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N. Michigan To Camellia Bowl

Last year, the Northern Michigan University football team didn't win a game out of ten. This year they won ten and lost one. Competing in the Pioneer Bowl last weekend in Wichita Falls, Texas, they beat Livingston University from Alabama. Now they will compete in the finals for NC 2 A Division 2 championship. They'll play Western Kentucky in the Camellia Bowl in Sacramento Saturday. The game will be televised on ABC starting at 2:20 our time.

The Northern Michigan band has been trying frantically to raise enough money to accompany the team. As of Tuesday, according to university officials in Marquette, it was still uncertain who would go to California. Greg Sawyer from Buchanan, a member of the band, is one of those who has been trying to raise the necessary money.

Out of the Past

40 Years Ago
December 12, 1935
Swem Funeral Home moves from South Portage Street into newly remodeled property at 301 W. Front. The fine old Richards residence was formerly a center of social life here.

Leah Weaver, Eunice Miller, Kermit Washburn, Joseph Hyink, Earl Rizor, Helen Krebs, Allegra Henry, John Miller, John Elbers and Marie Connell appear in benefit farce put on by teachers.

Anna Karenina with Greta Garbo and Frederic March on the bill at Hollywood Theatre

Bucks lost to Niles 30-11

25 Years Ago
December 7, 1950
Coach Miller shakes up lineup

for South Haven contest after Bucks lose to State High in opener. Puts Lowell Gamble at center, Dick Beistle and Don Smith forwards and at guard, Gordon Smith and Jim Burkett.

Mrs. Harold Coger new noble grand of Bayleaf Rebekahs

Police to stage bar patrol in holiday drinking period during last two hours before closing

Jack Runyan, co-captain of Bucks, named to All-State Class B football team

10 Years Ago
December 9, 1965
Clark plans new office building at corner of Front and Days on old hotel site

Board approves plan for West-side School

City outlines plan to revitalize downtown

Bucks upset Niles 85-75. Dick Best, Bill Miller, Jerry Withers, Bill Babbs, Heywood Miller, Gregg Miller and Chuck Rumsey all seeing action, coached by Ray Berry

DAR citizenship award goes to Beth Wessendorf

Paul Hicks elected worshipful master of Masons

Wednesday Book Club

A Christmas luncheon and gift exchange is planned by the Wednesday Book Club for December 17 at 1 p.m. at Portofino's. Members may take their canned goods for the Christmas basket at that time.

Letters To The Editor

Dear Mr. Nichols,
Your editorial in last week's Record, whether you intended it or not, led some people to think you were speaking of a specific person.

Since Jan Braaksma has just left our school system because of her husband's change of positions to another state, I think you should know that she has no intention of filing for Michigan unemployment compensation, whether she is entitled to it by the present laws or not. The fact that she would not take advantage of this should tell you something about the kind of teacher Buchanan has just lost.

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Soucek

Dear Sir,
I look forward each week to reading your newspaper. I want to congratulate you on the hilarious discourse which appears under "The Spinal Column", written by your local chiropractor. It's funnier than Mad magazine!

Sincerely,
(Mrs.) Joan E. Wiggins
Former Resident

Happy Birthday

November 12
Jake Bratzler
Carol Lausch
Jeffrey Marsh
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Thomas J. Burks
Robert Martins
Jeri Birdyshaw

December 13
Holly Sumerix
Linda Sekan
Lora Kettlehut
Elaine Watson
Penny Poplar
Michelle Clymer
Marion Clark
Larry Lohraff

December 14
Mark Lemon
Lynn Watson
Michael Kirk
Mark Stewart
John Webb

December 15
Nancy Hoyt
Tom Burks
Richard Harroff
Leon Sittig
Carol Kingsbury
Karen Kirk Davey
Ernest Chesser
Allen Myers
Walter Haas
Deanne Warren
Dianne Warren
Ricky Frost
Gerald Quint
William Christman
Betty Payne

December 16
Linda Hubbard
Carol Hickok
Fred Holycross
Mildred Nesपाल
Joan Fuentes
Brenda Kyles
Katherine McGowan
Maryellen Robards
Joan Wiggins

December 17
Brenda Lee
Doris Beck
Nancy Boose
David Cole
Mrs. Wilham Lozicki

December 18
Amy Ann Forburger
Paul Lemon
Elaine Siewert
Tom Hickman
Helen Mosier

It's Pickup Time For Veterans Hospital

A reminder that Wednesday, December 17 is the pickup day at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Gearhart for all articles people wish to send to the veterans at Battle Creek Veterans Hospital.

The truck often arrives early and Mrs. Gearhart suggests that people leave their cookies, magazines or small gift items by Tuesday evening. Her address is 201 North Oak and she uses the Dewey Street entrance.

Strictly Personal

By D.E.N.

Everyone who saw them seems to agree that the tv special with Bing Crosby and Fred Astaire was excellent and the one with Lucille Ball and Jackie Gleason was poor.

The Lions Club oranges and grapefruit arrived, and they are wonderful. Fresh orange juice is quite a treat.

It still bothers us that the Chamber of Commerce always plans everything on Tuesday. We hear their party was good and their dinner at the Moose terrific, but the dancing left a little to be desired.

Mrs. Ruth Hull on Polk St. reported that she had dandelions blooming and that her hyacinths are up about a half inch.

We keep thinking snow for Royal Valley. They need a White Christmas.

We were told a story this week about Woody Hayes. He was being driven back from Ann Arbor. The driver told him they were getting short of gas but Woody wouldn't let him stop until they got to Ohio because he didn't want to leave any money in Michigan.

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Students in the Stark School fifth grade classroom of Mr Koenigsnecht (better known as Mr. K) made turkeys just before Thanksgiving. Working to finish theirs are Patrick Dougherty and Tim Crouch in front with Scott Roberts and Jamie Marsh behind them and Britt Hinkle showing his completed gobbler.

Set Youth Fair Dates And Committee Heads

Berrien County Youth Fair plans are underway for the 1976 event planned for August 17 through 21 with the Open Horse Show to be August 13 through 15. Directors named as chairpersons for various committees were announced at a recent board of directors' meeting - Mrs. Carl Bixby of Berrien Springs, Youth Exhibit Entry Office, John Chestnut of Three Oaks, Youth Exhibits Livestock and Animal Health, James Harrison of Berrien Springs, Public Relations and Audit, Howard Lahring of Buchanan, Youth Exhibits and Signs, Les Smith of Niles, Commercial Exhibits, Richard Toney of Berrien Center, Rental of Grounds and Maintenance of Grounds, Wayne Bauer of Berrien Springs, Stage, Sound, and Lighting, James Behlen of Berrien Springs, Concessions and Rides, Finance, Kenneth Blackmun of Buchanan, Entertainment, Tickets and Passes, D.R. Potts of St Joseph, Open Horse Show, Industrial Displays, Fund Raising, James Reed of Niles, Tractor Pull, Landscaping, Buildings, Richard Bassler of Niles, Sanitation, Horse Youth Exhibits, Open Horse Show, Annual Meeting, Mrs Ray Bromicki of Niles,

Bicentennial, Murvin Merrill of Berrien Springs, Police, Parking, First Aid and Safety, P.J. Walton of Three Oaks, Youth Exhibits Coordinator, Livestock Auction, Jerry Wiggins of Niles, Electrical, Mrs. Edward Kolm of Berrien Springs, Premium Book and Membership.

All committees will meet within the next two months. If there are any suggestions or ideas for the improvement or addition to the Youth Fair, please send to the Fair Office, P O Box 7, Berrien Springs. Consideration is being given to a monthly newsletter. Anyone wishing to be on the mailing list is asked to send in name and address to the Fair Office.

Dates for the Market Steer and Beef Rate of Gam Pre-Registration have been set for January 10, 1976 at the Youth Memorial Building from 9 a.m. to noon or the final deadline by mail January 15, 1976. Any youth exhibitor between the ages of 5 and 20 who plans to exhibit a market steer at the 1976 Youth Fair must pre-register by no later than January 15. The beef rate of gam contest requires a signed official weight slip listing date weighed and identity of market steer.

Identification tags will be issued at Pre-Registration with February 1st as the deadline for all tags to be placed in the animal's ear. Eligible youth exhibitor's age is determined by age as of September 1 of the Fair's current year. Formerly this date was July 1 but it has been changed to September 1 by action of the board of directors.

Portage Prairie

By Mrs. William Shaw
695-6592

The All Star Class met Tuesday, December 2 for luncheon with eight attending. Afterwards the business meeting and fellowship took place in the home of Russell File.

On last Thursday the United Church Women held their family Christmas dinner in the fellowship hall Mrs Merritt Vite and Mrs Ernest Crouch were the hostesses. Thirty-six attended the 7 p.m. supper. Mrs. Carson Houswerth arranged a short program and following the program Mrs Stanley Mitchell had charge of the Secret Pal exchange.

Word has been received that Mrs. Melba Cauffman is improving and can perhaps be home again in a few weeks.

The Crusader Class Christmas party will be held Tuesday, December 16 at Rouch's Restaurant on U.S. 31 North. Dinner will be at 6:30 with a gift exchange to follow. Mrs Robert Kell is making the arrangements with the assistance of the executive committee.

Indian Hills

By Mrs. Adolph Rychly
695-6039

Mrs. Edward Logan has returned from Glendale, California, where she attended the funeral of Henry Hellman.

Rev and Mrs Robert Strauss, Mrs Robert Gunn and Mrs Charles Stroud conducted evening services at the Whitcomb Towers in St. Joe last Sunday.

The Oronoko Methodist Church's Christmas Family Dinner will be held after the morning worship service next Sunday the 14th.

The Annual Christmas Program of the Indian Hills School will be on Monday, December 15 at 7 p.m. with all the children of the school taking part. The final treat of the evening will be the arrival of Santa with his special treats for all the good little boys and girls.

The December meeting of the Oronoko United Methodist Women was held in the church on the 3rd, with Mrs Mildred Phuscator as hostess. Mrs John Russell presented the program "Christmas is Not Red or Green, but Gold." Mrs Robert Gunn read "The Three Chests."

During the business meeting it was decided to have a kitchen shower for the church during the month of January. Mrs Melvin Phuscator will be hostess for the January 7 meeting when the new officers will be in charge with Mrs Russell as president and Mrs Leon McNally giving the lesson and Mrs Richard Hayden, Sr. the devotions.

The Pioneer Farm Bureau will hold its December meeting Tuesday, December 16 at 8 p.m. in the home of Mr and Mrs Adolph Rychly.

The UMYF of Oronoko Methodist Church will meet from 2-5 Saturday, December 13 at the church to make hard candy for their annual Christmas candy sale. There will be a Midnight Watch Service and overnight party at the home of Rev Strauss on New Year's Eve. Plans for caroling are still incomplete.

On Student Center Board

Ruth Shreve of Buchanan is treasurer of the Student Center Board at Ferris State College for the 1975-76 academic year. This organization is responsible for students activities such as Folk Nights, Christmas window decorating contests, and campus-wide chess and table tennis tournaments.

The daughter of Mr and Mrs Roland Shreve, Ruth is a 1972 Buchanan High School graduate.

A Minute With Mary

By Mary Search
Extension Home Economist

"Why Such Interest in Health Foods?"

Good question, the answer's not easy, for it ties in with man's emotions more than with reason. Studying the question is interesting, for man attributed special beliefs and-or powers to foods through the centuries, such as:

-An early "consumer", Nero, ate leeks (onions) seven days each month to clear his voice.

-Lettuce, years ago, was said to clear the senses.

-The tomato was first sold as a decorative plant. In earliest colonial times, it was considered poisonous. But Mediterranean people circulated the idea that the tomato spurred passions.

-In 1632, a London grocer's display of the first banana caused great concern by the pharmacists who maintained the fruit was a deadly drug and to be sold only by trained druggists.

-And in the 1970's a U.S. news magazine reported that a South African headmistress of a girls' high school banned peanut-butter sandwiches "because they were apt to arouse the animal appetites for the young ladies under her charge."

