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Tell Us, Others A Story

Once again, The Clarkston News is inviting its family of readers to share in this season's edition of the newspaper during pre-Christmas season.

Each of us has interesting stories to share relating to the spirit and traditions of the holiday season. These may consist of special Christmas decorating ideas, family customs and stories of past and present generations. You may want to share why you are especially thankful, about a joy or a sorrow, spiritual and secular, relating to this most joyous of occasions. Then again, others among you might want to share some of your holiday recipes, special hobbies relating to toy making, decorations, etc., interesting picture possibilities, etc.

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The process is easy. Simply call any member of the editorial staff at 625-3370 or write down your story and submit it to: The Clarkston News, 5 South Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan 48051.



Corey Parker of Holcomb Street, Clarkston, takes a snowy hill on a ski-shaped glider and slips off into the air. The hills around Clarkston are lively this week as the winter sports season begins.

Considering court

By Kathy Greenfield

Pine Knob's request to build a 20-story hotel has been denied in the last remaining appeal process in Independence Township.

The zoning board of appeals voted 3-0 to uphold Building Department Director Timothy Palulian's denial to issue a building permit at its Nov. 28 special meeting.

After the meeting, attorney Thomas Raguso said he would check with his clients, Pine Knob owners and developers Joseph Locricchio and Gary Francell, to see if they wished to take the matter in court.

"I would expect that they'll want to pursue it," he said.

During the meeting, Raguso based his request on the recreation district ordinance that permits ski resorts.

Although the word "hotel" is not specifically mentioned in the ordinance, Raguso said his opinion was that it a resort area would include a hotel.

"If the (proposed) structure were taken apart, we have all the items that would be granted," he said. "We have an artificial ski hill that would not have been denied in of itself, a parking structure, overnight facilities."

Palulian agreed that a hotel could be interpreted as a related use for a ski resort.

"But in this case, the proposed structure is a principal use and the ski area is an ancillary use. It's just the reverse," he said. "That's what I based my decision on."

Board of appeals member John Dunlop said the term "resort" is nowhere to be found

in legal descriptions, but the proposed hotel would, no doubt, be the main use of the land.

"I find no ski resort which has a hotel of this magnitude," Dunlop said. "I'm going to have to agree with Mr. Palulian that this hotel is going to be a principal use, subject to the Supreme Court of Michigan, probably, in interpreting this ordinance."

Appeals board member Jerry Powell made the motion upholding Palulian's denial.

"To approve the permit would be, in effect, permitting a use which is not allowed in our zoning district," he said.

Dunlop, Powell and Robert Newlin voted "yes." Chairman Mel Vaara and member Paul Menke were absent.

Pine Knob's 600-room, ski-run-roof hotel has been under

consideration by various township bodies since March.

In May, the planning commission recommended Pine Knob ask for a zoning amendment to allow hotels as a use for recreation districts and pursue a height variance from the two-story height limitation presently allowed in the township.

The township board approved the use, but decided to put the height question on an advisory ballot at its Aug. 7 meeting.

At the next township board meeting, the "Let the People Speak Committee" presented petitions requesting that the use question be placed on the ballot as a binding referendum question.

Pine Knob went back to the planning commission with its

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At S-Oaks Rec Center

Grant helps mentally ill with arts

The Northwest Oakland Life Enrichment Coalition (NOLEC) has received a grant from the Michigan Council for the Arts to hire an artist-therapist to work with the mentally ill at the Springfield Oaks Recreation Center.

Through a previous grant, Jeannie West of Troy was hired as a consultant to identify and develop methods for producing fine crafts products which could be made and sold by NOLEC clients.

The current grant will implement West's program.

"Because NOLEC clients live and work in the rural areas of Oakland County, we expect to emphasize fine cottage crafts such as carding wool, spinning it into yarn and skeining it," said

Marian Tucker, NOLEC Program Developer. "We also expect to make items from wood, such as bird houses, trivets and bread boards."

The program will begin as soon as an instructor is hired. Interested persons may address their resumes to Program Developer Tucker at 1279 Oakwood Court, Rochester, Michigan 48063.

NOLEC is also seeking funds through the Oakland County Community Mental Health Service to implement a remunerative work activities program, is aimed at developing self-worth attitudes and independent living and working

skills among the chronically mentally ill in rural Oakland County.

"Some of the people in the NOLEC program have been sitting around for as long as 16 years with their skills going to waste," said Dennis Jacobs, Coordinator of the Brandon-Clarkston-Holly Adult Basic Education Consortium and one of the prime motivators of the NOLEC program.

Jacobs said he looks forward to the time when many of the people from the various A.B.E. programs can come together to Springfield Oaks and

add a new dimension to their lives with a total program that puts their skills to use.

When NOLEC becomes fully operational, the Holly A.B.E. classes (taught by Tom Woodard of Clarkston) and the Springfield Oaks classes (taught by Paula Harrington and Marcia Goodrich of Holly) will join together under the direction head instructor Joan Clements of Ortonville.

Eventually, 50 to 75 men and women, including some not presently involved in the program, will be able to take part in the work, fine crafts, recrea-

tional and socialization activities as well as in Adult Basic Education.

NOLEC members include League-Goodwill of Detroit (which hired the program developer and acts as "umbrella" agency), West Oakland Community Mental Health, Brandon-Clarkston-Holly Adult Education Consortium, Oakland County Parks and Recreation, New Horizons, Inc. of Oakland County, United Community Services, Oakland Planning division and the Oakland County Department of Social Services.

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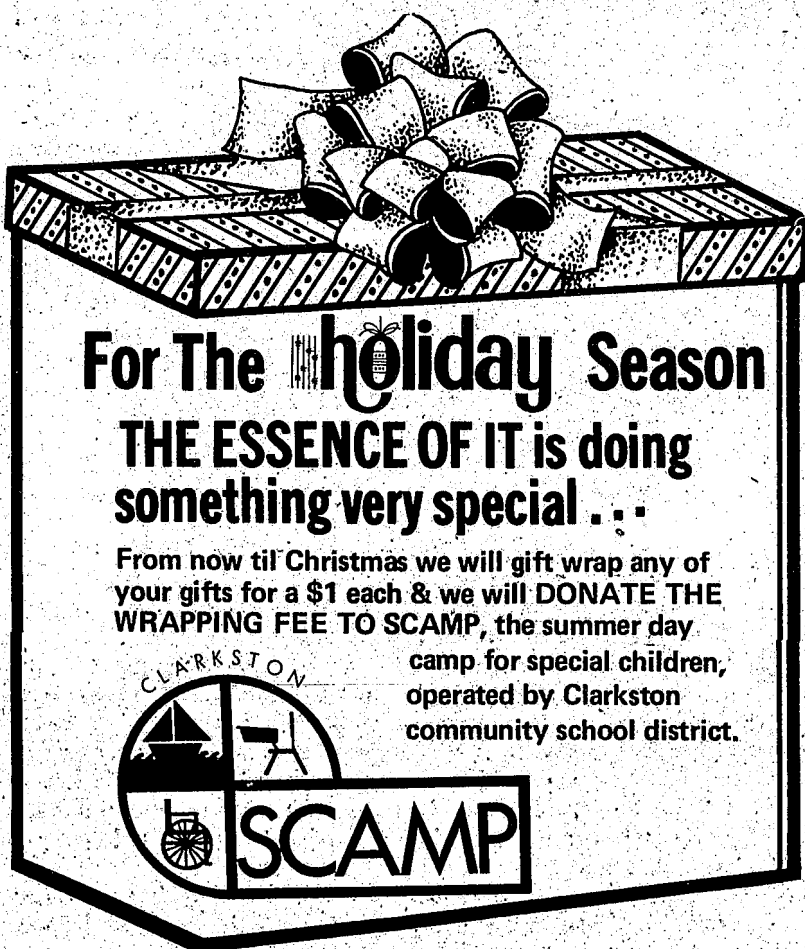
The Village of Clarkston will hold two (2) public hearings on the 1980-81 Community Development Block Grant Funds.

First Public Hearing — Dec. 10, 1979

Second Public Hearing — Dec. 17, 1979

Meetings to be held at:

The Village Hall
375 Depot Road
Time: 7:30 P.M.



Independence police get the ax

By Kathy Greenfield

Two additional Oakland County Sheriff's Department (OCSD) deputies will patrol Independence Township's streets starting Friday, and the township police department will, for all practical purposes, cease operation.

The township board voted 4-3 to dissolve the local department at last night's meeting and increase the OCSD contract to seven deputies.

Voting to abolish the department were Clerk Christopher Rose, Treasurer Frederick Ritter, and Trustees Rudy Lozano and William Vandermark. Dissenting votes were cast by Supervisor Whitey Tower and trustees Jerry Powell and Michael Thayer.

The motion also abolished the local reserve unit, and moved the animal control officer's duties under the DPW department.

Ritter, who made the motion, said his intent is to have the two local officers' last day on the job be Thursday and to have Charles Kimbel, director of police services, stay on duty until Feb. 2 to carry out a reserve contract with Clarkston Schools to cover school functions and "wind down" the local police department.

Also, the time period would allow a mutual service agreement between the OCSD and the township to be made for covering school events, parades and other reserve duties.

The agreement is to be made by Dec. 31. If all services cannot be covered to the satisfaction of the township board, the local reserve unit could be maintained, Ritter said.

Some 30 people attended the meeting, the third involving Ritter's motion to dissolve the local department that was defeated on Nov. 13, followed by a public hearing on the issue at a special meeting Nov. 27.

Discussion at last night's meeting was over one-and-one-half hours long, and mostly supporters of the local department spoke.

The loss of his business, a gas-

oline station on the corner of M-15 and Bluegrass Drive, was blamed on the OCSD by James DeKoninck of Bluegrass Drive, Independence Township.

"I've got a business that's gone," he said. "If we had township people on, it would not have been, because it took the county two hours to get there (during an assault)."

"We need our own police department," he said. "I'd like to have the township board wake up—you're not living in the upper peninsula."

Beverly Clemo of Church Street said she favored the OCSD and asked why local reserve officers are paid when reserve officers in other communities volunteer their time.

"I can't tell you how many hours these men and I donated to the community," said Michael Darby, a local reserve officer. "Each of these reserve officers, since I moved here in 1973 (have) donated 2,000 hours per man."

Lyn Mead said he became a township reserve officer in May.

Those who joined the reserve force "did it because we want a police department in our community," he said. "We don't want to go with the county. It really bothers me that you're considering dumping (the local department)."

"I think it's time that you realized that you're growing," he said. "You've got to have a police department for yourself."

The need for more police protection was also discussed.

"I'd hate to see Oakland County come out and consume us and do away with our department," said Sgt. Charles Smalley of the local reserve unit. "I feel the township board owes to the people they represent to increase police protection and not discourage it."

In the 24 years he has lived in the community, George Gray of Middle Lake Road, Clarkston, said he has had positive experience with both departments.

"I'm happy primarily and largely with the way the police are operating," he said. "We

just don't have enough policemen."

Before Ritter made the motion to dissolve the department, he said the issue is financial.

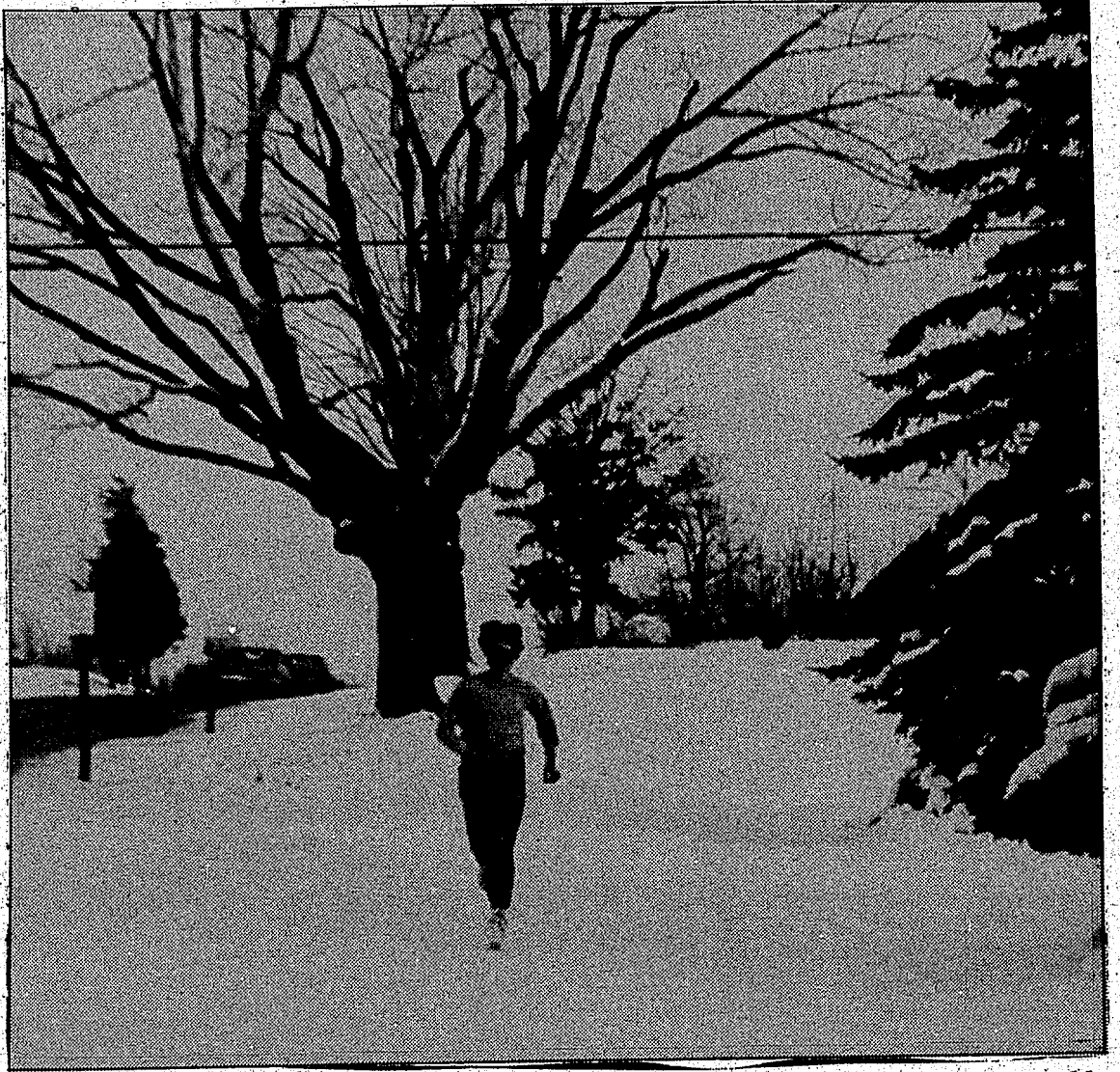
"We couldn't offer the same service on the same level for the

same money," he said. "The thinking behind the county contract, there's continuity, there's back-up."

"We have a township board and we have to make a decision," he said. "If the voters

like it, they can vote a millage and if they don't, we'll all be out in the street next November."

Ritter and Tower were named by the board to work on the mutual service agreement with the OCSD.



Joggers like Gary Anderson of Cramlane Road, Independence Township, would probably put safety paths to use year-round. Gary was jogging Monday after school just for the exercise, he says. He describes jogging in the snow in a word—"Cold!"

Not just for bikes

Safety paths in Spring?

By Al Zawacky

Prospects for construction of a bicycle-safety path in Independence Township sometime this spring appear bright, according to Joe Figa, chairman of the Independence Township Safety Path Committee.

"The question that needs to be resolved is the matter of funding," Figa said. "There appears to be good community support for the paths, but we're still uncertain as to where the money can be found."

Figa said that in Waterford Township, where a system of paths is currently being built, voters approved a millage increase to fund the construction.

"Hopefully, a millage request won't be necessary—we plan on drawing upon surplus, community development or revenue sharing funds," Figa said. "But the possibility of using a millage increase will be one of our recommendations to the planning commission."

Appointed by the planning commission, the committee has

been studying the bike path concept for over a year. The exact location of the proposed paths has yet to be decided, but Figa stressed that the use would not be limited to bicycles.

"We're referring to them as safety, rather than bike paths—they'll be open for use by all types of non-motorized transportation. The paths are approximately eight feet wide, so there'll be plenty of room for joggers, pedestrians and bicycles," Figa said.

The existence of a practical system of bike paths is especially useful from an energy and safety standpoint as well as from a recreational point of view, said Figa.

"The benefits are really a little of everything—as an energy saver, the paths can be used to commute from school as well as for shopping, fitness and the safety of bicyclists of all ages," Figa said. "In the evening, many youngsters participate in school activities when there aren't any buses available—the paths would provide a safe means of transportation."

Peg Wiederhold, who handles the committee's public relations duties, said that one proposal would link the Waterford paths and the Independence system, providing maximum convenience.

"By connecting the two, bicycle riders could travel from Independence all the way to the wave pool in Waterford on a safe and direct route," Wiederhold said. "There's no question that a route such as that would be used extensively."

Figa also said that the width and smooth asphalt surface would permit the safe operation of bicycles at speed ranging up to 25 miles per hour.

"There's always the problem of kids traveling too fast on the paths, which is why we're promoting the safety angle, to familiarize everyone with how to properly use the paths without endangering anyone," Figa said.

"The eight-foot width all but rules out any bad situations occurring—areas that have the paths, have had good citizen response with very few problems."

Independent view

Some familiar faces will be on hand Friday at the Somerset Mall entertaining shoppers with holiday songs.

The Clarkston High School Concert Choir and Madrigal Singers will perform at 2 p.m. at the mall located at 2801 W. Big Beaver, Troy.

Any singer who would like to join voices with others during Christmas Eve Midnight Music at Colombiere Center's chapel may attend the rehearsal.

The practice session is scheduled at 4 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 16, at the center, 9075 Big Lake, Springfield Township.

To let them know you're planning to attend, call music director Ivan Rouse at 625-3640 or the Rev. John Dister at Colombiere at 625-5611.

In the Nov. 21 issue of The Clarkston News, the photograph of the Clarkston High School color guard holding the flag during the Band-O-Rama concert was incorrectly identified.

The girl pictured is Cindy Ann Hawley of Sashabaw Road, Independence Township.



Social worker Garry Pullins moved into the new Clarkston Youth Assistance Committee office Monday. The office is in the Senior Citizens' Center near Clintonville Park on Clarkston Road in Independence Township. "The seniors were very gracious in letting me come here . . ." said Pullins about his new quarters.

Seniors help juniors

Thanks to the generosity of area senior citizens, Clarkston Youth Assistance Committee is able to maintain an office in Independence Township.

Social worker Garry Pullins moved his office to the Senior Citizens Center on Clarkston Road last Monday. The move was necessitated by the closing of Independence Center.

"The seniors were very gracious in letting me come here," said Pullins. "We're very appreciative of their offer."

Pullins, who works through and is paid by the Oakland County Juvenile Court, sees between 15 and 20 area youths each week.

Pullins sees most of his students at school, although he said he would prefer to counsel

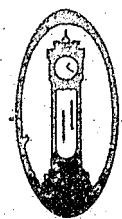
them at his office. While there is no charge for his services, Pullins said he still finds parents hesitant toward providing students with transportation to his office.

Clarkston Youth Assistance

Committee is sponsored by Clarkston Schools and Independence Township.

Pullins, who lives in Waterford Township, has been working in this area for over four years.

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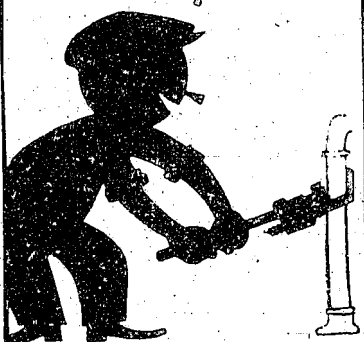
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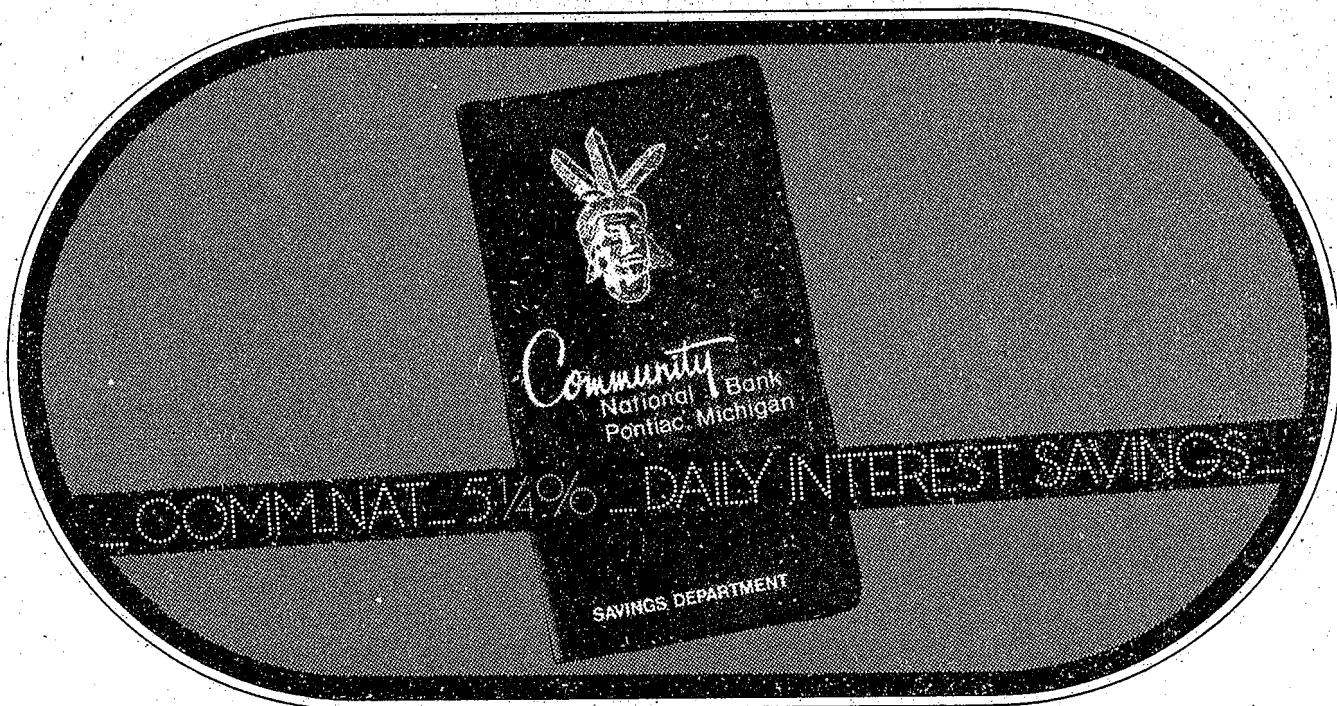
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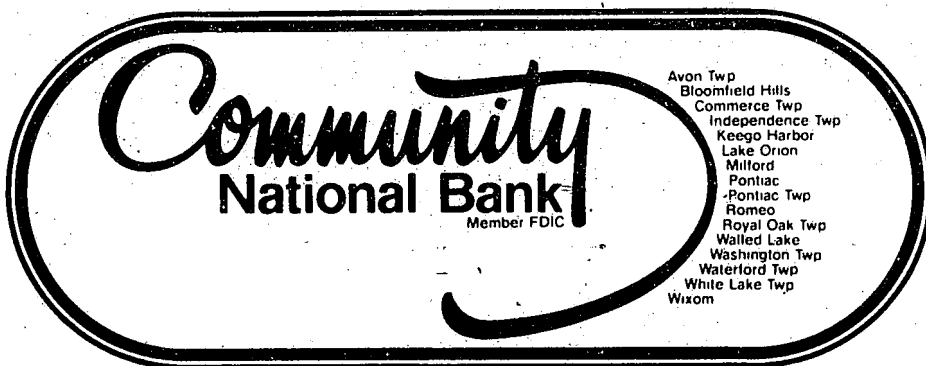
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Here's Herb

By Herb Rose

Somebody gave me a bird feeder, an act of apparent kindness which is actually more diabolically insidious than giving someone the first book of a 72 volume encyclopedia or a Barbie doll with an empty clothes closet.

The feeder is of limited value to the birds when on the floor behind the green chair.

Of course, an extremely intelligent and determined bird might hammer on the door, then stoically march behind the chair in a rarely equaled demonstration of aggressive tenacity.

Also, if the house were left unguarded we might return and find entry had been forced by a band of marauding chickadees.

When I considered moving the feeder outside, I decided that the effort of mounting it on a post would be a violation of my religious principles for I'm a devout lazy man.

I felt that by nailing a few boards together I could simply attach it to the existing window box.

One Sunday afternoon while constructing this attaching device, I executed a program of mistakes that must have been similar to the one Murphy of Murphy's Law fame had in mind.

As the mounting bracket grew in size and complexity I realized that its weight, plus the weight of the feeder, the feed and an anemic jay would be sufficient to trigger instant detachment from the window box.

Smugly exuding foresight I created a joint that Sampson in his vilest humor couldn't have wrenched loose.

With mixed emotions I noted that the bracket stayed on the window box, but that the window box did not stay on the house.

The birds watching this fiasco had formed little groups, chuckling among themselves pointing and demonstrating no doubt,

trenchant wit.

In the following weeks, I developed a number of ways of attaching the feeder support to the house. These ways reflected a number of design concepts, none of which worked.

Finally with a well-balanced combination of attaching hardware and profanity I had an installation that should support a herd of roosting ostriches or the crash landing of a wounded eagle.

By now so much time had passed that I would have satisfied the bird's gastronomical demands faster if I had planted an acorn and waited until the oak was strong enough to support the feeder.

The birds had stopped laughing and were beginning to cabal in a nasty group.

After the birds had been quieted and approved the bracket's structural integrity, I painted it green to blend with the adjacent trees.

My reason was that only the sharp-eyed birds would be able to see the feeder. The myopic birds would starve and I would improve the strain.

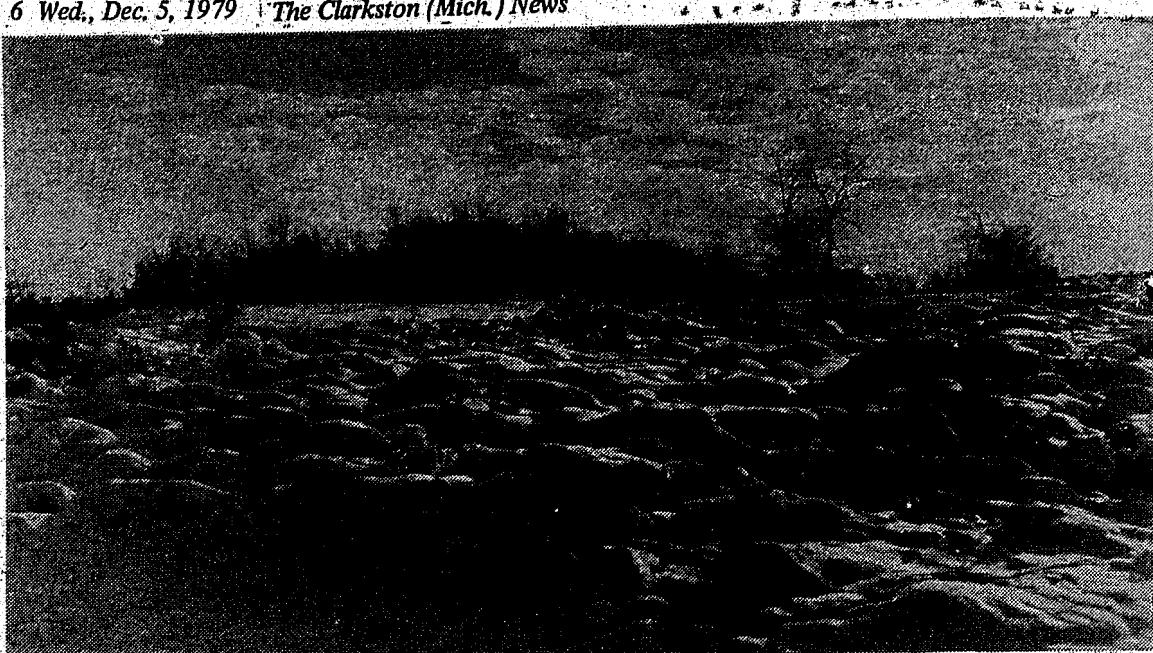
The reasoning may have been flawed as the green showed clearly evidence of birds having been there.

I thought of putting something in the feed to color the output, but I was afraid that I might induce traumatic shock in the birds when they first saw green guano.

I don't think I could deal with too many avian psychos.

I am now told that if I stop feeding the birds after they have become dependent upon the feeder, they will die of starvation.

I must decide whether to allocate funds to feeding birds forever or adjust to the idea of dead birds lying under the feeder with their feet stuck straight in the air and a look of forlorn neglect on their faces.



Snow adds frosting to the brown weeds growing in a field off Miller Road, Independence Township. On Monday, the sunshine mixed with clouds resulted in an out-of-this-world scene.

Letters to the editor

Appalled at wrestling room

Gentlemen:

As a parent (who, incidentally always supported the millage) I was appalled at the condition of the room used for wrestling practice at Clarkston High School.

Not only is the room dirty, it is used for equipment storage (said equipment having to be removed each day by the boys on the wrestling team before they can use the room).

However, its worst fault is the padding on the walls which is torn and hanging loose and in approximately half the room is missing entirely. (I understand this padding was originally installed by a former coach who was concerned about his students' safety.)

This poses a threat of serious injury to any wrestler who should be inadvertently thrown against the wall.

For safety's sake, this is a situation that must be corrected immediately.

Any student participating in

any school activity deserves safe surroundings, and it should be the number one priority of the administration, the board and

the citizens of the community to see that they are provided.

Sincerely,

Joan E. Carr

Clean own walks

Dear editor:

A reminder to Village residents—the snow has started and our winter chores have begun. Our ordinance states that you are responsible for your own sidewalks.

We no longer have CETA help.

The Village Council commends Gar Wilson for the excellent job he does of keeping our Village streets free of snow.

Fontie ApMadoc
Village President

Intend no offense

The following is in response to the "Clarkston News Subscriber, Leonard Kerzka" letter:

Dear Mr. Kerzka:

When someone who doesn't know me particularly well finds out that I am attempting to write a column on a regular basis, he is apt to ask: "What is your column about?"

The only answer to which I am

reasonably confident is, "Oh, about a page and a half."

