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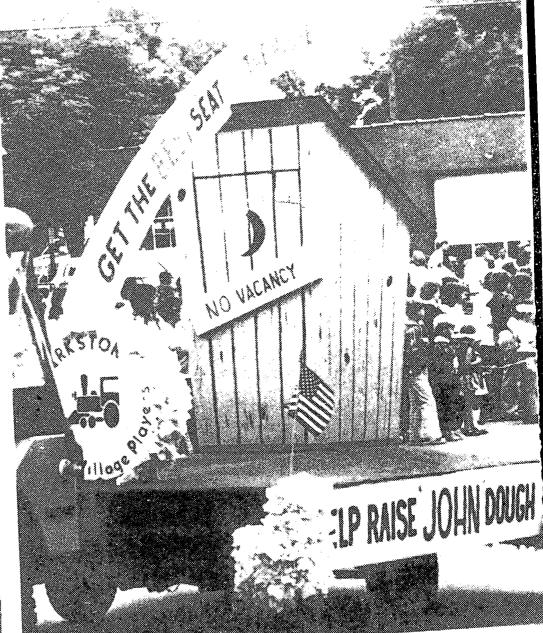
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Whys and Wherefore Choice Tidbits from Our News Files

Have you noticed the "Ritter for Treasurer" campaign signs? Brothers Dennis of Waterford and Fred of Independence have pooled their resources together to buy identical signs. Both are running for treasurer in their respective townships and were able to save money by buying the signs exactly alike.

Reminder reporter Carol, Balzarini got the royal bofrom the Pine Knob Mus Theatre while taking photos of the crowd waiting to get their Bob Seger tickets. It seems Carol didn't obegorders to disperse after box office closed. Thu got ushered out.

Want to see a bad movie? Then don't miss Irwin Allen's latest disaster epic, "The Swarm." Bad acting (shame on you Richard Widmark, Katharine Ross and Bradford Dillman), pathetic screenplay and fairy tale plot combine to make this flick a real loser. It reminded me of that infamous late 1950's horror film, "The Blob." The movie, expected to be 1 frightening, was a laugh from beginning to end.

Economy slowing down? It is according to Steve Dice, manager of Davisburg Building and Landscape. He says banks are relucta to loan money and interest rates are too high. Already, he's noticed a reduction in home building and expects that downspin to continue through the winter.

What "The Swarm" failed to create, "The Amityville Horror" succeeds. If you like to read spine tingling, terror-filled true stories, then this book about a house and its contents possessed by the Devil is for you. It will be released in paperback by Bantam on August 1.

Rudy D. Lozano

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editor's note

Surplus Funds Should Go to Financially Troubled Police Department

Charlie Kimbel has done as good a job with the Independence Police Services, as one could expect. He has worked ungodly hours - managing daytime activities as well as the Pine Knob patrol. He has opened the lines of communication with the community, township board and press.

Yet, the Independence Police Services are still in a great deal of financial trouble. They're staring a \$60,000 debt right in the face with very little means of procuring payment.

Thus it was rather surprising to note no real interest on the part of the township board or citizenry to come to the aid of the department.

The township is sitting on a \$300,000 plus surplus. Proposals, very nice and impressive proposals, to construct a community center and build bike paths have gotten widespread attention.

But it seems to me, before we go spending money on these nice, but not necessary items, we must take care of our present money problems first. And number one on the priority list should be the police department.

Mike William

bulletin board

Clarkston Farmers' Nite

Clarkston's Farmers' Nite is scheduled for August 4 and 5. Free space for service groups for the Sidewalk Sale on Friday and Saturday is available. Also space for craftsmen and individuals at a small fee can be purchased.

Call 625-5777 or visit the Village Needle Crafts for more information.

Candidates' Night

Candidates' Night for Independence Township is August 3 at 7:30 in the CHS Little Theatre. The event is sponsored by the Clarkston Jaycees. The public is invited.

Canning Classes

The Davisburg Jaycettes are planning a canning class on Thursday, August 3rd, 7:00 p.m. at the Springfield Township Hall (downstairs). The class will be lead by Lois Thielke from the Michigan State University Coop Extension. She will be giving tips on canning, freezing, drying foods, and will answer any questions. Bring along your ideas.

You may make your reservations by calling 625-4648

Senior Outreach Program

Independence Center has began its Senior Outreach Program. The program needs volunteers to visit Senior Citizens in this area. If interested in this type of work or if you are a senior citizen in need of help call 673-1219.

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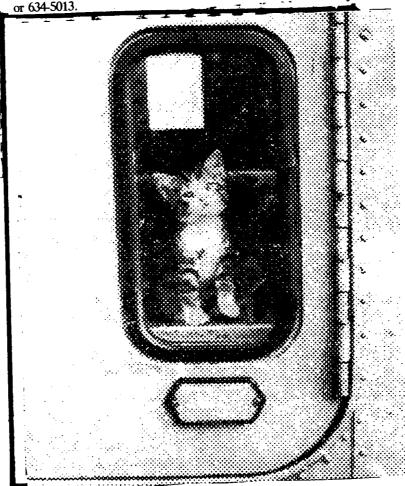
Alice Rioux's home on Davisburg Road was the setting for the July picnic of World War I Barracks 2803 and Auxiliary on Saturday the 8th. All enjoyed the pot luck dinner at noon followed by entertainment and an afternoon of fellowship together.

Veterans and Auxilians were in the Clarkston 4th of July parade. Two cars carried ten members.

Lucile Gries, Secretary-Treasurer of the Auxiliary will attend the National Convention in Texas in September.

The August meeting will be at the Springfield Township Hall, Davisburg, on August 9th at noon and the September meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Adams on Maybee Road, Clarkston.

The birthdays of Marie Green, Eva Boice, and John Tremper were recognized. Guests included Helen Bates of Holly, John Kliffel of Royal Oak and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bain of Waterford Township.



Feline Hitchhiker

Reprinted from Grand Rapids Press

This four-legged hitchhiker got a bay-window view of rural Michigan after being adopted at the Ortonville Stockyard feed store by truck driver Truman Dryer of Hastings. The three-month-old kitten posed for this picture in Bad Axe before visiting other towns.

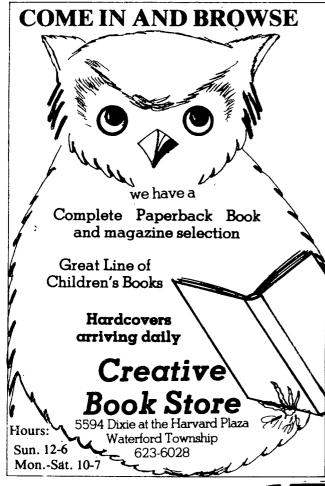
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by Steve Dice

It is ironic that a major Detroit paper chose Sunday, July 2, 1978 - (two days before Independence Day) to label the quest for just taxation with representation a revolt, and label those leading that quest as rebels.

The article started out by saying that Michigan taxpayers aren't being eaten alive by taxes - they're just being gnawed on. That's right - after being roasted by the taxman the gnawing begins.

The paper goes on to say that "The pain, for taxpayers, is about average for a big industrial state." Too bad Michigan citizens don't live in a big industrial state

Then we read that "Lansing officials point out that the burden of state and local taxes in Michigan - based on income - is very little worse than in 1968." But what you don't read is that when you ask taxpayers, taxes are a whole lot worse than in 1968 - based on what that income will buy.

Once the reader gets off the front page, the article comes across with some real facts and for awhile casts off its bias.

- 1. State spending has almost doubled in relation to growth in personal income in ten years.
- 2. The number of state employees has grown five times faster than the rate of population growth in the past ten years.
- 3. Michigan is overly dependent on property taxes, increasing about 10% per year in the past ten years.
- 4. The rate of income tax has increased by over 50% in ten years.
- 5. If the proposed new transportation program is

approved by the legislature, the gas tax will go to 11 cents per gallon giving Michigan the dubious honor, along with three other states, of having the highest gasoline tax in the country.

But at the same time this prestigious paper was giving the facts, it was saying that the situation isn't really that bad, especially when you consider the taxes that taxpayers in other states must pay.

Just because everybody else is getting ripped off by the taxman, having to work five to six months on the average to pay their taxes, doesn't make anybody feel better.

The state of Michigan ranks fourth behind New York. California and Pennsylvania in the amount of taxes collected. Economically Michigan just isn't in their league.

But back to the bias thing.

Over 25% of the money spent in the state of Michigan is spent on Welfare programs of one sort or another.

Now where do you suppose most of that welfare money goes?

It just wouldn't be right for the hometown paper to come out in support of tax limitation when so many of the hometown people are "dependent" upon tax generated welfare programs, would it?

Just One of Those Days

Did you hear about the young man who surprised his fiancee with a brand new van for their honeymoon trip? He had it outfitted so they could take a long, leisurely trip - with little expense, by camping along the way.

