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Jim's Jottings

By Jim Sherman

Response to the item here a couple weeks ago of the guy who was beaten, scratched up and depressed when he couldn't get the bricks off the roof indicates people like to hear of others' troubles.

What happened to a guy who lives on one of our country roads Saturday the 13th should make the day for those who think they have all the troubles.

It started in the morning, when the couple prepared to leave for the day. He presented her with new earrings. She rejected them because they would hurt her ear and in the "hand back" he dropped one and broke it.

Our hero went out to start the car and the battery was dead. This has happened before, so he was prepared. In the garage was a battery charger and two batteries ready to go.

The door to the garage was frozen to the ground. A skinny guy, which our man wasn't, would have had trouble entering. He squeezed through, picked up a battery in his hands and started out.

Pushing the battery through the opening ahead of him, our man worked his way partially out the door, then fell the rest of the way when his feet slipped.

At least he didn't break the battery. He got it into the car, too. Then, he slammed the hood shut... with a portion of his overcoat secured tightly between the hood and grill. It took time, but he did get it out.

The car started. However, it was stuck in the snow that had blown about it Friday night. He shoveled it out.

Now, to get the car ready for his wife he went to open the gate across his drive. You guessed it. The gates were snowbound, too.

Rolling on the floor, I looked up and asked the person telling this tale of woe what happened next. "Well," she said, "you can just say by then his wife was ready."

I was also told that through all the troubles our hero chuckled at the chain of events. It must have been his way to keep from crying.

Sheriff called

Paramus floods again

The combination of warming weather and heavy rains last week brought flooding problems to the Paramus area again. Two homes were completely surrounded with water. The residence of Mr. and Mrs. David Brandt at 6195 Paramus was flooded with 6 inches of water that came through walls and heat ducts.

A school board member was contacted in an attempt to get permission to tap into the catch basin belonging to the Clarkston School District.

The board, who in the past has rejected the idea as an unfeasible solution, agreed to reassess its decision at its next board meeting.

Township Supervisor Gary Stonerock said, "When I saw the plight of those people I knew that I had to do something right away."

Stonerock got permission from Ramon Woodard to dig a trench along his property line to Lakeview Street to relieve the situation.

Stonerock then directed that ice obstructing the flow of water from ditches be cleaned out and then went to the corner of Princess and Meadowlawn, where they proceeded to break concrete out of a drainage pipe.

George R. Newlin, 6094 Princess, in front of whose home the digging was being done, contended that they were digging on his private property and asked them to leave.

"I felt that they should have at least asked my permission," said Newlin.

When the diggers, under Stonerock, refused to comply, Newlin called the Oakland County Sheriff's office and asked their assistance in removing them from the premises.

According to records at the Sheriff's Department, Deputy Winkler, who responded to the call, personally followed the flow of water which Stonerock had started moving through the culvert to Dollar Lake. He reported that it seemed

to be easing the situation without causing any problems by this action.

An attempt to obtain an injunction from Judge Gerald McNally of 52nd District Court to restrain Stonerock from digging was unsuccessful. Judge McNally explained to the complainant, Jack Lawrence, that injunctions are issued by the Circuit Court and the matter was out of his jurisdiction.

The Paramus Street area is one of the sections that will be benefited by recent actions of the Independence Township Board of Directors to form 2 drainage areas. Authorization for the work would be done under Chapter 20 of the

Drainage Code of 1956, PA 40. This provides that a municipality, in this case Independence Township, may petition the Oakland County Drain Commission to establish a county drain.

If these plans are successful, according to the Supervisor, work on the permanent solution to this flooding should begin in approximately 1 year.

"In the meantime," said Stonerock, "we have had our attorney, Richard Campbell, get an injunction to restrain Jack Lawrence, Richard Chandanais, George R. Newlin or any others from taking any steps that would prevent the natural flow of drainage."



An Oakland County Sheriff's deputy and Independence Township Supervisor, Gary Stonerock discuss flooding on Paramus St.

-Photo by Winship

Hubcaps-free

Last week's weather change caused the pavement in front of 60 Waldon Rd., the home of the Boberg family, to heave and crumble.

A large chuck-hole resulted.

The chuck hole was large enough to be seen, but when melting snow and rain combined to fill it with water, it looked like a puddle.

Innocent drivers, thinking that they were going through an ordinary puddle, were surprised by the jolt they received when their wheel fell into the hole.

The hole was repaired by Saturday.

In the intervening time, the Boberg family amassed a collection of hubcaps that flew onto their lawn when the unsuspecting drivers hit the abyss.

Five hubcaps are lined up on the Boberg porch. No questions will be asked the owners of 1 Volkswagen, 2 Pontiacs and 2 Fords if they come to claim them.

"We will be happy if they just help themselves," said Mrs. Boberg.



A resident of the watery Paramus area carries fuel for the pump that is pumping 4 inches of water from his living room floor as a result of flooding conditions caused by the thaw last weekend. -Photo by Winship

Anniversary play a hit



Julie Wilford, the little heroine in the Clarkston Village Players' presentation of the melodrama, "Dirty Work at the Crossroads," is comforted by Marietta Jones. The play will be presented again this weekend on February 26, 27 and 28.

The Clarkston Village Players' 10th anniversary performance of the melodrama, "Dirty Work at the Crossroads," played to capacity audiences last weekend.

Friday and Saturday night's performances were considered a complete success when trains rumbled through to fulfill the sentimental tradition at the Depot Playhouse.

The Drop Chords, a local barbershop harmony quartet, entertained the audience between acts.

Approximately 60 attended the afterglow on opening night.

The play will be repeated this weekend, February 26, 27 and 28. A few tickets are still available at Dr. Ernest Denne's office on Main Street. Curtain time is 8:30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and 7:30 on Sunday.

Dean's list

James Hibbard, 6623 Hitchingpost, a Western Michigan University student, has won recognition as a scholar by being named to the university's Dean's List for the recent fall semester.

He maintained a point average of 3.5 out of a possible 4.0 (all A's).

A total of 1,691 achieved this honor.

Celebrate St. Pat's Day

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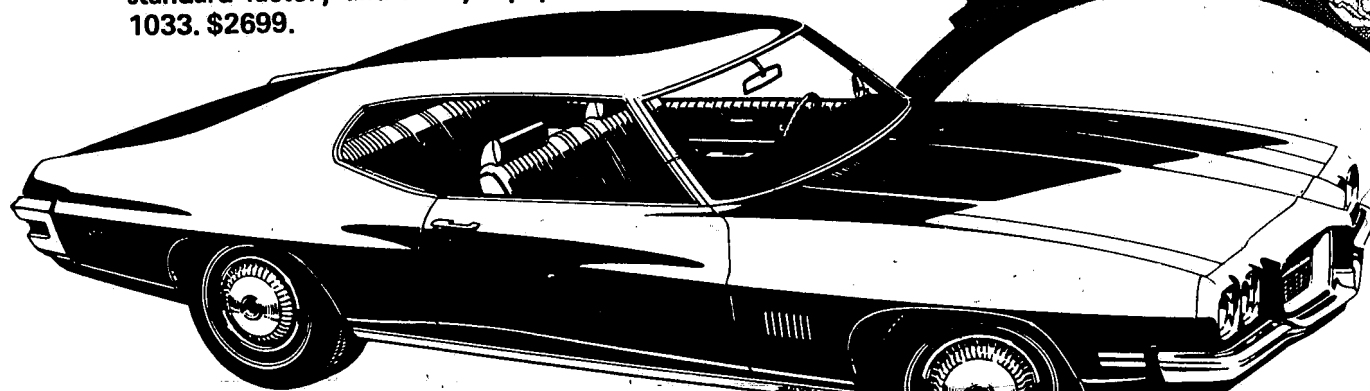
FAVORS

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Pine Knob PTA

near Asst. Supt.

The Pine Knob PTA announced that officers for next year's PTA Board will be chosen at the March 1, 7:30 p.m. meeting. Nominations are being taken by Connie Morgan.

The program for the evening will feature Milford Mason, Assistant to the Superintendent of Clarkston Schools, who will offer a close-up look at the special services available through the Clarkston schools.

"Often parents are unaware of the opportunities available to them," said Mrs. Betty Mulherin. "Mr. Mason will explain these services in detail."

Pine Knob's Bluebird Troops, under leaders Sue Bass and Pat Vanderpoole, will make a short presentation relative to their adopted theme "Keep Michigan Beautiful."

Free babysitting at the school will be provided by members of Carlene Constable's Girl Scout Troop 986. Youngsters under their care will enjoy films provided by the school.

Girl Scouts will also assist Phyllis Matthews, refreshments chairman.

The meeting is open to the public.

PAPER TABLECLOTH available at the Clarkston News office. Just \$4.04 per 300 ft. roll. Ideal for parties, receptions and club dinners.



Left to right: Lee Beardslee, Douglas Alexander, Dean Calkins and Jerry Galligan load glass at Township Parking Lot for the trip to the railcar on Dixie Hwy.

Trash glass collection doubles in February

The 2nd glass trash collection in Independence Township was Saturday, February 20. Volunteer Jaycees and interested citizens began collecting in subdivisions at 9 a.m. Collectors reported about 30 percent participation in most areas.

All glass was brought back to the township parking lot and checked for metal and correct color distribution. The glass was then placed on large dump trucks and transported to the rail site on

Reschedule concert

The vocal concert at the Clarkston Junior High School has been rescheduled from February 24 to March 1.

The original date was deemed inappropriate because it fell on Ash Wednesday.

A free will donation will be taken at the concert to benefit the March of Dimes fund raising campaign.

A medley of songs from "The Sound of Music" and some modern folk songs by Burt Bacharach will be included on the program.

The concert will be held at the Clarkston Junior High School and will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Miss Grace Warren will conduct.

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Lunch and refreshments were provided for the workers by the Clarkston Co-op Nursery.

The rail car left Monday for Pontiac to

be weighed before the trip to Charlotte's Owens Illinois Glass Co. for recycling into new glass containers.

The next drive will be held on March 20, and the third Saturday of every month throughout the year.

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Behind the Counter

From
Keith
Hallman

Stroke — II

The person suffering a stroke now has a 50-50 chance of surviving the initial incident. The average life span after the first episode is four to five years, but this is affected by the speed with which diagnosis is made and therapy is begun.

