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High school arsonists apprehended

Two 15-year-old Clarkston High School students are believed to be responsible for a rash of fires occurring at the school during the past few weeks.

High school principal William Dennis said the youths were apprehended with the help of the student body after a fire was set in a portable bookcase Thursday.

The classroom the bookcase was in was empty when the fire started. A student discovered the blaze and extinguished it, Dennis said.

Dennis said the two youths will be "dealt with severely from the standpoint of the school as well as possible legal action," if they are found guilty.

They are believed to have been connected with fires in lavatories, one in the hallway where a poster was burned, and one in a classroom where papers attached to a bulletin board were set afire. They also might be connected to two fires set in the woods behind the school, Dennis said.

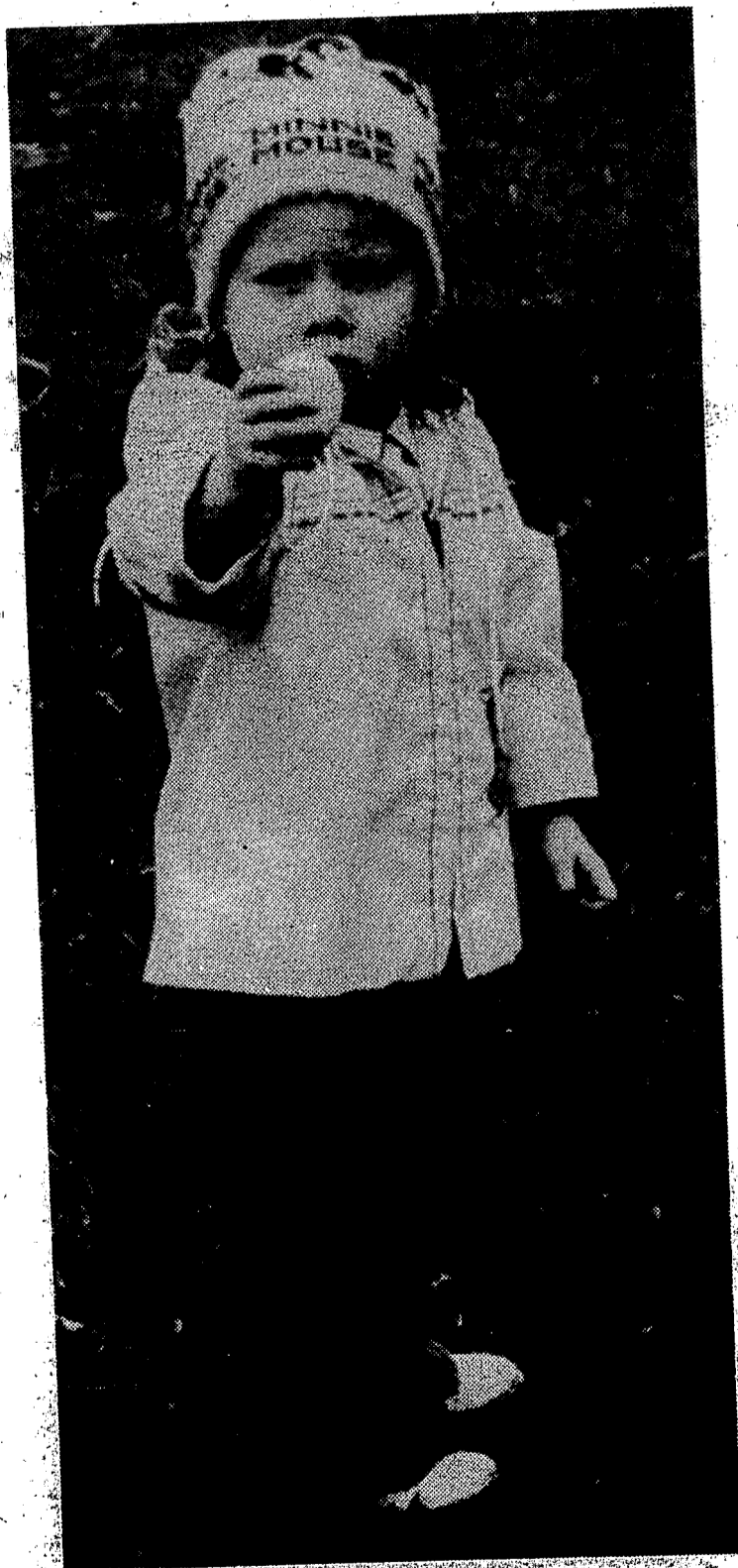
The effects of the fires have not

been so much financially a problem as they have been an attitudinal one on the part of the student body, Dennis said.

Students do not have respect for fire and its effects, he said. Also, "We can't keep the fire alarms functioning because of the prankish nature of the student body."

"We fix all stations at night and by noon the next day the alarm has been pulled, releasing a building full of students."

Dennis said that since the fire Thursday was more serious than former ones, students may realize the importance of "respecting the fire alarm system and leaving it for its intended purpose."



A bunny honey

Stephanie Nolen, daughter of Don and Virginia Nolen, discovered eggs were what it was all about when she took part in the Independence Firefighters' Association Auxiliary egg hunt Saturday.

Library board appointed

A six-member library board has been appointed by the Springfield Township Board.

Members include Ruth Grubber, 5555 Hillsboro, Kristy Rice, 10975 Andersonville, John Barnfather, 5550 Hillsboro, Betty Peterson, 12251 Shaffer, Sue Adams, 11291 Andersonville and Beryl Samuel, 13560 Davisburg Road.

The board will spearhead the formation of a new library for the township.

A temporary library has been set up in the Springfield Township Hall.

Permanent quarters for the library will be placed in the old Andersonville one-room school-

house.

The school is currently on property off Ware Road, but it will be moved to a new location, as stipulated by the former owner when she donated the building to the township Historical Society.

Library backers have been looking into sites, and may buy one owned by Floyd Sommers near the corner of Hogback and Andersonville Roads.

Money to buy the one-acre piece or another suitable piece of property for the school has been promised by a resident.

The old school needs extensive repair work. Much of the labor and materials for that have also been donated.

The Springfield Township Board has allocated \$12,000 for the project. There are also state funds and penal fines available for books and other materials.

A full-time librarian won't be hired right away, according to Mrs. Grubber.

Instead, a group of "Friends of the Library" will carry out goals for the project set by the library board, she said.

Eisler quits; Holly schools help sought

Dean Eisler, Springfield Township recreation department director, has resigned to accept a job in St. Johns and to complete schooling for his masters degree.

His resignation came at a special meeting of the Springfield Parks and Recreation Commission Friday night, following the notice he had given two weeks ago.

The commission will meet with Dan Rolls, Holly Area Schools community education director, at its meeting at 8 p.m. April 19 in an effort to open the Davisburg Mill Pond Beach by Memorial Day.

Bob Peters, commission chairman, said Rolls will help obtain life guards.

"Our budget is low -- \$9,000 is what we've been allotted, and most of the money will go for programs at Andersonville and Davisburg Schools. By the time we get around to hiring lifeguards, we'll be almost broke, and there isn't any money for another director. Even the CETA money runs out June 30," Peters explained.

The Little League program is reportedly organized. All three baseball fields are to be used.

3 subscription series at Pine Knob Theater

Leonard Bernstein, one of the all-time great figures of American music, will make his Pine Knob Music Theatre debut on Friday evening, June 25, when he will conduct the New York Philharmonic.

The booking of Maestro Bernstein and the Philharmonic, truly great in its own right, was announced today by General Manager Joseph Z. Nederlander.

The Bernstein-Philharmonic concert will kick-off the new Classic Series Subscription. This subscription will also include the Igor Moiseyev Russian Festival, featuring 150 dancers and musicians, scheduled for August 2, 3, 4

and Frank Sinatra, August 27 and 28. This three concert series is priced at \$37 for pavilion and \$23 for the lawn.

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The fifth year of the 10,000 capacity outdoor Pine Knob Music Theater is scheduled to open June 11. Some of the headliners will be: Janis Ian, Neil Sadaka, Barry Manilow, Laura Nyro, Crosby-Nash, Harry Chapin, Sha Na Na, James Taylor, Jessie Colin Young, The Spinners and many more.

Council okays joint meeting

An April 28 joint meeting has been set by the Clarkston Village Council and the Village Planning Commission.

Matters to be discussed include plans for improving the Depot Road park, guidelines for planning commission operation, and a proposed master plan for the village.

The council failed Monday to fill three positions on the commission vacated by commission chairman Robert Schwarze, secretary Jay Bisha and member Henry Woolfenden, all of whom have resigned.

Council president Keith Hallman said he was planning on appointing former council trustee Ruth Basinger to the commission, but Mrs. Basinger declined the offer.

She asked instead to be appointed to the village Zoning

Board of Appeals to fill the vacancy left by secretary Betty Smith, who resigned.

Hallman did not comply leaving that position open also until the next regular council meeting April 26.

The council renewed two positions on the planning commission, reappointing members James MacArthur and Nancy Prucher.

Also okayed was the reappointment of Neil Granlund as president pro tem. Mike Thayer was asked to remain street commissioner and Jim Weber police commissioner.

New member Neal Sage will help Granlund on the budget and

sewer committees and new member Fontie ApMadoc was placed on the planning and management committee with Jim Schultz.

Outgoing members Basinger and Kathleen McCall were given plaques commemorating their service on the council.

In other action, the council set an April 20 budget committee meeting.

The council will present the village's 1976-77 budget at the April 26 meeting.

Permission was given the Independence Township Athletic Association to sell refreshments during the May 1 bicentennial parade and the July 4 parade.

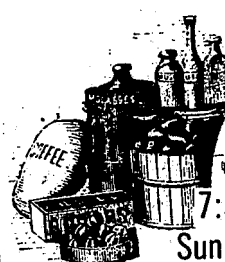
A family picnic at the village park July 4 was okayed by the council. It is being put on by the Independence-Clarkston Bicentennial Commission.

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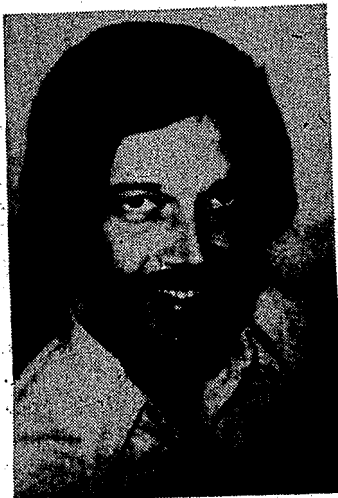
Village Players, the membership has set aside Friday, April 30 as "Tom Rademacher Night."

Mr. and Mrs. Rademacher will be guests of Players for an evening of dinner theater in conjunction with the final production of the season, "No Mother to Guide Her" or "More To Be Pitied than Censured."

Tickets are on sale now at Tierra Arts and Designs and at Boothby's. Dinner theater tickets for "Rademacher Night" are available at the Clarkston Cafe. Everyone is welcome.

Additional play dates are May 1, 4, 7 and 8 with a special Bicentennial performance on Sunday, May 2. Curtain time is 8:30 with a 6:30 show time on Sunday.

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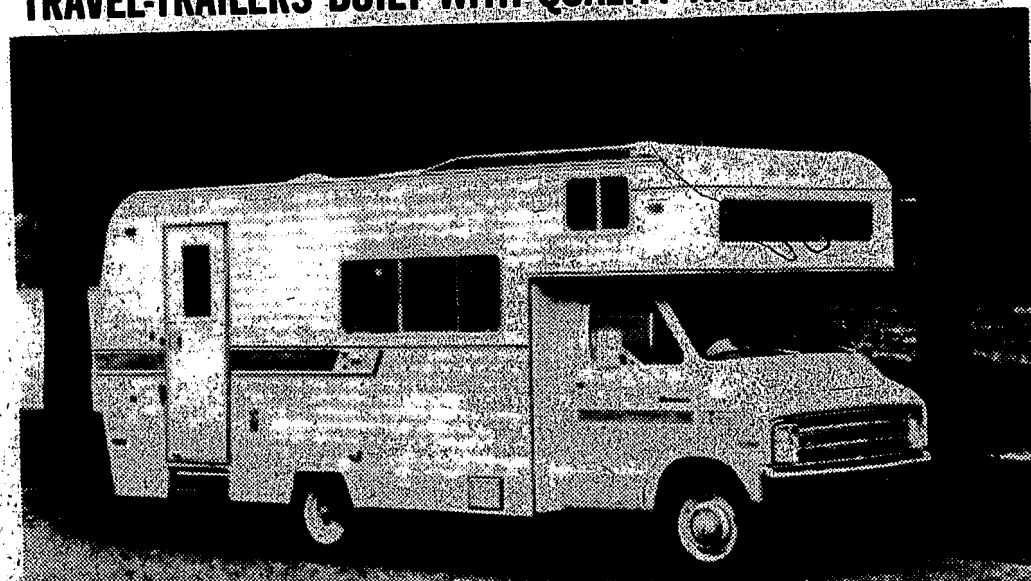
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Chasing spirits at Colombiere

Cosmic experience seminar examines the unknown



Palmist Dennis Fairchild looks over the hands of fellow lecturer Rosie Cosentino.

by Mary Warner
of The Clarkston News

Normally a drive out to Colombiere College in rural Springfield Township would reveal only pastoral farmlands, austere buildings and the singular figures of strolling priests.

Periodically, though, the rhythmic cadence of Bible reading shares the air with whispered stories of ghost-hunting, extra-sensory perception and communi-

cation with the dead.

The occasion last weekend was the Aquarian Revelation Center's annual seminar in cosmic experience.

It draws astrologers, palm readers, psychics and spiritual healers from as far away as New York and California.

During the weekend guests were allowed no drugs or alcohol but were told they could get as high as they like on the

'vibrations the community created.'

The seminar brought an adult, rather "hip" assemblage of people seeking a greater awareness of themselves and a better understanding of the experiences they have.

Loaded down with notebooks and tape recorders, the group attended workshops in everything from tarot and the secret lore of the gypsies to the construction of energy-building pyramids.

Dream interpreter Ann Fischer, who is a parapsychology teacher, professional psychic and professed ghost hunter, was a fair example of those haunting the seminar.

Ms. Fischer can interpret character through "auras" seen surrounding the person being examined.

A yellow aura means a person is active intellectually. A gray aura pinpoints indecisiveness. Light green connotes creativity, and blue denotes honesty.

She can predict future events, via words, symbols or colors seen in her mind's eye, she claims.

She says she told a young girl that her blind mother would regain vision within four years. The mother did.

She says she predicted Richard Nixon's resignation.

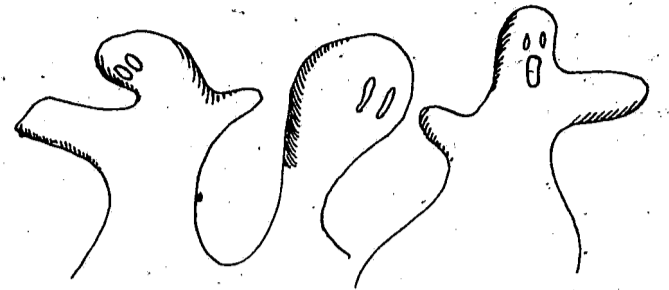
She's waiting to find out if a predicted 1982 earthquake in California will materialize.

She takes her Hartford College parapsychology classes on ghost-hunting excursions to the cemeteries of her native New York.

One wild night in the gardens of Union College in Schenectady, a student claimed to "smell the burning flesh" of a girl put to death in that area four centuries earlier.

Others said they saw the spirit running through the garden; some thought they heard her voice.

Ms. Fischer's dream interpretations have been quoted in two



current books on the subject.

She says that if someone talks to you in a dream, you are actually communicating with that person through telepathy. That is, of course, if the person talking is alive. If you talk to someone already dead, then you are entering the spirit community.

If you see a clock whose hands are racing, it means time is running out. If a clock appears whose hands have stopped, it indicates death.

Repetitious dreams are forewarnings of an event yet to occur.

If you dream of ill-health, you should get a check-up.

Ms. Fischer is not the only purveyor of medical forewarnings.

At the seminar also was Dennis Fairchild, lately of Birmingham, Mich., who claims that bright red hands should show high blood pressure.

If fingernails are blue-tinged, it signals damage to the respiratory system, the palmist says.

Ridges in your nails mean you're worrying too much, the young seer said.

Hands can reveal a lot about your character, he told about 30 busily-scribbling future palmists.

People with weak thumbs that bend far back are easily taken advantage of. People with long fingers are sensitive. People with short fingers gain weight easily.

If your pointing finger is the same size as your ring finger, then you are equally endowed with ambition and creativity, Fairchild said.

If the pointing finger is smaller than the ring finger, a person is his own worst enemy.

If your pointing finger is longer than your ring finger, you will attract people with problems, he said. You'll probably be a teacher or counselor.

Do not wear a ring on your middle finger, he warned. Doing so will promote sadness and melancholy.

Do wear a ring on your pinky finger. It promotes communication and independence.

Another lecturing at the seminar this weekend was Betty Alexander, a local yoga expert who showed how to achieve through exercise the inner peace necessary for meditation.

Ms. Alexander, of Rattalee Lake Road in Springfield Township, also promoted good nutrition, via organically-grown produce.

Last weekend's seminar was "great", she said--an experience well worth a return trip next year.

Her sentiments were echoed by an ARC spokesman, who said participants can't wait until the yearly ritual is once more upon them.

But for one lonely writer, an afternoon spent trying to pick up on all those cosmic vibrations was less than spirit-lifting.

She asked for a palm-reading demonstration without crossing the reader's palm with the necessary offering, and was turned down flat.

Political contributions eat profits, says license dispenser

By Dick Krause

Lake Orion's Secretary of State branch office was closed permanently Monday, a victim of increasing costs and decreasing revenue according to branch manager Niles Olson.

The Orion office was a "fee branch" which meant the only income for the manager came from fees for license plates and similar transactions. Expenses paid by the manager included rent, utilities, employee salaries along with expected donations to designated political organizations and functions, Olson said.

"The main reason I closed the office is that I just cannot provide the services that the people need here," Olson said. "There is no money in it anymore."

Olson, an Oakland County Commissioner, said that last year he and his wife were left with approximately \$4,100 from the operation after expenses. He

Olson says sheriff's race too costly, time consuming but . . .

County Commissioner Niles Olson (D-Orion Township) affirmed Tuesday he has been approached to run for Oakland County Sheriff.

"But I've got no time and no money," he reported. Olson said people are currently circulating his petitions for commissioner.

"If Spreen hadn't announced Saturday," he theorized, "I've got my degree in law enforcement, and it may be a different story two years from now. You're talking \$25,000 to \$30,000 when you're talking about running against a name like Spreen," he said.

Olson also denied he was interested this year in a bid for the state representative's seat now held by Mel Larsen.

receives no fringe benefits from the state.

Olson noted that he had been trying for sometime to get a driver's license bureau for the Orion office. He still would like to get one in the area, and he would like to see another secretary of state office in Orion under civil service.

Civil service branches, unlike fee branches, are not political patronage managers positions, Olson noted. In addition, civil service managers receive a salary plus fringe benefits and are free of expectations of political donations.

Specifically, Olson said he was expected to contribute \$100 to

Secretary of State Richard Austin's birthday fund and another \$400 to Austin's campaign fund for U.S. Senate.

"I'll send the birthday contribution, but I doubt that I'll send \$400 to his senate campaign," Olson remarked.

Olson estimated that in the seven years he has been branch manager he has contributed more than \$1,400 to political organizations throughout the Secretary of State Branch Manager's Association. It's not exactly voluntary. The managers association expects a certain percentage of the office's gross, Olson said.

Along with rising costs, Olson cited failure of the office revenue to keep up with inflation.

"This office probably handles \$600 to \$700 thousand a year," Olson said. "I'm making the same money today as seven years ago, but the cost of living has gone way up."

Olson's fees were also hurt by the mail-order license tab system initiated by Austin. Since his office was bypassed, Olson received no fees from area residents who ordered plates through the mail.

Even though his closing the Orion office was voluntary, the end may not have been too far off. Olson noted that all "fee" branch offices were scheduled to be closed down, leaving only civil service offices. He's not sure when Orion was scheduled to be closed.

"There's a timetable," he said. "But they never told us what it is."

Orion and Oxford area residents will now have to travel to Rochester, Pontiac or Lapeer to conduct business at a secretary of state office.

"It's been a good office," Olson said. "We've worked at it. For every bad comment, we've had a hundred good ones."

Milzow chastised for tree cutting

Forrest Milzow, owner of Deer Lake Racquet Club, may have to replace some of the trees he cut down north of his club.

Milzow cleared the area to make way for eight tennis courts, two paddleball courts and an outdoor swimming pool.

But he needs site plan approval from the Independence Township Planning Commission before actual construction begins.

He sought that approval from the commission Thursday.

He was given it, but only on condition he would find some way of putting up a screen between his club and residential property to the west.

He will powwow with adjacent

property owners and the township planner, building inspector and engineer to find a means to provide the screen.

If no agreement can be reached, the commission will reconsider the site plan at its next meeting.

Milzow was chastised by the property owners and members of the planning commission for cutting down the trees.

Jim Pidd said the removal of one knoll full of dogwood and oak trees left his house "bare naked."

Commission member Holly Stephens said Milzow "didn't go over the legal boundary" by removing the trees but "pushed it to the limit."

She told Milzow at the meeting that "you go ahead and do something, then ask us to approve it."

Milzow answered by saying "I'm not asking for approval to cut down the trees—I'm asking to put up some tennis courts, and a swimming pool."

Milzow said he is "receptive to regreening some of the area."

"I don't think its too late to put some of the trees back in."

But he made it clear that he has left a 30-foot strip on the west side of his property, doing no cutting, as instructed by the township engineers.

The area was to provide the

green belt necessary under the township ordinance to shield residential property from commercial property.

But some of the trees in that 30 foot strip were cut down by persons unknown, according to Milzow, and much of the area lies exposed to the north.

Putting trees back in in that strip could present a problem, Pidd and another nearby property owner, Neil Braun, told the commission.

The area is full of muck and won't support a large tree or a masonry wall.

Milzow finally compromised by saying he could put some trees in

to the east of the 30-foot green belt, where there is solid ground.

The trees planted would be near a planned drainage area. Milzow and township engineers included in the site plan.

A drainage problem, complicated by the removal of the trees, also brought some adverse comments from the neighbors and the board.

Pidd said the tree removal "put a big stagnant pond next to my living room, kitchen, bedroom and bathroom."

Milzow said the land would be graded property in the area to make sure there is no excess water causing problems.

Obituary

Margery DeLind

Margery DeLind, 79, of Clarkston and Boca Raton, Fla., died April 7 in Florida. She was born April 3, 1897, in Franklin, Mich., the daughter of James and Lillian VanEvery.

Mrs. DeLind's great grandfather, Col. Peither VanEvery, built the Franklin Cider Mill and was in Michigan's first legislature. His original farm is what is now known as Detroit's Waterworks Park. Col. Van Every also planted what is now the famous 12 pear trees known as the 12 Apostles.

Surviving Mrs. DeLind is her husband, John W. DeLind Jr.; a daughter, Mrs. Margery Randall

of Birmingham, Ala.; a grandson and a sister, Mrs. Dorothy Van Every Lewis of Livonia.

Mrs. DeLind was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection of Clarkston, a charter member of the Garden Club of Clarkston, and a summer resident of Clarkston for 53 years.

She lay in state from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at Goyette Funeral Home, 155 North Main Street. Funeral services were Monday morning from Church of the Resurrection with Rev. Alexander Stewart officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery.

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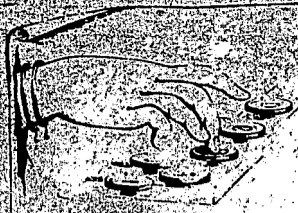
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Editorial

Center good as we make it

We're really in hopes that taken seriously the plea for a someone in our community has coordinator at independence



center. The job is not hard—it even pays some money—and it can help insure local solution to some of our problems and our needs.

Independence center has been in existence for about three years now, and while it may always be precariously on the brink of solvency, its potential usefulness to the community is worth some struggle.

Independence center will accomplish only as much as we will it to. Now considered as the site for a blood pressure clinic and a nutrition class for adults who live alone, it can be utilized to provide a wide variety of services in addition to those carried out at present.

How much better to share what we have—even our responsibility—than to sit back and wait for somebody outside the community to come in and do it for us.

Your time, your donations and your car can all be put to good use in "helping people to help themselves."

hill'n gully

Needed:
one pacifier

by Jean Saile

I hate to say this, but I haven't had a cold this bad since before I started smoking almost 30 years ago.

My sinuses are full and my throat hurts, and I am really enjoying it. Nobody is telling me to give up cigarettes, because I already have.

No, I do not intend to go back to the two-and-a-half packs a day that I smoked until December 1. But I want all you purists to know that giving up smoking has not made me immediately more healthy.

Obviously, I am not one of those reformed sinners who bends over as far in righteousness as she had in evil ways.

Quite frankly, those people give me a pain. They're the ones—most of them reformed smokers—who are now getting all up tight about non-smoking designations for everything from offices to stadii.

I can still enjoy a sneak gulp of smoke when the guy next to me lights up. It's doubly pleasurable, because I'm still being good and yet that old familiar taste is there and wonderful.

