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Katie is Junior Miss

Katie King is Clarkston Area Jaycees new Junior Miss. Chosen in a pageant Saturday night at Clarkston High School, she is now eligible for district competition. Brenda Lewis was first runner-up;

Jill Brown, second runner-up; Anne Birtsas, third runner-up; and Peggy Dougherty won the Miss Congeniality prize while Vicky Caverly was awarded the talent prize. Katie [left] is shown here with last year's Junior Miss Angie Kraud.

Reickel named to Bd. of Ed.



Eric Reickel, 39, 8135 Rattalee Lake Road, a resident of Springfield Township since June, 1972, was appointed to the vacancy on the Clarkston Board of Education created when R.E. Weber resigned last month.

Reickel, director of the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Department received the unanimous vote of the board Monday night.

President of Bailey Lake PTA for the past two terms, he is also a past president of the Michigan Recreation and Park Association and is currently membership committee chairman for the National Recreation and Park Association.

He is married and has three children, two of whom attend elementary school within the district.

The board named Albert Foster vice president of the board, a position which Weber had also filled.

Youth drowns in Whipple Lake boat mishap

A 17-year-old Independence Township youth drowned in Whipple Lake Monday weighted down by the heavy clothes he was wearing when he fell out of a boat.

Michael Claus, son of Rev. and Mrs. Ralph C. Claus, 9680 Sashabaw, was circling the lake in a motor boat after dropping a friend off at a duck hunting blind when the accident occurred about 3 p.m.

His drowning was witnessed by his friend's mother, Mrs. Clarence Kitson of 9500 Sashabaw.

"There was no one else on the lake," she said. "I called the sheriff's department, and yelled at Mike that we had help coming."

Her attempts to reach the youth's parents were futile—their telephone had been out of order for three days.

Also frustrated were the rescue attempts of the first police and Independence Township fire officers to arrive at the scene, because the boat on the shore had no oars.

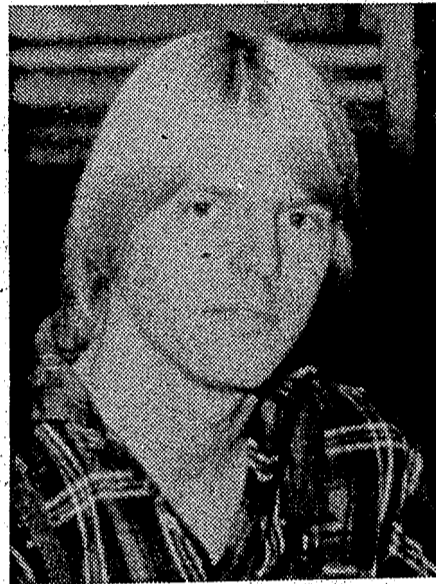
Independence Township Director of Police Services Jack McCall and Patrolman Tim Reetz paddled out on the lake by hand, but were unable to spot the boy.

Mike's body was recovered shortly after 4 p.m. by two divers from the Oakland County Sheriff's Department marine division, Sgt. Frederick Scholz and Deputy Tom Lenzion.

No one knows how Mike, a Clarkston High School senior, who reportedly was a good swimmer, fell out of the boat. The motorized craft continued toward shore, leaving the boy flailing the water some 60 feet out.

The water there is an estimated 25 to 30 feet deep.

The Kitson home is about midway down the length of the lake.



Michael Claus

When Jim Kitson, also 17 and a Clarkston High School senior, saw the commotion on the lake, he got out of the duck blind, walked to a nearby house and got a ride home.

"There were very good friends," Mrs. Kitson said. "Mike was one real, real good boy. He was a good student and a well-liked student."

Mike particularly excelled in biology and cabinet making, according to his school counselor, Margo Lay. He and another student, David Higgins, recently built a duck hunting "sneak boat" in an independent study class in woodshop. The boat was not the one Mike was in at the time of the accident.

"Mike was an outgoing boy with a great personality," Ms. Lay said. "He will really be missed at school."

Seniors are organizing a memorial fund for Mike, with those interested asking to contact the class sponsors or Jim Kitson.

How wide will M-15 be?

Newly elected state legislators representing Independence Township will get to work right away on a couple of local problems, if Township Supervisor Robert Vandermark has his way.

"I think the township board should take a stand on the widening of M-15 and get it to our state senator, state representative and the State Highway Department," Vandermark said Tuesday night after the board received a petition opposing the possible widening.

In presenting the petition, Clifford Irwin of 6665 Laurelton said he and his neighbors were willing to do what was necessary to discourage widening M-15 from Dixie Highway and then tapering it off and creating a bottleneck in a residential neighborhood.

The State Highway Department is exploring the possibility of widening the two-lane road to four lanes for 900 feet north of Dixie.

Vandermark said the first step for the township will be to find out exactly what the highway department has planned.

"The last we heard, they planned to

add a couple of feet to each side," he said. "If they widen it to four lanes, they're going to create a bottleneck somewhere, unless they plan to go right through the village—and I really don't think they're planning to do that."

Vandermark commented that the State Highway Department "has a policy of authorizing and beginning a project without notifying local officials."

"It's a horrible policy," he said.

The supervisor also said he would like to see legislation passed giving local government a say in determining speed limits.

Agreeing to pay one-third of the cost for a traffic control device in the school area on Maybee, board members said they weren't happy that the speed limit was lowered only from 45 to 40 miles per hour between Clintonville and Sashabaw roads.

One of the persons involved in that decision was a Michigan State Police trooper from the Redford Post, who "has probably been in Independence Township twice," Vandermark said.

Schools seek better public relations

Clarkston Board of Education will form a committee to study methods of improved public relations for the school district. The decision narrowly won acceptance following a presentation Monday by Trustee Carolyn Place who pointed out what other school districts are doing in the area.

She also cited board policy which spells out the needs for open communication. "I would like the board and the administration to communicate with the public more than just when there are millage votes or crisis situations," she said.

Polls have shown, she explained, a prime interest on the part of parents in curriculum and the quality and methods of teachers. Mrs. Place favored a periodic newsletter containing infor-

mation of the district to be sent home with students.

"We have been getting newsletters consistently and at open houses people have told me they feel they are communicating," countered Trustee Fernando Sanchez. "There are some parents who have gripes, and we're glad they have. We can't do a perfect job, but we're ahead of a lot of schools. Some people say we aren't, but we are," he indicated.

"When people passed the millage vote, it was a vote of confidence," Sanchez continued. "When we have more money, it will go to enrichment programs."

Administrators praised The Clarkston News for its school coverage. "If we were to put out a house organ, we would need skilled people to do the job and do it right," said Supt. Dr. Leslie F. Greene.

Board President David Leak said newspaper coverage was good, but maintained it was mostly negative as it dealt primarily with board meetings.

"In the case of the child-oriented group, they don't know what we do have. We haven't publicized it," Leak said.

Trustee Chuck Smalley added, "There's a certain percentage of parents (who are involved with schools.) It's not 100 percent. At least 30 percent don't know what their child got on the last report card."

Trustee Albert Foster agreed that the parents who attend open houses aren't really the ones the school should be talking to. He said during his first year on the board only 50 parents showed up at board meetings.

Voting to implement the committee were Mrs. Place, Robert Walters, Albert Foster and new board member Eric Reickel.

Sewer bids under estimate

Bids for the connection of six Clarkston School buildings in the Waldon Road area to the township sewer system came in considerably under the \$100,000 estimated for the job.

Of the seventeen contractors who responded, the apparent low bidder was W-M Contractors Inc. of Detroit who bid \$36,100 with work to start in 10 days and completion due in 60 days.

Bids ranged as high as \$119,000 on the project. They are now being reviewed by Richard Prince and Associates Inc., architects of Kalamazoo.

Sewer service will be extended to Clarkston High School, Clarkston Junior High School, Clarkston Elementary School, Special services, the Bus Garage and Warehouse.

Contracts approved

Three employe contracts were ratified Monday night by the Clarkston Board of Education. Administrators received an 11 percent raise, having earlier rejected a 9 percent increase.

Secretaries received a 15 percent increase to be spread over the term of their two-year contract, following sessions with a Michigan Employment Relations Commission mediator.

Non-affiliated employes, including mechanics, supervisors, etc., were granted 9.8 to 15 percent raises for one year, bringing their salary range to the new span of \$7,250 to \$15,192.

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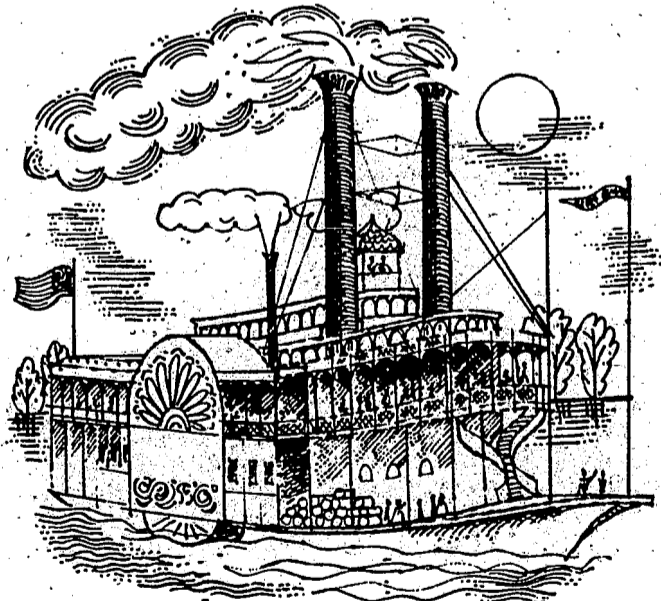
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Independence-Oaks development starts



While county officials broke ground behind him, two-year-old Andre Fortin scanned the site of the new Independence-Oaks County Park, which looms big in his recreational future. Andre attended the ceremony with his mother, Mrs. Earl Fortin of 8780 Perry Lake Road.

The first phase of development at Independence-Oaks County Park, in which some \$500,000 will be spent toward opening the county's largest park, officially got underway with a groundbreaking ceremony Friday, Nov. 8.

Attended by about 50 persons, the event was held on the eastern shore of Crooked Lake, approximately at the center of 781-acre park site.

The park is to be opened in July, 1975. Before that date, the county parks and recreation commission expects to have completed the park entrance road, parking lots, group day use areas, picnic areas, toilet shelter buildings, beach, bathhouse, boat launch and park control station.

Half of the bill for the first phase of development will be paid by federal land and water conservation funds administered by the State Department of Natural Resources.

The county commission last week applied for a \$200,000 grant from the fund which it would match to finance the second phase of development. To be started next summer, the second phase will include a park administrative office, maintenance building, picnic area expansion, boat rental facility, additional group picnic area, fishing piers, nature trails and picnic shelters.

Federal funds also accounted for \$667,892 of the \$1,452,566 land

acquisition costs. The county's share was paid by the .25-mill voted for parks and recreation by the Oakland County electorate in 1966 and renewed in 1970.

Of the five other county parks, Addison-Oaks has been the largest, with 700 acres devoted to snowmobiling, fishing, swimming, camping, picnicking and a conference center.

The 270-acre Springfield-Oaks park is being developed around the Youth Activities Center and a golf course which is now nine holes but will be expanded to 18.

Camping, picnicking and swimming are provided for on the 191 acres at Groveland-Oaks.

While the 140 acres of White-Lake Oaks has been developed as a golf course, the 131 acres of park property at Waterford-Oaks is yet undeveloped, with facilities limited to an activities building and administrative building.

The Independence-Oaks site lies west of Sashabaw Road and south of Shappie Road. Much of the area will be devoted to nature study and camping sites, with Crooked Lake maintained for fishing. At the groundbreaking ceremony, a resolution of gratitude was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Cohn of Detroit, previous owners of the park property who donated a 22-acre site which will be used as a pike-rearing pond.

Springfield rezones Garner property

The rezoning of a 13.62 acre parcel of land belonging to the new defunct Deer Lake Development Corp. was approved by the Springfield Township Board last Wednesday.

Hubert Garner, who has an option to buy the parcel located between Dixie Highway and I-75, requested the rezoning last August. The new zoning allows for construction of an expressway service center.

The Board was threatened with a lawsuit by Garner when it decided to table the rezoning in August. The acreage is adjacent to a 359-acre parcel in Independence Township over which Garner and the Independence Board are in litigation.

The Springfield Board voted to delay the request until the Springfield Planning Commission and Board could meet with the Independence Township Board in joint session.

That informal meeting between the board and the planning commission took place in September. Springfield Supervisor Claude Trim promised the township board would wait until Nov. 6 before acting on Garner's request.

The Springfield Township Planning Commission had recommended the rezoning while the Oakland County Coordinating Committee recommended denial.

Following Wednesday's decision, Supervisor Trim noted that the rezoning for commercial use was appropriate considering the location of the property.

One other rezoning and three final preliminary plat approvals were also granted by the board at Wednesday's meeting.

A portion of a 10-acre parcel belonging to Leroy and Ellen M. Smith of 8493 Andersonville Road was rezoned from residential to light industrial. The rezoning will allow for storage of equipment for a cement contracting company.

Final preliminary plat approval was granted for Englewood Meadows located off Dixie Highway. The land consisting of 41 lots on 25.1 acres belongs to Darell Adams.

Final preliminary plat approval was also granted for Tag Acres and Springfield Acres. Tag Acres consists of ten lots on nine acres at the corner of Schafer and Hillsboro Roads, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Salter of Davisburg. Springfield Acres, owned by the Morgan Investment Company of Pontiac, consists of 12 lots on 26 acres at the corner of Bridge Lake and Big Lake Roads.

Planners stick to low density for Reese Road

Independence Township planning commissioners continue to agree with residents of the northwest portion of the township that the area should be developed with large residential lots.

They have designated most of the area for rural residential lots in the proposed new zoning ordinance and have stuck to their recommendation in at least one case.

The owners of two 20-acre parcels on the east side of Reese Road asked the commission last week to change its recommendation on their property to allow higher-density development than the three-acre residential minimum.

Both parcels are in section 18, across the road from Clarkston Hills Estate.

One of the parcels, that owned by Kenneth Craig, was left with a proposed rural residential designation. A decision on the other property, owned by Edward Santala, was tabled pending review of changes proposed in the ordinance by Santala's attorney, John Steckling.

Santala, who brought the property during the interim it was zoned for

one-and-a-half acre lots, has planned to develop the site in a clustered housing pattern because much of the land has been found unsuitable for septic systems.

The 11 detached units in his development would be clustered on 16.5 acres. Steckling proposes altering the portion of the proposed ordinance dealing with planned unit development to make certain requirements more lenient.

The commission tabled Santala's request pending review by Township Attorney Gerald Fisher.

"The pressure from the residents is to increase rather than decrease the lot size up there," commented commissioner James Smith. "The areas behind it facing Allen Road are being sold as 10-acre homesites."

Referred to Township Planner Larry Burkhardt for study was the protest of Mrs. Roger Walstead, 7855 Sashabaw Road, who owns two acres adjacent to the township fire station property at Sashabaw and Clarkston-Orion Road. Proposed rezoning of the property is from Commercial to rural residential.

The Walsteads said that when they sold the fire hall property to the township, the government unit agreed not to change the commercial zoning classification of their remaining property.

Near the corner of Whipple Lake and Eston Roads, the recommended rezoning has been changed from 15,000 square feet to one-and-a-half-acre minimums on three parcels of property at the request of their owners, Donna Buhl, Cliff Banks, and Lyle Burn-

Mark IV offered at dinner dance

You may be able to drive home in a Lincoln Continental Mark IV next month. Clarkston Area Jaycees are selling dinner dance raffle tickets December 11 at Addison-Oaks Park. Only 140 tickets are being sold.

When school closes -

With winter almost upon us, parents of school children are informed of the school district's procedure regarding the closing of schools during bad weather conditions.

Roads are checked each morning to determine driving conditions. State Police, the Sheriff Patrol, the Road Commission and the U.S. Weather Service are also consulted.

If conditions are determined to be unsafe for the busing of students, a decision to close schools is normally made by 6:30 a.m. and announced on selected radio stations during regular news programs.

WPON (1460), CKLW (800 AM) and WTAC (600) will carry the closing announcements.

If severe conditions occur after classes are in session, the policy is to keep bus students in their buildings until buses can safely be operated. Students will be released only to their parents, to approved adults or by phoned parental authorization.

Further information is available from the transportation office at 625-3240 after 7:30 a.m.

Private roads cause yet another dispute

Independence Township officials have again been called in to referee a dispute over private roads—this one in the Sunnybeach and Thendara Park subdivisions north of Walters Lake.

A peace-keeping session was held Monday, Nov. 11 at the township hall, Supervisor Robert Vandermark told township board members Tuesday night.

"Some homeowners up there want to close Mohawk and others want to close Algonquin to Thendara Park," Vandermark said. "A few are talking about

digging holes and threatening to build barricades."

He said that in the opinion of Township Attorney David Lee there is an "implied easement" because of the number of years the roads have been used for access to Thendara Park, which otherwise would be landlocked.

The problem between the two subdivisions has arisen with increased traffic as more homes are built in the area.

Eventually, between 700 and 800 homes could be involved, Vandermark

said. The traffic now poses a safety hazard for youngsters, particularly on Algonquin, which in some places is only 15 to 18 feet wide, Sunnybeach homeowners maintain.

An "implementation meeting" is to be held Sunday between the boards of directors of both subdivisions to try to achieve a peaceful settlement.

One solution which both apparently agree to is the opening of Stickney Road to Pine Knob Road and of Michigamee to Whipple Lake Road.

Both were dedicated to the county when Thendara Park was platted in the 1920s, but the county has refused to accept them.

Representatives of both subdivisions plan to push for the opening of Stickney Road, hoping to get support from the township board at its Dec. 3 meeting.

Vandermark noted that private roads, although maintained by the homeowners, are considered public as far as use of them is concerned.

Deer Lake suit back in court

Hubert S. Garner, Deer Lake Development Company and Independence Township were to be back in Oakland County Circuit Court Wednesday, Nov. 13 over rezoning for a proposed 372-acre development at the north end of Deer Lake.

The suit was dismissed by Judge Arthur E. Moore last month when the names of the property's owners were not supplied.

Deer Lake Development Co., Inc.

has been defunct since 1971.

On the motion for reinstatement of the case, Deer Lake Development Co. is listed as a co-partnership.

"Apparently they executed a quit claim deed from the corporation to the partnership," said Township Attorney Gerald Fisher. "All of the alleged former owners now are partners."

At Wednesday's hearing, Fisher planned to move that the order of dismissal be entered.



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Construction on downward trend

Construction in Independence Township in October was down by more than 70 compared to the same month a year ago.

More building permits were issued for residential additions and remodeling than for new home construction, according to Building Department Head Kenneth Delbridge.

The department issued 26 permits for a total of \$218,170 worth of construction last month, with the

respective figures 45 and \$736,821 for October, 1973.

The majority of the money invested during both months was for houses: \$510,568 for 15 houses in October of 1973 and \$156,588 for five houses last month.

Residential remodeling and addition construction has remained relatively stable, with eight permits issued for \$29,332 worth of projects last month compared to six permits for \$31,900 in October, 1973.



Alex C. Mair, left, General Motors vice president and general manager of GMC Truck & Coach Division, Pontiac, congratulates Dennis E. Myers, a mechanic in the motor home plant, for his \$10,000 idea submitted under the GM Employee Suggestion Plan. Myers received the award for his suggestion involving GMC motor home component improvements. It was the first maximum award paid by GMC this year. Myers, his wife and four children are residents of Clarkston. He is a member of the Independence Township Volunteer Fire Department.

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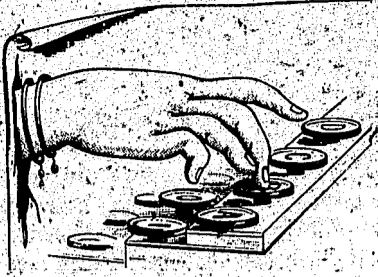
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Editorial

Breaking ground

We have, just recently, witnessed groundbreaking ceremonies for two new parks in Independence Township.

The concepts seem contradictory.

Generally, when officials turn a shovelful of dirt, they are indicating that the ground on which they're standing is about to become the first-floor level of something—an office building, shopping center or parking ramp.

But for both the 781-acre Independence Oaks Park and the 36-acre township park south of it, strong commitments have been made that much of the area will be maintained as second-growth wilderness.