After the wedding reception, the couple went to a hotel for a couple of days, then said good-bye to their families, and headed west.

The groom decided he'd like to get a good way up the road before they stopped anyplace, but got tired of driving after a few hours, and turned the wheel over to his bride. Then he climbed in the back of the van to take a nap.

She was thrilled! Their very own van, complete with every switch and button to take the trouble out of traveling. After a stint of driving, however, she got thinking of what a wonderful husband she had married of how thoughtful he was, and - and - and -.

He woke to find her sitting by him - and the van still moving. He said in a startled voice, "Honey, what are you doing here?" And then more urgently, "Who the *!* is driving?"

The sweet bride said, "Don't worry, honey, I put it on cruise-control."

He didn't make it to the wheel in time. The trip had to be called off while the damage is repaired. That's "one of those days" that won't be forgotten for years - and years - and years!

TALKING IT OUT



With Lew Wint Funeral Director

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WHAT EMOTIONAL STAGES ARE THERE FOR THE

In her widely-read books on death and dying, noted psychiatrist Dr. Elisabeth Kubler-Ross discusses many perplexing aspects of coping with terminal illness...from the point of view of the patient, the medical professionals and the families involved.

Her studies indicate that the stages of denial, anger, bargaining, depression, and acceptance of death are common to most terminally ill patients.

Some of these stages are common, too, with the survivors of the deceased. Survivors, too, may experience a denial of the death of a loved one. They may also experience anger, depression, and, finally, acceptance...and then begin rebuilding the pieces of family life without the deceased.

Relatives and friends all interact and find strength in communicating and sharing each other's strong points, thus making the adjustment less difficult and prolonged.

For more information on how to cope with these stages, stop by for suggested reading material.



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forum

a page designed to stimulate opinion

THOUGHTS 'N THINGS

Saying "I told you so," is not nearly as pleasurable as some people think. In fact, it is very difficult to see somebody rushing down a one-way street, in the wrong direction, and have to just stand by and watch. On the other hand, nobody likes to be accused of interfering with someone else's life, and last-minute advice isn't usually taken anyway. However, sometimes a story about someone else manages to "paint a picture" that is worth a thousand words of advice, and knowing about someone else's experience can give us all insights into our own lives.

This story is about a former neighbor of ours. She is a good bit younger than I am, and so her children are much younger than mine, and my girls used to babysit with hers, so we got to know the family very well.

We became very found of the whole family, and over the years that we were neighbors, we met the rest of their families and friends as they met ours. In fact, we always got together at Christmastime to share the joy of the season.

It was just as we moved out of the neighborhood that trouble began to brew. My friend had been reading a lot of new books on women's rights, and the rights of the individual. She began to regret the marriage and children that prevented her from "finding herself."

It seems that her mother had always run her life until her marriage, and being a good girl, she had done what was expected of her, including getting married right after graduation from college.

While we were neighbors, she met a couple who were also friends of ours. We were unaware that they were having marital difficulties, but they were, and it was no time at all before our neighbors and our friends who were not neighbors began doing a lot of entertaining. We were always invited, and they always invited each other, too. It was about that time that I began getting uneasy, and tried to tell my young friend that she was treading on dangerous ground. She claimed, however, that she "had the right" to find out if she had missed something which was "important" in her life.

At that same time, another couple moved into her neighborhood, and she found someone else that shared her feelings about the "rights of the individual."

I tried to argue with both of the women about the

Carol Balzarini

by Carol Balzarini

There are people today very much concerned with ecology and conservation.

They compost vegetable scraps and grass clippings, they shun chemical fertilizers and stick to the organic varieties, they "dial down" in the winter and refuse to use even a fan in the summer, they pen their female hunting dog and only have her bred by choice, but...

When it comes to cats, they lose all reason. They have kept three successive generations of female cats who are all young, all healthy, and all fertile.

When the children brought a kitten home from the neighbor's barn, everyone including Father was delighted. They needed a cat to keep the mice out of the barn. Mother named her Moonshine because she was black, and they already had a Palomino horse named Sunshine.

The next spring Moonshine produced her first litter of kittens. They were darling, the children were delighted, and Father didn't say too much.

Kittens are adorable so, of course, the children

"When she met the man she married, he married her because she was a sweet, pretty, obedient doli. He bought her pretty jewelry, pretty clothes, a nice house, and a car, and he expected nothing of her beyond the mothering of two healthy children, their care and now and again, an appearance on his arm in public, or as hostess at a party."

rights of their children, and their responsibility to them, and to themselves, and suggested that they take more time to digest and question the material they were reading, and "falling for, - hook, line and sinker." It didn't do any good.

The end result was at least three divorces, but no remarriages among any of the people involved. By that time, I had withdrawn from the scene, and spared myself the break-ups, though every now and then, one of the "injured" parties would come and cry on my shoulder. And so, I've had a great deal of time to think about the problems that led to the divorces.

At this point in time, three of those people are remarried, including my ex-neighbor. She is living in another state, which we happened to visit recently. Since our youngest daughter had been so close to her children, she wanted to call them, and so we did.

We went to see them.

What I discovered was, that my old neighbor had remarried because she couldn't get a good enough job (even with a college education) to pay for good babysitters, and support herself, though she got a "good" divorce settlement. She is very grateful to her new husband because he is "good to her and the kids." She misses the childrens' father, her family, and her friends. There has been a real break in family relationships, and none of her family members have seen her home, and only her father has met her new husband. As for her old friends - most of them still see her ex-husband, so aren't in touch with her, out of loyalty to him.

I left her, wondering if there were any words I could have used that would have stopped such senseless destruction of a family.

On the surface, it seems that she was an idiot who had no sense of responsibility, and selfishly took what she wanted with no thought for the outcome. That wasn't the case, however, and the marriage could have been saved if either partner to it had recognized the problems earlier in the marriage, and/or they had been able to communicate better. This was not an unusual case, or I wouldn't be telling about it. I know about five similar ones in our circle of friends and acquaintances.

My friend is pretty, and she was a very pretty little

Joan Glew Feature Editor

girl. Her mother was delighted to have such a pretty little girl, and her father adored her. The only thing they asked of her was that she be kind and sweet, and popular with the boys. They therefore managed to raise a sweet, pretty, obedient doll.

When she met the man she married, he married her because she was a sweet, pretty, obedient doll. He bought her pretty jewelry, pretty clothes, a nice house, and a car, and he expected nothing of her beyond the mothering of two healthy children, their care, and now and again, an appearance on his arm in public, or as hostess at a party.

By the time she was thirty years old she was asking herself, "Is this all?"

Her mother said, "All!? Count yourself lucky that you have a husband who is so good to you, and buys you nice things!" And her husband got frustrated and angry, and said, "I give you everything money can buy. Obviously nothing will make you content and happy."

I said, "Don't look to others for the answers. Find yourself within yourself, while maintaining the status quo. You are going through a normal "stage," because you want to be a person, not a doll." She wouldn't listen. Now, she understands, and is sad, because it is too late to start over again.

She is sad, and she is lonely now, but I have hopes for her. Her new husband does not want a doll. He was married to one once, and my friend says, "Guess what I can handle a checkbook. I never had one before - and I have responsibility for my car. I never even had to buy gas before."

That may sound unbelievable to some people who read this, but parents who "do everything for their kids" don't prepare them to do anything for themselves, and they usually end up marrying someone who will go right on treating them as children.

We parents have a responsibility for the lives we create. That responsibility includes turning a baby into an adult within an 18-year span. To fail in that responsibility is to fail the child - and to leave ourselves open to future unhappiness. Divorce is disallusioning and destructive, and it reaches out to touch many more people than the immediate family involved in the final break.

It's far easier to do the job right in the first place, than to pick up the pieces later on!

wanted to keep just one. They had already named it Tawny because it had one orange ear and orange stripes on its legs. It soon became apparant that "it" was a she.

The children begged and pleaded and cried, Mother liked her too and Tawny stayed. Father frowned, but, after all, they had found homes for the rest of the litter.

The following spring, both Moonshine and Tawny produced families. There were a half dozen little balls of fluff in the hay and the mother cats took turns at feeding

Kittens are adorable so, of course, the children wanted to keep just one. They had already named it lvy because it kept climbing up everyone's pantlegs. It soon became apparent that "it" was a she.

The children begged and pleaded and cried, Mother liked her too, and lvy stayed. After all country cats disappeared with great regularity and she probably wouldn't last very long anyway. Father frowned with greater regularity and mumbled occasionally.

This spring Moonshine, Tawny and Ivy produced families - ten kittens in all. They were cute and fuzzy and everyone just loved them, except Father. He was no longer frowning and mumbling, he was angry.