The longing seems to strike

the hardest when I am encountering a problem or a situation for the first time as a non-smoker.

Reaction to hospital visits in times past was to sneak out and get a cigarette in the waiting room, for example. After a half hour at bedside, I can still become very fidgety.

The reaction wanes each time the situation is repeated, however.

It has taken four months to get up the nerve to state publicly that I'm off the weed, and I now feel assured I will remain off it.

That is—unless I'm totally unable to contain that 16-pound weight gain that accompanied quitting.

For the first few days my diet was strict and the weight gain unbelievable. No matter what the doctors say, I know something happens to body chemistry when cigarettes are foregone.

After that, the problem seemed to be hunger. That lasted a couple of days and then boiled down to something to keep my mouth busy.

I'm too old to start sucking my thumb, but it sure would help.

'If It Fitz . . .'

Seafarer seems sure

by Jim Fitzgerald

Too many people were not sanguine about Sanguine, so the name was changed to Seafarer. And if that doesn't work, the Pentagon can always threaten to dismantle the Mackinac Bridge and use the steel to build rocket launchers that can be aimed at Angola but will explode in Havana.

Seafarer, formerly Sanguine, is the submarine communications system which the Navy wants to bury somewhere, maybe under 2,700 square miles of Michigan's Upper Peninsula. Seafarer is needed to prevent any rotten Russian from enjoying the ashes of New Jersey.

The problem is simple. If the Russians push the big button first, they might wipe out the entire U.S. before we could push back. Our only survivors would be our submarines but they'd be so far underwater they wouldn't know what the dirty Russians had done. The question is how to notify the subs so they can push their nuclear buttons and destroy Russia. Thus 2 nations would be razed for urban renewal. Planned Parenthood chap-

ters could cancel all meetings, and the world would be safe for Democracy.

The Seafarer system could alert our subs in time to assure what every peaceful nation wants—total revenge. But the Pentagon is having trouble with citizens who don't want the Seafarer antenna grid buried in their neighborhood. Tests have shown that Seafarer waves cause mutations in fruit flies. No humane person wants hunchbacked fruit flies buzzing around his bananas.

Wisconsin refused the honor several years ago. When the underground network was then suggested for the Upper Peninsula, there was great protest from citizens who didn't want to scar their ecology and endanger their fruit flies. That was back in 1974 when the system was called "Sanguine" which is a tricky word.

One dictionary definition is that sanguine means to be "eagerly optimistic; cheerful." But it also means "the color of blood."

Obviously, some Pentagon admiral stumbled across a dictionary somewhere, probably while on leave.

He decided people weren't optimistic and cheerful about Operation Sanguine because of its bloody connotation. It sounded like a movie starring Vincent Price. When the chicken civilians heard the word "Sanguine" they didn't become cheerful about their nation's nuclear capability, they became doleful about their fruit flies' capability to stand up straight.

So the admiral ordered the name changed to Seafarer which, according to the same dictionary, simply means "a sailor or mariner." After all, the push-the-button message would be beamed to submarines, so why shouldn't it be carried by a sailor? And what decent American could be disturbed by anything named Seafarer? The word has a great swashbuckle to it. Errol Flynn instead of Vincent Price.

Also, Seafarer starts with S, the same as Sanguine, so it wasn't necessary to change the gold initial engraved on the adding machines of the Pentagon body counters who will have important work to do once Seafarer sends the signal. These counters have been

unhappily idle since the U.S. pulled out of Vietnam, and it would be a shame to delay their return to action further simply to change the engraving on their equipment. These past few years have been tough on the body counters whose only relief from tedium is on holiday weekends when the Pentagon loans them to the Auto Club.

But even with the name change, there are still some ecology nuts and fruit-fly bleeding hearts who don't want Seafarer buried in the Upper Peninsula. So, in a totally unrelated action, of course, the Pentagon has announced that one Air Force base in the U.P. may be closed because of budget cuts. This would cost the area thousands of jobs.

But the Pentagon further revealed that the U.P.'s 2nd Air Force base would likely serve as the nerve center for Seafarer, should it be buried there. Of course, if Seafarer is banned . . .

You don't have to be a submarine to get the message. If I were a fruit fly living in the Upper Peninsula, I'd start packing.





Letters to the editor

We will have nothing

Hockey players strive for the Stanley Cup. Baseball teams try for the pennant. Golfers and Bowlers always get a trophy, a cup, or money for a prize. In the Olympics, the goal is a medal. Every game has a winner, and that's what it's all about. Except for Independence Township. The recreation department has informed us that the summer baseball teams will receive no prizes this year, not even a ribbon, because the games are becoming too "competitive". I'd like to know what they are supposed to be. If kids want to play "just for the fun of it", they can play at home in their own yards. But if they are going to pay money to join a team, and families are going to drive them to practices, gulp their dinners, hurry with paper routes, and face numerous other inconveniences for baseball teams, there had better be some goal, some achievement, or some purpose in sight rather than just "for the fun of it".

If parents complained last year because there weren't enough trophies, they did so with good cause. If the township can take in over \$7,000 on Fun Day, it seems we could afford plenty of trophies instead of just for the one winning team. Even some little cups or ribbons could be used for recognition of effort. The whole system and organization of the teams is wrong. The same good players shouldn't be kept on all the best teams year after year. Older, more experienced teams shouldn't play against younger inexperienced teams.

It's too bad that a program that involves so many of the Independence township youth during the summer, instead of progressively improving every year, seems to be getting worse and worse. As I have stated many times, we have no gymnasiums in our township

grade schools and not even physical fitness programs to compensate for this lack. All we have is summer ball, but instead of improving the program the recreation department discourages participation by taking away any goal.

I guess if they really wanted to destroy what is left of the program they could hold the games in the morning so no parents could come and half the people would have no way to get their children to the practices or games, which is what I have just heard is the latest plan of these dedicated people, to hold the games in the morning.

All I can say is congratulations, for your very complete lack of interest, concern and effort. We have gone another GIANT step backwards; instead of improving, just give up, and now instead of next to nothing, we will have nothing.

Karen Herron

Band is significant

Mrs. Saile,

I was interested to read in the recent issue of the Clarkston News that the 5th Michigan Infantry Band of 1861 would be re-enacted by playing at the Bicentennial observance in Rudy's parking lot soon. It is significant to me because my grandfather, Major John J. Knox, owned a general store on that corner which he sold to Esidore Jossman when he enlisted in the voluntary unit of

Company D, 5th Regiment of Infantry (known as the "Fighting Fifth") at Fort Wayne on June 19, 1861. He married a local girl, Emily Davis, daughter of John Davis, a State Representative from this district. The Knox's were the parents of twin sons - John and Charles Knox. Jeannette Knox Atkins

Thank you

Sir:

On behalf of the Clarkston Area Jaycees, I would like to thank all those responsible for making our Easter Egg Hunt such a success last Saturday, April 10. A special thanks should go to Pine Knob, for allowing us the use of their property; to McDonalds and Kmart (M59) for their donations; and to the local retailers who allowed us space for our advertising posters. Appreciation should also be expressed to the many parents whose presence helped make the egg hunt orderly and successful.

Thank you
Ed Cherney
Committee Chairman

Letters must be signed

We have a reader who has taken exception to our handling of the feature story on "Mirage." We'd like to print the letter, but the writer did not sign his or her name. We do not have to print the name in the paper, but we need it for our files. If the writer would still like to sign it, we will print it next week.

Commissioner closes office

Regrettably, the Secretary of State Office in Lake Orion will be closed permanently effective April 12, 1976. To transact any business applicable to the Secretary of State, the offices of Rochester, Pontiac, or Lapeer are the nearest and probably the most convenient for our area.

As branch manager of the Lake Orion Office for the past seven years, I have enjoyed serving the people of the Lake Orion, Oxford, and Pontiac area. Due to many factors, some of which I will explain, the decision was reached by me that it is no longer practical to operate the office on a fee basis.

Most people do not realize that my office is a fee branch, which means it is a political patronage appointment by the Secretary of State. As a fee branch manager, I mail for their plates, which is pay the rent of my office every month, the utilities including the light bill, gas bill, telephone bill, garbage disposal, and all maintenance of my office. All wages of those I employ are paid by me.

NOT the state. Also as a political patronage position, I am required to contribute several hundreds of dollars each year to designated political organizations and functions. As a fee branch manager, I am not paid a salary. My income depends on the people who use my office for I am paid on the basis of each transaction. As a fee branch manager, I have no health, retirement, or any other fringe benefits enjoyed by the civil service branches.

In the past seven years, there has been no increase in the transaction fee, but the cost of operating the office has definitely increased each year - higher rent, higher utilities, and higher wages. Also, a recent innovation by the Secretary of State to have people mail for their plates, which is income of the fee branch offices. Another factor affecting my decision is that for the past four years, I have made an effort to

obtain another service for the people of this area, namely, that of a drivers license bureau. But, I was informed that not being a civil service office I would not be allowed to provide this service to the local people.

Knowledge of an agreement with civil service and the Secretary of State has been reached being that all fee branches will be phased out of operation. Therefore, I realize that the Lake Orion office cannot expand and provide the necessary services deserved by the people of this area. It is my hope that with my resignation and with your help we can obtain a civil service branch for the Lake Orion area that will also incorporate a drivers license bureau.

To those who have patronized my office in the past seven years, I thank you.

Niles E. Olson
Branch Manager
Lake Orion Office

Wants to start own league

To the editor,

Pee Wee and T-Ball games are scheduled for 10 a.m. this year. This schedule rules out a large percentage of child participation and at the same time rules out 95% of father participation as coaches and spectators.

This is how I feel on the subject:

1. Concerned parents who would like to see their children play baseball at 6:00 p.m. or later, develop their own league, independent of the Parks and Recreation Department.

2. Parents should be aware that the ages of 7 through 9 are the most important years of a child's sports development program.

3. If no action is taken to change the baseball schedule for Pee Wee and T-Ball, I urge all involved to let themselves be heard. I personally will help start a T-Ball league and I hope someone will step forward and do the same for Pee Wee.

What is needed?

1. Coaches and managers (I am sure if the games started at 6:00 p.m. or later, this would not be a problem.)

2. Sponsors.
3. Ball fields.
4. Equipment.
5. Umpires.

Please write the Clarkston News if you agree or disagree with this editorial. A good response means somehow we will play ball and with father participation.

Pat Stapleton

Lucky
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AGAIN???



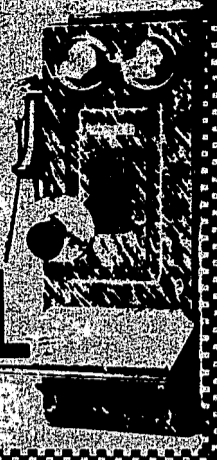
Lucky Fletcher was in the office last week indicating he'd like to run for office. Because Lucky is Independence Township's perennial curmudgeon, we think it more likely that what he means is he'd like to harass everybody else who runs for office. Don Coppersmith captured the essence of Lucky's race in this his first cartoon for The Clarkston News.

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In Independence Supervisor J. Edwin Glennie's salary was increased from \$18,000 to \$19,440. The hike was part of an eight percent increase accorded the supervisor, clerk and treasurer by 25 people present at the meeting.

To correct a misstatement in The Clarkston News report of the annual meeting, the cemetery budget is included in the general fund budget. The budgets for police, based on a voted one mill, and fire, based on a voted two mills, are separate. Water and sewer accounts are also kept separate from the general fund.

Outside boat storage recommended

The former Evans Trailer Sales building on the northwest corner of Maple Street and the Dixie Highway, may soon become a marine sales and service outlet.

The Independence Township Planning Commission has recommended allowing the prospective property leasee to store some boats outside the building.

The outside storage request needs a conditional approval from the township Zoning Board of Appeals.

The recommendation stipulated that a solution be found to a hazardous parking and ingress-egress problem in front of the

building. Suggested by the township planner was moving the entrance from the middle of the property to the north end.

The owners of the property, Dave Haubert and his brother, Joe of Royal Oak, must post a 60-day bond insuring the parking problem will be taken care of, the recommendation stipulated.

Prospective leasees for the store are Fred Sunman and Jim DuBach of Ortonville.

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Skating champ

Eight-year-old Mark Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brown of Bronco, earned a roller skating trophy by placing third recently at the Michigan USAC Artistic Contest at Northland Skating Rink. Some 19 clubs took part. This is Mark's second year of competitive skating.

Mark skated last month in Akron, Ohio, against contestants from Indiana, Ohio and Michigan and placed second in tiny tot figures.

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The ten-week course will be one hour in length. All dogs must be at least five months old and have health certificates presented at the first class.

Diplomas will be awarded to all graduates, with a trophy going to the "Best Graduate."

To register by mail, make check payable to: Springfield-Oaks Youth Activities Center, 12451 Andersonville Road, Davisburg, Michigan, 48054.

Skater Hollie places

Hollie Head, 9, of Maceday Lake Road won fourth place in the Tri-State Figure Skating championship April 2 to 4 in Bowling Green, Ohio.

The following weekend Hollie placed second in free style for children 11 and under in competition at the Lansing Ice Arena.

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An approved National Rifle Association program, the shotgun classes will be held Tuesday evenings, 7 to 9 p.m., at the skeet and trap range indoors for the first six weeks, followed by four weeks of actual shooting on the Club's lighted fields.

The chief instructor will be John Crady, N.R.A. Certified, former teacher in Hunter Safety for the Independence Township School District, and also well-known for his special courses in back-packing, conservation and fishing for the Oakland County Boy Scouts for the past ten years. Crady lives at 1236 Whittier, Waterford Township.

The Junior Shotgun Course will be limited to 30, on a first-come

registration basis. Charge for the course will be \$2. Parents or daughters enroll are asked to contact Crady by phone, 666-3358 or to register at the Sportsmen's Club, which is on Waterford Road, just off Dixie Highway.

Boosters raffle beef side

Clarkston Athletic Booster Club is sponsoring a drawing May 1, the first prize to be a side of beef. Second prize is \$50 and third prize is \$25. Tickets are being sold three for \$1 or 50 cents each. The winner need not be present at the drawing. Proceeds will be applied towards a building fund to provide a new concession stand and rest rooms on the high school football field.

County golf courses open

The White Lake-Oaks and Springfield-Oaks County Golf Courses are open for the 1976 season.

Located northeast of Pontiac on Williams Lake Road, White Lake-Oaks opened April 1 with hours of 8 a.m. until dusk weekdays, and 7 a.m. until dusk weekends and holidays. As of May

1, opening hours will be 7 a.m. Pull-cart fees are 75 cents for nine holes and \$1 for 18 holes. Electric cart fees are \$5 for 9 holes and \$8 for 18 holes.

Greens fees for Oakland County residents on weekdays are \$3.25 for nine and \$4.75 for 18 holes, with special rates available to youths and retirees.

Weekend and holiday rates are slightly higher, with no reduction to youths and retirees.

Springfield-Oaks, located in Davisburg, opened its back nine holes Saturday, April 3, 1976. Opening of the front nine is scheduled for the first part of May.

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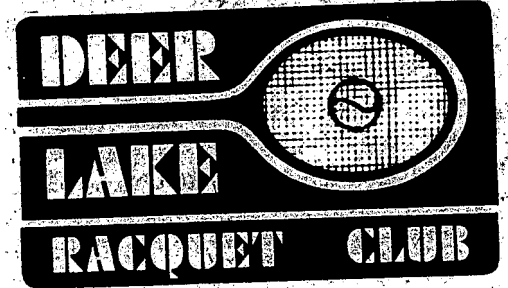
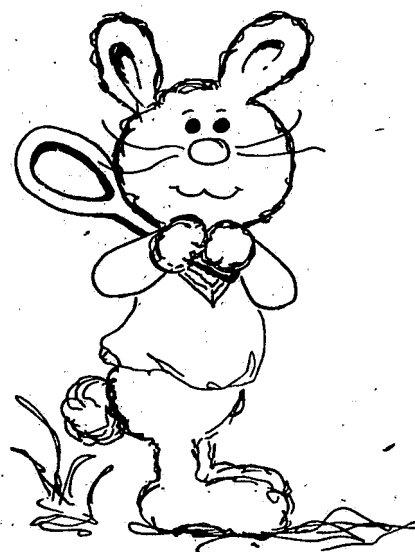
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by David McNeven, Coach

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The Clarkston Football Association (formerly known as Independence Township Athletic Association) is planning a series of fund-raising activities to raise money for new equipment. The association sponsors the junior football Chiefs.

The association plans a roller skating party April 21 at the Rolladium. The group will also sell refreshments at bicentennial activities in Clarkston.

May 1 they will sell at the bicentennial parade; May 21 and 22 during Spring Stroll, and July 4 and 5 during community activities.

The sale of buttons, bumper stickers and raffle tickets is also planned.

Spring recreation beginning

Thirty-six spring recreation programs, including seven specially tailored for senior citizens, are being offered by the Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department.

Classes range from coed volleyball, sandlot baseball and yoga to plant care, archery and art for children.

Senior citizens programs include bowling, ceramics, fabric point, golf, tennis, coed softball and yoga.

In addition, the department is offering reduced rate tickets to Cedar Point, Sea World, Bob-Lu and African Lion Safari.

Travel packets for Independence residents can also be set up through the department.

Other programs offered include junior baseball, belly dancing, boater safety, women's league golf, gymnastics, jewelry, jogging, pony league softball, men's slow pitch softball, men's over-30 softball, women's softball, an umpire clinic, cheerleading, crocheting, cake decorating, and junior golf and tennis.

Those interested should sign up in advance at the Independence Township treasurer's office. For information and application forms, call or visit the township recreation department, 625-8223.

Sports Watch



by "Uncle Bob" Miller

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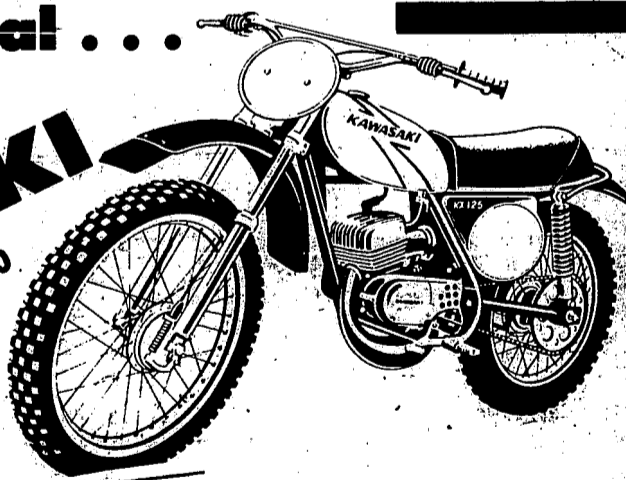
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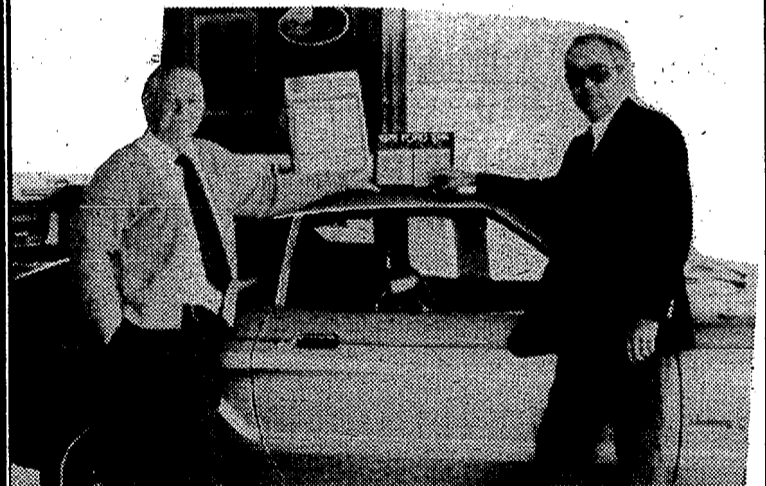
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Belly dancing

Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission will sponsor Mid-Eastern Belly Dancing classes beginning Thursday, April 22, at 7 p.m., at Waterford-Oaks Activities Center, at 2800 Watkins Lake Road.

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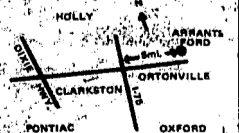
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The JV squad opened their season Monday (Photo by Tim Westover)

CLARKSTON SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL Varsity Baseball 1976

Date	School	Home or Away	Time
Wed. April 14—Milford		Away	3:30
Wed. April 21—West Bloomfield		Home	11:30 (D.H.)
Thurs. April 22—Davison		Home	11:30 (D.H.)
Mon. April 26—Andover		Away	4:00
Wed. April 28—Kettering		Home	4:00
Thurs. April 29—W. Township		Away	3:30
Sat., May 1—R. O. Kimball		Home	12:00 (D.H.)
Mon. May 3—Milford		Home	4:00
Wed. May 5—West Bloomfield		Away	4:00
Fri. May 7—Andover		Home	4:00
Mon. May 10—Kettering		Away	4:00
Thurs. May 13—W. Mott		Home	4:00
Fri. May 14—Milford		Away	4:00
Sat. May 15—Lake Orion		Home	12:00 (D.H.)
Mon. May 17—West Bloomfield		Home	4:00
Wed. May 19—Andover		Away	4:00
Thurs. May 20—W. Mott		Away	4:00
Fri. May 21—Kettering		Home	4:00
Tues. May 25—W. Township		Home	4:00
Wed. May 26—Brandon		Away	4:00
Sat., May 29—Pre-Districts			
Sat., June 5—Districts			

Interscholastic Spring Schedule 1975-76

Date	School	Event	H or A	Time
04-09-76	Clarkston Senior	Var. Baseball	R.O. Dondero (scrim.)	A 3:30 p.m.
04-09-76	Clarkston Senior	J.V. Baseball	Pontiac Northern	A 3:00 p.m.
04-09-76	Clarkston Senior	Boys Track	Mansfield Relays	A
04-10-76	Clarkston Senior	Boys Track	Mansfield Relays	A
04-12-76	Clarkston Senior	J.V. Baseball	Brandon	H 3:00 p.m.
04-12-76	Sashabaw Junior	9th Baseball	West Hills	A 4:00 p.m.
04-12-76	Clarkston Junior	9th Baseball	Bloomfield Hills	A 4:00 p.m.
04-12-76	Clarkston Senior	Boys Tennis	Lake Orion	A 3:30 p.m.
04-13-76	Clarkston Senior	Boys Track	Milford	A 3:30 p.m.
04-13-76	Clarkston Senior	J.V. Softball	Bloomfield Hills Lahser	A 4:00 p.m.
04-13-76	Clarkston Senior	Var. Softball	Bloomfield Hills Lahser	A 4:00 p.m.
04-13-76	Clarkston Senior	Girls Track	Milford	A 3:30 p.m.
04-14-76	Sashabaw Junior	9th Track	Oxford	A 4:00 p.m.
04-14-76	Sashabaw Junior	9th Baseball	Bloomfield Hills	H 4:00 p.m.
04-14-76	Clarkston Junior	9th Track	Oxford	A 4:00 p.m.
04-14-76	Clarkston Junior	9th Baseball	East Hills	H 4:00 p.m.
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04-15-76	Clarkston Senior	Boys Track	Lake Orion	A 4:00 p.m.
04-21-76	Clarkston Senior	Var. Baseball	West Bloomfield (D.H.)	H 11:30 a.m.
04-22-76	Clarkston Senior	Var. Baseball	Davison (D.H.)	H 11:30 a.m.

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Places to go,

This year, the Oakland County March of Dimes will present "Superwalk '76 - The one at Pontiac Stadium," on Sunday, April 25.

Superwalk '76 will begin and end at Oakland County's Pontiac Stadium where an estimated

10,000 junior and senior high school students and other volunteers will participate in this campaign to raise funds to help eliminate birth defects.

At 6 a.m., the north gate of Pontiac Stadium will be opened for the volunteers arriving for the registration at 8 a.m.

Walkers will follow a route

from Pontiac Stadium down Featherstone Road, walking east to Hamlin Road which jogs to Adams Road and then head north to Tienkin Road. From Tienkin they will go east to Brewster Road and take Brewster south to Walton. Following Walton west, they will have a pleasant detour through Oakland University's campus. They will continue to Squirrel Road and follow it to Featherstone and the finish line back at the Stadium.

Along the 20 mile route, various checkpoints will be set up for walkers to have their mileage cards checked. Before the walk, volunteers will have collected pledges of at least 10 cents a mile from donor-sponsors in their neighborhood and community.

"Yankee Ingenuity," an American comedy of manners, will receive its professional musical world-premiere performances at Meadow Brook Theatre starting Thursday, April 22. The play runs through May 16.

The comedy is set in pre-Civil War New York City and based on "Fashion," the 19th century comedy by Anna Cora Mowatt, the first successful American woman playwright. Terence Kilburn directs the Meadow Brook Theatre production. "Yankee Ingenuity" offers music by Jim Wise. The book and lyrics are by Richard Bimonte.

The work satirizes the vanities and wild extravagances of the "new rich" while extolling the virtues of an earlier day; and the play's main character, Elizabeth Tiffany, has been called the archetype of every social-climbing matron.

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Mike Weger, defensive back for the Detroit Lions, will be guest speaker. Bruno Kearns, sports editor of the Oakland Press, is the featured guest.