Plans for the two parks have been presented as means of preserving open spaces.

Nature has "built" these parks.

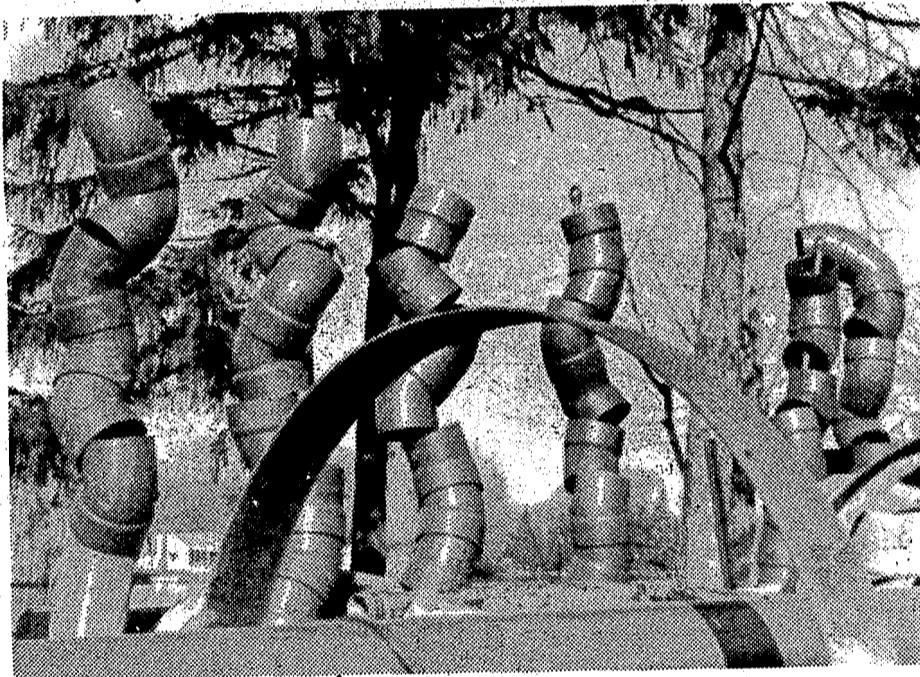
Men now are just making them more accessible to other men and, more importantly, their children.

As we stood watching the groundbreaking ceremony for the township park, we couldn't help but think that the place hadn't been bad looking until they decided to convert it to a park.

Directly behind those conducting the ceremony were bulldozers gashing a wide swath through a field to create a road.

We are not arguing with the necessity for a road. But why hold a ceremony which shows the development of a park at its ugliest?

Turning over yet another shovelful of dirt at a time like this seems inappropriate—perhaps officials should pose for photographs looking apprehensively over their shoulders for Mother Nature, who doesn't like being fooled.



Looking like knights of old, sewer tiles prepare to joust pollution.

'If It Fitz . . .'

It's all in the family

by Jim Fitzgerald



In honor of the birthday of Terrible Jean, the Fitz clan gathered at my house and voted unanimously that I should quit picking on President Ford and instead write nice things about my relatives.

The only hesitant vote came from sister Linda, the family expert on national affairs. She hadn't heard about Nixon resigning.

I don't know how we got on the subject of Stupid Jim writing a newspaper column. I'm always humble about my fame which has now spread to the very edges of my backyard. Perhaps the family was set off by the birthday cake which featured the regular heading of this column, in blue frosting, with my picture, firmly implanted under Plexiglas.

"I thought it was my birthday," Terrible Jean said.

"Shut up," I said humbly. "You're always picking on me. Read the fine type."

It said "50 years of Terrible Jean is plenty."

There is nothing remarkable about Terrible Jean becoming 50 and I mention it only by way of pointing out that she does have a remarkable birthday coming. A computerized projection, just like on TV election night, indicates that in a few years Terrible Jean will become the first daughter older than her mother.

Mother was there, of course, performing her usual party task. Which is to tell me to be quiet while everyone else is singing. Most of the real singing is done by



hill'n gully

Hair raising

by Jean Saile

I tried to give one of the kids a haircut the other night. You'd have thought I'd suggested bodily mutilation.

It was only an idea I had to avoid what I consider inevitable neck sprain from the constant head twitch to keep the locks from his eyes.

"Not you! You cut it like a bowl!" screamed the intended victim. He also considers barbers subversive.

"You never do it the way I want," he continued.

Who could?

"Wait until Pat gets home from school. She'll cut it," he added.

Obvious evidence of the generation gap—as far as I can see she whacks away with a razor blade with about the same results I get whacking away with a razor blade.

I must admit she retains a longer eye awning than I do, but then she won't have to pay for the glasses I'm sure they'll someday need.

Bangs cut above the eyebrows are taboo in our family. An exposed forehead is a sign of vulnerability. Somebody might see it.

As a short hair fan most of my life, I have never been able to understand the fondness for shoulder length locks washed, combed, brushed and maintained endless hours each day.

I am, however, more turned off by shoulder-length locks that are not maintained for hours each day, and I trust that someday our offspring will grow up and some girl will lead them literally to see the light.

I cherish a special fondness for the boys' infancy when every two weeks we stacked them in the high chair and "butched" them. It was sanitary, maintenance-free, and nobody confused the boys with the girls.

One tubbing did it all.

And then the styles got longer and longer, and scissors—let alone clippers—went out of mode.

I certainly hope Pat gets home for a weekend soon. She's got a lot of work ahead of her.

I even hope her razor blade slips—so she'll have to even it up all around; and maybe, just maybe, I'll get a glimpse of the Saile offspring eyes.

Meantime, I keep my hand in. I practice on the dogs.



THE WINNER

by Brenda Hopson

In am the addict; you are the square
Two different lives we lead.
When I am stoned, I have not a care;
My thoughts and my troubles are freed.
Enjoyment from life you give and you take

My life is a series of highs.
You can find joy in a lonely snowflake;
If I'm straight, then I'm looking for buys.

I'm better off than you are, of course
I practically always am ripped
While sometimes your laughter is brought on by force,
Thanks to weed, I'm completely equipped.

Everything's funny; life is a joke
Living's a drag when you're straight
I really look forward to the next time I smoke

Any my body just can't seem to wait.
It must really be boring to never be high
To know what you're doing and why
To know where you're at, where you've been, where you're going

For Life to be more than a lie.
I don't envy you; I could never stay straight

It's just so unreal, don't you see?
I'm going through life on pills of hate
Junkie, they've labled me.

But I'm really not worried, you must understand

There will always be pills to be popped
I'll get so messed up I can't even stand
Then maybe the shame can be stopped.
It's like I'm in a race; you're St. Pete at the gate

And I'm the hell-raisin' sinner
And I don't understand it - it must've been fate

I find that I've lost; you're the winner.

Terrible Jean, brother-in-law Jack, and my wife. They sound like the Andrews Sisters except Jack is bald. They always sing Irish songs which is nice for brother-in-law Tony, the Arab, who said if they didn't change their tune he would call his camel into the house.

Brother-in-law Bill, husband of Terrible Jean, is generally conceded to be the only family member who sings worse than I do. Despite several requests, we sang a duet. Tony's camel got up and went home.

Sister Mary Lou, wife of singer Jack, doesn't sing, although her lips are usually moving. She is counting his drinks. On her 50th birthday, the family plans to chip in and buy her a pocket computer.

So that no feelings will be hurt, it should be mentioned that the 4th sister, Nancy the Itch, couldn't be present. She lives in Cincinnati and couldn't make the trip because her husband, the family klutz, had a Little League tournament that weekend. He plays right field, naturally.

Aunt Florence and Aunt Madeline were there. Florence and her late husband got me into the newspaper business. She parked the cross she bears outside, next to Tony's camel.

Madeline cried at all the singing. I thought it was a natural reaction, similar to being tear gassed. But Madeline insisted she was crying because she was happy to be part of such a wonderful family.



Letters to the editor

Twice is too much!

It is unfortunate that when both a husband and wife are at work trying to earn money for a few extra things in life, their home is being robbed. This hasn't happened only once, but twice. Twice within two months is too much!!! What's worse is the sickening feeling that these punks, whoever they are, are getting away with this.

Thus far they have stolen:
 -Two Polaroid SX-70 cameras
 -over \$150.00 in cash and coins
 -a 22 caliber automatic pistol (with ammunition)
 -a diamond ring

-two watches and other assorted jewelry

Also, not to mention the expense of having to replace smashed windows and mangled doors.

How often can one assume these losses???

The Police can only help when they have some help! We can start helping by being neighborly and watch each others property. Anything suspicious happening at your neighbors--call the Police. If we can get only one of these creeps, then we have a start!!!

ARE YOU NEXT???
 An Outraged Springfield Twp. Couple

Center appreciation

To the Clarkston News:
 The officers and volunteers of independence center would like to thank the community for the wonderful response to our program on November 2, 1974. The community responded about 350 strong.

There are a few people and organizations that deserve special thanks. Without their help the program would not have been possible. First, to the Waterford Jaycees 1894 National Washboard Co. for their fine band. Also, to the Knights of Columbus that donated their facilities, and Mr. Brazier for his cooperation. To the Commander, Mr. Duane Ihrke, of American Legion Post 377 for his assistance with arrangements. To the many merchants,

including Tenuta's and Food Town for their aid in refreshments. To radio station WPON and the Clarkston News for advertising.

I would like to personally thank all the people, including my wife Pauline and daughter Kay, that volunteered their help. The officers and volunteers that called and offered to help to set up the hall and take down the tables, tend bar and the door a hearty thank you.

It was due to the help of all the community that the center was able to make about \$600 profit for the night.

Cordially,
 Bernard Speace
 Chairman of the Board
 independence center

Bicentennial challenge

Oakland County Board of Commissioners:

I cannot understand why Oakland County is not taking the necessary steps to assure that the 1976 Bicentennial activities will be of the best of any in the nation. Your continued apathy will leave us all high and dry.

At a conference this past weekend I met Ms. Charlotte Boyd, a full-time county bicentennial coordinator for Macomb County's Bicentennial effort. Let me list a few of Macomb's programs so far:

a) All 28 communities are approved as official bicentennial communities by the national American Revolution Bicentennial Commission.

b) 175 projects are solidly planned for 1976 in those 28 communities thus far - 28 are county sponsored.

c) Authentic bicentennial dress is

being made by Macomb Schools and stored by the county coordinator for use by all of the communities.

d) This week or next, the Navy Band will appear in Macomb to present each community with it's official Bicentennial Flag.

Local Bicentennial Commissions are of course busy making plans, but it will never leave the impact a concerted county wide effort can accomplish under a full-time coordinator.

Please step up to your responsibilities and meet the great challenges of our nations 200th birthday - 1976.

Sincerely,
 Robert D. Lay
 Chairman
 Independence-Clarkston Bicentennial Commission
 Box 261
 Clarkston, Michigan 48016

Anderson farewell

Open letter to the People of the 60th District:

Even though there seems to be little place any more for deep sentimental feelings, may I just express my deep thanks for the faith and trust bestowed upon me in the many past elections.

I can assure you much effort was extended in the hope that I could earn and be faithful to such a delicate thing as faith and trust.

May you also be assured in all those years I involved myself in nothing to

embarrass my State, my District and my family or myself.

I will be forever grateful for the privilege to have served. May the man you have chosen have all the happiness in public service he and I am sure his family hope for.

In closing, may I say to you the greatest thing that can be bestowed upon any man or woman is to be afforded the chance to serve others.

Loren D. Anderson



The new \$2.6 million Oakland County Medical Care Facility, for which ground was broken last week, will be located east of the existing County Hospital and provide space for 120 skilled care nursing beds. The hospital will contain facilities for occupational and physical therapy, a full size laboratory and radiology units, full size pharmacy, offices and a modern kitchen. To be constructed of fire-resistant material, it should be completed by the middle of 1976.

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JV falls to Avondale

The Clarkston Junior Varsity football team lost its last game of the season against Avondale Thursday, but finished second in the Wayne-Oakland league with a 7-2 record.

With four seconds left on the clock, Avondale scored from the one-yard line to break the 22-22 tie bringing the final score to 28-22.

The Wolverines had tied up the score

Tennis, anyone?

Tennis classes sponsored by the Independence Township Recreation Department will start Nov. 18 at the Deer Lake Racquet Club.

The sessions will be held Mondays and Wednesdays for four weeks, with beginners meeting from 9 to 10 a.m. and advanced beginners from 1 to 2 p.m. The \$25 fee includes a free babysitting service.

on a 55-yard pass from Don Farnsworth to Mark Czinder with only a minute and 30 seconds left to go.

Clarkston opened the scoring on the first quarter on a dive by Mark Czinder with Farnsworth making the extra point.

Avondale came into action in the second quarter to leave the halftime score 8-8. Two more touchdowns, one in the third quarter and one in the fourth, by Avondale brought them ahead 22-8.

The first touchdown in the fourth quarter for Clarkston was scored on a sweep by Farnsworth who also got the extra point.

Reflecting on the winning touchdown scored in the last 17 seconds by West Bloomfield two weeks ago, Coach Paul Tungate said, "I guess you could say we were 21 seconds away from first place in the league if you add the 4 seconds to the 17 seconds."

West Bloomfield finished first in the league.

Coach Tungate said that he would like to commend the parents for their wonderful support in attending the games.

CJH girls beat Reuther

by D. Bronson

Clarkston Junior High's ninth grade girls basketball team wrapped up their last week with two victories, bringing their season record to 11 wins and only two losses. The two games were the team's sixth and seventh victories in a row.

Balanced scoring was the key in the 68-46 victory over Rochester Reuther, as four players scored in double figures.

Anne Vaara led the way with 18 points and seven assists, while Jane Tatro played her best game of the season by scoring 17 points, grabbing 21 rebounds and making 10 steals.

Marcia Mason scored 16 points and 13 rebounds, and Pat Killian netted 10 points. Other scorers were Lori Cassidy (5) and Kay McMillan (2).

Vaara and Mason combined to score 42 points as Clarkston easily defeated Rochester VanHoosen 66-48 last Thursday.

Vaara hit 11 of 15 shots on her way to a game high of 22 points. Mason scored 14 of her 20 points in the first quarter as Clarkston dominated the play completely.

Utilizing a fast-breaking offense and a tough zone press, Clarkston scored 20 points in the first four minutes.



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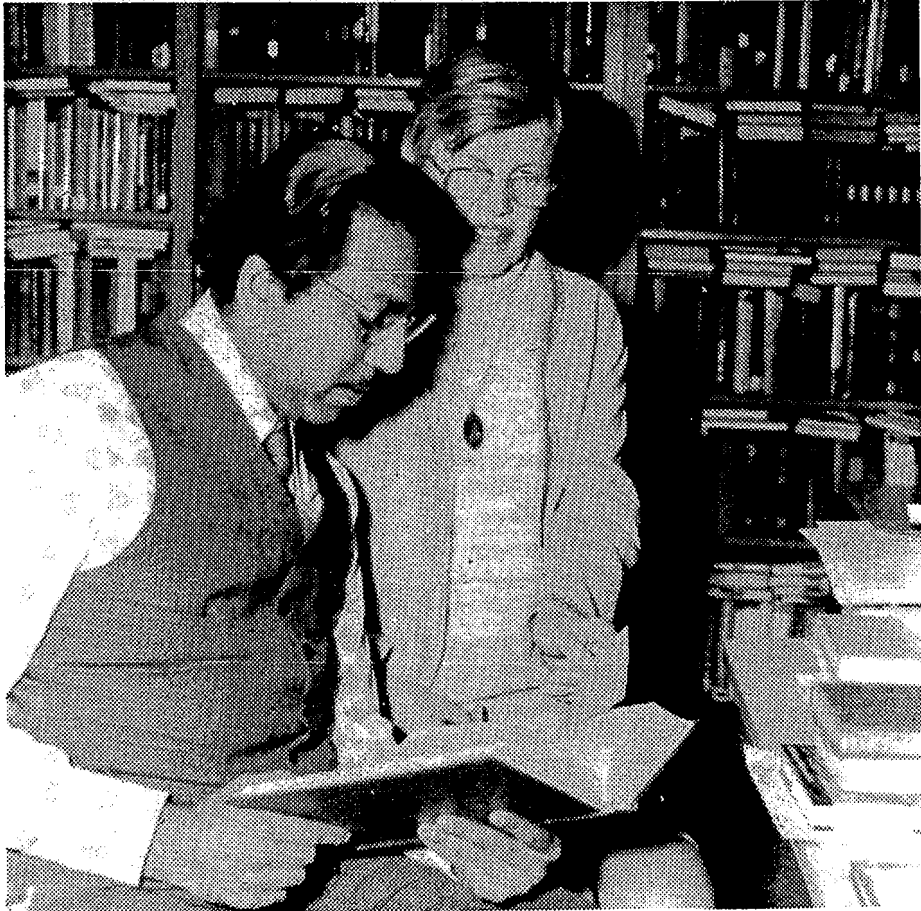
"The Yellow Pages is a great friend to have—especially when a businessman is just getting started," says **Michael Richardson, Dependable Battery Co., 13550 Dix Toledo Road, Southgate.** "Two years ago we opened our battery shop and placed an ad in the Yellow Pages hoping to draw retail business to supplement our wholesale accounts. You can imagine our surprise when we got a large wholesale account that had located us through the Yellow Pages! Wholesale or retail, our Yellow Pages ad more than pays for itself."

"When I bought Warren Rustproofing, one of the first things I did was increase the Yellow Pages advertising. We are now in five different directories. We don't advertise in any other medium because we don't need to. Approximately 75% of our new business comes from the Yellow Pages. Our faith in the Yellow Pages has been rewarded. Although this year and the one before were supposed to be slow in retail sales, we've done fine."
Jim Malget, Warren Rustproofing, 25600 Van Dyke, Center Line.

"A little less than two years ago, I decided to open my own driver training school," explains **Peggy Ostro, ABC Driving School, 542 West 8 Mile Road, Ferndale.** "As quickly as I could, I took out a large ad in the Yellow Pages. Why? Because it's the best source of business I know. At least 90% of my business, and perhaps more during my first year, could be traced directly to my Yellow Pages ad. The Yellow Pages is the most efficient advertising medium I know."



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Scanning a catalogue of potential new books for the Independence Township Library are librarian Sushil Lahiri and Aletha Rose, who has sold the most calendars in the Clarkston Women's Club fund-raising drive for the last three years. She presented Lahiri with a check for \$940, which the club designated for purchase of books and supplies.

SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOVEMBER 19, 1974

Notice is hereby given that the following public hearing will be held by the Springfield Township Planning Commission on Tuesday, November 19, 1974 beginning at 8:00 P.M. at the Springfield Township Hall, 650 Broadway Street, Davisburg, Michigan for comments related to the following:

1. Request by Alex L. Valentine, 9820 Andersonville Road, Clarkston, Michigan to rezone the following-described property:

a. Westerly 200' of Lots 2-14 inclusive, Wrival Subdivision, part of the S.W. 1/4 and part of the S.E. 1/4 of Sec. 26, T. 4, N, R.8.E. Springfield Township, Oakland County, Michigan to be zoned from M-2 district to R-4 district, to be used for single family homesites.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the tentative text and any maps of the Zoning Ordinance to be amended may be examined at the Springfield Township Clerks Office, 650 Broadway, Davisburg, Michigan during regular office hours each day Monday through Friday until the date of the Public Hearing.

J. Calvin Walters
Springfield Township Clerk

Village share of gas money down

Due to a 2.9 percent decrease in income for the State Motor Vehicle Highway Fund July-September quarter, the village of Clarkston will receive \$61 less than last year for the third quarter.

The fund, generated by the state's tax on motor fuels and license plates, is the major source of revenue for construction and maintenance of the state Highway system. It also provides road and street financial assistance to Michigan's 83 counties and 531 incorporated municipalities.

John P. Woodford, director of State Highways and Transportation, said collections by the fund for this quarter decreased by nearly \$3-million for the same quarter a year ago.

He attributed the decrease to Michigan motorists driving less and slower, thereby using less gasoline.

Clarkston will receive \$3,018 for the June-Sept. quarter. Last year, the village received \$3,079 for the same period.



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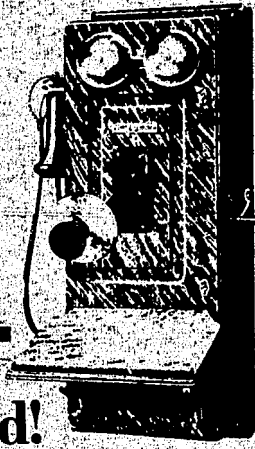
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BY Keith Hallman, R. Ph.

