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#### By Jim Sherman

I'm going to start calling Al "Thoughtful, Considerate Solley, Al."

When being interviewed by our reporter following his being robbed at gun point last week he said that he thought to himself, "I've got to be careful or they will shoot me and Sherman won't get his ad."

------And now he wishes he'd said to the robbers, "You don't need a gun to get a good deal at Solley's."

#### -----It's popular now to ride a train, especially if it's on its last run, again. Parents are carrying their kids to one town and picking them up in another and it's all great fun.

The resultant publicity on these excursions prompts me to think about train rides, and when I do the first thing that pops into mind is troop trips.

I rode them to various landfill sites before landfill site had the word 'sanitary' put in front of it.

Being in my late teens and convinced I should do as I was told, I never objected to the journeys. Taking 3 days to get from Chicago to Norfolk and the same number to get from there to Florida didn't bother me.

What did bother me is that each time we neared the end some guy (usually someone who was lucky in poker) would start passing a hat for 'a tip for the porter who has done such an outstanding job for us."

The porter never did anything for us except announce when we could go eat, or tell us why we stopped . . . hours after we already knew. He may have done something for the high rollers, but for us common swabbies, nothing.



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### Park board passes

# Reject zonings

By Jim Sherman

The word was - vote no everything but the park – and so it went.

Tuesday's election, which saw 2800 of registered voters in 6000 the Independence Township go to the polls, resulted in all 3 zoning proposals being rejected.

The results also show that 2300 favor keeping the annual meeting, while only 461 voted to abolish it.

One election critic remarked - the people had one chance in this election to raise their taxes and they did it –. The vote to establish a Township Park Commission, the only really close vote, passed, 1448 to 1314.

acquire, maintain, manage and control some court action sought on one or more township parks and recreation. They also have condemnation power.

The unofficial tally for the zoning proposals were as follows:

Multiple dwellings on Waldon-Yes 702, No 1869

Mobile home park on Clintonville road - Yes 530, No 1899

Shopping center on Waterford Hill Golf Course - Yes 1054, No 1532

The shopping center issue passed in only 2 of the 8 township precincts, 1 and 6. There were no other favorable votes in any precinct for any of the proposals.

Supervisor Gary Stonerock commented The Park Commission will have 6 after the vote that he was glad it was

elected members and have the power to over, though he suspected there will be of the questions.

"It was probably a good vote of confidence," he said, for the men elected to office in November. "We got into office on the same issues." he said.

He was pleased with the voter turn out, calling it "excellent." "It shows the people do care and take an interest," Stonerock commented.

Clerk Howard Altman was pleased the election was over, also. He said he and several other people had worked many long and hard hours on the election, certifying the 3 referendum petitions and checking out the legality of propositions on the ballot.

He, too, seemed pleased with the voter turn out.

### Summer band okayed

# Burnette resigns principal's job



approval of a self-sustaining summer band program for students from 5th to 9th grade.

Parents of 141 students had indicated in a recent survey that they were interested in the program and 98 indicated their willingness to put the program on a self-sustaining basis by supplying instruments and paying \$12 per student to cover the cost of instruction. \*\*\*

"We had been making overtures to borrow \$1,000,000, to finish out the school year," said Dr. Greene, "but the state has decided to make the regular May and June payments. This would leave them \$654,000 in arrears to our district, but makes it possible for us to delay borrowing money until July 1. "In the meantime, we hope that the State Legislature will provide a State Aid Bill that will provide us with a more secure foundation." Greene explained that the reason they were investigating 2 different loan sources was that if the tax base was provided by the legislature, funds could be borrowed by the district against the State aid He further stated that he missed the payment. If this was not possible, the other source of revenue was to borrow against the projected tax collection.

was being studied at the present time.

The Board tabled any action until the findings are returned and instructed Dr. Greene to inform Mr. Stonerock of their action.

Mrs. Iva Caverly, a teacher at Sashabaw Elementary School was granted her request for an executive board hearing at which time representatives of the Michigan Education Association and the Clarkston Education Association could question the Board's denial of her tenure and further employment in the Clarkston School District. The results of the hearing were not available before the Clarkston News deadline.

The worst part of it is that we always were embarrassed into dropping something into the pot.

The same guy who started passing the hat in service is in every town, including this one. But, the difference now is that I'm no longer embarrassed into giving. If someone hasn't earned a tip it doesn't bother me a bit to pass the hat right on by.

The second thought about train rides has to do with the upholstery. Green plush that stunk of coal smoke and cigar smoke. (Seat backs flipped back and forth.) And, the only way you could lay your face against the upholstery to sleep was when you were very tired which came shortly after getting under wav.

#### Kelly Burnette

A small but surprised audience listened as Dr. Leslie Greene, Clarkston School Superintendent read the resignation of Kelly Burnette, Clarkston Junior High School Principal at the regular meeting of the School Board on May 10.

Burnette's letter explained that personal health and the desire to spend more time with his family motivated his request to be relieved from administrative duties and returned to a classroom position.

close association with the students and desired to return to the classroom and update his knowledge regarding the changing attitudes of today's youth.

Burnette has worked in the Clarkston schools for the past 15 years, teaching biology before he was elevated to his administrative post 9 years ago.

The Board accepted the resignation. \*\*\*

In further action the Board granted

"This circumstance is the reason we have explored both possibilities," he said.

The Board heard a written request from Township Supervisor, Gary Stonerock for cooperation in relieving flooding and drainage problems on Pine Knob Road.

Dr. Greene reported that the problem

# Vaara to head both Jr. Highs

Milford Mason, administrative assistant to the superintendent, told the Clarkston News that Mel Vaara, principal of Sashabaw Jr. High School will be designated as principal of Clarkston Jr. High School in addition to his present duties.

Assistant principals William Potvin and Gus Birtsas will remain in their present positions and assume the added responsibilities in the operation of their respective buildings.



Jerry Bradley, outstanding External State Chairman of the Michigan Jaycees.

Jerry Bradley, 6334 Snowapple, Clarkston was named Outstanding External State Chairman of the Michigan Jaycees at the 1971 State Convention in Grand Rapids on May 8th. In his portfolio Bradley had five State Chairmanships, Community Relations,

# State Jaycees honor Bradley

Jaycee Week, Prisoners of War, Photo Contest and Community Incentive these awards: Award.

The Clarkston Jaycees received a second place award for Jaycee Local The Clarkston Jaycee Auxiliary received a first place award in Local M.O.R. for their family Christmas party and came in second in Project of the Year State M.O.R. for their Auburn Heights Extension.

The Clarkston Jaycettes also received

Jaycettes-Jaycee Fall District, 7th place; Jaycee M. night, 8th; Community Service "Jobs for Teens," 7th; Publications in population division III. Money-making, Christmas Auction, 9th; MOR Local Color Contest, 8th; and MOR State, Auburn Heights Extension, 4th.

Attending the convention were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bradley, Terry Kelley, Dick Wilton, Mr. and Mrs. Don Coltson, Mr. and Mrs. Don

Hamaker, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Simonson, Mrs. Robert Tilley and Mrs. Harold Morgan.

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# "Demand" made for twp. help at Woodhull Lake

A survey of abandoned cars and blighted dwellings in the Woodhull Lake area has prompted their property owners' association to "demand" township board cooperation.

In her letter to the board, Julie A. Smith, vice president of the association, pointed out that late in April they counted over 25 unlicensed and abandoned vehicles in the 3 lake subdivisions.

She also reported that "approximately 52% blighted dwellings in the area." In view of these 2 things, she said, "We do not feel it is unfair to demand the complete cooperation of the township board in total rehabilitation of this area." Four specific areas of cooperation were

mentioned;

1. Concentrated enforcement of the new litter ordinance.

2. Attorney opinion on whether the existing ordinance covering condemnation of houses can be used for

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occupied dwellings.

3. Checking to see if state or federal funds are available on a selective urban renewal project basis.

4. Seek street signs from the county Road Commission.

Mrs. Smith's report showed there are

206 lots in the 3 subs with 100 homes. The survey rated 30 percent of them "good," 18 percent "fair" and 52 percent "poor."

There are 5 houses in Woodhull Lake subdivision under condemnation by the township.



# **Elite Academy Of Beauty**

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Bonnie Cleffman walked 15 miles for Mankind on May 1. She started over the line at 9:30 a.m. and crossed the finish line at 12:24 p.m. The only walkers that beat her over the finish line were 4 members of the Clarkston High School track team.

# **COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

THURSDAY, MAY 13 Story hour, 10 a.m. Independence Township Firefighters 8

p.m. **Clarkston Elementary PTA Bailey Lake PTA** 

FRIDAY, MAY 14

American Legion Aux. Rummage Sale, 9 to 5 First Baptist Church Mother and

Daughter Banquet, 6:30 p.m.

# We need to raise our rates ...



# From here

We've just asked the Michigan Public Service Commission to allow us to raise our electric rates for industries, businesses, and homes.

If approved, the new rates would provide about 11% more revenue to enable us to keep up with population growth. This works out to about a nickel a day extra for our average domestic customer.

