Morrison, Pappy Dixon and Becky Wiser explain how it's done.



St. Johns students put expert archery instruction to use.

## Students receive bulls eye pointers

Pat Dixon, Wayne Morrison, Pappy Dixon and Becky Wiser demonstrated their bulls-eye technique for the benefit of 200

9th grade physical education students at St. Johns High School, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Dixon own the

Robin Hood Archery Range at 5039 Lansing Rd., in Lansing, and were the oldest archers in state competition this year.

They were invited to Wayne Morrison's archery classes by Mrs. Wiser, of 609 N. Morton St., St. Johns, who took first place at the MAA field shoot labor day weekend.

In addition to teaching the students archery fundamentals and safety techniques, the Dixons emphasized the recreational benefits of archery. They became interested in archery 9 years ago, and since opening the Robin Hood Range they have given many archery demonstrations to schools and handicapped children. They give archery lessons and sponsor a junior olympic program.

The Dixons have 6 children, 29 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren, many of whom are proficient archers. Mrs. Dixon said that she and her husband are looking forward to attending the archery contests at the Olympic games next year in Montreal, Canada.

## Redwing varsity girl cagers fall to Ionia

IONIA - Ionia's Diane Burns hit for 3 quick baskets in the closing minutes of the game to lead the Bulldogs to a 35-27 win over the St. Johns Redwings varsity girls.

Defensively, the Redwings were strong, but suffered from cold shooting from the floor. The Bulldogs led at the end of the opening quarter 6-4. Both teams found the range in the 2d quarter, hitting for 12 points apiece.

Trailing by 2 at half-time, the Redwings pulled with 1 in the 3d quarter, outscoring the Bulldogs by a single point, 6-5. But, then in the final period, Diane Burns hit for those 6 quick points to give Ionia 12 points in the last quarter, while the Redwings picked up 5 points.

Burns was high scorer for the game with 18 points. Linda Sperry led the offense for St. Johns with 12 points

followed by Jeanna Hallenbeck with 5, Linda Eisler with 4, Betsy Wirick with 4 and Cindy Exelby with 2.

Defensively, Linda Eisler set the pace with 16 rebounds. The loss gives the Redwings a 2-2 overall record and 1-1 West Central Conference record.

The junior varsity Redwing girls won a squeaker 27-26. The edge came in the 2d quarter when the Redwings outscored Ionia 13-2. Marcia Geller led the jayvee scoring with 9 points. They are now 3-1 for the season and 2-0 in the conference.

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# DeWitt is latest shut-out victim of Fowler Eagles -- Webberville upsets Potterville

DEWITT - While Fowler was busy shutting out DeWitt Friday night, Webberville conveniently unknotted 1st place in the CMAC by upsetting previously unbeaten Potterville.

Fowler defeated DeWitt at their homecoming 20-0 to take over 1st place in the CMAC. Potterville felled to upset minded Webberville 14-8. The week before Webberville knocked off DeWitt who was hoping to bring an undefeated record into Friday's contest with Fowler.

Fowler has now yet to be beaten in 15 games and their defense has turned the end zone into a "no trespassing" area for CMAC opponents. To date this season, no team has been able to score against the Eagles in the first 4 games.

Fowler, for the 2d week in a row, will put that record on the line against a team still smarting from an upset at the hands of Webberville the week before when Potterville comes to Fowler.

After DeWitt's loss to Webberville, it appeared the CMAC championship might be decided between the Eagles and Potterville, now, however, it seems Webberville must be considered a strong contender for share of the CMAC crown.



This time the tough Fowler defense was contained at the line in Friday night's 20-0 victory over DeWitt at DeWitt.

They will get their crack at Fowler Oct. 31 following Eagle games against Laingsburg Oct. 17 (homecoming) and Olivet Oct. 24.

In Friday night's contest, the passing and receiving combination of Dave Schmitt and Dale Koenigsnecht again clicked, this time for 2 touch-

downs in the 2d quarter. Schmitt added the 3d score of the game on a 1-yard plunge.

The Schmitt - Koenigsnecht connection went to work first on a 5-yard toss for 6 points. They made that 8-0 when Schmitt tossed the 2-point conversion to Koenigsnecht. The 2d scoring pass from Sch-

mitt to Koenigsnecht covered 89 yards.

The Schmitt to Koenigsnecht connection was used 5 times and rang up 119 yards.

Rick Fink led the rushing for Fowler with 100 yards in 23 carries.

## Bath picks up number four without a loss - victim is Leslie

LESLIE - The next 2 Fridays are big ones for the Bath Bees as they put their 4-0 Ingham County football record on the line against 2d place Perry this Friday for Homecoming and undefeated Pinckney next Friday.

Bath defeated Leslie Friday night 34-6 to maintain their undefeated status.

Leslie became the only team this season to lead Bath or even score on the Bees when they scored in the opening quarter for a 6-0 lead.

The elation was short-lived, however, as the Bees put their offensive machine to work.

Half of the scoring by the Bees could be spelled "Bass" as the senior running back, Dan Bass, charged in once from the 1-yard-line and again from the 4. Bass also hauled in a 4-yard pass from Mike Voorheis. Bass also ran in a 2-point conversion. Voorheis added a touchdown

of his own when he went in from the 1-yard line.

