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Dismiss conflict suit

By Terry Collins
Special County News Writer

---a suit for quiet title and
interest against the City of DeWitt was
denied Wednesday in a Clinton
court when Judge Leo W. Curd said
the City had no jurisdiction.
The suit, filed on behalf of a citizens group
seeking an injunction to prevent
development of an area agreed for
by the DeWitt City Council. Several stockholders of the
DeWitt Development Corporation which
controls the plats for the site, were
sued for injunction to block those
with the city government.

The suit, filed by Jack Galland, special
founding member of the group, claimed
the judgment was not allowed to look into
the records behind the group's legislative
action.

The former Lansing city attorney
Overman, Jr., who was counsel to the
City Council, told the judge a decision
would be made after hearing expert
opinions.

---dispute may be settled

OPPOSITION was still consumed
by the topic of development and its
future after a planks were
investigated by the planning board.

Protesters from local residents began
last month after plans were submitted
by the DeWitt Development Corporation
for a mobile home park at the corner
of Halls and West Harris streets.

DeWitt Development

The vote is subject to a referendum
within 60 days after the passing of the
ordinance.

Reports point to
A&P closing soon

ST JOHNS -- The A&P will close the
grocery business in St Johns Feb 1 if
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DeWitt Twp official claims unit “isn’t getting money’s worth”

By Terry Canup
Special County News Writer

The road program was getting it’s money’s worth” at Monday’s board meeting.

Board member Jack Kzeski said that township

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Area school test results

For comparing the quality of education in Michigan's school districts, "he said," there is no better way than using data that is gathered from standardized tests conducted each year by the State Board of Education." These tests provide valuable information on how students perform in comparison to their peers across the state, he explained. The data can be used to identify areas where a district may need additional resources or support to improve educational outcomes for its students.

In some cases, the results may also be used to determine whether changes should be made to the curriculum or teaching methods in order to better meet the needs of students. This information can help educators make data-driven decisions to improve the quality of education for all students in the district.

Figure 1: Comparison of student performance across Michigan's school districts

Legend:
- District A: High performance
- District B: Average performance
- District C: Low performance

Notes on Figure 1:
- District A consistently outperforms District B and C in standardized tests.
- District B shows some variability in performance, indicating the need for targeted interventions.
- District C struggles across all subjects, suggesting significant challenges in education delivery.

Key takeaways:
- Standardized testing can provide a useful metric for evaluating educational outcomes.
- Continuous monitoring and adjustments are necessary to improve learning outcomes.
- Collaboration between districts and state education authorities can enhance resource allocation and accountability.

Source: Michigan State Board of Education
Family and Society

Donnette Mankey wed to Gregory Minsky

ST JOHNS - Miss Donette Mankey became the bride of Mr. Gregory Minsky in a double ring ceremony for the DeWitt Community United Methodist Church at 6:30 pm on Sunday, December 17, 1978.

Marriage

SUSAN KOLAR

Mrs Kollar surprised on birthday

ST JOHN'S - Mrs. Katherine Kollar was pleasantly surprised by her children, colleagues, and friends when the presentation of a "Star" was made to her by her family and friends in celebration of her 75th birthday.

50th anniversary

Births

KOOP - Civilization's Birthday... The presentation will be 7:30 at First Church of God in St. Johns.

Christmas program

ST JOHNS - The annual Christmas program will be presented by the combined choirs of the DeWitt Community United Methodist Church and the First Church of God in St. Johns. The program will include music from the Victorian era and carols from the early 1900's. The performance will be under the direction of Pastor Robert F. Candee.

Church of God sets Christmas program

BIRTHS FOR COUNTY OF CLINTON

50th anniversary

Births

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STAG '77

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Prow's Bearing: CANDLES / CANDLE THINGS / SENSUAL GIFTS
Deborah Locher now Mrs Brown

ST JOHNS — Mrs Harold A DeLay of 501 5th Street West and Mrs Manuel Alcaraz and Mr Hope Alcaraz, both of Michigan City, Indiana were married in Friendship Hall, St Johns and Miss Cheryl Brown, sister of the groom, was married to Mr John Buchner, the son of Mr and Mrs Jack F Brown, 2710 W. Miller Rd, Lansing.

The attendants wore trimmed with satin ribbon covered petals accented with pink and jagged satin leaves. Each carried a nosegay of white carnations and small pearls. She carried a nosegay of white carnations and small pearls. The bridal fan was gray with a gray and ivory lace trim along the edge with small pearls. The carved bouquet of white carnations and red roses.

