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Pontiac hospital plan involves township

by Dan Trainor
of The Clarkston News

Supervisors from three area townships were to meet this week with representatives from the City of Pontiac and Pontiac General Hospital to review plans for a proposed satellite medical facility to serve Independence, Waterford and White Lake Townships.

The meeting is to be a follow up to a brief luncheon held recently where city officials first proposed the possibility of a satellite facility, according to Independence Supervisor Floyd Tower.

City officials did not get into details at the luncheon, Tower said, presenting only the idea to the township supervisors and then scheduling a second meeting where there will be discussion on site location, financing and several other aspects of the satellite facility.

Tower said city officials did discuss a proposed site north of M-59 in the vicinity of the Oakland-Pontiac Airport and in an area where the three township borders meet.

Tower said he could not comment in detail on the proposal

until additional information is forthcoming from the hospital and city officials.

"I would have to find out more about the proposal before I could make any presentation to the township board," Tower added.

Among the items Tower said he has to take a wait and see attitude about is how the Joint Comprehensive Hospital Authority of the hospital proposes to fund the satellite's construction.

Township residents could be asked as early as this year to vote upon a .4 (four-tenths) mill tax to fund the construction of the facility.

Int turn, townships within the satellite's service area would be given representation on the hospital's board of trustees on a population ratio basis.

The proposed satellite is one of four latest proposals being discussed by city and hospital officials in an attempt to end a long standing debate as to how best to keep pace with its North Oakland County service area.

Clarkston pediatrician Dr. James O'Neill, who is chief of staff at the hospital, feels the 50-year-old facility faces loss of Blue Cross

Blue Shield coverage and loss of competent staff members unless the hospital provides more modern facilities.

The hospital, located on Huron Street, has been the focal point of political debate in Pontiac on the issue of renovating the present facility versus expansion to the suburbs with satellite facilities offering emergency, diagnostic and short-term care.

Voters in Pontiac rejected Public Act 38 which would have required state approval of a bonding issue to build new facilities.

Because the state would have been required to pledge its full faith and credit behind sale of bonds, many felt it would have a strong voice in relocation.

Pontiac city and hospital officials are now considering four alternatives, among them the satellite facility in the vicinity of the airport to serve the three townships.

Construction of the facility would be allowable under Michigan Public Act 47 which provides for the creation of a joint hospital authority with approval of the residents involved.

Residents in the service area would also have to finance the operation and to pay the bonded indebtedness for construction of the facility.

That millage, officials feel, would amount to four-tenths mill equivalent to \$8 a year on a home assessed at \$20,000 and having a market value of \$40,000.

In addition to acting as an emergency care facility, Dr. O'Neill said the satellite could also serve as a community service coordinating facility, providing an umbrella for paramedic training, help for volunteer ambulance services and counselling for child abuse and various other emotional problems.

At the same time the 10 percent surcharge Pontiac Gene. now makes to non-city residents would be eliminated in the cooperating areas.

The four-tenths mill levy being considered would produce sufficient revenue from Pontiac and the three townships to meet the annual payments on the estimated \$38 to \$50 million construction debt.

Nothing, city officials emphasized, can be done, however, without a vote of the people involved.

Independence adopts local pot ordinance

Independence Township has invoked a marijuana ordinance to deal locally with persons caught possessing or selling the drug.

The purpose of the ordinance, according to Police Chief Jack McCall, is to streamline the process of bringing a person to court.

The township has been operating under the state law which requires the department to release the suspect during the investigative process, laboratory testing and seeking a warrant from the Oakland County Prosecutor's Office.

Once a warrant was issued, McCall said, you then had to go back and try to arrest the individual.

The new ordinance will streamline the process, McCall said, by

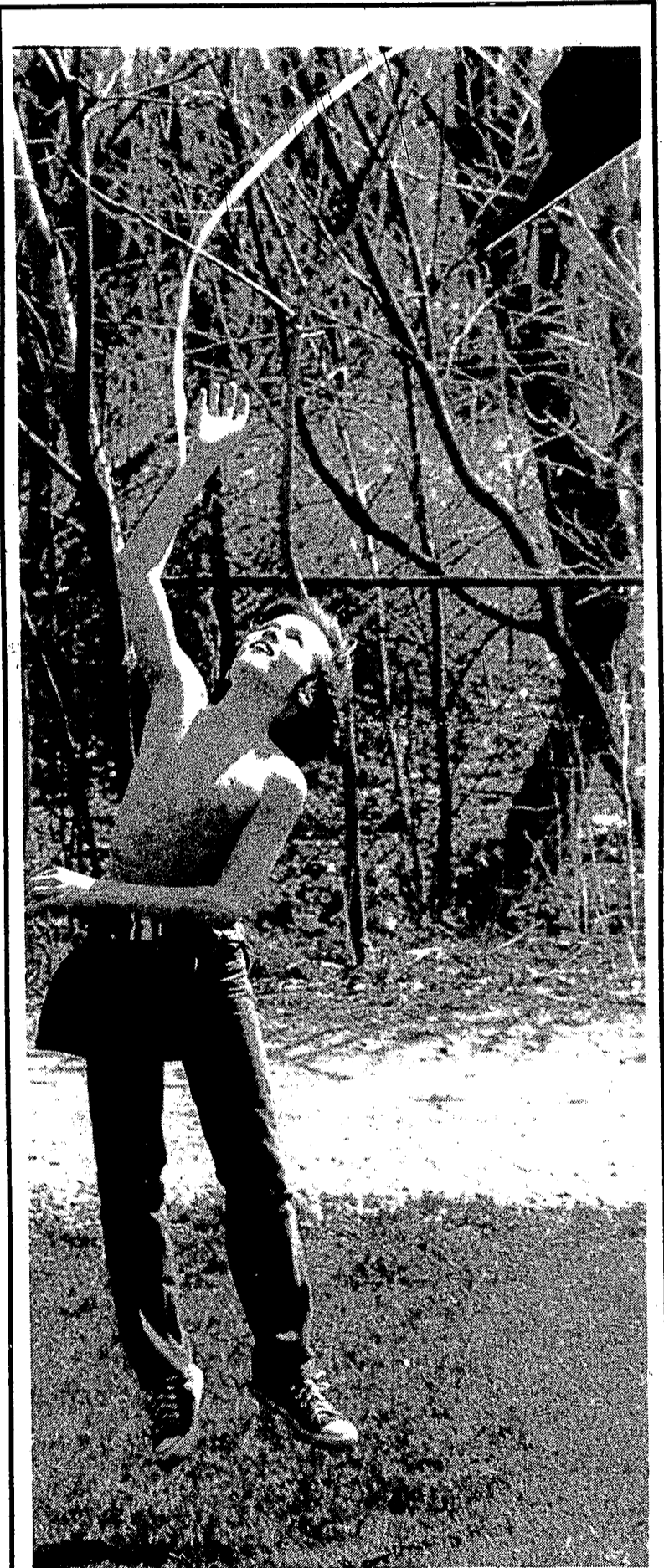
allowing the officer on the scene to issue an appearance citation requiring the person to be in court on a certain date.

Although no amount is mentioned in the ordinance, McCall said it is aimed at small quantities. When it concerns

larger amount it becomes a felony and does not fall within the realm of the ordinance.

"The ordinance will allow the department to have greater flexibility and allow us to do a much better job in several areas of the township," McCall added.

Conviction under the ordinance, which takes effect in 30 days, is a misdemeanor and punishable by fines of not less than \$25 and not more than \$100.



Spring is ...

... kite flying, baseball, fishing, spring cleaning or just running through the countryside free as a bird and enjoying the balmy breezes of spring that has swept the hills and dales of Independence and Springfield during the past week. Spring is also the time for new arrivals. For more pictures, turn to Page 44.

Seniors assured of \$20,000 in federal funds

1,600 plus senior citizens residing in Independence Township may realize their dream of a senior citizen center becoming a reality next week.

Although the township board tabled action on appropriating the \$90,312 in federal revenue sharing bonds Tuesday, seniors were guaranteed \$20,000 of the

amount. They may share in another \$10,312 set aside for building improvements and additions.

The township board is expected to make its final decision on the appropriations at its regular meeting next Tuesday, that's a day after the school board is to discuss the sale of four acres of

land behind the library to the township as a site for the senior citizens.

The board tabled action on the federal revenue sharing funds to determine if federal monies can be used to improve facilities not meeting the barrier free law. This law requires a building must be accessible to handicapped persons.

If ruled ineligible the building fund would be divided, based upon the current proposal before the board, between the senior citizens and police department with \$5,000 each and the remaining \$312 in land acquisition.

Under the proposal senior citizens would receive \$25,000, police department \$15,000, land acquisition account \$15,312, library \$4,000, spring clean-up \$6,000, recreation \$6,000, park development \$8,000, and dust control on the roads \$11,000.

With the \$25,000, the amount guaranteed for senior citizens would be \$57,000 when combined with Community Development Act (CDA) funds already set aside.

Senior citizens are just about assured of receiving the \$15,312 for land acquisition giving them over \$69,000 toward construction of a center.

However, senior citizens also stand a chance to share in some \$30,000 in CDA funds for private roads and park lighting which the

county says is not allowed under the federal guidelines. Township officials did say they are fighting that interpretation.

Senior citizens is the only category assured their minimum allocation after Tuesday's board meeting.

Trustee Fred Ritter said he would oppose any further appropriation to the police department saying the township is subsidizing the department's \$200,000 budget by more than \$27,000.

Treasurer Betty Hallman said she would like to see additional monies for the library and for general maintenance to the township hall.

Clerk Chris Rose said he had several objections to the revenue sharing appropriations among them the \$8,000 for park development.

Trustee Jerry Powell said police services should benefit from any increases so that it could maintain its present level of services.

Four seek two Clarkston school board posts

Voters will apparently be deciding between four candidates including two incumbents, when they go to the polls to fill two four-year terms on the Clarkston School Board.

Filing petitions to have their names placed on the ballot were Rev. Robert Walters, 41, pastor of Calvary Lutheran Church, and Mrs. Carolyn Place, an educator in the Pontiac Schools. Both, first elected in 1972, are seeking their second term on the board.

They are being challenged by William J. Smith, 25, a graduate

of the Clarkston Schools, a Vietnam veteran and is due to graduate from Walsh College this June, and Gerald Harbaugh, 41, a carpet salesman for J. L. Hudson Co.

Once the deadline to withdraw from the race passes Thursday, April 14, School Financial Director Stanley Darling will review petitions to insure all candidates have the minimum 20 signatures of registered voters who reside in the school district.

Candidates filed petitions with signatures ranging from a low of 25 to a high of 32 per petition.



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Master plan revision due in Springfield

By Joe Gitter
of the Clarkston News
The Springfield Township Board decided Wednesday, April 6, after lengthy discussion and a close 3-2 vote, to authorize planning consultant, Tod Kilroy, to revise the township's four-year-old master plan.

The present plan, adopted in 1973, is no longer applicable to much of the area, according to trustee Glen Vermilye.

Vermilye, also a Planning Commission member, said due to the large population growth in the township, the changes in land development and the cancellation of M-275, the plan needs revision.

"M275 was just like frosting on the cake," he added. Because of the \$4,655 cost for

the revision and the fact that area is now primarily residential. M-275 may not be dead prompted trustee Glenn Underwood to suggest waiting until Oakland County and the state determine their position on the expressway.

Supervisor Collin Walls, who recommended the revision retorted, "If we wait for a final decision on M275 to be made, our children may be sitting on this board."

Vermilye added, the township's master plan needs revision because of factors other than the cancellation of M-275. However, he added, if a developer wished to build on Andersonville Road in the area of the proposed M-275 interchange, the township would be powerless to stop it, because of master plan commitments. That

The proposal passed 3-2 with J. Calvin Walters, clerk and Treasurer Patricia Kramer dissenting. The board also voted to give two township CETA employees raises.

The assistant assessor's salary, now set at \$8,000 was increased to \$8,800. The receptionist/secretary, now making \$7,200 will get \$7,900. A general maintenance man employed through CETA will remain at \$5 per hour.

CETA funds pay all of the above salaries. However, if the program expires, as it will this September unless renewed, the township must pay those employees for the remaining six months of the fiscal year.

Going, going, gone

If you lost it, it's going to be sold at auction

by Dan Trainor
of The Clarkston News

From the small storage room at Independence Township Police Services came bags of binoculars, \$150 leather coats, bags full of quilts, blankets and numerous other items.

In two other township buildings, the situation is the same -- rooms full of bikes, chain saws and more bags of assorted property.

The lost items have been building and building over the past two years with the main contributors being patrons of Pine

Knob Music Theatre, according to Police Chief Jack McCall.

It has reached a point where there isn't any more room to put the lost items, he added, and so the township board has been asked to approve an ordinance that will allow the police department to sell the items at auction.

With Pine Knob Theatre's 1977 opening in just over a month, the shelves have to be cleared to make room for this season's lost items.

After each event it is the same process for police dispatchers,

Beth Tower and Pat Glowzinski.

For nearly two hours, they sort, label, make entries in the lost item ledger and then pack them up and try to find a vacant space in the storage room.

"It's kind of interesting," Beth said, "seeing the different kind of items that come in after each concert."

What is hard to understand is the expensive watches, jewelry and leather coats that are turned in and no one has inquired about them, Beth said.

"If I lost a \$150 leather coat, you can be sure I would be on the phone immediately trying to find out where it was," she added.

What is more difficult to explain is the 14 items that contained identification, she added. The owners were notified their property has been found but now it is nearly a year later and they remain unclaimed.

The township board is expected to adopt the ordinance at its April 19 meeting and soon after a date will be set for the auction.

Practically everything will put on the auction block, even the gaudy colored umbrellas, dented and rusting gas cans and a pair of ice skates that have seen their better days.

But some of the more than 300 items will not be sold.

You can't very well auction the underwear that has been worn in or the pajamas, McCa. said.

And the food left in the picnic cooler last summer would be a little on the ripe side.

Those items have already been discarded along with a few others that are of no value such as one pair of shoes and the odd of a few "minor changes" in the sock or two that have come across the desk.

What items of value that are not sold at auction will be donated to a non-profit charitable organization.



Living the past

A young Benjamin Franklin espouses his views on revolution to the fifth and sixth graders at Bailey Lake Elementary. The students presented "Proudly We Hail" to commemorate the revolutionary war.

Village garage due

The long awaited Clarkston Village garage and office building is "very close" to construction, according to James Scharl, village engineer. Ground breaking should begin within 30 days, he said.

The only remaining delay is the recommendation by the village attorney, John Steckling, that the builder, Stylemaster Homes, Inc., be bonded. A performance bond, normally obtained for construction jobs over \$50,000, will ensure that Stylemaster complete the building to the village's satisfaction. Bonds of this type take approximately 45 days to obtain.

Approval and signing of a contract between the village and Stylemaster was delayed because of a few "minor changes" in the building diagrams.

The Independence Township Building Code requires that a three-hour fire wall be installed between adjoining garage and office facilities. It was not

included in the original plans. The change necessitated re-drawing the plans for the 36x70 foot structure. The council took advantage of the situation by making changes in other areas to reduce costs where possible.

Men's lavatories were reduced from two to one and the proposed shower was eliminated. A few unnecessary windows were eliminated and a six-foot cement apron was added outside of the garage doors.

Basic dimensions of the 36x70 foot structure have not been altered. The garage area will be about half that, 36x35 feet.

The Village Council has called a special meeting for Monday, April 18, at 7:30 p.m. to discuss changes in the garage plans and review the new price. Keith Hallman, council president, does not expect the altered construction price to be more than \$2,000 over the original bid of approximately \$58,000.



Pine Knob leftovers

Independence Police Dispatcher Beth Tower sorts through the mounds of lost items left by Pine Knob patrons over the recent years and readies them for auction later this spring.

Library renovation stirs controversy

A bid of \$30,700 has been accepted by the Library Board with stipulations. It hopes to reduce the bid estimate by replacing the cedar roof shingles with wood-look asphalt ones. The painting responsibilities, both interior and exterior, will be assumed by the board, according to Ruth Gruber, board member.

The board also hopes the electrical wiring, plumbing and heating services can be donated. Township supervisor Collin Walls has offered to obtain those services, Mrs. Gruber said. At present the township attorney is in the process of drawing up the contract for the project.

Lopez maintains that the entire project is unfeasible. The \$20,000 advance from the township, in addition to \$8,000 in library fund reserves will only pay for the actual restoration if that, he said.

According to Lopez, the \$30,700 does not include parking facilities, shelves, books or the salary for a librarian.

"What bothers me is that

they'll get the \$20,000. Then they'll run out of money and go back to the township for more."

In addition, Lopez feels it is unreasonable to expect the library board to operate on a \$9,000 budget while the advance is being repaid. The board receives 0.3 of a mill, \$13,000 this year. "Expenditures can only go up," he said.

Lopez previously suggested to the board that they "chuck the whole project or burn down the building and start all over again," according to Mrs. Gruber.

"I think he (Lopez) was totally out of time. He had nothing to base his opinion on," Mrs. Gruber said.

The Andersonville School has a floor area of "under 1,000 square feet," according to Lopez. The building will be insufficient to

meet further growth of the library. "They will still need another building," he said.

Lopez has found little support for his position. The Library Board held a special meeting Friday, April 8, to discuss the project and their differences. About 20 citizens attended, according to Mrs. Gruber, most of whom were in favor of the library.

The advance has already been budgeted for the restoration and it is unlikely that it will be withheld. The board is not 100% sure of getting the money, but it's a "approaching 99%," according to Supervisor Walls.

"They sneak it into the budget," Lopez said. "Then they say it's there and you have to give it."

"I'm not against libraries... it's just not the right thing for the people."

OLSHA has 41 summer jobs for disadvantaged youth

The Oakland-Livingston Human Resources Agency is taking applications from youths aged 14-21 for positions in the agency's summer work-training program.

The program, which has 41 openings for the Clarkston-Independence area, provides youth from economically disadvantaged families with both employment and training in employable skills, according to area representative, Marsha Coleman.

Youths will be placed with non-profit organizations and be paid the federal minimum wage of \$2.30 per hour under the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA). The program runs from June 15 through Sept. 30.

During the course of the program, the youths will receive counseling in career awareness, the proper way to fill out job applications and assistance in

both reading and english.

For those over 18, OLSHA will provide on the job training to provide work experience in employable skills.

"Often," Mrs. Coleman said, "this is their first exposure to the working world and we strive to make it a good experience with the help of counseling."

"It will help them to learn work habits, making them ready for the working world and helping them to become self sufficient," she added.

OLSHA, in conjunction with Oakland County Parks and Recreation and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, is preparing a second work program at Independence-Oaks Park.

The program will entail the construction of an observation trail around Crooked Lake and the installation of retaining walls where soil erosion has become a problem.

Limited transportation is provided youths to the job sites.

Applications for the summer work programs are available at Clarkston High School, the Northwest Vocational Education Building and OLSHA, located at 196 Oakland in Pontiac.

Further information concerning the program may be obtained by calling Marsha Coleman at 858-5130.

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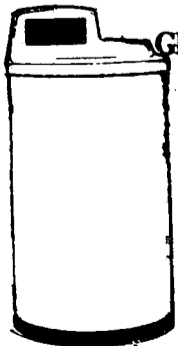
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Editorial



Let homeowners be!



Some birthday

by Jean Saile

America was built on the premise of "buyer beware", and it afforded us some heartaches, but it also gave us a lot more freedom than we have now.

Government, in its concern for the individual who gets taken (and who hasn't at one time or another?) is trying to swathe us in laws which, if they don't turn us further into a nation of lawbreakers, will certainly make it a lot more expensive to live here.

We keep reading—now—of the high cost of housing. In the 1980's houses will sell for an average of anywhere from \$80,000 to \$95,000, depending on which business columnist you favor.

This is happening because of land costs, labor costs, and

also because we have zoned and restricted ourselves out of common sense, economical shortcuts for housing.

Now, we hear there is a move afoot to require that all old houses be inspected before they can be sold. The buyer presumably would be able to sign a waiver, absolving the owner from making improvements to bring the homes up to code (and the price up to something improbable), but if he gets away with it, he's going to be making a crook out of his building inspector.

Any such government employe, knowing of violations, has a duty to enforce their correction.

There's also concern that new homes should be built to encompass certain security measures to thwart would-be criminals. That ought to add to

the cost of the home as well.

And of course, we have the energy crisis and the need for weather-proofing which will do the same.

Government is going to take such good care of us that we will never be able to afford a home of our own, and if we do eventually get to that point, it will probably have to subsidize us to let us remain in it.

We have never favored hand-holding. There are some risks we'd like to take, the gamble being worth the investment. Old homes in need of repair can be bought cheaply and improved as the owner can afford it.

New homes do not have to be of the size many zoning laws dictate in order to be habitable.

Whatever happened to freedom?

For years Pete thought he'd been left out of the scheme of things because he was the only kid in the Saile family, with the exception of Pat, never to have broken a bone.

Pat's a girl and the eldest, so she didn't count. Of course Liz and Janet have each had broken arms and broken fingers, but —

He really thought a cast would be neat.

Thursday morning he was walking to school, headed across the Clarkston High School parking lot and razzing a friend who had slipped on what must have been the only patch of ice in Oakland County.

Just then Pete's feet got loose, and down he went. He went to class for the first hour, but by 9 a.m. he was calling The Clarkston News office saying his arm hurt.

Which leads me to interject something about the psychology of motherhood.