Randy Kindy led the rushing for the Bees, piling up 99 yards and scoring on a 2-yard run. Voorheis had 63 yards on the ground and, once again, turned

in a strong passing performance, taking to the air for 113 yards.

Bath's next two games against Perry and Pinckney are the last 2 conference home games.

The Bees will be at Stockbridge Oct. 24 and Dansville Nov. 1. The final game of the season will be back in Bath against non-league opponent Monroe Jefferson.

## Bath girls squeak by Pinckney, steamroll Stockbridge 79-19

BATH - Bath's girls varsity cagers squeaked by Pinckney last Tuesday 71-68 and then steam rolled over Stockbridge 79-19 Thursday.

In the Pinckney game, Bath took an early 26-12 lead, but Pinckney came back in the 2d quarter to cut it by 6, outscoring the Bees 13-7.

It was a wild 3d period, when

Bath poured in 31 points and Pinckney hit for 21 points.

Pinckney mounted a last quarter scoring rally for 22 points and held Bath to 7 to come within 3 before the final buzzer.

The Bees were led by Sally Carlson and Rhonda Jensen, both with 17 points. Sally Carlson led the rebounding with 17.

The junior varsity Bees lost 43-38. Stockbridge was outscored in

the Thursday contest 18-10 in the first period and went downhill from there.

In the 2d period, Bath topped Stockbridge 17-6 and, in the 3d period, put the game completely out of reach with a 26-point performance while Stockbridge managed only 2 points, one more than they would score in the last quarter.

In that last quarter, Bath picked up 18 more points. Teri Schafer led the Bees' scoring with 17 points.

## More victories for DeWitt girl cagers

Both 7th and 8th grade girl's basketball teams at DeWitt Middle School upped their records to 5 and 1 with their away victories over Haslett and Olivet this past week.

On Sept. 30 at Haslett, the varsity topped Haslett 20 to 10 while the JV's stopped the Haslett JV's, 23 to 17.

Thursday at Olivet, the varsity was victorious 14 to 12 while the JV's ran away from the Haslett JV's, 20 to 4.

Starting for the JV's in both

games were Rosaline Schneider, Jeanne Marriot, Laura Hineman, Tammy Sonier and Suzi Dalman.

Starting for the varsity were Robin Churchill and Patty Seeger.

Varsity Coach Jan Signor looks for a tough game Thursday at St. Johns while the JV squad takes on St. Johns at home.

Because both DeWitt and St. Johns have large squads, 2 7th and 8th grade teams will be competing.

All games start at 6 p.m.



## "Pohl Power" propels P-W past Fulton Pirates 30-0

"What did we ever do to him?" might be the question the Fulton Pirates are asking about Pewamo - Westphalia's Luke Pohl following Friday night's game at P-W.

All Pohl did was score 2 touchdowns, intercept 3 passes and recover 2 fumbles to lead his Pirates to a 30-7 victory over the Fulton Pirates.

The victory gives Pewamo - Westphalia a 3-1 CMAC record and a tie for 2d place with

Webberville and Potterville. Fulton is now 2-2 for season and tied for 3d with DeWitt.

Pohl scored 1st in the opening quarter, running for 57 yards.

Dennis Miller scored the next P-W touchdown when he plunged in from the 2-yard-line. Pirate kicking specialist Dan Lennanman kicked the extra point for a 13-0 lead.

Fullback Terry Pfaff made it 19-0 when he charged over on a 16-yard run. Lennanman kicked for the 20th point.

It was Pohl again later in the 3d period, when he picked off a Fulton pass and returned it 52 yards for another touchdown. The extra point made it 27 for P-W. Lennanman added 3 points with a 33-yard field goal.

The Fulton Pirate's only score came on a 10-yard pass from Donohue to Mark Winsor. Pewamo - Westphalia next take on Bellevue Friday in an away game.

They will be home the next week against Portland St. Pats.

## Fowler girls cage schedule

Fowler at Fulton Middleton	Sept. 16
Bellevue at Fowler	Sept. 23
Fowler at Pewamo Westphalia	Sept. 30
DeWitt at Fowler	Oct. 7
Fowler at Potterville	Oct. 15
Fowler at Laingsburg	Oct. 22
Olivet at Fowler	Oct. 29
Fowler at Webberville	Nov. 4
St. Patricks at Fowler	Nov. 12



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14 Grand Ledge (A) 6:30  
23 Holt (H) 6:30  
30 Grand Ledge (H) 6:30

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## Clinton area SPORTS

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October 1

1. Terry Cornwell, Dorothy Cornwell, 5-1.	4. Dave Darnell, Mary Darnell, 3-2.	7. Rick Coletta, Kathy Coletta, 2-6.
2. Randy Humphrey, Melanie Humphrey, 4-0.	4. Pele Rijoas, Kathy Robert, 3-2.	8. Clare Chambers, Annette Chambers, 0-4.
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# Farming and 4-H - - - in Clinton County

## Chloe's Column

New "lemon law" protects consumers

Clinton County Home Economist

Chloe Padgett

Since the "Lemon Law" went into effect July 4, consumers can expect more from warranties.

Known officially as the "Magnuson-Moss Warranty and the Federal Trade Commission Improvement Act," the new law gives buyers the right to gain information on warranties before making a purchase and to sue for damages when there's a breach of the warranty or service contract.