Promptly at six weeks, an ad appeared in the paper for thirteen darling cats for some lucky people. Mother even took some pictures of them at play and put them in the paper. Only one kitten left the barn in the clutches of a pair of chubby little hands.

The weeks came and went and the kittens stayed. They were still there when Father returned from trout fishing although the family had promised faithfully the kittens would be gone before he returned. Mother was too soft-hearted to insist, and the children just couldn't resist those fuzzy playful little kittens.

Father was adament and last Saturday morning Tawny and nine little kittens went to the Humane Society arriving somewhat soggy with tears. The children were heartbroken, Mother was sad and even Father was none too happy. But only because of the children not the kittens.

The previous days Mother had talked a great deal about the nice people at the Humane Society who would find homes for the little ones. Mothers tend to lie when they want to spare their children's feelings. The girls at the Humane Society were not so disposed.

They told the children flat out the shelter gets up to fifty litters a day at this time of the year. There's no way they can keep them all or find homes for them. Most of them would be put to sleep immediately.

Mother was angry because the girls had been so brutal but decided later that maybe they had to be to compensate for mothers who lie a little to their children about the animal facts of life.

The ecology-minded family will now have the two remaining cats neutered despite the expense. They have learned their lesson the hard way. Letting nature take its course is not necessarily the best way. People really do have certain responsibilities as far as their pets are concerned.

Why aren't we a more humane society?

CLIP AND SAVE— A Calendar

for your convenience sponsored COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS-AUGUST, 1978

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| or all your decorating needs | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Couture's custom | | Independence Twp. Board 7:30 Twp. Hall | Clarkston Fagles Bingo 7:00 Senior Citizen I.D. pictures taken | Clarkston Eagles Men meet 8:00 Sr. Citizen Bingo 1 p.m. Twp. Hall | TOPS 9:30-11 Gingelville Com- | Announcing our New Office |
| CUSTOM | | Sr. Citizen Problem Information & Referral 9-11 | 1-4 Ind. Center, Maybee Rd. Clarkston Youth Assistance Parent | Immunization Clinic, Ind. Center | munity Center Sr. Citizen Softball Practice | 31 S. Main St. Clarksto |
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| Clarkston | Clarkston Village Council 7:30 at Village Hall | Independence Twp. Board 7:30 Twp. Hall | Clarkston Eagles Bingo 7:00 Sr. Citizen Softball game 9:30 | Clarkston Eagles Men meet 8:00 Sr. Citizen Bingo 1:00 | TOPS 9:30-11 Gingelville Community Center | Paddle to Power |
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12:00 at Lodge 3373

lage Hall Clarkston Rotary 6:30 at Howe's

Sr. Citizen Golf Tournament & Banquet

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Sr. Citizen Cruise on Lake St. Clair 4:00 More info Darlene 625-8223 Medicaid Clinic 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR % THE REMINDER

All additions or corrections must be received by the 25th of the preceding month.

SPRINGFIELD SUMMERFEST July 29



Lots of Activities

Plans are underway for the Springfield Township Summerfest to be held Saturday, July 29 as a kick-off for the annual Oakland County 4-H Fair which begins Monday, July 31.

Chairman Diana Walls and her committee have many events planned for that day and evening both in Davisburg and at the fairgrounds on Andersonville

Canoe races will be held at the Mill Pond, Rotary is

sponsoring a baseball game, a dunk tank is planned with local politicians as targets, Springfield firefighters will have a water ball contest, and a hot air balloon may be

A parade will feature 4-H groups, local groups, antique cars and various floats. Events will be held at the arena at the fairgrounds featuring local horse groups. Craft booths will be set up at the Youth Activities Center with a dance held there that evening from 8 p.m.-1 a.m.

Music for the dance will be provided by Mickey Gonzales and the Third Shift Band. Presale ticket prices

are \$6 per couple, \$3 single. Tickets bought at the door will be \$8 and \$4. Tickets are available from committee members and at some downtown businesses.

The Springfield Historical Society will open the Davis home on Andersonville Road and hold a rummage sale there. The Schultz building in Davisburg will also be open for the day.

Numbered buttons are being sold for prizes that will be given away at drawings to be held throughout the day.

For further information, contact Diana Walls at 634-4869.

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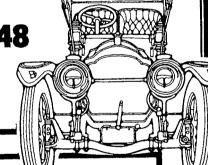
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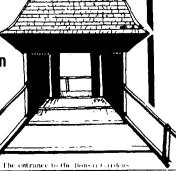
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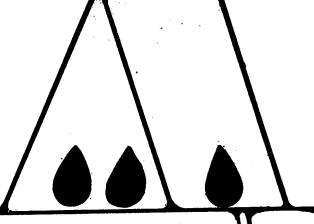
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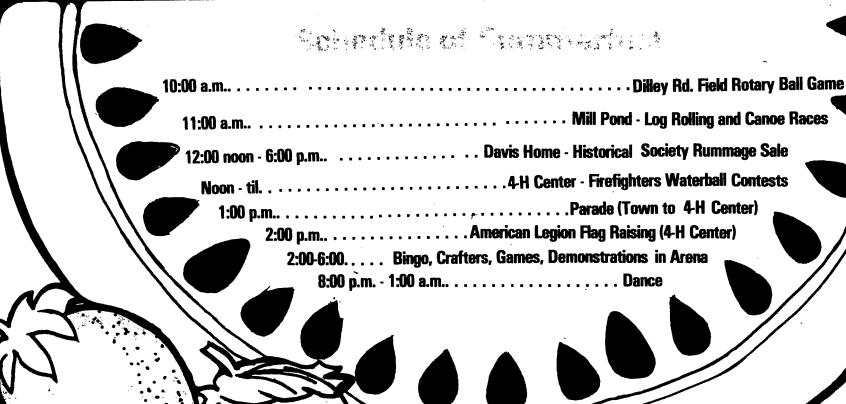
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When is a Balloon Not a Child's Toy

by Carol Balzarini

When is a balloon not a child's toy? That's easy! When it's an adult's toy, of course. But then you've heard that old saying, "The bigger the boy, the bigger

Well, balloons are definitely big boys' toys these days. Not too many little boys around here can afford a \$6,000 balloon, but big boys, like Wayne Warren of Clarkston and Phil Empey of Ortonville, can.

My first experience with balloons (the expensive ones) came when I interviewed a man in Rochester who makes a living flying them. I came away fascinated with the subject although I had not actually seen a balloon in

Next, I drove to Grand Blanc to see what was supposed to be the launching of twenty balloons in one evening for their summer festival. Well, my informant, known locally as "the Flying Dutchman," was somewhat off in his forecast. There were only six.

Fully inflated an average size balloon is about 50 feet around and some 66 feet tall. The pilor jumped in, so did his passenger, and that mass of blue lifted off the ground rising faster and floating away from us.

One by one the rest of the balloons were inflated and rose into the air, shades of brown or blue, another all colors of the rainbow in an irregular pattern. Still another, belonging to the Flying Dutchman, was supposed to resemble a tulip but looked more like Anita Bryant's favorite fruit, all orange, yellow and green.

Still another was red and white piloted by a man in a red jumpsuit and matching beret. His name was Captain Phairweather, I later learned that most of them have rather colorful names (to match their balloons) and many of the more enthusiastic ones wear jumpsuits so they can get ready to go faster.

firmed my resolve. Up until that time I had only thought about flying but now I was determined to do so.

Wayne Warren) but to find an evening good for both of

us and with the weather cooperating was another matter. However, we were able to make arrangements to meet at Bailey Lake School one Monday at 6:30.

Wearing old clothes and clutching my camera, I went out to meet him saying good-bye to my family and wondering how the Reminder would manage without me if I didn't return.

To my surprise two other balloons were out there already, Phil Empey, who had been first off the ground in Grand Blanc, and Ted Gauthier of Sylvan Lake, who flies a spectacular multi-colored balloon.

Captain Bubbles soon arrived. He was not hard to spot, he was wearing a jumpsuit, one of the enthusiastic ones, I thought.

He was taking a man up who had been given a ride for a father's day present by a daughter who had sent him up in a glider last year. I wondered what she was trying to tell him, but he said he really enjoyed this sort of

My first job was to go with Captain Bubbles' friend as part of the chase crew and switch places when the balloon landed, and if it landed. Or when and if we found it. We nearly got lost in Thendara Park but then even some of the residents do too.

Finally Captain Bubbles set the balloon down in a small road near Oak Hill, after scaring the daylights out of some horses, and his passengers switched places.

Before I had time to think about it we were up in the air with the most spectacular view imaginable. Farm land just as neat and tidy as a patchwork quilt, ponds like mirrors, people standing in their yards waving.

Approching Seymour Lake Road Captain Bubbles observed that he hoped he had enough fuel left to clear

the road and the power lines, his passenger hoped so, too. Our landing in the farmer's field rattled both my teeth and my camera. We bumped along until the balloon decided it had had enough.

