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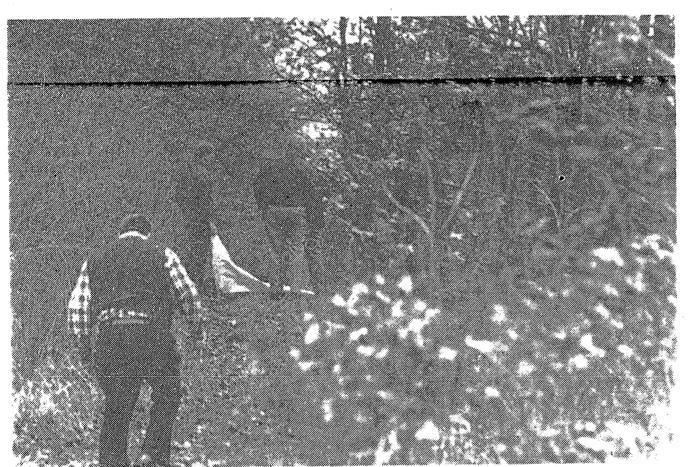
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For Policemen, Firefighters & Others

See Page 10



Police and Springfield firefighters found being on duty Christmas morning not so pleasant as they retrieve a dead body from a field near Ormond Road. **Photo by Al Wieling**

The Reminder found losing weight and earning more money as two of the most popular New Year's resolutions expressed by local residents. See Page 3

Notable quotes that came from the mouths of civic leaders and others are remembered on Page 11.

The Top 12 stories of 1982 are reviewed beginning on Page 16

Christmas Around the World



Left to Right: Sweden Pam Mirousky, Yugoslavia Karean Wheaton, England Joanna Townsend, Scotland April Parks, Netherlands Jason Borror, Spain Heather Coxen, Germany Erica

Gooding, Mexico Shannon Creed, Mexico Jeff Wormnest, Mexico Matt Smith, Germany Jason Schultz.

Photo by Al Wieling

Mrs. McCurdy's Pine Knob Elementary 4th grade class worked on a unit of study, Christmas Around the World. Each child selected a country to study and learn how boys and girls of other lands celebrate their

Christmas with their customs and traditions.
As a culminating activity a smorgasbord luncheon was served in the classroom. The parents prepared special dishes and desser-

ts, many of them special recipes from other countries. The parents came to have lunch with the children and share in this special day with the children.



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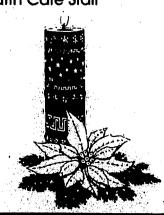
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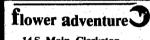
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Cindy Zatocil - To become a better person and not be in such a depression. To be a happy person all the time.

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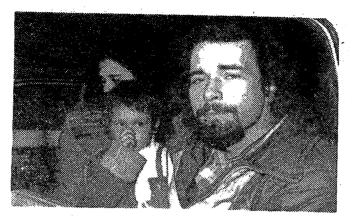


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David Turner - That all the people would find the true meaning of Christmas, besides what you see in the stores. That it is the birth of Christ and that the spirit of giving should be an account of good, and not for an obligation.



Diane Carlson - I will give you two. One is to lose 20 lbs. and the other is to put my kids' baby pictures in an album. I have been going to do this for years. I am going to go on a weight watchers diet because I lost 20 lbs. starving, but gained it right back. I am going to try to do it the right way this time.

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Basketball Starts

Independence Parks & Recreation is currently in need of teams to fill their 30 & Over Men's Basketball League. Games are played on Wednesday evenings at Sashabaw Jr. High. The season is scheduled to begin January 12. If you are interested in joining the league, call 625-8223 for more information.

Hockey Greats Return

Former Red Wing greats will return to the ice on Tuesday, January 11 for the Lucky Strike "Masters of Hockey" game at Joe Louis Arena.

Gordie Howe, Ted Lindsay, Alex Delvecchio, Frank Mahovlich, Bill Gadsby, and other former Red Wing icers will face-off against a squad of Masters led by Phil Esposito, Bobby Hull, Yvon Cournoyer, Stan Mikita and others in this exhibition game beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Proceeds from the game will benefit current and former National Hockey League players through the Phil Esposito Foundation's NHL Alumni Crisis and Post Career

Planning Programs. For more information call 567-6000.

Independence Plans Trip

Independence Township Parks & Recreation is offering a two week trip to Florida from April 2 thru April 15. The price of the trip will include: round trip motorcoach transportation, hotel/motel accomodations, to your room baggage handling, sight seeing enroute, and admission to Everglades Airboat ride, John F. Kennedy Space Center, Disney World, and the Epcot Center. For additional information call, 625-8223.

Antiques at Mall

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Child Birth Classes

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital - Pontiac, incooperation with the Waterford Adult Education Department, is sponsoring child-birth preparation classes for couples in their seventh and eighth months of pregnancy.

The series of five, two-hour weekly classes will be held every Wednesday, January 12 through February 9 from 7-9 p.m. at Pierce Junior High School, 5145 Hatchery Road, Drayton Plains.

To enroll for classes, call St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, 858-3525. Class size is limited to 15 couples. The program is free and open to the community.



Deanna Dunagan (Sally Talley)

"Talley's Folley" at OU

Ms. Dunagen plays the female lead in Lanford, Wilson's Pulitzer Prize-Winning Play, "Talley's Folly" which opens on December 30, 1982 through January 23, 1983 at Meadow Brook Theatre on Oakland University campus near Rochester, Michigan.

"Nuts" at Birmingham

The Birmingham Theatre will present "Nuts", January 7 - February 6. The play stars two of Broadway's most accomplished actresses, Patricia Morison and Giulia Pagano.

"Nuts," which Clive Barnes hailed as an extraordinary play", is a suspense-filled courtroom battle of wits. Nominated for several Tony Awards, "Nuts" was a hit in New York and Los Angeles. Stephen Zuckerman, who directed the original Broadway production, will direct the Birmingham engagement.

Previews begin Friday, January 7 and run through Sunday, January 9. Performances are Tuesday through Saturday evenings at 8:00 p.m.; Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m.; and matinees on Wednesday and Sunday afternoons at 2:00 p.m.

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Racquetball League Begin

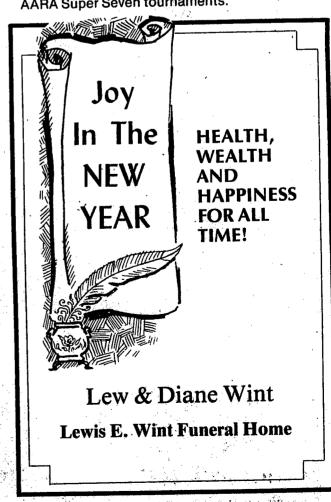
Independence Township Parks & Recreation will be offering a variety of racquetball leagues beginning in January. Anyone interested in joining a league should call 625-8223. Play will be at Waterford Hill Courts.