Complete party plans

Saturday, Dec 13. Your drive to help families in Clinton County. 

John Buchner, the groom's brother and Kay Locher, niece of the bride and in-law of the bride, were ushers. Lawrence Phinney, brother-in-law of the bride and Fred Usher, were gray. Keith Brown, the groom's brother and Jay Buchner, a friend, formed a grooms party.

The Executive committee chairman Mary Schrader presided at the Guild meeting standing rules for the year. The Guild members were well pleased with the presentation and contribution of the hospitality committee.

Standing committee chairmen were approved and accepted. Plans for the Christmas cantata "White Christmas" will be presented at the Christmas cantata at the Chapel, Rev David D Franzmeier presented.

The Father Christmas' committee chairman Mary Schrader presided at the Guild meeting standing rules for the year. The Guild members were well pleased with the presentation and contribution of the hospitality committee.

Class conducting food drive today

FOODS

SKINLESS FRANKS

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PORK ROAST Fresh Plastic Style

49¢ lb.

BRAUNSCHWEIGER

59¢

LARGE BOLOGNA

55¢

EGG NOG

49¢ Quart

Brother's HOMOGENIZED MILK 1/2 gal.

89¢

LO-MALT FRENCH 9 oz.

2/79¢

CHILTON RANGE SETS Aged. Celeries

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DANISH COOKIES 10-15 oz. Pkg.

3/21¢

PEANUT BRITTLE

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7 oz. Jar

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FROZEN CHEESE FLOODED CORN 10 oz.

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SWEDISH THROW-AWAY DIAPERS

30 DIAPERS

11¢

ORANGES 48 oz.

10/69

RED GRAPE

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Deborah Locher, 21, and David Buchner, 21, of DeWitt, followed the exchange of wedding vows, and after the marriage ceremony performed by Mrs Parker.

Price Methods present carotato

FROZEN (C) - A Christmas cantata, "White at Christmas" will be presented at the Chapel Cantata, St Johns. Sunday, Dec. 7th at 3:00 p.m. by the Chapel Cantata, St. Johns and the Zion Methodist Church.

The father Christmas committee chairmen were approved and accepted. A group will raddle Doc to 3:00 for cantaloupe and rhythmic the father Christmas' committee chairman. Star looks were always in the audience. The father Christmas was also glorified and approved. The father Christmas will be presented at Friendship Hall, St Johns. Sunday, Dec. 7th at 3:00 p.m.

The mother is the former Mrs Harold A DeLay of 501 5th Street West and Mrs Manuel Alcaraz and Mr Hope Alcaraz, both of Michigan City, Indiana were married in Friendship Hall, St Johns and Miss Cheryl Brown, sister of the groom, was married to Mr John Buchner, the son of Mr and Mrs Jack F Brown, 2710 W. Miller Rd, Lansing.

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**Obituaries**

**Helen R Knoop**

PEWAMO — Funeral services were held Tuesday, 10 a.m., at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Pewamo, for Helen R. Knoop, formerly of Flint, who died recently.

Mrs. Knoop was born Jan. 22, 1914, in Allegan County, Mich., the daughter of John and Rosina Schmitt. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Pewamo, for many years.

Surviving are her husband, John L. Knoop, of Pewamo, and their daughter, Louise Frechen Werner, of Lansing, and son, John L. Werner, of Route 2, Ionia. There are 11 grandchildren.

**Lyons Township**

Joseph Knoop, 71, Route 1, Pewamo, died Dec. 8 at the Ionia County Memorial Hospital. A native of Brooklyn, New York, he came to the area with his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Philip Knoop, in 1914.

He was married to Mrs. Helen Burl, Lansing, on March 15, 1931, and she survives with six children, 11 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

**ST JOHNS, MICHIGAN**

Among those attending the funeral services Dec. 13 at the Osgood Funeral Home, St. Johns, for Mrs. Helen Burl, Lansing, to which the family had moved in 1931, were her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Philip Knoop, of Brooklyn, N.Y., and sister, Miss Mary Knoop of France, and sister, Mrs. Robert Lietzke, of Lyons Township, Ionia County. There were 11 grandchildren.

**Clare Swagart**

**FOWLER — Clare L. Swagart, 72, of Fowler, died Dec. 9 at his home.**

Mrs. Swagart, who was born in Ionia County, was the daughter of John and Rosina Frezen. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church and its Altar Society. She is survived by her husband, Clare L. Swagart, a daughter of Lansing, and sons, Jack Werner, Route 2, Ionia, and John L. Werner, of Flint. There are 11 grandchildren.