Among its many provisions, the law requires manufacturers of products costing more than \$10 to clearly label warranties as either "full" or "limited." No manufacturer is required to warrant his product. But if he chooses to provide a written warranty, it must conform to standards set by the Federal Trade Commission.

Under full warranty, any faulty product must be repaired or replaced free of charge within a "reasonable time." A limited warranty must tell, in clear language, which parts or labor are covered and for how long.

A product may carry both warranty types. For instance, a car may have a full one-year warranty plus a limited warranty on certain parts for a

longer period. But this difference must be made clear. Also included is a step-by-step procedure for the consumer to follow when action on the warranty is required.

The law also protects consumers who buy a "lemon" under a full warranty. If the seller makes a "reasonable" number of attempts to get the product into working order, and it still won't work, a consumer can insist on getting a new item, a new part, or money back.

The FTC will set specifications as to what's "reasonable." The buyer can accept a refund of the full purchase price, but the manufacturer can't force consumers to take a refund, unless repair or replacement is shown to be impractical.

It's up to the buyer to take small appliances or a car into the repair shop. But if a product is hard to move, such as a piano, it's the manufacturer's responsibility.

Remember this legislation applies only to merchandise manufactured and warranted after July 4, 1975. Because of these new standards, warranties should be easier to compare. This is an important step in making the warranty part of your buying decision.

## Elsie

By Mrs. Neva Keys  
Phone 862-4301

Garry R. Bernath, Marine Corps Lance Corporal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Bernath of 300 W. Oak St., Elsie, has been meritoriously promoted to his present rank while serving at the Marine Corps Air Station in Cherry Point, N.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Nye of Battle Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor McNier of Chesaning joined Mr. and Mrs. Everett Rule and mother, Mrs. Jennie Collins of Elsie at the Rule cabin on Duck Lake during the past weekend.

Mrs. Nye, Mrs. McNier and Mrs. Rule were classmates at Sault Ste. Marie High School and this was the first meeting of Mrs. Nye and Mrs. McNier in 45 years.

LC Bernath received the early promotion in recognition of his outstanding performance of duty, dedication and military bearing.

## 4-H Chatter

4-H pumpkin and sunflower contest



By JOHN AYLSWORTH

The annual Clinton County 4-H Big Pumpkin and Sunflower Show was held October 2 at Smith Hall in St. Johns. Ford Jones of the Olive 4-H Projects won first prize with his big pumpkin weighing 112 1/2#. He proved it wasn't a fluke, as he left another pumpkin on the truck weighing 111#. Rick Batora of Elsie 4 Corners 4-H Club was second with his pumpkin weighing 98 1/2#, while Christie Boettger of the Olive 4-H Projects was third with her pumpkin weighing 83 1/2#. The giant sunflower was won by Annette Faivor-Green Acres Club with her sunflower measuring 22". Brian VanVleet was second with 21" and Peg Faivor was third with 21".

The Decorated Pumpkin Contest was won by Laurie Love-Sleepy Hollow 4-H Club with Betsy VanVleet second and Terrie Speer third, who are both members of the Green Acres 4-H Club.

The food item contest made with pumpkin found many different types of desserts. Lisa Desprez of Green Acres won first place with her Pumpkin Spike Cake. Peggy Faivor-Green Acres placed second with her Pumpkin Cake Roll, while Cheryl Conklin of Olive 4-H was third with her Frosty Pumpkin Pie. This year a class for adult leaders was set up with items made from pumpkin. There were 10 entries with Shirley Roberts-Elsie, 4-Corners first with her Pumpkin Cake Roll. Carolyn Conklin-Olive 4-H Projects was second with her Pumpkin Nut Pudding, and Sally Desprez-Green Acres was third with her Tiny Pumpkin Teacakes.

All members who participated in the show received ribbons, and certificates were given to every member who raised a pumpkin and/or sunflower as part of their vegetable project. Pumpkin and sunflower seed last spring was

provided through the Men's Garden Club of America for George W. Park Seed Company and Ferry Morse Seed Company.

Our congratulations go to Chris and Susie Howe of DeWitt, who performed at the National Association of County Agricultural Agents Conference September 29 and 30 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. They were one of the three Michigan 4-H Youth Talent acts that performed on 4-H night sponsored by the Monsanto Company. Chris sang "Amazing Grace" and Chris and Susie sang a duet "I Can See Clearly." They are members of the Olive 4-H Projects Club. Chris and Susie are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Howe of DeWitt, who accompanied them to Milwaukee.

The St. Johns 4-H Dog Obedience Club will be meeting on Wednesday evening October 15, 7:00 p.m., at Smith Hall in St. Johns. Presently they have 10 members enrolled. The members will elect a club name and club officers at this next meeting. Anyone interested in joining the 4-H Dog Obedience Club should contact Mrs. Roger Feeman, Mr. Tom Zink, or the County Extension Office in St. Johns. Several of the members plan to show their dogs in the All Breed Confirmation and Obedience Practice Match October 19th at Michigan State University.

The Fowler Fireballs 4-H members have enrolled for the winter program and elected the following officers for 1976: Kevin Berry-President; Steve Gard-Vice President; Mary Feldpausch-Secretary; Sue Gard-Treasurer; and Christine Martens-News Reporter. The members are planning a hayride and weiner roast on Thursday, October 10th. The Fireballs will join other Fowler 4-H clubs in setting up a National 4-H Week exhibit October 6-11 in the Clinton National Bank in Fowler. Members voted to send cards to patients in a convalescent home.