We all have some special food beliefs. Who can really evaluate the above statements? Because of the relative ease of making claims for foods, so-called "health food" products are becoming more abundant. If an attractive health food promoter proclaims that today's foods are nutritionally deficient and his/her "special health foods" will provide more vitality, cure arthritis or increase beauty, consumers often buy them even if they're more costly. Emotions are usually much stronger than reason. It's true that some of this emotion has been fueled by excessive or inept use of some food additives. And some of these have quite properly had their safety questioned - as must continually be done.

Nutritionists don't object if so-called health foods are bought for their taste or texture. But, they are disturbed if consumers believe that a healthy family diet can be bought only in health food stores. It is still true that diets based on the four food groups purchased in ordinary and "super" food stores and at much less cost will provide nutritious meals. If you need information to plan better meals, consult your county extension home economist, Food and Drug Administration consumer affairs officer or a home economics teacher.

On Ferris Honors List

Ferris State College has honored 1731 students for scholastic excellence during the fall quarter by naming them to the Academic Honors List. To be named, a student must earn at least a 3.25 average on a 4.0 basis and carry a full academic load.

Students from Buchanan on the list are Mark M. Hardy, James G. Miller, Timothy S. Rfenberg and Dawn M. Streigle and from Galien, Denise D. Lockwood.

Girl Scouts

(Continued from Page 1) of Maude Slate of Buchanan, who devoted herself to the young people in town, giving years of own special efforts to the girl scouts.

The display is free of charge. Refreshments will be served with all 10 cent coffee and punch donations going to the Juliette Low World Friendship Fund.

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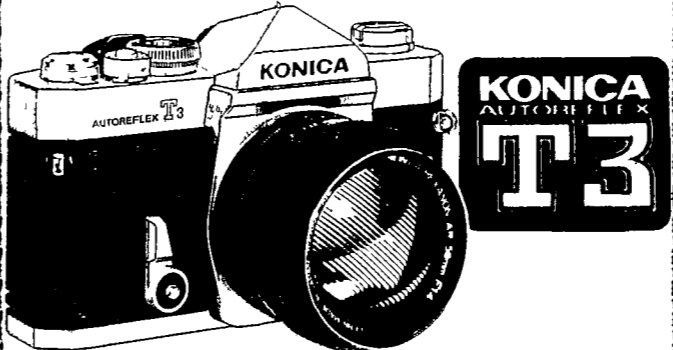
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AGRICULTURE IN ACTION

MICHIGAN FARM BUREAU HISTORICAL

Food Stamp or Stomp?
Do we give one of our largest government doles the stamp of approval or the stomp of doom? It's pretty apparent something has to be done about the Food Stamp program before the U S has to do what New York City is doing - appeal to somebody to guarantee our credit. Who does Uncle Sam call on? OPEC?

Of course the Food Stamp program is only one of many federal programs that could use some severe belt tightening, and the original purpose of food stamps is hard to dispute - to improve the nutrition of low income families. But, did you realize that the cost of running the program has risen from a mere \$300 million in 1969 to 5 billion the past fiscal year?

Treasury Secretary William E. Simon has referred to the federal food stamp program as a "haven for the chiselers and rip-off artists" and cited the program as an example of a function people should be performing for themselves.

The food stamp program has a long history. From 1939 to 1943 an experimental federal food stamp program assisted 11 million Americans at a 4-year cost of about \$260 million. Emphasis was on distribution of "surplus" food stocks which the federal government had acquired in its agricultural support program. This program was dropped during World War II when there were jobs for everyone and the economy was at a wartime peak.

In 1961 a new "experimental" program was authorized. By 1964, about 350,000 people in 22 states were receiving food stamps under the program.

One of the reasons American Agriculture is in economic trouble is that government social and economic planners, backed up by politicians looking for votes, continue to foster the idea that food must be cheap so that more and more of the family income can be spent on all the modern trappings of an affluent society. The food stamp program is being used, not to provide food for hungry families as it was intended, but to supplement the income of millions of Americans who have other priorities for their spending.

If the food stamp program and the economic health of the country are to be saved, then some changes must be made and sooner than most people realize

LMC Tells 2nd Semester Plans

Three hundred and eleven different courses in 46 academic areas will be offered the second semester by Lake Michigan College, 147 of them to be taught at night on the Napier Avenue campus to take care of the college's growing night school enrollment.

An additional 46 classes also will be offered at night at LMC's nine off-campus educational centers at Buchanan, Allegan, Cassopolis, Covert, Pennville, Galien, Niles, River Valley, and South Haven High schools. Another 13 specialized courses will be taught by the college's Institute of Professional and Paraprofessional Studies.

Persons planning to enroll at LMC in 11 credit hours or fewer may register by mail until January 14, according to Dr. Thomas P. McCourt, registrar. Registration-by-mail materials can be obtained by telephoning or writing to the LMC Admissions Office.

In-person registration for part-time students (11 credit hours or fewer) for all LMC classes will take place in the Student Union from 4 to 8:30 p.m., January 21.

LMC off-campus educational center classes and the college's Institute for Professional and Paraprofessional Studies classes will enroll students at the beginning of the second class period.

Persons over 62 years of age and who are retired are eligible to receive a tuition grant for any LMC course which has an enrollment of 15 or more students. A \$1 activity fee is charged. Senior citizens enrolled for seven credit hours or fewer and such retirees must register during the period of late registration, January 26 through February 5.

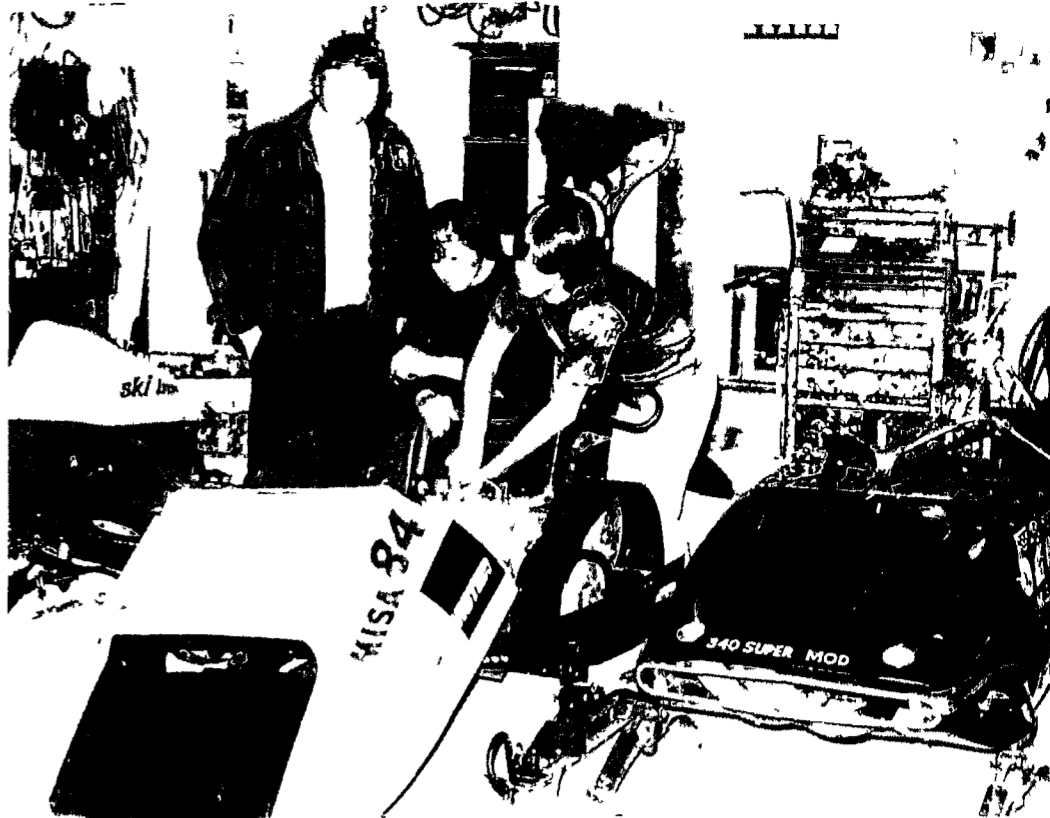
During the regular day and night school second semester, academic courses will be offered by LMC in anthropology, art, biology, business administration, chemistry, drama, education, English, foreign languages (French, German, and Spanish), geography, history, journalism, mathematics, music, philosophy, physical education, physics, physical science, political science, psychology, radio, secretarial science, reading, sociology, speech and student organization.

Occupational studies to be taught second semester include appliance service technology, automotive technology, correction-probation-parole, drafting and design technology, electronics technology, electro-mechanical studies, fire protection technology, food service, law enforcement, manufacturing technology, management techniques, metallurgy, technical cognates, and trade related instruction.

Health science disciplines to be taught second semester include associate degree nursing (R.N.), dental assisting, medical laboratory technology, practical nursing (L.P.N.), radiological technology, and medical office assistant.

Second semester schedules of classes to begin the week of January 26, detailing times and room numbers for specific courses can be obtained by telephoning or writing the college registrar. They also are available free of charge on the Napier Avenue campus and from LMC off-campus center directors.

Tuition at LMC remains the lowest in the state and is computed at \$11 per credit hour for Berrien county and Covert township residents.



Tom Jacobs, Gary Potter and Frank McDonald have been getting their snowmobiles ready for competition at the Ironwood Olympus this weekend. Some 2000 racers are expected to take part in this event, which is sponsored by the Michigan International Snowmobile Association. Last year Potter was second in the half mile oval race and fifth in cross country. McDonald was high point man in his class at Redbud and at Third World last year.

In Fashion Show

Karen Burks was a model in a Winter and Spring Fashion Show presented by students in personal development classes Monday at Davenport College of Business in Grand Rapids. Special emphasis was placed on outfits designed for career women and tips were offered on combining and coordinating clothing separates to get the most from a working woman's budget.

Karen, who is working toward an associate degree as medical secretary, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Burks, 520 West Front Street.

Recipe Box

Here's a holiday recipe to try. It is for some very thin Swedish Christmas cookies that are delicious and keep very well if properly hidden. It has been in the editor's family for many years. The Record will be happy to hear from others who may have recipes to share - call 695-3877.

Sally's Ginger Cookies
1 1/2 lb butter
7/8 cup sugar
1/2 cup wh cream (scant)
4 tsp corn syrup
1 tsp ginger
1 tsp cloves
1 tsp soda
2 tsp cinnamon
3 to 3 1/2 cups of flour, as needed for proper rolling consistency.

Cream the butter, add sugar, syrup and cream (whipped), then flour sifted with soda and spices. Roll very thin and cut with Christmas cookie cutters of all sizes and shapes, trim with red and green sprinkles, bake (watching carefully) at 375 or a little lower degrees for 5 minutes. Dough keeps well, covered and refrigerated, and may be rolled out at convenience since this makes a sizeable number of thin, crisp, delicious cookies.

Buchanan Menu

Menu in Buchanan schools for the week of Dec 15 - Dec 19:
Monday Salisbury Beef Pattie with Gravy, whipped potatoes, corn-off-the-cob, enriched bread, fortified margarine, milk, cookie.

Tuesday Sloppy Joe, crispy french fries, cut green beans, hamburger bun, milk, cookie.

Wednesday Chili Dog, crispy french fries, green garden peas, hot dog bun, milk, cookie.

Thursday Fish Sticks, cheesy whipped potatoes, corn-off-the-cob, enriched bread, fortified margarine, milk, cookie.

Friday Cheeseburger, crispy french fries, peas and carrot combo, hamburger bun, catsup, milk, special holiday treat.

Clark Women To Have Holiday Party

The Clark Professional Women's Organization will meet December 17 at 6:30 p.m. for a dinner meeting at the Holiday Inn in Niles.

This will be the organization's Christmas party. The Barber-shop Quartet, Phidavonics, will present a musical program. Election of officers for 1976 will be held and the remainder of the evening will be spent playing bingo.

Symphony Announces Gala Music Program

The 25th Annual Christmas Concert of the Twin Cities Symphony, featuring the talents of over 200 guest singers, instrumentalists and dancers, will be at 4:30 Sunday, December 14, in the Lake Shore High School Auditorium, Stevensville.