We don't minimize the importance of a nickel a day. That's \$18.00 a year, inflation. Our costs have gone up tremendously. In the past five years, fuel has gone up 38%, labor 32%, local taxes 23%, and interest on bond issues 88%.

The cost of running our company this year will increase far more than the amount of our last rate increase.

What are we going to do with the proceeds of this rate increase? The most discouraging experience in these days of inflation is to pay more, and get less. Not so with this increase. It will enable us to construct the facilities to keep pace with the ever-increasing demand for electricity for home and factory. Building new power plants is a job that never ends because the demand for electricity doubles every ten years. But, in the last 3 years, the cost of installing each new kilowatt of capacity rose 40% We will also be able to continue, and indeed to enhance, our vital programs for the improvement of air, land, and water resources of the area.

#### SATURDAY, MAY 15

Shirts 'n' Skirts Dance Club American Legion Aux. Rummage Sale. 9 to 5

#### SUNDAY, MAY 16 Ostomy Group, 3 p.m.

#### MONDAY, MAY 17

Rotary Club, 6:30 p.m. St. Daniel's Women's Guild, 8:30 p.m. Church of the Resurrection card party.

#### 8 p.m.

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Bottles for Building Committee meeting, 8 p.m. OES 294, 8 p.m.

#### **TUESDAY, MAY 18**

Township Board Meeting, 7:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY, MAY 19 CAP, 7 p.m. General WSCS **Clarkston Jaycees** Cub Pack 49, 7:30 p.m. Cub Pack 126, 7:30 p.m. DeMolay, 7 p.m. Sr. Child Study Club

which can buy quite a few good things.

But we do want to put it in perspective. And we want you to know why we need it, and what we're going to do with it.

First, to put it in perspective, we didn't want to ask for this increase. We were forced to. We need additional revenue to build the facilities to provide, in the future as in the past, fully reliable electric service for every purpose.

If the new rates are approved—and the Public Service Commission will spend months evaluating our needthe average cost of a kilowatt-hour for domestic customers will still be less (as the graph above shows) than it was in 1950. In that year, it was just over 3 cents. With the new rates, it will be about 2.6 cents.

Now why do we need it? In a word,

We do not expect anyone to be pleased with a rate increase. But we do ask them to try to understand why we need it.

By receiving a little more in rates today, we will be better able to meet our many responsibilities tomorrow.

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# Hard crackdowns attack results rather than causes

There is a swelling wave of protest about the cost of welfare. Protesting the abuses of welfare is getting to be nearly as popular as "taking a stand" against crime in the streets.

Politicians will certainly keep their ears to the ground in order to be sure they side with the majority - the majority of active voters, that is.

Even our President responds to the grassroots ground swell, whatever that may mean. The President recently announced to Republican governors that it was wrong for people to take money from the government in preference to working at menial jobs. He meant such things as scrubbing floors and emptying bedpans.

There are two very fundamental flaws in the demands to crack down hard on either welfare abuse or crime in the streets. First, it is likely that the innocent will suffer more than the guilty; and second, hard crackdowns traditionally attack results rather than causes.

Splitting skulls on campus and in the ghettos has spread the fires of unrest instead of putting out the flames. Also, the non-violent stand by meekly, knowing that they have broken no law, and so become the most available targets after the belligerent offenders have run.

A -little academic research on cause is sometimes undertaken but city, state and national politicians know they can't make election hay from statistical charts. The "pee-pull" want action, not analysis.

So, too, a drive aimed at tightening welfare requirements and

"If It Fitz . .

# Suffering on the railroad



G o o f y A m e r i c a n s, middle-aged and older, are currently suffering terrible fits of choo-choo nostalgia.

They quit riding trains years ago, because they liked cars and planes better. But now the populace is upset because the railroads have despaired of rolling empty seats across the countryside. Daily passenger service is being eliminated or severely slashed all over the country. And people who rode the train faithfully once every 10 years are wailing and moaning and yearning for the good old days when everyone went down to the depot to meet the 5:10.

friends, both 4-F, standing on the platform, laughing and holding hands with my girl friend, as I chugged out of their lives. I can't see them clearly, because the train window was filthy. But the bitterness still comes back clearly. My 2 friends were husky, healthy specimens. I was 6 feet tall and weighed 105 and was obviously a poor bet to live until midnight. I never did understand how come I was on that miserable train and they stayed home. Come to think, maybe they weren't holding hands with my girl. Maybe they were holding hands with each other. That window was really dirty . . . In France, I was transported to the front lines in a 40 & 8 left over from World War I. That's a freight car, built in 1900, capable of carrying 40 men and 8 horses. The men must be midgets and the horses must be rocking. There is no better way to get to know your fellow man intimately. I sat on the floor between 2 fat guys who didn't know I was there for the first 2 days, until I got sick and learned

another use for my steel helmet. It took that French train 3 days to go 200 miles. We kept getting shunted off onto sidings to let higher-priority trains go through. They probably contained generals and Red Cross girls on their way home for more doughnuts. One of the layovers was in Paris, and I still brag to my kids that I spent a night in Gay Paree. Even though we weren't allowed any farther from the train than the nearest bush (nobody worried about pollution in those days). A year later, with the war over, I was back in the U.S. where my first assignment was riding shotgun on a prisoner train. I stood in the passageway between cars, with a carbine strapped over my shoulder, and prayed to God that the incredible shaking and bumping didn't make the stupid gun go off. I wasn't afraid of the noise or the bullet. I just didn't want to have to clean the gun because I still hadn't learned how to take it apart. Officers kept telling me my gun was my best friend but then they'd tell me to strip my

weapon and that seemed like a vulgar way to treat a good friend. So I never did.

Anyway, seated inside the

launching a campaign to shame people into working rather than riding the welfare gravy train may only intensify the despair of those already heartsick about having to accept help because they couldn't bear watching their families suffer. Again, the innocent bystanders will be the ones hurt.

Certainly there are people physically capable of working who would rather live on the dole. There are prolific families that for generations have regarded anyone who worked as a sucker. These free-ride people aren't going to be shamed by oratorical references to the dignity of honest work such as floor scrubbing and emptying bedpans.

The ones who will respond because of the added humiliation will be the good mothers with half a dozen small children and an alcoholic or mentally ill husband.

These are the ones who, even though chronically and genuinely ill themselves, will believe the criticism is aimed at them and that they MUST now somehow compensate for their useless but able-bodied husbands. They will react by trying to work at odd jobs while – hopefully – the husband baby sits at home instead of wandering off to his favorite bar.

When these wretched mothers go off relief by taking the "menial" jobs, their families can no longer afford desperately needed orthodontic care for the children or minimum clothing or adequate diet. Mother won't dare spend money foolishly for medicine just because she is diabetic and has a recurring kidney infection.

Instead of swinging the clubs of shame, which will hit only those already helplessly trapped, isn't it time we examined unemployment as if it were a national crisis instead of being a personal crime?

Isn't it time we provided motivation instead of threats? Isn't it time to work toward restoring the dignity of the poor instead of using them as political scapegoats?



"OH, OH! HERE'S WHERE WE GOOFED."

I remember trains, too. Like a cinder in my eye . . .

Sometimes, in nightmarish flashbacks, it seems like my entire 3-year army career was spent on trains. In 1944, a train took me from home to Chicago, where I was inducted. Those were the glory-days when the high school band and gobs of sobbing relatives showed up at the depot to bid farewell to the brave draftees.

l' can still see my 2 best

cars were German prisoners of war on their way to catch a boat home. My job was to make sure none of them jumped off in Cincinnati and went on welfare. Trouble came when I jumped off myself to buy a beer in Philadelphia. The train was supposed to layover for 5 minutes but a conductor blew a fuse and it pulled out early. And there I was, with my carbine, guarding the depot bar overnight. That was my last out-of-town assignment.

Soon I was sent home for good, in a brilliantly decorated, brand new uniform with which to dazzle my family and 4-F friends. Except the trip was made in a sweaty, 80-year-old Pullman that sucked in soot like a vacuum cleaner. When I arrived at the home depot, my father said: "If your side won the war, I'd hate to see the losers."

Onward and Upward but not by train, thanks.

# **Guess Who?**



June is a popular and busy month. Most people are relieved at the passing of winter and welcome the warm summer months heralded by the month of June. Blushing brides frequently pick June as a favorite time for weddings. None of these activities in June surpasses the relief and

# Welcome Aboard

Happy reading to our new friends. Tom Brown Ward Johnson Mr. and Mrs. John Duke Henry Geyer Robert Hagstrom K. Schliter Mr. and Mrs. Wallace F. Wheeler R. Hickey J. Rhoades Welcome back to old friends. J. A. Beebe William Cumberworth George Phillips Clarence Kitson Ronald Vecsie. Larry Thompson Charles Wright Charles Mason Ivan Rouse

excitement surrounding one's high school graduation.

Each week between now and commencement time the Clarkston News will feature a "Guess Who" picture to recall those exciting days. The graduation pictures will be of some prominent person who is living in the Clarkston School District. Can you "Guess Who?" Answers will be supplied in next week's issue.





The Annual Lost Lake Family Fun jokes and entertaining skits. Campout for Troop 189 took place the weekend of April 23 to 25.