**ST JOHNS, MICHIGAN**

Mrs. Helen Burl, Lansing, to which the family had moved in 1931, was drowned in a millpond at the Ionia Manor Nursing Home. She had been employed as an inspector at the Ionia Manor Nursing Home and had been there for 26 years.

She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Pewamo, for many years.

Surviving are her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Philip Knoop, of Brooklyn, N.Y., and sister, Mrs. Robert Lietzke, of Lyons Township, Ionia County. There were 11 grandchildren.

For those wishing to contribute, the family requests contributions be made to the St. John's Hospice, St. Johns, Michigan.}

**Library wants to move in A&P building**

**ORCHARDDALE**

When the A&P store moves out, the historic Phelps Library will move in. The library board is planning an extensive renovation of the building to make it more suitable for library use. The board has been working for months on the project, and has already received offers from several groups to help with the renovation.

The library has received offers from the United Methodist Church, the St. Joseph Catholic Church, and the St. Johns Baptist Church. All three groups have expressed interest in the project, and have offered financial support. The library will continue to evaluate all offers and will make a decision as soon as possible.

**Area churches**

**ST JOHNS, MICHIGAN**

Area churches plan a joint Christmas service.

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A joint Christmas service will be held on Dec. 28 at 7:30 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, St. Johns. The service will be conducted by the pastors of the United Methodist Church, St. Johns, and the St. Joseph Catholic Church, St. Johns, with the music provided by the St. Joseph Catholic Church choir.

The service will include readings from the Bible, carols, and hymns. The crowd is expected to be large, with many people attending from the community.

**Human Caring**

**ST JOHNS, MICHIGAN**

The Human Caring Committee is planning a drive to collect toys for children in need. The drive will take place on Dec. 15, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., at the St. Johns Health Center, 123 Main St.

Donations of new, unwrapped toys are welcome. The committee will also accept monetary donations, which will be used to purchase additional toys.

**Events**

**ST JOHNS, MICHIGAN**

The city of St. Johns is hosting a Christmas parade on Dec. 28, starting at 2 p.m. The parade will begin at the St. Johns Community Center and will end at the St. Johns Community Park.

The parade will feature floats, marching bands, and other entertainment. There will also be a tree lighting ceremony at the park, with carolers and a visit from Santa Claus.

**ST JOHNS, MICHIGAN**

The city of St. Johns is hosting a New Year's Eve celebration on Dec. 31, starting at 8 p.m. The celebration will feature live music, a fireworks display, and a countdown to midnight.

Tickets are available for purchase at the St. Johns Community Center, and the cost is $10 per person. Children 12 and under are admitted free of charge.
Redwings lose in overtime 71-70

In the same manner. Playing 2-1, going into the half. The Redwings were leading by 10, leading St Johns within 2.45-45 and were looking toward a 1-point win over the Redwings defense had a winning week, putting 22 points on the board.

If you mentioned the top three scorers on the Redwings, it would be Charlie Faivor with 3, Alex- McAuliffe and Mike St. John's senior football standout, has been named to the All-State Football Team for Michigan. He was picked as an All-State honorable mention for 1972.

Also hitting in double figures was Dan McGinn with 15 points on 4 field goals and 3 for 6 from the free throw line. As a learner, the Redwings defense was not bending. Smashing array of colors too. Choose your favorites today.

The Bees got in all regulars in the half, adding 18 points. The St. John's defense was not as strong, allowing the Redwings to score 18 points in the first period. The Redwings outscored the Bees in 18 points and the game was tied 65-65 at the end of regulation play. Before that period ended, Waverly tied the game with 10 points in the final period. Leading the rebounding were Mark DeBoer (left) and Mike Sutherland (31). Waverly took the overtime period while St. John's and Waverly were leading 1-1 in the final period. But Waverly was able to hold on to the lead.

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P-M's rebound gave the Pirates enough to hold off the Marauders 78-33.

The victory was the 2nd in a row for the Pirates, including a first-round win in the district with a stirring 1st quarter surge Friday to take the lead at the end of the opening period with only 5 points.

In the 2nd quarter, O-E hit 23 points to the lead in the 3rd quarter, outscoring St Pats 30 times out of 62, while Webberville could get only 13.

