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Fire and suicide in DeWitt Twp



Apparent suicide victim removed from house.

DEWITT TWP -- A possible suicide and arson left a man dead at 15541 DeWitt Rd in DeWitt Twp Sunday night. Police from DeWitt Twp, the State Police and the State Fire Marshall are still investigating the incident.

DeWitt Twp Fire Department was called to the scene at 7:30 last night when a neighbor reported a garage fire at the home of Raymond O. Fink. When firemen and the DeWitt Twp Police arrived, they discovered 2 fires, one in the garage and one in the house.

Fink was found dead and partially burned in the front room with a shotgun wound in the chest. A shotgun was found nearby.

A State Police detective reported the fire was caused by arson. An autopsy was performed Monday, but results were not available at press time.

She's a winner

Theresa Hatta, 2703 N. Hollister Rd, Ovid, won last week's County News Football Contest, picking all games correctly.

She had to do more than that, however, to earn the \$20 prize because 4 others also didn't miss a single game.

But, she came through with a tie breaker of 31 points scored in the MSU-U of M game. Actual tie breaker score was 28 points and you know which team had 21 of them.

Others picking all the games were Bryan Burns of St. Johns, Charles Spaulding of Lansing (a winner 2 weeks ago), Melvin Pohl of Portland and Gaylord Long of Elsie.

Thirty others picked 10 correctly. Clyde Buckley of St. Johns got 9 of 11 correct along with 42 others.



Firemen work at scene of DeWitt Twp fire.

Police arrest suspects after 10-hour manhunt

By JAN L. BEARDERSTADT
County News Writer

VICTOR TWP -- Two men and 1 woman were arrested Thursday in Victor Twp after a 10-hour man hunt involving 50 police officers from 14 different agencies. They are now being held in the Clinton County Jail at \$50,000 bond each.

The Clinton County Sheriff's Department received a call from a resident on Alward Rd, just east of Chandler Rd, reporting 2 suspicious subjects that got out of a car on Alward Rd. The car left the scene and the 2 men were walking toward a neighbor's unoccupied home.

Dep Tom Woolston of the Sheriff's Patrol came across the vehicle in question with Debra K. Watson, 20, of Lansing driving. After questioning, she said that she was earlier with her boyfriend Douglas Wayne Henry, 19, of Lansing and Jack Edward Wood, 29, also of Lansing.

Det Sgt Richard May of the Sheriff's Patrol knew Henry and warned Woolston that Henry would be near by and the Lansing Police had a warrant for Henry for larceny from a building.

Thirteen other departments were called by the Sheriff's department for help in the man hunt. All 13 came to assistance. Lansing Police Detectives and ICU units, Lansing Police Helicopter, State Police Tracking Dogs, DeWitt City Police, DeWitt Twp Police, Bath Twp Police, Victor Twp Police, Lansing Police, Ovid Police, Delhi Twp Detectives, Shiawassee Co Sheriff Department and 1 plane and the St Johns Police Department. The area was sealed off by 1:15 pm.

Police went to the unoccupied home and found that it had been broken into. Watson was arrested and the hunt was called off by 5 pm. 12 officers remaining.

Police received another call at about 9:30 pm from the Round Lake area, reporting that 2 men had been seen crossing Krepis Rd and running off into a corn field. Calls were placed again to the 13 other units and they all responded again.

Woods and Henry went to a home on Bond Rd and asked to use a telephone giving car troubles as their reasons. One of them contacted a friend and asked to be picked up and taken from the area.

Not long afterwards, a detective from the I C U unit was cruising down Bond Rd in an unmarked sports car. As he went to turn around in a drive on Bond Rd (Bond is a dead end street), one of the fugitives came running out of the house to the car, where he was arrested. The other was arrested inside. As it turned out, the detective's car was exactly like the one that was supposed to pick the two up. The hunt was over at 10:15.

The 3 were arraigned in court before Magistrate Gordon Wilvong and a bond

was posted at \$50,000 each. They are now being held at the Clinton County Jail in St Johns.

Besides the breaking and entering of that home Thursday, Oct 10, the arrest was has already solved many other breaking and entering and is believed to solve many

more. Det Sgt Richard May and Det Arthur Hopp of the Clinton County Sheriff's Patrol along with Dep Tom Woolston are still investigating the incident along with officials from the tri-county area police departments.



Dep Ray Graham and DeWitt Police Chief Wendell Myers man roadblock--it was later learned suspects were hidden just several yards from this location.

Homecoming Committee announces parade details

ST JOHNS -- The 1974 St Johns Redwing Homecoming Committee has announced at 5 pm starting time for the Homecoming Parade through St Johns.

The parade will begin at the corner of Lincoln and North Clinton. From there it continues to State St, east on State to Linden, south to Cass and east on Cass to Wight. Cars and floats will then proceed down Wight to Sturgis, west on Sturgis to Lansing, south on Lansing to Sickles and west on Sickles to the high school and football field.

Included in the parade this year are: St Johns City Police escort, American Legion

and VFW colorguard, Grand Marshal Duane Wirick, Redwing Marching Band, acting mayor Roy Ebert, returning Homecoming queens, returning football captains, Drama Club, freshmen cheerleaders, Freshman float, junior varsity cheerleaders, sophomore float, junior float, varsity cheerleaders, senior float, student council float and honorary Redwings Mrs Lancaster, Mr Latimer and Mr Pena.

In case of bad weather, cancellation will be made on Radio Station WRBJ at 4 pm and will be repeated until 5 pm.

Meals on Wheels" prepares for 3rd year

ST JOHNS -- Volunteers in the Clinton County Meals on Wheels program have been busy meeting these past weeks laying groundwork for the busy months of fall and winter.

According to president Pauline Warren, volunteer collectors met Sept 30 at Clinton Memorial Hospital to learn of new receipting and record keeping procedures.

Collectors' jobs include receiving payment for meals delivered and volunteers work four times a month for one month during the year.

In a 2d gathering, volunteer deliverers met with Carole Chalmers at CMH, receiving praise for the successful year past

and learning of new methods for the coming months.

Deliverers are scheduled on a one-day-a-month basis to ensure that meals are brought to the homes of subscribers.

At present 11 subscribers are being served by the Meals on Wheels program and if past patterns follow true, this number will nearly double during the winter months.

The program, into its 3d year, was designed to provide at least 1 hot meal per day to shut-ins or persons recovering from illness at home with no assurance of receiving quality food.

Persons wishing to volunteer in any capacity may contact Carole Chalmers at 224-7515.

Get in the swim at St Johns pool

ST JOHNS -- The St Johns High School swimming pool is now open and the schedule for open, rental, special adult programs and lessons have been announced.

Open swimming will be Monday from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. Price is 30 cents for students, 75 cents for adults and \$1.25 for the family.

The pool is available for rental on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:30 to 8 pm and 9:15 to 9:45 pm.

Rental rates are \$25 for parties of 50 and under from within the local schools district, \$27.50 for groups of 50 to 75 swimmers and \$30 for 75-100 persons. For parties from outside the district, the charge for each category is \$5 more.

Special adult programs will be held on Wednesdays and information may be obtained by calling 224-2394, extension 271. The number applies to any pool activity.

Red Cross lessons will be given on Saturday with beginning lessons from 9-9:40 am. Advanced beginner lessons are 9:45 to 10:25 am and intermediate swimmer and competitive swimmer lessons are from 10:30 to 11:10 am.

All swimmers must be at least 54 inches tall or accompanied by a parent. Charge for the lessons is 15 for 8 weeks. Lessons begin Oct 19.

Classes for beginners under 54 inches tall and baby classes are Saturday from 11:15 to noon.

The pool will be closed over Thanksgiving, Christmas and spring vacation.

Approve St Johns sewer grant

ST JOHNS -- The City of St Johns has received announcement of a \$1020 state grant to the city that will go with a federal grant of \$15,300 for the 1st step in the construction of sanitary sewers.

St Johns share of the first step is \$4080. Step 1 consists of a plan study, to be followed by the drawing of construction plans and advertising for bids.

New county employee directs area planning

by Jan L. Bearderstadt
County News Writer

ST JOHNS -- In an effort to keep Clinton County livable, the county has hired a county planner-Dennis C. Dunnigan. He's a graduate of Michigan State University (MSU) with a degree in urban planning.

Just what does a county planner do? Basically, he is staff for the planning commission for Clinton County. He studies and keeps up to date land use maps, learns how new highways and other developments will effect the county and the information he brings back to the commission helps the planners to make better decisions.

The office of county planner is financed through a grant from the federal government.

Born and raised near Fenton, he attended MSU, majoring in urban planning.

In one of his courses, he did a field study on Clinton County. With such a project, he came into contact with many county officials and after his graduation from MSU last June, he was hired as county planner, officially beginning Sept 3. Dunnigan is now working on his master's degree.

Dunnigan felt it was a wise decision on the county's part to get involved in planning when they have a good chance of insuring quality growth in the county.

Many of Clinton's neighboring counties, such as Ingham and Eaton do not have planners at this point, and Shiawassee is considering hiring a planner.

Dunnigan and his wife Sheila reside in Delta Twp, the north-east Twp of Eaton County. His wife is employed as a 4th grade teacher at Wacousta Elementary.



Dennis C. Dunnigan



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Redwing students name Dwane Wirick '74 Marshall

ST JOHNS - This year the students of St. Johns have chosen Dwane Wirick, as the 1974 Homecoming Parade's Grand Marshall.

In a press release to the County News it was stated:

"Each year this position of honor is given to a person who has shown devotion and interest above and beyond the call of duty."

Mr. Wirick, as acting director of athletics for the high school has met these standards and much more. After 28 years of serving the St. Johns High

School, we feel Mr. Wirick deserves this honor.

"In 1946 Mr. Wirick came to St. Johns as a commercial teacher and as a basketball coach. As many can probably remember, he had many successful seasons, two in which their record was unblemished by loss. In 1954 the Reds placed third in the state tournaments.

"In 1956 Mr. Wirick became assistant principal and director of athletics. This was his position until last year when he became full time athletic director. With the advent of

eight new sports over the years, the job of athletic director has become a full time job.

"The list of duties as Athletic Director is a mile long, and are quite varied. Besides scheduling all the sports activities for the year he also acts as a liaison between the principal and the coaches. He is in charge of all the financial needs of the different sports. He checks equipment and has it repaired if the need arises. At the end of a season he helps

organize banquets for the teams. The buying and selling of tickets for these activities is

ST JOHNS - The Clinton County Boys Club is open for training Monday through Thursday evenings from 7-9 pm.

The facilities may be used for boxers to train for the Dec. 11 benefit at Lansing Civic Center. The show will be held in memory of Madeline VanNess

also supervised by Mr. Wirick plus much more. "We of the high school feel it

the late wife of Al VanNess, manager of the Lansing Dist. Golden Gloves Tournament since 1947. Proceeds go to Cancer research.

The show will feature past champions of the Lansing Dist. Tourney.

is about time someone took time to thank Mr. Wirick for a job well done."

Boys Club open for training

Boys entering must be 16 years or older.

The boxers also interested in training for the upcoming January Golden Gloves bouts may begin their training.

Local boxing fans may obtain tickets for the benefit show from Pierce Bakery in St. Johns.



100% for United Way

Dean Bosman, plant manager of Sealed Power Corp., and the 1975 industrial chairman of the Clinton County Capital Area United Way Campaign, congratulates Elsie Dickinson. The industrial drive got off to a great start early last week when Mrs. Dickinson proudly reported the 100% participation of the employees of Advance Castings Co. and Burton Mixer and Manufacturing Co. Dean Bosman expressed the hope that all Clinton County industry would follow this example.

St. Johns drama students working on fall production

ST JOHNS - The drama department of St. Johns High School is preparing to present its next production "Anastasia". "Anastasia" is a historical drama, a mystery, and a love story. It contains comical lines but yet it has historical significance.

"Anastasia" is the story of a Russian princess who is the only surviving person with the chance of cashing in on ten million pounds in English and Swedish banks.

She is lost in the mists of amnesia trying to find her true identity when she falls into the hands of some greedy, dishonest Russians in Berlin. They spread the story that the rest of the imperial family was massacred by the Reds and the youngest daughter, Anastasia, though severely injured, escaped with her life.

The girl offers no resistance to their plans and the conspirators plan to prosper.

To obtain the money, the conspirators must first convince the Imperial grandmother that they have found the true

Anastasia. A beautiful and touching scene results when the 2 ladies meet. Anastasia wins her grandmother's admiration and finds herself only to present a shaking finality to the drama.

The cast for "Anastasia" was selected from try-outs held Oct. 1 and 2. They include:

Cherov: Ray Kinney
Varya: Laura Hurst
Petrov: Jeff Wood
Prince Bouine: Larry Parker
Sergeina: Wendy Brockmyre
Anastasia: Connie Cornell
Counsellor Drvmit: Brandon White

Sleigh Driver: John Barnes
Charwoman: Sharon Rosekrans
Dr. Serensky: Tom Villarreal
Dowager Empress: Sherri Desprez

Prince Paul: Dan Rehmann
Performances will be given in the school auditorium Friday and Saturday evenings, Nov. 15 and 16, at 8 pm.

The play is being directed by Robert L. Koger, drama teacher, and his assistant Mike Muehlenbeck. Ms. Erin Wood was chosen to be student director.

Police investigate theft and arson

BY JAN L. BEADERSTADT
County News Writer

ST JOHNS - Police are still investigating a theft and arson of an auto and wrecker that occurred 9 weeks ago on William Rd., according to detective Arthur Hopp of the Clinton County Sheriff's Patrol.

Bob Patterson of Bob's Auto Body at 800 N. Lansing in St. Johns reported to the St. Johns City Police that his 1970 Ford Wrecker with a 1970 Hornet

attached to it was missing from his parking lot July 30. He reported the theft to the police after he had returned to work that Tuesday afternoon.

Later that day, an Animal Control Officer spotted 2 burned vehicles on Williams Rd., a 1/2 mile south of Center Road. Closer examination proved to be the totaled American Motors Hornet and wrecker, which was badly burned.

Police are still investigating the incident.

Legal News

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

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

Estate of FORD HARVARD SCHAVEY, File No. 19,330

TAKE NOTICE On November 6, 1974, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon. TIMOTHY M. GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Helen M. Schavey for probate of a purported will of the deceased dated October 5, 1971, for granting of administration to Helen M. Schavey, or some other suitable person and for a determination of heirs, and for assignment of the estate to persons entitled thereto.

Dated October 11, 1974
Helen M. Schavey
Petitioner
207 Wilson
DeWitt, Michigan

Attorney for Petitioner:
DOYLE, SMITH, WHITMER & CARRUTHERS
By Louis A. Smith
520 South Union Street
Traverse City, Mich. 49684
Phone 1616/946-0700

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to said Helen M. Schavey at 207 Wilson, DeWitt, Michigan, and proof thereof filed with the court on or before December 24, 1974. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons determined of record entitled thereto.

Coming event

OCT. 18-19, Bake sale at Kroger, D.C., Central National Bank. Friday 9 am-6 pm and Saturday 9 am-5 pm. Proceeds will aid OEO in supplying

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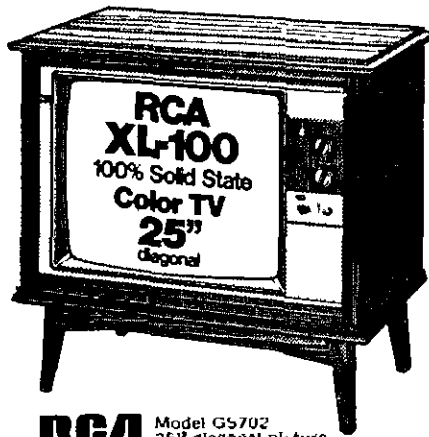
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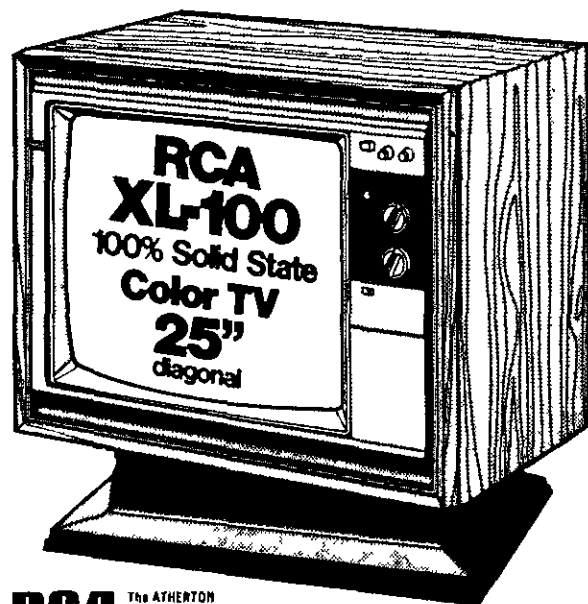


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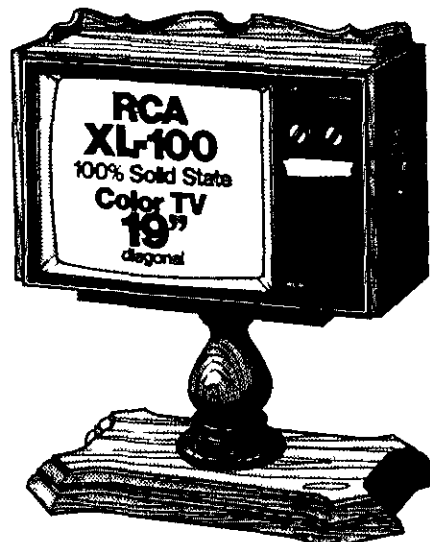
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New Farm Bureau Directors

New Clinton County Farm Bureau directors are shown with Elton Smith (left), president of Michigan Farm Bureau and Francis Motz, outgoing president of Clinton County Farm Bureau. New directors are (from Smith's left) David Pohl of Fowler, Robert Borton of Watertown Twp and Don Witt of Riley. Not shown is George Baird, director at large.