Last week, we discussed the way in which a stroke results from an interruption of the brain's blood supply. We should also point out that the larger the portion of the brain from which the blood is cut off, the more severe is the impairment of body function. Also, the longer the brain is without blood, the worse the permanent effects of the stroke.

There are so many variables the condition that brought on the stroke, its exact location, the indicated treatment—that even the most experienced doctor can't predict the outcome of a stroke, immediately after its onset. This is one time when you MUST "wait and see."

However, one that does affect the outcome is the speed with which the patient is taken to the hospital. Nothing can be done in the home, but in the hospital something might be done at once. It is sometimes possible to localize the cause and the area of damage, and perhaps immediate surgery will be considered, if the patient is in good general physical shape.

If the stroke results from a blood clot, the doctor may use anti-clotting drug. If it's due to internal bleeding, the doctor may use drugs that make the blood clot more easily. Still other drugs may be used to dilate the veins and arteries, to prevent a second stroke, or to help control blood pressure.

The important thing is to get the patient to the hospital as soon as possible.

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Letters to the Editor

Pat on back

Dear Editor:

People do care about cleaning up their community. Men, women and children gave time on Saturday and Sunday to help in the collection of trash glass.

Why? Their labor was donated as well as the expense involved in driving their trucks. Why? What motivated these people, what was their reward?

Perhaps the thrill of seeing an open coal car at a siding on the Dixie Highway in Drayton Plains with glass heaped so high it was actually visible over the top of the car. (A car is 40 feet long and 12 feet high.)

Beside ridding our landfills of all this trash glass, they are experimenting in a new concept, a community working together for the common good. The concept is rapidly challenging other communities in Oakland County.

The Bottles for Building Committee wishes to thank these citizens for the effort they extended in driving trucks, loading the rail car, sorting glass, manning the central and private drop-offs, serving hungry, thirsty workers and the final cleanup crew on Sunday. We feel certain we have doubled our first collection. We anticipate between 30-35 tons!

Credit should be given to all who saved their glass and special thanks to the Jaycees, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Clarkston Co-op Nursery, Ecology Club, Clarkston Sr. High, and students from Sashabaw Jr. High.

We can be proud of our township and the citizens who took part in this project. The next collection is scheduled for the 3rd Saturday in March on the 20th.

Thank you,
Bottles for Building Comm.
Independence Township

Loves love

Dear Editor:

I am writing in regard to Mr. Fitzgerald's column pertaining to the book and movie entitled "Love Story" in the February 11th edition.

I am aware that this is only Mr. Fitzgerald's opinion, one in which I am in full disagreement with. I too, have read and seen "Love Story" in that order, and was thoroughly involved emotionally with both (something that isn't of my

nature).

It is true, the story could have been written by anyone, young or old, unknown or famous. What counts is the story itself. The story of a simple love shared by two people from entirely different backgrounds. A happening that is quite frequent in today's society.

The story wasn't meant just for kids, although as Mr. Fitzgerald pointed out, they buy most of the tickets. It was meant for the public, young or old, unknown or famous. Anyone with a heart.

I would highly recommend this movie to anyone who fits into these categories. Anyone who is aware of the problems and emotions of today's society... and most of all, those who enjoy a Love Story.

Sincerely,
Tamera Mahar
CMU student

Three cheers

Dear Editor:

Three cheers for your article on the Troy men's opposition to SEMCOG in your February 11th edition of the Clarkston News.

There is something frightening and weird about it. A prelude to Big Brother or the Anti-Christ of 1984, or sooner. Right here in our own country too!

Sincerely yours,
James Irey

Good try

Dear Editor:

The weather last weekend forced us to cancel our Winter Carnival.

We appreciate the cooperation we received from Dr. Swanson for offering his dog sled team, and Ed Johnson and the Scouts from Troop 126 for their ice rescue demonstration.

Al Watson, Student Council president, had worked diligently to secure hockey teams to replace the canceled snow sculpturing contest.

Jean Sura and the Clarkston News were helpful in publicizing this event so well.

It was sure to be successful. We are planning this carnival for

mid-January next year and will include events for everyone from 6 to 60.

Sincerely yours,
Roland W. Elkins
Winter Carnival Chairman
Clarkston Area Jaycees

Quandary

Dear Editor:

Regarding the Waterford Township School District's request for semi-annual tax collections, from Independence Township, your article in February 11 edition tells of the "impact once-a-year collection has on the individual."

Isn't it timely for Independence Township taxpayers to consider Waterford Schools' recent administrators' expansion and budgetary excesses and consider petitioning for a change of district to Clarkston where they really belong and thereby save themselves, Independence Township, the need for

twice-yearly collections?

Also the savings on property taxes are \$39.35 per M for Clarkston schools, while \$48.27 for Waterford district.

Sincerely,
Mrs. W. J. P.

Review Board

dates, times

The Board of Review has been named in Independence Township and they will sit in 4 sessions, March 2 and 3 and March 8 and 9.

The first 3 days, March 2, 3 and 8, the sessions will be from 9 to 12 a.m. and 1 to 4 p.m. The last day the assessment roll reviewers will meet from 3 to 9 p.m.

Serving this year are Mrs. Lloyd Blimka, 4266 Meyers, Paul Wilmont, Sashabaw Road, and Edward Glennie, 6570 Cranberry Lake Rd.

PEEKIN' into the PAST

10 YEARS AGO IN THE CLARKSTON NEWS February 23, 1961

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Byers are the parents of a baby boy born Feb. 12 at Pontiac General Hospital. The baby's name is Charles Paul.

Mrs. Philip R. Smith, 6630 Cranberry Lake Rd., Clarkston, is on the Dean's Honor List at Flint Community Junior College for the fall semester. To be on the honor list, a student must have at least a B average, with no grade less than a C. Mrs. Smith is in the liberal arts curriculum.

Junior High 1961 Fads:

Wear shoe laces upside down to show you are going steady.

Wear the boy's ring on your bracelet instead of on a chain around your neck.

Dress your hair in the "bubble."

25 YEARS AGO IN THE CLARKSTON NEWS February 22, 1946

On Tuesday evening Ruth Davies celebrated her 16th birthday by entertaining ten of her friends at a six o'clock dinner at her home. After the dinner the group attended a theatre and had a grand time.

Mr. and Mrs. William O'Roark and Pfc. and Mrs. Bruce Thompson are spending this week at Grayling where they are enjoying some winter sports.

Rudy's Maxwell House Coffee is 36c a pound. (That makes the last drop really good!)

"If It Fitz . . ."

Hiding place needed



By Jim Fitzgerald

Dear Ann Landers:

That letter you had in your column the other day really shook me. It was about the new widow who thought she'd been married to the greatest guy in the world. But, right after he died, the bereaved woman and the children began pawing through Dad's personal belongings, probably looking for insurance policies. And they found "a collection of pornographic magazines and books, stacks of obscene pictures and a suitcase filled with stag movies."

Suddenly, their hero became a dirty old man. A sad thing.

I don't want this to happen to me, Ann. Could you suggest a good hiding place?

No, I don't have a collection of dirty pictures, I used to, but my mother found them after I

got drafted. She didn't have the decency to wait until I died. She had my belongings rifled and my room rented before I finished eating the box lunch the Blue Star Mothers gave me when I boarded the bus at the draft board.

But there are other things I wouldn't want my family clucking over while the undertaker is wondering how many chins the family would like shown.

Naturally, I am not going to tell you what these things are, Ann. My wife reads your column every day. Some days she memorizes it and gives recitations while tap dancing. Some days she clips it and puts it in the toe of my sock, or pastes it on the TV screen. If you published a list of my secret

possessions, Ann, my wife would probably serve it for lunch. I couldn't stomach that.

But I will give you a hint, Ann, to aid you in advising a hiding place. My secret things are perishable. They probably shouldn't be hid where the mice might get at them, or where a smell might become offensive.

Currently, I am blinding my family with my footwork. That is, I switch hiding places regularly. This is necessary because my family is a bunch of Dick Tracys. They suspect I am hiding something and I know they often search the house in my absence.

I know this, Ann, because I make skillful use of my hippie-haired daughter's hair. Single strands of the stuff are all over the house anyway. I take near-invisible hairs and wrap

them around my personal boxes, or tie them across my personal drawers and doors. I check later and, if the hairs have been disturbed, I know the prowlers have been afoot. I then use these hiding places because I figure the snoops won't be searching them again soon. As long as I live, they'll never find me out, heh, heh, heh.

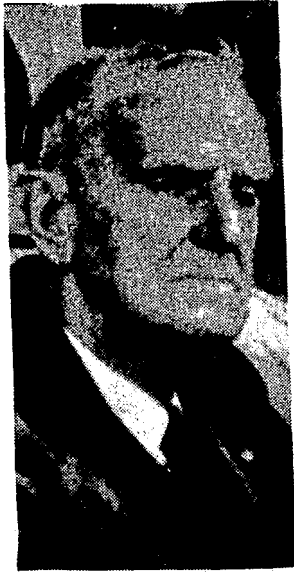
But what about after I'm gone, Ann? It bothers me to realize that my secret things will be found and my true self will be unveiled to my family's shame and shock. And besides, the big pigs will eat what they find.

What is the solution? Please answer soon, Ann, I'm not getting any younger and my daughter is getting bald.

Onward and Upward.

Clarkston pioneer educator dies

By Constance Lektzian



CLARENCE VLIET

From 1876 to 1971 is a long span of years. Those near-95 years were a full and productive span the way Clarence Vliet lived.

Born in Clarkston on September 13, Clarence was the youngest son of the Van Rensselaer Vliets. As a young child, he was an eager listener to the tales about his grandparents who had come to Clarkston in 1833. He not only listened, but later wrote these tales down. So there is a heritage of stories left by him of the days when Independence Township was new — and not always kind — to the early settlers.

These are true glimpses of such things as deer hunts near what is now the north end of the village, of encounters with Indians and of times when the passenger pigeons, so thick they darkened the sky, flew in over Waterford Hill to be netted by the pioneers.

At the age of 15, Clarence graduated from Clarkston High School. By the following fall he had made up his mind to go into the field of education.