The chase crew found us, so did my family and so did help the neighborhood, all curious to see a balloon up close. When the gear was stowed, Captain Bubbles thanked the farmer for the use of his field and we left as the sun dropped below the horizon.



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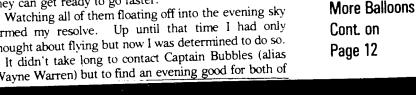
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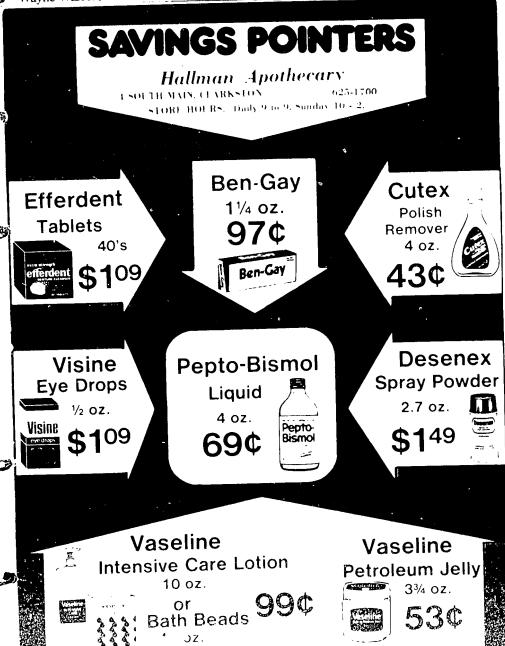
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BALLOONS, BALLOONS & MORE BALLOONS

A Whole New High

by Carol Balzarini

Many balloonists fly just for fun, but others do it for fun and profit by using balloons as an advertising device. Such a person is Lin Harding of Highamerica Balloon Center in Rochester.

Five years ago Harding discovered that his hobby had "ballooned" to the extent that it was interfering with his job at the GM Tech Center in Warren. Forced to choose between the two, he chose the hobby and turned it into a job.

Highamerica derives its greatest revenue from advertisting with charter rides second and lessons third. Harding himself set up the non-credit course in ballooning offered at Oakland University although it is now being taught by a former student of his.

Since the ballooning season in Michigan only lasts from about the first of May to the first of November, Harding spends the rest of the year in Florida with a similar operation there. He thinks his probably the only business of its kind in Michigan and estimates there are only ten in the United States.

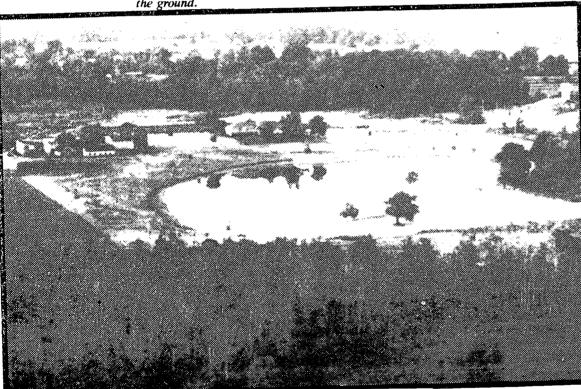
It was interesting to learn that gondolas, or baskets, come in passenger sizes much the same as cars and are priced accordingly. The most popular are those for two and three people, averaging \$6,500 to \$7,500 in price. There are both smaller and larger ones.

The average gondola, or basket as I prefer to call it for obvious reasons, is woven of wicker weighing 100 pounds and three feet by four feet in size. Harding once wove one himself in less than a month which now sits in Highamerica's front office. Metal ones were also used but were not as practical because they dented so easily.

Inside that gondola, in addition to passengers, go three tanks of liquid propane. Each weighs 70 pounds and holds ten gallons lasting some 30-45 minutes each and allowing for an hour flight with a half hour reserve.

These tanks are connected to the burner by fuel lines. By the time the liquid propane reaches the burner it is a vapor and is ignited by a spark. Some gondolas have upper structures which keep the burners rigid and upright but Harding feels they make the gondola more Cont. on Page 14

Phil Empey's balloon resembled a giant blue flower from the ground.

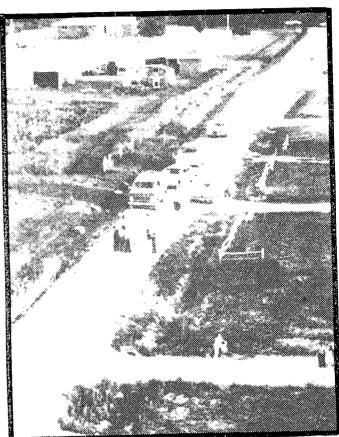




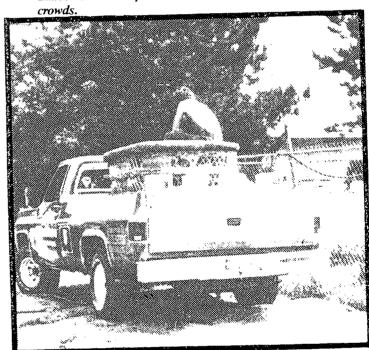
Hot air makes the balloon rise.

Balloons, Balloons & More Balloons

Photos by Carol Balzarini



Balloonists like Captain Bubbles are used to attracting



Every balloonist needs a chase vehicle, official or otherwise, such as Lin Harding's.



Ted Gauthier's multi-colored balloon landed near Captain Bubbles' in an Ortonville field.

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"His closest call came when he was marooned over the Everglades. Fortunately he found a wind a foot off the ground which carried him to a road where he ran out of gas."

difficult to load and unload. Harding carries a backup system for his burner.

The balloon, or envelope, is made of very thin nylon, 1.2 ounces per square yard, identical to parachute material and weighing about 250 pounds. The fabric comes in an unbelievable assortment of colors

An individual balloonist can be readily identified by both color and pattern of his balloon. Harding has two, one with black top and bottom and bright colors in between and one solid red with the sponsor's name one on it.

Balloon, burners, tanks. etc. all fit in the gondola for

easy transportation and can be carried in the back of a pickup truck.

Each year the entire unit is "annualed." The envelope is checked for tears and weak points and fuel lines for damage or wear. Suspension lines (2.000 pound test cable) from the balloon to the gondola are

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checked as is the basket, difficult to repair because it must be rewoven in places.

Ballooning safety standards are set by the Federal Areonatics Administration (FAA) and a pilot's license can be lost if those regulations are violated.

A balloonist cannot fly after dark, he can't carry passengers for hire unless his balloon is inspected and certified, and he can't fly through airport traffic without permission. regulations seemed pretty logical and obvious.

To get from ground to air is not difficult. Flying times are generally 6 a.m. and 6 p.m., those times of the day when winds are lightest. A fan, which operates off battery cables, inflates the balloon until the burner takes over.

Once up in the air, the pilot has full vertical control but very little horizontal control. A crew follows on the ground to pick him up when and where he lands. A rip line pulls three panels out of the balloon for quick deflation at the end of the flight.

Should the burner fail, the balloon drops 800 feet per minute just like a chute. Harding says the three four four fatalities a year result from contact with high tension wires. His closest call came when he was marooned over the Everglades. Fortunately he found a wind a foot off the ground which carried him to a road where he ran out of

It should come as no surprise that ballooning got its start in California, which seems to excel in "firsts." Harding estimates that Michigan ranks about third, and calls Albuquerque, New Mexico, a real ballooning "hot spot." It's interesting to note the national championships are held every year in Iowa in August. Even Nebraska has a company which manufactures balloon equipment.

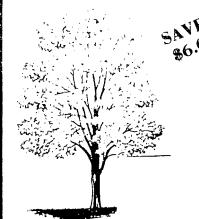
Harding considers the Rochester area one of the better places to fly with plenty of landing opportunities. Undeveloped land is a primary consideration. He also thinks it's pretty country to fly over with hills, trees, lakes, and villages and subdivisions interspersed.

Who balloons these days? Almost anybody. Harding's students range in age from 16-68, although he considers the late 20's as average. He also says it's a great family hobby because it takes several people to handle the balloon.

There are some 20-25 balloonists in the area but only 8-10 balloons, some are only licensed pilots. But it only takes 10 hours of instruction in the air, each one accompanied by 11/1 hours of ground training to become licensed. FAA-regulated high,

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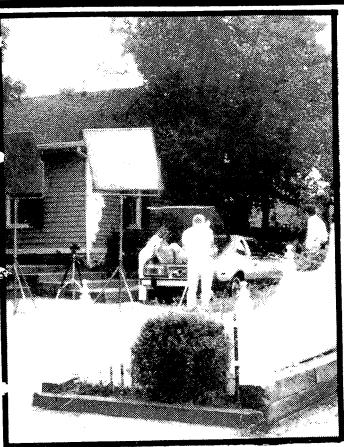
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The Tom Thomas Organization was in Clarkston with AMC's 1979 Concorde taking pictures for brochures to be used by auto dealers this fall. The car was photographed with many of the garage sale items and with young Rebecca Radcliff, too.

