

BC may vote on new zoning ordinance

BOYNE CITY - The public will have what may be its last chance to comment on the city's new zoning ordinance at 7 p.m. tonight (Dec. 9). The ordinance, which has been in the works for five years, is the subject of a special city commission meeting. If no changes are requested by commissioners, the first of two votes needed for approval may take place at the meeting. The city's present zoning ordinance, approved in 1966, did not anticipate the rapid growth the area has seen and did not address some current

developmental problems which did not exist 15 years ago, City Manager Tim Clifton said. The zoning ordinance is patterned to complement the city's comprehensive plan — an overall view of how the city's landscape should evolve — that was approved in 1980. The comprehensive plan and zoning ordinance, Clifton said, are intended to guide and regulate growth without changing the character of the community. Among major elements of the ordinance are that it strengthens

present policies and procedures, it includes a planned residential development provision and it localizes future industrial growth in a single area. In a planned residential development, builders will have more flexibility than before in making housing units fit their environment. Use of the PRD enables preservation of open spaces while buildings are clustered on other parts of the property. The ordinance would allow the city

to develop an industrial park near the airport. The property, which is already owned by the city, would be the only undeveloped industrially zoned land in the city. Privately owned land near Rotary Park that is zoned industrial would be rezoned to residential, Clifton said. Studies done by the city indicated that the presently zoned parcel is not conducive to industrial use, the city manager said. The city property would be accessible to M-75, the airport and a railroad spur, he said.

One reason the city would like to attract industry, Clifton said, is to take some of the tax burden off homeowners. The city presently collects about 75 percent of its property taxes from residential land owners, he said. About 15 percent comes from commercial property and 10 from industrial. Ideally, he said, 50 percent would come from residential, 25 percent from commercial and 25 percent from industrial.

The city would like to attract small, support type industries, not large foundry types, he said. If things went well, it would be about 10 years before the park was finished and occupied, he said. Some of the thirty-three people who attended a planning commission public hearing on the ordinance voiced concerns about specific items within the proposal, Clifton said. In about 90 percent of those cases, their ideas were incorporated into the plan, he said.

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Jobless rate 17.3%; UT laying off 80

Charlevoix County's unemployment rate has hit 17.3 percent and is still rising. Eighty workers at the Boyne City

plant of United Technologies will be joining the jobless ranks in January, the company announced Monday, Dec. 7.

The plant has been operating at 60 percent of capacity for several weeks, said Jo Bourjaily of the firm's Detroit public relations office. As of Jan. 4, 80

workers will be placed on indefinite layoff.

The October unemployment rate, just released by the Michigan Employment Security Commission, is not the highest of 1981, though. A 17.5 percent jobless rate was recorded in April.

Bob Van Ravensway of the Traverse City MESO office has predicted the rate will climb to about 25 percent before winter's end. His is not a scientific evaluation, he says, just an educated guess.

Charlevoix's jobless rate is the highest in Michigan. In September the unemployment rate was 12.3

percent. Figures for November will not be released until after the first of the year, Van Ravensway said.

In October there were 1,600 workers off the job in the county, Van Ravensway said, out of a labor force of 9,225. In September, 1,153 were unemployed.

In October 1980 the jobless rate stood at 14.4 percent. By November it had reached 16.8 percent, the highest of 1980.

Van Ravensway said loss of seasonal jobs and a reduction in manufacturing jobs were to blame for the increasing unemployment.

The United Technologies plant will be shut down for two weeks as of

Monday, Dec. 14, Bourjaily said. After that approximately 170 of the 250 employees will be returning to work.

Bourjaily said those workers who have been off during the production slowdown will not necessarily be those on indefinite layoff. Workers being laid off already have been informed, she said.

The production slowdown, she said, is a direct result of the overall downturn in the auto industry. The plant makes turnsignals, switches and electromagnetic products.

Bourjaily said the company is optimistic about the outlook for 1982, however.

EJ names new superintendent

EAST JORDAN - The city will have a superintendent for public works beginning next week.

John M. Dionne was hired at a salary of \$20,000 by the city council on Dec. 1. He is expected to start work around Dec. 15.

Dionne, from St. Clair Shores, is "better known as Mike," said councilwoman Pat Sweet.

He will fill the vacancy created by Rush Cattell's resignation on Nov. 3.

Dionne's application had been seriously considered last summer in the hunt which culminated in Cattell's appointment, Clerk-Treasurer Fern Morris said.

The council chose Dionne out of more than 70 candidates.

Though he has no municipal experience, Dionne has worked in commercial construction.

According to Dionne's resume, the new superintendent attended Macomb County Community College.

His first work experience, before and on leaving college, was with Garvaglia Construction in Warren, where he did bridge and road work on state highways.

From 1968 to 1971 he did sales and service work for Singer Co. and was "always in the top 10 percent of

salesmen nationwide," his resume says.

His resume indicates he worked nearly six years with Aqua Pura Company in Sterling Heights where he gained experience in water and sewer installation, records and inspection.

He worked for eight months as production supervisor at Brechtel Company, Mt. Clemens.

His most recent job was as operations manager for Curtis Electric in Sterling Heights.

Dionne is married and has three school-age children.

Cancer risk 'low' in Charlevoix wells

BOYNE CITY - The chances of getting cancer by drinking the water in the Charlevoix or Petoskey city water supplies are quite low, a state health official says.

Roy Klaviter, administrative assistant for the state Chemicals and Health Center, says the long-term effects of ingesting the chemical—TCE—are still unknown, but the estimated risk to health is far lower than the national cancer rate.

TCE—trichloroethylene—is used in a variety of substances, mostly degreasers and solvents.

The risk to humans can be estimated,

Klaviter told the Charlevoix County chapter of the Michigan Townships' Association on Thursday, Dec. 3, but the actual risk is unknown.

While scientists "don't have an action level, and I don't think we will for awhile," he said, "it's estimated that the risk to health at these levels is rather low."

Klaviter estimated that the presence of the chemical in human bodies causes one additional case of cancer for every 100,000 to 1 million people.

The National Cancer Institute, meanwhile, says that one in every three Americans will have some type of cancer during their lifetime and one in six will die from it.

The amount of TCE found in the city supplies was so low, he said, that up until recently it could not even have been detected.

"The methods did not exist before," he said, because measuring devices were not sensitive enough to detect the small amounts discovered. "Present sensing devices can detect as little as parts-per-trillion, he said.

The most recent tests done on the Charlevoix supply showed between 30 and 40 parts-per-billion of TCE, health department sanitarian Larry Levengood said.

Traces of TCE were found in the Charlevoix system in mid-October after tests found the chemical in Petoskey's water.

Charlevoix was tested because its well is similar to Petoskey's, said Brian Youngs, director of District Health Department No. 3.

Petoskey and Charlevoix both have shallow wells, he said. Similar tests in the deep wells in Boyne City and East Jordan have found no TCE.

The chemical is apparently seeping into the city systems from some as-yet undetermined sources, the health officials said.

Even though the risk is low, Klaviter said, it is important to locate the sources.

The only way to eventually defeat cancer caused by environmental factors, he said, is to "make implementation improvement," to track down each suspected agent and "keep chipping away at it."



The empty North Bay School sits on Church Road between Horton Bay Road and Camp Daggett Road. It hasn't been used since 1976.

One-room school may be sold

BOYNE CITY - The school board will trace down the actual ownership of North Bay school in Bay Township in order to put the property on the market.

The decision reached at a Monday, Dec. 7, special meeting, followed the discovery that the school had no documents showing ownership except an entry in the 1961 minutes.

In 1961 North Bay, one of the last operating one-room school houses in Michigan, closed its doors when its students were transferred to the Boyne City school system.

The Boyne City schools then rented the building to the township for one dollar a year for community use and town meetings.

This went on until 1976. Since then the building has been standing vacant. Superintendent Rich Kelly said it is possible there were stipulations when the school was built that the property would revert to the original owners whenever it ceased to function as a public building.

The only remaining member of the family originally holding the land is Mrs. Ray Carcher, now living in Chelsea.

Kelly said although nothing was found in township or school records except the reference in the board

minutes, officials may be able to trace the title at the county clerk's office.

Although it was reported at the board meeting that neighbors don't want the land sold, the school district has no use for it and there are interested buyers.

The board agreed to pursue the title search and to have the land appraised.

Santa arriving in East Jordan

EAST JORDAN - Santa's arrival in the city will be by fire engine on Saturday, Dec. 12.

The occasion is the Lions and Lionesses Clubs' annual Christmas party for the children at the Civic Center where Santa will arrive at 10 a.m.

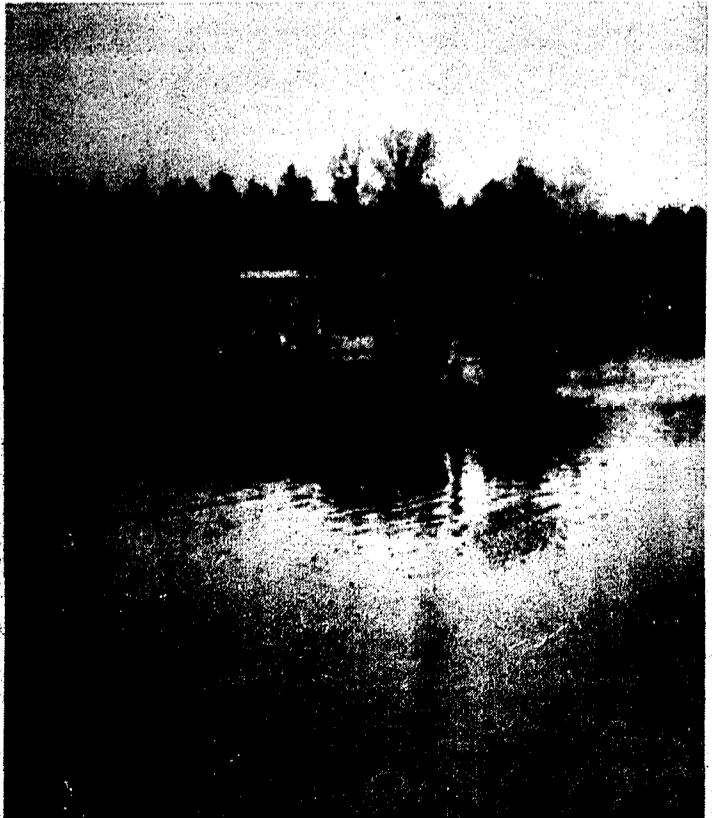
Wendy Bruncel, chairwoman of the event, said parents should take cameras to take pictures of their youngsters as they tell Santa what they want for Christmas.

While the children are waiting for turns to talk to Santa, they will be entertained by a magic show, scheduled for 11 a.m. At 11:30 the Sweet Adelines will sing.

Mrs. Claus will be at the piano, playing carols for a sing-along, and each child will receive a bag of candy.

The party is planned to go till 2 p.m.

Last year, Bruncel said, over 300 children came.



The Huron Ferry will be making its last run of the season at 10 p.m. Friday, Dec. 11. It's been a busy year for the ferry, which crosses the South Arm of Lake Charlevoix between Charlevoix and East Jordan. Nearly 50,000 cars have taken the trip this year. The busiest months were July and August when more than 11,000 cars each month rode the ferry.