The 4-H Roller Skating activity will be held Thursday, October 16th, at the Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns from 7-10 p.m. The following clubs have made reservations to go roller skating on the 16th: Fowler Busy Bees, Ovid Village Elves, Prairie and Kountry Cousins. Other clubs wishing to make reservations for other months should contact the County Extension Office.

Karen Green of Elsie is one of the four Michigan 4-H Dairy Club members who participated in the World Dairy Expo Dairy

Cattle Selection Contest at Madison, Wisconsin, October 1-3. While in Madison, the judging team toured the American Breeders Service Bull Farm, visited the Holstein Sale and the World Dairy Exposition. The group returned home October 3rd. On their trip to Wisconsin, the judging team held practice workouts in Indiana and Illinois in conjunction with the Ohio 4-H judging team. Our congratulations go to Karen on this honor. Karen is a member of the Brush and Halter 4-H Club and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Green.

4-H leaders are urged to attend the leaders meeting on Thursday, October 16th, 8:00 p.m. at Smith Hall in St. Johns. Fair premiums, certificates, trip awards will be given to leaders, as well as honoring several honor clubs. There will be a number of items to be discussed that will involve all the 4-H leaders.

4-H livestock members interested in statewide competition in beef, sheep or swine should plan to show their animals at the Michigan Junior Livestock Show at Howell, December 4-6. The show is on the 5th and sale on the 6th. Anyone interested in more information should contact the County Extension Office.

## Elsie

The benefit auction sale sponsored by the Elsie Library Historical Ass'n has been set for Monday, November 3, beginning at 5:00 p.m. The proceeds are to help furnish the new historical room at the library. This community needs your support in this worthwhile project. To date, there have been a turkey raffle, baked goods and farm produce sale, donations of money and articles for the auction.

Ben Glardon of Corunna will be the auctioneer and Bill Holley with Rod Ginther assisting as clerks. The auction will be held at the Elsie Fire Hall on Main St. For donations, please contact Librarian Orpha Clement at the library or call Mrs. Thelma Rule, Jim Dorman, Mrs. Elizabeth Hess or Mrs. Zella Brewbaker. They have requested there be no clothing, shoes or liners.

Among the donations for the auction, the following items have been listed: drop leaf table, four chairs, bicycle, bed springs, lawn mower, pressure cooker, gas lantern, dishes, jewelry, lamps, T.V. trays, card table chairs and telephone pole glass insulators.

Jim Dorman and Mike Sawyer may be contacted to pick up large articles if you are not able to bring them in. Articles must be in by 3:00 o'clock (Monday, Nov. 3). Hot dogs, doughnuts and coffee will be on sale with an Extension Group in charge.

Extra help to organize the donations for the sale will be necessary. Mrs. Merle Green should be contacted by those who desire to aid in this community project. Dr. G.W. Bennett was in charge of posters, Mrs. Thelma Rule, advertising and Jim Dorman, arrangements.



## African safari

The Family Living Division of the Cooperative Extension Service last week sponsored an "African Safari" Program. Guides for the chairside tour were Stuart and Helen Meach, from Sterling. Mrs. Meach was formerly an Extension Home Economist in Clinton and Shiawassee Counties. The Meachs shared their experiences of visiting seven foreign countries, including a week-long safari on Ethiopia. Over 125 persons attended this family oriented session. Slides, displays of clothing, and handcrafted items, and posters all added to the event. Scraps of fabric and lace were collected as admission. These will be sent to African Leprosarium, where they will be made into saleable crafts by patients. Shown with Mr. and Mrs. Meach is Chloe Padgett, Clinton Extension home economist.

## Middlebury

There will be a family dinner-reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Tom Semans Sunday, Oct. 5, following morning worship. Potatoes, meat, rolls and drink will be furnished. Bring your own table service and passing dishes.

George, Donna and Jane Potter, Patti Semans and Susan Warren The class was taught by Pastor Brian Kunding. Mrs. Hazel Beardslee, who had assisted by preparing the evening meal each week for the class, was presented a gift in appreciation of her service.

The Confirmation Class which had met for nine weeks of study was received into membership of the Middlebury United Methodist Church Sunday during the morning service. Those taking the membership, vows were Mark and Jeff

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# Michigan bean crop hurt, not destroyed

EAST LANSING -- This year's wet harvest season will not be disastrous to the Michigan navy bean industry, but it will have a marked impact on growers, elevators, canners and consumers, says a Michigan State University agricultural marketing specialist.

"If navy bean growers market their beans in an orderly program based on past demand, prices should remain significantly higher than 1974," says Quentin Ostrander. "But we don't expect prices to reach 1973's peak."

Navy bean prices averaged \$17 per hundredweight in 1974. In 1973, prices reached as high as \$37 per hundredweight. This year's price to growers, as of Sept. 26, was \$34.

"Some growers may not sell a bean," says Warner Meylan, a large bean grower in Bay County, "but it looks as if the situation overall won't be as bad as we anticipated."

"Around here, production is down, but the compensating factor for us farmers is the price. We realize that cost of production per acre is up, and yields may be down. But the

amount of carryover is down and the crop is down, so I'd say the market price is firm."

