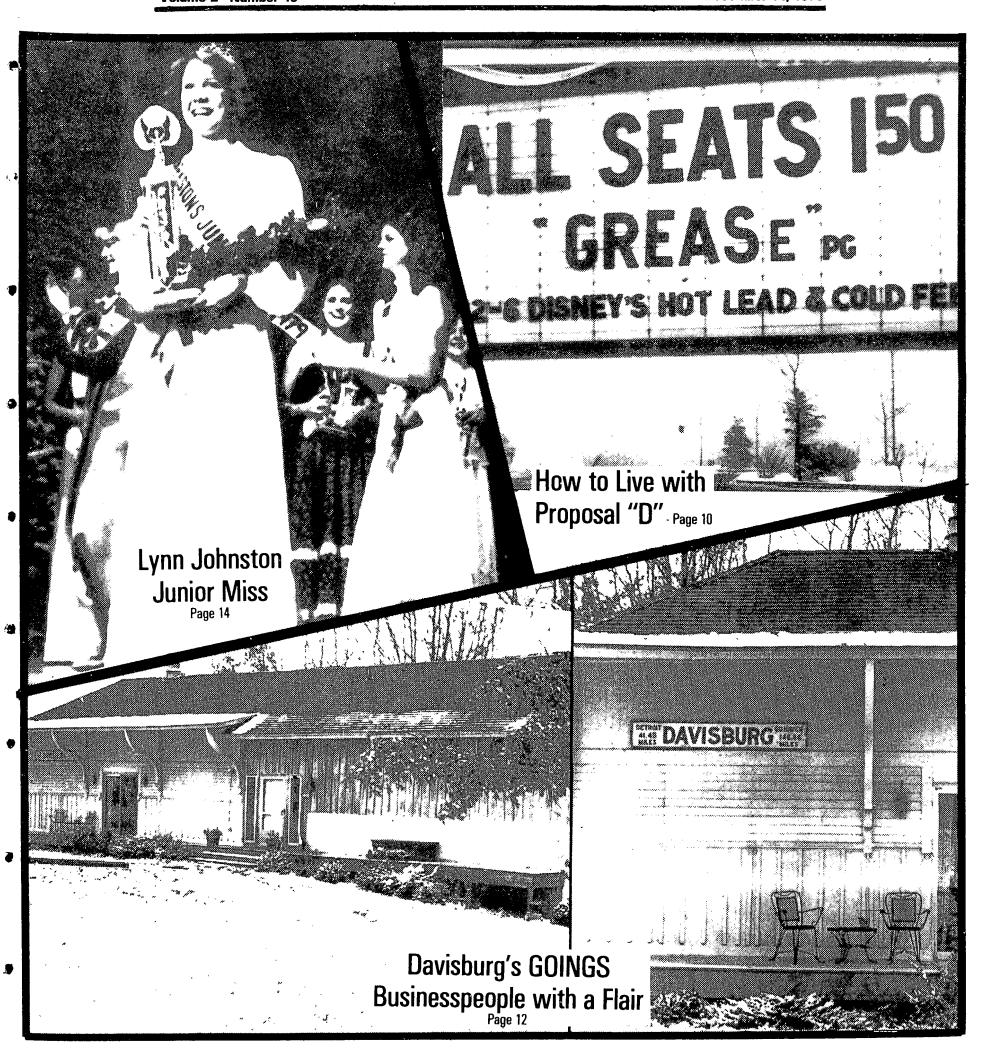
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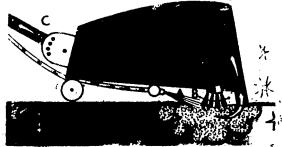
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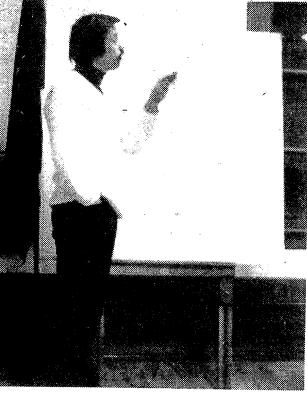
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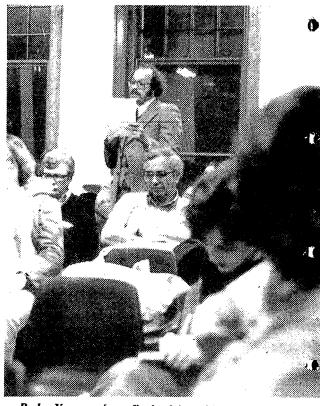
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Gene Komarynski presents plans for Phase III of Lake Oakland Woods to the Independence Township Board.



Rudy Youman [standing] claims his home is in a designated wetland area.

In Independence

Unhappy Homeowners Prevail, Board Postpones Plat Approval

by Carol Balzarini

Gene Komarynski, representing Edward Rose Builders, presented phase III of Lake Oakland Woods to the Independence Township Board last week for final plat approval, assuring the board that all preliminaries had been taken care of and all necessary approvals received from the drain commission, road commission, health department, etc.

Trustee Bill Vandermark asked if the wetlands ordinance had been conformed with, adding that application had been made but there was no record of its completion.

Komarynski replied that township engineers Johnson and Anderson had looked it over and approved. Komarynski's associate stated the wetlands application had been made at the time of the request for preliminary plat approval.

"We have conformed whether or not a completed application is on file. It was done a long time ago. Johnson and Anderson designated those areas before PUD (planned urban development)," he said.

Building department head Tim Palulian concurred, "They could not have had the cluster option until the

requirements were met."

Komarynski told board members there were two plats at one time, one with a cluster layout and one with the traditional grid layout, pointing out to Vandermark that his brother was very instrumental in this development. Bob Vandermark was township supervisor at the time.

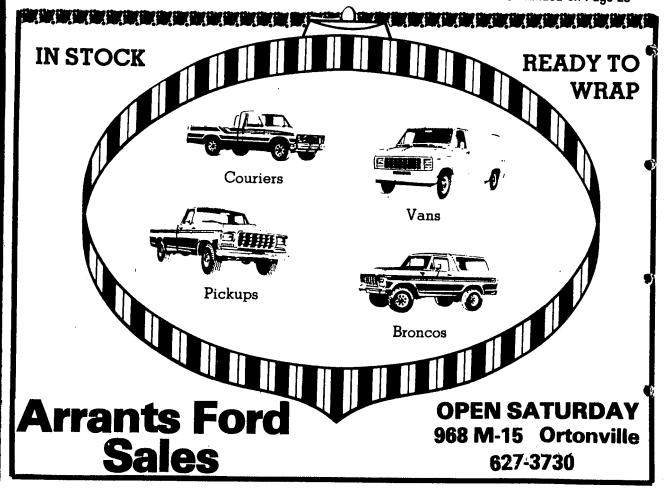
Vandermark replied that Komarynski was informed at that time the wetlands ordinance must be conformed with and asked if he had any objections to dedicating those wetland to the Independence Land Conservancy. Komarynski said this was not possible without approval of the lenders, those backing the development.

Roy Haeusler, representing the Land Conservancy, explained it was a state-regulated agency. Land granted by scenic easement would be protected from now on as it exists. It will not become a beach or a playground or whatever.

The township wetlands ordinance states that designated areas not be altered in any manner, but Lake Oakland Woods residents vehemently argued that was not the case in their area.

Rudy Youmans of Pheasant Run said that homes were

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editor's note

Most of us know very little about our court system. We've never witnessed a circuit or probate court proceedings. Some of us have never been in a district court.

After urgings from a number of readers, we dispatched ace reporter Carol Balzarini to Judge Gerald McNally's 52nd District Court. She recorded day-by-day procedures on several different occasions and her diary provides us with a clear picture as to how that court operates.

Rube Goldberg, visited. One of the candle industries pioneers calls Davisburg "God's country." Charles Goings established The Candle Factory in this area nearly a quarter of a century ago. He invented and built

the machinery used to produce his fancy and artistic candles. And in the Candle Factory's heydays it attracred busloads of children to Davisburg each day.

We visited the man behind the Candle Factory at his home, an old "freight station," and found he and his wife to be enjoying their retirement in the only place they ever want to be - Davisburg.

We're quite concerned with the passage of Proposal "D". When it becomes effective in late December, what and where will our 18-21 year olds go for entertainment.

Betty Good, a mother with a child or two of her own in that age bracket, went looking for an alternative to the bar and disco scene. She unearthed some rather surprising results.

Muke Willer

Bulletin Board

Clarkston Christmas Parade to Feature Santa Claus

Santa Claus is coming to town on Saturday, December 16, arriving with the annual Christmas parade sponsored by the Independence Township Police Services. The 10 a.m. parade will begin at Robertson Court and end at Clarkston High School.

There are some 20 entries including three school bands, Richardson Dairy's cow, scouts, gymnasts, baton twirlers, and the Oakland County Sheriff's Department posse.

Wolfpack Romps to Second Victory

CLARKSTON 71, KETTERING 52

Tim McCormick led the way Friday as the undefeated Wolves of Clarkston claimed a 71-52 Greater Oakland Activities League prep basketball victory over Waterford Kettering.

McCormick, a 6-9½ junior center, scored 23 points to lead the Wolves while adding 19 rebounds and five blocked shots. Ed Haddad added 22 points for Clarkston, which improved its record to 2-0 on the season and starts the league season at 1-0.

The game was a runaway from the start as the Wolves led 20-7 after one quarter and 47-17 at the half.

SEMTA Makes Independence Presentation

A representative of the Southeastern Michigan Transportation Authority (SEMTA) made a presentation to the Independence Township Board last week. Gail Whitty told township officials that beginning last October, small bus service became available in Oakland County and will be increasing in the out-county areas January 1.

Small bus service is on an advanced reservation basis Monday through Saturday and designed primarily for the elderly and the handicapped. It is not intended for the general public unless there is space available.

It is similar, but not identical, to the Dial-A-Ride systems in some communities. Dial-A-Ride is partially funded by the community it serves, is for the general public and stays within those boundaries. SEMTA service will not cost the township any money.

SEMTA was created in 1967 but did not become active until funds were allocated in 1973. At this time, some \$600 million comes from the federal government with \$150 million in state and local funds committed for a wider coordinated transporation system in the SEMTA region. SEMTA now operates trains, buses and small buses.

Maps and rates will be available to the township in the near future as the program is still in the planning stages. They are tentatively planned for inclusion in the first quarterly mailing from the recreation department in March.

Sashabaw Choirs to Present Christmas Concert December 20

The Sashabaw Junior High Chorus Department's Girls Chorus, Boys Chorus, and "Encores"-a total of 156 students-will present their Christmas Concert on Wednesday, December 20, at 7:30 p.m. in the school gymnasium. Admission is free.

The SJH "Encores"-a select group of 25 mixed voices-will also be sharing their Christmas cheer on two other occasions. On Saturday, December 16, they'll be heard in the Clarkston Christmas Parade, at Clinton Valley Center in Pontiac, and at the Meadowbrook Village Mall in Rochester.

Also on Thursday, December 21, the "Encores" are caroling for the Pine Knob, Bailey Lake, North Sashabaw, and South Sashabaw Elementary Schools, and the Lourdes Nursing Home in Waterford.

Fun With Santa

Fun With Santa, co-sponsored by the Davisburg Jaycees and Auxiliary will be held Saturday, December 16 from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. "Byron" the Magician will perform and entertain from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. Santa will make a visit, too. There will be songs and refreshments. Call 887-5591, 634-5013 or 625-2029. The first 200 children will receive a "goodie bag" filled with lots of surprises.

Notice Publicity Chairpeople

Publicity chairmen of all organizations in Springfield and Independence Townships are asked to provide The Reminder with names and telephone numbers of people to contact within those organizations to assist us in compiling a master list of organizations, social clubs and special interest groups.

Pleas contact The Reminder by telephone at 627-2843, or by mail at 260 ortonville Road, Ortonville, 48462.

Collins Graduates from Boot Camp

Barry Collins, the son of Ron and Genene Collins of Clarkston, and a June, 1978 graduate of Clarkston High School, graduated from Boot Camp at the Great Lakes Naval Station on December 1, 1978. His parents and family attended the graduation ceremonies in Chicago.

Collins will be stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Hospital school beginning January 3, 1979.

Puckett Earns Marine Promotion

Marine Private First Class Le Roy J. Puckett, son of Le Roy and Leona Puckett of 5425 Pine Knob, Clarkston, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with 2d Marine Division, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejueune, N.C.

He joined the Marine Corps in April, 1978.

POLICE REPORT December 1 thru December 7

Friday, December 1: Four animal control calls, trouble with juvenile, four accidents, medical emergency, cars off the road, malicious destruction of property, a total of 18 calls from 7:55 a.m. to 11:15 p.m.

Monday, December 4: Four animal control calls, citizen assist, narcotic complaint, three complaints of malicious destruction of property, one accident, a total of 14 calls from 8:30 a.m. to 4:33 p.m.

Tuesday, December 5: Seven animal control calls, narcotic complaint, one accident, a total of 10 calls from 8:23 a.m. to 5:27 p.m.

Wednesday, December 6: Four animal control calls, one accident, suspicious circumstances, a total of 6 calls from 8:29 a.m. to 1:41 p.m.

Thursday, December 7: Four animal control calls, narcotic complaint, road hazard, suspicious vehicle, abandoned vehicle, snowball complaint, juvenile drinking, a total of 11 complaints from 8:45 a.m. to 4:25

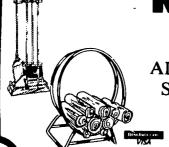
Independence Township Police Services presently operates on a Monday-Friday basis with cars on the road from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. and a dispatcher on duty from 7 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. Calls received after 4 p.m. are turned

over to the Oakland County Sheriff's Department Saturday and Sunday dispatchers were recently discontinued for budgetary reasons

CORRECTION

Due to a mix-up by the Marine Corps, a photograph 🐠 Richard A. Smith that appeared in the December 7th Reminder, was actually a picture of Bill Singleton.





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Feature Editor

THOUGHTS 'N THINGS

Self-expression and the ability to create interesting and informative communications are definitely rewards of learning the basic skills of English. There is a more important reason to master them, however. The truth is that being well read can make life much more pleasant for us. Through reading, we find help in solving our problems, and comfort when we are distressed, as well as things to laugh at, when we feel blue. There is something else, besides entertainment, that reading can do for us. It can increase our worth to others.

We all enjoy talking to someone who can add to our knowledge, who can enlighten us on new happenings, or just refer us to sources that can help us to broaden our horizons. An employer, however, is even more interested in an employee who makes a sincere attempt to improve skills and abilities, as well as increasing general knowledge. In other words, judging a person by the books he or she reads, still has not gone out of style.