The Boyne City Public Library has purchased a number of new books recently, after receiving several large donations. Librarian Janet Waldner, left and library board treasurer Nancy Cunningham, look over some of the new selections. Some of the recent donations have come from the Monday Study Club and from memorials to Charles Phillips and Catherine Jessup. Local resident Lynn Perkins, who died last winter, also left the library \$2,000 in his will, which greatly helped the institution at a time when normal funding is tight, Cunningham said. She pointed out that "Donating money to the library is tax deductible and it's a way to make sure that your state and federal taxes stay in your community." The library has information about donations for anyone who is interested.

BERYL M. DIETZE
Funeral services for Beryl M. Dietze, 80, of Boyne City were held Saturday.

Mrs. Dietze died Dec. 2 at Grandvue Medical Care Facility.

The former Beryl M

Like-new toys needed for Christmas baskets

BOYNE CITY - Like-new toys and games are on the Chamber of Commerce's Christmas list. The Chamber is the drop-off point for toys "in givable condition" executive-director Kate Schafer said. They are needed for children in the area who otherwise would have a bleak Christmas.

While people are cleaning up for the holiday, she said, they could set aside toys that are no longer favorites. These could be left at the Chamber anytime up to Monday, Dec. 14.

McDonald was born Dec. 21, 1900 in Eveline Township.

She attended East Jordan schools and graduated from East Jordan High School. She then attended Charlevoix County Normal and Western Michi-

gan College at Kalamazoo, receiving a teacher's certificate.

On June 10, 1925, she married Alfred Dietze in East Jordan. The couple resided in Beulah, Muskegon and Spring Lake.

They will go into community Christmas Baskets. Further information is available from the Chamber at 582-6222 or from Thelma Behling, 582-6780.

Used Christmas trees will also be put to good use, Schafer said. After the holidays, the Chamber would like used trees to set out on the ice to "landscape" Smeltania for the Winter Festival coming up Jan. 29. Trees that have lost their needles will be used for bonfires.

The Chamber is open till 8 p.m. six days a week and on Sunday till 4 p.m.

Boyne Falls High School Honor Roll

- BOYNE FALLS HONOR ROLL First Nine Weeks**
- SEVENTH GRADE**
Nicole Sparks, Deborah Gillespie, Susan Massey, *Lisa Winhusen, *Beverly Howard, Chanda Ranstadler, *Renee Reynolds, Rebecca Wilson, Rebecca Robinson, Chad Roberson, Gina Crocetti, *Lisa Topolinski, Eileen Fiel.
- EIGHTH GRADE**
James Bearss, Roger Bearss, *Richard Hausler, Kathryn Janke, Carol Jarema, Betty Massey, Diane Massey, Kristen M...r.
- NINTH GRADE**
Kristine Bell, Monique Churchill, Debra Crouterfield, Norman Hausler, Steven Jarema, Kimberly McNew, *William Sparks,
- ROSS PAYTON, Kathleen Sevenski, Collette Sparks, Neil Wasylewski, Joy Wilson, *Mark Williams, Scott Winhusen.**

- What's for lunch at school?**
December 14 to 18
- EAST JORDAN**
Monday - Macaroni & cheese, peanut butter sandwiches, cole slaw, fruit cup
Tuesday - Spaghetti, green beans, apple-sauce, brownies
Wednesday - Tacos, lettuce & cheese, bananas
Thursday - Mashed potatoes, roast turkey, gravy, peaches
Friday - Toastie dogs, catsup, lettuce salad, pears
- BOYNE FALLS**
Monday - Lasagna, green beans, dessert
Tuesday - Fish wedge, tartar sauce, mashed potatoes, saurkraut
Wednesday - Turkey in gravy over rice, buttered corn
Thursday - Hot dogs in buns, cheese slices, buttered peas
Friday - Pizza, salad, carrot sticks
- BOYNE CITY**
Monday - Fish sticks with tartar sauce, crispy potatoes, salad, pineapple
Tuesday - Spaghetti with meat sauce, buttered green beans or buttered corn, pears
Wednesday - Pizza, spinach or cabbage salad, fresh fruit
Thursday - Submarine or assorted sandwiches, peas, dill slices, peaches
Friday - Christmas dinner, and all the trimmings
- Bread and butter and milk served with each meal.

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OPEN DOOR COFFEE HOUSE
A salad luncheon and bazaar will be held from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Friday, Dec. 11, at the coffee house, in the basement of the Masonic Temple in East Jordan. The public is invited.

GRANDVUE AUXILIARY
The auxiliary will host its annual Christmas party for the medical center's patients at 10 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 10.

BOYNE CITY NURSERY
A bake sale will be held by the Boyne City Nursery Center Inc. at Northwestern State Bank, 101 River, from 9:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. Friday, Dec. 11. Proceeds will be used for the Jenny Crain scholarship fund.

SENIOR CITIZENS
Boyne City Senior Citizen center activities for Dec. 15-18 include crafts, dinner and movie on Tuesday, dinner, Bible study and bowling on Wednesday, and bingo on Thursday. SID cards will be taken from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Friday, Dec. 11.

of the Boyne Area Women's Organization at the Country Star Restaurant at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 15.

FRIENDSHIP CENTER
The 14th annual Christmas party and meeting will be held from 2 till 5 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 13, at the center in Petoskey. Price is \$1 for roast beef dinner; bring a dish to pass. There will also be a \$2 gift exchange; men take gift for man, women for woman.

EAST JORDAN SENIORS
A bazaar will be held at the Civic Center from 9 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 10 and 11.

LATTERDAY SAINTS
The Women of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints of East Jordan will have a chicken luncheon from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 10. A bake sale and bazaar will be held the same day.

GIRL SCOUTS
A Christmas play will be held at the East Jordan Elementary School at 7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 18. Troop 287 is sponsoring a Christmas party dance for fifth and sixth graders from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 11, at the elementary school.

Officers elected for Camp Daggett

BAY TOWNSHIP - Officers have been elected for the Camp Daggett board of trustees. R.W. Brummeler has been chosen as president, Mike Rosenow as vice president, Clark Ketchum as secretary and Michael Hills as treasurer.

Other members of the board include Cal Diller and Bud Ashton of East Jordan, Dick Lauterbach of Walloon Lake and Edward Shanahan of Charlevoix. Camp Daggett is a non-profit camp for children of Charlevoix and Emmet counties. It is located near Walloon Lake.

Obituaries

and Mr. Dietze preceded her in death on Aug. 15, 1981.

Mrs. Dietze taught at many schools, including the Loeb School in Charle-

MTA group elects officers

New officers have been selected for the Charlevoix County chapter of the Michigan Townships' Association. They are: Oscar Stroud, Charlevoix Township supervisor, president; Eric Beishlag, Eveline Township clerk, vice-president; Linda Nelson, Wilson Township clerk, treasurer; and Leah Green, Hayes Township trustee, recording secretary.

voix County. She also taught at Fruitport and Coopersville.

She was a member of the Boyne City Presbyterian Church; a member and past matron of the Spring Lake/Grand Haven chapter of the Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include one son, Clare Dietze of Boyne City; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; one brother, Malcolm Dietze of East Jordan; four sisters, Dorothy McDonald of East Jordan, Minnie McDonald, also of East Jordan, Opal McClure of Durand and Katherine Rabb of Windsor, S.C.

WILLIAM J. FINEOUT

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Dec. 2, for William J. Fineout Sr. Fineout, 54, died as the result of an automobile accident Nov. 26 in Belleville, Ill. Fineout was born Aug. 11, 1927, in Boyne City, the son of Raymond and Rose Fineout. He graduated from Boyne City High School and served in the U.S. Navy from January 1945 until July 1946. Fineout is survived by four sons, William Jr., of Scott Air Force Base, Ill., Christopher D. of Milford, Mass., Daniel of Carrollton, Ga., Jonathan of Chanute Air Force Base; three daughters, Mrs. Theresa Arnold of Okeechobee, Fla., Mrs.

TENTH GRADE

Joe Bearss, Tammy Beaudin, Robbi Cousineau, Ronald Crego, *Karen Frankowiak, Ronda Grubaugh.

ELEVENTH GRADE

Edward Bearss, *Mary Foster, *Sharon Frankowiak, Patsy Grubaugh, Marile Hausler, Ricky Howard, Bruce Mahanke, Bambi Mapes, Tangee Serrels, Theresa Sevenski.

TWELFTH GRADE

Robin Beaudin, Bruce Crouterfield, *Steve Floranski, *Patricia Frankowiak, Maureen Harmon, Timothy Mons, Irv Moyer.

Thomas Murray, Sandra Payton, Karen Sevenski, Nanette Shepherd, Karl Theisen, *Melody Wilson.

Kathryn Slocum of Lansing and Julie Fineout of Scott Air Force Base, Ill.; nine grandchildren; one brother, A. C. Fineout of Boyne City; three sisters, Nettie Eva Hopson of Roanoke, Va., Eva Grace Stephenson and Lorraine Robinson, both of Boyne City.

WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION

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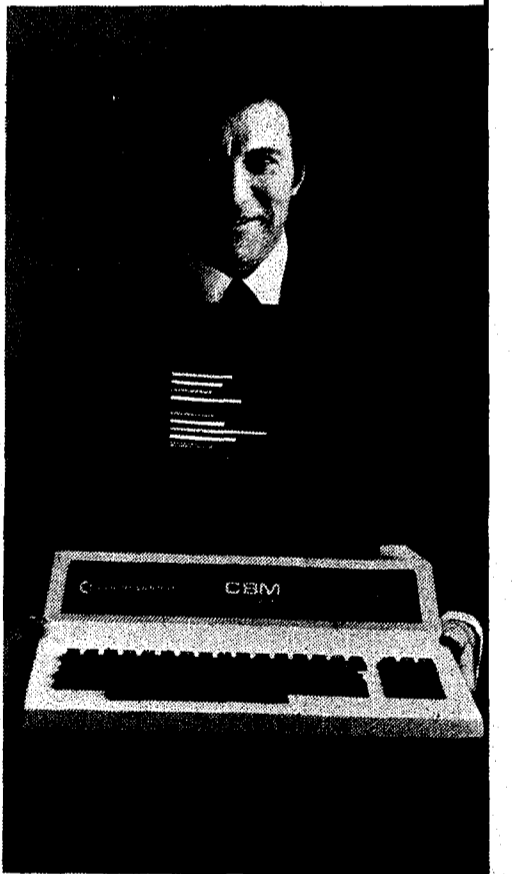
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DNR says 'no' to plan for EJ river dredging

EAST JORDAN - A plan to dredge a swampy area adjacent to the Jordan River in an attempt to improve the habitat has been rejected.

The state Department of Natural Resources has sent a letter of denial to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, which is handling the request of Keith Dressel of Boyne City.

Dressel had asked the Corps for permission to create channels and an island on property he owns between Echo Street and the river.

The Corps is the coordinating agency for requests such as Dressel's. The DNR was one of several agencies involved in determining the feasibility of the request.

"As soon as we get the DNR's denial, we'll deny it, too," said Jim Demunnik of the Corps' general regulatory branch in Detroit.