His first job, after a year at Ypsilanti Normal, was at a tiny school buried in the woods on the shore of Elizabeth Lake. His teaching netted him \$16 a month. Eight years later he celebrated his 23rd birthday by taking the job of principal at Clarkston High.

Under his guidance the school grew to 12 grades with a new course of study. Before he left, that course was in an instruction book that clearly defined not only the studies, but the teachers' routine — and the students' discipline, when and if needed. A new book was written each year.

He and his wife, Mina, were married in 1902. They enjoyed 60 happy years together before she died about 9 years

ago. All through his career, both as a teacher and an administrator, he promoted new ideas and methods.

Following his 17 years as superintendent of the Birmingham School system, he received several commendations from the Birmingham City Commission for his work in bringing that city's school system to a greater degree of excellence.

He encouraged, among other things, sports such as golf and tennis as major school activities. He reasoned that while football was great for boys, it was hardly an activity that men continued when their school life was ended.

Officially, Clarence Vliet retired in 1945 — in reality, he never stopped

working. He spent many hour at the Birmingham library each day, keeping up with the latest in education and scientific methods.

When the atom bomb first came to public notice, his curiosity led him to such intensive research that he became a layman authority on the subject.

A witty and knowledgeable man, he was in great demand as a speaker on many subjects.

Clarence Vliet came from what is called durable pioneer stock, and with that durability was a zest for living that made his years good ones.

He is survived by a daughter, Mary Alice, and 3 grandchildren.

His son, Clarence, Jr., preceded him in death.

obituaries

Clarence Vliet

Clarence Vliet, 94, a native of Clarkston, died on February 19 in Birmingham where he made his home.

Mr. Vliet was a past principal of the Clarkston High School and retired superintendent of schools in Birmingham.

He received his master's degree from the University of Michigan, where he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

He assisted in establishing the first Chamber of Commerce in Birmingham.

A twice past president of the Birmingham Rotary, he was also a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Birmingham and past president of the Birmingham Community House, the YMCA and the Masons — Clarkston F & AM Lodge.

Mr. Vliet is survived by his daughter, Mrs. W. Victor Owen of California, 3 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from the Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Funeral Home in Birmingham on February 22. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery.

Russell Berry

Russell V. Berry of Pontiac, a former resident of Clarkston, died suddenly on February 21. He was 68.

Mr. Berry is survived by his 6 children: James, Waterford; Mrs. Oral Johnson, Auburn Heights; Floyd, New Jersey; Mrs. Charles Jenks, Clarkston; Erwin, Clarkston and Mrs. Avery Foltz, Pontiac.

Also surviving is his sister, Mrs. Viola Nurnburg of Clarkston, brother Clarence of Pontiac, 12 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted from the Sharpe-Goyette Funeral Home on February 24 and burial was in Lakeview Cemetery.

Mary Caverly

Mary Caverly of Judah Lake Road, Pontiac, died on February 20. The former resident of Kingston was 82.

Mrs. Caverly is survived by her husband, Norman; 6 children, one brother, one sister, 34 grandchildren, 69 great-grandchildren and 18 great-great-grandchildren. Her son, Alvin, lives in Clarkston.

She was a member of the Pilgrim Holiness Church of Kingston from which funeral services were conducted on February 24.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Harmon Funeral Home in Kingston.

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NOTICE

TO INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP SENIOR CITIZENS AND VETERANS ON HOMESTEAD TAX EXEMPTIONS

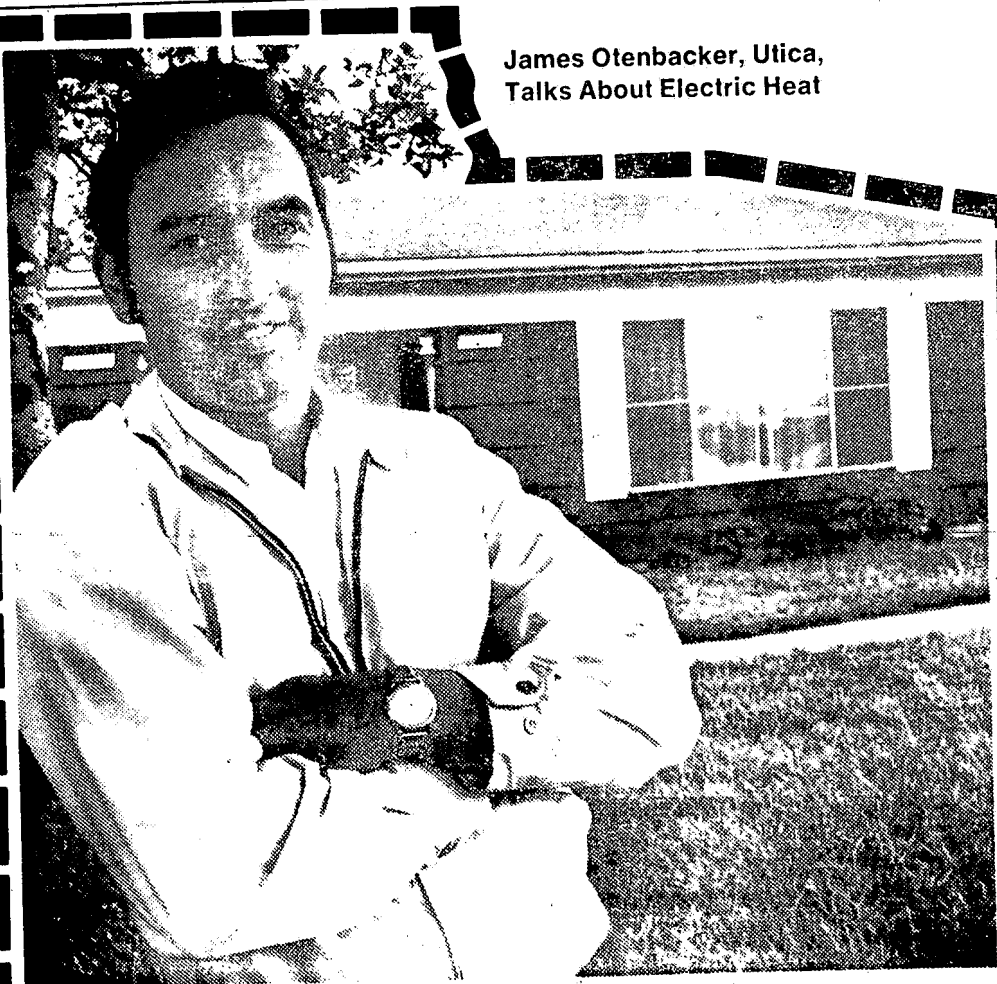
Qualified persons, as required by State Law must file an application for the exemption ANNUALLY, between December 31st and the adjournment date of the Local Tax Board of Review, usually the middle of March. March 9th is the last scheduled day (it may be extended). The Property Tax Exemption for Senior Citizens is \$2,500 of the equalized valuation. The exemption may vary between \$2,500 — \$4,500 for disabled veterans or veterans' widows.

Senior Citizens must be 65 years of age or older on December 31, 1970, to qualify; they must own their own homestead and occupy it; their gross income must not be more than \$6,000 during the year, be residents of Michigan for 5 of the last 10 years and they must have lived at their residence at least 6 months of each year for those 5 years.

Requirements and questions on disabled veterans and veterans' exemptions should be directed to the Township Assessor's Office. (Phone 625-5111).

GARY R. STONEROCK, SUPERVISOR
INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP

Feb. 25, Mar. 4



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Mr. and Mrs. William G. Ruce of Allen Road announce the engagement of their daughter, Lynn Michelle, to Michael Allen Merrithew, son of Mr. and Mrs. Knolton A. Merrithew of Flint. The couple are students at Michigan State University. The wedding date has not been set. Lynn was a 1969 graduate of Clarkston High School.

Candy Strippers receive awards

Clarkston area girls were among the Candy Stripe volunteers of Pontiac General Hospital who received service awards at a candlelight ceremony held at the hospital February 15.

The ceremony represented completion of at least 30 hours of service to the hospital by each of the girls. A total of 34

girls were honored at the event, many of them with 100 or more hours of service.

Carol Galbraith and Beverly Morse received their caps. Pat Golding and Kathy Poage received certificates and pins for 150 hours of service.

Carolyn Jorgensen received her first stripe which marks 200 hours of service.

Lamplighters hold revivals here

Dr. Jeanne Mosier and Rev. Beverly J. Hall from Helena, Ohio, known as The Lamplighters, will hold revival meetings at the Salvation Army, 29 Buffalo, this week.

The meetings will be held on Feb. 25, 26, 27, beginning at 7:30 each evening.

The 2 women are known for their gospel ministry, and their musical gifts.

The Lamplighters will be at the Salvation Army Citadel in Pontiac, 29 W. Lawrence, all of the following week. Meetings each evening will begin at 7:30.

Brig. and Mrs. Clarence Critzer are in charge of both the Pontiac Citadel and Clarkston Outpost. Capt. Craig Stokes assists.

Kutting Korners



Desserts come in all categories and for all occasions. Often the family's favorite is a recipe handed down from one generation to the next, the kind of dessert that's not fancy, but just plain good. Happily, modern cooks have the luxury of using convenience foods to get their own original "old-fashioned" flavor. And that's why, despite competition from all sorts of ready-to-buy desserts, a lot of grandmother's special recipes continue to be enjoyed.

Orangy Apple Crisp is a delightful updated version of such a long-time favorite. A combination of canned apples, cereal, spices and tapioca, it can easily be made year 'round. A special modern touch comes from adding a tart-sweet orange flavored instant breakfast drink. It gives the whole dessert a luscious orange flavor and an appetite appealing sunny golden color.

This is a dessert that the younger set is sure to like. Mothers will like the fact that this is a nutritious dessert containing vitamins C and A and iron. These three nutrients are supplied by the addition of the instant breakfast drink. And this adds up to an all-around good dessert.