\$2000 Tourney at Club

On February 4th, 5th and 6th the Crescent Lake Racquet Club will be hosting the \$2,000.00 1st Annual Shooting Stars Racquetball Tournament.

Although the Shooting Star is a new venture for Crescent Lake, Co-tournament director Dean McCarrick has employed the talents of Jim "Doc" Hiser and his entourage.

Hiser is best known for his accomplishments with the \$13,000.00 Davison "Natural Light" Open Pro-stop and the \$24,000.00 AARA Super Seven tournaments.



New Year's Resolutions Continued from Page 3



Ada Kukic - I am going to lose 40 pounds. I am going to diet, exercise and join Vic Tanny.



Betty Bouchard - We live for the Lord and our resolution is to grow closer to him.



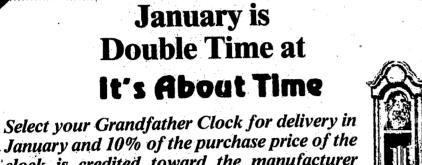
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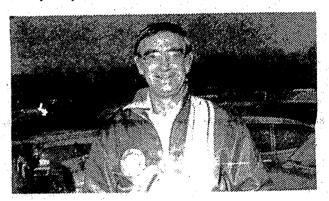




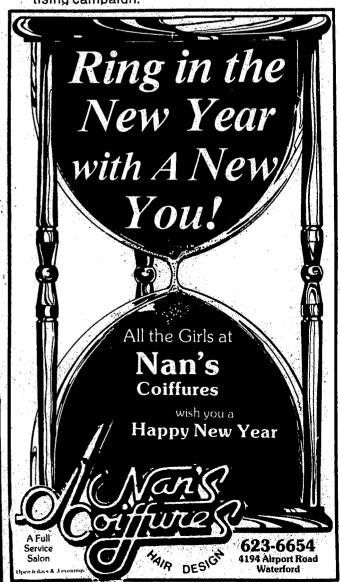
Rob Isbell - To make next year better than this year in any way I can. I work for an industrial tool sales and I hope things are going to pick up next year.



David Wilson - To get back to work and put everybody else back to work too.



George Polasek - To make more money. I already have good prospects for the future. I am self-employed and plan on a better advertising campaign.





Vincent Tosto - I have a patent pending right now and when I am a success maybe I can help a lot of people. I'm a construction worker and haven't been doing so well in the last few years.



Rick Thompson - I am going to try and diet one more time. I just want to lose 25 pounds. I have promised to do it for the last ten years, so lets see if I can do it this year. I have cut all the sugar out of my diet and it is working real good.



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Rose Kelly - To have a little more patience with my children and everybody else.



John Holly - I am a gospel musician and I want to get my band out to do more evangelizing in '83 than '82.



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Editorial ia by Mike Morrow vernment News

On page four of this week's paper we've composed a little survey in which we'd like you to take part. So please take out your pencil and answer the questions found within the survey.

Believe it or not, we depend a great deal on this survey. Last year results showed a strong interest in classified ads and letters to the editor. We responded by attempting to increase both of those sections. Likewise, those columns or groups of articles that were unpopular in the survey eliminated or either were Surprisingly, high downgraded. school sports and township government, both received rather low

marks on the last survey.

We also use the survey to develop ideas and topics for articles. If two or three people happen to write they would like to see more coverage on boat racing - we'll do our best to bring you more information on that particular topic.

So you see - this particular survey is not something that will be tossed into the wastebasket. It will help The Reminder plan its editorial coverage for the next year. So won't you please take five minutes to fill it out and send the form back to us. We'd really appreciate hearing from you.

mike Wilcox

by Mike Morrow

I'm at an odd age. I'm still young enough to make New Years Resolutions, but old enough to know I don't have a snowball's chance in hell of keeping them.

The list for 1983 is all ready to go but this year for the first time next to each resolution I wrote the chances of actually keeping them beyond 12:01 on New Years Eve.

QUIT SMOKING - Ha, ha, ha. The only way I'll actually do this is if I end up in an oxygen tent and even then I'll probably cut a hole in it to fit a cigarette in it.

LOSE WEIGHT - Chances of me doing this are a lot slimmer than I'll ever be.

BEGIN A REGULAR PROGRAM OF EXER-CISE - Not very likely unless sleeping in and talking on the telephone suddenly are found to be great exercises.

NEVER GET BEHIND ON MY COLUMN BACKLOG - The idea is a sound one, to have a few columns stored away so I don't have to furiously type away the night before my deadline. Unfortunately, I have a feeling this sound idea will go the way of most of the other sound ideas I have, right out the window. I'm pretty sure six months from now I'll be doing exactly the same thing I'm doing at this moment, furiously pounding away on the typewriter so there won't be a big blank hole where I should be in the paper.

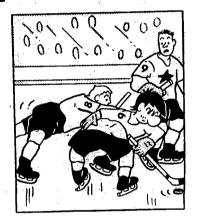
NOT TO LOSE MY TEMPER SO OFTEN -This one will last until New Years Day when someone thinks it's a funny idea to call me early in the morning to see how I feel after partying the night before. They won't think its such a funny idea after they call.

QUIT PARTYING SO MUCH - This one might have a chance. If I just tell myself that I spend too much money at the bar and there really are more important things I should be doing and ... well, maybe just one drink ...

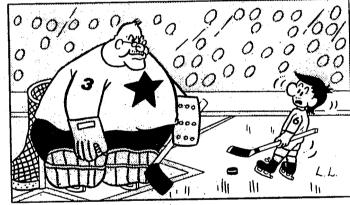
START SAVING MONEY - This is one of my favorites. I not only make this one on New Years, but every week in between, usually after I've spent my last penny and charged twice as much as I could afford.

Somehow, knowing that I won't keep any of these resolutions has taken all the fun out of making them. Maybe next year that will be my resolution, not to make any, of course knowing me, that's the surest way to insure that I will.

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To the Editor:

Reading several newspaper articles regarding the devastating Oakland County Sheriff's Department budget cuts compels me to present to the public some very important information.