The crew then moved on to the Basigner home on East Washington for more pictures, this time featuring a model unloading groceries in their driveway.

Not only did the ad people liven up the garage sale but the two women also netted a little extra money for "prop rental."

Leslie Browne, Leo Sayer at Meadow Brook

The Ballet Repertory Company with ballerina Leslie Browne comes to Meadow Brook Music Festival for five spectacular programs of dance beginning Thursday, July 27. Also featured during the same week are popular artists Leo Sayer and Yvonne Elliman plus pianists Ferrante and Teicher.

Meadow Brook's week of entertainment begins on Wednesday, July 26, 8:30 p.m., with English singer-songwriter Leo Sayer and talented vocalist Yvonne Elliman. Sayer is easily recognized for his hit record, "You Make Me Feel Like Dancing," while Miss Elliman is best known for her singing role as Mary Magdalene in "Jesus Christ Superstar."

The Ballet Repertory Company will perform on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evening, July 27, 28 and 29, beginning at 8:30 p.m. Featured soloists will be Leslie Browne and Patrick Bissell, of the American

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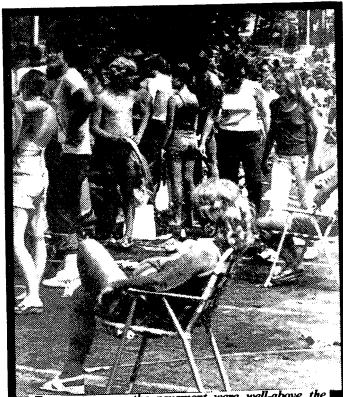


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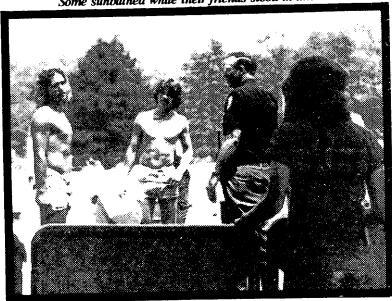
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Some sunbathed while their friends stood in line.



The effects of sun, heat, beer, and fatique finally got to this fan but only after he had his tickets.



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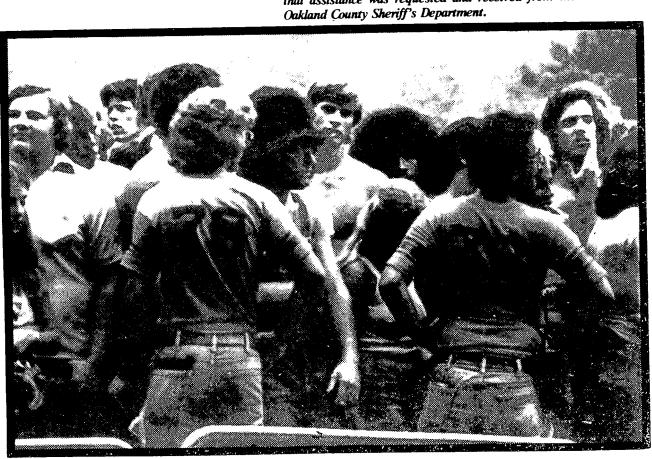
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Readers' Review

by Joan Allen

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This book is just what it says it is on the cover - a • practical manual for Job-Hunters and Career-Changers. It's a great book for everyone else to read, too! In fact, it is one book whose cover is bound to attract, but doesn't prove less interesting than its cover.

This is not a dull collection of helpful hints on how to write resumes, though it will tell you everything you ever wanted to know on that subject, too. It is rather, a creative look at people and how they should spend their

It includes charts for the reader to fill in, and includes all the possible likes and dislikes one can come up with, and very strongly suggests that the job-hunter decide where he or she wants to work, and then seek employment there, rather than make-do with whatever jobs are available. Needless to say, there are a lot of pointers on "selling yourself."

This book is not written by a professor offering theoretical advice, but rather, a carefully researched piece of work that is full of things not to do, as well as what not to bother wasting your time on, while leaning strongly on good, positive, techniques for putting yourself where you should be, and where you would most like to be, job-wise.

Even if you're happy in your job, or not working outside the home, and have no desire to begin, this material will give you insight into your own interests, abilities, and potentials. If nothing else, it will give you a good picture of your inviduality, and self-worth.

Though the book has plenty of interesting information, and a number of guidelines for people of every age, who think they might want to go to work, or need to go to work, or want to change jobs, it should be especially helpful for young people who are looking for their first job, and women who are about to enter the work-force after a number of years at home.

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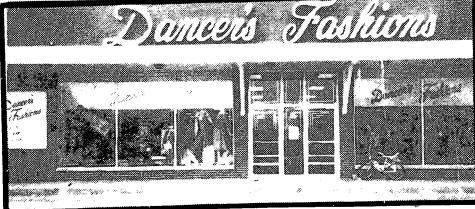
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Working closely with the Chessie Steam Train Directors, in Cleveland, the National Model Railroad Club and the Holly Model Railroaders, this new

celebration will have special impetus.

Village President James Herrington, Councilwoman Ardath Regan, Council man Joseph Mishler and two children dressed in old fashioned costume, will board the Chessie Special in Detroit and welcome all riders of the train to Holly. Each person on board will be gifted with the story of Holly and the Railroad. They will then be invited to leave the train and spend the afternoon in Holly, first touring the Model Railroad Club, that is developing the most unusual layouts in the United States, the Historic District and Shoppes and the Historical Socieitie's Patterson House Museum.

The Chessie Special will pull into the Holly Railroad Depot at 10:45 a.m. Sunday the 30th.

Members of the community and surrounding areas may then purchase tickets for the rest of the trip arriving in Clio at 12:15, disembarking in Clio for their street festival and then returning to Holly at 5:30.

"Railroad Days" will include a fruit and vegetable market, pony rides, carnival and games, bake sale, tarot card readings, unicycle clowns, and popcorn

WHAT'S HAPPENING

by Marilyn Bridgeman

Cedar Point - most everyone in this area has at least heard of this amusement park on Lake Erie in Sandusky,

But did you know that Cedar Point began in 1870 as a bathhouse which attracted people from many of the Great Lakes cities? Cedar Point's first roller coaster ride was erected in 1894.

Now 108 years later, Cedar Point is the "world's largest ride park" with the addition this year of "Gemini," the "highest, steepest and fastest roller coaster in the world."

I found out this information after meeting with Lynn Williams, Public Relations Representative for Cedar Point when my family visited the park last week.

Some other interesting facts supplied by Lynn are, "The best tine to come is in May or June to avoid the heaviest crowds, the best day of the week to come to Cedar Point is Friday."

Lynn continued our interview by explaning that three million people come through the park every season (May through September).

Cedar Point has 56 rides which have a ride capacity (rides per hour) bigger than any other park.

Lynn reports the train ride being the most popular attraction, followed very closely by the roller coasters (Cedar Point has six).

Naturally this year, "The Gemini" tops the list of preferred rides. I did not ride the "Gemini." The reason simply is - just to imagine riding it scared me to

I can report that the train and boat rides are fun - but I can't personally recommend any of the six coasters. I talked to a lady at the park who rode both "Gemini" and "Corkscrew" and pronounced them "great rides!" To each his own!

Cedar Point's Marketing Department's description of a ride on the "Gemini":

'Imagine climbing higher, diving steeper and rolling along faster than any coaster has ever rolled before.

'It is a bright summer day. As the passengers slide into their seats, they giggle just a little nervously and coyly check out the "competition" in the adjacent car. There's a feeling of excitement and anticipation as the lap bar closes. But as the train pulls out of the station, the fear strikes - only it's too late to turn back now.

"The only thing left to do is relax. After all, it's just another roller coaster. But suddenly the realization hits that the train should have reached the top by now. But it's still climbing. One hundred feet, one hundred ten, still higher...and suddenly...

"WHOOSH! The car is up over the crest, plunging straight down. Too fast to scream, too fast to breathe, too fast to even think.