If, however, I am not sure as to what the column is about, I am mortally certain it is not meant to be offensive.

It is obvious my column of Nov. 7th offended you and for that offense I apologize.

Herb Rose



Jim's jottings

In search of a bubble

by Jim Sherman

I just knew when Tuesday started out with a flat tire it was going to be a bad day.

It was almost disappointing to find it was otherwise no different from other Tuesdays.

Then I started thinking about flat tires I have known. Opposite corners of our garden tractor have a habit of leaking...at the same time.

We have three bicycles in the basement. Two have flat tires.

And, as the man said, some of my best friends are flat tires.

Nevertheless, for the number of miles I drive in a year, over 50,000,

flat tires are an elusive thing.

I remember having three flat tires on the way to Pretty Lake near Mecosta about 20 years ago.

So what has happened? Are tires better? Do I drive in safer places? Are there fewer piercing objects on the roads?

Are tubeless tires less easily punctured?

Maybe some tireman can answer these questions.

The garden tractor tire problem was a challenge. I figured the leak had to be around the rim. The seating lubricant dried out or something. Without asking a repair-

man I deducted the goop they put around the beading of the tires when they change them could be about anything from soap to grease, but not glue.

I tried soap the first time, grease the second. In between times, while thinking of reasons for not taking the tire off the tractor, I did a lot of pumping.

One day while in a gas station, I watched a fellow check for leaks. He had a squeeze bottle of well diluted soap that he squirted all over the tire. He stopped squirting when he saw bubbles.

Ah, ha! I can do that. I raided Hazel's cabinet for the liquid Palmolive and headed for the basement.

Post haste I removed the tire and started squirting.

Narry a bubble came.

One last try at the old fashioned dunking method. The bubbles started. But they weren't at the rim. They were smack dab in the middle of the tread.

So, with all my penny pinching, conniving, and shrewdness, I ended up where I should have been in the first place....in the tire shop.

Phone calls bring many 'thanks'

By Kathy Greenfield

Each week Lois Powell calls 28 people just to say hello and ask how they're feeling.

The purpose of her calls, however, is more than just being friendly. Lois is a volunteer for Service with Love, a program conducted by Pontiac General Hospital (PGH) designed to make daily telephone contact with senior

citizens, 95 percent of whom are shut-ins.

It's a job she wouldn't trade. "I love it. It's a terrific program," she said. "I can't say enough good things about it."

"It gives me a chance to talk to the people. It's really important to them that somebody cares. There isn't one of them that doesn't say thanks at least once during the conversation."

Lois started volunteering as a Service with Love caller at Independence Center which ceased operation last month.

"When the center closed, I was looking for another volunteer job and I found it in the senior center," Lois said.

Because she enjoyed taking part in Service with Love and wanted to make sure the program continued, Lois asked the director of the Independence Senior Center if it could be run from there.

She got her okay, and beginning the first of the year, Lois will coordinate the telephone service with some of the senior citizens also making the calls.

The eight or nine callers who previously volunteered their service from Independence Center now call from their homes, and most will also begin calling from the senior center in January.

"Because Independence Center closed down, Service with Love didn't stop," Lois said.

The volunteers call to say hello and make sure the people are alright, and Lois said she'll chat awhile if the person feels like talking.

If the person is not feeling well, the volunteer is to call PGH, which Lois said she has only done once.

"It was more my emergency than the prison," Lois said. "The lady I called, it sounded like she wasn't feeling well."

But Lois later learned, as she got to know the woman's voice, all was fine.

More volunteers are needed to lighten the load of some volunteers who, like Lois, make calls up to three days a week, and Lois highly recommends volunteering for Service with Love.

"It's a real ego trip," she said. "It really makes you feel good to do something like that, and it's just yacking on the phone. It's something that's really important to the people you've been calling."

Each person on the list provided by PGH is called daily, although volunteers usually call on people on their list only one day a week.

Those wishing to volunteer may call Lois at 674-3784.

Those who have names of people who would benefit from being called may contact Vivian Veardin, director of volunteer service at PGH, at 857-7232.



Lois Powell's calls to senior citizens for Service with Love are a bright spot in her day. The calls used to be made from Independence Center, but now that it has closed, they will be made from the Independence Township Senior Citizen Center.

'If it Fitz. . .'

Alice speaks for him

by Jim Fitzgerald



Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, the Moslem basketball player, told a newspaper reporter: "The shah of Iran has a long criminal record, and his regime was propped up by the United States for a long time. But as an American, I hope no harm comes to any of the hostages."

That's nice. But it would have been nicer if he'd said: "But as a HUMAN BEING, I hope no harm comes to any of the hostages."

Jingoism can be voiced in a wide range of decibels. Abdul-Jabbar was quiet. He is an American, so he doesn't want other Americans hurt. He didn't say he wouldn't care what harm came to the hostages if they were German, or Irish, or whatever. But the implication was there.

Most American jingoists, in the face of the hostage outrage in Iran, are noisier than Abdul-Jabbar. They are so patriotic they want to send in the Marines, or drop a big bomb, or take revenge on Iranians living in the United States.

It has become fashionable for United States citizens to be as mad at Iran today as they were at Japan on Dec. 7, 1941. Such righteous anger on behalf of

our nation makes it easy to forget that all human beings bleed red, no matter what flag they salute. There is evil inherent in all nationalism, but the local storm trooper can't see it in himself nearly as easily as he can see it in some dumb foreigner on the other side of the border.

As the class clown who knows his limitations, I don't usually preach on international politics. Today is no exception. But I do want to tell you the story Alice A. Arnott of Wyandotte told me. Here it is, in her words, with no added comment from the clown:

"We all know what terrible wars have been fought in the name of religions, and I am saddened by the recent events against my country in Iran and in other Moslem countries. I am sorry that Moslem sects are fighting one another. In the light of eternity, it all seems so futile."

"During the winter of 1974, my husband, Elmer J. Arnott, was a terminal patient for many weeks in the Henry Ford Hospital. During that time he had several roommates. One evening they brought in a young Arab who had been on a kidney machine for some time. His

kidneys had simply stopped functioning...

"That great staff at Henry Ford had provided me with a reclining chair so I could take a nap while on all-night watches with my husband. But I did no napping that night, sitting there between a dying Christian and a dying Moslem. My husband was in a coma and could no longer pray, but this beautiful young Arab kept calling on Allah in such agonizing and beseeching tones that I can never recall them without weeping."

"The night nurse had told me his friends had brought him to the hospital and left him there. Here he was dying in a strange country, among people who didn't understand his language, his customs, his religious tenets. And all I could do was wipe his face with a cool washcloth and pat his head and his hand from time to time so he would realize he was not alone in that room."

"I knew there was a mosque in Dearborn and, at the end of that interminable night, I went to the nearest phone and called the Dearborn City Hall, long before the regular opening hour. I was hoping someone on early duty would tell me how to get in touch

with someone at the mosque. A woman with a lovely voice answered the phone. I was almost incoherent as I explained the plight of the young Arab, but she understood and said: 'I belong to the Islamic mosque. There will be someone there within an hour.' Allah had heard his son's prayer."

"A little while later I looked down the corridor and saw several men in turbans, and I suppose the nice imam at the East Dearborn Mosque may have been among them. And it was comforting to know the dying young man would have his own people with him."

"It was no coincidence that this young Moslem was moved in with my husband for just those few hours. Nor was it by chance that I, a Roman Catholic, should be so touched by his appeals to Allah that a phone call would be made to try to find help for him. Again, it was not a coincidence that a dear Moslem lady should answer that phone in the Dearborn City Hall at an unusually early hour."

"No, It was Divine Providence. Isaiah 49:15 says it so well: 'See! I will not forget you...I have carved you on the palm of my hand.'"

Great gift

The need for blood has no holiday.

The American Red Cross must collect 950 to 1,000 pints of blood each day to meet the needs of patients in 75 Detroit metropolitan area hospitals.

On Monday, Dec. 10, a Red Cross Blood Mobile will be at the Davisburg Methodist Church, 803 Broadway, Springfield Township, from 2 to 8 p.m. For appointment, call 624-3373 during blood drive hours.

The need for blood donations is particularly high during the holiday season, said William Shafer, director of the Southeastern Michigan Regional Red Cross Blood Services.

"Group donations are usual-

ly down due to industrial shutdowns; there are fewer collection days, and fewer donors who take the time to donate," he said. "But we still have hospital patients who need blood."

People between the ages of 18 (17 with parental consent) and 66 and in good general health can give blood.

Appointments for blood donations may also be made at the Bloomfield Donor Center, 2388 Franklin, Bloomfield Hills on Monday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 2 to 8 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The blood center will be open Christmas Eve from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. For an appointment, call 334-3584.

Center hosts the holiday the "old fashioned" way

The Drayton Plains Nature Center, 2125 Denby Road in Drayton Plains, will be hosting an "Old Fashioned Christmas Social" Dec. 15 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Featured will be displays in the manufacture of old-fashioned Christmas arts and

crafts such as holiday wreaths, Christmas candles and ornaments.

The Christmas craft items, homemade candy, Christmas cookies and pottery items ranging from flower pots to dishes will all be on sale. A turkey raf-

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Wetlands

Critical resource vanishing, Kammer

By Kathy Greenfield

Wetlands are still fairly common in Independence and Springfield townships.

But as more and more land is developed and land values increase, the added expense of preparing swampy areas for building becomes financially worthwhile for developers.

And the merits of the Michigan wetlands bill currently awaiting a vote in the State House of Representatives are still a matter of controversy.

Introduced early this year by State Sen. Kerry Kammer (D-Pontiac), the bill has been amended several times and should be voted on in the House before the end of the year, after which it will return to the Senate, Kammer said.

"I don't think there have been many crippling amendments," he said. "For most people's money, it's an extremely strong bill."

The bill would require state permits before dredging, filling, draining and/or building could take place in a wetland area.

The bill is necessary because wetlands are "critical and vanishing resources," Kammer said. "Seventy-five percent have been destroyed in the last 100 years (at a rate of) 6,500 acres annually in Michigan."

Independence is one of the only five municipalities across the state with a wetlands ordinance, according to Kammer's office.

"Probably if all townships adopted ordinances, the state wouldn't have to intercede," Kammer said.

There are those who do not agree with Kammer on his assessment of the strength of the bill, as well as those who would rather not see a state wetlands bill at all.

"I prefer the local control," said Tod Kilroy, Independence Township's planning consultant. "There's the ability to police the thing. The township has people from the community constantly out in the community letting the (building department) know things are happening and they have to be taken care of."

Independence Township's wetlands ordinance was amended earlier this year, reducing the minimum size of wetlands requiring a local permit from 10 to two acres.

In the past year, about "two or three" developments have required wetlands permits, Kilroy said.

Also in favor of local control is Darel Adams, president of the North Oakland County Builders Association and an In-

dependence Township resident.

"I think development is necessary, but I think it should grow the way the community wants it, not the way the state wants it to," he said.

There have been no problems that he knows of with developers meeting the Independence wetlands ordinance requirements, he said, and in Springfield, where he presently is building, zoning regulations cover wetlands activities.

The importance of protecting wetlands areas was stressed by two employees of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

With construction of a subdivision, natural run-off of water that is usually about 1 percent becomes 40 to 50 percent, said Hal Harrington, water quality administrator who works out of the Pontiac DNR office.

Wetlands become more and more important as land is developed, he said, because they provide such functions as weed control and water quality protection for the lakes, places for wildlife and fish to breed, retention basins to prevent floods and avenues for infiltration of waters that eventually provide clean drinking water.

"For southeast Michigan, a wetlands bill may be more important than in any other area," he said. "Southeast Michigan is unique in that most of the lots around lakes that are buildable have been used."

Because lake property is so valuable in the area, it is worthwhile for builders to take on the added expense of filling in wetlands area, he said. Although Harrington said he was at first enthusiastic about the proposed wetlands bill, he now has some reservations.

"I'll bet that thing has had about 20 amendments to it and it has been tabled a dozen times," he said. "There have been some amendments made, from environmental standards, that are not good. From an administration standpoint, a wetlands bill in southeast Michigan would be a good thing, but one that has been amended to death and doesn't have any teeth is more of a nightmare to administer," he said.

Although he would rather see a stronger wetlands bill, Charles Wolverton, resource specialists with the Lansing DNR, said the bill seems to be a fair compromise.

"It's a good place to begin with," he said. "An ideal bill never comes out—it's a series of compromises."

Local control over wetlands

would be okay if there was more experience at the local level, he said.

"It's very difficult work and it takes more experience than most people have," he said. "In many parts of the local government and county government and even the state, there is a lack of experience in identifying wetlands."

Despite criticism of his bill, Kammer said he is still very supportive of it.

There are only a few states across the nation that have adopted wetlands bills, he said.

"The (federal) Environmental Protection Agency has told us they think our measure is the strongest measure that has been introduced in the country," he said.

The bill, if approved in its present form, would strengthen regulations currently under the 1977 federal Clean Water Act and the state Inland Lake and Streams Act, Kammer said.

The bill defines a wetland as "land characterized by the presence of water at a frequency and duration sufficient to support...wetland vegetation or aquatic life and is commonly referred to as a bog, swamp or marsh."

Unless the wetland is adjacent to a lake or stream, it must be five acres or larger to fall under the bill's guidelines.



Cattails are common in wetland areas.

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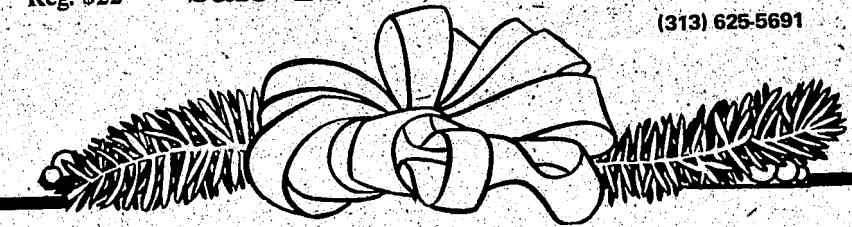
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MSU, South Africa and Dow

Bill Myers



Editor's note: Bill Myers, was co-publisher of the Lapeer County Press, 1935-1960, and of the Davison Index, 1957-67. Currently living in Boca Raton, Fla. and "unemployed."

Flying over the Atlantic leaves you with not much to do except ruminate. You leave Kennedy too late for dinner, and too early for bedtime—such as bedtime is when you go tourist.

So I look out the starboard window toward Africa—in this case, South Africa. And I recall a conversation with my friend Millard Proyer of Ann Arbor, Mich.

Millard has to wear two or three hats. By family tradition he is a manufacturer, a former officer of the Detroit Stock Exchange. That's his right field hat. His left field hat is conveniently worn as one of the community dominated by the University of Michigan, in which he takes an active part.

His center field hat is the one worn as a trustee of Albion college, a private college some 50 miles west of Ann Arbor. Not quite as venerable as the U of M but almost. And well-respected academically, and financially.

Financially, because it is one of the few private colleges that has a full enrollment these days, and is balancing its budget. Albion like any other institution handling endowment funds, has been pressured to sell any security of a company doing business in South Africa.

"So what are you doing, Millard?" I asked, "Selling 'em?"

"We look at it rather simply," he said. "if we sell these stocks, then somebody else will buy them, won't

they? Anything solved?"

My question wasn't precisely answered, but as I looked over the names of other trustees of Albion, I came across that of Carl Gertsacker, chairman of the finance committee of mighty Dow Chemical Co., and formerly its chief executive officer.

This gets us around to a recent incident that surfaced in the newspapers about Michigan State University. Formerly derided as "the cow college" when its function was primarily agricultural, Michigan State has long since lost its rural conservatism, and now sends its quota of marchers to the May Day parade.

A hallmark of the new liberalism is to hate South Africa. Ruled by a minority. Privileges are denied to the non-whites. Down with apartheid!

Ruled by a minority, yes, as is every country in Africa. And most of the Mid East. And most of Asia, and China above all. And Mexico and Central American, and most of South America.

The minority in Africa happens to be white, which is bad. No matter that when the whites came to Africa in the 16th century, there were no native blacks in South Africa—only some nomadic tribes, including the Hottentots, who were of Arabic origin. So whose country is it by virtue of original settlers?

Leaving aside a couple of the oil-rich African nations—Nigeria and Libya, the per capita income of South Africa leads the rest of the continent. Its literacy rate of over 80 percent leads the others, with Rhodesia the only one close.

And granted there are some silly laws about separate windows at the post offices, separate lines at the supermarkets. The customs are hooted at in the South African papers and the government is asked to

change them. When we were there three years ago, the law was changed that a black could own a horse that race at the track. High Time! chorused editorials. Big deal! said I.

Why, their regulations are as crazy as the Jim Crow laws in the U.S. 25 years ago when a green curtain was drawn across one end of the dining car to insure no-bi-racial dining. They're as bad as when the Palm Beach airport was originally designed, the drawings were sent back to the architect because there weren't separate toilets for blacks and whites. Not so long ago, either.

But to get back to forcing colleges to sell stocks of business that do business in South Africa. That is when Dow Chemical was prompted to write to Michigan State University, which had accepted gifts in the past from Dow.

Somehow I saw the fine hand of the crusty Carl Gertsacker in the letter that the president of Michigan State got from Dow. The letter went something like this:

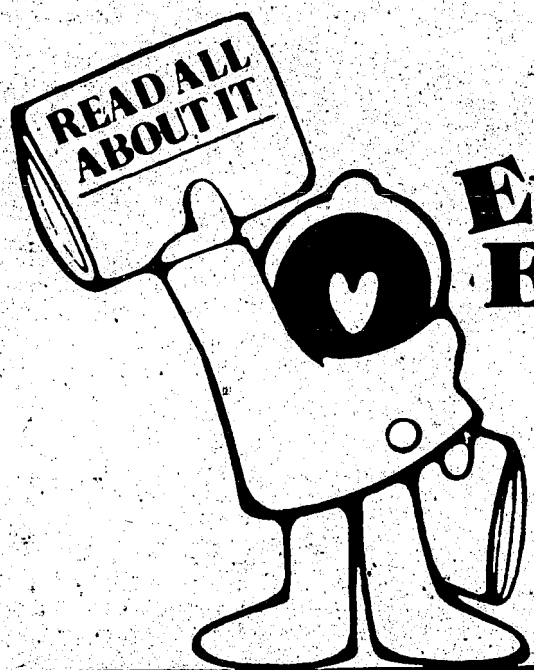
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We note that your university is about to dispose of stock from its endowment fund of companies who do business in South Africa.

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Dow Chemical Co.

I read the papers closely for many days, following the publication of that letter, but no reply ever appeared.

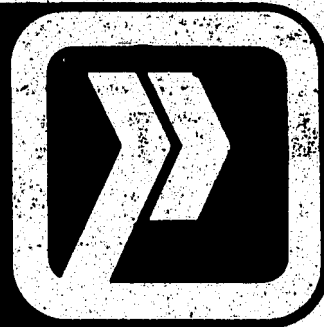


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It's that time of year again. Christmas is coming and with it the annual Christmas Bird Count.

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The date is Saturday, December 15, and census takers' autos will bear identifying signs: one a two-foot white placard with blue-lettered "Oakland Audubon Bird Count," the other a black-on-yellow 8x5 inch sign reading "Official Vehicle/National Audubon Society/80th Annual International Christmas Bird Count...."

Residents within the 117-square-mile, 15-mile-diameter count circle, centered at Lapeer and Indianwood Roads, also are encouraged to participate.

Bird feeders should be kept filled during the weeks previous to the count as well as on Saturday, December 15. Winter feeding, however, should not be undertaken unless feeders are to be maintained throughout the cold months, as birds may become dependent on this food and may suffer seriously if the supply is withdrawn.

Competent feeder and yard watchers may participate more actively by keeping a list of the

species and numbers of each seen on December 15. These lists, properly accompanied by written name, address, phone number, number of watching hours, and \$1.50 fee per participant (which contributes to the organization and publication of the international project) may be delivered to official census takers identified as described above.

Or competent interested persons wishing to keep lists, have census takers come to their homes, report unusual birds, or seek further information may contact the CBC compiler, Eillie Cox, 531-9221, before December 15. Base of operations on December 15 will be in the Peterson Lodge at Camp Agawam, on Clarkston west of M-24.

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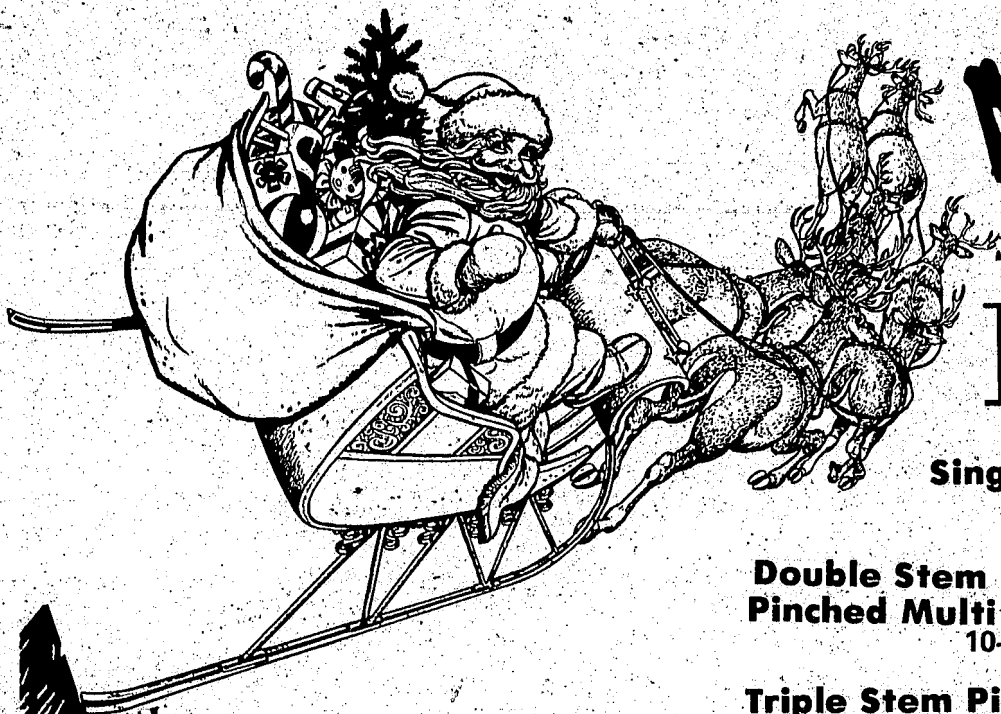
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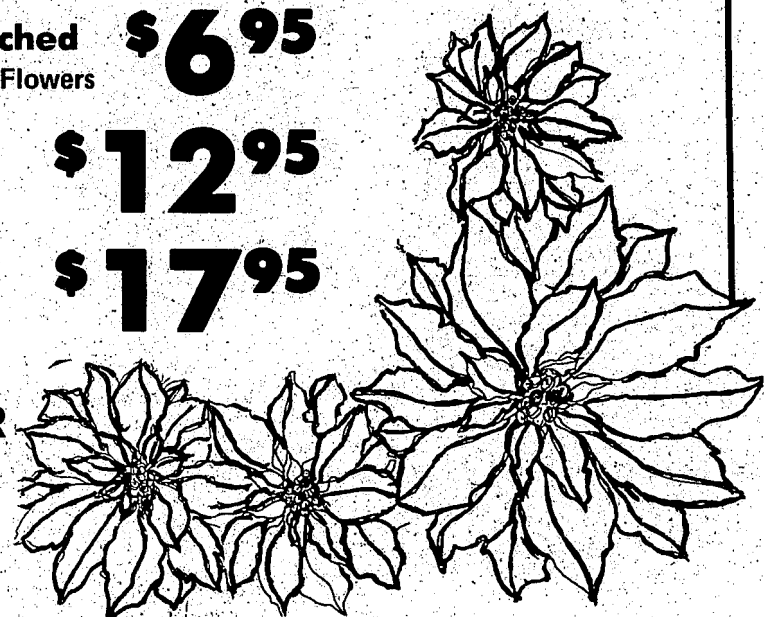
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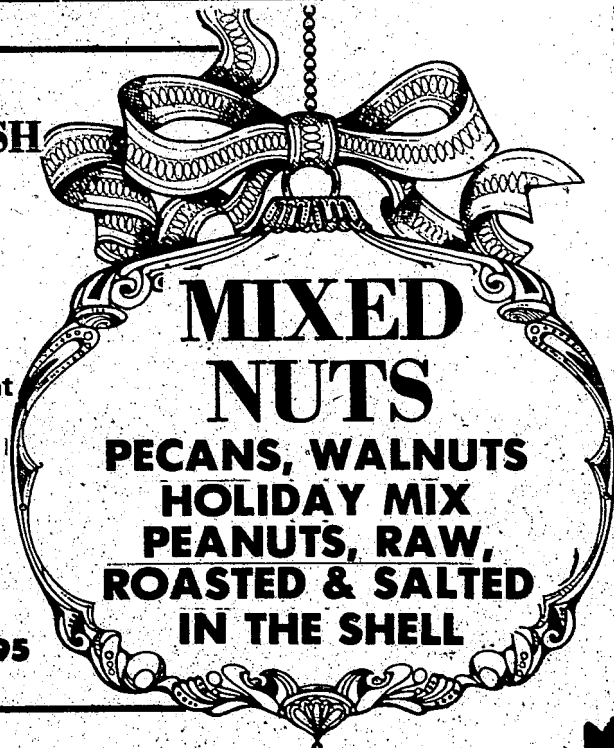
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For more information, call 1-634-4224 in Holly collect.

Appeals end

(Continued from Page 1)

site plans on Oct. 4. The commission recommended zoning board of appeals approval of the hotel use with reservations about the height in a 4-3 vote.

On Oct. 16, township voters denied the hotel use, rescinding the township board's approval, in a 71 percent majority.

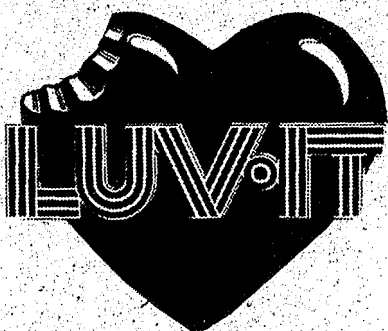
Seventy-five percent of the

voters also recommended denial of the height and variance.

The zoning board of appeals dismissed the hotel use and height variance requests under the township attorney's recommendation on Oct. 24.