The ability to express oneself clearly in writing is also still in style. In almost every line of work, communications between departments, individuals, and the public, as well as the government, is an important part of daily business. Good writing ability, as well as skillful speech, are equated with intelligence, though many intelligent people have not mastered the skill—and some less intelligent people have. Denying the importance of learning to use the basic communication skills is like denying the importance of dressing neatly, or brushing one's teeth, or combing one's hair. Sloppy expressions, whether they be physical, mental, or emotional are symptoms of "not caring enough to do one's very best!"

The problem for many adults, who have forgotten more than they learned in school, is how to shape up their communications skills, in order to help themselves, as

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well as their children. The simplest way is to get back to the basics, and sort out what is important, and what is "excess baggage" in ordinary, everyday communications

The first thing to consider is that man survived long before he made use of written or spoken language, so it was an invention with a purpose. That is, that it made non-physical communication possible. It made the passing of knowledge and understanding, from one human to another, possible, and it made a history of man's thoughts and ideas possible, in a way that art work and tools could never equal.

The first "words" were simple sounds, and often made in an effort to mimic the sound a thing made. Small children do the same thing, saying "bow-wow" for a dog, etc. The first words that man was concerned with, are the same words that children use first; the nouns. We are curious. We want to know what things are, and who people are. We then feed our "computers" with all the names of people, places and things that we have observed. They are "subjects" of our interest. Those nouns, which are subjects of our interest, allow us to communicate with each other, about the things which are present in our immediate vicinity, and with the help of our expressions and our hands, get thoughts across. In other words, if we can say "ball" and motion to ourselves, the other people in our immediate vicinity will probably understand that it is ours, or that we wish to have it. That is hardly satisfactory however, so we add a verb to our noun. "Man singing" or "ball rolling" or "girl crying" added to gestures and expression, can also communicate something clearly. It is enough for working with the happenings of the moment, and those in our immediate vicinity.

To deal with a variety of similar items or people, or to

deal with the past or the future, or things not in our immediate vicinity, we need other words to use with our nouns and verbs. We add adjectives for definition or 'modifying" the nouns. We use "red" or "blue" with "ball" and we have made our communication clearer. We add "short" or "tall" to "man", and we have told "which one" we are speaking of. It is really a great help in understanding! Then we add the adverbs which do for the verbs what the adjectives do for the nouns. They increase our understanding of speed or quality. "Red ball - rolling quickly" sends us running after it. "Fat man -- singing loudly" may make us cover our ears. Helping verbs like was, will, has, have, are necessary to clear up matters of time when what we are talking about (our subject and its verb) have already happened, or will happen in the future, and so our language goes. Each set of words was added for a purpose; to make understanding easier. Pronouns, articles, contractions, etc. were like frosting on the cake, making definition

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Once man had words, he could communicate ideas. The words then fell into natural groupings. It was reasonable to stop talking at the end of an idea. The sentence had been born, with a beginning and an end, It coincided with the idea being communicated. Imagine that!

Speaking then became something that the adults taught their children, and, since the children heard the noises their parents made, they were able to imitate them, and undersand the meaning of the sounds. That was the easy part. (To be continued)

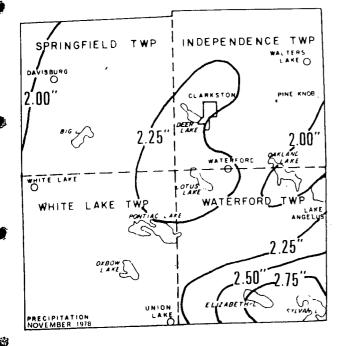
(The rainfall map was prepared by Robert C. Davis and Susan E. Rosin, and was sponsored by Johnson and Anderson, Inc., Consulting Engineers.)

FORECAST

November was an "Average" Month

by Robert C. Davis

November 1978 was a rather "average" month as far as weather statistics are concerned. Precipitation for most of our 4-township and surrounding area averaged



near normal for the month, ranging from a low of 1.78 inches in Fenton to a high of 2.91 inches at Elizabeth Lake/Waterford Township. The northern Clarkston station recorded 2.30 inches of precipitation during November, while the eastern Clarkston station recorded 2.18 inches. Normal precipitation for November at Pontiac is 2.21 inches.

The snowfall season began in our area during November. Our first 1 inch snow depth occurred on November 21, after two days of light snow. Based on data at the eastern Clarkston station, the total snowfall for November amounted to 7 inches. This is about 4 inches above normal for our area.

The mean daily temperature for November was 39.1 degrees, which is near normal. Temperatures ranged from a low of 16 degrees on the morning of the 29th to a high of 71 degrees on the afternoons of the 4th and 5th. November's weather may well be an indication of the winter weather to follow, namely near normal temperatures with above normal snowfall.

With the winter season ahead of us, this would be a good time to introduce some of the terminology associated with winter storms. Freezing rain or freezing drizzle is moisture which falls in liquid form, but freezes on impact, because the surface temperatures are below 32 degrees. Farenheit. The result is a coating of ice glaze on all exposed objects.

When snow is forecast, without any qualified terms such as "intermittent" or "occasional", you can expect a steady snowfall continuing for several hours without letup. Heavy snow warnings are issued when 4 or more inches of snowfall are expected in a 12-hour period, or when 6 inches or more are expected in a 24-hour period. For a blizzard warning to be issued, 3 different conditions are necessary. There must be considerable falling or blowing snow, the wind must be blowing at least 35 miles per hour, and the temperature must be below 20 degrees Farenheit for an extended period of





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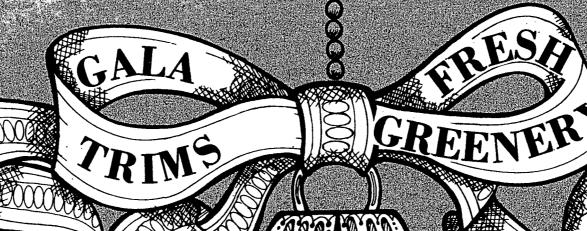
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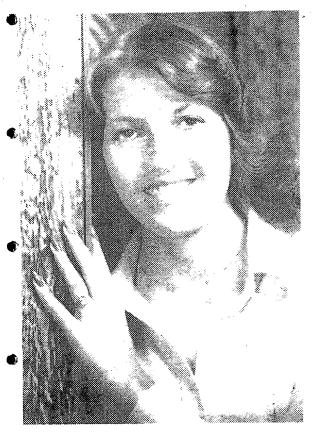
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Raeanne Harris Graduates

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While attending the university, Raeanne was affiliated with the American Society for Personnel Administration, Alpha Kappa Psi, and the American Sign Language Club. She was also inducted into the Sigma Iota Epsilon National Honor Society for Business

Raeanne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harris of Clarkston, Michigan and is a 1974 graduate of Brandon High School.

Just One of Those Days

We know a modern young couple who have been trying to "beat the game" of marriage. They both have jobs, and keep their salaries in separate accounts. They have divided their responsibilities, so he buys certain things out of his money, and she buys certain other things out

It just so happens that he is responsible for buying living room furniture, and she is responsible for buying family room furniture, and they needed a new chair for the living room. When they went to buy it however, he picked out a chair that she didn't like at all. Then she tried to talk him into buying one that she did like, but he didn't like it. One thing led to another, and they didn't buy a chair. In fact, they hardly spoke to each other for a

She felt badly. She decided to take her money, and buy him the chair that he liked for a Christmas gift, and when he called to say he was working late, she headed for the furniture store. What she didn't know, was that hubby wasn't working late at all. He had begun to feel badly, and had decided to buy the chair she wanted after all. Naturally, they met in the furniture store, and had to confess why they were there.

It was then that they decided that their system wasn't a very good one. By pooling their money they were able to buy a more expensive chair that they both wanted, and still have enough money left over for a bottle of champagne and dinner out at a nice restaurant -- so that is what they did. It was just one of those days when two people decided to stop thinking in terms of "you" and "I" and decided to think in terms of "we." It happens in the best of families!

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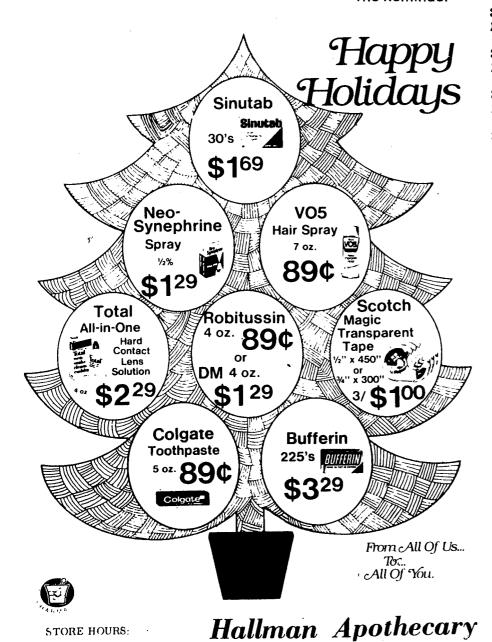
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Michgian Court Structure

by Joan Allen

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The Michigan Court system is structured according to the jurisdiction of the courts. The courts of limited jurisdiction are District Court; Probate Court; Court of Claims; Municipal Court of Records; and Municipal Court Not of Record. The court of general jurisdiction is the Circuit Court, and the Courts of Appellate Jurisdiction are the Supreme Court and the Court of Appeals.

Reorganization of the minor courts was effected in 1969, when police courts, justices of the peace, circuit court commissioners and Cadillac's recorder's court were abolished. The state's system is now based upon more than eighty district courts, probate courts in virtually every county and a limited number of municipal courts. Three of them are in Detroit and some twenty "municipal courts not of record" are scattered throughout the state. They are gradually being replaced by district courts.

Courts of Limited Jurisdiction

District Court- There are 86 District Courts in the state, and 185 District Judges. They are courts of record, and a jury trial is possible in this court. The District Court's civil jurisdiction has exclusive jurisdiction where the amount of money in controversy doesn't exceed \$10,000. Equity problems are not handled by this court, and the small claims division hears cases when the amount of money involved is no more than \$300.

The criminal jurisdiction is limited to misdemeanors punishable by fine or imprisonment for less than one year, or both; and ordinance and charter violations punishable by fine or imprisonment.

This court also has the authority to issue warrants, hold arraignments, fix bail, and hold preliminary examinations in all felony and misdemeanor cases not judged in the District Court. This court may also establish a probation department and a traffic bureau. District Court Judges-They are elected on a non-partisan ballot for a term of 6 years, except that when a newposition is created, the legislature may set the length of the initial terms at 4, 6 or 8 years.

Probate Court-There are 77 Probate Courts in Michigan, and 103 Probate Judges. It is a court of record, and a jury may be requested by a party or guardian or ordered by the court to determine questions of mental competence, or cause of death. Litigants have the right of appeal to the circuit court where issues of fact may be heard by a jury.

The Probate Court has jurisdiction over all matters relating to the settlement of estates of persons who lived in the county at the time of their death, or who died outside Michigan, but had an estate in one of the counties; the appointment of guardians; determination of the validity of titles to real and personal property; and the exclusive jurisdiction of juveniles to age 17 (and under some circumstances--to age 20.)

Probate Court Judges-They are elected at non-partisan election in the counties or probate districts in which they reside, for a 6 year term.

Court of Claims-This court meets 4 times a year in Lansing. When the court is in session, 1 or more circuit court judges are assigned to duty on the court by the supreme court administrator. It is a court of record which never involves a jury trial.

The Court of Claims hears and determines all claims and demands, liquidated and unliquidated, against the state or any of its departments or agencies, and also hears the state's counterclaims in any such suit.

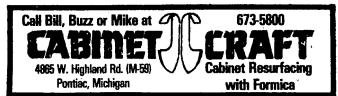
There is an effective bottom limit to the court's jurisdiction: the state administrative board may hear claims involving less that \$100, while department heads may resolve claims involving \$50 or less.

The court is staffed by circuit court judges; if not residents of Lansing, they are compensated by the state for expenses involved in attending court.

Municipal Courts of Record-There are 3 (Court of Common Pleas, Recorder's Court, Traffic and Ordinance Division of the Recorder's Court, all located in Detroit.)

The maximum number of judges in each court is 20. The recorder's court has 20 judges, the common pleas court has 13, and the traffic and ordinance division has

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may be demanded. Inferentially, jury trials are available in municipal courts of record. Litigants have the right of appeal. Appeals from the court of common please are taken on the record to the circuit court. The recorder's court procedure for appeals is the same as in the circuit court.

The recorder's court has jurisdiction equivalent to the circuit court if any party is a municipal resident or the cause of action arose in the city. The court of common please has exclusive jurisdiction in all civil actions involving \$5,000 or less, and concurrent jurisdiction with the circuit court of civil actions involving \$10,000 or less. In practice, the recorder's court hears few civil cases. The court of common please may establish a "concilliation division" to hear cases involving \$300 or less.

This court also has criminal jurisdiction. The recorder's court acquired jurisdiction of the police ourt under act, and may try all crimes or misdemeanors committed in Detroit which would be judged elsewhere by a justice of the peace (or District Court). The court hold preliminary hearings. The traffic and ordinance division hears cases involving vications of motor vehicle laws in the city limits and olations of municipal ordinances. Judges are elected on a non-partisan ballot for a term of 6 years.

Municipal Courts Not of Fecord-All police courts and justice of the peace courts were replaced by municipal courts in 1969. Two sections of the Michigan Compiled Laws govern the new municipal courts. One, "City Municipal Courts", which is primarily procedural; and the other is the Uniform Municipal Court Act, which is primarily administrative. the UMCA allows individual cities to establish their own administrative systems; most of these municipal courts apparently are governed by local ordinance.

There are 24 of these courts statewide, and 33 judges. It is not a court of record. Jury trials are rarely employed, but provisions do exist for summoning jurors. Appeals are taken in the same manner as appeals from justice courts, which went to the Circuit Court.

Justice Courts had jurisdiction of civil cases in which both parties were city residents. According to the UMCA, municipal judges have the same jurisdiction as justices of the peace. Under the UMCA, small claims jurisdiction has increased the small claims conciliation limit of jurisdiction from \$35 to \$100. The UMCA grants jurisdiction of misdemeanors punishable by fine or imprisonment for less than one year. A 1973 report on the municipal courts indicated that a great majority of their cases were traffic offenses. Judges are elected for 6 year terms.

Court of General Jurisdiction-This is the Circuit Court. It is the principle trial court in the Michigan Judicial system. It hears all criminal cases, other than those heard by the District Court, and all civil cases where the amount in controversy exceeds \$10,000 or where the relief asked is equitable in nature. It is a court of record and jury trials may be held. They are elected in judicial circuits based on population, for a 6 year term.

Appellate Jurisdiction Courts-Court of Appeals is the intermediate court on the appeals level. It handles all cases appealed from the Circuit Court, and all criminal

appeals from the Circuit and Recorder's Court. These judges are elected for a 6 year term.