Demunnik said the Corps generally goes along with a recommendation for denial from a state agency because

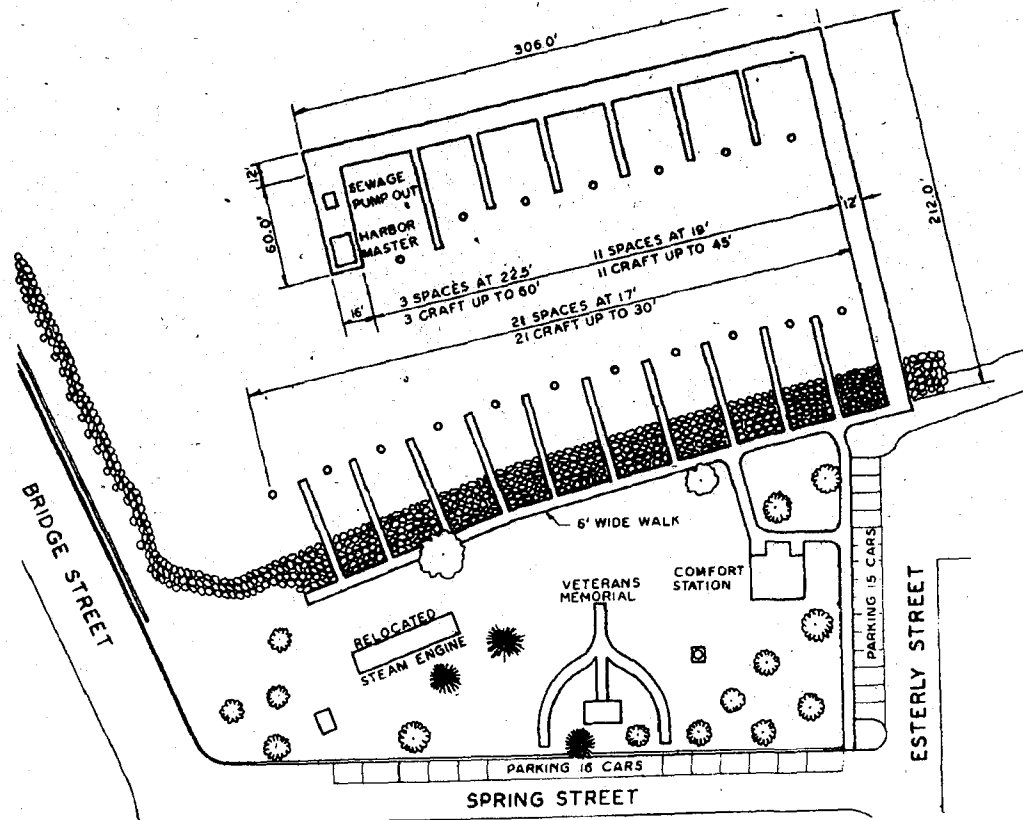
federal approval would be of little value without state approval.

The DNR's rejected the application because Dressel "said he'd improve the habitat and it can't be done, in our opinion," said Ron Brown, a water quality specialist in the DNR's district office in Roscommon.

"That type of wetland is valued for its fish and wildlife habitat," Brown said. "The way the wetlands act is written, this (what Dressel proposed) is a verboten thing."

Dressel had planned to create channels that would form an island between two peninsulas parallel to the river. Further inland, the dredged material would be used to build up property bordering the road.

Dressel's application stated that condominiums would later be put on the built-up property. Dressel said, however, that he had no immediate plans to build there.



This is what the East Jordan marina area would look like if the city can get approximately \$1.2 million from the state Department of Natural Resources to improve the facility. The marina was the main topic of a community dinner Tuesday, Dec. 8, at the Civic Center.

3-year BC contract OK

BOYNE CITY - A three-year contract for non-instructional employees in Boyne City schools was approved Monday, Dec. 7, by the school board.

The contract, already signed by the union—Michigan Education Support Personnel Association (MESPA)—calls for the following:

1981-82 - custodians, 8 percent wage increase plus long-term disability insurance; bus drivers, 8 percent plus long-term disability insurance for those working over 30 hours a week; cooks, 9 percent wage increase; secretaries, 9 percent wage increase.

1982-83 - custodians, 9 percent wage increase plus dental insurance; bus drivers, 9 percent plus dental insurance if working over 30 hours a week; cooks, 9 percent plus long-term disability insurance and dental insurance if working over 30 hours a week; secretaries, the same.

1983-84 - all receiving a 9 percent raise.

The third year also provides binding arbitration and an arrangement whereby the board may call the non-instructional staff in for an additional snow day.

Glue from elementary floor to be tested

BOYNE CITY - The elementary school has a new \$5,300 floor made of vinyl tile, but the problems of the original floor job that was torn up have not yet been resolved.

At a special meeting of the school board Monday, Dec. 7, the board voted to have a chemical laboratory test the glue used on the original Tarkett flooring.

From time to time since it was laid in 1978, repairs had been made. This past summer an inspection was made with those involved in the installation. They found the whole \$11,000 floor was loose. The cause has not been determined.

Accepting the recommendation of the architect for the flooring—which is a rather new product—and accepting a report that the water table is favorable

to installation, the board stated Sept. 15 that it did not think it was responsible for the failure of the Tarkett flooring.

None of the businesses involved in laying the original floor have accepted responsibility. This includes North Kent Wall and Tile Co., the contractor; Elzinga and Volkers, construction managers; Wakely-Kushner, architects; and Tarkett, manufacturers.

The school district has been consulting with a lawyer on the matter.

Spending between \$200 and \$300 to test the glue, board members agreed, would be the best step as the glue appears to be the basis of the difficulty.

The new vinyl floor is satisfactory. Superintendent Rich Kelly said Monday night two small rough spots need correcting.

40-unit apartments proposed in EJ

EAST JORDAN - A proposal for a 40-apartment complex was brought to the city council at its Dec. 1 meeting.

The proposal has been approved by the planning commission.

The apartments, to be distributed through three two-story buildings, are the project of Jerry Rutter, a Lansing developer.

Rutter hopes to purchase the land from Glen's Markets' owner, Glen Catts Realty, with government funding.

He put up a similar complex next to the Glen's Market in Kalkaska.

Access to the property has not been determined. The favored option is a

drive through city-owned property adjacent to Glen's, but this property narrows to 60 feet at Lake Street, six feet short of regulation street width.

The location is presently zoned for commercial use. A hearing will be held Tuesday, Jan. 5, on a proposal to rezone it to multiple housing (R-3). Voting against setting the hearing date was Russ Gee, who said he wanted further study.

The council vote contained a stipulation that the zoning return to commercial within a year if plans fall through.

The apartment complex—called Rue

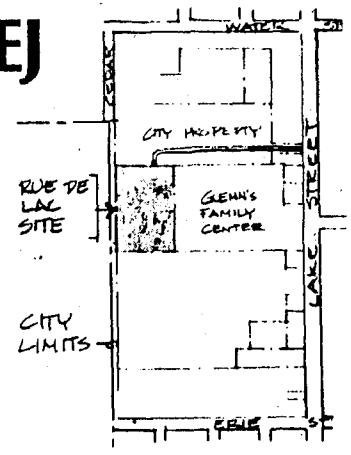
de Lac—covers an area of 389 by 560 feet, most of which will be open space.

It includes one-bedroom and two-bedroom apartments, five barrier-free apartments in two long buildings, and one smaller apartment house.

Contained in the L-shaped plan is a parking area for about 100 vehicles.

The location is between Erie and Water Streets with the back boundary on a line with Cedar Street.

City approval of the site plan would be required following approval of the zoning changes.



Fern Morris, East Jordan Clerk-Treasurer, visited recently with State Senator Mitch Irwin in the Senate Chambers.

Christmas show

BOYNE CITY - The high school's "Sixth Annual Christmas Show" will be presented at 8 p.m. Monday, Dec. 14, and Wednesday, Dec. 16.

Tickets are \$1.50 and are available at the high school and elementary school. A limited number will also be available at the door.

Participating in the show are the high school band, jazz band, 1:30-2:30 p.m. elementary choir and the drama department.

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Julie and Jeff Bradford accompanied Nancy Anthony to Grand Rapids over the weekend to visit her husband Jim Anthony.

The evening group of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints church women held their Christmas party at the home of Eleanor West.

Mrs. Nancy Shepherd is a patient at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

The Laff-A-Lot Club met at the Litzenger Place with their noon luncheon followed with games of bunco. Dorothy Nowland won bunco, Naomi Davis won low prize and Juanita Miller won high prize. Next meeting will be at the home of Naomi Davis on Dec. 18, for the club's Christmas party.

Women's Missionary Fellowship International of the Free Methodist Church went Christmas caroling to the Litzenger Apartments and returned to fellowship hall for a Christmas party and gift exchange.

Mrs. Blanche Moblo is now a resident of Reus Memorial Center in Petoskey.

East Jordan Past Noble Grands met at the home of Eleanor Scott for a noon potluck and Christmas party with gift exchange.

Emil and Janet Barry of Lowell, Mass., were here last week visiting their daughter Pauline and Paul Archambault and family.

Wade Jenkins of Standish visited his

mother Ann Jenkins and enjoyed an afternoon of skiing.

Kristen, Karen and Nicholas Anthony spent the weekend with grandparents, Jean and Bill Korthase. Brianne and Andrea Korthase were also there.

Bingo winners at the Boyne City Senior Center were Evelyn Stebbins, Bill Hadix, Eunice Burnell, Goldie Harrelson and Rose Reinhardt. Door prize was won by W. H. White.

Heidi Korthase celebrated her 15th birthday with four classmates as guests, following the Harbor Springs basketball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hocquard of Lansing visited his mother, Mrs. Cora Hocquard.

Randy Hardy was a surgical patient this week at Northern Michigan Hospital and is in Room 228.

Mrs. Judy Planck and daughter Pamela and Glenda Planck spent the weekend in Roseville visiting Mrs. Jessie Padgett at the home of the James Socia family.

Tim Roof returned home Saturday after having back surgery at Northern Michigan Hospital.

The Christian Community Singles met at the Christ Lutheran Church. Discussion was held following a tape of Keith Miller. The next meeting will be a Christmas party Friday, Dec. 18, at 7:30 p.m.



E. J. Chatterings

with Millie Walden 536-2381

Girl Scout Troop 306 members have earned the food farming fiber badge. Scouts who received their badge are Kim MacEachern, Carrie Bellinger, Julia Brunett, Denise Czarnecki, Dulice Gee and Cathie Carson. Julia Brunett and Kim MacEachern will also receive badges for horse lovers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Deitrich, Jenny and Jason of Hibbing, Minn., spent Thanksgiving with Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Dietrich in East Jordan and his brother and families, Bill of Charlevoix, Rick of East Jordan and Kevin who attends Northwestern Michigan College.

Mrs. Alma Prause and Mrs. Albert Walden had a surprise supper for Mrs. Alfred Walden.

Brian Stanek left Nov. 25 for Fort Dix, N.J., for basic training in the National

Guard. Jeff Stanek is stationed in Detroit in the Coast Guard. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stanek.