Three-hundred attend Farm Bureau Annual Meeting--

ST. JOHNS -- Under the leadership of Fran Motz, county president, Clinton County Farm Bureau members elected 5 directors, considered over 30 proposed resolutions and crowned the 1974 County Farm Bureau Queen. These were only a few of the many important items on the agenda at the bureau's 55th Annual meeting held last week at Smith Hall here.

Elected to 3-year terms on the county board of directors were: Don Witt, representing Bengal-Riley townships; Ron Miller, Ovid-Victor; Robert Borton, Eagle-Watertown and director at large -- George Baird. Elected to fill 1 year of an unexpired term in Dallas-Westphalia was David Pohl.

Members favor farmer control of grain reserves rather than government control, they favor raising the exemption for federal estate tax from the present 60,000 to a figure which "more realistically will reflect the current property values."

They favor legislation to eliminate secondary boycotts and their use to force unionization of farm labor. Concern was expressed for the future of rail transportation due to the proposed cutback in rail service. Other resolutions passed concerned land use, opposition to the removal of the sales tax from food and drugs and opposition to the funding and control of local courts by the State of Michigan.

County resolutions concerned county roads and asked supervisors and township officials to make improvement of them a priority in 1975, favor of reducing the term of office of county road commissioners from 6 to 3 years, however they turned down a proposal which would recommend the road commissioner's position elective rather than appointive. They also turned down a resolution that Clinton join the Tri-County Airport Authority.

Doug Brook, member of the County Young Farmers Committee introduced the 3 candidates for Farm Bureau Queen -- Miss Faith Borton, Miss Susan Black and Miss Deborah Noble. He gave a short background of each and then introduced Miss Becky Gibson 1973 Queen who placed the crown on the winner -- Miss Noble. Judging took place Oct 3.

Miss Noble will represent the county at the State Annual Queen contest held at Grand Rapids in December. Other business coming before the members was approval of the state annual delegate list for the county, reports by committees, awards to Community Groups, and introduction of students to the Citizenship Seminar in June.

Special guest at the meeting was Elton R. Smith, president of the Michigan Farm Bureau. Smith cited inflation as our number one problem blaming it in part on too much government spending. He said also inflation is due to too much money chasing too few goods. He feels until we are ready to stop demanding so many government services and are ready to increase productivity we will continue on the inflationary trend we are seeing today.

He expressed alarm at the position of the president when he delayed the sale of grain to Russia and other countries. "This is a very serious problem," Smith said, adding "Agriculture in America cannot grow without an open market and right to export our product." All farmers he warned must keep a keen eye on legislation to be proposed this winter concerning strategic reserves. He invited all Farm Bureau members and others interested to Grand Rapids Dec. 12 to hear Sec. of Agriculture Earl Butz speak at the State Annual Meeting.

Other speakers were Bill Spike, District Five director to the State Farm Bureau Board and Harold Scharp, new regional representative for the Central Region.

The Happy 'Hix' Young Pioneers and Maple River Community Groups received prizes for their winning table decorations and door prizes were awarded to Mrs. Donald Rice, Ray Mayers, Harold Dershem, LaVern Lerg, Wilbur Brandt, Vern Upton, Louise Dershem, Elaine Cable, Leonard Jastram and Harmon Cropsy.

Road Commission local holds annual meeting

ST. JOHNS -- The Clinton County Road Commission Union Local 0794, Michigan Council No 55 AFSCME, AFL-CIO, held their monthly meeting, Oct 8.

President Lynn Smith brought the meeting to order. The secretary and treasurer reports were read and accepted.

Willard "Buzz" Howes, staff representative from Michigan Council No 55 was introduced. A discussion followed on the proposals to be made when the Union contract committee meets with the County Road Commissioners.

The present contract will expire Dec 31, 1974.

The meeting was adjourned with the contract committee given the job of writing up the requests into proposal form.

Message from Farm Bureau

Dear Jim: Since it is National Newspaper Week I want to take this opportunity to thank you on behalf of the Clinton County Farm Bureau for the excellent cooperation we are receiving from you and your paper.

All of our members appreciate getting news of Farm Bureau interest on one page each month. This provides us with a valuable means of reaching both members and non-members to tell our story. This is made more so due to the fact that the cost of publishing our own house organ is now prohibitive.

May we continue in the future to work together and both benefit by this cooperation. We were glad to see you at County Annual Meeting.

Sincerely, Francis Motz, President CLINTON COUNTY FARM BUREAU



DeWitt celebrates Founder's Day

DEWITT -- With the erection of new city limit signs, DeWitt celebrated Founder's Day last Friday, Oct 4. Founders Day is the kick-off for the 1976 US Bicentennial.

The ceremony took place at West River Park in DeWitt, just west of town on Main (Howe Rd) St. Principle speakers were Rep Stanley Powell of the 88th

district in the Michigan House of Representatives and DeWitt's Mayor, Murl Eastman.

A large wood sign was unveiled, bearing the inscription "Welcome to Historic DeWitt, founded Oct 4, 1833", by Theodore L. Powell of Meadowbrook Meadows, Miles Merrill of Michigan Beet and

Melvin Lardie of American Bank and Trust. These three men donated each of the 3 signs, the other two being located on Hill at the Community Church

A reception followed at one of the homes in Meadowbrook Meadows, given by Mr and Mrs Ted Powell

Solve break-ins at High School

ST. JOHNS -- A Sept 10 break-in at St. Johns High School has been solved thanks to alert area residents who reported the license number of a vehicle near the high school at the time of the break-in.

Following a lead provided from two residents, police arrested Teddy Longnecker, 6345 E. Rosebush Rd, Rosebush.

The 21-year-old Longnecker was arrested following investigation by St. Johns detective sergeant Gale Anderson.

Pifer completes Gen Tel course

ST. JOHNS -- Stanley Pifer, of 709 N Clinton, St. Johns, test and assignment, supervisor for General Telephone, recently completed the company's "labor relations" course held at its state headquarters training center in Norton Shores, near Muskegon.

The course is designed to help supervisors gain skill and confidence in dealing with personnel problems, employee grievances, and in properly interpreting and administering the company's collective bargaining agreement.

Pifer was among General Telephone supervisory employees from many areas of the state during the 3-day training session. The course is a part of General Telephone's continuing effort to provide better telephone service through well-informed, highly-skilled employees.

Isabella County Sheriff's Deputies and State Police from the Mt Pleasant area

Longnecker admitted to the St. Johns break-in plus other school break-ins in the Mt Pleasant area

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Family and Society

Davis becomes Schmidt

ST. JOHNS (C) — Kathy Louise Davis of 4480 W. Cutler Rd., DeWitt became the wife of Harold Ellis Schmidt of Rt. 1, Mendon, Sept. 7 at a candlelight service in the St. Peter Lutheran Church, St. Johns. The Rev. Roger Heintz performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Orvest J. and Virginia Davis of 4880 W. Cutler Rd. in DeWitt and the groom is the son of Eugene and Bethel Schmidt of Rt. 1, Mendon.

The altar was trimmed with an altar bouquet containing gladiolus in pastel colors; the candelabra was trimmed with white primroses and blue violets. Organ music was played by their friend, Mrs. Goldie Moore; the processional was Wedding Song and the solo, sung by Bruce Caesar with guitar accompaniment was The Lord's Prayer.

The bride, given by her parents, wore a gown of white lace over satin crepe, featuring an empire waist, a high ruffled neckline with lace trim and a trimmed ruffle at hem edge of a floor-length skirt. The dress had a long chapel train and long full sleeves with pearl buttons at the wrist closure. The outfit was designed and made by the bride.

The veil was a waist-length

tered nylon tulle attached to a headband trimmed with pearls. Her bouquet was a nosegay of white primroses, blue violets and baby's breath.

The bride's sister, Linda Davis of DeWitt was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids included a sister of the groom, Joyce Schmidt of Mendon and two friends of the bride, Elaine Jastram of DeWitt and Debbie Crowley of Charlotte.

The girls wore gowns made of blue gingham check dotted with white, floor length with a wide ruffle hem, and white bodice. They each had a crocheted white shawl. Each carried a basket of white daisies and blue violets. Their head-dress was made also of white daisies and blue violets.

The bride's mother wore a chiffon print with a floor-length skirt, lined with a mint green color. Her corsage was of white carnations and mint green roses. The mother of the groom also wore a gown of chiffon print, but with a pleated floor-length skirt. Her corsage was made of white carnations and yellow roses.

Best man was a friend of the groom from Ionia, David Lehman. Groomsmen were a brother of the groom, Lyle Sch-

midt of Cincinnati, Ohio, a brother of the bride from DeWitt, Randall Davis, and a friend of the groom from Charlotte, Melvin Crowley.

A reception followed at the DeWitt Memorial Building. The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hubble of Lake George and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Delong of Shepherd. The cake was cut and served by Mrs. Cressa Rossow and Mrs. Helen Shavey. Mrs. Dorothea Goetz and Mrs. Edie Penzien helped serve the buffet supper.

Included in the over 350 guests present were the bride's godparents from Gladwin, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Drake and the grandparents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schmidt of White Pigeon and Mrs. Frances Taylor. The grandmother of the bride, Mrs. Lewis Heiden of Lake George was also present.

The bride is a 1974 graduate of Ferris State, receiving her BS degree last June. The groom is attending Michigan State University (MSU) where he is working for his degree in agriculture.

After a wedding trip along Lake Michigan near Holland, they will be residing at 1204 A. University Village in MSU.



MR. & MRS. HAROLD ELLIS SCHMIDT

Coming Events

OCT 17 — The Blue Star Mothers S.W. District Past Presidents Meeting will be held in Farwell at 10:00 am.

OCT 22 — Chapter 88 Blue Star Mothers of St. Johns will have a meeting at the Congregational Church at 7:30.

OCT 17 — 8 pm, St. Joseph Altar Society Card Party and Style Show. St. Joseph's gymnasium.

OCT-DEC — Multiple Sclerosis Christmas Cards for sale with proceeds going to the Multiple Sclerosis Central Michigan Chapter. Call Kathy Cain, 224-7979.

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

OCT 27 — Annual Chicken dinner and fair, St. Peter Lutheran Church — Riley. Serving 11:30 to 3 pm. Adults \$3.50, Children \$1.75. Preschoolers free.

OCT 30-Nov 1 — Annual Conference for Extension Agents.

Nov 19, 26 & Dec 3 — Farm Estate Planning and Operating Agreements Workshop. First Meeting at Smith Hall. Others at Central National Bank.

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



50th anniversary

ST. JOHNS — Mr. and Mrs. Zenos Hylar of St. Johns will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary with an open house Sunday, Oct. 20, at the St. Johns Municipal Auditorium on the corner of Spring and Walker Streets from 2 to 5 pm. The event will be hosted by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hylar, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Woodbury, Mr. and Mrs. Don Little and grandchildren: Gordon, David Crystal and Cindy Hylar, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Burtovoy, Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Woodbury, Lois Woodbury and Shelly Little. They also have 4 great-grandchildren. The former Letah Knight and Zenos Hylar were married in St. Johns Oct. 18, 1924. They have resided in St. Johns most of their lives where Mr. Hylar operated The Thrifty Shoe Repair for many years on Clinton Avenue, later moving his shop to Higham Street, retiring in 1971. Friends and relatives are invited.

McCormack now Goodman

PORTLAND — Flora Jean McCormack and Dennis Carl Goodman exchanged their wedding vows and rings Sept. 21 in St. Patrick's Church in Portland. Father Donald Weber performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Duncan McCormack and the late Duncan McCormack of Sunfield. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Elon Goodman of Portland.

The wedding gown chosen by the bride was of white chiffon over taffeta, embroidered with daisy lace appliques and seed pearls. Satin ribbon was interwoven in the lace trim, accenting the waist, skirt and cuffs of her long sleeves. She wore a veil attached to a Juliet cap made of the daisy lace and seed pearls.

Red roses, wine carnations, white mums with baby's breath and greens made up the bride's wedding bouquet. The altar flowers were baskets of pink

and white mums trimmed with greens.

The bride was escorted by her uncle, Arden McCormack of Portland. Miss Kathleen Schneider, a friend from Lansing, was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were the bride's cousin, Debra Barnes of Grand Ledge and Annette Goodman, sister of the groom from Portland. Each wore picture hats and carried nosegays matching their chiffon over taffeta gowns in fall colors of wine, blue and green respectively.

William Goodman, brother of the groom from Portland, was best man. Groomsmen were Tony Goodman, brother of the groom of Lansing and Mike McCormack, brother of the bride from Sunfield. Ushering the guests was a brother of the groom, Frank Goodman and a friend, Eugene Pohl of Portland.

A 5:30 buffet dinner was served to 400 guests at the K of C Hall, Portland, followed by dancing.

Clinton County Historical Society to meet Oct 24

The Clinton County Historical Society will hold its October meeting at the Colony Methodist Church, Thursday, Oct. 24, at 8 pm.

The program will be a slide presentation by Ms. Ruby Rogers on "Quilts and Coverlets".

Ms. Rogers, who is Curator of the State Museum in Lansing, will also have a display of quilts and coverlets of historical and artistic interest.

An interesting part of the evening meeting will be an informal discussion by society members of the history of the Colony and the Colony Methodist Church. The public is invited.



St Johns sets candy sale

ST. JOHNS — The Annual St. Johns Band Candy Sale is in progress and will run through this week. St. Johns Band officials said, "as always, quality products will be offered to the public." All candy products sell for 50 cents each.

Engagements

Harr-Weber

The engagement of Miss Juliann Harr to Mr. Stan Weber has been announced. Juliann is the daughter of Mrs. Marian Harr and the late Donald Harr of 447 N. Sorrell of Fowler and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Weber of Rt. 1 Kinley in Fowler. The bride-elect is a 1973 graduate of Fowler High School and is employed by the Dept. of Treasury for the State of Michigan. The prospective groom is a 1972 graduate of Fowler High School and is employed at the same place where his fiancée is employed. The wedding date is April 26.



Hufnagel-Ridenour

Mrs. Bernita Hufnagel of 587 N. Elm St., Fowler wishes to announce the engagement of her daughter Janice to Dan Ridenour, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ridenour of Athens, Georgia.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Fowler High School and is presently employed by the Michigan Department of Education in Lansing.

Her fiancé is a graduate of St. Johns High School and is employed by ITT Hancock in Elsie. The wedding date has been set for February 1, 1975.

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Wohlfert - Claus

WESTPHALIA — Jan Wohlfert, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon W. Wohlfert of Eagle became the wife of David Lee Claus Sept. 28 at the St. Mary's Catholic Church in

Westphalia. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvyn Claus of Rogers City. The ceremony was performed by the Father James Schmitt.

The bride in this double-ring

ceremony wore an A-line dress of white dacron polyester sheer. Her chapel length veil was of imported illusion edged with lace. Her bouquet was a cascade of yellow roses with white carnations. Jan wore a cross necklace which was a gift of the groom.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Richard Sleight of St. Johns. Bridesmaids were 2 sisters of the groom, Mrs. Robert Macomber and Miss Lisa Claus and a sister of the bride, Miss Marlene Wohlfert.

Their outfits were mini green polyester knit halter styled dresses with hunter green crocheted velvet jackets.

The best man was a friend of the groom from Lansing, Burton Ide. Groomsmen were 2 brothers of the bride, Richard and Jerry Wohlfert and a cousin of the groom, Mike Tulgeske. Ushers were David Wohlfert, brother of the bride and Doug Claus, cousin of the groom.

A reception was held at the St. Mary's Hall, Westphalia. Special guests present were the grandparents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. John Bruder.

After a trip up north, the couple are residing in Grand Ledge.



MR. & MRS. DAVID LEE CLAU

Fit for fashion lessons slated

ST. JOHNS — A lesson on basic pattern alterations will be held by the Clinton County Cooperative Extension Wednesday, Oct. 23 at 7:30 pm at Smith Hall in St. Johns.

The lesson will deal with measuring and basic alteration techniques. Both beginning and more advanced seamstresses can attend.

For more individual alteration problems, additional workshop dates have been set up. These are: Nov. 4 and Nov. 18 at 7:30 pm. Registration will be taken at the lesson.

Everyone who attends should take scissors to cut paper and scotch tape.

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Lyon- Spinner

ST. JOHNS -- Susan Jane Lyon became the wife of Robert LeRoy Spinner Sept 1 at the Miller Road Bible Church in Lansing. The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs William J. Lyon of St. Johns and the groom is the son of Mr and Mrs Harold W. Spinner of Holt, Michigan.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. C. Dotson before a multi-colored altar of mums and glads. Shelley Manns of Lansing and Harold W. (Bud) Spinner Jr were the maid of honor and best man respectively.

40th anniversary

Mr and Mrs Robert Bohr of Chippewa Lake, former Westphalia area residents, will be celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary on Oct 24. They will be honored at an open house on Sunday, October 20th from 1:00 to 6:00 pm at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs Roger Zylstra in Grandville, Michigan.

Marriage licenses

Jerry Jerome Fabus, 23, RFD 1, Ashley, Janet K. Strachota, 18, 5597 Maple Rapids Rd, Elsie Jess Sadler, 41, 119 Middleton St, Middleton, Linda Lee Taylor, 37, 226 E Adelaide, Maple Rapids.

Kirk W. Weaver, 18, 7245 Winegar Rd, Perry, Andrea Kay Bates, 18, 7305 Hollister Rd, Laingsburg.

Ricky Lee Tobias, 18, 419 N Ovid Rd, Elsie, Candace Mary Heppner, 17, 110 Cedar Street, Elsie.