ORANGY APPLE CRISP

2 cans (20 oz. each) sliced apples
 ½ cup sugar
 1 can (4 5/8 oz.) tart-sweet orange flavor instant breakfast drink
 2 tablespoons butter, melted
 1 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca
 ½ teaspoon salt

½ teaspoon cinnamon
 ½ cup sugar
 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
 ¼ cup butter
 2 cups crisp whole wheat flakes

Combine apples, ½ cup sugar, 1/3 cup of the instant breakfast drink, 2 tablespoons melted butter, the tapioca, salt and cinnamon in a 9-inch square pan; blend well. Combine ½ cup sugar, remaining instant breakfast drink and the flour in a small bowl; cut in ¼ cup butter. Stir in cereal and sprinkle over apple mixture. Cover with aluminum foil and bake at 375 degrees for 15 minutes; then remove cover and bake 15 minutes longer. Cut in squares and serve warm with cream, if desired. Makes 10 to 12 servings.

Or try these easy Corn Flake Kisses. CORN FLAKE KISSES

¼ teaspoon salt
 2 egg whites
 1 cup sugar
 1 teaspoon vanilla *
 3 cups corn flakes

* Or use almond extract or grated orange rind.

Add salt to egg whites and beat until foamy throughout. Gradually add sugar, 2 tablespoons at a time, beating thoroughly after each addition. Continue beating until mixture will form stiff shiny peaks. Add vanilla. Fold in cereal. Drop mixture from teaspoon onto greased baking sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for about 15 minutes, or until lightly browned. Makes about 3 dozen cookies.

Surprise!

Around the town

by Donna Fahrner

Vicci Hamilton won't forget last Saturday night in a hurry. She got a call to come home from the Jr. High basketball game. When she got there, she was greeted by 23 couples, singing "Happy Birthday."

There were a few gray hairs for husband Al and sister-in-law, Jean Hendericks too. Their problem was figuring how they would ever get Vicci to leave a game. But all went according to schedule.

Bowling her first 200 game and a surprise birthday party in one week are just about all a gal can take. Right, Vicci?

The Clarkston Community Women's Club will hold its regular meeting on Thursday, February 25 at the Township Hall. A teen panel with Mrs. Marilyn Hanson as moderator will provide the program for the evening. This is an open meeting and all interested women are

invited. The meeting starts at 8 p.m.

The Jaycee Winter Board was held in Warren last weekend. Things got under way Friday night with a get-acquainted party. Saturday there were many workshops in session. A banquet on Saturday evening closed the meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Powell, the David Nadolskys, Bill Halseys, Phillip Moons, Jerry Bradleys and the Ray Welches represented the Clarkston club.

On February 27th a treasure hunt will be held as part of this year's couples' fun night program.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Wilson (Dianne Martin) of Bridge Lake Road are the proud parents of a son who was born February 6. Robert Michael weighed 5 lbs., 12 oz. His birthday will call for a double celebration because his grandfather Wilson was born on the same date. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Irvid

Martin of Waterford and William E. Wilson of Clarkston. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Gertrude Lucas of Bloomfield Hills.

It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hennig of Holcomb Street. Katherine Mae arrived on February 16 and weighed 7 lbs., 4 oz. Sister Gerrylynn and brother Edward formed a welcoming committee for mother and baby home. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hennig and Mrs. M. Igou.

A new brother is stealing the limelight at the James Huttenlocher home on Middle Lake Road. James Michael weighed 7 lbs., 12 oz. and was born on February 18. Spreading the word at Clarkston Elementary were brother Richard, sisters Susan and Martha. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Huttenlocher of Clarkston and Mr. and

Mrs. James Bradley of Pontiac. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Allyn Kimmins of Pontiac.

Ann McCormick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCormick of Phelan Ct. celebrated her 6th birthday on February 18. Joining her at Farrell's were her brother and sister, R. J. and Amy, Matthew and Susan Novosel and Beth Chartier.

A former Clarkston resident, Mrs. Edith Lyons of 4636 Starter Drive, Lake Tipsico, Holly, will celebrate her 87th birthday on March 1st. Hearing from any of her Clarkston friends will help to make her birthday a happier one.

The Clarkston Village Players will present their melodrama, "Dirty Work at the Crossroads," again this weekend. Performances on Friday and Saturday are at 8:30 p.m. and on Sunday at 7:30.



I'm a gopher

by Jean Sura

I have deep sympathy with the teletype operator who put the computerized tape in the wrong slot and brought on a near panic last week.

I think that I have a bug in my warning system too. I didn't get the signal when one of our sons and his family made plans to move.

Anybody in his right mind knows that if anybody even distantly related to you, makes motions like they are going to move, you either come down with leprosy or leave on a mission to Saigon on a special assignment for the president.

As I said, my warning system was bugged.

Getting involved is one thing, but if you have to get involved at least you should be crafty enough to pick your jobs, like uncapping beer bottles for the movers, carrying the bed pillows or giving orders to others.

Like I said, my warning system was bugged. I didn't even do a good job of planning what I would do if I did have to help. I forgot that young people believe in "do it yourself" moves. The kind where you buy a case of beer and eight friends pitch in to help.

"Hey, Jean, will you go to the lumber yard for 2 six foot boards?"

"Hey, Jean, will you go downstairs for the pliers?"

"Hey, you, will you go to the grocery store for more boxes? Make it on the

double!"

"Hey, will you go hold that side of the piano up?"

"Hey, go back for that box of books, will you?"

"Hey, we're out of beer. Will you go for a case?"

I "go-fored" so much stuff that my legs were worn off up to the knees. My back ached.

The time came when the baggage and boxes were all moved. The movers had all steamed home to their nice hot showers when somebody yelled, "Hey, you haven't really had too much to do but run a few errands. How about going for a pail of water and strong soap and scrub the floors in the upstairs? We have to leave this place clean."

"Hey, how would you like to go for dinner and serve it at your house?"

Guess who went for the take-out spaghetti? And would you like to try for two and guess who cleaned up the dishes after?

I wonder if somebody could rig up some kind of a warning system contraption for me to wear on my ears. Then when the word "moving" comes into a conversation my head would automatically move from east to west — or from west to east. I'm not fussy, just so I get the idea across.

This gopher is in hibernation.

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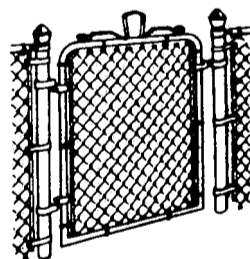
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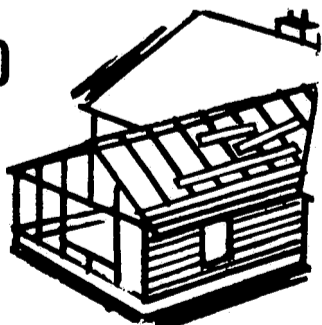
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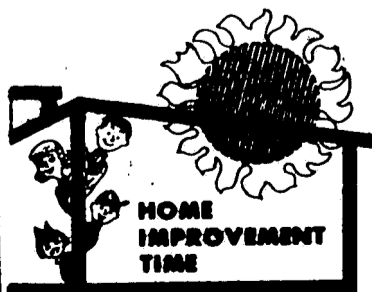
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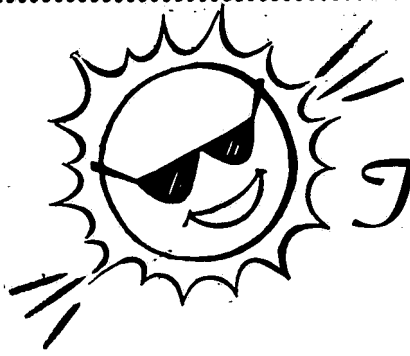
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These are representative of the thirty letters written. The project in our third grade was initiated by their former teacher, Mrs. Diane Richard, and completed by myself.

It is Jaycee sponsored.

The children are proud of their efforts and proud to be part of this project. I know it would make them happy to see some of their efforts in print.

Sincerely
Shirley J. McDonnell
North Sashabaw School

4531 Maybee Road
Clarkston, MI 48016
February 16, 1971

Dear Mr. President:

Please let the men from the U.S. come

home. Please let them receive mail and packages because I am concerned about them. We miss the men from the U.S. Please treat our men as well as you can. And please help the sick and hurt men be healed.

Sincerely,
Jodie Langdon

4530 Elmdale Road
Clarkston, MI 48016
February 16, 1971

Dear Mr. President:

Please let our men from the U.S. come home. Please let our men from the U.S. receive the packages and letters from home. Please treat our men as well as you can. We miss our men who are prisoners.

Sincerely,
Melissa Ruelle

5075 Westview Road
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February 16, 1971

Dear Mr. President:

Please let go our U.S. men to come home. How would you like it a long, long away from home? How would you like not seeing your home for one year, maybe two or three? Tell me; think about it.

Your friend,
Donald Sylvester

4990 Sashabaw Road
Clarkston, MI 48016
February 16, 1971

Dear Mr. President:

Will you please let the prisoners of the U.S. to come home? If it is not possible, then could they receive gifts and mail? And please treat our men as well as you can. We miss our men.

Sincerely,
Kim Barber

Pledged

John Craven, a sophomore at Central Michigan University and a 1969 graduate of Clarkston High School, has begun pledging of Sigma Chi Fraternity at CMU.

Craven, who started his pledge period on February 6, will be initiated into the fraternity in September 1971, providing he fulfills certain requirements of the fraternity and university. He is majoring in history and minoring in physical education and plans to go into teaching and coaching. John is a member of the Chippewa Big Brother and Sister Program which works with the area Indian children.

BFB Chairman recommended for appointment

Mrs. Donald Place, instigator and chairman of the "Bottles for Building" committee in Independence Township has been recommended for Governor Milliken's proposed task force on the environment.

Mrs. Place initiated a program for glass collection in Independence Township last fall when she presented her idea to eliminate waste and benefit financially to civic and service and church groups in the community.

Under her suggestion and guidance, a committee was formed and the program developed to full scale. In January the 1st collection amassed 16 1/4 tons of glass. The glass was sent to the Owens Illinois Glass Company in Charlotte for recycling.

The February collection was even more successful and almost doubled the amount of trash glass collected.

Mrs. Place's husband, Donald, is the Assistant Director of the Special Education Division for the Oakland County Schools. The Places have 3 children aged 4, 7 and 10.

Township Supervisor Gary Stonerock wrote the governor recommending the appointment.



David Grey, left, Gordon Tilley and Jon Kenyon are waiting for Pack 126's Blue and Gold Banquet to begin. The dinner was held at the Sashabaw Junior High School on February 17.