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Springfield Township now has \$14,000 available through the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CEĀ) federal grant program. The grant is to be used for hiring of unemployed or underemployed persons on a full-time basis in the township.

In July, Springfield was allocated \$7,363 which has since been increased to \$14,000.

The township board discussed what positions the money should be used for

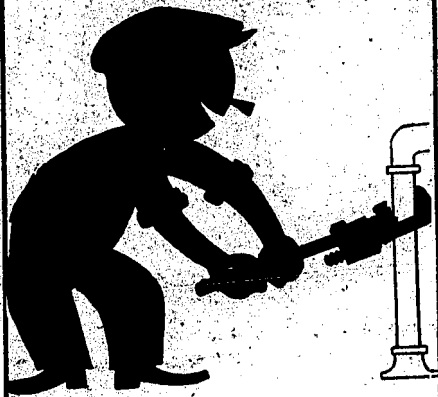
at last Wednesday's meeting. Hiring of a maintenance man, an office worker and a contract for an additional sheriff's deputy were considered.

Clerk Cal Walters suggested that an office worker be hired now and possibly a maintenance worker be hired in the spring.

A motion was passed to leave the hiring decision up to the people in the township office and to send a letter of intent to Oakland County.

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DOWN IN FRONT!

by Jo Ann Carlson

Meadow Brook Theater at Oakland University should be commended for its superb production of William Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night". The play is generally considered to be one of Shakespeare's best comedies.

Not only was the acting excellent in last Thursday's performance, but the set design and costumes made for a colorful and pleasing view.

The revolving turn table center stage coupled with perfect timing on the part of the actors, and actresses allowed for quick paced scene changes keeping the audience entertained every minute.

Donald Ewer, who played Malvolio, won much laughter with his flexible voice and choreographed walk.

But, it was Robert Grossman in the part of Feste the fool who won the hearts of everyone with the songs he had composed especially for that performance. The performance was interrupted twice by applause for Grossman's songs.

MariĀne Muellerleile as Maria and John Crawford as Sir Toby Belch deserve credit for the high energy levels they sustained throughout the entire performance. Neither lost their enthusiasm for a minute, and moreover, they remained entirely believable within their roles.

"Twelfth Night" runs through December 1. "Harvey", a delightful comic fantasy by Mary Chase, is scheduled for the holiday season at Meadowbrook.

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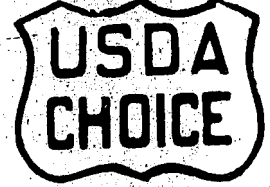
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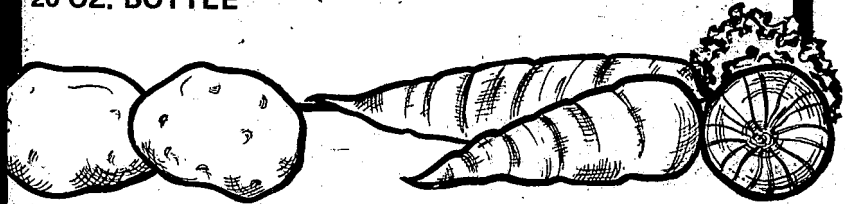
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Clarkston downs Avondale

by Bill Condon

The Clarkston Wolves wrapped up their season in style last Friday as they defeated the Yellowjackets of Avondale High School 44-14.

The victory was Clarkston's fifth in a row and boosts their record for the season to 8-1, giving this year's Clarkston Wolves the most wins of any Clarkston High School football team. Furthermore, the Wolves have managed to score 487 points this season (an average of 43 points a game) which is the highest of any high school in the state.

The first score of the evening was by Avondale, but after that the Wolves had it pretty well sewn up. The Yellowjackets scored on a 16-yard pass from quarterback Bob Mestrovic to Rob Beauchamp. A successful extra point kick by John Stoffer put the Yellowjackets in front by seven points.

But after that, the Clarkston defense cracked down and stopped the Yellowjackets. An interception by Clarkston's Jim Dyke on the Wolves 35-yard line set Clarkston up for a 65-yard scoring drive climaxed by a 30-yard touchdown run by Gary Molina. The conversion was made good

on a quarterback keeper by George Porritt putting the Wolves 1 point ahead.

The Wolves defense set up the offense up for still another touchdown. Late in the first quarter, an Avondale fumble was recovered by Kevin Ridley on the Yellowjacket's 14-yard line. From there it took a while, but in the opening play of the second quarter, Porritt scored for the Wolves on a 1-yard run. The on-target kick by Rick Gunter left the score at Clarkston-15, Avondale-7.

The Wolves were able to score again in the second quarter. This time they scored on a 10-yard run by Jerry Molina after pushing their way downfield. Rick Gunter made another successful extra point to bring the score to Clarkston-22, Avondale-7.

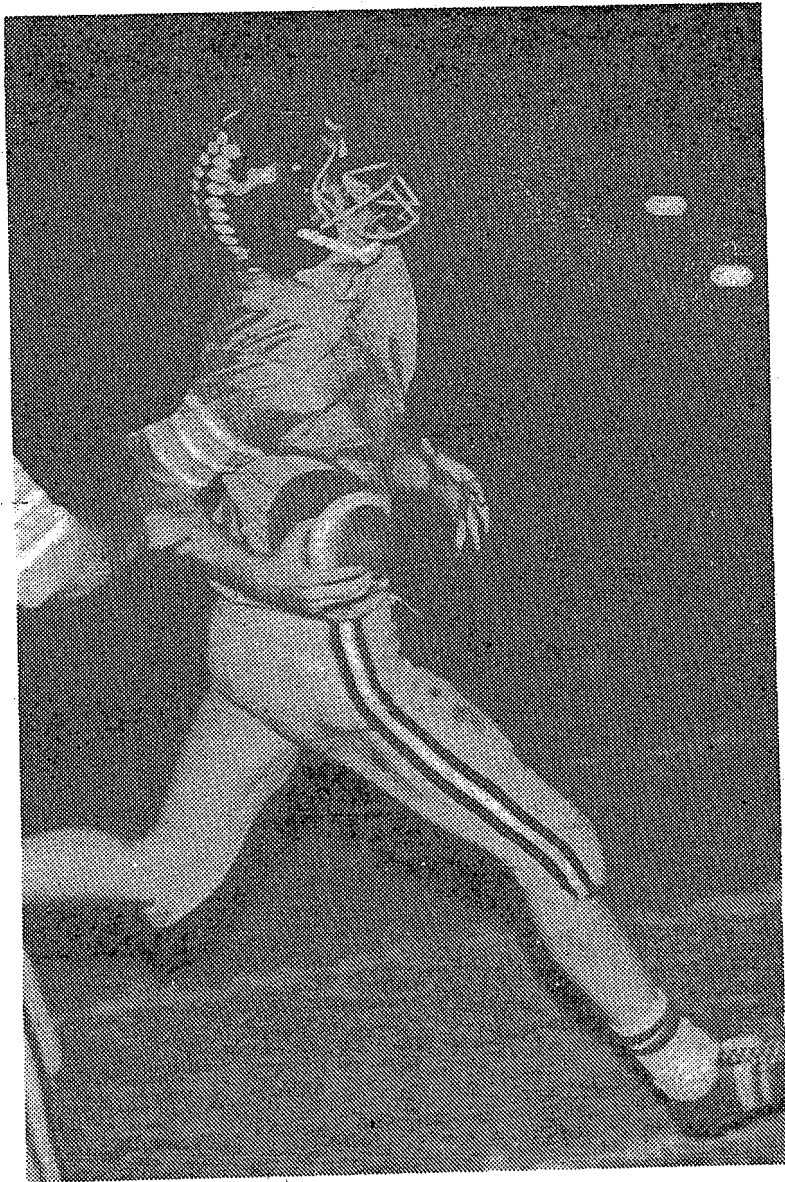
In the third quarter, Clarkston took over the ball after a punt on their own 35-yard line. From there, an 8-yard run by Mark Blumeneau, a 19 yard run by Jerry Molina, and three runs by Porritt, one for 11, the next for 16, and the final one, of 11 yards, allowed Porritt to score a second time for the Wolves. Another good kick by Gunter put the Wolves 22

points ahead of the Yellowjackets.

Again in the third quarter, the Clarkston defense played a key role in putting the offense in position for a touchdown. This time it was an interception by Mike Nurenberg on the Yellowjacket's 20 during the last play of the third quarter.

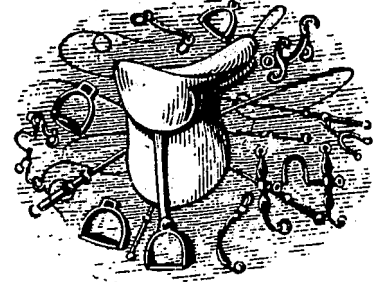
On the fourth play of the fourth quarter, a ten-yard pass from Porritt to Ed Leictnam was good for a touchdown. Once again, Gunter kicked the ball through the middle of the goal posts for the extra point.

When the Yellowjackets got the ball after the kickoff, they must have found energy somewhere. They moved the ball from their own forty-yard line deep into Clarkston territory to the Wolves 10-yard line. The Yellowjackets were then able to score their second touchdown of the game on a 10-yard pass from quarterback Chris Buck to Dave Morse. The kick for the extra point by John Stouffer was good. Bringing the final score to Clarkston-44, Avondale 14.



George Porritt accounted for 160 of the Wolves' 387 points scored this year.

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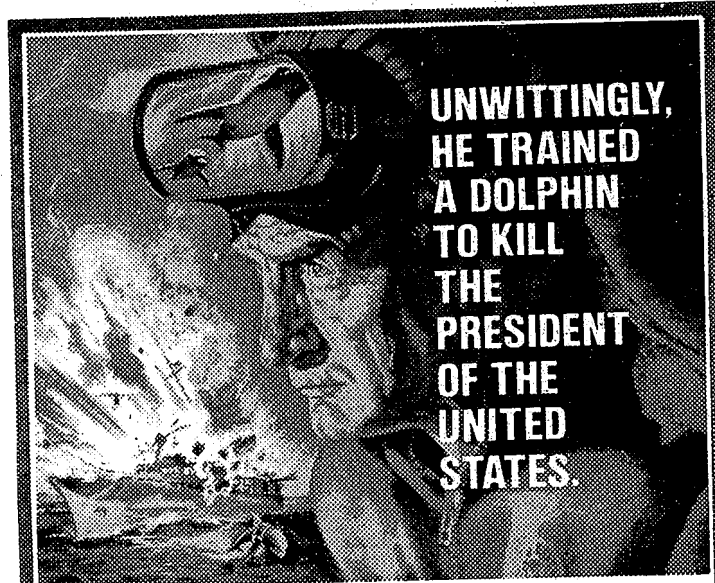
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It was a good year

by Rob White

I would like to thank the Clarkston News for giving me the opportunity to write a weekly column during this past football season. Also the parents and fans deserve thanks for all of the enthusiasm and support given us throughout the season.

The Boosters Club is an organization comprised of many dedicated and athletic-minded people. This club has given us their time and effort of many years while receiving very little credit.

This year, they donated a seven-man blocking sled to the high school. I honestly believe that without this necessary piece of equipment, our team would have won two less games this year. The varsity football team and I thank our many fine friends that are prominent members of this organization.

The seniors represented themselves well in the final game of their high school careers. It is only deserving and proper that these young men are the

owners of the finest record in the history of Clarkston.

Throughout their careers, these football players have made up for what they lack in physical ability with determination and dedication. I have never had a team with more tenacity and desire to win.

The team's victory last Friday gave them a winning record of 15 wins out of their last 18 games. This record rewards the many hours of weight lifting, running and practicing that it took to make them such a success.

We will graduate 28 seniors. Some of them will be all-league and possibly all-state football players.

Regardless of what transpires between now and next football season, the juniors and sophomores of this past year's team also have the desire to be great.

I see no reason why any Clarkston varsity football team should ever lose. With proper cooperation throughout the system, the winning tradition can be continued. However, it is always harder to continue to win than to win the first few times. I ask for parents and fans to

continue their fine support of all our games.

This is the last article and the last season for many of us.

Just a few statistics on the 1974 team: We scored 387 points and only 69 points were scored against us. George Porritt has accounted for 160 points through his running and passing; Gary and Jerry Molina scored 11 and 10 touchdowns, respectively; and Ed Leictnam scored seven.

This all gives credit to our fine offensive blockers and running backs. The offense live has accounted for our backs gaining 2,835 yards in nine games and 1,857 yards by passing.

Offense is only as good as the defense who stop our opponents. Our defense has been underrated most of the year. They certainly deserve much more credit than they received. However, there is no petty jealousy or problems of that sort. We are one team from the coaches through our 53 football players.

This is probably our finest accomplishment. I hope the parents of this community will continue raising such fine young men.

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Wolverines beat the Cougars

The Clarkston Junior High Wolverines beat the Sashabaw Junior High Cougars 28-20 last Wednesday in one of the most cliff-hanging games of the junior high season.

The game marked the end of the season for both teams, and netted C.J.H. its best record ever, 7-1. Sashabaw, who went 4-4 for the season, also has the best record ever made by a Sashabaw team.

With very few mistakes on either side, the teams battled throughout the game, trading touchdowns in the third quarter and battling the clock all the way.

Clarkston made the first touchdown, scoring in the first quarter of a 21-yard run by running back John Baker. A two point conversion by quarterback Tim Fogg put the Wolverines ahead 8-0.

But Sashabaw came back to score six points on a twenty-yard run by Scott Hool. The conversion was blocked, and the score remained 8-6 to the half.

The action was furious at the start of the third quarter, with Sashabaw scoring again on the 54-yard run by Chris Camp. The extra-points attempt was good, making the score 14-8, Sashabaw.

But, Clarkston marched right back down the field and scored again, Baker going in for a touchdown and extra point.

With the score 16-14, Clarkston, the Cougars started passing, and made their third touchdown of the night on a 40-yard pass by Camp. The extra point was blocked, and the score was 20-16, Sashabaw.

But again, now in the fourth quarter, Clarkston scored on an eight-yard run by Fogg, making the score 22-20. The extra point attempt failed.

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CHS girls winning

by Jan Modesitt and Kathy DeArmond
Last week the girls' Varsity basketball team showed both offensive and defensive strength as they overpowered Livonia-Clarenceville and West Bloomfield on their way to two more Wayne-Oakland League victories. The Varsity Wolves are now 7-0 in League competition and 13-1 overall for the season.

At Clarenceville it was Clarkston's ball game from the open jump ball. Clarkston led at the end of the first period 17-2 and had stretched it to 43-6 at the half. The final score of the game was Clarkston 71 - Clarenceville 15. The big gun for the Wolves was Cindy Hunt with 21 pts. and 7 assists. Dede Miller and Nancy Foster also tallied in double-figures with 14 pts. and 10 pts. respectively. Nancy also passed off for 6 assists. Laurie Miller collected 8 pts. and led all rebounders with 13. Autumn Matlock and Kathy Rush each hauled down 7 rebounds.

Clarkston's shooting percentage from the floor was their best thus far this season as they scored on 33 of 83 field goal attempts for an excellent 39.8% average for the game. Clarenceville hit only 4 field goals for the evening, as they shot only 8.7% from the floor.

In last Thursday's game with West Bloomfield, the Wolves were off and running as they outscored the Lady Lakers 23-11 in the first quarter. But the half, Clarkston's lead was increased to 43-19. The final score showed Clarkston with another easy victory -- this one by the score of 69-29. Cindy Hunt's scoring efforts led her to a career high of 25 pts., 18 of which were tallied in the first half. Autumn Matlock came off the bench to chip in 10 pts.

Once again Clarkston shot well from the floor as they hit for a 42.9% average

CHS girls in tournament

Clarkston High School girls' basketball team will begin state tournament play with district games at Clarkston High School Thursday, November 21, according to B.J. Hanson, athletic director.

Besides Clarkston, teams from Mott, Kettering and Waterford Township schools and Pontiac Central will compete in district play.

The tournament will continue Saturday, November 23, with finals Tuesday, November 26.

in the first half and finished the game with a 33.7 shooting percentage. Rebounding efforts were spread throughout the team and led by Laurie Miller's 11 rebounds. All of Clarkston's players figured in the 37 steals grabbed from West Bloomfield, headed by Nancy Foster's nine and Cindy Hunt's seven steals. Nancy Foster and Dede Miller each handed out four assists.

In JV action last week, Clarkston extended its record to 10-3 after defeating Clarenceville and West Bloomfield.

The Jr. Wolves had no trouble as they slaughtered Clarenceville by a score of 48-7. Mary Anderson scored a season high of 16 points. The rest of the scoring was pretty evenly distributed among team members with Kathy Glowzinski and Molly Korte next high with 6 pts. each. Kathy Glowzinski was the leading rebounder with 10, and guard Kathie Warren contributed 8 steals and 5 assists in sealing the victory.

Thursday night was a different story as Clarkston's JV's squeaked out a 33-30 victory over a much improved West Bloomfield JV team. Due to a 14% shooting percentage, Clarkston was down 17-13 at half time. A switch of defense and an improved shooting hand allowed Clarkston to outscore West Bloomfield 9-2 in the third quarter and 10 rebounds for the game. High scorer Mary Anderson not only netted 10 pts., but hauled in 9 rebounds. Cindy Steele displayed her aggressive basketball sense as she collected 9 steals and 4 assists.

On Tuesday of this week the Varsity Wolverest hosted the Barons from Bloomfield Hills Andover and will travel to Kettering for a Varsity game on Friday (Nov. 15th) beginning at 4 p.m. Each of these schools has only a Varsity team, so the Jr. Wolves will not be seeing any action this week.

On Tuesday, November 19th, both Clarkston's Varsity and Jr. Varsity teams will close out their regular season of play as they host the Redskins from Milford for the "Parents' Night" game. Starting times are 6:30 p.m. for the JV and 8:00 p.m. for the Varsity game. Parent and player introductions will be made between games.

Thursday, November 21st, will see the Wolves' Tournament team in action in the first round of District Tournament games hosted by Clarkston. Other teams scheduled to play in the Clarkston District are Pontiac Central, Waterford-Kettering, Waterford-Mott, and Waterford Township.