On Nov. 24 Lillian Hampton was visited by her granddaughter Kelly Looze, and her mother. On Nov. 27 Namoni, Ted, Julia and five great granddaughters also paid Lillian a visit. And on Dec. 1 Lois Rose also visited her mother.

Hi Country entertained the patients at Grandvue. Leo Miller, Andy Miller, John Elzinga and George the drummer are the players in the band. Andy Miller is going to Wyoming for awhile.

The patients of Grandvue were treated to a song and music festival on Thanksgiving. Mike from Charlevoix sang and played the guitar and mouth organ.

School calendar

Dec. 10-19
BOYNE CITY
Dec. 14 - Elementary school Title I Open House all day.
Dec. 14 - School board meeting at 7:30 p.m.
Dec. 14 and 16 - Elementary choir and high school drama class Christmas Show on the elementary school stage at 8 p.m.
Dec. 16 - High school progress reports go out.
Dec. 17 - Mrs. Ekstrom's third grade play performances: 10:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m.
Dec. 17 - Administrators' meeting.
Dec. 18 - Juniors sponsoring a Christmas dance after the game till 1 p.m.

BOYNE FALLS
Dec. 11 - Band will distribute Farm Bureau fruit.
Dec. 11 - Senior spaghetti dinner—all-you-can eat—from 5-6:30 p.m.
Dec. 12 - P.T.O. Christmas Crafts, 1-3:30 p.m.
Dec. 17 - Senior cakewalk at 5 p.m.

EAST JORDAN
Dec. 11-18 - Progress reports.
Dec. 14 - Elementary school picture retakes.
Dec. 17 - Christmas Concert by high school and middle school at 8 p.m. in the high school.
Dec. 18 - Middle school cheerleaders' dance.

5 from county on new state ballot panel

Five Charlevoix County residents have been appointed to a state-wide committee supporting a proposed constitutional amendment that would shorten Michigan's election ballot.

Named to the Northwest Michigan Citizens for an Improved Ballot steering com-

mittee by Lt. Gov. James Brickley were Oral Sutliff of Boyne City and Joan Burkey, Don Hufford, Roy Hayes and Tom Erber, all of Charlevoix.

The proposed amendment calls for the appointment by the governor, rather than election, of supreme court justices, appeals

court judges, state board of education members, and members of the governing boards of Michigan State University, Wayne State University and the University of Michigan. More than 400,000 petition signatures must be obtained statewide to place the proposal on the 1982 ballot.

A 50th wedding anniversary party was held Friday, Dec. 4, for Clive and Ruby Volloch of Boyne City. About 18 people attended the dinner at the Granary. Clive, 75, and Ruby, 74, were married Dec. 4, 1931, in Detroit. He is a retired accountant who is active in the Boyne Valley Lions.

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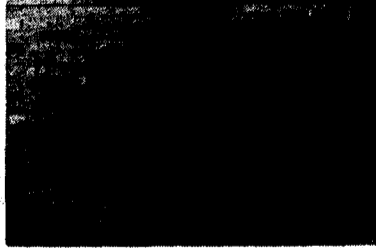
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Opinions

Snow job is matter of attitude

The snow job. We get it everywhere we go. It's a matter of attitude. "As soon as the skiers and the snowmobilers hit the trails, business will be good again." "As soon as the snowplow drivers start working overtime, the good life will return to Boyne Country." There's a myth about Charlevoix County—and the rest of northwestern Michigan's resort area. That myth is that the business climate has just two seasons—sunny summer and white winter. In between, nothing.

So many people believe that's the way it has to be that it has become a way of life. So many people that's the way it has to be, it has become a way of life. Maybe 20 or 30 years ago—even 10—the area was not capable of supporting itself between the two big tourist seasons. But that isn't the case now. The 1980 census—taken on April 1, 1980—counted 20,000 full-time residents in the county. April 1—midway between the summer Fudgies and the winter Snowbunnies.

These are 20,000 permanent residents who have money to spend year-round, who are looking for a bargain from a neighbor, whose patronage should be the first concern of shopkeepers. But too many store owners are keeping their eyes on the roads from the south, waiting for the "down-staters" to bring their money up north. They aren't merchandising to attract loyal, local shoppers. They aren't merchandising to keep their friends and neighbors from going to Petoskey, Traverse City or Gaylord to do their shopping.

"As soon as the snow starts piling up, things will pick up around here." If businessmen have the attitude that nobody wants to buy, they won't buy. If they don't try to drum up business, it won't increase. And if potential customers think local businesses aren't interested in them, they go elsewhere. It's not the absence of snow that makes business slow. It's not high unemployment. It's the attitude that things are bad...and that's the way it was meant to be. But that's not the way it has to be.

Barbara Cruden

Marshall Sayles

Taking a quick trip to the moon

A trip to Boulder, Colo., seems like a journey through foreign lands. Possibly a journey to the moon.

That's the way the Great Plains seemed on a recent trip out West.

And being alone without a radio or a watch made it seem even more other-worldly.

I had expected to be stunned by the sight of the Rockies—one always is.

But I was stunned too by the vast, rough, brown, unusable-looking land in western Nebraska and eastern Colorado.

Stunned also by the even more vast sky with huge, tonado-shaped clouds, and clouds that seemed to be draining down like dripping paint. And huge masses of purple cloud that appeared to be boiling, only the bubbles were on the bottom.

I had never before seen the plains nor the sky over the plains from ground level. From my eastern, well-treed experience, the treeless land seemed untamed.

I thought what remarkable people must live here, defenseless under the huge sky. But I hardly saw any people—or any barns or houses.

After hours of utter solitude, it began to seem strange there was really a road here on the moon. And it was a bit of a shock once to come over a barren hill to see a huge, yellow Stuckey's billboard.

In summer it must have provided the only shade for miles for the few cows, typically roaming about.

Sometimes I'd see baled hay piled high in the middle of nowhere—probably for winter cafeterias for the cows, no barns being around. Strange, when so much of the land seemed too poor to be growing hay.

Where I did see corn or winter wheat grown, 200 or 300-foot long sprinklers mounted on wheels were present. (There are similar sprinklers near Gaylord.)

Dragging one end around by tractor necessarily makes for a circular field as the sprinklers are moved to new positions.

From the air, coming home, I could see hundreds of these circle fields—looking like gold coins laid on a brown table.

Wild as the land usually seemed from the highway, from the air it was clear almost all of it is staked out in squares or circles. The Great Plains are actually quite domesticated.

There and in Iowa (which wasn't flat as I'd always supposed), all but two

corn fields had been disked over rather than plowed.

Clearly this is in response to the high loss of topsoil from wind erosion, especially out there where a pretty good velocity can be cranked up to whirl down Iowa's mile-long fields, plowed, and lying open to the winds.

But disking instead of plowing must mean a lot of herbicide to kill the weeds. It also means a lot of soil-compacting under the wheels of tractors with no plows to turn the soil over.

Justus VonLiebig, a German chemist, started the whole problem in 1840 with the notion of chemical fertilizers.

Because of him, farmers have practically ceased to build the soil with organic matter. Only here and there farmers still empty their cow barns into their fields, or a nurseryman prevails on a city to dump on his land the leaves vacuumed up from the streets.

Deeply organic soil can be plowed in the spring with so many other advantages over chemical farming that there is only room here to list them.

Briefly, they are: soil held over the winter by root mulching, bacteria development nourished, plowing and decomposing allowed, bigger crops obtained, no herbicide and probably no pesticides needed.

About these last, a microbiologist at Pennsylvania State University, Jean-Marc Bollag, reports that from work he and his colleagues have done, it appears we may very likely be making new chemicals in the soil out of the chemicals accumulating there from pesticide and herbicide sprays.

Bollag points out we don't know what damage such new chemicals could do. We could be making endless chemical waste dumps out of our farmland.

Maybe make the place really like the moon.

In 1945 J.I. Rodale published his book, *Pay Dirt*, that demonstrated we should devise means to farm with nature, not chemicals.

We don't because of commercial

concerns—big chemical companies. Though overpowering, their reasoning holds no more water than does chemicalized soil.

So I continue to root for Rodale and for organic farming. And while I'm at it—for solar power, too. Naturally.

We encourage your letters to the Editor. Please be brief (300 words or less). All letters must carry the signature of the writer, but names may be withheld depending upon circumstances.

Editor,

Let's catch up on a few loose ends before the close of the year.

First off, I am sorry your columnist—Marshall Sayles—has suffered embarrassment by having some people think he authored my letters to the editor. There's not a bit of truth to it. I do all my own zinging.

He is absolutely right, however, when

Boyer City is great place to live

Editor,

On Saturday evening about 10 p.m., I walked downtown with my dog, Halifax. We walked over by Bob's Pharmacy and bought a newspaper. Headline "Reagan to let CIA spy in US." Now what does that mean? Oh, well, the sports section. "Long is hurt, Pistons lose 5th in a row." I was drawn to a nearby light post to read the fine print.

Suddenly I stopped and took a look around. What a beautiful sight. It sure felt nice and comfortable. The new lamp

posts with their light made it so warm and inviting. The town looked great. I thought how proud I am to be a part of Boyne City. How happy I am to have the opportunity to live here.

Thank you city manager and all of you untiring city commissioners for the foresight you have had in making Boyne City a great place to live. Your work borders on greatness.

P.S. I vote for taking down the old lamp posts, just leaving the new.

Gary Schafer

Park service buying land it can't develop

BY BOB DAVIS
Congressman, 11th District
The actual cost of land acquired by the National Park Service ranges from 60 to 400 percent higher than the figures provided to Congress for debate on approving the purchases.

This startling fact was reported this week by the inspector general of the U.S. Department of Interior.

The results of a study of NPS land acquisition practices uncovered evidence that the Park Service intentionally misrepresented these land acquisition costs to Congress, but the inspector general said there is no evidence that these much higher cost estimates ever reached Congress in time to be used in debate before legislative action was taken.

A good example used in the study results was the 1978 establishment of the Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area in California. Congress authorized creation of the new park with a land acquisition ceiling of \$155 million. The review showed the NPS cost estimates to range from \$242 million to \$675 million.

Also in 1978, Congress authorized the NPS to spend \$29 million to expand the boundaries of a recreation area in Ohio.

Even before approval of the expansion was given, the NPS spent \$20 million of the \$29 million to pay for land within the old boundaries.

The Park Service now estimates that it will take a total of \$166.1 million to purchase all the authorized lands.

For some time now I have voiced my concerns that the National Park Service is spending too much money buying even more land, and not having enough funds to develop the land they already have.

We've witnessed this at Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore near Munising. When the park was created in 1965, the plan called for 650 campsites and an access road to be constructed. Now, 16 years later, there is no road and a total of 39 campsites—the same number as when the park first opened.

I am pleased to see that this study has brought this problem into the open, and I hope steps will be taken to see that this practice stops.

The department said companion studies of park boundary problems and the treatment of landowners will be completed early next year. These studies also will be relevant to our problems at Pictured Rocks, and I look forward to analyzing the results.

It's not the clothes that don't fit, it's the women

long, satisfying "Ah!" And I got to wondering. Why didn't she buy a pair that didn't hurt her feet? So I made bold to ask her just that. "I can't," she protested. "They don't make the right size shoes any more."