The Interlochen Arts Academy Dance Ensemble, the 100 voice Cathedral Choral Society, soprano soloist, Irene Edinger, the Lake Michigan College Brass Ensemble and the Cathedral Bell Ringers will join the symphony for this event.

Tickets are now on sale through the symphony office at 520 Pleasant Street in St. Joseph or at the door Sunday.

1st U.M. Church Sets Christmas Program

The First United Methodist Church will have its annual Christmas program this Sunday evening at 7.

Using the theme "Christmas Memories" young people from nursery through the 8th grade will be taking part. In addition there will be selections performed by three separate choirs. The public is invited to attend and a social hour will follow the program.

Omission

In telling of the Kenneth Gearhart's visit to Brighton on Thanksgiving the name of their daughter-in-law was inadvertently omitted - they visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gearhart and family.

Return From Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Teichman and Mrs. Zelda Cooper have just returned from Bitley, Michigan where they spent the Thanksgiving holidays with the Ron Fernald family at their cabin. While there Mrs. Teichman's birthday was observed and Mr. Teichman enjoyed the last few days of deer hunting.

At The Library

The Wind Chill Factor
By Thomas Gifford

This is the author's first novel, and a good one it is. It's the kind where something happens on every page, and it's hard to put down.

The whole plot is somewhat improbable but frightening if one dwells on it. A man is summoned home to his small town in Minnesota by an urgent wire from his brother. When he arrives through a blizzard, and after somebody tries to kill him, he finds his brother has been murdered.

All this leads to a trail of former Nazis who are trying to develop the Fourth Reich. As the hero goes from one place to another, people are killed at each place.

The author writes well and certainly knows how to tell a fascinating story. We hope to hear more from him.

Dinner Honors 70th Birthday

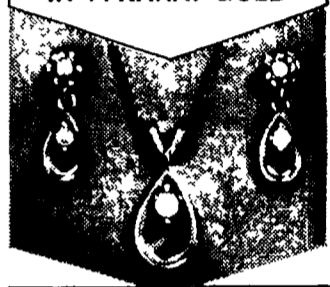
Mrs. Kathryn Giver of 2048 Redbud Trail North was the guest of honor at a surprise party on November 29 at Wm. Schuler's in Stevensville with her daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Battaglia of Midland, as the hosts. The event celebrated the 70th birthday of Mrs. Giver which she observed December 4. Guests at the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harbaugh of Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frklich of Cassopolis and Mrs. Carrie Adolph, Buchanan.

Over last weekend Mrs. Giver's houseguest was her grandson David P. Giver of Saint Meinrad, Indiana, where he attends college.

Jolly Dozen Club

Jolly Dozen Club will meet December 16 at 6:30 for a Christmas potluck and an exchange of gifts in the home of Mrs. John Jennings with Mrs. Harley Marrow as the hostess.

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Members of College Club had an old fashioned Christmas party last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. John Mefford. A program of Christmas music was presented by Linda May and Nancy Kingsbury who are shown with Mrs Mefford and Mrs Jack Quade of the club

Final details concerning the December 20 Yuletide Ball were discussed in a brief business meeting. The club's one moneymaking venture of the year, all proceeds from it go into the scholarship fund. A few tickets for the ball remain and they may be obtained from Mrs. William Greene 695-9040 for \$15 a couple, including all drinks. There will be music by Doug Leiter for dancing from 9 to 1 at the St. Joe Kickers Club.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Mr Nichols,
I want to take this opportunity to express my gratitude for the fine program that the middle school bands and the high school chorus presented last night. I think that due credit ought to be given to Dixie Detgen for the entire Middle School instrumental program. I can remember when I worked at the Moccasin school in the early 60's and how Dixie spent so many hours and so very much hard work pushing for a lower school instrumental program while doing all she could in teaching. Of course there were others involved, and I do not mean to slight any of them. But I personally believe that that grand spectacle of 156 Middle School instrumentalists performing so very well last night can be laid basically to the credit of Mrs Detgen. I can remember when there were none!

Might I also recommend that the Buchanan Schools seriously consider hiring Gayle Petrick upon her graduation, if they are needing any help in the instrumental music department. I don't know what that girl has but every time she directed a number it sounded like an entire new band performing! Even the instruments sounded different. Really! It was miraculous! And I am not alone in my estimation. And I appreciated the Chorus, too. When I was home three years ago and attended a musical presentation by the high school chorus, I was shocked beyond words at both it's quality and character, so poor was it. It still has some to go to attain the quality that Robie's Glee Bands had. But it's headed in the right direction.

Sincerely,
Bill Blake

Weather

The temperature and precipitation as recorded at the city weather station

Date	Precip	High	Low
Dec. 2		34	24
Dec 3	trace	33	25
Dec. 4		47	28
Dec. 5	21" rain	57	42
Dec 6	54" rain	46	24
Dec 7		31	17
Dec. 8	1 9" snow	33	28

Special Services At Faith Church

The annual Advent Vesper Service, sponsored by the music department of Faith United Methodist Church, 728 North Detroit Street, will be Sunday, December 14 at 4 p.m.

A ministry of music by the Senior Choir under the direction of Mrs Gary McKean with Mrs John Nelson at the organ will be a part of the service. Soloists will include Mrs McKean, Rev Kenneth Snow and Mrs Harry Kelly who will be accompanied by her son Brian with his guitar.

A ladies trio composed of Mrs Richard Wilcox and her daughters Janice and JoAnn will sing, and piano solos will be presented by John and Susan Grant and Kathryn Surch from the Junior Choir. Other instrumental numbers will be performed by Wayne and JoAnn Wilcox. A guest ladies trio from the Trinity United Methodist Church in Brandwynne will share in the service.

Those attending this service of worship are requested to take with them canned goods to be used in the packing of Christmas baskets for the Buchanan area.

The annual Church School Christmas program will be Sunday, December 21 at 7 p.m. at the church.

At Randolph AFB

Captain Jimmie E Shaver, son of Mr and Mrs Stanley E Shaver of Alicia, Arkansas, is currently serving at the Air Force Military Personnel Center at Randolph Air Force Base, Texas. A computer systems analysis officer, he previously was assigned to Nakhon Phanom Tai AFB, Thailand.

He graduated from Buchanan High School in 1960 and received his B.S. degree in 1968 from the University of Colorado. He was commissioned later that year upon completion of Officer Training School and received his M.B.A. degree in 1969 from Texas A&M University.

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Christmas Program For Moccasin PTM

The PTM's annual Christmas program at Moccasin School is to be held Tuesday, December 16 at 7:30.

The second grade under the direction of Mrs Soucek will be performing Refreshments will be served following the program and everyone is invited to attend.

Troop 68 Takes A Field Trip

Troop 68 went to the Niles Public Library last week to see the exhibits, accompanied by Mrs Kessel and Mrs McGuire as drivers, and their leaders, Mrs Shafer and Mrs Beck.

The troop members are presently working on decorations for their Norway tree for the Bicentennial observance and are also on two badges, hospitality and my community.

A Christmas party for the troop will take place during the regular meeting on December 16.

WCTU Will Meet

The WCTU will meet December 16 at 7:30 at the home of Mrs Edith Philippi, 409 Fulton Street. Members will be packing Christmas gifts for the veterans' home following the meeting. Each member is to bring something to send.

Mrs Luther Miles will give the devotions on total love from Luke 2:1-20 and from John.

Anyone wishing more information may call Mrs Mary Clark 695-3112 or Mrs Mae McMichael 695-3272.

Royal Neighbors Elect Officers

Royal Neighbor Lodge met last Thursday with Mrs Harley Marrow and Mrs John Jennings on the committee. Plans were made for a Christmas potluck party on December 18 at 6:30 in the Odd Fellows Hall with an exchange of gifts.

Election of officers was conducted with the following results: Mrs John Jennings is the orator; Mrs Clair Baldwin, vice orator; Mrs Gertrude Sheldon, past orator; Mrs Mae Rouse, chancellor; Mrs Charles Oxender, recorder; Mrs Everett Baughman, receiver; Mrs Leo Miller, marshal; Mrs Martin Mitch, inner sentinel; Mrs Grace Liska, outer sentinel and Mrs Elmer Clark, manager - 3 years.

The other officers are to be appointed Mrs Miller won the drawing gift and other prize winners were Mrs Clark, Mrs Mitchell, Mrs Miller and Mrs Oxender.

Holiday Basketball Tourney

The Greater Berrien Springs Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring an open tournament for recreation league teams on January 3 and 4. It will be single elimination and trophies will be given to the first and second place teams and individual trophies to members of the winning team.

Entries are limited to first 24 teams. Entrance fee is \$50 per team. Contact Jack Davis, Parks and Recreation Department, 471-2891, ext 45.



A display case of the bicentennial souvenir items being sold by the Berrien County Bicentennial Pageant Committee is now located at the Buchanan Chamber of Commerce where Mrs Don Ryman, Buchanan Bicentennial co-chairman and Mrs Cyrus Bulhand, chamber executive secretary, examine it.

Order blanks are also on hand, and items may be ordered there at any time. Payment may be made either at time of ordering or at pickup at the chamber office where they will be delivered.

All proceeds will go toward the pageant - the idea being that these additional funds will assist in keeping the ticket prices low for wider appeal. Any surplus will be donated for the restoration of the County Courthouse at Berrien Springs.

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As required by Title IX, Buchanan High School announces to all members of the school district that it does not discriminate on the basis of sex in educational programs or activities.

Minta Margaret Circle Plans Party

Minta Margaret Circle of the First United Methodist Church will meet Tuesday, December 16 at 7:30 for a Christmas party in the home of Mrs John Mefford with Mrs Ernest Sadler as the co-hostess.

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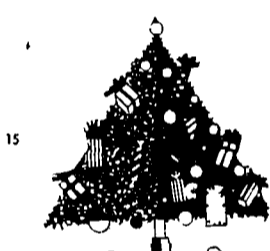
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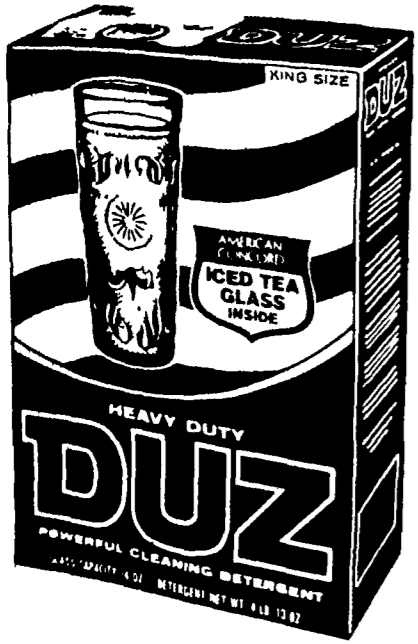
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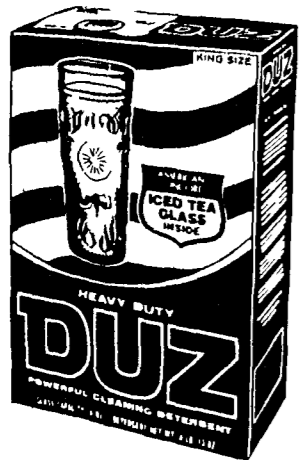


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Rose Zachman, Jean Sadler and Alice Morrow of the Business and Professional Women's Club stand to chat with some of the club's guests Monday night at the annual holiday dinner to which BPW invites members of Redbud Seniors. Nearly 70 were present for the evening of holiday fellowship.

Christmas Party For Cloverleaf 4-H Club

Cloverleaf 4-H Club met last Tuesday at Bertrand Township Hall with 19 members and four guests present for a Christmas party. Three young people were received as new members at that time - Tammy Kirk, Randy Kirk and Greg Vite.

The pledge of allegiance was led by Joe Layher and the 4-H pledge by Mark Swartz. Announcement was made of two important 4-H county events: The Teen Snow Camp January 16-18 at Yankee Springs and the County Demonstration Contest January 24 at the Youth Memorial Building with registration December 29.

For their Christmas giving members brought canned goods and clothing for a local needy family. Books for the coming year were passed out by Janet Swartz, program chairman.