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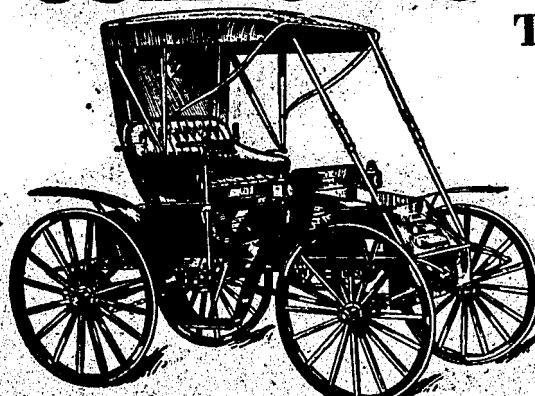
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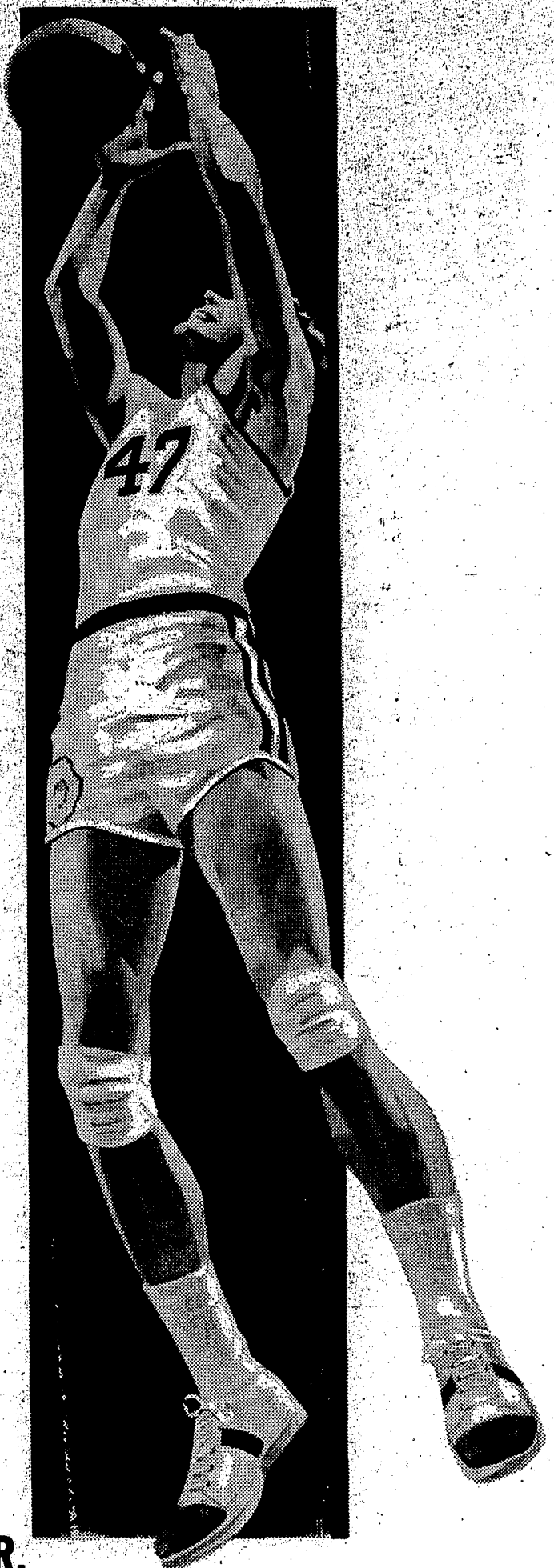
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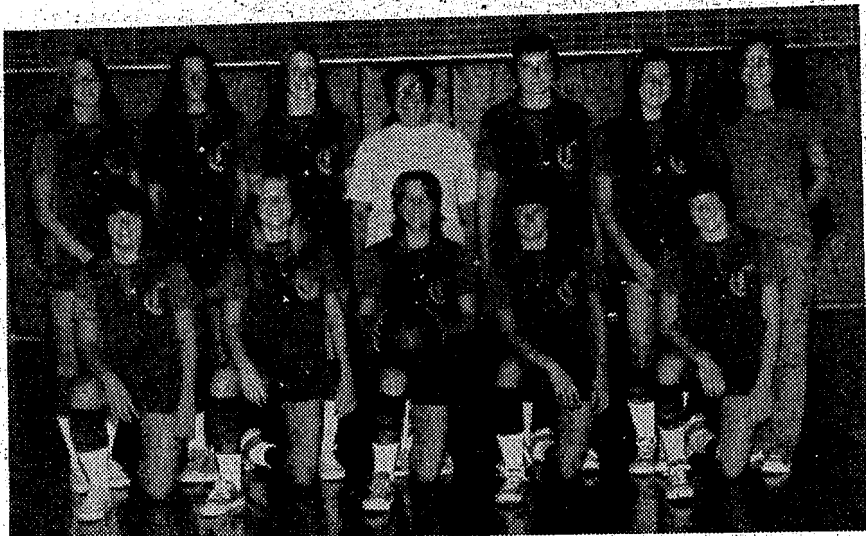
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The members of the Clarkston varsity girls basketball team are: [front row left to right] Nancy Chartier, Cindy Hunt, Nancy Foster, Diane Curry, and Dede Miller; [back row left to right] Kathy Coates, Sharon Bachand, Kathy Rush, Coach Jan Modesitt, Autumn Matlock, Laurie Miller, and Manager Michelle Strobehn.

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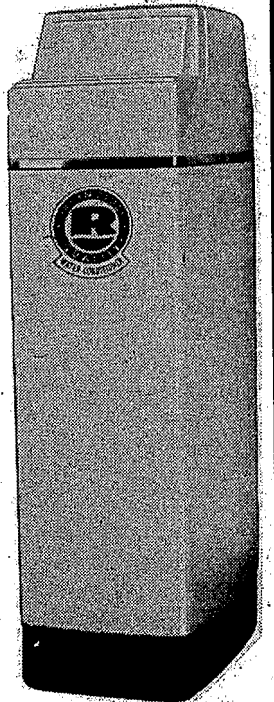
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Marion was born in Windsor, Ontario, and grew up on Detroit's west-side. After attending both Henry Ford Community College and Wayne State for short periods of time, he struck out to find a channel for his considerable energies, confidence, and way with people.

Sales was a natural. He was a manufacturer's rep for an aircraft parts company, and by the time he was 27 had visited every state in the U.S. minus four.

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Larry Marion describes himself as an inquisitive, self-taught individual who has tried to learn from others', as well as his own, mistakes. "I'm very observant, and I listen a lot," he says. "I believe I have common sense, drive and personal initiative. I try to apply everything I've learned to everything I do."

In his free time, Larry takes trips with the Hot Rod Association, and enjoys skiing, motorcycling and sailing. He golfs infrequently yet manages to shoot in the high 80's. Larry and his wife have two daughters, and he has another daughter by a previous marriage.

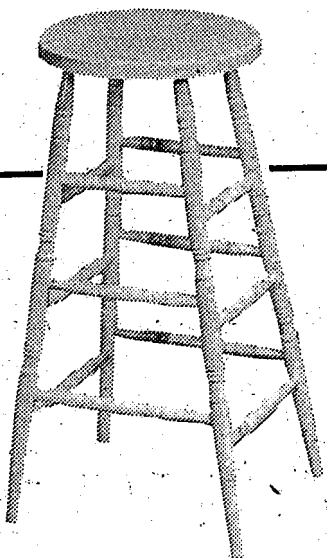


Larry Marion, salesman at Star Lincoln-Mercury, enjoys restoring antique cars. He's been working on this 1932 Chevy Coupe for two and a half years.

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TAKE NOTICE: On the 4th day of December, 1974 at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, Oakland County Courthouse, Pontiac, Michigan, before the Honorable Donald E. Adams, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Willa Mae Hayes for the appointment of said Willa Mae Hayes or some other suitable person as Administratrix and for a determination of heirs.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to said Willa Mae Hayes at 18 Esther, Pontiac, Michigan 48053, and proof thereof with copies of the claims filed with the Court on or before January 28, 1975.

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated: November 5th, 1974

Willa Mae Hayes
Petitioner

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Seniors enjoy skating

by Jo Ann Carlson
The Pepsi generation does not hold a patent on fun and good times. Senior citizens from all over the county are proving that older people can swing, too. At glance at the Waterford Senior Citizen Center's November calendar of events would make any organizer of youth activities envious. For a dollar a year, seniors 55 years and up can take advantage of the center's numerous offerings. Thirteen hundred seniors from Waterford, Pontiac, Clarkston and all over participate in the Waterford Senior Citizens' program. Barbara Murphy, the program director, said she would like to see more seniors from Clarkston and Independence Township join in the center's

activities. She indicated that the location of the center at 3101 W. Walton Blvd. is close enough to be convenient for Clarkston seniors. Six Clarkston seniors, none of whom look a day over 54, demonstrate their grace and ability every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to noon at the Lakeland Ice Arena. For \$1.50 each, they get the whole rink to themselves, and the owners of the arena, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Richardson throw in free skating instruction and coffee and donuts, to boot. A total of 20 seniors are currently enrolled in the ice skating class. When she was first approached on the idea of weekly ice skating classes, Ms. Murphy admitted that she was a bit leery. "I feared a rash of broken bones and

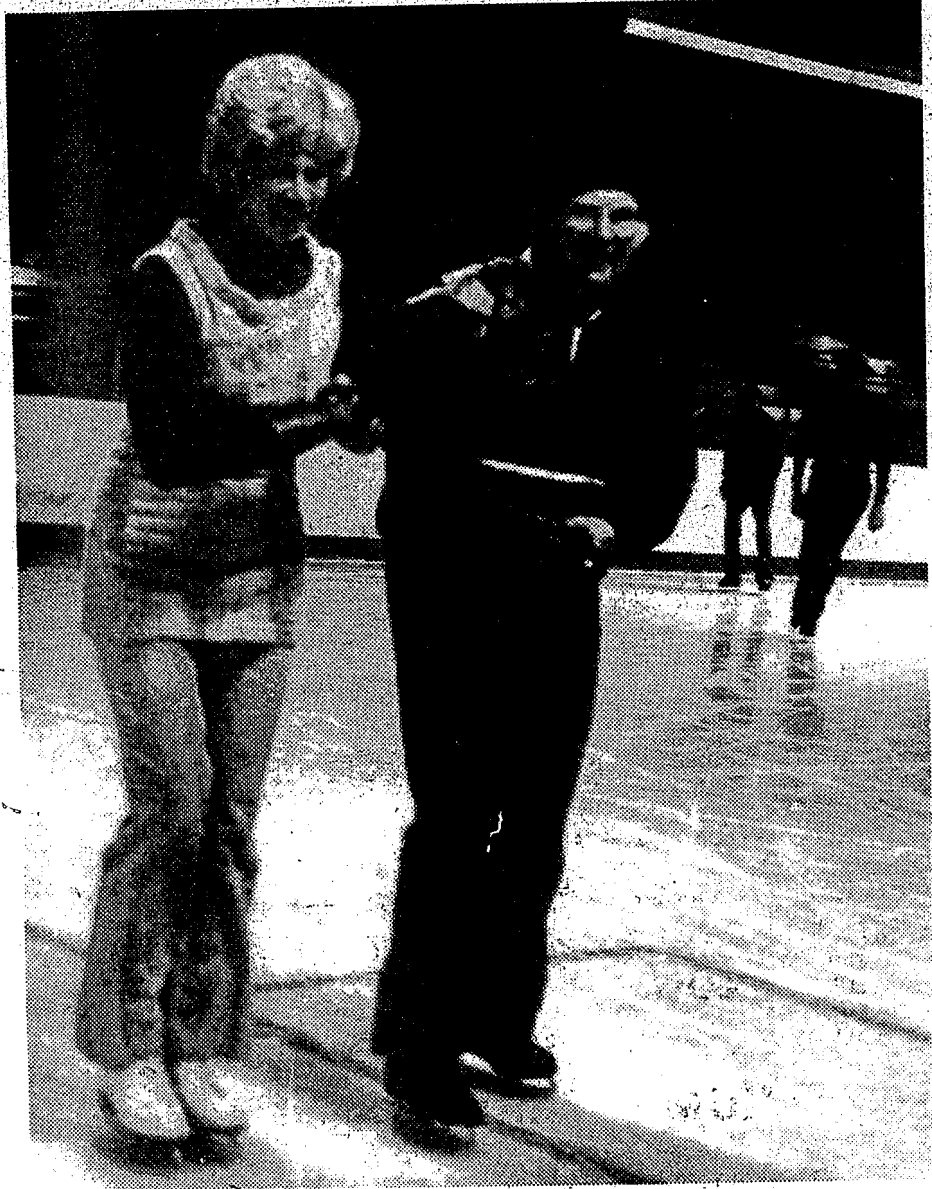
sprained ankles. But, as you can see, they all are wonderful skaters. Often you find that seniors can do many of the same things younger folks do, only the seniors do them better," Ms. Murphy said. She added that Mr. and Mrs. Richardson deserve a lot of credit because "they are practically donating the use of their rink." Every day this month except Thanksgiving and the day after is jammed full with activities and classes at the center. All of those classes taught by volunteers are free. Ms. Murphy said that when a senior teaches a class, she encourages the students to pay the teacher a dollar or so.

Besides skating on Wednesday mornings, early rising seniors can take in a game of poker at the center at 9:30 a.m. Yoga lessons are held at 2:30 p.m., providing a nice opportunity to relax stiff muscles from that strenuous morning of ice skating.

Creative writing, photography, ceramics, bowling and dancing are just a few of the many classes offered.

The seemingly endless list of things to do leaves one with the feeling that it is just too darn bad that one has to wait until age 55 to have a fantastically good time.

PLACES TO GO
The Drayton Plains Nature Center Organic Club's monthly meeting will be held November 20 at the Center at 7:30 p.m. Cecil Dumbriqué will lead the discussion on "Birds". New members are welcome.



Two Clarkston residents, Astrid Suurna of Middle Lake Road and Ralph Thayer of Miller Road, provided a touch of grace and elegance among the senior ice enthusiasts.

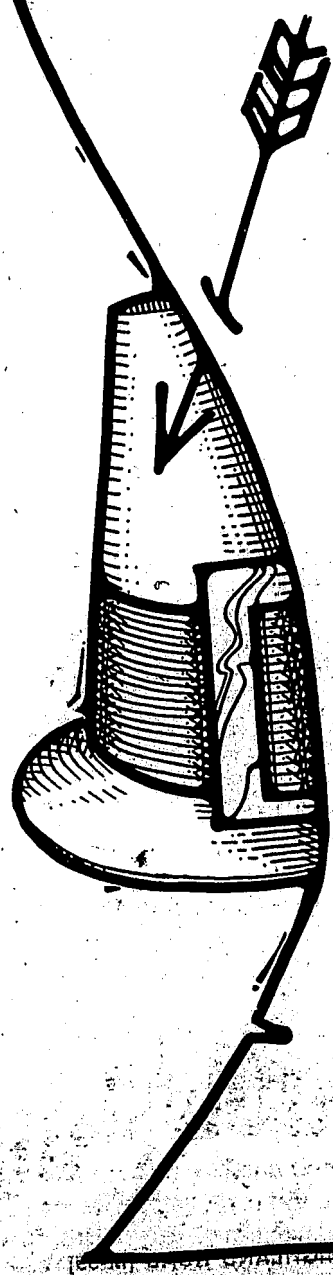
Special Thanks

Custom calls for a public thank you, win or lose, at the end of a campaign. I assume that all of you who supported and worked for me, know how grateful I am. I would like, therefore, to give a special thank you to my strong right arm, Denyse. A thank you not only for her efforts in the campaign but also for the sacrifices she has made over the last eight years I have been involved in local government. Thank you all but a very special thank you to my wife, Denyse.

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Democrats carried eastern third of township

About a third of Independence Township voted Democratic during last week's election, despite final returns which elected four of five local Republican candidates to office.

Democrat Trustee Fred Ritter was the only local candidate to break the Republican sweep of township offices.

A heavy Democratic majority was

registered in precincts 2 and 11 in the southeast corner of the township south of Waldon Road and east of Sashabaw.

The tallies were closer in Precinct 5 which is the south central part of the township south of Maybee, between Waterford Road and Sashabaw, but local Democrats still carried.

All but one local Democratic candidate also rolled up majorities in Precinct 6 in the northeast corner of the township, one of the largest precincts area-wise in the township. The precinct lies north of Maybee Road and East of Pine Knob and includes the Walter's Lake Settlement.

These precincts also universally voted for national, state and county Democratic candidates.

Proposal B, the Vietnam veteran's bonus, was passed nearly 2 to 1 in these areas, with a considerably less majority opting for repeal of food and drug sales tax.

In all but precinct 6, voters overwhelmingly turned down Proposal D, the transportation package. In 6 the issue was also defeated but only by 50 votes.

The remaining seven precincts voted Republican with the exception of races for Secretary of State, Attorney-General, State Senator, and five of them voted majorities for State House of Representatives.

Ballot splitting was common throughout the district, election workers agree.

Construction board of appeals named

A three-member Construction Board of Appeals was appointed by the Springfield Township Board last Wednesday.

Alfred Lopez, 9715 Rattalee Lake Road; Marvin Menzies, 6566 Farley Road; Frank Quinlan, 11381 Big Lake Road, were appointed.

Lopez is a licensed state engineer; Menzie has a builder's license; and Quinlan is a former construction

supervisor.

Supervisor Claude Trim said the board members will serve a two-year term and be paid \$20 each per meeting. He indicated that the person appealing would have to pay the fees.

The new construction board was needed to conform to state law.

Trim stated that the board probably will be used primarily by condominium builders.

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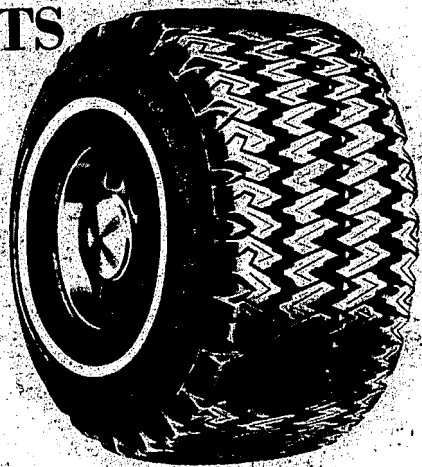


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H78-14	HTXMB		46.18		2.92
F78-15	HTXVT		41.24	2.58
G78-15	HTXVV		42.42	30% OFF	2.74
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F78-14	44HLD2		33.74			HH2L7	37.82	2.41
G78-14	44HLD3		35.04		30% OFF		HH2L9	39.49	15% OFF	2.55
H78-14	44HLD4		37.75				HH2MB		42.00
G78-15	44HLD7		35.86			HH2VV	40.44	2.63
H78-15	44HLD8		38.14			HH2VX	43.55	2.82
J78-15		HH2V1	44.78	2.99
L78-15		HH2V3	46.22	3.13
N78-15*		YCPV5	59.76	3.77

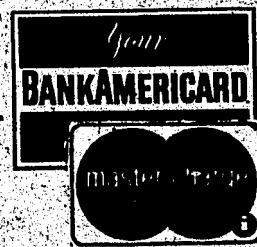
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Police more convenient

The police have been brought closer to the people they serve during the first year Independence Township has had its own law enforcement agency, Director of Police Services Jack R. McCall reports in his review of the department's first year.

The report covers the period from Oct. 15, '73 to Oct. 15, 1974.

McCall is satisfied that he has met with success in one of the main areas for which his job was established: better communication with law enforcement agencies that serve the township.

"The Oakland County Sheriff's deputies who are assigned to Independence Township work directly out of our offices," he said. "This program gives police services the direct communication it needs to process the flow of daily citizens' requests."

The department has received 404 requests for police action from citizens--"some of which could take as little as five minutes to process and others may still be pending after working on the complaint for several months."

Some 181 of the complaints were turned over to the sheriff's department. On the other hand, the department has assisted other agencies on 66 occasions, McCall said.

Traffic complaints in the township totaled 371 during the year.

"Traffic problems in and around township schools have been a major factor for concentrated radar enforcement," McCall noted.

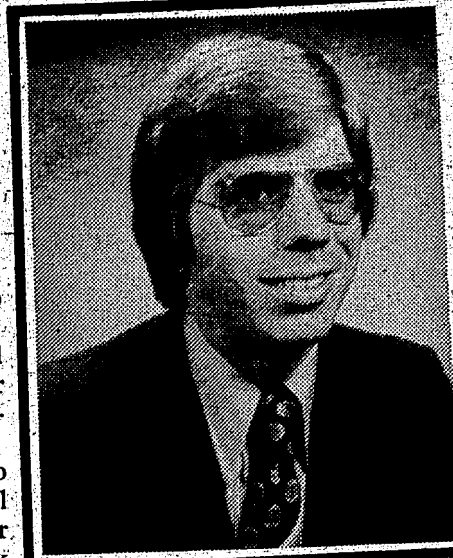
Local programs established to promote safety and crime control include providing identification for personal property, a house check program, an emergency business index and bicycle registration.

McCall also praised the members of his staff "who have put forth their best effort to make it a productive year."

Besides the regular hours put in by McCall and Patrolman Tim Reetz, auxiliary policemen have donated a total 1,213 hours, 202 spent in training. McCall's overtime hours which he donated to the township during the department's organizational year tallied up to 735.



"All Done" won the best of show in a student photography contest sponsored by the Flint Public Library. The photographer is M. Bert Hungerford, 16, a junior at Goodrich High School and a former Clarkston resident. Jason Kay, subject of the photo, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Kay, now of Brighton.



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INDEPENDENT view



A flap at Andersonville School over whether a teacher should be stationed at a desk, in the lobby to aid children who might be hurt on the playground during the noon recess has ended in a settled grievance between the Clarkston Board of Education and the Clarkston Education Association.

It was settled by a loaned intercom set, which the school secretary can use to notify a teacher in the nearby lounge that his or her services are needed.

The teacher contract calls for a teacher to be "on call" at such a time. The inaccessibility of the PA system, which is located in the principal's office at Andersonville, apparently triggered the flap.

Clarkston has not seen the last of the duck over population problem.

When village residents complained of an overabundance of duck "doo" and honking geese this fall, the council decided to make a public request that people refrain from feeding the ducks. Thereby, the ducks would have no incentive to stick around for the winter and would migrate south like they are supposed to.