Larry Dale Randolph, 24, R3, St Johns, Jane M. Glowacki, 22, 809 N Lansing St, St Johns.

Mitchel Allen James, 19, 2093 N Meridian Rd, Ovid, Linda Renee Jones, 17, 240 E Front St, Ovid.

George Walter Fuller, 27, 1154 W Grand River, Owosso, Sylvia Kay Gardner, 22, 609 N Morton St, St Johns.

James Michael Andrus, 22, 427 Charly Circle Apt 501, Lansing, Julie Diane Martin, 17, 3503 Twilight Lane, Lansing.

James Donald Schneider, 18, Rt. Stone Rd, Fowler; Toni Louise Weber, 16, R1, Grange Rd, Pewamo.

Thomas D. Ashley, 20, 2992 S Geneva, DeWitt, Pamela Sue Paska, 18, 12668 Holly Lane, DeWitt.

Michael Lee Ritter, 19, 2286 Steel rd R5, St Johns, Devona Jean Marriage, 18, 234 E Clinton St, Ovid.

John Kennedy, Jr, 19, 1209 S Oakland St, St Johns, Rebecca Maxine Field, 18, 409 East Higham St, St Johns.

Steven Kanser, 20, 7651 Round Lake Road Laingsburg, Lana Hurst, 20, 220 Crum St, Laingsburg.

Joseph Mark Sisco, 18, 608 1/2 N Pine Street, Lansing, Anna Lucille Vintz, 19, 9275 Oakdale Drive, Laingsburg.

Patrick A. Thelen, 19, Elm St, Fowler, Ellen Schomisch, 19, Rt. Fowler.

Joe E. Hutchings, 23, 6675 Farrell Road Laingsburg, Teresa J. Caruss, 19, 6962 Forest Hill Road, St Johns.

Stanley W. Berryhill, 54, 414 Hylewood, Lansing, Ina B. Betts, 83, 414 Hylewood, Lansing.

David Emanuel Mervis, 21, 16994 Tower Avenue, East Lansing, Susan Gay Miller, 32, 16994 Tower Avenue, East Lansing.

Jerome David Maurer, 39, 9002 Norris Road, DeWitt; Kathleen Ann Youngs, 28, 3923 Calvin Street, Lansing.

Daniel M. Rue, 20, 207 N Oakland St, St Johns, Rita M. Flak, 20, 8917 W Centerline Rd, St Johns.

BIRTHS

A boy, Milton Lee Jr, was born to Mr and Mrs Milton Lee Van Burger of 8553 Henderson Road, Sept 30 at St Johns Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs 14 oz. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Otto Russell and Mrs Eunice Douglas. The mother is the former LuAnn Austin.

A boy, Jeffrey Michael, was born on Sept 16 to Mr and Mrs Kevin Thelen at St Lawrence Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs 5 oz. Grandparents are Mr and Mrs Linus Thelen of Westphalia and Mr and Mrs Denis Rademacher of St Johns. The mother is the former Deanna Rademacher.

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State is right but late on yellow lines

An announced study of no-passing zone markings will be welcomed by everyone with only one question. Why has the State Highway Department taken so long to initiate it and why must it cost \$30,000?

Not once in our driving experience have we found a double yellow line we felt too long. Hundreds of times we've noticed yellow lines way, way too short to protect the unsuspecting driver from a car hidden below a hill not designated by those all important lines.

Traffic enforcement agencies always express concern about enacting rules people don't want to follow. They claim such rules are impossible to enforce. We always claim they aren't enforced because law enforcement agencies don't enforce them.

As for finding the inadequate yellow lines, each county road commission in the state should be able to provide the State Highway Department with the information instantly and without cost. County road crews travel the roads daily. Information could be secured from local sheriff departments and state police posts. All the information could be forwarded to Lansing without cost to anyone.

We will grant that \$30,000 is a drop in the State Highway Department bucket. But we ask as we so often do: Why must every simple project be preceded by an expensive "survey" unless "surveys" are simply designed to keep bureaucrats busy and bureaucratic jobs filled?

Regardless, the \$30,000 will be far more beneficial to the people of Michigan than the \$100,000 the State Highway Department insisted be spent redesigning state highways speed limits. . . a limit state police say they "can't enforce" and want changed after the signs have been up less than a year.

Lapeer County Press.

"If It Fitz . . . Ford's best answer is Scrooge

Editor, Lapeer County Press

"By Jim Fitzgerald



There should be no Christmas this year. Now that I'm a Presidential advisor, that's my advice. Please indict me quickly so I can pay the group rate for my legal defense.

President Ford asked the American people for suggestions on how to cut the cost of living and save energy. I can give him the perfect answer in one word - Scrooge.

THINK ABOUT IT. To fight inflation, you should not buy anything you don't really need. You shouldn't waste anything. You should be willing to make personal sacrifices. And you should increase your productivity without demanding an increase in your wages.

Last night I looked in the back of my sock drawer. This is where I hide toilet kits representing Christmas past. Someone is always giving me fancy boxes containing bottles of awful liquids that sting and stink. I don't need or want that stuff. The only reason I save it is a fermentation hedge against the return of Prohibition.

In another drawer are 1,456 white handkerchiefs, all received for Christmas. For some strange reason, perhaps because Prohibition didn't work, I never get colds. I am not required to blow my nose 10 times a year.

And then there is Christmas morning when the Mad Burner strikes again. That's what my family calls me. What I burn is gift wrappings and ribbons and, I'll admit, an occasional gift by mistake. Since the invention of Scotch tape and little kids, it has been impossible to open a package without tearing the paper which quickly piles eye-high. Old uncles have been lost for days in Christmas

gift debris. The only answer is a big fire, quickly, so you don't have to eat your turkey through tissue paper.

I COULD CITE many other examples. Christmas cards, for Lord's sake. But you get the idea. Christmas is the most wasteful day of the year. Forget it in '74.

Christmas tree growers would gladly spruce me to death, of course. And my own grandchildren would hate me, but that's where the personal sacrifices come in. No one ever said it would be easy saving the nation.

Look at it this way and you'll feel better: No more toy commercials on TV. No more hollering hucksters telling Junior to tell Dad to buy him a baseball game which features a live Henry Aaron hitting baseballs in Junior's own bedroom.

So what will you do December 25? That's where increased productivity comes in. You go to work for free. And your boss cuts the price tag on whatever you produce that day. I would write a special column and nail it to a tree.

SOME OF YOU may remember that Christmas was originally the celebration of the birth of Jesus Christ. That was back before Howard Cosell made Joe Namath God. I see no reason why the elimination of Christmas should ruin any birthday plans.

In fact, in view of the energy shortage, it would be appropriate to light a candle to Christ on His birthday. And thank Him for showing the way through the darkness long before the Edison Co. Happy No Noel.

Thanks to a special family

Our family wishes to call public attention to an extra special family who reside in rural St. Johns.

In August my husband, myself (recovering from major surgery) and our two Beagle dogs drove from our DeWitt Township home to Centerline Rd., St. Johns for the purpose of "running" the dogs to get them in shape for the rabbit season.

Our pup, just 5 months old that day, had never been out of her kennel before and was really eager to run free in the woods owned by our friends, the Clark Kintighs. We were anxious to see if she'd learn from her 5 year old kennelmate, who is a thoroughly seasoned hunter.

As dusk approached the dogs became turned-around in a field, and for reasons we'll never know, began running

away from us, out of calling distance.

The next couple of hours were tense and emotional as we really love our pets, not to mention the fact that they are quite valuable. We drove around several county sections searching in vain and the Kintigh children walked in the dark calling, and even looked for a falling star to wish upon for the return of "Trinity" and "Liberty". Although our three children were at home, we felt we couldn't leave without those hounds, so we called home to let the babysitter know we'd be late . . . and she knew where our dogs were!!!

The wonderful people who found our dogs are Mr. and Mrs. Gordon W. Blaylock and their son of 5083 S. Francis Road. They tied the animals up and

gave them water, then called long distance to our home at their own expense to notify us. (The dogs each wear complete identification.) Beagle dogs are friendly, loving animals and many people could have kept our pets. Mr. Blaylock told my husband that he enjoys hunting with them, although they don't presently own any.

We had never heard of the Blaylock family until that night, but we'll never forget their honesty, despite the affection they showed for dogs, especially ours.

When our young "Liberty" has her first litter we would be pleased if the Blaylock's would accept one of her pups as a token of our appreciation. The hope of America is families like the Gordon Blaylock's, God bless them.

Mr. and Mrs. David W. Graham, Tim, Tracy and Todd
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487-5200

Back Through the Years

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

25 YEARS AGO
Oct 13, 1949
The body of Cpl Rex Swagart, 29, who died in a Japanese prison camp in July, 1942, will arrive here next Wednesday for funeral services the following day, Thursday, Oct 20, at 2 pm. Nearly \$2,500 has been turned in for the Emergency Polo Fund drive in Clinton County it was announced this morning by Rev. Emerald Price, local chapter chairman.

Contributions for the Fowler Veterans' building passed the \$2,300 mark this week, according to reports from members of the EJ Werner Post No 3733 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Clinton County's board of supervisors concluded a two-day October session here Tuesday after approving a county budget for the coming year of \$273,684.74. The appropriations for the coming year are more than \$60,000 in excess of last year's budget.

The downward trend in Michigan traffic deaths which began in April, came to an end in August when 134 lost their lives. It was a new high for the year and exactly the same number as killed in August of 1969.

David Thelen, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Thelen, was killed Saturday at 4 pm in a cave-in on the Thelen farm in Westphalia Township. Francis Karber has announced the hours for his Ranch Roller Rink, Inc. which opened successfully Saturday evening.

10 YEARS AGO
Oct 15, 1964
A tractor, pickup truck, new sprayer, wagon and other equipment were lost in a fire at the Bruce Van Vleet farm, 1347 E. Price Road, last Wednesday evening.

Opening his office in St. Johns this week for the practice of medicine and general surgery is Julius H. Keeler, MD, who is moving here from Eau Claire, Wis.

One of the most recent targets of vandals in Clinton County has been the public phone booth. Phones were ripped from two of the booths in the last 10 days. Despite a chill wind, rain and air, Friday was a festive day in Ashley. Besides their homecoming, folks watched the ground breaking for a new steel fabrication plant that may eventually employ more people than are living in Ashley now.

Nice message from Mental Health Board

In accordance with "National Newspaper Week" I would like to take this opportunity to say "thank-you" from the staff and Board members of the Community Mental Health Board, Clinton-Eaton-Ingham Counties.

We are sincerely grateful for your continuing support of community mental health programs.

In the past 10 years, community mental health centers have grown from a virtual nonentity to a large network of services strategically located throughout the tri-county area, in an attempt to bring services closer to the people. We are very much aware that this would have been an impossible task without the acceptance and support of the public and the news media.

Today, community mental health agencies provide services for more than 120,000 people in Michigan alone. This fact carries with it a tremendous responsibility to insure that the services provided are adequate and of the highest caliber possible. As a major source of information for the public, your newspaper is in an excellent position to see that these responsibilities are carried out in good conscience.

We look forward to many more years of satisfactory cooperation between our Board and your paper.

Sincerely,
Charlotte J. Laderoute
Public Relations Representative

A PERSONAL LOOK AT THE NEWS

Between the lines

with Jim Edwards

Monday was Columbus Day. At least that's the legal holiday set so it comes on a Monday. I've given up trying to figure out the real date of holidays set so government employees get 3-day weekends.

Nevertheless, it brings to mind how the holiday might be viewed by those concerned in a different century. It might read like this:

OCT 14, 2174—Citizens throughout the land today celebrated the 100th anniversary of the discovery of the earth area now inhabited by religious refugees of the planet Saturn.

The area, once known by several names including The Colonies, The US, the US of A, the USA, America and The United States of America, was discovered 100 years ago by interplanetary explorer, Capt. Yusoff Bigrarin.

Bigrarin led a fleet of 3 space ships in search of new food supply lands and routes to return them to the planet Saturn.

Although originally destined for Mars, Bigrarin and his 3 ships landed on the surface of America. He and his men ventured into the new land and found plentiful sources of food.

Once they found ways of obtaining the crude native money, they found acquisition of food for their fellow Saturnites an easy task. From coast to coast in the strange land, they discovered elaborate palaces dispensing meat and breads to the natives for shells or pieces of the native currency.

Bigrarin's dramatic discovery, however, was met shortly with derision and contempt by his planet-mates when it was discovered the food he returned with was unfit for consumption.

It was nearly 50 years later that protesters against the Saturn majority religion and unfair Saturnite taxation led a journey to the land discovered by Bigrarin.

The protesters banded together and fled the planet in the space ship, "Maysoarar."

"Maysoarar" landed in the new land in a place known to the natives as Washington DC.

LANSING — The Historical Society of Greater Lansing is publishing a pictorial calendar with scenes from a number of Mid-Michigan communities, including DeWitt, Maple Rapids, Vermontville, Lansing, East Lansing, Mason, Leslie, Grand Ledge and Portland.

Jack Thompson, editor, said the theme will be the development of the Tri-County area from 1862 through 1969. He explained that the actual calendar for each month will be for a different year, with the accompanying photograph appropriate for that year. The years were chosen so that the

At first, reception of the freedom loving Saturn refugees was not what could be considered friendly.

However, the ex-Saturn residents quieted the unruly natives with massive doses of the Saturn ammunition Insta-Freeze. The natives, with their crude weapons, were powerless against the more sophisticated weaponry of the settlers.

Much protest was made of the take over of the land, but the Saturnites were strong and courageous and refused to allow the heathens to chase them away from their newly-claimed home.

Many efforts were made to civilize the savages in the new world. Only a few had retained their ability to walk great distances, relying instead on deadly 4-wheeled carriages that filled the air with real smelly clouds and, on many occasions, caused great harm to the citizenry as they went out of control on vast expanses of concrete.

The Saturnites at once moved to teach the natives how to walk and removed the concrete from where it had slaughtered millions of oxygen giving trees.

Although every effort was made to treat the natives fairly and to employ them in domestic capacities whenever possible, they persisted in rebelling and many times attacked the peaceful settlers.

After months and years of explaining to the natives their rightful place in the new land, it became obvious they were not to be dealt with as intelligent beings.

It was then they were delegated to reservations where they now sell their native handiware.

Even today, the natural beauty and artistic flavor of the native culture can be seen in national parks and museums where aluminum wheel covers of ornate design or colorful flared trousers tempt the historic minded sightseer.

Recently great efforts have been made to assimilate the native into the everyday life of the country, but, to date, many seem content to remain on their reservations and eke out a living from their simple savage instincts.

Pictorial calendar includes Clinton County

days and dates would be the same as those for 1975.

Subjects include a church gathering, an auction, building of the capitol, a lamp lighter, fire trucks, an opera house, a grade school class, the interurban, a wayside hotel, soldiers on parade, freeway construction and space exploration.

According to Geneva Wiskemann, president of the society and former archivist in charge at the State archives, many of the photographs are being published for the first time. Some are from private collections.

She said that a limited number of copies are being printed and that they will probably become collectors' items. She added that the society intends to publish other calendars in years following.

The 1975 calendar will be available in October at local bookstores and antique and craft shops. Information may be obtained from the Historical Society of Greater Lansing, Box 715, Lansing.

Mrs. Wiskemann said that proceeds from the sales will go towards various society projects and programs.

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Redwings aim for Hastings after loss to Waverly

By JOHN PHIPPS
County News Sports Writer

The shoe is on the other foot, and that's not good news for Hastings High School's football team.

St. Johns, a 17-12 loser at the hands of Waverly last week, will entertain Hastings here Friday for homecoming. And, the Redwings are unhappy enough to go after a big win.

Last week's setback left them

with a 2-1 West Central Conference record (3-2 overall). Now they must work all the harder to stay in the running with Alma (3-0) and Grand Ledge (4-0) for the WCAC title. Just 6 days ago it was Waverly's Warriors who were unhappy going into their homecoming against St. Johns. They had suffered 2 straight league defeats, blowing any hopes for a piece of the WC crown. Additional incentive

came from the memory of a tough 9-0 loss at St. Johns last year. Waverly came out with both barrels blazing, rolling up a 17-0 lead before the Redwings could get in gear. St. Johns managed only 54 yards total offense in the 1st half while yielding 182 yards, but Keith Haske's passing made the 4th period exciting enough to keep everyone in his seat until the final gun. Mistakes at key points in the

desperate final moments destroyed the effect of St. Johns' best play of the game and helped the jubilant Warriors even their WCAC mark at 2-2. "We just didn't play good football in the 1st half," said St. Johns coach Joe Gonzales. "They were beating us off the line and we were doing a lot of arm tackling in the 1st half. The opposition has something to do with that in the game like this, though. They were not a bad

team and they were really high for the game." Gonzales had said during the week before the game that Waverly was capable of playing good football if it concentrated on basics and got away from elaborate and exotic plays. "They've been trying all kinds of formations and fancy plays. If they would just forget about all that stuff and get down to playing good solid football, they'd be a good team," Gonzales said then.

After the loss, Gonzales and assistant coach Jan Szymczak agreed one of the key factors was Waverly's decision to do just that.

"That's the best football they've played since the Lansing Catholic game," they said. Waverly opened the season with a hard fought 14-8 decision in the annual Little Brown Jug game before trouncing Hastings 24-0 and losing to Grand Ledge 21-6 and Alma 36-6.

The Warriors jumped out to the early lead by scoring on its 1st possession of the ball. Punching steadily down field, the hosts capped the drive with a 15 yard run by junior fullback Jeff Albert. Keith Mulder booted the extra point.

"We had him tackled in the backfield, but he slipped it," said Gonzales.