Dinner is served at 7 p.m. preceded by a cocktail hour at 6 p.m.

To make reservations, Call Vera Parks at 857-7846 or 373-2385.

The International Meditation Society will present a free public lecture on the transcendental meditation program at the Oxford Township Hall, 18 West Burdick, Oxford, on Tuesday, April 20, at 7:30 p.m. For more information, call 651-4242.

Richard Headlee, chief executive officer of Alexander Hamilton Life Insurance Co., will discuss "Free Enterprise and Government -- Its Effect Upon Business" when he addresses the April Legislative Luncheon of the North Oakland Chamber of Commerce.

Thomas Ritter will moderate the meeting at Pontiac-Bloomfield Sheraton Motor Inn. Luncheon is \$5.

A program for women alcoholics and heavy drinkers have been scheduled for 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. May 8 at Mercy College. The class is limited at 15, at a fee of \$40 per person Ben Warner, certified alcoholism therapist, will have charge.

Upland Hills Farm School is presenting its annual Square Dance on Saturday, April 24, at 7 p.m.

The evening includes dancing, a hayride, homemade refreshments, and many surprises.

The fundraiser will be held at Upland Hills, 481 Lake George Road in Oxford. Tickets will be available at the door, or at Bookplace, 3 S. Washington in Oxford.

For further information, or reservations, phone 628-2292. Tickets are priced at \$3.50 for adults and \$2.00 for students.

The Slavic Area Studies program at Oakland University is conducting its second annual foreign study tour on July 1-25.

The itinerary includes visits to

Warsaw, Poland, and visits to the Russian cities of Kiev, Leningrad, and Moscow, among others.

A limited number of nonstudents will be accepted. For additional information call Robert C. Howes at 377-2154.

The 19th Congressional District Jimmy Carter for President Committee will be meeting on Thursday, April 15, 1976 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Commissioners Auditorium of the Oakland County Courthouse located at 1200 North Telegraph in Pontiac. Anyone interested in becoming involved in the campaign is invited to attend. For more information call Hubert Price at 858-0100 during the day or 334-2184 in the evening.

Make plans now to attend the Kenneth Jewell Chorale in Bicentennial Concert at 3 p.m. May 2 at Pontiac Central High School Auditorium. The concert is the first in a series of benefit performances designed to raise money for a Pontiac Cultural Center. Tickets are \$6 for a family, \$3 individual and \$2 for students and seniors.

Lake Orion Women's Club will conduct a handicraft exhibit from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. April 30 at the

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INTERMEDIATE GUITAR (Johnson) Wednesday 8-9pm, 6 wks., Rm. 203 JHS \$10.00
A continuation of the beginner's guitar class. Must have completed beginners class or have the consent of the instructor.

BALLROOM DANCING (Stubblefield) Wednesday 7-9pm, 6 wks., Rm. Cafe JHS person \$10.00 per couple \$15.00
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WALLPAPER (Braniff) Tuesday & Thursday 7-9pm, 2 wks., Rm 102 JHS \$ 6.00
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Places to go

Rev. Dr. Jeannette Piccard, one of the Philadelphia Eleven whose ordination to the priesthood in July, 1974, heightened controversy in the church, will speak at 10:45 a.m. April 21 at St. Mary's In-The-Hills Episcopal Church, 2512 Joslyn Court, Lake Orion. Her topic is "The Role of Women in the Church."

Easter Sunday is Kids' Day at Meadow Brook Hall. All children aged seven and under will be admitted free if accompanied by a parent during regular tour hours, 1 to 5 p.m., Sunday, April 18. (Families only; groups will be charged regular admittance price.)

A big "Easter Bunny" will pass out treats to the youngsters as they complete their tour of this 100-room mansion on the campus of Oakland University, Rochester.

If weather permits, Knoe Cottage will be open for tours on Easter Sunday. The cottage, a short walk from the hall itself, is a six-room, nearly lifesize playhouse. Tours of this mini-mansion are 50 cents for all ages.

The Oakland Livingston Human Service Agency will sponsor a Food Festival from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. April 28 at the Wide Track Festival Grounds, Pontiac.

Edward P. Revis, Executive Director of the OLHSA, said, "This food festival is a natural program for us since we are involved in both nutrition and education programs. We want to invite all residents of Oakland County to join us in Pontiac for a day of learning that nutrition can be good-tasting as well as good for you."

A special workshop on Decorating Your Own Clothing will be offered at the YWCA, 269 West Huron, during Easter vacation. Carolyn Hall, author of *Stitched and Stuffed Art*, will be the instructor for the two day workshop.

Mrs. Hall will show students how to make old clothes into new "designer originals". Students will learn to use crochet, embroidery, beads and trim to make the garment express the wearer. (Blue jeans are a good place to begin).

Bring scraps, scissors, trims and a garment to work on to the first session. The workshops are on April 19 and 21 from 10 a.m. to noon. Call 334-0973 for reservations.

Chrysler Corp. has put out a new booklet on fuel economy. For copies, write for "Guide to Fuel Economy," Chrysler Corp., P.O. Box 7749, Detroit, Mich. 48207.

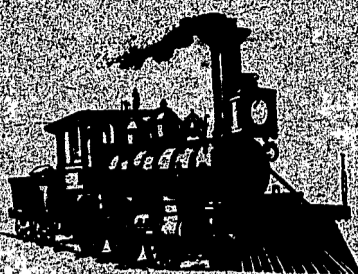
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New classes being offered by the Pontiac YWCA include two world of rhythm and movement dance classes as well as Slimnastics and Swimming. A new Family Swim class will be held on Monday evenings at the Pontiac Boys' Club pool. Thursday morning will be devoted to Swim and Exercise and Toddler Swim. Creative Movement for boys and girls ages 5-12 will be one of the classes. They will explore the world of rhythm and movement which helps develop flexibility and coordination. Explorations in Dance is a class offered for teens and adults which will be a guided tour through the many worlds of dance from ballet to folk! Both classes will be taught by Betty Appleton, local teacher and choreographer. Start shaping up for summer the easy way.

AUTO MAINTENANCE NEWS:

CHAPTER VII PART 1 (PART 2 CONTINUED NEXT WEEK)

The Electrical System Battery, Charging, Starting and Ignition

Your car's electrical system starts the engine, supplies high voltage to the ignition system, and operates such important accessories as the lights, windshield wipers, heater, air conditioner and radio.

The storage battery is the heart of the system, and acts as a reservoir of energy. As the battery receives 'charges' of electricity from the alternator, it converts this electrical energy into chemical energy, storing it for future use, and changes it back into electricity when needed.

The automobile battery is a lead-acid type in which two sets of different type lead plates are submerged in a solution of sulfuric acid and water. The plates are enclosed in the plastic or hard rubber container you see. A group of positive and negative plates forms a cell, which develops about two volts. Most automobile batteries have six cells and supply 12 volts, although some have three cells and supply six volts.

The Terminals

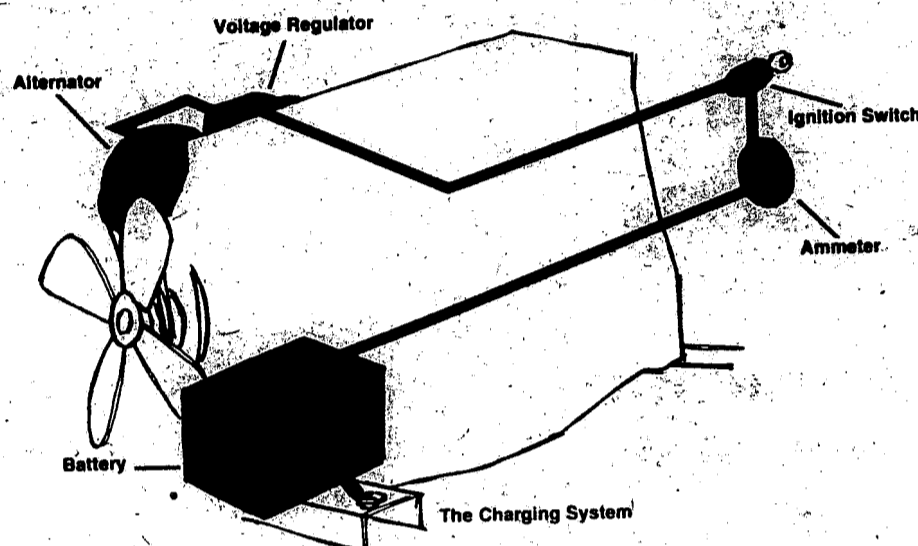
The battery has two terminals, usually on the top of the case at opposite ends. The larger one is positive (+) and the other negative (-). The negative terminal is usually connected to the car's steel frame, which acts as a 'ground.' Another cable connects the positive terminal to the starter and other accessories.

When you turn on any of the car's electrical devices, you complete the circuit between the two terminals of the battery. This action immediately converts part of the chemical energy in the battery to electrical energy.

The Charging System

Like any other reservoir, the battery energy must be constantly replenished or it won't function. A continuing supply of electrical current for storage in the battery is developed by either a generator or an alternator, which is driven by the fan belt. It works only when your car's engine is running. Older cars have a generator, which produces direct current (d.c.). Most newer models are equipped with alternators, which supply alternating current (a.c.), then convert it to d.c. before sending it to the battery. Alternators replaced generators because they can produce more current for the battery at low speeds in city driving.

The second important element in the charging system is the voltage regulator. This device makes sure the battery is not damaged by getting more electric current than it can store. When a battery is partially discharged, the alternator works at



or near its maximum capacity generating current. As the battery approaches full charge, the alternator's output must be cut to prevent damage from overcharging. The voltage regulator automatically adjusts the charging rate. If the system is functioning properly, the charge of electric current to the battery is kept just high enough to supply ignition and accessories without drawing off current from the battery. It's like living on your income without touching your savings.

Instrument Panel

Your car's instrument panel contains either an ammeter or a warning light to alert you to conditions in the electrical system. The ammeter needle measures the rate of charge and discharge, while a warning light merely registers discharge. If it lights up while the engine is running, you are taking more electricity out of the battery than you are putting in. If you get the warning at any speed above idle, the alternator and regulator should be checked. The fan belt also should be checked; it may be loose or broken.

The Starting System

A gasoline engine can't start without help. In the early days, that help was a strong arm and a crank. Now, the starter does the same job when you turn a key. The starter is an electric motor with a small gear on one end of its shaft. When you turn the key to the start position, the gear

on the starter meshes with a larger gear on the engine, and the starter turns the engine until it catches and runs under its own power.

The starter draws more current than any other electrical device on the car; therefore it drains the most energy from the battery. It requires heavy cables to carry the current from the battery with minimum loss. Electricity flows like water; you can't pour more water through a large pipe than a small one. The large amount of current required by the starter, for example, could not be carried through the ignition switch and its wiring. The switch capacity is too small and the electrical current load would burn out its contacts.

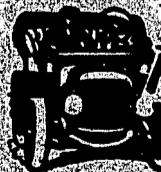
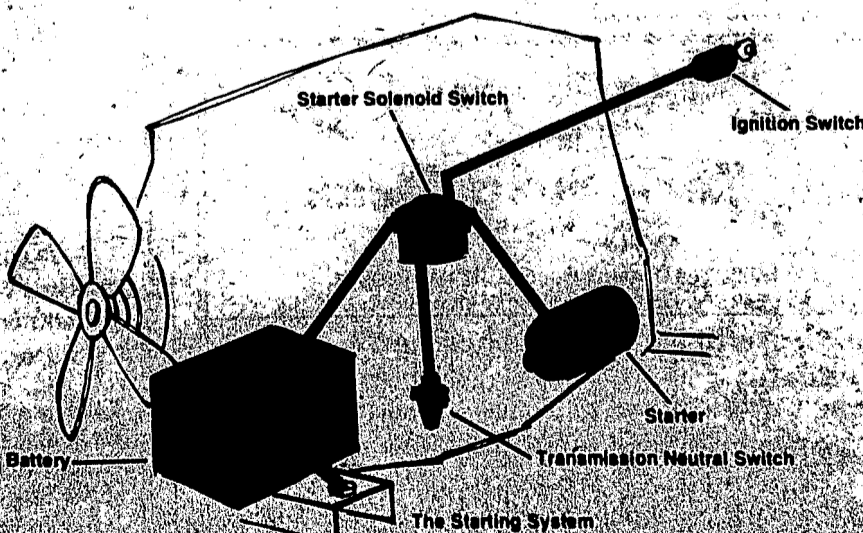
The Solenoid

The problem is solved by a unit called the solenoid. When you turn the key to start the engine, a small amount of current is sent to the solenoid. Acting as a magnet, the solenoid draws the contacts of a large switch together, giving a wider passage for the large flow of current from the battery to the starter.

If your car has an automatic transmission, there's one other important part in the starting system. It's a neutral switch, and it prevents the motor from being started unless the transmission is in Neutral or Park.

(CON'T. NEXT WEEK)

The Ignition System



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things to do



A thrill show and destruction derby will be held at Pontiac Stadium April 24, starting at 8:30 p.m.

The show includes a 203-foot drop by stuntman Dar Robinson into an air bag, Joie Chitwood and his Legion of Daredevils doing automobile stunt driving, and demolition derbies featuring \$2,250 in prizes.

A playwriting competition is being sponsored by the Nederlander Theatrical Corporation and Wayne State University.

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production of his play by the university theatre.

Competition for the award will be open to any playwright upon payment of a reading fee, which will go toward paying the contest judges.

Brochures with contest rules and entry blanks will be available by writing Leonard Leone, Wayne State University Theatre, Detroit, Mich. 48202.

A Turkish folk dance group from Istanbul, Turkey will appear in Detroit's Music Hall for a one night stand on April 16. During their first visit to the United States the FOTEM ensemble of 38 men and women will perform in 20 cities during April and May with a return appearance scheduled in Detroit May 5 in the Masonic Temple.

The Continuum Center for Adult Counseling and Leadership Training at Oakland University is offering a workshop in Assertiveness Training to help people learn how to stand up for their own rights without violating the rights of others.

The classes will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesdays, May 5, 12 and 19 at the Meadowbrook Clubhouse located on Adams Road, south of Walton Boulevard in Rochester.

Call the Continuum Center, 377-3033 for advance registration. There is a \$35 fee for the workshop.

The North Oakland YMCA Spring pre-school classes will begin the week of April 26 for five weeks. Registration for these classes will begin April 12 and continue until classes begin.

ABC Playpark is a twice weekly

two-and-a-half hour class for children 3-6 years old, offering instruction in swimming, gym skills, trampoline, and arts and crafts, with emphasis on balance and co-ordination.

Mom-Tot Gym and Swim classes for children walking - 3 years old offer instruction in swimming, gym activities, and group exercises emphasizing balance, co-ordination, and muscle development.

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A spring teen dance April 23 will be put on by the Knights of

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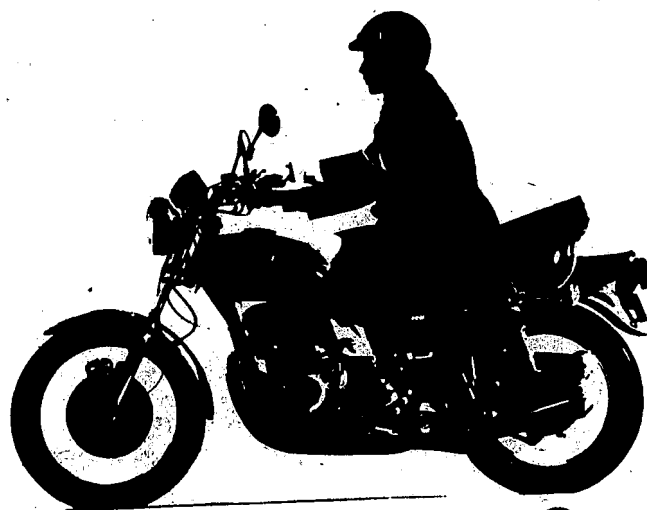


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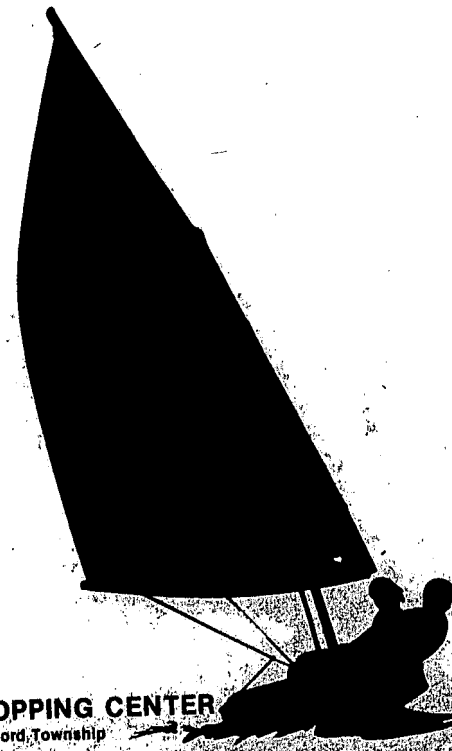
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Firemen's Restoration Ball complete with fire



A buffet dinner of roast beef, ham, salad and other dishes was served to the approximately 200 guests attending the Independence Firefighters Restoration Ball Saturday at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Maybee Road.



The firefighters provided dinner, beer, set-ups and entertainment for the crowd.

PHOTOS BY BOB TILLEY



Firemen attending the association's Restoration Ball had their revelry interrupted by the fire alarm shortly after 10 p.m. A home at 4812 Harding erupted in flames. Cause of the fire is undetermined as yet. Damage to the home and attached garage is estimated at \$8,000.

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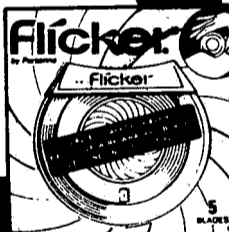
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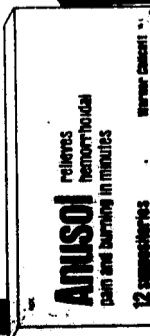
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Beth was awarded a trophy for her print "Lady Love" which was chosen Best of Show. She also received a plaque for being top 10 photographer.

Glenda's initiation to competition resulted in her entries acceptance for exhibition. She

was presented the Winonia School of Photography Scholarship award.

Leta Calcote, Color artist at Sales Studio, received recognition for her outstanding work by having all print entries accepted for exhibit.

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Bill reports the store carries a full line of guitar strings and can make 99 percent of the other guitar accessories available in 24 hours.

Jaycee circus

Davisburg Area Jaycees will sponsor the International All-Star Circus in a performance at 7 p.m. June 2 at Springfield Oaks Activities Center.

The advance sale of tickets will be used to help raise money for the Jaycee project of aiding the Ann Arbor Burn Center.

Easter tree

Tammy Rodriguez got into the spirit of Easter by decorating the front yard of her Hillsboro Road home with dolls handsewn by her grandmother, Flo Schmidt, and by hanging eggs on the Rodriguez' fledgling trees.



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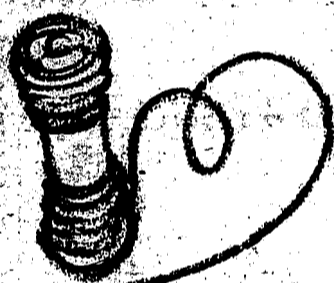
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Appeals board okays pharmacy

A pharmacy specializing in prescription drugs and orthopedic appliances, along with more doctors' offices, will soon come to Clarkston.

In action taken April 7, by the Independence Township Zoning Board of Appeals, Tom and Elaine Lufkin were granted approval to incorporate a professional pharmacy in an office complex at the corner of M-15 and Paramus.

The offices will house a pediatrician, a podiatrist and a dermatologist.

The Lufkins were also granted a variance allowing them to use 20-foot parking spaces at a pharmacy drive-in window rather than 24 foot spaces required by the zoning ordinance.

The appeals board also granted a variance to Terence Haran, 2712 Rohr Road, allowing him to

construct a dwelling on non-conforming lot 15 in Allen Woods Estates. The rural zoning of the area does not allow construction on parcels less than three acres in size.

However, Haran's 1.1-acre parcel was platted when zoning in the area was residential single family (R-1-A). After hearing arguments both pro and con, the board reasoned that because the parcel has been in existence for several years and Haran can meet all other zoning requirements, the board must allow use of the lot.

In other requests the board granted a four-foot front yard variance to Dr. Russell Doeringer permitting him to construct a dwelling at 6809 Deer Hill Drive, 36 feet of the front rather than at

the 40 feet required by the ordinance. By doing so, Doeringer can preserve several large trees and the natural setting of the area, he said.

The board also granted a 15-foot rear yard variance to John Halveston, developer of DeerWood on Cranberry Lake Road, on lot #33 of that development. The variance allows construction of a ranch home meeting the subdivision restrictions of a side entry to the garage and a minimum of 1900 square footage in the structure.

The zoning ordinance demands a 50 foot rear yard setback.

For the same reasons the board granted an eight-foot rear yard setback variance to builder Paul Bordon on lot 102 in DeerWood.

April 19 is deadline

Voters in the May 18 presidential primary election have until April 19 to register.

Independence and Springfield township halls will remain open until 8 p.m. that day and from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the previous Saturday, April 17, to accept registrations.

Residents of Clarkston village may register at Independence Township Hall.

Council trustee promotes planters

Village Council Trustee Fontie ApMadoe would like to see downtown Clarkston blossom this summer.

She's made arrangements to purchase redwood planters, empty or filled, from Ritter's Farm Market.

A 24-inch size is available to merchants empty at \$15 or planted and equipped with brackets at \$20. The cost for a 36 inch planter is \$16 and \$ 22; a 48-inch planter costs \$20 and \$29.

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Service news



Airman Mikeal J. Griffith, whose mother is Mrs. Louella L. Griffith of 1701 Fairlawn, Howell, has been selected for technical training in the U.S. Air Force aircraft maintenance field at Sheppard AFB, Tex.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex., where he studied the Air Force Mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

Airman Griffith, whose father is James F. Griffith of 6340 Pine Knob Road, is a 1971 graduate of Walled Lake (Mich.) Western High School.

A Clarkston man has graduated at Sheppard AFB, Tex., from the technical training course for U.S. Air Force helicopter mechanics.

Airman William A. White, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Bobby E. White, was trained to inspect and perform maintenance on helicopters. Completion of the course enables him to receive academic credits through the Community College of the Air Force. The airman now goes to Shaw AFB, S.C., for duty with a unit of the Tactical Air Command.

Airman White is a 1972 graduate of Clarkston Senior High School.

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Spelling runner-up



Susan Dubats, an eighth grader from Sashabaw Junior High

School, was runner-up in the North Oakland District Spelling Bee. The bee, sponsored by the Detroit News, was April 7 at Lake Orion East Junior High.

This was the fourth consecutive year Susan has represented a Clarkston school at the district bee. According to the sponsor rules, this was also the last year Susan can compete on the district level.

When asked why she enjoys competing in spelling bees Susan replied, "I consider it a challenge and after winning one year in the school, I felt like I had to defend my title each year after and I did."

Susan thinks that she'll enter retirement now and not compete in the school bee next year. "I'm really tired of studying for the bee and it takes too much time away from school work and outside activities, she said.

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INDEPENDENT view



Springfield Township will pay 25 percent of the cost for chloriding township roads, the board has decided.

Residents pay the other 75 percent.

Cost charged by the Oakland County Road Commission has risen from 10 cents a foot to 12 cents.

Applications for the chloriding will be available at the township hall in Davisburg later this month.

Since cost for duplicating materials on Springfield Township's present copy machine are very high, the township board has not been able to provide many copies of meeting agendas and most recently the township's proposed budget.

Wednesday the township board decided to try and cut that cost by buying a mimeograph machine. Members will first get bids to find out how much it costs—it's expected to run around \$800-\$900.

The new machine could reduce duplication costs from seven cents a copy to two or three cents a copy, according to clerk J. Calvin Walters.

Springfield Township will ask about \$5,000 reimbursement from the federal Disaster Assistance Administration for costs incurred during the March ice storm.

A federal loan to pay for constructing a fire hall in the Andersonville-Big Lake area may be applied for by the Springfield Township Board.

The board has approved asking for an application form for the loan. No monetary amount has yet been determined for the application.

Holly Volunteer Ambulance is looking for more volunteers for its program, it told the Springfield Township Board.

The board renewed its contract with the ambulance service Wednesday. The new contract retains the same rate as the old—\$20 per run. That fee is over and above the cost per mile charged to residents for use of the service.

A special family membership service card is available for the service, at an annual cost of \$12, which allows a reduced \$1 a mile rate.

Another bar may move into the old Four Seasons on the Dixie Highway. A Waterford businessman is seeking to get a resort license from the Michigan Liquor Control Commission switched to the old bar.

Wayne Nederlander who last year managed Pine Knob Music Theatre will be working in California this summer. At present, the word is Joey Nederlander will be supervising the local facility.

Police Director Jack McCall says there have been no untoward events in regard to the now legal right turn on red.

However, our business manager, Donna Fahrner, is getting more and more reluctant to cross Washington at Main on her way to work in the morning.

She says it isn't just the red light, but also the green light turners, who've just about done her in on numerous occasions.