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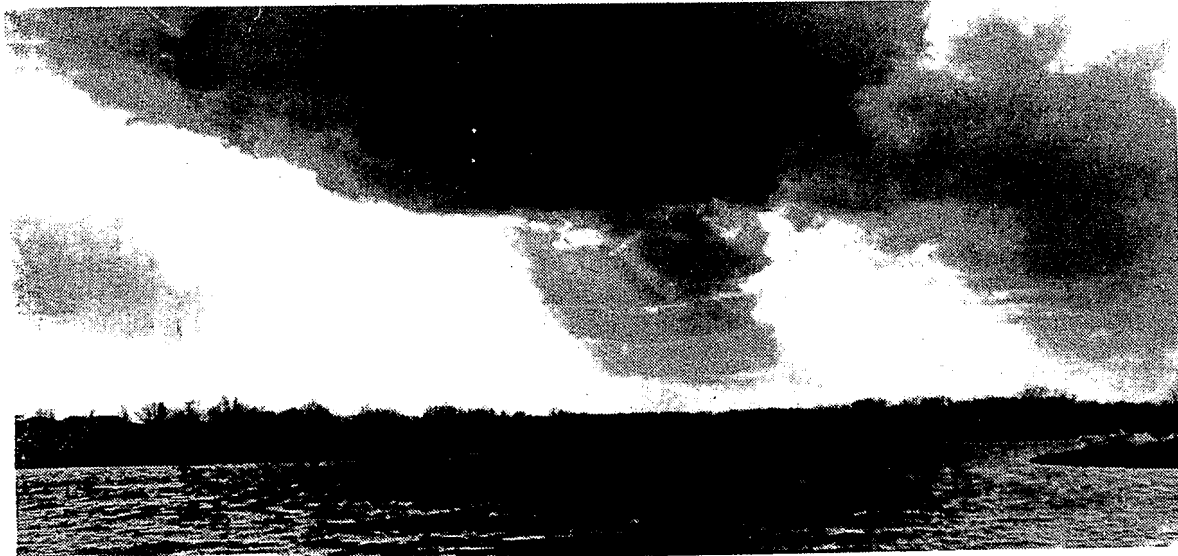
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The sky over Dixie Lake advertises the changeability of spring.

'If it Fitz . . .'

Yeah - National Merit scholarship winner

by Jim Fitzgerald



Ron Karle insists it was wrong of me to write that Michigan State and many other huge universities measure their prestige by the size of their jockstraps.

Karle is editor of the MSU Alumni Magazine. In the current issue he devotes a page to an article headlined, "I Don't Believe It, Fitz." He says MSU alumni can be proud of their school for a lot of reasons that don't smell like dirty sweat socks. He says I would realize this if I would only visit the campus and talk to someone besides locker room attendants.

I do visit the MSU campus, several times a year. I like to walk through the long lobby in the university hotel and listen to the basketball coaches urging seven-foot-tall boys to enroll at MSU because the literature department needs tall poets.

During the same week that Karle told me sports aren't that important at MSU, I received a second communication from the university. This one was sent by Jack Kinney, who is executive director of the MSU Alumni Association.

Besides seeking my membership, Kinney also enclosed a fancy brochure which offered to sell me a table lamp that looks exactly like an "authentic-size Spartan football helmet and face guard, \$34.50."

The alumni association is also selling a radio in a Spartan helmet, a book detailing 80 years of Spartan football, and beer mugs with Spartan helmets on them in green baked enamel.

It is probably just an oversight that the brochure didn't advertise a lamp shaped exactly like the brown fedora worn by the MSU botany professor who was the first person to pollinate a rose artificially.

But that's enough frivolity. I know that Karle is correct about the non-athletic accomplishments at MSU. The first vaccine to control a cancerous disorder was discovered at MSU. Karle could give hundreds more examples, and I probably wouldn't argue with one of them.

It should be recalled how this argument started. A year ago a sports

writer wrote that MSU students and alumni were ashamed of their school because some football coaches had paid some players more than the prevailing wage. I said I was one alumnus who wasn't ashamed.

Varsity athletes at MSU and similar universities are professionals—paid entertainers. They are on the payroll because they can produce a service that is profitable to the university.

I would not be ashamed if MSU paid more to get better teachers or better janitors. The same goes for split ends and seven-foot forwards. That's enterprise. It is cheating only when you get caught breaking the rules.

Universities join together and establish league rules that are reviewed regularly and weakened at meetings done to control sports and to give faculty representatives somewhere to be representative.

The only inflexible rule is that if a coach is dumb enough to get caught cheating, he must be declared com-

pletely innocent after an extensive investigation, then fired. A committee of faculty representatives then is appointed to hire a better cheater.

That's how I feel about big-college sports. But it was never intended that my cynicism slop out of the stadium and stain the entire university. I know MSU produces more doctors than fullbacks.

I also know that the alumni don't return to campus on fall Saturdays to watch experiments in the chemistry lab. Old grads don't stand around the fraternity bar and talk about how many National Merit scholars have been recruited to study in the library next season.

That's why the alumni association doesn't sell lamps made in the shape of a botany professor's hat. And that's why everyone knows MSU coaches got caught cheating but only Ron Karle knows MSU produced five Rhodes Scholars in six years.

That's life in these United States. I don't make the rules; I just try to keep score.

Clover Patch

Who deserves the tears?



by Dan Trainor

Reading the large metro dailies can be a traumatic experience that makes you wonder at times about the sanity of the human race. The Detroit News ran an article last Wednesday that dealt with parents who administer physical punishment to their children under the age of 1 and those who spanked children under six months. The article begins by asking "Should an infant under 1 year of age be punished?" I thought the obvious answer was never, realizing, however, there are a few sick people in this world. But reading further made one wonder just how sick, psychologically, society is becoming. According to the article, 80 per cent of one group of Pennsylvania mothers administered physical punishment to children under age 1; 25 per cent of a group of Los Angeles mothers spanked under six months and 50 per cent by 1 year. The story was about 1973 Heisman Trophy winner John Cappelletti's love for his 11-year-old brother, Joey, who was suffering from leukemia. The unity of the Cappelletti family and their love for Joey touched the hearts of millions of families during that hour show that ended with contrast to the News article, John Cappelletti delivering a stirring tribute to his little brother for providing him the inspiration to become a football star, and then giving the Heisman to Joey. It would be dishonest to say there were dry eyes in our house that night. But thinking back to both the news article and the television special, if there are tears to be shed, shouldn't they be for all those infants who are subjected to physical punishment at such a tender age?

Board member tells what it's like

You can't always change the world

David Leak, president of the Clarkston Board of Education, has set forth some thoughts about school operation. His first, on what it means to be a school board member, appears this week.

by David Leak, President
Clarkston Board of Education

Most school board members will admit that they had no idea what they were getting into when they decided to enter their first election. We walk into our first meeting determined to represent out constituents well and knowing we will be involved in the daily problems which occur in all aspects of school operations. Some walk in with a list of changes to be made. All are ready to provide the time and effort needed to be good board members.

The first surprise comes very quickly when you discover that you know a lot less about your school system than you thought. Newspaper articles, reports from your kids and discussions with staff members and your friends weren't really sufficient preparation.

This leads us to the second surprise, which is the time involved in research and study in your attempts to train yourself. Reports and articles from school board associations, the school administration and state politicians double your volume of mail. You find yourself attending conventions, seminars, association meetings, visiting schools and reading... reading... in your attempt to learn. Subjects include the many state laws which regulate schools; the art of negotiating with teachers' unions; school financing and budgeting techniques; new education and evaluation techniques; and how to be effective as one member of the board. Most school board members will work 15 to 20 hours per month routinely. Preparing for a bonding or millage election will add to that as will the duties of being the president or treasurer.

Fortunately, the seven members of the Board of Education are elected at different times so there are always five or six experienced members. Their \$150 annual salary barely covers election and

travel expenses, so you can be assured that their only interest is in helping to provide a good education to children. Most, therefore, are very willing to spend the time and effort required to be good board members and are interested only in finding the best answers to problems. Good answers don't always happen, but the system is designed to make them happen most of the time.

The first time an important issue that is not easily resolved comes before the board, you are in for a surprise. You soon come to the realization that it is almost impossible to determine the wishes of your constituency because there are so many different opinions and there appears to be no agreement. In those cases, your resolve to be a good representative feels a little

tight. Most experienced board members will wind-up following a set of decision rules something like this:

1. If there is an issue which is complicated to the extent that there are more than two alternatives, there is probably no majority. A good example of this would be a poll conducted to determine how people felt about our schools. The result of that poll indicated that a majority would be willing to vote for increased taxes for additional programs. The problem was that the majority were in disagreement as to which programs should be added.
2. People who attend board meetings or contact members in other ways are not necessarily representative of the majority.
3. Usually it is the minority who are most vocal, but provide some

of the best ideas for consideration. 4. A hard-working board member is always much better informed on a complicated issue than his constituents. He is also usually better at forecasting the long term effect on schools of a particular decision.

5. The only answer is to do your homework, weigh all the facts and make your own decision. If all seven board members do this, the decision of the board is likely to be correct.

The first difficult issue also presents the realization that a single board member has very little power. Technically, it takes four members in agreement to settle an issue, but it's better to have five or six votes to be assured there is sufficient agreement for a correct decision. Difficult issues require a lot of negotiation and compromise

to reach a consensus. This usually takes a lot of time and becomes frustrating to those of us who would like to move faster.

The system which requires a majority vote of seven board members elected at large, although slow at times, serves to protect the public from unwise, hasty decisions and board members who serve only their own interests.

Although I may at times disagree with decisions of the Board of Education, I feel confident that they were made with careful deliberation and in our best collective judgment. We try hard to avoid becoming a political body, both in elections and during meetings. A board divided by political strife can never make a good decision.

More questions on school millage vote

The following is another in a series of questions and answers regarding the June 13 school millage vote. The questions have been submitted to Supt. Milford Mason of the Clarkston School District.

- Q: Why do we need extra operational millage?
A: Our revenue has not kept up with expenditures. As a consequence we have fallen behind in equipment, supplies, text book purchases and maintenance of facilities. Increasing utilities, insurance and fringe benefit costs have escalated by as much as one third.
- Q: Will the state reward us in any way if we increase the operational millage?
A: Because of the valuation of the school district, we receive 54 cents from the state for every 46 cents generated locally. If we levy 30 operational mills in place of the present 25.21 mills, we can expect to receive additional state benefit. The state formula continues to benefit us up to a 30 mill cut-off.
- Q: How about the bonding millage?
A: No. We would pay the full 5.94 mills for bonding, however we are prohibited from collecting more than we need so it is possible that as assessed valuation increases we would have to cut back the levy.
- Q: Why do we need extra school space when indications are that school enrollment is declining?
A: The decline has been gradual, remaining between 7,000 and 7,100 for five years. Space required to implement mandatory special education classes and put in media centers has caused us to purchase mobile classrooms for three schools. We have class size problems in four schools, including Andersonville where population growth has been largest. As a result we have had to house sixth graders from Andersonville at Clarkston Junior High School since the mid-60's.
- Q: Even though our millage rate is second lowest in the county, don't our average tax bills come to more (because of increas-

ing land values) than many areas of the county?

- A: County Equalization Director Herman Stephens says we are about average for North Oakland County. In Addison township an average residential home pays \$900 in property taxes. In Avon Township the average bill is \$1,250. In Independence Township the average bill is \$900 and in Clarkston approximately \$1,100. In cities to the south like Pleasant Ridge the average bill is \$1,200. [Pleasant Ridge has a total tax rate of 69.75 mills as compared to our 43.34 mills]
- Q: Why haven't the schools benefitted from increased assessments which ultimately produce more dollars?
A: Increasing valuation per child affects the state aid formula. The state contributes on a decreasing basis as the valuation per child escalates. Our current valuation per child is \$19,785. We are on a decreasing formula up to \$43,900 per child, which would be our cut-off point and we would then have to rely purely on local revenue.
- Q: Does the school district have any land it could sell to offset the cost of some of the proposed new building?
A: The district has three sites in addition to the Bridge Lake Road property where we propose to build a new elementary school. Because land owned by schools is tax free and because it was purchased early at extremely good prices, it seems unwise to dispose of it now. We do not know what future requirements will be.
- Q: If we vote for additional operating millage, won't most of it be swallowed in salary increases for staff?
A: No. Historically teachers' salaries have required 60 percent of the school budget. The average teacher salary in Clarkston was \$12,621 in 1975-76 due to a policy of filling vacancies with beginning teachers. The figure is appropriate for our location in the metropolitan area.



Dan Rollman shows the service form that coach Linc Smith hopes will win matches this season.

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Golf champs to field minimum in opener

By Joe Gitter
of the Clarkston News

You would think a state champion team should have no trouble getting more than enough players out for this season.

Not so with girls golf.

The two time state champions are struggling to even field a team this season. Only four girls are out, according to coach Jim Chamberlain. "We need at least eight," he said.

With the team's opening date coming up Monday, April 18, Chamberlain is worried that maybe there won't even be a girls golf program this year.

He received word from the Clarkston Board of Education that they cannot see continuing a sport if there are not enough girls out for it.

"It's kind of disappointing," Chamberlain said. "We've been in existence two years and won two state championships."

Chamberlain hopes to mount his own recruiting drive in an

attempt to get more girls out for the team.

He does have a good nucleus this season.

The mainstay of this year's team should be Mary Jane Anderson, Chamberlain said. She played on both state championship teams and is a two year letter person.

Senior Renee Lussier, now practicing her swing in Alabama, will be another regular, he said. Patti Jo Duva, a junior, has improved considerably and was very instrumental in winning last year's Ferris State Invitational.

The last of the four girls out this season is Kim Raedeke. She has a good golfing background, but has never been tested in a

competitive situation, according to Chamberlain.

But, four girls are just not enough to carry a season. Only the top four scores are counted in a match, but injuries and off-days have to be taken into account. Usually six golfers are fielded.

Chamberlain is hoping to play the first date April 18, against Davison with what he's got. He will continue to field the four golfers until the rug is pulled out by the athletic department, he said.

Even if enough girls come out for the team Chamberlain doesn't expect another state championship.

"Clarkston was unique in that we had four girl golfers that were

as good as any in the state." Last year's squad had four of the top six golfers in Michigan. "That's never going to happen again."

"It's going to be a rebuilding year," he said. "I just hope we get enough girls out to keep the program going."

Chamberlain is in his second year of coaching. He started golfing seriously when he moved

into Clarkston back in 1966.

What really got me started, he said, was losing all that money to my roommate in golf matches. "The only way to stop losing is to get better," he said.

In the summer months Chamberlain works as a golf pro at Antrim Dells golf course in the northern part of the state.

Bicycle moto-cross exciting, quiet

Bicycle moto-cross will return to Waterford-Oaks this spring.

Beginning April 12, boys from 7-16 years of age can compete on a one-eighth mile track, located on Scott Lake Road behind the Waterford-Oaks Wave Pool.

Races start every Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. The rain date is Thursday evening and the entry fee is \$1 per night.

Cyclists compete in two-year age groups and must be able to prove their age at the track. All riders must wear protective helmets, plastic supporter cups,

mouth guards, long pants and long sleeved shirts.

Bicycles must pass a safety check before racing. A maximum handle bar width of 30 inches is allowed; bikes must have an approved pad on the handlebar crossbar; handlebar trips are required, and axles must not be more than one-sixteenth of an inch beyond the nut.

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Ladies golf

Spring Lake Ladies' Tuesday Golf League is now organizing for the coming season. Anyone interested in joining can contact Maxine Davis at 673-8103, Barbara Shell at 673-5107 or Spring Lake Country Club at 625-3731.



Sophomore Kim Raedeke.



by David McNeven, Coach

For 113 years, track historians have tabulated the evolution of the one-mile run by human males throughout the world. It began with a time of 4 minutes, 56 seconds by Charles Lawes of Great Britain in 1864. That time today would be considered ordinary for a high school female runner. It was 90 years after Lawes before England's Roger Bannister broke the 4-minute mark with his 3:59.4 effort in 1954. John Walker of New Zealand, the 1500-meter winner in the 1976 Olympics, broke the 3:50 barrier in 1975 with a 3:49.4 performance, exactly 10 seconds below Bannister. Next target—3:45. The only American to figure in the modern-day mile sweepstakes was Jim Ryan. He lowered the mile record to 3:51.3 in 1966 and to 3:51.1 in 1967.

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The baseball and softball May 9 season is about to get underway. The sponsor fee is \$115, player and Independence Township fees are \$10 for residents and \$13 for non-residents. Contracts, rosters and rules can be picked up at the recreation department. Mike Engan, 625-8223, will answer questions.

The Parks and Recreation Department has been scheduling managers' meetings and preparing managers' packets for the various leagues.

A meeting of all managers interested in coaching baseball will be 7 p.m. Monday, April 18 at the township hall. Teams involved are T-Ball, Pee Wee, Widget and Midget.

Managers interested in coaching girls' softball will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 21 at the township hall.

The department reminds all boys and girls interested in playing baseball and softball this summer that they must register by 4 p.m. April 16 at the recreation department. A \$5 late registration fee will be charged for those not meeting the deadline. Registration must be made in person. Questions will be answered by the department at 625-1444.

Manager packets with contracts, rules and rosters for women's softball are now available at the recreation department. League play will be Tuesday and Thursday beginning June 7. Those with questions are asked to call Tori Campe at 625-8223.

There are openings for men's softball for Class D teams on Monday and Wednesdays and Class C or B teams on Tuesday and Thursday. League play begins



Leola Cross, sophomore.

'Kite Crazy'

Spring is the time for all sorts of antics and the Clarkston Jaycees don't want area youth left out of the warm weather follies.

So a "Kite Crazy" contest is to be held beginning at noon Saturday, April 23, at Bailey Lake Elementary School, 8051 Pine Knob for the 5 to 15 year age group.

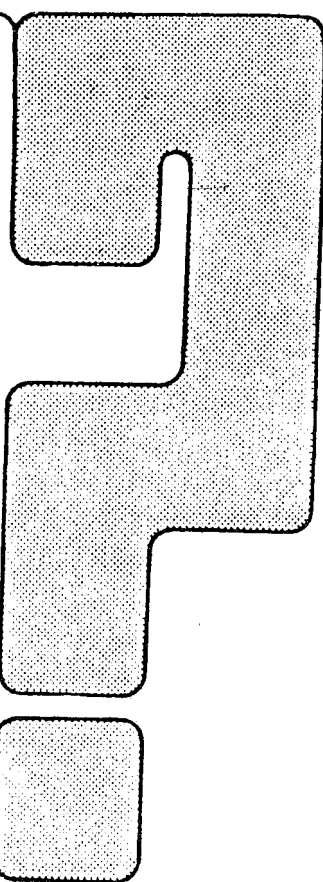
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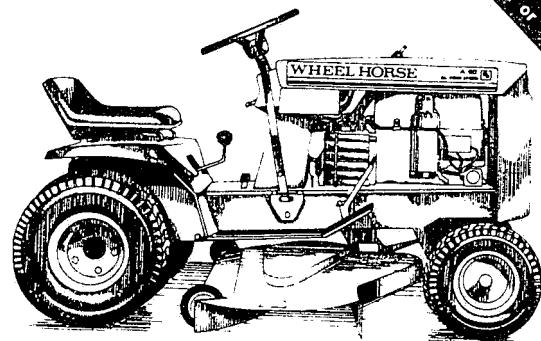
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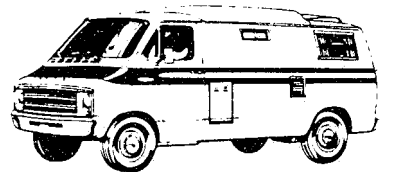
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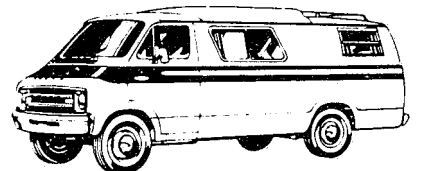
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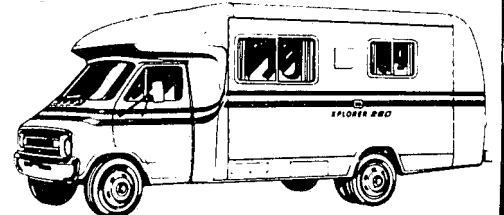
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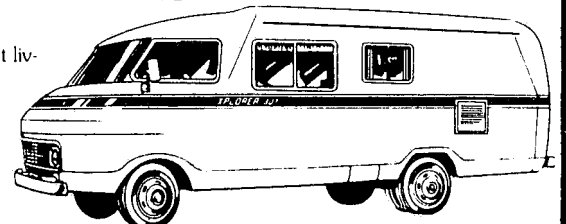
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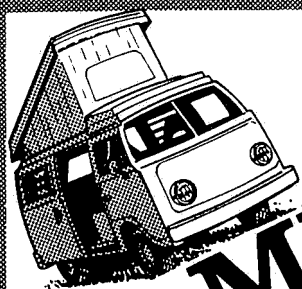
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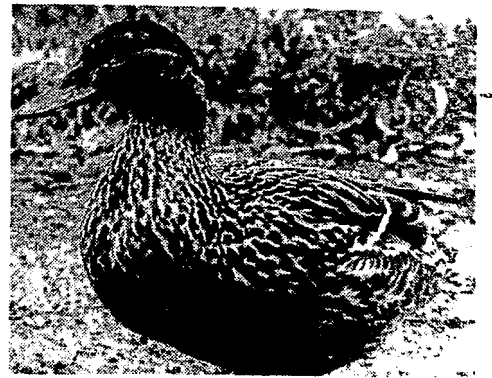
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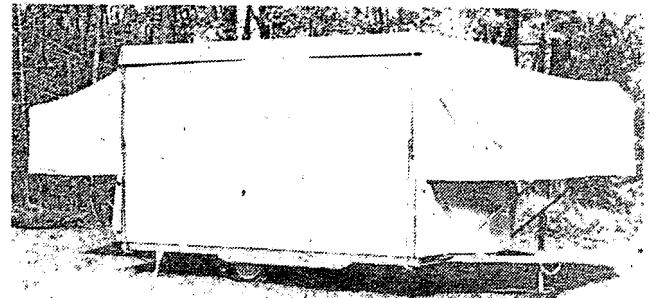


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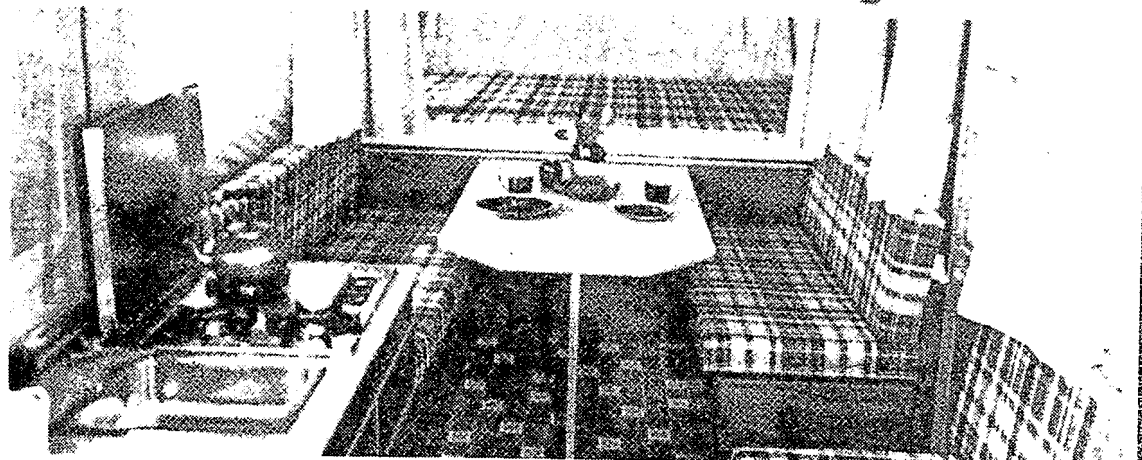
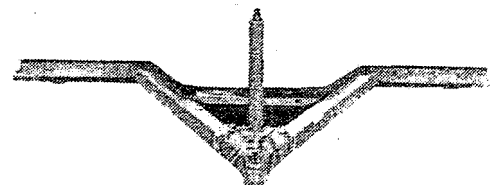
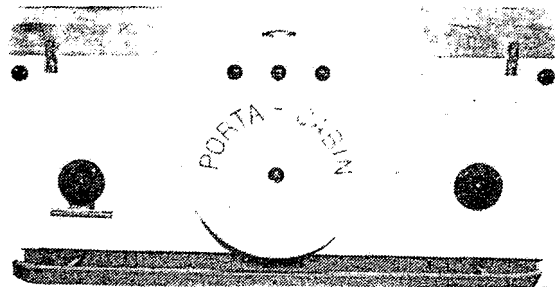


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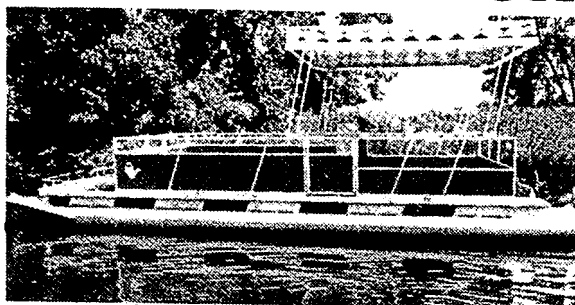
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Happy Wheelers camp together

by Hilda Bruce
of The Clarkston News
Ten or 12 years ago Chapter 137 of the National Campers and hikers formed in the Independence township area and called themselves the Happy Wheelers. Among the originators were the Kelly Burnettes, the Chuck Currys and Betty Schultow. "We have everything from tents to fifth wheels," said the current president of the group, Sue Koslosky.