All citizens of Oakland County pay taxes. Some of these tax dollars go to the Oakland County Sheriff's Department. Therefore, every community has the right to request services from the Oakland County Sheriff's Department. SOME commissioners, such as Mr. Lanni, and others, have complained that their community does not receive patrol services, so — to further short change the citizens, they state very simply that 27 patrol officers are NOT NEEDED.

Mr. Lanni SHOULD KNOW that our Alcohol Enforcement and Traffic Patrols, along with services such as arson and homicide investigations, crime lab services, etc., are available to his community and to all other communities that have their own police departments, upon request.

As a so-called dedicated public servant, Mr. Lanni, and those other commissioners, should be seeking answers as to WHY??? the citizens in their communities have not been getting their dollars worth. Are crime and accidents not occurring in their communities? No other police problems there?

Many police departments in various areas of the county make use of our support services already provided by the citizens' tax dollars and are grateful for our services, especially due to the slumping economy and the ever-increasing crime and accident rates.

It is sad — but true!! — Mr. Lanni, along other commissioners, with Republicans) would rather lay off 27 officers using the lame excuse of "due to economy", while Oakland County goes into 1983, Oakland County taxpayers will still be paying the same amount of taxes and getting LESS.

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by Rebecca Roberts

It's a good thing there's a change in years. Imagine having to go through life writing

How would we arrange our lives? Distinguish our births?

No. 1982, no question about, has to go. It's had it. 1982 had its shot and fell em-

barrassingly short of the mark. It had a chance to pass ERA. What a flop. It took on the national debt from 1981, then just watched it grow.

It gave us record unemployment, and made a widower of a king.

1982 is a baby that never grew up.

It threw tantrums in the stock market and drooled as John Z. DeLorean fouled a dream.

It fiddled while California burned, and made mudpies out of the country's midsec-

1982 went into convulsions while Reagan wagged a supply-side pacifier before its howling mouth. And 1982 played with its rattle while the administration continued to lull it with START.

Yup. 1982 has hobbled around on its little pink toes long enough.

But, after all, 1982 wasn't all babytalk. There were voices of reason heard in the land when seven out of nine states, including Michigan, voted for a nuclear freeze.

Lady Diana had a baby. Joan Kennedy got a divorce.

Never mind. Whatever happened in 1982, 1983 is about to enter the room, its chubby little face aglow with newness, and perhaps, a kinder, gentler nature.

As with any newborn, we will be counting its toes, checking for differences.

To all, a prosperous healthy new year.

regular deputy.

Yet Mr. Lanni feels his community will not miss these officers. How wrong can he and these other commissioners be?

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Christmas:Just Another Work Day

by Mike Wilcox and Al Wieling

Christmas is recognized all over the world as a traditional holiday. A day when families get together to exchange gifts, eat too much food, and attend church. But for a few, Christmas is nothing more than another work day. They are the few that have jobs that are vital to the health and safety of people.

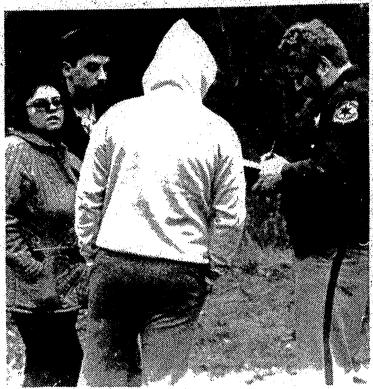
Oakland County Sheriff's Deputy Ron Winkler has one of those jobs. He and several fellow officers were charged with patrolling the area's roads and streets.

At approximately 10:30 a.m. Winkler answered a call from someone who had found a body near 5780 Ormond Road in Springfield Township.

What Winkler found would be enough to spoil anyone's Christmas day. The body of 18-year-old John Gee, of Davisburg, was found in the field, a victim of apparent suicide. Winkler, volunteers from the Springfield Fire Department and other police officers kept spectators away from the area as photographer Ray Block took pictures for the Sheriff's Department.

Lou Goldfaden, owner and pharmacist of Wonder Drugs in Clarkston, like most of us, celebrates Christmas with his family. But instead of having a big affair at home, Goldfaden has his family help mind the store.

"The whole family works on Christmas and none of the help. It is a family tradition. We have done this every year for the last twenty years," explained Goldfaden.

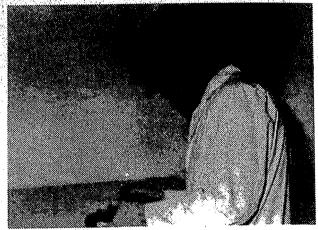


Photos (clockwise) show Lou Goldfaden of Wonder Drugs; Chris Tippen at the Waterford Police Department; and Oakland County Sheriff's deputy Ron Winkler investigating the Christmas morning suicide.

Goldfaden said he has to open to fill prescriptions for the sick. "They don't stop coming in just because it is a holiday," he

This Christmas however, was a little quieter than most for Wonder Drugs. Goldfaden attributed it to the unseasonably warm weather.





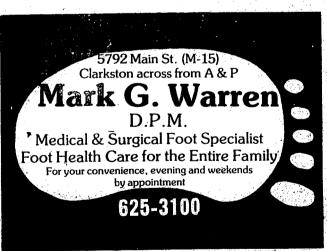
Identification technician Chris Tippen is on call 24 hours a day, 365 days a year for the Waterford Police Department. Christmas is no exception.

Tippen was home enjoying his family when he was paged Christmas morning.

"We were just getting ready to open the gifts when they got me," lamented Tippen.

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"I have got workers making as much as these people even with their anticipated wage hike. These workers have no education, no responsibility. They come with a pair of overalls. We could have College graduates that wouldn't take these township jobs because of low pay..." Robert Harding of Clawson Tank, and a proponent of higher wages for Springfield Township officials.

"This is a unique experience in my lifetime to appoint a task force and then prohibit them from giving a recommendation..." Independence Township Supervisor James Smith showing disgust with his Board that voted to prohibit the cable task force from making a recommendation.

"I think we should evaluate the effort of our local government as being second to the Nixon administration for healthy, sincere, honest and lawful expertise, in pursuit of opposition . . ." Lucky Fletcher, taking one of his many potshots aimed at the Independence Township Board.

I believe that I have already communicated with someone from another planet. It scared me to death ..." Psychic Pat Carroll.

The requirements for uniformed guards is ridiculous. I can't handle it. I'm going to have to vote no. We are telling people we know better for you than you do . . ." Independence Township Treasurer Fred Ritter publicly stating his opposition to the arcade ordinance.