It seems that not everyone is complying with the council's request.

Still reluctant to draft legislation prohibiting duck feeding, the council Monday night opted to send a letter to the habitual offenders.

The letter will ask for the duck lover's cooperation.

Clarkston Board of Education has agreed to put up \$1,500 or one-third of the cost of installing flashing signs to slow traffic on Maybee Road in front of the Sashabaw schools.

The balance is expected to be shared by Independence Township and the Oakland County Road Commission, according to Asst. Supt. Milford Mason.

The speed limit in the area has been set at 40 miles per hour. The signs, while school is in operation and generating traffic, will further reduce the speed to a 30 mile per hour limit, Mason said.

A parent, Mrs. Roberta Buckmaster of Maybee Road, was unsuccessful in finding relief for what she considers a transportation problem involving students during Monday night's Board of Education meeting.

She said her high school students are picked up at the driveway, while her junior high students, who live within a mile and a half of Sashabaw Junior High School, must walk along the busy street in early morning darkness.

She was told her students could be sent to another school, but she would have to provide the transportation for them. State school transportation funding regulations made exceptions to the rules too expensive, she was told.

An October meeting of the Clarkston Village Council which many Holcomb Street residents attended has brought results regarding traffic control on Holcomb.

The village attorney has drawn up a

rough draft for a traffic ordinance to ban-through trucks on Holcomb Street.

After reviewing the draft, at Monday's meeting, the council decided to submit it to Police Director Jack McCall to research through the State Police as to how the ordinance should be worded.

The Holcomb Street residents at the October meeting had also asked for radar patrol on the street to catch speeders.

A resident who attended Tuesday's meeting informed the council that the radar patrol was producing results. It seems that a certain Cadillac driver, whom the residents described as a habitual Holcomb Street speeder, is not to happy with the crackdown on speeders.

If you've ever taken the time to visit the Drayton Plains Nature Center, stroll leisurely down to the creek to feed the ducks, or visit some of the animals the center is raising, you ought to know it's been nip and tuck whether or not the

center will survive.

"We've bottomed out financially," according to Doug Covert, center director. "We've no place to go but up."

Doug, who hasn't been paid in some weeks, is hoping that a membership campaign due to start December 1 will bring in some of the funds needed to keep the center in operation.

He's planning optimistically for a full program starting in January with nature classes for adults and children, and even an animal first aid course to

be taught by a local veterinarian.

Right now, even the gift shop supplies are down. "We just haven't had the adult volunteers we need to keep it in operation," Covert said. He's planning to keep the shop open only on weekends after the new year.

Covert would be a happy man if enough people volunteered their time or their money to keep the center functioning well. "This past month has been spent in a very trying and serious reconstruction of our programs," he said.



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Voc school draws 86

Eighty-six Clarkston students are enrolled in classes at the Northwest Oakland Vocational Education Center, according to a report submitted to the Clarkston Board of Education Monday.

Brandon sends 31 students; Holly 57 students; Our Lady of the Lakes 28; Waterford Kettering 83; Waterford Mott 30 and Waterford Township 77.

Each classes is composed of 17 regular students and 7 students with special needs. The figures quoted do not include the 112 students with special needs sent to the vocational center by all participating districts.

A total of 546 students were enrolled as of the end of September, according to Herbert J. Olson, director.

New equipment ordered

The Springfield Township Fire Department will be getting several new pieces of equipment.

The township board approved the purchase of a battery charger, a 10 pound fire extinguisher and seven additional home radio receivers for the firemen at last Wednesday's meeting.

Three more 10-pound fire extinguishers will also be purchased for the township hall and offices.

A request by the fire department for 20 12-volt car monitors for the firemen's cars will be advertised for bids since each unit may cost anywhere from \$75 to \$125.

Occupants escape

Two occupants of a home at 24 Robertson Court escaped injury in an early morning fire Saturday which was estimated to have done \$2,500 damage to the home.

Mrs. May Laramie and Barry Robitaille managed to get out of the smoked filled home with the help of Independence Township firemen.

Fire Chief Frank Ronk said the blaze started in a couch in the basement sleeping quarters of the home. Robitaille had reportedly come home at 1 a.m. and was smoking on the couch before he fell asleep.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- FRIDAY, NOV. 15
Girl's Basketball - W. Kettering (A)
- MONDAY, NOV. 18
Cl. Rotary 6:30 p.m.
Joseph C. Bird #294 O.E.S.
N. Oakland Civitan 7 p.m.
- TUESDAY, NOV. 19
Ind. Twp. Board Meeting
Girl's Basketball Milford (H)
- WEDNESDAY, NOV. 20
Cl. Comm. Historical Soc.
Civil Air Patrol
DeMolay 7 p.m.
General WSCS Jaycees
Cub Pack 49 & 126 7:30
- THURSDAY, NOV. 21
Women's Club
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Ind. Twp. Planning Comm.
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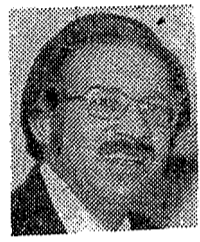
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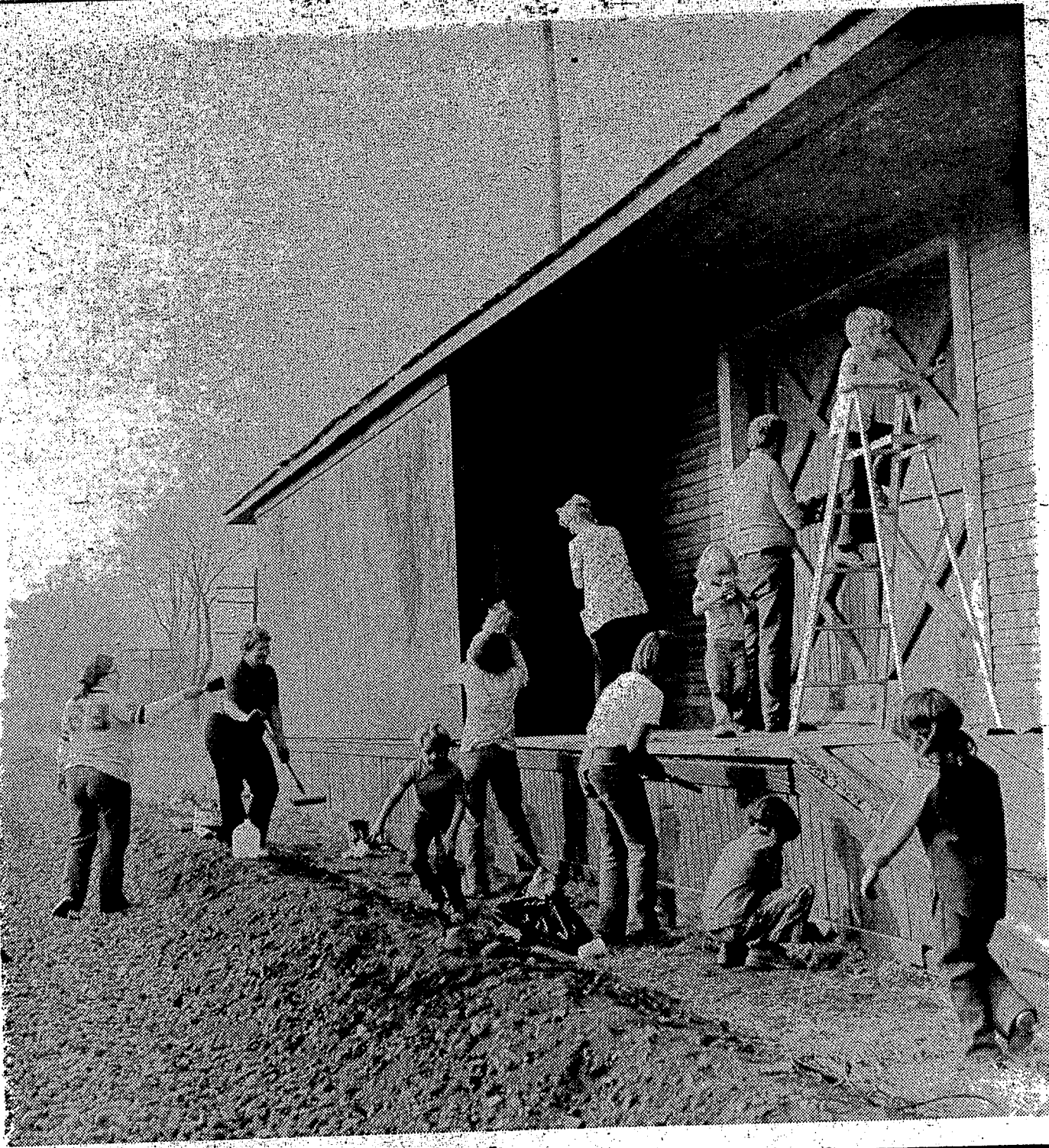
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Puppetmobile slated for young students

A visit of the Oakland County Department of Parks and Recreation puppetmobile to Clarkston District elementary schools is planned the week of November 18-26 to coincide with the visit of Artrain to the community.

Clarkston Schools PTA's and PTO's are funding the programs which will be presented to students in kindergarten through third grade. The upper elementary students, grades four to six, have been scheduled for Artrain tours.

The puppetmobile programs have been arranged by Mrs. Maryann Lytle, education chairman for the Artrain Committee, and Vic Chaisson of the county parks and recreation department.

New bicentennial officers named

The Independence-Clarkston Bicentennial Commission has elected a new chairman, Robert Lay, to replace deceased Bill Martin. Adele Powell has been named secretary and Ruth Basinger treasurer.

BAIT to hear appeals board talk

The Business Association of Independence Township (BAIT) will hear attorney Karl Karlstrom discuss the function of the Independence Township Zoning Board of Appeals when it meets at 2 p.m. November 20 at Howe's Lanes.

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Study shows:

Better roads could cost citizens more money

Several funding possibilities for improved country roads are in the offering for north Oakland County residents, according to Robert E. Pickup, executive director of the Citizen Research Council of Michigan.

His group recently did a "less than \$26,000" study of the organization and efficiency of the Oakland County Road Commission.

Among the recommendations was \$30 million priority road program in the next ten years.

The program, the council said, could be paid for in three alternative ways: a bond issue could be sold to raise the \$13 million needed by the county to use as matching funds with local communities, the county could levy millage with voter approval (2.3 mills suggested if cities and villages whose road costs are funded directly by the state were not to participate in the construction program, or 4.6 mills if they were); or local units would have to participate more either through local voter approved millages or from general funds.

The \$30 million program is \$59 million less than that recommended in a 1970 study undertaken for the road commission. "Projects have been dropped from that list," Pickup said. "They could be taken on later after immediate priorities are met."

The council reported Oakland County had been found to have more roads in poor condition than any other county in the state.

Unparalleled growth in the rural areas of the county is cited as a prime reason

for the lag, however the council also noted "historic failure over the years to adopt and enforce adequate policies in such areas as subdivision street standards and right-of-way acquisition."

In that regard the council recommended the provision of more complete

information for property owners in a proposed special assessment area.

It also proposed that the road commission take more neutral positions at hearings and that a panel of impartial hearing officers be developed to preside at hearings.

Vandermark says state funding formula must be changed

"It seems very strange that Oakland County, above nearly all counties in the state, is in a position where it must face heavy taxation in order to have decent roads," said Independence Township Supervisor Robert Vandermark.

Vandermark reviewed the Citizens Research Council report on the Oakland County Road Commission last weekend, prior to giving his comments to The Clarkston News.

"Many of the organizational changes have already been done," he noted. "Most of the rest needs to be done and the study was wise from that point. However, the overriding conclusion you have to come to is that all the structural changes in the world will not solve the basic problems the commission faces."

"There's simply not enough money to do the job. Bonding seems the least painful way to proceed, but a millage would still be necessary to pay the bonds. There's no way in the world the cities will give up state funds to provide better roads in the rural part of the county."

The supervisor contends that even with changes four years ago in the state's method of rebating gas and weight taxes to the county, the county is still in an extremely unfavorable financial position.

"When highly qualified management experts look at our demand for roads in relation to the available funding and say the only answer is higher taxes, and that organizational and staffing changes will help some, while other countries are in the position to fund decent roads from existing state revenues, then I say we should be working towards a much fairer distribution of state revenue," he concluded.

The council also recommended that commission policies and procedures in regard to special assessment improvement programs be reduced to writing along with the rules and regulations governing policy application, with both the policy manual and rules and regulations made available for internal use and public information.

The council also advised expedition of right-of-way acquisition, the improvement of procedures and manpower utilization.

The possibility of the road commission picking up 15 percent of total subdivision street projects costs, if township provide matching funds, is also cited, as is an alternative and somewhat lower cost and quality subdivision street design to be used on an optional basis.

These are part of 135 specific recommendations made by the council. Many of them have to do with improved efficiency through internal reorganization of the commission and better financial handling.

This was a "no holds barred study" said Road Commission Chairman William Richards. "Now we've got a blueprint that's going to result in a better unit of government."

"This report will not gather dust," he told a press conference last week, "but it's in our (the road commission's) prerogative to review each and every recommendation."

Some of the recommendations were implemented even as the study was being made, he noted.



'First family' at home

COUNTRY LIVING

By Pat Braunagel

As far as their home life goes, being First Family of Independence Township has its advantages and disadvantages for the Robert Vandermarks.

On the plus side, Bob is one of the few men in the community who does not spend precious time commuting to work. He frequently walks to the supervisor's office at the township hall.

Schools, their church and stores are also within walking distance of the Vandermark home in Clarkston Gardens.

Bob likes to work around the house, to make the Vandermark's home distinctly theirs.

However, he more frequently finds that he, with the help of his constituents--is bringing work home with him.

The periodic ringing of the telephone, which some might find distracting, is an accepted part of the Vandermark home life.

Bob gives his wife Mary credit for "really helping me out. She takes a lot of calls on homeowners' problems."

Besides fielding calls for her husband, Mary devotes a good deal of time to the Girl Scouts, Brownies and the Methodist Church. She also is an avid seamstress and has made most of the clothes in the ever-changing wardrobes of the two Vandermark daughters, Alice, 12 and Sally 8.

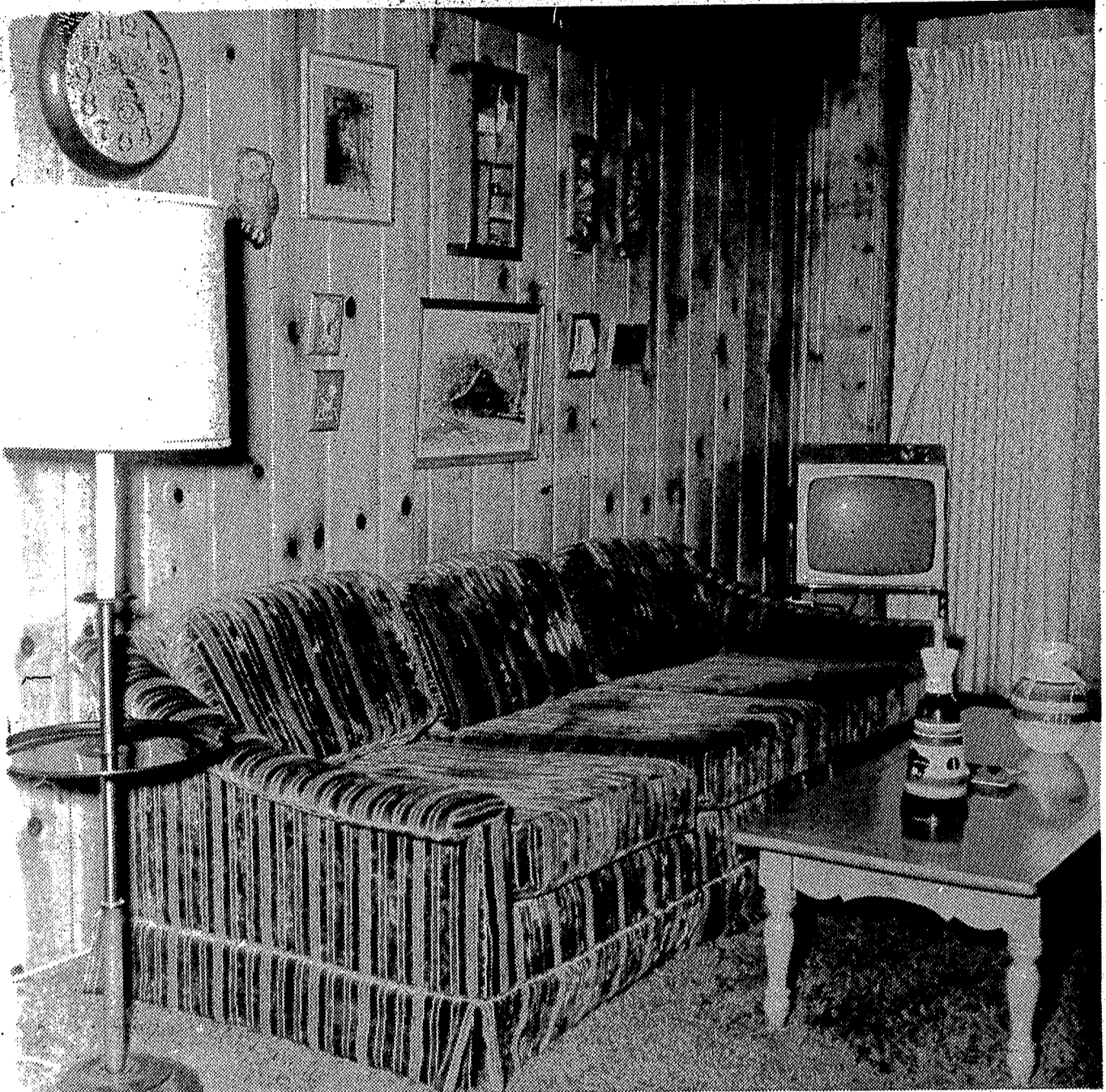
The house the Vandermarks moved into four years ago when he became township assessor is more than twice the size of the one they left in Berkley, which had been their first home.

It has three bedrooms and no basement.

"There are about 300 houses in this subdivision," said Bob. "Most of them are very similar except for what the people have done to them."

What the Vandermark's have done to their house--ranges from the Swedish-oiled shelves in the living room which were Bob's first handyman project as a newlywed 14 years ago, through Mary's distinctive felt wall hanging in the kitchen to the conversion of the breezeway into a family room.

They've also added a swimming pool, and this summer Bob plans to make it accessible from every room which faces it.



Knotty pine, red velvet, red shag decorate family room. Ute pottery is on the coffee table.

At the center of the house is the living-dining area, decorated in cool blues and greens which complement the view of the pool yard.

Both of the girls' rooms contain possessions which either are or will become heirlooms. A couple of Sally's dolls in her blue and pink room occupy

tiny rocking chairs--one which belonged to Mary's great aunt and the other handcrafted in Appalachia and purchased by the Vandermarks on a recent trip to the Shenandoah National Park.

In Alice's room, which she chose to have decorated in yellows, is what Bob said is "probably our best piece of furniture, if we ever get around to fixing it." It's a solid mahogany wash table. The table and the chair and stool which go with it had already had several coats of paint when the Vandermarks bought them. While waiting to become a project, the table is serving as Alice's desk.

Another interesting piece of furniture at the Vandermark's house is a Brunswick radio--probably 50 years old--in a Queen Anne Cabinet.

"We bought it from a guy who sold everything he owned to sail around the world in a boat he had built himself," Bob recalls.

While the Vandermarks have not attempted an around-the-world trip, they have done a great deal of camping in the United States.

It was on a camping trip to Colorado two years ago that they acquired the two pieces of Ute Indian pottery which is in their family room along with mementoes of other trips.