Supreme Court-The Supreme Court handles nothing but appeals. It is the court of last resort. While the appeals court is divided into three divisions, there is only one Supreme Court which sits in Lansing. There are seven Justices of the Supreme Court, and they are elected at large through the State of Michigan. The Supreme Court is the court which makes the final determination of matters involving Michigan Law, both statuatory and constitutional, uness a Federal question is raised. They are elected for a term of ----- years.

Courtroom Diary: It's Not Like Television

by Carol Balzarini

Since the early days of television and Perry Mason, courtrooms have been a source of fascination for many people. They represent drama, glamor, excitment, verbal battles between two keen-witted attorneys, innocent victims, shady characters, and tragic events. Some lawyers throughout our history such as Clarence Darrow and William Jennings Bryan, and lately F. Lee Bailey, have given reality to fiction.

For most people, courtroom experience comes vicariously from books or television drama. Few have occasion to know firsthand what really goes on. Real experiences often come secondhand from the media or the experiences of others

With this in mind, an assignment was made: Go to court, sit and observe, and relate the events.

Fifty-second District Court Zone II is right here in Independence Township on the Dixie Highway. Its judicial week is roughly divided in this way: Mondays and Tuesdays are devoted primarily to civil matters, small claims court on occasion; Wednesdays will find ordinance violations on the docket; Thursdays and Fridays are devoted mainly to criminal cases.

Although it may not appear that way to the casual observer, civil dockets are nearly always full. Judicial proceedings can be minimal because many cases are settled between the attorneys before the cases come before the judge.

On this particular Tuesday, an arraignment took place. A state trooper and a young man appeared before the judge. The man was charged with driving without insurance, his license had been revoked for a violation during his probationary period. He entered a plea of not guilty to the first charge, guilty to the second. Having

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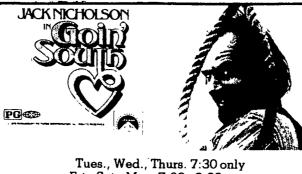


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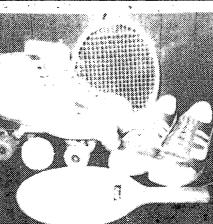
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"How to Live with Proposal "D"

by Betty Good

Area teens and twenty-year-olds vecalizing "What will we do when Proposal D takes effect?" ising the legal drinking age in Michigan to twenty-one--might look around them at the many worthwhile activities their peers are pursuing.

"There's lots of life to live", the jingle goes, and the social atmosphere young adults seek can be found in a

One young man who saw the potential market created by his peers and did something to surisfy it is Dave Simmons, of Waterford Township. Exposed to the world of theater operation by his father, Arnold Simons, owner of theaters in Oxford and Pontiac, Daver-at nineteen--convinced the owner of the then closed Kingswood Theater, in Bloomfield Hills, that a profit could be made by appealing to the young, mobile movie-goers in offering top films at reduced admission

The current marque tells the story; "GREASE...SEATS \$1.50". The formula has been a success, and teens and others fill the theater to capacity on weekends. The theater is open every night with shows at 7:00 and 9:00 Special plans for the holidays include a continuous animated feature shown during the day.

Asked for a comment, Simmons said, 'We're trying to get people back to the movies. We want them to see that the shows Hollywood is putting out now are good."

"Saturday night is our big night, and starting January 5, 1979, we will institute midnight shows on Friday and Saturday nights aimed at the age group displaced b Proposal D," said Simmons.

The special two-showings-only of popular young adult movies--like "Clockwork Orange"--will be in conjunction with FM radio station WABX. The station will sponsor a "third caller" promotion, giving away--over the air--numerous free tickets to the Kingswood Theater.

Roller skating rinks, too, have opened their doors to ever-increasing numbers of teens seeking the "disco" atmosphere glamorized by movies such as "Grease." Sophisticated new sound systems and intricate colored and flashing lights re-create the discotheque scene so popular with young adults--and others--since John Travolta danced his way through "Saturday Night Fever."

Many roller rinks--or centers--have large multi-faceted mirrored balls suspended from the ceiling--as in the "Big Band" era. These revolve, splashing constantly changing light patterns on the ceiling and the skaters below. The top twenty record hits are featured regularly, and games and disco "sock hops" are part of



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SALES - PARTS - SERVICE M. G. SALES 4667 Dixie Highway, Drayton Plains, 673-8081 the program. With modern snack bar facilities and electronic amusements in a special area, crowds in the hundreds are not unusual on weedend nights.

Not content to let others select their music electronics, there is a prolific group of teenagers and young adults who "frequent" stores such as Radio Shack, on Dixie Highway, in search of sound system components and parts for their many electronics projects.

"I think the reason we are seeing more young people into sound and electronics is because it is more affordable today," says Al Nagel, manager. "50% of the young people who come in are sound-oriented and the other 50% are what we call experimenters or kit builders. They are electronic hobbyists. Of these, 25% are computer buffs, and the rest are in general electronics."

Interests of those coming into the store range all the way from components needed to make up home sound systems--turntables, tuners, speakers, amplifiers--to scanners and citizens' band radios. There is a whole new culture interested in "build your own computer systems."

A complete selection of "how to" books and parts availability to do it "from scratch", as well as asy-to-construct kits starting at a nominal price make these projects popular for learning and teaching aids and classroom demonstrators. More than one electronics-oriented young adult has received an "A" by turning in a project of this type.

Micro processor chips have made possible the micro computer, which is about the size of a portable typewriter. It prints out on either a TV screen or a line printer. "We have one ten-year-old whiz who's into integrated circuits already," commented Nage.

One measure of the pupularity of electronics is the Northwest Oakland Vocational School's program which offers students a \$5.00 cash-off gift certificate as a reward for perfect attendance. Another is Radio Shack's new Computer Center which will soon be opening in the greater Detroit metropolitan area.

■ "Looney Tunnes", on Dixie Highway, in Waterford Township, a unique new and used record and tape shop, is, also, a favorite stopping place for those caught up in another favorite teen pastime--record and tape collecting and trading. The store's individuality is expressed in that its business is made up of 50% new or special order records and 50% used records or people selling. Co-owners Parky Freeman and Kay M. Callen pay cash for used records, offering one half of the used value. All merchandise over \$1.50 is guaranteed. This includes all media--records, eight-track and cassette tapes.

The age group attracted ranges from ten years old to twenty-five, and Rock is by far the most-requested type of music--namely the currently popular rock musicians and groups. Collectors make up another segment of their regular customers, and with 10,000 45 rpm's in

stock that special record or old favorite can usually be found. 78 rpm records are not carried at the store. To collectors, Parky offers this advice: "Sell to your friends first." Then come to Looney Tunnes!

The number of new sporting goods stores opening attests to the tremendous interest in physical fitness maintained by active participation in sports. Running, tennis, racquetball, paddle ball, swimming, bicycling, and bowling are among them. Most tennis and racquetball clubs have special leagues and events for the younger player through adult, as do the bowling alleys. Getting outfitted and equipped is half the fun; and the sports influence is seen in everything from fashion to men's and women's colognes.

Counties use of Electricity Down 7.6 Percent in October

Despite a 13 percent increase in natural gas consumption for the month of October, overall energy use' by Oakland County government continued its downward trend for the period of January to October.

downward trend for the period of January to October. Figures released today by County Executive Daniel T. Murphy showed consumption of electricity for October decline by 7.6 percent, partially offsetting the increase in natural gas use. For the first 10 months of the year, however, overall consumption remained 6.4 percent less than for the same period of 1977, and 33.4 percent less than for the like period of 1976.



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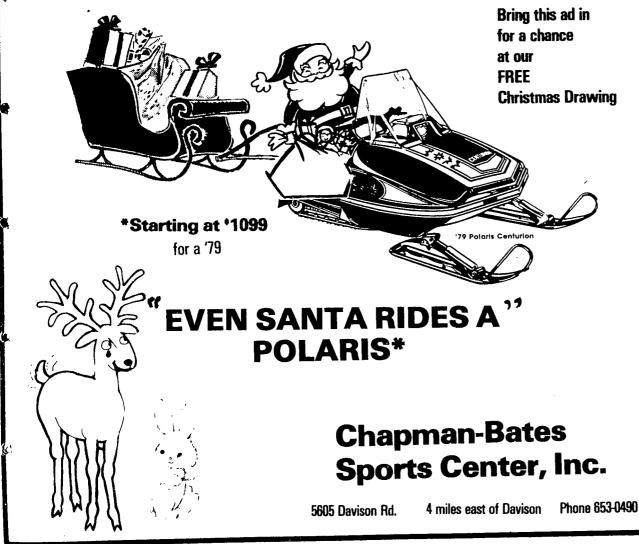
and new nocturnal shadows follow once again.

Don't weep for memories decayed in yesterdays.

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Penny Fortune







Personality Profile:

by Mike Wilcox

GOINGS

They've Been Going all Their Lives as Independent **Entrepreneurs**

This week, the Reminder takes a look at Charles and Peche Going, two retired but very active residents of Davisburg. The Goings are credited with being the first to mass produce artistic and unusual candles in Michigan. And they did it right here in the Davisburg-Holly area. Now, after selling their beloved Candle Factory, they live comfortably in a home that once was a freight station. The following are questions and answers from excerpts taken from an interview conducted by Mike Wilcox with the Goings a couple of

Your home is kind of a unique house, This used to be the old railroad station, right?

C. It used to be the old FREIGHT station. It sat right down behind the beauty shop in downtown Davisburg. We been out here 12 years.

I presume you had to move the old freight station to this point right here, how were you able to do that? That must have been quite a job.

C. Well, they came out here with an old dollie and an old truck, and by gosh, they had it out here in just a few

C. It's got a full basement under it. They just dragged it over. Then they just set it up and pulled it down on a dollie - you know, like a flat truck.

It's only 36 feet by 17 feet - it's not so big - you know.

How were you able to obtain the station?

C. She called up Grand Trunk and got it. This one was just sitting there. There was discussion about using it, if we could get it over in the corner of the Candle Shop, but then we decided against that. So then we wanted something different for a house; and I decided that this

Did you have to pay a good price to get the depot? C. The depot itself cost just \$100.

How come?

C. (Laugh) They wanted to get rid of it. I mean, they had torn the depot down before, and just thrown it to the side, you know, and people would come to pick up whatever parts they wanted. That was years before. And the old frieght office they weren't using--it was just THERE. So we got it for \$100, and it cost \$800 to move it out here.

All it was was just a shell of a thing, because they used it for a freight office. There was no insulation, no insides, it was a complete shell. There was just 2 x 4's or whatever they put up, the siding on the outside. They had an old stove, sat on the inside, and an old bench; and that's all there was in it. And in this corner, over here, was where they kept the coal, and a coal shed.

How long have you been residents of Davisburg? C. Well, Davisburg proper, I've been here 12 years, but we were over on the Dixie Highway, and our address was Davisburg, since 1956.

We were down in Ohio for a good many years. Peche grew up in Holly, and I grew up in Pontiac, so we just finally decided to move home. And we acquired that point over on Holly Road and Dixie. We were there a good many years.

Well, we came over to this corner in '69, I know that because we moved into the building in March of 1969; and it burned in December.

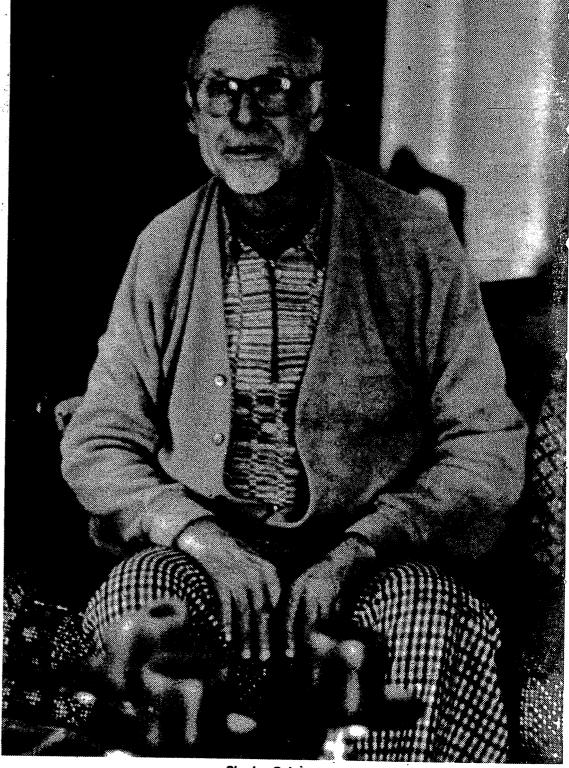
But we lived in the house since '69.

You formerly owned the Candle Factory too right? C. Well, I built three Candle Factories actually, the one over on Holly Road, then the one that burned down and then the present one.

I didn't know that -- three of 'em. How did you ever get involved in that business? That's a really unique type business nowadays.

C. Well, for years we have supplied different industries with their Christmas gifts. so one year----What do you mean by WE?

C. Peche and I. We have a little business we call



Charles Going

much.

Business Gifts, Et Cetera. At first, it was a side thing, a hobby and then we went into it full time, and one Christmas one of the big corporations wanted CANDLES. And we just couldn't find what they wanted, so we decided to make 'em.

P. That was a long time ago. They make much more beautiful candles now than they did then. That was before very many people got into the thing.

C. But this particular outfit usually chose their gifts in June so we'd have plenty of time to gift wrap 'em and get 'em all ready, so it was hard, at that time, to find anything. And at that time, we were living in Ohio, and in Medina, Ohio there is a big beekeeper supply outlet that made sheets of beeswax you could roll into candles so we started rolling candles, and never gave up until we

OK, you started making candles. Wasn't it difficult to get orders for them?

C. No, not really. We also had a nice gift shop. Salesmen would come in to sell us something, and then they'd say "Well, can't we get out and sell your candles?" So we had very little trouble finding a market for them. At one time, we sent candles all over the country, and even out of the country. That way, we were supplying a great number of the PX military outlets, or whatever you call them. And we're very happy that the thing is still carrying on. They're doing a nice job down here. New owners, and June Hutchinson, who has been at it now...started in with us 16, 17 years ago. She's the mainstay. She's the candlemaker really, they're doing a nice job.

When you first got into the business, there probably weren't too many candle makers around, were there?

Besides the Candle Factory, were there any other activities you were involved in? C. I belonged to Rotary in Ohio for a good many years.

So, when we moved up here, I missed it very much, so I

P. No, there weren't ANY candle makers in this area.

finally decided to start a Rotary Club in Davisburg. And 13 the betting was it would last about 2 months. But it finally worked out, and we've been a VERY successful club for pret'near 12 years.

What are some of the more outstanding things Davisburg Rotary has done over the past 12 years?