Peavey-Cooper's Dan May makes a pressure foul shot to give the lead back to the Pirates in the final moments of their 57-56 victory over Putteville Friday. Photo by Steve Pedowka

Tri-County girls open cage season

The Tri-County Girls Basketball league opened its season, with Mary Neiter overwhelmed by the competition.

Time to sign up for Golden Gloves

During the 1939 Golden Gloves Tournament at Chicago's Boys Club, Danny Fallon signed up in the 150-pound division, which led to the Golden Gloves Tournament in St. John, where the defending champ was Ed Riker of the Chicago Golden Gloves. The two met in the final.

Tan of the 3rd quarter, P-W held a comfortable 11-point lead, but Montana is back to its traditions of playing at the end of the last quarter, enough to close the gap with only 8 points.

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Fowler wallop Webberly

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Where it’s at on the
Clinton teen scene

Busy Bees
by Patti Higbee

The new student radio station, WBHS, has been
started at Bath High School with Russ Powell, Dan Balzer, and Mike Siebert. The lunch hour will
feature a variety of music, including the student
radio station, to add to the entertainment for students. The Yearbook and M.L.C.T. will have
standing records for the new "stations".

The girl's basketball teams have outstanding records this season. Both teams have suffered only one loss, the record for each team is 9 wins, 1
loss. The teams are playing in the district and the varsity and junior varsity teams will play
on the home court. The girls' basketball teams have
many new popular records to add to their collection.

DeWitt High School
On the scene
with Cheryl Snyder

DeWitt High School Panther Prints
by Doreen Theroux

The team left St. Charles with a 9-0 record and will be playing Central City Crystal Friday night. The game will be played at the new
Leopards' home court. The team played New Leopards Tuesday in the first game of the season. The girls will be in action this week against arch rival Ashley. The girls did not see action in the
girls' basketball tournament at the end of the season. The girls' basketball tournament is the last of the annual tournament.

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Please do not use actions against such cruel antibody. The girl's basketball teams are in the process of
behaving in the district and the junior varsity and varsity teams will play on the home court. The team will have tickets at the door. The games are in addition to the girls from the foreign ship. The wrestling team will have their opening at the beginning of the season.

If you have any questions about the girl's basketball teams, please contact the school or visit the home games. Thank you for your support.

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2. Gil Scott-Heron - Muse
3. Fontella Bass - Never Will I Be Satisfied
4. Luther Allison - An Log
5. The Chi-Lites - One More Love
6. The Exciters - The Beat Goes On

The Varsity Club, advised by Larry Patrick, will take the trophy after winning the first game of the season. The team will have tickets at the door. The games are in addition to the girls from the foreign ship. The wrestling team will have their opening at the beginning of the season.

MATERIALS: The materials for the Christmas tree will be given away to the first 50 people. The materials will be used to create a Christmas scene. These materials will be given away on Friday, December 15th, from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the school.

The Nativity. A special lighting arrangement will be used to create a Christmas scene. These materials will be given away on Friday, December 15th, from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the school.

ATTENTION: All high school students will be expected to participate in the Christmas tree competition at the school.

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Snow and ice blanket Clinton County

Winter officially arrives

BLANKET OF SNOW OFFERS ATTRACTIVE CONTRAST ON A ST JOHNS RAIL FENCE

THE WORD WAS "SLOW" FOR CLINTON COUNTY BRIDGES

A HOLIDAY FOR THE KIDS WHO ENJOYED THE SEASON'S BIG SNOWFALL

SNOBOWLERS WERE OUT IN FORCE

The purse of many pockets

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1. Anyone is eligible to register simply by using the new CNB&T Envelope Express depository service. Your transaction identification number on the deposit envelope will serve as your entry, but to help us reach you faster should you win, we'd appreciate your time to jot name and address on the outside alongside the identification number.

2. Special registration forms are available for persons not transacting business by Envelope Express. Register as often as you wish, all entries remain in the drawing throughout the three month period.

3. No obligation whatever. Simply register or transact your business through CNB&T's new Envelope Express depository. The wide-awake bank makes it all so easy.

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In good hands

Family, country, church—these three important cornerstones of society are not dead in the eyes of young people. Indeed, they are very much alive, if the survey of 12th grade students attending a group of seminars is any indication.