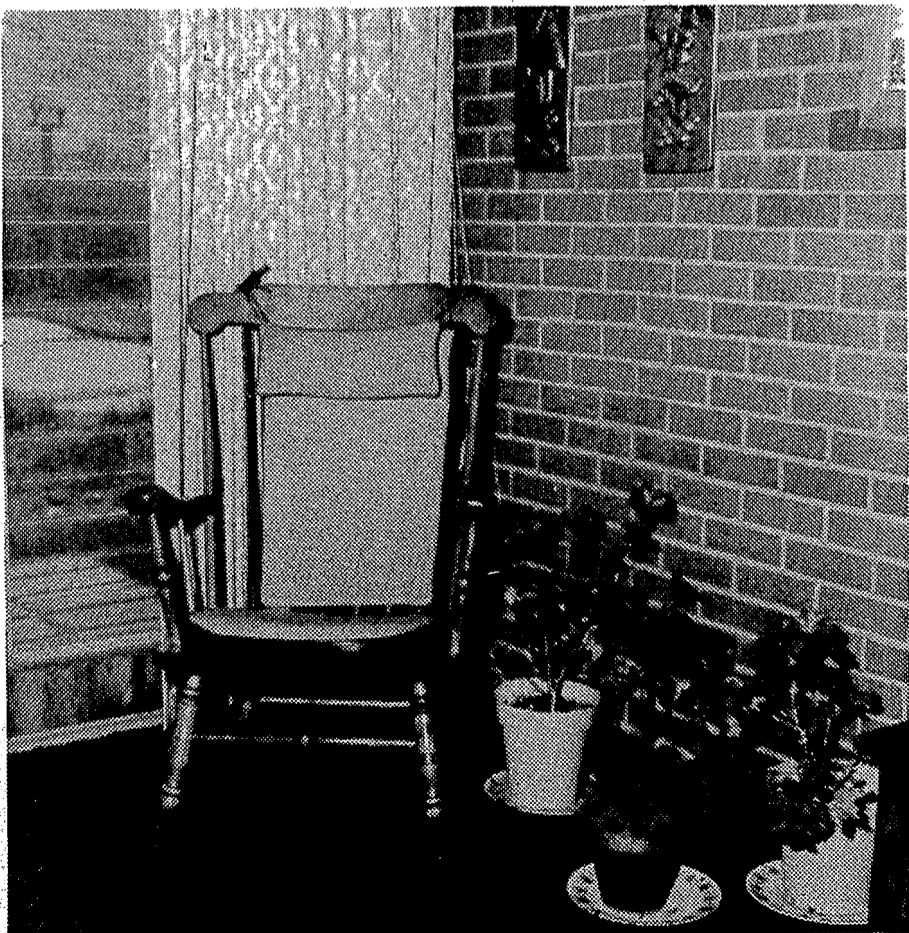
Alice and her father share an interest in Indian lore which they pursue as they travel.

While recalling past trips and making plans for this year's vacation, the Vandermarks still are developing ideas for their home.

"You never finish working on a house," Bob said, between phone calls. And the wonder of it is that he ever gets started.



Family pet Bo-Bo makes himself at home.



In the winter, some of the plants are brought inside to thrive in the Vandermark house.

Family tackles home projects



It's hard to believe this is a corner of the room that was 'smoke-filled' during the recent political campaign -- when Bob held meetings in the family room he created himself.

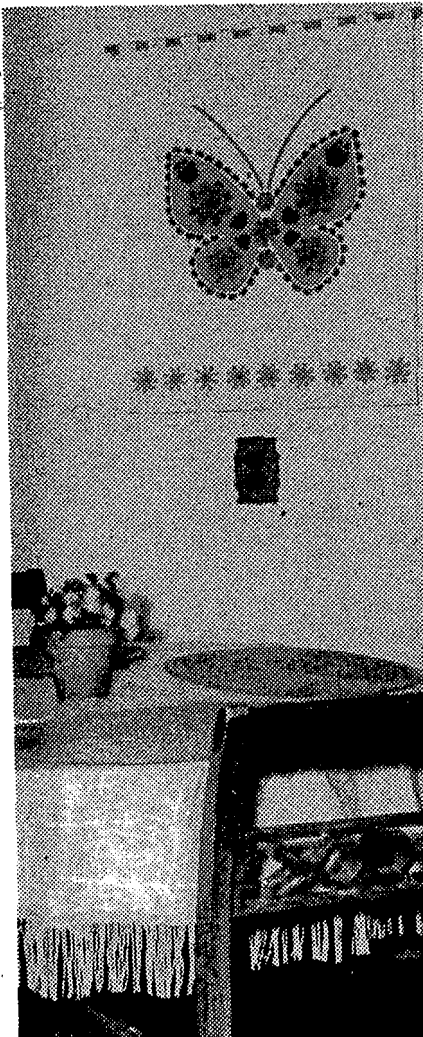
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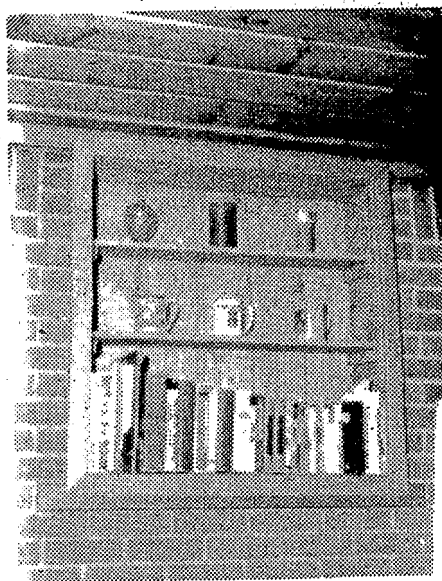
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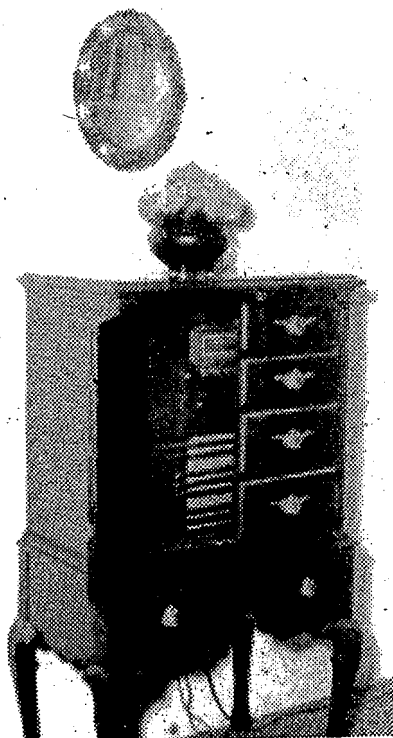
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Stuffed animals indicate Alice shares tastes of other 12-year-old girls.



New shelves (above) and old radio (right) are part of the personality of the Vandermark house.



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by Ron Gray

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by Bob & Marvel White

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BY THE THIRD EYE

Well, let's reevaluate the election predictions. I blew three of them -- the Kammer-Lodge race, the Trim-Anderson race and the Dunleavy-Crowley race. I did call Milliken and Murphy and the Independence township winners correctly.

Someone pointed out to me that all the members of the Independence Township board now have addresses in the 6000's.

Using a book on numerology, I've discovered that:

One member writes to state his case and let others know what he thinks. This is a period of action rather than delay. He can become creative through change, activity and travel, the freedom to be responsible, excitement and discovery. Be prepared for pressure of taking care not only of yourself but of those you have influenced, attracted and won over.

Two members find the home the most important part of life, but they are attracted to activity in community affairs. These take better care of personal appearance and general surrounding. They tend to indulge themselves. Their evenings are more than likely to be spent at home than elsewhere. They can gain through patience. They should offer rather than try to shove. These think well of themselves and others do, too. They lose if they are demanding, insistent, impatient.

Another member enjoys travel, has long range plans which are flexible, versatile and lighthearted. This member helps avoid panic, but tends to try too much at once. People tend to take this person too seriously, they prefer to party. Social contacts bear fruit.

The fifth member of the board is asking to become a master in his field. He had to be careful to stay well balanced. He has a dream, paramount in importance, compulsive. His intuitive intellect in honed to razor sharpness. He is unorthodox, and must have the courage of his convictions and the overwhelming desire to have them take effect. He must also share the convictions.

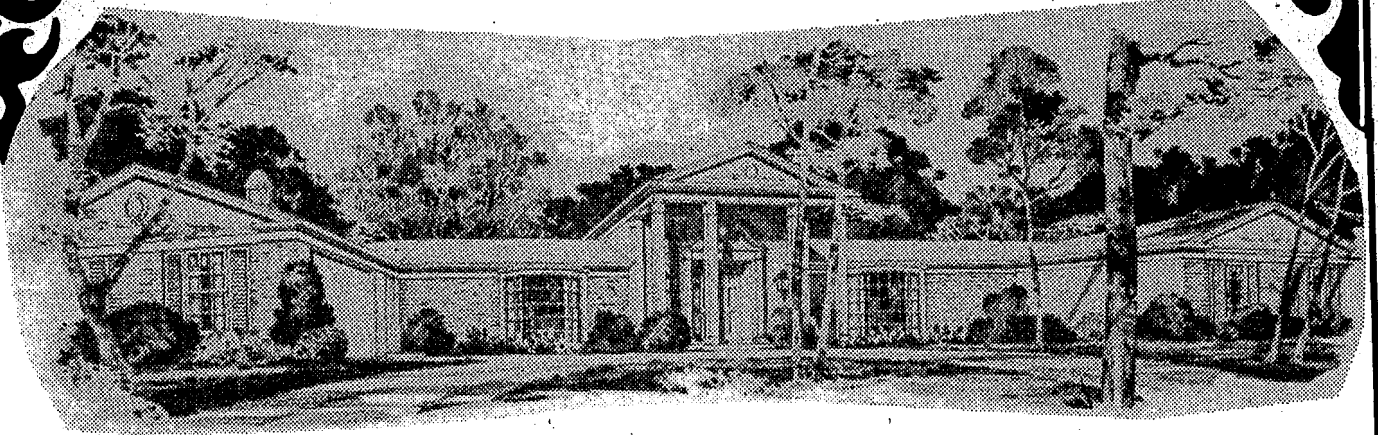
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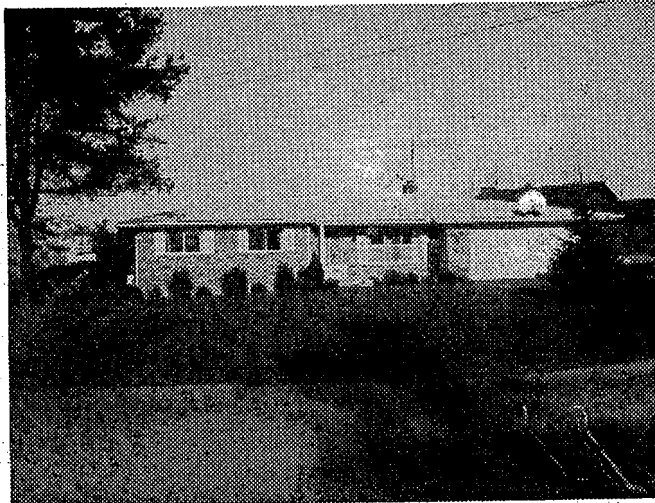
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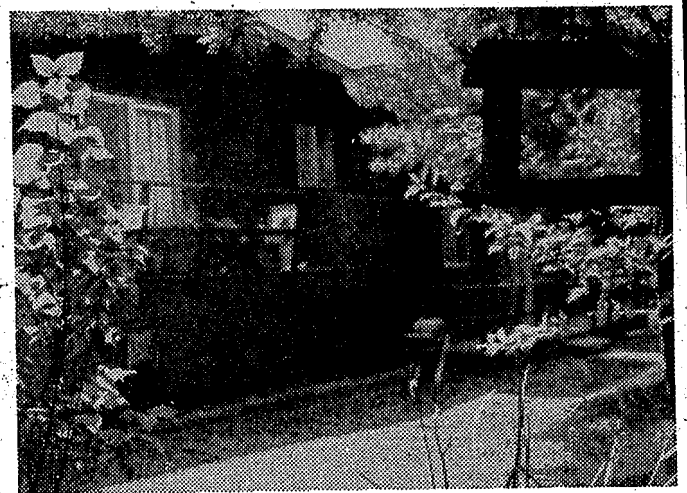


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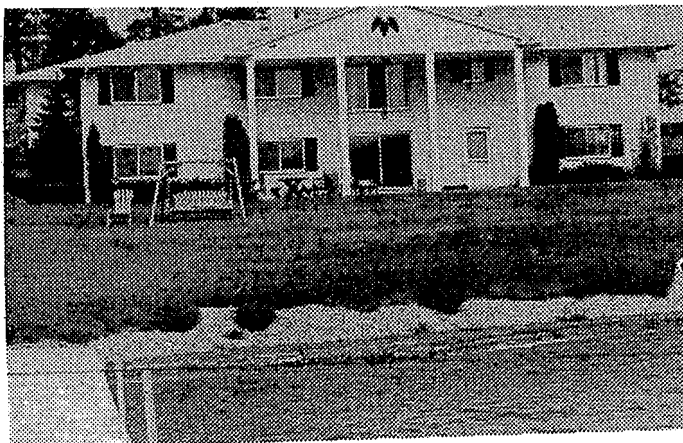
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Communication versus rebellion

by James and Ellen Windell

Psychological staff members of the Oakland County Juvenile Court and Clinical Resources, Incorporated

In a group session in which family communication styles are being discussed, a mother said that she thought that she exemplified the authoritarian style.

The authoritarian style of parenting involves telling children what to do in a demanding way and being rigid and punitive. Rigidity would be reflected in the following words of authoritarian father: "In my house there is no grey. Everything is black or white." Usually, such parents leave little room for the

child's feelings or opinions. The pervading feeling from the parents is "Do it my way or else."

The mother referred to above indicated that she did not allow her children to participate in any decision-making responsibilities. Ever since they were young, she had directed all of their activities. However, now that they were adolescents, they were rebellious and no longer wanted to be subservient to her. They had long passed the stage where

they obeyed her out of fear, partly because both daughters were now taller than she.

This mother found that she was provoking two kinds of responses from her daughters. One involved anger, arguments, and name-calling ending up with doors getting slammed and mutual bad feelings for several hours.

The other girl would refuse to talk to her mother or ever look at her, giving her a mother the feeling that she wasn't listening and didn't care what her mother had to say. In both cases, this mother was frustrated and tended to increase her demands and her talking at her children, with occasional losses of control when she would slap them.

With her discovery of her characteristic ways of communicating with her youngsters, she decided she had nothing to lose by switching to a more problem-oriented style of communication which would allow the girls more autonomy and independence.

She began to ask questions instead of always making demands and she allowed them to be directly involved in some decisions. When she was able to relax some of the household rules and be less rigidly demanding, she found that her voice went down, her popularity with her daughters went up, and more satisfying communication occurred without nearly as many doors being slammed.

A Newcomers View

Could church be senior shop?

by Nancy Keyes

Hopefully, the structural survey of the old Methodist Church on Buffalo Street will conclude that the church is worth saving. If that should happen, of course, the next problem becomes what purpose the church should serve once it has been restored.

Suggestions have been made that it become a community center or possibly a home for the Clarkston Historical Society. While these proposals deserve consideration, here's another idea.

How about a Golden Hobby Shop? This would be a spot where anyone in Oakland County over 60 could display and sell handcraft items. Although it would operate on a non-profit basis, those who contributed things would receive the asking price minus 10% which would go to cover maintenance and overhead. I know of one such shop which runs itself almost entirely with the seniors themselves volunteering as shopkeepers. Contributors set their own

prices and only one person is paid a salary to oversee the operation. (In my example, the recreation department foots the bill for this.)

The shop I've mentioned has been so successful that it now has monthly specials. So, if it's quilt month, demonstrations are given and an unusual number of quilts are displayed and offered for sale. Unique and irreplaceable items are everyday occurrences. One of the finest chess boards I've ever seen was crafted by a senior who over the years had collected rare and exotic woods.

For senior citizens with fixed incomes who are struggling to make ends meet, this kind of shop can provide a few extra dollars a month. For others, it provides an interest and an outlet for arts and hobbies developed over lifetimes. Perhaps, it is most exciting for those who have such a shop in their community where they can select from handmade objects, gifts for special friends or self-indulgences sure to brighten those dingy corners of a room.

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Jim's Jottings

by Jim Sherman

As near as we can tell we picked the right time of year to go to Disney World. There were none of the crowds others have warned us of.

Naturally, the choice of dates was made after considerable thought ... it coincided with our silver wedding anniversary. We went south on our honeymoon, too, and with 3 less kids.

In a week or two we'll review Walt Disney World of Orlando, Florida in considerable detail, but maybe a few tidbits now will whet the appetite.

In the first place the entire grounds, all 23,000 plus acres are clean and inviting. The managers of this production should package their program and sell it to cities.

Either that or they should set up a management training school, charge several dollars and the king should rule that all mayors, presidents and town managers attend.

Of course, cleanliness can be ruled in private enterprise, but not in government. Out here in public rule we can toss trash along the road

we live on, look at it every day and wonder at the dummies littering our land.

The cleanliness is not peculiar to the property either. The employes are just as clean and inviting. Especially that monorail conductress we chatted with. She had her bachelor's degree and here she is running a train. Back when my ol' man was a railroad man the engineer didn't have a college degree. Or, so he said anyway. Of course, dad worked in the yard.

The clerks, attendants, and the stuffed animals walking the grounds are friendly and considerate. They pose with you (you should see me with a bear), give directions, and smile.

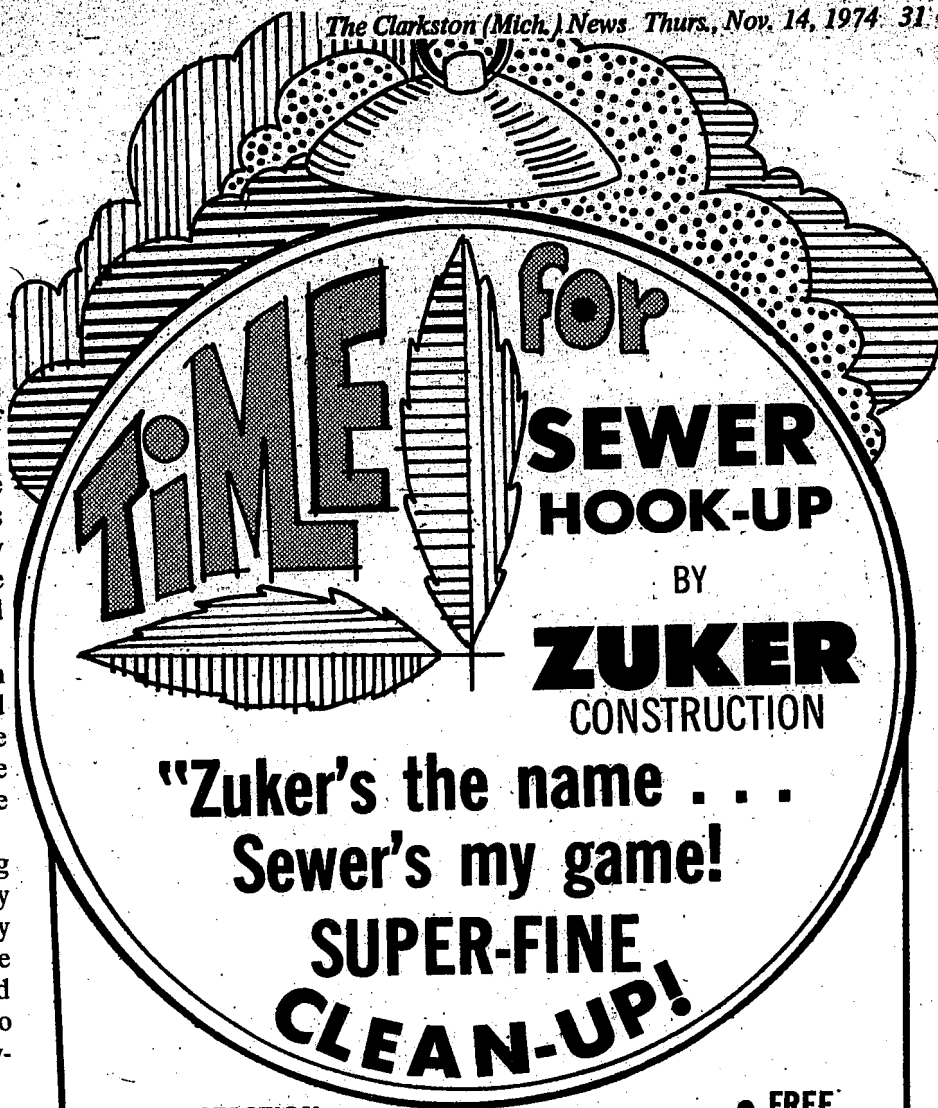
You seldom see a kernel of corn on the ground though popcorn is sold several places, never a cigarette butt, and only once did a horse make a mistake. He's probably glue by now.