C. Well, we take care of anyone in our area who needs, help-glasses, shoes, Christmas baskets, so forth. And of course, we built our real nice little Rotary Park. Our first project, which certainly helped the community, was to rebuild the basement of the town hall. It was absolutely....one side was fallen in, the furnace was out in the middle of the floor. So the new charter members of Rotary, who happened to be a nice mixture of craftsmen and carpenters and so forth did all the work The township helped us--well, actually, they gave us the money to buy the materials, and we did the work. That was the big one. And to keep us on our feet, financially. we had many VERY successful auction sale garage sale business made it too hard to find enough stuff to have a good auction sale.

P. Another phase of Rotary, which has turned out so beautifully, is the Rotary Annes--or the wives of the 11 Rotarians--have carried on, and do many, many very nice things for the community.

Are there any other organizations you've been involved

C. I'm in business right now. After retirement, I found that I had to have something to do, so we've joined forces with an outfit called Lesco, in Lansing.

P. They do a beautiful job with advertising specialties. C. So, I'm out seeing how much service I can be to various businesses. It gives me something to do. P. And we still do gift wrapping. We still do our industrial gifts and gift wrapping. SOME-not very

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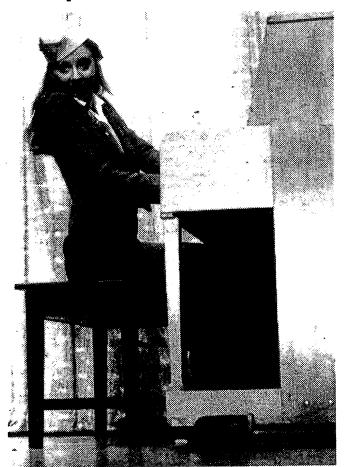
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Left to Right: Sally Sobocienski, Gina Roselli, Annette Stowe, Leola Cross, Jill Thompson, Cameo Barrard,

Lynn Johnston, Shelly Glenn, Cindy Criger, Tami Raldwin

Lynn Johnston Crowned Clarkston's 1979 Junior Miss



Photos by Bill Grobbel

Sally Sobocienski - Talent Winner



Lynn Johnston - 1979 Junior Miss

Last Saturday night, in the Clarkston High School Auditorium, the 17th Annual Junior Miss Pageant was held. With the theme "More Than A Woman," a panel of 4 judges chose Lynn Johnston as Clarkston's 1979 Junior Miss.

Lynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston, is a senior at CHS who plans on going to Albion College to major in Communications/Management, "with concentration in the area of writing and publishing." She is a member of the National Honor Society, student government, secretary of drama club and Thespian Society. Her interests are: music, cross-country skiing, reading and traveling. She is also very active in our community, being President of the senior high M.Y.F. at

Clarkston Methodist Church, member of Youth, Assistance Committee in Independence Township, District chairman of Muscular Dystrophy and a member of Youth for Christ.

When asked why she wanted to be in the pageant, she answered that she considered it a self-confidence builder and a chance to work with other people.

From here, Lynn will go to the state Junior Miss competition, where it will be determined who will go to the national competition in Alabama.

Other awards were: Miss Congeniality, Cindy Criger; Talent, Sally Sobocienski; 3rd runner up, Leola Cross; 2nd runner up, Annette Stowe; and 1st runner up. Gina Roselli.

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The Reminder To Sponsor Holiday Art Contest

The Reminder is looking for young artists to help make our December 21 Christmas edition extra special. We're having a contest to see who can submit the best holiday drawing.

The contest is open to three age groups, one for children 5-9, another for children 10-14 and still another for "big" kids ages 15-18. There will be one winner from each group with one of the winning drawings used on the front page and the other two inside the paper.

Drawings submitted to the Reminder should be no larger than 10" wide by 11" high. Colors don't really matter because the paper is only black and white with one other special color for the holiday issue.

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Hawthorne House

Gallon Milk

Lo-Fat **PLASTIC** **Bathroom TISSUE**

Vhite Cloud

COLORS 4-ROLL PKG.

Enriched All Purpose

Flour hawthorne house

5-LB. RAG

HAMADY COUPON

Hawthorne House Lo-Fat **GALLON MILK**

PLASTIC JUG

LIMIT-1 PER FAMILY VALID THAU MON , 12/18/78-H 54

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BAG

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4-BAR 59¢

10-0Z. 49¢

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12-OZ \$ **1 29** PKG.

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LIBBY'S FANCY

TOMATO **JUICE**

46-0Z. CAN

ENRICHED 46-OZ. 48¢ HI-C FRUIT PUNCH

HUNT'S FANCY 8-OZ. 21 ¢ TOMATO SAUCE

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TREESWEET GRAPEFRUIT OR ORANGE Juice With Honey

> LIPTON TEA BAGS \$188

GOLD STANDARD SALMON 15'2 OZ CAN \$153

& beauty aid

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Body On-Tap 🔼 SHAMPOO Dry, Oily, Normal 15-OZ BOTTLE

\$749

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16 OZ BOTTLE

AGREE

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SUAVE

HONEYSUCKLE 93¢

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Ultra Ban II DEODORANT Reg Or Fresh

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12 OZ BOTTLE

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BREAD CRACKED WHEAT WWW. 2 LOAVES 85 RAINBO SLICED

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EARTH GRAIN (4 VARIETIES) 8 CT **\$ 1 49** PKG SWEET ROLLS JUMBO VARIETY DONUTS 12-CT \$139

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SLICED WHITE BREAD

SAVE >

20-0Z. **\$** LOAVES

18-02. BOTTLE

ANTISEPTIC 18' OFF LABEL **29**

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DOMINO BROWN OR

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2-LB. PKG.

7.0Z. **45**¢ **MARSHMALLOW CREME**

KRAFT MINIATURE 10½-OZ. **35**¢ MARSHMALLOWS

CHOCOLATE OR BUTTERSCOTCH 101/2-OZ. 97¢ SALADA FUDGE MIX

BRACH'S PEANUTS, CLUSTERS PKG. 12-02. \$ 1 25

PURE CONCORD 10-0Z. 43¢ WELCH'S GRAPE JELLY

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POTATOES

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PRINCE MACARONI

DINNERS

Macaroni Cheese, Shell, **Or Cheddar Twists**

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16'- OZ PKG
SPAGHETTI 6
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40 OZ CAN BEEF RAVIOLI 40 OZ CAN **\$1**39 89¢

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WAGNER **ORANGE** DRINK

WELCH'S JELLY OR JAM \$109

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PUREX SOFT

Concentrated LAUNDRY 'ALL' 157-OZ. BOX

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SOFT MARGARINE 2 B OZ 79¢ 10 CT 42¢ BISCUITS Buttermilk Or Butter Tastin

PILLSBURY (ALL VARIETIES) LB 89¢ COOKIE MIX CARTON 59¢

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RICH, CREAMY **McDONALD** EGG-NOG

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CHEESE AMERICAN OR PIMENTO 12 OZ **\$1 35**

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20° COUPON

(8 VARIETIES)

HAMADY COUPON

frozen foods

Jiffy's CHICKEN, TURKEY & BEEF



8-0Z.

CHRISTMAS ICE CREAM
NOVELTIES TREES &
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6 CT 79¢ 20 OZ 87¢ CHERRY PIE

PUMPKIN PIE

9-INCH PIE SHELLS 2.CT 79¢ ORE-IDA TATER TOTS

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SAVE 10-0Z. PKG.

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EGG ROLLS SHRIMP LOBSTER CHICKEN 15 CT 58¢ 2-LB 79¢

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ROASTING **CHICKENS**

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LB **58**¢ **NECK BONES**

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CHICKEN BREASTS



Olive, Mac. & Cheese, Yeal, Minced, Pickle & Pimento

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WIENERS QUARTER
POUNDER LB \$1 29

BEEF ROASTS

BONELESS TABLE TRIM'D

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BREADED SHRIMP

LB. PKG.

FISH SUPREME 1814 OZ \$248

PERCH FILLETS 14.02 \$ 168 SMOKIE LINKS 12 02 \$ 149

PEELED & DEVEINED

SINGLETON SHRIMP

12-0Z.



Great American **WIENERS**

PKG.

HYGRADE SKINLESS
FRANKS BALL
PARK

SLICED HAM

***2**89

BUTCHER BOY SHAVED COOKED HAM

HERRUD PURE PORK

BREAKFAST SAUSAGE

1-LB. ROLL

2-LB. ROLL

RICH'S FRESH TURKEY

Drumsticks

_{тв} \$108

_{гв} 39¢

1/4-LOIN SLICED INTO 9/11-

Pork Chops

\$138

JIFFY'S FROZEN

Entrees Four 2-LB. PKG.

TENNESSEE BREAKFAST LINK

Sausage 110 Pak LB.

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In A Bag

LB. BAG

Juicy Sweet Tangerines

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YELLOW ONIONS 3-LB 69¢

U.S. No. 1 KILN-DRIED

Sugar Sweet Yams

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What Goes on in a District Courtroom

spent the previous night in jail, he was given several days to reappear, so as not to lose his job, to present registration and proof of insurance. He was instructed by the judge to reapply for his drivers license.

Next two attorneys appeared, one was appealing a decision because he felt the court had granted inequitable relief and had no jurisdiction to do so. In the meantime, the two attorneys could not agree on whether a partial or complete transcript of the previous trial should be ordered for the next one. The attorney making the appeal did not want his clients to have to pay for the entire transcript, the other disagreed saying a complete transcript was needed. The judge decided in favor of a complete transcript saying the defendant's attorney was entitled to it and the motion was denied.

A young man was fined \$25 for speeding 70 mph in a 50 mph zone, he admitted his guilt. The judge told him a court appearance was necessary any time a violation was issued for 15 mph or more over the posted limit.

On Wednesday, a young woman appeared before the judge on a charge of passing a bad check. She had a small child and was on ADC. She was given a ten-day suspended sentence. The judge felt fining her would be taking money from one pocket and putting it in the other because she was receiving public assistance. He lectured her about possible consequences if this should happen again.

A young man was fined for speeding, another for having defective equipment on his car the judge noting it was his third appearance in court although he had no points on his license, a third man was fined for driving without a license suspected because of too many points. He was told to take care of any outstanding tickets before going into the service.

Still another young man was charged with careless driving, he wanted to hire a lawyer but had no money having been unemployed for the past six months. He disagreed with the officer's charge. He was fined \$35 but was given until February 21 to pay because of his financial problem.

Another man asked for a trial charging the officer with "entrapment" because he was sitting in a radar car in a school zone. The court's offer to allow him to plead guilty to a lesser charge caused the defendant to question the original one. The judge took his plea of guilty to the lesser charge but defended the policeman's right to write the ticket. The fine was suspended.

A man appeared for his son who was in the service but had received a ticket for speeding while home on leave. He was instructed to discuss the situation with the Holly village attorney.

A high school student was ticketed for driving too fast for conditions and hitting a telephone pole in the village, his passenger suffered a broken leg. He admitted his guilt and was told to see the probation officer. He was ultimately given six months probation and sent to Alcohol Safety School at a cost of \$50. Failure to attend would bring him six days in jail.

Another fine was ordered for speeding and a bench warrant issued for failure to show for court date. A charge of assault and battery was reduced to disturbing the peace. After pleading guilty the defendant was to talk to the probation officer about extenuating circumstances, no drinking or property damage was involved.

On the following Wednesday, the first young man was allowed to plead guilty to a similar but lesser charge and to pay his fine on payday.

The second was charged with failure to yield the right of way, disagreed with the deputy and asked for a trial. Testimony was taken from both the deputy and the defendant who admitted he had failed to make sure traffic was clear. The judge told him he was at fault any time he caused another driver to make an evasive movement and cautioned him that carelessness caused accidents although not in this particular instance. The fine was \$15.

The third case was an elderly man charged with cruelty to animals. His neighbors testified that he had kicked his large dog and choked him with his collar. Many objections were made by both attorneys during the questioning of witnesses. The neighbors were admittedly not on good terms with the defendant. The officer who made out the report had no personal knowledge of the incident. The defendant's attorney moved for dismissal stating his client had not violated the township ordinance by "inhumanely" treating his dog nor had it been established that the animal had been injured in any way. The prosecutor admitted that "cruelty" was difficult to define. The case was dismised because the legal definition of cruelty was separated

from training and discipline. Most cases, according to the judge, involved starvation, abandonment and/or obvious cruelty. The motion to dismiss was granted.

A number of cases were then dismissed, rescheduled or adjourned.

Three men in handcuffs, two of them brothers, were then arraigned on a charge of attempted breaking and entering at a drugstore in Ortonville. All were single, none could afford legal assistance, two were unemployed, two had spent time in Jackson Prison. A cash bond of \$30,000 was set for each of them because a drugstore had been involved.

Yet another young man was making his sixth appearance in court this time for driving with a revoked license. He had previously been convicted and was to be sentenced. His attorney assured the judge that his client "had his act together," was now married and his wife was pregnant. The judge stressed that he must stay off the road until his license was returned. He declined to jail the young man saying that would punish his wife as well. The defendant was fined \$60 and court costs and given credit for time spent in jail already.

A twenty-year old man was fined \$25 for each of two charges, one of them contributing to the deliquency of a minor. The minor was a 17 year old friend. The older man was given one year probation, ordered to pay \$5 a month to his probation officer, and sent to Alcohol Safety School. His \$50 fine was reduced to \$40 because that was all he had in his pocket at the time.

A man charged with exiting the expressway at an unauthorized exit and having no proof of insurance had the second one dismissed when he produced proof and pleaded guilty to the other charge. He was fined \$25, half of the normal fine, and given until February to pay because of the holidays.

A man charged with driving 70 mph in a 55 mph zone wanted to represent himself at a jury trial. The judge informed him one could not be scheduled until February or March. He further explained the speed reduction on Michigan highways was to conserve energy and not for reasons of safety, therefore no points would go on the defendant's driving record unless he had exceeded 70 mph. The man changed his mind, pleaded guilty and paid a \$20 fine.

The attorney representing a man charged with reckless driving last March asked for a trial. Some of the prosecution's witnesses were not available. The defense attorney criticized the prosecutor's office for not being prepared, but he did not want to begin a trial then adjourn it to be completed on a later date. The judge stated local courts were under pressure from the state to grant speedier trials preferably within 60 days. He granted a dismissal with a rewrite at a later date preventing a possible case of double jeopardy.

An examination involving a fire was adjourned to December 21 because the officer in charge was in another state arranging to return a co-defendant in the case. A \$1,500 personal bond was continued.

Two men reappeared who had successfully completed Alcohol Safety School. Both pleaded guilty to a lesser charge of driving with ability impaired. The first was given the normal fine of \$80 while the second, who was unemployed and on welfare, was given a 60 day suspended sentence. He had lost his job as a truck driver because of the drunk driving charge.