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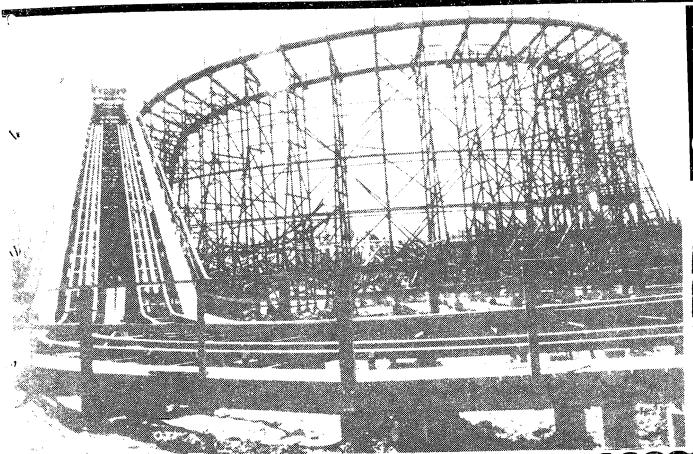
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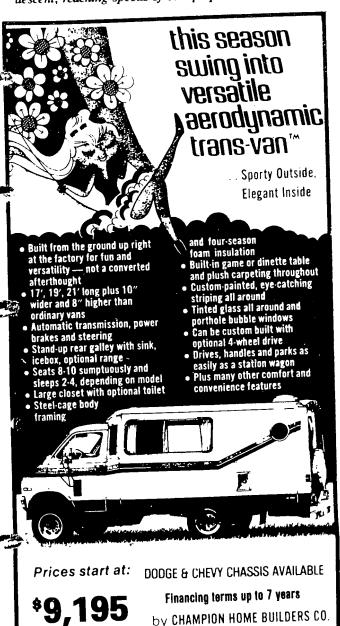






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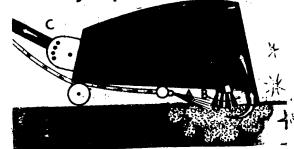


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Marlene Sewick [left] and Kathy Richardson were selling coffee and doughnuts during the parade.

Hello Out There, We're Here!

by Carol Balzarini

Russ Inman, president of the Clarkston Village Players (CVP), and Bob Cook, chairman of its fund-raising committee, know exactly what they want to say when it comes to the Clarkston Village Players.

"Hello out there, we're here," Inman said. That was his way of telling the community that the CVP was alive and well and getting better all the time.

The interview was prompted by the CVP float in the Fourth of July parade which graphically illustrated their current drive for money. The outhouse represented what the addition to the Depot Theatre would be, their theme was "Help us raise John Dough."

Plans drawn up by Inman himself, an architect by profession, call for an addition of lavatory facilities and a lobby, some 7,500 square feet of building. If the price tag of \$25,000 seems high, it must be remembered that the most expensive parts of any structure are included plumbing and wiring, Inman said.

"Refurbishing" the auditorium is also part of the project as well as improving the building's heating and cooling system.

"The Players realize the community is growing," he said. "And we become more visible as it does. We want to upgrade for our growing population. We owe our patronage something. And, too, it's tough to we under the present conditions."

Now that costumes, sets, and the quality of acting in general has improved so, too, should the facilities. Inman feels once these improvements are made, the number of productions could be increased. Also the theatre could be used by other groups if needed making

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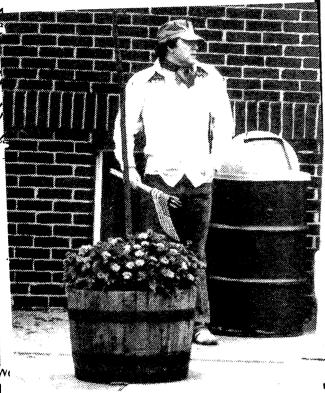
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held at the regularly scheduled meeting of the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission at 9:30 a.m. on August 4, 1978, 2800 Watkins Lake Road, Pontiac, Michigan.

The purpose of the hearing is to discuss the proposed acquisition of the Ellis property located in Springfield Township. The property, if acquired, would be incorporated into the Springfield-Oaks County Park for future expansion.

Betty J. Fortino, Secretary
Oakland County Parks & Recreation Commission

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JUST FOR YOU SAW IT IN THE REMINDER THURSDAY, JULY 27, 1978 PAGE TWENTY FIVE



Dennis LaLone waits patiently on the street corner for his next customers.

it more of a community resource than it is now.

Inman stresses the CVP's present contribution to the community with a record of twelve benefit performances which he feels were somewhat underpublicized and possibly underappreciated. In addition to the four usually held during the year, a special one is already scheduled for next June to benefit the Clarkston Garden Club's scholarship fund.

'Our function is to put on plays," Inman said. "We help out by doing these benefit performances." He added that Chris Rose is the liaison for the CVP in the community and the one to contact for information.

CVP operating budget was previously based on 57 percent occupancy of the auditorium through ticket sales. Their last six plays, however, were sellouts leading the Players to consider season ticket sales to assure regular theatre-goers seats for every production.

are sets to build, lighting, just plain old hard work..." Russ Inman, CVP President.

Past membership dues paid gave each one a free ticket for each performance. Now those dues will be a contribution to the CVP and each member will have to pay to see the show. Membership, to Inman, means active participation.

Those not able to take an active part in CVP but still wishing to support them become patrons or angels. Patrons contribute from \$25-99 while angels donate upwards of \$100. These two groups must also become members if they want to have a say in the operation of

Financial support from angels and patrons is an old theatrical tradition, many groups could not exist without them. Inman said that until four years ago Tom Rademacher was the CVP's only angel and had been from the very beginning. Since then, however, he has been joined by others although he is considered a 'charter' angel.

"You know," Inman said in reference to their current membership drive, "You don't have to be an actor to be a Player. There are sets to build, lighting, just plain old hard work." But, he added, members must want to be active either in front of the curtain or behind.

Cook, who will be remembered for his performance as the disappearing body in "Exit the Body," is chairman of the fundraising committee currently devising bigger and better ways to do just that - raise funds.

Over \$1,000 had been gathered so far from bake sales, a recent rummage sale, and from selling flags, doughnuts and coffee during the July Fourth parade.

In the future is a possible dinner dance and golf outing with several "super" ideas still being formulated by the committee composed of a dozen people. Cook stressed this committee is not a closed one but open to anyone with ideas they would like to share with the CVP.

CORRECTION

A couple of weeks ago, The Reminder identified a picture of a float in the Clarkston 4th of July parade as that of a Clarkston cooperative nursery. A caller informed us that there are two co-op nurseries serving Clarkston and that their's, The Creative Coop Nursery Clintonville Road, Pontiac, was pictured. Their float took home a second place trophy.

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INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP POLICE REPORT

Thursday, July 13

Four larceny calls, two assists to the fire department, four accidents, three calls for Pine Knob, one assist to the Oakland Coujty Sheriff's Department (OCSD), and two animal control calls, a total of 23 calls received from 6:55 a.m. to 12:54 a.m.

Friday, July 14

A check on street lights requested by Detroit Edison, three animal control calls, malicious destruction of property, two hit and runs, three calls for Pine Knob, a total of 17 calls from 8:03 a.m, to 1:23 a.m.

Saturday, July 15

Two animal control calls, seven calls turned over to OCSD, two building checks, a total of 11 calls from 8:49 to 2:28 a.m.

Sunday, July 16

Three animal control calls, two turned over to OCSD, five accidents, noise complaints and malicious destruction of property, a total of 14 calls from 12:56 p.m. to 12:49 a.m.

Monday, July 17

Four animal control calls, two reckless driving, two fights, one assault and battery, two accidents, larceny, building checks, suspicious persons report, two arrests,



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a total of 25 calls from 8:41 a.m. to 1:36 a.m. Tuesday, July 18

Ten animal control calls, two fire department assists, one larceny complaint, one shoplifting, lost child, three trouble calls, one accident, reckless driving, traffic assist, a total of 33 calls from 7:14 a.m. to 11:44 p.m. Wednesday, July 19

Ten animal control calls, three lost and found problems, parking and trespassing complaints, one warrant arrest, one juvenile complaint, four accidents at Pine Knob, a street light check requested by Detroit Edison, two noise complaints, a total of 30 calls from 7:48 a.m. to 12:20 a.m.

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FIRE REPORT

July 3

Extinguished dumpster fire behind 5789 M-15

July 4

Responded to an inhalator run at Pine Knob Theatre

Rescue run at Sashabaw and Waldon for an injury accident

July 5

First aid run on Clintonville

July 6

Rescue truck responded to an inhalator run on Sunnydale

Gas washdown on Dixie for a car accident

July 10

First aid run at Clintonwood Park

Pavement washdown for a parked truck leaking gas at township hall parking lot.

Extinguished grass fire at N. Eston and Whipple Lake Road. Undetermined cause.

First aid run for an injury accident at I-75 and Sashabaw.

Responded to an inhalator run on Maybee

Gasoline washdown on I-75 for a car accident

Extinguished building fire on M-15. Extensive damage.

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First aid run for an injury accident at Sashabaw and Waldon.

Rescue and first aid run at Clarkston and Eston for a car-motorcycle accident.