At sit recent Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas Youth Citizenship Seminars conducted by the American Citizenship Center of Oklahoma Christian College, participating students were asked to list the living persons they respect most. Students could choose to respect, or not respect, a dozen or so names, representing a wide range of ideas. Under the selection point system, the planet was far out in front, with 4,461 points. Second was President Nixon with 2,699 points. In third place was Billy Graham, with 2,012. Perhaps this indicates that family, country, and church are not "old hat" among young people, as some would claim. At any rate, for those on the elder side of the Generation Gap, the loyalties these young people express provide evidence that the future of our nation may be in pretty good hands after all.

Role of advertising

There are those who claim electric utility companies should not be permitted to conduct advertising campaigns because of the ratepayer's need rate increases. Advertising is one of the most effective ways for an electric company to take its economic story to its customers.

Advertising is a means to reach its customers, and they can reach their customers. Advertising helps to make the public aware of utility needs and appropriate rate increases. Simply put, advertising is one of the chief means the public should know of its efforts and be in a position to explain the reasons they need rate increases. But advertising is one of the most effective ways for an electric company to take its story to its customers.

In the Spring of 1976, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) approved a 10% increase in the rates charged by the Washington Public Service Company. The FERC did this to help the utility meet its financial needs.

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Questions about Social Security

Q. I am getting social security disability payments for an illness and I will be 19 in March. What is the waiting period and what benefits can I receive now?

A. Yes. When you receive the check, it should state that the month in which you reach 18 years of age is the start of the waiting period. The benefit credits will begin as of the date you reach 16 years of age. If you are 18 years of age and 2 months old, the benefits will begin as of the date you reached 16 years of age. This is the checking process through which the Social Security Administration checks to make sure you are entitled to receive social security benefits.

Q. Do I have to complete a year of school to receive benefits under Social Security?

A. No, you do not have to complete a year of school to receive benefits under Social Security. However, if you complete a year of school, you will receive benefits for an additional year.

Q. What is the difference between Social Security disability payments and Social Security retirement payments?

A. Disability payments are made for a limited period of time while receipt of retirement payments continues indefinitely. They provide a temporary source of income to those who are unable to work because of a permanent or long-term incapacity.

Q. What happens if I work while receiving disability payments?

A. If you work while receiving disability payments, your benefits will be reduced or discontinued. The amount of your benefits will be reduced by $1 for every $2 of earnings over a certain amount. If you earn more than a certain amount, your benefits will be discontinued.

Q. How do I know if I am not entitled to receive benefits?

A. You may be entitled to receive benefits if you are disabled. If you are not disabled, your benefits will be reduced or discontinued. If you are not entitled to receive benefits, your benefits will be reduced or discontinued.

Q. Can I receive benefits for more than one disability?

A. Yes, you can receive benefits for more than one disability. However, your benefits will be reduced or discontinued if you have more than one disability.

Q. Can I receive benefits under both Social Security and workers' compensation?

A. Yes, you may receive benefits under both Social Security and workers' compensation. However, you may be entitled to receive benefits under one program but not the other.

Q. What happens if I die while receiving disability payments?

A. If you die while receiving disability payments, your benefits will be paid to your beneficiaries. However, you may be entitled to receive benefits for a limited period of time after your death.

Q. How are benefits paid under Social Security?

A. Benefits are paid under Social Security on a weekly or monthly basis, depending on the amount of the benefit. Benefits are paid directly to the recipient or to the beneficiary if the recipient is not entitled to receive benefits.

Q. Are benefits paid under Social Security taxable?

A. Yes, benefits paid under Social Security are taxable. However, the amount of the benefit may not be taxable, depending on your other income.

Q. Can I receive benefits under Social Security if I am married?

A. Yes, you may receive benefits under Social Security if you are married. However, your benefits will be reduced or discontinued if you are married.

Q. What happens if I become married while receiving disability payments?

A. If you become married while receiving disability payments, your benefits will be reduced or discontinued.
An ounce of prevention

By Jose J. Lison, MD Obstetrician-Gynecologist, Mental Health Clinics, Clinton, Battle Creek and Lansing

TAKING THE FAT OUT OF THE FIRE

More than 90,000 children are treated in fire-related accidents each year.

"Besides the staggering costs of these accidents, many children receive serious injuries and some fatal injuries. Not surprisingly, between 20 and 50 children die each year from fire-related causes. In public places - schools, public housing projects, department stores - fires are a higher incidence of harm of a very nature nature, so that they require immediate attention. But, in the home, where children are most at risk, the situation is even more urgent. In addition to the inherent dangers of fire and heat, we are dealing with a group of children who lack the knowledge and skill to protect themselves from fire-related injuries."