I covered my mouth so she couldn't

hear me talking to myself. "It's women's feet that are odd sizers, not the shoes." And I withheld a strong desire to ask why women refuse to buy a pair of shoes unless they pinch just right. (I've often withheld a strong desire to ask women stuff like that.)

This odd-size phenomenon happens not only in shoe stores, but also in the clothing departments. As soon as a rack is filled with a nice, fresh selection of size 36's, along comes a woman in need of a 36 and seven sixteenths. Nothing in the store fits and she gets to thinking that the manufacturer has turned out a batch of culls. Which, of course, is not true. All shoes and clothes are made to the correct size. It's the women. The country is full of odd-sized women.

(I have this on good authority from a salesman who asked that his name not be used for fear he would be hung in effigy or, worse yet, in Boyne Falls. He finds it passing strange that businessmen haven't lobbied Congress to pass laws requiring bureaucratic regulations calling for standard-sized women, except in hardship cases, of course.)

But no laws have been passed. Nor will be passed. Nor dare be passed. That's because it is not politically safe for a congressman to fiddle with a woman's shape. (Those who have done it were kicked out, wrote a book about it and made a mint.)

So women will continue to protrude willy-nilly in all the lovely and attractive places, regardless of the hand-wringing need for uniformity.

Oh, oh. My wife just read this. She thinks that while I was fishing around for a subject to write about, I caught something out of season that should be thrown back immediately.

Immediately, mind you.

Letters

Columnist straddles fence well

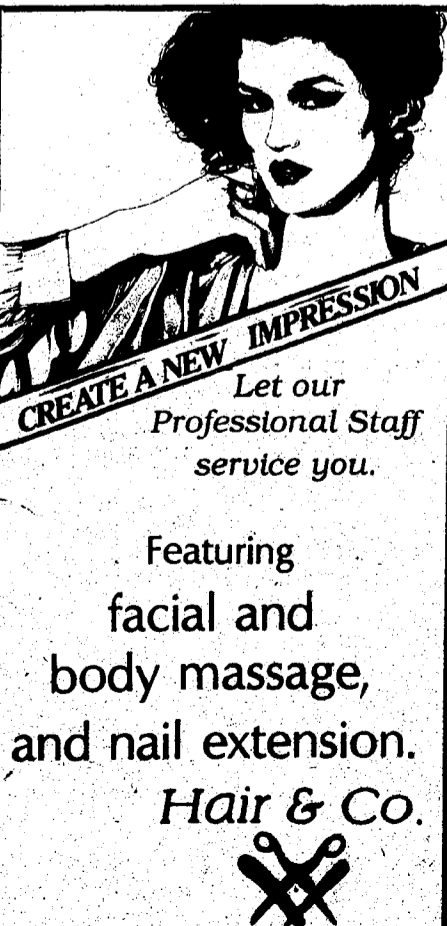
Some people now feel he made a serious mistake. Perhaps he did.

Since then you columnist has spent most of his time scampering along the top rail, jumping hither and yon, waiting for the dust to settle so he can hit the ground on the right side and still be belly side up. He has the old straddling trick really fine tuned. Even so I still like him. After all he is family, you know.

Next—Art Gibbs lavishes praise on all the chiefs involved in the Water Street project. Let's hear something for the Indians, Art—you know the taxpayers who are paying for it. It would be a cold day in Hell before the merchants would foot the bill.

Finally I need some help in getting the names of some of the cities that have similar designated streets under similar conditions as Water Street. I would be happy to go and have a look-see for myself and ask a few questions. I am willing to be convinced.

Everett K. Sayles
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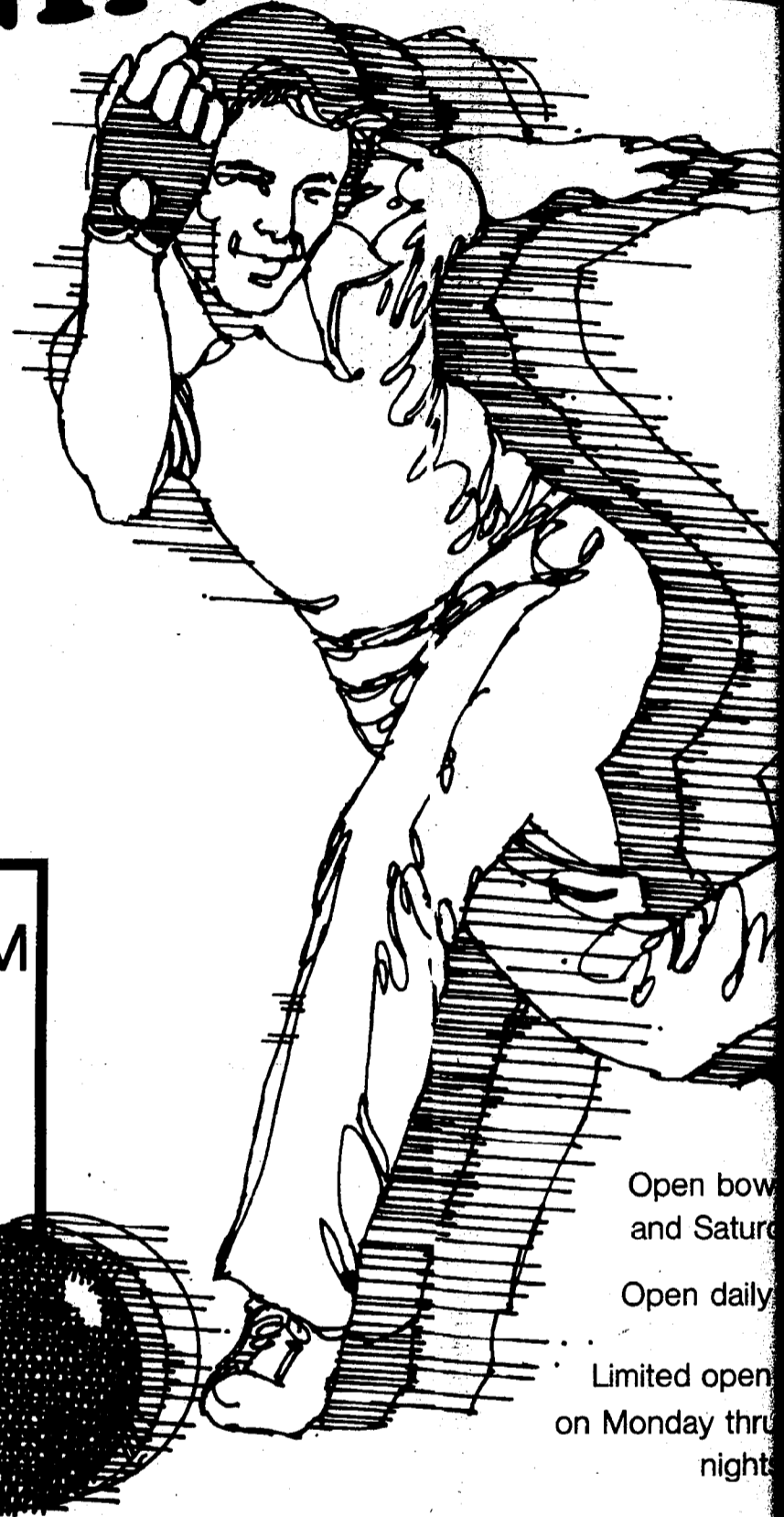
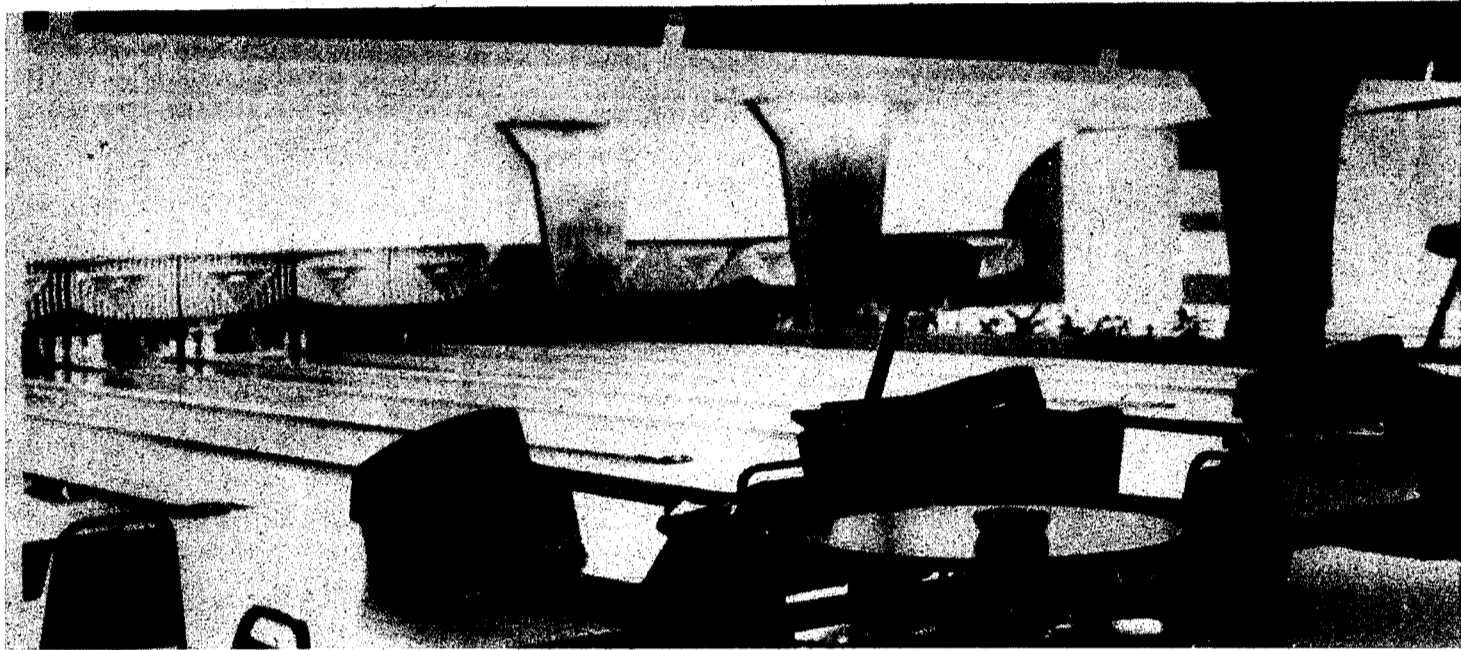
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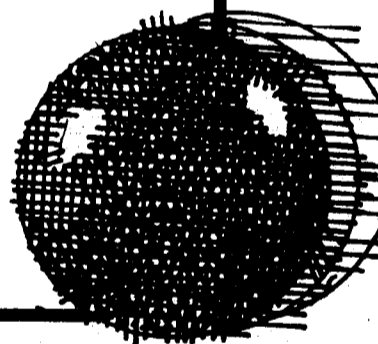
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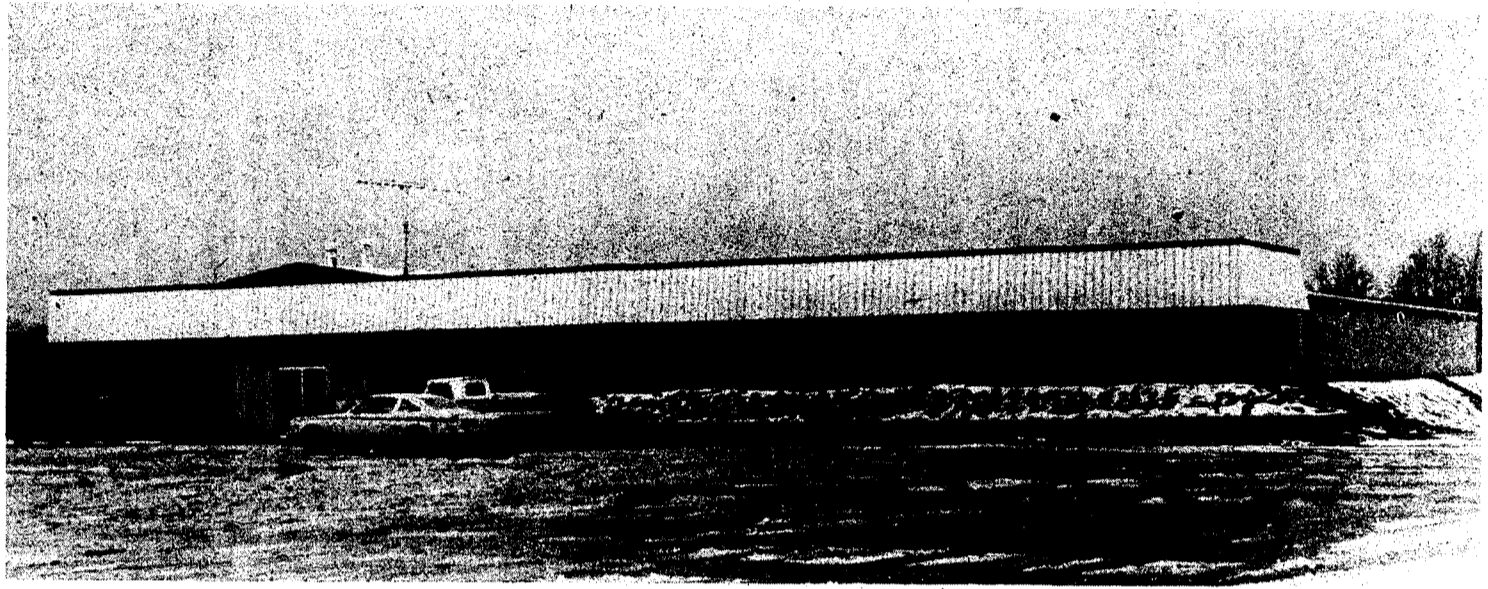
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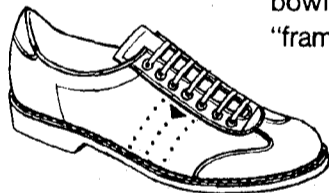
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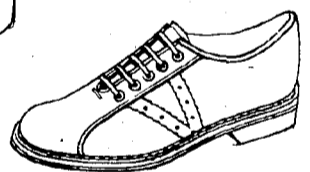