Dry edible bean production in Michigan for 1975 will be slightly over 5.2 million hundredweight, according to the USDA's Sept. 1 crop estimate. That's nearly 2 million hundredweight fewer beans than in 1974.

One typical small elevator operator says he usually handles about 150,000 hundredweight of dry beans.

"This year, we'll do well to take in 85,000 hundredweight," he says.

"But that isn't entirely due to weather," stresses Carl Hanson, Bay County Extension director. "When bean prices fell last year, many farmers cut back on acreage. Fewer beans were planted this year."

This fall some growers report a significant difference in "pick" at different elevators on bean samples from the same truckload. (The "pick" is a sampling of beans from a truckload, in order to grade the load for quality. The higher the "pick," the lower the quality.)

"If you feel the pick is high at one elevator, you may find it profitable to take the same sample to one or more other elevators for a reading," Ostrander advises growers. "Some elevators are picking to a Choice Hand Picked grade; others to a Prime grade at a slightly lower price. The Prime grade allows more off-color beans."

"This year, the pick ranges from 2-40 on our farm," Meylan says. "Last year, our yield was about 13,000 bushels. This year, if we harvest all our beans, we may get 8,000 bushels. But at this year's prices, we will probably earn about the same as last year."

Meylan and his two sons have a 1,400-acre farm, 550 of which are planted to navy beans.

"This crop deterioration is neither all good nor all bad," Meylan says. "The small crop and good price could mean the farmer will do all right. But as for having few beans to export, when you've established a steady overseas market, you just can't afford to lose it. The United Kingdom has become one of our major dry bean buyers."

"And, of course, this stuff is food," Meylan says. "There are hungry people in the world. So it isn't just for financial reasons that we want to harvest all the beans we can."

The effect of this season's harvest goes beyond the farm. Some elevators are in trouble. A typical small elevator operator in Bay County explains how two weeks can make all the difference in the condition of a bean crop:

"On Aug. 18, when we took in the first 4,000 bushels, the beans were pure white -- it looked like one of the nicest crops ever. But after a wet two weeks, the pick jumped from 1 to as high as 20 and 50."

"Growers are selling as many beans as possible right from the field," Hanson says. "Elevators are buying the beans, but processors may not buy them from elevators until January or February. In order to pay the growers, some elevators must take out loans."

High-moisture beans can also cost jobs. "During winter, our bread and butter is to sort and ship dry beans," one operator explains. "But this year, my elevator will

have to lay off 8 of 13 men."

Like many small elevators, his does not have electric eye separators to sort good beans from bad. When there is a lot of moisture in the beans, the small elevator's conventional gravity-type separator cannot adequately sort the beans.

"So, instead of sorting and shipping beans all winter, I'm shipping our beans now in bulk to a nearby larger elevator that does have electric eye separators."

In a small community, a bad crop year can have a depressing effect on the town's economy, says Hanson.

Another problem for elevators is storage. "When you try to store a bean for six months, it can mean color change and interior mold," Hanson explains. When the beans contain a lot of moisture, the elevator must dry them, to lower the risk of mold.

It costs about 6 cents for each percentage point to dry beans to the optimum 18 percent moisture.

These lower quality beans could create problems for bean canners, too. Many canners are very quality control-minded. They may have trouble obtaining high quality beans, Hanson says.

As for the supermarket shopper, even when the cost of the raw product -- dry beans -- doubles, the retail cost of a can of beans does not double, Hanson says. One pound of dry beans will make slightly more than three pounds of plain canned beans. Much of the price of a can of beans is the costs for processing.

## Bills Column

### Pickling corn

by William Lasher  
Extension Agriculture Agent

Pickling corn, or treating it with an organic acid to prevent spoilage, is an alternative to drying or putting high moisture corn in a silo. Shelled corn with 15 to 35% moisture can be preserved by addition of propionic acid or a mixture of propionic and acetic acids. Experiments in Wisconsin, Minnesota, Canada and other locations have shown mold growth was completely inhibited in corn treated this way.

The corn was placed in piles on the floor and protected only top and bottom with sheets of plastic, or in unsealed bins. Corn preserved with an organic acid can only be used for livestock feed. It cannot be used on grain intended for human consumption. Also, the acid inhibits germination, so should not be used on seed grain.

The amount of material to use depends on the moisture content of the grain. The acid must coat all sides of the grain to be effective. There are several makes of applicators available which can apply the material to all sides of the material effectively.

Acid treated corn must be protected from the elements. If snow or rain gets on the corn, the grain moisture will be too high for the amount of acid used or the acid will be washed off and the corn will mold.

The materials used are corrosive, so metal bins need to be protected by covering with plastic or a special paint. Concrete may be pitted, so plastic should be used on concrete floors. Wooden bins are not affected by the organic acids.

It looks to me that organic acid treatment of high moisture corn (pickling corn) is another way to prevent spoilage. It may be considered as an alternative to drying, or ensiling as high moisture corn. Also, where silo storage conditions are poor, the use of organic acid treatment may be good insurance for preserving high moisture corn.