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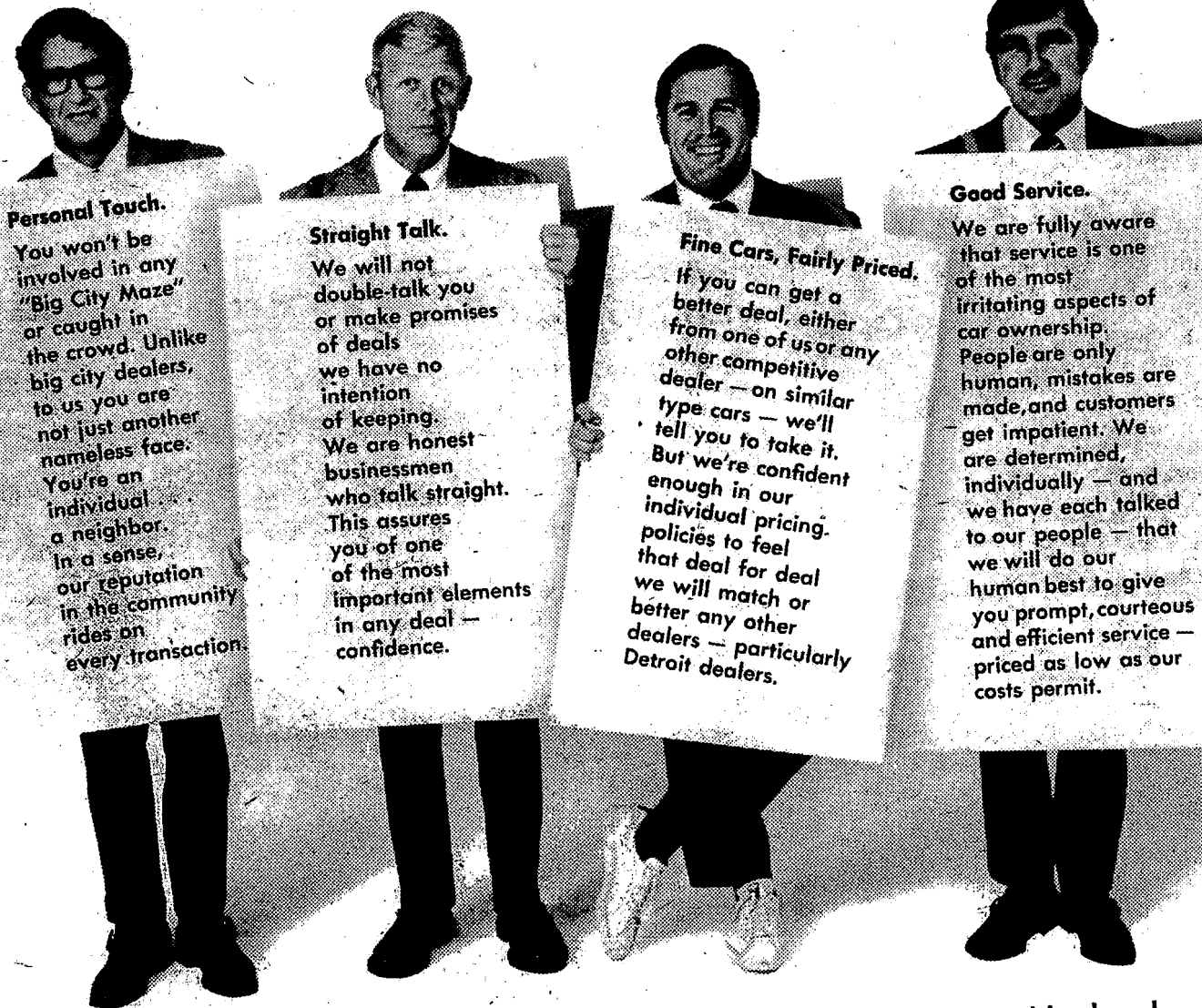
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CB'ers plan for emergency

This is no 'land line' operation

by Hilda Bruce
of The Clarkston News

"Break!" shouted Jim Frietag and the organizational meeting of Concerned Citizen CBers began recently at Clarkston Junior High.

Obviously "break" meant "quiet please," but as the meeting progressed it was obvious this reporter needed a translator. Fortunately the supply outweighed the demand about 55 to one and "Boomer" served well.

He explained that "break" normally means "clear the air or channel."

"When you get the channel you're supposed to use it and then get off," he said. But usually the channel isn't relinquished until someone calls "break" again, he added.

Throughout the meeting "Boomer" explained terms such as washing -- interference on a channel; washer -- the one interfering; mobile - radio unit in a vehicle; land base - stationary transmitter; roll - drive or go to investigate a situation; and land line - telephone.

While the CB'ers were gathered to institute a means of providing volunteer emergency aid to anyone in need of them and to assist local authorities, civil defense units and fire departments when called upon, the meeting also served to introduce the physical bodies belonging to the "handles" (code names) already known via the air-waves.

As each person introduced himself (herself) and his (her) "handle", comments like "So that's who you are" could be heard. Sometimes the comments met with gales of laughter or a chorus of "Yeah. That's him."

Every CB'er has a handle, from the 18-year veteran "Lone Ranger" to the six month novice "Leggs", and for every handle there's a reason.

Husband and wife teams usually have co-ordinating names like the "Tom Cat and Pussy Cat," "Sunset and Sunrise" and "Prop Jockey" and his "Navigator."

"Orphan Annie" chose her handle "Because I'm by myself all the time. He travels."

"He" is "Brassman" so-called because he sells brass.

"Scorpion" chose his sun sign and also wears the sign of the zodiac.

"Tonka Toy" is the handle of a four-wheel drive owner. Other handles like "Mouth" and "Speedy" have obvious meanings.

The list goes on and on even including "No Name," presumably because the gentleman couldn't think of anything appropriate.

Mother Nature's recent rampages convinced these concerned CB'ers that they could be of help to the community in a time of disaster providing emergency communications, assisting in traffic control, helping to clear debris from roads, in general doing anything and everything in their power to help those more unfortunate than themselves.

The goal of the group is to provide teams of responsible volunteers that authorities can depend on.

Good Samaritans are not always appreciated because someone has misused his position and all become labeled as undependable.

"Many wrecker services will not respond to a CB'ers calls because they have been called out on too many false alarms," Frietag said.

Dedicated CB'ers deplore the misuse of the air waves.

Because of the misuse of transmitters and air waves that has come with the tremendous growth in CB use, Frietag stressed that CB'ers interested in volunteering to help others must be licensed by the Federal Communications Commission and follow FCC rules, observe local and state traffic laws, must not imitate any emergency vehicles or monitor or respond to police or fire calls.

Instead the CB'er is to verify the situation, call for assistance, stand by until emergency help arrives, assist in emergency only if trained in first aid and asked to do so by the authorities.

Frietag also advised that emergency volunteers "roll" in pairs, never answering a call for help alone.

The group hopes to get enough volunteers from Clarkston and surrounding areas so that districts can be formed with district leaders and four units per district.

Throughout the meeting stories arose about situations in which CB'ers were of help to someone.

Diesel fuel was secured for a trucker, not easily done in this area as few stations carry the fuel.

A CB'er and his wife worked as a team to rush a man with an attack of kidney stones to the hospital and to babysit with the ill man's family.

"Tonka Toy" related that he notified the fire department when he spotted a grass fire and within five minutes the trucks were on the scene.

"Boomer" was recently in a head-on collision in which both autos were demolished.

"I grabbed my mike and called for the police and an ambulance. They were there within two minutes," he said.

These people believe in the

proper use of their equipment and a respect for others but they are not dour people. They do have fun.

In a game of fox hunt a group of CB'ers gather to select the "fox", turn him loose and wait for him to radio back clues to his location.

"Tonka Toy" explained that while having fun the mobile units are keeping an eye on the community.

After questionnaires completed at the meeting are sorted according to community, capabilities (first aid, etc.), equipment,

vehicle, and willingness to volunteer time and effort, a second meeting will be called to form districts and designate district leaders.

Anyone interested in volunteering may contact Jim and Pat Frietag at "No Name" Base in Clarkston on Channel 19 or by land line at 625-3558.

Note should be made that this group is not connected in anyway with REACT (Radio Emergency Associated Citizens Teams).

But if you need help the "Ranger" (Lone Ranger) breaks on 19.

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Blue Cross, salary raises okayed in Springfield

by Mary Warner
of The Clarkston News

Springfield Township employees wishing to join a Blue Cross medical insurance program will have 50 percent of the cost paid by the township.

The Springfield Township Board has budgeted an additional \$4,000 for the coverage. Estimated cost for nine full-time employees per month is \$325.

Supervisor Don Rogers and treasurer Patricia Kramer may not join the insurance program, they said. Employees covered would be the clerk, assessor, two assistant assessors, one maintenance man, the secretary and the building inspector.

The building inspector is considered a full-time employee, Rogers said. The board upped the inspector's salary Wednesday from \$6,800 to \$7,000 annually.

One Springfield resident disputed the increase in inspector Lewis Benfield's salary and his status as full time employee. The resident said there has been trouble in the township with people living in unfinished homes and nothing has been done about it by the building department.

He also said that although Benfield has little outside work now, he does carpentering that could interfere with township business at times.

In addition to Benfield's salary increase, the board approved a 66 percent salary increase for the township fire chief and an average of 26 percent for 20 firefighters. The fire chief will receive \$1,500 annually instead of \$900.

The assistant fire chief was given

a salary for the first time of \$50 per month, or \$600 annually.

Those salaries are over and above what the chief and his assistant make on runs and attending meetings.

They will benefit on the latter by an increase in firemen's hourly wages, okayed by the board Wednesday.

Firemen will receive \$6 for the first hour spent on a fire run, \$5 for each additional hour, and \$4 for every firefighters' meeting attended.

That's an increase from \$5 for the first hour, \$4 every second hour and \$3 for every meeting given firemen last year.

The hourly increases could mean about \$2,649 in additional wages paid firemen this year, based on last year's total compensation.

Other salary increases voted by the board Wednesday were a \$300 raise in planner Todd Kilroy's fee, and a raise from \$2.50 an hour to \$4 for the township constable.

Kilroy will get \$4,800 a year for attending eight planning commission meetings, writing 12 reports to the township relating to planning business therein, and spending one day a month in the township.

Previously he received \$4,500 for eight meetings, writing eight reports, and spending one day in the township.

Kilroy's increase was already budgeted when the annual meeting was held Saturday, and there was no change in budgeting for the constable, who does not spend more than five or 10 hours on the job a month.





COUNTRY LIVING

Home brings the outside in

by Hilda Bruce
of The Clarkston News

When Gordon Andringa designed the family home, a cedar sided ranch in Independence Township, there were definite priorities.

All of them culminated in relaxed family living, in which each member can enjoy his own life style.

"Gordon designed the house to bring the outside in," Sandy, his wife, said. "In the summer it's all green and isolated even though we have neighbors."

"I insisted on one level so I could sweep straight through," she said. "Even the laundry facilities are on the living level near the girls' bath."

The girls, Tara, 5 and Kim, 7, selected the decor for their rooms. The busy yellow and orange flowered paper in Tara's room reflects her taste. "She's a collector-saver," her mother said.

"The striped red, white and blue wallpaper in Kim's room indicates her desire for order," Sandy said. "It was interesting to watch them make their choices. They are so different from each other."

"It would have been nice to have it (the house) color coordinated throughout, but we just aren't that way," Sandy said.

"Everyone laughs when they see my desk area and then see Gordon's office," Sandy said. Her desk fills a cubbyhole under a window where she can keep an eye on the children. Gordon's office is away from the active family living area where he can shut the door and work, undisturbed. (Gordon is an architect for T.M.P. Associates in Bloomfield Hills)

Enjoyment of the outdoors prompted the Andringas to use lots of glass (there is 30 feet of windowwall in the living-dining room alone) and an earth toned decor, allowing the interior and exterior to blend in one visual experience.

"We love the trees, animals and change of seasons that surround us," Sandy said.

A collage in the family dining area is of driftwood, stones and other natural artifacts. "The girls made it from things they collected during our vacation on Lake Huron last summer," Sandy said. "I got them started on collages in nursery school and now they make them all the time."

Sandy who has taught in special education and has been an educational consultant is now doing graduate work in Early Childhood Education and is the program director and a teacher at Clarkston Preschool.

When she isn't busy with classes or the nursery school, she plays tennis and racquet ball. Sandy is also active in the Pontiac Chapter of the American Association of University Women.

Most of her interests are associated with education.

Gordon plays tennis and racquet ball, sails, and shoots skeet.

"I bought him a gun for Christmas," Sandy said.

Gordon also dabbles in wood-working and has made pieces of furniture and the deck at the rear of the house.

Tara and Kim are active people too. They have been swimming since they were infants and now take tennis lessons.

"They like the outdoors," Sandy said. "They both ice skate. They are very art oriented, too."

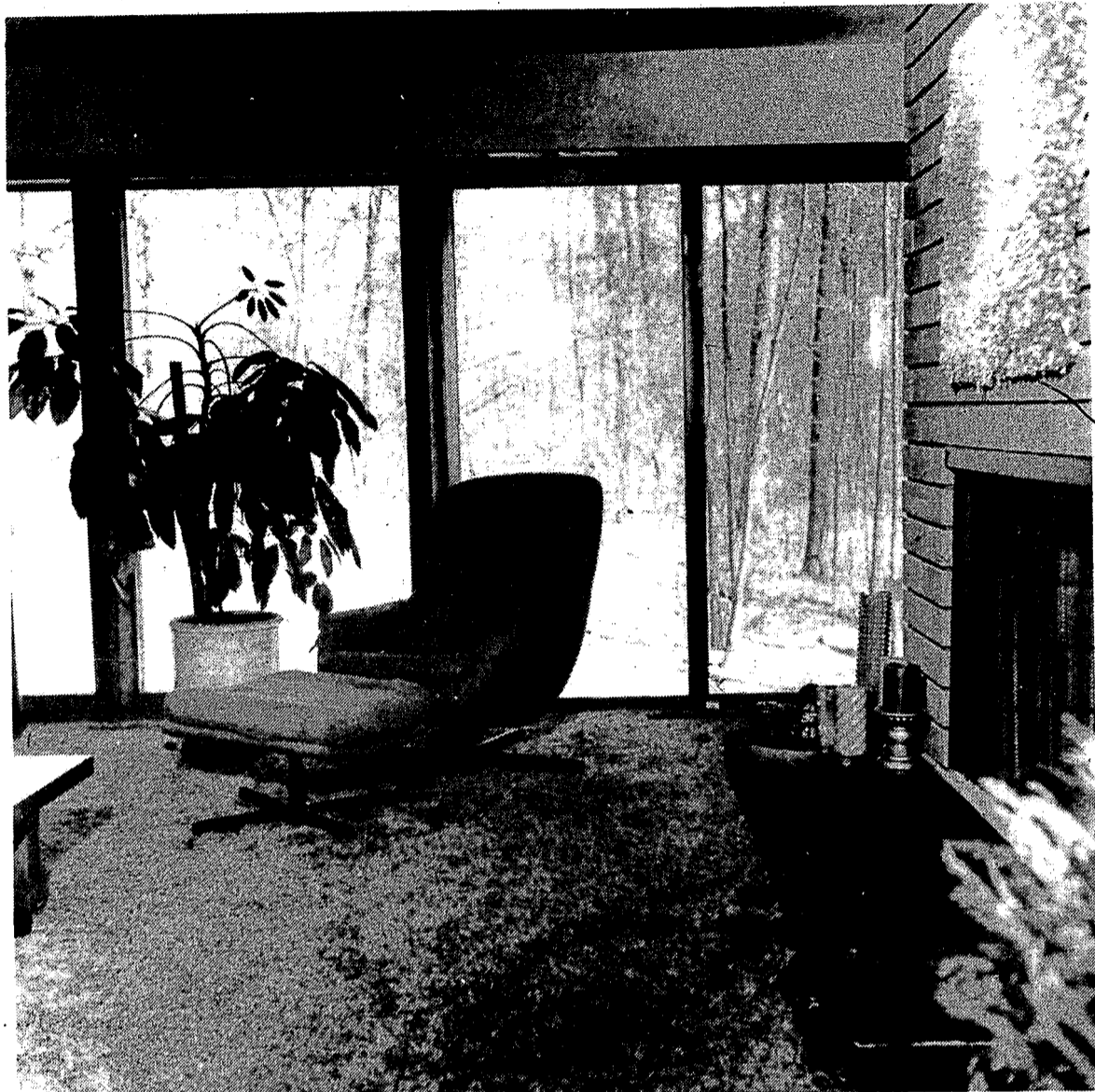
Tara inadvertently redecorated the playroom (family room filled with children's toys) when she used magic markers on the walls. Now it has been covered with wallpaper.

The comings and goings of this active family is illustrated by a story Sandy told of a visit by her parents who live in North Carolina.

"They came on short notice and there were several activities I couldn't rearrange. So I was in and out the whole time they were here," she said.

"When they left my mother said, 'I'm going home and call you.'"

"It's true we have longer uninterrupted conversations by phone than we had while they were here," Sandy said, shaking her head and laughing.



"It's not a man eating plant," Sandy said reassuringly.



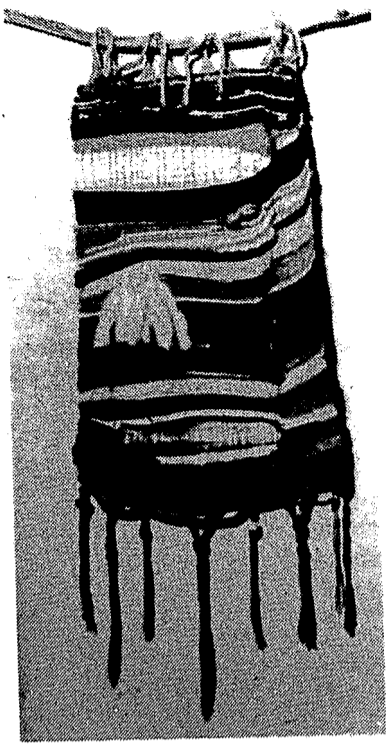
Sandy enjoys life in the country surrounded by nature and isolated by the woods.



Embroidered picture in master suite



school desk in Kim's room



Wall hanging made by Sandy



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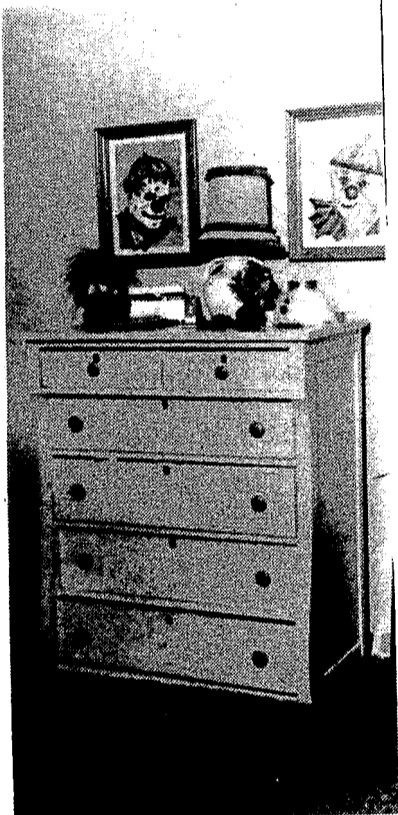
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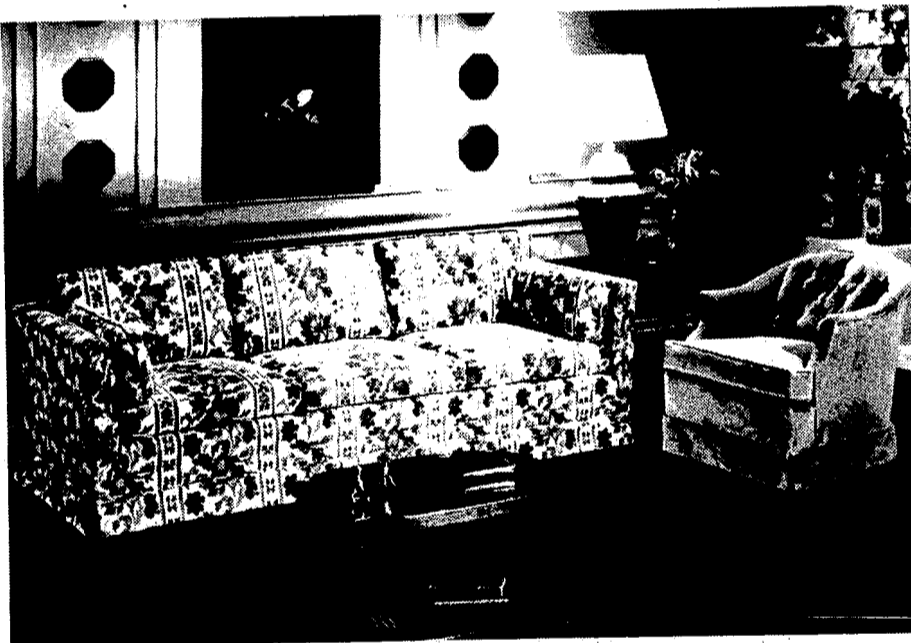
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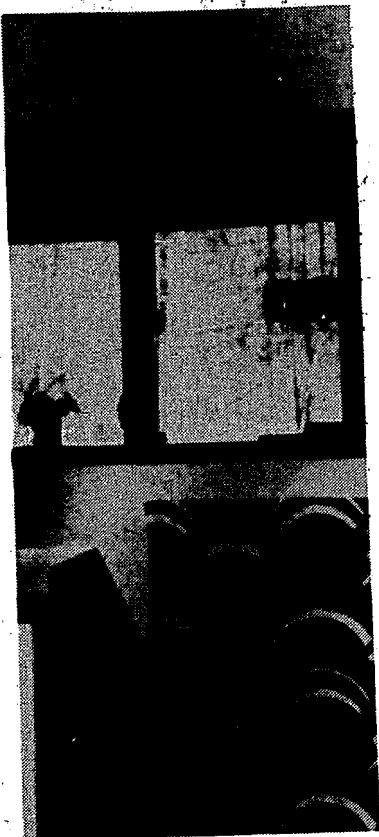
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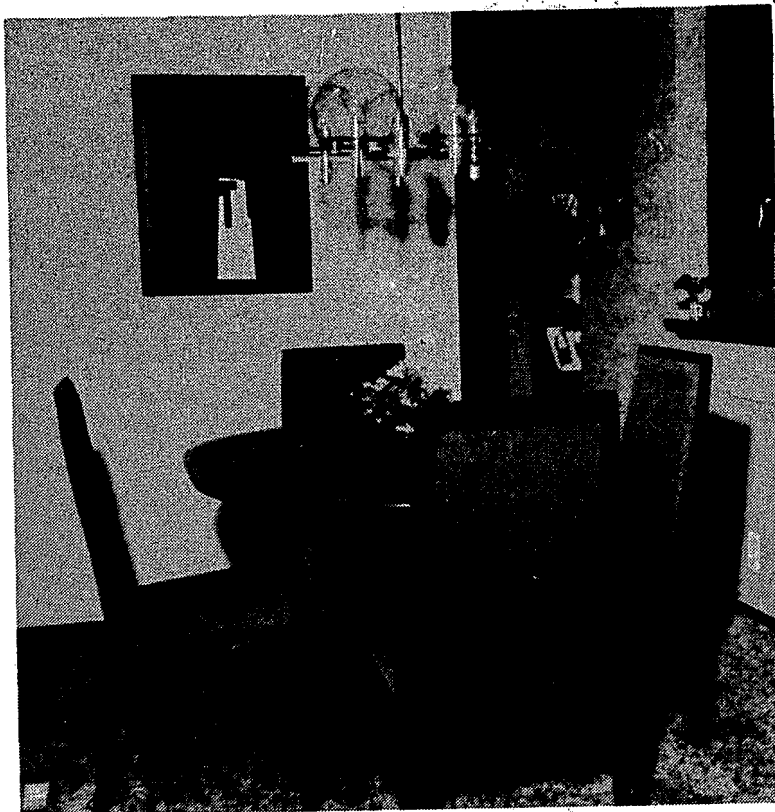
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by Bob & Marvel White



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Deputy contract retroactivity cut

Independence and other townships have at least partially won their fight against paying retroac-

tive increases in 1975 Oakland County Sheriff's Deputy contracts.

The Oakland County Board of Commissioners voted Tuesday to require retroactive increases only from January 1, 1976. Previously the county board wanted the increases retroactive to July 1, 1975.

That means for those six months, townships are required to pay only the previous \$17,870 per deputy rate, instead of the

increased \$19,571 contract.

For Independence, with five deputies under contract, it is a savings of \$4,252 for those six months.

Independence had no intention of paying the retroactive increases for those months anyway, so the vote Tuesday was a mixed blessing, according to township supervisor Ed Glennie.

The township board voted earlier this year to pay the new contract rate only from this

February on.

Tuesday's vote means the township will still have to decide whether to pay the \$710 difference for the month of January.

That decision will most likely be made at next Tuesday's meeting.

Glennie is hoping the county will send copies of the contracts in

time for the board meeting.

Getting "valid" copies of them has been a problem for the township ever since last May, Glennie said.