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Castle Farms suit dismissal upheld

LANSING - Dismissal of a lawsuit filed against the operators of the Castle Farms outdoor theater by the Statler Brothers singing group has been upheld by the state Court of Appeals.

The suit was thrown out of Charlevoix County Circuit Court by Judge Martin Breighner when two of the members of the group refused to attend the trial in June 1980.

They had said it would be inconvenient to attend the trial because they would miss performances elsewhere. Breighner ruled the presence of their agent was not sufficient.

The Statler Brothers had filed suit in August 1978 against Arthur and Erwina Reibel, owners and operators of the theater near Charlevoix.

They were seeking \$15,000 from the Reibels because a concert was cancelled two days before it was to take place.

Breighner had ordered Harold and Don Reid of the group to appear for trial, but they sent their agent instead. The country-western group is based in North Carolina.

Tree lighting ceremony set

BOYNE CITY - The community Christmas celebration and tree lighting sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and Girl Scouts will be held at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Dec. 14. The event will include

caroling, tree trimming and refreshments. The tree will be located next to the Chamber office.

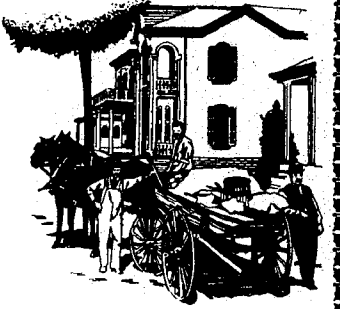
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Boyne City won't lose alley made into park

BOYNE CITY - Public complaints about the closing of a downtown alley have prompted a response from the city attorney.

The front end of the alley between Schafer's and Great Lakes Energy Systems on Water Street is being converted into a park-like area.

The alley was closed under an agreement with the two businesses as part of the Water Street renovation, city manager Tim Clifton said.

City attorney William McTaggart told city commissioners at their Tuesday, Nov. 24 meeting, the action was legal because the city has the right to do what it thinks best with streets and alleys, as long as free passage is not denied to anyone needing the access.

An alley behind the stores provides that access, Clifton said.

McTaggart's written opinion said there is no need to be concerned the city would lose its right to return the alley to traffic should it ever be desirable to do so.

City ownership of an alley that has been publicly used continues regardless of how long the alley is then put to other uses. Only the legal process of vacating the land by vote of the city commissioners can change that, he said.

Publicly expressed concern was that the city would lose the alley, and it would become property to be divided between the adjacent property owners.

Electric co-ops self-insured

LANSING - The Michigan Department of Labor has approved the self-insurance program of the Michigan Electric Cooperative Association and participating rural electric cooperatives.

MECA General Manager Ray Kuhl said the self-insurance program is expected to save participating cooperatives tens of thousands of dollars a year.

Rural electric co-ops

McTaggart's review of the city code indicates that is not possible.

A resident attending the commission meeting said foot and bicycle uses of the alley are still feasible.

He also said he appreciated the effect of the miniature park, created by fencing off and landscaping the passageway.

City police have noted that blocking the alley to automobile traffic will have the added effect of preventing drivers from avoiding the traffic light by ducking into the alley to come out on Lake Street.

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Sport in the area

Red Devils are tripped up in Season opener

EAST JORDAN - The Red Devils suffered a 74-52 loss to visiting Onaway on Friday night.

"It was the first game of the year and we played a little sloppy," said East Jordan coach Bill Chase.

After the first quarter, East Jordan was down by only two points, 12-10.

In the second quarter, Onaway outscored the Red Devils 22-8 and jumped to a 34-18 halftime lead.

The deficit was too much for the Red Devils to overcome, as Onaway held a 49-31 advantage at the end of the third quarter and coasted to a 74-52 win.

"They're a quick team," said Chase, referring to the number of fast breaks Onaway capitalized on.

The coach said his team had a cold second quarter and a case of "first-

game jitters."

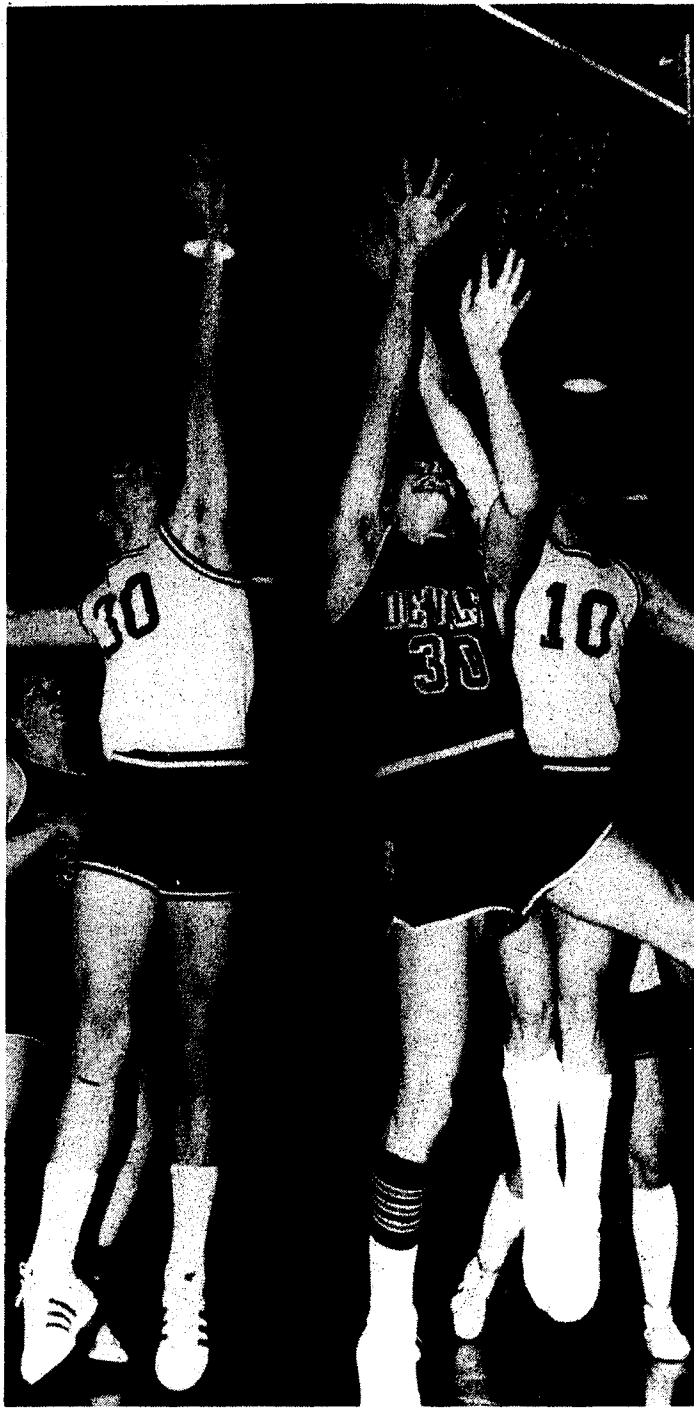
"We lacked a team leader," Chase added. "We lost a lot of seniors to graduation last year, and the new guys coming up will have to learn to take control on the floor."

Chase commended Brad Mayhew and Doug Peck, who he said played a great defensive game.

Peck came off the bench to lead the Red Devils in scoring with 12 points. Junior Bob Finch added 9 points and grabbed 11 rebounds. Todd Ingalls had seven rebounds.

From the free throw line, East Jordan hit 10 of 17 compared to Onaway's 12 of 27. But the big difference came in field goals. Onaway put in 31 shots from the floor, 10 more than East Jordan did.

The Red Devils will meet Wolverine at home Friday, Dec. 11.



Todd Chanda of East Jordan fights off two Onaway players in battle for a rebound Friday night. The Red Devils came away 74-52 losers in their season opener.

Boyne Ramblers clip Harbor Springs

HARBOR SPRINGS - The Boyne City Ramblers held off highly touted Harbor Springs 69-67 Friday night.

Harbor Springs came off a 22-3 record of last year with six top players returning and is expected to have one of the toughest teams in the area again this year.

At the end of each quarter, the margin between the two teams was never greater than four points.