One man was unavailable to answer a traffic charge because he was in the Oakland County Jail on a felony charge. A bench warrant was issued for another who failed to appear.

A seventeen year old was charged with reckless driving to which a second charge of careless driving was added. The first was dismissed and he pleaded guilty to the second. He received the minimum fine of \$30 and given until January to pay.

A man with no known address and no identification failed to appear on a vagrancy charge. He had not been seen since his release from jail. The judge called it "a problem with no solution; but the jail could not be turned into a "Salvation Army." The case was dismissed with prejudice.

A man charged with violation of the controlled substance act, not his first charge, told the judge the officer found a few "twigs and seeds" of marijuana in his car. He will return for sentencing after seeing the probation officer.

The five half-day sessions were an enlightening experience, leaving at least one observer with a number of impressions.

One is that it's a man's world. The only women actively involved were the young ADC mother who passed a bad check and the prosecuting attorney at one

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session. All other females in the court were wives, mothers, girl friends, witnesses and one reporter. The nation-wide increase in female crime has apparently not come to this area as yet.

Second, some lawyers are not nearly as suave and articulate as their fictional counterparts, nor are they as fashionably dressed. But then, eloquence may not be necessary when a client has been charged with speeding or drunk driving and a \$300 suit conspicuous when a client is wearing torn jeans and handcuffs.

Third, and most important, much judicial discretion was used in handing down sentences. In this particular court, the judge seemed to have an almost paternal attitude toward those appearing before him and always considered extenuating circumstances. Perhaps that is one reason many judges are so opposed to mandatory minimum sentences proposed for certain offenses.

Siena Heights Looking for Alumni

Siena Heights College in Adrian, Michigan is preparing for its 60th anniversary celebration, and needs help in updating its alumni files.

A special project is currently underway to revise addresses and expand the mailing list of Siena alumni.

If you are an alumni or know of someone who is, please call or write: Kathleen Johnston-Betzoldt, Alumni Director, Siena Heights College, Adrian, MI 4922l. Phone: (517) 263-0731 ext. 230.



CLARKSTON JUNIOR HIGH 7th GRADE HONOR ROLL 1st Marking Period 78-79

B' or BETTER

Banker, Sean Bartlett, Kristin Bendert, Mary Blain, David Bradley, Jeff Butler, Yvette Carlson, Stephen Chad, Linda Chapman, Donna Chartier, Beth Cool, Stanley
Counts, Molly
Counts, Polly
Cowdin, Mark
Davis, Deborah
Denise, Carrie
Duris, John
Evans, Kara
Everett, Christopher
Fields, Terri
Gaulin, Alexander
Giroux, Denise
Harbaugh, Michael

Harned, Carolyn Harris, Carol Heil, Mark Hunter, Carol Hunter, Kim Imbrunnone, Leslie Johnson, Shellie Kapron, Kimberly Ketvirtis, Susan Ketzler, John Koch, Heather Kornacki, Michael Lamberton, Dawn Law, Michelle LePere, Andrew Mandilk, Dyane

McLeod, Craig Menzies, Heather Miller, Kelly Molzon, Greg Moore, Shannon Mortimore, Robert Mulder, Maleasa Needham, Jill Palmiter, Lorae Patton, Tyrone Petter, Daniel Pilarcik, Eric Powe, John Rademacher, Cathrene Rekawek, Mary Ripley, Wendy Roek, Deborah

Roy, Robyn Russell, Natalie Sanders, Richard Sans, Artha Santala, Shari Sherman, Glenn Simunovic, Karen Smith, Kim Spillum, Debra Stark, Amy Swanson, Kristi Tisch, Dristine Ushman, Mark Vandermark, Sally Wagner, Stephanie Ward, Cathleen

White, Lori Wollerman, Chris Young, Lisa Zimmerman, Eric

'B' AVERAGE

Arnold, Jennifer Boberg, Allen* Brancheau, Scott Cilibraise, Regina Dangel, Tim Diste, Valerie Easley, Christian Forsyth, Wendy

Hetherington, Lori Higginbotham, Patricia Hubbach, Hiedi Hummer, Diane Jacobs, Charles Johnston, Kathleen Kovacik, Scott Lamm, Janet Lessel, Donna Lund, Shirley Martin, Tima Maybee, Angela McElmeel, James Nicolai, Cristi Pappas, Amanda Siegert, Deanna Stanley, Scott

Steinbach, John Thelmas, Fred Thorn, Cheryl Vess, Greg Walters, Deborah Werner, Kimberly Willson, Kathleen

CLARKSTON JUNIOR HIGH 8th GRADE HONOR ROLL 1st Marking Period 78-79

ALL 'A'

Huttenlocher, Martha Nelson, Marget

'B' or BETTER

Agar, Timi Angus, Lisa Balzarini, Andrew Barnfather, Brooke Bennett, Russell Brancheau, Keith Colling, Dawn Cooper, Christopher Dale, Bruce Dean, Jeff Diehl, Lori Geukes, Karen Goderis, Jon Hahn, William Harding, Lynn Harkness, Kathleen Heard, Phillip Humphrey, Kathleen Huttenlocher, David Inglehart, Rebecca Irish, Rashalle Kilcline, Jacquelin King, Lisa Martin, Lori Martinez, Cristine McCormick, Mike McMinn, James Moeller, Amy Moody, Sandra Myatt, Raymond Nemeth, Sharon Ogurek, Barbara O'neil, Julie

SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP Notice of Public Hearing December 19, 1978

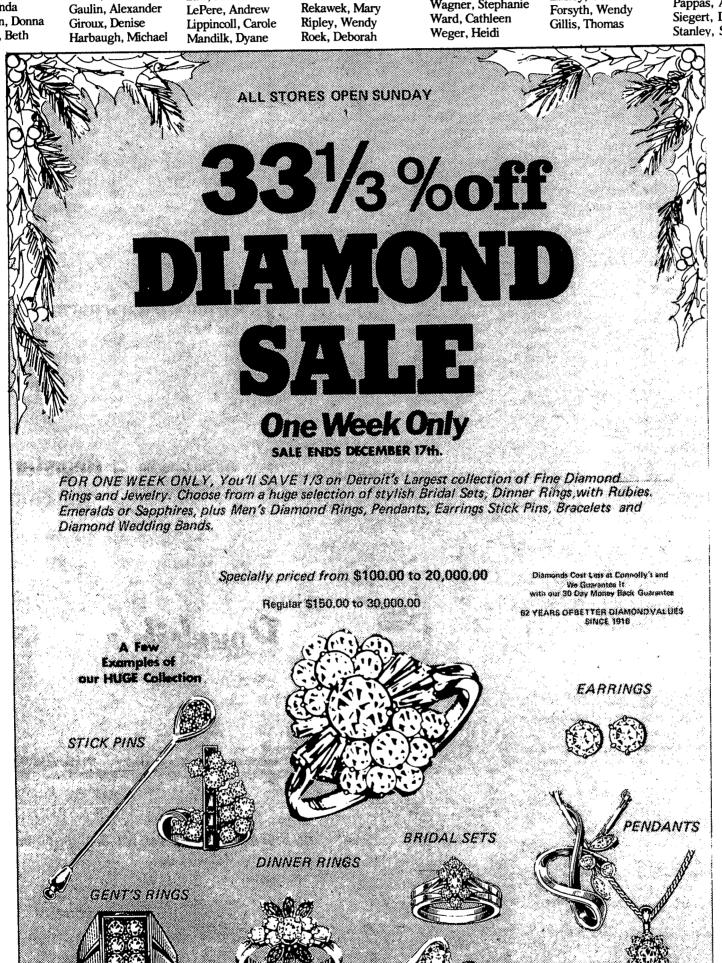
Notice is hereby given that the following Public Hearing will be held by the Springfield Township Planning Commission on Tuesday, December 19, 1978, beginning at 8:00 P.M. at the Springfield Township Hall, 650 Broadway Street, Davisburg, MI for comments related to the following:

1. Request by Donald and LaVonne Sutcliffe, 11316 Ember Road, Davisburg, MI to rezone the following described property; from R-4 to C-1:

a. 11316 Ember Road, T4N, R8E, Sec. 28, Colonial Acres Subdivision, Lots 33, 34, and 35, Sidwell #07-28-202-054.

Notice is further given that the tentative text and any maps of the Zoning Ordinance to be amended may be examined at the Springfield Township Clerk's Office, 650 Broadway, Davisburg, MI during regular office hours each day, Monday through Friday, until the date of the Public Hearing.

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Young, Rebecca 'B' AVERAGE

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Weiler, John Weishuhn, Jeri Wilson, Cheri Zannotti, Lisa

Independence Wants **Public Input on How to Spend CDA Money**

A public hearing was held at the last meeting of the Independence Township Board, another will be held during the next regular meeting on December 19, concerning expenditure of federal money.

There is over \$100,000 available in Community Development Act funds which can be used for a variety of things including loans and grants to low and moderate income people.

Iva Caverly favored using it for the sewer debt. She said she was told at one time to wait until after the elction, observed that it was getting cold, and wondered if the township board was waiting until "something" froze over before making a decision about the sewers. She's still waiting for an answer as to what, if any, funds can be used to lower the sewer debt.

Recreation department head Tim Doyle would like to use some of the money to convert an outbuilding next to the senior citizen center for use as a year-round arts and crafts building. He also suggested it be used for land acquisition for small parks throughout the township, neighborhood parks. This way matching funds would be available from the Land and Water Conservation Act.

Doyle proposed \$25,000 a year for three years from each fund. Parks would benefit low and moderate income people, as CDA funds are deintended, even if the parks were not located in thos income areas, Doyle said.

The Oakland County Community Development Department has sent out a list of possible uses for the funds which include such items as loans and grants, historic preservation, street and sidewalk improvement, land acquisition, parks, playgrounds and other recreational facilities and senior centers as to name a

Final decision as to allocation of the CDA money will be made at the next board meeting with or without citizen input.

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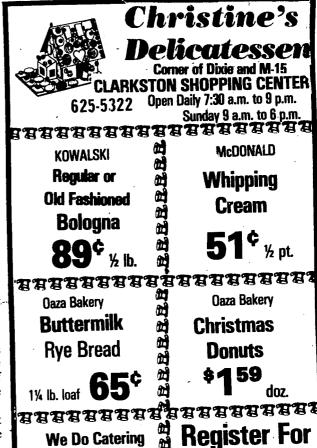
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The following best sellers, contemporary fictions, non-fictions and children's works have been added to the Independence Township library collection this week:

- 1. War and Remembrance. By Herman Wouk.
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- 3. My Enemy the Queen. By Victoria Holt.
- 4. Son of the Morning. By Joyce Carol Oates. The Hill Over Evil Counsel. By Amos Oz.
- 6. Tower Abbey. By Isabelle Holland. And Never Said a Word. By Heinrich Boll.
- 8. The Track to Bralgu. By B. Wongar.
- 9. The Fennister Affair. By Josephone Bell.
- 10. A Pigeon Among the Cats. By Josephine Bell. 11. The Fairly Innocent Little Man.
- By Laurence Meynell. 12. Snapshot. By Del Cogswell Brebner.
- 13. Jazz Styles. By Mark Gridley. 14. The Inside Story of CBS News. By Gary Paul Gates.
- 15. Light Water. By Irvin C. Bupp.
- 16. Anti-Samuelson. 2 volls. By Mark Linder.
- 17. David St. Clair's Lessons in Instant E.S.P. By David St. Clair.
- 18. The Joker of Seville and O Babylon.
- By Derek Walcott. 19. Solar Heating Designs. By William A. Beckman.

20. Cain's Daughter. By Doris Shannon. On the 14th of December, Thursday at 7:30, the library is showing the movie "The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn," starring Eddie Hodges, Tony Randall, Archie Moore and Patty McCormick. This movie is free and all are welcome.

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As the Price of Stamps Goes Up, What is the Fate of The Christmas Card?

by Sharon Springborn

Every year, the Post Office can tell that the Christmas season is upon us because the volume of packages and mail that they have both going out and coming in, turns up sharply.

But this year, the increase in the postage rates may

have inhibited Yule well-wishers, so we called different Post Offices in the area to see if their volume of business has been reduced.

None have noticed a drop in the volume of the mail so far, but the main volume will probably peak, most postmasters and post office workers agree, about December 18 or shortly thereafter.

So far, the workers have just worked extra time each day, and none of the offices have put on extra help strictly for the holidays. In Davison, an extra parcel run has been added to the usual morning delivery, and the mail recipients, who don't pick up their mail at the downtown office, may be experiencing some late deliveries because of the volume of mail.

According to Eva Jon Sperling, the postmistress of the Davison Post Office, "We have to split a particularly heavy route between two carriers, who are already delivering their own routes."

Pam Humphrey, of the Goodrich Post Office, said that an extra clerk will come in in the morning beginning December 11, but is not classified as "extra help" because the clerk was previously on the payroll. Debby Wagner, of the Ortonville Post Office said that the number of employees working at the Ortonville Post Office haven't been increased as of now, but the subs will probably be added full-time next week (December 11) to aid with the heavy routes, and the casing and sorting of the mail.

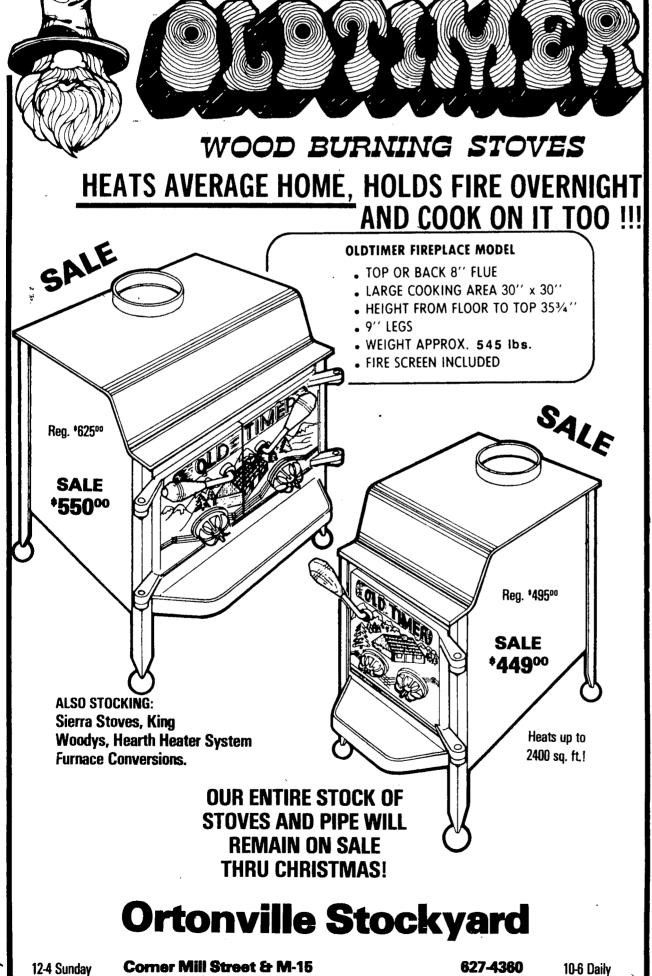
But the one thing agreed upon by the people in the Post Offices at Goodrich, Clarkston, Ortonville, Davison and Oxford is that there has been a noticeable increase in the number of Christmas post cards passing through the offices. Aside from the fact that the cards themselves are quite attractive, by sending them, you'll be saving yourself a nickel per card sent, because the post cards can be mailed for 10¢, instead of the usual 15¢. Ortonville reports a "run" on the 10¢ stamps, to send the greetings, and the Oxford postmaster stated that even though the Christmas post cards aren't being sold at the Post Offices, themselves, they must be available somewhere, because quite a few are being seen.