All of the families camped down the road from the troop, Each family provided their own transportation, food and shelter. They were provided with water and electrical hookups for campers and trailers.

The troop camped on a patrol basis and were observed by their families.

Friday night was spent setting up camp, After breakfast on Saturday morning, the troop set out on a 10 mile hike. The scouts came across tree stumps in several areas where the beavers had gnawed the wood to build dams and houses.

An exciting baseball game climaxed the afternoon free time. Before dinner the boys, chopped down dead trees and sawed the logs for firewood.

All of the families joined the scouts around the campfire in the evening for

Sunday morning breakfast was followed by breaking camp and general cleanup.

Sixteen boy scouts of Troop 189 took part in the activities. Along with the scoutmaster William Purves and his family were the following families attending: Herschel Frys, Richard Hammersteins, Richard Smiths, James Zelenaks, Robert Heckers and the Robert Baynes.

Troop 189 is sponsored by Calvary Lutheran Church.



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# Church celebrates 125th anniversary

The Davisburg United Methodist Church will be the focal point of the countryside on May 15 and 16 when former ministers, members and friends will join with the present congregation to celebrate the 125th anniversary of the founding of the church. The 2 days of celebration will be filled with activities featuring a parade and religious services.

The first meetings of the congregation were held in a log schoolhouse on White Lake Road in 1846. Meetings were held in the schoolhouse until a school was built in Davisburg in 1856. Worshipers continued to meet here until a partial basement was built and more money could be obtained to complete the structure.

Completion of the building was begun in 1866. Total cost of the church. furnishings and grounds was \$4,862.52 and the church was dedicated on July 7, 1867.

Many things have gone into the history

of the church, as it was also the social center of the community. The 125th anniversary parade will assemble at Oakland County Beach at 9:30 a.m. on May 15. Parade time is 10 a.m. After the parade a chuck wagon will serve refreshments at the church and there will be an informal "get together" on the church lawn.

Dr. Garfield H. Kellermann, Flint District Superintendent, will deliver the sermon at the 11 a.m. worship service on May 16. The service will be followed by a cooperative smorgasbord dinner. Tapes of interviews with old members and recordings of the choir's Christmas program will be played.

An informal worship service and Thanksgiving service will round out the activities at 3 p.m. when Youth Church Awards will be presented.

Presiding over the anniversary activities is minister, Henry W. Powell.



A clinic to help people who want to \$1.50 for adults in presale and \$1.75 at stop smoking will be sponsored by the Seventh Day Adventist Church from May 17 through 21. The sessions will last from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the auditorium of the Oakland County Court House. The public is welcome and there is no charge.

"The success of our open house was beyond our conception," said Herb Olson, principal of the new Northeast Oakland County Vocational Education Center.

Approximately 1200 citizens took advantage of the opportunity to tour the building on Big Bear Road.

The Teen Shop that was supplied and manned by the retailing department proved to be a popular attraction for shoppers of all ages.

Word was received from Michigan State University that Beryl Austin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Austin, 8660 Kier Rd. was the recipient of an award from the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan. She is a junior in floriculture at Michigan State University.

The Oakland County Mothers for Peace, an organization dedicated to the principle that war is obsolete will present a program on May 16 at 2 p.m. in the Oakland County Supervisors' Hall at 1200 N. Telegraph Rd. in Pontiac.

Dan Milham, WPON Radio will be the master of ceremonies and speakers and movies will be presented. There will be no the door. Students' tickets are \$1.25 and \$1.50. The musical is a tuneful story about vaudeville star Gypsy Rose Lee.

Curtain time for this all school production is at 8 p.m. on May 13, 14 and 15.

The Pontiac Society of Artists' spring exhibit will open on May 14 with a reception at the Pontiac Creative Arts Center at 47 Williams St. in Pontiac.

The show will be on view during gallery hours 1 to 4 p.m. through May 29.

Waterford Kettering High School symphony band will present their spring concert in the school gymnasium'on May 16 at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$1.50 and \$1 for students. All children in the 6th grade or under will be admitted free.



"My wife tires so easily-I'm afraid I'll have to get a power mower for her in the Want Ads!'



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admission charged and the public is invited.

The musical stage play, "Gypsy," will go into its final performances this weekend at Clarkston High School Little Theater. All seats are reserved and may be purchased in advance. The tickets are



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Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKenney of Holly announce the engagement and August 29 marriage of their daughter, Nancy Lee to Emery Richard Welch of Clintonville Road, Clarkston. Miss McKenney's fiance is a 1966 graduate of Clarkston High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emery G. Welch.

# Children entertain at Clarkston El PTA

Clarkston Elementary PTA meeting is Grayce Warren will present musical scheduled for Thursday, May 13 at 7:30 selections to round out the program. p.m. The meeting will again be held in the Clarkston Jr. High School gymnasium.

Clarkston Elementary 3rd graders under the direction of Miss Dana Teske.

Mr. Barton Connors and the 6th grade Jr. and their school," said a spokesman for High School chorus, conducted by Miss the group.

"We hope to see many parents at our The program will be presented by the last meeting of the school year. The attendance has been up this year. Let's keep up the good work by showing our The 6th grade band under the baton of children that we really do support them

### **CAP** holds open house

#### Clarkston Composite Squadron Civil Program of Civil Air Patrol. Air Patrol will hold an open house on Wednesday, May 19 at the Clarkston Junior High School.

The senior staff and the cadets of the unit are planning the event to better acquaint area residents with the many activities of the Cadet and Senior

Mrs. Marilyn Moore, CAP Captain and brands are much CHEAPER! information officer said, "If you would like to learn more about Civil Air Patrol, especially if you are between 13 and 17 years of age, join the members of the filled with air, consequently the large loaf School 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. May 19."

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By Jean Sura Kutting Korners

We are always looking for ways to facilitate shopping. These are eleven SECRETS about "smart food buying." **GROCERY SPECIALS** 

The homemaker should always make a shopping list . . . check the grocery ads in the paper for low sale prices. Be sure to write down special prices in order to remember them. \*\*\*

#### SPECIAL DISPLAYS

Be sure to look at prices on SPECIAL displays. Many times they cost you more than the regular shelf prices. Foods that are displayed in tubs and bins should be checked carefully for "RAISED" prices.

#### **FRESH MEATS**

Watch out for the color of lights over fresh meats - many stores shine pink lights over meat to make it look fresh. Pink lights make ground beef look like it has less fat. If you are in doubt about the meat, take it to a regular light.

#### **BIG BOXES - MORE FOOD?**

Compare weights of food in boxes big boxes do not always have the largest amount of food. Look for the little numbers that show "net weight" . . . they tell how much is REALLY inside!

#### SHAPES OF BOTTLES

Bottles are shaped differently; therefore, it's hard to tell how much they .hold . . . look for the small numbers that say pints, quarts, gallons, etc. Sometimes they are hard to find!

SPECIALS ON MEATS Low priced meats may prove to not be as cheap as the price mark says and you may find that you are buying a lot of

#### bone and fat.

#### STORE BRANDS

Do ask for Store Brands – many times they are just as good as Name Brands. In many instances, you will find Store

#### SMALL LOAF? BIG LOAF?

Many times the big loaf of bread is Clarkston Squadron at the Junior High does not weigh any more than the small loaf. Label Reading becomes very

#### important in this case!

#### CHECK COLOR OF PLASTIC WRAP

A pink plastic wrap on foods such as carrots, frankfurters and tomatoes will make them look better than they are. Check them over carefully.

#### SPECIAL PRICE MARKS

Watch clerks carefully when they are ringing your food items up on the cash register. Many times Special prices are left off the can and the clerk may ring the regular price. This is taking money out of YOUR pocket!

**RETURNING PURCHASED PRODUCTS** If the time arises when you must return an unsatisfactory item to the store, be sure to call it to the attention of the store manager. Most stores will replace the items, or return your money.

#### IN THE SHELL OR OUT?

When buying nuts in the shell, remember that two pounds make a pound of nutmeats. If one pound of in-shell nuts costs half as much as one pound of nutmeats, both are of equal value. If nutmeats cost more than twice as much as the in-shell nuts, you may decide to get the nutcracker.

# Jake nature walk

The Clarkston Farm and Garden Club met at Seven Ponds Nature Center on May 3. They took a nature walk and their guide discussed and identified the wild flowers growing there.

The annual meeting was held after luncheon at the Chuck Wagon -Restaurant,

At the meeting the committee in charge of assembling the new, little Clarkston area phone book reported that the book is in the final stages of preparation and will be on sale soon.

ACCESSORIES FOR THE WEDDING RECEPTION. Cake boxes, place cards, coasters, cake bags, place mats, ashtrays, stirrers. All available with name and date imprinted. Come in now and place your order at the Clarkston News, 5 South Main, Clarkston.

Around the town

Showers ahead

by Donna Fahrner

Bride-elect Jan Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hanson of Snow Apple was honored at a kitchen shower on Friday, May 7. Mother and daughter, Mrs. Char Cowdin and Mary Jo, choose Jan's favorite color, pink, for, decorations, punch, cake and favors. Jan will become the bride of Midshipman Jack Frost on June 19.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leo Erickson of South day vacation in Hawaii with the General Motors Girls Club. Island hopping by plane, bus and boat tours filled their busy agenda. \*\*\*

The First Baptist Church of Clarkston will have their Mother and Daughter Banquet on Friday, May 14 at 6:30 p.m. Miss Muriel Linton will be the guest speaker. She is a ventriloquist and uses two dolls in her presentation. The public is invited and may make reservations by calling the church office 625-3380.