The hall was trimmed with holiday decorations for the party, arrangements for which were made entirely by the committee of young people - Susan Forburger, Alice Swartz, Janet Swartz, Jimmy Forburger, Paty Taylor and Anita Layher. Games were played and prizes were given with refreshments ending the evening.

The next meeting will be January 12 when Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cook will show their slides on birds. Hosts for the meeting will be Janet, Mark and Alice Swartz. At that time plans will be made for an ice skating and sledding party.

Yule Luncheon For Garden Club

The Buchanan Garden Club is having a Christmas potluck luncheon and gift exchange for its next meeting, December 15, at the home of Mrs. Louis Desenberg, who will be assisted by Mrs. Robert Kurst and Mrs. John Zeider.

Schedules for the 1976 flower show will be announced at the meeting and new officers will be installed.

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Thursday, December 11, 1975

Obituaries

Haywood R. Harris Sr.

Services were conducted at New Good Hope Baptist Church at 1:30 Tuesday for Haywood R. Harris Sr. of 320 Bluff Street who died at Pawating Hospital on December 5. He was born in Sledge, Mississippi, April 7, 1901 and has resided here since, arriving from Missouri in February, 1947.

Mr. Harris retired from Clark Equipment Company in 1969.

He is survived by his wife, the former Minnie Edwards, whom he married in Caruthersville, Missouri in 1923 and by five sons and two daughters, Luther Harris, Heywood Harris Jr. and Chester Harris, all of Niles, Curtis Harris and Leonard Harris of Battle Creek, Jean Harris of Buchanan and Dorothy Harris at home. Other survivors are a sister Mrs. Sam (Sarah) Johnson of Buchanan, 16 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Rev. LeRoy Cobb officiated at the funeral and burial was in Oak Ridge Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Swem Chapel of Swem-Smith Funeral Homes.

Mrs. Mary Magill

Services were conducted Friday in Westerville, Ohio, for Mrs. Mary Magill, 90, a resident of Ohio Masonic Home who died from a massive vascular hemorrhage at Ruckly Memorial Hospital, Springfield, Ohio.

A lifetime member of the Methodist Church, she belonged to the First United Methodist Church in Buchanan during the twenty years she lived here before returning to Ohio in 1967.

Her husband, Curtis Magill, predeceased her. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Charles Wolford of Buchanan and Mrs. Charles Bendel of Westerville.

Interment was in Otterbein Cemetery in Westerville.



Part of the varsity cheerleading squad was snapped ready for action just before the Niles game, season opener for the Bucks. In front are Cheryl McDonald and Kathy Stark with Karen Aalis, Janet Hess and Lynda Mattson standing. Missing from the picture are DeeDee Hall and Ronda Huebner.

I & M To Sell Bonds

Indiana & Michigan Power Company will sell \$75 million in first-mortgage bonds in competitive bidding December 11. Proceeds will be used to finance continued construction of Unit 2 at the Donald C. Cook Nuclear Plant at Bridgman.

Indiana & Michigan Power Company is a subsidiary of Indiana & Michigan Electric Company and was formed in 1971 under the Public Utility Holding Act to finance construction of the huge, lakefront facility.

The bond offering made by I&M Power is guaranteed by American Electric Power Company, Inc., I&M's parent firm.

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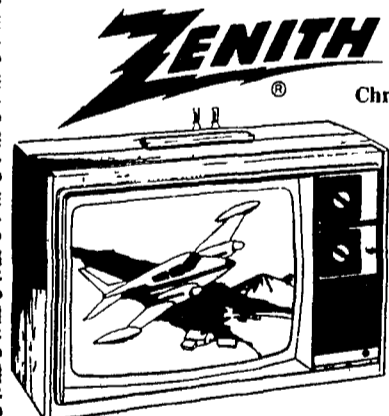
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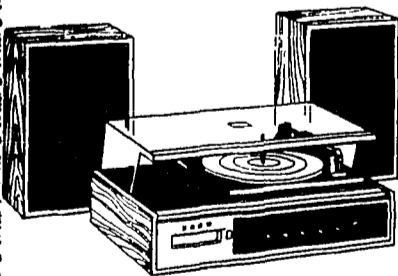
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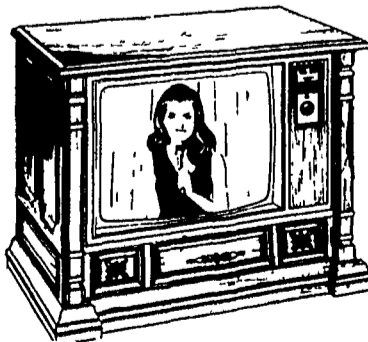


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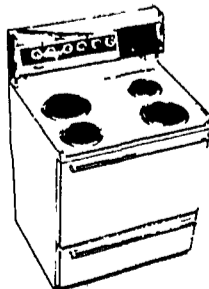
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The officers of EVCO, the Junior Achievement Company sponsored by Gulton Electro-Voice, received their charter recently from Don Stanfield, quality control manager at E-V who is also an advisor for the JA company

From the left are Jerry Lutz of Galen High School, vice president, personnel, Becky Olmstead, also of Galen, company president, Stanfield and Carol Hickok, vice president in charge of sales, who also is a Galen High School student. Two officers missing from the picture are both from Brandywine - Ronda Bright, treasurer and Debbie Sisk, secretary. Other advisors for the company are Harry Arnold and Barbara Bright

The company produces macrame plant hangers, jewelry and wall hangings during their meetings each Wednesday at the JA Center on Bluff Street

Jehovah's Witnesses Claim Persecution By Malawi

"Thousands of Christians are now under brutal persecution in Malawi," declares Eddie L. Henderson Sr., presiding overseer of the Buchanan congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses

"Starting August 19, 1975, more than 34,000 Jehovah's Witnesses from Malawi who fled as refugees to Mozambique in 1972 because of severe persecution were forced to return to Malawi and now experience brutal persecution again. All of this is because of their refusal to join a political party"

Henderson says he received a report from N H Knorr at the Brooklyn Headquarters of Jehovah's Witnesses. Knorr said that when a group of Jehovah's Witnesses arrived at the Malawi border, the Minister for the Central Region, Kumbweza Banda, greeted them "We welcome you with both hands. You left Malawi of your own accord and now you have returned of your own accord. The Malawi Congress Party is still in power in this country. Go back to your home villages and cooperate with the party officials". Referring to members of the League of Malawi Youth, he said "My boys are here to see that you do cooperate with the Party". Soon roads in the north and central regions of Malawi were filled with Jehovah's Witnesses on their way back to their home villages

In some instances, according to the report, the Witnesses were allowed to enter their villages and occupy houses abandoned in 1972. However, in most instances Youth Leaguers soon called to ask if they were prepared to buy political party cards. Referring to Jesus' example of political neutrality, the Witnesses refused. Immediately beatings, rapings and other atrocities began again and many were driven from their homes. In Kanchenche six Witness women were all raped by several men. In Sosola village a group of men and women, including the local Member of Parliament, Elson Muluzi, seized the possessions of the Witnesses and drove them from the village

Early in September, Knorr states, youth under the direction of the Kasongola branch of the Malawi Congress Party visited homes of Jehovah's Witnesses in six villages, demanding they buy party cards. When they refused, the youths stole all their belongings, subjected them to terrible beatings and urinated on the supply of flour that these refugees had brought with them, making it unfit for food. In other locations the Witnesses were stripped naked, hair burned off their bodies with torches and beaten until blood came out of their mouths and noses. This happened at Chimasongwe village in Lilongwe under the direction of the local chairman of the Youth League, Mr. Chipukupuku, while the attackers were urged on by local women members of the League of Malawi Women

Because no one will accept them, many Witnesses have been forced to wander in the cities by days, sleeping in nearby forests at night. Upward of 4,800 fled to neighboring Zambia, but reports just received say they were repatriated to Malawi by force

Dr. H. Kamuzu Banda, Life President of Malawi, recently instructed the Malawi police to round up adult Jehovah's Witnesses and put them in detention camps. The children are being left behind either to stay with relatives or fend for themselves. This government order applies even to nursing infants. The police have ruthlessly executed this order. Whole congregations of Witnesses, men and women, have been rounded up and put in

Men's Basketball League

December 7, 1975

Clark Corporate	78
Hannapel Door	74
Rungalow Inn	64
Neal's Auto	50
Clark Axle	84
Thompson's	81

Standings

Clark Axle	2-0
Clark Corporate	2-0
Hannapel Door	1-1
Bungalow Inn	1-1
Thompson's	0-2
Neal's Auto	0-2

Tuesday Night Owls

Standings	W	L	
Herb's	40	16	
Royal Caprice	36	20	
Mr J's	29	27	
Shula 31 Bowl	24	32	
Nettie's Cafe	22	34	
Mario's Supper Club	17	39	
High Games M Leiler	537-	219	
R Thompson	470-177	C	
Clark 440-148	O Padgett	393-149	
D Zebell	423-152	Y Car-	
J Folley	407-148	R Mayo	402-160
K Thomas	480-177	B Jesswe	426-159
J Replogle	432-168		

Timberlane Ladies

Standings	W	L	
6 Audrey Hayden	37½	18½	
1 Jean Ritter	34	22	
9 Bea Good	33½	22½	
3 Lee McDonald	30½	25½	
8 Bonnie Cauffman	29	27	
4 Mary Ondresky	28	28	
5 Jeanne Vance	27	29	
12 Beverley Mottl	26	30	
10 Ellen Bradford	24	32	
11 Jean Rickerman	23	33	
2 Mary Brandys	23	33	
7 Sharon Hand	20½	35½	
High Games Freida Barker	189	Mary Brandys	184
Hazel Dehring	172	Joy Vergon	171
Jeanne Vance	168	Maggie Smith	168
Lois Ferguson	167	Rosalie Holloway	166
Lahan Leach	165	Dean Steinger	162
Bea Good	162	Anna Bumstead	162
Team Eleven	3	Team Four	1
Jean Rickerman	407	Team Three	2½
Team Nine	1½	Bea Good	430
Team Six	3	Team Seven	1
Hazel Dehring	457	Team One	4
Team Ten	0	Freida Barker	496
Team Five	3	Team Twelve	1
Joy Vergon	461		

The Gardeners' Corner

Michigan State University horticulturists answer timely questions about lawns and turf, insects and disease problems, vegetable gardening, flowers, houseplants and related topics. A My Christmas cactus was blooming when I bought it several years ago, but it hasn't had flowers since. Am I doing something wrong? A To produce flower buds for the holidays, the Christmas cactus needs either 12 to 14 hours of total darkness every night from about Sept. 1 until buds form or temperatures around 55 degrees. At these cool temperatures, the cactus will produce flower buds without the long nights. It will not form flower buds if the temperature is over 70 degrees

Q I have a Christmas pepper plant. Are the little peppers edible? A Edible but super hot. The plants sold as Christmas peppers are members of the hot pepper family that came originally from South America. Because it is so hot, one common variety, "Red Chili," is sometimes called the Tabasco pepper. Do not confuse the Christmas pepper with the Jerusalem cherry. The fruits of the Jerusalem cherry are poisonous

detention to further pressure them into buying political party membership cards and to prevent flight from Malawi, according to the latest reports.

Holiday Tourney

Buchanan will host the holiday basketball tournament for four teams. There will be two sessions on December 26 and 27. Starting at 7 p.m. on December 26, Buchanan will meet Lake Michigan Catholic. Then at 8:45 Berrien Springs will play River Valley. On December 27 the two losers will play at 7 p.m. for third place, and the championship game will be at 8:45. Each school will be given 425 tickets. The cost of each session is \$1.50.

Holiday Tourney Tickets

Tickets for the Holiday Basketball Tournament to be held in Buchanan on December 26 and 27 are now on sale at Stubbs and in room 216 at the high school for \$1.50 per person. Season tickets are not good for the tournament.

Sportsman's Club Party

Members of the Berrien County Sportsman's Club will have their Christmas party this Saturday, December 13 with the social hour starting at 6:30. Dinner will be at 7:30 and the club will furnish the meat and members will take two dishes. There will be a short election of officers and board members with entertainment to follow climaxed by the arrival of Santa Claus.