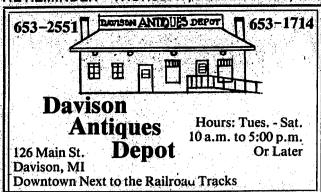
It looked like Iran around here . . . trees everywhere . . ." Delbert Wilson recalling the tornado that swept through his neighborhood.

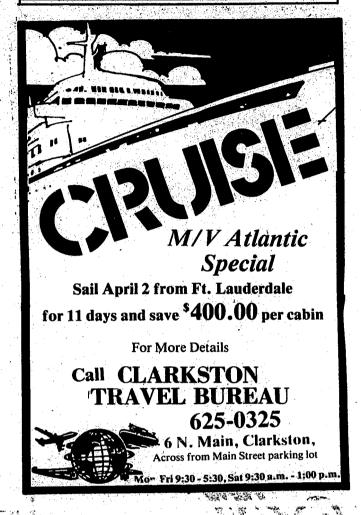
"I figure I'm entitled to it. I don't go to shows. I don't go to dinner very much. So what the dickens . . ." said Margaret Bernard, after winning a million dollars.

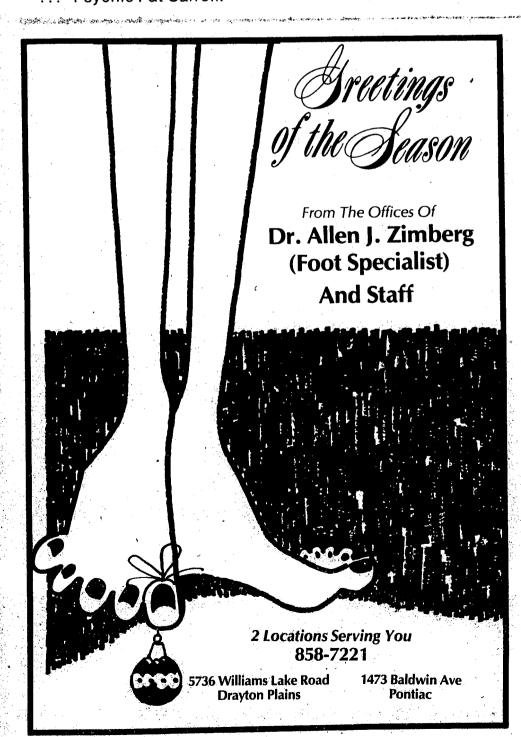
"If I'm going to keep my sanity I have to leave. You've succeeded in running me out of town . . ." Robert Hall, race track opponent.

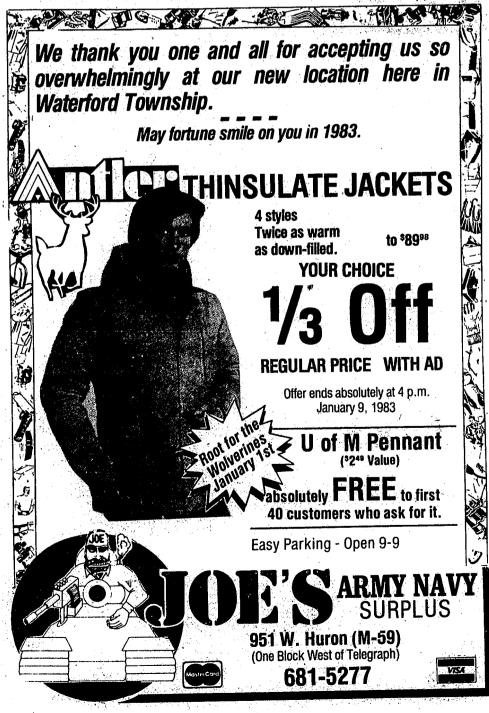
"We are not impressed by the efforts made in the past. It appears the attitude is listen nicely, maybe even agree, send them home, and then forget about it" Carol Zorka, a proponent of Elementary Physical Education, who accused the School Board of doing nothing.

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He added, however, "It goes with thejob. When something comes up you have to work. You know that when you get hired in here."

Most of us know that Santa Claus is only a legend. But, Rex Egres Jr. likes to make that legend real for a few kids in between towing jobs on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

Egres dons his Santa suit and takes off in his wrecker to neighboring homes to visit with excited children who are impatiently waiting for their gifts.

"I do this for free just to see the smiles on the little kids' fuces," explained Egres. I am divorced and I have a good time with the little kids. When they smile . . . that is Christmas



Rex Egres in his familiar disguise

Like policemen, firefighters have to be available and on duty at all times. Waterford firefighter Kurt Martin was one of the few that had to work Christmas day.

"My family isn't very happy about it but they understand. If somebody needs help at least I am here to help them. It is a good job and it is a rewarding job," claimed Martin.

Independence firefighter Gar Wilson was on duty Christmas Eve and part of Christmas Day. He didn't feel bad, however, because some of the guys came in and relieved him for a few hours so he could be with his

"The guys don't have to trade time like that. They are just being gracious and taking care of each other," explained a thankful Wilson.

Christmas for Dr. Charles Yee of Clarkston was spent attending to sick people in his office. He's use to working on holidays and says he really doesn't mind it.



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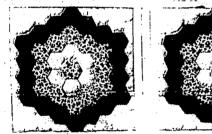
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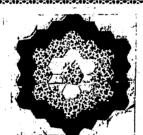
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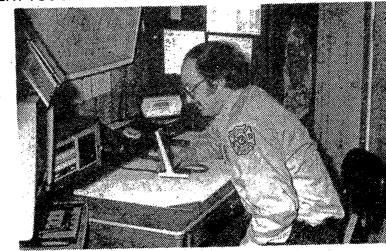


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Dr. Yee

"It comes with the territory," said Dr. Yee. Just because it is a holiday and Christmas, doesn't mean people quit getting sick. People don't pick the days they want to get sick on."

Linda Bass did not share the conciliatory attitude. It is her job as Best Service Station attendant to pump gas for people taking trips to their families or to sell them milk or cigarets because they forgot to get the essential items on Christmas Eve.



Kurt Martin

"It feels terrible to be working on Christmas Day. Everybody else is off and I have to stay here and take the money," said Ms. Bass. "I would much rather be off and be home with my family."

Fleet and Riverside ambulance services both had crews working on Christmas Day.

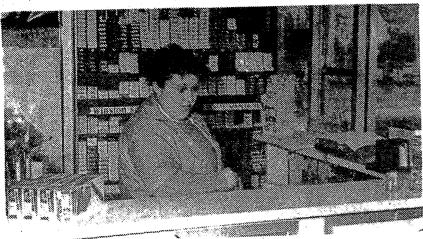
Although the day was unusually quiet for Fleet, attendant Bill Grub didn't mind working. "It gives you a little more sense of worth and the feeling that somebody has to

do it, so why not me."