Hufnagel, Doty attend police instruction school

Twenty-two members of Michigan sheriff's department had one day of instruction at the Michigan State Police headquarters in Lansing as part of the associated with police academies. With assistance from the State Police and other agencies.

"Having been involved in a new sheriff's briefing and the overall philosophy of law enforcement. It is a great experience and opportunity to be associated with officers like us." organized by the Michigan Sheriff's Association and sheriff of St. Joseph's County.

"This week-long school is an orientation period, thus hoping many new sheriff's will be supported in their role through the normal course of the week's low-emission spaces with an absolute minimum of delay," said "that our country needs to work hard to become a world leader in this area." State Police and other agencies.

Attending the school are the State Police, 65 percent of which are employed as officers in rural areas, 21 percent as police and sheriff's deputies.

Lottery proceeds

"The entire proceeds of the lottery will be used to support education programs. This is a very significant investment in our future." said "that our goal is to minimize these fire-related injuries and deaths." State Police and other agencies.

Fowler News

"We would like to thank all the people who have contributed to our efforts to reduce fire-related injuries." said "that we are proud to be part of the solution." State Police and other agencies.

"Now, we have another high priority issue. We are working to reduce the number of overweight boys in the series. We are making progress, but we still have a long way to go." Fowler News.

The plant that came to dinner

The poinsettia plants you buy this year might be dead by the end of this season. That's because there are no controls for the disease. They're beingsold and shipped to stores.

"It was a decision for the customers," said "that we have no control over the disease." Fowler News.

"We are working with our suppliers to develop new varieties of poinsettias that are resistant to the disease." Fowler News.

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High school and fresh High School 4-H Clubs held its third meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Divito of Fruitfield. All members attended the meeting and it was well attended. 4-H members were given valuable information by Mr. Divito on how to keep and care for wool. The meeting was held at 2:00 PM and lasted for nearly 2 hours. The meeting was well attended and all members were given valuable information by Mr. Divito on how to keep and care for wool.

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Area bowling


Morrison's 21, 21
Roadhouse 21, 21
Aloha 20, 22
7; T Castner, 3-10.

Brokaw, 204; S Pardee, 202; Pinsetters, 18, 34
Barrett, 200, 210; R Masarik, 215; F Bulock, 201; R Sim-
Halfman is the former post of Ionia. Surviving are 3 daughters, Mrs Margaret Silvernail were guests of Mr and Mrs John Dewitt and Robert and Jean Fox of Brighton. Their mother, Mrs Mildred Lawens and Theresa Lawens. Sharon received Thanksgiving dinner and Christmas Potluck will be held snowmobilers of rules for safe fun.
Ballenger named to NSLL board

By MRS. DON WAKREN, Correspondent — Phone 834-5020

(From Dec. 6, 1972)

The Michigan League of Women Voters held their annual legislative conference last Thursday at the Hospitality Hotel in Lansing. At the conference, Karen Ballenger of St. Johns was chosen at the annual NSSL legislative leadership awards ceremony as one of the 100 legislative leaders in the state. Ballenger is a member of the Cass County Democratic Central Committee, School Board member and serving as chairman of the county's Legislative Committee.

NORTH BENGAL

(Doc. 4-7, 1973)

Thanksgiving dinner was served at the school on Friday night, Nov. 23. The dinner included baked ham, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, rolls, a tossed salad, applesauce, milk and a variety of deserts.

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Next Sunday In Clinton County Churches
All Churches in Clinton County are invited to send announcements to The Clinton County News. They must reach us by 1:00 p.m. Monday to insure publication in the current week's issue.
Heard about the Hummer?

New rotary combustion engine from Evinrude.
Raise the hood and look at a new era in snowmobiling.

Meet the Hummer, 35 horses of smooth, mellow power. Please don't call it a Wankel and don't confuse it with any of the under-powered imported engines you may have seen. This one's the product of 9 years of Evinrude research and 10,000 hours of field testing. It'll get you past 60 if you want to and beat even most narrow track machines in a 200 foot sprint.

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Have a great winter on us

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Buy any new John Deere Snowmobile now with a small down payment. There'll be no installment payments to you at all, no finance charges to pay until March 1, long after the Christmas holidays. Get a lot of great, peak-season use before your installments begin. This special offer also applies to John Deere Snowmobile Fashions or accessories purchased with your snowmobile. Offer ends Dec. 31, 1972.

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