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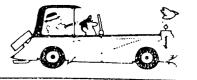
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Open Meeting to be Held on Resources Conservation Act

The Oakland County Soil and Water Conservation District has a long and successful history of initiating, planning and managing soil and water conservation programs, according to its District Conservationist Marc

Last fall, Congress passed the Soil and Water Resources Conservation Act now known as the Resources Conservation Act. The Resources Conservation Act calls for a comprehensive look at the nation's basic natural resources and for better programs to protect and improve them. An important part of the law is its emphasis on citizen participation in letermining the future direction of conservation programs that affect local communities.

Under the law, you can express your views and opinions on the nation's natural resources. Using the views and opinions of all people the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service will develop a program to guide conservation efforts and evaluate the program's effectiveness each year.

The Oakland Soil Conservation District has joined the Soil Conservation Service in its efforts to strengthen soil and water conservation programs and will conduct an open meeting about the Resources Conservation Act.

The public meeting sponsored by the Oakland Soil Conservation District and the Soil Conservation Service to receive public response will be held August 9 at 8:00 p.m., at the M.S.U. Management Traning Center, 811 West Square Lake Road in Troy. Your comments, opinions and suggestions will be welcomed.

Detroit Not Amongst Worst Air Polluters

Most environmentalists can guess which U.S. city has the worst air quality.

Los Angeles, famous for its smog, was the easy "winner" in a study published by the Council on Environmental Quality. On 318 days in 1975 - the year on which the study was based - its air was "unhealthful," "very unhealthful" or "hazardous."

But the list of runners-up contained a few surprises, according to the National Wildlife Federation, which monitors the nation's air pollution in its annual Environmental Quality Index report. The next-worst cities, and the number of days on which their air was "unhealthful" or worse were: Denver, 177; Albuquerque, 150; Philadelphia, 150; New York-New Jersey Metropolitan Area, 149; Boston, 147; Houston, 141; St. Louis, 140; San Francisco, 127; Spokane, Washington, 126; Phoenix, 118; Fairbanks, Alaska, and District of Columbia, 90; Sacramento, California, 88; Louisville, Kentucky. 72; Steubenville, Ohio, 60; Cincinnati, 51; Omaha, 40; Memphis, 38; and Wichita, Kansas, 25.

Two of the nation's industrial giants, Chicago and Detroit, failed to make the list.

Know-It-All Grow-It-All

by Bonnie Hale

The piggy back plant, tolmia menziesii, is also known as pick-a-back, thousand mothers, youth-on-age, and mother of thousands. As the names denote, the piggy back is a plant that produces new plants on the plant itself. Because the plant only grows 6 to $8^{\prime\prime}$ tall and 10 to 15" wide it is an ideal plant for a tabletop, window sill. or shelf. And they even make ideal plants in hanging

The piggy back does best in bright indirect light or curtain-filtered sun light. Too much light causes the leaves to become stunted and bleached in appearance. The soil should be kept barely moist at all times although it should never be soggy. If the soil is allowed to become too dry, the leaf tips and edges will turn brown.

Starting in early March begin a regular fertilizing program and continue through until November. Because piggy backs are a relatively fast grower they should be transplanted every year, preferably in the spring.

The piggy back which grows wild along the West Coast of North America, is a very easily propagated house plant. Place a small pot of moist vermiculite, perlite, or sand next to the parent plant and anchor the

More than four miles of paved roads will have smoother saferr surfaces this year as one result of the Oakland County Road Commission giving top priority to highway safety.

John R. Gnau, Jr., Chairman of the Board of County Road Commissioners, announced that the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has approved the Road Commission's application for \$85,600 toward \$118,000 of bituminous overlay construction under a "Safer-Off-System" program.

Three projects totalling 2.8 miles are in Springfield Township. They include 0.5 miles of Rattalee Lake Road east of Tindall, 0.5 miles of Tindall north of Rattalee Lake Road and 1.8 miles of Clark Road from Dixie Highway to Bridge Lake Road.

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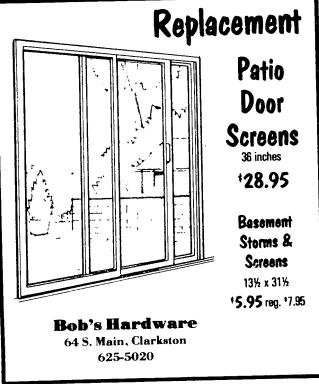
base of a mature leaf with a baby plant on top, into the surface with a hairpin. When the leaf is rooted, cut from the parent plant and repot in regular soil mix. Or insert about 2" of leaf stem into rotting medium with the base of the leaf resting on the rooting medium. Both methods should have formed roots in about two weeks.

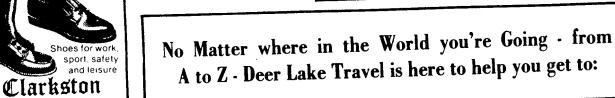
Spider mites can sometimes be a problem on piggy backs. More so than other plants because they are very hard to spot on the hairy leaves. If mites are present, take necessary steps immediately.

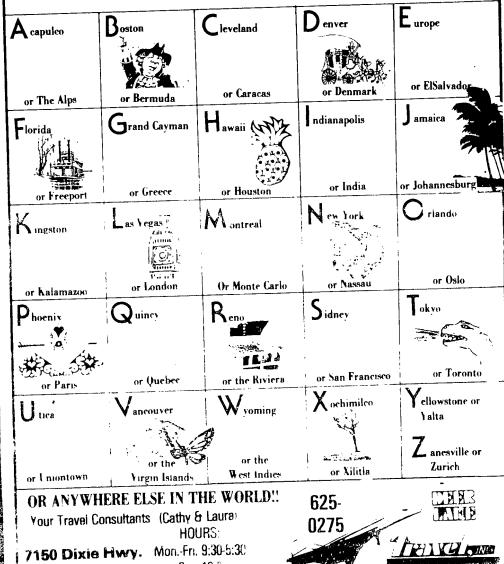
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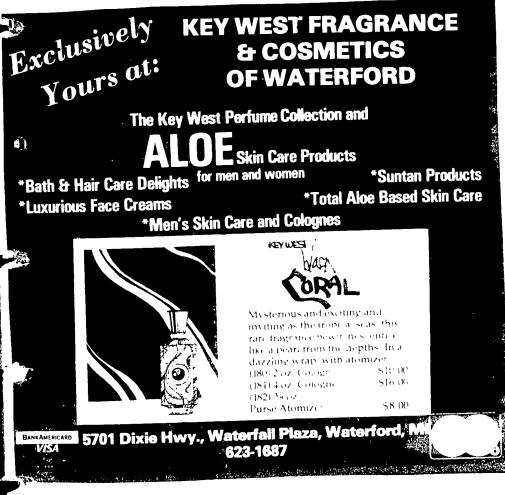






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Bother Me!

by Mandy Mitts

Dear Mandy,

I am a high school senior, and our class is selling candy to raise money for class activities. Yesterday when I got my boxes of candy, I took them home and put them on the desk in the family room with my books. Then I went to work. When I got home at night, I looked for the candy, and half of it was gone. My mom said my kid brother and his friends had grabbed some of it, and that it was my fault for leaving it where they could get at it. She says she is not going to pay for what my brother took, and he has no money of his own. She says I can't ask the parents of his friends for the money either, and that I'll just have to pay for the candy out of the money I've saved to take my girl to the prom. Do you think this is right? (I can't ask my dad because he left us two years ago). J.

Dear J.:

No, I don't think this is fair. It isn't fair to you, and it is even less fair to your brother and his friends. Your mother is encouraging these boys to steal, by putting the responsibility on others to "lock everything up" rather than on developing self-control and respect for the property of others. Talk to a teacher or counselor at school. Explain, or ask a teacher to explain that the candy belonged to the class, and not to you. The boys did not take your candy, so they must answer to the people who actually owned it. Have your class officers take action on this. You'll do all the boys a favor if they find out they can't get away with theft now, before they are in more serious trouble.

Mandy

Dear Mandy,

Last week when I was at my girlfriend's house, I broke a dish. It wasn't a real expensive one (my girlfriend told me) but she said that I had to pay for it. I told my mom and dad and they got mad because we always take this girl to our cottage in the summer and we never ask her parents for money for her good or anything. I told my friend that and she said my parents were wrong because they offered to take her to the cottage, etc., while her mom did not offer me the dish to break...is she right?

Dear Bets,

Yes, she is right. What she says is true. Pay for the broken dish, but do not give the money to your friend, but to her mother! If her mother accepts the money, in spite of the number of times you have played hostess to her daughter, forget this friend, if that is what you call her. She and her family will have shown themselves to be opportunists rather than friends. You will have lost nothing.



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THE RIDER by Cathryn Hallett

A rider once galloped through my head. He left years ago, but I've heard him returning. The pounding echoes say I'm insane.

I remember his face and his eyes And his lips and his arms, but never his name. All the details escaped from my brain.