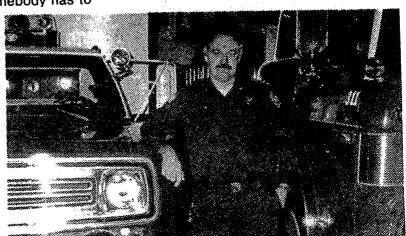
Partner Leanne Robinson has worked the past 4 years. "We get double time today so it makes it worth it," she said.

Over at Riverside Steve Dean called it "just another day."

"I am just newly married, but my wife has to work too. She is a nurse at the hospital and she is accustomed to working on



Linda Bass



holidays," said Dean.

Gar Wilson



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Top Stories of 1982

Ronald Duane Ferrin, 35, of Cross Road, killed his 16-year-old daughter, critically wounded his wife, and then shot himself, with a .22 caliber pistol, in March.

Two other children arrived home from an Andersonville Elementary bus, just as Riverside Ambulance was rushing their mother to the hospital.

The murder-suicide came only a week after the Ferrins had decided to reconcile in a bitter divorce case. Ferrin was known to have beaten his wife on numerous occasions, but it was against the advice of her attorney, that Mrs. ferrin allowed the divorce suit to be dismissed.

One of the area's oldest and most recognized landmarks was the victim of fire

The Old Mill restaurant, which had stood proudly on Dixie Highway near Andersonville, since the 1920's had recently been purchased by new owners. The owners socked a half million dollars worth of improvements into the financially troubled, but elegant restaurant, to restore it to it's original looks.

They also revived the famous Sunday brunches and were offering lunches and banquets, as well as an extensive dinner menu.

But a few months after the remodeling had been finished the Old Mill was consumed by a spectacular blaze that took an entire night to bring under control.

The aftermath has been filled with accusations and lawyer fees as investigators try to determine whether the blaze was the result of arson and the insurance company try to decide whether to settle with the owners or wait for the investigation to conclude.

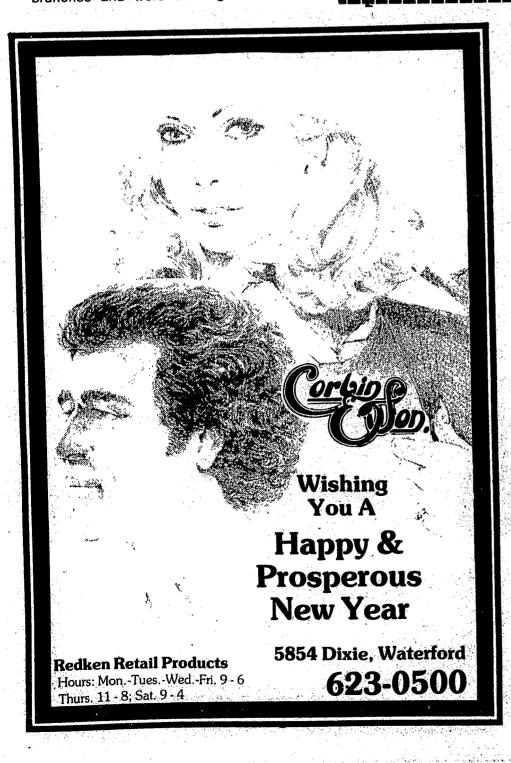
The weather always seems to be responsible for at least one top ten story each year.



1982 was no exception.

A tornado that briefly touched down in the Clintonville, Mann Road areas in June, caused a gas main break, knocked down several power lines and sent trees and large branches sprawling all over houses, streets







and cars.

Until clean-up operations prevailed, Clintonville Road was blocked off at two points. Incredibly, however, no one was reported injured. Nor were homes destroyed.

The tornado that began at 5:40 p.m. on a Tuesday afternoon and ended five minutes later brought feat to many residents of the area, but the amount of destruction it brought was minimal.

Cable Television was in the news for most of the year. Independence Township and their Cable Task Force were faced with a decision to choose one of four firms to start and operate cable television in the township.

The four firms vying for the franchise were Multi-Cablevision, Omnicom, Concord and McLean-Hunter. McLean Hunter dropped out early. Concord dropped out later.

The bidding war between Multi-Cable and Omnicom was furious. One offered total coverage of the entire township. The other offered impeccable financial backing and a proven track record. Each however, bettered their proposals as the war continued.

In the meantime, the Cable Task Force, which had put in many long hours analyzing the proposals, was told by the Board they did not want a recommendation. The Board was miffed because the Task Force had held a public hearing without prior consultation.

The Task Force, however, after completing their evaluation, let it be known, that Multi-Cable fared best. The Board, after holding their own public hearing, came to the same conclusion.

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In 1982, the Village of Clarkston had one of it's all time greatest celebrations. The year, particularly during the summer, was filled with a variety of activities in celebration of Clarkston's sesquicentennial.

Some of the highlights of the year long celebration were Friday night Concerts in the Park, a huge 4th of July parade and celebration afterwards, an old-fashioned Country Fair during Labor Day weekend, and an enlarged Crafts and Cider festival.

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The closing of South Sashabaw Elementary was first proposed and concluded in 1982.

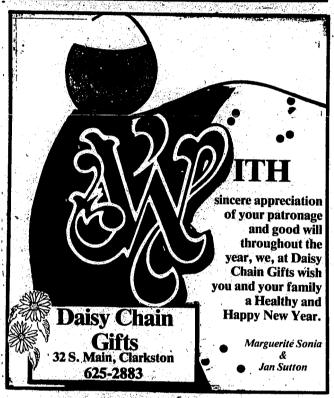
Clarkston administrators, feeling the pinch of budget crunches and a declining enrollment announced their plans to close the small elementary in February. The pronouncement was met with immediate dismay from many parents.

Over 200 people attended a meeting at which the School Board explained their reason for closing the school. Parents also had their say . . . claiming the school would save little financially and that administrators wanted to use it as a Community Education Center.