Jr. Pro Draft

Youngsters 8 years old and up to sixth graders will report for the Junior Pro Basketball draft on Saturday, December 13 at 10 a.m. at the middle school gym.

Anyone who has pre-registered or who has not registered but wants to play basketball should report. Players must have their \$2 registration fees with them if not previously paid.

Men's Friday Fives

December 5, 1975

Standings	W	L		
Strohs	161	91		
True Value	140½	111½		
Hammer & Saw	138½	113½		
S Side Marathon	133	119		
N H Vending	131½	120½		
Unity Hospital	120	132		
Pabst	98½	153½		
Simpson Market	85	167		
High Games C Denno	224-566	H Hesselthne	192-567	
L Wesaw	234-567	C Eagley	212-533	
D Koch	192-559	V Stedman	222-558	
N Luhrsens	169-489	P Antsdell	185-495	
Other 200's F Poorman	228	A J Pohja	202	
F Furner	203	J Bransford	201	
M Makowski	201	Strohs	9½	
S Side Marathon	8½	True Value	17	
Simpson I	Hammer & Saw	9½	N H Vending	8½
Unity Hospital	10	Pabst	8	

Sunday Night Owls

Timberlanes

Standings	W	L	
Wisner-Beck	45	11	
Bungalow Inn	33	23	
C&S Machine	30	26	
Y-men's	27½	28½	
Bro-Jo-Ken	27	29	
Depo Lounge	24	32	
Coffee Cups	20½	35½	
V Hardy's Oven	17	39	
High Game A Saue	202	B Good	176
F Barlett	172	C Vanderboegh	170
B Harper	161	M Thompson	155
J. Rotzen	150	A Hankerson	150
High Series A Saue	547	B Good	492
B Haiper	438	F Barlett	427
M Thompson	414	I Smoot	413
A Hankerson	394	C Vanderboegh	389

Bucks Make It Three

By Doyle Morris

The Buck Basketball team hit the road last week taming two wild animals which crossed its path. The Bisons of New Buffalo were first on the list to be defeated 93-53. Next were the Mustangs from River Valley, who came closer with a 53-42 final score.

On Tuesday when Buchanan met up with the Bisons they found no real difficulty as they controlled the game from the beginning tip to the final buzzer. By pressuring their opponent into making mistakes, the Bucks took an early lead. Hustling for turnovers and blocking shots gave the Bucks more of an advantage to score, at the same time holding New Buffalo to a low score. Before the first half ended, coach Bill Wilson had played every member of his 11 man squad. Leading at half time with the score of 47-23 the varsity starting five didn't even last out the whole third quarter before being substituted. Buchanan dominated the game at all times no matter who was on the floor at the time. Just because the second string was playing did not mean that a lot of points were given up or that the ball was hardly moved. This fact alone shows the strength of all the members, not just the starters. The final score was 93-53 as the Bucks captured their second victory of the year. High point men were Ken Garrett with 17, Walt Vanderbush 15, Mike Busby 14, Gary Jones 12, and Greg Frazier 10.

Moving on to River Valley, the Bucks found out what it was like to be behind, as the Mustangs jumped off to sink the first basket. The pace of the game was set very fast and hard by River Valley as they forced the Bucks to play their type of ball game. Action was back and forth the whole first quarter, but the Mustangs had the upper hand to finish the first period leading 13-10. The Bucks really did not settle down until the second quarter, as they set up their zone defense to stop the River Valley drive to the basket. The Mustangs soon found a way to penetrate the defense which caused problems for Buchanan every time they handled the ball. But the cool Bucks started to come back late in the second quarter to overtake their opponent with a 24-22 half score.

A very aggressive River Valley team did not stop here, however, in fact they picked up the speed of the game in the second half. But Buchanan beat them at their own game. Having to work for every point they shot the Bucks slowly began to take the lead, midway through the third quarter 30-26. An aggressive comeback on the part of the Mustangs found error in the zone defense and tied the score late in the third period 30-30. Mike Busby picked up his fourth foul late in the third quarter, which was cause for concern as the Bucks were already letting up too many rebounds. The third quarter ended 34-32 with Buchanan just holding their own. With the start of the fourth, Ken Garrett exploded sinking two fast baskets to start things off right. The action was even faster than in any previous quarter, as both teams made a fighting effort to cause turnovers and score whenever possible. It was the Bucks however who started to make things click. Mike Busby again entered the game and along with little brother Gerald, and Ken Garrett started pulling down more re-

Wrestlers Win

In A Row

bounds and making shots count. In the last quarter Mike Busby made half of all his points scored in the game. Walt Vanderbush did his share to boost the score. Fouled twice, he made 3 of 4 free throws. Going into their four corner offense to stall the action, Buchanan finished the game in this manner with the score in their favor 53-42.

After the game coach Bill Wilson stated, "You have to give them a lot of credit. They played a heck of a game. They made us play their type of ball game, which was very aggressive. But we held our poise."

The next game will be played at home this Friday at 6:30 against Coloma.

The Buchanan wrestlers started off strong by beating Lake Michigan Catholic 54 to 15. John Lubben, 98 pounds, won his match on a pin as did Phil Prentkowski, 112, Craig Jacques, 119, Dan Batchelor, 128, Dale Moore, 132, Terry Brown, 138, Aaron Samson, 145, and Ron Greulich, 167.

The Bucks finished eighth in the St. Joseph Tournament. In that meet, John Lubben finished second, Aaron Samson third and Phil Prentkowski and Craig Jacques fourth.

The junior varsity wrestlers beat Lake Michigan Catholic 33 to 12. Don Wagner, 112, won a decision as did Steve Moore, 126 and Ross Moore, 130. Joe Benak, 119, Jamie Topash, 132, Bob Blumka, 155, and heavyweight Jack Ross all won on pins.

Jayvees Win One, Sports Schedule Changes Lose One

Last Tuesday the Junior Varsity squad defeated New Buffalo by the score of 62-36. Losing to Niles in the season opener the Bucks bounced back in an overwhelming victory. Commanding the whole game, the Bisons were never to hold the lead or even come close to Buchanan, Larry Ott was high point man for the Bucks with 26 points.

Going on the road to River Valley the young Bucks did not fare as well. Buchanan just couldn't seem to hit the basket, only racking up 4 points in the first quarter compared to the Mustang's 15. Larry Ott was held scoreless in the first half as the Bucks never really held River Valley from scoring ending the half 12-29. The third and fourth quarters were a repeat of the first half as Buchanan was forced to play their opponents type of ball game. The final score was Buchanan 26 - River Valley 54. No player on the Buck team scored over 5 points, but the young Bucks met a strong opponent, who no matter how hard they played could not over come.

Buchanan High School announces the following changes in the winter sports schedule.

Monday, December 15 J V Basketball at Lakeshore, 7:00

Tuesday, December 16 Wrestling at Lakeshore, 6:30 Varsity Basketball at Lakeshore at 8

Wednesday, February 4 9th grade basketball here with Lakeshore at 6:30. J V Basketball here with Lakeshore at 8:00. Season ticket holders will be admitted on February 4.

Friday, February 6 Volleyball, Lakeshore here at 6:30 Varsity Basketball here with Lakeshore at 8

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No December Meeting For Parents Group

The Buchanan Parents' Communication Group will not meet in December. The next meeting will be Thursday, January 8, 1976, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school library. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Concert Well Received

With two meetings Monday night, both school board and city commission falling then, the Record staff regrettably missed the concert of the middle school band and high school chorus. It was of extremely high quality from all reports heard from those in the large crowd attending - parking was at a premium anywhere in the area of the high school auditorium.

Paper Drive Saturday

Saturday, December 13 there will be a paper drive to benefit the Niles-Buchanan Association for Exceptional Children. All proceeds will go toward projects for area children and adults and for the Gateway and Open Door facilities. Papers may be delivered in Buchanan between 9 and 2 Saturday at the Phelps Street parking lot at Buchanan High School, in Niles from 9 to 4 at St. John's Church, 601 Sycamore.

Gaels Lose

A successful and effective press, some consistently good shooting and a slight lead in rebounds were all responsible for Watervliet's defeat of Gallien Friday. The Panthers took an early lead and kept it for the whole game. They led by ten at the end of the first quarter and by ten at the end of the half. For the Gaels, Rick Busher got 18 points and Don Koooy and Dale Luther each got 16. Busher is a transfer student and looked strong on offense.

Gallen 61 - Watervliet 73					
Gallen	G	F	P		
Koooy	7	2	1		
Busher	9	0	2		
M. Kuntz	3	0	3		
Luther	6	4	5		
Schau	2	0	5		
Chase	2	0	1		
Totals	29	6	17		
Watervliet					
Hinkelman	3	0	4		
Hutchinson	5	3	3		
Weaver	9	0	2		
Brock	7	0	3		
Marzka	8	2	3		
Hardy	1	2	2		
Whitaker	0	0	1		
Totals	33	7	18		
Score by Quarters					
Watervliet	22	22	18	11	- 73
Gallen	12	22	14	16	- 64
Officials	Dave Briggs and Ron Stella (both New Buffalo)				



Mary K. Saunders of 504 Arctic was injured last Wednesday afternoon at 1:35 p.m. in an accident at the corner of Redbud and Front. She was removed by ambulance attendants from her car (not shown in this view) and taken to Unity Hospital. The driver of this vehicle, Carol S. Hall of Aalfs Road, was ticketed for an improper left turn when officers determined she drove in front of the Saunders car, which was traveling north on Redbud when the southbound Hall vehicle turned left onto Front.



Martha Wolkins loaned the Record this picture of downtown Buchanan at the turn of the century.

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December 4: Jack Renbarger, Three Oaks, Donna Rosetto, 2050 Redbud Trail, Jean Williams, Benton Harbor, Penny Slocum, Rt 2 Box 894
December 5: Ersey Wantz, Metea Court, Esther Watkins, Three Oaks, Joseph Pruett, 710 Franklin Rd.
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Discharged
December 2: Barbara Bradshaw, 902 Redbud Trl N, Gaylord Grmm, LaPorte, Indiana, Janet Jasper, Rt 1 Box 477, Marjorie Mead, Decatur
December 3: Scott Clemons, New Buffalo
December 4: Thomas Wamsley, Galien, Edith Standard, 125 W. Alexander; Walter Birdsong, 310 E. Marble, Bessie Replogle, 602 Redbud Trl S
December 5: Bernice Van Meter, Three Oaks
December 6: Donna Lee Rosetto, 2050 Redbud Trl N, Eddie Kelley, 5450 Buffalo Rd, Beulah Taylor, Niles, Terry Baich, 110 Mayflower Rd.
December 8: Macel Johnson, St. Joseph, Jack Renbarger, Three Oaks

Pawating Hospital Admitted
December 2: Roy E. Knapp, Rt 1, Mrs. Betty Shelton, Rt 2, Mrs. William Borst, 917 Main St.
December 3: Haywood Harris, 320 Bluff, Loy Ott, 401 Days
December 4: Mrs. William Cagle, Rt 1 Box 362, Norris Young, Rt 2 Box 11; Mrs. Leon Williams, 3213 Knight Dr., Albert Cooper, 1270 N. Redbud Trail.
December 5: Mrs. Elva Batten, 601 Days Ave; Kevin Ray Lombardo, Buchanan
December 6: Gene Ferrell, 105 Terre Coupe
December 7: Mrs. Fred Taube, Rt.1 Riverside Estates.
December 8: Mrs. Vernia Thomas, 111 W. 4th St; Mrs. Donald Welsh, Galien
Discharged
December 2: Mrs. Karl Strefling, Rt 1, Galien
December 3: Albert Cooper, 1270 N. Redbud Trail, Mrs. Donald Barker, Box 44
December 4: Mrs. Rozella Russell, 402 Main St, Mrs. Betty Shelton, Rt 2.
December 5: Mrs. William Borst, 917 Main.
December 6: Miss Clara Osterander, 3110 U.S. 12 W., Niles; Ha Cagle, Rt 1, Mrs. Leon L. Williams, 3213 Knight Dr, Mrs. Ronald Linde and daughter, 609 Circle Ridge Dr.
December 7: Loy Ott, 401 Days Ave, Mrs. Axel Mollberg and son, Galien, Kevin Ray Lombardo, c-o Building A, Apt 3