Easter Sunday was a big day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ratliff of Waterford. It was the 44th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Delmore F. McAboy. The couple's seven children, eighteen of their grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren joined in the celebration. Grandson Gill was unable to attend because of navy duty in Athens, Greece. The second celebration of the day was a farewell to Marvin L. McAboy and his family. They are moving to California. He is attending school in San Main Street have returned from a nine Francisco prior to leaving for Vietnam on a special assignment for the navy. The climax of the day was a birthday celebration for Henrietta Wallace and an Easter egg hunt for the grandchildren. \*\*\*

> The annual rummage sale to promote the American Legion Auxiliary Campbell Richmond Unit 63 Girls' State program will be held on May 14 and 15 from 9 to 5. Many items will be available at the Legion Post Home just north of I-75 on M-15.

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Health Department Auditorium, 1200 North Telegraph Road, Pontiac. A coffee hour and discussion period will follow.

Congratulations to the Clarkston Area Jaycees and Jaycettes for winning all those awards at the State Convention in Grand Rapids over the weekend.

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The Church of the Resurrection will hold its annual card party and dessert buffet on Monday, May 17 at 8 p.m. Door prizes, table prizes and lots of good, homemade desserts are being planned. \*\*\*

The reunion of the Saturday Night Dance Club and the Fourth Nighters Dance Club was held on Saturday, May 8 at Addison Oaks. One hundred fifty-seven people enjoyed dinner, dancing and reminiscing and are looking forward to making it an annual affair.

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Addison Oaks was also the scene of the combined dinner meetings of Epsilon, Rho and Zeta Chapters of Alpha Delta Kappa, International Honorary, Sorority

for Women Educators on May 6th. Mrs. Lorna Heath, a first grade teacher at Clarkston Elementary was among those initiated into the Sorority. Miss Marion Lehner, a retired biology teacher at Pontiac Central High School spoke to the group. She presented a travel lecture based on her recent cruise in the Mediterranean.

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Mrs. Arthur Ripley was the surprised guest of honor on Wednesday, May 8 at a baby shower. The clandestine hostesses were Mrs. Robert Tilley, Mrs. Dick Wilton and Mrs. Jerry Bradley.

Monday, May 17 the Bottles for Building Committee meeting will be held at the Clarkston High School Library at 8 p.m. Chairmen and representatives from other area Bottles for Building drives will be present.

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The Oakland County Ostomy Group will hold its May meeting on Sunday, May 16 at 3 p.m. in the Oakland County 8 Thurs., May 13, 1971 The Clarkston (Mich.) News

# **C.E.A.** Report

By Tom Brown

interest in reading, a vast field of choice is available to the teacher. Putting the spirit of competition and games into the motivation is, by all means, acceptable.

paperback books of a wide variety of interest, we set out to develop a means of getting books into the hands of the class and keeping their interest in reading. We decided to use an auction system.

Each child was given \$50 in "North Sashabaw Dollars." Methods were developed to acquire additional cash through awards given for grade achievement, for class duties and the class related activities. Likewise money could be lost through a fining system. \*

We then opened our library and checked out many of the books. After reading the book, the child fills out a "deposit" slip or book report card and posts it on the "Book Bank" bulletin board.

Periodically an auction is held. Each child explains the book he is auctioning before the class and answers questions about its content. The bidding is opened at \$5.00 and continues until the maximum amount is received for it.

The cash transaction is made and

When considering methods to motivate ' recorded in an account book each child keeps. He enters the amount spent or received and keeps a record of cash on hand

As time passed in our project, the Possessing an ample library of children began accumulating large sums of cash as more and more books changed hands in auctions. A decision was made to find an outlet for the cash. We decided to form "corporations," pool money and "invest in stocks."

> After selecting 10 companies of varied values from the New York Stock Exchange, the newly registered "corporations" purchased stock. Once a week "dividends" are declared and paid to the corporation, according to weekly change in stock quotations.

> Meanwhile, money from each individual child continues to build up from book auctions which can be invested in his corporation.

> So far, interest in building the "financial empire" enhances the desire to read books on a large variety of topics. Competition, in planning investments in stock, keeping track of financial records and reading for fun have increased interest in not only recreational reading, but math and just getting along.



Carole Turner and Brenda Hamilton, from the left, place cards in the Book Auction section of their 5th grade room at North Sashabaw Elementary School. Scott Harrison and Debbie Carpenter, center, manufacture money for the room enterprises and David Todd and Bryan Mansfield make changes on the board of the Room 12 Bullmoose Stock Exchange. Mr. Tom Brown, teacher watches the activities.

Wedding invitations and accessories quickly, precisely printed at the Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston. 625-3370.

#### AREA CHURCHES AND THEIR WORSHIP DIXIE BAPTIST MARANATHA BAPTIST CHURCH SPIRITUALIST CHURCH OF THE CHURCH FREE METHODIST CHURCH 5790 Flemings Lake Road NEW HOPE BIBLE CHURCH GOOD SAMARITAN Rev. Philip W. Somers 8585 Dixie Highway DRAYTON HEIGHTS 5311 Sunnyside 5401 Oak Park 5482 Maybee at Winell Worship - 11:00 a.m. Rev. Paul Vanaman **Rev. Roy Cooper** Rev. Allen Hinz Worship - 11:00 a.m. Rev. L. E. Ehmcke Worship - 11:00 a.m. Worship - 7:00 p.m. Worship - 11:00 a.m. CLARKSTON UNITED Evening Service 6:00 p.m. EPISCOPAL CHURCH METHODIST CHURCH FIRST BAPTIST OF THE RESURRECTION ANDERSONVILLE 6600 Waldron Road CLARKSTON CHURCH COMMUNITY CHURCH 6490 Clarkston Road 5972 Paramus Rev. Frank Cozadd OF GOD 10350 Andersonville Rev. Alexander Stewar Rev. Clarence Bell Worship - 10:00 a.m. 54 South Main Worship - 8:00 & 10:00 Rev. Wallace Duncan Worship - 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. C. J. Chestnutt Worship - 11:00 a.m. SASHABAW UNITED Worship -- 11:00 a.m. PRESBYTERIAN CALVARY LUTHERAN. THE SALVATION ARMY CHURCH ST. DANIEL'S CHURCH 5331 Maybee Road 29 Buffalo Street Rev. Caldwell 6805 Bluegrass Drive Holcomb at Miller Rd. Brigadier Clarence Critzer Worship - 11 a.m. Father Francis Weingartz Rev. Arlon K. Stubbe Worship - 11:00 a.m. Worship - 10 00 a.m. Masses: 8:30 & 10:30 Township that Independence hardly a church will find this a relevant observance in 1971. One observer of this area of Oakland County has called us the "Suburbs without Sidewalks." Our development has been too spotty



Spiritual Message

RURAL LIFE "What is man ...

over the township to go along with that description but at the least we have largely lost the former connotation of rural which meant farming and isolation and open country. There are a few farms, of course, but today they are the exception. More neighbors work for Pontiac Motors or Fisher Body than for themselves as agriculturalists. More people watch T.V. for what's going on in the cities than chop

Psalms 8:4

Mark H. Caldwell,

May 16th is Rural Life Sunday on Church calendars. It was once observed by bringing into worship seeds and plants and other symbols of growing which were so important to rural economy. Perhaps it is a sign of the times in

wood or knit or grow serious gardens. Our council worries more about mobile homes and shopping center complexes than about crop failures.

Change is neverending. But the Author of Life calls us suburbanites just as He called rural farm people to honor Him by respecting one another. Crowding can be chaos unless we value those pushed closer and closer to us by modern life.



#### SASHABAW UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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HALLMAN APOTHECARY 4 South Main

HAHN CHRYSLER-PLYMOUTH 6673 Dixie Highway



Construction of a ditch in the flood-beleaguered area of Clarkston is well under way.



A workman smooths the ditch that has been dug to relieve flooding in the Paramus area



VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON • Minutes of Special Meeting Held May 1, 1971

Meeting called to order by President Cooper. Roll: Basinger, Johnston, Tower, Jones; Present. Irwin, Hagen; Absent. Moved by Johnston that Ordinance No. 63, referred to as the Burn Ordinance be passed as presented at the March 22 regular meeting of the Village Council. (Copy on file and to be published separately). Seconded by Tower. Motion carried. Meeting called and adjourned by President Cooper.