Also to decide by the board is whether to accept new 1976 contracts that will take effect July 1, 1976. The rate for those was increased to \$24,685.



BY THE THIRD EYE

Patty Hearst's sentence will be very light, in actual time span.

Claudine Longet will also be the object of compassion, and she won't serve much time in the death of Spider Sabich either.

I really don't think Terry Moore was ever married to Howard Hughes. She may have been a girlfriend of the billionaire, but I don't feel the relationship was legalized.

Spren, despite his announcement that he will seek reelection, will be giving up his position as Sheriff of Oakland County. I don't know when it will happen, but it will happen.

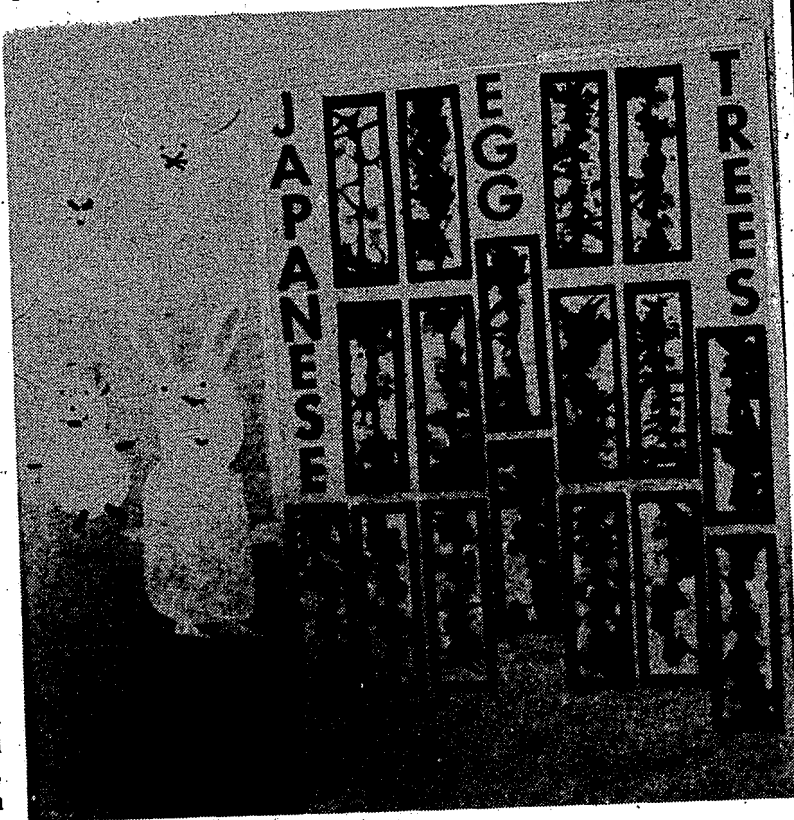
Jimmy Carter will be twiddling his thumbs after elections this year. Humphrey will be the man to represent his party, but I still feel that President Ford will win. There may be another attempt on his life, however.

I see two airplanes colliding in mid-air. There will also be a train derailment in an area where cows are nearby.

Independence Township officers will be reelected this November. No problems can be foreseen.

There don't seem to be upsets on the local level, and the same appears to be true for Springfield Township.

Our state representative and senator will also stay the same.



Japanese Easter

Mrs. Smith's first graders at South Sashabaw Elementary made Japanese egg trees by blowing paint through a straw, for their Easter bulletin board.

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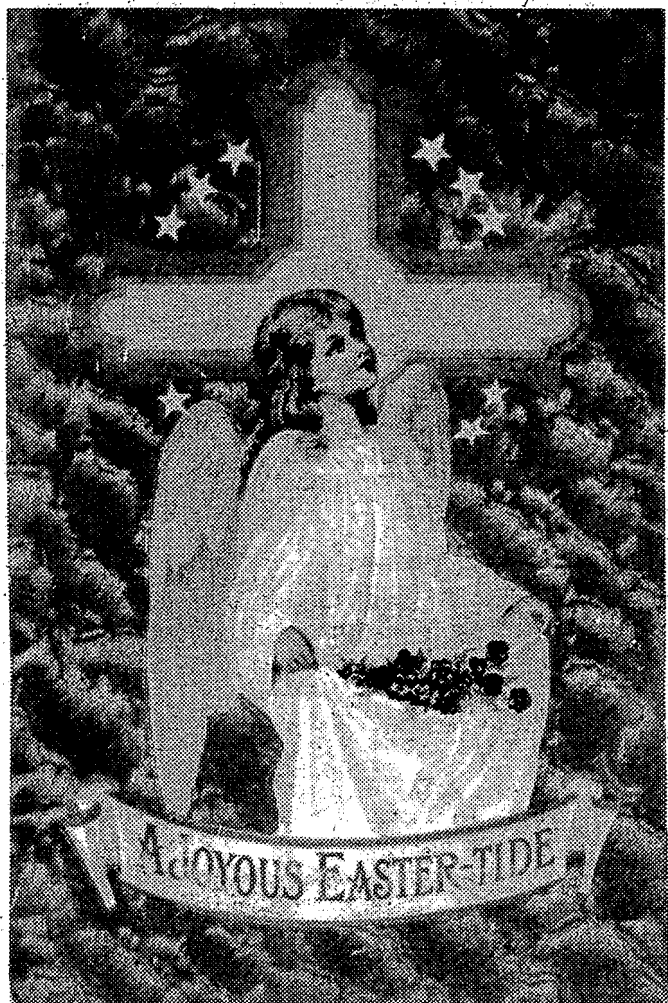
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 Library Hour 10:15 a.m.
FRIDAY, APRIL 16
 Good Friday
MONDAY, APRIL 19
 Cl. Rotary 6:30 p.m.
 Civitan 7:30 p.m.
TUESDAY, APRIL 20
 Ind. Twp. Board
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21
 Cl. Jaycees 7:30 p.m.
 Civil Air Patrol

Some old fashioned Easter sentiments

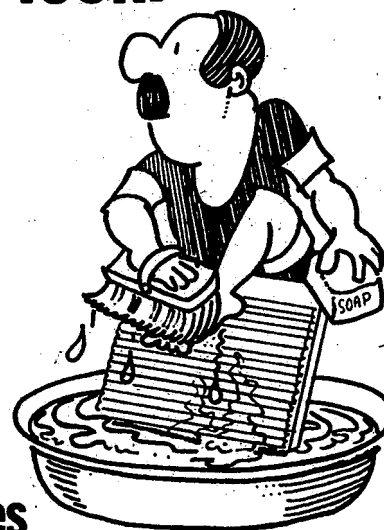
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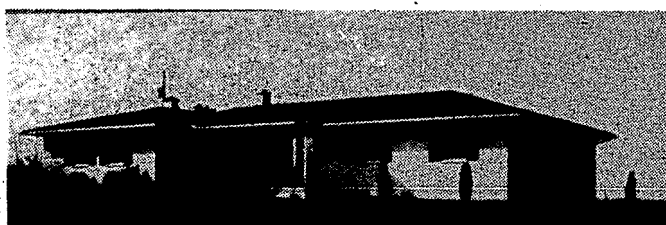
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Pontiac State Bank earnings up

New income of the Pontiac State Bank for the three months ending March 31, 1976, established a new high for any quarter in the bank's history. Net income was \$1,036,000 or \$1.19 per share compared to \$669,000 or 77 cents per share of 1975's first quarter, an increase of 55 percent.

Chairman Milo J. Cross and President Edward E. Barker, Jr. said that record net income was the result of the bank's decision to take relatively substantial profits on securities early in January.

The outlook for 1976 for both the economy and the sale and production of domestic passenger cars is improved over the outlook of 90 days ago. Northern Oakland County will share in this

improvement, they said.

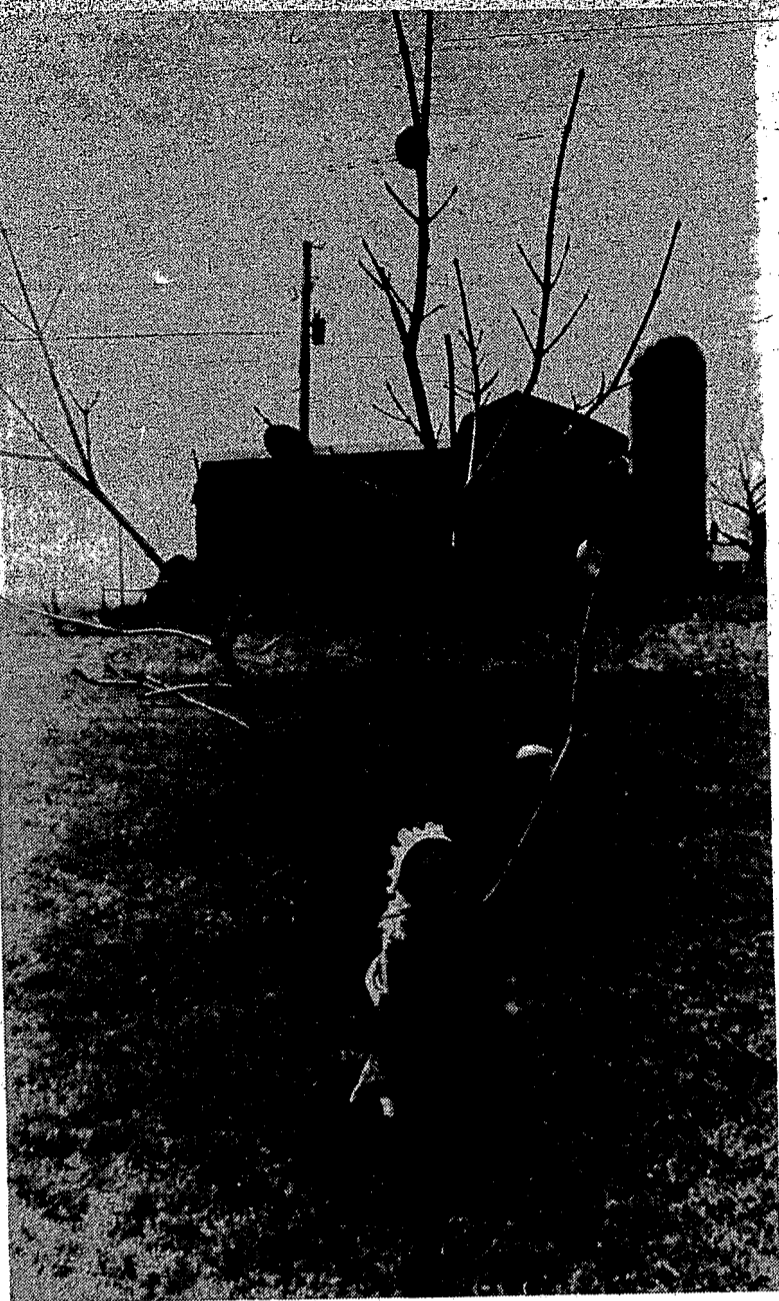
The Annual Meeting of shareholders will be held at the main office of the bank, 28 N. Saginaw, Pontiac, at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 20.

Public Notice

The Independence Township Board of Health will meet immediately following the meeting of the Township Board April 20, 1976, to consider the following agenda:

1. Appoint Health Officer.
2. Consider increasing lot and service prices at Lakeview Cemetery.
3. Consider charging interest on delinquent cemetery lot payments.

Robert D. Lay
Township Clerk



Waiting for the Easter bunny

Tammy Rodriguez got into the spirit of Easter by decorating the front yard of her Hillsboro Road home with dolls handsewn by her grandmother, Flo Schmidt, and by hanging eggs on the Rodriguez' fledgling trees.



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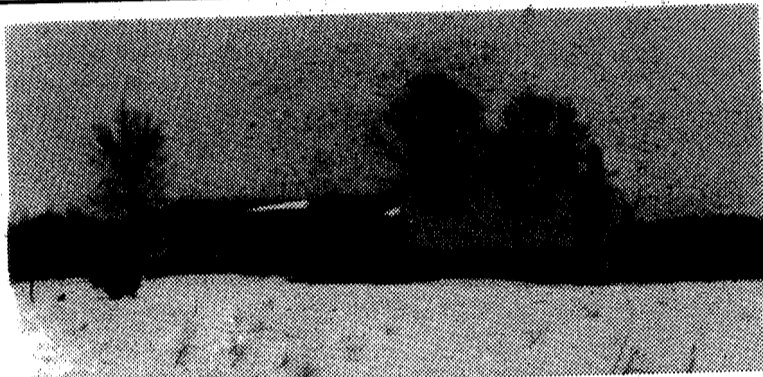
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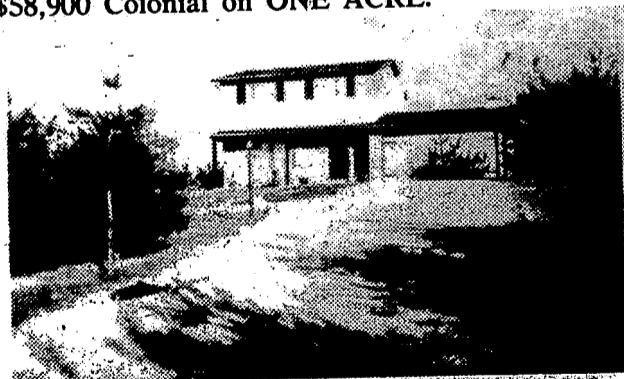
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Make a mental note

The morose 7-year-old

by Jim and Ellen Windell

A new second grade teacher wondered recently why the children in her room seemed to be so competitive and to form so few close friendships. The situation, she was told, was typical in the second grade because most second graders are seven years old.

Seven years old are often described as morose, moody, and moody. They tend to withdraw from people and often want privacy and the opportunity to just watch the passing scene. Many children seem to breeze through the first grade only to bog down in the second grade. There are probably many reasons for such a change for the worse, but one of the main explanations lies in the very nature of the seven year old child. Seven is not the outgoing, aggressive, brash little thing that six was. Seven meets problems and obstacles by withdrawing. Although the six year old meets things head on and is adventurous, the seven year old is withdrawn and worried. Second grade demands more of the child, not the least of which is leaving the most important person in his life -- his first grade teacher.

With their greater ability to fantasize, comes greater oppor-

tunities for wonder and worry. They may now be filled with all sorts of shapeless fears of the terrible and unknown adventures ahead of them. Instead of finding school exciting, the second grader may openly express a desire to quit school -- much to the dismay of the parents. School at this age just seems too difficult and the long years of education ahead seem too arduous. Even getting to school on time becomes a worrisome issue.

While school was an exciting adventure in learning for the first grader, by the second grade for some children it has narrowed down to a personal relationship with the teacher. Some children will bring gifts for the teacher, but

the same child several weeks later may complain that his teacher is being mean and unfair to him. Seven-year olds frequently get into melancholy moods during which they think that everyone, including teachers and peers, is against him.

Besides feeling that others are picking on him, the seven year old is painfully aware of his own inadequacies. Worrying about his inadequacies makes him unhappy and frustrated. This often gets in the way of his finishing school work or other projects.

As with all childhood stages, that of the seven year old will soon fade and the moody seven year old becomes the zestful and expansive eight year old.

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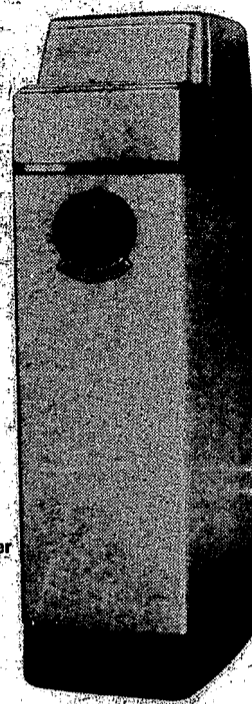
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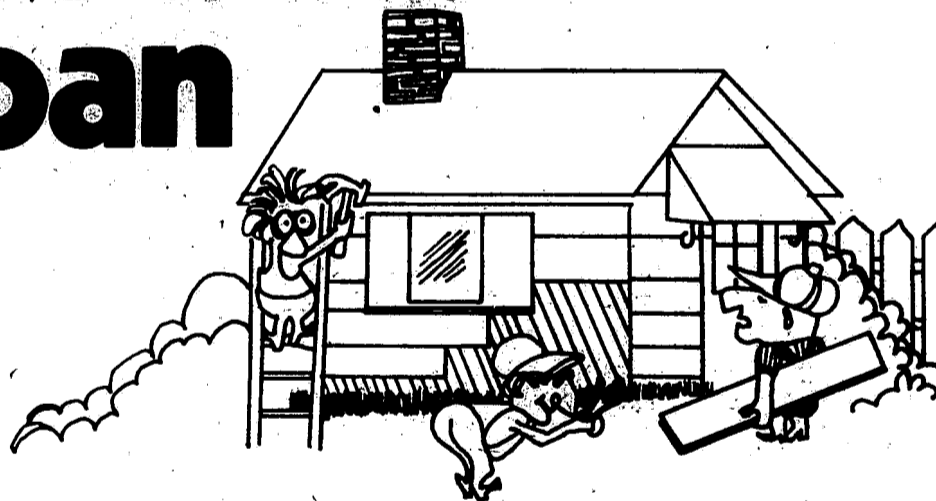
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What those appliances cost

Detroit Edison Co. has published a handy little leaflet called "Facts and Figures About Your Electric Bill." In an era of ever increasing utility charges, you may find it interesting to find out which appliances are your biggest culprits. We are reprinting much of the information in the company bulletin.

TYPICAL OPERATING COSTS FOR PORTABLE APPLIANCES

APPLIANCE	AVERAGE WATTAGE	TYPICAL OPER. COST	APPLIANCE	AVERAGE WATTAGE	TYPICAL OPER. COST
Bar-B-Q Lighter	500	1 1/2¢ per hr.	*Iron (hand)	1000	2 1/2¢ per hr.
Bean Cooker	95	1¢ per 3 hrs.	Ironer (mangle)	1400	4 1/2¢ per hr.
Blanket	180	3 1/2¢ per night	Juicette	100	1¢ for 3 hrs.
Blender	450	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Knife	85	1¢ for 3 hrs.
Bottle Warmer	350	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Knife Sharpener	50	1¢ for 6 hrs.
Brochette	1365	4 1/2¢ per hr.	Lamp	25	1¢ for 13 hrs.
Broiler	1400	4 1/2¢ per hr.	Lamp	60	1¢ for 5 hrs.
Can Opener	60	1¢ per 5 hrs.	Lamp	75	1¢ for 4 hrs.
Clock (silent)	2	4¢ per month	Lamp	100	1¢ for 3 hrs.
*Coffee Maker	750	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Lamp	150	1¢ for 2 hrs.
Coffee Mill	200	3/4¢ per hr.	Lamp	200	1¢ for 1 1/2 hrs.
*Cooker-Casserole	350	3/4¢ per hr.	Lamp	300	1¢ per hr.
*Cooker-6 Quart	700	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Lawn Edger	200	1¢ for 1/2 hr.
*Cooker-Pressure	1300	3 1/4¢ per hr.	Lawn Mower	750	2 1/2¢ per hr.
Corn Popper	550	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Mixer	150	1¢ for 2 hrs.
Defroster-Refrigerator	350	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Mixette	130	1¢ for 2 hrs.
Drill (Utility)	300	1¢ per hr.	Oven Broiler	1200	4¢ per hr.
Drink Mixer	450	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Party Grill	1200	4¢ per hr.
*Dutch Oven	1300	3 1/4¢ per hr.	Percolator	750	2 1/2¢ per hr.
Egg Cooker	500	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Radio (solid state)	20	1¢ for 15 hrs.
Floor Polisher	350	1 1/2¢ per hr.	(tube)	75	1¢ for 4 hrs.
Floor Washer	200	3/4¢ per hr.	*Roaster	1320	3 1/4¢ per hr.
Floor Washer & Dryer	425	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Rotisserie	1400	4 1/2¢ per hr.
Food Warmer	400	1 1/2¢ per hr.	Sander	300	1¢ per hr.
*Fryer-Deep Fat	1350	3 1/4¢ per hr.	*Sauce Pan	1000	2 1/2¢ per hr.
*Fry Pan	1160	3¢ per hr.	Saw (utility)	300	1¢ per hr.
Germicidal Lamp	20	1¢ for 14 hrs.	Sewing Machine	75	1¢ for 4 hrs.
*Griddle	1500	3 3/4¢ per hr.	Shaver	20	1¢ for 14 hrs.
*Grill-Sandwich	1000	2 1/2¢ per hr.	Sheet	90	2 1/4¢ per night
Grinder (Food)	120	1¢ for 2 hrs.	Soldering Gun	120	1¢ for 2 hrs.
Hair Clipper	35	1¢ for 9 hrs.	Sterilizer	450	1 1/2¢ per hr.
Hair Dryer (Bonnet)	1100	3 3/4¢ per hr.	Sun lamp	275	1¢ per hr.
Hair Styler (Hand)	900	3¢ per hr.	Tea Kettle	1200	4¢ per hr.
Heat Lamp	250	3/4¢ per hr.	Timer	3	6¢ per mo.
Heater-Aquarium	75	1¢ for 4 hrs.	Toaster	1000	3 1/4¢ per hr.
Heater-Room	1300	4 1/4¢ per hr.	*Toaster Oven	1500	3 1/4¢ per hr.
*Heating Pad	60	1¢ for 7 hrs.	Vacuum (Tank)	800	2 1/4¢ per hr.
Hot Dog Cooker	1500	5¢ per hr.	Vacuum (Upright)	600	2¢ per hr.
Hotplate	900	3¢ per hr.	Vaporizer	300	1¢ per hr.
Humidifier	55	1¢ for 6 hrs.	Vibrator	45	1¢ for 7 hrs.
Ice Cream Freezer	150	1¢ for 2 hrs.	*Waffle Iron	1000	2 1/2¢ per hr.
Ice Crusher	300	1¢ per hr.	Warming Tray	275	1¢ per hr.

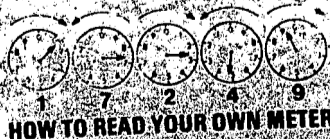
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*Allowance made for thermostatic cycling.

TYPICAL OPERATING COSTS FOR DOMESTIC MAJOR OR NON-PORTABLE APPLIANCES

APPLIANCES	AVERAGE WATTAGE	TYPICAL OPER. COST
Air Conditioner, Room (6000 BTU)	—	3 1/4¢ per hour
Air Conditioner, Central (30,000 BTU)	5000	15¢ per hour
Clothes Dryer	350	9¢ per load
Dehumidifier	1000	1 1/4¢ per hour
Dishwasher, with heat	350	2¢ per load
Disposer	300	1 1/4¢ per hour
Fan, Attic	50	1¢ per hour
Fan, Exhaust	—	1¢ for 6 hours
Freezer, Up to 14 CU. FT. (Frost-free)	—	\$3.75 to \$5.00 per month
Freezer, 16 to 20 CU. FT. (Frost-free)	—	\$4.50 to \$6.50 per month
(\$.85 to \$1.10 per month less if Freezer is not Frost-free)	540	1 1/4¢ per hour
Garage Door Operator	1000	3 1/4¢ per hour
Incinerator	1500	5¢ per hour
Microwave Oven	—	—
Motors: Furnace Blower, Pool Filters, Etc.	300	1¢ per hour
1/4 HP	400	1 1/4¢ per hour
1/2 HP	600	2¢ per hour
3/4 HP	800	2 1/4¢ per hour
1 HP	1000	3 1/4¢ per hour
Post Lantern With Cell	100	92¢ per month
Range (Family of Four)	—	10¢ per day
(Self-Cleaning feature)	—	7¢ to 11¢ per cleaning
Refrigerator, Single door	—	\$1.25 to \$3.50 per month
Refrigerator, Combination	—	\$6.00 per month
Up to 15 CU. FT. (Frost-free)	—	\$6.50 to \$9.00 per month
16 to 22 CU. FT. (Frost-free)	—	—
(55¢ to 85¢ per month less if Refrigerator is not Frost-free)	150	1¢ for 2 hours
Stereo	—	1¢ for 4 hours
Television: Color	—	1¢ for 3 hours
Black & White (Tube) 1/4¢ per hour (solid state)	—	—
(Instant start—Add 2 1/4¢ per day)	500	1 1/4¢ per 18 operations
Trash Compactor	250	1 1/4¢ per hour
Sump Pump	375	1 1/4¢ per hour
Washer, Automatic	275	1¢ per hour
Water Pump	—	—

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HOW TO READ YOUR OWN METER

Your Electric Meter is an extremely accurate measuring instrument. However, it can be read very easily. Each dial represents a single number in the reading. If an arrow points between two numbers, take the lower number, but if the arrow points between 9 and 0, read this as 9.

On the set of dials above, the reading is 17249. If you read the meter a month later and the reading is 17819, the difference between the two readings (570) is the number of kilowatt-hours used between the dates of the two readings.

QUESTION: WHAT IS A KILOWATTHOUR?

A kilowatt-hour (kwh) is 1000 watts used for a period of one hour. For instance, if you use a 1000-watt iron for one hour, you will have used one kilowatt-hour (kwh). If you burn a 100-watt bulb for ten hours, this also amounts to one kilowatt-hour (kwh). (Kilowatt-hours are shown as units used on your bill.)