Albert proved to be a king-sized nemesis to the Redwings - the 5-11, 160-pounder rushed for a school ground record of 187 yards in 28 carries. Fifty-two of the yards came in a 2nd-half romp that ultimately prevented St. Johns from hopes of a tie.

Redwing Tim Knaus was the last man between Albert and the goal at the St. Johns 22 yardline. He stopped Albert, but Waverly got to the 8 yardline in 5 plays to set up a 25-yard field goal by Mulder, giving the homecoming crowd a 17-0 lead to savor with 1:44 left in the 3rd quarter.

The field goal was the 1st in Waverly's 10 year varsity history. Last attempt came several years ago against St. Johns. The Redwings blocked it.

Mulder has Waverly coaches shaking their heads.

"He doesn't ever say anything," says assistant coach Bill Adams. "Mulder is a senior and we just found out he can kick the ball - he didn't say a word about it and we found out by accident!"

In between those scores, Waverly picked up a 2nd period touchdown on a 2-yard smash up the middle by Tom Korroch. Mulder's kick was good for a 14-0 lead at that point.

Meanwhile, the Redwings were not faring well.

What appeared to be a sure touchdown that would have drastically altered the tone of the game in the 2nd period was ruled out by officials.

Haske, who had taken over for starter Brian Perler early in the 2nd quarter, marched the Wings deep into the Waverly territory. He spotted end Ken Randolph in the end zone and passed for an apparent score. Randolph made a diving catch, hit the ground and the ball popped out of his arms. The official ruled it an incomplete pass.

"All he had to do was have control of the ball in the end zone and it would be a touchdown even if he did drop it,"



St. Johns Redwing dives for loose ball.

contended Gonzales. "We were sure Ken had possession long enough - it was a good catch but it's a judgment call by the official."

Haske brought the Redwings back in a stunning 4th quarter rally that made everyone forget the 1st half and Waverly's 17-0 lead. St. Johns dominated the final stanza, nearly creating a feeling of inevitable victory out of the despair of earlier moments.

A Redwing tumble, a penalty and an interception combined to keep St. Johns from pulling out a win.

Haske drove the Wings to the Waverly 24-yardline, with the key gain a 12-yard pass to end Mark Green. But a fumble at the 18 went to Warrior Paul Otto.

The St. Johns defense got it back when Tim Knaus nailed scrambling punter Dan Kuchuk on the Waverly 24 after a low center snap.

The Wings scored 4 plays later when Haske completed the

1st of 2 touchdown passes to swingback Nick Koenigsnecht in the left corner of the end zone.

The extra point pass was incomplete, leaving the score at 17-6 with 8:21 remaining in the game.

But Redwing Ted Loznak injected a sense of urgency into the Waverly fans by recovering a fumble at the St. Johns 46 two plays later, wiping out a 17-yard run by Kuchuk.

St. Johns got to the Waverly 38, where Haske threw short under pressure to Kalem Latimer at the 5 yardline. Rick Gallegos intercepted for Waverly at the 6.

Defense again handed the Wings new life, forcing a punt 4 plays later. The short punt gave it to St. Johns on the hosts' 44 and the visitors marched in to tighten up the game at 2:27.

Harold Wellman picked up 6 yards in the 1st 2 carries, Haske hit Randolph on a square-out for 10-yards on 4th down. Wellman

gained 5 more and Haske hit Koenigsnecht on a 23-yard aerial to score.

The extra point pass failed again, leaving the score at 17-12. Kevin Knight perfectly executed an onside kick and Koenigsnecht recovered at the Waverly 19 for a final chance to get on top of the score.

But with 1:45 and 6 at the 45, St. Johns was whistled for illegal procedure. Waverly declined, making it 4th down. Haske dropped back but couldn't pass. He tried to go up the middle and ran into Waverly's Phil McVaugh at the 46.

The Warriors took over at 1:45 and ran out the clock.

Other games in the WCAC Grand Ledge won its 15th straight game at the expense of Charlotte, 13-7. Alma dumped Hastings 36-0 and Ionia ran its shutout string to 5 games in a non-league encounter against Whitehall. Ionia lost its 5th straight, 27-0, again failing to score.

Redwing junior varsity and freshmen gridders--2 wins apiece

ST. JOHNS - Junior varsity and freshmen football teams of St. Johns High each carried 2 victories into this week's schedule.

The Jayvees scored 12-6 triumph over Waverly here Thursday to run their season mark to 2-3.

The other win came at the expense of Holt 20-14.

Mark Geller scored on a 40-yard pass from quarterback Jerry Bashore on the 3d play of

the game against Waverly.

He returned his second interception 99 yards for the clincher in the 3d quarter.

Bashore finished with 17 tackles in his first game. He had broken an arm in pre-season scrimmage.

Waverly scored on its only deep penetration into St. Johns territory.

The Warriors recovered a Redwing fumble on the 6-yard line in the 2d quarter and quickly tallied.

ST. JOHNS FRESHMAN

St. Johns freshmen lost to Waverly 6-0 Thursday. Their record is 2-2-1 including victories over Holt and Ionia and a tie with Charlotte.

Waverly scored on a 22-yard reverse 6 minutes into the game. St. Johns had several chances to get on the board but was sidetracked by a fumble and a holding penalty.

Boy's football and girls' cage teams open action at Rodney B

ST. JOHNS - Boys' football and girls' basketball teams are in action for Rodney B Wilson Junior High this week.

The boys were scheduled to play Ionia Tuesday and the girls were to meet Haslett Thursday. The football teams have played once, the A team beating Corunna 12-8 and the B team downing Corunna 14-6.

The 7th grade basketball team lost to Williamston 31-30 and whipped DeWitt 30-16 in its first 2 outings.

The 8th graders dropped a 32-16 decision to Williamston and were shaded 12-11 by DeWitt.

The A football team will host Ionia Oct 15 while the B team travels to Bulldog territory on the same date.

On Oct 21 the A squad travels to Alma and the B squad hosts the Panthers.

On Oct 29 the A team hosts Haslett and the B team is on the

road for a contest with Haslett.

All games start at 5 pm. The eighth grade basketball team travels to Haslett for a 6 pm game and the 7th grade plays at home at the same time.

On Oct 24, the 8th grade hosts Grand Ledge. Hayes Junior High and the 7th grade will travel to the Hayes Junior High site. Both games begin at 5 pm.

St. Johns finishes golf season, entire team returns next year

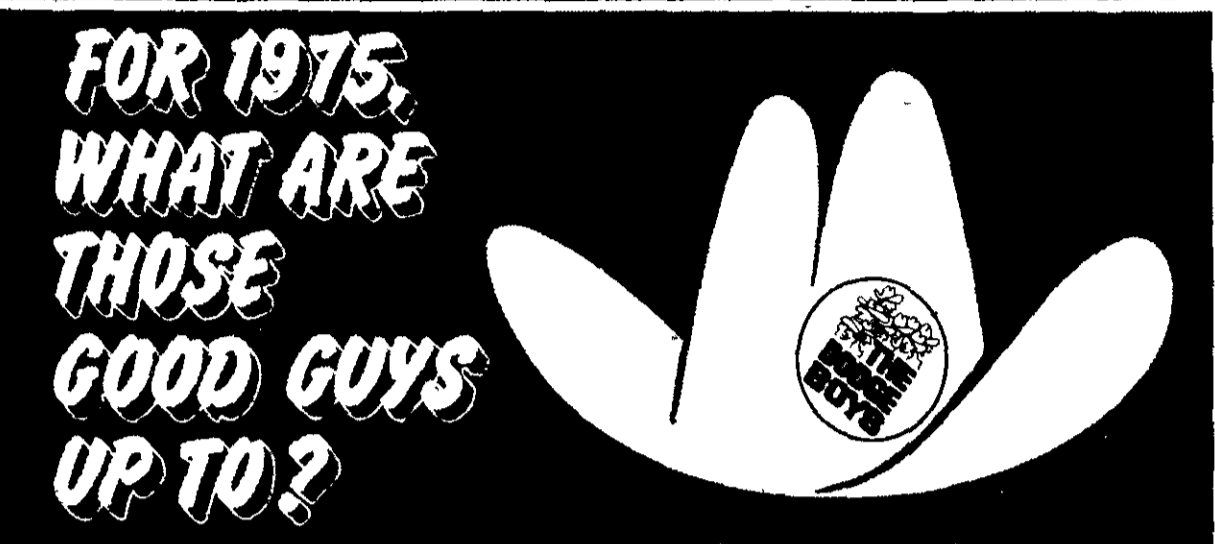
The St. Johns High School golf team closed out their 1974 season by placing 9th out of 21 schools present at Deer Run Golf Club near Lowell.

Coach Humphrey is already looking ahead to next year as he has all 14 team members back who include 7 lettermen.

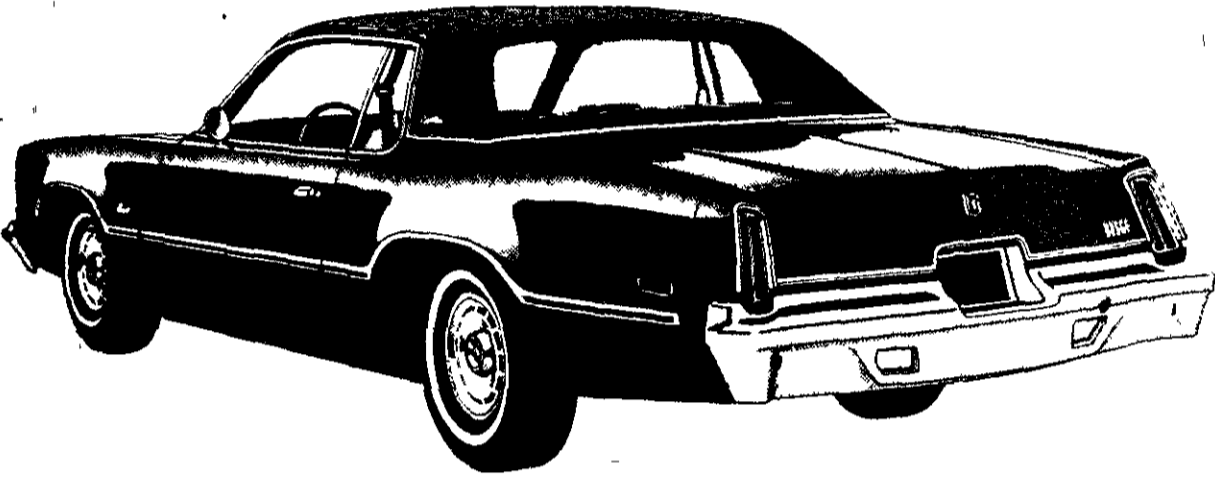
Twelve of the fourteen will be back for the next 2 years.

The varsity finished the season with a 6-6 record and the Jr Varsity finished 7-0-1 as the West Central champs.

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Pewamo-Westphalia runner strikes against Bellevue defense.

Pewamo-Westphalia continues to roll

Pewamo-Westphalia had little trouble with Bellevue Friday night, rolling to a 27-0 victory and their 5th straight CMAC win without a defeat.

Meanwhile, another of the undefeateds fell out of that distinction as DeWitt knocked off previously unbeaten Fulton 32-0.

Pewamo-Westphalia still remains deadlocked for 1st place in the CMAC with 5-0. Fowler demolished Potterville 34-6 and hosts DeWitt Friday night.

Pewamo-Westphalia will defend their undefeated status against Fulton Friday night. In the Bellevue victory, Duane Weber started the

scoring on an 11-yard run. Pat Thelen added 2 touchdowns, 1 a 6-yard effort and the other from the 7-yard line.

Phil Piggot put across the final P-W tally when he went in from the 24-yard line.

Dave Fedewa led the Pirate defense, dumping 19 Bellevue runners.

Touchdown parade gives O-E Marauders 1st MMB victory -- 43-15

ST LOUIS - Ovid-Elsie won their 1st Mid-Michigan B League game Friday, defeating the host St. Louis Sharks 43-15. Halfback Paul Case led Ovid-Elsie as he scored 3 touchdowns in the 1st half on runs of 5 yards, 6 and 8 yards.

Fullback Jim Qyrie also scored a touchdown on a 6-yard run and his replacement, Steve Seamens added 2 more touchdowns on 2 1-yard scoring plunges.

Jack Bashore scored 6 points on 3 2-point conversions following touchdowns and quarterback Perry Munson kicked an extra point to round out the scoring.

Ovid-Elsie led 21-0 at the half and ballooned that score to 43 with 6 minutes left in the game.

Coach Mark O'Donnell sent in the reserves for the remainder of the game and St. Louis scored 2 touchdowns in the 1st few minutes of the game.

Ovid-Elsie picked up 21 first downs in the game, holding the Sharks to 8.

The Marauders rushed for 304 yards and quarterback Munson tossed 3 completions in 6 attempts for another 48 yards.

However, the Marauders also led in penalties, 115 yards to 40 for St. Louis.

Ken Wyrick led the defense with 8 tackles while Kevin Torry, Lynn Cox and Dennis Cross each had 6 tackles.

Marauder coach O'Donnell said the victory was a good way for Ovid-Elsie to finish out the rivalry with St. Louis who, with Ithaca, are dropping out of the Mid-Michigan B next year for a Central C League.

Alma and Hemlock have joined the MMB to take their place on next year's schedule.

Ithaca comes to O-E Friday for Homecoming.

Ithaca downed Breckenridge 15-53.

BATH - Bath High School placed 5 runners in the top 10 at Saturday's Clinton County Cross Country Meet to take the championship of the 2d Annual Meet.

At St. Johns runner took the 1st individual spot, breaking the Chardell Golf Course meet site record of 16:08. Steve Suttin of St. Johns finished the course in 15:53.

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DeWitt zaps Fulton Pirates' perfect record

DEWITT - Unbeaten CMAC football foe Fulton received a rude reception from the host

DeWitt Panthers Friday night as the Panthers paid little attention to the undefeated record

and trounced the visitors 32-0. The victory gives DeWitt a 3-2 record and puts Fulton a 4-1 for

the season. Fulton's loss leaves 2 unbeaten teams in the conference.

Fowler and Pewamo-Westphalia.

Fowler yields touchdown, then trounces Potterville

POTTERVILLE - Fowler won their 5th straight grid contest without a defeat Friday night when they rolled over Potterville 34-6.

Potterville gained one distinction over 4 other teams in the CMAC when they scored the only touchdown the Fowler

defense has yielded this season. But, after controlling the ball for the 1st 9 minutes and scoring on a 1-yard run by John Saylor, Potterville's momentum stopped and they were held to minus 22 yards in the next 3 quarters.

After Potterville scored in the opening quarter, Fowler started to score in the 2d period and didn't stop for the rest of the game.

In the 2d period, Terry Thelen tied the game on a 2-yard run and Mike Graff put the Eagles ahead 8-6 when he ran in the 2-point conversion. The

score followed a 65-yard drive by the Eagles.

Fowler added another score before the half when Lee Feldpausch carried the ball in from the 3.

The scoring opportunity was set up when a Potterville snap from the center to the punter was low and Norm Koenigsnecht tackled the punter on the Potterville 21-yard-line.

In the 3d quarter, Graff released a pass to Andy George and the play covered 64 yards for another 6 points. Lee Feldpausch added 2 on the conversion run.

Lee Feldpausch scored again for the Eagles in the 3d quarter when he ran in from the 6-yard-line. The conversion failed.

Graff put in another score in the final period when he took the ball himself and went over from the 6.

Fowler rushed for 210 yards and 94 yards in the air.

Those 94 passing yards came on 2 tosses. One was the 64-yard pass from Graff to George and the other came when Terry Thelen hit on 30 yard pass to Dean Schrauben. Fowler was 3d and 19 at the time and the 1st down paved the way for another Eagle touchdown.

Thelen led the rushing for the Eagles with 69 yards.

Graff added another 39 yards from his quarterback position, picking up yardage on the quarterback sneak and the option play.

Following the single score by Potterville, Fowler completely dominated the game defensively and Coach Steve Spicer said it again - it was an entire defensive team effort with the most tackles by an individual being 8.

Fowler puts their perfect 5-0 record against DeWitt Friday when the Eagles will be seeking a 6th victory to celebrate Homecoming.

DeWitt shocked previously unbeaten Fulton Friday, trouncing the Fulton Pirates 32-0. The score was more points than DeWitt had scored altogether in their 1st 4 games.

DeWitt has a 3-2 season record.



Bath Bee cross country coach Howard Roberson's host team took the 2d Annual Clinton County Cross Meet at Chardell Golf Club Saturday morning. Bath took 5 out of the top 10 spots to finish on top of St. Johns, DeWitt, Pewamo-Westphalia and Ovid-Elsie.



The top 10 finishers in Saturday's 2d Annual Clinton County Cross Country Meet held at Chardell Golf Club are (front, from left) Steve Suttin, St. Johns, 1st; Mark Hansen, Bath, 2d; Rick Alward, Bath, 3d; Jeff Massey, St. Johns, 4th; Dave Wilson, DeWitt, 5th; (rear, from left) Chris Clark, Bath, 6th; Darrell Tarrant, Bath, 7th; Wayne Fedewa, St. Johns, 8th; Dave Hansen, Bath, 9th and Chris Rademacher, Pewamo-Westphalia, 10th.