The earthquake of August, 1959 in Yellowstone National Park altered the schedule of several geysers and hot springs, even Old Faithful

Births

Pawating Hospital

December 2: Mr and Mrs Axel H. Mollberg, First St, Galien, a son, Nathan Mandel, 8 lbs., 12 1/2 ozs
December 3: Mr and Mrs Ronald Linde, 609 Circle Ridge Dr., Buchanan, a daughter, Jaime Marie, 8 lbs., 4 ozs
December 5: Mr and Mrs. Brad Morris, 3021 Liberty, Buchanan, a daughter Dawn Elizabeth, 8 lbs., 6 ozs
December 6: Mr and Mrs Roger Reich, 104 W. Alexander St., a son Timothy Lee, 7 lbs., 10 ozs
December 7: Mr and Mrs Michael M. Luke, Rt.2 Box 851-C, Buchanan, a son Matthew Myron 7 lbs., 6 1/2 ozs

To Present Messiah

The Chancel Choir of the St. Joseph Congregational Church will present selections of Handel's Messiah at the 11 a.m. church service on Sunday, December 14, accompanied by a chamber orchestra and led by Choir Director George Lamphere
Soloists will include Marilyn Lee and Susanne Warren, soprano, Shirley Garey, alto; Donald Nupp, tenor, and Carlton Higginbotham, bass. Joining the Chancel Choir will be the church's Youth Choir

More Michigan Mirror

Locking up the summer place for the winter won't necessarily keep it safe from burglars. And under Michigan law, there appears to be some question about the penalty for someone who breaks into that place.
"The present statute on break-ins covers just about everything, from dwellings to barns and railroad cars, but there is no mention of a summer cottage," says Rep. Thaddeus Stopczynski, D-Detroit. So he's proposing an amendment to that break-in law that would definitely make breaking into a summer place a felony - not a misdemeanor.
Two years in jail - or as much as 15 - would be the penalty.
"By requiring a sentence of at least two years, we can discourage many would-be thieves and at least keep the habitual thief out of circulation for a while," Stopczynski says.
Present law carries a penalty of up to 15 years for breaking and entering a dwelling, but there is no mandatory minimum sentence.

PTO Christmas Program Tonight

The annual Parent Teacher Organization Christmas program is being presented Thursday evening, tonight, at 7 in the new gymnasium. Entitled "Merry Christmas '75", the program includes participation by students in grades one through six together with the fifth and sixth grade band. Children taking part in the program are asked to be there no later than 6:30.

U.M. Methodist Activities

The Lavina Ladies Aid of the Olive Branch United Methodist church is meeting Thursday, today, at 12:30 at the church for a Christmas dinner. All women of the church are invited to attend.
On Sunday, December 14 there will be a carry-in dinner at the Galien United Methodist Church at 12:45 p.m. with a short program to follow.
The Olive Branch United Methodist Church will hold the Children's Christmas program at 8 p.m. on December 20.
The program of the Galien U.M. Church will be December 21 at 7 p.m. with refreshments following the presentation.
The Youth fellowship plans to go Christmas caroling at Haven Hubbard Home at 7 p.m. on Sunday, December 21.

Graduates With Honors

Martha J. Kingsbury received her bachelor of arts degree in social science last Saturday in fall commencement exercises at Michigan State University. Majoring in social economics, Martha graduated with honors. She is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Thomas Kingsbury, 608 Polk Street.
The commencement address was delivered by Dr. Clark Derr, former president of the University of California, who also received an honorary degree as did Mrs. Coretta King, Dr. Grace Olivarez and Dr. Eugene Parker.

News Of The Women Of The Moose

The Women of the Moose will meet Thursday (tonight) at 6:30 for a potluck dinner with Mrs. Guy Harvel of the social services committee as the chairman. Everyone is to take a dish to pass and a \$2 gift for the exchange. All chairmen are reminded to wear long dresses.
The recent bazaar was reported a success and appreciation has been expressed to all who helped or participated.

Holiday Plant Care

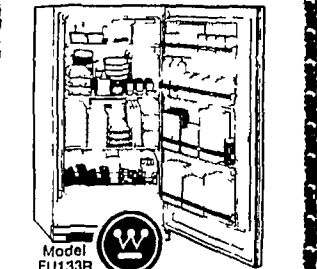
The bright flowers of the cyclamen (Cyclamen persicum) provide a spot of living color during the Christmas season. With proper care, blooming may continue into February.
For best results, Michigan State University horticulturists recommend growing cyclamen in a cool, well lighted area but not in direct sunlight. An east window is ideal, if the plant doesn't touch the cold glass or suffer temperatures below 50 degrees F at night and 60 degrees during the day.
Good drainage is essential. Pot in ordinary potting soil with a layer of gravel, charcoal or broken clay pot in the bottom, they advise. Water often enough with lukewarm water to keep the soil moist but not soggy. Do not let the plant stand in water for long periods, and keep water off the foliage and crown of the plant to prevent disease problems.
When flower buds stop appearing and the foliage begins to turn brown, the plant needs a rest period. Reduce the amount and frequency of watering and put the plant in a cool location (40 to 50 degrees) until spring. Then repot the corm - the bulb-like structure - with one-half of it above the soil surface.
After the danger of frost is past, place the plant in a cool, protected spot outdoors. Water as needed to keep the soil moist and fertilize once a month with a water-soluble houseplant fertilizer. A spot that offers partial shade during the summer's brightest days is best.
Take the plant indoors before the first fall frost and give it full sun - an eastern exposure is best - and temperatures no higher than 65 degrees. Flowering should begin between mid-November and early December.

PUBLIC AUCTIONS

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Taxpayers Ask IRS

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q. As a result of a libel suit, I won compensation from an editor of a publication who printed damaging editorial statements about me. Is this compensation taxable?

A. Compensation for damages to your character or for personal injury or illness is not taxable. But punitive damages and compensation for lost profits are includable in income.

Q. I am the executor of a relative's will. When am I supposed to file a tax return for him?

A. If you must file a final return as an executor, administrator or legal representative of a taxpayer who died during the year, the return is due on the fifteenth day of the fourth month after the close of the deceased taxpayer's normal tax year. In most cases, this will be April 15. If you must file a return for an estate or trust, it is due on the fifteenth day of the fourth month after the close of its tax year.

Q. I had a bad debt which I deducted in a previous year. However, I recently recovered the money from the debtor. How do I handle this on my tax return?

A. Amounts you recover after

having deducted them in previous years such as bad debts, medical expenses, taxes, losses, etc., must be included in your income in the year of recovery to the extent that the deductions decreased your tax in the year they were deducted.

Q. Are campaign contributions taxable income to a candidate for office?

A. Campaign contributions are not income to a candidate unless they are diverted to his personal use. To be exempt from tax, the contributions must be spent for campaign purposes or retained in a fund for use in future campaigns. However, interest earned on bank deposits, dividends received on contributed securities, and net gains on sales of contributed securities are taxable and must be reported on Form 1041, U.S. Fiduciary Income Tax Return.

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More Examples Of Federal Boondoggles

By Congressman Edward Hutchinson

More Boondoggles

They keep going on, these federal bureaucracies of ours, and in more and more instances it appears we are not getting the full measure of our tax dollars. In a recent commentary I outlined boondoggles such as the much publicized study of why people fall in love, but now it would seem the programs have gone a step further. Author Donald Lambro has published a study of federal programs, and new examples of boondoggles have come to light.

As an apparent follow-through to the 1974 inquiry to discover why people fall in love, \$300,000 was expended on a study of sex role learning. The sum of \$103,000 was spent trying to determine the differences between infants and toddlers in learning ability. \$15,000 was spent on a study of hitchhiking, and \$70,000 was spent on a study of Indo-Australian ants. \$112,000 was spent on a study of the African climate during the last ice age.

One of the more obtuse studies conducted required \$57,800 to examine airline stewardesses' measurements. The Federal Aviation Administration conducted this study program ostensibly to aid in the design of safety equipment. Statistics compiled revealed that waistline measurements range from 21 to 28 inches and weights range from 94 to 145 pounds.

Programs on the boondoggle docket cause people to gaze in pure amazement at government. The expenditure of \$350,000 only to find out that 48 percent of the people believe in the devil displays a lack of good judgment, and indeed the boondoggle itself, regardless of which agency it stems from, gives the appearance that madmen are creating programs to study pipe dreams with taxpayer resources. The call is frequently issued for each and every American to further tighten his or her belt. It would seem highly in order for the federal agencies to follow the example of the people.

City ORDINANCE No. 228

CITY OF BUCHANAN BUCHANAN, MICHIGAN

ORDINANCE NO. 228

An ordinance regulating the planting, maintenance, and removal of trees in the public streets, parkways, and other municipal-owned properties, establishing a master street tree plan prescribing regulations relating to the planting, maintenance, and removal of trees in public places providing for the issuing of permits for the planting, maintenance, and removal of trees on private property which endanger public safety and prescribing penalties for violations of its provisions.

THE CITY OF BUCHANAN ORDAINS:

Section 1. Short Title. This Ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the Municipal Tree Ordinance of the City of Buchanan.

Section 2. Definitions. I. MUNICIPAL ARBORIST is the Superintendent of the Department of Parks & Cemetery, or other qualified designated official of the City of Buchanan, assigned to carry out the enforcement of this Ordinance.

II. PERSON is any person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, company, or organization of any kind.

III. STREET or HIGHWAY means the entire width of every public way or right-of-way when any part thereof is open to the use of the public, as a matter of right, for purposes of vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

IV. PARK shall include all public parks having individual names.

V. PUBLIC PLACES shall include all other grounds owned by the City of Buchanan.

VI. PROPERTY LINE shall mean the outer edge of a street or highway.

VII. TREETLAWN is that part of a street or highway, not covered by sidewalk or other paving, lying between the property line and that portion of the street or highway usually used for vehicular traffic.

VIII. PUBLIC TREES shall include all shade and ornamental trees now or hereafter growing on any street or any public areas where otherwise designated.

IX. LARGE TREES are designated as those attaining a height of forty-five (45) feet or more.

X. MEDIUM TREES are designated as those attaining a height of thirty (30) to forty-five (45) feet.

XI. SMALL TREES are designated as those attaining a height of twenty (20) to thirty (30) feet.

XII. PRINCIPAL THOROUGHFARE shall mean any street upon which trucks are not prohibited.

XIII. PROPERTY OWNER shall mean the person owning such property as shown by the County Auditor's Plat of Berrien County, State of Michigan.

Section 3. Duties.

The Municipal Arborist shall have the authority to promulgate the rules and regulations of the Arboricultural Specifications and Standards of Practice governing the planting, maintenance, removal, fertilization, pruning, and bracing of trees on the streets or other public sites in the municipality, and shall direct, regulate, and control the planting, maintenance, and removal of all trees growing now or hereafter in any public area of the City of Buchanan. He shall cause the provision of this Ordinance to be enforced. In his absence these duties shall be the responsibility of a qualified alternate designated by the municipality.

Section 4. Authority of the Municipal Arborist.

The Municipal Arborist shall have the authority and jurisdiction of regulating the planting, maintenance, and removal of trees on streets and other publicly owned property to insure safety or preserve the aesthetics of such public sites.

II. Supervision. The Municipal Arborist shall have the authority and it shall be his duty to supervise or inspect all work done under a permit issued in accordance with the terms of this Ordinance.

III. Condition of Permit. The Municipal Arborist shall have the authority to affix reasonable conditions to the granting of a permit in accordance with the terms of this Ordinance.

IV. Master Street Tree Plan. The Municipal Arborist shall have the authority to formulate a Master Street Tree Plan with the advice, a hearing, and approval of the City Commission. The Master Street Tree Plan shall specify the species of tree to be planted on each of the streets or other public sites of

the municipality. From and after the effective date of the Master Street Tree Plan, or any amendment thereof, all planting shall conform thereto.

A. The Municipal Arborist shall consider all existing and future utility and environmental factors when recommending a specific species for each of the streets and other public sites of the municipality.