"They have a Christmas picture on the front, with a message and room to write a little note of your own, plus the space for the address."

Another way that people are inquiring about, so that they can save a little money, is sending their cards by bulk rate. But Eva Jon Sperling, of Davison says that what people don't realize is that "if you have a discernable handwritten address can't be sent by bulk rate." On the other hand, Pam Humphrey, of Goodrich, has had only one inquiry, so far, about bulk rate, but this came from a woman who was mailing out a number of Christmas cards from her home, which is associated with a business.

So none of the postal workers considers that a downturn in the amount of Christmas mail is being experienced, with some offices reporting the sale of approximately 100,000 Christmas stamps, and Pam Humphrey, Goodrich, says that even though people say that they're planning to cut down their mailings, it's really hard to say with authority whether or not this is true, because the town is experiencing a fast growth spurt.

And with the increase or stable condition of the Christmas mails, despite an increase in postage, it's probably safe to say that most residents of this area can stay at home, wait for Christmas cards, and not be disappointed.





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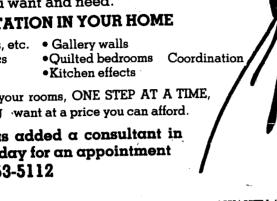
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EPIMETHEUS

by Stephen Struthers

One at a time the collection grows larger Moment by moment another is added A Moment of Passion, Another of Pain And the ashes remain No more, no less Than the rest.

Reading between the pages of time As I walk the gallery of my mind Reviewing the moments created with care Along with the skeletons hiding down there Reflections and Echoes and fragmented dreams Tragic love stories and chocolate ice cream Invisible shadows follow unseen.

Slipping away to my favorite room The one with the masterpiece The one with the view So many impressions, so many tombs,

And deep within the darkness of a million worlds apart Another bridge burns damned Another broken heart And in between the shattered dreams And the treasures left to find Among the ruins of yesterday Our lives are lived behind.

Though Life is a collection Of moments lost in time, and every shadow once a light Returns from time to time Yet, no one ever sees These shadows that are me.

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These four poems are by Judy Diehl



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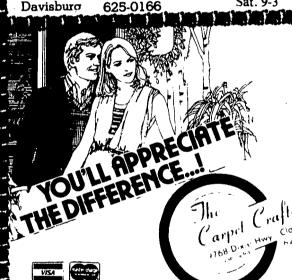
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Petitions Circulated for Recall of Springfield Township Board

by Sharon Springborn

The Concerned Citizens of Oakland County (CCOC), a group of about 20-30 homeowners on the fringe of Springfield and Groveland Townships, insist they are not against adult foster care homes, per se. Rather, they're upset that they haven't had any input about the type of persons who will be placed in the residential foster care facility that is planned in their neighborhood on Oakhill Road.

Another reason to oppose adult foster-care facilities is that they feel that profiteers are moving into this service, changing it into a business, which will affect the property values in the host neighborhood.

So states Richard Loth, leader of the CCOC and the person who is one of the heads of a drive to recall the Springfield Township board members.

The reason that these adults would be moved into a single-family dwelling would be to get them out of an institution and into a family. A place with 6 or more residents wouldn't be placing people in a place where they'd be treated as a family member, but they'd be going from one institution and into another."

The fact that they won't have any say about the type of person that moves into the facility makes the members of the group (CCOC) unhappy. "You may get people who are mentally retarded or emotionally disturbed placed in your neighborhood. I'm not opposed to senior citizens, but you have as good a chance--better even--of living near someone who's emotionally disturbed or mentally retarded, and I don't think that's safe.'

Right now, Loth says, they're depending upon State

Representative Claude Trim (D-Davisburg), since he is requesting a moratorium on a granting of the license of any adult foster-care facility and is attempting to revise the legislation affecting such a facility.

According to Loth, the Springfield Township board isn't being looked upon for any support, or aid, because "They're not worth the powder to blow them up." When the CCOC presented their views at the Wednesday, November 29 meeting of the Springfield Township board, Loth said that the board members offered no support for their point of view.

At the meeting the Board referred the home's application to the state for completion of inspections.

Loth said that it's "too early" to tell whether the recall drive will be a success or not, since the petitions must be signed by the Springfield residents, and then, if enough signatures are gathered, a new election will have to be held. But so far, the recall only affects the board, and not the other township officials.

Supervisor Collin Walls was somewhat surprised when he heard he and other board members were the object of a recall. But, he added, "If it happens, it happens. That comes with the job.

Walls said the township is not taking the matter lightly. He said he is quite concerned with the procedures established by the Department of Social Services in Lansing.



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December 14

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Senior Citizens Committee 8:00

December 16

Lunch With Santa 12:30-2:30 Davisburg Elementary Rotary Christmas Party 7:00 Holly. Greens

December 18

Boy Scouts 7:30 Twp. Hall

December 19

Planning Commission 7:30 Twp. Hall Jaycettes 7:30 Twp. Hall For Information call 625-9631

December 21

Weight Watchers 7:00 Davisburg Ele. Zoning Board of Appeals 8:00 Twp. Hall

December 26

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December 27

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Oakland Woods Homeowners Prevail

there, that changes were there and that grades were changed. "My house is ON the wetlands, and I seet it," he said, adding the oldtimers claimed they used to swim and fish there.

Ann Godoshian of Pheasant Run said, "There were fish in that pond, it was a pond when we bought our

property.' Another resident asked what codes the township used and was told by Palulian the township adopted the 1975 BOCA and electrical codes "a couple years ago." The resident then charged the houses in Phases I and II were not up to code, adding the only way future problems could be avoided was to refuse to okay Phase III.

Still another charged that according to a letter from Johnson and Anderson a 30' strip around the open areas was to have been seeded or sodded.

Other comments from the residents stated, "You people (the board) are our protection" and "Are you going to let Rose walk all over you...we have to live here, you don't."

Komarynski's associate stated the bownship building department and DPW agree with them (Rose) there are no real problems. "Some of these things are misinformation," he said, "Your department people are knowledgeable."

Don Walker of Fox Chase Lane charged under BOCA codes there must be sill plates, they aren't there. He cited a problem with leaks in the basement and other items he felt he should have according to code but does not. He charged the township was either five years behind in codes or those houses were not up to code.

Paludian defended his electrical inspector and said sill plates are not required, they were only in the plans because he thought they were at that time.

The general consensus of opinion on the part of the residents at that point in the meeting was "If they've done all of these things in I and II, they'll feel free to continue in III."

Trustee Jerry Powell, acting as moderator in the absence of Supervisor Floyd Tower, read two letters. One from Johnson and Anderson, dated December 5, stated that minor changes had been made, the plat was acceptable for approval and approval was recommend-

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The letter concluded, "These are only a handfull of the problems...the least expensive problems are taken care of, the expensive ones are ignored...We do not want Phase III approved until these problems are solved." A final statement suggested possible legal action against the township as well as the builder.

Vandermark then made a lengthy motion to deny approval and not see the plat again until it was proved the wetlands conformed, approval was given by the township planner, a letter was received from the township attorney that all township requirements had been met, a letter was received from the building department that 7BA requirements had been met, the wetlands be dedicated to the Land Conservancy, a sufficient cash bond be posted to guarantee performance, and a state building inspection of all homes requesting it with Rose following their recommendations.

The audience applauded.

Trustee Rudy Lozano questioned dedication of the land. Dave Sherrill confirmed it would be removed from the tax rolls and the owners would be liable. Lozano reminded the people they would be responsible for the property even though it was dedicated to the Conservancy.

Vandermark withdrew that portion of the motion and amended it to read "tabled" rather than denied.

Palulian took exception to the portion about state building inspectors. He told Vandermark to let the state do all inspections if his department is not competent as implied. Vandermark said he was only trying to help resolve the situation.

Palulian explained the people had been informed by him of specific procedures to be followed in the



Ann Godoshian [left] and Elena Forbes aired their grievances

complaint process. Although Mrs. Godoshian listed some thirty problems (homeowners), he had received only six written complaints. "Not all of these are code items," he said, "They are caulking and painting, etc. We can resolve the problems as well as the state.

Lozano suggested breaking the original motion into a number of motions, adding he had reservations about state involvement also. "They'll dump it in the township's lap eventually anyway," he said.

The original motion dying for lack of support. Powell moved to postpone the application for final plat approval with conditions rather than table it. Tabling would merely put it on the agenda of the next meeting. In the meantime, Johnson and Anderson will study the wetlands ordinance and the development and the township attorney will rule on past ZBA requirements.

All five members present agreed. Treasurer Fred Ritter was attending a conference in Lansing with

Vandermark made on additional motion that the planner and the planning commission submit a letter stating they were satisfied that I and II have complied with ZBA requirements. Motion was approved.

Supervisor Goes Hawaiian

by Kathie Dice

It appears that Donny and Marie aren't the only ones who went "Coconuts." Springfield Township's Supervisor Collin Walls and his wife Diana have recently returned from a 10 day trip to the Hawaiian Islands.

After winning his election (unopposed) Mr. and Mrs. Walls decided to make the trip to Hawaii combining business and celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Walls are both realtors for Walls Real Estate in Davisburg. They have two children, Norris 11, and Heather 7.

Seeing that the National Realtors Convention was held in Hawaii this year, even though it was only two days after the election, the Wall's decided to go.

The convention was held at the Holiday Inn of Waikiki. Realty was only part of the convention. Conventioners had time to themselves for touring shopping, sunbathing or whatever else.

Mrs. Walls said, "If you ever get a chance to go to Hawaii, go. It's such a great place."

Walls enjoyed the trip very much, especially since snow and it wasn't cold. He also stated rather wryly, "By the way my wife paid for the trip, not the taxpayers.

Trucker is a Lady

'Do you think you could learn to drive the dump truck? I'm too busy." Now this isn't the normal question a husband asks his wife, but that's what Elwyn Hillman asked his wife Pat last year. They purchased a dump truck in 1977 for personal use in hauling dirt.

A local excavator got wind of the purchase and inquired as to whether the Hillman's could haul dirt for him. Being too busy himself, Hillman asked his wife if she could learn to drive the truck. After a couple of spins around the lumber yard, she's been driving ever since. Mrs. Hillman drives only, men do the loading, but she says, "you should see the heads turn when I drive into the gravel pit; but I am always treated with respect."

Mrs. Hillman not only hauls for the excavating company, she does all the dirt hauling for Davisburg Lumber's house jobs, they also have their own black dirt business located at the lumber yard.

Mrs. Hillman is a woman of many talents in a man's world, hauling dirt is only one aspect of her career. A volunteer fireperson is another of her "jobs"

Currently the Hillman's are erecting an addition onto their home, and of course, she is right in the middle of it, helping out. Who says it's a man's world.

Library to Present Film

The Springfield Township Library will present the films "Visit from St. Nicholas", "Littlest Angel" and Hooper-Bloop Highway by Dr. Seuss'' Saturday, December 16 at the Springfield Township Library at 1:00. Admission is free. Children in grades kindergarten through sixth grade are invited to attend.

The children in grades kindergarten, first, and second grades will be making Christmas decorations for the library. The decorations will be displayed December 16 through 29 during the library hours.

New books in the library include: Chesapeake by James Michener The Immigrants by Howard Fast War and Rememberance by Herman Wouk Earth, Water, Wind, and Sun by D.S. Halacy, Jr. The Memoirs of Richard Nixon by Richard Nixon Thursday The Rabbi Walked Out by Harry Kemelman The Queens Favourites by Jean Plaidy Complete Book of Symptoms and What They Mean by Lawerance Galton Bagatelle by Maurice Denuziere Short Stories, Five Decades by Irwin Shaw Green House Grow How by John H. Pierce Reincarnation in Christianity by Geddes MacGregor Nocturn by Boulat Okadjava Till Death Do Us Part by Vincent Bugliosi Summoned to Darkness by Anne-Marie Mised Blessings by Marian Cockrell

Volunteers of the month for the month of December are Sharon Bunting, Carol Stackpoole, Beryl Samuel, and Thelma Fleming.

The Springfield Township Library is now located at the corner of Hogback Lake Road and Andersonville

New phone number is 625-0595. Anyone with a 634 phone exchange may call collect.



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Where do you do, or where did you used to do, this type of work? Down in your basement?

P. Well, when we first came to Michigan, we didn't know we were going to continue in the candle business. That was an after thought. We got that corner over there for our gift wrapping and our business. Then we got in the candle business, 'cause before that, all we did was roll beeswax. So, after we got here, we got the tanks, and found out---

C. How to make the conveyors.

Then, did you have to come up with a lot of machinery to set up an assembly line?

P. No, he (Charles) built it all.

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That's what I was just going to ask--how did you acquire the machinery if there are no candle makers around?

C. I'd wake up in the morning with an idea, go out and spend a lot of money, and finally have something-a dip tank, a conveyor, or Oh, God!

P. He was Mr. Rube Goldberg, himself. He really was, and he was having the time of his life.

C. I used to get up at 2 o'clock every morning, and go down and work by myself, and I could get something

Why 2 a.m.?

C. Nobody around to bother me. I could go down and do what I wanted to do-no telephone, no nothin'. It worked--for a good many years.

I suppose there are more candle factories, or people making candles than there used to be?

C. I assume that there certainly are, and of course, the big candle producers, they've been around all the time. But our efforts seem to be in candles that were different, that had more art to them, more beauty to them. And people liked 'em. We had no trouble getting rid of 'em. In fact, we couldn't keep up with it. That was part of our reason for getting out of it, because the demand was just too great for our ability to produce. It drove us kind of nuts.

Do you have one or two or three particular things that kind of stood out in your career as a candle maker?

P. We used to let people go up through the candle factory, because in those days, a candle factory was quite a novelty, you know, it wasn't done all over. People didn't realize you could take a candle and (ma be like those twisted ones over there on the wall) and you could take another candle, and put another color on the edge, and then you'd have a different color in the middle. And Charlie used to put a lot of colors on them, then he'd dip it in a different color, and that could change all the colors. And people would just stand with their mouths open, watching him dip candles in different colors, and see what they would come out as. You know, it was really just amazing.