The Ramblers led 19-16 at the end of the first quarter and 35-32 at the half.

In the third quarter, Boyne outscored the Rams by one point, increasing their lead 54-50.

Harbor Springs threatened in the last quarter, but a Rambler stall ate up some time off the clock and held off the Rams.

All-conference selection Brian Vroman led Boyne, shooting almost 60 percent from the floor. He connected on 12 field goals and three of three free throws, for 27 points. Vroman also grabbed 12 rebounds.

Senior John Tompkins tossed in 19 points and hauled down 16 rebounds, followed by Ken Wilson with 11 points.

Rambler coach Bob Taylor praised junior Brad Musser, who came off the bench to turn in a fine game and score eight points.

Taylor said the team looked good fundamentally. "It was a typical season opener. We made a few mistakes, but overall I think the guys played a good game."

"We really needed the win at Harbor to get us off to a good start and prepare for Charlevoix."

Taylor named John Tompkins as defensive player of the week.

"John ran the full 32 minutes and played an excellent game at both ends of the floor," Taylor said. "He did a super job on the boards and blocked some key shots."

The Ramblers first home game will be Friday, Dec. 11, when they take on the strong Grayling team. Grayling has accumulated an impressive 34-10 record over the last two years.

Two from BC on all-state list

BOYNE CITY - Two members of the Boyne City football team have received all-state honorable mention from the Detroit Free Press.

Martin Neumann was one of just six

centers receiving honorable mention. Todd Rickard was named as one of the state's top high school running backs. He gained 960 yards during the eight-game season.

EAST JORDAN BRIDGE

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Bowling scores and standings

Jordan Valley Ladies' League

Dec. 1	
E.J. Shop	34 22
American Leg.	34 22
Madelyn's	32 24
Dave's Mobil	32 24
Bartlett's	31 25
The Landing	30 26
J. V. Concrete	26 30
John Best A.	26 30
J. V. Texaco	26 30
Mary's Catering	24 32
Chuck's Place	22 34
Watson's Air.	19 37

High Game	
Judy Rebec	197
Vicki Cutler	189
Debbie Warner	187

High Series	
Debbie Warner	529
Judy Rebec	476
Marilyn Brown	473

Coffee Cup League

Dec. 1	
Rainbow Bar	35 17
Jordan Heating	28 23 1/2
Petrie Con.	27 25
The Ins. Shop	22 30
Ted's Serv.	22 30
E. J. Co-op	21 1/2 30 1/2

High Series	
Florence Gok	531
Shirley Petrie	494
Ethel Wilson	483

High Game	
Ethel Wilson	197
Shirley Petrie	192
Florence Gok	191
Helen Howes	108

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Courter	206 184
Sears	192 1/2 197 1/2
NWSB	184 1/2 205 1/2
Masters	171 219
Bob's Phar.	179 1/2 210 1/2
Schafer's	154 236
Country St.	113 277

High Games	
Rita Moody	208
Phyllis Cotanche	202
Leona Stanek	195

High Series	
Leona Stanek	519
Phyllis Cotanche	502
Kay Karbowski	483

Bowling Dec. 2	
#4 Eichler	28 20
#1 Bennett	26 1/2 21 1/2
#2 Walden	23 25
#3 Barber	18 1/2 29 1/2

Men's High Game

J. Wilson	166 161
J. Bennett	160
H. Goebel	156

Women's High Series	
F. Looze	413
R. Iverson	406
M. Walden	393

Women's High Game	
M. Walden	163
F. Looze	154
R. Iverson	149

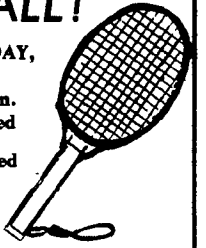
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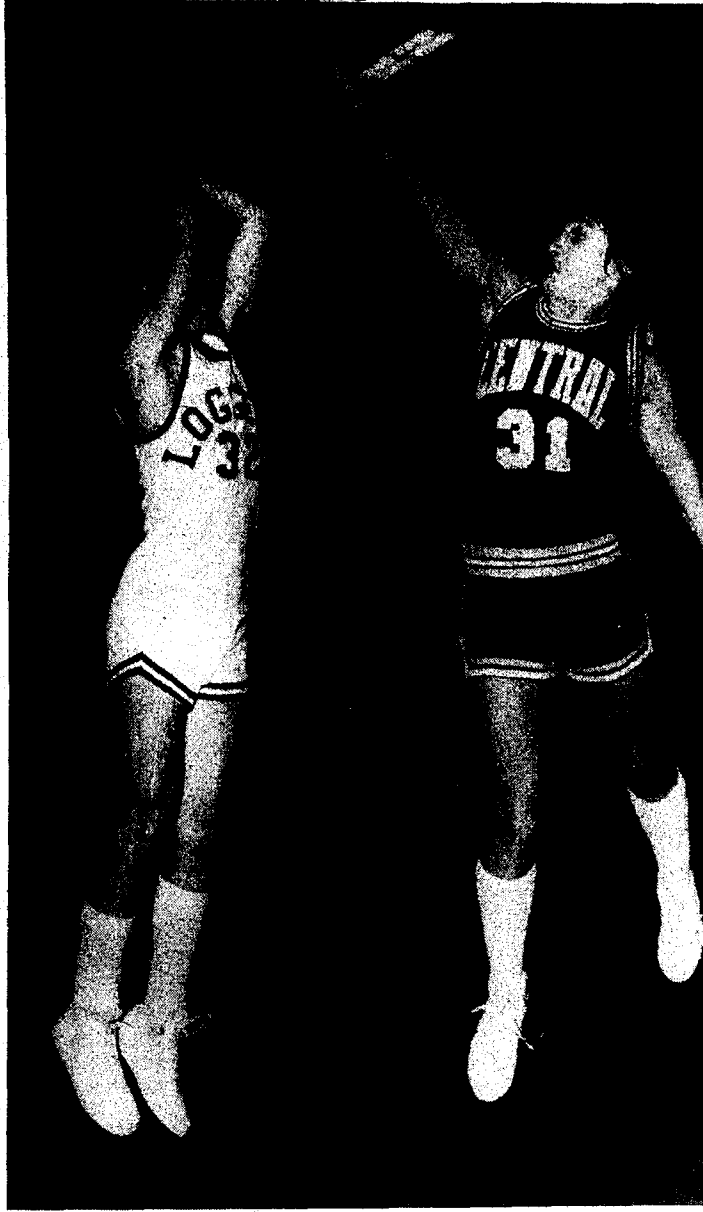
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Bruce Crouterfield goes up for a shot in the Loggers' one-point victory over Mt. Clemens Cardinal Mooney. Crouterfield scored eight points in the victory.

Experience may pay off for BC wrestlers

BY SCOTT PAQUETTE

BOYNE CITY - The Ramblers' new wrestling coach, Roger Korthase, is optimistic about the season, which began Tuesday.

Last season was one of rebuilding for the Rambler grapplers, with seven letter winners from the previous year's exceptional team lost to graduation.

The freshmen—and sophomore—dominated team failed to win a dual meet, but did have some fine finishes at tournaments in Glen Lake and Rogers City.

Korthase believes last year's young team gained valuable experience and will produce great results this season.

Returning lettermen are senior Scott Elzinga, junior Doug Kenyon and sophomore Joey Gregware.

Team captain Elzinga, will be entering his third year and wrestling in the 112-pound class, after finishing with a .500 season last year.

Also going into their third year are Kenyon, who will be wrestling in the 145-pound group, and Gregware, at 132 pounds.

The Ramblers will miss sophomore Mitch Kruzel, who is the last of a long line of Kruzel brothers who have been excellent wrestlers.

Last year, Kruzel was the first Rambler grappler ever to advance to the regionals as a freshman. He finished second in the conference meet and third in the districts and regionals. Kruzel will not be able to wrestle this season because of a football injury.

Other members of the team include seniors Mike Crawford (119-pound division), Steve Kenyon (167 or 185-pound), Rick Nelson (126-pound), and Mike Milks (99 or 105-pound).

Sophomore Bill Fortune (155-pound), and freshmen Larry McBee (155 or 167-pound), Ray Stolt (185 or 198-pound), Dave Wandrie (138-pound), and Dave McPherson (155 or 167-pound), round out the team.

Korthase said sophomore Larry Wil-



The 1981 Rambler wrestling team starts its season this week. They are, front row from left, Rick Nelson, Doug Kenyon, Kenyon, Larry McBee, Joe Gregware, Dave Wandrie, Bill Scott Elzinga, Mike Crawford and Ray Stolt. Back row, assistant coach Don Marshall, Dave McPherson, Steve Kenyon, Larry McBee, Joe Gregware, Dave Wandrie, Bill Fortune and coach Roger Korthase. Missing is Mike Milks.

liams may join the team at a later date to wrestle in the 167 or 185-pound class.

Korthase believes Boyne's strength will be found in the lighter weight classes. The Ramblers have three seniors occupying these classes, which are usually filled by younger freshmen or sophomores.

"Our goal early in the season," said Korthase, "is attempting to fill out all the weight classes and avoid costly forfeits."

"If, for instance, we had to forfeit four classes," the coach explained, "we would automatically be 24 points down from the very start."

Korthase, along with assistant coaches Don Marshall, Chris Fair and Jim Raber, will be trying to get seventh and eighth graders involved in wrestling.

The coach would like to have them

practice with the varsity, learn the basic moves and maybe put together some middle school tournaments with other area schools such as Petoskey or Charlevoix.

"I'm excited about the conference match to be held in Boyne City this February," said Korthase. "This is

something that Boyne has been trying to get for the last eight years."

Korthase foresees Petoskey, Rogers City and possibly St. Ignace as the schools to beat this year.

The Ramblers will meet Rogers City and Onaway at Onaway on Thursday, Dec. 10.

Last-minute basket gives Loggers victory

BOYNE FALLS - A basket by Tim Smith with one second left gave the Loggers a thrilling 46-45 win over Mt. Clemens Cardinal Mooney on Friday.

The non-conference game was the first of the season for both teams.

Boyer Falls started a little slow, as Mt. Clemens jumped to a 16-10 first quarter lead.

But in the second quarter, the Loggers narrowed the gap to just two points, trailing 28-26 at the half.

Each team scored nine points in the third quarter and Cardinal Mooney still held a slight edge, 37-35, going into the final eight minutes.

As in the three previous quarters, both teams showed aggressive defense and plenty of hustle in the fourth period.

Down by a point and with only seconds remaining, Logger coach Dale Reinhardt called a time-out to set up an inbounds play.

The play was not executed perfectly, with Norm Mahanke's inbounds pass going off the hands of at least one defender, but center Smith made the bucket with one second left, to give the Loggers the 46-45 victory.

Reinhardt was pleased with the results of the first game, noting that

Cardinal Mooney played a type of game that was new to the Loggers.

"We didn't really know what to expect from Mt. Clemens," said Reinhardt. "They were selective in their shooting, attempting to work the ball inside for good shots from the key. It was quite different than the run-and-gun style of offense that we're used to seeing from the teams we meet in this area. But we made adjustments well to their style of game and pulled it out."

Reinhardt's team also handled Mt. Clemens' tight defense without a major number of turnovers.