"Members range from young couples with children to retirees," she added. "They come from the Waterford, Independence, and Springfield area."

The members also include folks from all walks of life—teachers, salesmen, Pontiac Motor employees, executives, even a mailman.

The Happy Wheelers take off once a month from April to October on outing planned by one or two members of the group. They may stay as close to home as Groveland Oaks or travel as far away as Holland—where they spent a rainy weekend at the Tulip Festival.

"We met then President Ford—in the rain," Sue remembered of the outing.

The campouts aren't always for a specific purpose. Sometimes members just huddle under the willows (at Groveland Oaks) and play games.

"When we play ball, anyone can play. John (the Koslosky's son) can play and he's only five. Kelly Burnette pitches," Sue said.

When school is in session the group stays close to town so that

families can still take in baseball or football or whatever the children may be involved in, Sue explained.

Anyone can join by attending at least two campouts and two business meetings, and paying national dues of \$8 and local dues of \$2. An annual planning meeting is held in January, a dinner outing at Walli's Supper Club in Flint in March and the October campout is always the election of officers.

Besides camping the association offers classes in conservation and disaster assistance. The badges they earn are displayed on their official blue vests, Sue explained.

The Kosloskys joined the Happy Wheelers four years ago because they enjoyed camping and had friends in the group.

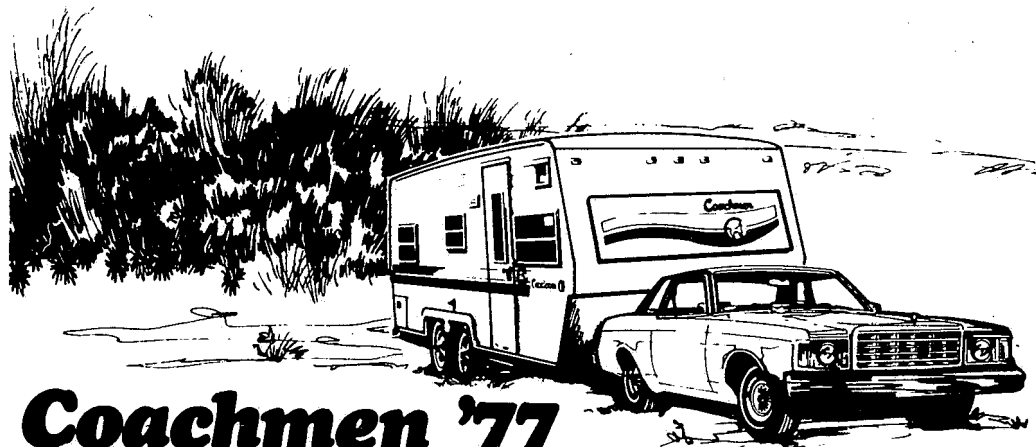
"We both camped as children," Sue said.

They have been camping as a family since John was a baby. They travel to the Upper Peninsula a couple times a year, and have camped as late as November when they went to Ludington Coho fishing.

During one vacation they spent four weeks traveling through the south. "We took the baby sitter along," Sue remembers with a chuckle, to look after John, now 5, and Mike, now 7.

If you're interested in joining the Happy Wheelers, call any one of the officers—vice president, Betty Schultow; treasurer, Dan MacLennan; secretary, Lawrie Burnette; or president Sue Koslosky.

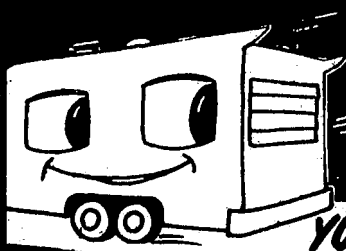
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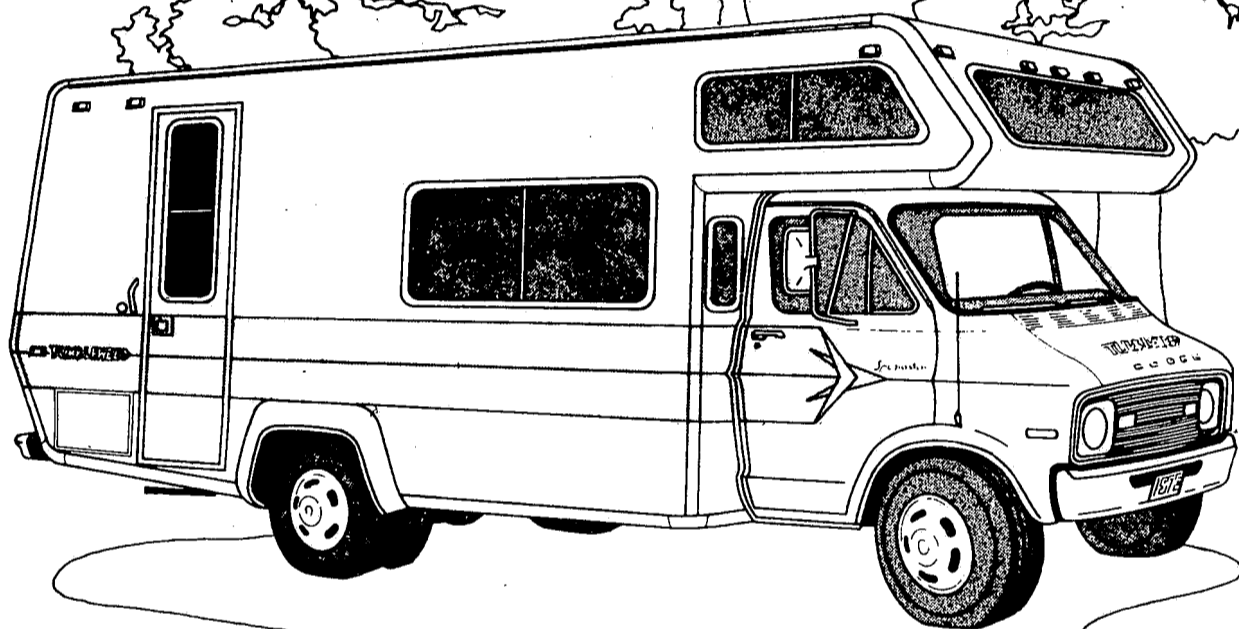


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Sandy Ulasich of Reese Road has two bits of advice for campers. One is that Mullet Lake near Cheboygan is the best place to camp and the other is, "Don't ever go around Lake Superior!" The 1972 trip that promised to be the camping trip of a life time— fresh Canadian air, verdant scenery and relaxation— was instead beset with an

abundance of problems. Dick and Sandy's daughter Annette cut her hand to the tune of six stitches. It rained most of the time and the Ulasiches camper sprung a leak. The bugs were so thick that eating was nearly impossible. Worst of all the trailer hitch broke and they nearly lost their boat. "Thank goodness we were

pulling into a campground when it happened," Sandy said. Boats are the reason the Ulasiches camp. "We started camping 12 years ago because we had a boat and the only way we could use it was to camp," Sandy explained. Camping gets them to the waters edge. Their 24-foot power

boat accommodates the family for sleeping as well as traveling and water fun. Sandy and the children—Mike 14, Michele 12, Annette 11, and Lorette—all enjoy skiing. Dick doesn't ski so he mans the boat for them. It's the fun the family wants. Sandy has no handy hints for

cooking or packing. "Storage is miserable," she said, "My idea of eating is to go out—let someone else do the cooking." As soon as the weather is warm enough the Ulasiches will join the weekly migration into nature each Friday afternoon and return on Sunday evenings.

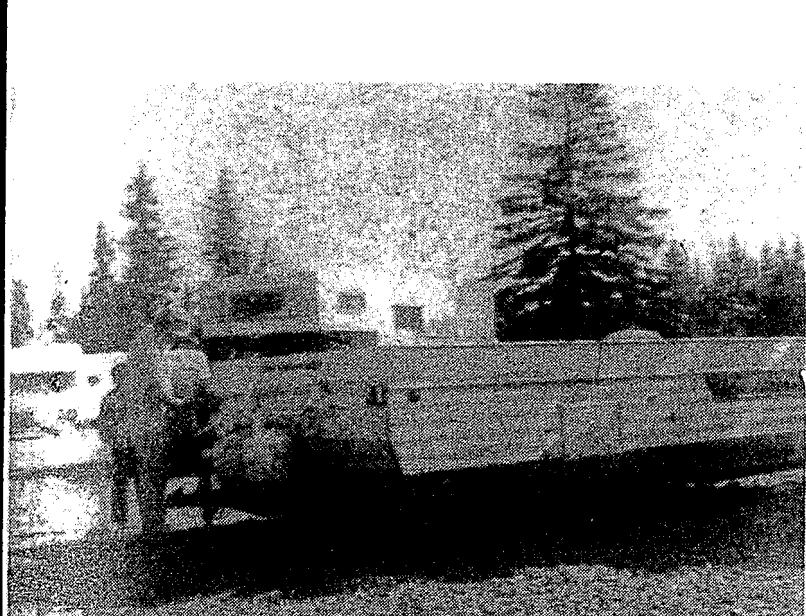
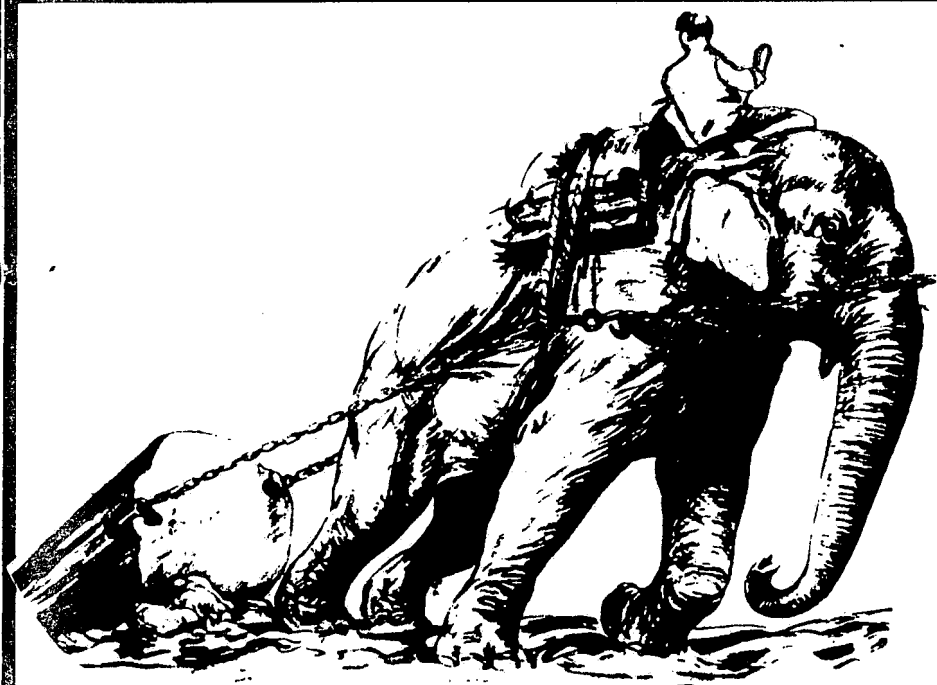
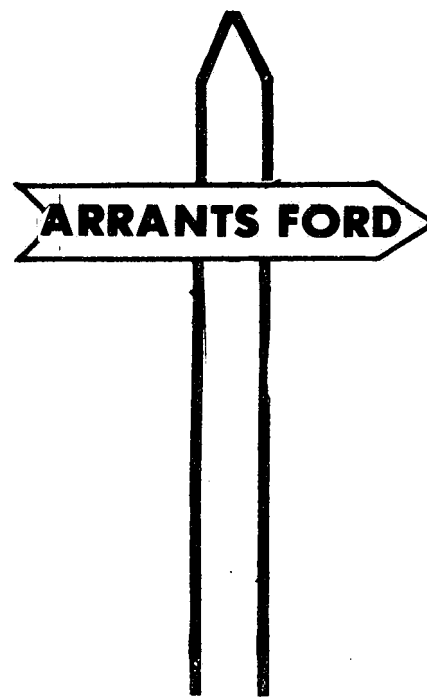


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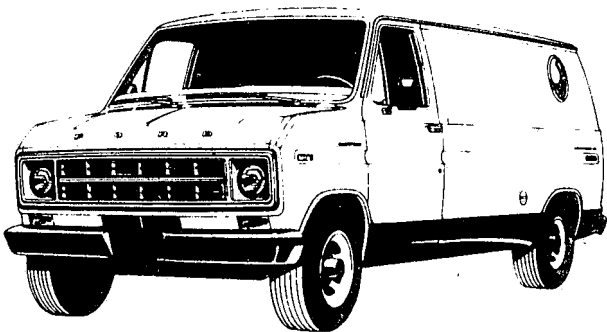
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Memories of a CAP campout

There are numbers of adult campers who were introduced to the joys of nature as children. Their parents had more sense than to pit themselves against the wilds, and left the dirty work to committed scoutmasters, den leaders and Civil Air Patrol officers.

Had the parents always been aware of what went on during the weekend camp-outs, they may have had second thoughts. But for some of those who participated, the events left happy memories.

Mike Saile is squadron leader of the Clarkston Civil Air Patrol Composite Squadron. He tells the story of four young officers, spreading their wings in their first command, during a weekend camp-out that was probably too long, by far, for the cadets who served under them.

Says Mike, "Back in the early fall of 1971 there were about four of us cadets, all about 16 years old, who had recently been promoted to officer grade—Jim Chad, Mark Peters, Bill Palace and myself.

"And thanks to Mark, we had all become acquainted with the people and antics of the 4077th M.A.S.H. The movie had not been released yet, and he had the only copy of the book that we knew of.

"About this time, the squadron was planning what we called a MINI-SAR, a practice search and rescue exercise in the field, and the four of us began making plans of our own.

"We decided that we would create our own little MASH outfit, compete with the SWAMP, Hawkeye (Mark), Frank Burns (Jim), Trapper John (Bill) and Henry Blake (me).

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"My folks had what was called a car-top carrier which folded down into a tent and dinette. It was the only one of its kind that I have ever seen. It could be detached from a car, set up into a 9x12 tent, with a dinette that folded down—complete with sink, gas stove and fresh water supply. At night, the dinette could be folded back up out of the way for sleeping arrangements. Needless to say, this contraption became the SWAMP.

"Jim was in charge of obtaining steaks, minor groceries and camp luxuries. Since he was a butcher at Rudy's Market, he didn't have any problem obtaining some nice porterhouse cuts.

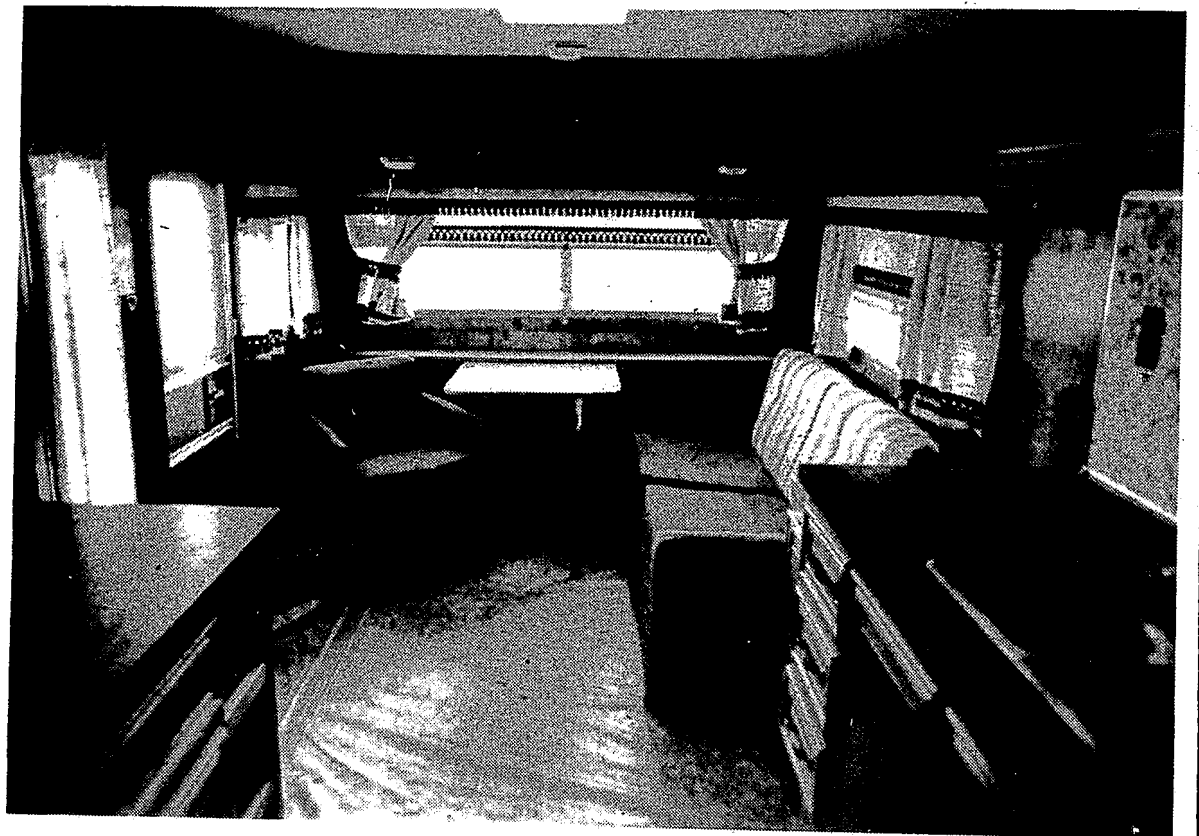
"Bill was in charge of firewood, which he managed to get off of somebody's cordwood pile, and recreational items like golf clubs.

"Mark borrowed his dad's pick-up truck, and when the day came, we were ready.

"The mission went off pretty well, and by about 3 in the afternoon everyone moved out into the field. There were about 30 people in all, cadets and seniors, both male and female. Since we were in charge of the cadets, we had to see to it the camp was organized.

"We set all the tents in a large horseshoe and organized the various details—digging latrines, digging the garbage pit, collecting firewood, building a fire and setting up a flag pole.

"In the middle of all this activity, we set up the SWAMP and proceeded to organize our kitchen. We had two Coleman stoves, plus a barbecue where we grilled our steaks. All the cooking kept our tent about 75 degrees when it was getting to be 45 degrees outside.



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"Our dinner consisted of the steaks, cooked peas and corn with melted butter, mashed potatoes, dinner rolls and chocolate cream pie for dessert. Outside, the cadets were freezing and eating the usual fare—canned beans, K-rations, hot dogs and creamed corn.

"We felt sorry for a few of the sergeants and let them into our tent to warm up, but only if they cleaned up the place and did the dishes. We went out to whack some golfballs around a cow pasture until the sun went down.