C. Over the years, we've had so many school classes come into the Candle Factory. They're still doing it, pret'near every day. And of course, parents bring their kids in. So I had a gimmick, where I'd say to a nice little kid--"If your name is what I think it is, I'll make you a candle any color you want. What's your name?" "My name's Johnny." "You know, that's just exactly what I

thought it was." Then, I'd make him a candle. Oh, the kids just...

You had all kinds of different tour groups, huh? P. Oh, yes. Senior Citizens, school groups, church groups come out here all the time in buses. They still

C. In our own small way, we helped put Davisburg on the map, 'cause we sure do drag a lot of people in here.

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Change of Meeting Date

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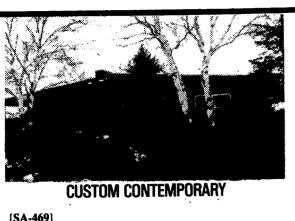
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List for Santa Might Include Food Processor

With Christmas just around the corner, gift lists for Santa begin to expand. If sales figures are any indication, many cooks have visions of food processors dancing in their heads this year.

Food processors have become very popular because they can do a variety of tasks quickly.

Ideally, a food processor should be able to mix, slice, chop, grind, shred and knead both hard and soft foods. Its appeal lies in the fact that it can save time in food preparation and it is easy to use.

When shopping for a food processor, consumers, should look for one that is easy to assemble. Basically, assembly involves locking a bowl into a base, inserting a blade, then placing a lid on the bowl. In most cases, twisting the lid in one direction activates the blades--twisting it the other way stops the blade action. Some models may have the conventional on-off switch.

To determine the ease of operation and noise level of the machine, watch a demonstration of its uses in the

The processor bowl should be transparent enough so that you can keep an eye on the food process. For easy cleaning, the bowl should be diswasher-proof.

Handle the appliance's blades with care and keep the machine out of the reach of children. As a safety precaution, most models have a locking lid that keeps fingers out while the machine is operating.

Another safety feature found on most food processors is an automatic overload device. This stops the motor if it overheats, preventing damage to the

Keep in mind that food processors can't do everything. They don't completely replace a knife or a mixer, and they do require extra counter space.

Many cooks are satisfied to grate cheese on a grater or chop vegetables by hand with a favorite knife. However, people who do a great deal of cooking from scratch and who preserve quantities of pickles and relishes in season may appreciate the fact that the food processor will do a variety of tasks with very little fuss and in very little

Dianne Sealey Elected President North Oakland Board of Realtors

Dianne Sealey, President of Briarwoode Realty Inc., of Clarkston has been elected to serve as President of the North Oakland County Board of Realtors for 1979.

Mrs. Sealey, engaged in residential real estate since 1968, becomes the first woman to head the fifty-eight year old professional trade association.

She is a charter member and past president of the North Oakland Chapter of the Women's Council of the National Association of Realtors;1975 Realtor-Associate for the NOCBR; as well as 1975 Woman of the Year of the NOCBR Women's Council of Realtors.

Hansel and Gretel to be Presented at Pontiac Mall

A cast of talented live actors bring to life the childrens classic tale, Hansel and Gretel, December 20, 21, 22 and 23 at Pontiac Mall Shopping Center, Telegraph and Elizabeth Lake Roads in Waterford Township. The holiday presentation sponsored by Pontiac Mall is offered free to all families.

Produced and staged by "Touring Company '79", a Threatre of the Arts company, the performances will be Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. and on Saturday, at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Starring in the title roles are Paul D. Maisano, of Southfield, as Hansel; and Valerie McKinna, of Madison Heights, as Gretel. The Witch is portrayed by Detroiter David Cowles.

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Service to Others



County Parks Commission Approves '79 Operating Budget

The eight Oakland County parks and their recreation facilities are expect to collect nearly \$1.6 million in user fees in fiscal 1979, an increase of 66 percent over the 1978 user revenues.

The estimates are part of a \$2.7 million operating budget approved December 1 by the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission.

The increases are largely a result of the addition of three new facilities to the Oakland County park system--the Glen-Oaks golf course, the driving range at Red-Oaks and the tennis courts at Waterford-Oaks.

Day use at these three new facilities will generate an estimate \$453,000 in 1979. User fees from the other Oakland County parks and recreation facilities will generate an estimate \$1.1 million, a 19 percent increase

The park system's growth is illustrated by its attendance in 1978, compared to its attendance in 1977.

In 1977, 630,252 people used the Oakland County parks. Already in 1978, 781,994 people have used the parks, meaning that the 1978 attendance should exceed 800,000 people--an expected 27 percent increase.

The cost of operating the county parks and recreation facilities in 1979 is estimated at \$2.7 million--\$1 million less than the Parks and Recreation Department expects to generate in user revenues. This will be balanced by a transfer from millage funds-expected to total \$2.3 million in fiscal 1979.

The Parks and Recreation Commission's adoption of the operating budget leaves an expected \$1.2 million for capital expenditures in the coming year. Allocations for capital programs will be formalized in January.

"A Touch of Country"

"A Touch of Country" featuring D.B. Fisher and Sherri Lynn will be holding a Country Music Jamboree, December 17, 1978 at the Oxford Junior High School, 1400 Lakeville Road, Oxford.

Show times are 2:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

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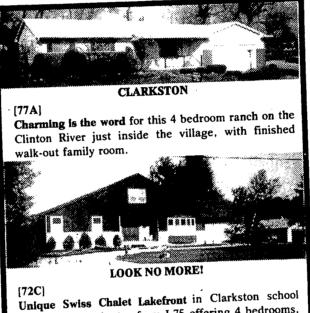
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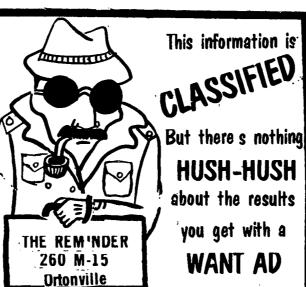
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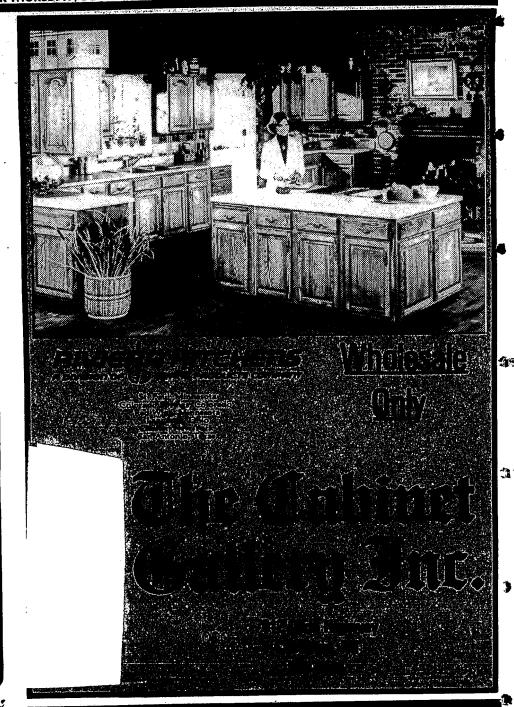


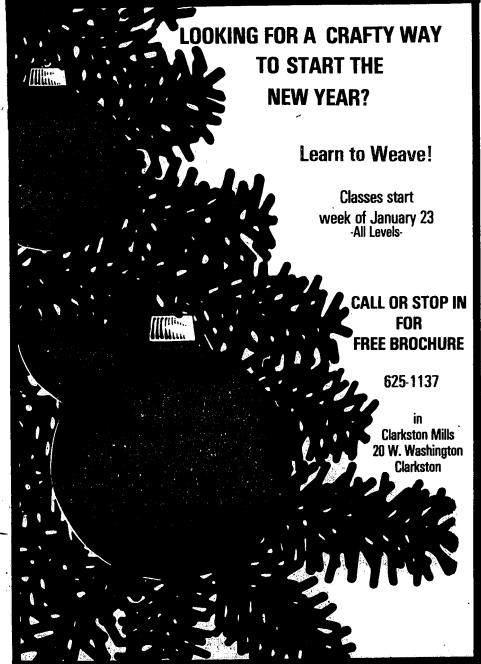
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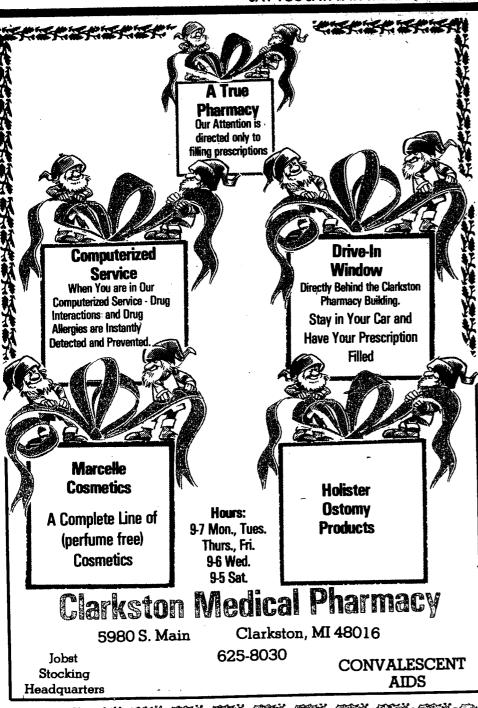
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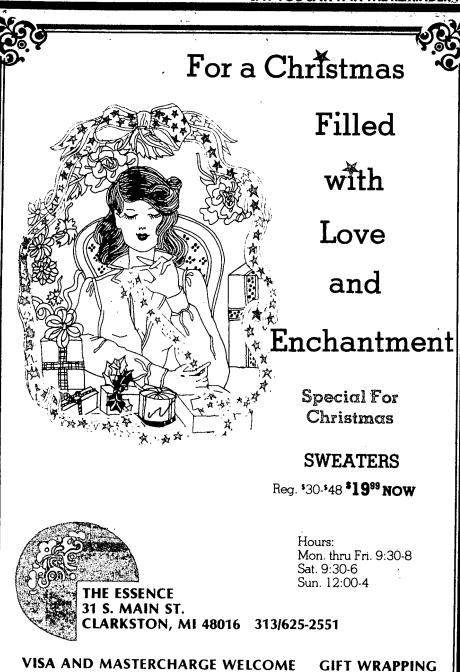
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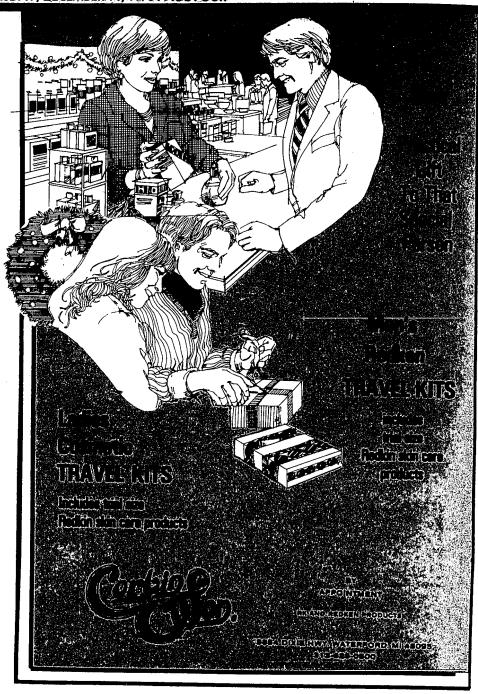