One thought keeps rerunning through my mind about Disney World. That is: where did Disney come up with the idea that people like Coca Cola would lease land from him to put up an attraction to help draw people to his money-maker?

Here's Eastern Airlines, Sara Lee, Pepsi, Frito Lay, Monsanto and others with various facilities, some with free admission, paying Disney to be there to help him pay off his obligation.

Not that it isn't a good idea for both parties. I'm just about as impressed with these manufacturers' promotion buyers as I am with Disney's salesmen.

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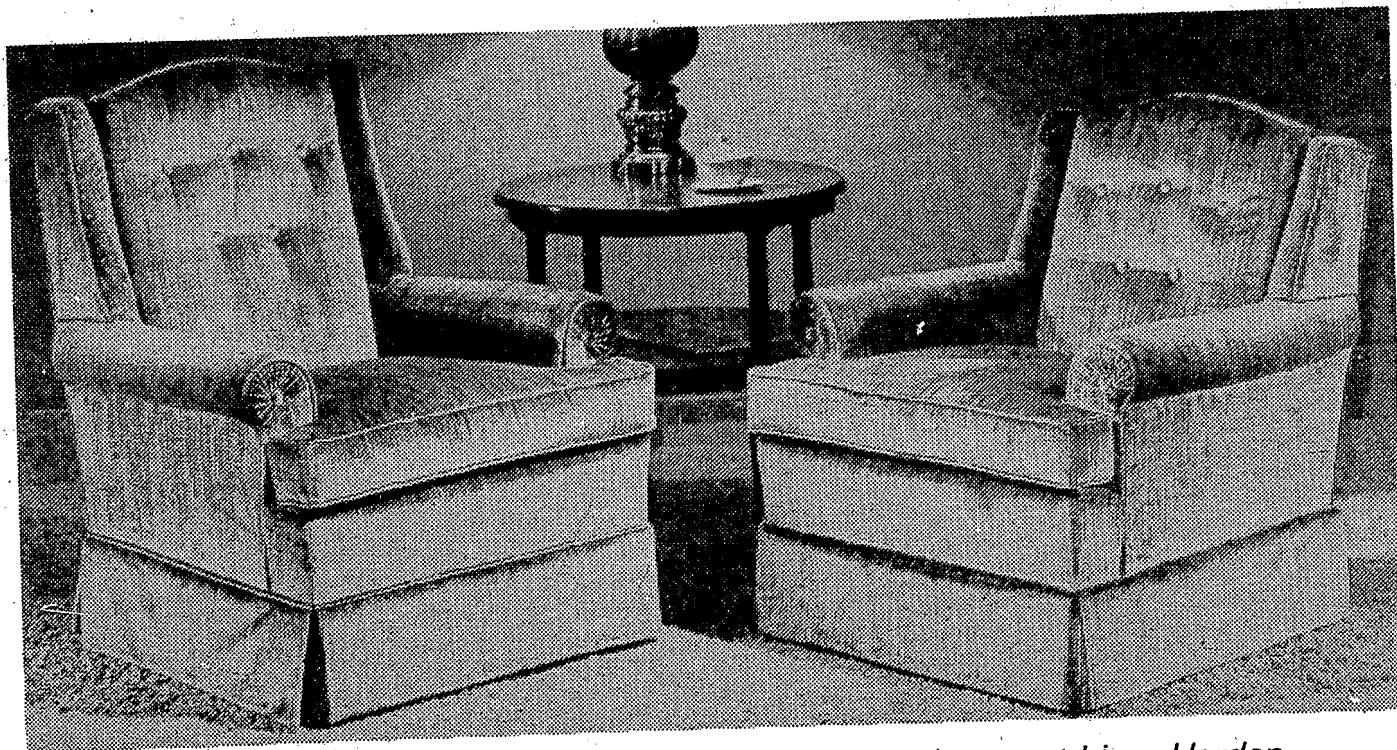
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Methodist Church renovation hope through grants

There may yet be hope for the renovation of the old Methodist Church on Buffalo Street.

Robert Lay, the chairman of the Bicentennial Committee, informed the Clarkston Village Council Tuesday night that a new federal grant program will take effect January 1.

As stated in the September 17

Federal Register, funds allocated under the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 may be used "for the preservation or restoration of historic sites, the beautification of urban land, the conservation of open spaces, natural resources and scenic areas."

The decisions on how funds are to be

appropriated will be made at the local level.

Lay told the council that the committee would study the law and make suggestions to the council members.

Following the meeting Lay said the Bi-centennial Committee was looking for renovation of the old Methodist

Church.

The council also gave the Clarkston Historical Society the go-ahead to have the engineering firm begin the structural study of the Methodist Church.

The Society is contributing \$250 for the cost of the study, and the council has agreed to contribute up to \$250.



The mill stream

by JoAnn Carlson, phone 625-3370



When consumers get bombarded with Halloween stuff in early October and Santa Claus makes the scene long before the first snowflake settles, you begin to wonder about the apathy regarding the Thanksgiving Turkey.

I called three food stores in the area to ask about the availability and price of turkeys for Thanksgiving and they all said they would not know for at least a week or two.

Whatever happened to the traditional thanksgiving turkey? When I lived with my parents in Hancock, my dad always ordered our turkey weeks in advance. It was important and a very big deal to reserve the biggest and the best bird. After all, you had to eat cold turkey sandwiches, hot turkey sandwiches and turkey soup for weeks afterward. And, every kid compared the quality of his family's turkey to everyone else's family bird.

The lack of turkey consciousness on the part of some grocery stores leads me to believe that there is some sort of conspiracy brewing regarding the status of the old bird.

However, for those who still cling to tradition here are some turkey pointers:

To save money, remember that a plain turkey costs less per pound than the fancier, self-basting one. For those of us who take pride in our turkeys, no one need ever know the difference if the plain turkey is cooked right.

The harassed turkey cooker can save time by leaving out the stuffing. It takes less time to prepare and it cooks up to an hour faster. Dressing can be baked separately in a casserole.

However, if you are an avid stuffer, you should put the dressing in just before roasting, not the night before. The Michigan Department of Agriculture food inspection officials say if a stuffed bird is taken from the refrigerator and put into the oven, the center of the stuffing may not reach the desired temperature of 165 degrees by the time the bird is done. Therefore, food poisoning microorganisms that might be present could multiply.

I offer these tips because I have faith that somewhere out there, the Clarkston area has its share of turkey connoisseurs.

Clinton Valley Barracks 2803 and Auxiliary met at the Davisburg Town Hall November 9 for their annual Thanksgiving co-op dinner and to observe Armistice Day.

Turkey dinner with all the trimmings was enjoyed by 29 members and guests.

Hazen Atkins was reported to be in the Ann Arbor Veterans Hospital, and Bill Cornell is recuperating at home from a dislocated shoulder.

The Auxiliary voted to send \$30 to six veterans' hospitals for their Christmas parties.

John DiPietro of Snow Apple Drive came close to winning the \$10,000 Michigan lottery this week, his ticket read 676977 instead of 676677. Mr. DiPietro has won the lottery a record of 38 times since it started. He said that's cutting it close.

Parents Without Partners Widow and Widower Group will meet at 8 p.m. November 19 at McVittie School, 4860 Midland Road, Waterford Township. A discussion entitled "Can You Cope With Yourself?" will be conducted.

Rudy J. Nichols, a lawyer with the firm of Booth, Patterson and Karlstrom of Pontiac, is a new resident of Clarkston. Formerly of Flint, Nichols received his Doctor of Law degree from the Detroit College of Law. He is also a 1967 graduate of Michigan State University.

The Michigan Association for Children with Learning Disabilities is ready to fill your Christmas card order. A ten card package costs \$1.50 plus 20 cents postage. This year's card carries the message, "Let us share the joy of this glad season with one another." The cards may be ordered from Mrs. Gerry Bohlander, 450 Henley, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, 48013. Phone 335-2215.

Volunteers in Oakland County for the Mothers March of the March of Dimes will be distributing information about the importance of good nutrition for pregnant women. Low birthweight, which threatens a baby's healthy development, may be the result of the mother's poor nutrition during pregnancy. Anyone who wishes to be a part of the Mother's March may call 681-2420 or 549-6778.

The Michigan State Lottery has a unique gift suggestion for all those early birds that do their shopping before the crush of the Christmas rush.

Five dollars will put Uncle Harry in the running for the weekly \$25 drawing for 12 weeks. Eleven dollars will give 24 weeks worth of chances to win. He can be in the running all year for \$22.

The lottery's "Chance of a Lifetime Club" lets you get in on the action each week automatically. Just pick the numbers, and you will be notified if you win.

Election night is a good time to give a party, especially if your candidate choice happens to emerge the winner.

Keith Hallman said that although no formal invitations were given, a few people stopped by the Hallman home last Tuesday. "About 150 dropped in and out all evening," Hallman informed.

His wife, Betty, who was reelected to another term as Independence Town-

ship Treasurer, said the festivities began with campaign workers tabulating votes on adding machines as workers at the precincts phoned in voting results.

"The celebration began after the polls closed," she said.

Mrs. Hallman explained that all of the area Republican candidates stopped by with their spouses.

Members of the Chatham Dance Club would like to see more feet tripping the light fantastic at their first dance of the season, scheduled for Dec. 14 at Arrowhead Country Club.

The dress-up event will include a night of dancing and an early-morning breakfast.

Persons interested in membership in the club can contact Ed or Janet Glennie at 625-4240.

About 140 people attended the mother/son banquet in the Fellowship Hall of the Clarkston United Methodist Church October 30.

Women in the church prepared the dinner while the men served the food and cleaned up afterwards.

Two junior high students, Jeff Leak and Susan Huttenlocher, entertained the mothers and sons with a magic act.

Being so close to Halloween, the boys and some of the mothers came in costume.

Independence center is making plans to distribute Thanksgiving baskets to needy families. The center needs donations of food, and turkeys to fill these baskets.

Independence center would like to be the central clearing house for food baskets in the Northwest Oakland area this year. If you wish to donate a basket or know of someone who needs one, let someone at the center know.

Also, if you belong to another group that distributes baskets, the center asks that you call and give the names of those receiving them to avoid duplication of effort and insure that all those in need have a truly happy holiday.

The Board of Directors of independence center would like to invite anyone in the community interested in helping others to the Annual Membership Meeting Dec. 4 at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting will include election of new directors for the center, a social hour, and tour of the center.

U.S. Air Force Sergeant Terry G. Burnell has graduated from the Alaskan Air Command Non-commissioned Officer Leadership School.

Sergeant Burnell is the son of Mrs. Mary Breece of 6421 Cramlane Drive, Clarkston. His wife Donna is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hinkle, 5095 Pineknob Lane.

Catholics United for the Faith, Our Mother of Perpetual Help Chapter, will meet at 7:30 p.m. November 20 at Knights of Columbus Hall, 5660 Maybee Road. Mass will be celebrated at 7:30 p.m., followed by the meeting.

Saturday Skills are the new happening at the North Oakland YMCA, 131 University Drive, Pontiac. Classes are being offered from pre-school through adults, with something for everyone.

For pre-school there are two swim classes. Classes in gymnastics, basketball, floor hockey, cheerleading, swim instruction, dancing and recreational swim are available for elementary youths. Junior High kids have their choice of basketball, cheerleading, dancing and recreational swim. For adults there are classes in dancing, fitness, and self-defense.

The classes begin November 16 and run for six weeks ending December 21. For more information call the YMCA at 335-6116.

An Old Fashioned Holiday Bazaar will be held at Mount Bethel United Methodist Church November 16 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The Bazaar will feature a country kitchen, bake shop, a lunch room, and a fall and Christmas decoration shop. Homemade gifts will be sold in all the shops.

Proceeds will go to pay for floor covering in the church basement.

The church is located at the corner of Jossman and Bald Eagle Lake Roads in Groveland Township. The public is welcome.

Camp Fire Girls from Clarkston took part in a very successful roller skating party Thursday night at University Skating Center on Walton Boulevard. More than 200 girls and their families took part in the affair.

Former Clarkstonite Florence Hubbard, now a resident at the Chelsea Methodist Home, has not been feeling well lately. She's most appreciative of cards and letters from home.

The children's ward of the Oakland County Medical Care Facility at Clinton Valley Center needs children's toys desperately. Sheila Ritter will pick up any toys in good condition. Phone 625-4434.

The Sashabaw PTA's annual Book Fair will be November 18-22. All new items including many different books, workbooks, dictionaries, World and U.S. Maps, flash cards, and games will be offered. Prices range from 19 cents to \$2.50. The fair is located in the multi-purpose room at North Sashabaw and will be open during regular school hours.

Wed in Ohio

White snapdragons and gladioli with yellow mums decorated St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, Drayton Plains, for the October 19 wedding of Carol Jean Morse and Richard John Fox.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Morse, 7141 Glenburnie Lane, wore a gown fashioned by her mother. Of satin crepe in princess style, it featured a high round neckline,

Johnny Cash film to be shown

The story is old, but the perspective is up-dated and brought into sharp focus by the film *The Gospel Road* to be shown on Sunday, November 17, at the First Missionary Church, Donelson School, 1200 Huron St., Pontiac. The showing will begin at 6 p.m.

The *Gospel Road*, distributed by World Wide Pictures, was conceived and produced by Johnny Cash and his wife, June Carter Cash, whose desire was to tell the story of Jesus Christ in a realistic and meaningful way.

stand-up collar and five-inch embroidered trim down the front and around the lower edge of the skirt. The detailing was repeated on the detachable train. Her flowers were yellow sweetheart roses, white daisy poms and baby's breath.

Jill Morse, sister of the bride, was attired in a light yellow princess style gown with lace yoke and ruffles. Bridesmaids, Mrs. Sherri Wyman of Marshfield, Mass., sister of the bride, and Mrs. Pam Blodgett of Clarkston, wore similar gowns in a deeper shade of yellow. All the dresses were fashioned by the bride's mother.

The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fox, 10961 Big Lake Road, Davisburg, was attended by his brother, Robert. Larry Downs, Frank Leech, Randy Fox and Ronny Downs seated guests, while K. Scott Wyman, nephew of the bride, served as ringbearer.

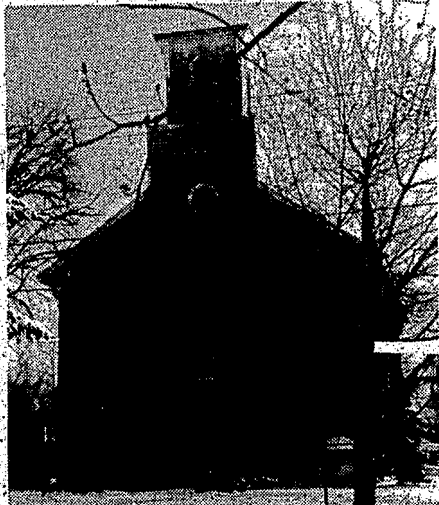
Following a reception at David Belisle VFW Post, the newlyweds left for a two-week trip through New England. They will reside at 5258 Marconi Street, Clarkston.



Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Sova were wed August 10 in Ohio. The bride, the former Susan L. Anderson, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merle L. Anderson of Conneaut, Ohio. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome C. Sova of Clarkston. They are residing in Lima, New York.

AREA CHURCHES AND THEIR WORSHIP HOUR

<p>LAKE LOUISE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE M-15 at W. Seymour Lake Road Ortonville 9:45—Sunday School 10:50—The Hour of Worship 6:15—Youth and Bible Study 7:00—Evening Service Wed. 7:00 p.m. Family Prayer & Bible Study</p>	<p>CLINTONVILLE BAPTIST CHAPEL 5290 N. Sashabaw Elem. School on Maybee Road, Clarkston Church School 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Rev. Dwight Young</p>	<p>PINE KNOB COMMUNITY CHURCH 3041 REEDER ROAD off Clintonville PONTIAC, MICHIGAN Ken Hauser Worship: 10:00 & 11:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.</p>	<p>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 1950 Baldwin Rd. Sunday School 9:15 Family Worship 10:30 Pastor Charles Kosberg</p>	<p>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 4453 Clintonville Road Church School 10:00 a.m. Worship at 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Family Prayer Wed. 7:30 p.m. Royce Scott, Youth Pastor Wayne G. Grave, Pastor</p>
<p>CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 6600 Waldron Road Rev. Frank Cozadd Worship & Church School 10 a.m.</p>	<p>FIRST BAPTIST 5972 Paramus Rev. Clarence Bell Worship — 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.</p>	<p>SEYMOUR LAKE UNITED METHODIST Sashabaw at Seymour Lake Rd. Rev. W. Howard Nichols Services at 9:15 and 10:30</p>	<p>SASHABAW UNITED PRESBYTERIAN 5300 Maybee Road Pastor Mark H. Caldwell Worship — 11:00 a.m. Church School 9:30 a.m.</p>	<p>CLARKSTON CHURCH OF GOD 54 South Main C. J. Chestnutt Worship — 11:00 a.m.</p>
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by Kenneth E. Johnson

Spiritual Message

"THE SLEEPING GIANT"

There are some within the Christian Church that believe that the world is getting worse, that people are not interested in the things of God, and that it is harder to get anyone to accept Jesus Christ as their personal Savior. I do not share this view. It may have been

true, twenty, fifteen, or even ten years ago, but there are conditions around the world—and especially in the United States—that lead me to believe that we are on the verge of real Christian renewal. There is an openness to Christian teachings, a hunger for real meaning to life, a searching for truth—a truth that is greater than material possessions, and more lasting and fulfilling than merely success or acclaim.

The rapid growth of interest in the occult and in ecology indicates that people are turning their attention away from the scientific, reasoned, and materialistic and toward the subjective, emotional, and spiritual.

The revolt of the young in education and religion clearly illustrates that people want real, practical, personal answers. They are interested in a personal Jesus and are open to any one who genuinely cares about them. The growth of the Jesus People, and the

Children of God movements testify to the fact that they are now willing to listen to the claims of Christ.

It is also true that the "Great Sleeping Giant" in the Church is starting to wake up. I am referring to the vast number of Christian layman who for many years thought that it was the responsibility of the "Ordained" or the "Specially Called" to witness and win people to Christ. It is now being seen that the individual Christian, who has a true personal relationship with Jesus Christ, is not only the one that God intended to proclaim the gospel in the first place, but is the one that is most effective.

Put these two facts together—that people are deeply interested in spiritual values—and that Christian layman are seeing and accepting a vital role in the spreading of the message of Jesus—and I am extremely confident that God is alive and well, and working in our world today.

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THANK YOU

The family of Earl M. Davis Sr. wish to express our sincere appreciation for the many expressions of sympathy and kindness during our bereavement. We especially wish to thank Lou and Diane Wint, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Krick, Mr. Wm. Potere, Rev. Frank Cozadd, Barbara Steele, and Karen Clapp, fraternal organizations, friends and neighbors. †††12-1c

NOTICE SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP

AN AMENDMENT AMENDING THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, Known as Springfield Township Zoning Ordinance #26, 1973, BY AMENDING THE SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP ZONING MAP.

The Township Board of Springfield Township, Oakland County, Michigan hereby ordains:

SECTION I

THE SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP ZONING MAP, Which by Article V is made a part of the zoning ordinance of Springfield Township, Oakland County, Michigan be and the same is hereby amended so as to fix the zoning classification of the following described property, to wit:

1. Leroy Smith, 8493 Andersonville Road, Clarkston, Michigan from R-4 district to M-1 district, to wit:

U-07-36-376-005:

T4N, R8E, Sec 36, Beg at Pt Dist from cen of sec. TH S 88-34-10 W 469.50 Ft, TH S 87-31-100 E 71.45 Ft, TH N 82-32-00 E 198.10 Ft, To beg: 10 A Part of SW ¼ S 01-55-30 W 1258.60 Ft, TH S 01-55-30 W 847.10 Ft, TH N 01-55-30 E 748.50 Ft, TH N 02-29-00 E 234 Ft, TH S 48-46-30 E 258.10 Ft U603F.

2. Hubert S. Garner & Associates, 31360 Northwestern Hwy., Farmington, Michigan from R-3 district to C-3 district, to wit:

U-07-24-276-001

T4N, R8E, Sec. 24 That part of E ¼ lying SELY, ELY & NELY OF R/W for interchange Bet US-10 & relocated US-10. Hwys. & NW of line Beg at PT Dist N 37-42-00 W 470 Ft from inter of Cen line. US-10 & E Sec Line. TH N 38-30-00 E to E Sec Line 13.62A.