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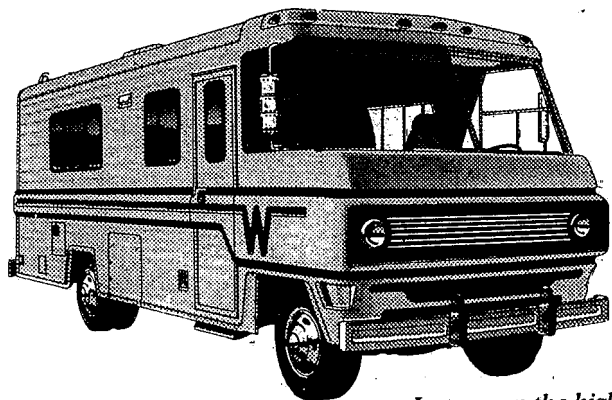
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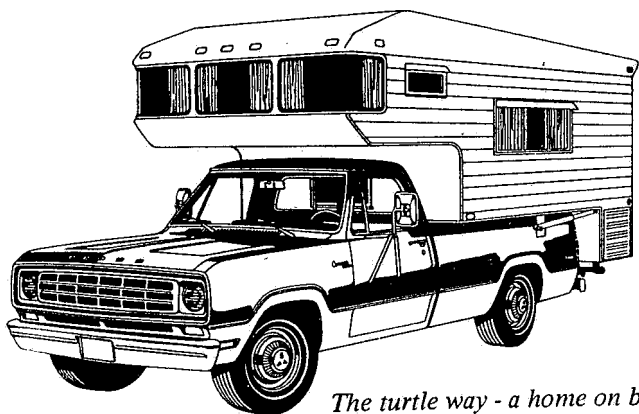
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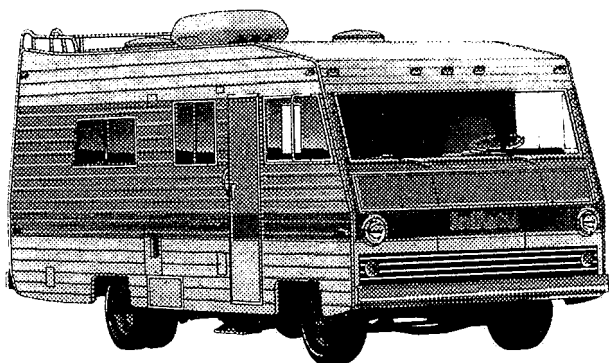
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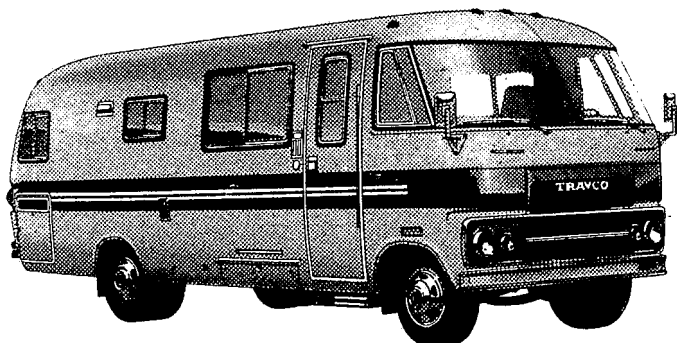
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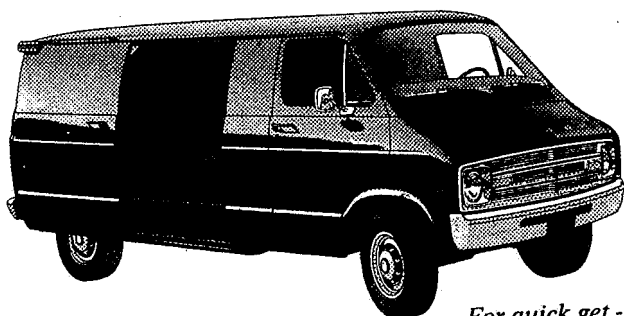
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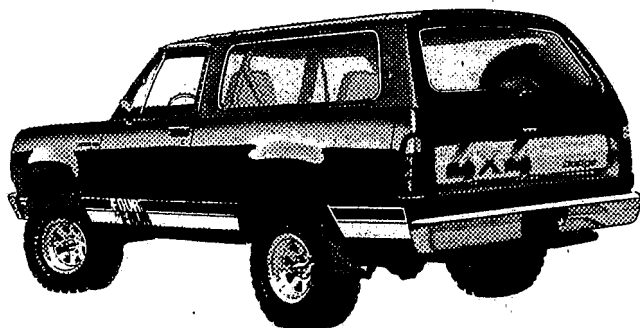
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Tickets for this event will be priced at \$6.50, \$5.50, and \$4.50 and are available at the Olympia Box Office, Olympia Travel in Birmingham, and all Montgomery Ward Stores.

The "Living with Cancer" program will be held Tuesday, April 19, at 7:30 p.m., in the Fireside Lounge of the First Presbyterian Church of Birmingham, 1669 W. Maple. Cancer patients and family members are welcome to attend.

This month's topic will be the identity of chemotherapeutic drugs

and discuss their side effects.

The purpose of the self-help group is to bring together persons who are experiencing problems as a result of the disease and, with the assistance of a nurse consultant, give them the opportunity and encouragement to discuss their mutual problems in a positive manner.

For further information contact the Oakland County Unit of the American Cancer Society at 557-5353.

A self-defense course for women that emphasized avoiding confrontation along with physical skills will be offered by Oakland University's Division of Continuing Education beginning Monday, April 18.

Jo Anne Spiro, a karate instructor, will conduct the course

from 9:30 a.m. to noon at the Birmingham Center for Continuing Education (BCCE), 746 Purdy at Frank.

For course details and registration information, call the Continuing Education office, 377-3120, or the BCCE, 642-9290.

Henry Ford Museum Theater will rock with the sounds of ragtime and jazz at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, April 17 for the final offering in this season's Historical Concert Series.

The concert is officially titled "Plantation Banjo, Ragtime Piano, Dixieland Jazz and Some of the Dance Steps That Went With Them." In short, the performance will trace the history of these musical styles through demonstrations and narration by some of the area's finest ragtime and jazz musicians.

Rodgers and Hammerstein's famous musical, "The King and I", is being presented at 8 p.m. April 22 and 23 by the Fenton Village Players at Fenton High School on Owen Rd. in Fenton.

The show's story is set in exotic Siam in the mid-nineteenth century, at the time when Siam was beginning to trade with the western world. Anna, an English governess, has been imported to teach the numerous children of the royal household. Conflicts arise with the king, who tries to hold onto the past and move forward simultaneously.

Tickets are available at the door, but may be reserved by calling 629-5705 or 629-5116.

The students of Oakland University's Jazz Studies Program will present an all day public jazz festival on Sunday, April 17 in the South Cafeteria of the Oakland Center. Admission is free.

The music will start at 12:30 p.m. with the West-African Drum Ensemble, then continue until 6 p.m. with the Beginning Jazz Ensemble and Sam Sander's Intermediate Jazz Band. This will be followed by Ron English's guitar ensemble and three student quintets.

"Impact," a quintet of OU Jazz students will head the evening program at 7 p.m. Then Doc Holladay's Afram Jazz Ensemble will do an hour and a half set consisting of two suites: a memorial presentation to Duke Ellington and Louis Armstrong.

An award-winning program, recently honored by the American College Testing Program and the National University Extension Association, will be offered to older adults in Bloomfield Township April 19 through May 10 by Oakland University's Continuum Center.

Personal Growth for Older Adults will be held from 1 to 3 p.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, beginning April 19 at the Mature Minglers Senior Citizens Organization in Fox Hills School, 1661 Hunter's Ridge, Bloomfield Township.

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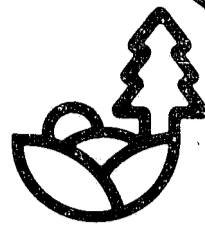
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Pythians aid Cystic Fibrosis victims

By Hilda Bruce
of the Clarkston News

I held the first
flower of spring.
It was a child,
I was a child
in the cool
morning light . . .
And we shared
the dreams of youth.

-anonymous-

But for some children those dreams are cut-short by Cystic Fibrosis, a generalized hereditary disease characterized by serious and persistent lung infections and failure to gain weight.

A year ago Andrea Stayth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Stayth of Oxford, was not responding to treatment for pneumonia. She was not digesting her food and was losing weight. "It was frightening," her mother said.

More frightening was the diagnosis--Cystic Fibrosis.

"We had never heard of it before and no one was explaining it. The doctors just kept asking if anyone in the family had had it. After we found out what the disease was and what we could do for Andrea we were relieved," Mrs. Stayth said.

Today, at 20 months, Andrea "looks like a normal kid." She has almost doubled her weight. She has not been sick except for one cold.

As long as Andrea doesn't contract colds, takes enzymes to aid digestion and has twice daily therapy to clear her lungs of the

mucus plugs that develop she leads a normal life.

Until recently the therapy was an unhappy time for both child and parent.

"I would put her on my legs with her head at my feet and pound on her back, chest and side with my hand cupped," Mrs. Stayth explained.

Now the therapy is done on a "postural drainage" table given to the family by the Knights of Pythias Fellowship Lodge 277 in Pontiac.

According to Harold Parker and Larry Arntz of Clarkston, brothers in the lodge, the tables are free to anyone in the state. But at the moment there are too many orders to keep up pace.

Fifteen years ago Milt Probert, a chiropractor who loved children and was certain that CF victims could be helped, designed the first physiotherapy tables. Arntz, then a welder at Hancock Iron Works in Pontiac, made them.

"They were crude but they served the purpose," Arntz said.

Now Phythian Claud Wiley and his wife Myrtie of Rochester make the "new and improved" tables. Parker is also learning to make them in an attempt to keep up with the demand.

With folding legs the table is easily stored out of way when not in use. Stove bolts make the table solid and foam padding adds comfort. A dowel ladder elevates one end of the table up to 20 inches making it possible for a parent to turn the child in nine

positions to dispell the mucus that blocks breathing passages.

Besides keeping up with demand the Phythians have financing problems as well. Materials for each table costs \$40 to \$50 Parker said.

From one sheet of 5/8 inch plywood (good on one side) three tables can be made. One sheet of 3/4 inch plywood (good on both sides) will make eight tables. The Wileys also use 1x2 white pine, 3/8 inch dowls, piano hinge, banquet table legs, and 2x3 or 2x4 inch unplaned lumber, foam rubber and naugahyde in the table construction.

Anyone interested in donating materials or funds for the tables can contact Harold Parker at 625-3549.

Physiotherapy is only one aspect of the treatment of the disease first discovered in 1938. It was then thought to be a disease of the pancreas gland. It is now known that nearly all of the exocrine glands are affected to some degree.

Early diagnosis and treatment with aerosol aids to breathing, digestive enzymes and antibiotics to combat infection carry the affected infants through critical periods of childhood. The less the lungs and glands are scarred the greater the chances for a normal life.

According to the Pythians the disease is being recognized in adults who have had it from infancy without knowing it. Specialists think it is likely that

many patients treated for bronchial asthma and other chronic lung conditions actually have cystic fibrosis.

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The Bit-Con gravel mining operation at Stickney and Sashabaw Roads is back in operation but under strict guidelines set down by the township's zoning board of appeals.

The ZBA approved renewing the operating permit of the corporation after it was shut down in December by the township for failure to follow guidelines established previously by the ZBA.

Among the restrictions established by the ZBA at its meeting April 6 was a requirement that all storm runoff be retained on the mining site.

ZBA officials said storm runoff from the site in the past was a source of flooding on property along Sashabaw.

Other conditions set by the board were solving the dust control problem created by trucks travelling on Stickney, prohibition against the creation of additional steep slopes, seeding of each one-quarter acre restored, a 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. normal work day and reasonable restoration of areas at their final grade level.

Violation of any of the conditions, ZBA officials said, would result in immediate revocation of their operating permit by Building Inspector Kenneth Delbridge.

Bit-Con officials told the ZBA mining operations at the site may

be completed this year but that stockpiled gravel could remain at the site until sold.

Once the site has been cleared, the plat map presented to the ZBA shows development of the area as being 40 lots each meeting the 1.5 acre minimum size.

In other action, the ZBA tabled a request from Scott Pangus for construction of a private road through a 182-acre parcel he owns on Stickney Road.

Construction of the private road would allow the acreage to be split into four parcels of under 10 acres and 16 parcels of more than 10 acres each.

The ZBA tabled the request until township attorneys review the possibility of placing wording in the deed restrictions that property owners are responsible to pay for the upkeep of the private road.

The ZBA is also requesting information from the township engineer as to what type of road would be desirable and drainage of the property.

The ZBA also:
 • Approved a request from Floyd Emery for a 167 front foot variance along Whipple Lake Road for a driveway leading back to his property.

• Approved a request from Stanley Diskey for a 10-foot variance for property located at

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Independent view



Confusion reigned at the last will have to barricade the area to regular monthly meeting of the keep people off of it," he said. Clarkston Village Planning Commission when Don Short, owner of Homeowners beware! An analysis by the Oakland County commission rezoned property next to his dealership. Sheriff's Department has determined thieves' favorite times to

It's been such a long time since frequent area residences and any land in the village has been businesses. Independence Township rezoned the commission didn't ship is burglarized mostly Sunday know how to go about it. A quick days between 4 and 8 p.m. check of village ordinances Larceries were highest Tuesdays, showed the way. Short must first noon to 4 p.m. Springfield appear before the Village Council. Township burglaries were highest However, it was village clerk, Monday mornings, 4-8 a.m. Most Bruce Rogers, who sent Short to larceries were reported Wednesday the commission in the first place. day evenings.

When traveling north on M15, Applying a little pressure of you had better lighten up on the their own local township governments the accelerator before reaching Ortonville. stand against rehashing M275.

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Parents picking up their children at Sashabaw Junior High park as close to the building as possible—even if the spot is not the paved lot. As a result what was once lawn is slowly being turned into parking lot—a muddy one.

Assistant principal George White confirmed that once there was grass and it was even mowed. "In time we hope to make landscaping improvements but we

to ex-supervisor Donald Rogers, in regard to a luncheon Walls had attended.

"That's alright," Walls said. "I'm still getting mail addressed to Claude Trim."

There is apparently no way to tell how many senior citizens, otherwise eligible, are not using Homestead tax exemptions to obtain reduced property tax bills.

The matter has become an issue in light of calculations regarding the upcoming school millage votes. Seniors who take advantage of the all the benefits would wind up paying no more than they now do.

State Rep. Claude Trim (D Davisburg) tells us the state spent about \$25 million to help out out 220,000 seniors in 1973 under the

old laws.

Under the new law, some 350,800 seniors and 259,800 veterans benefitted to the tune of \$231 million. That was in 1975, he reports.

Those with zero income all the way to \$20,000 and up were able to reap savings.

Your local tax assessor has information.

We understand the Bay City Rollers will not open the Pine Knob season as planned on May 22. Something about an exclusive agreement in Michigan with the Michigan State Fair.

Sonny and Cher are also out for their August date.

There'll be a final update here before tickets go on sale.

An unusual rash of burglaries struck homes in the Big Lake area in Springfield Township this winter, according to Sheriff's Deputy Mike Ferguson.

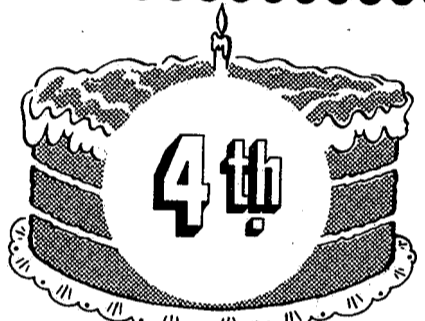
Five or six summer homes or those of residents on vacation were hit. Apparently the burglars used snowmobiles to make their getaway, Ferguson said.

No burglaries have been reported since the ice on the lakes has melted, he added.

Items such as televisions, stereos and outboards were taken. "It's not just kids," Ferguson said. "The people that were breaking in know what they're doing."

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Scotch artists explore Clarkston

BY Jean Saile
of The Clarkston News
A couple of young Scottish artists, graduates of the Glasgow School of Art and the only two unknowns featured last summer in an Edinburgh exhibition of Scottish art of the 20th century, have been charming Clarkstonites the last five months.

The Grass Forest

Ed Johnson, producer of TV's Willy Dooit, will present his marionettes in "The Grass Forest" at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Saturday, April 30 at Clarkston High School. Admission is 50 cents to the program, which is sponsored by the Clarkston PTA Council.

Johnson will present the story of Wilbur, the laziest man in the world who became an ant.

Guests of Lucia Wilford of Main Street are Patrick McCay, 24, who is really a transplanted Irishman, and John Mackie, both of whom call Glasgow home.

Their American visit is giving them a chance to explore contemporary American painting, which they contend has led the way for contemporary Europeans the last 25 years.

"It's been a fine experience," they agree. "Maybe we're the only two young painters in Scotland who have had the chance to see the works we've seen at the Detroit Institute of Arts, in Toronto and Savannah, Ga."

They also intend to explore the museums of New York City before going home again in June.

Meantime, Mrs. Wilford, who lived for a time in Scotland, has been promoting their works around the state in Ohio as part of her art and antiques business.

Recipients of a grant from the Scottish Arts Council, they arrived in Michigan last week, just in time to experience one of the worst winters ever.

"It's mild in Glasgow," says Mrs. Wilford. "They wanted to see snow, and they saw more than they or I expected."

The boys have been painting the Clarkston area, once when the temperature was only 16 degrees and it took them several cups of tea and a warming fire to rid themselves of the chill.

While Scottish schools offer better basics in the arts, they find American enthusiasm for their oils, watercolors, acrylics and charcoals at a much higher level than in Scotland.

"Art is not promoted there like it is here," says Mrs. Wilford.

When the boys return to their homeland, they feel they'll probably have to take jobs as teachers to support their vocations, but not if Mrs. Wilford has her way.

She's hoping they'll get a show at a Birmingham art gallery before they leave, and she is quite prepared to act as their go-between with American customers after they go.

The American trip has been another milestone in their artistic education, they feel. Both boys have backpacked through Europe, visiting major galleries and learning their craft.

It was during one of those trips that Pat, broke and hungry for three days, was carrying a painting under his arm hoping to make his way to LeHavre and a boat home.

Someone asked him if the painting was for sale, and he sold it then and there, celebrating with a good meal, he remembers.

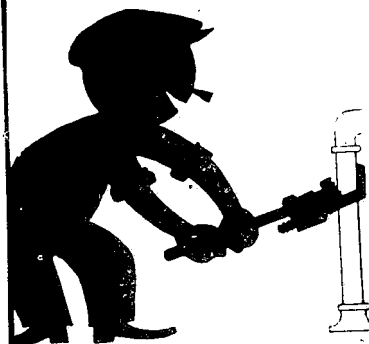
The young men have been so busy visiting, they are not painting as much as they'd like, but to them the experiences they've had has been worth it.



Lucia Wilford with guests Patrick McCay and John Mackie

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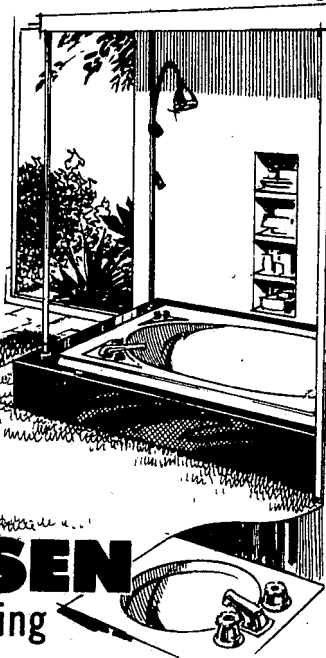
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Life abounds at 'Abnormal Acres'



Little Kudra follows mother's example when it comes to eating.



Humans, animals one 'big happy family'

By Joe Gitter

of The Clarkston News

The nickname "Abnormal Acres" suits this farm well.

From the boss, Doris Cook, on down the line, things just do not happen as they should at Mali Arabian Horse Farm.

German Shepherd's and Dachshounds, Arabian stallions, gentle as babies, tiny new-born colts and fillies, cats and their human owners behave like one big family.

Located on Davisburg Road in Springfield Township, the Mali Arabian horse farm is definitely one of a kind.

Doris Cook, its owner, is dedicated to continuing the blood line of one of the world's oldest breeds... the Arabian horse.

Mrs. Cook works as a police dispatcher for the Oakland County Sheriff's Department to pay for her 11 Arabians.

Even though she has two children of her own, the horses have found a special place in her heart.

One is very special. Yahda was a "bucket baby," abandoned by her mother at birth. The farm veterinarian and friends told Mrs. Cook Yahda would never live.

But, she didn't give up. She fed her "baby" every hour, 24 hours a day for 10 days. For the next six

weeks she fed her every two hours until Yahda graduated to one feeding every three hours. Finally, the young filly became strong enough to eat only four times a day.

Mrs. Cook became, for all practical purposes, Yahda's mother. As a result, a bond has formed between horse and human seldom seen in two such different creatures.

Yahda is full grown now and capable of taking care of herself.

In fact, she had her first foal last week, a beautiful colt which Mrs. Cook has decided to call Kudra, powerful one.

Kudra, with his excellent blood lines from both mother and father, Tonga Burnix, promises to be a fine animal.

But, Kudra is not the only new born around the farm. Another mare, Gay Reina had as yet unnamed filly, the day after Yahda.

Mrs. Cook's German Shepherd had a litter of 12 three weeks ago and her son James' Dachshound had a litter of six early last week. Another mare is expected to foal any day now.

Mrs. Cook is proud of her farm and its residents. The name Mali Arabian when translated means simply My Arabians. There is no doubt they are hers.

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New born pups don't always eat like they should.



Kudra gives his "grandmother" Doris Cook, a playful nip on the finger.



Home rearranged to suit Greenes

Country Living

By Hilda Bruce
of The Clarkston News

Pat and Larry Greene came to Independence Township in October of 1975. The first thing Pat did to their contemporary tri-level was rearrange the rooms.

She moved no walls, but she did create space and convenience. What was originally the living room became the dining room. The dining room, at the end of a small efficient kitchen, was too small so it became a resting spot. The family room with its southern exposure became the living room.

"My room," Pat said. "I just love it."

The rust of the carpet is accented with ecru drapes and Indian printed upholstery on the sofas. Plants fill the gaps and add live greenery. A unique clock above her desk keeps Pat on time.

Creating space and convenience wasn't the only challenge Pat faced. She was also determined to overcome the cold, geometric, severity of the house.

The interior decorator in Pat came through with an earth-toned color scheme, soft fabrics and curves in contemporary furnishings.

The dining table, a formica facsimile of burlwood, is serviced by chocolate overstuffed chairs and complemented by an enormous goose neck lamp and greenery—fatsia, ficus and draecena.

Levelor blinds allow light in, confirm the modern lines of the house and add color, too. Pat used the blinds throughout except in the living room.

"Sometimes I wish I'd used them there too," she said. "Those windows are framed in redwood."