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Story hour
Clarkston Women's Club, 8 p.m.
Girl Scout Thinking Day Program
Pioneers, 12 p.m.

FRIDAY, FEB. 26

Basketball Brighton (home)
Village Players' Melodrama, 8:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEB. 27

Bowling tournament, Howe's Lanes
Village Players' Melodrama, 8:30 p.m.

SUNDAY, FEB. 28

Bowling Tournament, Howe's Lanes
Village Players' Melodrama, 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY, March 1

Rotary, 6:30 p.m.
Clarkston Farm and Garden Club
Village Players, 8 p.m.
Pine Knob PTA, 7:30 p.m.
Joseph C. Bird, OES, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, March 2

Township Board, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, March 3

C. A. P., 7 p.m.
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Briefly told

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Areas emphasized in the week-long programs are human relations, economics, communications and business operations.

The Wittenberg program is now in its 20th year of continuous service to industry.

The Oakland County Bar Association Auxiliary will meet for lunch at the Forest Lake Country Club on March 3.

The guest speaker will be Mrs. Lou Waughtner, an instructor at Oakland Community College, Highland Lakes Campus. She will discuss ecology.

A social hour will begin at 11:30 a.m. Luncheon will begin at 12:30 p.m.

SCHOOL MENU

CLARKSTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
March 1-5

MONDAY - Hamburg gravy on mashed potatoes, choice of vegetable, bread & butter, prune cake and milk.

TUESDAY - Baked beans & franks, homemade rolls & butter, applesauce, fruit jello and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Pizzaburger, potato chips, green beans, fruit and milk.

THURSDAY - Meat loaf, mashed potatoes & gravy, peas, roll & butter, dessert and milk.

FRIDAY - Toasted cheese sandwich, tomato soup & crackers, hodge podge salad and milk.

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In a major reorganizational change at Sperry Rand Corp.'s Vickers Division in Troy, Frank F. Blumenau of Clarkston was appointed to the position of director of personnel. Blumenau has been with Vickers for 11 years. He holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Detroit in industrial psychology.

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Worship - 10:00 a.m.

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Worship - 11 a.m.

DIXIE BAPTIST CHURCH
8585 Dixie Highway
Rev. Paul Vanaman
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Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

CLARKSTON CHURCH OF GOD
54 South Main
C. J. Chestnutt
Worship - 11:00 a.m.



Spiritual Message

Frank A. Cozadd, Pastor

"Afraid to Love?"

Have you noticed how short-lived moments of feeling very close to another person usually are? For a brief time we feel completely at one with the other. Then we withdraw or the other person withdraws.

This points to one of many paradoxical aspects of our existence. We most fear what we most desire, that is, emotional closeness with others.

We fear love because caring always involves vulnerability. When we let others know that we love them, we risk being hurt. We know that person who says, "I don't ever want to care for anyone that much again. It just hurts too much."

We most often express our fear of love by maintaining psychological distance between ourselves and others. We do this by refusing to communicate with the other person.

We may keep people at a distance by harboring resentments rather than expressing them and allowing the possibility of understanding to happen.

There are more subtle ways of building walls. For example, we can keep people distant by being "kind" and "helpful." We say to ourselves, "Kindness is a sign of love, so I should be kind; therefore, I will be kind." So we are kind, ignoring our real feelings. And we remain emotionally distant because our kindness is phony.

The "martyr" role is another way we create distance between us and others. This situation exists when someone makes the other person feel guilty because of the sacrifices they make for them.

We find help if we can bring our fear of love into focus. It may also help to realize that the risk of hurt is preferable to not loving and not being loved. We will not be so afraid to love if we realize that when a person we love hurts us, it is almost certainly an indication that he, too is afraid, rather than that he does not care. When we do have the courage to express love, our fear of love is gradually lessened.

St. Paul said, "There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear." It is true, there is no fear in love, only fear of the risk of hurt it may involve. And the more one experiences love, the more one's fear is cast out.



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NO. 104,801
STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND

Estate of John Patsch, deceased.

It is ordered that on March 24, 1971, at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Walter A. Rask for the admission to probate of an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and for the granting of administration of said estate to Walter A. Rask the executor named therein or to some other suitable person, and to determine who are or were at the time of death the heirs at law of said deceased.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. Dated: February 8, 1971

Donald E. Adams

Judge of Probate

Feb. 18, 25; Mar. 4

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Cossack dancers twirl and spin in preparation for the dance festival that will be held at the Clarkston High School auditorium at 8 p.m. on February 27. The dancers are students and members of a group at Oakland University. Admission is \$1 for students and \$1.25 for adults.

For 30 million

Free tax service available from IRS

The Internal Revenue Service is offering to figure the income tax and retirement income credit for upwards of 30 million taxpayers filing 1970 Federal income tax returns.

You may qualify to have the IRS compute your tax if you meet the following conditions:

1. Your income is \$20,000 or less;
2. Your income consists only of wages or salaries and tips, dividends, interest, pensions and annuities; and
3. You choose the standard deduction instead of itemizing your actual deductions.

In order to take advantage of this service, you must supply the IRS with certain information.

On page 2 of your 1970 Federal Income Tax Package you will find instructions concerning the information you must enter on the tax return.

If you are entitled to a retirement income credit, you must attach a

Schedule R with the necessary information entered on the schedule and also enter the letters "RIC," which stand for retirement income credit, on line 22 of your tax return Form 1040.

The new rules for figuring the tax could reduce the largest single type of error made by taxpayers each year.

Errors in figuring the tax were discovered on 3.6 million of the 78 million income tax returns filed for 1969. These errors resulted from taxpayers using the wrong table, line, or column to figure their tax.

As well, it will help elderly persons who have had difficulty with retirement income credit calculations.

After the IRS figures the tax on a return, a refund or a bill for tax due will be sent to the taxpayer.

Bills for tax due should be paid within 30 days to avoid interest or penalty charges.

This and that

CHS News

By Beverley Morse

Another club has been added to Clarkston High School's already numerous list. This one is called the Planning League for Environmental Action (P.L.E.A.). The P.L.E.A. officers are: president, Roger Mulherin; vice president, Rena Scardino; secretary, Nancy Mulherin; treasurer, David Strom.

Some of their recent activities include: January 4, a petition drive to ban non-returnable containers for beer and soft drinks.

They had a table set up in the Pontiac Mall for over 6 hours and collected over 700 signatures. These petitions were turned over to Oakland University's Ecology Club and along with many others, sent to Lansing.

They have also participated in the "Bottles for Building Drive" in January and February.

The officers of the club attended a lecture at Oakland University on pollution.

The club has posted signs about pollution all over the school. Some show "before and after" scenes of America.

The Tuesday night basketball game against Kettering proved true the slogan "Never a dull moment." The J.V. game

started at 6:30. As soon as it was over, the "future basketball stars" of Clarkston took over. They were the 4th and 5th grade students from the elementary schools.

They played a very funny game, having to jump a mile when coming in for a lay-up. When they finished, the Varsity took over.

During the half-time the cheerleaders gave a pom-pom routine. This is something new they have started, and it was very successful.

Last of all, but certainly not the least, Clarkston beat Kettering!

The Vocational School officially opened last Monday. Students have 3 classes at our CHS then take a bus to the Vocational School. They are bussed back in time to catch their buses for home. Most students are enthusiastic.

They say it is so much nicer and cleaner. The library is round and has any book you want. The students all have separate lockers in their individual classrooms.

They study with students from Kettering, Brandon and other nearby areas. They have candy and pop machines for between classes and get ten minutes between classes.

However, a lot of work is expected and required.

Sounds like it would be fun but plenty of hard work.



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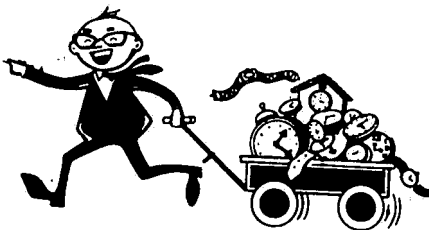
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Wolves sink Captains

By Craig Moore

Waterford Kettering just can't beat the Clarkston Wolves.

Earlier in the season, Kettering fell to Clarkston 79-73 and last Tuesday, Feb. 16, Kettering's Captains yielded again in a 78-63 upset.

Working the ball and making the shots were the key to the Clarkston victory.

The Wolves took over in the first quarter of the game, establishing a 21-12 opening quarter advantage.

At one time in the second quarter, the Wolves held a 19 point lead. Halftime score was 39-24.

There was no stopping the Wolves, who held Kettering's top scorer for this season, Jerry Bell, to 18 points.

Although the Captains grossed 2 points more than Clarkston in the 54-41 third quarter, the game was far out of reach.

Larry Walker, who totaled 10 points, did his best work on the boards sweeping in 16 rebounds. Bill Craig finished with 24 points. Don Brown added 21 and Gary White, 13.

The Milford Redskins nipped the Wolves 66-64 in an exciting and very close game on Feb. 19.

The lead was tossed back and forth and neither team really managed to pull away from the other to afford any comfort. The Redskins took the lead to stay with 6 minutes remaining, hitting 8 of 12 free throws.

With 10 seconds left, Milford's Mike Monnier hit 2 free throws to tally a 66-62 lead. Clarkston sunk a futile bucket at the last second for the 66-64 loss.

Don Brown paced the scoring with 22 points, Gary White with 14.

Clarkston is now 6-7 in league play and 7-8 overall.

When asked which game was the better played, Coach Hanson replied, "I think it is unfair to compare the games. There

were 2 different types of defenses. We played a fine game against Kettering. They were kind of spasmodic in their movements, while Milford was very consistent and didn't panic. Consequently, Milford hung on and we couldn't pull away. We made mistakes at the wrong times. Usually you play a better ball game on your winning night."

The Wolves JV fell into second place in Wayne-Oakland play by losing to Waterford Kettering's JV, 70-66 on Feb. 16.

Clarkston had an 18-12 first quarter lead, but Kettering fought back and held a slim 33-32 margin at the half.

The lead changed hands repeatedly in the second half, but Kettering moved out in the last minutes for the 70-66 win.

Terry Green led scoring for Clarkston with 17, Larry Miracle totaled 16 points and 14 rebounds. Bill Hamilton and Dave Partlo grabbed 8 rebounds each.