SECTION II

This Amendment shall be effective from and after December 14, 1974.

Claude A. Trim, Supervisor
J. Calvin Walters, Clerk

I, J. Calvin Walters, hereby certify that the foregoing amendment was adopted by the Springfield Township Board on the 6th day of November 1974. Members of the said Township Board voting thereon and their respective votes are as follows:

AYES Trim, Walters, Rundell, Horton, and Samuel.
NAYS None. ABSENT None.

J. Calvin Walters
Springfield Township Clerk
Oakland County, Michigan

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1. John J. Szerement, 7726 Visgar, Waterford, Mich., from R-2 to RC and RM District, to wit:

a. Land situated in the Township of Springfield, County of Oakland and State of Michigan described as:
Part of East ½ of the Southeast ¼ of Sec. 15, T4N, R8E, lying Northerly of I-75 Highway. Containing 63.50 acres more or less.
Southwest ¼ of the Southwest ¼ except that part taken for I-75 Highway, Sec. 14 T4N, R8E. Containing 39 acres more or less.
Part of the West ½ of the Northwest ¼, Sec. 23, T4N, R8E, lying North of I-75 Highway. Containing 3.90 acres or less.
Part of the Northwest ¼ of Section 23, T4N, R8E, Beginning at a point distant S. 00° 18' 08" E. 222.90 feet from North 1/8 corner of Northwest ¼; thence S. 65° 07' 21" E. 841.68 feet; thence S. 32° 30' 00" W. 151.34 feet; thence N 65° 07' 21" W. along Northeast right of way line I-75 Highway 751.09 feet; thence N. 00° 18' 08" W. 165.75 feet to point of beginning. Containing 2.70 acres more or less.

From R-2 to RC District

b. Part of the West ½ of the Southwest ¼ lying Northerly of I-75 Highway, Section 15, Town 4 North, Range 8, East, Township of Springfield, Oakland County, Michigan. Consisting of 28 acres more or less.

From R-2 to RC District

c. Part of the North ½ of Southwest ¼ lying Southwesterly of US-10 Highway, and Supervisor's Plat No. 6, Township of Springfield, Oakland County, Michigan.

From R-2 to RM District

d. Part of SW ¼ and part of Lot 13, Supervisor's Plat #6, T4N, R8E, Sec. 14: commencing at a pt. dist. N. 03° 17' 29" E, 463.75 ft. from S, ¼ corner; th N. 02° 42' 50" E. 36.04 ft.; th N: 60° 22' 25" W. 273.53 ft. which shall be the pt of beginning; th N. 85° 50' 42" W. 463.18 ft.; th S. 06° 56' 01" W. 608.93 ft.; th N. 86° 51' 50" W. 619.26 ft.; th N. 04° 26' 06" E. 1332.22 ft.; N. 06° 51' 10" E. 38.14 ft.; th N. 89° 54' 34" E. 676.85 ft.; th S. 03° 51' 38" W. 109.61 ft.; th S. 80° 31' 02" E. 518.87 ft.; th S. 02° 42' 50" W. 446.70 ft.; th Northwesterly approximately 250 ft. to the pt. of beginning.

From R-2 to RM District

SECTION II

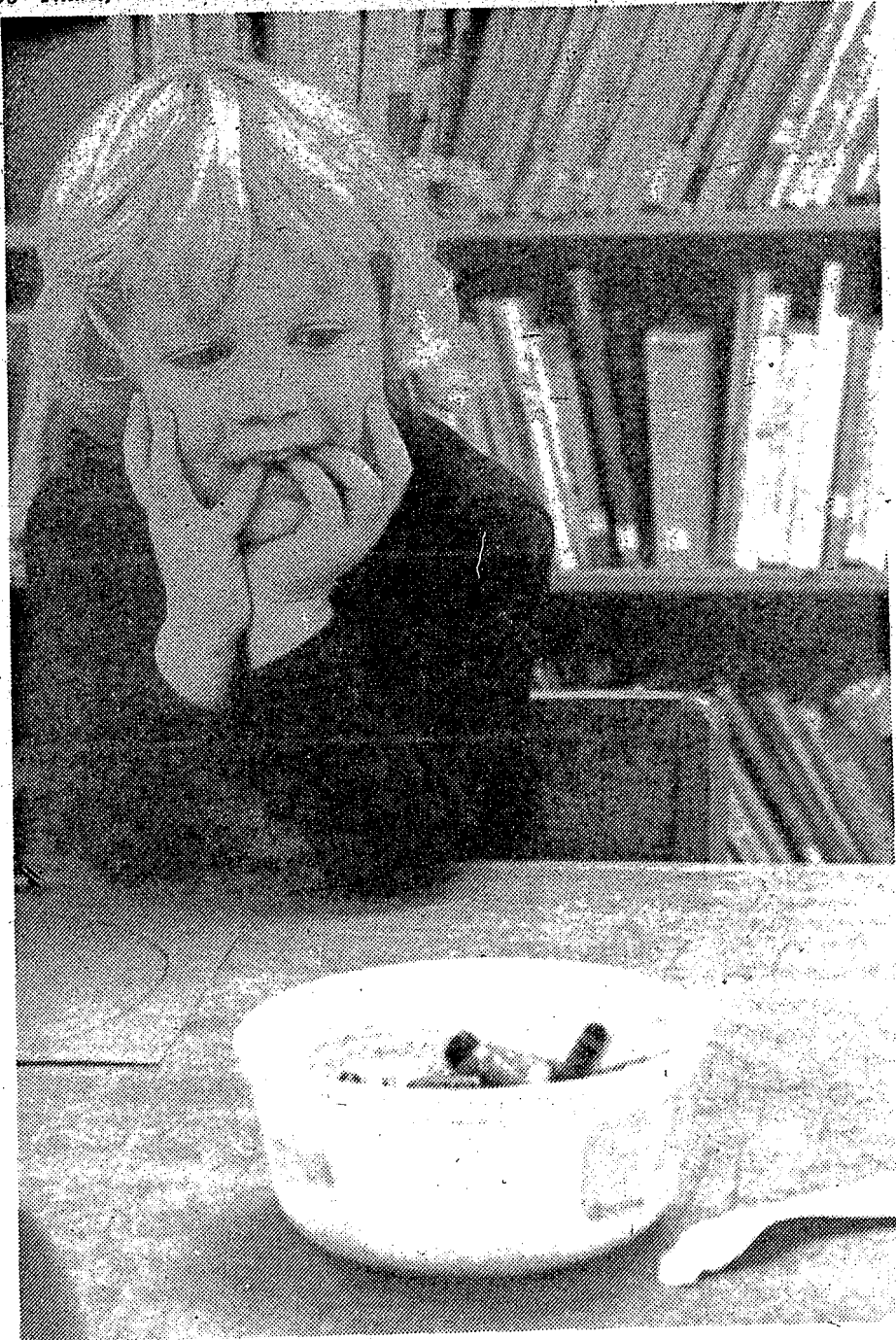
This Amendment shall be effective from and after December 14, 1974.

Claude A. Trim, Supervisor
J. Calvin Walters, Clerk

I, J. Calvin Walters, hereby certify that the foregoing amendment was adopted by the Springfield Township Board on the 30th day of October 1974. Members of the said Township Board voting thereon and their respective votes are as follows:

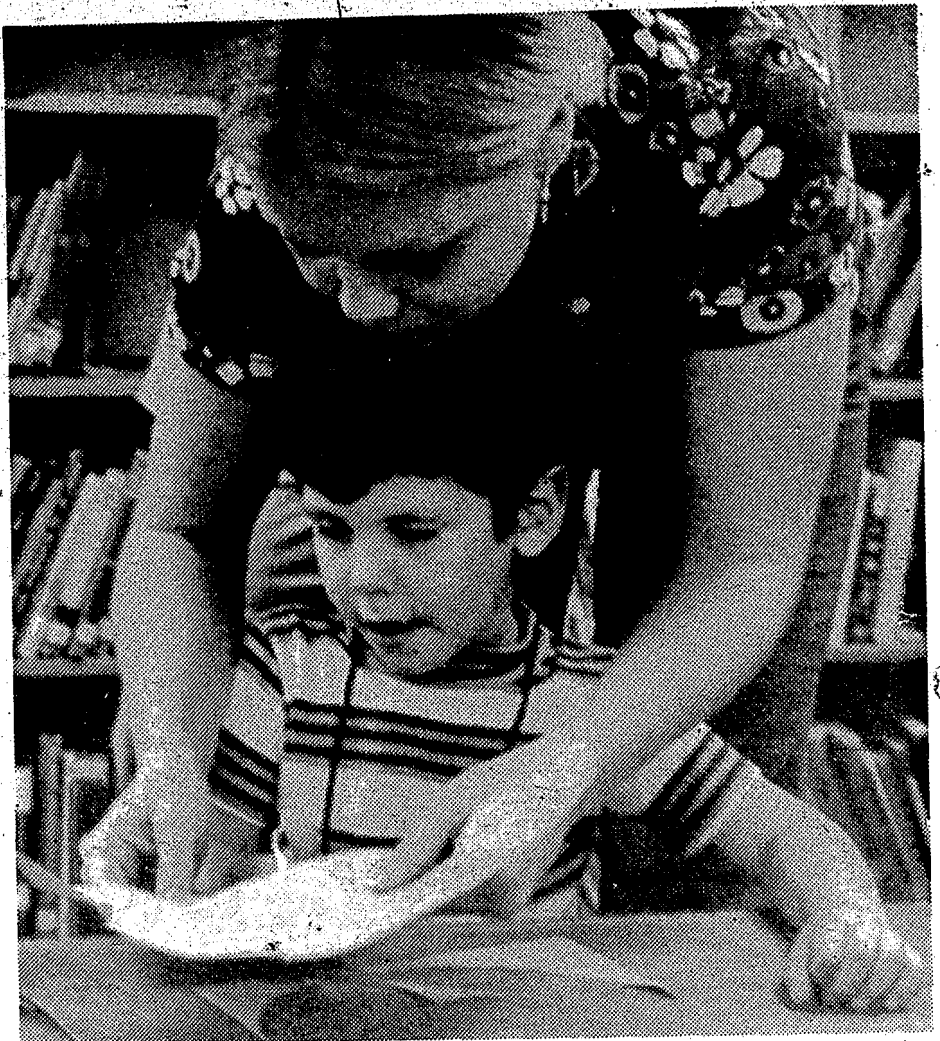
AYES Trim, Walters, Rundell and Horton.
NAYS None
ABSENT Samuel

J. Calvin Walters
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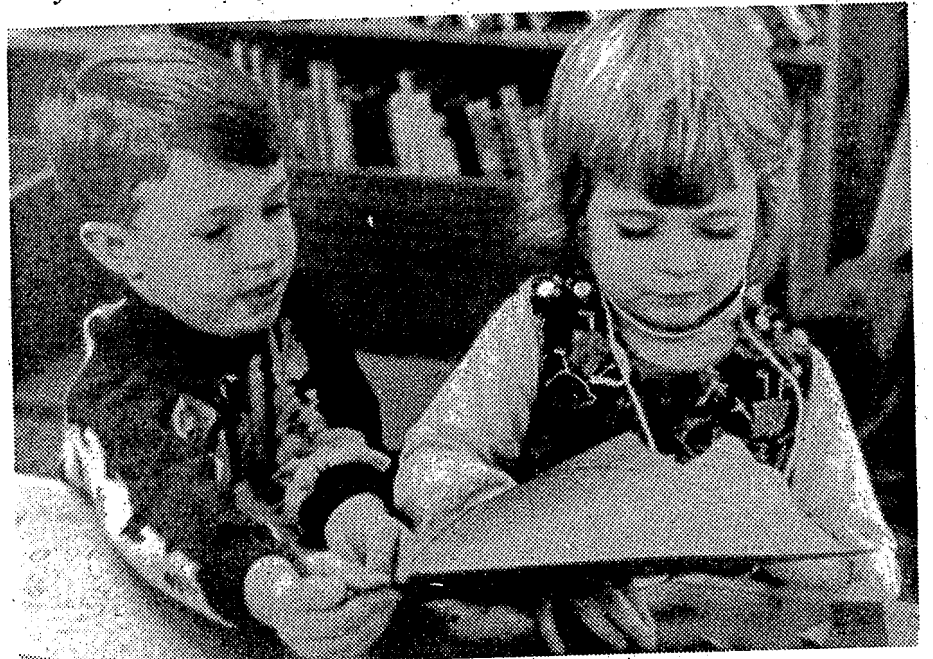


Waiting for the aid of a muse, or a Jaycette, Craig Hurst wonders what he'll create with all those crayons.

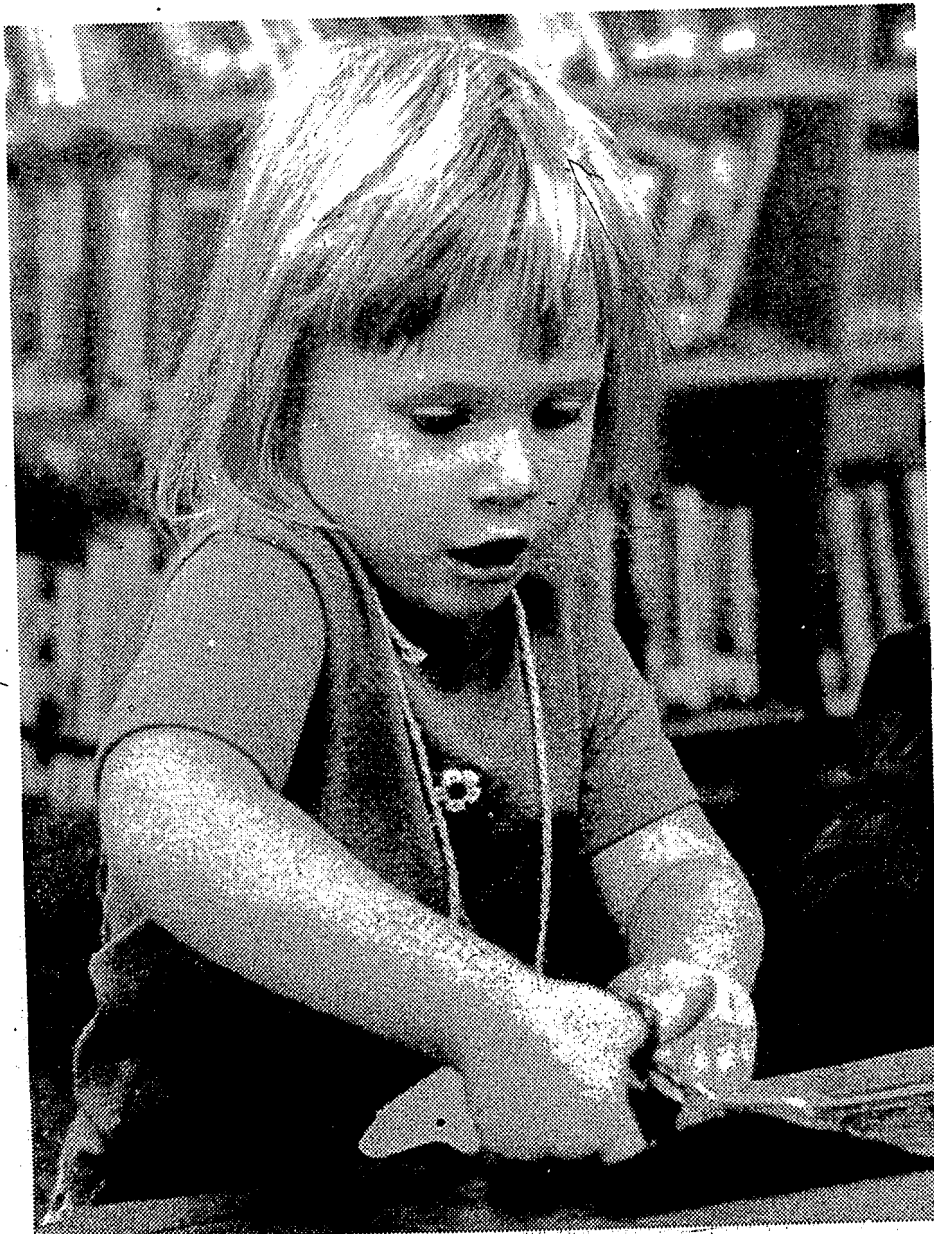
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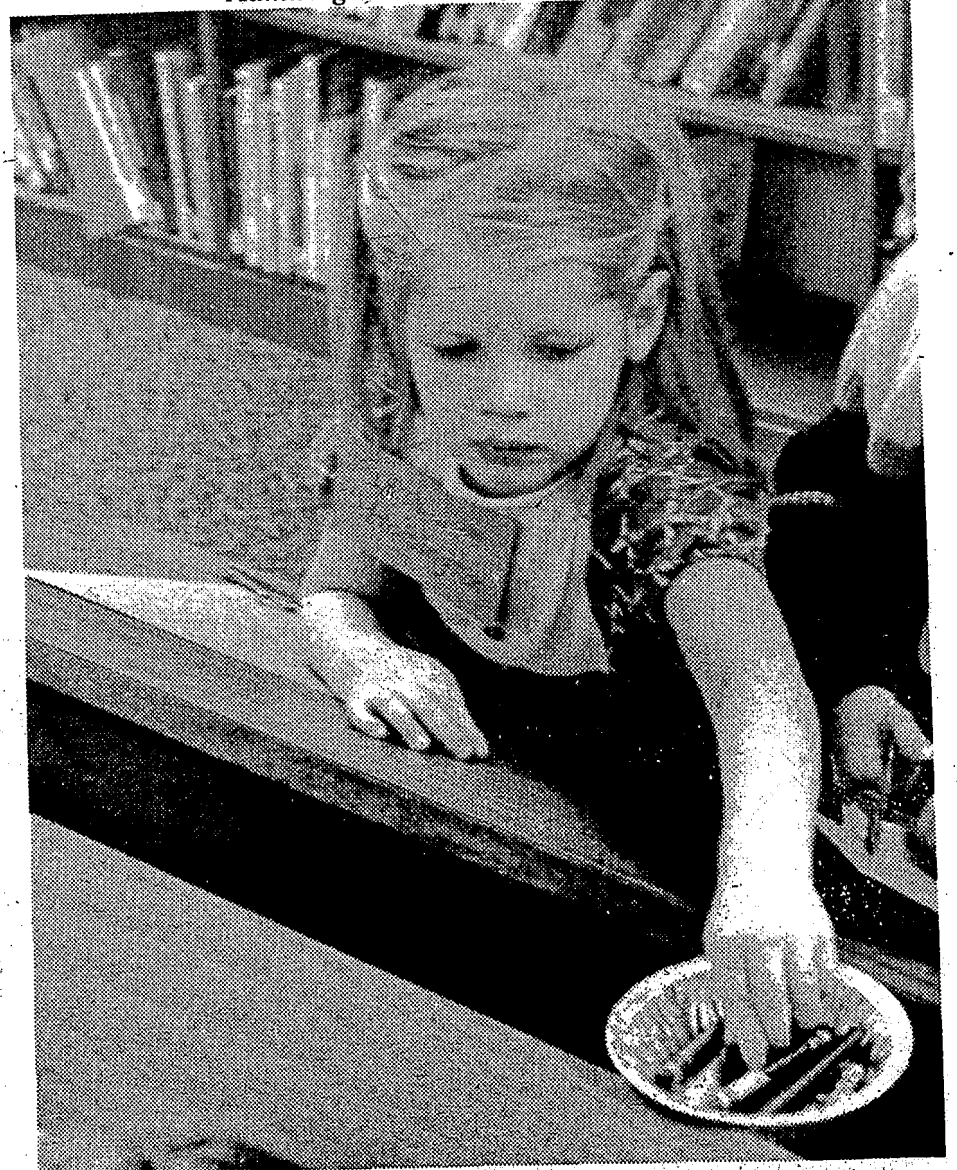
Jaycette Sheila Ritter gives Matthew Reppuhn a helping hand as he endeavors to cut out his design during the arts and craft period held every other Thursday morning at the Independence Township Library.



Admiring the work of Kristi Durham is Kevin Hoag.



Kara Kurz knows that great care must be exercised in the use of scissors, even blunt ones.



Ready to tackle today's creative project, Lisa Harrington reaches for a crayon.