In the central hall Pat confronted a major problem—soaring heights topped with a clerestory window. Eventually she found the answer. There she hung an original macrame wall hanging framed in natural wood. The cord and ropes repeat the colors in the home—rust, brown and gold.

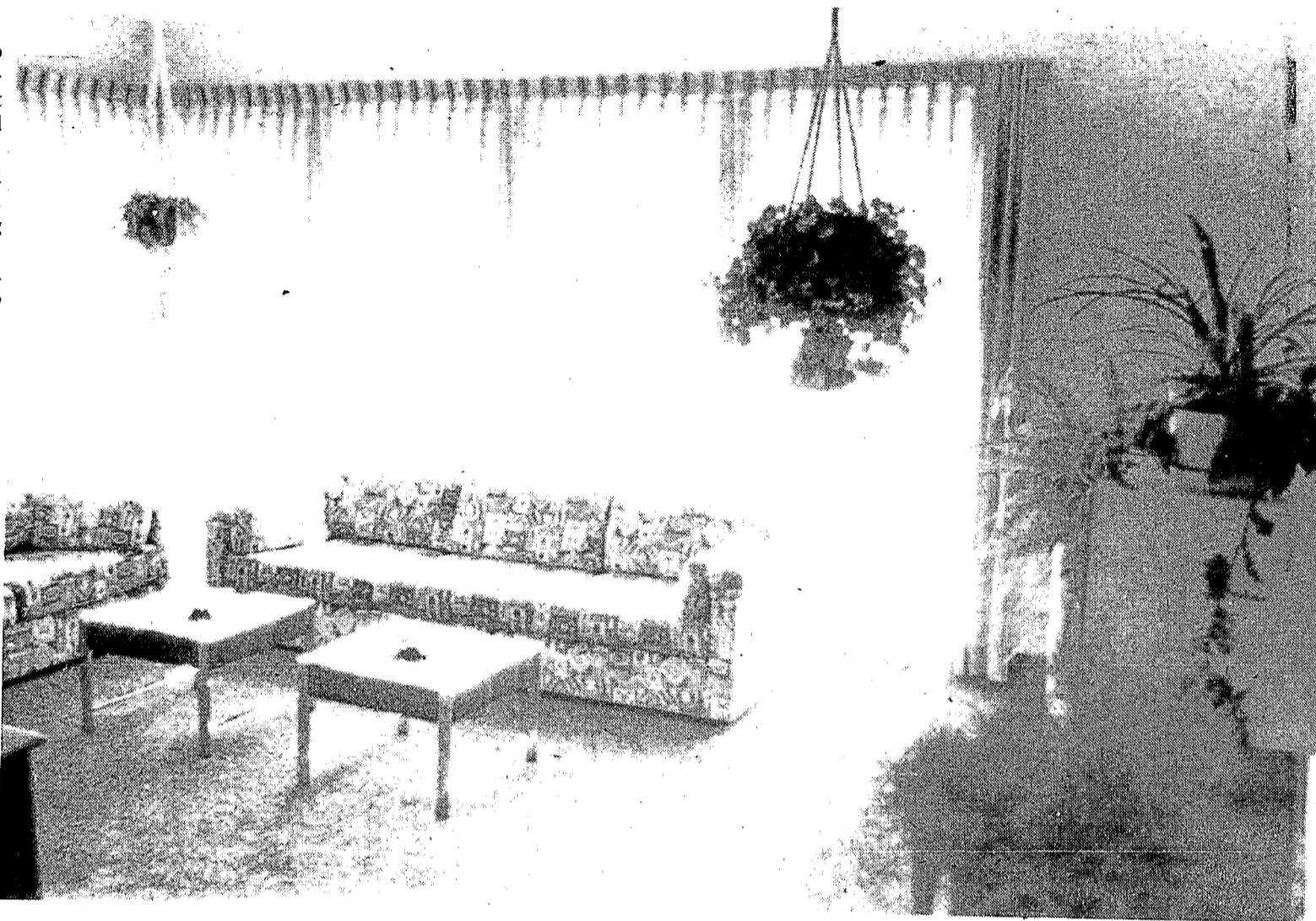
Finding enough space for daughters Kim and Joan to move around in their bedroom posed yet another puzzle for Pat. She solved it by putting their bed in a closet.

"It was just a little cubby hole storage space in the wall and when Larry discovered what I was thinking he said, 'Oh, no. Here we go again with one of your hair-brained schemes,'" Pat said, laughing.

Besides the bed being in a hole in the wall it's also three feet above floor level.

A neighbor, Bob Karp, accomplished the actual task for Pat by enlarging the space, installing steps to reach the bed, and holding a place of honor on the building in a multitude of dressers, cupboards and shelves to house all the girls collectibles—some of which are giant stuffed animals.

Bunk beds and storage units in an oriental theme solved the space



The dining room was originally the living room and the conversation area the dining room.



Karen Bargar, [left] Kim's friend poses with Kim and Joanie on the bed in the wall. The poodle is Weego.

problem in the boys' room. Ricky, 13 dabbles with motors and other equally masculine hobbies. A working model of an auto engine holds a place of honor on the shelves, out of the reach of eight-year-old Robbie.

Ricky comes by his puttering honestly. According to Pat, Larry is a putterer.

"He does things like making a new leg for a pizza warmer," she

said of her husband, a mill operator at Pontiac Motors.

"Larry also collects tools (the kind that get used once every five years) and knowledge. He likes to take classes in different things. And he is refurbishing a 1965 Corvette," Pat said.

"It was like pulling hen's teeth to get him to move out here. Now I couldn't drag him away," country loving Pat said of her city-born

man. Pat was born and raised on a farm in Pontiac Township.

Before they came to Independence Township they lived in a small three-bedroom home, built on a slab, on Williams Lake Road in Waterford Township.

"Our taxes were over \$600 for that house," Pat said. "They're under \$900 here. The tax base is a lot more reasonable."

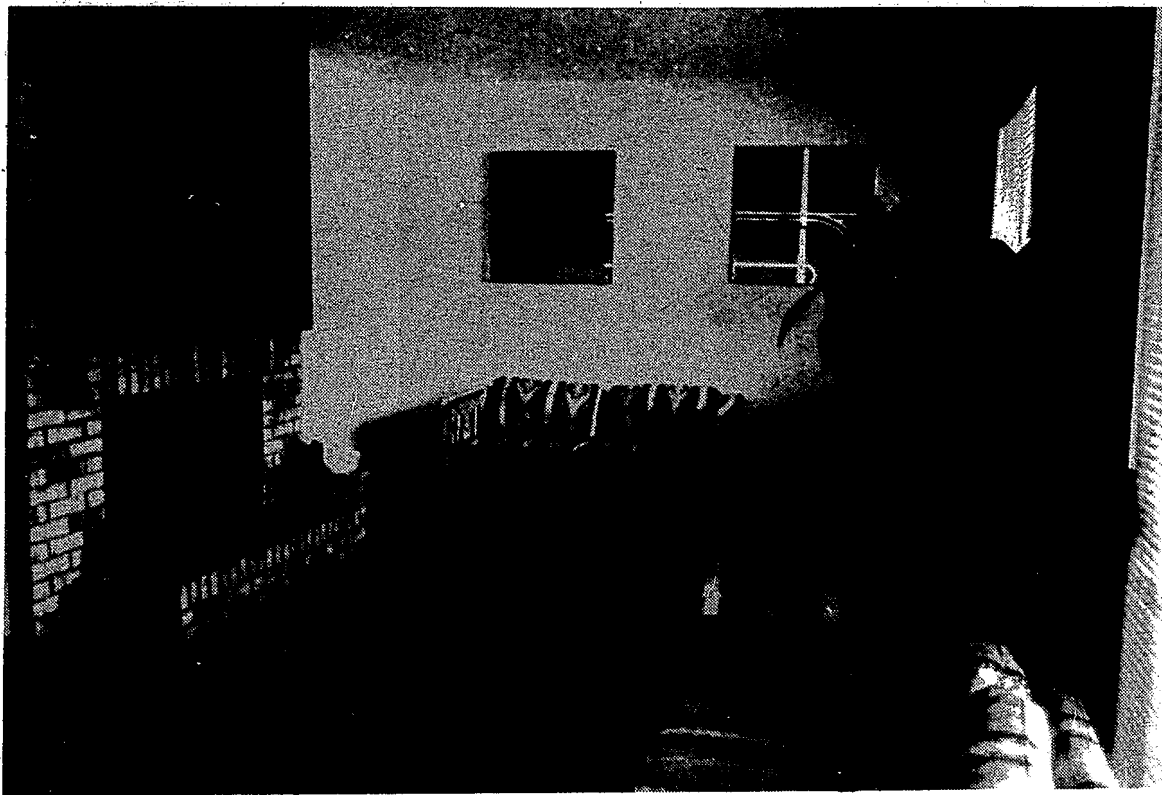
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Plants fill a corner.



Rearranging is fun

Country Living



The living room features modern furnishings in Indian print and Pat's hobby—plants.

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"I'd rather pay more though and live in the country. Waterford is just too developed. It's a hodge-podge.

Pat is also pleased that the children can walk to school. But she is not pleased with the sports program in the district schools.

"My daughter, Kim, loves basketball but she hasn't been able to play because it isn't offered until the freshman year," Pat explained.

"Academically I think our schools are superior to Waterford. As long as the schools use my money diligently I will give it to them but if I find out the funds are being misused..."

"I support school millages because it is my children who benefit," Pat continued.

She doesn't have time to get involved in school functions how-

ever.

A real estate saleswoman for Max Broock, Inc., she is presently vice president of the Women's Council of Realtors, chairman for the realtors' blood drive in June,

on the legislative committee of the board, and on the publicity committee for the Pontiac Area Board of Realtors.

"I think that's enough," she said, catching her breath.

Legislators at C of C breakfast

State Rep. Mel Larsen and State Sen. Kerry Kammer will host this month's "Issues and Eggs" meeting sponsored by the legislative affairs committee of the North Oakland Chamber of Commerce Monday, April 18, at 8 p.m. at the Holiday Inn of Pontiac, 1801 South Telegraph Road, Bloomfield Township.

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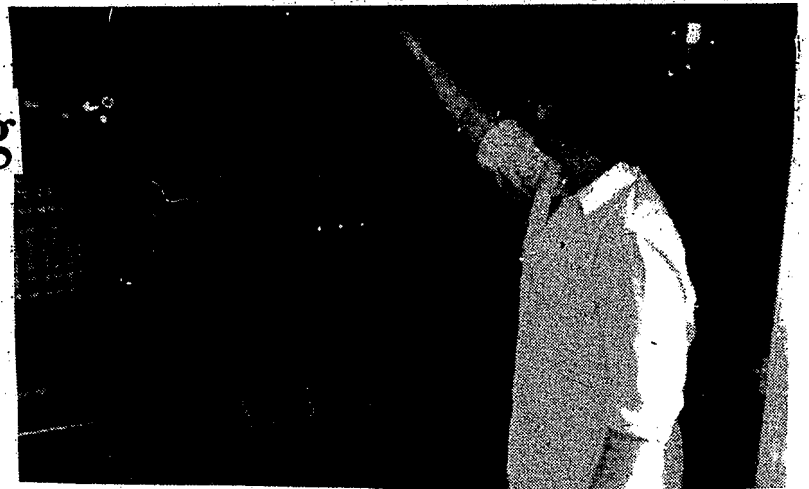
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Handicap didn't stop John from reaching his goal

by Hilda Bruce
of The Clarkston News

John Dark, better known as Jerry, will have his doctorate degree in June.

That's not an unusual accomplishment for a 28 year old and Jerry would tell you it's not special.

The son of Jerry and Evelyn Dark of Robertson Court, Jerry isn't the type to let anything get him down for long, nor is he the kind to pat himself on the back. But in the last nine years he has accomplished much.

It was July 18, 1968 that Jerry, then 19, slipped as he dived into the Mill pond and hit his head on the bottom.

"I knew I was hurt," the quadraplegic remembers. He just floated in the water until the ambulance arrived.

His mother was home alone except for an elderly aunt. "Who wasn't any help," Evelyn said - when she was told of her son's accident.

"I thought as long as he was in the hospital they'd be able to fix him up. He'd be okay. Even when the doctor told me Jerry's spine was crushed it didn't sink in. After I got home that night it came to me," Evelyn reports.

"We just didn't know what to do. It was a shock," Jerry's father adds.

Jerry spent the first two months of his recovery at Pontiac General Hospital and then spent many more at the Detroit Rehabilitation Institute.

"They were wonderful to him there," Evelyn said.

She admitted it was awfully hard to watch him struggle to do the things that come so easily to

others. "And they wouldn't let anyone help him."

She still has to control the impulse to help her son. "I get squelched," she said.

Jerry contributes, "I guess it's a matter of pride but I like to do the things I can do. There are things that I have to have help with so I don't want help with those I can."

Getting to the point where he could do those things took many frustrating months and a lot of "throwing things, pounding and swearing," he said, laughing as he remembered.

"The first time he moved his wheelchair from his room to the elevator it took 45 minutes. It was only five doors away too," Evelyn said.

Learning to use the elevator was just one more obstacle to be overcome.

"I'd get the number of the floor pushed and be just about ready to roll through the doors when they would shut in my face and I'd have to start all over again," Jerry explained.

Becoming mobile was the first milestone in Jerry's struggle to become self sufficient. It included learning to use all new sets of muscles, learning to eat and to write again. "It was just like being a little kid again," Jerry recalls.

The second milestone was his first day back to college, September, 1969.

"It was probably the most traumatic point. There was a real change in my social status," the one-time athlete reported.

Jerry had already had two years of college, one at Central Michigan University and one at Flint Community College. He was able to graduate from Oakland

University in 1972 with a major in psychology.

At first his father drove him to school and picked him up.

"But he missed out on too much that way," his father said.

So Jerry soon learned to master the hand controlled van that his father reconstructed for him. Such vans are now common place, the men explained. Jerry just rolls his chair in, locks it in place and off he goes.

Like any other student Jerry considers his acceptance to graduate school at Wayne State University a milestone in his life.

Like any other young person moving into his own apartment was a thrill, too. Unlike others, Jerry's father went with him to do the things that he couldn't do for himself. He only stayed until Jerry found a roommate.

"He does the dishes," Jerry said laughing.

His father considers Jerry's micro wave oven the biggest boon. "He used to burn himself and not even know it until he saw the sore from it," Jerry Sr. said.

During his graduate work at Wayne State University Jerry taught as a graduate assistant at both Wayne State and at University of Michigan, Dearborn.

Now he is doing behavioral research with rats in Circadian rhythms, specifically water intake.

He has published four papers on his research findings and has received letters from all over the world asking for reports.

"It's publish or perish," Jerry says matter-of-factly.

He will reach another milestone on his road to contributing to society when he receives his post doctoral research grant enabling him to use the facilities of Gordon Morgenson, PhD. at the University of Western Ontario in London, Ontario.

His major concern is that handicapped people be allowed to contribute to, not become a burden on society. He sees laws making access to public buildings easier for those like himself as a big step in the right direction.

"People don't realize what a barrier a step is," Jerry said.

He can no longer take that step. He can no longer participate in his favorite sport, skiing.

"But you can't dwell on that. There are a lot of things I can do," Jerry says optimistically.



John Dark

H.O.M.E. Club forming at independence center

H.O.M.E. Clubs, designed to provide young families with basic information helpful to improving the quality of family life, are being formed by the Oakland County Cooperative Extension Service at independence center.

The clubs are based upon the belief that family members must develop a stable, yet flexible, family life so they can adjust rapidly to changing technology, roles and values, instead of becoming rigid and static.

H.O.M.E. will help parents learn new ways to understand and guide their children's development, to provide better nutrition

with limited food dollars and manage family resources to obtain the style of living which one's family values highly.

It will also provide an avenue for neighborhood parents to get together and share their own experiences in family life through group discussion and activities.

The independence HOME Club will serve Independence, Brandon and Springfield Townships.

Anyone interested in further information about HOME may attend an informal introductory meeting to be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 27 at the center, 5331 Maybee or call the extension service at 858-0895.

Boxing at CHS

Amateur boxing will be coming fund an officials training program to the Clarkston High School for this area. gym, April 18 at 7:30 p.m.

Boxers from Clarkston, Pontiac, Albion, Flint, Davison and Owosso will be competing in the 20 bout ticket.

Tickets are \$1.25 for students and \$3.00 for adults. 50% of the proceeds will be donated to the Amateur Athletic Union (A.U.) to

Local boys competing in the ring will be: Craig Grable, Clarkston High School; Wendal Banks, Jeff and Mike Hoeksma, Sashabaw Junior High; Mick Grable, Bailey Lake Elementary; Billy Hartley, Pine Knob Elementary; and ... ards, Ander- sonville F

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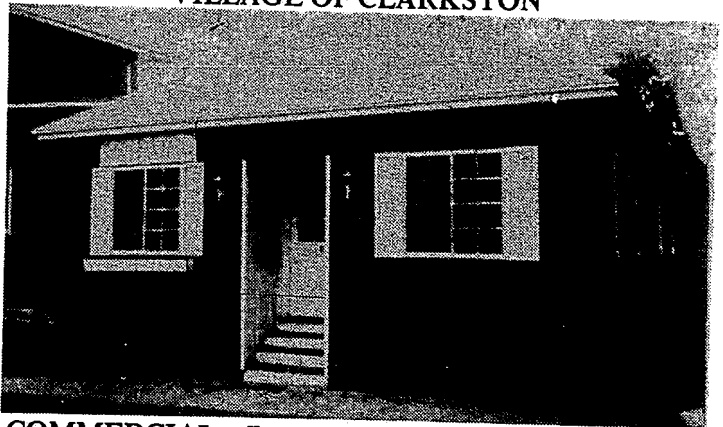
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Nelsey Road still on 'endangered species' list

The Board of County Road Commissioners has removed the annual vehicle weight restrictions imposed each spring on county roads in Oakland County, effective at 6 a.m., Wednesday, April 6.

With certain exceptions, the Oakland County Road Commission is prepared to issue permits for progressively larger overloads until the maximum is reached, probably in early May.

Reduced limits still apply to Nelsey road from Maceday Lake to Andersonville road in Waterford and Independence townships.

"Road Commissioner staff advises that the frost is sufficiently out of the ground that our roads, generally, can accept increasing overloads without risk of road damage," said John R. Gnau, of Bloomfield township, chairman of the county road policy board.

Maximum weights were not changed by spring weight restrictions on certain roads classified as "all-weather," Gnau said.

Village passes on tornado sirens

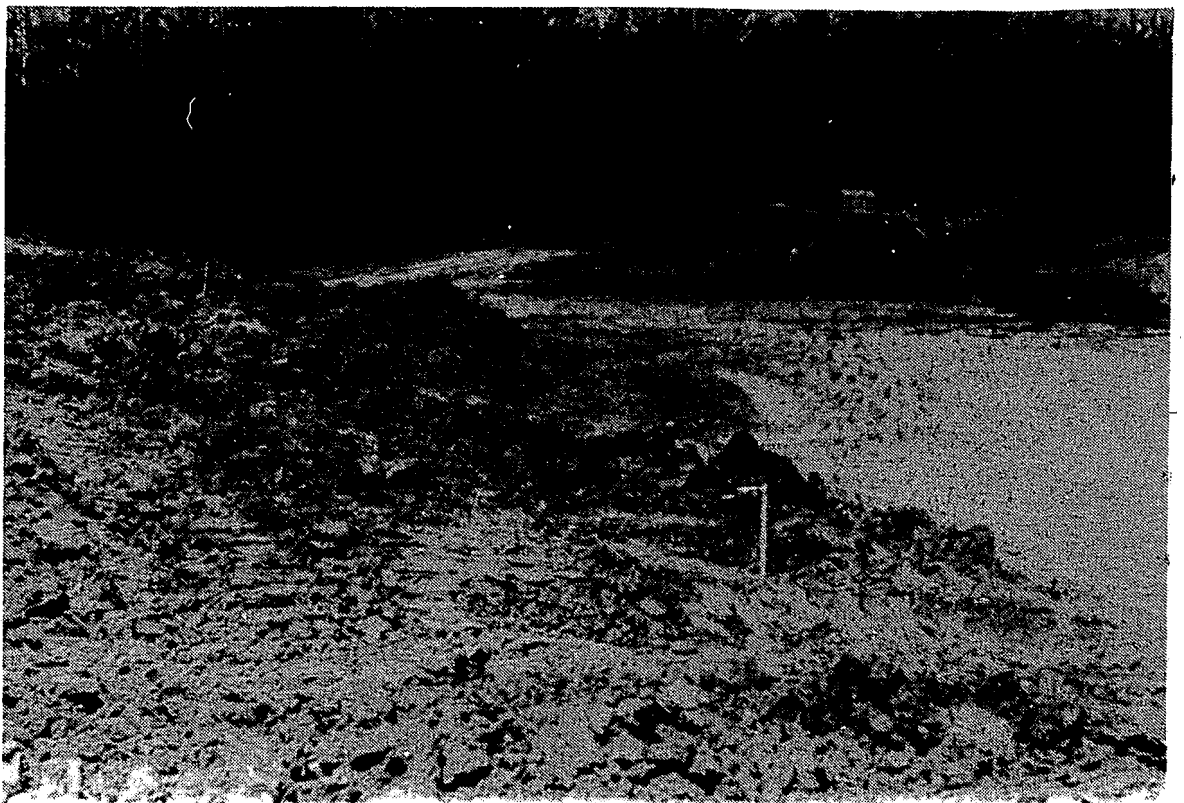
The Village of Clarkston has been asked to come up with about \$2,500 for the placement of tornado warning sirens in the village. Village president Keith Hallman suggested that the council approach Independence Township supervisor Whitey Tower concerning the responsibility of paying for the sirens.

One such warning siren is to be located at Laurelton and Waldon Roads, less than one-half mile from the village. The sirens should have a range of at least two miles, according to Hallman, thereby making it unnecessary for the village to pay for a siren inside its limits.

Village residents pay taxes to the township that should cover this expense, he added.