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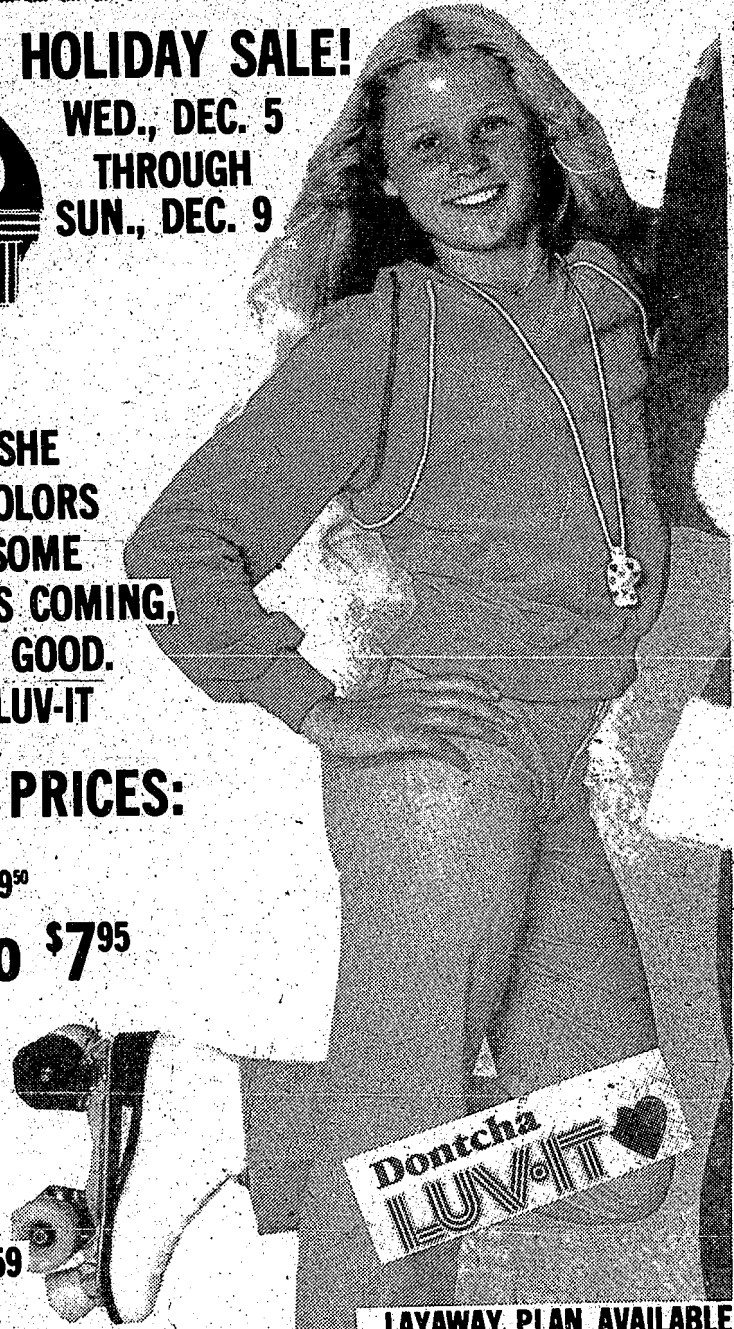
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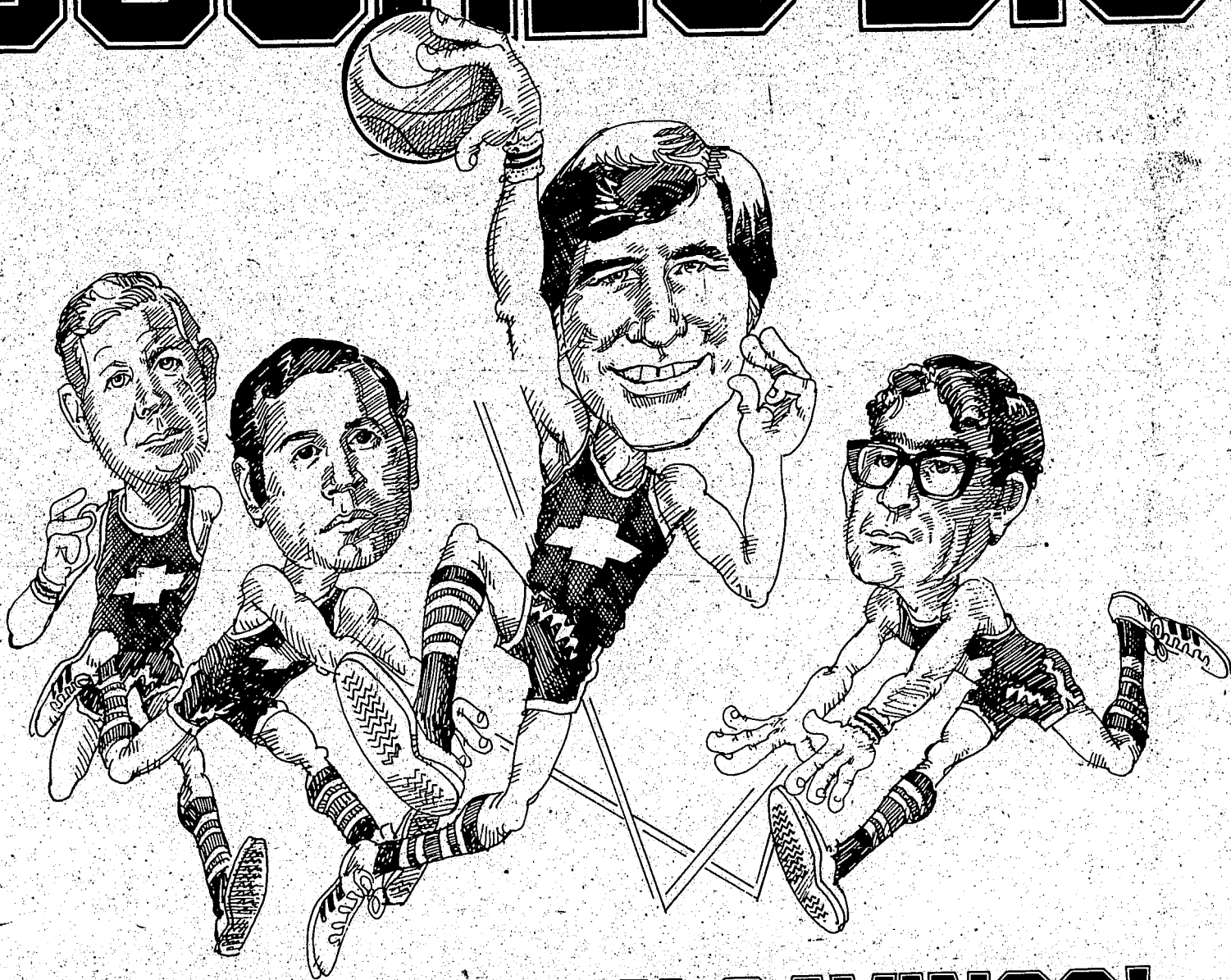
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Jan. 2	Filint Carmen	Away 6:15
Jan. 4	West Bloomfield	Away 6:15
Jan. 8	Mott	Home 6:30
Jan. 11	Milford	Away 6:30
Jan. 15	Grand Blanc	Home 6:30
Jan. 18	Rochester	Home 6:30
Jan. 22	Rochester Adams	Away 6:15
Jan. 25	Andover	Home 6:30
Jan. 29	Pontiac Central	Away 6:15
Feb. 1	Kettering	Home 6:30
Feb. 5	Township	Home 6:30
Feb. 8	West Bloomfield	Home 6:30
Feb. 12	Davison (JV)	Home 6:30
Feb. 13	Davison (V)	Silverdome 5:20
Feb. 15	Milford	Home 6:30
Feb. 22	Rochester	Away 6:15
Feb. 26	Lakeland	Home 6:30

Varsity Coach: Gary Nustad
Junior Varsity: Larry Mahrie

CLARKSTON JUNIOR HIGH

Boys' Basketball

Date	Opponent	Time
Dec. 8	Mason	A 4:00
Dec. 11	Our Lady of Lakes	H 7:00
Dec. 13	Sashabaw	A 7:00
Dec. 20	Brandon	H 4:00
Jan. 9	Rochester West	A 4:00
Jan. 10	Lake Orion West	H 7:00
Jan. 16	Walled Lake Western	H 7:00
Jan. 18	Rochester Ruether	A 4:15
Jan. 21	Lakeland	H 7:00
Jan. 24	Our Lady of Lakes	A
Jan. 29	Crary	A 3:30
Feb. 5	Pierce	H 7:00
Feb. 8	Walled Lake Central	A 3:45
Feb. 11	West Bloomfield	A 7:00
Feb. 14	Sashabaw	H 7:00
Feb. 20	VanHoosen	A 4:00
Feb. 21	Children's Village	H 7:00

Coach: Larry Sherrill

VOLLEYBALL

Jan. 7	WTFD-Township	Away 6:00
Jan. 9	Birmingham Groves	Away 7:00
Jan. 14	Lake Orion	
Jan. 16	Howell Tri-meet	Away 6:30
Jan. 21	Brandon	
Jan. 23	Port Huron North	
Jan. 26	Tri-Angular	Home 6:00
Jan. 28	Andover	Away 6:15
Jan. 30	Kettering	Away 6:00
Feb. 4	Ypsilanti Invitational	Away 9:00am
Feb. 6	West Bloomfield	Away 6:15pm
Feb. 9	Milford	Away 7:00pm
Feb. 11	Rochester	Home 6:30pm
Feb. 13	Andover	Home 6:30pm
Feb. 16	Dearborn Invitational	Away 8:15am
Feb. 18	Kettering	Home 6:30pm
Feb. 20	West Bloomfield	Home 6:30pm
Feb. 23	Clarkston	Home 9:00am
Feb. 25	Clarkston	Home 9:00am
Mar. 1	Invitational JV	
Mar. 8	Lamphere/Dominican	Home 6:00pm
Mar. 1	Tri-Angular	
Mar. 8	District	Away
Mar. 15	Regional	Away

Varsity Coach: Linda Denstadt
Junior Varsity: Nancy Foster

SASHABAW JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Boys Basketball

Date	Opponent	Time
Dec. 7	Grand Blanc	A 6:15
Dec. 11	Rochester Van Hoosen	A 4:00
Dec. 13	Children's Village	H 7:00
Dec. 20	Clarkston	H 7:00
Jan. 8	Lake Orion West	A 4:00
Jan. 10	Mason	H 7:00
Jan. 18	Brandon 9th	A 7:00
Jan. 22	Rochester West	A 4:00
Jan. 23	Wallek Lake Western	H 7:00
Jan. 29	Lake Orion East	H 7:00
Feb. 5	Rochester Ruether	A 4:15
Feb. 8	Lakeland	H 7:00
Feb. 12	Crary	A 3:30
Feb. 14	Pierce	H 7:00
Feb. 19	Clarkston	A 7:00
Feb. 21	Walled Lake Central	A 3:45
Feb. 26	West Bloomfield	H 7:00
Feb. 28	Oxford Tourney	

Coach: Gary Mason

WRESTLING

Dec. 4	Birmingham Seaholm	Away 6:30
Dec. 6	Southfield Lathrup	Home 6:15
Dec. 8	Birmingham Groves	Away 11:00
Dec. 10	Thurston Invitational	Away 6:30
Dec. 12	Lakeland	Home 6:15
Jan. 10	Brandon	
Jan. 17	Oakland County Meet (To Be Announced)	
Jan. 19	Kettering	Away 6:15
Jan. 24	Rochester	Home 6:15
Jan. 26	Clarkston Invitational	Home 10:00
Jan. 28	16 Teams	
Jan. 31	Milford	Home 6:15
Feb. 5	Rochester Adams	Away 10:00
Feb. 7	Invitational	
Feb. 9	Brother Rice	Away 6:30
Feb. 11	Andover	Home 6:15
Feb. 13	Port Huron North	Away 6:15
Feb. 15	West Bloomfield	Away 6:15
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Tourney loss ends cager season

By Al Zawacky

Coach Dave McDonald and his varsity girls basketball team were thinking upset in their class A district tournament contest against the Kettering Captains last week—but it wasn't to be.

After a rather slow start, the Captains came on strong in the second quarter and were never seriously challenged after the half, rolling to a 54-41 victory over a young Clarkston High School squad.

The defeat ended the season for the Wolves, dropping them out of tourney competition with a final record of 3-16.

"We were hoping that they'd have a bit of an off-game, and that we'd be up," said McDonald afterwards.

"Instead, Kettering was shooting as well as I've ever seen them—after the game some of their people were saying they thought it was one of the best efforts they've had all year."

The Wolves leading scorer in the contest was Lisa Forsyth with 11 points. Lynn McCormick was Clarkston's leading rebounder with eight.

"The girls worked hard all season and never gave up," McDonald said, assessing his squad's performance during his first season as coach. "We all feel bad about our record, but it wasn't a result of lack of effort. The important thing is that the underclassmen learn from this year and play to their full potential next season."

"We've got talent—it's just a

matter of gaining the experience."

Next September the Wolves hope to have 12 girls returning, supplemented by some sound talent coming up from Clarkston and Sashabaw junior highs, according to McDonald.

"Another thing to consider is the league we played in this year," the coach said. "West Bloomfield, Kettering, Rochester, Milford and Andover (the other five members in the six team Greater Oakland Activities League) were all over .500—four of them won 15 or more games."

"When you've got to play half your season against experienced senior teams like that—well, it's pretty tough."

But with all of the opposition senior talent graduating in June, and the Wolves coming back with several players benefiting from varsity experience (only

two seniors played on the Clarkston squad this year—Kelli Ketzler and Pat Bradley), Coach McDonald and company are optimistic about the future.

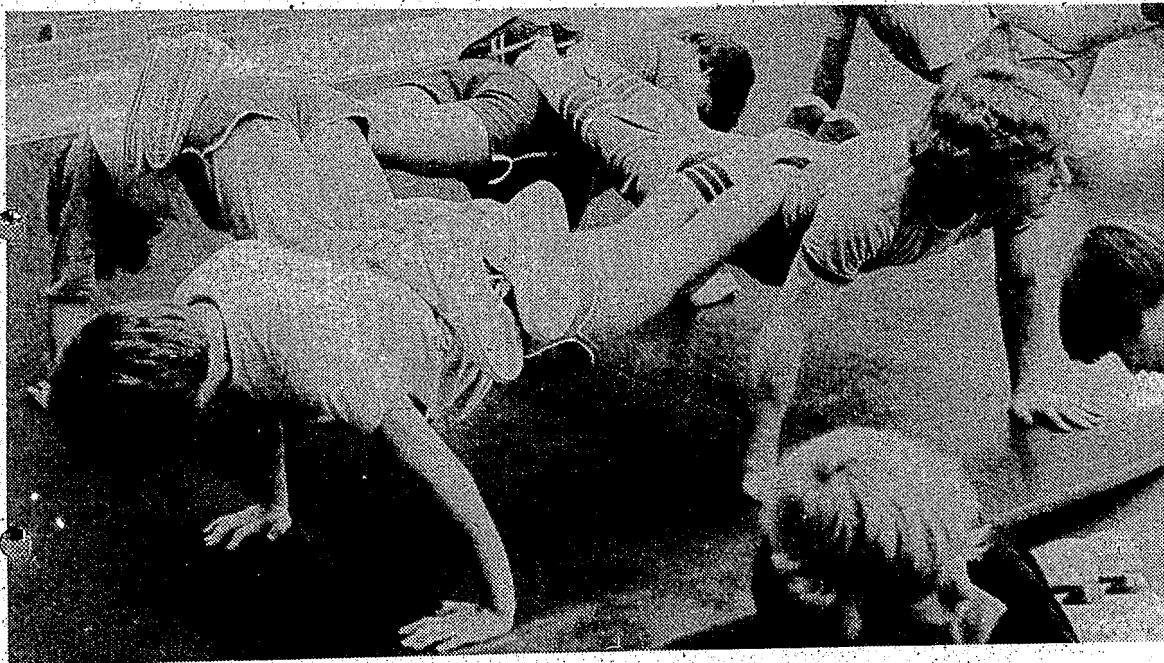
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Tracee Antos	19	56	14	126
Lynn McCormick**	20	36	29	101
Lanette Whitehead	20	32	22	86
Pat Bradley	20	34	18	86
Kelli Ketzler	19	24	22	70
Mary Barks	19	19	16	54
Michelle Ulasich	18	14	7	35
Patti White	19	10	12	32
Jane Acton	8	6	4	16

GP—games played, FG—successful field goals, FT—successful free throws, TP—total points

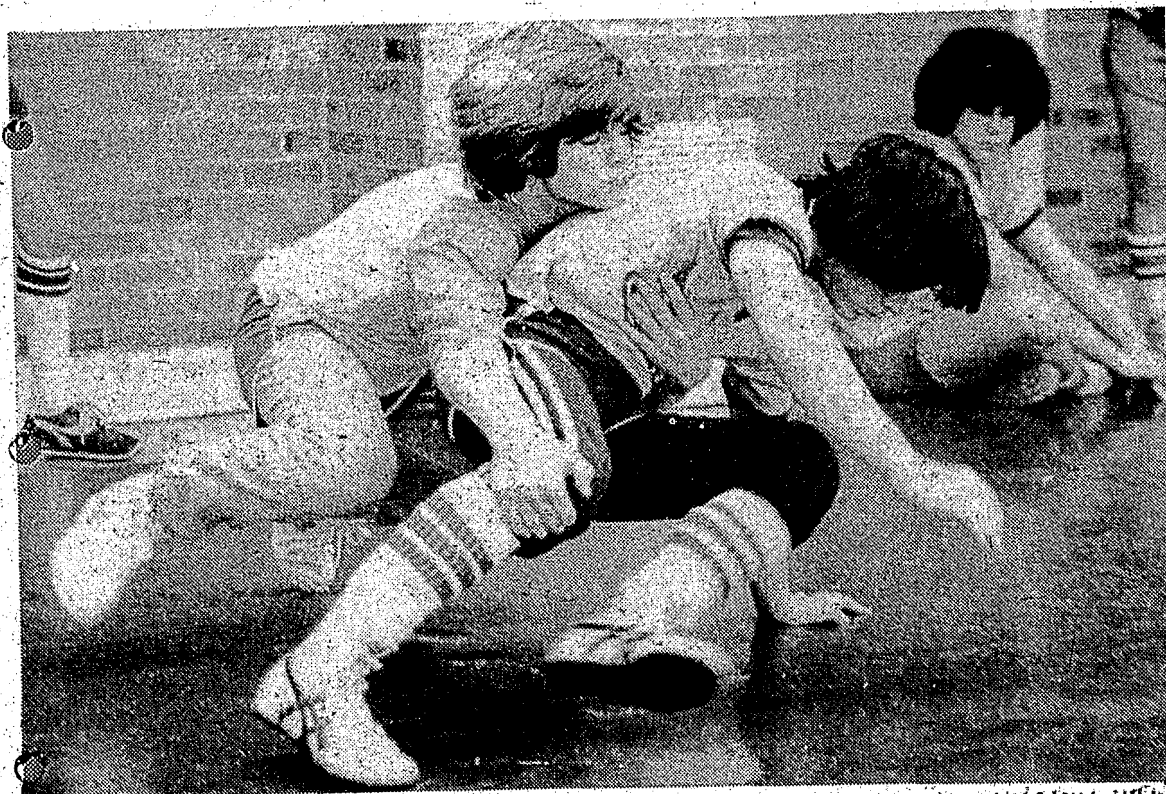
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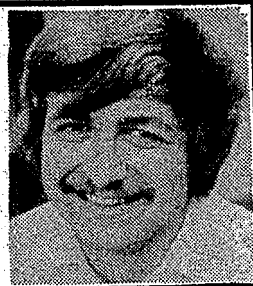
Jr high grapplers at work

Both the Clarkston and Sashabaw junior high school wrestling squads were working hard last week in preparation for their upcoming seasons. Above, four CJHS grapplers work on their power push-ups, while below Jim Robenault [top] and Jim Walker tangle in a demonstration bout while their CJHS teammates look on.



The point after

by Al Zawacky



Rebuilding. It's probably one of the most hackneyed terms in the realm of competitive athletics, ranking right up there with "mentally prepared", "tough schedule" and "we came to play." (What else does a team come to do?)

But—much as I dislike the term—I find myself forced to use it in reference to the Clarkston High School girls' basketball team.

This squad was indeed rebuilding this year, not out of choice but out of necessity.

For whatever individual reasons, there was a mass defection on the part of this year's seniors, leaving the team with ample talent but a scarcity of experience.

Coach Dave McDonald assessed the situation back in September: "We're awfully young—we've got to concentrate just on the basics."

McDonald never doubted his squad's potential however, and that attitude hasn't changed now that the season is over.

"We've got some good freshman players (at Clarkston and Sashabaw junior highs) coming up in the fall, and we'll have a solid nucleus of experienced girls returning," says McDonald.

"The program will definitely be on the upswing next season—there won't be any excuses if we don't start to turn things around."

But if you're curious how the JV cagers fared this year expecting to see an indicator of next season's success, you'll be disappointed. And there's a very simple reason.

"They (the JVs) would have had a good record this year, but we took quite a few of their players," McDonald explained, citing the fact that in one mid-season contest the varsity's starting lineup consisted of four sophomores. "In effect, they were getting their JV experience at the varsity level."

Following last week's tournament loss to Waterford Kettering, McDonald took time to praise his squad's only seniors—Kelli Ketzler and Pat Bradley.

Wistfully, he spoke of the team and season that might have been if last year's preformers hadn't opted for other activities and responsibilities over basketball.

"I don't know—I guess each girl had her reasons for leaving, but I don't think our seniors could be blamed for feeling a little let down. Kelli and Pat—they worked hard all year. All the girls did."

McDonald added that it wouldn't be a summer of inactivity for the team, with one session beginning as early as the start of summer vacation in June.

"Defense is one of the major skills we've got to stress—defense and ball handling," McDonald said. "Compared to the boys, the girls generally start playing much later and consequently have yet to master man-to-man principles."

"They stick to playing a zone because they win with it at first—few of the players can shoot with accuracy from outside. And when you play a good high school team the zone loses its effectiveness and you've got to know how to respond on defense."

It's going to be interesting to see what happens next September. Hang in there, girls.

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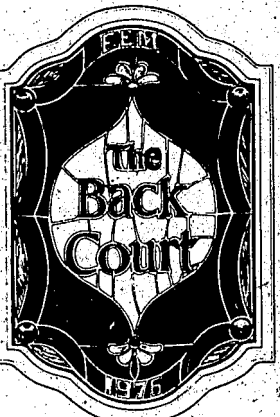


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Wolverines boast height, talent

By Al Zawacky

Of coach Larry Sherrill's eight years at the helm of the Clarkston Junior High boys basketball program, last year proved to be one of those seasons he'd just as soon forget—and he thinks this year's Wolverine squad will help him do just that.

"We had a bad year, to say the least," Sherrill said, rather reluctantly citing the CJH eagles' 3-17 record, the lowest mark of his tenure.

"But the thing about junior high ball is that every season you start fresh with different kids and new talent."

And this year's team not only has new talent, but possesses it in considerable abundance, according to Sherrill.

"It takes a full season of hard work to accomplish anything,"

the coach said. "But this team is capable—we're looking for a really good year."

Sherrill feels his squad's most outstanding assets are their size and strength, as the Wolverines boast a front line of imposing dimensions—6-foot 2, 6-foot 4 and 6-foot 2.

"That's really good for a freshman team—it's the biggest group of kids I've ever had," the coach noted.

Solid performances from 6-foot-4 center Ray Kubani, guard Mike McCormick and forward Scott Temple are three keys to CJH's success.

"Kubani is looking better all the time at center, McCormick is talented at the guard spot and Temple is big, strong and a good rebounder," Sherrill said. "We're hoping for good years

out of all of them."

Sherrill also mentioned forwards Craig Nicolai, Bill Weeks and guards Richie Schrader and Scott Smith as prominent figures in the upcoming campaign.

"We're going to be a very tough team inside and around the boards," the coach said. "Our offense is going to be getting a lot of second and third shots."

Sherrill plans on sticking with 15 players on his roster throughout the course of the season.

"One of the reasons we're here is to develop players for the

high school—and that means we've got to keep kids involved in the program," he explained. "Some kids might not see as much action as they'd like to, but this keeps them working on their skills."

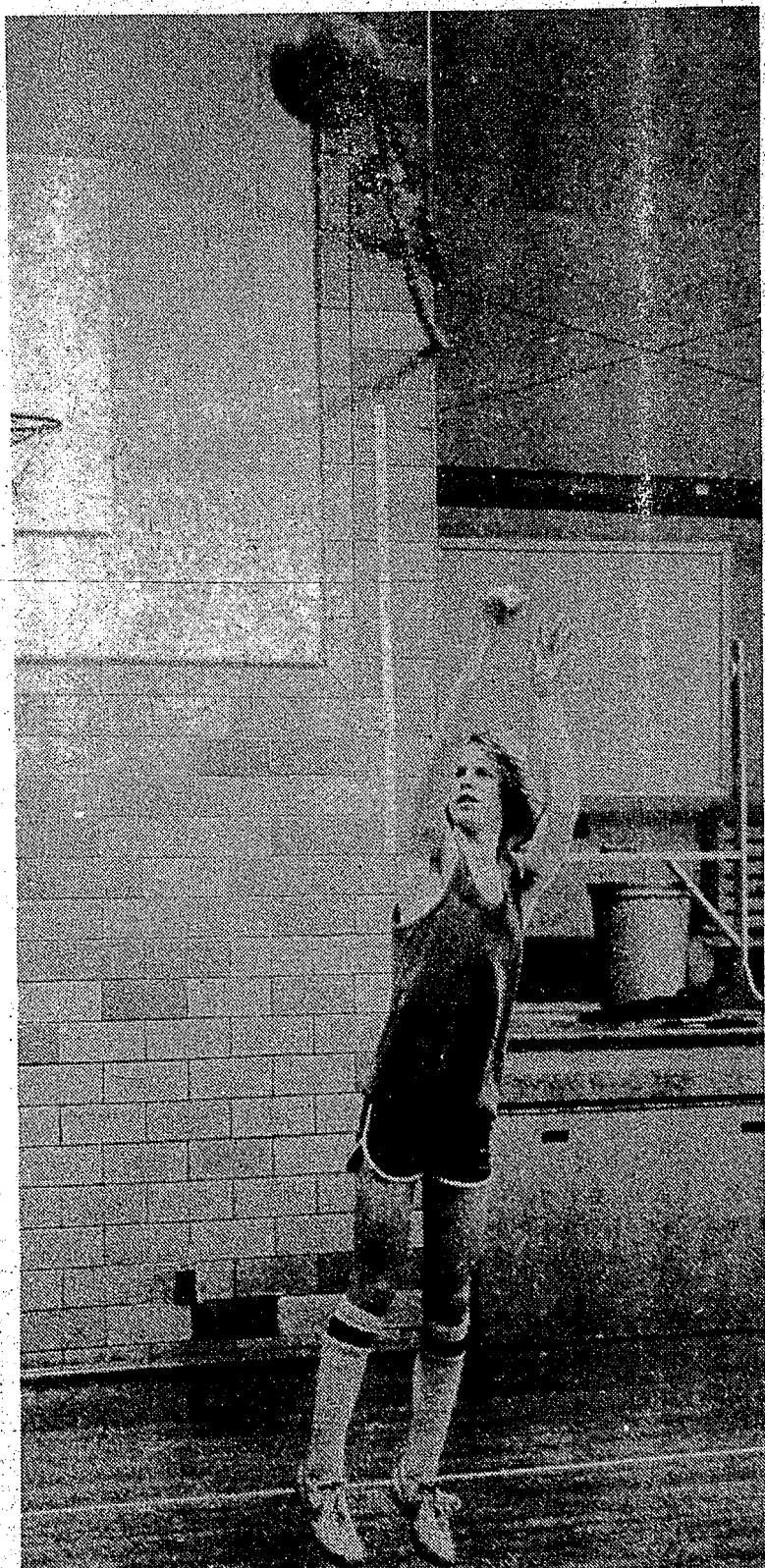
"You can never tell—we've had some good junior high prospects never make it in high school, while the kid that didn't look too impressive as a freshman turns out to play well for the varsity."

Looking forward to the Wolverines season opener on the road against Mason Dec. 8,

Sherrill said his squad can expect a good battle right from the start.

"Traditionally, all the Waterford schools (Crary, Mason and Pierce) are really tough," the coach said. "The Rochester schools have a solid reputation as well."

Of course Clarkston Junior High has been known to field pretty solid basketball teams in the past as well, and Sherrill is looking to re-establish that perception with this season's edition of the Wolverines.



CJHS' Rick Carter takes a jump shot as the Wolverines work out in preparation for their season opener this weekend.



There's more to coaching than organizing practices, running plays and blowing whistles, as CJHS coach Larry Sherrill illustrates. Here, he plays the role of trainer, taping up Pat Rausch's ankle prior to the start of practice.

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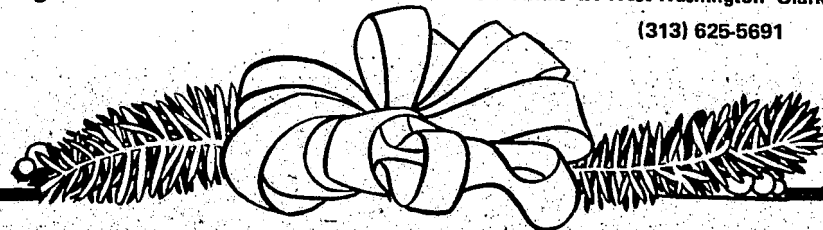
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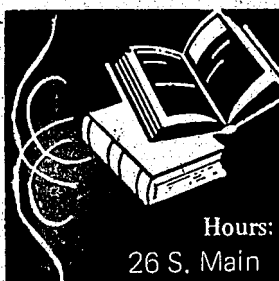
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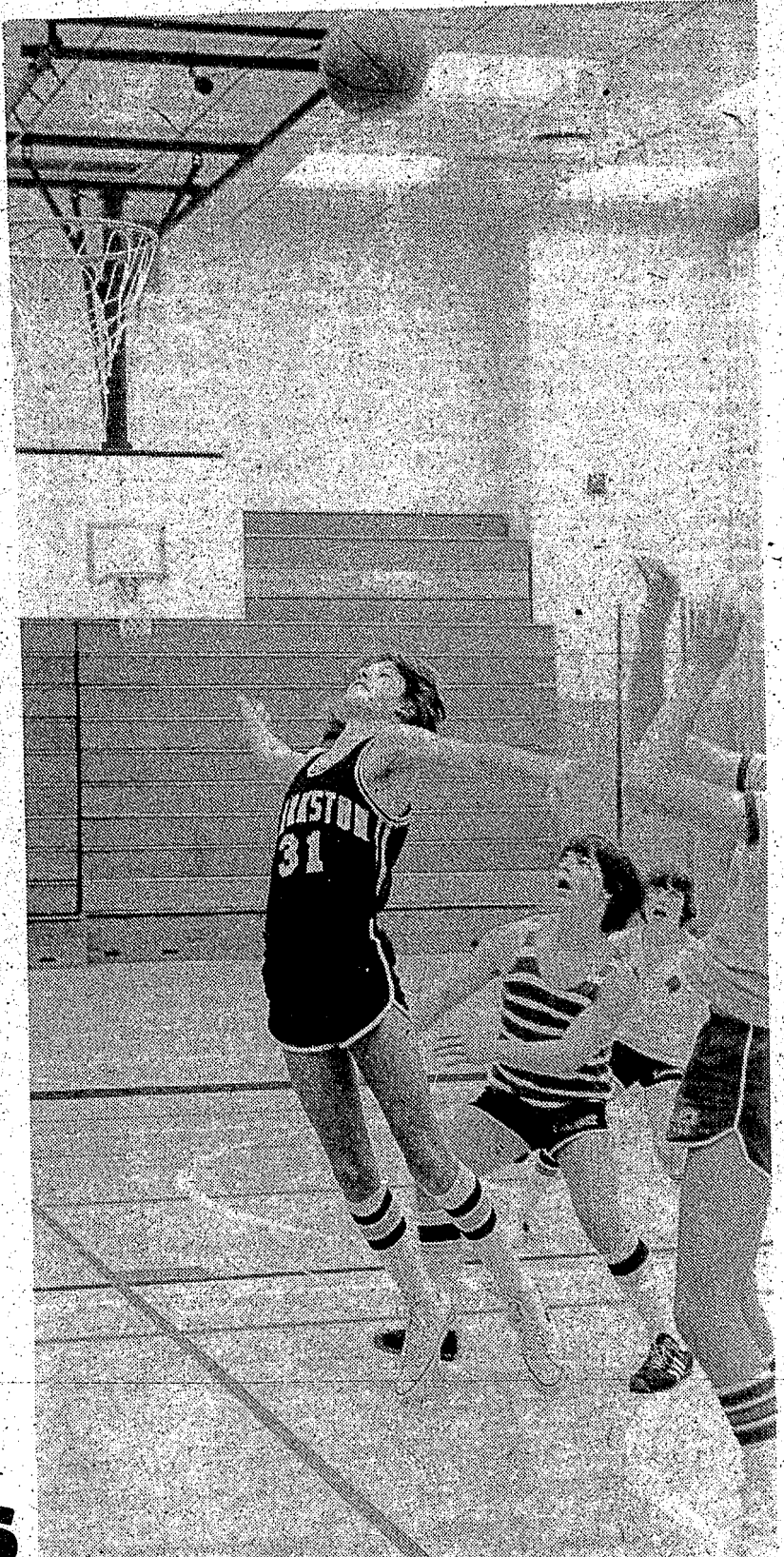
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Defense: Cougar Rick Williams drives toward the basket for a layup, but Kirk Charboneau has other ideas.



A Rick Williams jump shot on its way to the hoop attracts the attention of some prospective rebounders.

Sashabaw stresses positive attitude

By Al Zawacky

It wasn't what you'd call a vintage year for the Sashabaw Junior High boys basketball team last season, but coach Gary Mason thinks this year's edition of the Cougars may have what it takes to turn the program around.

"Attitude is so very important to success, and this group of kids is thinking positively," Mason says. "It's going to be tough at first, but if the attitudes and effort remain strong we're going to come around and surprise some people."

Mason, a teacher in Troy and Clarkston High School alumnus, is looking forward to the challenge of his first year as head coach of a freshman team. In the past he's coached intramural ball and also served as an assistant to Dave McDonald, CHS's varsity girls basketball coach.