B. Amend. The Municipal Arborist, with the approval of the City Commission, shall have the authority to amend or add to the Master Street Tree Plan at any time that circumstances make it advisable.

Section 5. Permits Required. I. Planting, Maintenance, or Removal.

A. No person shall plant, spray, fertilize, preserve, prune, remove, cut above ground, or otherwise disturb any tree on any street or municipal-owned property without first filing an application and procuring a permit from the Municipal Arborist or otherwise specified municipal authority.

The person receiving the permit shall abide by the Arboricultural Specifications and Standards of Practice adopted by the Municipal Arborist.

B. Application for permits must be made at the office of the Municipal Arborist not less than forty-eight (48) hours in advance of the time the work is to be done.

C. Standards of Issuance. The Municipal Arborist shall issue the permit provided for herein if, in his judgment, the proposed work is desirable and the proposed method and workmanship thereof are of a satisfactory nature. Any permit granted shall contain a definite date of expiration and the work shall be completed in the time allowed on the permit and in the manner as therein described. Any permit shall be void if its terms are violated.

D. Notice of completion shall be given within five (5) days to the Municipal Arborist for his inspection.

II. Planting. A. Application Data. The application required herein shall state the number of trees to be set out, the location, grade, species, cultivar or variety of each tree, the method of planting, and such other information as the Municipal Arborist shall find reasonably necessary to a fair determination of whether a permit should be issued.

B. Improper Planting. Whenever any tree shall be planted or set out in conflict with the provisions of this section, it shall be lawful for the Municipal Arborist to remove or cause removal of the same, and the exact cost thereof shall be assessed to the owner as provided by law.

III. Maintenance. A. Application Data. The application required herein shall state the number and kinds of trees to be sprayed, fertilized, pruned, or otherwise preserved, the kind of treatment to be administered, the composition of the spray material to be applied, and such other information as the Municipal Arborist shall find reasonably necessary to a fair determination of whether a permit should be issued.

IV. Removal, Replanting, and Replacement. A. Wherever it is necessary to remove a tree or trees from a treelawn in connection with the paving of a sidewalk, or the paving or widening of the portion of a street or highway used for vehicular traffic, the municipality shall replant such trees or replace them. Provided that conditions prevent planting on treelawns, this requirement will be satisfied if any equivalent number of trees of the same size and species as provided for in the Arboricultural Specifications are planted in an attractive manner on the adjoining property.

B. No person or property owner shall remove a tree from the treelawn for the purpose of construction or for any other reason, without first filing an application and procuring a permit from the Municipal Arborist, and without replacing the removed tree or trees in accordance with the adopted Arboricultural Specifications. Such replacement shall meet the standards of size, species, and placement as provided for in a permit issued by the Municipal Arborist. The person or property owner shall bear the cost of removal and replacement of all trees removed.

Section 6. Obstruction - Trees Pruned. It shall be the duty of any person or persons owning or occupying real property bordering on any street upon which property there may be trees, to prune such trees in such manner that they will not obstruct or shade the street lights, obstruct

the passage of pedestrians on sidewalks, obstruct vision of traffic signs, or obstruct view of any street or alley intersection. The minimum clearance of any overhanging portion thereof shall be ten (10) feet over sidewalks, and twelve (12) feet over all streets except truck thoroughfares which shall have a clearance of sixteen (16) feet.

I. Notice to Prune. Should any person or persons owning real property bordering on any street fail to prune trees as herein above provided, the Municipal Arborist shall order such person or persons, within three (3) days after receipt of written notice, to so prune such trees.

II. Order Required. The order required herein shall be served by mailing a copy of the order to the last known address of the property owner, by certified mail.

III. Failure to Comply. When a person to whom an order is directed shall fail to comply within the specified time, it shall be lawful for the municipality to prune such trees, and the exact cost thereof shall be assessed to the owner as provided by law.

Section 7. Abuse or Utilization of Public Trees. Unless specifically authorized by the Municipal Arborist, no person shall intentionally damage, cut, carve, transplant, or remove any tree, attach any rope, wire, nails, advertising posters, or other contrivance to any tree, allow any gaseous liquid, or solid substance which is harmful to such trees to come in contact with them; or set fire or permit any fire to burn when such fire or the heat thereof will injure any portion of any tree.

Section 8. Interference with Municipal Arborist. No person shall hinder, prevent, delay, or interfere with the Municipal Arborist or any of his assistants while engaged in carrying out the execution or enforcement of this Ordinance, provided, however, that nothing herein shall be construed as an attempt to prohibit the pursuit of any remedy, legal or equitable, in any court of competent jurisdiction for the protection of property rights by the owner of any property within the municipality.

Section 9. Protection of Trees. No person shall excavate any ditches, tunnels, trenches, or lay any drive within a radius of ten (10) feet from any public tree without first obtaining a written permit from the Municipal Arborist.

Section 10. Placing Materials on Public Property. No person shall deposit, place, store, or maintain upon any public place of the municipality, any stone, brick, sand, concrete, or other materials which may impede the free passage of water, air, and fertilizer to the roots of any tree growing therein, except by written permit of the Municipal Arborist.

Section 11. Violation and Penalty. Any person, firm, or corporation violating or failing to comply with any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined a sum of no less than one dollar (\$1.00), nor more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), or may be imprisoned for a term not exceeding sixty (60) days, or both.

Section 12. Legality of Ordinance and Parts Thereof. Should any section, clause, or provisions of this Ordinance be declared by the Courts to be invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole, or parts thereof, other than the part so declared to be invalid.

This Ordinance shall become effective.

Berrien County Extension Calendar

December 11: 4-H Cake Decoration Demonstration, 7 p.m., Youth Memorial Building, Berrien Springs.

December 11: ASCS County Committee Election, 8 p.m., Baroda Town Hall.

December 13: 4-H Service Club Christmas Party, 2-4 p.m., Youth Memorial Building, Berrien Springs.

December 13: Benton Harbor 4-H Advisory Board Children's Christmas Party, 4-6 p.m.

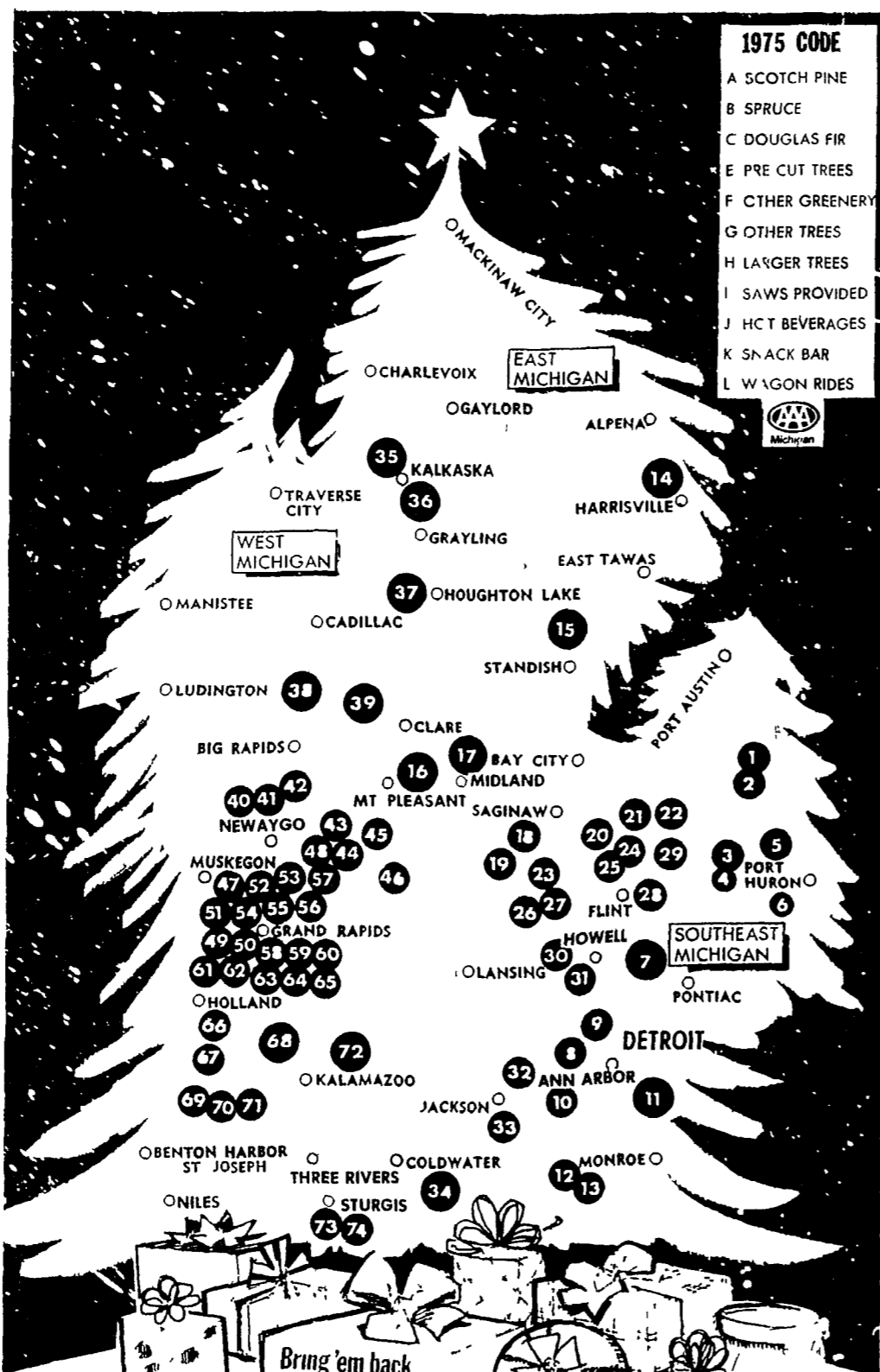
December 14: 4-H Horse Judging Practice, 2 p.m., Jack & Laurie Peaples, 6966 Washington Ave., Stevensville.

December 15: Michigan Grape Day, Lake Michigan College, 2755 East Napier Avenue, Benton Harbor.

December 16: 4-H Rocks & Minerals Awareness Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Youth Memorial Building, Berrien Springs.

December 16: 4-H Teen Snow Camp Planning, 7:30 p.m., Lawrence.

Guide to 74 Cut-Your-Own Christmas Tree Farms



- 1975 CODE**
- A SCOTCH PINE
 - B SPRUCE
 - C DOUGLAS FIR
 - E PRE CUT TREES
 - F OTHER GREENERY
 - G OTHER TREES
 - H LARGER TREES
 - I SAWS PROVIDED
 - J HOT BEVERAGES
 - K SNACK BAR
 - L WAGON RIDES

- SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN**
- 1 KRAUSE TREE FARM, 2950 Apple gate Rd., Appleton, Ph (313) 533-9935, 50,000 trees \$6 to \$17.50. Open daily (ABCEGHI).
 - 2 J & L, northwest of Appleton, Ph (313) 757-5541, 3,000 trees \$5 and \$8. Open weekends only (ABI).
 - 3 CENTENNIAL PINES, 2775 Broker Rd., Emmet, Ph (313) 384-6682, 20,000 trees \$7. Open daily (ABGL).
 - 4 PAMPERED PINES, 4248 Rabidue Rd., Ruby, Ph (313) 324-2794, 20,000 trees \$6. Open daily (ABEJL).
 - 5 RUBY, 6567 Inlay City Rd., Ruby, Ph (313) 324-2662, 40,000 trees \$7. Open daily (ABCEFGJL).
 - 6 TOLLANDER TREE FARM, 7166 Bruce Rd., Port Huron, Ph (313) 985-8951, 30,000 trees \$5 and up. Open daily from 10 a.m. (ABCEGJL).
 - 7 HUFF S, 1500 W. Wardlow Highland Rd., Ph (313) 887-4230, 5,000 trees \$1.25 per foot and up. Open daily (ABCEFGJL).
 - 8 AREND #2, near Chelsea, Ph (313) 475-7584, 10,000 trees \$1 per foot and up. Open daily from 10 a.m. (ABCEFGJL).
 - 9 SLOAN NURSERY, 1885 Baker Rd., Dexter, Ph (313) 426-3770, 30,000 trees \$3. Open daily (AEFI).
 - 10 BOUGHAN'S TREE FARM, 15851 Martinsville Rd., Belleville, Ph (313) 693-8082, 5,000 trees \$6. Open daily (AEFI).
 - 11 FODOR'S, 15500 Kendall Rd., Manchester, Ph (517) 256-4982, 15,000 trees \$7. Open daily from 10 a.m. (AEFGJL).
 - 12 MATTHEW EVERGREEN FARM, 12416 Lulu Rd., Ph (517) 855-2669, 3,000 trees \$1.25 per foot. Open daily (AEFGJL).
 - 13 BLISS NURSERY, 13437 Todd Rd., Ida, Ph (313) 269-2346, 1,000 trees \$5 and up. Open daily (ACEFGHI).
- EAST MICHIGAN**
- 14 SHULTZ NURSERY, Harrisville, Ph (517) 724-8305, 300 trees \$3 to \$10. Open by appointment (BCEI).
 - 15 SCHAEFFER'S TREE FARM, 1482 Klein Rd., Sterling, Ph (517) 854-2315, 1,000 trees \$4 to \$6. Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Fri - Sun (BI).
 - 16 CROWLEY'S TREE FARM, 9002 E. Brookfield Rd., Mt. Pleasant, Ph (517) 773-5065, 5,000 trees \$4 and up. Open daily (ABI).
 - 17 RED KEG, near Avonville, Ph (517) 687-5127, 5,000 trees \$4. Open Mon - Fri 1 p.m. to dark weekends 8:30 a.m. to dark (AEGI).
 - 18 KLUCK NURSERY, 1020 Van Wormer Rd., near Saginaw, Ph (517) 781-1650, 6,000 trees \$8 to \$9.50. Open 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. weekdays 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sat - 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sun (BEI).
 - 19 SWAN CREEK #2, 12675 Lakefield Rd., St. Charles, 2,000 trees \$5.28 to \$11. Open daily (ABCEI).
 - 20 PENNYWICK PLANTATION, 3165 W. M. 48, Vassar, Ph (517) 822-8853, 1,000 trees \$3 and up. Open daily (ABEGL).
 - 21 ED MAR TREE FARM, on M-24 north of Mayville, Ph (517) 843-4381, 2,500 trees \$9 cents to \$12. Open weekends only 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (ABEJL).
 - 22 DOG PATCH TREE FARM, 5236 Snover Rd., Chilton, Ph (517) 761-7285, 240 acres \$4.50 to \$8. Open daily (ABCEFHJ).
 - 23 EVERGREEN FARM, 10367 McKinley Rd., Montrose, Ph (313) 639-7886, 5,000 trees \$5 to \$7. Open Mon - Fri 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sat & Sun 9 a.m. to dark (ABEJL).
 - 24 SPENCER S, 2370 Goodrich Rd., Otter Lake, Ph (517) 795-2208, 2,000 trees \$2 to \$15. Open daily (ABCEGHJ).
 - 25 SMITH'S BERRY FARM, 7242 E. Mt. Morris Rd., Otisville, Ph (313) 853-6187, 2,000 trees \$5. Open 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. weekdays 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sat (AEI).
 - 26 ASPIN FARM, 12190 Miller Rd., Lansing, Ph (313) 621-4780, 3,000 trees \$5.50 to \$8.50. Open Mon - Fri noon to 6 p.m. weekends 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. (BFJL).
 - 27 HILL S BLUEBERRY FARM, 8267 W. Franca Rd., Flushing, 500 trees \$5 to \$8. Open Mon - Sat 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sun 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. (AEI).
 - 28 PASSARD S, 9377 Hubbard Rd., Davison, Ph (313) 852-5570, 1,000 trees \$4 to \$6. Open daily (AEFI).
 - 29 COULTER S, 4914 Curtis Rd., Lum, Ph (313) 724-8871, 1,000 trees \$5 to \$8. Open daily (ABCL).
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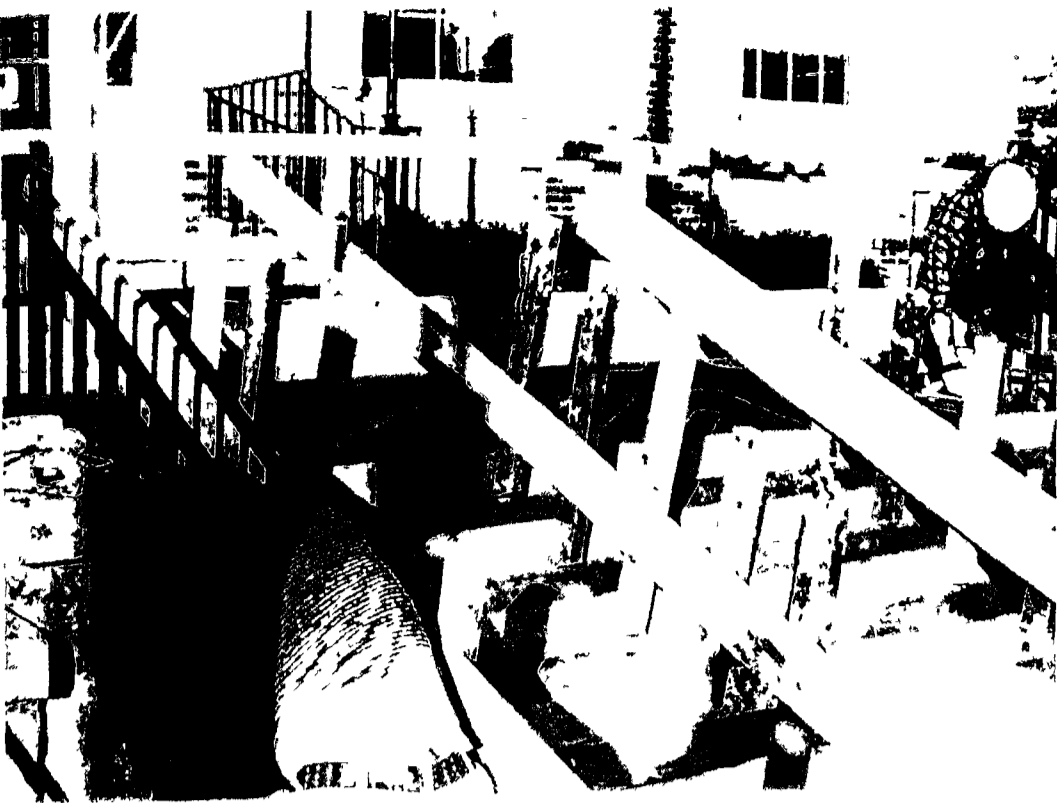
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The Michigan Mirror

By Elmer E. White

Action Ahead?
Moldering on out-of-the-way shelves forever -- that's the fate of many reports of special blue-ribbon commissions and councils.

But a different future appears to be in store for the recent report of the Michigan Economic Action Council, a top-level body asked to figure out ways to help boost the state's financial status.

Gov. William Milliken has named Dr. Kenneth J. Shouldice, president of Lake Superior State College, to serve as "implementation executive" for the council report.

"Considering the difficult and uncertain economic period that our state faces, the immediate implementation of the Council's short-range recommendations rates among the state's highest priorities," Milliken says.

"With the appointment of Dr. Shouldice, we now can start to effectively carry out the council's action plan."

Shouldice, Lake Superior State president since 1966, has been "a major influence in the economic revival of the Sault Ste. Marie area," the executive office says.

Among council recommendations are:

--Work toward a federal moratorium, until 1980, on auto emission standards to help hike car sales.

--Improve an information system to help state agencies and local units of government obtain more federal money for public works projects.

--Try to entice Volkswagen to locate a plant in Michigan.

--Work to ensure that Michigan has an adequate supply of natural gas for industrial and agricultural development.

Pusher Plan Over

Folks who finger drug dealers won't be getting any more rewards from the state of Michigan -- at least for a while.

The "Turn in a Pusher" (TIP) program conducted by the Michigan State Police has fallen victim to the state's budget crunch.

The program, instituted nearly two years ago, offered cash awards to tipsters providing information that resulted in arrests or drug confiscations. Nearly \$620,000 was awarded to 185 tipsters since January 1974.

But the award program has been curtailed because of money problems.

Even so, Capt. Lewis Smith, State Police intelligence division commander, holds out hope for its reinstatement.

"The productiveness of TIP in the fight against illegal drug traffic gives some reason for expecting it may be reinstated again when funds are available," he says.

Illegal Chain

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Such are the promises of an illegal chain letter currently making the rounds -- and it's come to the Lansing area. A member of PIRGIM, a Lansing-based student-funded consumer organization, received a copy of the letter and turned it over to U.S. Postal inspectors.

PIRGIM's warning about the chain letter says it does NOT really work. "The idea depends on many people being disappointed so a few can make lots of money," the organization says. Secondly, the scheme is illegal.

Lansing Postal Inspector F. C. Mills says that since the chain letter involves a payment and the hope of a prize, it violates federal mail fraud and lottery laws, and can carry criminal penalties.

Don't be conned into sending \$1 to make \$8,000 just like that. Few can claim the chain has worked for them.

Bend Of River Group Plans Holiday Meeting

Mrs. Ethel Hall of 5350 Buffalo Road will entertain members of the Bend of the River Home Extension Club at a Christmas party in her home Wednesday, December 17. The cooperative dinner will begin at noon and a gift exchange and program will follow.

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Grain Outlook For 1976

Corn, soybean, and wheat production substantially exceeded last year's production level which has affected the expected market prices.

The following report is based on information gathered from National Agricultural Outlook Conference in Washington, D.C. by Dr. Henry Larzelere, Michigan State University agricultural economist.

Corn
The completion of harvest providing a record corn crop in 1975. The October 1 carryover was down to a low 359 million bushels. These two figures combined mean that the corn supply for the October, 1975 - September, 1976 year will total around 6.2 billion bushels, 20 percent above 1974-75 but well below the peak 6.7 billion in 1972-73.

The USDA indicates a U.S. farm price for the marketing year of about \$2.50, which, translated to central Michigan, would be about \$2.30 per bushel. Some observers feel that these prices are higher than can be realistically expected.

If storage is being considered, a short period is suggested because of relatively small differences between December, March, and May future contracts and the storage and interest costs that are involved.

Soybeans and Meal
Soybean prices on November 20 were \$4.12 to \$4.15 in central Michigan. Indications are that prices may firm some from current levels which are the result of a large supply about 22 percent above the year earlier and of a harvest glut situation. It has been reported that storage facilities were filled to capacity in some producing areas.

The demand for soybeans is reflected by the relative uses of the oil and the meal. Oil is in a weak situation with prices about half what they were a year ago. Meal prospects are more favorable. The USDA expects meal prices for December for 44 percent to average about the same as last year, \$130 a ton for the September, 1975 - August, 1976 period.

Such a price would translate to a bean price \$4.50 to \$4.60 for the marketing year in central Michigan. This suggests some storing might be profitable, but storage and interest costs should be carefully checked to estimate a favorable net price.

Wheat
White wheat prices in central Michigan the first four months of the marketing year (July - October) averaged \$3.16 a bushel, 52 cents a bushel less than the same months in 1974. In the first part of November, prices averaged \$2.96, \$1.24 a bushel less than last year.

With the supply for the marketing year up 21 percent from a year earlier, the season average can be expected to average \$3.15. This might suggest some desirable prospects for storing wheat.

However, storage and interest costs would likely counteract most price increases unless exports increase and some upward sympathy occurs with corn and soybeans as the market glut is relieved.

USDA figures indicate that with the year end approaching some farmers will postpone sales until after the first of the year for tax purposes. This could tend to have a bearish impact on prices after January 1.

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The whole idea is to keep you healthy. If nothing's wrong (and more than likely, there isn't) hooray! Come back next year. But if anything's suspicious, then you've gained

the most important thing of all: time.

We can save 1 out of 2 persons when cancer is caught in time, caught early. That's a good thing to know. All Daddies should know how to take care of themselves so that they can have the fun of taking care of their kids. Remember--it's what you don't know that can hurt you.

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