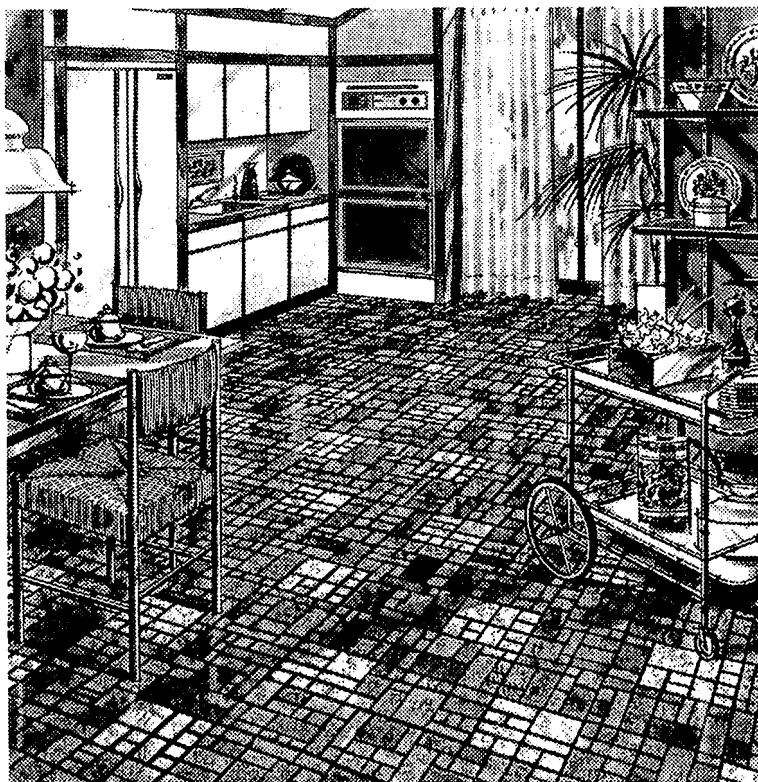
New officers

The Clarkston Village Council appointed committee members and commissioners at its April 11 meeting, the first official meeting of the 1977-78 fiscal year. Those appointed were: Street and Police Commission - Neil Sage and James Weber; Sewer and Finance Committee - Neil Granlund and Fonti ApMadoc; Legislative and Planning - Ruth Bassinger and James Schultz; President Pro-Tem - Fonti ApMadoc; Street Commissioner - Neil Sage; Police Commissioner - James Weber; Deputy Treasurer - Mary Ann Pappas; Deputy Clerk - Jane Rogers.



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By Joe Gitter
of The Clarkston News

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But, for the insiders, who make the hundred-ton jets go up and down in one piece, it's a serious business. Often the lives of hundreds of people depend on their ability to direct the aircraft where it's supposed to go.

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VORTAC, located in Springfield Township, is just one in a chain of more than 600 similar units situated throughout the United States. "They form what you might call an invisible map in the air," according to Joel Campbell, field office director for the Pontiac Federal Aviation Administration (FAA).

The \$100,000 in tubes, transistors and circuits that make up VORTAC, enable any pilot anywhere in the country to determine his exact location using signals fed into instruments in the aircraft.

"An airplane could fly from one end of the nation to the other without ever seeing the ground," Campbell said. "And he would know exactly where he was all the

time," he added.

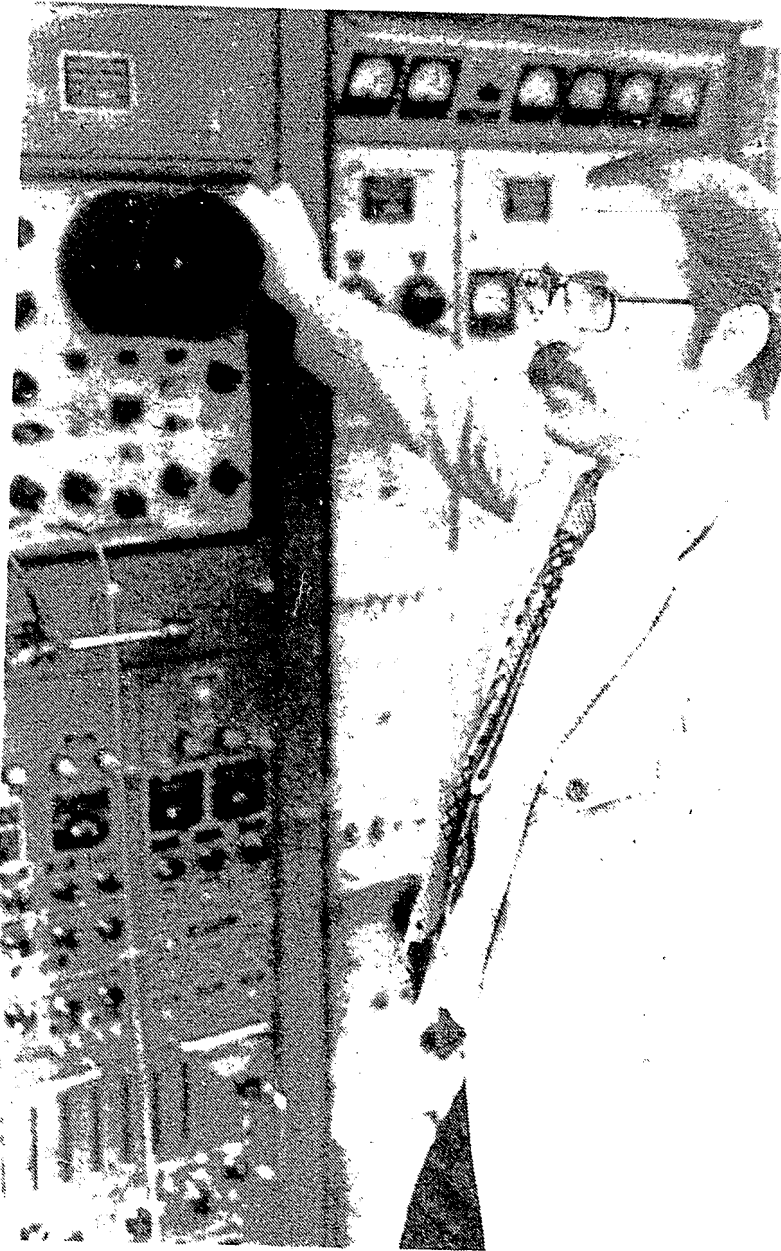
VORTAC can save lives also. The completely automated facility aids pilots who are lost or flying in

inclement weather to reach home safely. A direct phone line channeled through the facility to Detroit City Airport allows pilots

to communicate with the ground when normal radio communication is impossible.

VORTAC is actually two facilities linked together. VOR, very high frequency omni range, is a directional device. Using it, a pilot can determine his position relative to the tiny 36 by 36 foot

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Joel Campbell, field office director of VORTAC

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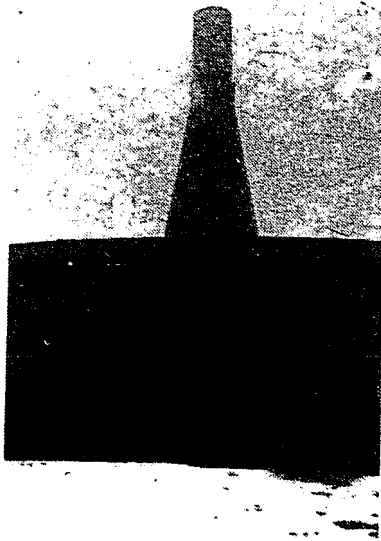
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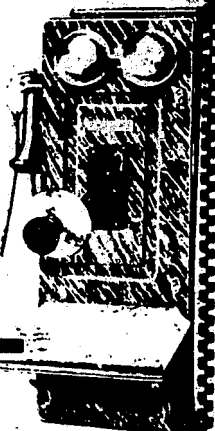


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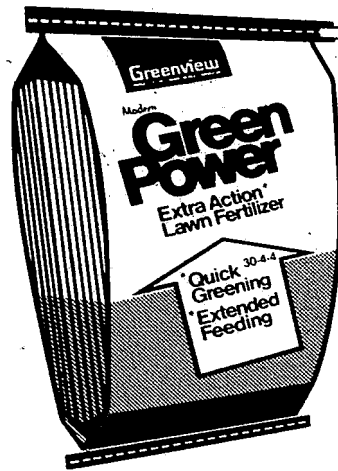


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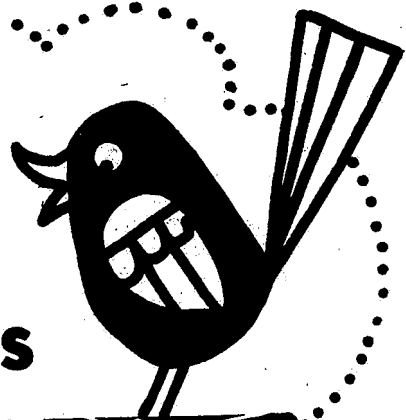
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Cancer Society auction

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Clarkstonites are being asked to whip their hobbies into shape in time to donate something for a Michigan Cancer Society fund raising auction Friday, May 27, at the home of Dom and Louise Mauti, 105 Wompole. The date has been set ahead a day, according to Louise. Time of the auction is 8:30 p.m. following an hour-long preview. Refreshments and snacks will be served.

Edward Santala, president of North Oakland County Builders Association (NOCBA) and Briarwoode Builders of Clarkston, has recently been appointed to the Board of Directors of the Michigan Association of Home Builders (MAHB) by State President Manny Dembs.

Santala has been active in various capacities with NOCBA and the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan (BASM) and is also a member of the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB).

Eastern Michigan University honored seven area students for academic achievement at its 29th Honors Convocation held recently in Pease Auditorium on the EMU campus.

Cynthia A. Harris, 9391 Allen Road, was among 56 students to achieve a perfect 4.0 grade average.

Other students honored for achieving a 3.0 or better grade



Wins scholarship

Kathy Smith has won the 1977 Michigan Business School Association Scholarship to attend the Oxford Extension of Pontiac Business Institute on the Associate Accounting program.

Kathy will graduate from Clarkston High School in June of 1977.

At Clarkston High School Kathy is a member of the Business Office Education Club and she won 5th place at the State BOEC Competition in Accounting II. She is a two year member of National Honor Society and 11th in her class rank. She also is a student aide for two teachers, Mr. Nusted and Mrs. Eaton.

Kathy enjoys stamp collecting for a hobby and is a member of the Silver Crest Baptist Church and the Silver Crest Pioneer Girls Club.



The engagement of Laura M. Willits to John Aulgur has been announced by the couple's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Willits, of Waterford Township, and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Aulgur, of Clarkston. Laura, a 1970 graduate of Clarkston High School, is employed at Pontiac State Bank while John, a graduate of Birmingham Seaholm, is a partner in the Eastern State Auto Supply Co. A November 5 wedding is planned.

average were Jill S. Brown, 4857 Waldon; Cheryl L. Davis, 6090 Snowapple; Christy L. Eloff, 7840 Foster; Mark D. Warren, 6266 Simler Rd.; and Patricia M. Dean, 4640 Independence Drive.

Barbara G. Neff, 6420 Snowapple and Michael W. Sawyer, 6441 Church, were among students at Ferris State College that were honored for scholastic excellence during the winter quarter.

Suzanne Marie Kohnen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kohnen, 4630 Indianwood Road, will participate in the Spring Concert at Mott Community College's MacArthur Recital Hall

on Sunday, April 17, at 3:30 p.m. The concert is under the direction of Mr. James Lee. Ms. Kohnen is flutist, 1st chair second.

Mrs. Roy Haeusler will entertain Waterford Book Review Club at 1 p.m. April 18 at her home, 7031 Hillside, Clarkston. Mrs. C.E. Woodruff will review "This Quiet Place, a Cape Cod Chronicle" by Everett Allen.

Boy Scout Troop No. 126 will conduct its annual paper drive Saturday, April 23, at Clarkston United Methodist Church parking lot. Pick-up can be arranged by calling John Geukes at 625-3136 or Harold Sutherland at 625-3356.

Multi-lakes chapter of the American Business Women's Association meets April 20 at 6:30 p.m. at Maurice's Catering on Edison in Pontiac.

Bailey Lake first graders welcome teacher's baby

The first graders in Karen Simmons' class at Bailey Lake Elementary secretly learned of their teachers plans to leave school to have her baby.

With the help of parents, the youngsters planned a surprise party for Mrs. Simmons' last day in school, April 6. But, little kids are also not very good at keeping secrets and this case was no exception.

One day in class Mrs. Simmons announced that she was going to have a baby and would be leaving. A pupil, Tina McConkey, in utter shock and amazement, gasped and asked "who told you?"

Within minutes Mrs. Simmons knew the whole story. The kids' surprise party was no longer a surprise.

But, that didn't stop anyone from having a good time anyway.



Karen Simmons admires the baby toy bought for her by her first grade students.



Presbyterian rummage sale

Louise Smith and Mildred Roberts, Sashabaw United Presbyterian Church Women's Association, prepare for their annual rummage sale April 15.

More Millstream

SCAMP fund raiser slated



Parent Awareness will sponsor its second annual rummage sale to benefit Clarkston Area Scamp on April 28 and 29 at Campbell-Richmond Post American Legion M-15. Donations are needed and pick-up will be provided. Call Sally Garcia, 625-5490.

Pine Knob PTA will sponsor a bingo to benefit SCAMP from 6:30 to 11 p.m. April 21 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Maybee Road.

SCAMP is a school sponsored summer program for children with special problems.

A dinner-dance in honor of State Senator Kerry Kammer will be held Saturday, April 23, at the Waterford CAI Building.

Cocktails will be served at 8 p.m., followed by a prime-rib dinner at 9 p.m.

Dixieland music provided by the Zug Island All-Stars until 1 a.m. In addition, there will be a grand prize drawing for a trip to Las Vegas.

Tickets for this second annual event are \$25.00 per couple and are available by calling 332-3513.

Birthdays of Ella Jaenichen, Alice Rioux and Catherine

Catana were celebrated along with the 58th wedding anniversary of Past Commander and Mrs. George Bour when Clinton Valley Barracks No. 2803 and Auxiliary met recently at Springfield Township Hall.

Harry Schneller was reported a patient in Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital and Vern Ridgeway just returned from a stay in Goodrich Hospital.

Mrs. John Boice was presented an orange blossom emblem for signing her four daughters as members of the auxiliary.

The group will meet next on May 14 to elect officers.

Judy L. Jervis, a student at Central Michigan University majoring in business, was recently initiated into the national honorary society, Phi Kappa Phi. She was among 125 initiates chosen for their scholastic and research endeavors.

May 15 through June 15, has been designated as Muscular Dystrophy Month by the Clarkston Village Council. The annual drive seeks funds to support research into treatment and prevention of the muscle-wasting, crippling disease which attacks 250,000 Americans each year.

Registration for spring programs

The Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department is presently taking registration for spring offerings in programs ranging from Aerobic Slimnastics to Yoga.

The spring program offers recreational courses and programs for youths as young as four years old with Baby Ballet to a program for senior citizens.

The largest such program includes junior baseball for six age classifications beginning with T-Ball for the 7 to 9 age group and continuing through Class D for 16 to 18 year olds.

Registration for junior baseball and softball will be taken through Saturday, April 16 at the recreation department.

Other programs being offered by the recreation department are:

Morning and afternoon Aerobic Slimnastics, Art for Children Aviation ground school, Ballet for Adults, Baby Ballet, Boater Safety, Bridge Club, Cake Decorating, Cheerleading, Children's Gym and CPR Cardio pulmonary Resuscitation.

Also, Crocheting, Disco Dancing, Knitting, Punch Needle Embroidery, Golf, Tennis, Softball, Superstar Competition for Teens, Umpire Clinic, Coed Volleyball, and Yoga.

Further information concerning registration deadline, fees and starting day of the programs may be obtained by calling the recreation department at 625-8223.

Those wishing to help should call "March Against Time" at 399-8800.


Christ Church Cranbrook's annual rummage sale will be from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 28 at the church, Lone Pine and Cranbrook roads in Bloomfield Township. The one-day sale offers items in 14 different departments. These include furniture, china and glassware, books, linens, jewelry, men's and children's clothing, sportswear, lingerie, shoes, hats and handbags.

Free parking is available and refreshments may be purchased at the church. A free checking service is also offered.

Dr. Daniel C. Maguire, associate professor of theology at Marquette University, Milwaukee and author of the book, "Death by Choice", will discuss "Medical Ethics Committees and Death by Choice" in a program from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. May 9 at Colombiere Center, Clarkston.

The program will investigate the ethics of dying, discuss the legal and ethical responses possible. Pre-registration by May 6 is required along with a \$5 deposit. Total cost is \$10 which includes lunch and coffee.

AREA CHURCHES AND THEIR WORSHIP HOUR

SASHABAW UNITED PRESBYTERIAN 5300 Maybee Road Pastor Mark H. Caldwell Church School 9:30 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.	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
CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 6600 Waldon Road Rev. James R. Balfour Worship & Church School 10:00 a.m.	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 Richard Lowe
GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 1950 Baldwin, Lake Orion, MI 48035 Sunday School 9:15 Family Worship 8 and 10:30 a.m. Pastor Charles Kosberg Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, 7 p.m. Christmas Day Service, 9:30 a.m.	SPIRITUALIST CHURCH OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN 5401 Oak Park off Maybee Rd. Rev. Allen Hinz Worship Hours: Wed. 7 p.m. - Sun. 7 p.m.
ANDERSONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH 10350 Andersonville Rev. Wallace Duncan Worship 11:00 a.m.	CLINTONVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH 5301 Clintonville Rd. 9:45 Sunday School 7:30 Evening Worship 11:00 Morning Worship Wed. 7:00 Choir 6:30 Training Union 7:30 Prayer Service
MARANATHA BAPTIST CHURCH 5790 Flemings Lake Road Rev. Philip W. Somers Worship 11:00 a.m.	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
ST. DANIEL CATHOLIC CHURCH Holcomb at Miller Rd Father Francis Weingart Sunday Masses: 9 and 11 Sat. 5 p.m. & 7 p.m.	CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH 6805 Bluegrass Drive Rev. Robert D. Walters Spoken Communion 8:00 a.m. Contemporary Service and Sunday Church School 9:15 The Service and Nursery 10:45 a.m. Preliminary plans for Calvary Lutheran Church.
FIRST BAPTIST 5972 Paramus Rev. Clarence Bell Worship 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.	ST. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH 7925 Sashabaw Road Pastor Rev. Ralph C. Claus Sunday Worship 8:30 and 11:00 Sunday School 9:45
WATERFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH Airport Road at Olympic Parkway Sunday School 9:45 Morning Worship 11:00 Evening Service 6:00 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 Rev. Calvin Junker, Interim Pastor Carl Beridon, Youth Pastor Elizabeth Jencks, Children's Worker	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. Greve, Pastor
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.	PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE 9880 Ortonville Rd. Worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Wed. Nite Prayer 7 p.m. Pastor Rev. James Holder
PINE KNOB COMMUNITY CHURCH 3041 Reeder Road off Clintonville Pontiac, Michigan Ken Hauser Worship 10:15 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.	EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION 6490 Clarkston Road Rev. Alexander Stewart Worship 8:00 & 10:00
NEW HOPE BIBLE CHURCH 5311 Sunnyside Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11 a.m. Worship at 7 p.m. Rev. H. W. Crawford, 674-1112	DIXIE BAPTIST CHURCH 8585 Dixie Highway Rev. Paul Vanaman Worship 10:00 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
SEYMOUR LAKE UNITED METHODIST Sashabaw at Seymour Lake Rd. Rev. Larenz Stahl Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Worship Service 10:30 a.m.	OLD FASHIONED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH Rev. Omer Brewer 5785 Clarkston Rd. Sunday School 10:30 Sunday Evening Service 7:00
DRAYTON HEIGHTS FREE METHODIST CHURCH Corner of Winnell and Maybee Rd. Rev. Clancy J. Thompson 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship Hour 6:00 Vespers Wednesday, 7 p.m. Family Night	UNITY in Pontiac West Huron at Genesee 3 blocks east of Telegraph 10:30 Worship Hour 10:00-11:30 Sunday School, Pre-school through Junior High
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DAVISBURG 12881 Andersonville Road, Davisburg Rev. Robert R. Hazen, Pastor Phone 634-9225 Sunday: Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Gospel Hour 6 p.m. Wednesday: Family night program 7 p.m. Awana clubs 7 p.m.	

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Police log

The following is a listing of calls received by the Independence Police Services and does not reflect those calls handled by the Oakland County Sheriffs Department.

INDEPENDENCE POLICE LOG APRIL 5, 1977

- 8:42am—Animal, Lost, Reese Rd.
- 9:24am—Animal, strays, Rio View
- 9:27am—Animal, bite, Ennismore
- 10:45am—Animal, stray, Dvorak
- 11:44am—Animal, strays, Riview/Pinedale
- 11:52am—Suspicious subjects, Clk. & Eston
- 12:20pm—Lost girl, Dixie Hwy.
- 4:32pm—Extra patrol, M-15
- 5:52pm—Motorcycles, E. Circle Dr.
- 5:55pm—Found Property, Pine Knob Rd.