"I'm not a screamer—I don't believe in yelling at the kids," Mason says in expounding his coaching philosophy. "All you

accomplish by that is to make the kids nervous and alienated. I think it's better to point out and reward the good—to try and motivate them in a positive way."

Mason sees his team's size and balance as their two biggest assets this season. "We're a pretty big team as far as freshman units go," the coach observes. "And our talent is so well balanced that we have considerable depth."

At guard, the Cougars have some standouts in Mike Dearborn, Bob Boyt, Tim Taylor and Matt Couarrubias, while at the forward spots Kevin Brown, Mike Clem and Ricky Williams are three names of note.

At the pivot spot Sashabaw can call upon the services of a 6-foot 3 center Tom Williams. Kirk Charboneau, Will Williams, Paul King, Shawn Mosele, Mike Upcott and Willard Ledbetter are the remaining roster members vying for court time during the upcoming campaign.

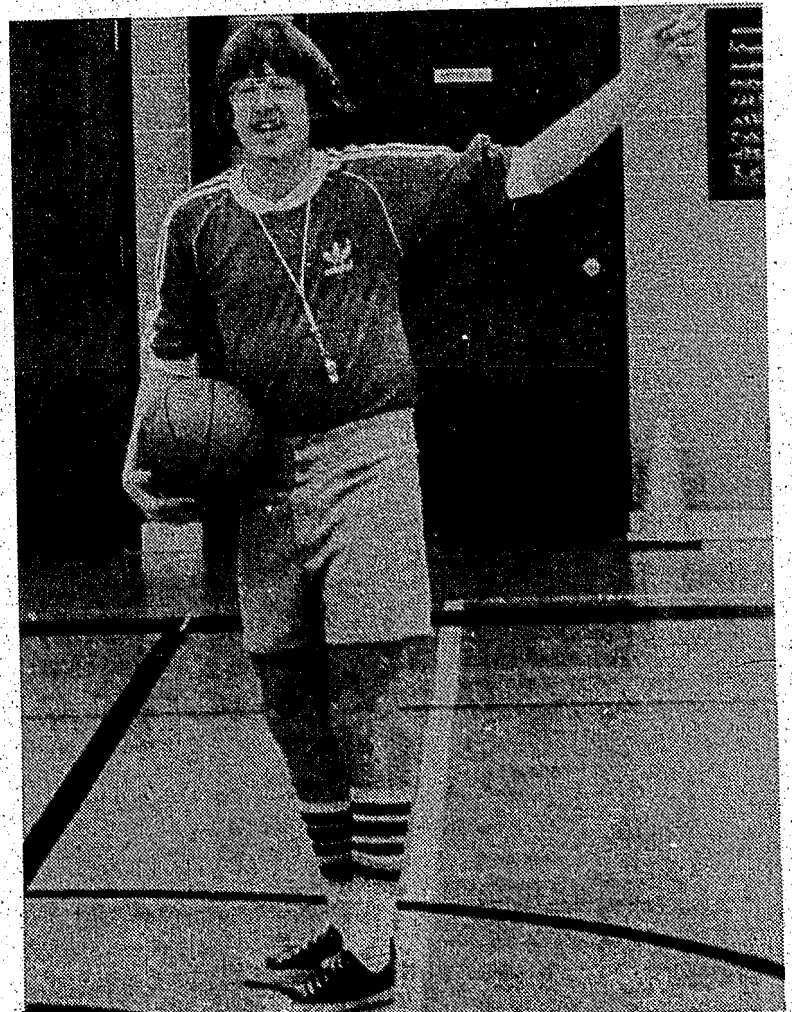
Mike Dearborn is a fine athlete with a super attitude," Mason says. Brown, a transfer student from Rochester, "is a big kid—he can almost dunk the ball, which is pretty amazing for a ninth grader," notes the coach.

In addition, the Cougars hope to have the services of Greg Gilbert, who broke his wrist during football season this fall. Gilbert's cast is due to come off in the near future.

Mason plans on stressing fundamentals during practices and frowns on the not uncommon freshman practice of relying on the zone defense.

"I'm going to live and die by with the man-to-man," Mason says. "Playing the zone might get you a few more victories, but it won't do the kid any good in high school ball."

Our goal is to do as well as we can and learn at the same time," Mason concludes. "And I think we've got enough hustlers and good kids here to do it."



Sashabaw coach Gary Mason makes a point during a recent Cougar practice session.

Recreation

Youngsters between the ages of 9 and 18 interested in learning more about horses can join a new 4-H horse and craft club forming in the Springfield Township area.

In addition to regular meetings, members will attend workshops and clinics, tour horse facilities, improve horsemanship skills, trail ride, participate in exhibitions at the Oakland County 4-H Youth Fair and visit Michigan State University for special events.

Those interested in joining the club should contact club leader Laura Western by calling 625-5663.

The Oakland County Sportsmen's Club will hold a gourmet dinner at the Drayton Plains Nature Center, 2125 Denby Road, Drayton Plains, on Saturday, Feb. 23.

Currently, the group is seeking donations of wild game meat for the dinner selections.

The club is located in Waterford on 4770 Waterford Road, and may be contacted by calling 623-0444.

The Drayton Plains Nature Center is offering several winter nature study programs for children. Featured will be classes in ecology, animals and bird study, pioneer living, and others.

Each class takes from between one and three hours at a cost ranging from 50 cents to \$1. Those interested should contact the center at 674-2119.

There's still time to register for the Independence Parks and Recreation weekend ski trip to Schuss Mountain Jan. 11 through 13.

The trip is open to anyone ages 13 and up and the \$100 cost includes lodging, meals, evening entertainment, round trip transportation and lift tickets or cross country ski pass.

Those interested should contact the recreation department as soon as possible at 625-8223; only 10 openings still remain. A \$25 deposit is required at the time of registration.

The First Annual Indoor Slowpitch Tournament will be coming to the Pontiac Silverdome Dec. 11, 12, 13, and 14, marking the first time that the sport has been played at the domed stadium.

The event will feature 16 top men's teams from the Pontiac-Detroit metropolitan area in a single elimination tournament.

Tickets, available at the gate, are priced at \$3 for adults and \$1 for youths 12 and under.

Independence Township Parks and Recreation will be organizing a Men's 30 and Over basketball league this winter, playing its games on Monday nights beginning Jan. 7.

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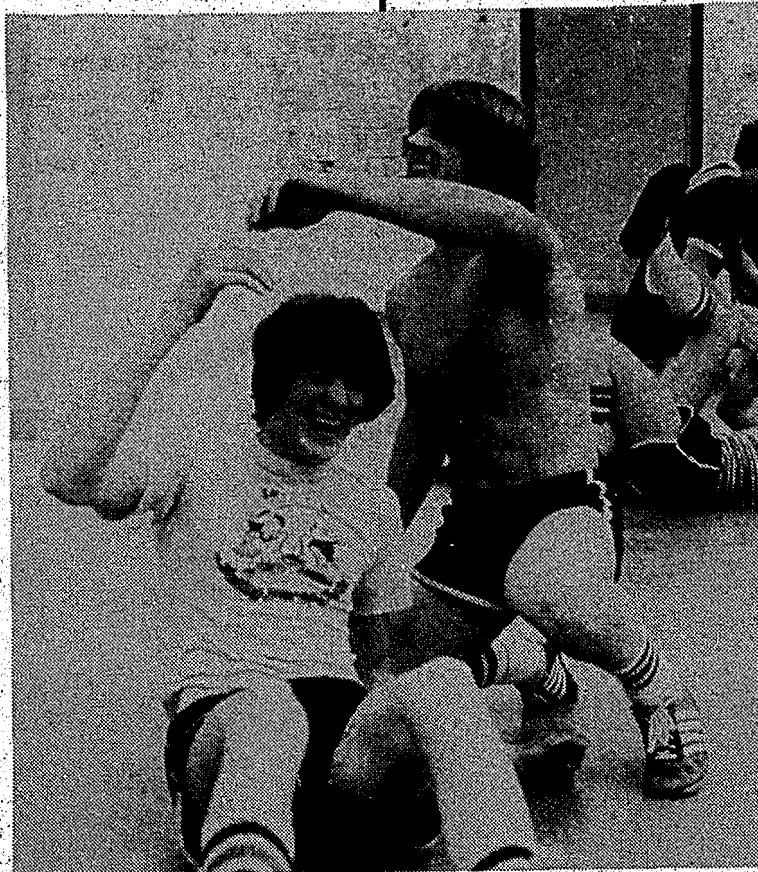


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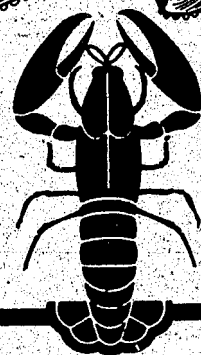
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The lighter side of practice

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Deer Lake Racquet Club, 6167 White Lake Road in Independence Township, will be holding a professional tennis tournament Dec. 6 through Dec. 9, featuring some of the finest players in Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Indiana.

The First Annual Deer Lake Holiday Classic will feature men's singles and doubles play. First place in single competition will earn the winner \$300, the runner up \$150 and cash semi-finalist \$50.

The winning doubles team

will receive \$200, with \$100 going to the runners up.

The event, sanctioned by the United States Tennis Association, will begin at 6 p.m. Thursday and Friday and run all day over the weekend. The public is welcome to attend.

Two in 'King and I'

Two Independence Township youngsters are participating in the Pontiac Theatre IV production of the musical "The King and I."

Melinda Austin of Cecelia Ann Road and Heather Hubbard of Wealthy Road are appearing as two of the king's children.

There are two remaining performances of the play scheduled at 8 p.m. Dec. 7 and 8 at Pontiac Northern High School auditorium, 1051 Arlene, Pontiac.

Tickets will be on sale at the door, or call 674-4479. Prices are \$3.50 for adults and \$2.50 for students and senior citizens. Special group rates are available.

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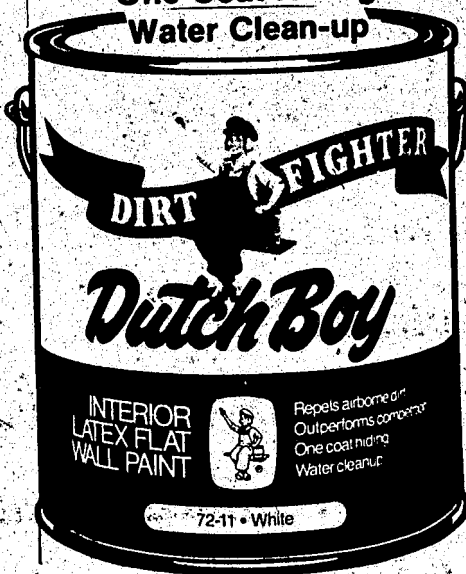
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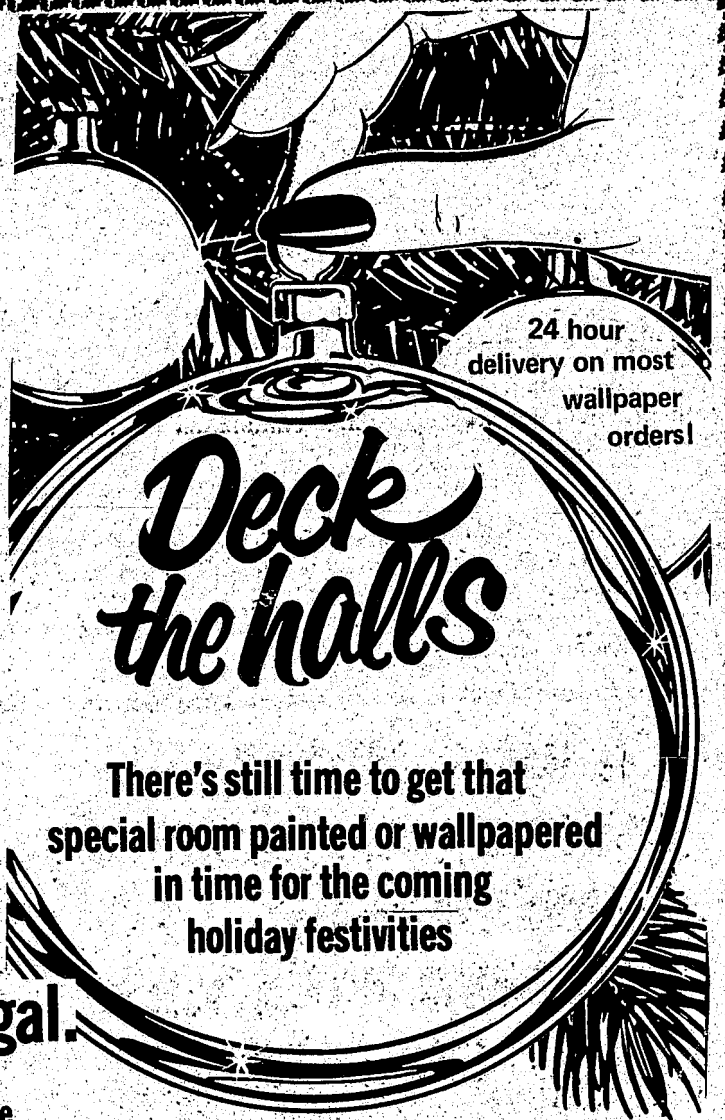
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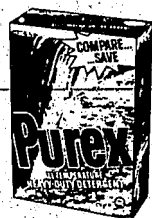


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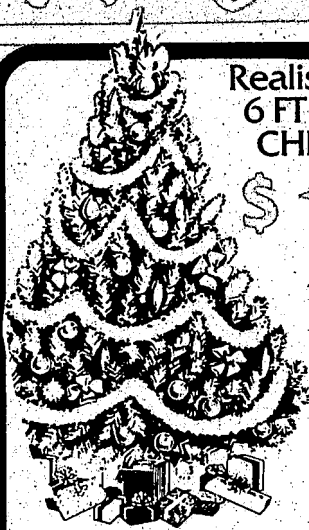
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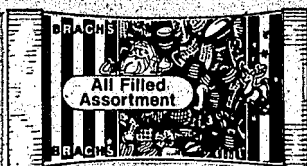
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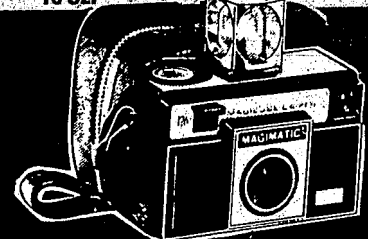
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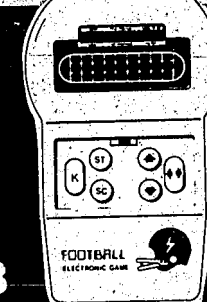
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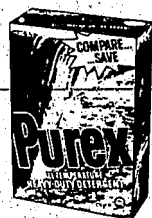
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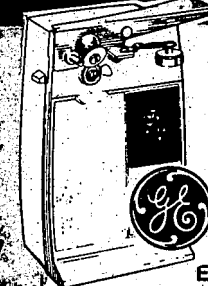
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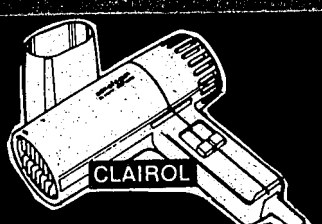
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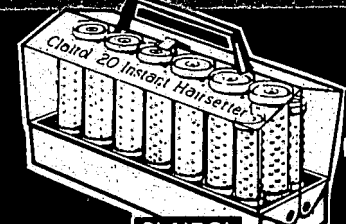
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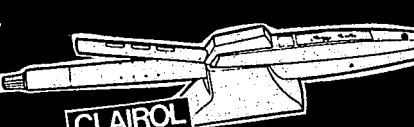
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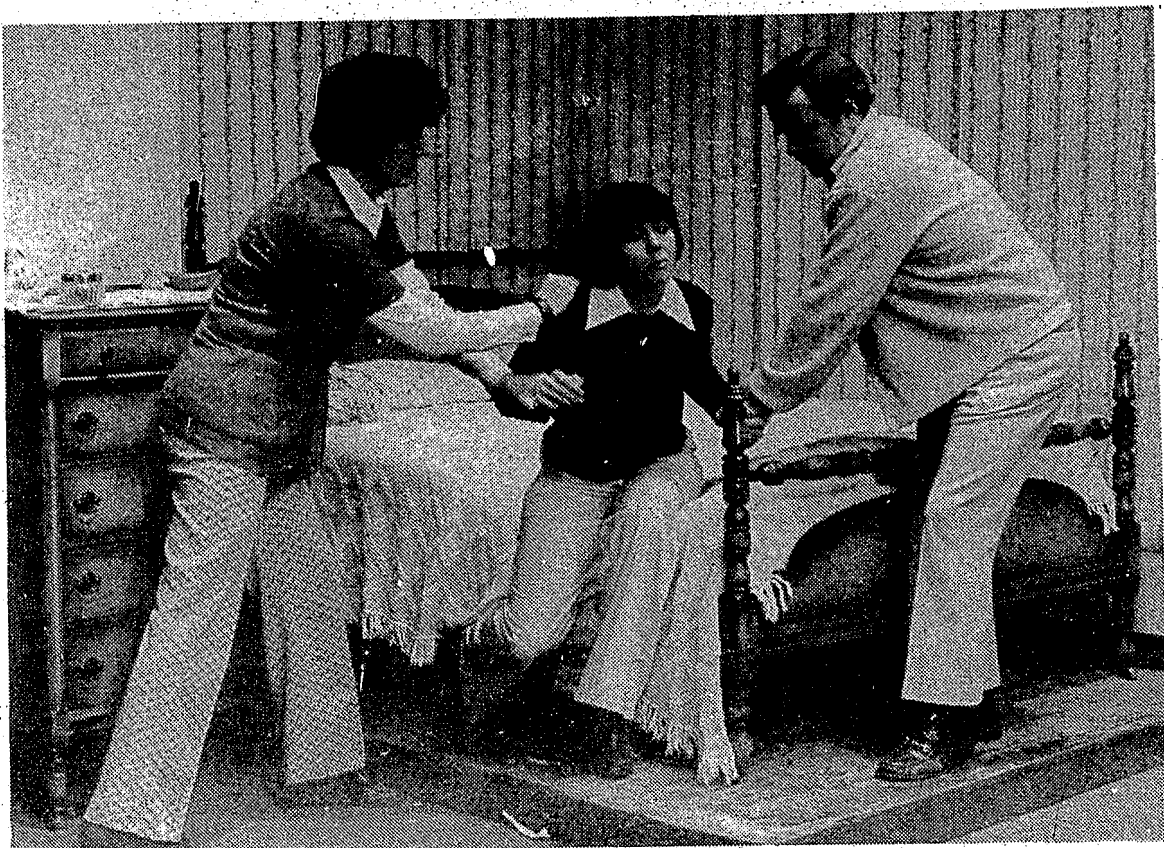


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'Adults only' ... a first for Village Players



The entire two-act play takes place in Veronica's room. In this scene are from left, Nancy Frady Osmun, Karen Sage and Al Bartlett.

Veronica's Room opens Friday

"Veronica's Room" is a play different from all others staged by the Clarkston Village Players. It's the only one that has ever been "for adults only."

This deals with some very heavy material," said director Marlene Sewick. "It's an Ira Levin play and that should tell you something about the play—it's weird."

Levin is the author of "Rosemary's Baby."

The two-act mystery thriller is scheduled for six performances beginning Friday at the Depot Theatre on White Lake Road, Independence Township.

The four almost equal roles are a man, played by Al Bartlett; a woman by Nancy Frady Osmun; a young man by Len Loveless; and a young woman by Karen Sage.

Curtain time is 8:30 p.m. for the performances on Dec. 7, 8,

13, 14 and 15 and 7:30 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 9.

Following the opening performance Dec. 7, the Players will host an afterglow party at the theater for audience and cast.

The Thursday, Dec. 13 performance will be a benefit for the Clarkston Band Boosters.

Tickets are available at Tierra Arts and Designs, Main Street, Clarkston, or by calling 363-0188.



There are scenes that evoke a creepy feeling, as Karen [left] and Al portray.

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SECTION TWO

The Clarkston (Mich.) News

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The fast-moving drama could be called "gripping," especially for Karen [left] in this scene with Nancy.



Nancy Frady Osmun rehearses a scene from "Veronica's Room" with Al Bartlett, one of the other three cast members for the Clarkston Village Players' production which opens this week.



Ready for snowmobilers

Addison Oaks County Park Supervisor Frank Ostrowski posts a "Caution Ahead" sign on a snowmobile trail at the park. The 13 miles of trails in the 700-acre park, located on Romeo Rd. west off Rochester Road in Addison Township, are being readied for the winter recreation season. Other activities at the park include sledding, tobogganing, ice fishing and ice skating.



by David McNeven, Coach

The whole family can participate in sports together. Many public school systems open their gyms on certain evenings for sports such as volleyball and basketball. People who play come from all age groups and both sexes. Sometimes, teams are divided by sex and age; sometimes everyone plays together. Whichever the case, it is an inexpensive way for the whole family to spend a healthful evening together. The most difficult part is getting everyone to agree to go the first time. Thereafter, plan on general enthusiasm.

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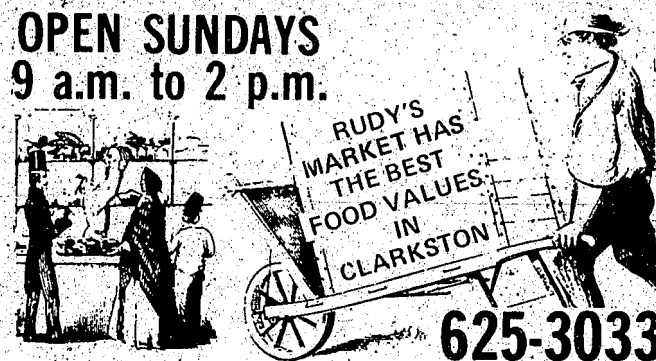
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Coping with kids

by Jim & Ellen Windell



Teaching the spirit of giving at Christmas

Everyone complains about the commercialism of Christmas, but few do much about it.

Most of us seem too caught up in the whole busy, buying "business" of Christmas to do something different.

In a time of increasing inflation when expensive gift-buying may pose a burden for many families, this could be the year for many families to do something about bringing back a loving spirit of giving rather than continuing the "gimme" attitude.

We offer the following suggestions for helping children to learn more about heart-felt giving instead of relying on hard-earned dollars to purchase presents and gifts.

Since children always enjoy making things, perhaps they could be told that this Christmas

was going to be different. Instead of buying gifts, everyone, including mom and dad, would think of things they could make or do that would have special meaning for those on their Christmas list.

Mothers and fathers could present a healthy model by doing the same for friends and relatives.

For instance, a special photograph of a scene taken by father could be framed for grandpa who loves such scenes. Mother could paint a watercolor or use macrame or knitting or baking talents to construct gifts for her special friends.

Everyone in the family can do something nice for someone else. Even very young children can make a Christmas card (as long as parents do not expect perfection) of Christmas tree decora-

tions or simply pose for a photo to send to grandpa and grandma who are out of touch with the family because they now live in Florida.

The possibilities are endless for gifts that are specially designed out of love for others.

A 12-year old girl may have a knack for writing and might write a poem or a short story for an aunt.

A scrapbook of photos or other memorabilia from a vacation shared with a relative or friend could be given to that person.

A teenager who has a stereo and a tape deck could tape some specially loved or appreciated music for someone else.

Most children love to bake and with mother's help could give baked goods to a neighbor or relative.

Jewelry, wall hangings, art,

doll furniture, a giant crossword puzzle or just a letter could mean the world to someone special.

And gifts do not have to be tangible to be unique and have a spirit of giving and caring behind them. A promise to perform some services for someone else, caroling, a story read or

some work at a senior citizen's center may be better than most expensive gifts.

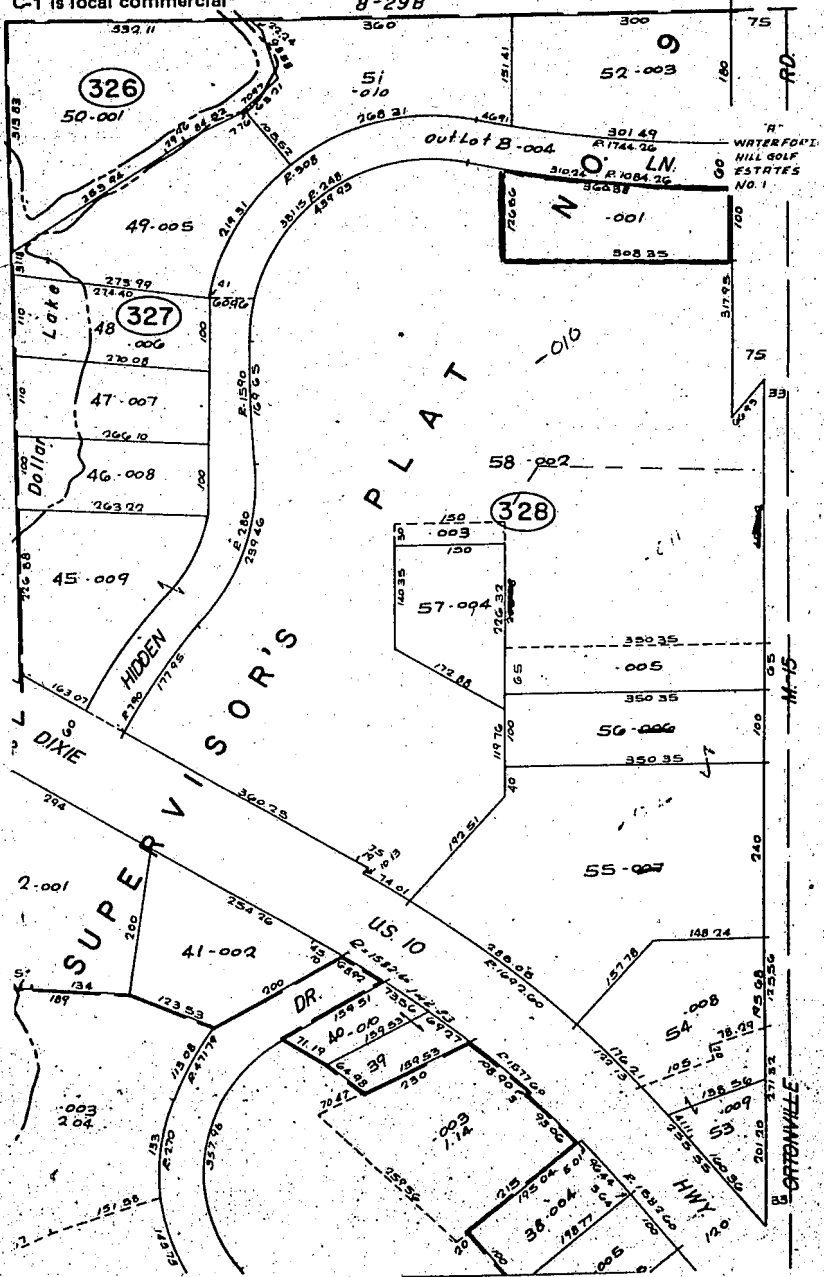
Often, for both the giver and the receiver, gifts that come from the heart rather than the store are the ones that are remembered and cherished for years to come.

Notice of Public Hearing

The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan will hold a Public Hearing on December 13, 1979 at 7:30 P.M. at the Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, to consider the following request:

BY: The Halefo Partnership to Rezone Lot 58 Supervisors Plat #9 on M-15 from C-2 to C-1

Proposed rezoning from C-2 to C-1
C-2 is planned shopping center
C-1 is local commercial



Parcel Identification Number (Sidwell #)

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Common Description:

Southwest Corner of M-15 & Hidden Lane

Any further information regarding the above hearing may be obtained at the Township Planning Office during regular office hours, 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday thru Friday, or by phone at 625-8111.

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NOTICE

Nominating petitions are now available for the Feb. 18, 1980 Village of Clarkston Primary. Offices up for election are: President, Clerk, Treasurer, Assessor, and three Trustees. All of these are for two-year terms. Anyone interested in taking out a nominating petition should contact Bruce Rogers, Village Clerk, at 625-3686 between the hours of 4 and 6 p.m. Monday thru Friday. Nominating petitions must be turned back in to the clerk by 4 p.m. Dec. 18, 1979.

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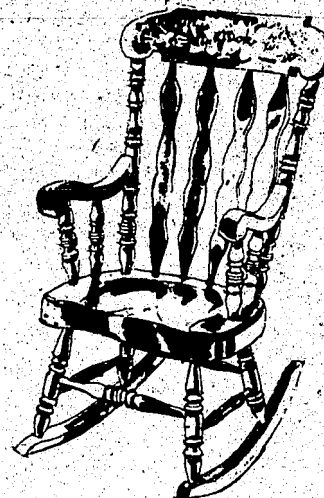


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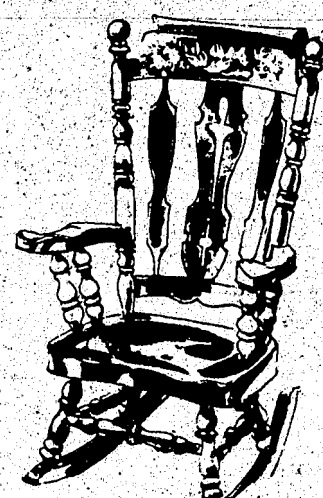
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Garden club

Still blooms after 31 years

By Maralee Cook

The Clarkston Farm and Garden Club, formed in 1948 by Mrs. Arnold Barrett and the late Mrs. Frank Lambert, has doubled its membership since its inception.

Mrs. Lambert and Mrs. Barrett, the club's second president and one of six remaining charter members, had been members of garden clubs while residing in the Detroit area.

"We felt there was a great deal of interest in gardening here," said Mrs. Barrett.

Club profile

Three of the club's current projects include a scholarship fund for a Clarkston High School student, horticultural therapy for residents of an Ortonville nursing home and civic improvements.

The Scholarship fund has been in existence almost as long as the club, said Mrs. Barrett. Funds are currently raised through the sale of Christmas wreaths at the Clarkston Crafts and Cider Festival.

The club has been offering horticultural therapy for the nursing home for about seven years. While projects are often conducted for the residents by club members, companionship is the most important thing for the residents, because many are wards of the state and have no family, said current president Maria Arnold, who is also Mrs. Barrett's daughter.

Civic improvements include maintaining flower beds at the library and township hall, and contributions to the village park.