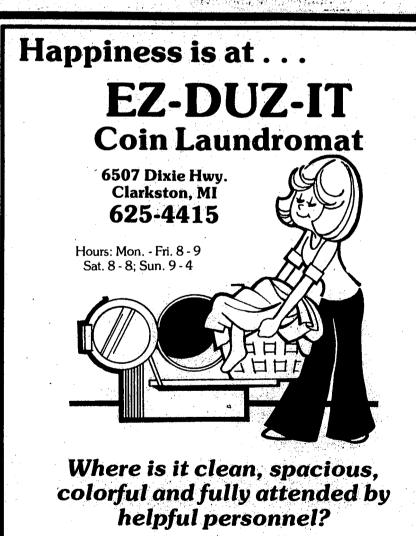
In March, the school board unanimously voted to close the school and in September it was indeed converted into a Community Education center. Administrators, however, pointed out that the community education department would be making money at South Sashabaw.

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Top 12 Stories

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Seventy-five year-old widow and grandmother Margaret Bernard became an instant millionaire in July when she struck it rich in the Michigan State Lottery.

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week until she dies.

Mrs. Bernard doesn't expect the huge windfall to change her life any. She's always been a big traveler, having been to Europe twice and Hawaii four times. She expects to continue her lifestyle that includes seeking company of her seven greatgrandchildren and buying two lottery tickets a week at Food Town and Krogers.

Springfield Township received good news in 1982 when the Department of Natural Resources held a meeting at Davisburg Elementary to tell residents that clean-up operations at the Shindler Road toxic waste site were going to receive some badly needed financial assistance.

The Shindler Road site, along with neighboring Demode Road in Rose Township, had been identified by the federal government as priority cases for funding. The Shindler Road side was particularly costly, because there were still many barrels to be removed, as well as contaminated soil.

The DNR also announced at the meeting that it was highly unlikely that neighboring residents would experience well water contamination.

Politically, 1982 was definitely a Democratic year. Former Congressman Bob Carr regained his congressional seat from Jim Dunn and James Blanchard easily outdistanced Richard Headlee for the governor's seat.

But in Independence Township and Springfield Township, Republicans, for the most part, continued to rule the roost.

Spurred by a visit from former president Gerald Ford to the Deer Lake Racquet Club on behalf of Congressman Dunn, area voters went to the polls to elect Matt Dunaskiss as their new representative over longtime rep. Claude Trim.

It was a stunning upset. Trim and Dunaskiss had been tossed into the same district by reapportionment, and many felt because it was going to be a Democratic year, Trim would have the upper hand. But inthe end Dunaskiss prevailed by a good

In another stunning upset, young Richard Kuhn outpointed incumbent Charles Whitlock for the Independence County

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Commission seat. Kuhn used a well-known political name and a furious door-to-door campaign to unseat Whitlock.

All year the Independence Township Board struggled with whether to allow the Waterford Hills Racing Association to continue their auto racing activities on the track that has existed for over 20 years on Waterford Road.

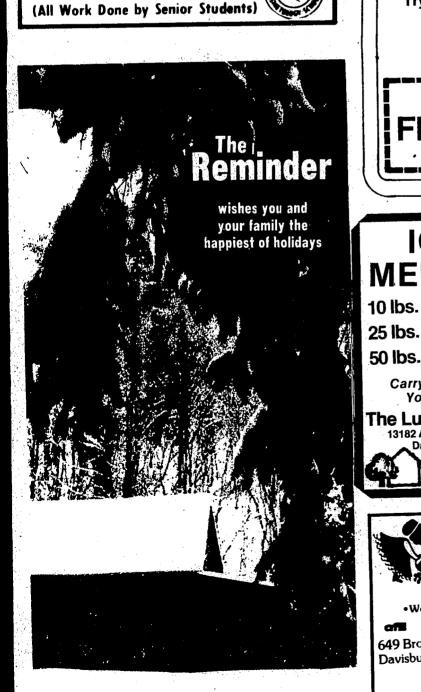
The matter was being pressed by a group of neighbors that were fed up with the noise and lack of safety they felt was exhibited by track officials.

The Board, which must issue a permit to the Racing Association yearly, requested the Association to hire a consultant; then hired their own consultant when they weren't satisfied with the Association's consultant's findings; and then appointed a committee to come up with a compromise.

To complicate matters, a driver died at one of the course's summer races. It was the first

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time the track had taken a life and added fuel to the safety argument.

But the Association had received unexpected public support from some of the neighbors nearest the track who claimed they didn't mind having the track in their backyards.

Although the issue was first brought to the board in mid-April, a decision is still pending. A Committee of board members, neighbors and Association members are still meeting to iron out a compromise that will probably allow the racing to continue, but will place stringent controls on car mufflers and possibly require the Association to build a noise barrier.

A seemingly harmless historical ordinance made the news several times in 1982, when some of its proponents interpreted it in a manner that wasn't to the liking of some of their neighbors.

The ordinance calls for the appointment of a Historical Commission that is to oversee and approve home improvement projects within the historical district.

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The ordinance and Commission were first challenged at mid-year when Clarkston resident Hawley Skarritt wished to aluminum-side his previously painted home on Holcomb. Despite long deliberations, the Commission decided in Skarritt's favor by a

However, many of the residents in attendance at the meeting were not pleased with the deliberations. They felt the Commission had no right to tell a homeowner whether he could aluminum side his house or not.

A few weeks later the Commission voted to deny a request to improve the exterior of another house. This only proved to add fuel to the controversy.

Finally after a survey of homeowners in the historical district, the Village Council recently voted to put the ordinance on ice, until they could review it, and make changes.

1982 saw video arcades usher in the year as being one of the area's most popular phenomena, and ending with many of the arcades broke and out of business.

None of those arcades located in Independence Township. A tough ordinance adopted by the Township Board was challenged by at least one potential arcade proprietor, but it held up in Oakland County Circuit Court.

Robert Warrington, co-owner of the Clarkston True Value Hardware, had planned to operate Clarkston's first video arcade in vacant offices that were attached to the hardware.

However, the Township Board, together an ordinance in early 1982 that prohibited arcades in most locations. Warrington, who had announced the coming of his arcade for several weeks on a flashing sign outside the hardware, was essentially put out of business, by the or-

Warrington later challenged the ordinance in court but the judge ruled in favor of the township.

Both the Township Board and Warrington were not without supporters. A telephone poll conducted by The Reminder showed the public was evenly split between allowing arcades in the township and not. Meanwhile arcades were coming to life all along the Dixie in Waterford and Springfield Township.



"I heard some guys down here about two minutes before I heard all the sirens. First, I thought it was a bad wreck, but when I walked to my front door, flames were in the air about thirty feet . . ." Christie Brown, witnessing the Old Mill fire.

"Very rarely have I heard anybody complain at a meeting. They are long and tedious and tension building. Smoking is one outlet we have . . . George Anderson, Independence indicating Chief. displeasure to a new "no smoking" policy at township board meetings.