Donald E. Cooper, President

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on May 20, 1971, 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, to consider the following changes in Township Zoning Districts:

#### CASE NO. 142

1. To rezone from R-1S (Suburban Farms) and R-1A (Single Family Residential) to C-3 (Highway Business):

T4N, R9E, SEC 27

E 300 ft. of N 363 ft. of S 55 acres of E  $\frac{1}{2}$  of NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  exc therefrom the S 45 ft of E 100 ft

#### T4N, R9E, SEC 27

E 300 ft of part of E ½ of NW ¼ beg at pt dist N 0 degrees 30' E 1295.08 ft from center of Sec 27, th N 89 degrees 58' W 663.64 ft, th N 0 degrees 31' E 165 ft, th S 89 degrees 58' E 563.64 ft, th N 0 degrees 31' E 45 ft, th S 89 degrees 58' E 100 ft, th S 0 degrees 31' W 210 ft to beg

#### T4N, R9E, SEC 27

E 300 ft of lots 5 and 6 "Sashabaw Orchard Acres" Subdivision

2. To rezone from R-1S (Suburban Farms) to ML (Limited Industrial):

T4N, R9E, SEC 27 N 363 ft of S 55 acres of E  $\frac{1}{2}$  of NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  exc therefrom the S 45 ft of E 100 ft, also exc the E 300 ft.

#### T4N, R9E, SEC 27

Part of E ½ of NW ¼ beg at pt dist N 0 degrees 31' E 1295.08 ft from center of Sec. 27, th N 89 degrees 58' W 663.64 ft, th N 0 degrees 31' E 165 ft, th S 89 degrees 58' E 563.64 ft, th N 0 degrees 31' E 45 ft, th S 89 degrees 58' E 100 ft, th S 0 degrees 31' W 210 ft to beg, exc the E 300 ft.



#### CASE NO. 144

To rezone from R-1S (Suburban Farms) to C-4 (Expressway Service): T4N, R9E, SEC 27

N 825 ft of E 528 ft of E  $\odot$  of NW ¼, exc N 212.50 ft of E 218 ft.

Part of the trouble that has plagued the Paramus Street, Princess Lane residents was caused by this catch basin. Workmen have removed the cement-filled basin. It is waiting to be hoisted up and carted away.

### INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

DUMPING

The nearest dump that we have located to direct people to is at the following location:

On Joslyn Road, just north of I-75.

#### Hours

7 a.m. to 5 p.m. - weekdays

7 a.m. to 5 p.m. – Saturdays

#### COST:

\$ .50 per yard (for household trash).

#### **Telephone:**

Main office: 334-8523

#### GARY R. STONEROCK, Supervisor Independence Township





Howard Altman, Clerk INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP

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A map showing the proposed changes in the Zoning\_Districts may be examined

at the Township Hall during regular office hours.



# AUTOMOTIVE

SEE ROY HASKINS at Haupt Pontiac for both new and used car deals. +++50tf

CLARKSTON AUTO PARTS 6 North Main Clarkston 625-5171 Open 9 to 9 New and rebuilt auto parts 25tfc

1965 TEMPEST LeMans, 2 door, power steering, 4 on the floor. Clean. \$650. 625-1804.†††37-1c

# FOR SALE

EVERGREENS, shade trees, flowering shrubs, potted fruit trees, roses and perennials, strawberry plants, asparagus roots, blackberries, blueberries. Red and black raspberries. Geraniums, flowering annuals and vegetable plants. Free landscape estimates. May and June hours daily, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Closed at 6 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Ortonville Nursery, Washburn Rd., 10048 627-2545.†††36-8c

FILL DIRT DELIVERED, Clarkston Village area. \$1.25 per yard in 100 yard lots. Phone 625-2331.†††32-tfc

A LANE cedar chest makes a nice graduation gift or for the bride. See our selection of chests and record cabinets. Winglemire Furniture Store, Holly.

IT'S A FACT: TREES PURIFY YOUR AIR and we have trees. White birch, Pinoak, Sugar maple, Norway maple, Sweet gum, Mt. ash, Red hud, Sycamore, Colorado spruce and others. Also evergreens and deciduous shrubs. Open\* Sundays to 2 p.m. 628-2846. Noel Arbor Farms, 79 Park St., Oxford. †††

WHY PAY MORE? Shop and compare prices Best deal in town is ours. MAPLE bunk beds, complete with mattresses, guard rails and ladder. compare at \$109, our price \$69.

DUPONT 501 nylon carpeting, solids and tweeds. Compare at \$6.95, our price \$3.99 sq. yd.

COLONIAL maple bedroom suite, double dresser, framed mirror, 4 drawer chest, mattress, box spring, compare at \$219, our price \$149.

COLONIAL sofa and matching chair, Scotchgard treated fabric, reversible cushions, compare at \$249, our price

# FOR SALE

**TROPICALS GALORE Tropical Fish and Supplies** Over 100 Varieties 6561 Transparent Drive 625-3558

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MERION BLUE SOD. You pick up or we deliver. Sherwood. 4643 628-2000.†††33-tfc

HOOVER APARTMENT SIZE washer, \$75. 7520 Pine Rd., Knob 394-0365.†††37-1c

GARAGE SALE, Fri. & Sat., May 14 & 15. 9 to 9. Clothing, books, misc. items. 6024 Overlook.†††37-1c

YARD SALE - Friday through Wednesday, 7520 Pine Knob Rd., south of Clarkston Rd. Furniture, clothes, size 22<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, misc. 9:30 to 5.†††37-1c

MT. BETHEL Methodist Church, big spring and bake sale. Saturday May 15,9 to 3. Jossman and Bald Eagle Lake Rds.†††37-1p

LARGE REFRIGERATOR with separate top door freezer, \$80. 625-1591.†††37-1c

GAS RANGE, excellent condition. 6470 S. Main, Clarkston. 625-5749.††37-1p

GARAGE SALE May 14, 15, 16, 17. 280 N. Baldwin off Indianwood Rd. 9-5.†††37-1c

A-1 BLACK DIRT, top soil, fill limestone, sand and gravel. Lee Beardslee 623-1338. Radio dispatched. † † 37-tfc

BLUE LUSTRE not only rids carpets of soil, but leaves pile soft and lofty. Rent electric shampooer, \$1. Bob's Hardware, 60 S. Main St. + + + 37-1c

A-1 FARM TOP SOIL, black dirt, sand and gravel products. 625-2231 394-0325.†††37-tfc

NEIGHBORHOOD RUMMAGE and garage sale, May 13, 14, 15, 9-5. Clothing, children's toys, ceramics, furniture, dishes, books, puzzles, bike, junk and jewels. 5491 Maybee. † † 37-1

CHAIN LINK FENCE installed or repaired. Free estimate. 852-0791 or and inexpensive 852-1582. Fast service. †††34-tfc

WALL DECORATIONS help make a

# FOR SALE

NECCHI DELUXE AUTOMATIC zig-zag sewing machine-cabinet model-embroiders, blind hems, buttonholes, etc. 1968 model. Take on monthly payments or \$53.00 cash balance. Guaranteed, Universal Sewing Center. FE 4-0905

9x12, 12x12, 12x15 heavyweight Armstrong linoleum rugs. Winglemire Furniture Store, Holly.

# IOCKY ARDS

MANAGEMENT. UNDER NEW Livestock sales every Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. Horse sales every Friday, 7:30 p.m. Consignments welcome. †††26-tfc

**RIDING MOWERS AND TRACTORS** 2 7 HP Briggs & Stratton riding lawn mowers, \$175. Big cut. 8 HP tractor, new, \$275. 7 HP electric start, cutting mower, \$250. 10 HP tractor, new, \$425. 12 HP tractor, new, \$575. CHIEF SALES 19104 W. 6 Mile Road

.11-8 Monday thru Friday 11-6 Saturday, 12-5 Sunday 35-4c

DROP LEAF table and 4 chairs for the industrial and commercial electrical small kitchen or dinette. Only \$79.95 and services. \$89.95. Winglemire Furniture Store, 625-2225.†††39tfc Holly.

bells from \$1.00. Boothby's, Dixie jobs. Highway and White Lake Road 625-5100.†††37-1c

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Hours:

Thurs., - Fri. - Sat., - Sun. Noon 'til 6:00 p.m.'

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SERVICE. Basements, septic A-1 nstallation. Free 'dozing with 10 loads or more of fill. Call 625-3735.+++23tfc



Fast Service, call: 334-6459

CLEAN UP JOBS - light and heavy hauling. Call before 3 p.m. 394-0338.†††31-tfc

ELECTRIC - residential, ARNOLD Call Jim Arnold

LAWN CARE SERVICE. Includes lawn HAND DECORATED Bohemian crystal cutting, bed work, tree trimming and odd Leaver, Steve Contact 

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LANDSCAPING all types. Free estimates. 625-2313.†††35-4c

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CEMENT WORK-Free estimate. Custom concrete. 625-5515.†††33tfc

D & L Trucking and Bulldozing. Fill dirt, black dirt, beach sand, road gravel, stone. 625-5889.†††36-4c

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\$199.

TRADITIONAL sofa and matching chair, coil spring construction, reversible cushions and arm covers, compare at \$329, our price \$239.

HIDE-A-BED sleeps 2, choice of fabric or vinyl, compare at \$219, our price \$159.

WALNUT bedroom suite, double dresser, mirror, 4-drawer chest, bookcase bed, mattress and box spring, compare at \$219, our price \$149.

BASSETT bedroom suite, triple dresser, mirror, 4-drawer chest and paneled bed, dust proof drawers, compare a't \$329, our price \$199.