The club has also formed the Elizabeth Edmonson Lambert memorial fund which will help establish a shelf at the library for gardening books for children and adults.

The luncheon meetings are held in members' homes and usually include a horticultural program or workshop.

The December meeting is primarily of a social nature, with members also bringing gifts to be distributed to the nursing home.

The club has no geographical restrictions, and persons who would like to join must be sponsored by two current members. While the club has currently reached its limit of 40 members, there is a waiting list.



Maria Arnold [left], current president of the Clarkston Farm and Garden Club, has followed in her mother's footsteps. Her mom, Mrs. Arnold Barrett was a charter member and second president of the club, which she helped to form 31 years ago.

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Additional full-time paid experience as described in the above may be substituted for the college or university training on a year-for-year basis.

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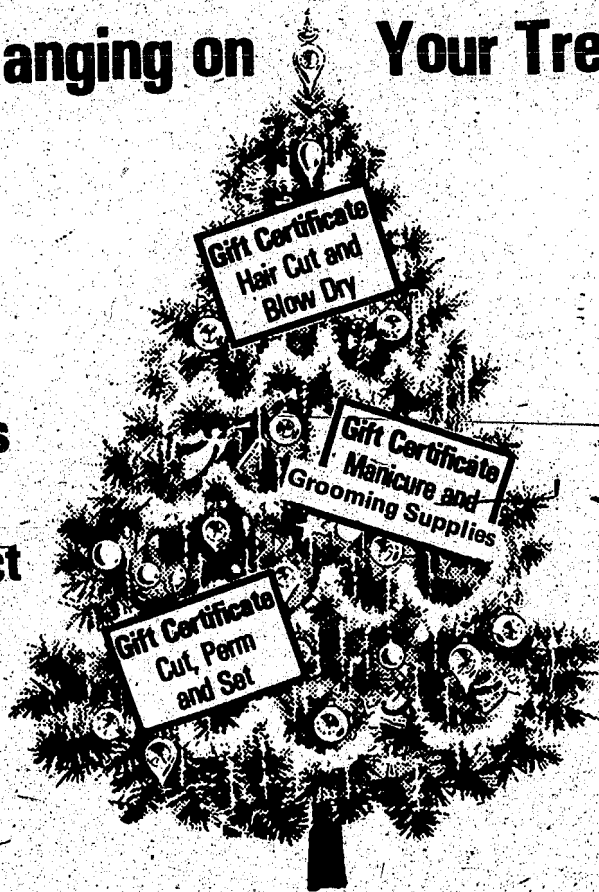
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Country Living

Masak family shares hobbies

The Masak family's move from Berkley to Wau Me Gah Lake in Springfield Township gave them the opportunity to share one member's favorite hobby—fishing.

"I love to fish," said Jay Masak, "and one day I mentioned to Jeanie (his wife) that I'd like to live on a lake. She said she would too."

"We looked, and looked, and looked," exclaimed Jeanie. "Jay looked for the lake, and I looked for the house."

Jay and Jeanie found a suitable match in the lake and their house on Waumegah Road and moved in nearly three years ago.

Their three daughters, Karen and Linda, who attend Clarkston High School, and Jeanie, a student at Clarkston Junior High, had different reactions to the move. All agree now, however, that they wouldn't want to return to Berkley.

"People are a lot nicer out here," explained Karen.

While the girls enjoy skating, sledding and tobogganing in the winter and swimming in the summer, they've also taken up fishing with Dad.

Jeanie and her daughters decided if they couldn't beat him

they'd join him, she said.

"Now we have contests to see who can catch the most fish," said daughter Jeanie.

Jay still has the job of baiting hooks, removing fish from the hooks and cleaning them.

The girls had no trouble finding new friends, either. They wait for the school bus each morning with about 21 other kids from their neighborhood.

Linda and Karen have taken daily babysitting jobs to make money for a trip to Spain next summer with their Spanish class. Right now they have time for little else, Jeanie said.

The move to Springfield Township doubled Jay's drive time to work at the General Motors building in Detroit, but he said he doesn't mind.

An art buyer for Campbell-Ewald advertising, Jay will join other co-workers in offices at the GM Tech Center in Warren in May.

The move should shorten his drive time by about 20 minutes, he said.

Jeanie, who liked the previous owner's decorating tastes, said she didn't even have to change wallpaper when they moved in.

There was only one big project she and Jay needed to

undertake—refinishing the basement.

They did most of it themselves, enlisting help from friends and relatives only with electrical wiring and heating.

Jay and Jeanie finished the basement, complete with new bedroom, a year to the day after moving in.

"As long as you're not pushed time-wise, you can learn a lot," said Jay.

Jeanie, who worked as a book-

keeper and jack-of-all-trades for a tool company in Berkley, did not work for 14 years while she raised her and Jay's daughters and her three girls from a previous marriage.

After moving to Clarkston, she decided to go back to work and joined a local real estate company as a secretary.

Between her job and her family, Jeanie said she doesn't have much time for hobbies anymore, but does manage to bowl once a

week in a league.

Wau Me Gah Lake has provided the Masaks with beautiful scenery and new activities.

Until now, Jay said, the only time he went on the ice was with a snowblower to clear off a skating rink for his daughters.

But this year, said the girls, skating will become, like fishing, a family hobby, with Jay and Jeanie participating.



Daughters Linda [left] and Karen have taken up babysitting to earn money for a summer trip to Spain with their Spanish class. Both second year Spanish students, the girls are looking forward to the 10-day trip to Barcelona and Madrid.



The Masak family, including members Jeanie, Jay and daughter Jeanie, think the people in Clarkston are very friendly. Their cat Coco, and dog, Buff, seem to be happy here, too.

by Jim Windell



Curtain time

Wayne State's 'Christmas Carol' enchanting

Christmas Carol

By Charles Dickens adapted for the stage by Barbara Field Bonstelle Theatre-Wayne State University

A more charming and enchanting Christmas morsel could scarcely be imagined than the Bonstelle Theatre's production of "A Christmas Carol."

With special effects that keep everyone on their toes and an abundance of good humor, this bouncy version of Dicken's Christmas classic is a genuine delight.

For all the interesting things the Bonstelle Theatre has done in the last few years, perhaps no play in recent memory has had the overall balance of this one—and, of course, it comes at just the right time of the year.

Directed by Anthony Schmitt,

a large cast is amazingly tight in a performance that sounds fresh and looks handsome. The set helps initially to cast a spell and that look of Victorian England, all dark wood and slightly ancient, maintains the right mood.

Phillip W. Moss as Charles Dickens, a family man who is concerned about finishing his next story and putting food on his family's table, sets the scenes throughout by acting as narrator.

Gary Richettini is a somewhat comical and appropriately nasty Ebenezer Scrooge.

Because of various romantic set-backs in his younger days which are revealed when the spirits take him and us on journeys to the past, Scrooge believes that business and making money are the most impor-

tant things in life. He scoffs at love and calls it a useless commodity that serves only to produce excess children.

Through his dream-like voyages with the spirits, he comes to have a change of heart and learns to appreciate the fun and celebration most people en-

joy on Christmas and decides after all that the 25th of December has more meaning than the picking of people's pockets.

To the surprise of everyone on stage and no one in the audience, except perhaps the smallest of the small fry,

Scrooge no longer cries "humbug!" on Christmas.

A play for the whole family, but you will have to be quick as a Christmas ghost to see it. It plays only through the weekend of December 9. Tickets can be arranged by calling 577-2960.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Independence Township Board will hold a Public Hearing on the use of Community Development Block Grant Funds, Tuesday, December 18, 1979, 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Hall.

The Township anticipates receiving approximately \$120,000. Some possible areas of expenditure are fire protection, parks, senior citizen centers, sidewalk and street improvements.

Christopher L. Rose, Clerk
Independence Township

Dec. 5

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, December 19, 1979 at 7:30 PM at the Independence Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, 48016 to hear the following cases:

CASE #964 James F. Campbell
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ALLOW HORSES ON PROPERTY. R1A Zoning.
Clintonville Rd. Lot 15 & 1/2 of 16 & 3.68 Acres.
08-23-476-020 & 005

CASE #965 Peter F. Gannon
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE FOR OUTSIDE DISPLAY AND/OR STORAGE OF SWIMMING POOL (s).
M-15 Lot 14 Supervisors Plat #9. C-2 Zoning
08-29-453-006

CASE #966 David E. & Ann Marie Haggard
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO CONSTRUCT A 960 SQ. FT. RANCH ON A NON-CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD.
Eastlawn Lot 21 Clarkston Park Sub
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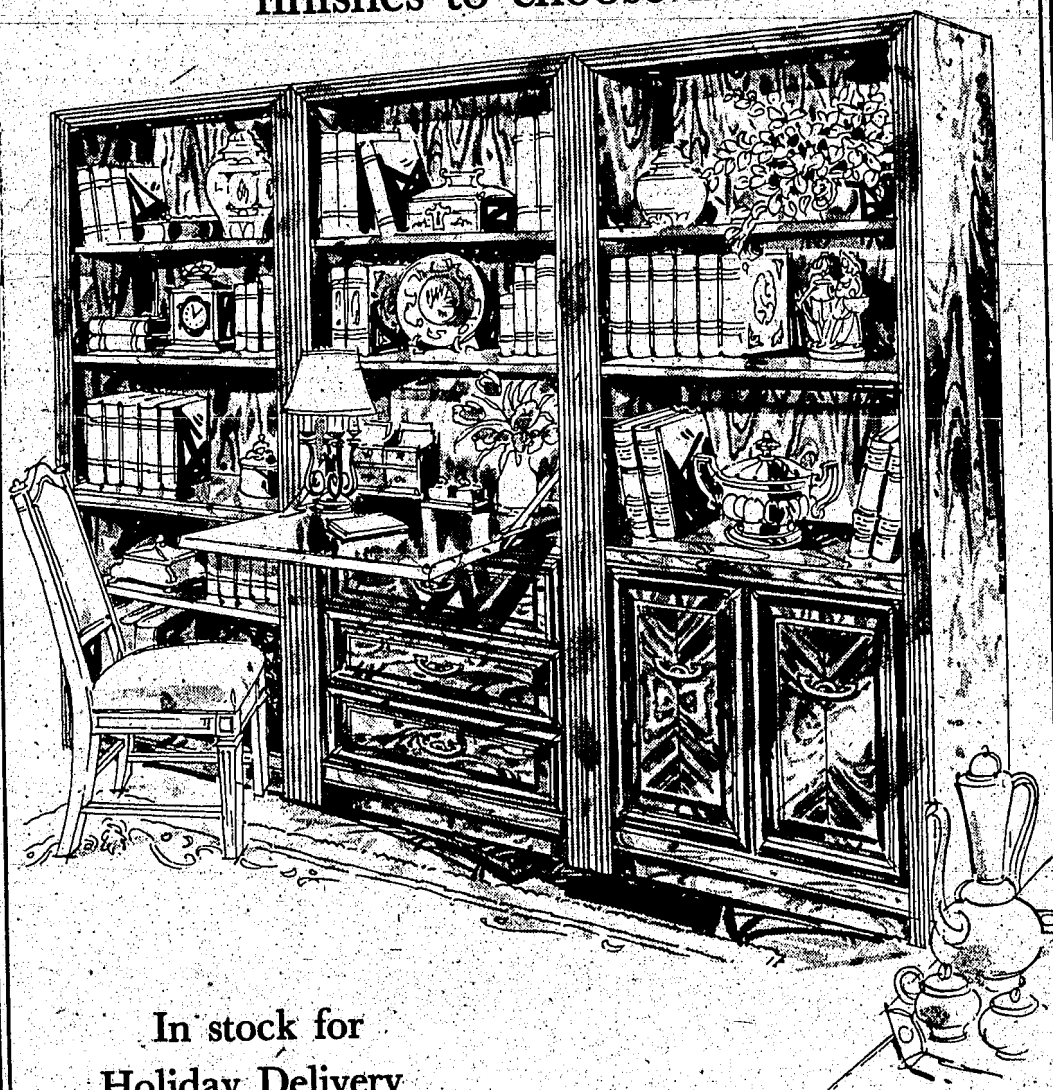
NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the proposed variances may be examined at the Independence Township Building Department, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI 48016 during regular office hours each day Monday thru Friday until the date of the Public Hearing.

Respectfully submitted,
Christopher L. Rose
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p.m. at Clarkston United Methodist Church, 6600 Waldon, Independence Township.

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to work together with people who have had overeating problems. There are no dues.

For more information, call 391-3144 or 623-9824.

Airman helps recruiting

Airman Basic Ted B. Hoskins, a recent graduate of the Air Force Technical Training Center at Chanute AFB, ILL., and a recent Clarkston High School graduate, has

returned home to participate in the Recruiter Helper program.

Recruiter Helper enables selected first-term airmen to return to their hometowns for temporary periods of time to

discuss Air Force opportunities with potential enlistees.

Hoskins, 18, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hoskins of Heath Avenue, Independence Township.



Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin D. Meyers of Rattalee Lake Road, Independence Township, announce the engagement of their daughter Linda Marie to Mark Gawel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gawel of Warren. The bride-to-be is attending evening classes at Oakland Community College and her fiance attends Wayne State University. Both are employed at Bendix Machine Tool Corp. where Linda is a computer detailer and Mark is a designer. The wedding date is set for Jan. 26, 1980 at Clarkston United Methodist Church.

Honors

Besty Lynn Antos is competing for an all-expense-paid trip to Pasadena, Calif., to reign as queen of the Farmers Insurance Group float and attend the Rose Bowl football game.

Betsy, of South Main Street, Independence Township, has been selected as "Miss Farmers Insurance Group" for her area and is now competing with other representatives from across the nation.

A student at Michigan State University, East Lansing, Betsy is planning a career in travel and tourism management.

Roseann Bellomo has completed requirements with distinction for an associate's degree as a social service technician from Ferris State College, Big Rapids.

A Springfield Township resident, Roseann lives on Wertz Road.

The Patrick J. Trohan Scholarship from Kirtland Community College was recently awarded to Cindy L. Inman, a 1975 Clarkston High School

graduate.

Cindy is a sophomore in the natural resources program at KCC, carrying a grade point average of 3.9.

To be eligible for the scholarship, students must be residents of Michigan, enrolled with sophomore status, maintain a 2.8 grade average or better and major in conservation or natural resources.

The scholarship covers full tuition costs.

New arrival

Charles and Sharon Vincent, 3810 Cherry, Brandon Township, announce the arrival of their first child, a son, Nov. 25.

Charles Cristino weighed 8

pounds 9 ounces.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vincent of Pontiac, Francis Cristino of Warren and Edward Cristino of Southfield.

In service

Sgt. Thomas M. Thomson has arrived for duty at Osan Air Force Base, South Korea.

A weapons mechanic, Sgt. Thomson was previously assigned at Grand Forks AFB, North Dakota, and is now serving with a unit of the Pacific Air Forces.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomson of Transparent Road, Independence Township.

Steven K. Cebalt has been promoted to the rank of airman first class in the United States Air Force.

Airman Cebalt is an inventory management specialist with a unit at Spangdahlem Air Base, West Germany.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cebalt of Neal Road, Springfield Township.

Good idea

Nikki Romeos, secretary at D'arcy MacManus and Masius Advertising, Bloomfield Hills, was a \$100 winner through the company employee suggestion box program. She improved an office procedure of processing copy material used by the creative department. A resident of Independence Township, she lives on Thendara Boulevard.



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Around town

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Dec. 7, 8, 9, 13, 14 and 15—Clarkston Village Players' production of "Veronica's Room," an adult mystery, at the Depot Theatre. Tickets are available at Tierra Arts and Designs, 20 S. Main, Clarkston.

Monday, Dec. 10—American Red Cross Bloodmobile, 2 to 8 p.m., Davisburg Methodist Church, 803 Broadway, Davisburg, donors must be between 18 (17 with parental permission) and 66 and in good general health. (Call 624-3373 during blood drive hours for appointment.)

Tuesday, Dec. 11—Independence Spring Chapter of the American Business Women's Association meeting, 6 p.m., Old Mill Restaurant, Waterford Township, guest speaker Al Watson of First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Clarkston Branch. (After 7 p.m., call 634-9006.)

Thursday, Dec. 13—Benefit performance of Clarkston Village Players' production of "Veronica's Room," an adult mystery. Tickets are \$10, with proceeds donated to the Clarkston Band Boosters. On sale at Tierra Arts and Design in Clarkston or by calling 625-2140.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 13, 14 15—"Carnival," the Broadway musical based on the movie, "Lili," Clarkston High School, presented by Thespians and Madrigal Singers, tickets are \$3 and may be purchased at the door, CHS Little Theatre, 6595 Middle Lake, Independence Township, reservations can be made, call CHS at 625-5841.

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Saturday, December 15—Holiday movies for children, showings at noon and 6 p.m. of "Ben and Me," "Flash the Teenage Otter" and "Mowgli's Brothers," free admission, refreshments will be sold, Independence Township Hall, 90

N. Main, Clarkston (Call 625-8223 for reservations.)

Wednesday, Dec. 19, through Friday, Dec. 21—Talk to Santa or Mrs. Claus from 3 to 5 p.m. by calling 625-8231.

Saturday, Dec. 22—Second annual Independence Parks and

Recreation Christmas Party, 3 to 5 p.m., 50 cents plus a gift to exchange for \$2 or less, kids grades 1 to 6 may attend. Santa will make an appearance, and there will be games, prizes, a movie (Mr. Magoo's Christmas Carol), refreshments and breaking of candy pinatas, Clarkston High School. (Call 625-8223 to let them know you're coming.)

AREA CHURCHES AND THEIR WORSHIP HOUR

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CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 6600 Waldon Road Rev. James R. Balfour Worship & Church School 10am	FIRST BAPTIST 5972 Paramus Rev. Clarence Bell Sunday School 9:45am Morning Service 11am Primary Church thru 4th Grade Evening Service 7pm	MT. ZION TEMPLE 4451 Clintonville Rd. — 673-2050 Sunday school 10am Worship Service 11am Evening Service 6pm Mid-week Service 7:30pm Pastor Loren Covarrubias - 674-1415
GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 1950 Baldwin, Lake Orion, MI 48035 Sunday School 9:15 Family Worship 9 and 10:30am Weekday School Wed. 6:15pm Pastor Charles Kosberg	DRAYTON HEIGHTS FREE METHODIST CHURCH Corner of Winnell and Maybee Rd. Rev. Clancy J. Thompson 9:45 Sunday School 11 Worship Hour - 6:00 Vespers Wednesday, 7pm Family Night	FIRST CHURCH OF GOD 6300 Clarkston Road Clarkston 625-1323 Sunday School 9:30am Morning Worship 10:45am Evening Worship 6:00pm Mid-week Service Wed. 7:30pm B. G. Dale, Pastor
ANDERSONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH 10350 Andersonville Rev. Wallace Duncan Worship 11:00am	FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH 4832 Clintonville Rd. - Phone 673-3638 Services: Sunday Sunday School Bible Study 10am Worship Hour 11am Youth Hour 5pm, Gospel Hour 6pm Wednesday, Hour of Prayer 7pm	TEMPLE OF LIGHT A Spiritual Center for Healing, Learning & Worship 661 Broadway, Davisburg Services Sun. 1pm Wednesday 7:30pm Silver Tea 1st Thurs. of each month, 7pm Pastor, John Wilson - 625-4294
MARANATHA BAPTIST CHURCH 5790 Flemings Lake Road Rev. Philip W. Somers Worship 11:00am	PINE KNOB COMMUNITY CHURCH 3041 Reader Road off Clintonville Pontiac, Michigan Ken Hauser Worship 10:15am & 6pm	CLARKSTON COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH Presently meeting in the Clarkston High School Auditorium Sunday School 10am Worship Service 11am Evening Service 6pm Pastor, Rev. Myron Gaul
SEYMOUR LAKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Sashabaw at Seymour Lake Rd. Rev. Kenneth Christler Sunday School 9:30-10:15 Worship Service 10:30am	NEW HOPE BIBLE CHURCH 5311 Sunnyside Sunday School 9:45am Worship Service 11am Worship at 6pm Rev. H. W. Crawford, 674-1112	CLARKSTON GOOD SHEPHERD ASSEMBLY OF GOD 6051 Sashabaw Rd. near Maybee Rd. Sunday School 9:45am Morning Worship 11am Evening Worship 7pm Mid-Week Worship Wed. 7:00pm Pastor: Peter Magdi, 673-3068
OLD FASHIONED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH Rev. Omer Brewer 5785 Clarkston Rd. Sunday School 10:30 Sunday Evening Service 7:00	CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH INDEPENDENT NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH Gene Paul, Minister 3246 Lapeer Rd. (M-24 near I-75) Bible School 9:45; Morning Worship 11am Evening Worship 6:00	LAKE LOUISE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE M-15 at W. Seymour Lake Road, Ortonville 9:45 Sunday School 10:50 The Hour of Worship 6:15pm Youth and Bible Study 7:00 Evening Service Wed. 7pm Family Prayer & Bible Study
CLARKSTON CHURCH OF GOD 54 South Main Sunday School 10am Morning Worship 11am Sunday Evening Worship 6:00pm Wed. Prayer, Bible & Youth 7pm Pastor, Carl Mayfield	ST. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH 7925 Sashabaw Road Sunday School 9:45 Worship Service 8:30-11 a.m.	EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION 6490 Clarkston Road Rev. Alexander Stewart Worship 8 & 10 Using 1928 Prayer Book
SPIRITUAL CHURCH OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN, Clarkston 5401 Oak Park off Maybee Rd. Rev. Allan Hinz - 623-1074 Sunday Evening Worship 7pm Silver Tea last Thursday each month.	PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE 9880 Ortonville Rd. Worship 11am & 7pm Wed. Nite Prayer 7pm Pastor, Rev. James Holder	COMMUNITY UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Sashabaw Rd. at Monroe St. (2 blocks north of Dixie Hwy.) Drayton Plains Phone 673-7805 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Babies thru adults Worship 11:00A.M., Nursery provided
CLINTONVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH 5301 Clintonville Rd. 9:45 Sunday School 7:30 Evening Worship 11 Morning Worship Wed. 7:00 Choir 6:30 Training Union 7:30 Prayer Service	CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH 6805 Bluegrass Drive Rev. Robert D. Walters Services 8:00am & 10:30am Sunday Church School 9:15	ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DAVISBURG 12881 Andersonville Road, Davisburg Rev. Robert R. Hazen, Pastor Phone 634-9225 Sunday: Sunday School 9:45am Morning Worship 11am Evening Gospel Hour 6pm Wednesday: Family night program 7pm Awana clubs 7pm	WATERFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH Airport Road at Olympic Parkway Minister of C.E., Russell G. Jeandell Minister of Youth, Dair Hileman Sunday School 9:30 Morning Worship 10:45 Evening Service 6:00 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 Rev. Phillip Whisenhunt, Pastor	

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Doing business

Fare at this market - unusual gifts

The Gift Market is a sophisticated blend of items ranging from teddy bears to crystal.

The shop that opened last week on the lower level of the Clarkston Mills mall has gifts to suit any age, said owner Hazel Pill of Waterford Township.

"I don't like just ordinary things," she said.

In selecting merchandise for the shop, Mrs. Pill said she chose unusual items, but also basic things people need in their homes.

"That's what we're going to strive for—the unusual," she said.

Mrs. Pill, who is a former employee of Lord and Taylor, discovered her new location through her daughter and husband, Susan and Bruce Yuille, also of Waterford Township.

"Bruce just thought this would be a fantastic place for a gift shop," she said. "They brought me out to see it, and they've been a great deal of help."

As she walks through her shop, pointing out items on the shelf-lined walls, in windows and cases, Mrs. Pill enthusiastically talks about the practicality and

beauty of what she sells.

And when she says, "I love selling," it makes sense.

Among the shop's offerings are Fitz and Floyd fine china, Arthur Court design aluminum serving dishes, Working Glass sun catchers and candle holders, Atlantis fine crystal and silverware.

There are also brass accent pieces, an assortment of serving dishes and trays, salt and pepper shakers, place mats and candles.

Baskets, wine totes, place mats, stationery and a line of complete cooking sets with utensils and recipes for Wok cookery, omelets, pizza and quiches.

Because the Gift Market is located on the lower level of the shopping mall, it has an outdoor entrance off Church Street and an indoor entrance just an elevator ride away from the upper level.

The location of the shop suits Mrs. Pill's philosophy about shopping.

"I really am not crazy about large malls," she said. "I like smaller areas where I can run in and buy what I want."



Hazel Pill's Gift Market in the Clarkston Mills stocks gifts for the home and for children—"everything from teddy bears to crystal," she says.

Wins award

Delton Lohff won the Booster of the Year Award of the Michigan Association of the Professions [MAP] at the group's annual meeting Nov. 29 in Lansing. Lohff, an engineer and land surveyor with Kieft Engineering of Independence Township, lives on Laurelton Road, Independence Township. The award is given to the individual who has gained, through his own efforts, the largest number of new members to MAP. Lohff was honored for bringing the Michigan Society of Registered Land Surveyors into MAP membership.



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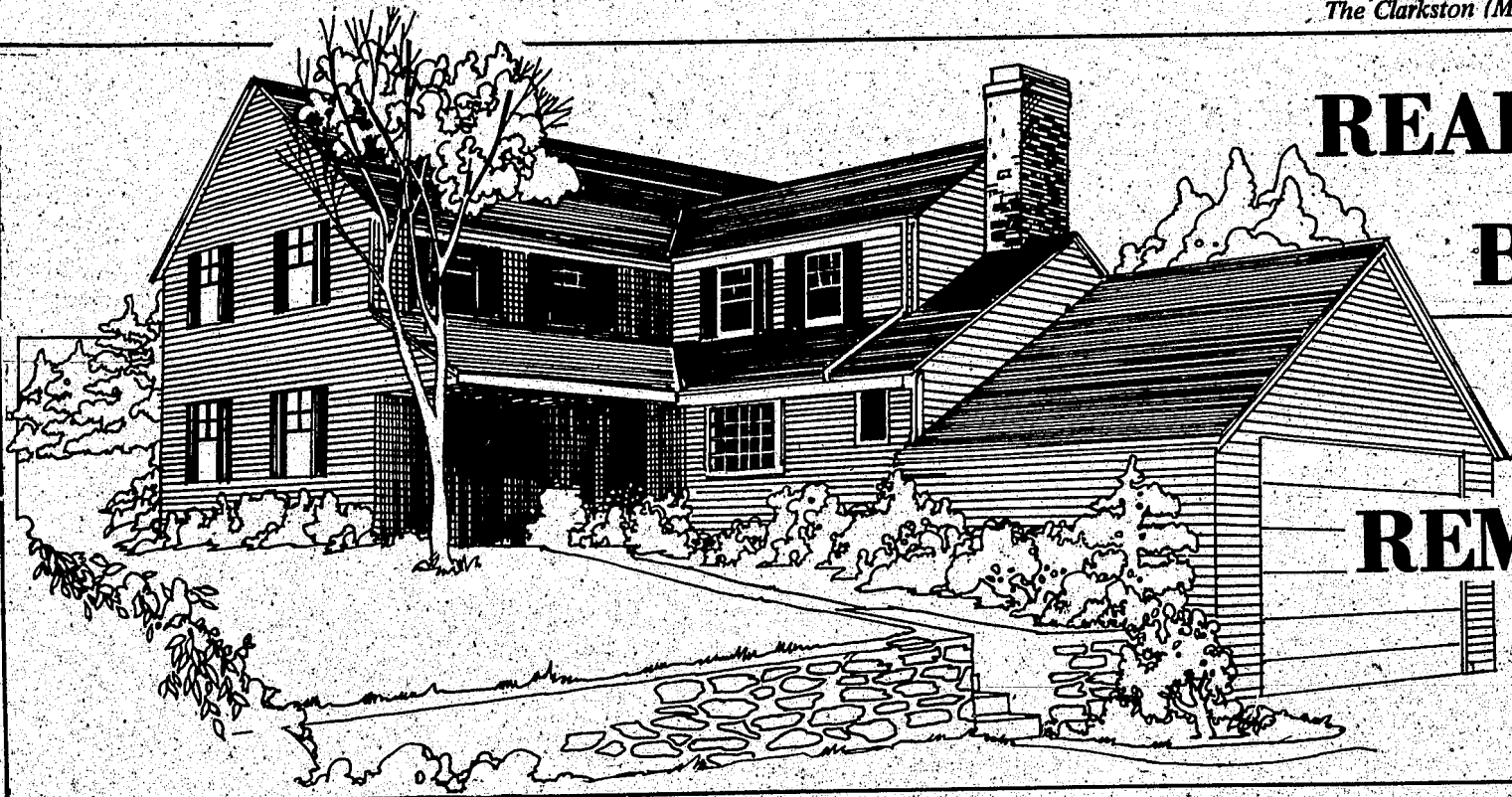
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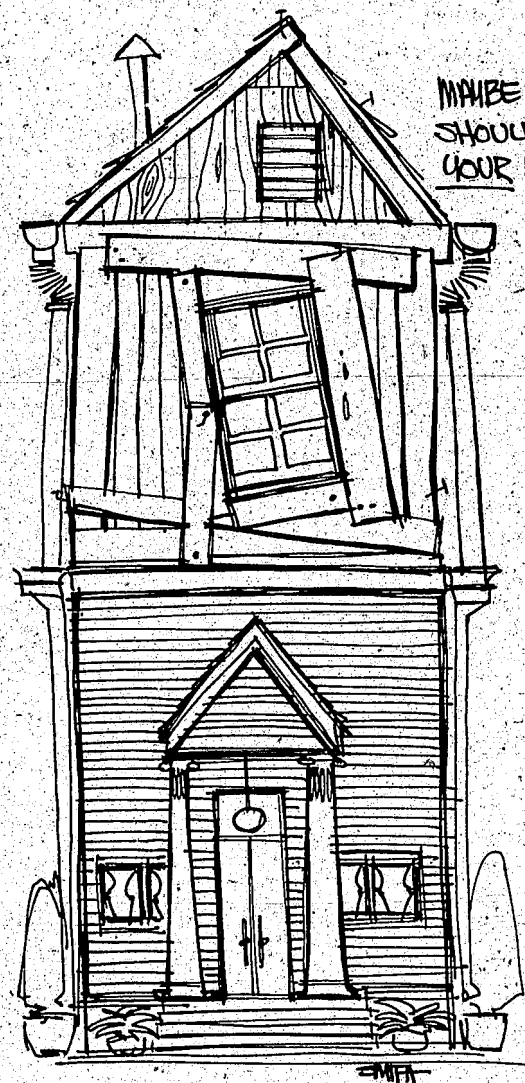
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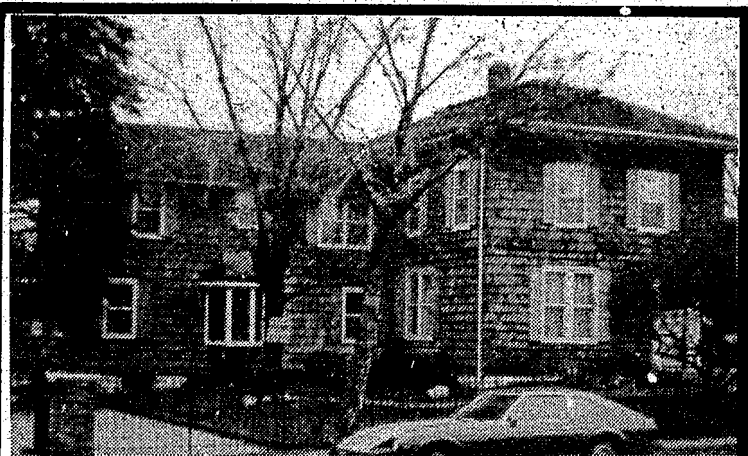


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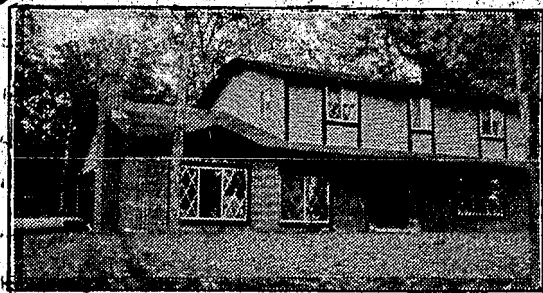
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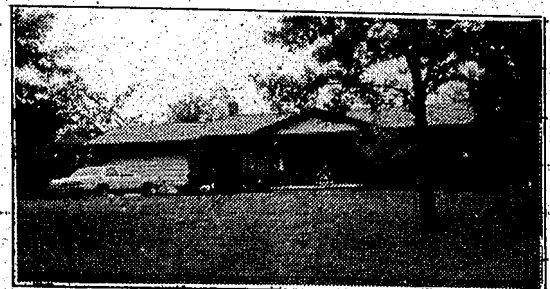
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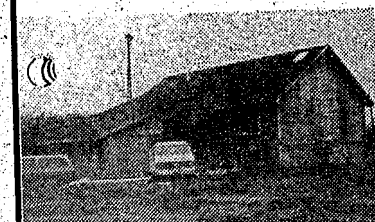
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Places to go

Plays, exhibits, concerts outside Clarkston-Independence-Springfield

"Charley's Aunt" by Brandon Thomas begins a four-week run at Meadow Brook Theatre Thursday, Dec. 6 at 8:30 p.m.