## Extension calendar

- Oct. 14: Alpena Feeder Calf Sale.
- Oct. 15: West Branch Feeder Calf Sale.
- Oct. 15: Family Living Nutrition Education Training -- Smith Hall -- 9:30 a.m.
- Oct. 16: Family Living Nutrition Education Training -- Smith Hall -- 9:30 a.m.
- Oct. 18: 4-H Leaders General Meeting -- Smith Hall -- 8:00 p.m.
- Oct. 17: Baldwin Feeder Calf Sale.
- Oct. 17: Dairy Farmers from state of Washington visiting county.
- Oct. 18: State 4-H Meat Judging Contest -- M.S.U. -- 8:30 a.m.
- Oct. 20: Clinton County Fair Association Annual Meeting -- Smith Hall -- 8:00 p.m.

- Oct. 21-23: Annual Extension Conference for all agents.
- Oct. 27: 4-H Leaders Recognition Banquet -- Smith Hall.
- Oct. 31: 4-H Human Ecology Training -- Mason.
- Nov. 3: Genetic Improvement Club Meeting -- 8:15 p.m. -- Central National Bank.
- Nov. 5, 12 & 13: Workshop on What You Should Know and Look For in Buying A Home. No Charge. 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. -- Smith Hall.

## Wholesale milk prices to go up

The wholesale price of milk used for bottling purposes (fluid milk) in the state's Lower Peninsula will be raised by 30 cents per hundred pounds effective Oct. 13, Michigan Milk Producers Association (MMPA) has announced.

The increase is designed to help dairy farmers face the crunch of increasing production costs, according to MMPA Pres. Glenn Lake, a North Branch dairy farmer.

As such, it also will help assure consumers of adequate milk supplies in the months ahead, Lake said.

In the Upper Peninsula a 30-cent-per-hundredweight increase effective Oct. 6 will move the wholesale price of fluid milk in that area from \$9.33 to \$9.63 per 100 lbs. net weight. That price change corresponds to an increase announced in the Chicago milk marketing area, to which milk prices in the U.P. relate directly.

The announced increase IN THE L.P. will move the fluid milk price paid by dairies in the southeast part of the state from \$9.70 to \$10 per hundredweight. Dairies in outstate areas pay somewhat less.

The announced increases still leave fluid milk prices in the state below levels reached in the spring of 1974 of \$10.40 and \$9.60 per hundredweight in the L.P. and U.P., respectively.

Favorable economic conditions made similar wholesale price increase announcements possible recently in nearby

market areas, including Chicago, Indiana and Ohio. Wholesale milk prices traditionally increase during autumn months when milk production conditions are less favorable than at other times of the year.

"Dairy farmers must have increases in the price of milk if adequate supplies of milk and other dairy products are to be assured," Lake said.

Michigan State University summaries show that the 436 dairy farms participating in the Dairy program averaged a loss of 85 cents per every hundred pounds of milk (produced during 1974," Lake said. "And indications are that that trend is going to continue through most of 1975."

The farm is a farm cooperative service provided by MSU and the Cooperative Extension Service.

"Dairy farmers simply must have income improvements if they are to be able to stay in the business of producing milk," Lake said.

MMPA announced the increase for the L.P. after similar action by the board of directors of Great Lakes-Southern Milk, Inc. -- a 15-state bargaining unit composed of 16 milk marketing cooperatives including MMPA -- was endorsed by dairy farmers members of the MMPA Market Committee.

MMPA is a milk marketing cooperative serving some 5,400 dairy farmer members in the state.

## TWO HUNDRED YEARS AGO THIS MONTH

OCTOBER 1775

By Professor Robert E. Brown  
Department of History  
Michigan State University

Canadian support, again a move that would not appear to be conciliatory in England. The Massachusetts legislature recommended that Harvard College examine the political principles of its faculty and John Pitts asserted that the general sentiment in that colony favored a complete break with England.

John Adams dreaded the break, which he had long seen as inevitable, but he would sacrifice everything, he declared, before he would surrender the right of his country (America) to a free constitution.

If the British believed that they could beat Americans into submission, warned Benjamin Franklin, they "knew neither the people nor the country." He pointed out that the British had gained one mile of territory and killed 150 Yankees at a cost of 3,000,000 pounds--20,000 pounds per Yankee--during a time when 60,000 new Americans were born.

There even appeared a Freudian touch to the conflict. Dr. Benjamin Church of Massachusetts sold secret information to the British, due, some said, to his need for money to support the tastes of an expensive mistress. And Virginia newspapers reported that Lord Dunmore, the British governor, had taken a beautiful young girl from the Norfolk poorhouse as "a victim of his lawless lust." He then discarded her when a Tory father prostituted his own daughter to the same purpose. True or not, it made good propaganda.

As October moved on toward November, those who hoped for reconciliation in both countries were rapidly finding the middle ground cut out from under them.



## REGULAR CLINTON COUNTY ZONING COMMISSION MEETING

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## Report from the capitol 87th District Rep Francis R Spaniola

In November, 1974, Michigan residents voted to authorize the distribution of bonus checks for Vietnam veterans or their dependents. After the proposal became law, it was further implemented by Public Act 370 of 1974.

It has come to my attention that the language of Proposal B did not encompass all the individuals that the framers of it had intended. In fact, the legal interpretation is that parents of men who lost their lives in Vietnam are not eligible for bonus checks unless they are considered dependents. An actual example is that of an eighteen year old man from Shiawassee county who lost his life in 1970. Because he was unmarried and was not supporting his parents, they are not eligible for the bonus.

I believe that surviving parents are entitled to these bonuses; and I believe that the people who voted "yes" on Proposal B fully intended to have these parents covered.