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A regular meeting of the Clinton County Zoning Appeal Board will be held on Monday, October 21, 1974 at 8:00 p.m. in the Courthouse, St. Johns, Michigan. At that time the Board will act on the following applications:

- BATH TOWNSHIP**
The appeal of Loyal Shiffer to occupy a mobile home on the following described parcel of land:
Beg. in center of Upton Rd. 1316.8 ft E & 459.7 ft N. of W 1/4 cor. of Sec. 35, T5N-R1W, th. N. alg. c/1 of Upton Rd 200 ft, E. 435 ft, S. 200 ft, th. W. 435 ft. to beg. 2 ac.
- DUPLAIN TOWNSHIP**
The appeal of Mr. & Mrs. Merle Ginther to occupy a mobile home on the following desc. par. of land:
Com. 1354 ft E of NW cor of Sec. 24, T8N-R1W, th. S. 230 ft, E. 374 ft, N. 230 ft, W. to beg.
- DALLAS TOWNSHIP**
The appeal of Clare Schaefer to erect a building closer to the road r/w than the minimum allowed by the Clinton County Zoning Ordinance on the following desc. par. of land:
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Chloe's Column

Safety hints for a safe Halloween

Chloe Padgett
Clinton County Home Economist



Here are some precautions you can follow to protect your children at Halloween.

- TIPS TO MAKE COSTUMES SAFE AND SPOOKY**
 - Be sure the costume is flame resistant or at least, flame retardant. Check the labels for this information.
 - Home-sewn costumes can be temporarily flameproofed. Mix 3 ounces of boric acid, 7 ounces of borax and two quarts of water. Saturate fabric and allow to drip dry. It will resist fire until washed or wet by rain. Wigs and beards should also be treated this way.
 - Hemlines should be several inches off the ground. Children can trip in long garments. Avoid costumes with flowing sleeves, and skirts, long scarves or sashes. Anything that can catch on bushes or brush near flames is potentially dangerous.
 - Light, brightly colored costumes, easily seen at dusk or dark are best. If costume is dark, trim with fluorescent or reflective tape.
 - Children should carry a white shopping bag to collect their treats. This adds to their visibility and leaves their arms free.
 - Masks or hoods can slip and obscure a child's vision. Be sure mask is secure and that the holes correspond to the child's eyes. A safer alternative which children find fun is to use cosmetics. For easier removal
- TIPS FOR SAFER TRICK OR TREATING**
 - Parents should always accompany young children on their rounds. If a group is going out together, a responsible adult should follow to let people know the youngsters are chaperoned.
 - Review pedestrian safety rules before they leave home. A dark is a particularly hazardous time.
 - Urge children to stay in their neighborhoods where they are known. Tell them to avoid homes that are dark or dimly lit. People who welcome Halloweeners generally leave lights on for them.
 - Never put candle-lit pumpkins outside where they can be knocked over accidentally. Never use candles in paper mache or plastic pumpkins.
 - Emphasize to the children that they not eat any goodies until they get home. Examine carefully everything they receive. Discard anything unrecognizable or with wrappings which seem to have been used. Wash and cut fruit into small pieces. Unwrap packaged candies to check pieces.
- ROUGE, LIPSTICK AND EYE SHADOW**, have them first apply a thin layer of cold cream.
- Never permit children to carry pumpkins with lighted candles. Give them flashlights and check to see that batteries are fresh.

4-H Chatter

Toronto 4-H trip

By JOHN AYLWORTH

Twenty-two Clinton County 4-H members will have the opportunity to participate in the 4-H trip to Toronto, Canada Nov. 21-24. They will join 4-Hers from Gratiot, Shiawassee and Saginaw, making up a chartered bus load for this trip.

While in Toronto, the members will visit the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, the Royal Horse Show, visit the Ontario Science Center, view the annual Christmas Parade, go shopping, and visit many points of interest in this outstanding city outside of the United States. While in Toronto, the group will be staying at the Royal York Hotel.

The Royal Agricultural Winter Fair covers 27 acres under one roof with the finest exhibit of livestock and other agricultural products being displayed. Other features include Food Town Canada, Dairy Lane, flower display, educational exhibits, farm equipment and over \$235,000 given in prize money.

The Royal Horse Show is one of the most gala international sporting events of the year with international jumping teams from Great Britain, France, United States and Canada competing for the top awards. Chaperones for this trip will include Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woodhams of St. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hinerman of Owosso.

VIP 4-H Day McDonald Dairy of Flint sponsors the VIP 4-H Day Oct. 15th Clinton County will be represented by Susan Striz of St. Johns, who was selected as the delegate for having the best 4-H dairy science exhibit at the county fair.

The day's outstanding program includes a tour of McDonald's highly automated ice cream and milk

manufacturing facilities, luncheon with the company's board of directors, a visit to the Flint Planetarium for a special program and finish with a banquet in honor of the 4-H members attending.

Fireballs Elect Officers
The Fowler Fireballs 4-H members have organized for the winter with Virginia Martin as the new organizational leader. The members elected new officers as follows: Kevin Feldpausch - president; Pam Myers - secretary; Betty Myers - treasurer; Laura Myers - news reporter. The members are going roller skating Oct. 17 at the Ranch Roller Rink in St. Johns and plan to have a club program drawn up listing all the club activities including the club's Christmas family potluck. The club will meet the first Wednesday of each month at the Fowler School.

News from 4 Corners
The Elsie 4 Corners 4-H members have elected new officers for the 1975 winter program as follows: Helen Blakely - president; Rick Bators - vice president; Margaret M. Horak - secretary; Joe Horak - news reporter; Pam Phillips - health chairman; Don Gilbert - safety chairman; Alan Howard - recreation leader; Faye Wilson and Helen Blakely - song leaders; Theresa Slowinski - banner chairman and Roger Frye - supply chairman.

The members voted to donate \$10 to the fair beautification project. Thirty-three members went to go roller skating on Oct. 17 as part of the County 4-H Roller Skating Activity in St. Johns.

"SCS in Michigan" and what it means

The Soil Conservation Service, an agency of the US Department of Agriculture, provides technical assistance to landowners through the 85 existing Soil Conservation Districts in Michigan.

The agency maintains a yearly budget in Michigan in excess of \$12 million dollars, all of which benefits Michigan citizens.

Over half the annual budget ensures the conservation assistance to Michigan's Soil Conservation Districts, by operating field offices. The remainder of the budget supports other programs which are a part of the soil and water conservation program in Michigan.

The members voted to buy a book for the Elsie Library and will hold a club achievement meeting and family potluck dinner Oct. 23 at the E.E. Knight School.

During National 4-H Club Week, Oct. 6-12, the members had a window display in Darling's Hardware showing different projects and Margaret Horak had her "Down on the Farm" food display in the Clinton National Bank in Elsie.

Knit-N-Stitch News
The Knit-N-Stitch 4-H Club has 16 members enrolled for the 1975 winter program. The club officers are: Kathy Bappert - president; Tama Sweeney - vice president; Leslie Fongers - secretary; Julie Smith - treasurer and Kathie Goff - news reporter. The club members plan to work toward an Honor Club, go roller skating and participate in the share the fun program. The members introduced themselves and their mothers. Dues for the year will be 50 cents. The members plan on making hospital favors for a community service project.

Announce Bengal Officers
The Bengal Community 4-H members have elected Jerry Rademacher as their new president for the 1975 winter program. Other officers are: TyAnn Cobb - vice president; Karen Fedewa - secretary; Lisa Hicks - treasurer; Leslie Hazle - news reporter; Linda Minkar; Steve Eaton and Denise Halstead - recreation leaders.

The club members voted to handle the 4-H glass collection project for November on Saturday, Nov. 2. Members who work on the glass project will have part of their way paid for the roller skating party. The club members voted to go roller

skating Nov. 21 and April 17. Mrs. John Speck is a new leader in the club, working with ceramics.

New Club
A newly organized 4-H club in the Maple Rapids area is the Island Silchers with Sandy Williams as the organizational leader. The club has 8 members. The officers elected for the new club are: Michelle Floate - president; Jo Lynn Warren - secretary and Janell Warren - news reporter.

The members are planning a trip to St. Johns Oct. 23 to visit different fabric stores. The members will meet each Monday at 4 pm at the home of Mrs. Williams. At their first meeting the members were taught the general care and operation of the sewing machine.

Green Acres total over 70
The Green Acres 4-H members will have over 70 members for the winter program. Reports were given by Karen Miller on the Bob-Lup trip in August, National 4-H Week display by Peggy Faivor, Pumpkin Contest - Gary Blasen, Sunflower Contest - Annette Faivor and Decorated Pumpkin - Terrie Speer.

Other topics discussed included the 4-H Meat Judging Contest, Japan - Labo 4-H Exchange, Pumpkin Food Contest, Honor Club and Roller Skating.

New officers for the year include Julie Tait - president; Jay Miller - vice president; Lorie Cardy - secretary; Peggy Faivor - treasurer. Demonstrations were given by Julie Tait on "How to Give a Demonstration"; Annette Irish - "Using the cupboard door to help you remember recipes."

support staff in 73 field offices in Michigan. No area is devoid of the technical services provided.

The agency, whose roots began in the "Dust Bowl" era of the early thirties, became an active voice in soil and water conservation in Michigan in 1935.

For information and assistance, contact a representative of your local Soil Conservation District or the SCS office 100 South Ottawa, St. Johns.

Extension calendar

- Oct 17: General 4-H Leaders Meeting, 8 pm, Smith Hall.
- Oct 18: Baldwin Beef Feeders Sale
- Oct 21: 4-H Fair Association Annual Meeting, 8 pm, Smith Hall
- Oct 22: Farm Credit Conference for Lenders - MSU
- Oct 23: Clothing Pattern Alteration Workshop, 7:30 pm, Smith Hall.
- Oct 24: 4-H Leaders Recognition Banquet, 7 pm, Smith Hall.
- Oct 28: Family Living Council Meeting - Introducing CHICS (Citizenship, Health, International, Cultural Arts, Safety Projects) - 7:30 pm, Smith Hall.
- Oct 29: Family Living Area Council Meeting, 1 pm, Central National Bank, St. Johns.
- Oct 30-Nov 1: Annual Conference for Extension Agents
- Nov 12: Family Living Christmas Workshop-Smith Hall-11 am-3:30 pm
- Nov 14: Family Living Council, Central National Bank, St. Johns, 9:30 am.
- Nov 14: Family Living Program - "Property Protection" - Central National Bank, St. Johns-9:30 am
- Nov 18-19: Income Tax School for Practitioners, Hospitality Inn, East Lansing-Repeated Dec 9 & 10.
- Nov 19, 26 & Dec 3: Farm Estate Planning and Operating Agreements Workshop - First Meeting at Smith Hall Others at Central National Bank
- Dec 4: Family Living Behavioral Weight Control, Central National Bank, 9:30 am
- Dec 7: DHIA-MABC Annual Meeting and Dinner-Bingham Grange

Bill's Column

Plant spring flowering bulbs now
By WILLIAM LASHER
Extension Agriculture Agent

Plant Spring Flowering Bulbs Now

Get an early start on next spring's gardening by planting tulips, hyacinth, crocus and other spring-flowering bulbs in early to mid-October. The bulbs must be planted in the fall, so they are rooted before winter sets in.

The bulbs can grow in either shady or sunny locations. They do best when planted away from your house, so the heat from the basement or foundation doesn't make the bulbs start to grow earlier than normal.

Place the base of large bulbs about six inches below the soil surface and space them four to six inches apart. Small bulbs are planted four inches deep and three to four inches apart. After planting, water thoroughly.

IT'S LILAC TIME
Lilacs are versatile: you can plant them as border plants with smaller shrubs, as corner plantings, as wind screens, or as flowering hedges. They are good for display and they're hardy, too.

Lilac flowers fit into any color scheme—they come in all colors from white to your deepest pink or blue with all kinds of variations.

The best time to plant lilacs is in the fall after the leaves have dropped, but before the ground freezes. Lilacs planted in the fall usually have a better chance to survive, because new roots get a head start in spring before the shrubs leaf out.

They do not require much care and seldom need watering. Don't overprune. Flowers are produced on 2-year-old wood.

The ideal soil for lilacs is a loam that is not too rich.

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Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schneider had a very enjoyable evening Sunday, Sept. 29, when the neighbors gathered at their new home on East St. Pewamo for a house warming. They were Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Theis, Mrs. Anna Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Smith, Monsignor Bolger, Sister Marie Eugene and Sister Ann Michael, Mr. Tom McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Geller, Mrs. Irene Fedewa, Mr. and Mrs. John Colter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spitzley Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Louis Thelen, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Thelen, Mrs. Bertha Martin, Mr. Frank Heckman, Mrs. Raymond Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William Thelen, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Schneider, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schaefer, and Andrew Schneider's father, Mr. Edward Schneider of Charlotte. Court Whist was the evening entertainment, with a lunch following.

Sister Donna Jean of Muskegon attended the Golden Wedding open house Sunday afternoon, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fox on their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. David Parks of Ionia called on their mother, Mrs. Dorothy Parks, Wednesday evening, Oct. 2.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wood was the scene of a birthday party Saturday, Oct. 5. The occasion being the 90th birthday of their mother, Mrs. Myrtle Wood. A birthday dinner was served with some of the family being present. The relatives, friends and neighbors had a card shower for Mrs. Myrtle Wood on her 90th birthday.

The Pedro Club card party which was to be Tuesday, Oct. 8, was called off until a week later, Oct. 15. Due to having the flu Mrs. Mildred Fox will be hostess Tuesday, Oct. 15.

Roy Patrick Howorth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howorth of Ionia, was christened Sunday, Oct. 6, at St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Ionia. Godparents were Michael Howorth of Ionia and Mrs. Marey Schaefer of Grand Ledge, the godmother. A christening dinner was served at their Memorial Hospital, Wednesday, Oct. 2, he was admitted Sept. 28 as a medical patient.

Mrs. Dorothy Parks made a trip to Harrison with Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Parks and family of Maple Rapids Sunday, Sept. 29.

The afternoon of Oct. 3 was spent by Mrs. Dorothy Parks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alden Kirvan and family of Maple Rapids.

Mrs. Estrella Schaefer attended the family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schmitz of Westphalia. A large gathering was present.

Mrs. Francis Heckman expresses congratulations to the volunteers and donors for surpassing their goal in the September Cystic Fibrosis Campaign held in Pewamo.

Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Vera Cook were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Thelen and family of rural St. Johns.

Arnold Schaefer was admitted at the Carson City Osteopathic Hospital Friday at 10:00 pm for emergency treatment Oct. 4.

Mrs. Dorothy Parks called on Mrs. Verona Pettit Monday afternoon, Sept. 30.

Several from the Pewamo area attended the Style Show and card party at Fowler followed by a dessert lunch.

Carl Bozung was discharged from the Ionia County

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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Averill M. Carson, Minister
Saturday, October 19
12:30 pm Junior Choir rehearsal
1:00 pm Children's Choir rehearsal
Sunday, October 20
9:45 am Church School
11:00 am Morning Worship
Wednesday, October 23
6:45 pm Boy Scout Troop #1
7:00 pm Senior High Choir rehearsal
8:00 pm Chancel Choir rehearsal

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
200 East State Street
St. Johns, Michigan 49879
Francis Carl Johannides, Minister

Church School 8:30 am
Worship Service 11:00 am
Wednesday, October 18
Prayer and Praise 8:00 pm
Thursday, October 17
Girl Scout Troop 522 3:15 pm
Card Choir 4:00 pm
Chancel Choir 7:30 pm
Sunday, October 20
Layman's Sunday
Ray Nobles - an Internationally recognized gospel music talent from Los Angeles, Cal. will be with us during our morning service.

Knights Templars will be our guest during the 11:00 am worship service.
Tuesday, October 22
Ruth Circle 1:30 pm
Elizabeth Circle 1:30 pm
October 25, 26 & 27th
New Life Minister with Gary Bergel and his Fishnet Team. Call the church for more information.

Church office hours
Mon-Thurs 9:00-12 Noon & 1:30-3 pm
Friday 9:00 am-12 Noon
Phone 224-7225

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
South US-27
Paul A. Travis, Pastor

9:45 am Bible School
10:45 am Worship Service
11 am Children's Churches
4 pm N-TIME and H-TIME
7 pm Evening Worship
8:30 pm Church Training
9:00 pm Evening Worship
Vocals 7 pm The Hour of Power for the whole family 8 pm Choir practice.
Juniors Choir Practice - Jr. Basketball
First Sunday - Communion Service
First Tuesday - Deacons Meeting
Second Tuesday - Ladies' Missionary
1st Fri. - Moments of Meditation, 9:15 am
1st & 13 Mon thru Fri

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Corner of Mead and Walker
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Office 224-2885

1974 Schedule
Every Sunday 8 am Holy Communion
2nd & 4th Sunday 10 am Holy Communion
and Sermon
Other Sundays - 10 am Morning Prayer and Sermon
Nursery & church school 10 am for nursery through 6th
Every Monday eve 7 pm - Spiritual Healing Service
1st & 3rd Mondays 7 pm Senior Citizens
2nd & 4th Tuesdays - Noon - Senior Citizens
Every Tuesday morning and evening weight watchers
2nd Wednesday 1:55 pm Family Planning Clinic
1st, 4th & 3rd Wed morning OEO Nutrition Class
Every other Wed evening 7:30 Cadet Girl Scouts
Sunday
Every 4th Thursday Jaycees 8 pm
Every Thursday 8 pm AA Al Anon
Every Friday 9:15 pm Brownies

CHURCH OF CHRIST OF ST. JOHNS
400 E. State
John Phipps, Minister

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
3:30 pm Youth Fellowship
7:00 pm Evening Service
Wed 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting
Call 224-6421 for more information

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. William G. Harker, Pastor
Rev. Raymond Goehring
Associate Pastor

Rectory - 100 Linden St. - Ph 224-3313
Convent - 110 S. Oakland - Ph 224-3788
School - 201 E. Cass - Ph 224-2421
Mass Schedule
Saturday Evening - 7 pm
Sunday - 7:30, 9:15, 10:30 and 12
Holy Days - See bulletin
Weekdays - 8:30 am and 7 pm
Sacrament of Penance - Saturdays, 3:30 to 5 pm after 7 pm Mass until 8:30 pm.
Weekday evenings - a few minutes before evening Mass.
First Fridays - Sacrament of Penance.
Thursday from 4 to 5 pm and after the evening Mass until all are heard. Mass and prayers of Adoration at 7 pm. Holy Communion on Friday at 6 and 7:15 am.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Thursday 7 pm on First Friday after evening Mass.
Devotions - Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena - after 7:15 pm Mass each Tuesday
Religious Instruction Classes - Adult Inquiry Class, Tuesday at 8 pm. High School CCD, Wednesday at 7:30 pm. Public Grade School CCD, Tuesdays from 9 until 5 pm.
Baptisms - Each Sunday at 1:30 by appointment. Other arrangements by appointment.