Thursday, April 8 was T-shirt Day in Mrs. Brown's second grade classroom at South Sashabaw Elementary. The children painted their own shirts. With three mother helpers and a four-foot stack of newspapers, the students painted the T-shirts with hot wax and dye.

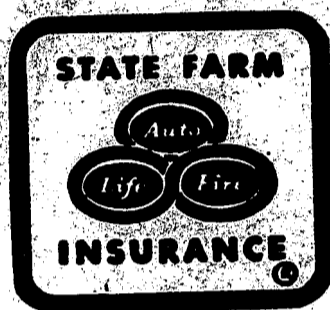
Davisburg egg hunt

Davisburg Jaycees will sponsor their annual Easter Egg Hunt at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 17, at Springfield-Oaks Park. The hunt is open to children from pre-school to the sixth grade.

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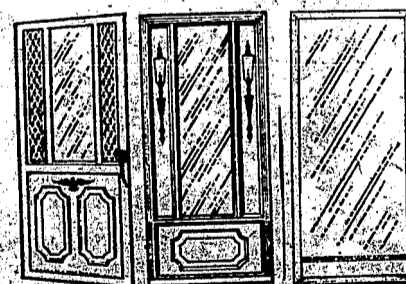
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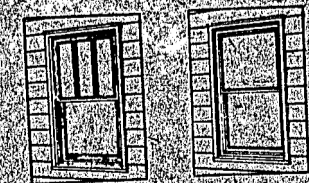


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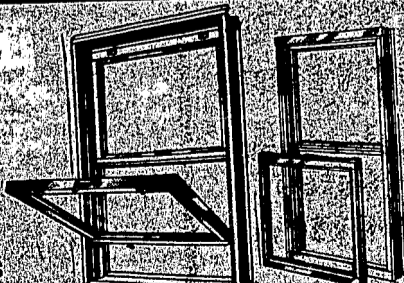
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She's preparing to dance

Pam Lay will be wearing a green velvet ball gown reminiscent of Early American attire when she attends the May 1 Governor's Ball, sponsored by the Independence/Clarkston Bicentennial Commission. She is sewing the dress, and also her husband Bob's costume. The ball is only one of many bicentennial activities taking place May 1. A parade, ice cream social, concert by the Fifth Michigan Regiment Band and dedication ceremony for the new township park are all scheduled.

CJH chorus earns top rating

Clarkston Junior High harmony Southfield. chorus 3 under the direction of Three judges rated the 26 or 37 Linda Dewey was the only students who participated on Clarkston school group to earn a several facets. Miss Dewey pointed out the difficulty of one of the 11 Choral Festival last weekend in songs which featured a considerable amount of Latin.

Seniors can apply for heating help

Senior citizens interested in the energy cheque program sponsored by the Oakland-Livingston Human Service Agency, Detroit Edison and Consumers Power may apply between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Tuesdays at Independence Township Hall, 90 North Main Street.

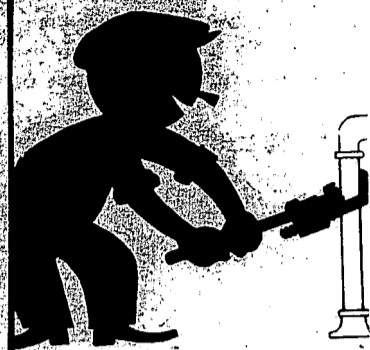
The program is aimed at seniors aged 60 years of age and older who live on low, fixed incomes. They are eligible to purchase either \$72 or \$144 worth of energy cheques for \$22 or \$44 respectively from OLHSA.

The purchase must be made in cash, check or money order and must accompany the application. Applicants should bring copies of recent utility bills with them when applying.

The pilot research and demonstration project is aimed at helping seniors reduce their heating costs. One goal of the project is to collect information on the nature and extent of the problem faced by seniors, such as cost of heating, money available to pay for heating, effect of increased fuel costs on seniors' expenses such as food and medical care.

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Public Notice

The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 28, 1976 at 8:10 P.M. at 90 N. Main St., Clarkston, Michigan, to hear CASE #A-474, an appeal by Henry Zilka for property located at Lots 8, 9, 10 Block 53, Lakeview, Sunny Beach Country Club #2. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, so to allow construction of garage in above lots without principle use (home).

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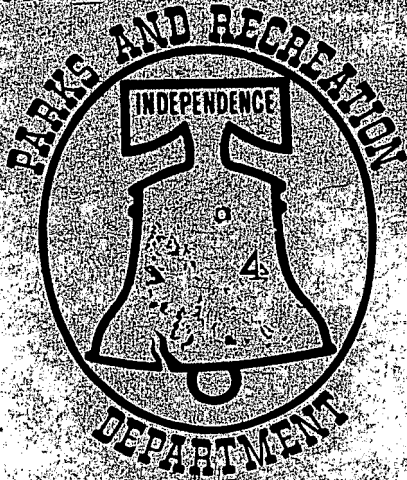
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INDEPENDENCE TWP. PARKS & RECREATION DEPT. SPRING SCHEDULE

"Play is pleasurable mental and physical competitive exercise where the issues involved are trivial and transient. It is a fit preparation for more important tasks. And it is the law of life that you only do those important tasks well at which you have played in childhood." —Stanley Hall

The worst sorrows in life are not in its losses and misfortunes, but its fears. —A. C. Benson



SPRING PROGRAM 76

AMUSEMENT PARK TICKETS

Tickets may be purchased at the Independence Township Treasurer's Office at individual and group discounts. We have tickets for Cedar Point, Sea World, Bob Lo and African Lion Safari.

ARCHERY

Fee: \$6.00 Res. \$8.00 Non-Res.
Location: Clintonwd. Pk.
Time: 4:00-6:00
Day: M. & Th.
Starts: 5/17

A beginning archery class for boys and girls, grades 5-8. 3 weeks. Instructor: Recreation Dept.

ART FOR CHILDREN

Fee: \$8.00 Res. \$10.00 Non-Res.
Location: Twp. Hall
Time: 4:30-5:30
Day: W.
Starts: 4/28

Children interested in creative art projects designed for the individual age groups. Grades 1 thru 3 meet Wednesdays, grades 4 thru 6 meet Saturdays. 7 weeks. Instructor: Lois Willard

BASEBALL, JUNIOR

Fee: \$8.00 Ind. \$1.00 each additional male child.
Location: Schools
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Day: M, T, W, Th
Starts: 6/14

PeeWee and T-Ball games will be played at 10 a.m. Widget, Midget and Pony games will be played at 4:00 and 6:15 p.m. Team formation April 28th, 6:30 p.m. at Township Hall. If additional information is needed or you have any questions, call after 3:30 AT THE SPECIAL BASEBALL INFO NUMBER: 625-1444. 8 Weeks. Directors: Tom Allen & Dave Smith

BELLY DANCING

Fee: \$12.00 Res. \$14.00 Non-Res.
Location: Twp. Hall
Time: 7:30-8:30
Day: M.
Starts: 5/3

Become aware of your own being. Discover the poise, rhythm and grace hidden inside your self—it's also fun and healthy. 8 Weeks. Instructor: Kim McClean

BOATER SAFETY

Fee: Free
Location: CHS Rm. 225
Time: 7:00-9:00
Day: T & Th
Starts: 5/4 & 5/25

Educational program designed to advance boating and general water safety. The first session begins May 5, 1976 and the second session on May 25, 1976. Open to all persons between the ages of 12 and 16. 2 Weeks—total of 6 hours. Instructor: Bill Johnson. Oakland County Marine Division

CAKE DECORATING

Fee: \$12.00 Residents \$14.00 Non-Residents
Location: CJHS Room 111
Time: 7:00-9:00
Day: Tuesday
Starts: 5/4

Beginners course for learning to create your own original and exciting cakes. 6 Weeks. INSTRUCTOR: Shirley Rosales

CROCHETING

Fee: \$10.00 Residents \$12.00 Non-Residents
Location: CHS Room 408
Time: 7:00-8:00
Day: Thursday
Starts: 4/29

Learn basic stitch, how to read patterns and complete one project. 8 Weeks. INSTRUCTOR: Judy Johnson

CHEERLEADING

Fee: \$5.00
Location: Township Hall
Time: 3:30-4:30
Day: Saturday
Starts: 5/8

Beginning and advanced cheerleading techniques and drills for girls grades 4 through 8. 6 Weeks. INSTRUCTORS: Tori Campe & Billie Moore

FABRI-POINT

Fee: \$7.00 Residents \$9.00 Non-Residents
Location: CJHS Room 101
Time: 7:00-9:00
Day: Thursday
Starts: 5/6

A new way to needlepoint on fabric, decorate pillows, towels, etc. Make last year's clothes new this year. Make new clothes truly unique. There will be an additional \$1.00 charge for materials. 8 Weeks. INSTRUCTOR: Carol Drury

GOLF LESSONS

Fee: \$35.00
Location: Holly Greens
Time: 7:00-8:00 pm
Day: Monday
Starts: 5/3

Lessons will be given to the age group of 15 and under at 7:00; ages 16 and over at 8:00. Pre-register at the Township Hall Treasurer's Office. 8 Weeks. INSTRUCTOR: Holly Greens Golf Pro

GOLF TEEN LEAGUE

Fee: \$30.00 (greens fees)
Location: Holly Greens
Time: 4:00
Day: Friday
Starts: 5/2

An opportunity for interested teens to golf in an organized golf league. 10 Weeks

GOLF WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Fee: \$52.00
Location: Springfield Oaks
Time: 6:00
Day: W.
Starts: 4/28

(greens fees)
There will be an additional league fee of \$15.00 which goes toward trophies, prizes and a banquet. Organizational meeting at the Township Hall at 7:00 p.m. on April 19th.

Timothy J. Doyle
Parks & Recreation Director

Michael Engan Assistant Director 625-8223

GYMNASTICS

Fee: \$10.00 Res. \$12.00 Non-Res.
Location: Twp. Hall
Time: 4:15-7:15
Day: M. & Th.
Starts: Beginning each month

4 Weeks. Instructor: Linda Sturgis

JEWELRY CLASS

Fee: \$10.00 Res. \$12.00 Non-Res.
Location: CHS Rm. 408
Time: 7:00-9:00
Day: M.
Starts: 5/3

Learn fundamentals of macrame and strung jewelry. 4 Weeks. Instructor: Kay VanAcker

JOG FOR HEALTH

Interested persons are asked to contact the Recreation Department. If enough interest is shown, the Rec. Dept. will set up an organizational meeting to determine when, where and how often we will run.

KNITTING

Fee: \$10.00 Res. \$12.00 Non-Residents
Location: CHS Rm. 408
Time: 8:00-9:00
Day: Th.
Starts: 4/29

Learn basic stitches, how to read patterns and complete one project. 8 Weeks. Instructor: Judy Johnson

PLANT CARE

Fee: \$18.00 Res. \$20.00 Non-Res.
Location: CJHS Rm. 105
Time: 7:00-9:00
Day: W.
Starts: 5/5

Want to have a greener thumb? This is the class for you! 6 Weeks. Instructor: Laurie Stern

SOFTBALL, PONY LEAGUE

Fee: \$8.00 Res. \$10.00 Non-Residents
Location: Clintonwd. Pk.
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Day: Sat.
Starts: 6/12

An opportunity for boys between the ages of 15 and 18 to play in organized competitive leagues through the summer. 10 Weeks. Director: Linc Smith

SOFTBALL, M & M LEAGUES

Fee: \$6.00 Ind. \$1.00 ea. add'l. girl in family.
Location: School Fields
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Day: M, T, W, Th
Starts: 6/14

Teams will be formed April 26, 7:30 p.m. at Township Hall. Mini Miss Softball games will be played at 10:00 a.m., Mighty Miss and Maxi Miss at 4:00 and 6:15 p.m. If further information is needed, call at the SPECIAL SOFTBALL INFORMATION NUMBER AFTER 3:30 p.m.: 625-1444. 8 Weeks. Directors: John Craven & Cheryl Stickley

SOFTBALL, MEN'S SLOWPITCH (Age 18 and over)

Fee: \$10.00 Res. \$12.00 Non-Res.
Location: Clintonwd. Pk.
Time: 6:00 & 7:15
Day: T. & Th.
Starts: 6/1

\$110.00 Sponsor Fee
24 game schedule, plus playoffs. Director: Linc Smith

SOFTBALL, MEN'S SLOWPITCH (Age 30 and over)

Fee: \$10.00 Res. \$12.00 Non-Res.
Location: Clintonwd. Pk.
Time: 6:00 & 7:15
Day: M.
Starts: 6/7

\$50.00 Sponsor Fee
8 Weeks, plus playoffs. Director: Linc Smith

SOFTBALL, WOMEN'S

Fee: \$10.00 Res. \$12.00 Non-Res.
Location: Clintonwd. Pk.
Time: 6:00 & 7:15
Day: M.
Starts: 6/7

8 Weeks. Directors: Cheryl Stickley

A women's slow-pitch softball league will play Mon. evenings at 6 and 7:15

beginning June 7. Ideally, we would like women to sign up as a team if possible, but if not, sign up individually. If we don't have enough teams (4) for a league, we would still like to leave this time spot open so that all women who do have an interest in playing softball still may play in scrimmages. The Rec. Dept. will provide supervision, umpires, bases, balls, bats and catchers equipment.

TRAVEL

Corporate Travel Service, in conjunction with Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department, will be sponsoring 1, 2, and 3 day tours as the first step in developing a well-rounded travel program for the residents of Independence Township. A sample of the tours we will be operating is an evening at Northville Downs, the famous evening West Gate Dinner Theatre, a weekend in Toronto, a tour of Michigan's wineries in Paw Paw, Michigan, and a tour to Meadowbrook. Look for further announcements and information on these tours from the Parks and Recreation Department.

TENNIS LESSONS (15 years old and over)

Fee: \$16.00 Res. \$18.00 Non-Res.
Location: SJHS Gym
Time: 6:30 & 7:30
Day: M. & W.
Starts: 4/28

The first session of lessons will begin April 28th. Beginners from 6:30 to 7:30; advanced players from 7:30 to 8:30. Each person MUST bring a canister of balls to the first session. The second session will begin June 7th at the same time. Due to a gym conflict, the class must meet outdoors on May 26th and June 9th (weather permitting). 4 Weeks. Instructor: Dick Swartout

TENNIS, JUNIOR TEAM (Ages 9 through 17)

First organizational meeting on June 5th at Sashabaw Junior High at 10:00 a.m.

UMPIRE CLINIC

April 26th-28th May 3, 5, 10 and 12th. For all people 16 and over who want to umpire either Junior Baseball or Girls Softball. It will be on Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at Clarkston Junior High School. It will include six hours of on-field training and six hours of classroom training.

This clinic is mandatory if you want to umpire this summer. The clinic will be conducted by Dave Smith (who has 10 years experience on the Williamsport, Pa. Little League Program and has been an umpire himself for 15 years). The final umpires selected will umpire at least 10 games a week and be able to earn from \$40 to \$55 a week for eight weeks. There is a \$5.00 fee which covers the cost of umpire manual and other equipment that will be used.

VOLLEYBALL, CO-ED

Fee: \$10.00 Res. \$12.00 Non-Residents
Location: CJHS Gym
Time: 7:30-9:00
Day: T.
Starts: 5/4

Enjoy exciting games of volleyball. Good exercise to get you in shape for the summer. 8 Weeks. Instructor: Nancy Haven

YOGA

Fee: \$16.00 Res. \$18.00 Non-Res.
Location: Twp. Hall
Time: 8:30-10:00
Day: M.
Starts: 5/3

Students should bring a mat, blanket or rug to each class. 8 Weeks. Instructor: Donna Pici

SANDLOT BASEBALL

Detroit Tigers and World Champion Cincinnati Redlegs Sandlot Benefit Game: Monday, May 10th at Tiger Stadium. Tickets will be available through the Recreation Department. All proceeds go towards amateur baseball and softball. Please call the Recreation Department if you have any question and for further information, call 625-8223.

SENIOR CITIZEN ACTIVITIES

SENIOR CITIZENS BOWLING LEAGUE

Fee: \$5.50 a game
Location: Howe's Lanes
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Day: Th.
Starts: 5/6

No charge for shoes. 8 Weeks. Instructor: Recreation Dept.

SENIOR CITIZENS CERAMICS

Fee: Cost of material only
Location: 156 Coates, Lake Orion
Time: 9:00-11:00 a.m.
Day: W.
Starts: 5/5

Learn a hobby where you spend time painting beautiful items that make great gifts or add a decorative touch to your home. Information concerning transportation arrangements may be obtained by calling the Recreation Department: 625-8223. 6 Weeks. Instructor: Minnie Redd

SENIOR CITIZENS FABRI POINT

Fee: \$7.00 Res. \$9.00 Non-Res.
Location: CJHS Rm. 103
Time: 7:00-9:00
Day: T.
Starts: 5/4

A new way to needlepoint on fabric, decorate pillows, towels, sheets, bedspreads, etc. There will be an additional \$1.00 charge for material. 8 Weeks. Instructor: Carol Drury

SENIOR CITIZENS GOLF

Fee: \$2.00 per round
Location: Holly Greens
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Day: M.
Starts: 6/7

12 Weeks. Instructor: Recreation Department

SENIOR CITIZENS TENNIS CLINICS

Fee: \$3.00
Location: SJHS Gym
Time: 6:30 & 7:30
Day: T.
Starts: 4/27

Beginners will meet at 6:30 and advanced beginners at 7:30. Class will meet outside on May 25th due to gym conflict. If weather is bad, class will be cancelled. 6 Weeks. Instructor: Linc Smith

SENIOR CITIZENS SOFTBALL, CO-ED

Fee: \$1.00 Res. \$3.00 Non-Res.
Location: Clintonwd. Pk.
Time: 9:30 a.m.
Day: W.
Starts: June

This new league is now being formed with other communities in Oakland County. Instructor: Recreation Department

SENIOR CITIZENS YOGA

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IMPORTANT NOTICES

Refunds will not be made unless the Parks and Recreation Office is notified of cancellation prior to the first session of the activity. Make all checks out to The Independence Township Parks & Recreation Department.

Please mail application forms and fees to the Parks and Recreation Department, 90 N. Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, or you may register at the Independence Township Treasury Dept. DO NOT REGISTER AT THE FIRST SESSION OF THE ACTIVITY.

For any additional information on programs call the Independence Township Parks & Recreation Department: 625-8223. DO NOT CALL THE SCHOOLS.

APPLICATION FORM

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Address _____

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Signature _____

Date _____

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Engagement

Stephanie Altman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Altman of 61 Holcomb, is planning a July 24 marriage to Michael Bonvallet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Bonvallet of Milford. Stephanie is a 1973 graduate of Clarkston High School. She will graduate this June from Hurley Medical Center School of Nursing. Michael is a 1972 graduate of Milford High currently stationed with the Air Force in San Antonio, Tex.

Students at Clarkston Elementary School will be happy to know one of their favorite teachers, Janet Rose, is back from Ann Arbor where she had a pacemaker implanted in her heart. She sounds well and happy, and glad to be on the mend again.

Guests at Clinton Valley Barracks No. 2803 World War I veterans and auxiliary meeting last Saturday were Mrs. Helen Bates, past district 7 president, and John Kliffel, past district 5 commander.

The Springfield Township Hall was decorated in an Easter theme for the putluck dinner. A ham cooked by Mrs. Harry Schneller was the main course.

Members learned John Boice fell from a ladder and broke a vertebrae in his neck. He is in the University Hospital at Ann Arbor.

A memorial service for deceased members will be conducted at the May 8 meeting.

Three area students are among those recognized recently for academic achievement at Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti. They are Michael K. Baker, 9355 Ute Pointe, who has a 3.08 average; Cristy L. Eloff, 7840 Foster, a 3.56 average; and David W. Schreiber, 4455 McKeachie Road, a 3.08 average.

Mrs. Lester Howe of Parview is a patient at Pontiac General Hospital, undergoing tests. She's

in room 301, and would appreciate cards.

Clarkston area residents planning to attend a farewell dinner for Dr. Leslie F. Greene April 29 at Pine Lake Country Club are asked to contact Stan Darling, phone 625-4402, by April 23.

Tickets are \$35 per couple and include dinner and a gift. Cocktails will kickoff the evening at 6:30 p.m.

Episcopal Church Women of Church of the Resurrection will conduct their annual spring card party at 7:30 p.m. May 10 at the church, 6490 Clarkston Road.

Tickets are \$1.50. Door and table prizes will be awarded. A dessert table will be provided.

Pat Nasi is chairman of the event.

A car wash and get acquainted party April 24 will be the first event of a newly organized North Oaks Corvette Club, for Corvette owners only. The first meeting of the group was April 4 at Howe's Lanes. More information can be had by calling Gary Best at 673-8436 or Tam Hughson at 625-1623.

Dixie Baptist Church is asking church members from each community it serves to build a float for the bicentennial parades being held in each of their communities.

The request is part of the church's contribution to the bicentennial.

The church is also conducting special themes of service each month. This month the theme is the right to bear arms.

The last Sunday in April, the church is planning an old gun display.

Sigrid Lea Gruenberg of 7270 Deer Lake Road, has been named to the Dean's List at Lake Superior State College for the term just ended.

Sigrid is a sophomore in the school of arts and social sciences.

American Legion's annual 18th District Dinner-Dance at the Berkley Post Saturday, drew Clarkstonites Mr. and Mrs. Art Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tower and Mr. and Mrs. John Lynch.

After the dinner, several of the guests including the department officers wound up at the Lynch home for early morning breakfast.

Clarkston Boy Scout Troop 126 will be conducting a paper drive April 24, so save your old newspapers. The truck collecting the papers will be stationed at the Clarkston United Methodist Church all day. Anyone who can't drop his papers off can have them picked up by Harold Sutherland, 625-3356, or John Geukes, 625-3136.

The North Oakland Civitan Club has been working with its state Association and the Michigan Association of Retarded Citizens during April and May in a campaign to help the mentally impaired and also try and cut down the incidence of mental retardation.

The group contributed \$50 to the summer SCAMP program, and is also contributing money it makes by manning the recycling center on Saturdays.

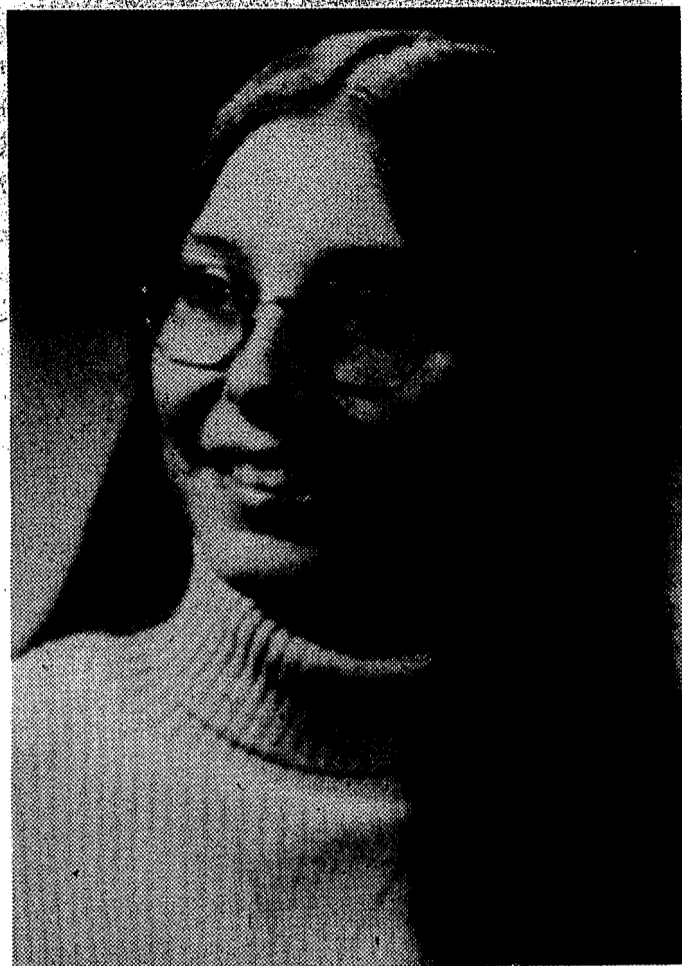
SCAMP is a new program for the mentally impaired, enabling them to attend summer camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jensenius, 5670 Dvorak, entertained Sunday in honor of her parents' 25th wedding anniversary. Some 30 guests were present to fete Mr. and Mrs. William A. Cummings of Pontiac.

Three sons and 13 grandchildren were also present for the occasion.

Judy Lynn Jervis of Clarkston, a sophomore at Central Michigan University, has been admitted to Zeta Omega Chapter of Pi Delta Phi, the National French Honor Society. Students admitted to the society must rank in the upper third of their class in general studies and have a B average in French.

Oakland County Group XII, Civil Air Patrol, has received 45 seats on an Air Force transport



Engagement

Carolyn Centers of Waterford and Ronald Centers of Clarkston have announced the engagement of their daughter Dawn Mayre to Terry Coulter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coulter of Clarkston. A June 11 wedding is being planned.

for an outstate trip in May or June. The word came down recently from Major Raymond Jolly, USAF-CAP Liaison Officer for Michigan Wing at Selfridge ANGB.

He said that the flight probably would be to Florida or Texas, depending on the aircrafts assignment for that weekend.