On Feb. 19, the Wolves dropped their second game of the week to Milford's JV, 61-56.

The Wolves opened the game with a small first quarter, but in the second quarter, Milford took their lead and held it.

The game was never too far out of reach for the Wolves. They just didn't work the ball and make the shots that count.

Tim Recknagle scored 21 points and pulled in 12 rebounds while Larry Miracle had 13 points and 12 rebounds. Dave Partlo added 13 rebounds.

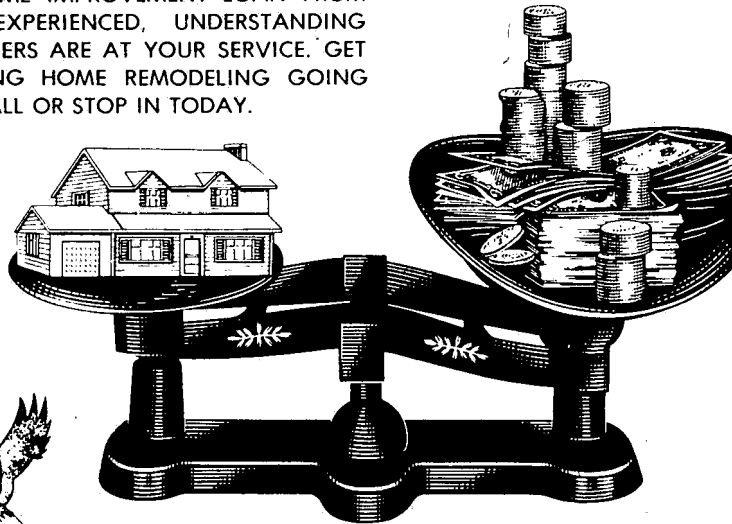
The JV has a 10-5 record.

Coach Pierson commented, "Probably the letdown of losing to Kettering had an influence on the game. We played about half of a ball game against Milford."

Friday, February 26 is Mom's Night. Clarkston will be host to the Brighton Bulldogs. JV starts at 6:30 and the Varsity game follows.

We could help balance the scale...

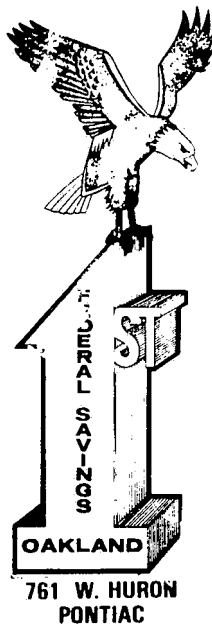
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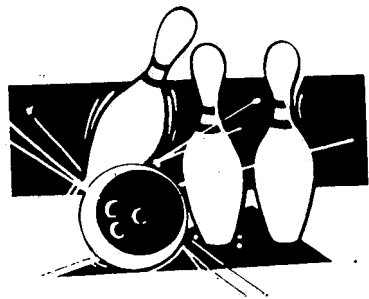
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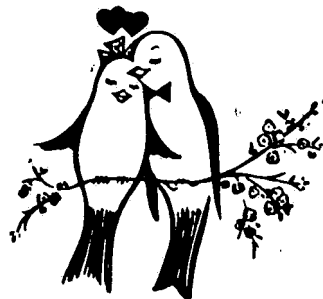
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Clarkston wrestlers District finalists are, front row, left to right, Al Knake, Mike Packer and Kirk Dougherty. In the back row are consolation flight finalists, left to right, Rick Detkowski, coach Moscovic, Dave Richards, Brian Knake and Mark Willis.

3 go to Regionals

Matmen place 3rd in District

Coach Dick Moscovic's wrestlers showed continuing improvement in their last effort of the season and finished a solid third in the 8 school, district tournament which was held Feb. 20 at Rochester Adams. Pontiac Northern captured the team trophy and Pontiac Central was the No. 2 team.

To qualify for further competition, a wrestler must capture either first or second place district honors.

Clarkston qualified 3 matmen for regional competition when seniors Kirk Dougherty, Al Knake and Mike Packer brought home 2 individual championships and a runner-up.

Kirk Dougherty, at 122 pounds, who has been coming on strong, took the championship at that weight. Dougherty wrestled well in the preliminaries, scoring

2 clean falls. In the finals he defeated a Pontiac Northern opponent in a tough match.

Al Knake wasn't seeded at 170 pounds. He drew a bye the first round, decided the first seed Pontiac Northern wrestler in the second round and literally manhandled a Pontiac Central opponent to an overwhelming decision in the finals for the district title.

This is Knake's fourth championship of the season, and an important one.

Mike Packer, 101 pounder, quickly pinned his first 2 opponents in the preliminaries, but dropped a tough close decision in the finals to win the silver second place medal.

This was only Packer's second loss of the season. In 9 tournaments he has won 7, finishing second twice.

By Lynn Surre

Clarkston's 2 junior highs split victories in their annual 8th and 9th grade encounter at the high school gym. The Feb. 20 contest played to a crowd of 1500.

The Sashabaw Cougars won the 8th grade preliminary game by defeating Clarkston by the score of 34 to 27.

The Cougars, who led for the entire game, were paced by the scoring of Jeff Casper who led all scorers with 13 points. Jerry Whitehead hit 8 and Dee Ruelle made 7 points. Clarkston high scorers were George Porritt, 11 points and Mark Bennett and Rich Mahar, 6 points each.

The Wolverines rolled on to their 14th straight victory in the 9th grade game.

They beat a scrappy Cougar team by the score of 54 to 39. The Cougars were led by Rod Rumsey with 15 points, Dave Whitehead, 12 points and Dirk Findley, 10 points.

The Wolverines were led by Gary Mason, who hit for 17 points. All players saw extensive action with 13 players making the scoring column.

The Wolverines' defense was led by Don Wilson with strong rebounding by Tom Anderson.

On Monday last week the Clarkston Junior High Wolverines picked up their 13th win of the season by defeating Byron by the score of 64 to 44. All 15 players saw action with Gary Mason leading all scorers with 23 points.

The Wolverines travel to Brighton Monday to play Milford Highland in the first round of the Brighton Invitational Tournament. The Cougars face Clawson and Milford to finish their season.

Liquor Comm. sets fine

Owners of the 10 Hi Bar on Dixie Highway were fined \$150 on 2 charges brought against them by the Michigan Liquor Control Commission.

The charges were occupation of the premises and a person consuming after the legal hour.

The hearing was held by the Commission on February 9.

Loy and Barbara Limbaugh are the owners of the 10 Hi Bar.

VILLAGE ELECTION

To the Qualified Electors:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an Annual Village Election will be held in the Village of Clarkston,

State of Michigan

AT
VILLAGE HALL, 25 South Main

within said Village on

MONDAY, MARCH 8, 1971

For the purpose of voting for the election of the following officers, viz;

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NOTICE RELATIVE TO OPENING AND CLOSING OF THE POLLS
ELECTION LAW, ACT 116, P.A. 1954

SECTION 720. On the day of any election, the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election.

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Feb. 25; Mar. 4

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Honor roll

At the end of the first semester, 45 sixth graders are on the honor roll at Clarkston Elementary. To be eligible you must have a B average or better.

Of these students, 24 have been on the honor roll for all three marking periods.

The students are: Barry Adams, Penny Bixby, Dennis Boberg, Jeff Bullard and Jim Dennis.

Jean Bickford, Colleen Hagen, Barb Lohff, Lisa Higginbotham, Kathy Humphreys, Ric Huttenlocher, Becky Johnson, Sue O'Neil, Jill Pursley.

Tammie Heazlit, Ken Strom, John

Philpott, Mark Kloc, Michelle Kenyon, Mary Roy.

William Aldrich, Tami Arnold, Rhonda Byers, Mike Cumberworth, Barb Foote, Mary Fahrner, Katie Pappas, Charlie Robertson, Anselm Smith, Donna Sommers, Cindy Steele.

Mary Anderson, John Bullen, Julie Cooper, Carrie Evans, Mike Couture, Brenda Roberts, Caron Tilley, Cindy Christiansen, Kevin Dutcher, Valerie Sinclair, Irene Walker, Doug Cinader, Diane Neff, and Monica Vosie.

Extend deadline for coupon collection

Clarkston Jaycettes were happy to announce the deadline for obtaining lifesaving kidney machines through collection of Betty Crocker coupons has been extended from May 31 to Dec. 31, 1971.

The first deadline date had been announced by General Mills in December as a result of accusations that the firm was trading on human misery.

The recent decision extending the date was granted to enable the Kidney Foundation of Michigan and Michigan Jaycee auxiliaries to obtain additional kidney machines through a joint project begun in 1969.

In announcing the decision, Peggy

Adams of General Mills' Betty Crocker Club Plan, said the extension was a reply to an appeal from Gary B. O'Donnell, executive director of the Kidney Foundation of Michigan.

To date, the statewide campaign to collect coupons from food products has obtained 14 kidney machines, each valued at \$3,000 or more.

The machines go to Michigan victims of kidney failure through the loan closet of the Kidney Foundation, a United Fund service.

Coupons may be mailed to the Kidney Foundation of Michigan, 3378 Washtenaw, Ann Arbor. To allow time for packaging and shipping, all coupons should be turned in by Nov. 30.

TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN

AMENDMENT TO INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE NO. 51

ADOPTED: February 16, 1971
EFFECTIVE: March 26, 1971

TITLE: AN AMENDMENT TO INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP RURAL ORDINANCE

THE BOARD OF INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP OF THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN, ORDAINS:

THAT the Rural Zoning Ordinance of Independence Township Ordinance No. 51 and Zoning Map a part thereof is hereby amended as follows:

TO WIT:

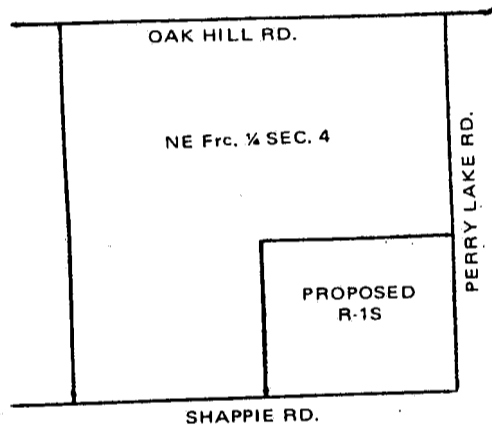
Case Number 141 - To rezone from Agricultural district to R-1S district and is located in Section 4 and described as follows:

The SE fractional 1/4 of the NE fractional 1/4 of Section 4, T4N, R9E, exc. N 330 ft. thereof, Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan.