MODERN sofa with Mr. and Mrs. chairs, reversible cushions, compare at \$249, our price \$149.

MANY other items at discount prices. Terms available - free layaway CONSUMERS FURNITURE 674-3134

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room attractive. We have pictures, plaques and sconces. Winglemire Furniture Store, Holly.

7 H.P. RIDING lawn mower with cutter and snow blade. Used once. Electric start. \$275.353-3978.††† 36-4c

AMF SLATE pool table, cost \$500. Sacrifice at \$200. 4 cues, Belgian balls. move. 341-6178 0 ľ Can 538-9056.†††36-4c

FIREWOOD FOR SALE. Will do tree trimming and removal. Light trucking, Phone 625-4747.†††29-tfc

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SINGER DIAL-A-MATIC zig-zag sewing machine in modern walnut cabinet. Makes designs, appliques, buttonholes, etc. Pay off \$54.00 cash or monthly payments. Guaranteed. Universal Sewing Center, FE 4-0905.

ART GLASS, furniture, clocks, Y-Knot Antiques, 4580 Sashabaw, Drayton Plains. Open Sunday, 12-4 p.m. † † 35-1 FOR SALE: Siamese kittens, 9 weeks old, completely trained. \$15. Phone 625-2716.†††37-1c

2 FREE KITTENS, 1 tiger, 1 all black. 625-1813.+++37-1c

GOLDEN RETRIEVER PUPPIES, male and female. 6 weeks old. Good children's pets. 625-3039.†††37-1c

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**ÉNGLISH SETTERS, AKC, lovable male** or female. Good home essential. Will traindesired, also stud service. if 625-2464.††36-2p

WANTED: clean, usable household items to help furnish our parsonage. While you are spring cleaning, please think of us. Call 625-3964 for pick-up of large items. The Salvation Army Church, 29 Buffalo, will be open on Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for dropoffs until further notice.†††32-tfc

SEMI DRIVERS NEEDED NOW. No experience necessary. Major trucking companies need trained, certified semi drivers, local and over the road. Earnings . are over \$5.00 per hour. Fringe benefits. Short, easy training program. Ages 18 to 45. Applications now being accepted. Call area code 513-223-3874, or write Express, Inc., Safety Department, P.O. Box 1401, North Ridge Branch, Dayton Ohio 45414.††37-2c

PART TIME NURSE'S AIDE, 7 to 3:30 -shift, 2 days a week. Want a mature woman, experienced in geriatric nursing. Call 625-5611 between 10 and 2. †††37-1c



WANTED: part time yard work and light hauling. 625-4488.†††37-2c

GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS, napkins and name cards available at the Clarkston News, 5 S. Main St. +++35-

# LEGAL NOTICE

Thomas E. Hunter, Attorney 5912 Ortonville Road Clarkston, Michigan 48016 No. 104,801 STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for The County of Oakland Estate of John Patsch, Deceased.

It is Ordered that on July 6, 1971 at 9 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said estate are required to prove their claims and on or before such hearing file their claims, in writing and under oath, with this Court, and serve a copy upon the Executor; Walter A. Rask, 4664 Rockcroft, Waterford, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. Dated: April 16, 1971

Donald E. Adams Apr. 29, May 6, 13 Judge of Probate.

Jack L. Banycky, Attorney 810 Pontiac State Bank Building Pontiac, Michigan, 48058 NO. 104,689 STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR

THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND Estate of Ione Roslyn Allen, also known as I. Roslyn Allen and Ione R. Allen, deceased.

It is ordered that on July 20, 1971, at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said estate are required to prove their claims and on or before such hearing file their claims, in writing and under oath, with this Court, and serve a copy upon the Executors: Ronald M. Allen, 111 E. Flint, Lake Orion, Michigan and Robert Allen, 621 Baldwin Court, Lansing, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. Dated: April 26, 1971

Norman R. Barnard Judge of Probate May 6, 13, 20

Paul M. Mandel, Attorney 207 Pontiac Mall Office Bldg. Pontiac, Michigan, 48053 NO. 105,564 STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND

Estate of Roy E. Linn, deceased. It is ordered that on June 22, 1971, at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Carol A. Linn, 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 Thomas Gunther, 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.

# LEGAL NOTICE

Powell, Peres, Carr & Jacques, Attys. 3505 Elizabeth Lake Rd. Pontiac, Michigan 48054 NO. 105,627 STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND Estate of Charles Bockwell Mann, deceased.

It is ordered that on June 30, 1971 at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiae, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Helen E. Mann 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 Helen E. Mann, the executrix 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: May 6, 1971

Norman R. Barnard Judge of Probate May 13, 20, 27

Powell, Peres, Carr & Jacques, Attys. 3505 Elizabeth Lake Rd.

Pontiac, Michigan 48054 NO. 105,625 STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND Estate of Connie Jean Mann, minor.

It is ordered that on June 30, 1971 at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Helen E. Mann for appointment of a guardian of the estate and/or for the custody and care of the education of said minor.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. Dated: May 6, 1971

Norman R. Barnard, Judge of Probate May 13, 20, 27

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE

WANTED TO BUY, 3 bedroom 1 floor home in Clarkston area. Brick or aluminum with basement. 625-2394.†††36-tfc

<sup>4</sup>SELL OR TRADE 5 rooms and bath, (year around cabin on private lake northwest of Gladwin, for small home in Clarkston area. 625-5035, 625-3829.††† 37-1c



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From left to right, Barbara Taylor, Pat Stalker, Pat Conrad and Michelle Morouse take a breather at Checkpoint 7. The girls had just completed 7 miles in their "Walk for Mankind." Over 100 people took part in the walk and over \$1,000 was collected for charity.

# 29 outstanding youth

# receive awards

Clarkston Area Youth Assistance Committee honored 29 youths from the community at their 2nd annual award night banquet on May 10.

The young people were nominated by citizens, organizations and churches for their outstanding contributions. Mrs. Doris Pidd, the chairman of the event was assisted by George White, a teacher at Clarkston High School in presenting the Recognition Awards.

The areas of service for which the young people were selected are: student aides in remedial reading programs for Title I; Candy Stripers; nursing home aides; Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Blue Birds, teen panels, Big Brother to retarded children, (LID) Looking Into Drugs, voluntary church or community service, Bottles for Building and "Teen of the Month."

"These youths are being acknowledged for their voluntary services to their community, their church and more unfortunate people than themselves," said Mr. White. "From my knowledge all of these young people, I know that they are active and busy with school activities as well."

Winners of the awards were: Kay Beattie, Kim Blasey, Don Brown, Janis Easton, David Erickson, Carol Galbraith, Valetie Ganther, Bob Garner, Pat Gölding, Harland Green, Jr., Mark Hoxsie, Vicki Johnson, Sherrie Kennedy, Dennis Loba, James Loba, Arline Moore, Beverly Morse, Roger Mulherin, Sandra Nagel, Linda Olney, Patty Olney, Kathy Poage, Margaret Ridgeway, Jim Seffens, David Strom, David Topolinski, Teresa Wagoner, Chris Watterworth and Donna Willis.

Gary Stonerock as the original community "doer" spoke on the meaning of the term "volunteer." Mrs. Place originated the idea for the Independence Township trash glass collection.

Milford Mason, Assistant to the Superintendent of the Clarkston Schools, presided over the program.

New Michigan fishing book available

One of the most complete books ever published on Michigan fishing is now ready for distribution, according to William T. McGraw, director, Michigan Tourist Council.

A year in preparation, the new 36-page publication, "Fishing in Michigan," was produced by the Michigan Tourist Council in cooperation with the Fisheries Division, Department of Natural Resources.

Illustrated with full color photos, the book describes the how, when and where of Michigan fishing. Eleven pages are devoted to descriptions of Michigan's 20 fish, including physical game characteristics, habits and habitats. How to catch 'em instructions are provided with each individual fish description, along with tips on cooking. An entire section of the book is devoted to recipes. For those who have never before tried their luck on this age-old sport. instructions on bait and tackle and how best to use them is included. On safety's side, one page of the book contains Great Lakes safe-boating information as well as illustrations showing official U.S. Coast Guard traffic signals and warning flags. From stream and inland lake fishing, angling through the ice to dipping for spring smelt, Michigan's fishing scene is completely covered, according to McGraw.

Dated: April 29, 1971 Donald E. Adams, Judge of Probate May 6, 13, 20

Paul M. Mandel, Attorney 207 Pontiac Mall Office Bldg. Pontiac, Michigan NO. 104,196 STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND

Estate of France Ayer Rickerd, deceased.

It is ordered that on June 22, 1971, at 9 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Duane Hursfall, Executor praying for allowance of his First and Final Account, assignment of residue, and for allowance of fees, and discharge of said fiduciary.

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# Wolf thinclads nipped for runner-up spot

the Clarkston High School track team as they missed the runner-up spot in the Oxford Invitational by a narrow margin. The team put forth one of their best

performances of the current season on May 8.

School records tumbled when Kurt Carlsen set a new time of 1:57.2 in the half mile. The record was 1:58.9.

Carlsen, along with Doug Kath, Blair Warren and Fred Seyler set a new record when they ran the mile relay in 3:28.