The throbbing rhythm is thrust to the heart, It pulses and gushes - it's all pseudopassion. The pounding echoes say I'm insane.

He spoke gently and drew With his eyes. He could seduce a nun. All the details escaped from my brain.

O mock! mock turtle, it never was real. The rider is gone, he left only his soul. It lingers and teases and whispers my shame,

His words and the lie, "I'll see you again." The pounding echoes say I'm insane, But, all the details escaped from my brain.

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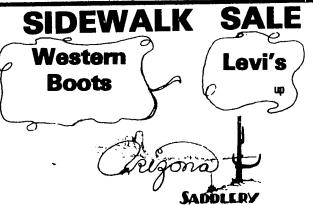
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Question Of The Week

Double-Bottom Tankers Ban or Restrictions?

by Sharon Springborn

There is no great controversy about double-bottom tankers and whether or not they should be allowed complete freedom of the highways. Of the 10 Independence Township residents that the Reminder contacted, all 10 felt that the double-bottoms should either be banned from the highways completely, or have some restrictions put on their travelling times.

Mr. Robert Leichtman and Ms. Loretta Makowski are both in favor of restrictions. They feel that we need the cargo that the trucks carry and, states Mr. Leichtman. "If they (the double-bottom tankers) were eliminated entirely, the present ones would just be made bigger, so they'd carry the same amount, anyway

Having the hours that the tankers could travel altered to fit non-peak traffic times would make double-bottom tankers a good deal safer, feels Ms. Marilyn Guzzo.

The number of recent accidents involving doublebottom tankers has had a bearing on the opinions of Ms. Pamela Burke and Mr. James Attanson. They feel that the huge tankers present a danger to everyone who must drive on the highway, and a way to limit their travel time, and thus make their travelling safer, is necessary.

Also in favor of some restrictions is Ms. Elizabeth Kline. She thinks that the double tankers have caused quite a number of problems in the last year, and the number of problems would go down if restrictions were

Undecided if she is in favor of a total ban or some limits on double-bottom tankers is Ms. Juanita LaPere. She feels that the tankers are a hazard to other drivers, and should be either banned or restricted.

Even though the consumer would be forced to bear any increase in prices that would result from any restrictions imposed on the tankers. Ms. LaPere doesn't feel that we, the consumers, should be asked to cover any cost increases that would result. But, she states, "we always have to cover any rise in prices."

In favor of a complete ban are Ms. Gavla Malone and Mr. William Lewis. Their reason for wanting to see a complete ban put into effect are the number of accidents in recent months involving double-bottom tankers. Ms. Malone also feels that the large tankers present a hazard to anvone else who drives on the highway.

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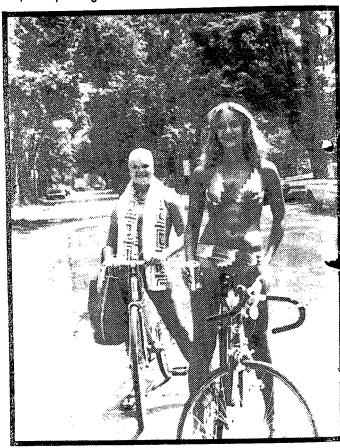
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Faces and Places

by Marilyn Bridgeman



Jean Hunt of Holcomb St. and friend Lisa Oliver of Main St. stop to rest after spending a day at Deer Lake. 'Our pool broke," they said. "It's hot riding bikes...but it's worth it."



What's a Noel candle doing in the middle of the yard in July? In this case, Iva Sommers Caverly and Sophie Sutton man the annual Democratic Club's garage sale in Clarkston.

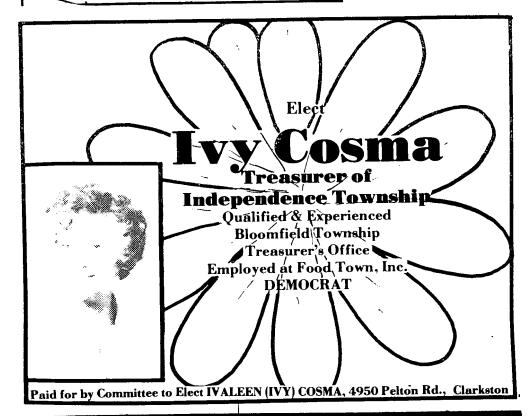
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Tenants, Landlord Hassle Over Bluewater Apartments

Still in Court

"We try to do things legally and fairly, and all we get is shuttled around. How they're able to operate on shaky ground is beyond me..." Judy Norton, former tenant.

by Mike Wilcox, Sharon Springborn and Dee Lozier

A group of Bluewater Bavarian Village tenants have taken the owner of their apartment complex to court in an effort to receive payment for damages suffered due to poor and incomplete construction.

The Springfield Township apartments, located on Dixie Highway, just north of I-75, are supposedly "luxury" apartments. They rent for as high as \$350 a

Nearly twenty-five unhappy tenants filed suit in the

nowhere, hopelessly tangled in legal red tape, according to a spokesperson for the tenants. "We try to do things legally and fairly, and all we get

is shuttled around," said Judy Norton, a former tenant who moved out last year but still remains a plaintiff in the lawsuit. "How they're able to operate on shaky ground is beyond me."

summer of 1977. Since then, their suit has gotten

'My apartment was never completed," continued Mrs. Norton. "My son was sleeping in a basement which I panelled and painted. It was supposed to be a finished family room."

Mrs. Norton added, "I lost a couple of hundred dollars worth of plants because of bad air conditioning."

The tenants' major complaints include:

1. Before entering into lease agreements, the tenants were shown brochures depicting an apartment complex that contained a swimming pool, tennis courts, recreation building, air conditioning, laundry facilities and assigned lighted parking. None of the items were a completed when they moved in and most are still not, according to the tenants.

2. Apartment construction was shoddy and incomplete. Basements are cracked, wires are missing and windows don't have screens.

3. Tenants involved in the lawsuit are being harassed by management. Rents are indiscriminately raised and threats of eviction are commonplace.

"Almost every night we come home, there is an eviction notice on our door. We've had so many of them, we use them as wallpaper," claimed an angry tenant, who chose to remain anonymous for fear of repercussions from management.

4. Basements are filled with debris. They're supposed to be completely finished, but instead, according to tenants, they're mostly incomplete and cluttered with trash.

Attorney for the tenants, W.F. Hatfield, is convinced they have a good chance of winning in court.

"I've always felt you have a winner here whether it's arbitration, judge or jury," said Hatfield. "Just as long as I'm guaranteed neutrality, my case is strong enough it's going to stick!"

But, after a year of getting nowhere, tenants are upset with the legal system and unsure about their case.

Here's a chronological order of events according to court documents and attorney Hatfield:

June 29, 1977 - Lawsuit was filed. Assigned to Judge Farrell Roberts of the Oakland County Circuit Court. Shortly thereafter, Roberts was hospitalized with cancer. and case had to be reassigned.

July 6, 1977 - Before Judge Roberts became ill, he had a conference in court chambers with plaintiff and defendants. The judge ordered, "Defendants shall not harass, make target rent increases or take any retaliatory measure against the tenants.'

The judge also ordered Hatfield to collect all rents from defendents and turn them over to the court until



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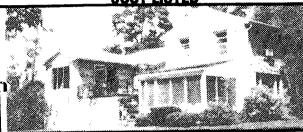
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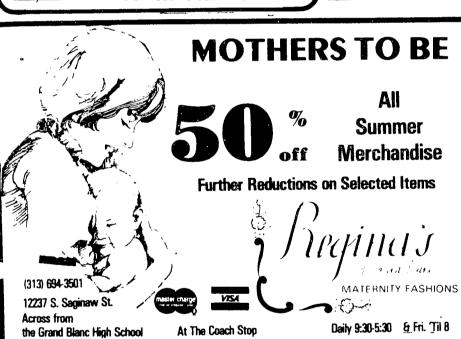
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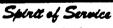
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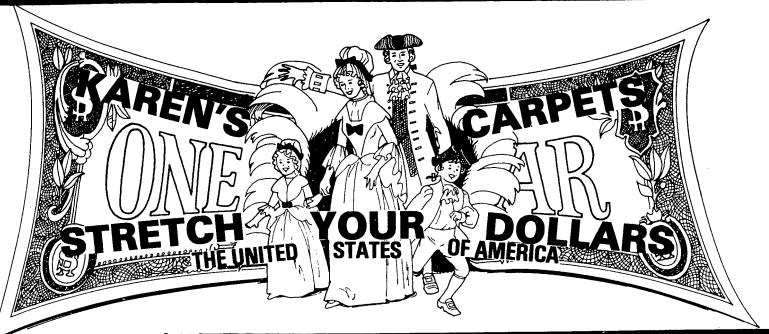
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