APRIL 6, 1977

- 9:08am—Narcotic, Blue Water Dr.
- 9:59am—Animal, horses, Reese
- 10:29am—Animal, Oak Vista
- 11:23am—Animal, Mann Road
- 11:55am—Animal, Dog L o o s e, Snowapple
- 12:00 noon—Animal, stray, Pine Knob Tr.
- 12:38pm—Animal, Pine Knob Rd.
- 12:49pm—Animal, Found, Drayton Road
- 1:12pm—Animal, stray, Eddystone
- 1:31pm—Animal, cat, Pelton Rd.
- 11:34pm—Wash down, Sashabaw/Maybee

APRIL 7, 1977

- 8:15am—Animal, horses, Reese Road
- 10:28am—Possible B & E, Church Street
- 10:32am—Larceny from building, Church Street
- 1:53pm—Animal, stray, Chickadee
- 3:16pm—Animal, stray, Oak Park
- 4:52pm—Animal, lost dog, Middle Lake Road
- 5:08pm—Animal, 2 lost dogs, Maple Drive
- 6:21pm—Speeding, Algonquin
- 7:03pm—Motorcycles, Algonquin
- 8:33pm—Animal, found dog, Main Street

APRIL 8

- 9:05am—Animal, possom, Snowapple
- 9:28am—Animal, noise, Dartmouth
- 10:22am—Animal, dead dog, Main Street
- 10:30am—Parking, M-15
- 12:30pm—Animal, strays, Oak Park
- 2:00pm—Motorcycles, Parview
- 3:54pm—M.D.O.P., Holcomb Rd.
- 8:05pm—Traffic violation, Almond Lane/Clk.
- 8:17pm—Suspicious Vehicle, Rohr Road
- 8:59pm—Suspicious Vehicle, Rohr Road

APRIL 11, 1977

- 8:06am—Animal, sick dog, Sundale
- 8:44am—Animal, Dead cat, Paramus
- 8:48am—Animal, strays, Clarkston Road
- 8:48am—Animal, dead animal, Clk Road
- 9:49am—Animal, strays, Sashabaw Road
- 10:35am—Extra Patrol, MDOP, Rattalee Lake Rd.
- 11:23am—Citizen Assist, Main St.
- 11:25am—Animal, Gerbil bite, Meyers
- 11:36am—Animal, stray, Clarkston Road

- 12:11pm—Larceny, Clarkston Road
- 12:59pm—Alarm, Clarkston Road
- 1:08am—Attempt B & E, West Harvard
- 1:12am—M. O. P. Summerhill
- 1:51am—Animal, uelty, Reese Road
- 2:06AM—Assist fire dept, field fire Waterford Road
- 3:14am—Dumping, Maybee/1-75
- 3:27am—Citizen assist, Maybee Road
- 3:30am—Lost dog, Mann Road

Public Notice



The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 20, 1977 at 7:30 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-609, an appeal by Ricky Klee for property located at 9585 Yale, Round Lake Woods, Lot 31. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, for a 1,200 sq. ft. west side property set back of 3', a rear yard set back of 25' to erect a garage.

Secretary, Fred Ritter

Public Notice



The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 27, 1977 at 7:50 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-614, an appeal by Kenneth Jackson for property located at Lot 3-5 Sunny Beach Country Club, Blk 181, 08-13-181-026. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, to build an addition on a non-conforming lot, will need a rear yard variance of 4 feet.

Secretary, Fred Ritter

Public Notice



The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 20, 1977 at 7:50 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-610, an appeal by Richard Dixon for property located at Thendara Park Country Club, Lots 38 & 39, Block 3, 08-12-351-003 & 004. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, for a total square footage of 4,288 square feet.

Secretary, Fred Ritter

Public Notice



The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 27, 1977 at 8:10 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-615, an appeal by Allen D. Reed for property located at Drayton Highlands, Lot 144 & 145, Block 404. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, for a rear yard set back of 10' to construct new home.

Secretary, Fred Ritter

Public Notice



The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 20, 1977 at 8:10 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-611, an appeal by Beacon Sign for property located at the A & P Shopping Store on M-15, 08-29-328-006 & 007. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, for an 8 sq. ft. variance for a front wall sign & an additional 72 sq. ft. for the replacements of the 2 pole signs existing on the property.

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Public Notice



The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 27, 1977 at 8:30 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-616, an appeal by Helwin Developments for property located at 69 Acres of Section 33, on Maybee Road, west of Spring Lake. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, reduced lot sizes of proposed plat of Independence Hills from 15,000 sq. ft. to 12,000 sq. ft. & road frontage from 100 feet to 80 feet. Approval of cluster option required.

Secretary, Fred Ritter

Public Notice



The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 20, 1977 at 8:30 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-612, an appeal by Jerry Olson for property located at Lot 78, and the north 50' of Lot 77, Mary Sue, 5092 Mary Sue, Sunshine Acres. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, for a 5' set back variance from the home to the proposed garage.

Secretary, Fred Ritter

Public Notice



The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 27, 1977 at 8:50 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-617, an appeal by Edward Rose Building Company for property located at Subdivision located at the corner of Sashabaw & Maybee Roads, 08-34-226-002. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, interpretation of zoning board minutes of January 31, 1974, item concerning sidewalks throughout the development.

Secretary, Fred Ritter

Public Notice



The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 20, 1977 at 8:50 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-613, an appeal by Jo Armstrong for property located at Acreage Parcel located on the North side of Rattalee Lake Road, between Ellis and Reese Roads. 08-06-300-012 & 013. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, for final approval on an acreage split.

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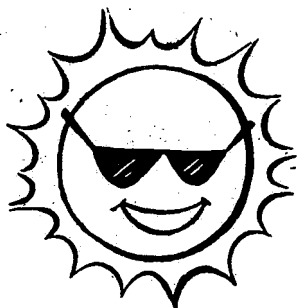
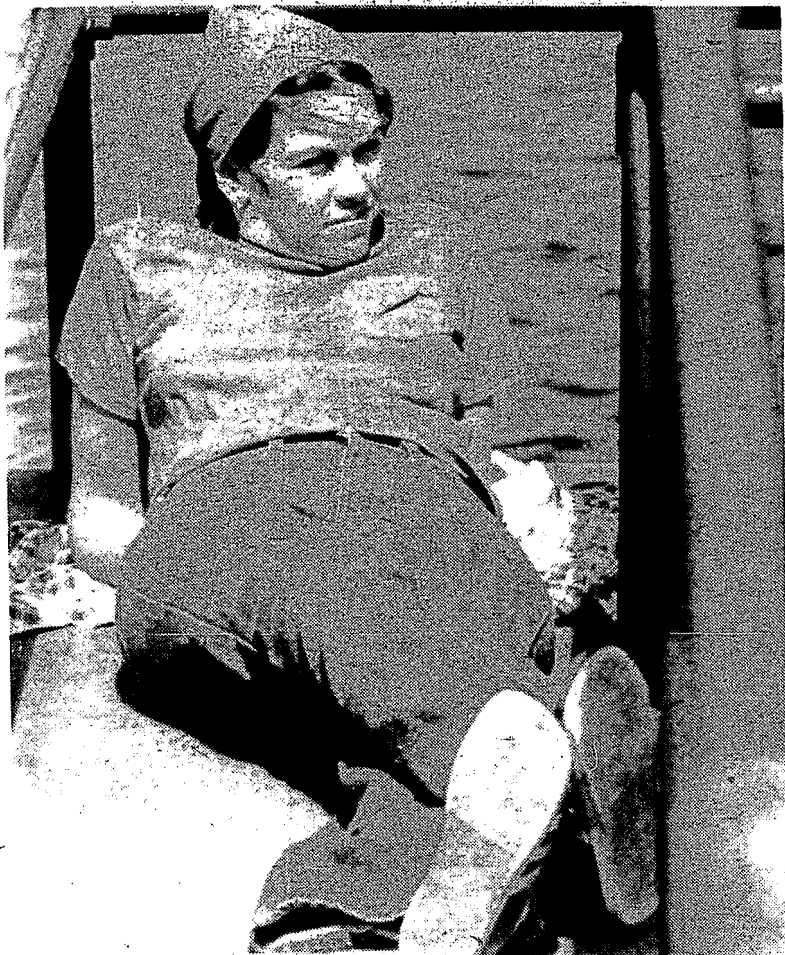
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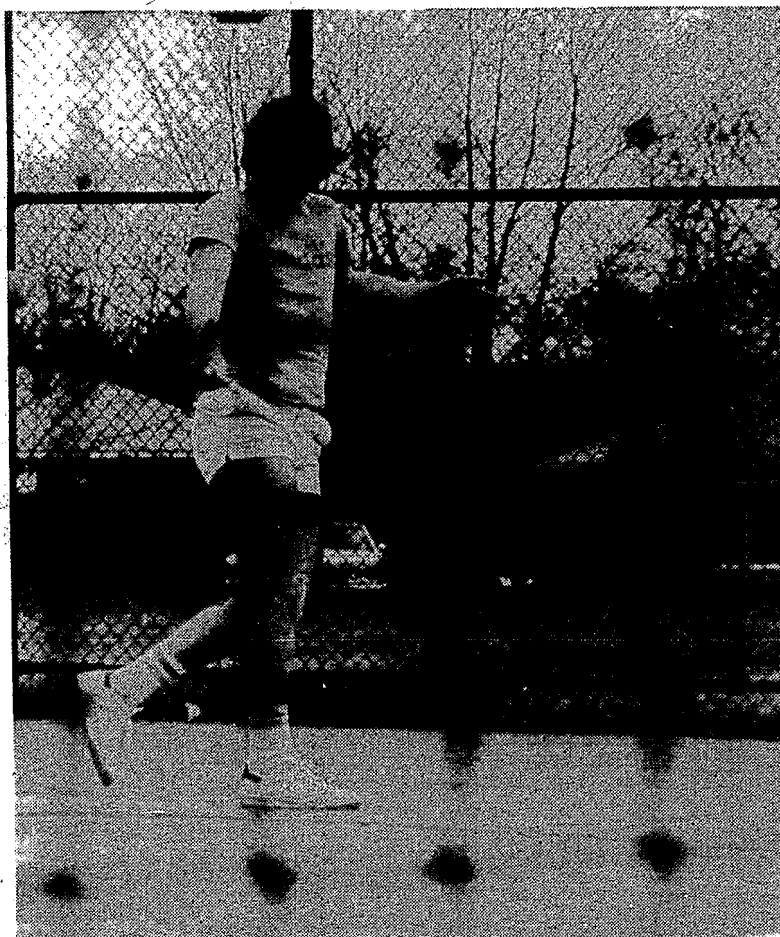
The Independence Township ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will meet on April 20, 1977 at 9:10 P.M. at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI, to hear CASE #A-618, an appeal by Joseph Duris for property located at Hillside Drive, Parcel B, Village of Clarkston, 08-20-356-016. Applicant seeks variance from Ordinance #83, for a 30' front yard setback variance & a side yard variance of 10' total (5' on each side).

Secretary, Fred Ritter

Springtime rest and recreation



Everyone has their own special ways of enjoying a warm spring day when the sun is bright and the temperatures reach the hi upper eighty's. For Vicki Goldint it is soaking up a little sun on the dock at Deer Lake during her lunch break. For Kirk Satterlee it is getting in a little tennis practice to prepare for Clarkston High's next match of the season.



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For further information and a brochure contact your nearby YMCA or write YMCA Camping Services, 28100 Farmington Rd., P.O. Box 334, Farmington, MI, 48024 or call 553-4320.

Voc Ed studied by county

Clarkston School District residents interested in future vocational education programs, are urged to attend a public hearing to be held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 20 at the Oakland Intermediate School District Building, 2100 Pontiac Lake Rd.

The hearings are required by federal law before the state board of education submits its annual, long range plan to the U.S. Office of Education.

Vocational Education is designed to help pupils select and prepare for occupations based upon their interests and abilities and the demands of the labor market.

Persons unable to attend the hearings may submit written remarks to Lola Jefferies, Vocational Education and Career Development Services, Michigan Department of Education, P.O. Box 30009, Lansing, Mich. 48904.

Title XX services explored

The Oakland County Board of Social Services will conduct a public forum for the purpose of providing citizens with information regarding services available under Title XX. This forum is

scheduled from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, April 25, at the Court House Auditorium, 1200 N. Telegraph Rd., Pontiac.

(For further information call 858-1511, Mrs. Nancy McQuilan.)

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BRIGGS-STRATTON, Tecumseh, Wisconsin, Bolens, Snapper, Lawn-Boy and McCulloch parts and service. Hamilton's of Holly, 204 S. Sag., Holly. 634-7511.+++30-tf

VERY BEAUTIFUL antique platform rocker, must be seen to appreciate. \$75. 625-8073.+++32-3f

SINGER dial-a-matic zig zag sewing machine in modern walnut cabinet, makes designs, appliques, buttonholes, etc. Repossessed. Pay off \$54 cash or \$6 per mo. payments. Guaranteed. Universal Sewing Center, FE 4-0905.+++34-1c

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LENNOX oil furnace, including 250 gal. tank. Complete, \$110. 394-0698.+++33-3f

1,000 RAILROAD ties, exc. cond., \$5.50 and up. Retaining walls built, delivery available. 624-3220.+++33-9p

2 PINBALL machines. Excellent condition, \$325 and \$425. Call after 3, 625-1614.+++33-3f

1974 PHILCO CUSTOM 23" color TV, walnut cabinet, like new. TV tennis game, walnut cabinet. Excellent condition. 1972 Ford Pinto runabout. Good condition. New radial tires 2100. 2-4975. Ask for Joanne.+++

PAPER BACK Exchange, Rochester. Used paper backs, 1/2 price or 29c with trade. 302 W. University (in rear) on Pine Street, across from library parking.+++28-9c

REDUCE safe and fast with GoBese Tablets and E-Vap "water pills." Pine Knob Pharmacy.+++30-6p

ANNIVERSARY special: Sofa, love seat, chair, ottoman, rocker, 3 tables. \$698.88. Delivery extra. Winglemire Furniture Store, Holly.+++33-3c

ANNIVERSARY special: 3 pc. colonial grouping: sofa, love seat, chair, \$398.88. Delivery extra. Winglemire Furniture Store, Holly.+++33-3c

COME IN and register for our free anniversary door prizes. Winglemire Furniture Store, Holly.+++33-3c

ONE YEAR guarantee on tropical fish. You could have it at the Aquarium and Pet Shop, Lake Orion. 693-2493. Pontiac, 338-8976.+++LC 22-tf

PAINT gelding, 7 yrs. Pinto colt, 2 yrs.; 2 young pet goats, gentle. 627-3022.+++33-3p

PRE-SPRING SALE: Save \$30 to \$90 on new and demo Bolens lawnmowers. Hamilton's of Holly, 204 S. Sag., Holly. 634-7511.+++30-tf

METALMASTER dinette, 51 inch Spanish oak octagon, 2 leaves, 6 gold swivel chairs. \$335. 623-1455.+++32-3f

25" COLOR TV, mahogany cabinet, \$90. 625-2843.+++32-3f

27 INCH Casevnae, boy 10 speed, 1 year old. Riden twice, \$100 firm. 391-0912.+++33-3f

SEARS 8 ft. pool table, \$125. Sears 11,000 BTU Wonder Air Conditioner, \$160. 634-7342.+++33-3f

FRIGIDAIRE G-Mini washer and dryer. Harvest gold, ideal for apartment, \$150. Call 625-0863 after 4 p.m.+++33-3f

HOTPOINT built-in oven range. Nutone exhaust hood. Copper-tone, \$100. Call 625-0863 after 4 p.m.+++33-3f

ZENITH CIRCLE of sound stereo. Turntable w/dust cover + 2 speakers. New cartridge w/diamond stylus. Cassette tape deck needs repair, attaches separately. \$60. 625-3372 after 5.+++34-3P

MODERN CARPET Cleaning. Spring specials running now on shampoo and steam methods. Call 693-6141.+++RC34-3*

A.B. DICK Model 320 duplicator. Excellent condition. Some extras. \$800.00. Call 628-5550.+++C34-1

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NECCHI DELUXE automatic zig zag sewing machine. Cabinet model, embroiders, blind hems, buttonholes, etc. 1969 model. Take over payments of \$5.90 per mo, for 9 mos. or \$53 cash balance. Guaranteed. Universal Sewing Center, FE 4-0905.+++34-1C

DOUBLE FRENCH DOOR and storm, \$25. Conn Cornet \$40. Electric range \$25. Buggy \$5.00. 673-1436.+++34-3F

HAY, 1st cutting. Brome and alfalfa. 625-4338.+++34-3P.

FOR SALE: 2 twin beds with mattresses. \$50.00. 673-8802.+++34-3f

MEN'S GOLF CLUBS, \$40. Man's 10 speed bike \$50. Maple dining table \$40. 625-8115.+++34-3c

ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL: 3 pc. Living Room Grouping: Sofa, Love Seat, Chair in Colonial, Traditional, Modern style. Only \$398.88 Delivery extra. Winglemire Furniture Store, Holly.+++34-3c

COME IN and register for our 119th Anniversary Door Prizes. Winglemire Furniture Store, Holly.+++34-3C

BEDDING SALE: Twin, Full, Queen size mattresses and box springs. As low as \$44.00 each in twin size. Winglemire Furniture Store, Holly.+++34-3C

EVERGREEN TREES, evergreen shrubs, uprights, spreaders. Large selection, 10 plants, \$25. You dig. Open daily, 1/2 mi. N. of I-75 intersection with Dixie Hwy. Cedar Lane Evergreen Farm, 8970 Dixie Hwy. 625-1922.+++34-12C

ROOM DIVIDERS \$39.95, Sofa beds, \$89.95, Rockers \$29.95. Bill's Bargain Center, Baldwin at Indianwood, Orion. 693-4711.+++C34-1

7-PIECE BUTCHER BLOCK Dinette Set, \$149.95. Bill's Bargain Center Baldwin at Indianwood, Orion. 693-4711.+++C34-1

HIDE-A-BEDS from \$169.95. Box springs and mattress starting at \$89.95 set. Bill's Bargain Center, Baldwin at Indianwood, Orion.+++693-4711.+++C34-1

ASSORTMENT OF PLANTERS, hanging pots, etc. Bill's Bargain Center, Baldwin at Indianwood, Orion. 693-4711.+++C34-1

TRIM OFF POUNDS with GoBese Grapefruit Extra Strength Capsules and fast-acting Tablets. Pine Knob Pharmacy. 6p

9.5 H.P. EVINRUDE outboard motor. Used approximately 15 hours, \$450. 625-4127 after 6:00.+++33-dh

2 OIL FURNACES, good for garage or wash shop, \$75 each. 627-3118.+++33-3f

COUNTER top portable dishwasher, \$30. 625-8110.+++33-3f

RABBITS - cages (selling out), Bunnies and breeding stock. 625-8073.+++33-3p

LARGE patio blocks, 75c each. 3x4 ft. porch with 2 steps and rails, \$50. 391-1438.+++33-3f

TRACTOR - Farm-ALL B, plow, mower, cultivator, wheel weights. \$600. 625-1443 or 398-4144.+++32-3c

HEADQUARTERS for potted fruit trees, 35 varieties. Call us about your landscape problems. Lots of fine evergreens. Ortonville Nursery, 10448 Washburn, Ortonville. 627-2545.+++33-4c

1970 HOBO Travel Trailer, 17 ft. self-contained. Exc. cond. 625-4315 after 4.+++34-3C

SPRING baskets of strawberries and daisies in permanent arrangement. Perfect for Mother's Day. Boothby's, White Lake Road and Dixie Hwy. 625-5100.+++34-3c

RED AND yellow plastics from Finland. Dishwasher proof. Well designed kitchen items. Cups and mugs, \$1.50. Boothby's, White Lake Road and Dixie Hwy. 625-5100.+++34-3c

FOUR 10.00x16.5 snow tires and wheels for Ford 4 wheel drive, 674-3759.+++34-3c

WALNUT TABLE, chairs buffet. Blond end table with drawers. Kidney table with skirt. 48 base old accordion and lawn mower, 391-2143.+++34-3c

1969 WOLVERINE 12 ft. pickup camper, self contained, sleeps 8. 698-3235 after 5.+++34-3c

ANNOUNCEMENT

NUTRITIOUS new way to lose weight easily. Money back guarantee. For information call 673-3162.+++33-3c

PUBLIC AUCTION! Saturday, April 17 at 7 p.m. 1973 Honda and 750 Yamaha both A-1, office desk, side by side refrigerator, lots of new and used household items. Hall's Auction, 705 W. Clarkston Road, Lake Orion, 693-1871.+++RC34-1

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SET OF KEYS, corner Dixie and Maybee Rd. 623-0737.+++32-3f

WALLPAPERING, painting and staining. Decorate with energy saving style. Call Bob Jensenius, 693-4676.+++29-tf

BONNIE'S GROOMING reminds you to think spring! Get your dog groomed professionally. No tranquilizing. 625-8594.+++26-tf

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COLOR TV REPAIR, B&B Service. All work guaranteed. BankAmerica card and Master Charge welcome. 338-7894.+++33tf

PAINTING AND wallpapering professionally done at reasonable rates. For free estimates on your home or business call 625-1228 after 6 p.m.+++33-12c

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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

TREE TRIMMING and removal. Free estimates and reasonable rates. 625-5321.+++33-3c

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POOR RICHARDS Antique Lighting. Oil and Electrical repair. Saturday - Farmers Market, Pontiac.+++33-3c

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SEAMSTRESS, dressmaking, alterations, repairs. Jeans, slacks, jumpsuits and custom embroidery. Jane, 674-1424. †††31-tf

SPECIALIZED cakes - Easter, First Communion, birthday, crosses, Mickey Mouse, Big bird, Raggedy Ann, trains, baseballs, footballs, etc. Use your imagination. 625-9212. †††33-2c

CLARKSTON AREA TV repair. Color, black and white. Prompt service. All work guaranteed. 628-1233. †††31-tf

GAS FURNACE Service, cleaning and replacements. Gas grills, fireplace logs, and furnace humidifiers. Sales, installation and service. Gas piping for all appliances. NICHOLS HOME SERVICES, 625-0581. †††34-3c

TWO ENERGETIC, industrious, hard working gals and truck. Experienced in hauling, moving and odd jobs. 623-9285, 625-4192. †††34-3C

AVOID THE spring rush, let us service your lawnmower, tiller or tractor now. Hamilton's of Holly, 204 S. Saginaw, Holly. 634-7511. †††30-tf

LOST

LOST 5 year old male Schnauzer. Vicinity Bigelow and King. 394-0082. †††34-3F

LOST Clarkston Village, envelope containing money and deposit slip. 625-2066, 625-9759. †††34-3P

GERMAN Shepherd, blond and black female, brown collar. In vicinity of Pine Knob and Sashabaw. Reward. 625-2067. ††32-3p

LOST: English springer spaniel. 1 1/2 years old, brown and white, tag #0580. Son's pet, dearly loved, please return. Reward. 623-7506 or 625-4300. †††32-3c

LOST: black female cockapoo, approximately 20 lbs. Ans. to Puppy. 625-0389. †††32-3c

IN CLARKSTON area, sable and white male Collie. Answers to Shane. Childrens pet, reward. 625-2715. †††33-3f

HELP WANTED

HAVE 17 FT. CROSBY fiberglass boat. 95 hp motor, boat to be painted, cushions to be reupholstered, motor to be tuned. Call 588-4860. Troy, Mich. Boat located in Clarkston. †††34-3C

YOUNG MAN wanted to learn weather stripping, caulking and brick cleaning business. Only excellent condition. Call between man with good driving record, four and a half years. 625-2262. †††34-3P