Clarkston members have in the past taken trips to Florida for such things as the Apollo 13 Launch, Disney World, Survival School, Cape Kennedy Tours, and trips to Dallas, Texas and San Francisco.

Civil Air Patrol cadets from squadrons in Oakland County Group won the trophy as runners-up in the 1976 Michigan Wing Cadet Academic Award Competition April 4 at Clinton Gables Inn, Mt. Clemens.

The cadet team representing Oakland County Group included Cadets Ann Glover and Kris Kreiner of Clarkston Cadet Squadron, Rick Carlson, Robert Edwards and Sally O'Brien of Walled Lake Cadet Squadron, and Mike Gerzanic of Waterford Cadet Squadron.

The first place award, a trophy named in honor of the project officers for the competition, Major Marilyn Moore of Oakland County Group and Major Barbara Glover of Clarkston Cadet Squadron, went to the team from Macomb Group, winners of the 1976 competition.

Major Glover, who devised the

written portion of the 1975 competition and supervised that part of the 1976 competition, and Major Moore, who served as moderator of the panel quiz portion of both years' competition, made the presentation.

Other CAP members who attended the activity from the Clarkston area were Lt. Colonel Clifford Moore, Commander of Oakland County Group, CWO Mike Saile, and Cadets Bev Moore and Danny Howell.

New cheerleaders have been selected at Clarkston High School for 1976-77.

On the varsity is Cindy Adams, Jeannie Bickford, Debbie Chuba, Connie Colton, Sally Hitchcock, Kathy Humphreys, Carol Rembach, Martha Williams, and alternates Cathy Nichols and Annie Ruhala.

Manager will be Kathy Hammond.

Lori Brown is manager of the junior varsity, which includes Robin Smith, Teresa Jones, Pam Brazelton, Tammy Dryden, Mary Johnson, Karen Schebor, Tami Baldwin, Gina Roselli, and alternates Terri Pfeiffer and Amanda Hertler.

Artifacts from three Michigan sites will be on display at Oakland University from April 12-23 in "Digging Through History," a special bicentennial archaeology exhibit.

Young minister leaving Davisburg

Chuck Jacobs, four-year minister of Davisburg United Methodist Church, will be leaving his present position in June for a ministry in Harper Woods.

Jacobs will be replaced by Otto Flachmann, minister of the Baldwin Avenue United Methodist Church in Pontiac.

Flachmann's wife, Audrey is an elementary teacher in Pontiac. The couple have two teenaged daughters and a 20-year-old son.

The change in ministers was dictated by a rotation policy set up for some time within the United Methodist denomination.

Thirty-one-year-old Jacobs came to Davisburg in June, 1972 from an assistant pastorate at the First United Methodist Church of Ypsilanti.

The Jacobs family, including wife Ann, daughter Melissa and son Bryan, have fit into rural Springfield very well during the past four years, Jacobs said, and will regret leaving.

The relatively young Davisburg congregation has "had a lot of fun" during those years, he said.

When Jacobs first heard he was coming to Davisburg, he said, it

was ironic, because he had joked with young parishioners from Davisburg while in Ypsilanti about living where there "wasn't even a pizza shop or flower shop to wire flowers home."

But even though Davisburg is small, he said, the farmland community has changed and grown, with more young families moving in.

Church members were instrumental in getting a general medical practitioner to set up shop in Davisburg, and plans now include a new medical center for the hamlet.

The congregation may be ready for a new minister with newer ideas, Jacobs said, for there is still much to be accomplished.

Expansion of the church needs to be planned for, he said, and funding provided for.

While the church is on better ground financially than it was four years ago, with a new organ and blacktopped parking lot to boast of, it is still operating within the confines of a 108-year-old structure that will just not be big enough for future congregations.

AREA CHURCHES AND THEIR WORSHIP HOUR

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH INDEPENDENT NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH Gene Paul, Minister 3246 Lapeer Rd. (M-24 near I-75) B. School 9:45, M. Worship 11 a.m. Eve. Worship 6:00	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	FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH 4832 Clintonville Rd. Phone 673-3638 Services: Sunday Sunday School Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Worship Hour 11:00 a.m. Youth Hour 5:00 p.m. - Gospel Hour 6:00 p.m. Wednesday - Hour of Power 7:00 p.m. EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION 6490 Clarkston Road Rev. Alexander Stewart Worship - 8:00 & 10:00	CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH 6805 Bluegrass Drive Rev. Robert D. Walters Spoken Communion 8:00 a.m. Sunday Church School and Contemporary Worship 9:15 a.m. Traditional Service & Nursery 10:45 a.m. FIRST BAPTIST 5972 Paramus Rev. Clarence Bell Worship - 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.	PINE KNOB COMMUNITY CHURCH 3041 REEDER ROAD off Clintonville PONTIAC, MICHIGAN Ken Hauser Worship 10:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. MARANATHA BAPTIST CHURCH 5790 Flemings Lake Road Rev. Philip W. Somers Worship - 11:00 a.m.
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. Gerald K. Craig, Youth Pastor Wayne G. Grove, Pastor	CLINTONVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH 5301 Clintonville Rd. 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Morning Worship 6:30 Training Union	CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 6600 Waldron Road Rev. James R. Balfour Worship & Church School 10 a.m.	NEW HOPE BIBLE CHURCH 5311 Sunnyside Sunday School & Worship 11 a.m. Worship at 7 p.m.	SPIRITUALIST CHURCH OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN 6401 Oak Park off Maybee Rd. Rev. Allen Hinz Worship Hours: Wed, 7 p.m. - Sun, 7 p.m.
WATERFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH Airport Rd. at Olympic Pkwy Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Sun. Morn. Worship - 11 a.m. Sun. Eve. Serv. - 6 p.m. Mid Week Serv. - 7 p.m. Rev. Roger Campbell, Pastor Rev. Ken Hodges, Asst. to Pastor Rev. Chuck Warren, Minister to Youth Betty Jencks, Children's Worker	SEYMOUR LAKE UNITED METHODIST Sashabaw at Seymour Lake Rd. Rev. Larenz Stahl Services at 9:15 and 10:30	ANDERSONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH 10350 Andersonville Rev. Wallace Duncan Worship - 11:00 a.m.	SASHABAW UNITED PRESBYTERIAN 5300 Maybee Road Pastor Mark H. Caldwell Worship - 11:00 a.m. Church School - 9:30 a.m.	ST. DANIEL CATHOLIC CHURCH Holcomb at Miller Rd. Father Francis Weingartz Sunday Masses: 9 and 11 Sat. 5 p.m. & 7 p.m.
ST. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH 7925 Sashabaw Road Pastor Rev. Ralph C. Claus Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11:00 Bible School 9:45	DIXIE BAPTIST CHURCH 8585 Dixie Highway Rev. Paul Vanaman Worship - 10:00 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m.	GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 1950 Baldwin Rd. Sunday School 9:15 Family Worship 10:30 Pastor Charles Kosberg	DRAYTON HEIGHTS FREE METHODIST CHURCH Corner of Winell and Maybee Rd. Rev. Clancy J. Thompson 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship Hour 6:00 Vespers Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Family Night	CLARKSTON CHURCH OF GOD 54 South Main Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Eve. Evangelistic 7 p.m. Wed. Prayer, Bible, & Youth 7 p.m. Pastor A.L. Chester



THE SALVATION ARMY

Kenneth E. Johnson, Captain

Spiritual Message

"The following article appears in the Palm Sunday issue of The War Cry—it makes good common sense."

"Columnist James Kilpatrick made an incredible—to me, at any rate—statement recently in one of his complaints against bureaucratic restraints on free enterprise. For-saking his usual logic, he declared that 'no businessman, in principle or in practice, is opposed to health

and safety.' He's probably right about the principle, but the 'in practice' phrase ignores a good hunk of history as well as a lot of what's going on today in business and industry. Elementary safety precautions and provisions for workers' health were seldom if ever undertaken voluntarily by the men who ran commerce and industry; indeed, they stoutly resisted such measures because they cost money—and there is strong evi-

dence that management in general still has not learned the lesson that what's good for the worker is good for business."

"What does appear from recent developments is that the profit motive is still the overriding concern. Witness the reluctance of industry to adopt clean-air and clean-water practices. Has the petroleum industry shown deep concern for the welfare of the consumer?"

"Lest anyone think this is an anti-business piece, I submit that labor also frequently shows disregard for the health and well-being of people in general. The New York City garbage collectors' strike is just one odious example."

"And what about those same 'people in general'—you and me? We drive too fast, break too many laws and ignore too many safety precautions. We continue to use too much energy. We add our bit to the pollution of air and water. We are often careless of the health and safety of our neighbor as well as of our own."

"Perhaps the propaganda about pollution, 'Spaceship Earth,' health and safety will have an effect on the upcoming generation widespread and lasting enough to make a real difference in the next decade—but what about the counterpropaganda?"

"The biggest, best, loudest and gaudiest ads continue to sell big cars, speed, gadgets that consume more energy, cigarettes, alcohol, 'Style,' built-in obsolescence and conspicuous consumption."

"The only real and lasting solution to the problem is universal adoption of the attitude that my neighbor's welfare is just as important as my own. And as Jesus pointed out, that it is not likely to happen until I learn to love God and obey Him."

"You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind. And you must love your neighbor just as much as you love yourself."

(Luke 11:27, Living Bible)

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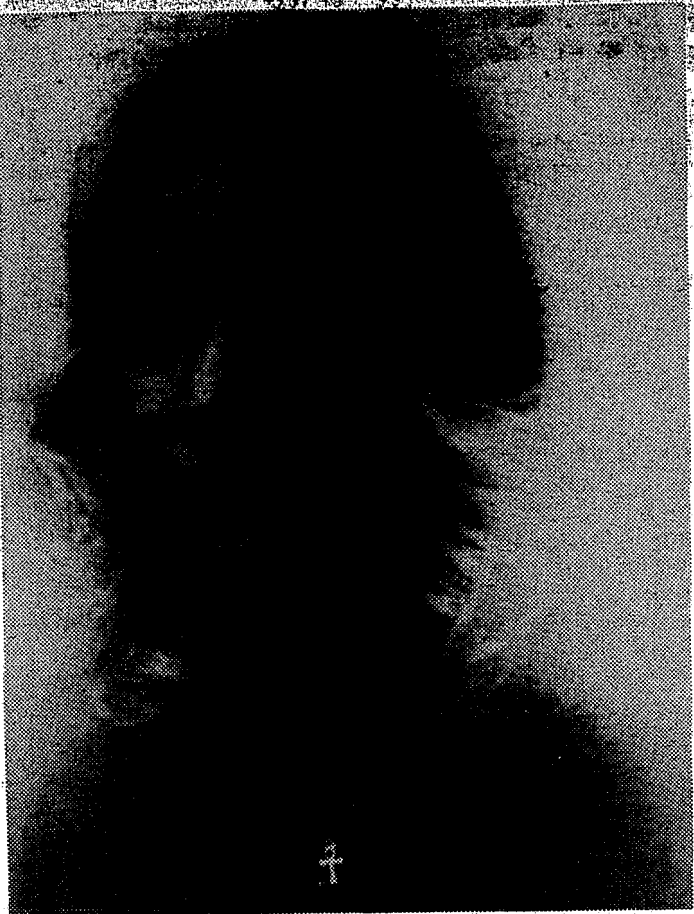
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Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tolbert of 7228 Holcomb have announced the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Anne to Gregory Lee Kenyon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kenyon of 6760 Transparent. Barbara will graduate this June from Clarkston High School. Gregory was graduated from CHS in 1974 and is currently serving with the U.S. Army.

Clarkston engagements



Mr. and Mrs. Warren L. Brandel of Dixie Highway have announced the engagement of their daughter, Linda Jean, to Airman Richard Alan Davis, son of Mrs. Mary Davis of Sterling Heights and Ronald Davis of New Baltimore. A May 29 wedding at Waterford Community Church is planned.

Area churches mark Easter

Clarkston United Methodist Church will mark Easter with a sunrise service sponsored by youth at 7:30 a.m. An Easter breakfast will follow at 8 a.m.

Two identical Easter worship services are slated for 9:30 and 11 a.m. "This Day Belongs to God" is Rev. James R. Balfour's sermon theme. Music will be provided by the church choir under the

direction of Mrs. Barbara Steele, organist.

Easter Sunday services at St. Mary's In-The-Hills Episcopal Church, 2512 Joslyn Court, will be at 9 and 11 a.m. Holy Communion will be served.

The Easter watch begins with a family potluck at 6:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday followed by communion at 7:30 p.m. Good Friday service will be from 2 to 3 p.m.

Spiritualist Church of the Good Samaritan, 5401 Oak Park, will have Easter sunrise service at 8 a.m. Special music will be provided by the Ryan family. Rev. Allan Hinz will be the speaker.

A breakfast will be held immediately following the service.

Evening service will be held beginning at 6:45 p.m. Diana Yates will do a solo.



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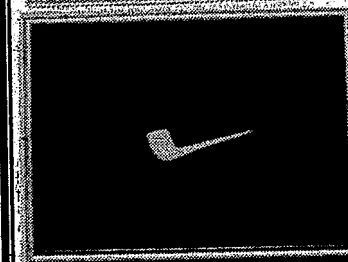
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100 attend schools meeting

About a hundred Clarkston School District residents cleared the air and had some questions answered in a public meeting last Wednesday night at Clarkston High School.

The informational session, featuring a panel of schools people, was co-sponsored by the newly formed Citizens Education Watch and Clarkston Area Jaycees. People like Dorothy Eicker, president of the Oakland County School Board Association, outlined what she believed to be important qualities in school board members.

Among the criteria listed were an interest in children, a willingness to listen to all viewpoints, and a willingness to spend sufficient time at the job and in the homework it requires.

She added it also required courage and integrity in the making of decisions.

Moderator Keith Hallman added that school board members should also "be able to take it."

The session came right at the height of concern on the part of district residents in regard to the school board's announced intention of taking wives and husbands at district expense to a convention in San Francisco. They learned the earlier decision had been rescinded, and the audience was orderly and controlled.

Serving on the panel were Larry Rosso, president of the Clarkston Education Association; Doris Mousseau, principal of Andersonville School; Bill Rathburg, a teacher at Bailey Lake School; Cecelia Wiar, PTA Council

representative; Milford Mason, assistant schools superintendent; Roger Bower, Sashabaw Junior High teacher; William Potvin, Clarkton Junior High principal; and Mrs. Eicker.

The meeting had been billed as an effort to learn what qualifications members and boards of education should have.

Some discussion was accorded the division of responsibility between board members and administration, the board said to be a policy making group while the administration is charged with carrying it out. However, administrators were also seen as having a big input factor in board decisions.

People in the audience said they felt frustrated by lack of communication between schools and the parents, and much of the evening was devoted to means whereby the parents could assist in the schools.

"Getting straight information" in the face of rumor was listed as one way in addition to volunteer help in the schools. Some of the teachers advised parents however, not to let interest become interference.

Springfield okays budget

A revised budget totaling \$264,250 has been adopted by the Springfield Township Board.

Salary adjustments and other changes after the township's annual meeting upped the budget \$8,650.

Budget increases included \$1,500 added to the supervisor's salary, \$2,500 added to the clerk's salary, and \$4,500 added to the treasurer's salary.

\$250 was added for an increase in trustees' compensation, and \$200 to the building inspector's salary.

When the budget was presented at the annual meeting, the deputy treasurer's \$800 salary was omitted, as was \$1,500 for Park Commission members' annual stipends. Those salaries were also included in the revised budget figure.

Also added was \$4,000 for Blue Cross coverage for employees. The board chopped \$500 from the amount budgeted for auditing, and took out \$6,100 allocated for one full-time maintenance person.

Maintenance worker Rick Green recently quit his job, and the township decided to only have

one maintenance worker instead of the two shown in the previous budget.

Altogether, the budget allocates \$96,150 in individual salaries.

That includes the supervisor, clerk, treasurer, assessor, two assistant assessors, two trustees, the building, electrical and plumbing inspectors, the constable, custodian, one deputy clerk, one deputy treasurer (both part-time), one secretary and one maintenance person.

Other salaries budgeted include the planner's fee, \$4,800, lawyers' fees, \$10,000, park commission members' compensation, \$1,500, and the Wage Commission salaries, \$250.

Included, but not broken down in the budget, are wages for the Board of Review, Board of Appeals and Planning Commission.

Contracts for two sheriff's deputies were budgeted at \$18,429 from the general fund.

Total revenue expected for the township is \$346,980, including \$105,000 in time certificates (savings).

Public Notice

The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 28, 1976 at 8:30 P.M. at 90 N. Main St., Clarkston, Michigan, to hear CASE #A-475, an appeal by Jack Williams for property located at 08-07-200-005, J63A-5 Rattalee Lake Road. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, so to allow splitting of property to 2.92 acre parcels each.

Mel Vaara, Secretary

Public Notice

The Independence Township Park Board will meet April 20, 1976, to consider the adoption of proposed park rules for Independence Township Parks following the meeting of the Township Board.

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Have got to make A's?
I wonder why school athletes
Always get all the praise?
I wonder what kind of society
Would make the stupid rule,
That if you can't compete with
others
You must be a useless fool.

Even when I work hard at school
It seems I'm always behind.
The kids either ignore me
Or are cruel and unkind.

Teacher, I wish you would notice
me

I can't learn like the rest.
But if you'll find a way to teach
me
I promise I'll do my best.

I have trouble learning phonics
Short e and i sound just alike.
Guess I'll go home and repair
My broken mini-bike.

When I read, I always lose my
place
The words get all jumbled up.
Last Saturday I showed my horse
And won a silver trophy cup.

Social Studies isn't much fun
Reading about China is boring.
Wish I could read about Robbers'

Cave
Where my family went exploring.

My fingers won't write the test
answers
Even when they're in my hand.
Why can't I just tell you, teacher,
Or use the typewriter instead?

I never could catch or throw a
ball
Coach, I'm the clumsiest guy
around.
But I got two coons the other
night
Just me and my old hound.

How will I ever get any better
If no one has the time to teach?

If I sit on the sidelines all my life
What goals will I ever reach?

I can't keep up with the kids in
my class
Don't compare me to my
brothers.

Just give me a chance to grow at
my pace
Without competing with the
others.

Wish someone would try to teach
me
Though I can't learn like all the
rest.

If someone cared enough to reach
me
I promise, I'd really do my best.

Census starts April 21

Springfield Township's mid-decade census will get underway April 21.

The township is hiring about 20 census workers with federal CETA unemployment grant money to do the legwork.

Township clerk Calvin Walters said the census will probably take until May 1 to complete.

Anyone wishing to work on the census can contact Walters at the township hall. Workers must be 18 years of age, a U.S. citizen, and be unemployed for 15 days prior to applying.

Pay will be either \$2.50 an hour or 12 cents for each head counted, Walters said.

STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND No. 123,433

Estate of Albert H. Damerjian, deceased

NOTICE OF HEARING

TAKE NOTICE: On the 5th day of April, 1976 at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom, Oakland County Courthouse, Pontiac, Michigan, before the Honorable Norman R. Barnard Judge of Probate, a hearing was held on the petition of Lucia R. Arnold. The Will of the deceased dated December 21, 1973 was admitted to Probate. Administration of the estate was granted to Lucia R. Arnold the executrix named in said Will. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented said Lucia R. Arnold at 7330 Deer Lake Road, Clarkston, Michigan 48016 and proof thereof, with copies of the claims, filed with the Court on or before June 22, 1976. Notice is further given that a determination of the legal heirs of said deceased will be made on said date at 9 a.m. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned to the persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated: April 5, 1976

Lucia R. Arnold

Petitioner

7330 Deer Lake Road
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Robert W. Carr

Attorney for Petitioner

P11654

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REGISTRATION NOTICE

— FOR —

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION TUESDAY, MAY 18, 1976

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Springfield
(Precincts No. 1, 2, 3, 4)

COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Clerk, will upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said Township, City or Village not already registered who may APPLY TO ME PERSONALLY for such registration.

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Monday, April 19, 1976 -- Last Day

From 8 o'clock a.m. until 8 o'clock p.m.

The 30th day preceding said Election

As provided by Section 498, Act No. 116, Public Acts of 1954
As Amended

From 8 o'clock a.m. until 8 o'clock p.m. on said day for the purpose of REVIEWING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said TOWNSHIP, CITY or VILLAGE as SHALL PROPERLY apply therefor.

The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the Constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

ELECTOR UNABLE TO MAKE PERSONAL APPLICATION, PROCEDURE

SEC. 504 Any elector who is unable to make personal application for registration because of physical disability or absence from the Township, City or Village in which his legal residence is located, may be registered prior to the close of registration before any election or primary election by securing from the Clerk of the Township, City or Village in which is located his legal residence, duplicate registration cards and executing in duplicate the registration affidavit before a notary public or other officer legally authorized to administer oaths and returning such registration cards to the Clerk of the Township, City or Village before the close of office hours on the last day of registration prior to any election or primary election. The notary public or other officer administering the oath shall sign his name on the line for the signature of the registration officer and designate his title.

UNREGISTERED PERSONS NOT ENTITLED TO VOTE

SEC. 491. The inspectors of election at any election or primary election in this State, or in any District, County, Township, City or Village thereof, shall not receive the vote of any person whose name is not registered in the registration book of the Township, Ward or Precinct in which he offers to vote. (As provided under Act 116, P.A. 1954.)

TRANSFER OF REGISTRATION, APPLICATION, TIME

SEC. 506. Any registered elector may upon change of residence within the Township, City or Village cause his registration to be transferred to his new address by sending to the Clerk a signed request, stating his present address, the date he moved thereto, and the address from which he was last registered, or by applying in person for a transfer. The Clerk shall strike through the last address, ward and precinct number and record the new address, ward and precinct number on the original and duplicate registration cards, and shall place the original registration card in proper precinct file. Such transfers shall not be made after the Fifth Friday next preceding any election or primary election, unless such Fifth Friday shall fall on a legal holiday in which event registration transfers shall be accepted during the following day.

TRANSFER OF REGISTRATION ON ELECTION DAY

SEC. 507. Any registered elector who has removed from one election precinct of a Township, City or Village to another election precinct of the same Township, City or Village and has not recorded such removal with the local Clerk shall execute a transfer of registration request, listing the new residence address thereon over his signature, with the election board in the precinct in which he is registered at the next ensuing primary or election. The inspector of election in charge of the registration records shall compare the signature thereon with the signature upon the applicant's registration record and, if the signatures correspond, then the inspector shall certify such fact by affixing his initials upon said request. The applicant for transfer, after having signed an application to vote as provided in Section 523 of this act, shall then be permitted to vote in such precinct for that primary or election only. The application for transfer shall be filed with the Township City or Village Clerk who shall transfer such voter's registration in accordance with the application. When the name of any street in a Township, City or Village has been changed, it shall be the duty of the Township, City or Village Clerk to make the change to show the proper name of street in the registration records, and it shall not be necessary for the elector to change his registration with respect thereto in order to be eligible to vote.

J. CALVIN WALTERS, Township Clerk

Clarkston Junior High honor roll

We regret The Clarkston News can print only the names of the all A and mixed A/B students. There is not enough room to print the complete list.

8th GRADE		
Collette Fortin	Lisa Giegler	Janet Sizemore
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Tamara Newton	Amanda Hertler	Karen Weichel
Elizabeth Rekawek	Katherine Hubchen	Christine Whaley
Ann Schraw	Susan Huttenlocher	Jacquelin White
Rosemarie Becker	Jeanine Holdersma	Doris Williams
Shari Bennett	Bill Kratt	Jenny Williams
Robin Bisha	Jeff Leak	Larry Wright
Paul Boberg	Margaret Leightley	
David Brown	Lana Lovett	
Julie Bullen	Laura Lovett	
Stephanie Cornell	Steve Lyons	
David Cross	Alvin Masters	
Shirley Cuellar	Chris Mills	
Frank Davis	Kelley Morse	
Kathryn Dennis	Robert Morse	
Karen Dutcher	Kim Muensterman	
Laura Fellows	Sally Priebe	
Lesia Gennari	Kim Raedeke	
	Shannon Satterlee	
	Marrice Short	

8th GRADE

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Leslie Hudson
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Cere Schraw
John Schultz
Rae Anderson
Trina Bailey
Thomas Beattie
Bryan Bennett

Mike Bertling
Amy Bixby
Steven Boyer
David Brown
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Nichole Collins
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Kelley Ushman
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Nancy Westlund

Barbara Whaley
Jan Wilton
Gayle Zogrofos

Public Notice

The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 28, 1976 at 7:30 P.M. at 90 N. Main St., Clarkston, Michigan, to hear CASE #A-472, an appeal by Mr. Fred Ross for property located at Lot 26, 5328 Console, Clarkston, MI. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, request variance on corner lot of 35' to erect garage.

Mel Vaara, Secretary

Public Notice

The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 28, 1976 at 8:50 P.M. at 90 N. Main St., Clarkston, Michigan, to hear CASE #A-476, an appeal by Manford Harless for property located at Lots 1 & 2, Block 26, 4749 Meadowbrook, Clarkston. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, so to allow variance of 4.5 feet on side yard.