"We are not the smartest people in the world out here, but we don't like to be taken. I think we've been given the fast shuffle . . . " Leonard Cotter complaining of past School Board actions.

"We have become the Northwestern of the Big 10 in economics. We don't compete with Illinois and Indiana . . ." Richard Headlee at a Davisburg gathering.

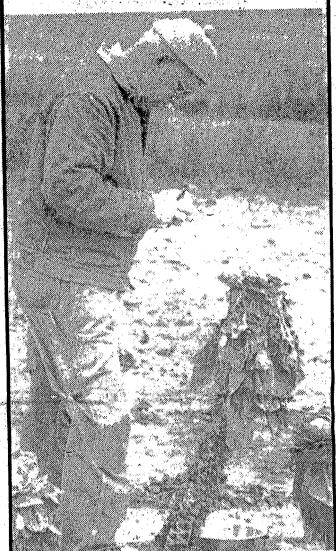
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son crankler than having to pass up chocolate cake ... " Mike Morrow on living with a dieter.

"Football players don't last as long as baseball players do. The physical beating is so much more intense . . ." Barb Gibson on why son Kirk chose baseball.

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Christmas Gardening



Halsey of Andersonville Road, Davisburg, took advantage of the unseasonably warm weather to pick brussel sprouts in his garden on Christmas Day.

Library Corner

Pre-School Story Time at Independence Township Library is Wednesday, January 5, 11 a.m. The film for this time is "Crafty Animal Caper", the story of the mischlevous antics of a raccoon and a raven. Songs and stories for this age group are part of the program.

After School Movie Hours is Wednesday, January 5, 4:30 p.m. The adventures of a boy and his mother who move into a country house inhabited by a witch are depicted in the film "The Winter of the Witch." An insight into the survival of plants and animals is shown in the movie, "Winter", and "Winter Ice" shows the many forms that water takes.

New books just in are: "A Loss of Patients," a mystery by Ralph McInerny; "The God Project" by John Saul, and a suspense by Dennis Etchison, "The Dark Country."

Arno's "Battlefields of the Civil War" has been added to the library's collection of that

Two magazines added for 1983 are "People" and "Monthly Detroit".

New fiction on the junior shelves are two books by Ellen Conford, "And This Is Laura" and "Hail, Hail, Camp Timberwood."

"Morelli's Game" by Patricia L. Gauch is new in the young adult section.

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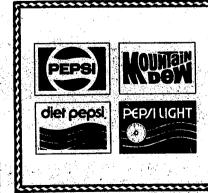
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Cultural Arts Programs Offered in Clarkston

The Clarkston Cultural Arts Program is a totally new venture for Clarkston Community Schools' Department of Community Education. According to James Kaminski, chairman of the Cultural Arts Committee this brand new "visual arts" program is just the beginning of what he hopes will be a comprehensive program in the visual and performance arts for youth and adult in the community.

The Cultural Arts Committee, part of the Clarkston Community Education Advisory Council, headed by James Kaminski of Clarkston, assisted by Kathryn Kraepel of Royal Oak, have been working since October

on this brand new program.

"This first Cultural Arts Program is our initial effort to present visual arts classes ofthe highest quality by offering instructors whose credentials equal their dedication as working artists," says Kathryn Kraepel.

Classes for adults (also open to high school students upon referral by their art instructors and with permission of their counselors) include the following; Bookmaking, Ceramics (hand building), Ceramics (wheel throwing), Design, Drawing, Film Appreciation (early Alfred Hitchcock), Filmmaking, Painting, Photography (introduction), Photography (experimental media) & Sculpture (figurative and non-figurative).

Classes for children include; Ceramics (handbuilding), Ceramics (adult & child together), Drawing, Painting, Filmmaking

and Photography.

The following working artists will be participating as instructors in this series of classes, namely; Andrea Eis (film-maker/photographer) James Kaminski James Kaminski (sculptor, painter, designer), Kathryn Kraepel (photographer/bookmaker), Kathryn Kusa Steven (photographer/designer) and Lisa Wolkow (ceramicist/sculptor). "We are delighted that these talented people have agreed to share their expertise with our community," says Kathleen O'Donnell, Director of Community Education for Clarkston Community Schools. "We think the excellent credentials of our instructors combined with limited enrollment in classes, provides an extraordinary opportunity for youth and adults to explore, experiment and develop their interests, talents and abilities."

Classes begin the week of January 10th with registration closing on Thursday, January 6th. Registration is taken only at the Clarkston Community Learning Center, 5275 Maybee Road (east of Sashabaw Rd).

Registration coupons are found in the Cultural Arts Brochure which may be picked up in any of these locations: Auro Fine Arts, Saddows Auction Gallery, Tierra Arts and all Clarkston Community School buildings. Class descriptions will also be found in the winter community education brochure coming to all area residents the week of December 27th.

The Clarkston Community Education Advisory Council is seeking to expand its membership on the Cultural Arts Committee. Individuals having an interest in "the arts" and wishing to make a contribution to our community are urged to contact the Clarkston Community Learning Center or James Kaminski in January. New members will be recommended for appointment by the advisory council at the February meeting.

Individuals interested in participating as instructors in our developing cultural arts programs are asked to submit a letter, and resume to the Clarkston Community Learning Center. Slides and portfolios may be

requested.

Long range plans for the cultural arts in Clarkston include; the development of a Cultural Arts Center "in which we can celebrate the visual and performance arts and artists. We are looking for ways to highlight the many talented and creative

youth and adults in our community as well as bringing in out-of-the-area individuals," said Kaminski.

Anyone having suggestions and ideas for future programs are asked to contact any member of the Clarkston Cultural Arts Committee, James Kaminski, Martha Wheeler, Carolyn Place, and Gary Symons or the Clarkston Community Learning Center at 673-7756.

A "Mural Competition" for the purpose of creating a new ambiance in the Clarkston Community Learning Center is being planned for sometime shortly after the first of the year. Registration dates, entry fees, guidelines for submission of sketches will be

made available in future news releases.

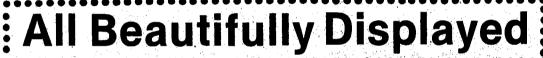
"It is our intention to enliven the interior walls as well as classrooms in the Learning Center so that when we are finished the center may be utilized by individuals and groups in our community for such things as bridal showers, wedding receptions, retirement parties, graduation parties, business meetings and various club meetings on a rental basis," said Kaminski.