42.57 Acres

Passed this 16th day of February, 1971 A.D. by the Independence Township Board.

Howard Altman, Clerk
Independence Township



NOTICE

BOARD OF REVIEW MEETING

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the

TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

County of Oakland, Michigan
FOR INSPECTION OF BOOKS:

MARCH 2, 3, & 8 9 to 12 and 1 to 4

MARCH 9 3 to 9:30 p.m.

INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP HALL
90 N. MAIN, CLARKSTON

Howard Altman
Township Clerk

Feb. 18, 25

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Amendment of Zoning Ordinance

The Planning Commission of the Township of Independence, County of Oakland, State of Michigan will hold a Public Hearing at the Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan at 7:30 p.m. March 18, 1971 to consider amendments to the Independence Township Zoning Ordinance No. 51.

SECTION 5, SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT REGULATIONS. Minimum Building Size

Proposed increases in minimum square foot building size requirement for Single Family, Two-Family and Multi-Family Housing Structures.

To amend Section 5, Schedule of District Regulations. The minimum size of buildings shall be as follows, to wit:

Type of Building	Square Feet Usable Floor Area First Story		Square Feet Total Usable Floor Area		Square Feet Additional Floor Area for Storage and/or Utility	
	Present	Proposed	Present	Proposed	Present	Proposed
SINGLE-FAMILY DWELLING						
1 story in height	900	1100	900	1100		
1½ stories	768	850	900	1100		
2 stories in height	728	800	1,456	1600		
TWO-FAMILY DWELLING						
Per dwelling unit			728	800	100	100
MULTI-FAMILY DWELLING						
Efficiency unit			420	450	100	100
1 bedroom unit			600	630	100	100
2 bedroom unit			750	800	100	100
3 bedroom unit			900	1050	100	100

SECTION 6, SUPPLEMENTARY DISTRICT REGULATIONS. (Greenbelt Requirement)

Proposed increase in width of Greenbelt Requirement from six (6) feet to forty-five (45) feet.

To amend sub-section 8; paragraph (a) of Section 6 of Independence Township Ordinance No. 51; Rural Zoning Ordinance.

To wit: A greenbelt, minimum width of forty-five (45) feet, which shall be completed within six (6) months from the date of issuance of a certificate of occupancy and shall thereafter be maintained with permanent plant materials. Specifications for spacing and plant materials are shown below. Materials to be used are merely suggestions and shall not be limiting, provided their equal in characteristics are used.

Howard Altman, Clerk
TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

Christine . . . our Easter Seal Girl



Pamela Eldred, 1970 Miss America and Easter Seal chairman for the Oakland County Society for Crippled Children and Adults and Miss America of 1986, Christine Anderson, this year's Easter Seal girl launch their campaign for funds on February 25.



"That tickles," Christine Anderson, Oakland County Society for Crippled Children's Easter Seal girl tells physical therapist, Mrs. Eugenia Long. Mrs. Nancy Ramsey, executive director, 7 technicians and 30 volunteers operate the school. The society is launching the annual Easter Seal campaign which finances its program along with private gifts.



Christine Anderson, 1971 Easter Seal girl, teases her teacher. Funds raised in the forthcoming Easter Seal campaign finance the program that benefits both children and adults.



Christine Anderson, 4, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Anderson of Gulick Lake Road, Easter Seal girl, takes her turn at "show and tell" at the Society's facilities at 1105 N. Telegraph in Pontiac.



Yoga is not part of the rehabilitation routine for Easter Seal girl, Christine Anderson, but turning a somersault just for fun is an acceptable break in the routine for the 5-year-old.

World Day of Prayer set for March 5



Women from 5 congregations in the Clarkston area will sponsor "World Day of Prayer" on March 5 at 1:30 p.m. Lillian Kauffman, wife of Probate Judge Nathan Kauffman of Detroit, will speak on the theme "New Life Awaits." Meeting to make final arrangements are, front row, left to right, Mrs. Sue Bennett, Mrs. Ruth Rumsey and Mrs. Cora Jackson. Standing, from left to right, are Mrs. Edith Stewart and Mrs. Jo Nicholas. The service will be held at the Church of the Resurrection on Clarkston-Orion Road.

"World Day of Prayer" will be celebrated on Friday, March 5 at 1:30 p.m. at the Church of the Resurrection on Clarkston-Orion Road.

Church women from 5 congregations in the Independence Township area will unite in prayer with church women in 25,000 communities in the USA, 155 countries and 6 continents to affirm faith, hope and love in facing issues and the needs of today and tomorrow.

Mrs. Nathan Kauffman, wife of the probate judge in Detroit, will speak on the theme "New Life Awaits."

The participating congregations are: Church of the Resurrection, Episcopal, the host church; Calvary Lutheran, United Methodist of Clarkston, Sashabaw Presbyterian and St. Daniel's Roman Catholic.

Mrs. Brooke Bennett is in charge of

arrangements.

Similar services will be held at 1 p.m. at the Davisburg United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Paul Burton who is in charge of this service announced that Elder Richard Walden of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints will be the speaker.

Women from the congregations in the Holly and Davisburg area will participate.

1971 will be the 84th year of the ever-widening celebration of the World Day of Prayer. On this day, the 1st Friday in March, women of many denominations - Protestant, Catholic and Orthodox - make visible their unity in Christianity and share in an offering that will bring hope and aid to thousands around the globe.

"Waterproof Clarkston"

Once again the Clarkston Area Jaycees and the Clarkston Community Schools will cooperate to provide a "Waterproof Clarkston" program. The program will provide swimming instruction and recreation for all children in the Clarkston school district who qualify.

This session is planned for Saturday mornings beginning March 13 through May 1. Registration will be held at the Clarkston Junior High School on March 1, 2 and 3 from 7 to 9 p.m.

Eligibility for the program will be determined by height, with all participants standing 4 feet, 6 inches or more.

Parents will be responsible for their children's transportation to and from bus pick-up stations at the elementary schools.

All children enrolled in the program should be brought to the Clarkston Elementary School for bus pick-up for the first week. At that time a schedule will be established for the following

weeks. Parents will be notified of this schedule.

School bus regulations require that adults supervise the vehicles while in transit so the Jaycees request that parents make themselves available to assist in this capacity.

Students will be required to furnish their own swim suits, towels and pay \$4.00 to cover the cost of the 8 weekly sessions.

India topic

The regular meeting of the AWBA was held February 10 at Maurice's on Edison Ave. The guest speaker of the evening was Theodore Nellis, noted world traveler of Pontiac. His subject for the evening was India.

Vocational speaker was Mrs. Judith Tuscon on her new enterprise, "The Children's Shop" at Independence Square, Waterford.

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Another Day . . .

by Constance Lektzian

New family for an old home

Today's homes are often turned out sleekly chromed and contemporary — with all the appeal of a dentist's chair. Sometimes our mobile society feels compelled to choose furniture with an eye to packing and moving.

The James Spicer's of Foster Road are an exception to those sophisticated viewpoints. They are young but want an old house in which to live. They are mobile — their most recent move was in January from Winchester, Virginia — and they still don't want furniture that comes apart or folds up.

Native Detroiters, the James Spicers didn't really mind leaving Virginia to come back to Michigan where he has been working in Flint at the General Motors Parts Division. However, they found they had taken on some of the Virginian's reverence and respect for old houses. They were delighted when they found the Frederick Foster house on the market.

Over the years, the land around this gracious old farmhouse shrunk to five acres which is really all the Spicers care to look after. There is ample room for Christine, Mary Pat and 6 year old Ann Marie to play. Even a driveway that completely encircles the house hasn't appreciably shrunk the yard. The surrounding woodlots give the place much the appearance it must have had when it was first built.

A great deal of remodeling had been done long before Jim and Kay Spicer moved in, and they are happy with most of it. They do wish that there was some way of finding out what the original interior was like. It seems logical to assume that the family room behind the kitchen started out as a wood shed and has been enlarged. The view here through the wide windows is lovely. A huge fireplace, backing up to a kitchen wall, utilizes the chimney that was once used for the cookstove. This room serves as a playroom for the Spicer children with a small TV for Sesame Street.

The Frederick Foster's company parlor is now a spacious master bedroom. One wall has been taken up with a built in closet with but little noticeable shrinkage in room space. This room, newly redecorated in shades of blue, features wainscoting about a third of the way up the wall.

The twelve pane windows in this room and the living room still have much of the original bubbly glass. All the previous owners apparently tried to preserve this unique feature left over from pioneer days and only here and there have they had to replace breakage with the modern, clear glass of today.

The farm style kitchen has an ample eating area. Storage here is no problem even with the old pantry made into a full bath. The living room opens into a formal dining room where a beautiful many-armed, pewter chandelier hangs.

An enclosed stairway leads off the living room to the second floor where there are two sloped-ceiling bedrooms. Complete with a third bath, this is the domain of the little Spicer girls.

The girls discovered something about the covered stairwell that no doubt has delighted generations of children. The slightest sound, even a whisper, when spoken here, has a wonderful echo.

The previous owners decided several years ago, that a new roof was needed. In crawling around under the eaves, they found strips of corn, braided together and dark brown with age, hanging from the rafters. This could have been seed corn or popcorn, hung up by some forgotten early pioneer who, for some reason, failed to climb up to the attic to bring the dried ears down.

There is no longer an official front door. In the living room, this space has been filled with a large window that gives the Spicer's a view of their sugar maples and the road, still narrow and graveled, much as it was when the Frederick Fosters lived here.

There is an outside entrance to the library which possibly served as a small downstairs bedroom in an earlier day. A garage and porch were added to the back of the house but care was taken to alter the appearance of the house as little as possible.

Frederick and Ann Foster would have little trouble recognizing the home that his brother, Samuel, built for them. Sturdy and well made, many more generations of children can peer through the bubbly glass of the old parlor windows, and years more of family living can be contained within the old walls.