The comedy was first produced in London in 1892, and the madcap events begin when a young student is persuaded to impersonate a friend's aunt.

Opening week performances scheduled at 8:30 p.m. on Thursday and Friday, 2 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, 6:30 p.m. on Sunday and 2 p.m. on Wednesday. The theater is dark on Mondays.

Tickets for the play which will run Dec. 6 through Dec. 30 may be purchased at Hudson's or by calling the Meadow Brook Theatre box office, 377-3300.

A Holiday Happening, a free musical program sponsored by the Waterford Historical Society, is scheduled Friday, Dec. 14, at the historical church, 5860 Andersonville, Waterford Township, one-half block west of Dixie Highway.

Performers are to include the Force Junior High Hand Bell Christmas Choraliers; Milford Vocal Ensemble; tap, ballet and jazz demonstrations; and the Waterford Township High School Acappella Choir.

For more information, call 623-6983.

Family Christmas shows by the Meadow Brook Estate, Oakland University's dance and show ensemble, are scheduled at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Dec. 7-8 and at 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 9.

The programs are to be presented in Varner Recital Hall on the university's campus in Rochester.

Ticket information can be obtained by calling 377-2000.

Jayno Adams' Santa's Chalet Bazaar is planned Saturday, Dec. 8, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 3810 Clintonville, Waterford Township.

Crafts and a bake sale will be

featured. Call 673-1170 for more information.

"A Midsummer Night's Dream," the second production of the season at the Attie Theatre in Detroit, will open Friday, Dec. 7, and run through Jan. 19.

Reservations can be made by calling 963-7789 or visiting the theater's box office at 525 E. Lafayette between 2 and 8 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday.

Agatha Christie's celebrated who-did-what-to-whom, "The Mousetrap," will open Dec. 27 at the Birmingham Theatre.

The play is the longest running in the history of the English speaking stage, having celebrated its 28th year recently in London.

"The Mousetrap" will be performed by an all New York cast.

Tickets are now on sale at the theater box office, 211 S. Woodward, Birmingham. For information, call 644-3533.

The Camp Fire Organization in the Waterford area is sponsoring a Christmas Craft Bazaar on Friday, Dec. 7 from 4:30-8:30 p.m. at Leggett School, 3621 Pontiac Lake.

All kinds of handmade crafts and baked goods will be available for purchase from the area Camp Fire groups. Admission is free and proceeds from the sale will go to the individual group treasuries, which help defray the cost of group activities all year.

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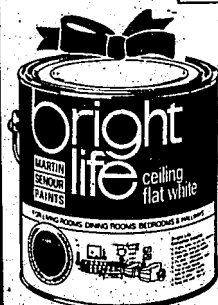
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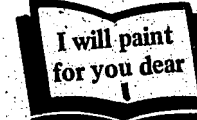


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The market will be open from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. both days. The club will be selling wreaths, arrangements, ropings and other items hand-made from fresh greens.

Proceeds will go to the Drayton Plains Nature Center.

The special Christmas meeting of The Compassionate Friends, an organization for bereaved parents, will be held Tuesday night, Dec. 11, in Southfield.

The program will begin at 7:30 p.m. at the Southfield Civic Center, 26000 Evergreen, north of 10 Mile Road. Interested persons in the Clarkston area can call Ann Williams at 625-5680!!!

An Eckankar discussion class is scheduled Wednesday, Dec. 12, at 7 p.m. at 351 West Glass, corner of Manorhaven, Brandon Township.

The topic is "The Flute of God" by Paul Twitchell that deals with karma, reincarnation, living in the present moment and overcoming fears.

The class is free. For more information, call Judy Bill at 627-2798.

An old-fashioned Christmas social is planned at the Drayton Plains Nature Center Saturday, December 15.

Demonstrations of Christmas candle and ornament making will be going on throughout the day. Among other activities will be a pottery and bake sales. Santa will make an appearance at noon. At 7 p.m., a movie on maple syrup will be shown, and from 7:30-9 p.m. there'll be an all-you-can-eat pancake supper. The center's at 2125 Denby, Waterford Township. Call 674-2119 for details.

A Christmas bazaar featuring handicrafts from throughout Oakland County will be held at the Ewalt Community Center, 1460 N. Perry, Pontiac, Dec. 15.

Besides Christmas decorations and gift items, the bazaar will provide an opportunity for youngsters to talk to Santa between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. Booths are available for rental, and reservations can be made by calling Vicky Yost in the Pontiac Parks and Recreation Division at 857-7780.

Cook up a storm using ethnic recipes from "Cuisine International" just published by the International Institute of Metropolitan Detroit.

The cookbook contains 400 recipes highlighting 25 countries. The home-tested recipes range from Ibo-Nigerian Akala Balls, Russian Mushroom and Potato Soup, Italian Bragiale and Indian Tandoor Chicken to Mother's Polish Christmas Dessert.

The book costs \$5 and is available at the institute, 111 E. Kirby, Detroit. For an additional \$1 to cover mailing, the cookbook may be ordered by sending, name, address and telephone number to Aralynn Vinande, 963 Lincoln Rd., Grosse Pointe, Mich. 48230.

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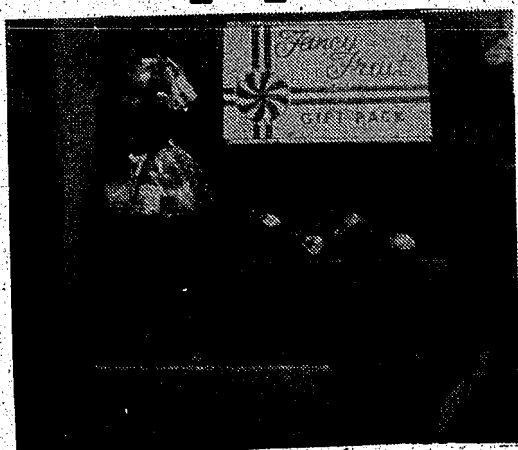
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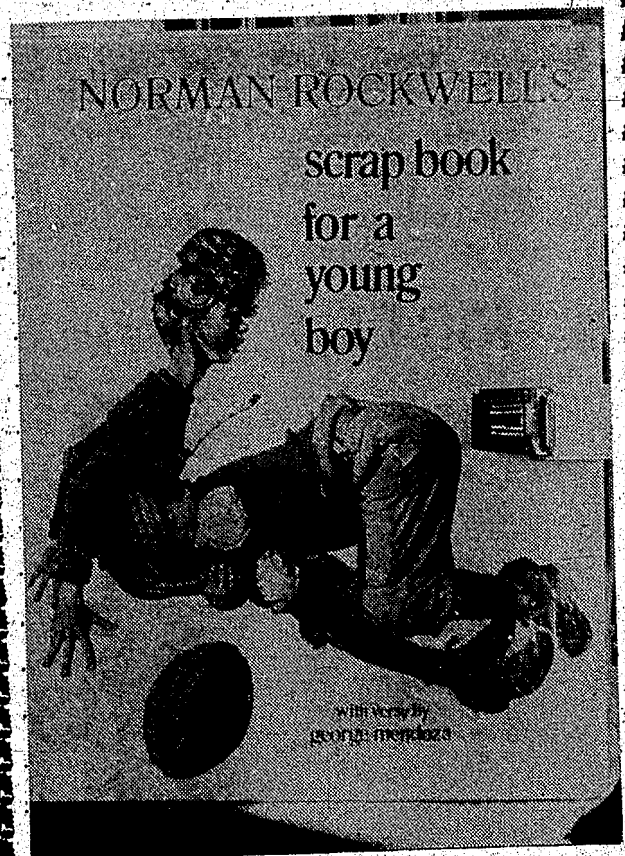
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- 12—Stacked ham sandwich or Spanish rice with bread and butter. Corn, peas or red cinnamon applesauce.
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- 14—Burritos or sloppy Joes. Fries, mixed vegetables or variety of fruits.
- 17—Chili with bread and butter or mini subs. Fries, peas and carrots or fruit cocktail.
- 18—Pizza or grilled cheese sandwich. Tossed salad, green beans or apples.
- 19—Goulash with bread and butter or hamburger on bun. Corn, beets or peach slices.
- 20—Italian lunch with roll and butter or egg salad sandwich. Tossed salad, peas, fruit fluff, Christmas cookie.
- 21—Hot dog on bun with tomato soup or tunaburger with tomato soup. Tri-taters, variety of fruits.
- 24-31—Christmas recess.

Peeking into the past

by Rustie Leaf



PEEKING INTO THE PAST 10 YEARS AGO December 4, 1969

Sue Griffith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Griffiths, has been chosen Clarkston's '69-70' Junior Miss. Sixteen contestants competed for the crown, with Claudia Sawyer receiving runner-up honors.

Donald L. Stageman is a member of the entering class at the Wayne State University School of Medicine.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hanson celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on November 26. The Hansons have made their home in Clarkston for the past 16 years. Their only son, Paul,

and his wife Marilyn and granddaughter Polly, will honor the occasion with an open house.

25 YEARS AGO December 2, 1954

On Saturday, Candy Becker and Judy O'Dell entertained at a miscellaneous shower at the Becker home on Allen Road, honoring Ann Barrows, whose marriage will be an event of December 18.

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The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. Roll: Lozano, Powell, Ritter, Rose, Thayer, Vandermark, Tower, all present.

The Board received comments from citizens about the dissolution of the Police Services Department.

The meeting adjourned at 7:14 p.m. No votes were taken. If any citizen is interested in reviewing the minutes of this meeting or other meetings they are available in the Township Clerk's Office.

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VOLCANO'S IN STOCK: Forced air and hot water systems, burn wood & coal, \$850. Next day delivery. Shenandoah R-78L, \$251; Johnson Energy converter add-on furnace J-1000, \$289; J-3000 in stock next week. Dealer, 1-559-3933. !!!CX15-4p

BOOTHBY'S OLD FARM SHOP: Original potpourri spray. Old fashion fragrance, long lasting, \$5. Dixie & White Lk. Rd. 625-5100. !!!CX15-2c

BOOTHBY'S OLD FARM SHOP: Multi-colored hand-blown glass creche, \$3.50, from our large selection of hand crafted Christmas ornaments. Dixie & White Lk. Rd., Clarkston 625-5100. !!!CX15-2c

BOOTHBY'S OLD FARM SHOP: Handmade music box, copper sculptures, \$16.50. Dixie & White Lk. Rd., Clarkston. 625-5100. !!!CX15-2c

UNITED AIR LINE ticket, \$40. Call evenings, 625-5579. !!!CX-15-2c

HAMMOND ORGAN, automatic rhythm section, J400 series, \$600. 625-4865 after 5. !!!CX15-dhtf

60 BALES of hay for cows, \$1.00/bale, or best offer. You-pick-up. Ask for Cathy, 628-4130. !!!LX-46-2

OPEN SUNDAY: 12-5 & every nite til Christmas. Covered Wagon Saddlery. !!!LX-46-4c

1971 CHAMPION Mobile home. Fireplace, refrigerator, stove & many extras. \$7,200. 628-6952 after 6pm. !!!LX-46-2*

LEE DOUBLE KNIT slacks, regular \$18, now \$10.98 while they last, all colors, also matching jackets. Covered Wagon Saddlery. !!!LX-46-4c

GOLDEN OLD dresser-commode, \$200. 693-2868. !!!R-9-3 RA-46-2

GREAT GIFTS for MECHANICS. Free gift wrapping. Gift certificates for your mechanic. Open Sunday 10-4. Indianwood Automotive, M-24 & Indianwood. !!!LX-46-4c

OPEN SUNDAY: 12-5 & every nite til Christmas. Covered Wagon Saddlery. !!!LX-46-4c

TAKING ORDERS for bird feeders, great for gifts. The Bird Man. 625-4317. !!!CX15-4c*

POOL TABLE: 1979 full size slate. Ruby red felt, never used. \$350. 628-2075. !!!LX-46-3*

DUNCAN PHYFE cherrywood dinette, 3 pieces, no chairs. Great condition. Must see to appreciate. Best offer, 693-9353. !!!LX-46-2*

Ph. 625-3370 - Want Ads Reach 26,000 Homes

FOR SALE

WELWELL SWEATSHIRTS For the kids, china items at Metamora Saddle & Harness, 693-6204!!!R10-2, RX47-2, RL45-2

ZENITH AM/FM Stereo Hi-fi console, walnut wood, excellent condition. Will sacrifice for \$250. 628-1095. !!!ILX-46-2

OPEN SUNDAY, 12-5 & every night til Christmas. Covered Wagon Saddlery. !!!ILX-46-4c

MEAT GIFTS for MECHANICS. Free gift wrapping. Gift certificates for your mechanic. Open Sunday 10-4. Indianwood Automotive, M-24 & Indianwood. !!!ILX-46-4c

FOR SALE: 2 house trailer axles, 8 inch 7 for galbestos pipe. 2 cylinder Gardner-Denar air compressor; Ladies size 16 suede coat with fur collar. 628-3497. !!!ILX-46-2*

FOR SALE: Barn beams, all sizes. Best offer. 628-1976. !!!ILX-46-2*

GREAT GIFTS for MECHANICS. Free gift wrapping. Gift certificates for your mechanic. Open Sunday 10-4. Indianwood Automotive, M-24 & Indianwood. !!!ILX-46-4c

LEE DOUBLE KNIT slacks, regular \$18, now \$10.98 while they last, all colors, also matching jackets. Covered Wagon Saddlery. !!!ILX-46-4c

1977 LIBERTY 12x60. Set up in park. Appliances. 628-2753 between 9-2. !!!ILX-46-2* L-44-3

GREAT GIFTS for MECHANICS. Free gift wrapping. Gift certificates for your mechanic. Open Sunday 10-4. Indianwood Automotive, M-24 & Indianwood. !!!ILX-46-4c

LEE DOUBLE KNIT slacks, regular \$18, now \$10.98. All colors. While they last. Also matching jackets. Covered Wagon Saddlery. !!!ILX-46-4c

LIVE XMAS TREES. Colorado Spruce. Select them in the field now and we will dig & put in large containers before Christmas. Enjoy in your home now, in your yard for years to come. Please phone appointment. 628-2846* Noel Arbor Farms, 79 Park St., Oxford. !!!ILX-46-4c* L-44-4c LR-9-4c

CHESTS, dressers, bedroom sets, sofas, lamps & tables, dinette sets, skis, skates & boots, glassware, musical instruments, beautiful Xmas trim, toys. Bargain Shop, 377 S. Broadway, Lk. Orion. 693-1968 between L&S and KFC. !!!ILX-46-2*c

AIR LINE radio stereo console, \$100; Singer cabinet model sewing machine, \$50. Excellent condition. 628-1854. !!!ILX-46-2*

FOR SALE: Like new, White Stag fake fox fur lined coat. Size 10, \$50; was \$100. Call 693-9209!!!ILX-47-1

1 PLAID COUCH For the price of this ad. 211 W. Flint, Lake Orion!!!ILX-47-1

TRS 80 LEVEL II 16K Radio Shack Computer, with tapes, excellent condition. \$650. Call 752-9083!!!ILX-47-1

1969 PACEMAKER MOBILE HOME: 10x45, \$1200. 797-4880!!!ILX-47-2*

BOOTHBY'S OLD FARM SHOP. Puzzle lovers, 500 piece Jig Saw puzzles in new designs. \$5.50; Dixie Hwy and White Lake Road 625-1500!!!CX-16-2c

BAUER ICE SKATES, MENS Size 5, Roller skates, men size 7. White Stag Ski Suite-mens medium. Sangiorgia boots, mens size 10 1/2. \$100 or will sell separate. 625-2320!!!CX-16-1p

NECCHI DELUXE AUTOMATIC Zig zag sewing machine, cabinet model. Embroiders, blind hems, buttonholes, etc. 1969 model. Take over payments of \$15.90 month for 9 months or \$53 cash balance. Universal Sewing Center!!!CX-16-1c

TOYS AND GIFTS GALORE AT Clarkston Main Street Antiques Store; 21 N. Main!!!CX-16-3c

ADORABLE AKC MINIATURE Schnauzer pups; will hold for Christmas. Place order now. 625-0734!!! CX-16-1p

COPPERTONE WASHER & DRYER: \$350. Excellent condition, 4 piece black vinyl living room set, \$350. Large gold print couch, \$160. Black shag twin bedspread, \$20. SX70 camera, movie camera, Polaroid/land camera. Oakland Community College nursing books. 693-6506!!!CX-16-1c

TEXAS REFINERY CORP. OFFERS Plenty of money plus cash bonuses, fringe benefits to mature individual in Clarkston area. Regardless of experience, write A.T. Pate, Pres. Texas Refinery Corp., Box 711, Fort Worth, Texas 76101!!!CX-16-c

SINGER AUTOMATIC ZIG ZAG Sewing machine, sews single or double needle. Designs, overcasts, buttonholes, etc. Modern cabinet. Take over payments of \$7 month for 8 months of \$56 cash balance. Still under guarantee. Universal Sewing Center!!!CX-16-1c

MOVING SALE: Furniture; couch, chairs, stereo, dinette set, bar stools, end tables, etc. Call after 6 p.m., 852-7832!!!ILX-47-2

GIRLS 26 INCH 3 SPEED Bike, good condition, \$35; 625-8383!!!CX-15-1c

PICKUP COVER: Cab high, bubble windows, \$125. 628-6745!!!ILX-47-3*c

COKE MACHINE FOR SALE: Excellent condition, works well. 391-9719!!!ILX-47-1

LIQUIDATION SALE: 25 year collection. Solid Cherry dresser, carved oak dining table, liquor cabinets, oak buffet, camel back trunk, smoking stand with humidior, much more. 391-9719!!!ILX-47-1

10 HORSE GARDEN TRACTOR With snow blade, call 693-4258!!!ILX-47-1*

FOR SALE: Marlin 44 magnum, \$195; Remington 30-06, 700 BDL, \$235. 628-9517!!!ILX-47-1*

FOR SALE: Antique solid oak secretary desk; has bookshelf, glass door & mirror, carved drawer fronts. 628-1839!!!ILX-47-1

PINBALL MACHINE GOTTLIEB: \$295; also, Pachinko game. 391-0834!!!ILX-47-1

KENMORE ELECTRIC WASHER, Gas dryer; good condition, \$245. 625-1128!!!CX-16-1c

CEMETERY LOTS: In Acacia Park, Birmingham, 2 adjacent lots in lovely area. Being sold by estate heirs; Purchaser must be member of Masonic family; \$350 each. Call Mr. Balch, 857-8300 (office), or 628-1688, 628-0430 (home)!!!ILX-47-dhtf, L-45-dhtf, R-10-dhtf

2 WHEEL UTILITY TRAILER: 4x8, 15 inch tires, new condition, 693-9195 after 3 p.m.!!!ILX-47-1

FOR SALE: Temco gas heater, 75,000 BTU with blower, \$125. 628-0643!!!ILX-47-1-

TOOL BOX FOR PICKUP TRUCK: Good condition, \$50. 628-6131!!!ILX-47-1*

GAS SPACE HEATER, Ceiling type, perfect for garage, \$135. 628-6131!!!ILX-47-1*

FOR SALE: Antique-2 butter churns, brass hanging lamp & small items. 628-1839!!!ILX-47-1

MOVING SALE: Furniture, couch, chairs, stereo, dinette set, bar stools, end tables, etc. Call after 6 p.m. and weekends, 693-4150!!!ILX-47-1

MENS SKI PACKAGE: \$150; child's ski package, used once, \$75; ski suit, size 6, \$30; Adult Ski-Doo suit, \$30. 628-9522!!!ILX-47-1*

SKIS, LADIES: Size 6 Henke boots, cubco bindings, \$50; 627-3056!!!ILX-47-1*

ARIENS SNOW THROWER: I inherited a tractor and don't need my Ariens Snow thrower-But maybe you do. Call 628-5813 for a real bargain on a like-new heavy duty snow thrower. There is more snow on the way!!!ILX-47-1-

ANTIQUE PUMP ORGAN: Priced at \$1,500 or best offer. Ideal gift for the ones you love. 752-2725!!!ILX-47-1-

DOUBLE HUNG PICTURE WINDOW: 8'x4'6". Never used, 628-5854 or 628-5841!!!ILX-47-3dh, L-45-3dh, LR-10-3dh

FOR SALE: 1/2 off coupons on United Airlines & American Airlines. \$50 each. 628-7880 or 752-2772!!!ILX-47-1c

FOR SALE: Used crib, play pen, stroller, high chair, car seat, changing table, diaper pail, all in excellent condition; reasonable priced. 693-4736!!!ILX-47-1-

MATCHING MAPLE ARMED Love seat, rocker and chair. Excellent condition; \$125. Call 693-8866!!!ILX-47-1- LR-10-3

FOR SALE: Lowery Spinnet organ, good condition; \$275. 628-5906!!!ILX-47-1

ATTENTION: Firewood, \$35 a cord, delivered. 391-2129!!!ILX-47-1

FOR SALE: Sewing machine in cabinet, \$35. 2 large Early American pictures, 2 Early American lamps. 628-1839!!!ILX-47-1

FOR SALE: Telescope, 3 lens & sun filter, \$50; BIC Electronic FM stereo antenna, \$50. 628-9517!!!ILX-47-1*

WHOA! Make someone happy. Put a purebred Arabian under your Christmas tree; \$1,000 and up, terms available. 628-0067!!!ILX-47-3-

TRAIL BIKE: 1977 Suzuki DS-100. Very good condition, \$350; Sears heavy duty floor polisher, \$35; Sears Exercycle, \$25; girls white double dresser, \$35; Two very low mileage BR-78-13 tires and wheels, \$50; Amplifier for beginners electric guitar, \$25; Guitar free. 628-6732 after 6 p.m.!!!ILX-47-3-

CERAMICS-CHRISTMAS GREENWARE Trees all sizes, snowmen, dishes, Santas, other items, 693-9069!!!R-10-3, RL45-3, RX47-2-

SAVE ENERGY: New Effikal Flue damper, best offer. 628-0535!!!ILX-47-1*

177 CENTIMETERS K-2 SKIS: With Tyrolola 190 bindings, size 7 1/2 Nordica boots; all for \$100. 623-6629!!!CX-16-1c-

GAS DRYER: 30 inch gas stove and dishwasher, 391-0215!!!ILX-47-2-

COMMERCIAL SALTER; Cyclone 600 lb. capacity. Pickup truck liner. 3 tables, hide-a-bed, queen size bed. 627-3831!!!CX-16-1c-

DRY OAK FIREWOOD: Cut 5-7 years. Split, stacked and deliver; minimum delivery 2 face cords. 517-426-7165!!!CX-16-1c-

FIREWOOD: \$45 face cord, 4x8x18; delivered, 625-3235!!!CX-16-1c-

GREENS LAKE: Single bed, com- forter, dust ruffle, lamp, curtain, sheets to fit large bedroom. Living room drapes. Like new, 673-8620!!!CX-15-2c

CHILDREN'S SAN MARCO SKI BOOTS: Size 3 or 3 1/2, \$18. 625-0965!!!CX-16-1C

3 PIECE LIVING ROOM SET, \$125; 1974 Buick Estate Wagon, \$1,750. 625-4917!!!CX-16-1c-

ONE UNITED 1/4 FARE COUPON: \$30, 625-5334!!!CX-16-1c-

3 PIECE BEDROOM SET: \$125, 673-3277 after 4 p.m. CX-16-1c

40,000 BTU OIL FIRED Heaters, \$169.95; 60,000 BTU Heaters, \$249.95. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

MANSFIELD TOILETS, \$46.95; Fiberglass laundry tubs, \$19.95. Laundry tub pumps, \$57.95; Wayne 30,000 grain water softeners, \$329.95. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Road, Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

POULAN CHAIN SAWS: We have one of the most complete stock and the best price. 10" from 79.95, 14" model 25DA with carrying case, \$169.95, 16" 25 CVA counterbore with case, \$199.95; both with auto oiling and manual override. We have it in stock up to the super 5200 counterbore. Our prices & service is best. Try any model before you buy. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Road, Orion. 693-8989!!! ILX-47-4c-

DOUBLE STAINLESS STEEL KIT- CHEN Sink, \$35.95; all our kitchen & bath faucets are specially priced. Single lever Delta at \$22.95. Delex washerless, \$17.95. All other at similar savings. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

ROCKWELL POWER MITRE BOX: \$179.95, 10" motorized table saw with cast top, \$279.95. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Road, Orion, 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

MAGIC HEATERS, \$64.95. Our all fuel stainless steel metalbestos pipe is low priced. Example 30"x8" Diameter is 39.95; we carry 10", 8", 7", 6" pipe and fittings in stock. Handy Andy Pro Hardware; Clarkston Road, Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

RENT OUR LOG SPLITTER BY DAY; 1/2 day or hour. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

3 H.P. MTD SNOWBLOWER, 209.95; 22" Simplicity, \$279.95; 5 h.p. 26" 2 stage with chains, \$595; 8 h.p. 26" 2 stage with chains, \$695. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion. 693-8889!!!ILX-47-4c-

STANLEY GARAGE DOOR OPENER SALE: Deluxe model 3000-1, \$159.95-model 1000-1, \$119.95. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Road, Orion, 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

16 H.P. MURRAY TRACTOR With chains, wheel weights & 42" snowblower; \$1,649. 11 h.p. with 36" mower, 36" blower. Chains & wheel weights; \$1,395. Handy Andy Pro Hardware; Clarkston Rd., Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

WAYNE 1/2 H.P. SHALLOW OR Deep well jet pumps, \$129.95, 30 gal. captive air tanks, \$74.95; 40 gal. captive air tanks, \$79.95; upright sump pumps, \$49.95. Submersible, \$59.95. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

ELECTRICAL WIRE, 14-2 with ground, \$25.95; 12-2 with ground, \$33.95, in 250 ft. cartons. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion; 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

EARTH STOVES, \$459.95; lift-top wonderwoods, \$289.95; U.S. Stove Forrester, \$399.95; 320 model \$459.95. Little John add-a-furnace, \$399.95. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

STATE WATER HEATERS, 40 gal. gas, \$115.95, 30 gal., \$109.95, 40 gal. electric, \$129.95, 52 gal. electric, \$149.95. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion, 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

WE HAVE SNAPPER TRACTORS IN Stock, 16 H.P. With snow blower, reg. \$3,547; sale \$3,095. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

WE HAVE ALTERNATORS IN STOCK: 1750 Watt, \$399.95; 3,000 watt, \$579.95; 4,000 watt, \$695.95; 1 h. p. portable air compressor, \$298. Handy Andy Pro Hardware, Clarkston Rd., Orion. 693-8989!!!ILX-47-4c-

WANTED

WANTED: 12-4x8 sheets of either plywood, drywall, masonite or celotex. Call after 5 p.m., 693-1654!!!ILX-47-1

WANTED: Old 4 wheel drive vehicle; preferably with plow. Need not be licensed. Call after 5 p.m., 693-1654!!!ILX-47-1

WANTED: Old Windows, Doors. We buy stained, beveled & leaded windows & doors. 391-9719!!!ILX-47-1

WANTED TO BUY: Dishes, glassware, depression glass & knick-knacks. 391-0921 or 332-8613!!!ILX-47-8*

USED GUNS WANTED regardless of condition. Top cash dollars. We buy sell-trade. Guns galore. Fenton 629-5325 !!!ILX4-tfc

BUYING old shot guns, rifles & silver coins. 391-2126 after 4pm. !!!ILX-46-2*

WE BUY OLD FURNITURE, Also old doors & windows. 391-9719!!!ILX-47-1

WANTED: Lady 55 yrs. and up to live in and babysit. 628-7395 or write 1972 Van Blvd., Oxford, Mich. 48051. !!!ILX-46-3