Currently the Learning Center (formerly South Sashabaw Elementary School) is being utilizerd as a center for adult education classes, leisure time classes, G.E.D. preparation classes, Job Club, the Pacesetter High School Completion Program

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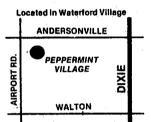
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Adversity is a word the Assads know all to well.

Allie and Sandra Assad are owners of LaPiazza Family Dining, once a pizzeria and now a fullfledged dining room at the corner of Clarkston and Eston roads.

The restaurant, which opened 10 days ago seats up to 110 people. It is nicely decorated and offers a menu that has endless variety. The food is economically priced and deliciously prepared.

In short, the restaurant is an establishment most businessman would be proud of.

However, for the Assads, It wasn't easy getting where they

They bought the pizzeria two vears ago. A year later they added a donut-coffee shop operation, and six months ago they began preparing to open their family

restaurant.

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But the economy and opposition from some neighbors didn't make the business venture a simple task.

The economy has hurt the Assad's like it has most businesses. People are making less money, thus they tend to go out for dinner less often.

The neighbors opposed Assad because he was seeking a liquor license, and they were apprehensive because the Richardson's convenience store next door had a history of trouble with teenagers loitering.

The liquor license issue however was decided when the Independence Township Board decided to hold a license in escrow and if and when Assad could show that his family dining operation was going to be legitimate, that they would

then issue it to him.

If our dinner was any indication, the Township Board has nothing to worry about.

Allie, who is the chief chef, recommends the veal scalloppine ala LaPiazza and his real Italian spaghetti, as two of the best items on the menu.

The veal scaloppine, which is actually one of five veal dishes Assad serves, is a delicious mixture of thinly sliced veal, mushrooms and green peppers sauteed in a delicately spiced fresh vegetable sauce. The veal, which comes with a tossed salad, potato, vegetable or spaghetti costs a paltry \$5.95.

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and mushroom sauce for \$4.25.

The menu features many other items including baked lasagna, Chesapeake Bay scallops and barbequed spare ribs. In addition there is always LaPiazza's wonderfully tasty pizza that comes either round or square.

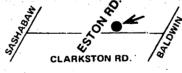
The decor, which is largely Italian, features many pictures and hangings from customers. Assad, who did 90% of the remodeling (it used to be a dry cleaners) and decorating himself, was oftentimes helped by friendly neighbors and customers who were anxious to see the pizzeria expand into a family restaurant.

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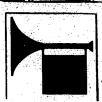
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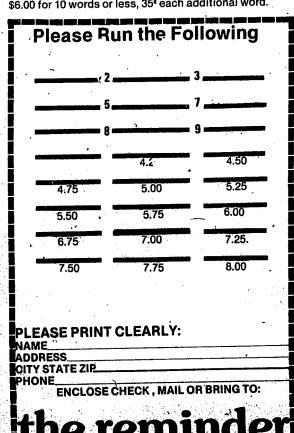
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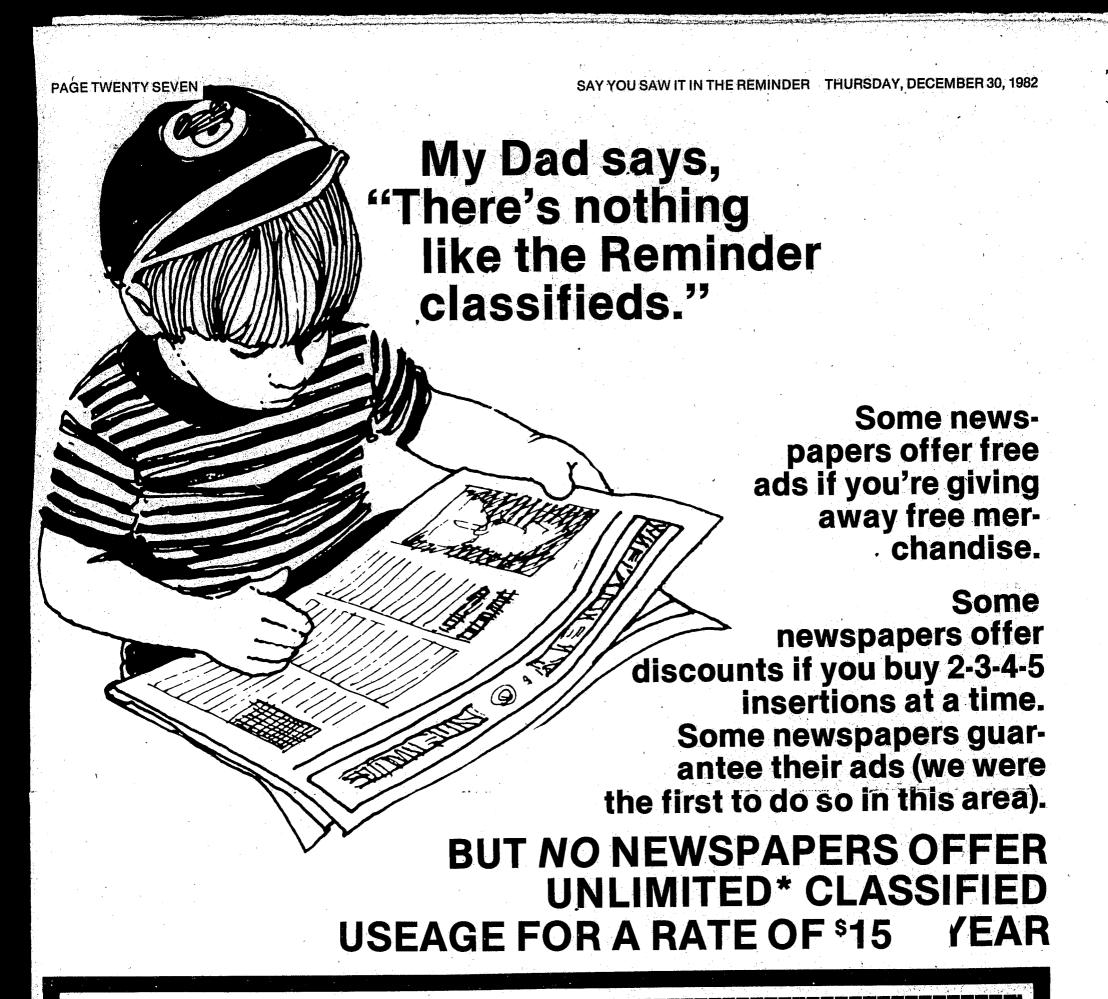
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