Mark Witherup, Mike Humphreys, Rick Dancey and Doug Kath were not to be outshadowed as they also set a new school record in the 880 relay with a 1:34.5 time.

Other outstanding performances were turned in by Dan Dankert and Gerald Baker in the 2 mile run. Rick Svetkoff and Fred Seyler in the mile and Kurt Carlsen in the quarter mile.

# Wolverine nine bow to Crary

#### By Mike Jewell

On Tuesday, May 4 the Clarkston Jr. High Wolverines lost their 3rd game (13-9) of the season to Crary Jr. High.

A double by Don Millward drove in 3 runs for the Clarkston team. Also adding to Clarkston's score were Tim Thompson with 3 RBI's and Don Wilson, who went 2-4. \_ and a second second

The 3 Clarkston pitchers, Wilson, Thompson and Foster, pitched to 49 Crary batters, giving up 3 hits, 16 walks, and striking out 3. Tim Thompson took the loss.

Three school records were broken by meet with 37 points. Inkster Cherry Hill, assured themselves of a winning season by placed second with 23%. Warren had 23 picking up 2 wins last week, stretching for third, then came Port Huron Northern - their undefeated string to 6. with 22% and Clarkston, 22

> They lost 2 close matches in a double defeated. East Hills J. H. 66½ to 42½, dual with Andover and Waterford They only won 6 of 13 first places, but Kettering on May 4.

> The close matches ended with 61-57 their 5th straight victory. Mike Dunn was and 64-54 deteats with the teams high point man with 11<sup>14</sup> points. He took respectively.

> Despite the losses school records still inches, and a new school record; 1st place fell when Gary Seaman put the shot 50 m the 440 yard dash with 58.2 seconds feet.

> Tom Mauti nudged the school pole member of the winning mile relay team. vault record with a jecoid jump of 12 foot, 6 inches.

> Kurt Carlsen grabbed 2 first places when he ran the 880 in 2:02.8 and the 6th straight victory by defeating 440 dash in 51.95.

The team will run in the Regionals on picked up 10 of 13 first places and were Friday, May 14 at Utica High School and led by the outstanding performance of then meet Cranbrook at 4 p.m. on the Bill Rondo, who accumulated 16¼ Warren Fitzgerald won the 19 school - Clarkston track on Fuesday, May 18.

# SCHOOL MENU

CLARKSTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS May 17-21

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TUESDAY Spaghetti and meat sauce. Michigan vegetable salad, French rolls and butter, fiuit and milk.

WEDNESDAY Sloppy Jo on bun. pickle slices, peas and carrots, Michigancherry pie and milk.

HURSDAY Mean balls mashed potatoes, buttered com, bread and butter, strawberry short cake and milk

FRIDAY Lish sticks, brown potatoes, cabbage and carrot slaw, H.M. rolls and butter, fruit and milk

# Wolverine track team now 6-0

By Brian Becker

On Juesday, May 4, the Wolverines

overall team depth earned the Wolverines

a first in the long jump with 17 foot  $4\frac{15}{2}$ 

and another school record and was also a

On Enday the Wolverines scored their

Bloomfield Hills J. H. 70-39. The team

points. He won 1st in the long jump with

17 ft., 5 inches, a school record; 1st in

the 100 vd. dash with 11.1 seconds,

another school record; 1st in the 220 yd.

dash and was a member of the winning

On Saturday, May 8, the Clarkston J.

H. track team traveled to the Milford

Relays Invitational and competed against

15 other Oakland County Jumor High

Strong individual performances were

turned in by Gary Mason who took 2nd

in the mile and Howard Phelps who

placed 5th. The sprint medley relay team

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Rondo and Lee Booker placed third. The Wolverines will travel to Crary J. With only 4 remaining meets, H. on Tuesday. Clarkston Jumor High's track team



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Our eight-day ski vacation started on the southern coast of Spain at Malaga. At the airport we boarded a bus to take us up in the Sierra Nevada Mountains to Solynieve.

The road took us to the city of Granada and it wound sharply upward to our destination.

We were confused by the name Sierra Nevada (snowy range) because of the mountain range so named in California. I think that our California Sierras, a much larger range, were named by Spanish explorers after the range in their homeland.

Regardless, the Spanish range is about 55 miles long and 25 miles broad. They stretch along the southeast border of the country. Several of the peaks exceed 10,000 feet in height and are above the limit of perpetual snow.

Solynieve, which means "sun and snow" is situated at an altitude of 6405 feet above sea level and a gondola travels to the top, 10,584 feet, of Veleto Peak for skiing.

The mild alpine climate, with the beauty of the surrounding peaks makes the area unique. The gondola, chair-lifts and T-bars cover a total of seven miles and can) accommodate 4,000 people per hour.

The ski runs, some more than six miles long with vertical drops up to 4,180 feet have an abundance of good quality snow for skiing.

For those of you who are not familiar with ski lifts, a gondola is a little car that holds four people and travels up the



mountain on a cable. Skiis are placed in racks on the outside.

The trip up to the mid-point, where we disembarked took about 15 minutes. It was 15 minutes of breathtaking scenery that took us right through the clouds, A snow tunnel led out from the terminal building.

The first day it snowed so hard that our skiing was limited by our inability to see. This was probably just as well because the high altitude affects your breathing and this gave us an opportunity to become acclimated.

The second day was a golden day. We got up early and were on the gondola by 9:30 a.m. Winds prevented the gondola from making the trip to the very top of the peak but we "Michigan hard-packers" found all the challenge we could handle.

The people that we met on the trip were outstanding. Though we didn't move as a group we frequently found each other at the end of the runs and would sit in the sun and snow for relaxation and good fun.

Bikini bathing suits were prominent up there on the midway point of the mountain. Some skiiers wore their bathing suits under their ski clothes and then would peel down, and find a place out of the wind for a sun bath when they tired from skiing. Some of the more industrious dug deep pits in the snow and sunned themselves in them.

At about 1 p.m. five of us decided to ski down to the village for lunch about 5 miles. This was a thrill that we missed.



#### 10 YEARS AGO IN THE CLARKSTON NEWS May 11, 1971

A new member of the Harry Fahrner family of Robertson Court, is Sharon Louise. She was born on Thursday, April 27th at St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital, and weighed seven pounds and four ounces. \* \* \* \* \*

"This is Cinerama" is coming to Music Hall Theatre in Detroit. This is the film which features the thrilling roller coaster ride. Through the magic of the three projectors and the curved screen, the audience is seemingly right in the picture. Gasps and squeals of the viewers transforms the theatre into an amusement park. \* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Bert Olliffe was a guest of her son last weekend at Central Michigan College when the boys of the Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity entertained their mothers at "Mom's Day." \* \* \* \* )

#### 25 YEARS AGO IN THE CLARKSTON NEWS May 10, 1846

The E. D. Whipple Pontiac Sales & Service Building on North Main St. is about ready for use and will be one of the most up-to-date stations for the sale of new cars and the servicing of all cars.

Miss Ada Scrace, who underwent an operation at Goodrich Hospital, is recovering quickly at the home of her niece, Mrs. Elizabeth Ronk, and it is hoped that with a little rest she will feel quite like herself again.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Orville Nelsey entertained a group of little folks in honor of her daughter, Janet, on her second birthday. The guests included Mary Jo Ehrhart, Carole Orr, Sharon and Neal Norgrove, Ellison Murton, Marsha Ann Marshall, and Gail and Harold Weston.

some wet snow and fell. His ski released from the binding, flew up, striking him in the face and tearing the lower inside of his mouth.

Our friendly physician, who was skiing with us recommended stitches.

Next week; We go to Granada and sample socialized medicine.





# Life Span

If heart disease could be eliminated as a cause of death, the life expectancy of white male Americans would be stretched by more than six years. And if all major dis-eases of the kidney and circulation system could be prevented, that would add more than 11 years to their life span. The ladies would gain slight-

ly less than the men, but they already live longer than men, anyway. There is also a distinct difference in life expectancy between our white and non-white populations.

These figures were gleaned from new Life Tables by Causes of Death, recently pub-





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lished by the U.S. government. They update earlier calculations made in 1941 and 1951, and provide a stimulus for those attacking the most common killers of our time.

If cancer were eliminated as a cause of death, it would add about 2.25 years to our life span, and an end to the major diseases of early infancy would give us another year of life. At birth, the life expectancy

of the white male American is now 67.5 years; for white wom-en, it is 74 years. For the non-white male, it is 61.5 years and for the non-white female, it's 66.5 years. Life Tables such as this pro-

vide us with a way of analyzing vital statistics to figure out the probability of death from a specific cause at any given age. Or to find out what happens when you eliminate any one major cause of death.



#### 14 Thurs., May 13, 1971 The Clarkston (Mich.) News



**CORNER** CLEANUP – Girl Scouts of Troops 282 and 284 of Pine Knob attacked the business center triangle at M15 and Dixie with hands, rakes and shovels Tuesday. They gave this part of their Easter vacation to cleaning up. They also presented several decorated litter barrels to merchants. This one went to Taylor's 5 and 10c store. Shown left to right are Susan Eason, Elizabeth Place, Mrs. John McNairn, store owner, and Jerri Dyke. These girls are all from Troop 282.