ST. JOHNS LUTHERAN CHURCH
(Missouri Synod)
Rev. Michael R. Ruhl, Pastor

10:15 am Divine Worship
8:00 am Matins Service, 3rd Sunday each month
9:00 am Sunday School and Bible Classes
Holy Communion 1st and 3rd Sundays each month at 10:15 am
Church Office Hours - 9:00-11:00 Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings.
Adult Instruction - 1:30 pm & 7 pm Mondays
Weekday School and Confirmation Classes - Wednesdays, 3:30-6:00 pm
Ladies Guild - LWML - 2nd Wednesday each month at 7:30 pm
Elders - Tuesdays at 7:00 pm
Evangelists - Thursdays at 7:00 pm
Youth - 2nd & 4th Sundays at 4:00 pm
Councils & Committees - 1st Tuesday each month at 7:30 pm
Office Telephone: 224-4844
Parsonage Telephone: 224-7400
Educational Wing Telephone: 224-8154
Women's Bible Study - Tues, Wed, Thurs - call for time and place.

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499 N. Olive

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
SUS-27 & E. Baldwin
Joseph F. Eger, 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 WMC
7:30 pm Wednesday evening service

PRICE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Harold B. Boyd

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

JERUSALEM WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall
1993 North Lansing St.

Tuesday, 7:30 pm - Congregation Book Studies. Text studies "The Nations Shall Know That I Am Jehovah - How?"
Thursday, 7:30 pm - Theocratic Ministry School - Texts: "Bible" and "Aid to Bible Understanding" 8:30 pm Service
Meeting, 9:30 am - Public Lecture - Given by Qualified Representative of the Watchtower, Bible and Tract Society of the United States - Watchtower Study - Current issue of the "Watchtower" magazine studies.
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FIRST CHURCH OF GOD
St. Johns
Corner of M-21 and DeWitt Rd
Phone 224-7190

9:45 am Church School, 11:00 am Worship Service, 7:00 pm Evening Worship, 8:00 pm Youth Fellowship 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month.
Wednesday 7:45 pm Family Bible Study

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

10:00 am - Sunday School
11:00 am - Morning Worship
4:15 pm - Young People's Service
7:00 pm - Evening Worship
Wednesday, 7:30 pm - Bible Study and prayer hour

FIVE METHODIST CHURCH
305 Church Street
Phone 224-2548
Rev. J. H. Jones, Minister

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

SALEM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
US-27 and County Line Rd
Pastor Paul H. Jones
Phone 224-7709
Parsonage: Office 2620 E. Maple Rapids Rd. Eureka.

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

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Services held on Saturday
9:15 am Church Service
10:30 am Sabbath School Service

WEST PILGRIM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Center of Parks and Grove Rd.
Rev. Brian K. Steen, Minister

9:30 am - Worship Service
10:45 am - Church School

SHEPARD'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Dr. Harold Boyd, Pastor
488 Division Street
East Lansing, Michigan

9:30 am - Worship Service, 10:45 am Church School
Wednesday: 7:00 pm Choir practice, 8:00 pm Prayer Service.
Administrative Board first Monday in the month.
General meeting of WSCS third Thursday in January, April and September.
Afternoon Circle meets second Thursday at the homes of members.
Berean Circle meets third Thursday evening in each month at the homes of members.

WAYSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
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Sunday evening - 8:00 pm
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8 pm Young People
7 pm Evening Service
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9:30 am - Worship (nursery provided)
10:30 am Coffee Fellowship
(No Church School June-August)

COMMUNITY OF ST. JUDE
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Pastor Jerome Schmitt, Pastor
601 Wilson, DeWitt

Daily Mass: Mon and Thurs - 7:30 pm
Tues, Wed, and Fri 7:00 am
Sunday Mass: 8:30 and 11:15 am
Services at Middle School, DeWitt

EAST DEWITT BIBLE CHURCH
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Clara 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; Jet Cadets, 10-13
7 pm - Evening Service
Wednesday
7:30 pm - Bible Study and Prayer.
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Willard Farmer, Pastor
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10 am - Sunday School
11 am - Worship Service

HOPKIN LUTHERAN CHURCH
308 W. Herkison Rd.
DeWitt

Sunday School 9 am
Worship 10:30 am

ST. ANNE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Corner US-27 and Webb Road
Rev. Glenn V. Calvey, Jr., Vicar
Residence 689-3067
Church 689-3967

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

VALLEY FARMS BAPTIST CHURCH
314 E. State Rd
Lansing

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

SOUTH DEWITT CHURCH
St. Johns
281 Herkison beside DeWitt High School
Minister: Dr. James Girdwood
Tel: 489-5000 or 626-0006

9:30 am Bible School
10:30 am Morning Worship
Communion Weekly
8:30 pm Youth Groups
7:30 pm Evening Worship
Wednesday, 7:30 pm Hour of Power: Prayer and Praise
Thursday, 7:30 pm Calling Program

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1106 DeWitt Rd

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Morning Worship - 11:00 am
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7 o'clock - Evening Worship
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Rev. Neil Bolinger, pastor
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Phone 489-1705

9:30 am - Sunday School
11:00 am - Morning Worship
7:30 pm - Sunday evening Evangelistic
Wednesday, 7:30 pm - Youth Service
3 miles west on Francis Road
3 miles west on Church Road
(Inger V. Heintz, Pastor)

8:00 am - Worship
10:30 am - Worship
9:15 am - Sunday School and Bible Classes.
Holy Communion first Sunday of the month at 8 am, third Sunday of the month at 10:30 pm.

ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
MISSOURI SYNOD
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3 1/2 miles west on Francis Road
3 miles west on Church Road
(Inger V. Heintz, Pastor)

8:00 am - Sunday School
11:00 am - Morning Worship
7:30 pm - Sunday evening Evangelistic
Wednesday, 7:30 pm - Youth Service
3 miles west on Francis Road
3 miles west on Church Road
(Inger V. Heintz, Pastor)

ST. THOMAS CATHOLIC CHURCH
Fathers Francis Murray
and Lawrence Delaney
Rectory: 102 W. Randolph, Lansing
Phone 489-9051

Mass Schedule - Saturday: 7 pm
Sunday: 8, 10, 12
Holyday: Eve before at 7:30 pm and 7 & 9 am and 5:30 & 7:30 pm
Weekday Masses: 7:30 am & 7:30 pm
Penance: 4:5 & 8:30 pm
Baptism: Sunday at 1 pm. Please call in advance.

DEWITT COMMUNITY CHURCH
(Inter-denominational)
Murj J. Eastman, Pastor
Jim McGowan,
Sunday School Supt.
Martyn Kroh, Co-Supt.

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

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West Front Street
Rev. Claude B. Ridley, Jr., Pastor

Worship Service - 10 am
Church School - 11 am
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WILKINSON HOLY TRINITY CHURCH
127 W. William St., Ovid
Rev. Lloyd Kewy

10 am Sunday School and Morning Worship, Sunday Evenings 7:30 pm, 7:30 pm Wednesday Prayer Meeting

OVID FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main at Oak Street
Rev. Ralf C. Copelin, Pastor
Paul Johnson Church School Supt.

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

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110 N. Main St., Ovid
Rev. Richard Gasson
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Parsonage Phone 489-4473

10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Morning Worship
8:00 pm Youth Fellowship
7:30 pm Evening Service
6:30 am Ladies Bible Study every Tuesday
7:30 pm Wednesday evening Prayer Service
6:00 pm Youth Fellowship every Friday

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH
510 Mabbitt Road, Ovid
Father Joseph Aubin

10:30 am - Mass on Sunday
7:00 pm Evening Mass on Wednesday
Confessions 10 to 10:30 on Sunday morning

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Wayne Glasman
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

Fowler Area
ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH
Fowler
H.E. Rossow, Pastor

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

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

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

Elsie Area
ELSIE METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. David Lichtfeld, Minister

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

DUPLAIN METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. David Lichtfeld, Minister

10 am - Sunday School, Supt. Kenneth Kiger
11 am - Worship Service

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

DUPLAIN CHURCH OF CHRIST
3 miles west on Francis Road
556 E. Colony Road
Justin Shepard, Minister
Bill Nicholson, Youth Minister

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

ST. CYRIL CATHOLIC CHURCH
Rev. Thomas M. Kowalczyk, Pastor
PO Box 97, 517 E. Main St.
Bannister 15877 Phone 483-5270

Sunday Liturgies: Saturday 7:00 pm
Sunday - 8:30 and 10:30 am
Holy Day Liturgies: 7:30 am and 8:00 pm
Confessions: One half hour before all Sunday Liturgies.

EAGLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Ray McMichael, Pastor
Telephone 627-6533 or 489-3807

9:30 am - Morning Worship
10:30 am - Church School
7:30 pm - Wednesday, Bible Study and prayer meeting

EAGLE FOUR SQUARE CHURCH
Rev. and Mrs. Royal Burnett, Pastor

10:00 am - Sunday School
11:00 am - Morning Worship
7:30 pm - Wednesday Prayer meeting

Bath Area
BATH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Clarence Keith

9:45 am Church School
11:00 am Worship
7:00 pm Bible Study

BATH BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Richard Cole, Pastor

12:00 am Morning Worship
6:30 pm Youth Fellowship
7:30 pm Evening Service
Midweek Service on Wednesday 7:30 pm

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Choir Practice - Wednesday 6:30 pm
Mid-Week Prayer Service - Wednesday 7:30 pm
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FULTON FULL GOSPEL CHURCH
1/2 mile east of Perrinton on M-67,
1/2 mile south
Rev. Lynn Shunk, Pastor

9:45 am - Sunday School
11:00 am - Morning Worship
7:00 pm - Youth Service
7:45 pm - Evening Service
7:45 pm - Thursday, Prayer and praise service

Pewamo Area
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Pewamo, Michigan
Dr. Lloyd Walker
1469 Horton Drive, Ionia

Sunday: 10:30 am Morning Worship 7:00 pm United Methodist Youth Fellowship WSCS meets third Thursday of the month at 8 pm

Gunnisonville Area

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

Westphalia Area

ST. MARY'S CHURCH
Westphalia
Rev. Father James Schmitt
Rev. James J. Schmitt, Administrator
Phone 587-4201

Saturday Night Masses: 4:30 & 7:00 pm
Sunday Morning 6:00, 8:00, 10:00
Weekdays Monday & Friday 7:15 & 11:20 am
Tues & Thurs 7:15 & 8:30 am
Wednesday 7:15 & 7:30 pm
Holy Days 8:30, 10:15 & 11:30 am, 7:30 pm
Wednesday Evening Mass 7:30 pm

Maple Rapids Area

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Maple Rapids
Pastor Rev. J. Thomas Churn
Parsonage - Middleton
Phone 235-7442

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

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

GIBENBUSH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Scott and Marshall Roads
Pastor - Norman Wood

Sunday
10:30 am Church School
11:30 am Church Services
W.S.C.S. 3rd Wednesday at 8 pm

LOWE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Lowe and North Lowe Roads
Minister Rev. Harold McGuire

Sunday School 9:10 am
Church Worship 10:15-11:15
Choir 8:30 pm Thursday
UMW 7:30 and Wednesday of every month
Prayer Study Group 10:11

CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
4105 Maple Ave., Maple Rapids
Rev. Hector Goodall, Pastor
Phone 482-4165

10 am - Bible School for everyone
11 am - Morning Worship
7:30 pm - Adult Bible discussions
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6:30 pm - Youth Meetings
6:45 pm - Wednesday, Jr. Choir, Chancel Choir, 7:30 pm

Eureka Area
CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
2819 E. Maple Rapids Rd.
Rev. Paul H. Jones, Pastor
Phone 224-7709

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

Matherton Area

MATHERTON COMMUNITY CHURCH

10:00 pm - Sunday School
1:00 pm - Worship Service

Wacousta Area

WACOUSTA COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Edward F. Otto, pastor
Phone 626-6223

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

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

Victor Township
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Price and Shepards



There's still time to buy light bulbs and help the St. Johns Redwing Marching Band go to the Lions International Convention in Dallas next summer. Displaying the bulbs remaining from the recent Lions Club sale in St. Johns are (from left) Roger Feeman of the Lions Club; students Rita Weaver and Marcia Allen; assistant director John Speck; student Cheryl Bancroft; director Walt Cole and students Tom Martinez and Richard Ferrall.

Will discuss remodeling, expansion, dues

Country Club prepares for annual meeting

ST. JOHNS - Members of the Clinton County Country Club will meet in annual session Monday, Oct. 21, night faced with discussions of possible expansion, dues structure and clubhouse repairs.

A final item of business will be the election of 5 members to the board of directors for the coming 1974-75 year.

Eleven candidates have had their names placed in nomination and the ballot provides for additional write-in candidates.

Nominees are Richard King, Bob Thompson, Ralph Lebrato, Vince Geller, Dave Humenik, Red Devereaux, Fred Green, Edward Marlis, Mick Boog, Charles Coletta and Jim Cathey. Geller and Devereaux are incumbent board members. In a newsletter to all mem-

bers, club president Lyle French explained the building committee hopes to have plans ready by meeting date on a proposed clubhouse remodeling program.

It is estimated the planned project would cost between \$85,000 and \$100,000.

In addition to construction proposals, Jerry Matthews, a golf course designer, has estimated that an addition of 9 holes to the course would cost \$150,000 over and above purchase price of any land which may be needed.

A plan of partial financing the projects through an advance membership dues subscription was suggested by French in his letter to members and will undoubtedly be discussed at the meeting Monday.

The gathering at the clubhouse, will begin at 8 pm.



Country Club remodeling plans

The building committee of the Clinton County Country Club has been busy studying various remodeling proposals during the summer months in preparation of a presentation to the general membership at the club's annual meeting Monday, Oct. 21. Architect Doug Pardee explains some design points to Elsie Dickenson, seated, Pete DeCamp and Gene Schoendoerff. DeCamp is chairman of the committee.

Announce date and details of Essex School Carnival

Plans are underway for the Essex School Carnival to be held Nov. 23 from 6-9 pm at the school.

Prizes for this year include a 1st prize of a snowmobile and 2d prize of \$100 cash.

A special drawing will be held at the Santa's Shop with the winner receiving a children's quilt.

The quilt is appliqued and embroidered by hand and was made by Sue Shinabery, Joy Thompson and Deanna Wear.

It will be on display at MacKinnons, Uncle John's Cider Mill, Abstract Office, East Essex School, Borons,

Quality Discount and Beck's Farm Market.

Tickets are 50 cents each or 3 for \$1.

Offered in the Santa's Shop will be mittens, hats, scarfs, stuffed animals, candles, place mat sets,

Christmas decorations, doll clothes, drift wood arrangements, blender and toaster covers, hot pads,

hanging plant holders, kitchen towels, home made breads and rolls and a variety of other items.

The carnival will feature games for children of all ages including Oliver Octopus, Leo Lion, fish pond, basketball toss,

penny pitch and others.

Refreshments of sloppy joes, potato salad, chips, coffee, hot dogs, cupcakes and popcorn will be available at the snack bar.

Senior Citizens elect officers

ST. JOHNS - Clinton County Senior Citizens held their annual election on Oct. 8 and elected the following directors for a term of 2 years: Earl Darnell, Roy Ormsby, Arthur Curtis, Clarence Bauerle and Lawrence Fries.

Five others, Clarence Hill, Mrs. Vida Exelby, Carmen Tranchell, Mrs. Clarence Hill and Marion Hill still have one year to serve.

The following officers were elected for 1 year: chairman, Harold Mayes; vice-chairman, Clarence Bauerle; treasurer, Marion Hill and secretary, Carmen Tranchell.

Committees for 1 year are: program director, Mrs. Clarence Bauerle; band director, Mrs. Clarence Hill; cards and parties, Roy Ormsby; plants, cards and bingo, Helen Baumgartner.

DAR meets

ST. JOHNS - The River Wabwaysin Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution met with Mrs. Lloyd Campbell for their monthly meeting.

The Star Spangled Banner was led by Mrs. Manning Bross and the devotions "Song of Songs" was given by the chaplain, Miss Shirley Pouch.

Mrs. John Caudy read the president general's message.

The National Defense reading was given by Mrs. Dale Calder on "Who Really Caused the Fuel Shortage," a letter from the American Taxpayers Assn. entered in the "Congressional Record" by Representative

Earl Landgrebe of Ind.

The program was given by Mrs. Harold Millman on Diplomat Cassius Clay's Russian role for Abraham Lincoln during the American Civil War.

The Regent Miss Maralyse Brooks attended the 74th state conference at the Sheraton Motor Inn, Flint, Sept. 24-26, and gave the chapter's annual report at the meeting following the banquet on Wednesday evening.

The National Defense luncheon speaker on Thursday was the Honorable Robert J. Huber, member of Congress from Michigan.

Thomas Doyle enters

ICO class of 1978

Thomas John Doyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Doyle of St. Johns entered his first year of professional study at the Illinois College of Optometry in September.

Thomas graduated from St. Johns High School and before coming to ICO he attended Central Michigan University. The Illinois College of Op-

tometry, founded in 1872, is the oldest and largest optometry college in the world. Fifty percent of the practicing optometrists in the United States are ICO graduates. The Illinois College of Optometry has recently completed new buildings which include teaching and laboratory facilities, extensive research areas, and a large clinic.