HELP WANTED

YARD BOY week-ends. 642-6914 †††34-3F

DESIGNERS, detailers and project engineers. Applicants must have experience in mechanical handling systems, integrating conveyors, part storage units, automatic machine loaders and unloaders with metal working and assembly production lines. Position offers excellent wages, liberal company paid benefits, pleasant working conditions. Apply in person Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. and Saturday, 8-12 noon. Holly, Fenton, Clarkston area. Sys-T-Mation Inc., 10301 Enterprise Dr., Davisburg, Mi. Dixie Hwy. north of Rattalee Lake Rd. R. Blush, Jr., Administrative Assistant. †††32-3c

WOMEN, bored or broke? Immediate part time or full time openings in sales. Will train. 693-1512, 852-4748. †††33-3c

LIVE IN house mothers. Adult accredited care facility, room and board plus \$350. Send resume of past work experience to Mrs. Campbell, 8790 Arlington, Pontiac, Mi. 48054. †††33-3c

FULL TIME landscape and maintenance person. Some experience helpful. 391-0862. †††33-3c

WATER conditioner sales (Sell the best--sell Kinetic). Excellent compensation, all benefits paid. 373-2070. †††LC33-3

NEED middle aged lady for daytime companion. Very light housework. 673-1608. †††33-3c

PART TIME or Full Time real estate clerk needed for prestigious office in the Clarkston area. Call 625-1200. †††34-3C

BABYSITTER wanted. Live in or commute Clarkston area 628-4017. Call between 5-9. †††32-3f

BABYSITTER wanted from 7 a.m.-1 p.m. 625-2740 after 6 p.m. †††32-3c

WANTED: person to teach piano to 3 children. Clarkston Elementary area. 394-0043. †††34-3c

BABYSITTER wanted, days, full time. My home. One child. Personal or job references required. 625-5415 after 6 p.m. †††32-3c

ANTIQUES

ANTIQUEN SHOW and Sale. Somerset Mall, Troy. April 11-16. Monday, Thursday, Friday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Free parking, free admission. †††33-2c

FOR SALE ANTIQUE OAK, kitchen china cupboard. 2 pieces glass doors on top, in good condition, stripped. 625-3979. †††34-3c

ANTIQUEN COUCH, wing back Queen Anne chair. Both in excellent condition. Call between 625-2262. †††34-3P

REAL ESTATE

CHOICE building site, 270 foot frontage on Granger Road, owner 628-2035. †††RC33-6

FOR SALE by owner in Lake Orion. Very clean 2 bedroom condominium with fireplace, full basement. Central air, garage plus extra's. 693-4110. †††33-3c

FIVE acres wooded and rolling with 600 ft. canal frontage leading to Waumegah Lake on Rattalee Lake Rd. 2 miles northwest of Clarkston, \$22,500. 625-8961. †††33-3c

A NICE starter home, 2 bedroom, basement, fenced yard. Fully carpeted, \$23,500. 623-1495 after 4 p.m. †††33-3c

LARGE FARM COLONIAL on three acres. Excellent area. Needs some finishing. D. E. Marsh Real Estate. 693-4529. †††CL33-3

PRICE GREATLY REDUCED. Beautiful 7 room ranch home with 10 wooded acres. No basement, \$50,000. 625-4149. †††34-3C

CLARKSTON Charm. It can be yours in this comfortable 3 bedroom home, den or 4th bedroom, 1 1/2 baths and separate dining room, sunny kitchen with breakfast area. Hardwood floors throughout. Full finished basement. Carriage barn with loft. Enclosed glass front porch to let the outside in. If you're tired of the New, be sure to see this home with Charm, View, and Value at \$49,900. Call 623-0313 for a personal showing. Snyder, Kinney & Bennett, Parker Assoc., Realtors. †††34-3C

NICE STARTER home in Orion Township. Immediate possession, \$18,900. D.E. Marsh Real Estate, 693-4529. †††LC33-3

FOR SALE by owner. Lake Orion Hi-Hill Village, 3 bedroom, quad level, 1 1/2 baths, family room, formal dining room, completely carpeted. Corner lot and beautifully landscaped, inground pool. By appointment only by owner, \$81,900. 391-3441. †††RC33-3

OAKHILL ACREAGE
10 beautiful acres. Setting in a quiet rural area. Close enough to town but far enough to thoroughly enjoy your land. \$27,500. Hargreaves and Pilarcik. 625-1333. 33-4c

5 WOODED ACRES for sale in Clarkston with driveway. \$14,000. 625-9684. †††29-6c

FOR SALE: five efficiency apartments in Lake Orion. \$40,000. By owner. 693-8900 or 693-9672. †††LC29-6

THINKING OF SELLING your home? Call Ernie Severance, experienced associate realtor for appraisal and counseling. Representing O'Neil Realty. Office 674-2222, Res. 394-0273. †††33-3c

CLARKSTON—4 bedroom, aluminum sided ranch. Large fenced yard, paved drive, 2 1/2 car garage. Land Contract terms. NO REALTORS. Call for appointment 625-1915. †††34-3C

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE: three bedroom home on ten acres in Oxford Township. Three car garage, family room with fireplace and built in bar. 1 1/2 baths. No agents. \$72,900. Call 693-8048 before 2 p.m. or after 7 p.m. †††C38-tf

LAKE LOT 70x220 on crystal clear Lake Secord. Electricity, flowing well. Cemented and stone boat ramp. Beach and landscaped. Ready to build. 2 hour drive. 625-0685. †††32-3c

CLARKSTON. Sharp 3 bedroom, fenced yard, sewers, lake privileges. \$24,900.00. 625-1379. †††34-3c

7 1/2 ACRE FARM with 300' frontage on M-24. Just north of Oxford. Includes ranch home, large barn, set up for horses. Open House Sunday, April 17, 1-4pm. 5314 Lapeer Road. †††LC-34-3

NEAR COMPLETION—Brick & aluminum 4 bedroom ranch. Scenic 2 1/2 acres. Horse allowed. Immediate occupancy. D. E. Marsh Real Estate, 693-4529, 693-2406. †††LC-34-3

BRANDON TOWNSHIP, 4 bedroom, tri-level. Garage, on one acre. Wooded lot, built in 1976. D. E. Marsh Real Estate, 693-4529, 693-2406. †††LC34-3

COUNTRY LIVING. Large 3 bedroom ranch with 2 car garage on 1 acre. D. E. Marsh Real Estate, 693-4529, 693-2406. †††LC 34-3

SCENIC BUILDING SITES, 2 1/2 to 14 acre parcels. D. E. Marsh Real Estate, 693-4529, 693-2406. †††LC34-3

CENTURY OLD farm house, 4 bedrooms, living room, dining room, large screened porch. 1/2 acre lot. Ind. Twp. Clarkston Schools. By owner. 628-1233. †††31-3c

CLARKSTON LOT

Quiet. Have site fronting on lagoon that connects to Cranberry Lake. Super neighborhood. Current perk. \$15,500. Hargreaves and Pilarcik, Inc. 625-1333. 33-4c

FREE

FREE PUPPIES. 673-1436. †††34-3F

FREE HORSE MANURE. Hadley Hill Stable, 1344 Hadley Road, 627-2356. †††34-3f

MEDIUM SIZE TREE, free wood for cutting. 623-1599. †††34-3f

LITTLE 7 MO. OLD pony colt. Free to good home. 625-5629. †††32-3f

RE-LANDSCAPING MY PROPERTY. Will give existing small shrubs, trees, etc. to anyone who will dig. 394-0082. †††33-3f

FREE kittens, 6 weeks old. Litter trained. 625-3370 Dan. †††33-dh

AUTOMOTIVE

FOR SALE: 1973 Nova Hatchback, 350 V-8, automatic, AM/FM, \$1400 or best offer. Call 628-1049 or 627-3082. †††LC31-3

1975 3/4 ton GMC Rally STX Van. Red with red carpeting, high seats, fully upholstered. V-8 automatic, P.S., P.B., radio, Ziebarted, sliding side door, snow tires, mounted on extra wheels. Real beauty, priced right. 627-3137. †††33-3c

YOUNG DRIVERS: Bet I can beat your present auto insurance rate. 673-1276. †††23-tf

VW '76 RABBIT, steel belted radials, 4 door, rust proofed. Mint condition. 625-4432. †††32-3p

1975 THUNDERBIRD triple silver, with all options. Excellent condition. Best offer. 623-0585. †††32-3c

1976 FORD Courier 1/2 ton pickup. 4 speed molded camp top. 25 miles per gallon. Low mileage. Private owner. 887-4720 or 338-7894. †††32-3c

1976 DODGE VAN, 109 inch WB 318, V-8, PS, PB, auto. Extras. Call after 6 p.m. 625-5760. †††32-3c

1972 FORD station wagon, excellent condition. 625-3427 after 5 p.m. †††32-3c

1969 FORD engine 352. Excellent condition. Uses no oil. With or without transmission. 625-0437. †††32-3c

'71 CAPRI GAS SAVER, 54,000 miles, \$675. Call 625-1488 after 5. †††34-3C

1969 CHEV. STATION Wagon, 3 seat, AM/FM stereo, air, \$175. 634-7088. †††34-3F

1976 GMC VAN Rally STX 350 V-8 automatic. Excellent condition. Full power, 17,000 miles. \$5,495.00. 625-4854. †††34-3C

1974 CATALINA, power, air conditioning, good condition. \$2,350. 625-5553. †††34-3C

1974 FORD ELITE Red w/black vinyl roof. Well equipped. 627-3384. †††34-3P

CLASSIC 1972 Z28 CAMARO auto trans., new rebuilt short block. Needs minor repair. \$2,000 or best offer. 625-8653, 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. †††34-3C

1975 BUICK LaSabre, P.S., P.B., Stereo. Lots of extras, \$3,300. 627-4704. †††34-3C

1955 CHEVROLET drag competition. Interested person only, 698-3235. †††34-3c

WANTED

SHEEP white face black face. Lambs. Breeding ewes. Breeding rams. 625-2665. Hillside Farm, G. Bellairs. †††34-3C

WOMAN WANTS "uncool" 26" Schwinn coaster bicycle with no gears, no speeds and no handbrakes. Must be in excellent condition. Call 625-5948 after 5:30 p.m. †††32-3dh

WANTED

WANTED BABY BUGGY in excellent condition. 625-2202.†††34-3c

USED GUNS wanted, regardless of condition. Top cash dollar. We buy-sell-trade. Guns galore. Fen-ton, 629-5325.†††24-tfc

NEED ride second shift to Truck and Coach from Clarkston. Starting April 11th. 625-8662.†††33-3c

3 BEDROOM apartment or house. May or June, Clarkston Schools. OR3-1953.†††33-3p

WE BUY junk cars and trucks, \$5.00 to \$100. 334-2148 or 628-3942.†††46-tfc

JUNK CARS WANTED. 24 hour towing. We give \$10 to \$100. 623-7105.†††29-6c

REC. VEHICLES

1972 HONDA 450cc, \$600. 1971 Honda five hundred four, \$850, low mileage. 625-4249.†††33-6p

'74 TRI-SPORT, new 125 CC McCallough engine, 18 h.p., shocks, head rest, seat pad, \$250. 625-8269.†††32-3f

RUPP MAGNUM snowmobile, elec. start, alum. frame. Exc. condition. \$125. 625-8269.†††32-3f

7C YAHAMA ENDURO. \$375 after 5. 625-1488.†††34-3F

1972 KAWASAKI 750, low mileage. Many extras. Make offer. 623-6196.†††32-3p

WANTED TO BUY: all terrain cycle. 625-4984.†††32-3f

SUZUKI 550 parts wanted. 625-5890.†††32-3f

1973 MOTOR HOME. Dodge chassis. 25 foot fully electrically equipped. Top notch shape. 674-1006.†††32-3c

'73 SUZUKI TC-100 road dirt bike. Exc. cond., low mileage, \$300 or best offer. 625-8433.†††33-3f

MINI-BIKE front and rear suspension and brakes. Exc. cond., \$125 or best offer. 625-3868.†††33-3f

1974 KAWASAKI 100 G-5, excellent condition, \$375. 625-5629.†††33-3f

15 FT. 9 INCH Snipe sail boat with trailer, \$700. 623-0064.†††34-3c

1975 YAMAHA Enduro, excellent condition, 625-2973.†††34-3p

FOR RENT

HOME ON Marco Island, Florida. Sleeps 6 comfortably. Pool, fishing, shelling, sailing. Available by week. 625-2100, 625-4222.†††27-tfc

2 ROOM efficiency apartment, carpeted, utilities included. Bachelor. Deposit. 9450 Dixie Hwy.†††32-3p

2 BEDROOMS, 1/2 acre. Lease and reference. Orion Schools, \$185 per month. Available May 1st. 625-3062.†††33-3c

HAVE OPENING for elderly lady in semi-private room. Excellent food, very good care, pleasant surroundings, on lake. Washing included. 627-2019.†††RC31-tf

FOR RENT 2 bedroom furnished apartment. 625-8315.†††34-3c

SENIOR CITIZENS

1 and 2 bedroom apartments as low as 15% of income, depending on income. Office hours 9 to 4:30 Monday through Friday. 334-0924.

An equal housing opportunity

RC30-4

WORK WANTED

2 RELIABLE teenage boys will do all odd jobs. 674-0113, 674-3058.†††32-3f

HANDY MAN. Carpenter work, remodeling, decorating. 681-0050.†††32-3c

DEPENDABLE 14 year old with job ideas, will do almost any summer jobs. 623-0929.†††32-3f

SUPERIOR interior painting and decorating at practical prices. "Practically Paints." Bill, 625-0083.†††32-3f

COLLEGE GIRL would like summer job in recreation or health spa. Beginning the end of April. 625-4416.†††29-dh

HONEST dependable lady seeking housecleaning, Clarkston area. 623-0491.†††34-3f

BABYSITTING in my licensed home on Foster Rd., Springfield Twp. Reasonable price. 625-1358.†††34-3C

WANTED: housecleaning. References, experienced. 698-3235.†††34-3f

WANTED TO RENT

OLDER QUIET COUPLE need furnished 1 bedroom apartment, house or what have you, while house being built. May 25-August 31. 625-3696 after 7pm.†††34-3c

COUPLE with 2 teenagers, dog, cat and horse desperately need to lease with option house on moderate acreage, with out buildings preferred. Any area old or new willing to do repairs. References, excellent job security. 628-0775.†††34-3c

GARAGE SALES

GARAGE SALE: Apr. 14-16, 9-5. Books, clothes, appliances and lots more. 9566 Ellis Rd. M-15 to Rattalee Lake Rd. Follow signs.†††34-1P

GARUMMAGE SALE. Independence Center, Maybee Rd., April 16, 9-6:30pm. Cub Scout Pack 377.†††34-1F

GARAGE SALE, 6700 Princess Lane, Clarkston, 2 p.m. Friday. All day Saturday.†††34-1p

GARAGE SALE* Bedspreads, toys, baby items. Household. April 14, 15, 16, 7794 Holcomb between Reese and Ellis.†††34-1p

GARAGE SALE: 4-H Fund Raiser, April 14, 15, 16, 10am to 5 pm, 9050 Cherokee (N. Eston to Algonquin to Cherokee).†††34-1p

RUMMAGE SALE

RUMMAGE SALE: Blind Recreational Society. All kinds of items, including clothing. Tues. thru Fri. 10-4. 1543 Baldwin, Pontiac, 3 blocks north of Walton next to Dairy Queen.†††29-12c

BEST YET!!
CHRIST CHURCH
CRANBROOK
Rummage Sale

Thursday, April 28,
9a.m. - 2 p.m.

Lone Pine and Cranbrook Roads
Bloomfield Hills

RC34-2

RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE, April 15, 9am-1pm, Sashabaw Presbyterian Church, 5300 Maybee Road.†††34-1F

RUMMAGE SALE

Independence Center
On Maybee Rd. between
Clintonville and Sashabaw

April 16th.

9:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Proceeds for Cub Scouts Pack 377
C-34-1*

PETS

AVAILABLE for stud AKC registered "Red" miniature dachshund, 18 months, excellent health and temperament. Call 625-1038.†††32-3c

KITTY SAYS I'm number one at the number one Kozy Kitty Sitting Service. 373-0856.†††32-3c

DOWNED, DISABLED, dead livestock removal. Prompt service. Live preferred. Call 994-0185. Michigan Livestock Removal Service.†††LC29-6*

GERMAN Shepherd puppies, AKC some silvers, bred for size, friendly, \$75 and up. 625-8633.†††RC33-3

AKC LAB pups, bred out of field champions. Bunker Hill Kennels, 625-2766.†††34-3p

DOBERMAN, 10 months, AKC registered. Champion blood lines. Excellent conformation. Beautiful disposition. Raised with children. 625-3641.†††34-3c

REGISTERED Quarter horse, bay, gentle, pleasure riding. \$500.00. 625-8589 after 5.†††34-3f



I once predicted there would be more than Pontiac Silverdome in that area, and recent development for an ice stadium are bearing me out. I see still a third arena. We'll have hockey, football, baseball and basketball and a new stadium will outrival the one in Kansas City.

A small housefire will be attributed to arson in this area.

This seems to be the year for plane crashes and I believe there will be a lot more before it's over.

The big plane tragedies come in threes, but the small plane crashes seem to be due to poor judgment as much as anything. Small planes seem to give people the feeling of bird-like freedom and they forget they aren't in control as much as birds are.

We'll keep seeing more dresses on the streets and at parties, but pant suits will never, never go out of style. Other than that fashion is going around in circles. Hats are only a fad, and won't last. But watch shoe styles from the past keep cropping up again.

We really will be seeing a lot more smaller cars on the road. People will still buy big cars, but use them more for special occasions. Diesel cars will become popular, both through government incentives and gasoline problems. The diesel will be providing the most for the money.

Public transportation will also be coming back in the form of trains and buses, but they won't be ready for the heavy demand that will come suddenly. We'll settle for vans and mini-buses.

North and South Carolina, Kentucky and Tennessee will be popular vacation spots this year. Good weather will enhance their appeal.

If you want a seashore vacation this year, take a lot of sweaters. The weather will be either really hot or really cold.

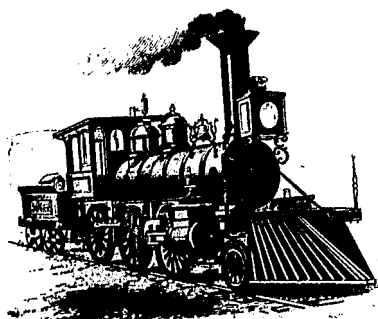
There will be a lot of high winds this summer and a lot of wind damage.

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\$7.00 per yr.
Call: 625-3370



Happy cubs

Winners of Cub Scout Pack #377's Pine Wood derby are: from upper left] Tony Chamberlain, 4th, John Houck, 1st, Byron Pankey 3rd, and Tommy Myers 2nd.





Gay Reina and her filly parade around the yard like two fine females should.



"Powerful one" is already prancing and pawing like a full-grown stallion.

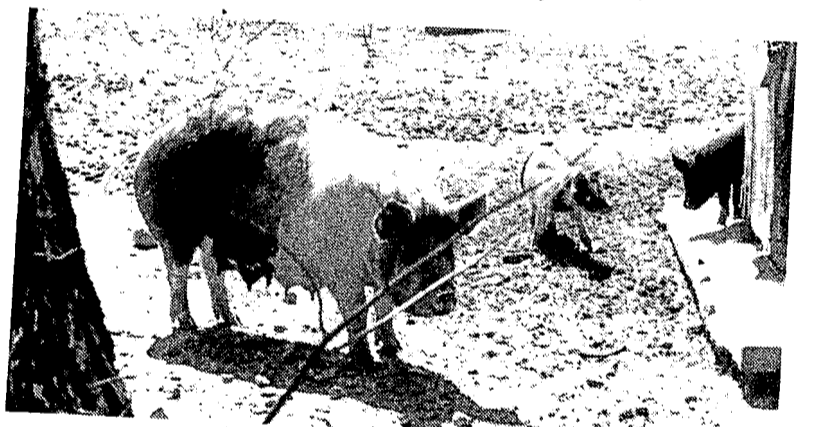
Ah,
spring --
Ah,
youth!



A pure white kitten, harbinger of warmth.



Clarkston Post Office officer in charge Gary Woudstra and Clerk Kay Bliss check a spring shipment of baby chicks.



Piglets on Clarkston Road play peek-a-boo with mom.



Jim's Jotting

by Jim Sherman

Sometimes I get the feeling that everyone over the age of 30 is thinking of retirement. And at the age of 40 it's a certainty. If you began your work career in the right job at 20 you can be retired at 40.

The retirement syndrome overcame me a couple years ago. "Plan for your retirement" investment ads shouted. "See your insurance man today." "Contact Ajax Trust Company now."

Even the government got into the act with the okay of the IRA (Individual Retirement Act). "Put up to \$1500 a year in a sheltered income for your retirement years," they said.

So, three years ago I consulted a bank trust department and read a good deal on the subject. Never did understand it. How can you sign all your property over to a trust and still own this property?

We went in to a company (our own) pension plan. A percent of our pay, plus some contributed by the company went into the biggest mutual stock investment company in our land.

The growth rate after five years was barely out of the red figures. Then the government (in the same retirement act mentioned above) put restrictions on trustees of pensions that forced us to discontinue the

plan.

Then we turned to a law firm that specializes in estate planning. The first thing they did was bring in an insurance man to tell us we should invest in one of his plans. Very discouraging.

We turned to our accountant. Practical John asked, "What do you want to retire for? You own the business. If your son comes in make him keep you on the payroll—you can always do something to earn some money for the company. And, you'll have the payments from him or whoever you might sell to."

With that logic I quit looking into retirement plans.

However, last week, while sitting in the VFW Hall in Perry, a guy introduced himself to me as being my substitute Owosso Argus Press carrier when I had a paper route in Morrice in 1941.

He's 48 now. He's retired from 30 years at Fisher Body in Lansing. He gets \$615 a month retirement and has a job on the side where the income isn't recorded.

He's happy and healthy and two years younger than I am. He's also freer.

I envy people who retire young (under 55) and remain satisfied with life and its offerings. Those others may envy us who cannot or don't want to retire at all.