Smith had a big night, pouring in 24

points. Most of them came on free throws, as the junior made 16 of 20 from the line.

Bruce Crouterfield added eight points.

Smith and Crouterfield also led the Loggers in rebounding, with 18 and 10, respectively.

In junior varsity action, it was another close game, with Mt. Clemens coming out on top 30-28. Kurt Carson paced the Loggers with 10 points.

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On the 12th, the Lionesses will give their Santa party for children from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
The floor work, Berlo said, will run from Dec. 19 to 26.
There will be skating on Thursday nights till 9 p.m. for middle school students, she said.
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File No. 81-05708DO
Jacque D. Healey, Plaintiff,
vs.
Robert W. Healey, Defendant.

On November 12th, 1981, an action was filed by Jacque D. Healey, Plaintiff, against Robert W. Healey, Defendant, in this Court to obtain an absolute judgment of divorce.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX File No. 81-1400 CH JOHN D. KUJAWSKI & PATRICIA N. KUJAWSKI, husband and wife, and ARTHUR C. KUJAWSKI & MAUREEN KUJAWSKI, husband and wife, Plaintiffs, vs. RONALD F. ERKFITZ & DONNA J. ERKFITZ, husband and wife, Defendants. ORDER OF PUBLICATION At a session of said Court held in the Court House in the City of Charlevoix, County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan, this 17th day of November, 1981.

PRESENT: THE HONORABLE HARVEY VARNUM, District Judge. On the 15th day of October, 1981, an action was filed by Plaintiffs, John D. Kujawski and Patricia N. Kujawski, husband and wife, and Arthur C. Kujawski and Maureen Kujawski, husband and wife, against Ronald F. Erkfitz and Donna J. Erkfitz, husband and wife, Defendants, in this Court to recover possession of property after forfeiture of a land contract.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Defendants, Ronald F. Erkfitz and Donna J. Erkfitz, shall answer or take other such action as may be permitted by law on or before the 5th day of January 1982. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment of Default against Defendants for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed with this Court.

Dated: Nov. 17, 1981 Harvey Varnum - District Judge KLEVORN, DREYER & DUBOIS By: Michael K. Cooper Attorneys for Plaintiffs Dated: Nov. 17, 1981

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage granted by ZELLA STEWART, a widow, and CARL STEWART, a single man, of RR1, Boyne Falls, Michigan 49713, Mortgagee, to the NORTHWESTERN STATE BANK, 101 River Street, Boyne City, Michigan 49712, Mortgagee, dated September 2nd, 1977, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Charlevoix on the 9th day of September, 1977, in Liber 150 of Mortgages, Page 693, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest, the sum of Forty Four Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty Four and 86/100, (\$44,934.86) Dollars.

And no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Monday, December 28th, 1981, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction, to the highest bidder at the main entrance of the County Building Charlevoix County, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720, of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mort-

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gage, with the interest thereon at nine per cent (9%) per annum and all legal costs, charges or sums, which may be paid by the undersigned necessary to protect its interest in the premises.

The mortgage sale forecloses any and all interests, in and to the below described property of ZELLA STEWART, a widow, and CARL STEWART, a single man, of RR1, Boyne Falls, Michigan 49713, and Sun Oil Company, acting by and through Sunmark Exploration Company, a Division of Sun Oil Company, of P.O. Box 30, Dallas, Texas, 75221, and Marathon Oil Company, of P.O. Box 3128, Houston, Texas, 77001, pursuant to Assignment of an Oil and Gas Lease, dated November 9th, 1978, and recorded February 6th, 1978, in Liber 256, page 544, Charlevoix County Records, and by instrument dated June 16th, 1980, and recorded August 29th, 1980, in Liber 260, Page 530, Charlevoix County Records.

WHEREAS, said lands and tenements more particularly described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Township of Chandler, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, to-wit: The West Half of Section 8, Township 33 North, Range 4 West.

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EXCEPT the following described property: The East Half of the Southeast quarter and the East half of the Southwest quarter of said Section 8. The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale. Dated: October 23, 1981. NORTHWESTERN STATE BANK MORTGAGEE 101 River Street Boyne City, MI 49712 Richard W. May Attorney for Mortgagee 201 River Street Boyne City, MI 49712 616-582-6751 19-38-5tc

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Exchange student has 3 American families

BY SUSAN BUICK

Sylviane Zurstrassen, known to Americans as Sylvia, is East Jordan's foreign exchange student this year.

Sylvia, who celebrated her 19th birthday on Nov. 17, came from a little town, Polleur, in Belgium.

Sylvia arrived in East Jordan on Aug. 19 and intends to return to Belgium on June 15.

While Sylvia is here, she will stay with three host families. She lived with the Sedelmaiers until Dec. 1. She is now with the John Buicks and will stay there until the end of February. It's not known yet who her third family will be.

Sylvia has two sisters—Marlene, 21, and Manuella, 17—and one brother,

Roland, 15. Her father, Francois, is in the finance business. Her mother, Viviane, is a politician.

Sylvia took piano lessons for seven years until she stopped four years ago. "I like to play when I'm in a bad mood, bored or lonely," says Sylvia. "My favorite kind of music to play is classical." Sylvia also enjoys drawing.

"One thing I've noticed about the United States," Sylvia says, "is that everything is square in the cities, whereas in Belgium the cities are scattered and not so square."

"There are many more freeways in Belgium, and people drive much faster than Americans. One thing I don't like, though, is there isn't enough public



SYLVIANE ZURSTRASSEN

"Americans describe my clothing as being the 'punk' look, but it's not as near punk as what the people in England wear. We call the English the First Group of Punk."

Sylvia's classes at East Jordan High School are U.S. history, English, foods, art, typing and U.S. government.

"I like foods class because I like to eat, but I don't like to cook. So I'm the 'eater' in my group," says Sylvia. "Typing class is confusing to me because the keys are in different places and some are even different letters."

During study hall, she goes to the band room to play the piano. Sylvia practices her music for a jazz band at Northern Central Michigan College in Petoskey on Thursday nights.

"I like government class the most because I learn the most in it, even though sometimes I have a hard time understanding some things," Sylvia says.

Sylvia plans to be on the school's ski team, if it's not too expensive, even though she's never raced before.

This is Sylvia's second trip to the U.S. She visited her aunt in New York City three years ago. During that visit, she toured New Jersey and Long Island.

Since arriving in the U.S. this time, she has been to Flint, Saginaw and Grand Ledge.

EJ dispute patched up

EAST JORDAN - A dispute between parents of Indian children and an East Jordan school official has been resolved.

The Igwagama Parents' Committee on Thursday, Dec. 3, approved a federal grant application seeking more than \$15,300 to operate an educational program for Indians.

Approval of the application ended a dispute between the parents' council and the school district's Title IV overseer.

The parents had become upset when Middle School principal, Douglas Shields, Title IV local education authority, attached a cover letter to their original application stating he was not in agreement with what the parents were proposing to use the grant for.

Shields has since written a second letter to the U.S. Department of Education, saying he wants the veto power of his first letter removed and hopes the grant is approved as submitted.

An education department spokesman had told the Indians the grant probably would not be OK'd if the local liaison did not agree with what was in it.

Parents' committee chairwoman Gigi Antoine has also written the education department, asking that an earlier letter she wrote be disregarded.

She had requested that the department conduct an audit of the local Title

IV program and that the program be taken out of the control of the school district.

The grant application was unanimously approved—with one abstention—by the 14 persons present.

If approved by the federal government, the grant will give the school district at least \$15,300 to be used in the education of 73 children of Indian origin.

They will receive training in Chippewa and Ottawa language and customs and will be given individualized tutoring.

Tutoring in math and reading is most needed, Shields indicated. In his objection to the original application, he had sought to increase tutoring time from 10 hours a week to 25.

The parents' committee preferred to keep tutoring at its current level and to increase cultural training.

A project director would be hired to oversee the program, to coordinate the work of an in-home tutor and four instructors, to handle paperwork and to write next year's grant application.

A tutor of Indian origin would be hired to aid those students who were in need of special instruction. Shields earlier said 19 Indian students were one or more grade levels below average.

The grant application was written by Shields and Antoine, following several meetings of the parents' committee.

Church has a new pastor

A new pastor has arrived for the Boyne City, Central Lake and Carp Lake Seventh-Day Adventist Churches.

Pastor Gary E. Russell arrived Oct. 27 from Vero Beach, Fla.

Russell and his wife, Diane, are Michigan natives. He was born in Detroit and lived most of his life in Warren. Diane was born in Monroe and spent most of her life in Munising.

The Russells have three children, Chad, 5, Kurt, 4, and Tara, 2.

Russell graduated from Andrews University in 1972 with a bachelor's degree in theology and in 1974 with a master of divinity degree.

In June 1981, he completed work on a master of public health degree from Loma Linda University.

Russell spent 2½ years as associate pastor of Kress Memorial Church in Winter Park, Fla. For the next year and a half he pastored the Okeechobee and



GARY E. RUSSELL

Vero Beach SDA Churches in Florida. For the past 2½ years he has been pastoring the Vero Beach church only.

EJ health center hires social worker

Mary Senger has joined the staff of the East Jordan Family Health Center.

The specially funded pilot project combines counseling and consultation services to schools and families.

Senger will work with pre-school through high school children and their families in the East Jordan school

district. Senger was a school social worker at Cheboygan-Otsego-Presque Isle Intermediate School District for the last two years.

She lives in Charlevoix with her husband, who is also a school social worker.

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"In Belgium, there are 10 million people, but the country is so small that we're all close together, not like Michigan where the people are spread out."

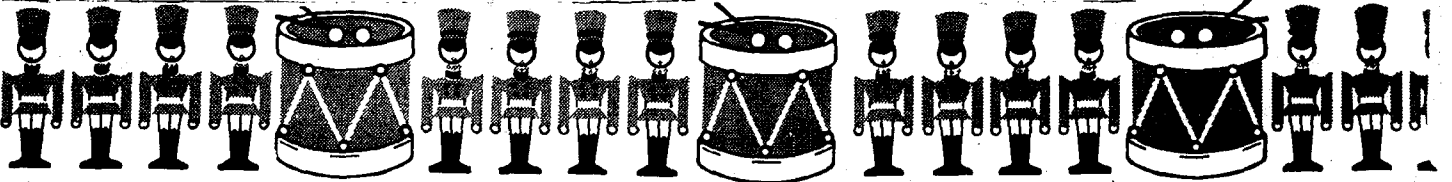
Sylvia likes French fries, pizza, turkey and tomato pudding, but says she doesn't like sloppy Joes.

"In Belgium, there is no drinking age so we don't abuse alcohol as much as the Americans. The parties I go to are usually dances and are different from the parties I have been to here."

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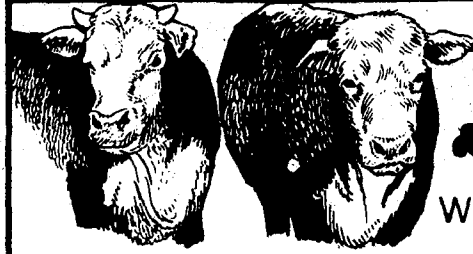
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