Hubbardston gets

more Gen Tel lines

General Telephone Company employees have recently completed the installation of additional line equipment in their Hubbardston Exchange, according to Leo Baker, Owosso Division Manager for General Telephone Company.

Baker stated the additional equipment was necessary to keep up with and to satisfy normal exchange growth. The \$15,803 project provided

for the installation of 200 lines of equipment and will enable the company to meet the service objectives in the Hubbardston Exchange.

The addition was part of General Telephone's continuing service improvement program to insure the best possible service to our customers in the Hubbardston area, Baker said. The equipment will be in service in October of this year.

NOTICE OF BIDS

AUTOMOBILE

Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. Thursday, October 24, 1974 in the office of the City Clerk, 121 E. Walker Street (Municipal Building), St. Johns, Michigan. The bids must be sealed and bear the name of the bidder on the outside of the envelope and be plainly marked "City Car Bid". The bids will be publicly opened and read at this time and referred to the City Commission for awarding or rejecting at their regular meeting on October 28, 1974 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Commission Chambers, 121 E. Walker Street.

The City of St. Johns reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any defects in the bids or bidding in the best interest of the City of St. Johns and to accept the proposal, which in the opinion of the City Commission, best serves the interest and needs of the City of St. Johns.

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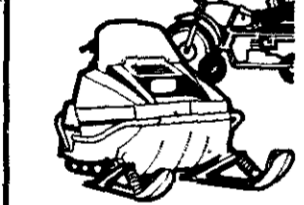
Ovid-Elsie queen candidates

One of these five senior girls will be crowned queen at Ovid-Elsie Homecoming ceremonies this Friday night at the Ovid-Elsie-Ithaca football game. There will be a Homecoming dance following the game in the queens court honor. Candidates are (from left) kneeling, Sherry Winkler and Sue Vostriaznsky; sitting, Suzette Saxton and Mandy Staples and standing, Lynn Galiko, Johanna Nordgren, (Honorary Queen - Exchange Student).

Shepardsville

Mrs Gwen Personous is a patient at the St Johns Hospital

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Mr and Mrs Howard McClintock of Weaverville, Calif and Mrs Dale Hansen of Sandy, Utah have returned to their respective homes after spending the past few days visiting their son and wife, Mrs John Spencer and husband, Mrs Hansen spent some time visiting her sister-in-law in Battle Creek while the McClintocks spent all their time with his sister, Lucille

Mr McClintock was raised in the Owosso area. Some time was spent there viewing his old home which looks much the same as it did when he was a boy. He saw the school which he attended, went by the old spinning factory on Corunna Avenue and saw the place where he played ball as a boy.

Much of the time was spent in recalling the past and bringing his sister up to date on his family. He was much impressed with Michigan's fall colors.

The highlight of their stay was the meeting of the brother he had not seen for 67 years. Last Wednesday was spent in Lansing visiting this brother and recalling boyhood memories. This was the first time in 67 years that the 3 remaining children of Stephen and Horteliah McClintock had all been together. The children are Robert of Lansing, Howard of Weaverville, Calif and sister, Lucille of rural Ovid.

Howard McClintock delivered the Press-American and sold the Evening Argus on the streets of Owosso long before they combined and became the Argus-Press. He also tended the machine that folded the papers. This was in the early 1900s.

SPITEFUL
People who are always finding fault with others aim to drag them down to their level

There were 9 members present when the Afternoon Circle of the Shepardsville UMW met on Thursday, Oct 9 at the church Mrs Charles Walker was the hostess assisted by Mrs Lela Rinckey and Mrs Marzetta Wilson.

It was voted to have a Silent Auction at the November meeting at Mrs Ralph Bakers on Nov 14. The usual reports were read and accepted.

The election of officers resulted in the present officers being re-elected. Mrs Rosetta Becker and Mrs Bernice Walker will have the program and devotions. The thank offering will also be taken at this meeting.

The business meeting adjourned and the remainder of the afternoon was turned over to Mrs Flora Hall and Mrs Velma Smith who had the program and devotions. The topic was about evangelistic work in Japan. It was presented in the form of a letter by a former missionary to the Board of Global Missions. It was about her work as a short-term missionary, later becoming engaged in full time work. (The lady is spent about 24 years in missionary service.) Many of the new churches are now sending out people to other parts of the world. We need to learn from each other, we need to share. The sending and receiving churches should share in the expenses of the missionary.

There was considerable discussion during the program. The scripture was used as part of the program Mrs Hall read O Spirit of the Living God. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

NO OUTSIDE HELP
The fellow who is his own worst enemy has a mighty one-sided fight on his hands

SPITEFUL
People who are always finding fault with others aim to drag them down to their level

Elsie

By Mrs Neva Keys
Phone 862-4301

There were 35 present for the afternoon of golf and a catered dinner by Jim and Marie Hurst of Elsie in the club dining room. Scrapbooks and pictures of former vacations were enjoyed along with reminiscing and visiting. Plans were made for 1975 golf outing next March. Guests were present from Higgins Lake, Lansing, Ithaca, Elwell, Wheeler, St Johns, and Elsie.

Mr and Mrs Edward Galiko of Elsie were recently honored by their children David, Ronnie and Lynn with a large dinner and dance held at the ZCBJ Hall at Bannister.

In the receiving line the parents were congratulated with sincere wishes for many more happy years of married life on their silver wedding day.

Edward and Mary were married on Sept 3, 1949 at the Sacred Heart Church in Flint and have resided in this area for the past 25 years.

The color theme of the party was red and white and a beautiful four tiered cake decorated with red and white roses was made by Mrs Harold Hehrer of Elsie.

Friends, relatives and neighbors were then entertained by the Ted Nuseh Bohemian Polka-Variety band of Saginaw.

Following the happy celebration, Mr and Mrs Galiko took a trip to the northern part of Michigan and spent several days at the same Houghton Lake resort where they stayed 25 years ago.

Matches was the Toastmaster. The toast was given to the Queen of England and to the president of the United States.

Welcome to the city of Toronto was extended by Executive Alderman Reid Scott while the speaker for the evening was Honorable Robert Welch Q.C. M.P.P. Provincial Secretary for Justice Attorney General The Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs Edna Dobbs introduced the Head Table guests.

On Thursday afternoon, the 3 ladies from Clinton County, Mrs Wilson, Mrs Workman and Mrs Luther, toured the city with Mrs Ward Fredericks of Oakville, Mrs Workman's niece. They had dinner with her that evening and returned by the Go-Transit train to the Union Station in Toronto, and back to the Royal York Hotel where they stayed.

The Parent-Teachers Ass'n. Fun Night will be held at the E. E. Knight School Saturday night, October 19 from 5:30 to 8:30 pm. There will be games, refreshments, white elephant sale and cake walk. Everyone is invited.

Elementary School children of Elsie will collect Campbell soup, chunky soup, and pork and bean labels to be used to help obtain audio visual equipment for the school. Labels may be brought to school or put in the containers at Gene's IGA or Dancers between Oct 1-Dec 31.

Mrs Wilma Miller returned Saturday from a week in Owosso Memorial Hospital where she underwent surgery and treatment.

Mr and Mrs Russell Robinson announce the birth of their first great-grandchild, Angela Renee Nelson of Midland. The baby weighing 8 lbs 12 ozs was born at a Midland Hospital Sept 7 to Mr and Mrs Rick Nelson of Midland.

Mrs Nelson is the former Renee Robinson, daughter of Mr and Mrs Wayne Robinson of Higgins Lake and formerly of Elsie. Mr and Mrs George Winkler of Elsie are the other great grandparents.

Ooops - we goofed

Boy, did we goof.

Last week, we printed 3 nice pictures of area youngsters with bright, shiny trophies.

Underneath we printed all their names so you knew who was who. The only thing we didn't print was why they got those trophies.

Well, to make everything clear, the pictures on last week's Ovid-Elsie Area News Page were of the recent Elsie Punt, Pass and Kick winners.

Our apologies for keeping you in the dark for a week.

Call enters osteopathic class

EAST LANSING — Bruce K. Call, son of Mr and Mrs Paul W. Call, Jr, 1211 N. Hollister, Ovid, is a member of the 1974 entering class at Michigan State University's College of Osteopathic Medicine.

The first-year class, the largest to be admitted to the osteopathic medical college, includes 86 students.

Call completed his premedical training at MSU where he earned a BS with honors in zoology and spent an additional year doing "post-undergraduate" research. While at MSU he was elected to Phi Theta Kappa honors fraternity, and served as a volunteer at the Tri-County Family Planning Center and at a Lansing training center for mentally retarded.



Eureka students have field day

Eureka School 5th and 6th graders watch as the Clinton County News newspaper pages are put together for this week's publication. The students toured the paper's composition facilities in Ithaca on a field trip to prepare them for the possible publication of their own newspaper in school. Explaining how a newspaper is produced is Jack Harris, Clinton County News advertising representative.

O-E educators to sponsor Education Week activities

Educators of the Ovid-Elsie Education Association will once

again celebrate American Education Week with a series of open houses and "get-togethers" with parents and all other interested individuals.

"Our schools are the concern of all citizens. We encourage visits at all times, but particularly during American Education Week. Please come in, ask questions, and get involved."

O-E juniors complete successful magazine sales

This year's junior class at Ovid-Elsie High School recently completed a successful annual magazine sale.

Ms Leotta Kidas, chairperson of the committee coordinating the events, urges full community participation. Ms Kidas emphasizes that

Setting a goal of \$5,500, they met it and went over for a grand total sales of \$5,933. The final homeroom standings put Mr Lloyd's in top place with \$1,300, Miss Pohl's in 2d spot with \$1,202, Mr Furstenau's at \$992, Mrs Lusk's at \$957, Mr Drouin's at \$872 and Mr Nutter's at \$572.00.

The top 3 salespeople were Patty Wilcox who sold \$248, Nancy Latz \$224 and Pam Williams with \$213.

The junior class advisors are Mr Lloyd and Mrs Lusk. The money made from the sale finances activities for the class before graduation.

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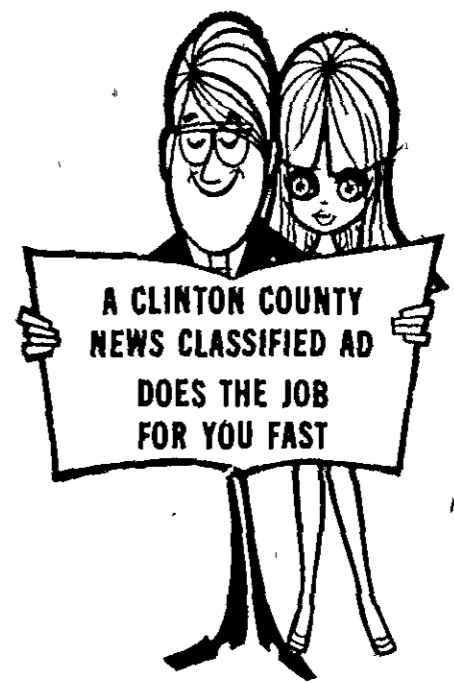
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FOX - I wish to express my sincere thanks to Mrs. Beahan, Hanked and Goekring for their visits, Dr. Chintarasupt, nurses, aides, orderlies, lab, gray ladies, and candy strippers of the Clinton Memorial Hospital for their wonderful care. Also thanks to my family, relatives, neighbors and friends for their help, food, flowers, gifts, visits, prayers, cards and calls received during my stay at the hospital and since my return home. God Bless you all. Frances Fox 25-1-p-30

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ROOF - The family of Grover (Bud) Roof would like to thank Dr. Russell, Clinton Memorial Hospital, nurses and aids, Rev. Carson, Osgood, Congregational Congregators, friends and relatives for their thoughtfulness, food, flowers, and donations. The Roof Family 25-1-p-30

In Memoriam 31

MARCH - I wish to thank Drs. Seigel and Grewal and the nurses at Sparrow Hospital for the care I received while in the hospital. Also thanks to Reverend Eastman, relatives and friends for the visits, flowers, gifts, cards I received during my recovery from surgery. Walter March 25-1-p-30

In Memoriam In loving memory of my husband William Steinke, who passed away October 21, 1970. He bid no one a fond farewell, He said goodbye to none. His loving heart had ceased to beat. Before I knew it he was gone, I do not need a special day to bring him to my mind. The days I do not think of him are very hard to find. He lived a life all might envy. Loved and loving unselfish and kind. And his death, His blessed memory, Comforts those he left behind. To know him was to love him. Both family and friend, and the sweetness of his memory. Time can never dim or end. Sadly missed by His wife and family

BILLETT - I would like to thank all my relatives and friends who sent the get well cards and who remembered me in their prayers while in the hospital. Also Dr. Grost, the nurses and nurses aids for the fine care and also to my sister and husband. It was all greatly appreciated. Evelyn Billett 25-1-p-30

WEBER - I wish to thank Father Schmitt and Beahan and Doctors Jordan and Smith while at Carson City Hospital. Also my family, neighbors, friends and relatives for their visits and



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Dedication pays tribute to Revolutionary War soldier

By Jan L. Readerstadt County News Writer

EAGLE - After 132 years since the death of Joshua Simmons II, the Greater Lansing Historical Society paid tribute to this revolutionary war soldier by erecting a Historical Marker by his grave Saturday, Oct. 5, at the North Eagle Cemetery. Simmons is the only known soldier of the American Revolution buried in this area. The ceremony opened with the call of drums by M. Hamaker and company, as the First Foot Guards - Grenadiers from Southfield, marched in. The 6 members of the team were dressed in the uniform of

the 1764 British Foot Soldiers of the Right Flank, or Grenadiers. They opened the ceremony by performing drills of a British soldier of 1764, along with firing of muskets to salute Simmons. After Geneva K. Wiskemann, president of the Historical Society of Greater Lansing welcomed the 200 people present, Congressman Garry Brown of the 3rd Congressional District in Michigan spoke about Simmons and emphasized Michigan's role in the upcoming Bi-Centennial. Following Brown was the Lt. Gov. of Michigan, James H. Brickley, Brickley, who is chairman of the Michigan Bi-Centennial Commission

stressed Michigan's role in this celebration and how the Simmons dedication was just an introduction to all that's going to happen. The historical marker was unveiled about 500 feet from his grave by Jerry D. Roe, a member of the Michigan Historical Commission and a trustee of the Historical Society of Greater Lansing. George Wiskemann along with Brown and Brickley assisted Roe in the dedication. Simmons was born on a farm in Massachusetts on Aug. 3, 1764. He joined the Continental Army in 1779 at the age of 14 to fight the British. He came to the Eagle area in the early 1800's and was buried on what is now the North Eagle Cemetery, 2 miles north of Eagle on Grange Rd.



County disagrees with Commission on crime

By Jan L. Readerstadt County News Writer

ST. JOHNS - Upon the request of Sheriff Anthony A. Hufnagel, the Clinton County Board of Commissioners voted to prepare a resolution Tuesday not to approve the Governor's Advisory Commission on Crime's recommendation. The recommendation is to be adopted Oct. 21 and will eventually go before the people at a

constitutional change. The plan calls for an eventual Super agency in the Police Department, ending up controlled by the state rather by the people in county-wide areas.

The Governor, William G. Milliken, appointed a 78 member panel to study the law enforcement and criminal procedures in Michigan Sept. of 1973. The commission finished with its report and recommendation last Sept., sending out 2000 copies of its 138 page report to heads of law enforcement agencies, prosecutors, judges and legislatures. The book was sent out Sept. 11, reaching its recipients by Sept. 13. This gave them 10 days to study the recommendation before going to 1 of 2 public hearings on the 18th.

In the law enforcement area, the report calls for certain standards to be followed by every law enforcement agency in the state, and if these standards are not met, the state will take over that jurisdiction in law enforcement, including the jobs of the prosecuting attorney and some local judges.

One of the qualifications to be a police officer is that one must have a college degree - any degree. In other words, one would be eligible to become a police officer if he or she had a 14-year degree in basket-weaving.

Speaker in Owosso

OWOSSO - Thomas A. McClain of Chicago will give a talk next Tuesday in the auditorium of the 1st Church of Christ, Scientist at the corner of Oliver and Water Streets in Owosso.

A well-known speaker for the Christian Science Religion, he has given more than 1,000 talks on the religion in some 40 countries. He will speak on freedom from ill health, an unhappy home or limited work opportunities through yielding to the control of God.

His speech, titled "riding Easy in the Harness" is free of charge and open to the public.

Republican Caravan

A caravan will circle Clinton County in a Mobile Home Oct. 19 with Republican Candidates. Along with local county candidates present, it is hoped that some of the congressional candidates will be present.

The caravan will begin at the Courthouse at 9 am and will arrive in Fowler for a 45 minute stay until 10. The caravan will head south to Wacousta for a half-hour stop, between 10:15-10:45. From there, the group will spend an hour at Farm and Fleet, from 11-noon and will go to DeWitt, arriving at 12:15 and leaving at 1 pm.

Ovid is next stop at 1:30, remaining there for 15 minutes, then to Elsie at 2 for another 15 minute stop. The caravan will return to St. Johns at 3:45.

Square dancing entertainment will follow at Uncle Johns Cider Mill at 8 pm that evening. It'll be free of charge and a chance to meet the candidates.

The final goal of the recommendation is to divide Michigan into different jurisdictions, rather than the present county level. This system would not only cost the taxpayers more, but take away local control of the law enforcement and jurisdictional systems, putting it in the hands of the State of Michigan. As the Michigan Sheriff's Association, which is opposed to it, stated in their press release, "If the proposed recommendations are adopted are implemented, abuse of police authority is more likely to become routine rather than rare."