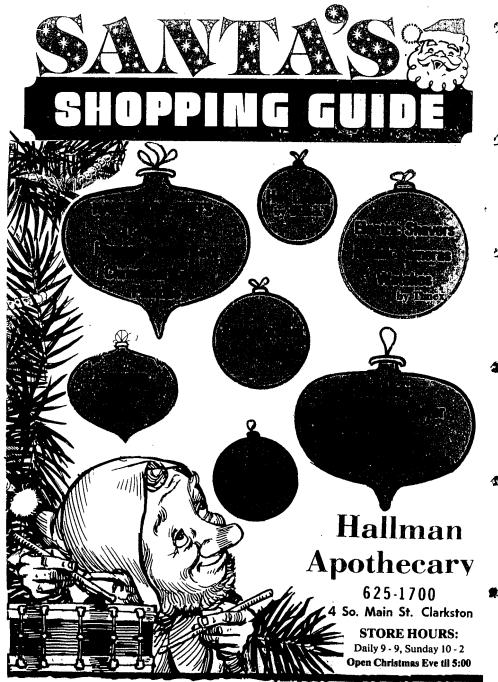


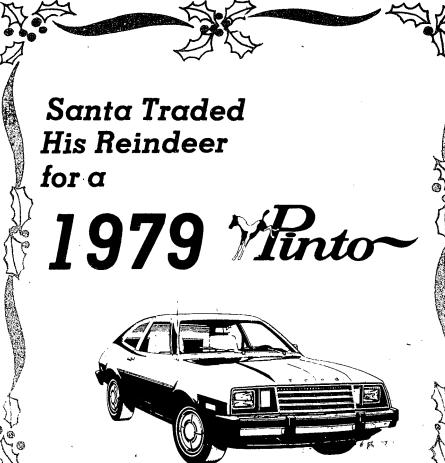










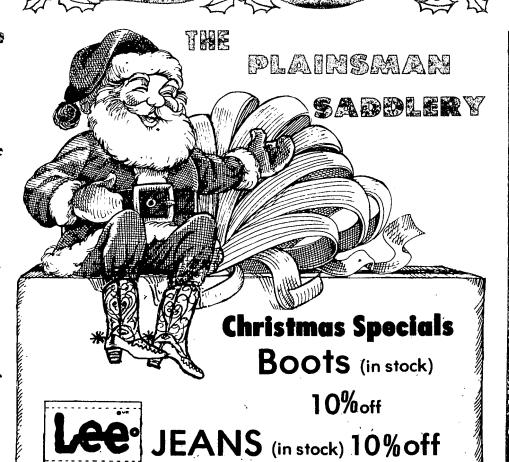


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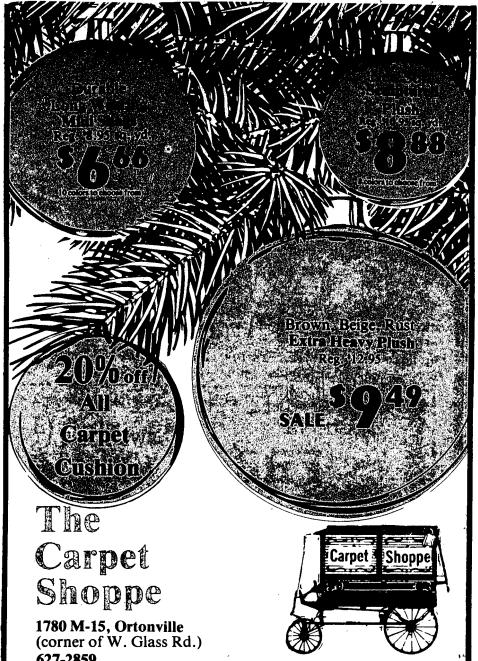
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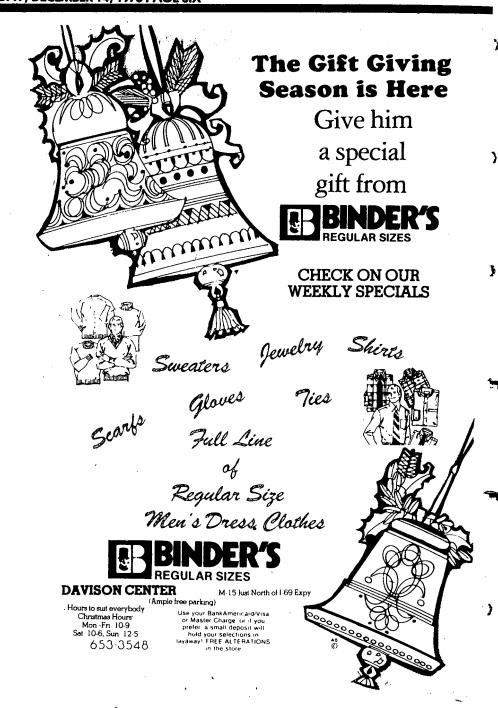
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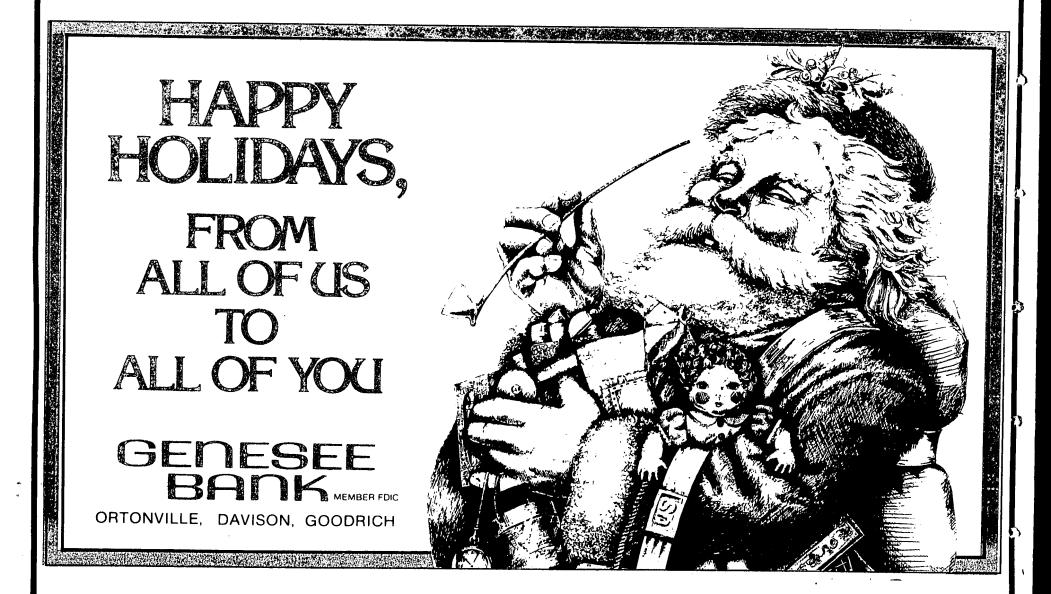
















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Creative works will be accepted in several art media areas including oil, acrylic, drawing, graphic, pastel, watercolor, collage, sculpture, textile and mixed media. An exhibitors fee of \$1.50 per entry, or \$5.00 for four entries, will be collected at the time of registration, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Wednesday, February 8.

Rules for the county wide art show are aviable at Finger's-Pontiac Mall and at the Management Office of Pontiac Mall Shopping Center, 315 North Telegraph Road, Pontiac, MI 48053.

The purpose of the annual art competition is to promote the development and apprciation of fine art in the community according to show coordinators, Roberta Bennett and Bonnie Brede of Drayton Plains.

READERS' REVIEW

by Joan Allen

If you're looking for Christmas books for young people, take a look at some of the books by Anne McCaffrey! You'll find them in the Science-Fiction department of bookstores, but they aren't the monster-spaceship type of thing, but good old-fashioned stories in a new setting. They come in hardcover or paperback, and can be purchased for a reasonable price.

Dragonsong, one of McCaffrey's books, has won both the Hugo and Nebula awards, and can be found in paperback, published by Bantam. It's setting is 'Rukbat, in the Sagattarian Sector, -- a golden G-type star. It had 5 planets, two asteroid belts, and a stray planet it had attracted and held in recent millenia."

A girl named Menolly is the heroine. A talented musician, she fills in for the Harper who is somewhat of the leader for the people in her area, when the old one dies. Since females are not supposed to be Harpers, Menolly's family try to prevent her knowledge of her gift, and she is punished for wasting her time in "tuning" once she is replaced by a new Harper.

When Menolly runs away and finds a fire-lizard's nest,

she helps the Queen save her eggs, and teaches so the small fire-lizards to sing, and her life begins to in a more promising direction.

This is an enchanting story, rich in imagina fantasy and love, and every adult should read it to fact, I couldn't put it down once I'd discovered i should appeal to a ten year old who is a good reader any age beyond that. Boys should like McCaff books too. Look for Dragonflight and Dragonquest a the Dragonriders and their steeds.

WINTER PROGRAMS OFFERED BY COUNTY PA

If you plan on spending the month of December si inside and wishing for 80 degree temperatures, read no further. But if you are part of that hearty g that enjoys winter activities, the free winter ev offered by the Genesee County Parks and Recrea Commission are for you.

On Thursday, December 14, in the 380-acre For-Nature Preserve and Arboretum, a Snowflake Safari be held if the terrain is frozen and there is at least t inches of base snow.

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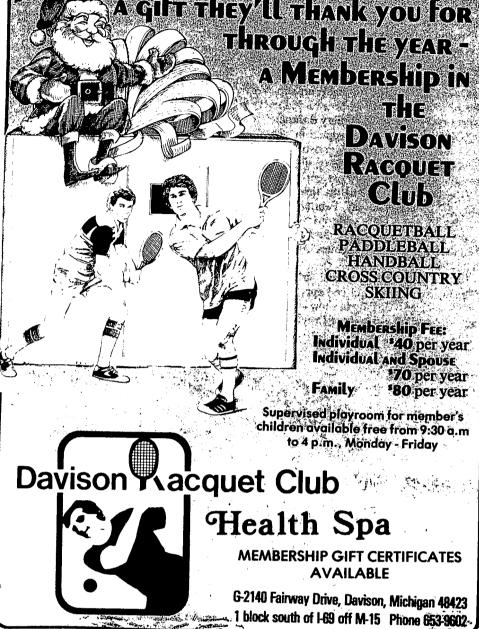


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For cross-country skiers a hike will be held in Flushing County Park, 4417 McKinley Road, on Sunday, December 17, if there is three or more inches of snow.

Participants should meet in the park at 2 p.m. for nearly two hours of skiing in the 105-acre facility.

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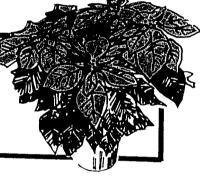
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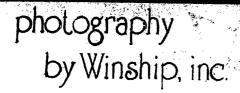
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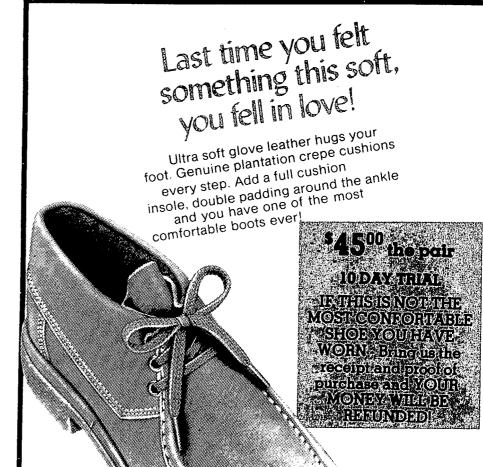
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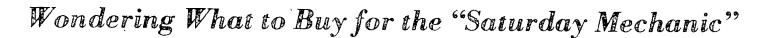


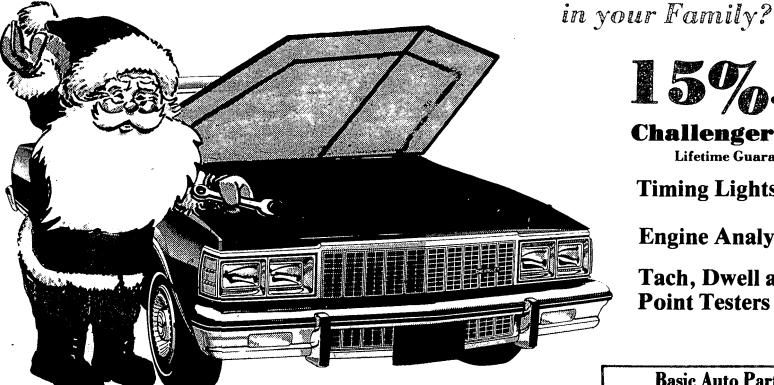


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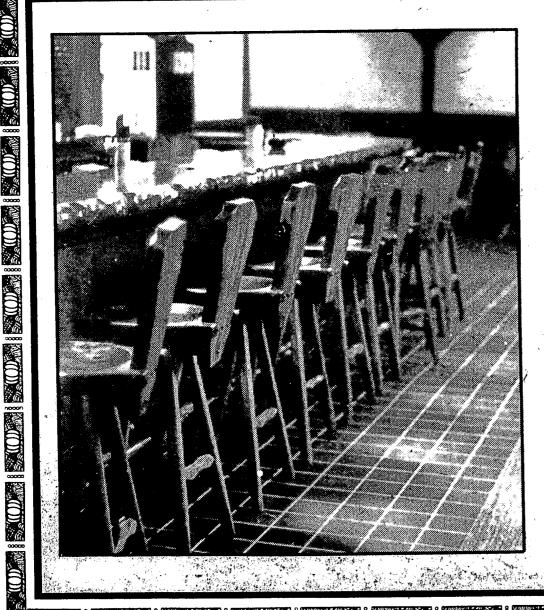
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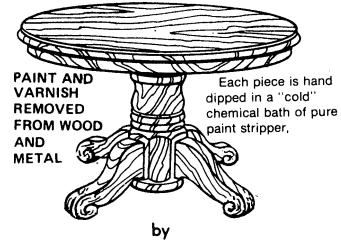
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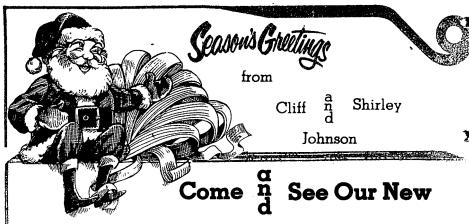


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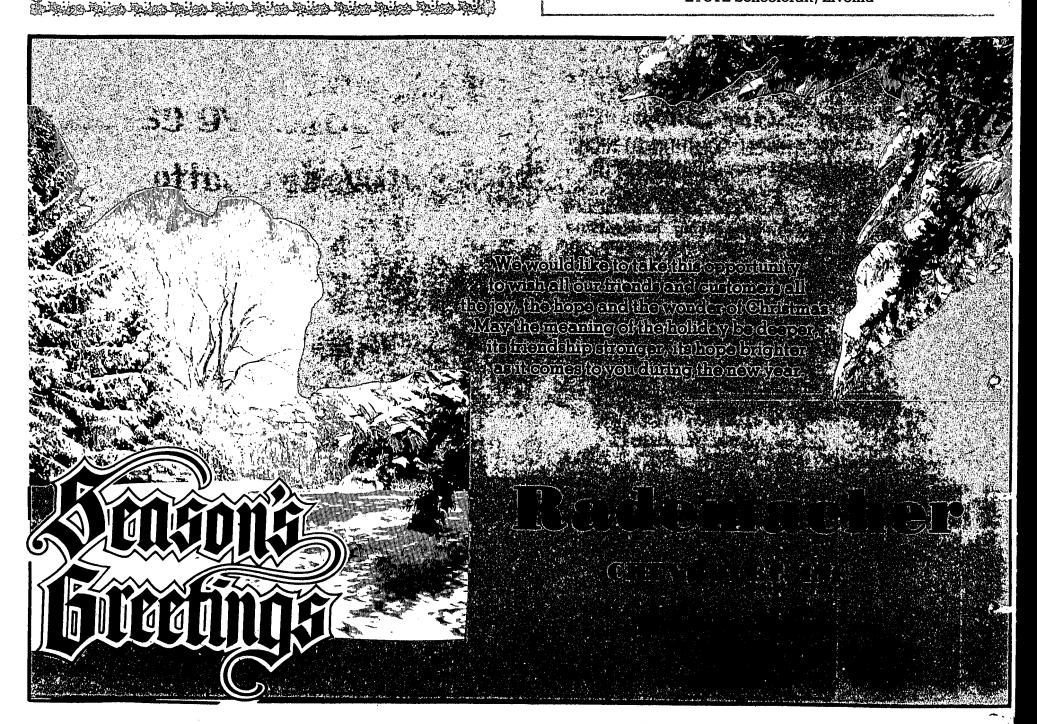
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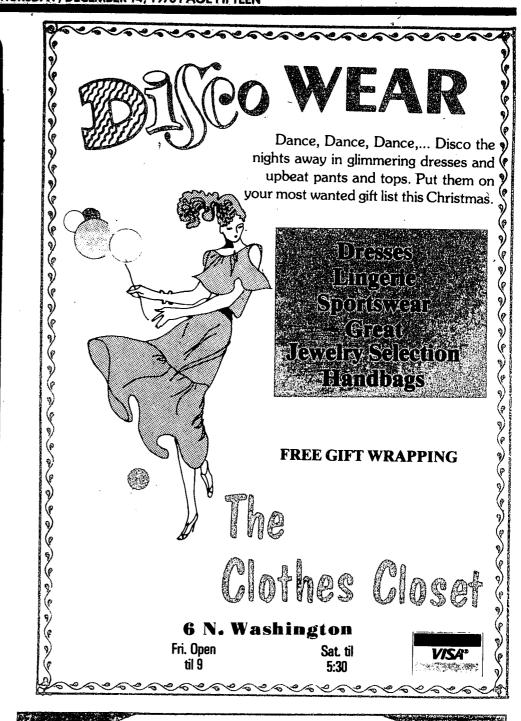
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