Mel Vaara, Secretary

Public Notice

SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING APRIL 20, 1976

Notice is hereby given that the following public hearing will be held by the Springfield Township Planning Commission on Tuesday, April 20, 1976 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 Harold S. and Hazel A. Ostrom, 9263 Dixie Hwy., Clarkston, Michigan to rezone the following described property:

a. T4N, R8E, Sec 14, part of SE 1/4, Beg. at pt. dist. N 709.44 ft & N 57-26-34 W 1338.12 ft. from SE sec cor. th S 00-58-00 E 958.06 ft. th S 65-40-00 W 233.13 ft. th N 00-33-00 E 1190 ft. th S 57-26-34 E 252.50 ft. to beg. Parcel ID # 07-14-478-001.

The above named parcel to be rezoned from R-1 to C-2, the proposed use is to erect a Dairy Queen.

2. To amend Springfield Township Zoning Ordinance No. 26, Art. XV, Sec. 15.10 to include residential districts R1, R2, R3, R4, and RC Recreational District containing land privately owned to control noise level in said districts

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

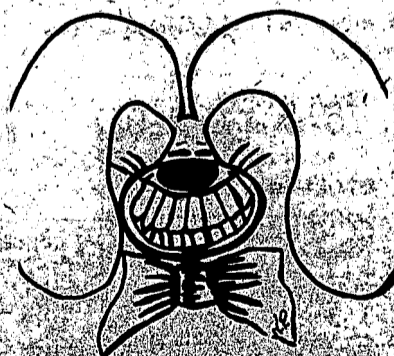
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Springfield Township Clerk

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REGULAR TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING April 6, 1976

SYNOPSIS

- Minutes of previous meeting were approved.
- Approved hiring of 4 additional Ceta employees to work in new Township Park.
- Approved bills totaling \$121,577.66 for payment.
- Adopted resolution for 1976 parades.
- Adopted FY 76-77 General Fund Budget of \$625,680.
- Adopted Police Fund Budget of \$165,400 for FY 76-77.
- Adopted Fire Fund Budget of \$243,300 for FY 76-77.
- Adopted resolutions naming persons to act in behalf of Independence Township for Federal Disaster Funds.
- Adopted resolution to study traffic on Dixie Highway in area of Waterford Rd. and Rockcroft Road.
- Adopted resolution necessary to finance fire truck over two year period.
- Decision to contribute 5c per lineal foot for dust control-oil or chloride.
- Set times and place of regular Township Board meetings as 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month at 90 North Main St., Clarkston.
- Adjourned 8:50 p.m.

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MOTOR HOME, lifetime. Three years old, 26 ft., loaded, self contained, low mileage, like new, original owner. 623-1172 or 666-2544.†††33-3c

60 INCH ROUND rustic table and 4 benches, \$95.00. 625-1556.†††33-3p

55 GALLON Aquarium - used. Cracked bottom. Repairable. \$40. 625-0150 or 627-2596.†††32-3c

TWO CAR garage door, metal, new. 681-2525.†††32-3c

FOR SALE

SPRING IS HERE and we're ready for it with the biggest variety of trees and shrubs we've ever had. To name a few: Blue Beach, White and Mt. Ash, Honeylocust, Maples, Dogwood, Thundercloud Plum, Flowering Crabs and Cherries, Hawthorne, Canadian Hemlock, Burning Bush, Euonymus, Taxus and Junipers of all kinds. We're also digging White Birch and Colorado Spruce to order for a limited time. Noel Arbor Farms, 79 Park St., Oxford. 628-2846.†††LC33-6

PONY SADDLE, black, \$30. Also, antique commode, english boots, size 6, \$5.00. 625-2807.†††AC32-3

FOR SALE: Antique bottles and jars. Various types and ages. Approximately 60. 625-2283.†††33-3c

OLD FASHIONED pots and pans, mugs (\$1.25) and plates in blue Graniteware. Boothby's Gift Shop, White Lake Rd. and Dixie Hwy.†††32-3c

1973 CONVENTRY 14x68, three bedroom, air, carpeting, stove, refrigerator, shed, skirting, steps. Immediate possession. Springfield Estates, no payments until August. 625-2090.†††32-3p

SINGER Dial-A-Matic zig zag sewing machine. Embroiders, appliques, buttonholes, etc. Late model; school trade in. Monthly payments of \$59 cash. New machine guarantee. Universal Sewing Center, FE4-0905.†††23-1c

1973 HONDA 350, excellent condition. Two helmets, \$800 or best offer. 625-9676.†††34-3c

USED BOOKS: 4 for \$1.00. Kathy's Book Shoppe. 625-8453.†††32-1

20% OFF ALL sport weight yarns through April. Knit-Cetera, 10 S. Washington St., Oxford. 628-5590.†††LC34-3

HEADQUARTERS for potted fruit trees, 40 varieties, evergreen shade and ornamental trees, flowering shrubs, small fruit, perennials and roses. Landscape contracts our specialty. Ortonville Nursery, 10448 Washburn, Ortonville. 627-2545 open 7 days a week, 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.†††34-3c

HOSPITAL BED, wheel chair, walker, whirlpool bath. 625-4546.†††34-3c

20x6 INCH, 10 ft. to 15 ft. oak Italian block marble, 4x4 ft. x 2 inches. Used brick, barn lumber table saw, planer. 625-2520.†††34-3c

O'DAY JAVELIN, best family day sailer, \$1,850. Call 623-0712. 625-1750.†††34-3p

80 BALES of good hay, \$1.10 per bale. 625-5334.†††32-3c

FOR SALE

HAMMOND ORGAN, Spinnet L103, perfect condition. Reasonable. 623-1718.†††32-3c

1965 HONDA 305, dream. Mint condition, 7,000 miles, electric start, saddle bags. 625-5690.†††32-3c

6000 BTU Air conditioner for sliding window, \$65. 66 Sears motorcycle, 106cc, good condition, \$125. 625-4051.†††32-3c

1970 WHEEL CAMPER, sleeps 8, loaded with extras, excellent condition, 625-5960 after 6 p.m. any day.†††32-3c

UPRIGHT FREEZER, 12 cubic feet. 3 year warranty, \$100.00. Dryer, \$25. Ironer, dual thermostat, \$20. 8520 M-15.†††33-3c

1970 HONDA CHOPPER, excellent condition. Must sell, \$700. 1972 Suzuki 250 Road Bike. Like new, low mileage, \$400. Call after 4 p.m. 625-4489.†††33-3x

GRAVELY walk behind tractor with mower and rotary plow. 625-0757.†††33-3c

16 FT. PLYWOOD boat, 35 h.p. Mercury with Sea King trailer, \$550. 625-2356.†††33-3p

ELECTRIC Hotpoint built in oven and range, in cabinets. Copper-tone, works good, \$100. 623-6714.†††33-3c

TANDEM BICYCLE like new. Call after 4 p.m. 625-4987.†††34-3c

REDWOOD picnic table and three benches. Child's picnic table and child's John-Deer tractor. Power mower, crib and mattress, youth chair and stroller.†††625-4240.†††34-3c

PEWTER SALE - all Pewter on sale thru May. Boothby's Gift Shop, corner of Dixie Hwy and White Lake Rd.†††33-3c

STAINLESS STEEL Holloware on sale thru May. Boothby's Gift Shop, corner of Dixie Hwy and White Lake Rd.†††33-3x

NEW DISHWASHER, moving, must sell. 625-0950. 10-6.†††32-3c

PINE TREES, 2 to 4 feet. Dig your own, 10335 M-15, Ortonville Road, 4 miles north of Clarkston.†††33-3p

SUNFISH Sail boat, good condition. Complete with 3 life preservers, \$500.00. 623-0554.†††33-3c

RIDING MOWER, 5 h.p. Yardman Mustang, with bagger. Excellent condition. \$175.00. 625-0143.†††34-3c

PINBALL MACHINE Williams, 2 players, excellent condition. 625-1614 after 6 p.m.†††34-3c

1973 SUZUKI GT-550, Farings, saddle bags, helmets. Adult owned, excellent condition, \$875. 673-8317.†††34-3c

INSTRUCTION

TUTORING: Experienced tutor with Masters Degree desires to tutor school age children in reading, math or other subjects. 625-5942.†††34-3c

Wanted To Rent

LOCAL middle-aged business couple would like to rent a two or three bedroom home in area with basement and possible garage. Possession needed March 15th or April 1st. Call 625-5821 or 625-3176.†††23-tfc

EMPLOYED male college graduate wished to share house or apartment. 625-3824.†††33-3c

WANTED: Farm or house in country with acreage, private. Prefer dirt road. 6 month lease. 1-313-694-6216.†††34-3p

FREE

KITTENS - free to good home. 6 weeks old and litter trained. 391-3326.†††34-3f

AUTOMOTIVE

1975 LEMANS 6 cylinder 2-door automatic, power steering, FM-AM, Ziebarted, \$3,100. 625-5039.†††34-3c

1970 BUICK La Sabre, custom convertible, excellent condition. 625-8919.†††34-3c

1974 EL-CAMINO, low mileage power steering-brakes, \$2700. 627-3118.†††31-3p

JUNK CARS, free tow. Will buy certain models. 334-2148, 628-3942.†††1-tfc

'75 MONTE CARLO - Landau. Loaded, also rust-proofed and trailer hitch. 15,000 miles, \$4300. 33-2c. Call 625-5856.†††

1970 PLYMOUTH Fury III, air, all power, stereo, vinyl top, \$500. 625-9212.†††34-3c

1975 GMC pick up, camper special. P.S., P.B., air. Step up bumper with cab, call after 4. 625-3662.†††32-3c

1973 PONTIAC Wagon, air, stereo, new radials, \$1750. 394-0698.†††32-3c

1971 PINTO Hatchback, 30 m.p.g., \$750. 627-2596 or 625-0150.†††32-3c

1975 TOYOTA Sport truck. Low mileage, Ziebarted, camper cover. Call after 3:30 625-5024.†††33-3c

1964 V.W. very good condition. Also custom trailer hitch for 74-76 El Camino. 625-3696 after 5 p.m.†††33-3c

1973 PLYMOUTH Duster, standard transmission, 2 new radial tires, new exhaust system, \$1,500. 628-2016.†††34-3c

1975 PONTIAC LeMans 4 door. Automatic transmission, P.S., economical 6 cylinder engine. Less than 14,000 miles, excellent condition, \$3200. 625-2394 or 391-0479.†††34-3c

SERVICES

SNOWPLOWING, 625-8885.†††

PLUMBING - Repairs and new work. Sewers and drains cleaned. 24 hour emergency service. Bob Turner. 391-2673 or 628-5856.†††16-tfc

EXCAVATING: Basements, sewers, and water lines, septic fields, bulldozing, trucking. Bob Turner. 391-2673 or 628-5856.†††16-tfc

BULLDOZING, driveways, rough and finished grading, sand, gravel and stone delivered. No job too small. Marv Menzies. Call 625-5015.†††23-tfc

WALLPAPERING, painting, staining. 30 years experience. I make house calls. Bob Jensenius. 623-1309.†††5-tfc

TORR'S Remodeling. Complete home service. Licensed builder. 625-1844 or 627-3876.†††11-tfc

SNOWPLOWING, Call Carolyn. 625-4106.†††16-tfc

UPHOLSTERY - 24 years experience. Free estimates, free pickup and delivery. Call after 6 p.m. 673-5229.†††26-tfc

EXPERIENCED Tax analyst, my home or yours, reasonable rates. Call 394-0719.†††30-5c

REPAIRS: Radio, stereo, tape players, car radios and portable TV's. 625-8913.†††27-tfc

LICENSED exterminator, trained in all pest control problems. Also, licensed for bird and bat control by the Department of Agriculture. Sentry Pest Control, 335-7377.†††LC34-3

TREE Removal, spring clean-up, storm damage repair, free estimate. Reasonable. 634-7441.†††32-3c

WALLPAPER & FABRIC hanging by Paper-Mates. Reasonable, reliable. Sara Currier 852-6034.†††29-6p

ROOFING, new and old repaired. Light carpentry and electrical repair. Free estimates. 623-9536.†††33-3c

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34-7c

GOING AWAY? Have House-
Watcher care for pets, plants.
Have reasonable rates. 625-1666
625-3807.†††34-3c

SERVICES

TREE SERVICE, clean-up, trimming and removal. Free estimates. 625-5351.†††33-3c

CONCRETE WORK, patios, porches, drives. Brick and block work. No job too small. Satisfaction guaranteed. Reasonable price. 634-7441.†††32-3c

D.D. LAWN service, sprinkling and lawn cutting. 373-2589.†††32-3c

TREE SERVICE, trimming, pruning and removal. Insured, free estimates. Also, light hauling. 682-7692.†††32-9p

LIGHT TRUCK hauling, spring clean-up, roto-tilling. Reasonable rates. 625-3624.†††34-3c

SAND, gravel, top soil, fill dirt. Dozer and loader work. Lee Beardslee, 623-1338.†††33-tfc

WATERFORD Sewer Construction. Septic fields installed. Excavating and trenching. Licensed 28254. Sherman Lucas owner, 9200 Andersonville Road, 625-9270.†††33-3c

RETIRED AUTO mechanic, auto tune-ups. Chrysler products preferred. Roto-tilling gardens, lawn work, roof, gutter repair, outside paint. 625-8073.†††34-3p

FOR RENT

CLARKSTON AREA, Dixie frontage, 4800 sq. ft. warehouse, all or part. Call days, 625-2601.†††24-tfc

ROOM AND BOARD for convalescent elderly ladies, private home, laundry, excellent cooking, nursing care, pleasant surroundings. Call 627-2019.†††RC17-tf

OFFICE BUILDING for rent. 14x10'4", 10x10'4". Plenty parking space, carpeted, utilities included. Next to Clarkston Cinema, 6800 Dixie Hwy. Please contact State Farm during office hours or call 698-9336 after 5 p.m.†††34-3p

LAKESIDE Apartment for rent, refrigerator, stove, carpeted. Very quiet subdivision, no singles, children or pets. 625-4294.†††34-3c

NEWLY DECORATED HOME on Marco Island, Florida. Sleeps six comfortably, pool, car, and maid service. Great fishing, shelling and sailing. Available by week. Call 625-2100 or 625-4222.†††15-tfc

TWO ROOM efficiency apartment. Completely furnished, including utilities. Deposit, bachelor. 9440 Dixie Hwy.†††31-3c

FURNISHED three room apartment on lake. Beach privileges, deposit and rent in advance. No children or pets. 627-4008.†††32-3p

ANTIQUES

ANTIQUE desk, \$150.00. Italian gold leaf curio cabinet, \$100. 625-8210.†††33-3c

ANTIQUE SHOW and sale, Somerset Mall, Troy, Mich. April 5-10. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday, Friday 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Free admission, parking.†††32-2c

WORK WANTED

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, relocating in Clarkston area, excellent references. Phone 852-0173.†††32-3p

FORMER SECRETARY would like typing at home for business or student. Fast, accurate and reasonable. 625-2204.†††32-3c

BABYSITTING in my licensed home on Foster Road in Clarkston. Children, 3 years or older. 625-1358.†††33-3c

LPN WOULD like to care for ambulatory person days in their home. Will run errands, fix meals. Friendly companion, have references. 674-3621.†††34-3c

TWO OUT-DOORSY, hard working gals looking for odd jobs. Help with gardens, lawns, painting, spring clean-up and trips to dump. 623-9285 or 887-9279.†††34-3c

PETS

SNAUZER Stud Service and grooming, 625-0143.†††34-3c

BLACK Labrador Retriever AKC registered. One year old male, 623-9497.†††34-3c

BELGIAN Sheepdogs. Long-haired, black beauties. AKC puppies and adults. Some spirited, some settled and sweet. Pat Porter, 627-2195 or Daniele Daugherty, 887-9387.†††RC27-tf

BONNIE'S BACK! After illness, Bonnie is accepting dog grooming. Professional dog show groomer. Appointments, call 625-8594.†††33-tfc

BABY EASTER bunnies, all colors, \$3.00 each. 625-5277 or 363-2987.†††33-2x

TWO DOGS, Beagle, \$10 and Black Lab and Irish Setter, mixed. \$10. 625-0418.†††33-3p



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AKC Irish Setter pups, Champion bloodlines, trained, wormed, shots, \$75.00. Sire and Dam can be seen. Call 674-0612.†††32-3p

THREE HORSES and two ponies. 625-1644.†††32-3c

PART Shepherd and Setter puppies for sale, 8 weeks old, \$5. 625-4938, 10551 Davisburg Road.†††34-3p

HELP WANTED

BABYSITTING needed immediately. Springfield Estates, 625-0737 or 334-6549.†††32-3x

PART TIME evenings. Two sports minded people needed to show safety film in Clarkston Area. \$90 per week. 15 hours per week. Must be over 21, married, and presently employed. Call Mr. Mayhew, 649-0150, Ext. 15.†††32-3p

HELP WANTED - babysitter. Occasional days for one year old. 634-5288.†††33-3c

WAITRESS wanted for Tally Ho. 6726 Dixie Hwy.†††33-3c

EXPERIENCED lady over 35 to do housework and some cooking to assist with 3 elderly ladies. References required, good wages, call 627-2019.†††RC33-tf

EXPERIENCED all-breed dog trimmer, 693-6550.†††RC33-3

APPLICATIONS will be accepted for temporary positions for the classifications of assessor assistant. Position being filled under the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973 Title VI. Applicant should be a veteran economically disabled or unemployed for at least 15 days at the time of application. Applications and qualifications may be obtained at Springfield township office at 650 Broadway, Davisburg. 634-3111 or 625-4802.†††C33-2

SHARE my home with woman, 623-9493.†††33-3c

DAYTIME telephone solicitors, male or female. 18 years or older. Good pay, short hours. 674-1223. 4540 Dixie Hwy. upstairs. Room 4 and 5.†††34-3c

SOMEONE TO make light deliveries with own transportation. Short hours, good pay. Male or female, 674-1223. 4540 Dixie Hwy. upstairs.†††34-3c

FAST TYPIST wanted, short hours, good pay. 4540 Dixie Hwy. upstairs. 674-1223.†††34-3c

HELP WANTED: Applications are being taken from persons interested in taking a census in Springfield Township. Applicants must be 18 years of age, citizen of United States, and physically able to climb stairs. All applicants will be given interview, at which time they will be given a test designed by census bureau. Applications must be completed prior to April 20. Contact Springfield Township office, 650 Broadway, Davisburg. 634-3111 or 625-4802.†††LC34-1

LOST

LOST: Female Golden Retriever and male German Shepherd, both mature. Reward offered for information leading to return of dogs. Call RedBob Farms, 628-1798.†††LC32-3

LOST: Brown dog, mixture German Shepherd. Vicinity Jr. High School. 625-2574 or 857-1678.†††33-3c

GERMAN SHEPHERD 5 months old. Black with tan legs and feet. Answers to Heidi. Reward. 625-4583.†††33-3c

LOST - one year old Afghan hound, silver and blond stripe. Last seen dragging a chain in area of Maybee and Pine Knob Roads. Reward. 674-4545.†††34-3c

WANTED

USED GUNS wanted, regardless of condition. Top cash dollar. We buy-sell-trade. Guns galore. Fen-ton. 629-5325.†††24-tfc

WANT TO BUY pigeons, \$1.00 each. Call after 4 p.m. 625-8071.†††32-3p

TRANSPORTATION needed - M-15 and I-75 to Campbell and Gardenia, Royal Oak. 1 mile off I-75. Daily 7-7:30 a.m. 4-4:30 p.m. 625-2352.†††32-3x

WANTED to buy: Golf Course. 18 or 9 holes with land. Bob Wideman, Realtor. P.O. Box 33, Gladwin, Michigan 48624.†††32-3c

WANTED: Men and women interested and willing to work for new company in area. We are looking for people who are interested in retailing home industrial and commercial cleaning product. By appointment only, 674-3784.†††34-3c

EXPERIENCED Waitress, Apply in person at Holly Green's Golf Club, 11450 Holly Rd.†††34-3c

NEED ride from Greens Lake Subdivision to Oakland University. Leave 6:15 a.m. to 6:30 a.m. Will pay. 625-5258.†††34-1

GARAGE SALE

HOUSEHOLD goods, antique dishes and furniture, collectable items. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. thru Sunday, April 18. 11801 Scott Road, Davisburg. 634-9086.†††34-1c

NOTICE

HEAR YE, HEAR YE: Guided Bicentennial walk through 150 year old village, escorted by famous statesmen, dignitaries, noted politicians and many others. Sign-up with your favorite Rotarian for the Bicentennial Parade, May 1, 1976 at 10:00 a.m.†††33-2c

HERE YE! HERE YE! Join us for an old-fashioned shopping experience. Spend a day strolling the streets and shopping in the 19th century shops in downtown Holly and Battle Alley. Discover the diversity and craftsmanship of the many unique shops. You will find original art works, unique children's toys and books. Unusual beads, antiques, leather crafts, macrame, tea leaf reading, glass blowing, plants, dried flower arranging, health foods, pets and supplies, hobbies and crafts, silver casting and handcrafted furniture. Before leaving have lunch at the Ally Deli or Piano Factory. A delightful experience is guaranteed!†††34-1c

WATCH FOR Bill's antique sale, Saturday, April 24. Bill's Bargains and Antiques. Baldwin and Indianwood, Lake Orion.†††34-2c

REAL ESTATE

305 FT. Commercial frontage on Dixie Hwy. 1 1/4 miles north of I-75. Includes three bedroom home, garage, and two story building. First time offered. Glennwood. 625-8122.†††32-3c

REAL ESTATE

CLARKSTON Schools. 30 acres featuring custom built rancher, full brick, basement family room with fireplace, two baths. Will take your home or land in trade. Call Sunset Realty 625-1900 or 1-636-2854.†††34-3c

IN THE VILLAGE - 4 bedroom, 3 baths, two stone fireplaces, walk-out lower level with possible separate apartment, 5 car heated garage. Located large wooded corner lot by a private lake, \$68,500 by owner. 625-5389 or 625-9226.†††32-tfc

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and a little imagination. Cute 2 bedroom ranch near Ortonville on pavement. Lake Louise privileges.

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5 ACRES - Ortonville. Large spring, good pond site. Perced, \$12,500. 627-2596 or 625-0150.†††32-3c

CLARKSTON LOT, close to schools, sewers available, lake privileges, paved street. Full price, \$6,950.00 or \$1,500.00 down on land contract. Hurry, call now, Abrams Realty, 682-6532.†††32-3c

IMMACULATE 1700 sq. ft. 3 bedroom ranch with large family room with fireplace. Spacious yard and attached garage, \$42,900. 6621 Pear. Open Sunday, 2-5.
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624-3100
32-3c

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Kindergarten-- here they come



Alysia Vecsei wasn't so much interested in eye and hearing exams during Bailey Lake pre-school screening Friday. She was more concerned with checking up on her prospective teachers. Here the five-year-old gives the eye to kindergarten teacher Cynthia Omans.



Dennis Trombley isn't quite sure what this school business is all about, and was reluctant to enter Bailey Lake for pre-screening.



Kurt Reickel, complete with baseball cap, was indifferent to all the strange faces. He was too busy consuming the milk and cookies provided during pre-screening.



Robin Weinmann got excellent marks from psychologist Gordon Spelbring

Tykes entering elementary school next year got a sneak preview during pre-screening last week.

Jim's jottings

The old untruths

by Jim Sherman



Life is a continuous series of learning, unlearning, and relearning.

Sometimes our learning is from old wives' tales, sometimes from the community watering hole, sometimes even from experience that taught wrong.

But, sometimes our learning comes from textbooks, scientists, ministers, editors or so-called learned people who were later proven wrong for one reason or another.

In the meantime we've believed them. We've practiced what was preached when we could have put our faith in a bumper sticker and been better off.

Through my years I've learned that mulched leaves were good for the soil, too acid for the soil, and

again good for the soil.

I was told in my early school days that the lumber barons had raped the forests, stripped it, and we would be out of lumber within 50 years. Now we're told through reforestation there will never be a shortage of wood.

Foods that were to build strong bodies 8 ways were found to only be good 6 ways by a government laboratory, that brown bread was healthier than white, and that fat on meat was fattening. That latter two have been proven otherwise.

What prompted this comparison was the scientific investigations following recent tornadoes, particularly the ones in Xenia, Ohio and West Bloomfield.

After the tornado ripped down

Coldwater road in Flint in early 1950's a state policeman on duty there told me the safest place to be at that time was in an automobile.

The only person killed in West Bloomfield was in a car. The word is out that automobiles are not a safe place to be.

Through grade school, high school and until very recently the place to go when a tornado watch was on was the southwest corner of a basement.

This is no longer true. One of the safest places is under the stairs in the basement.

People are really shook up these days (no pun intended) by tornadoes. Are we getting more now than earlier years? It appears we are. Are they any more predictable? Only a

little.

When the tornado hit West Bloomfield the men who follow such things were primarily concerned with Lake Fenton and Charlotte.

Radar will pick up only 1 in 10. The reason is that they are on the wind.

If you have only one floor, a small room, like a small bath, is the safest place. Between shorter walls and plumbing in the studding there is more strength.

The most vulnerable residence is a mobile home. I predict the day is coming that through legislation or zoning tornado shelters will be required in mobile home villages. In the meantime, get in your car and outrun the storm by going at right angles to it.