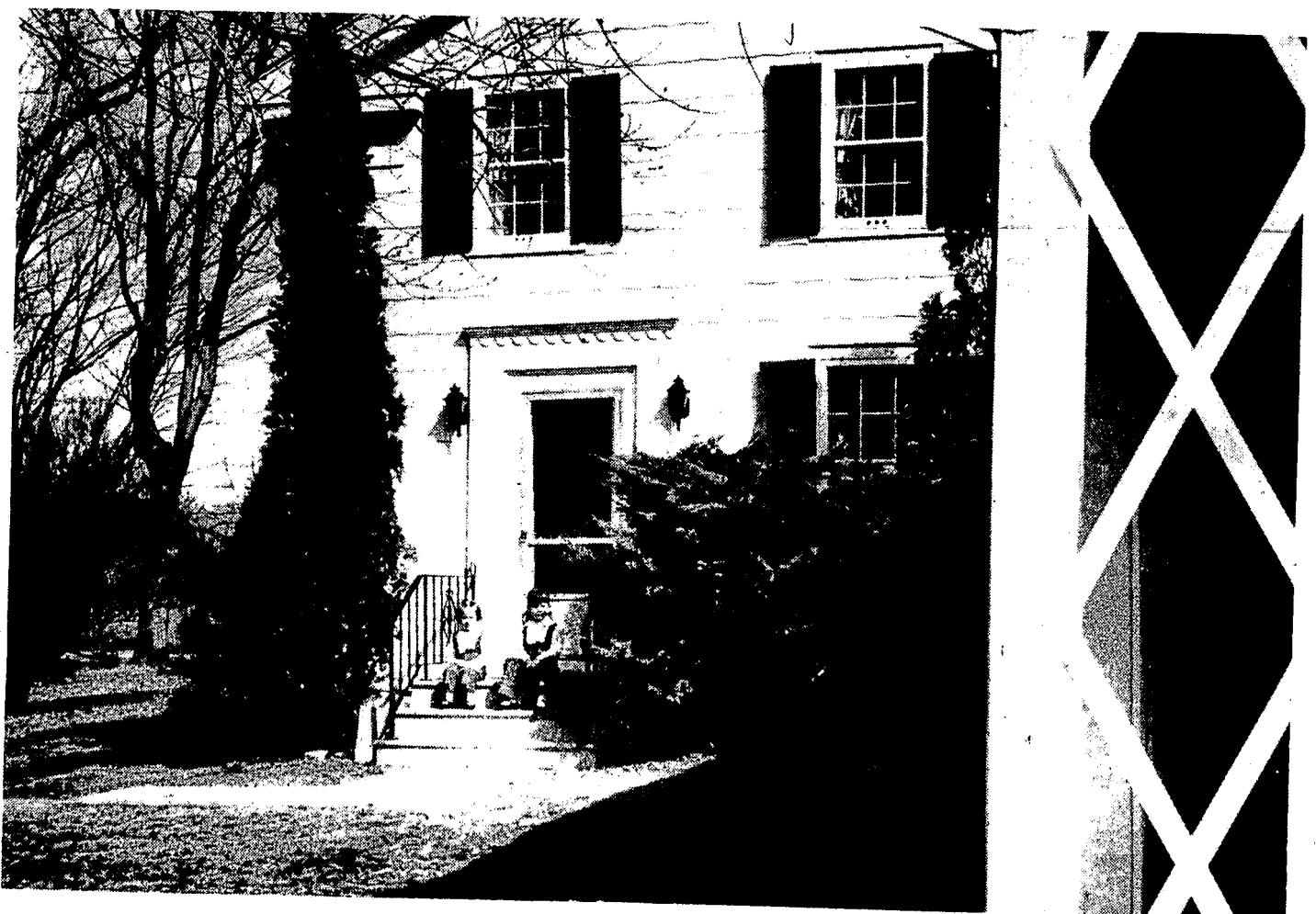
When Samuel Foster hauled the lumber back from the Clarkston sawmill, and laid up the foundations of his brother's house, he built it to last — for another day.



Three year old Christine, left, and Mary Pat, age 4, proudly display an ancient braid of corn.



The big kitchen in the old farm house has ample eating space for the Spicer family.



Christine and Mary Pat sit outside the door to the library.

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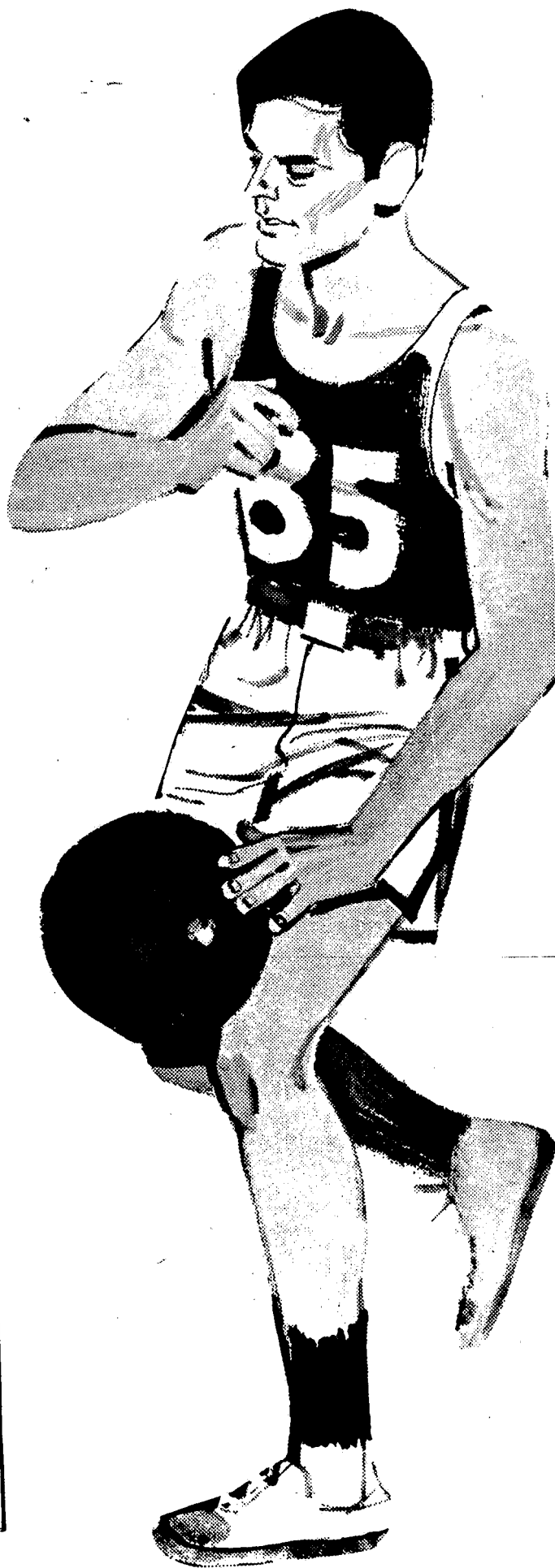
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Dec. 4—West Bloomfield, Away	L 56-44
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Dec. 15—Hamtramck, Home	W 91-78
Dec. 18—Clarenceville, Away	L 70-49
Jan. 8—Northville, Home	W 50-42
Jan. 12—Waterford Kettering, A	W 79-73
Jan. 15—Milford, Home	L 65-59
Jan. 22—Brighton, Away	L 74-63
Jan. 29—W. Bloomfield, Home	W 58-55
Feb. 2—Bl. Hills Andover, Away	L 52-37
Feb. 5—Clarenceville, Home	W 73-58
Feb. 12—Northville, Away	L 58-53
Feb. 16—Waterford Kettering, H	
Feb. 19—Milford, Away	
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C.E.A. Report

Remedial reading

By Dorothy Neff, Coordinator
Title I Reading Program

"A child's mind is not a vessel to be filled, but a flame to be kindled." - Henry Steele Commager

In 1965 Congress passed the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. Under Title I of this Act, Clarkston Community Schools has had a remedial reading program for the past four years.

The program this year as in previous years is written specifically for 3rd graders who are not achieving their reading potential at this level. It is the Title I teacher's job to effectively assess the discrepancy between the student's expected and his actual level of performance, and to determine probable causes of each individual's reading problem or problems.

This is done by observation, analysis of existing records, and a diverse battery of tests.

The diagnosis which follows makes possible a curriculum based on an understanding of the student's capacity to learn, previous knowledge, strengths, weaknesses, interests and attitudes leading to individualized instruction for

each student.

Our next step was to set up a classroom situation totally different from the regular classroom and to prepare a highly-structured remedial program of learning for each student. At this point we depended greatly upon the services and knowledge of Gordon Keller, who was hired to be consultant to the reading program this year.

Mr. Keller was formerly with Camp Oakland as Education Director and is currently in private practice, working solely with children or adults who have reading problems.

Because the children in our program have not previously had success in reading, we realized that an extremely effective method of motivating our students was necessary. The method we use, called "Contingency Contracting" is based on the systematic application of some generally accepted principles of human behavior.

One of these is that a desired kind of behavior is more likely to recur if it is followed by some kind of reward each time it occurs. Another is that children learn more willingly if the framework

within which learning takes place has been mutually agreed upon between teacher and student.

Because of individual differences, such as rate of progress through the material, degree of motivation necessary, it is more desirable to establish individual contracts with each student. This means each teacher prepares individual task assignments. Thus each reading teacher makes an agreement or contract with specifiable amounts of work for each student, determines his success in completing these assignments and reinforces their completion by an appropriate reward. Some examples of reinforcers might be:

- (1) Being read to
- (2) Looking at books
- (3) Painting
- (4) Working with puzzles
- (5) Talking to a friend

(6) Etc., etc., etc.

In our program, because of the severity of the reading disability and the lack of time, we want to make gains as fast as possible. Therefore, we use very concrete rewards which are very desirable to the students. We use stars which are turned in for candy or gum.

This technique, "contingency contracting," when used correctly will (1) increase a student's willingness to learn, (2) permit each student to progress at his own best speed, (3) maintain classroom discipline, and (4) build habits of self-control and independent study.

Self-management is the ultimate goal of the contingency management system, leading the student from management-by-others to self-management.

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