# BOTTLE PICKUP SATURDAY MAY 15

Jaycettes name officers schedule busy program

The Clarkston Jaycettes held their annual elections at their April 28 general membership meeting. Officers for the coming year are Mrs. Jerry Powell, president; Mrs. Kelley Martin, vice president; Mrs. Bob Ward, recording secretary; Mrs. Roland Elkins, corresponding secretary; Mrs. David Nadolsky, treasurer; Mrs. Mike Gorrie, Mrs. Carl Gusie and Mrs. Terry Lopucki, directors.

New members installed into the Jaycettes that evening were Mrs. Lee Freel, Mrs. John Marsh and Mrs. Ron Rule.

Mrs. Don Coltson, chairman for the Jobs for Girls, reported that all the girls, age 12 through 15, interested in summer jobs, have filled out the questionnaire sent to the area schools. The list has been compiled and is awaiting the closing of school, when the program will begin.

Four names of Jaycettes and phone numbers will appear in the Clarkston News every other week for the

"Biggest school fair

The cliche is an old one, but none the less true... this year's Kingsbury School Fair will be bigger and better than ever, according to the co-chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. William Couch of Romeo and Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Seufert of Metamora.

This fair has been plagued by rain just about every year it has been staged on the school grounds, Hosner at N. Oxford roads.

So, expecting the worst, the chairmen have rented a huge circus tent to house many of the booths.

As-always there will be meals and sandwich areas, games, pony rides, art booth and auction sale. However, added

### C.H.S. wins honors in Industrial meet

Winners in the fifth annual regional Student Industrial Competition held at Central Michigan University were announced recently. Students competed in various categories and were judged on their technical skill and work habits while working against a time limit.

Students from Clarkston High School who won were as follows:

Beginning Mechanical Drawing, Robert Wolley, 3rd; Mechanisms division, Jack Profitt, 2nd; Architecture division, Dan Rush, 1st; Pictorial Design division, Neal Philpott, 1st; Product Design division,

The Clarkston Jaycettes held their convenience of those who wish to hire nual elections at their April 28 general embership meeting. Officers for the etc.

Jaycettes are taking orders for their geranium sale. Red, pink, and salmon geraniums are available for 75 cents from any Jaycette. They will also be sold at a sidewalk sale on May 21 in downtown Clarkston.

The Youth Assistance organization was assisted by Jaycettes who served at the banquet on May 10, honoring some of the outstanding youth of the community.

Jaycettes served teenagers soft drinks and lunch during their 15 mile "walk for mankind."

Proceeds from a recent card party will be used to send an underprivileged youth from the Independence area to summer camp at Camp Oakland.

A Jaycettes' spokesman said, "Keep saving those Betty Crocker coupons, we are still collecting them to aid in purchasing kidney machines. To date we have collected 104,547."

attractions include having headmaster Floyd Bunt playing an old calliope, an old movie house and a 5th Avenue boutique.

The chairmen say the Kingsbury School Fair is the largest school fair in Oakland county... and it will go on rain or shine.

Parents in the Clarkston area working on the Fair are:

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fillmore, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Mack, Mrs. Malcolm McCord, Mr. and Mrs. John Sennett, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Young.

Mike Packer, and D. Newlin, 1st; Electronics I division, T. Kluyder, 3rd; Auto Service division, D. Bontempo and S. Miller, 2nd; Power Technology division, D. Lucas and D. Widener, 1st; Materials I division, B. Hoy, 2nd; and

Materials II division, B. Trim, 2nd. The contests were held in Wightman Hall on the CMU campus.

All first place winners in the regional contests held at CMU as well as Eastern Michigan and Northern Michigan Universities will compete in the state finals May 14 at Lansing Community College.

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Letters to the Editor

# Library hours inconvenient

#### Dear Editor:

Independence Township has provided its citizens with a beautiful, new library. Unfortunately, I have never been in it. The reason for this is because it is never open at a convenient time. Ten o'clock in the morning to six o'clock in the evening every day except Wednesdays and Sundays is fine if one can sit around and having nothing else to do all day. These hours are completely unsuited to the needs of most people.

Most men and women are working during the hours of 10-6. Students have responsibilities to attend to at the close of the school day and if they have no responsibilities, they certainly would like to rest a few hours before cracking the books again.

Can the library staff possibly work hours that are more convenient to the public, maybe a few extra evenings a week?

I urge that whoever is concerned with this area of our township, take a closer look. Why should I or anyone else have to go to the Waterford Township library when there is a brand new library that is within walking distance? Karen Nicholson, Almond Lane

# **Blow out**

Dear Editor:

It is necessary, because of my work to park in the downtown Clarkston area.

I find that there is ample parking space in the village parking lot. Unfortunately, there is so much

broken glass scattered over the surface that parking there is like playing Russian roulette with my tires.

Can't something be done?

Glass packed tires

### Many attend

#### Dear Editor,

Our open house Sunday, May 2, was exceptionally well attended. Thanks to your good publicity of the event. We estimate that over 1,000 people visited with us and toured the school.

For a small paper, the Clarkston News does a fine job of local coverage in both pictures and stories.

Thanks again!

H. J. Olson, Principal Northwest Oakland Area Vocational Education Center

# Suggests Humbert pay for

# damaged township truck

#### Dear Editor,

"It appears that the only way to get this township onto the legal road is through the power of the press and pressure." These are the direct words of Mr. Keith Humbert, township trustee.

If this is so, then I think we should start right now! The accident with the cemetery truck, which was used in the bottle pickup day, for instance.

Mr. Humbert was ticketed for speeding when he was unable to stop when a car stopped to turn in front of him. The truck turned over and one boy was hurt.

I think, because of his carelessness, he should also pay for damages to the truck. The cemetery needs the truck and why should the taxpayers pay?

Thank goodness for the village truck and the village council's cooperation.

Too, harrassment of township employees and the idea of having committees for everything he can think of isn't my idea of a township trustee. His expressions at township board meetings are more apt to be found in the third grade class in elementary school.

On another point, Mr. Stonerock said, "Trash that has been thrown on other people's property, they themselves are responsible to clean it up and get rid of it.

So, people, if you throw anything out on someone else's property, make sure it's Mr. Stonerock's. See how he would try to find somewhere to take it. Maybe then he might understand our problem too.

A disgusted resident



Acting Postmaster Ray Kline reminded Independence Township residents that an increase in postage rates will go into effect on May 16.

Postage on first class mail will increase from 6 cents to 8 cents," said Kline. "The Postcard rate will jump to 6 cents, while 11 cents will be required for airmail letters."

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# **Deductive reasoning**

My brother-in-law Ted is in trouble. I suppose every family has problems, but if our house falls apart it'll be Ted's fault.

"He's your brother," I said to my husband. "Can't you do anything about that rotten habit of his?"

"I've tried," he answered, "but he's had it so long I don't think there is much hope for a cure."

"Well, I think it is a shame the way he pushes the whole family around. I think you should put your foot down and stand up for our rights."

"The trouble with you," he sighed, "is that you just won't let poor Ted get on your good side."

"Oh yeah," I grumbled, "well, you just stand there and let him cut off your head and your feet for all I care. I'm not posing for one more picture."

"Okay, okay," he soothed. "If that's the way you want it."

"How should I want it? Every year since we've been married he takes pictures on Thanksgiving and he always aims that camera at me when my mouth is full of mashed potatoes and turkey.

How would you like to see yourself that take the movies, he yells for us to do way about a hundred times?"

"You know, honey, I've been avoiding the issue of your weight. Maybe you are stowing a few too many groceries."

"Don't change the subject." I shrilled. "We're discussing your brother, not my weight, Don't avoid the issue."

"Well, I don't think you are being fair. After all, it was my brother that took all those pictures of our boys when they were little. You didn't mind that.' "What pictures?"

"Your favorites, the nudies. The ones

you liked to show all their girl friends." "Those pictures? Well, that is different.

Everybody loves baby pictures."

"I don't think the kids did," he laughed.

"Be serious," I said, "if your brother had any regard for me at all he would try to get some more flattering shots of me. when I'm doing something besides eating or waving.

"And that's another thing that irks me. He lines us all up in front of the Christmas tree, then when he's ready to

something."

"When he says to do something can't you think of anything to do but to wave at the camera?" said my husband, "Why don't you do something exciting or interesting?"

"What should I do," I said in exasperation, "jump on your mother's back and yell heigh-o-Silver?"

"Your voice is getting shrill, Calm down," he soothed, "and tell me what pictures has my brother taken of you recently that has made you so hysterical."

"Our vacation pictures, that's what has me all upset. Remember I told you that I felt like I was skiing like an Olympic champ? Well, Ted took movies of me."

"I should think you'd like that."

"Like it? Wait until you see how I looked in those pictures. Did I look like a champ? I looked exactly like a middleaged, short, squat, stocky, lousy skier. That's what I looked like."

"And who were you expecting - a lady Stein Erickson?

That's when I slammed the door and the glass in the window broke and the house started falling apart, and it is all Ted's fault.

by Jean Sura

That's deductive reasoning.



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