According to the Association, the State could not provide efficient or economical police service. The 1974-75 budget for the State Police is 66 million, supporting 2700 personnel. The combined budgets for the 83 county sheriff's patrol is 34 million, which supports over 3,000 personnel, which includes enforcement, jail and civil process.

Another recommendation by the commission is to create a single correction system, administered and financed centrally by the state. The Sheriff's Association pointed out that such systems are a failure and stated "Jackson and Marquette Prisons in Michigan are state administered and if any inmate incarcerated in either institution has been rehabilitated, it has been accidental rather than intentional."

The Michigan Commission report is completely opposite of what the National Advisory Commission on Criminal Justice Goals and Standards set. This commission recommended local control as the best form of law enforcement and state-wide penal systems have been "a disgraceful failure".

Sheriff Hufnagel warned "Unless we can keep local government, we will end with a police state." Hufnagel said that the program was made up of mostly legislatures and most of the proposals are based on theory, not actual experience.

When asked about the recommendation, Clinton County's Prosecuting Attorney Jon Newman stated "Out of touch with reality". The Prosecuting Attorney's Association of Michigan is also opposing the plan.

After Hufnagel's presentation, the Board of Commissioners voted to prepare resolution to oppose the recommendation and is now attempting to get the Michigan Association of Counties to do the same.

Punt, Pass and Kick winners



Eight-year-old winners in the 1974 St. Johns Punt, Pass and Kick competition are (1st row, from left to right) Mike Green, 1st place; Billy Kohagen, 2nd place; and Bob Wohlfert, 3rd place. Nine-year-old winners are (2nd row, from left) Mitch Kintigh, 1st place; Chris Parsons, 2nd place and Steve Jakus, 3rd place.



Ten-year-old winners in the 1974 St. Johns Punt, Pass and Kick competition are (1st row, from left) Jeff Casler, 1st place; Scott Little, 2nd place and Darryl Thelen, 3rd place. Eleven-year-old winners are (from left, 2nd row), Gary Blasen, 1st place; Sam Williams, 2nd place and Richard Kingsley, 3rd place.



Twelve-year-old winners in the 1974 St. Johns Punt, Pass and Kick competition are (1st row, from left), Calvin Rice, 1st place; Tim Hafner, 2nd place and Brian Barrett, 3rd place. Thirteen-year-old winners are (2nd row, from left), Timothy Thelen, 1st place; Mark Schrauben, 2nd place and Tim Bates, 3rd place.

Greenbush Senior Citizens view state's fall colors

Michigan's array of fall colors was enjoyed by a group of retired citizens Thursday Oct. 10.

They boarded the community bus at the Greenbush Township Hall and headed north on US-27 until they came to US-10.

They later picked up 115 and traveled around Lake George and on to Wilson State Park. After partaking of a sack lunch they journeyed to old US-27 and on home.

The group expressed thanks to bus driver, Rose Wilson, the committee, Mr and Mrs Luther Billips and Mr and Mrs Thomas Busquette.

They also thanked Ben Beck for the doughnuts and apples. The meetings are the 3rd Tuesday of each month at the Greenbush Township Hall.

For further information call 224-7056 or 224-4086.

She appreciates STOP sign

To Whom It May Concern: This is a Thank You note to whoever is responsible for the new STOP sign at the corner of Steel and Scott Road. A sign has been sorely needed there.

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ORDINANCE NO. 77

AN ORDINANCE TO DESIGNATE AN ENFORCING AGENCY TO DISCHARGE THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CITY UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE CONSTRUCTION CODE ACT

THE CITY OF DE WITT ORDINANCE:

Section 1 Pursuant to the provisions of Section 9 of Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972 (Michigan Compiled Laws of 1948, Section 125.1509) the zoning and building administrator of the City of DeWitt is hereby designated as the enforcing agency to discharge the responsibilities of the City of DeWitt under Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, State of Michigan. The City of DeWitt hereby assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of said Act throughout its corporate limits.

Section 2 The City of DeWitt has heretofore adopted as the Building Code of the City of DeWitt, the nationally recognized Building Officials and Code Administrators Code known as the "BOCA" code, pursuant to Ordinance No. 72, Ordinance, City of DeWitt, effective March 1, 1972, which Code is specifically readopted herein as the Building Code of the City of DeWitt.

Section 3 All provisions of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 4 This Ordinance is hereby declared to be immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health or safety, and therefore is adopted as an emergency ordinance in compliance with the Charter of the City of DeWitt.

Adopted this 7th day of October, AD. 1974.

DOROTHY M. KECK,
Clerk
City of DeWitt

I hereby certify that the above ordinance was duly passed at a regular meeting of the City of DeWitt Council, held October 7, 1974, and ordered published in the Clinton County News.

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Oct 2: American Central Corporation to Newton D and Margaret R Stewart Lot 108, 119, Westchester Highis

Oct 3: Bellinger, Robert A and Judith A to Jerry J Fabus property in Sec 9 Greenbush

Oct 3: Wacker Leo F and Marcella M to Gerald J and Jeanele A Thelen property in Sec 1 Westphalia

Oct 3: Cordray, Florence to Roy F Briggs Lot 3, 4, 5, Blk 2, Walker's

Oct 3: American Central Corporation to George B and Gladys H Coon Lot 59, 60, Riverwood

Oct 4: Lawler, Russel A and Blanche L to Bertie Cill and Patti Sue Shiffer property in Sec 17 Bath

Oct 4: Mehney, Bruce L and Jeannette to Fedewa Enterprises property in Sec 18 Bingham

Oct 4: Nelson, Abbot and Ava T to Berry Construction Company Lot 61, Nelson No 1

Oct 4: Hlar, Charles Jr and Louise J to James W and Charlotte M Schroeder Lot 100 Clinton Vill

Oct 4: Newcombe, Gary L and Patricia M to Robert G and Marvalee F Buck, Outlot A, Assessor's Plat No 2

Oct 4: Wellman, Donna J, Wellman Larry E to United States of America Lot 21, 22, Viewcrest Riv

Oct 4: Evert J Scarlett Trust to Richard L and Sarah E Hannon property in Sec 17 Watertown.

Oct 4: Hannon, Richard L and Sarah E to Phillip A and Maureen A Lynwood property in Sec 17 Watertown

Oct 4: Jones, Richard H and Marie E to James R and Connie K Jones Lot 103 Royal Shores

Oct 7: Ball, Dennis H and Barbara L to C Kent and M Joyce March Lot 17 Westwinds No 1

Oct 7: Nostrand, Terry L and Karen L to Diana M Hall property in Sec 6 Watertown

Oct 7: Hestera, Mary H to Antonine H and Teresa Jakus property in Sec 13, Bingham

Oct 7: Parks, Hershel S and Marguerite M, Mason, Willard N and Leta, Hills, Olin O; Hills, Helen E, Mason, Phyllis A to Gregory William and Josephine Masseur Lot 5 Parmachi Acres.

PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING
State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of CLINTON
Estate of JoAnn Wilson, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE On October 24, 1974, at 10:00 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom, County Building, St. Johns, Michigan, before the Hon TIMOTHY M GREEN, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Havis King that the administration of said estate, will be granted to Havis King; the heirs-at-law of said deceased represented as LaCheryl Wilson and James Herbert Wilson will be determined by an Order of the Court and that a License to Sell Real Estate be granted to the administrator and that the Court will fix the amount of the bond.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the Estate must be presented to the said Havis King, Administrator, at 576 Washington Ave., South Haven, Michigan 49790, and proof thereof with copies of claims filed with the Court on or before December 26, 1974. Notice is further given that the Estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated October 9, 1974.
Havis King
Petitioner
By: /s/ Eric E. Kauma, his attorney
3132 South Pennsylvania Ave
Lansing, Michigan 48919
Attorney for Petitioner
Eric E. Kauma
Parks, Kauma & Cottom
3133 South Pennsylvania Ave
Lansing, Mich. 48919
Phone (517) 393-2330 25-1

LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGE SALE
Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Lloyd E McMaster and Joyce McMaster, his wife, 258 W Williams Street, Ovid, Michigan to North American Acceptance Corporation, 1028 Genesee Towers, Flint, Michigan Mortgagee. Dated July 9, 1973, and recorded on July 19, 1973, in Liber 272, on page 289, Clinton County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eight Thousand Five Hundred Seventy Six Dollars and 93/100 Dollars (\$8,576.93), including interest of 1 1/4% per month.

Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the North door of the Court House in St. Johns, Michigan, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. Local Time, on November 15, 1974.

Said premises are situated in the Village of Ovid, Clinton County, Michigan, and are described as:

Lots 19 and 20, Block 4, Village of Ovid, Clinton County, Michigan according to the plat recorded in Liber 21 of Deeds, page 367, Clinton County, Records.

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

Dated August 26, 1974
North American Acceptance Corporation,

pany, Executor, for allowance of its Final Account.
Dated: October 10, 1974.
S/CLINTON NATIONAL BANK & TRUST CO
Petitioner.
200 N Clinton
St. Johns, Michigan.
Attorney for Petitioner:
MAPLES & WOOD
210 N Clinton
St. Johns, Michigan
Phone 224-3238 25-1

Fowler

Mr Vernon Benjamin and daughter, Laurie, were dinner guests of Mrs Lula Boak on Sunday

Mrs Lula Boak accompanied Mr and Mrs Carl Boag to the home of Mr and Mrs Richard Boak for their daughter, Michelle's 4th birthday

Mr Charlie Boak, Mr and Mrs Carl Boag, and Mr and Mrs Cecil Boak were Sunday evening visitors of Mrs Lula Boak

Vernon Benjamin and Mrs Lula Boak are spending a few days in Jennings, Missouri at the home of their daughter Mr and Mrs James Magruder and new grandson. They will visit their son, Brian, at the Lowery Air Force Base near Denver, Colo, before returning home

BIDS WANTED FOR

5 Police Cars for Sheriff's Department

1 Four Patrol Cars as per Specifications with 2, 1974 Chevrolet's & 2, 1974 Dodges as trade-ins.

2 One unmarked car as per Specifications with 1, 1973 Ford trade-in

3 Inquire at Sheriff's Office for Specifications and Details

Bids to be submitted at the County Clerk's Office by 5:00 p.m., October 21, 1974.

Bids will be publicly opened on October 22, 1974 in the Commissioners Room at the Courthouse

CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
By: Property Management Committee.

Valley Farms

Installation of DeWitt Chapter O.E.S. officers will be on Saturday Oct 26, at 7:30 pm. Mr and Mrs Marion Merrill will be installed as Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron for the ensuing year.

Mr and Mrs Leo Kuhn and daughter Nyla of Payne, Ohio were Saturday pm callers of their cousins, Mr and Mrs Henry Wohlert

Mr and Mrs Henry Wohlert were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs Dale Lucas of Morrice

Marie Rudnicki of Riverview, MI was a caller of her sister, Mrs Ken Richards last Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Ken Richards entertained 10 P.W.H.P. and P.W.O.S. of Bethel Shrine #11 of Lansing, at a Bohemian dinner last Sunday pm.

Mr and Mrs Ken Richards spent several days on a color tour last week. They called on their nephew, Melvin Baracy and family of Presque Isle.

DeWitt Chapter #30 O.E.S. held their annual meeting and election of officers last Thursday evening. The elective officers for the ensuing year are: Worthy Matron, Mrs Marion Merrill, Worthy Patron,

Marion Merrill, Associate; Matron, Mrs Wm. McCain; Associate Patron, Joseph Hunter, Conductress, Mrs

Charles Ream, Associate Conductress, Zella Custard; Secretary, Mrs Lee Reasoner; and Treasurer, Mrs Wm Weston.

Riley and Olive

By Mrs Goldie Moore

Mr and Mrs Raymond Moore attended the September meeting of the Clinton County Historical Society on Thursday evening, held in Maple Rapids.

Ford Coasor was the main speaker and his topic was "The Forgotten Communities of Clinton County"

Harold Yanz was a Sunday afternoon visitor of Mr and Mrs Lloyd Brocker.

Mrs Goldie Moore attended the Farm Bureau District Council of Committeewomen at Mason Farm Bureau office on Friday, Sept 13

Mr and Mrs Arnold Blizzard were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Larry Blizzard Tuesday evening.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Brocker were visitors of Mr and Mrs Herman Anderson of Sheridan recently.

Mrs Martha Blizzard, Mrs Doris Greenfield, and Mrs Florence Magsig attended the School of Instruction for Blue Star Mothers at Grand Rapids last week.

The Friendly Neighbors Study Group met with Mrs Lena Whitefield last Wednesday evening

NOTICE CLINTON COUNTY Budget Hearing

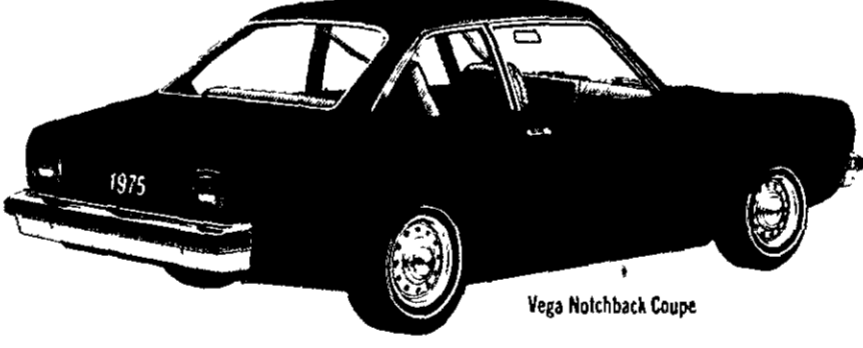
The Clinton County Board of Commissioners will hold a public hearing on the 1975 County budget on Tuesday, October 22, 1974 at 10 a.m., in the Commissioners room at the Courthouse in St. Johns, Michigan.

The budget will be available at this time for any and all interested parties to examine.

Derrill Shanabery
Chairman,
Board of Commissioners

Dyle Henning
Chairman,
Finance and Appropriations Committee

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A Clinton County man was killed and another man critically injured Sunday morning, Oct 13, when their car ran off US 27, south of Maple Rapids Rd, and struck a concrete culvert.

Dead is George Paul Mniszewski, 25, of DeWitt, a passenger in the car driven by Earl Monroe, 24, of Lansing. Monroe was taken to St Lawrence Hospital in Lansing, suffering multiple fractures. He was listed in serious condition on Monday, Oct 14.

State Police from the Ithaca post who investigated the accident said the Monroe vehicle was southbound on US 27 when

it went off the west side of the road, apparently traveling at a high rate of speed, and struck the culvert sideways in a deep ditch.

ACCORDING TO POLICE, both men had been pinned in the car for between one and one-half to three hours before the accident was reported.

Police stated that the two men had been stopped Saturday evening in North Star Township of Gratiot County and were ticketed for carrying open liquor in their car. Monroe was also cited for speeding.

The accident is still under investigation.

DeWitt honors long time city servant

DEWITT - The city park on W. Main in DeWitt will now be known as Orla McGuire Park, following recent action by the DeWitt City Council.

The naming of the park is in honor of McGuire's long-time service to the city of DeWitt. For the past several, he has served as city engineer and currently serves as engineer and deputy building and zone administrator.

He has also served as chairman of the Planning Commission and was an instrumental figure during the drafting of the city master plan.

During his years in DeWitt, he has devoted many hours to the city, receiving no pay until the past year.

In other business at their most recent meeting, the Council announced a study is being made of city major streets to bring them up to date to state standards concerning parking, signs, intersection markings, alley-way access etc.

The Council also passed a resolution thanking the Woodruff Office of American Bank and Trust, Michigan Beef

and Millbrook Meadows for the commemorative signs now located at Webb, E. Main and W. Main.

The signs are a "Welcome to Historic DeWitt, founded Oct 4, 1833". DeWitt is the oldest settlement in Clinton County.

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Fri. Oct. 18th MUSIC BY

CLARE BOUGHTON 9:00

"modern & square" 1:00

Sat. Oct. 19th MUSIC BY

HARVEST HOEDOWN 9:30

Music by "The Music Makers" Sam Sherwood Caller 1:30

DINE DANCE

Pewamo-Westphalia Homecoming Queen for 1974 is Karen Schafer, who was crowned during half-time ceremonies this past Friday.



Named 1974 Homecoming Queen at DeWitt High School was Tracy Woodruff (left). She is shown here as she received her crown at the Panther's Homecoming game Oct 4.

October busy month for St Johns Womans' Club

On the morning of September 17th, Mrs Joseph Spusta, President of the St Johns Woman's Club was hostess at a coffee hour, honoring the Club's new members.

Plans for the year's program were outlined by the program chairman, Mrs William Escher. Other events planned for October are a "Meet Your Candidate" evening, sponsored

by the club for the League of Woman Voters. This will be held in the Community Room of the Central National Bank on the evening of October 24th.

On October 17th the Club is hostess to the West Central District Federation. Plans were discussed for this event. Mrs Escher also said that a field trip to the State Capitol will be held later in the Club Year.

Obituaries

Earl E. Pierson

Mr Earl E. Pierson, 63, of 280 Dill Rd in DeWitt died last Tuesday, Oct 8 at St Lawrence Hospital in Lansing. Services were held Friday, Oct 11 at the Lee Rummel Funeral Home in DeWitt with the Rev Douglas Beech officiating. Interment was at DeWitt Cemetery.

Born Dec 22, 1910 in Victor Twp, he was the son of Luther and Mabel Pierson. He married

Rhoda Reynolds in Lansing on Jan 15, 1936. He was employed at Oldsmobile and was a member of the DeWitt Masonic Lodge.

He is survived by his wife, 1 son; Richard of DeWitt, 3 grandchildren, 2 sisters; Mrs Gladys Schroeder of Marshall, Mrs Lester Knight of Prescott Ariz, 1 brother, Glenn of Newberry, Mich.

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