WANTED: Elderly to care for in my neat & clean country home. 797-4938 or 797-4489. !!!ILX-46-2 L.R-9-3

WANTED TO BUY: 4 L78-15 snow tires, reasonable. 628-5820!!!ILX47-1dh

OLD STAINED GLASS Pieces and antiques wanted in any condition; will pick up and pay reasonable price. 1-238-7354 or 1-640-1852!!!CX-16-4c

FUR BUYER—We buy furs of all kinds. 628-3195. !!!ILX-45-tf

WANTED: Scrap batteries, \$3.50 price subject to change; Copper, brass, aluminum radiators. 625-5305!!!CX-16-4p

WANTED: House to rent 'til early summer. Lake Orion, Oxford, Lapeer area. \$300 max. Terri, 1-313-759-1783. !!!ILX-46-2* L-44-3*

BATTERIES: I buy junk batteries, \$3. Call 693-7183. !!!ILX-36-tf

BUYING DIAMONDS, class rings, sterling silver, coins. Paying top prices. 673-3347. !!!CX-14-4c*

GARAGE SALE

WATERFORD RESALE SHOP, 4500 Dixie, Drayton Plains. 673-9529. Very reasonable prices. !!!CX-13-4c

Ph. 625-3370 - Want Ads Reach 26,000 Homes

FOR RENT

HOUSE FOR RENT:
628-8909!!!LX-47-1

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom condominium in Keatington area, with garage, lake privileges, appliances. Utilities not included. Security deposit required. \$360 per month. Call after 4 p.m., 682-9561!!!LX-47-3

HYDRAULIC LOG SPLITTER For rent, \$25 a day. Call 628-2330 or 693-4439!!!LX-47-6

ROOM FOR RENT IN THE Country: \$35 a week. Also a quilt for sale. 752-2112!!!LX-47-1

PRIME CLARKSTON LOCATION, 3 bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen with eating area; \$400 per month plus utilities. 334-3900!!!CX16-1p

FOR RENT: House on Dixie Lake; 3 bedrooms, family room, garage, Clarkston Schools. References required. 232-6223!!!CX16-1c

FOR RENT: 800-1600 sq. ft. store or office space. Dixie Highway, Davisburg, 625-2112!!!CX16-4c

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom unfurnished Orion lakefront; \$400 per month. 625-4963!!!CX16-1c

FOR RENT: 2 bedrooms, fenced in yard. Available December 10. Ortonville area. 627-3308!!!LX-47-1

RANCH CONDO, Keatington Newtown, 2 bedrooms, garage, all appliances. 391-0778 or 391-1283. !!!R9-1f RL44-1f RX46-1f

FOR RENT: Storage space, garage 10x22 ft., \$40/month. Walton Blvd. and Floradale, Drayton Plains. 666-3100, Gail. !!!CX14-4c

FOR RENT: Storage units 24x36 ft., 12x24 ft. Pontiac Airport area. 666-3100, Gail!!!CX-14-4c

FOR RENT: 476 sq. ft. office space. Can be divided. 6744 Highland Rd., near Pontiac Airport. 666-3100, Gail. !!!CX14-4c

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom apartments, adults over 35. Pontiac Airport area. \$295/month. 682-6028. !!!CX14-4c

NICE ONE BEDROOM upstairs apartment, utilities furnished, in private country home. No smoking or drinking. Deposit & references. \$225/month. 628-1992. !!!LX-46-1f L-44-1f

SPACIOUS ONE-Bedroom luxury apartment, G.E. appliances, shag carpeting, air conditioning, private entrance. Car ports available. Convenient Oxford location. Mature adults only, no children or pets. 628-9126. !!!LX-39-1f

FOR RENT: Motor home, 24 ft., sleeps 8. \$300/week. 693-1209 or 693-2355. !!!LX-44-1f

DUPLEX FOR RENT: 3 bedroom, \$87.50 per week. Security deposit. No pets, personal & credit references. 628-3147!!!LX-47-1

FOR RENT: Keatington condo, 2 bedroom, lake privileges, partially furnished. \$395. 693-4256 evenings or weekends!!!LX-47-2

FOR RENT: Keatington condo 2 bedroom, lake privileges, \$375. 391-2001 days!!!LX-47-2

FLORIDA: Friendship Villa on Gulf of Mexico. 1 bedroom apts., \$150/week up, sleeps up to 5. 17410 Gulf Blvd., Redington, Fla. 33708. Ph. 1-813-393-5977. !!!LX-46-2*

THREE BEDROOM home. Newly remodeled, fenced yard, Village of Oxford. \$395/month plus utilities. Security & references required. 628-2935 after 7pm. !!!LX-46-1f L-44-1f

LAPEER SCHOOLS Split level, 3 bedroom home on Lake Nepessing. Walk out Rec room, fireplace and 22x16 barn, all on 4.5 acres. \$550 a month. Call 1-664-5634 after 6 p.m.!!!LX-47-2*

2 BEDROOM APARTMENT WITHIN WALKING Distance downtown Clarkston, \$275 per month. Call Sharon 623-7098 or 625-9095!!!CX16-1c

LAKE ORION CONDO: One month free rent. 2 bedrooms, central air, appliances, garage, lake privileges, children welcome. 20 minutes from Troy. 391-2743 or 391-0505!!!LX-47-1

HOUSE FOR RENT: Fireplace, screened in porch. Perfect for working couple; \$295 plus utilities. 693-2404!!!LX-47-1

FOR RENT: 82 N. Holcomb. Older home in village, upper 2 bedroom, \$300 month, plus utilities. Suitable for one or two people. 673-8515, 3 to 5 p.m. Call after Sun., Nov. 25!!!CX16-TFO

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house; no pets. 391-0465!!!LX-47-1

FOR RENT: House in Oxford, near shopping. Retired couple or middle aged working couple preferred. 693-6922 after 2 p.m.!!!LX-47-2

FOR RENT: 1 bedroom apartment on Lake Orion. Adults, non smokers, no pets. 693-6509!!!LX-47-1

SERVICES

Going away for the holidays? Responsible young couple will house set & care for house plants, pets, etc. Have references. 628-2120!!!LX-47-2

SNOWPLOWING, COMMERCIAL & Residential. For free estimates call 1-752-9168!!!LX-47-TF

STORTS ROOFING: Shingle roofs, guaranteed work, low rates, years experience. Free estimates. 628-2084!!!CX16-1f

WALLPAPERING AND INTERIOR PAINTING. Woman assures neat work. 625-3114!!!CX16-1c

WALLPAPERING SINGLE ROLL: \$8.50; double roll, \$17.00; any room. Ask for Marlene, 628-6292!!!LX-47-4*

SNOWPLOWING: 24-hour service. No job too big or small. Northern Asphalt. 338-6523. !!!LX-44-1f

PIANO TUNING: For appointment call Bob Button 651-6565 !!!XA-35-1f

WALLPAPERING, painting & staining. Decorate with energy saving style. Call Bob Jensenius. 887-4124 or 623-7691 !!!X4-1f

SCAMP-SCAMP-NEED Gift wrapping services?? Come to the Essence of It for gift wrapping in the Clarkston Emporium. All gift wrapping \$1 per package. Donation will go to SCAMP!!!CX-15-3c

TAILORING & ALTERATIONS done in my home. Men's, women's, also repair work. 623-7379. Rosalee !!!X4-TF

N.E.B. CHIMNEY Sweep service, experienced professional sweep. Guaranteed to leave your home spotless. 652-7077 or 652-0087. !!!R6-1f RL41-1f RX-43-1f

SEE WHAT Mary Kay can do for you! Pat Larkin, Independent Beauty Consultant. 693-2682. !!!LX-43-1f

CHRISTMAS coupon special: Buy series of riding lessons. 628-5495. !!!LX-46-3*

RIDING INSTRUCTION discount: Take 5 lessons & receive the 6th free. 628-5495. !!!LX-46-3*

CHAIN SAWS professionally sharpened. \$3. Firewood, all oak, split, stacked & delivered \$45. 625-2829. Jim !!!CX15-2p

ELECTRICAL: If you need it done call Sparky and get it done. Reasonable rates. 627-4264 !!!X4-1f

EXPERIENCED exterior, interior painting, stain work also. Have references. 625-0933 !!!X4-1f

IRV'S SHARPENING Service: Chain saws, circular saws, knives, scissors. Evenings. 1407 Milmine, Lakeville, 628-7189. !!!LX-41-1f

AUTO BODY REPAIR and motorcycle painting, auto mechanic repairs. 693-2798. !!!LX-45-4

STORTS ROOFING—Shingle roofs, guaranteed work, low rates, 10 years experience. Free estimates Clarkston, surrounding areas. Evenings 628-2084. !!!CX6-1f

ATTENTION Homeowners: Beat the price increase. Call today American Custom Excavating for a free estimate on sewer & water installation. Toll-free number 1-800-482-9220, ext. 614 or 338-4349. !!!LX-38-1f

SNOWPLOWING, Reasonable rates. Call 628-2330 or 693-4439!!!LX-47-6

SPECIALTY CAKES—weddings, showers, all occasions. Dolls, Spiderman, The Hulk, basketballs, use your imagination or mine. 625-9212. !!!CX14-4p

FALL LAWN Clean-up, dethatching and tilling. 628-1762. !!!CX8-1f

HORSESHOEING: All work performed by graduate Farrier. 693-9394, Tom Kargetta!!!LX-47-1*

EXPERIENCED PIANO & ORGAN Teacher, Theory included with lessons. 391-3207!!!LX-47-2

BLOWN INSULATION. Call for free estimate. 693-7158 or 698-3610. !!!LX-44-4

SNOWPLOWING: 24-hour service. No job too big or small. Northern Asphalt. 338-6523. !!!LX-44-1f

WELL DRILLING, repair & pump work. 678-2412 or 688-3534. !!!LX-44-4*

DON JIDAS TREE Removal, free estimates, 20 years experience. 693-1816 or 693-2242. !!!R3-1f RL38-1f RX40-1f

DRYWALL REPAIRING. Free estimates. 625-3742 !!!X4-1f

RECANING OF ALL types of antique & modern chair bottoms; also repairing & regluing. 334-6009. 459 E. Mansfield, Pontiac. !!!LX-44-4

SATIN FLAMES BAND. Weddings, Parties, banquets. Discount for 1980 bookings reserve now. Due to cancellation, available New Years Eve. 373-8917 days, 332-1055 evenings!!!LX-47-3

WORK WANTED

PAINTING, CLEANING, GENERAL MAINTAINANCE. Clarkston Waterford Area. 623-9466!!!CX16-1p

WILL BABYSIT FOR YOUR CHILDREN Anytime in my home. On Hovey St. in Oxford. 628-6869!!!LX-47-2

EXPERIENCED DEPENDABLE Woman would like housecleaning position, excellent references. 693-2466!!!LX-47-1, LR-10-3

WANTED: Housecleaning, Clarkston area, references. 628-6681!!!CX16-1c

WILL BABYSIT IN MY HOME, Clarkston area. References. 625-0979!!!CX-16-1c

RELIABLE BABYSITTING Done in my home. Have references. 693-4869!!!LX-4-72

DUMP TRUCK & BACK HOE WORK. 693-2434!!!LX-47-2

HORSE-SHOEING: Reasonable & reliable. Bill Schuyler, 678-2993. !!!LX-37-1f, L-35-1f LR-52-1f

PROFESSIONAL House cleaning done. \$25 and up. Call for appointment, 391-2230. References. !!!LX-45-3

CEMENT CONTRACTOR: Quality work- driveways, patios, sidewalks, also cement black work. Free estimates. 678-2191. !!!LX-43-4

BIRTHDAY PARTY entertainment. Gorilla will deliver & entertain at your home. 693-2941. !!!LX-44-16

ODD JOBS to be done? Call Jobs for Teens. 391-0304. !!!LX-46-3c L-44-3c LR-9-3c

CARPENTER CONTRACTOR. All rough & finish work. New homes, additions & modernization. Rick, 731-8952. !!!LX-46-2*

NEED A BABYSITTER? Call Jobs for Teens, 391-0304. !!!LX-46-3c L-44-3c LR-9-3c

HOUSE WORK wanted, good references, Orion & Oxford area. 693-2829 or 693-7409. !!!LX-46-3

NOTICE

NOW OPEN: The Music Studio, 823 S. Lapeer Rd., Oxford. Music lessons include private instructions, harmony class and band practice. Call 628-7527!!!LX-47-1

LET'S KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL! Will tow away junk cars & trucks free of charge. 391-0745. !!!LX-39-1f

BOOTHBY'S OLD FARM SHOP. A large and beautiful selection of imported and domestic Christmas wrapping from 79 cents a package. Dixie Hwy and White Lake Road. 625-1500!!!CX-16-2c

BOOTHBY'S OLD FARM SHOP. Pre-Christmas offer. 25% to 50% savings on selected personalized stationery. From \$ 7.95. Dixie & White Lk. Rd., Clarkston 625-5100. !!!CX15-2c

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NO HUNTING or TRESPASSING signs for sale at the Orion Review, 30 North Broadway, Lake Orion. \$2.25 per dozen. !!!R3-1f RX40-1f

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR and bake sale: Lake Orion Junior High West, Waldon Road, Wed., Nov. 28, 6-10pm, sponsored by the Keatington Women's Club. !!!R-7-3 RL42-3 RX44-2

BOOKS FOR INFANTS, Toddlers, pre-schoolers and grade school children. Moderately priced. High quality. Dec. 8, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. at the United Methodist Church of Lake Orion!!!LX-47-1

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LICENSED DAY CARE home. 1 block off M-24 in Oxford. 628-4020. !!!LX-46-2*

GUITAR LESSONS: Individual instructions with experienced teacher. Learn to read & play from music. 628-4020. !!!LX-46-2*

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CHRISTMAS TREES FOR SALE at your own. Lakeville area, 628-1839!!!LX-47-1

NEW YEARS EVE PARTY. American Legion Campbell Richmond Post 63. Dinner, live music, \$15 per person. For reservations call by Dec. 24. 625-2513 or 625-2102!!!CX16-2c

HELP WANTED

\$370/1,000.00 FOR ENVELOPES. You mail. Postage paid free. MAAT, 412 2nd Street, Route 2-B, Oxford, MI 48051!!!CX16-1c

EXPERIENCED HAIR dresser wanted, with following. Also manicurist. Mr. Joseph, New Progressive Salon. Call 628-7262. !!!LX-46-2c

LEGAL SECRETARY FOR Rochester Law office. Excellent skills including mag c. Negligence experience a plus. Call 651-4114!!!LX-47-2, L-45-2

THE BEST OF EVERYTHING

Earn good money and be your own boss-selling Avon quality products. Flexible hours. Call Mary L. Seelbinder, 627-3116!!!LX-47-1*

NURSES AID PART TIME: 2:30-11 p.m. Call Columbiere Infirmary. 625-0717!!!CX16-1c

APS IS LOOKING FOR ANYONE. Kids or adult, who want extra money. Work 2 hours a week. Walk your own route, close to home, no collecting. Call 693-9369!!!CX-15-1c

COMMUNITY DISTRIBUTING COMPANY is looking for anyone who is looking for extra money. Work 4 hours a week, walk or drive your own route near your home, no collecting. Call 693-9369!!!CX-15-1c

I NEED ONE ambitious person who will work for \$20 an hour. Call 628-3965. !!!LX-46-2*

UNSKILLED PRODUCTION MACHINE Operators; assemblers. Skilled trades, mechanic with electrical Schematic and Hydraulic trouble experience. Please call 628-6640 or 628-6641!!!LX-46-2

NEEDED: Reliable person to feed & do barn work for 2 horses. Days 2 hours. \$2.75 per hour. Call 10-6, 693-6204!!!LX-47-2c, L-45-2c, LR-10-2c

HOUSE CLEANER: Part time, must be very dependable with good transportation. Metamora area. 678-2155!!!LX-47-1 L-45-3

WANTED DENTAL Receptionist, 4 days per week, 9am-5:30pm. Experience necessary. Call 693-6021 for appointment. !!!RC13-1f

WOMAN WANTED: Part time mornings in dog kennel. Must work Saturday & Sunday AM. 628-1664!!!LX-47-3c

MATURE PERSON WANTED TO Transport 1-4 children from Cranbrook to Oxford. Pick-up 3:15 drop off 4:00 Tuesdays & Thursdays weekly. Driving on main roads only. Wages excellent, references required. Call 628-5104 after 6:00. !!!LX-47-1, L-45-3

BABYSITTER NEEDED TO COME IN: Buckhorn Lake area, 3 children, 7, 3 & 8 months. Hours 8-4; 693-8007 after 4:30!!!LX-47-2, LR-10-3

INSTRUCTIONS

PIANO LESSONS, jazz classical pop and/or theory. Kurt, 625-0269. !!!CX14-4c*

Ph. 625-3370 - Want Ads Reach 26,000 Homes

AUTOMOTIVE

1978 MONTEGO, MX, PS, PB, air, AM-FM, new radials, 2 door, \$900 or best offer. 394-0886. !!!CX15-2p

1978 SUBURBAN 4x4 Silverado Sierra Classic, air, 9 passenger, loaded. Under 13,000 miles, looks like new. Must sell. 557-0896. !!!CX15-2p

'75 3/4 PICKUP truck, PS/PB, automatic, small camper, wrecked. \$400 or best offer. 693-2653. !!!CX46-2*

1974 GRAND PRIX, loaded, \$1200 or best offer. 391-1384. !!!CX46-2

1975 MATADOR, 4-door, 6-cylinder, air, PS, PB, good condition, low mileage. \$1500. 628-6282. !!!CX46-3

FOUR WHEELER 1/2-ton '79 GMC, many extras, \$6,900. 673-2816. !!!CX15-2c

1975 JEEP CJ-5: 41,000 miles, snow blade, zlebarted, new top. Must see to appreciate; \$3,900. 693-2440 after 5 p.m. !!!CX47-1

1973 COLT: Bad rod, \$150 for part. 693-7052 !!!CX47-1

1973-1979 HOOD FOR Chevy truck or blazer, \$100. 625-5647 !!!CX16-1p

1977 FORD F-150 4x4 Shortbed, automatic, PS, PB, locking hubs, posi, sliding windows, AM-FM, 12x15 tires, 351 Cleveland. \$3,800. 623-1836 !!!CX16-1p

1978 SUZUKI RM-50: Like new, 625-6976 after 4 p.m. !!!CX16-1c

FOR SALE: 1968 Pontiac Tempest, 6 cylinder, automatic, runs good; \$125. Call 693-8233 !!!CX47-2

FOR SALE: 1976 Pinto parts. Call 693-8233 !!!CX47-2

1970 TORINO: Very reliable, good engine, tires, battery, tacky body, \$385. 627-2248 !!!CX47-1*

1978 CHEVY GUSTOM VAN, silver outside, red velvet interior, regular gas, low mileage, rust proofed, \$8,000. Call after 4pm. 625-4865 !!!CX4-dhtf

1979 BLAZER 4 WHEEL DRIVE, Cheyenne package, loaded, asking \$7,950. Call after 5, 693-4780 !!!R-10-3, RX47-1, RL45-3

1978 DODGE Pickup, 150 custom 225, 6-cylinder, 3-speed manual transmission, power brakes, AM/FM radio, rear step bumper, snow tires, approx. 28-30 m.p.g., burns regular gas. 23,000 miles. Clean. \$4,000. Call after 6pm. 693-8592. !!!CX44-tfdh L-42-tfdh LR-7-tfdh

1937 CHEVY stake truck, 1 1/2 ton. Best offer. 623-7370 after 6. !!!CX11-tfdh

1973 DODGE VAN. Best offer. 623-7370 after 6. !!!CX11-tfdh

1969 IMPALA: Very good condition, 63,000 miles; \$900. 625-2010 !!!CX16-1c

1979 GMC 1/2-ton Sierra Classic. 4x4, auto, AM/FM, HD equipment, many extras. \$6600. 391-3249. !!!CX46-2*

FOR SALE: 1978 Ford F250, Heavy-duty, 4000 actual miles. 628-0796. !!!CX46-2*

FOR SALE: 1957 CHEVY PICKUP. \$475. Call 693-4300 afternoons. !!!CX46-2*

FORD WINDOW van. Automatic, fun air, carpet & curtains, extra seat, built-in bed & storage, luggage rack. \$850 or best offer. 627-3357 after 4pm. !!!CX46-2*

1975 CHEVY PICKUP: 4 wheel drive, automatic, air conditioning, PS-PB; \$2,500, \$2,800 with camper. Call after 5 p.m., 752-6359 !!!CX47-3, L-45-3, LR-10-3

1979 JEEP CJ-7: Heavy duty, set for plow, \$7,200. 628-6172 !!!CX47-1*

FOR SALE: 1973 Ford Van; make an offer. Must sell! 628-4268 !!!CX47-1, L-45-3

1977 DODGE Aspen RT: Bucket seats, AM/FM stereo, tinted glass, air cond., remote mirrors, 318 automatic transmission, PS/PB, snow, tires, digital clock, 36,000 miles. \$3,000. Call after 6, 693-8592. !!!CX44-tfdh L-42-tfdh LR-9-tfdh

FOR SALE: 1978 Ford 4x4 F-250, heavy duty, 4000 actual miles. 682-0796 !!!CX47-2dh

FOR SALE: 1966 Pontiac LeMans, many new parts. Must sell. 628-4178 !!!CX47-2

1977 CHEVROLET 3/4 TON, 4 Wheel drive, 350 Cu. In. 4 bbl., 4 speed, 2 tanks, AM-FM cassette stereo, sliding rear window. Free wheeling hubs, Cheyenne package, chrome bumper, 8 ft. box, trailer hitch, aluminum mags and wide tires. 21,000 original miles; \$5,100. Mornings 693-2542. Dale !!!CX47-2

1974 PINTO FOR SALE: Good transportation car, best offer. 693-7305 after 6:30 or weekends !!!CX47-1, L-45-3, LR-10-3

1976 TRAIL DUSTER: 4 wheel drive, excellent condition. Extras, must sell. Best offer. 693-8135 !!!CX47-2

1972 FORD PICKUP TRUCK, 3/4 ton. \$450 or best offer. 693-2827 !!!CX47-1

1978 MONTE CARLO Landau, like new, many options; must sell. 391-0872. !!!CX45-3* LR-8-3

1978 JEEP RENEGADE CJ-7: PS, PB, hardtop, heavy duty plow package, other extras. \$5,300. Call 852-5840 !!!CX47-1

1976 DELTA ROYAL: Ladies car, excellent condition; rustproofed & full power, \$2,200. 625-3324 !!!CX15-1c

THREE AUTOS for sale: 1969 Ford window van, \$200; 1979 Chevy 4-wheel dr. Blazer, loaded, \$8,000; 1979 Chevy 3/4 Pickup, 4-wheel dr., \$7300. 628-5187. !!!CX46-1* L-44-3

1966 INTERNATIONAL Harvester, 5-yard dump, new tires & motor; 1977 Ford 3/4-ton 4-wheel drive, Call 628-4853 between 8 & 4:30. After 4:30 628-2165. !!!CX40-tf L-38-tf LR-3-tf

SHOWROOM Condition—1979 Trans-Am, brown with beige interior, T-tops, loaded. Super fussy owner. \$7,000 firm. 625-4416 after 5. !!!CX12-dhtf

GIVE SILVER this Xmas. A silver 78 Chevy, Mid-size wagon, low miles, many extras, like new, V-8, 305, ZBBL, \$4300. 693-1250. !!!R-9-3 RL-44-3 RX46-2*

1979 SUNBIRD Sport Hatch. 4-speed, V6, many extras. \$4100. 693-4657. !!!CX46-2*

1979 BONNEVILLE: Loaded, excellent condition; \$6,700. 625-0932 !!!CX16-1c

1979 GMC SIERRA CLASSIC: 4x4 Suburban, loaded, extra nice. \$8,300. 625-2320 !!!CX16-1p

SNOW TIRES: E-78-14, \$49; Regular E-78-14 tire, \$25. Sears portable home humidifier, \$49. 625-8870 !!!CX16-1p

1979 BLAZER CHEYENNE: Loaded, 6,600 miles; 625-8115 !!!CX16-1p

1976 PLYMOUTH Grand Fury, 21,000 actual miles. Air, steering, brakes, cruise. \$1895. 628-6745. !!!CX46-2c

CHRYSLER NEWPORT: 1969, good transportation. \$175, firm. 693-9420 after 6:30pm. !!!CX46-2*

CHRYSLER NEWPORT 1974, 59,000 miles; \$900 or best offer. 693-9420 after 6:30pm. !!!CX46-2*

1974 PLYMOUTH SATELITE: Like new, 55,000 miles; automatic, PS-PB, air conditioning; \$1,800. 693-9871 after 6 p.m. !!!CX47-1, L-45-1

1979 CHEVETTE: 3,300 miles, 4 speed, cloth interior, 9 months or 9,000 mile warranty left. Call 625-5025 after 5 !!!CX16-1c~

1976 PONTIAC SUNBIRD: V-6, automatic, PB, one owner, 625-3818 !!!CX16-2C~

'72 MAVERICK, 6 cylinder, good transportation. \$125. 693-2566. !!!CX46-2*

1978 HONDA ACCORD LX: All options, under warranty. 693-9321 !!!CX47-1

1976 PONTIAC SUNBIRD: 4 cylinder, good condition, 628-2773 !!!CX47-1

1970 MAVERICK: 6 cylinder stick, good shape; 667-9443 !!!CX47-1

1973 CHEVY MALIBU: 4 door, 56,000 miles, excellent condition; \$550. Call 693-2227 !!!CX47-1~

1976 DODGE ASPEN: \$2,200, PS-PB, automatic transmission, AM radio. 623-1139 !!!CX47-3

1979 PONTIAC LEMANS WAGON: Small, power, AM-FM, 13,000 miles; 693-8873 !!!CX47-4~

1970 DODGE PICKUP: Good running condition. \$350. 628-1536 !!!CX47-1, L-45-3

TRIUMPH TR-7, 1976 1/2: Excellent throughout, low miles. Air, stereo, etc. 628-2075 !!!CX47-3

1978 JEEP CJ-7: V-8, hard top, automatic, quadra track, PS-PB, big wheels, rear seat. \$5,600, call after 5 p.m., 752-6359 !!!CX47-3~ L-45-3, LR-10-3

1972 MAVERICK: 6 cylinder, automatic, \$600 or best offer. 752-6332 !!!CX47-1

1974 PONTIAC LEMANS: 2 door, air, excellent mechanical condition. 628-4058 !!!CX47-1, L-45-3

1973 350 CHEVY ENGINE & Trans., excellent condition; \$150. 391-9995 after 9 p.m. !!!CX47-1~

1979 SUBURBAN 4 WHEEL DRIVE, Silverado, 3rd seat, loaded. 375-1565 !!!CX16-1c~

1979 GRAND PRIX L.J.: Clean, must sell. 625-1904 !!!CX16-1c~

1977 GRAND PRIX: S.J., t-top, sharp. 625-2433 !!!CX16-1c~

1972 CHEVELLE SF: \$2,100. Excellent condition, extra set of tires and rims. 625-8782 after 12 !!!CX16-1c~

1976 PLYMOUTH GRAND FURY: Air, PS-PB, 628-6745 !!!CX47-3c*

1978 SUNBIRD, Excellent condition. 4-speed stick, P.B.P.S., Sunroof, radial tires, aluminum wheels, AM/FM stereo, \$4,000. 625-4865 !!!13-cnap

FREE

MALE PUPS FREE TO Good home, 10 months, part Lab. Housebroken. 623-0726 !!!CX16-1c

FREE COCK-A-POO PUPPIES To good home. 628-1672 !!!CX47-2~

DALMATION FREE TO GOOD HOME: Female, 20 months, papers. 693-4370 after 7 p.m. !!!CX47-1, L-45-1dh

REC VEHICLES

LARGE SELECTION of 1980 Artic Cat snowmobiles, clothing and accessories on display at Hamiltons of Holly. 15190 N. Holly Rd., Holly. 634-7511. !!!CX10-9c*

FOR SALE: Skis 160cm with bindings, \$40. 170cm with size 7 boots, bindings & poles, \$75. 628-1131 !!!CX47-1, L-45-3

4 H78x15 TIRES ON FORD RIMS, \$60. 1974 Ford LTD, 2 door, parts, cheap. 628-2117 !!!CX47-1dh

HEAD SKIS, BINDINGS & SIZE 9 Boots; \$65. 693-6922 !!!CX47-1

1973 ARCTIC CAT ELTIGRE 400 With 2 place trailer, \$950. 693-6772 !!!CX47-2~

1978 HONDA Motorcycle, 750 Super Sport, Mag-wheels, 4-in-1 header, driven only 2 mos. 1900 miles, approx 50-55 m.p.g. Like new. \$2,000. Call after 6pm. 693-8592. !!!CX44-tfdh L-42-tfdh LR-7-tfdh

FOR SALE: Skis 160cm with bindings, \$40. 170cm with size 7 boots, bindings & poles, \$75. 628-1131 !!!CX47-1, L-45-3

1979 SUZUKI RM-80: Riden twice; excellent Christmas gift, \$575. 625-9764 !!!CX16-1c

SNOWMOBILE: 1977 Yamaha, 340 Exciter; like new. \$950 or best. 1-797-5160 !!!CX47-2*, L-45-3

ROSSIGNOL SKIS & SOLOMON BINDINGS: \$75, mens Kastinger boots, size 8 1/2, like new; \$40. 391-1607 !!!CX47-1

REAL ESTATE

CHOICE PRIVATE LAKE Property. 6-8 acres, 450 ft. lake frontage on Wolfe Road, Ortonville. Low as \$10,000 down, \$475 per month. 881-8659 !!!CX16-1c

LAND CONTRACT: Move right in this 3 bedroom ranch with finished walk-out basement. Country living near I-75. Call Rollene Girdley, 625-9173. Towne & Country, 625-0777. !!!CX15-2c

1/2 ACRE LOT in exclusive Deer Lake Farms Sub in Clarkston. Land contract terms. \$39,900. Call 625-0961 after 6pm. !!!CX14-4c*

FOR SALE: Beautiful Oxford Village home, 1906 vintage, completely restored. \$69,000. 628-4727. !!!CX46-2* L-44-3 LR-9-3

CLARKSTON, 154x154 Wooded lot, \$12,900. 625-0040 !!!CX16-1p~

LAND CONTRACT TERMS: Oxford, aluminum sided 3 bedroom ranch with 2 full baths, basement, fireplace & many extras. Across from Clear Lake. Call Jack evenings at 628-4363 !!!CX47-2~

PETS

AKC REG. BROWN toy poodle at stud. Please phone after 5, 628-9151. !!!A12-tfdh, L10-tfdh, LR27-tfdh, LC33-tfdh

AKC ENGLISH Springer Spaniel puppies, \$150. 673-1571. Ready for Christmas. !!!CX15-2p

ADORABLE PUPPIES: Mother miniature Collie, \$5. 628-4682 !!!CX47-1

ADORABLE PUPPIES: Australian Shepards, \$100 for males, \$125 for females. Will hold for Christmas. 628-7375, 391-2887 anytime !!!CX47-2

APPALOOSA GELDING for sale. Well trained. Make offer. 391-2887. !!!CX46-2*

UKC BLACK & TAN Coonhound pup, female. \$75. 625-5593. !!!CX15-2p*

FEMALE COCK-A-TOO: 18 months, with large cage and heavy duty parrott. stand; \$500 firm. 752-9083 !!!CX47-1

BEAGLE PUPPIES FREE TO Good home. Call before 2 p.m. 693-6436 !!!CX47-1

REGISTERED Black Labrador Retrievers, 6 wks. old for sale. Call after 6pm. 628-2439. !!!CX44-tf

AKC SPRINGER Spaniels, liver & white, Champion sired. 628-5108. !!!CX46-2

AKC REG. brown toy poodle at stud. Please phone after 5, 628-9151. !!!LC33-tfdh

LIVESTOCK

PALOMINO—good 4-H horse. 625-9173. !!!CX15-2c

APPALOOSA FILLY, Perfect Christmas gift, \$1,200. 625-5277 after 4 p.m. !!!CX4c

LOST

LOST: Black male cat, M-15 Dixie Hwy. Reward. 625-5398 !!!CX16-1c~

LOST: Grey female long haired cat, Independence Oaks Park area. 625-9357 after 6 p.m. !!!CX16-1c~

LOST: White female mostly shepherd, Last seen Rattalee Lake Rd. near I-75. 776-2353, reward !!!CX16-2p~

ANTIQUES

ANTIQUE CHRISTMAS SALE: Antique jewelry, dolls, glass, china, primitives, baskets, miniatures, walnut 4 poster canopy doll bed, walnut gate leg table, large mirror 40"x66", 3 drawer chest needs refinishing, 18 drawer pattern chest, some household items. Something for everyone on your list. Thursday, Dec. 6, 10-8, Saturday, Dec. 8, 10-4; 37 Glaspie Avenue, Oxford !!!CX47-1

Wanted To Rent

MICHIGAN STATE Police Trooper wishes 3 bedroom home in Clarkston area. Call collect after 5:30. 616-435-5795. !!!CX15-2p

WANTED TO RENT: 4 place snowmobile trailer; from 12-24-79 to 1-2-80. 391-2183 !!!CX47-1

CLARKSTON CINEMA

6808 Dixie Hwy. 625-3133

The Kids Are Alright

Starring **THE WHO**

PG-13 PARENTS STRONGLY CAUTIONED

S F R A I D T A S Y

Dec. 7

Fri. 7,9:10

Sat. Sun. 1,3,5,7,9:10

Mon. 7:30 only

ALL SEATS

\$1.50

Will be closed Dec. 11th thru Dec. 25th



Mark Peterson joins hands with these classmates and takes part in a circle dance.