It is only a technicality that excludes non-dependent parents from eligibility, but it is a technicality that contains a gross inequity. Unless they had dependents, the men who made the greatest possible sacrifice for their homes, their families and their country, are not even recognized.

After a few persons discovered the problem, those same few in the Legislature attempted to correct it in a very quiet way. A simple change in the technical language of the act was inserted in a bill which extended bonuses to those listed as missing in action, and those who did not complete 190 days active duty because of service related injuries or died

following discharge of service related causes. Consequently, most people were unaware of the fact that the original inequity existed. It was later ruled, however, that the Legislature did not have the power to amend this type bonding referendum, so the situation remained unsolved.

It is a frustrating problem, because it was apparent that voters intended to include these people in the coverage; and the \$205 million in funds was adequate for that purpose. Indeed that figure was arrived at with these people in mind as bonus check recipients.

I believe, however, that there is much more at stake than money. We are dealing with a highly sensitive issue which involves the memory of men who gave their lives and who are, nevertheless, unrecognized.

I have requested that

legislation be written to correct the problem. What is needed is an appropriation of up to \$450,000 to cover the cost of providing bonus checks to approximately 700 parents. I have talked with several of my legislative colleagues, and I am hopeful I can muster the support necessary to get an appropriations bill through the Legislature to cover that expense.

Certainly no amount of money can cover the loss of a loved one nor are those survivors really concerned about the money. They are hurt that the sacrifice of their loved ones seems to have been forgotten. I was deeply touched by a letter from the parents of the young man who lost his life from Shiawassee County. I know the people of Michigan are indebted to them for their great loss, and I hope to help remedy this inequitable situation.

## Attends Citizens for Life convention

GRAND RAPIDS -- Mrs. Therese Rogers, 3766 County Farm Rd., St. Johns, will be a convention delegate at the Michigan Citizens for Life annual convention Nov. 7-8 at the Parland Hotel.

Mildred F. Jefferson, M.D., president, National Right to Life Committee, will deliver the keynote address. Dr. Jefferson, the first black woman graduate of Harvard Medical School, is assistant professor of surgery at Boston University School of Medicine. She served as a member of the 1974 U.S. National Commission on the

observance of World Population Year.

Other guest speakers include Clifford E. Bajema, Christian Reformed minister, Akron, O., and graduate Calvin Seminary; Sylvia Cack, M.D., New Haven, Conn.; Lori Nelson, WE (Women Exploited), Chicago, Ill.; Richard Neuhaus, Lutheran minister and author, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Constance Redbird Uri, M.D., a Navajo-Cherokee Indian and Edward F. Lenoski, M.D., both from Los Angeles, Calif.

Plans are being completed for workshops dealing with the issues of Women and Life; Child Abuse; Abortion; Euthanasia; a Human Life Amendment; Triage-Lifeboat concept; Conscience Clause; and Political Action. Michigan Citizens for Life is a coalition comprised of 45 Right to Life organizations throughout the state, with a combined membership of nearly 40,000. The Grand Rapids Right to Life Committee is host to this convention.

## East Olive announces carnival

The East Olive Elementary School Carnival will be held Saturday, Oct. 25, from 5-9 p.m. at the school on E. Green Rd., St. Johns.

The carnival is sponsored by the PTO of East Olive and Olive Center Schools. An annual feature of the carnival will be drawings for a 1/2 of a beef, \$100 gas gift certificate and a 10-speed bike.

Offered during the evening will be door prizes, games and prizes, a country store with gift items and baked goods, popcorn and balloons, plus a home-cooked supper.

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## North Bengal

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Pasch were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Warren and sons of Lansing; Mrs. Clare Swanson and Fowler; Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Bancroft and children of S.W. Dallas, Paul Graff, Sr. of Lebanon, and Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Tiedt.

Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine Ernst spent Sunday evening Sept. 28 with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mohrke of South Bengal.

On Sunday, Sept. 28 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Foerch were dinner guests of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nequette of Lansing.

Mrs. Fred W. Pasch was a caller of Mrs. William Ernst on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 25. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rossow and children of Flint were guests during the last week of Sept. of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H.E. Rossow and his grandmother, Mrs. Herman Rossow.

On Friday afternoon, Sept. 26 Mrs. Steve Thelen and children of rural Muir visited her mother, Mrs. Floyd Foerch.

William S. Ernst of Battle Creek spent Saturday night and Sunday Sept. 27 and 28 with Mrs. William Ernst and Maxine Ernst. On Saturday, Sept. 27 Mr. and Mrs. William S. Ernst became the grandparents of a son, John Frederick, born to their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William K. Ernst of Greensboro, North Carolina. This is their first grandchild and Mrs. Ernst, Sr. is spending a few weeks in Greensboro visiting her relatives and getting acquainted with her little grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Pasch visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pasch of Riley on Monday evening, Sept. 22.

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*Clinton area  
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**Leo Fitzpatrick**

Leo Fitzpatrick, 73, Route 1, Fowler, died Saturday at home. Funeral services were held at the St. Johns Baptists Church, Hubbardsfou, today (Wednesday) and burial was at the church cemetery with the Rev. E.R. Fox officiating. Mr. Fitzpatrick was born in Lebanon Twp. on July 9, 1902 to Edmund and Margaret Fitzpatrick. He resided most of his life in Fowler and married Lorraine Schneider in Fowler. He belonged to the St. Johns Baptist Church and was a farmer. He is survived by 2 sons; Edmund of Ionia and Leo Gordon of Fowler; 1 daughter, Nancy Platte, Westphalia; 13 grandchildren; 1 sister, Veronica Fitzpatrick and 1 brother, Loren, Fowler.

Pewamo and one sister Mary Smith of Pewamo. One son, Ralph, preceded him in death in 1963.

**Lena Vondruska**

**ELSIE (c)** - Funeral services for Mrs. Lena Vondruska of 501 N. State Road, Bannister were held Oct. 1 from the St. Cyril Catholic Church in Bannister with burial in Payne Cemetery of Fulton Township. The Rev. Fr. Max J. Frego officiated. The Rosary was held on Tuesday evening at the Carter Funeral Home in Elsie. Mrs. Vondruska died at Owosso Memorial Hospital Sunday morning, Sept. 28. Death was attributed to heart failure. She was 87. Mrs. Vondruska was born Dec. 12, 1887 in Czechoslovakia, daughter of John and Lena Joch. She came to the United States in 1909 and resided most of her life in Carson City and Bannister.

**Carl Baker**

**WEST BRANCH** - Carl A. Baker, 79, of West Branch died Sept. 29 at Tolfree Memorial Hospital.

The Rev. McVey conducted funeral services at Steuernal Funeral Home and burial was at Brookside Cemetery.

Mr. Baker was born in St. Johns Aug. 8, 1896 to John and Myla Baker. He resided most of his life in Elsie and was employed by Western Michigan Transportation. He married Ruth Ingersoll in Ovid on Oct. 10, 1923.

Mr. Baker is survived by his wife Ruth; daughters, Mrs. Leo (Viola) Buckhardt of Alexandria, Ind., Mrs. Marion (Cora) Kelly of St. Louis, Mo., and son, Clyde Melton of Highland, California; 16 grandchildren and 39 great grandchildren.

Mr. Baker was preceded in death by his daughter, Waunetta Lesser.

She was married to Paul Horak in 1906. He preceded her in death in 1940. She married Joe Vondruska in 1942. He died in 1965. A homemaker, Mrs. Vondruska was a member of St. Cyril Catholic Church and its altar society.

Surviving Mrs. Vondruska are: three daughters, Mrs. Ann Murray of Waukegon, Ill., Mrs. Mary Yock of St. Johns and Mrs. Helen Bocek of Owosso; a brother, Frank Joch of Czechoslovakia; four step-daughters, Sister Mary Frances Joseph RSM of Detroit, Sister Mary Bertha RSM of Wyoming, Mich., Mrs. Frances Dunay of Ovid, and Mrs. Helen Smolek of Owosso; four step-sons, William Vondruska and Frank Vondruska of Pontiac, Tony Vondruska of Bannister and Louie Vondruska of Drayton Plains; 29 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

**Glendon  
Fitzpatrick**

**Arnold Schafer**

Arnold M. Schafer, 79, of 240 Washington, Pewamo, died Oct. 5 at Carson City Hospital following a short illness.

Funeral services were held at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Pewamo Oct. 8. He was buried in St. Joseph Cemetery. Msgr. Thomas Bolger conducted the funeral services which included daily rosary services at the George Chapel of the Osgood Funeral Home in Fowler.

Mr. Schafer was born in Dallas Twp. Oct. 9, 1895 to Theodore and Mary Ott Schafer. He resided in the Pewamo area all of his life.

He married Dortha Hallman in Westphalia June 18, 1919. He belonged to the St. Joseph Catholic Church of Pewamo. He was a member of the Fowler Council of Knights of Columbus, American Legion Post 153 of St. Johns. He sat on the Board of Directors of Central National Bank, and was active in community affairs.

Mr. Schafer was a farmer. He is survived by his wife, Dortha; five sons Stanley and Rohald of Murr; Gilbert and Delbert of Pewamo; and David of Albuquerque, N.M.

Two daughters, Mrs. Eveline Miller of Pewamo and Mrs. Bernice Karber of St. Johns; 39 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Ernest and Isadore Schafer of

ST. JOHNS - Funeral services were held Monday, Oct. 6 from the First United Methodist Church of St. Johns for Glendon Hayes Fitzpatrick, 69, 109 W. Steel St., St. Johns, who died Oct. 2 at his residence. Rev. Francis Johannides officiated with burial at Mt. Rest Cemetery.

He was born Nov. 9, 1905 in Clinton County the daughter of R. Hayes and Jesse Fitzpatrick.

He graduated from Rodney B. Wilson High School in 1925 and had lived all his life in the St. Johns area.

He was retired from Motor Wheel where he had worked for 27 years and was a line inspector.

On Sept. 10, 1932 he was married to the former Helen L. DeVries.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of St. Johns.

Surviving are his wife; 5 sons, Bruce of Rt. 4 St. Johns, Norman of Louisville, Ky., Dr. Roger of Rt. 2 St. Johns, Stuart of Rt. 1 St. Johns and David at home; daughter, Mrs. Clare (Shirley) Smith of Orion, Illinois; 5 brothers, Irving of Jackson, Percy of North Muskegon, Doyle and Ferris of Lansing and Clifford of Nantucket Island, Mass.; sister, Mrs. Irving (Dorothy) Eaton of St. Johns and 17 grandchildren.

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