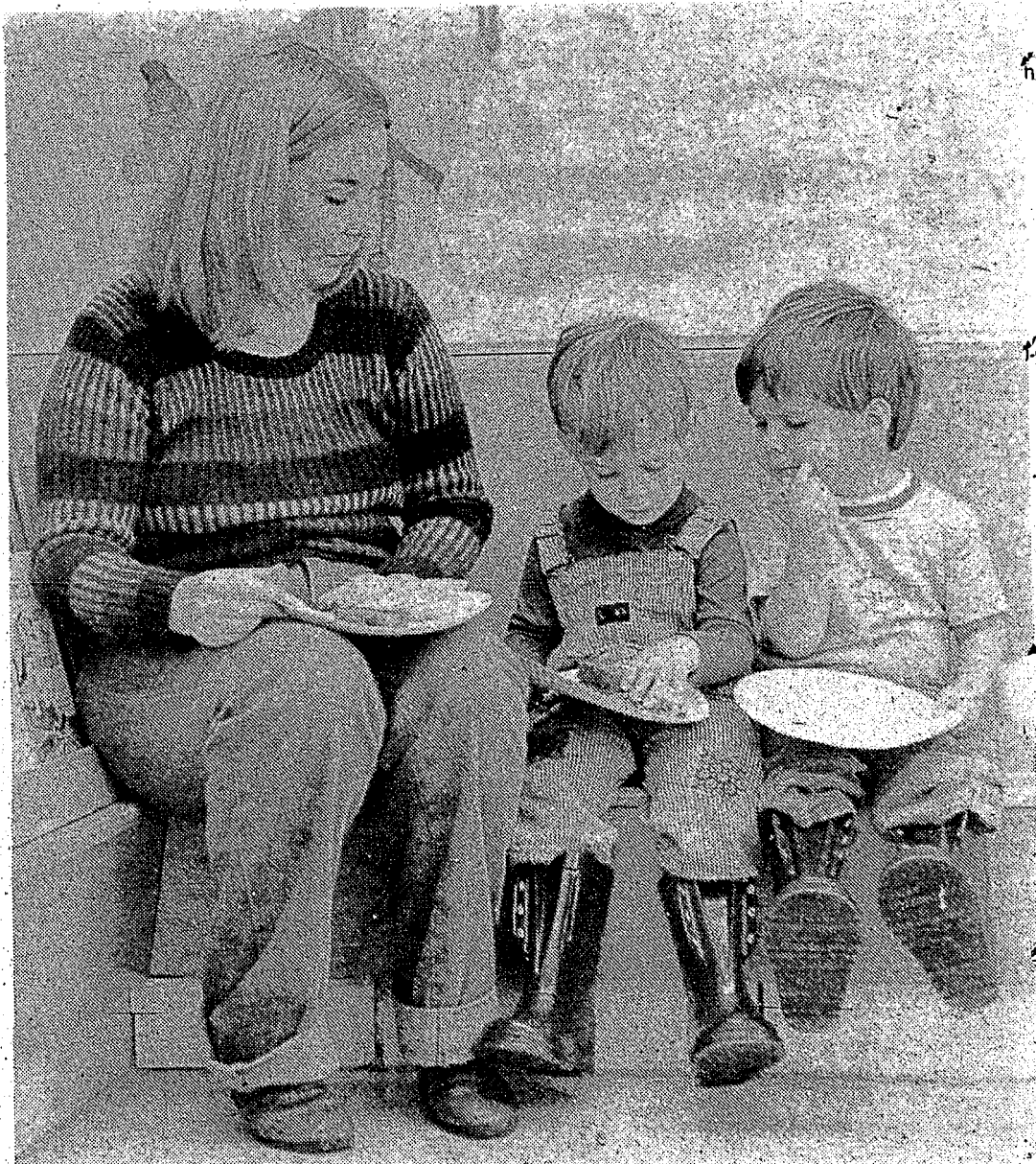


Christopher White [right] joins in on the musical portion of a Chippewa pow wow at North Sashabaw Elementary School. The kindergartners of Kathy Richardson and Jo Vaara gave the party at the end of a social studies unit on cultures around the world.

Kindergartners march to different drum



Beating her drum, Cara Sawyer leads a line of children dressed in paper bags decorated as costumes and construction paper headpieces they made for the event.



For a feast to end the pow-wow, the children made cranberry relish and their parents donated other goodies that were enjoyed by the children and their families. Here Janet Chiapelli and twins Joel [left] and Jeffery, 3, eat the snacks after watching their sister take part in the Indian dances and songs.

HOLIDAY FEASTING

STARTS HERE!



Jill Bennett, 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett of Transparent Drive, Independence Township, samples one of the Christmas confections created by her mother. Lynn Bennett's cookie recipes are among those Independence-Springfield-Clarkston community neighbors are sharing inside.

Clarkston Community Holiday Cookbook

Special Supplement to
THE CLARKSTON NEWS
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cakes

FRUIT CAKE

By Nancy Hall
Orion Township

2 c walnuts
2 c pecans
2 cans Eagle Brand milk
½ lb. candied cherries
1 lb dates
½ lb. candied pineapple
2 c coconut
Mix well. Grease pan well. Bake at 250 degrees for 2½ hours.

CHOCOLATE ZUCCHINI CAKE

By Donna Marraccini
Independence Township

½ c soft margarine
½ c oil
1¾ c sugar
2 eggs
1 t vanilla
½ c sour milk
¼ c chocolate chips
2½ c flour
4 T cocoa
½ t baking powder
½ t cinnamon
½ t ground cloves
1 t baking soda
2 c diced zucchini

Cream together margarine, oil and sugar. Add eggs, vanilla and sour milk. Beat with mixer. Mix together all the dry ingredients and add to creamed mixture, beat well. Stir in zucchini. Spoon batter into greased and floured 9 by 12 by 2 inch pan. Sprinkle top with chocolate chips.

Bake at 325 degrees for 40 to 50 minutes or until toothpick inserted comes out clean.

SWEDISH COFFEE CAKE

By Linda Porter
Independence Township

Combine:
1 c water
½ c butter
Heat to boiling point. Remove from burner and add 1 c sifted flour all at once. Stir until smooth. Add 3 eggs one at a time and stir until smooth. Add ½ t almond flavoring. Make three dabs of batter on cookie sheet and bake 400 degrees for 50 minutes. Frost when still slightly warm and top with nuts.

Frosting

1 ½ c powdered sugar ¼ t almond flavoring
2 T butter A little milk

GERMAN SWEET CHOCOLATE CAKE

By Dana Bickerstaff
Independence Township

½ c each:
coconut
chopped pecans
brown sugar, packed firm
butter
Stir above over low heat to dissolve sugar. Spread in lightly baked pie shell. Bake at 450 degrees for 5 minutes or until bubbly. Cool.
In saucepan, combine:
1 pkg. (6-serving size) vanilla pudding & pie mix
1 4-oz. pkg. Baker's German Chocolate, broken in pieces
2 ½ c milk
Cook as directed on the pudding package for pie. Cool and pour into pie shell. Cover surface with plastic wrap and chill 4 hours.
Serve with whipped topping.

EASY COFFEE CAKE

By Joyce Little
Clarkston

1 pkg. yellow cake mix
4 eggs
½ c cooking oil
1 can apple pie filling
1 t cinnamon
Stir together by hand. Pour into greased and floured 9 by 13 pan.

Streusel Topping

1 stick margarine
½ c chopped nuts
1 c powdered sugar
1 c flour

Mix together by hand until crumbly. Spread over cake in pan. Gently press down. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 min.

(Note: Since I'm an "add-to" cook, I also sometimes add chopped dates or raisins to the cake batter.

If you're a coconut person, ½ c or so is good added to the streusel topping.

Good served warm or cold. The flavor is better when cool.)

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A 'seasoned' poultry dressing

By Maralee Cook

Lynn Mead, chef/instructor for Northwest Oakland Vocational Education Center, started his culinary career at the age of 16 as a night cook in Ypsilanti.

Since that time he has been a chef while in the Naval Reserves, owned a restaurant and has, with associates, run the food service programs of Kettering and Central high schools in Detroit.

He joined NWOVEC when the food service program opened in September of 1977.

The kitchen is run by the students, Mead, and he and cooks Mary Stedman, Roberta Allen and Barbara Stelmach, act in an advisory capacity.

Mead, who has cooked for groups of up to 1,000 persons, has a bachelor's degree in business administration, a master's in industrial education and is an educational specialist in vocational and secondary administration.

Mead likes highly seasoned meat dressings for poultry, and said he worked with different ingredients until he developed the following recipe for turkey stuffing, which is baked outside the bird.

According to Mead, the seasonings that cook out of the sausage are delicious and are the key to the flavor of the stuffing.

BASIC BREAD AND MEAT STUFFING

- 3 lbs. bread, two to four days old
- 8 oz. green pepper, chopped
- 24 oz. celery, chopped
- 24 oz. onions, chopped
- 6 oz. butter
- 1½ t poultry seasoning
- 1½ t salt
- 1½ t sage
- 2 t parsley, chopped
- 3 lbs. fresh medium hot ground pork sausage

Trim bread, removing crust, cube and soak in cold water. Drain. Saute onions, celery, green pepper in butter until tender—not brown. Combine all ingredients and lightly toss to blend. Place in 2-inch-deep greased baking pan and cover with greased paper or lid. Bake at 350 to 375 degrees for one hour in preheated oven until just done. Do not over-bake or dressing will dry out. Makes 25 3-oz. portions.

Chef Mead also recommends lightly coating the bird, inside and out, with freshly squeezed lemon juice to draw out the flavor.

The following salad dressing recipes are from Roberta Allen, who has been making salads at NWOVEC for three years.

GREEN GODDESS DRESSING

- 1 T finely minced garlic
- 1 oz. finely minced chives
- 1½ oz. finely minced parsley, squeeze juice from parsley and set aside.
- 2 t salt
- ½ t black pepper
- Juice from 2 lemons
- 2 oz. tarragon vinegar
- 1 qt. mayonnaise
- 1 pt. sour cream

Place garlic, chives, parsley, salt and pepper in steel bowl; mix well. Add lemon juice and tarragon vinegar and mix well. Add mayonnaise and parsley juice and blend well. Fold in whipped sour cream. Note: The juice is squeezed from the parsley in order to color the dressing. Green Goddess is best if made several hours before serving.

Yield: Approximately two quarts.

BLUE CHEESE DRESSING

- 2 lbs. blue cheese
- ½ gal. mayonnaise
- 2 t dry mustard
- 1 t salt
- 1 t white pepper
- 6 oz. cider vinegar
- 1 pt. salad oil
- 12 oz. cold water

Break down cheese in mixing bowl, but do not mash to paste. Blend in mayonnaise. Dissolve dry ingredients in vinegar. Add oil to mayonnaise, beating constantly. Whip in vinegar and dissolved seasonings. Add cold water, mixing thoroughly. Store in covered glass container in refrigerator.



NWOVEC chef-instructor Lyn Mead (left) and cook Roberta Allen, along with the other cooks, act in an advisory position in the kitchen. The students really run the operation, Mead says.

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BANANA SPLIT CAKE

By Jean Roberts
Orion Township

- 1 c flour
- 1/2 c margarine
- 1/2 c ground nuts
- 2 c powdered sugar
- 2 egg whites
- 1/2 c margarine

Mix and spread over first layer.

Then spread on top, one at a time, the following:

- 1 lge. can drained crushed pineapple
- 4 to 6 bananas, sliced
- 1 c fresh or frozen strawberries
- 1 env. Dream Whip, made up
- 4 oz. Cool Whip
- Ground nut meats

Refrigerate for a few hours before serving.

HOLIDAY FRUITCAKE

By Ina Golden
Springfield Township

- 2 1/2 c sifted flour
- 1 t baking soda
- 2 eggs, slightly beaten
- 2 3/4 c (28 oz jar) mincemeat
- 1 can sweetened condensed milk
- 2 c mixed candied fruit
- 1 c walnuts, coarsely chopped
- 1 c chopped dates

Butter a 9-inch tube pan, line with waxed paper, butter again.

Sift flour and soda. Combine eggs, mincemeat, condensed milk, fruit, nuts and dates. Fold in dry ingredients, pour into pan.

Bake in slow oven (300 degrees) two hours or until center springs back when touched and top is golden. Cool, turn out, remove paper.

(Note: You can decorate the top with candied cherries on top of batter before baking. You can bake the fruitcakes in little loaf pans (makes 6 to give away as presents.)

PUMPKIN CAKE

By Jan Robertson
Independence Township

- 2 c sugar
- 2 t baking powder
- 2 t soda
- 2 t cinnamon
- 1/2 t salt
- 2 c flour
- 2 c pumpkin
- 1 c oil
- 3 eggs

Put dry ingredients in large bowl. Add pumpkin, oil and eggs. Mix well. Put in floured 9 by 13 pan. Bake at 350 degrees for about 40 minutes. Frost with cream cheese frosting when cool.

CREAM CHEESE FROSTING

- 1/2 stick margarine—soft
- 4 oz. soft cream cheese
- 2 c powdered sugar
- 1/2 t vanilla

Mix all ingredients until blended. Mix with mixer until light and fluffy.

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Mike Reich [left] and John Koslosky, pupils of Sally Seaman at Pine Knob Elementary School, put their just-mixed cranberry relish in containers for refrigerator storage.

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HOLIDAY CRANBERRY BREAD

By Mrs. Ron Collins
Independence Township

Combine:
2 c sifted flour
1 c sugar
1½ t baking powder
¼ t soda
1 t salt
Cut in ¼ c shortening until mixture resembles coarse cornmeal.
Combine:
¾ c orange juice
1 T grated orange rind
1 large egg (well beaten)
Pour all at once into dry ingredients, mixing just enough to dampen.
Fold in:
1 c fresh cranberries (cut in half or quarters)
½ c chopped nuts
Pour into two greased loaf pans. Bake at 350 degrees one hour. Test with a toothpick.
(Note: 1 c cut dates or 2 large bananas can be substituted for the cranberries.)

CRANBERRY SALAD

By Sheila Cummings
Independence Township

Grind 1 pkg cranberries, add 2 c sugar, let stand overnight.
Add 1 c red grapes (cut in half and seeded) and 1 c nutmeats.
Dissolve 1 pkg. raspberry gelatin in 1 c water. When slightly thickened, add cranberries.
Let thicken again. Add 1 c whipped cream.
Let set until thick and serve.
Serves 10-12.

CRANBERRY CHEESECAKE

By Joann Menke
Independence Township

"One of my favorite desserts for holiday entertaining is Cranberry Cheesecake," Joann says. "You can make it now and store it in the freezer until needed."

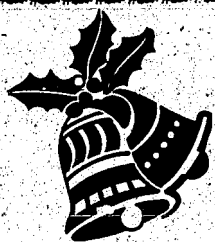
1½ lbs. cream cheese
5 large eggs
1 c sugar
¼ t salt
1½ t vanilla extract
¼ t. almond extract
Cranberry Topping (see below)
Preheat oven to moderate (325 degrees). Butter a 9-inch springform pan. Beat the cheese until smooth. Add the eggs, sugar, salt and extracts. Beat until thick and lemon-colored.

Pour the cheese mixture into the prepared pan. Bake for 1½ hours. Cool and chill in the pan.

To serve, remove sides of pan, place cake on a plate and spread with the topping.

Cranberry Topping

1½ c fresh cranberries
¼ c fresh orange juice
¾ c sugar
1½ t cornstarch
1 T water
½ t grated lemon rind
Mix the cranberries, orange juice and sugar in a saucepan. Cover and cook for six to eight minutes, until skins burst. Blend the cornstarch and water and add to cranberries. Cook, stirring, for two minutes, or until mixture thickens. Remove from heat and stir in lemon rind. Chill before spreading on top of cheesecake.

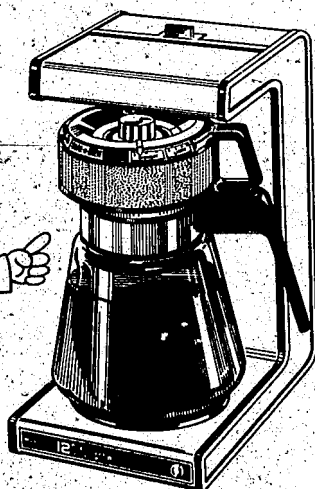


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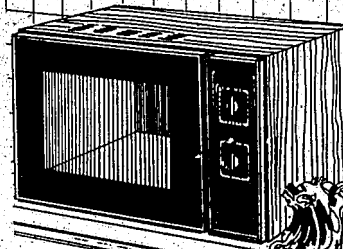
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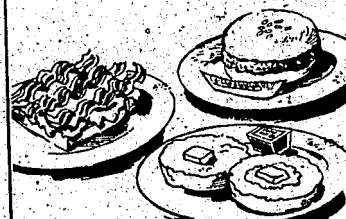
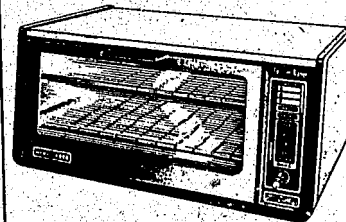


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By Brenda Hendrix
Independence Township

- 2 c popped popcorn
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 - 1 (10 oz.) bag marshmallows
 - 1 c nuts
 - ¼ to ½ t food coloring (red, green or yellow)
 - Gum drops (optional)
- Melt butter in 3-quart saucepan. Add marshmallows and cook until syrupy.
- Remove from heat. Pour over popped popcorn and peanuts, stirring until fully coated.
- With buttered hands, form in balls and place in cellophane papers. Add gum drop on top if desired.
- Yield--15 large balls.

JOYCE'S FESTIVE FUDGE

By Joyce Little
Clarkston

- 2 c sugar
 - ¾ c evaporated milk
 - 12 regular marshmallows
 - 1 stick margarine or butter.
 - Few grains salt
- Mix together and stir constantly over medium heat until boiling (bubbles all over top). Boil and stir five more minutes. Take off heat.
- Stir in until melted 6 oz. pkg. chocolate chips. Add 1 jigger rum and 1 c chopped nuts.
- Spread in buttered pan. Cool in refrigerator. Best when kept cool.
- Note: This is very easy and not messy as the marshmallow creme is.

Variations

- May omit rum and just use 1 t vanilla, but the rum gives an excellent flavor.
- Rum-raisin—omit nuts and use 1 c raisins instead.
- Peanut butter—omit chocolate chips and nuts and use 6 oz pkg. peanut butter chips and ¼ c chunky or regular peanut butter.

PUMPKIN BREAD

By Betty Wagner
Independence Township

- Cream together until light and fluffy:
- 2 ⅓ c sugar
 - ¾ c shortening
- Stir in:
- 4 eggs, beaten
 - 1 lb. can pumpkin
 - ¾ c water
- Sift together:
- 3 ⅓ c flour
 - ½ t baking powder
 - 2 t soda
 - 1 ½ t salt
 - 1 t cinnamon
 - ½ t cloves
- Gradually stir dry ingredients into pumpkin mixture.
- Add:
- ¾ c chopped walnuts
 - ¾ c chopped dates
- Continue to blend until mixed together. Turn into two 9-by-5-by-3-inch loaf pans, greased. Bake at 350 degrees about 1 hour, 15 minutes or until tooth pick inserted in center comes out clean.

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Do the youngsters in your family find cranberries a might too tart for their tastes?

When Pine Knob Elementary teacher Sally Seaman started making plans for a huge Thanksgiving feast in her third and fourth-grade classroom, she found her pupils were less excited about the cranberries than they were about the other traditional dishes.

So she did what good cooks (and teachers) do down through the ages have done—she improvised.

Here's the recipe she devised:

Grind equal parts cranberries, apples and oranges.

Add walnuts and sweeten.

Make in advance and store in refrigerator.

MOLDED CRANBERRY SALAD

By Mrs. Sharon Giampa
Springfield Township

1. Dissolve one 3-ounce pkg cherry gelatin into ½ c heated pineapple juice.
2. Add 1 c chopped walnuts
3. Add 1 c crushed pineapple
4. Add one can whole cranberry sauce.
5. Mix above ingredients together, place in mold and refrigerate until firm.
6. Place gelatin mold on platter with scattered Christmas decorations and serve.

CRANBERRY WALDORF SALAD

By Melinda J. Smith
Independence Township

- 2 c fresh cranberries (see note below.)
 - Grind and combine with:
 - 3 c miniature marshmallows
 - ¼ c sugar
- Cover and chill overnight ***

Shortly before serving, add:

- 2 c diced, unpared apples
- ½ c seedless green grapes, halved
- ½ c chopped nuts
- ¼ t salt

1 c whipping cream, whipped

Chill until serving time. Place on lettuce leaf and slice of pineapple. Makes 8-10 servings. (Note: Freeze cranberries before grinding so there's no drippy juice to contend with.)

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STUFFED FRENCH BREAD

By Jean Roberts
Orion Township

1 lb. loaf French bread
1½ lbs. ground beef
¾ c chopped onion
¾ t oregano
½ t salt
¼ t pepper
1½ c shredded cheddar cheese
1½ c bread crumbs
¼ t dry mustard
½ c chopped parsley
1 egg, slightly beaten
Melted butter

Cut bread in half, cut off ends first. With fork hollow out center of bread leaving thick crust as shell. Reserve 1½ c crumbs.

In skillet combine beef, onion, oregano, salt and pepper. Brown. Remove from heat and add crumbs, mustard, parsley, egg and cheese. Blend thoroughly.

Fill loaf with mixture. Replace ends and secure with toothpicks. Brush with melted butter, wrap in foil and bake at 400 degrees for 10 minutes. Loosen foil and bake 10 minutes longer. Slice to serve and top with cheese sauce (below).

Cheese Sauce

Melt ¼ c butter in skillet. Blend in ¼ c flour. Remove from heat and gradually stir in 2 c milk. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Remove from heat again and stir in 2 c shredded cheddar until melted.

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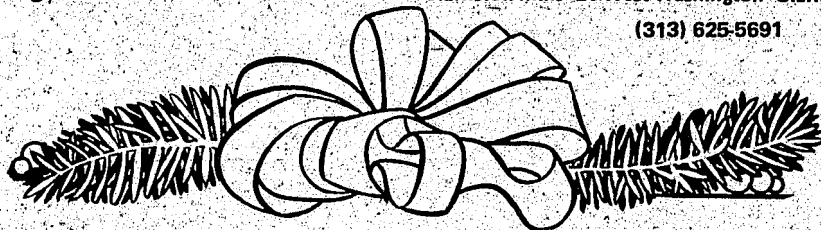
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'Pruchers' punch: 'sit while sipping'

By Kathy Greenfield

Thanks to a butcher in Ketchum, Idaho, Bryan and Nancy Prucher have served Hot Spiced Wine as their traditional Christmas and New Years cheer for about 15 years.

"This is definitely a drink where you should be sitting while sipping," Nancy said, and her tales that go along with the brew show cause for caution.

The Pruchers first tasted the holiday punch while at Sun Valley Ski Resort, Idaho.

Skiers had returned from the slopes for afternoon tea sandwiches and spiced wine and were sipping the concoction with gusto.

As Nancy was watching the scene, people began to lose their balance and fall.

"It was," she said, "like watching birds run into a building."

Nancy, Bryan and their group became determined to get the recipe.

No one would budge with the secret, so they decided to guess at the ingredients.

While walking through the aisles of a small grocery store and discussing possibilities, "the butcher heard us," Nancy said, and he provided the recipe.

"If anybody should get credit, it should be the butcher from Ketchum, Idaho," she said.

The Pruchers start a pot of the drink in mid-December and keep it brewing until the first of the year.

It can be taken off the stove after the initial cooking and reheated for each use. Refrigeration is not necessary, the Pruchers said.

There's a bonus—the lemon and orange slices make good condiments after the spiced wine is gone, Bryan said.

HOT SPICED WINE

- 1 gallon dark, dry red wine (They use Chianti)
- 10 oranges, sliced thin
- 5 lemons, sliced thin
- 5 whole cinnamon sticks
- 10 whole cloves
- 1 c sugar

Simmer for at least 2 hours and let sit until it's gone. Add wine as needed, and spike to taste with 100 proof vodka.

"That adds the kick without any detrimental effects to the taste," Bryan said. "You can't taste it too many times, because you lose all sense of control."



Bryan and Nancy Prucher of Clarkston set up their holiday punch bowl, recalling the ski vacation which sparked their tradition.

2 more punches

Champagne adds bubbles to Joyce Little's Party Punch recipe.

"Even non-wine people like this," she says. "If you like wine, you'll love it!"

It does have quite a punch to it," Joyce adds.

PARTY PUNCH

By Joyce Little
Clarkston

- 2 bottles champagne
- 1 bottle Rhine wine
- 1 bottle Canada Dry ginger ale

Serve chilled

Note: A non-sweet punch everyone likes. Very good to have before heavy meals or around holidays with a buffet. Very pretty when made with pink champagne.

Pat McLaughlin says she has yet to serve Fish House Punch at a party. Her reasons are spiced with humor:

"I have never had the courage to serve the ancient Fish House Punch as I have never had the desire to have 40 or so guests draped about the house in a prone position after one snort of FHP. It must be served with CAUTION," she says.

This recipe, however, could be adapted for non-drinkers by removing all the booze," she adds. "Then you would end up with the popular drink called lemonade, not to mention a very dull party."

FISH HOUSE PUNCH

By Pat McLaughlin
Independence Township

- $\frac{2}{3}$ lb. sugar
- $1\frac{1}{2}$ qt. water
- 1 qt. lemon or lime juice, or a combination of the two
- 2 fifths dark rum
- 1 fifth cognac
- 2-3 oz. peach brandy

Dissolve sugar in a punch bowl and stir in citrus juice. Put a large block of ice in the bowl and add other ingredients. Allow the punch to brew about two hours, stirring occasionally.

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CRAB MEAT SPREAD

By Lynn Bennett
Independence Township

1/2 c chili sauce
1/2 c mayonnaise
1 clove garlic, crushed
1/2 t dry mustard
1 T horseradish
1 T Worcestershire sauce
1/8 t tabasco sauce
1/4 t salt
1 egg, hard cooked, chopped fine
1 c cooked or canned crab meat
Combine all ingredients. Marinate 2-3 hours. Serve as spread with assorted crackers.

HOT DIP

By Carol Eberhardt
Springfield Township

2 eight-ounce pkg cream cheese
1/2 c minced onion
1/2 c minced green pepper
5 oz Armour Star dried beef, diced
1/2 c sour cream
1 T Worcestershire sauce
Mix ingredients. Put in 1 1/2 quart casserole. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes.
Serve hot with nacho cheese chips or crackers.

CHICKEN SALAD SOUFFLE

By Erika Eldam
Independence Township

Combine:
2 c diced chicken
1/4 c chopped celery
1/4 c chopped onion
1/4 c chopped green pepper
Spread in buttered square or 8-by-12-inch pan. Over this, spread 1/2 c mayonnaise. Lay over this 4 slices white bread (trim off crusts). Beat 2 eggs with 1/2 c milk and pour over the bread. Let set in refrigerator overnight.
When ready to bake, pour over 1 can cream of mushroom or chicken soup. Bake 1 hour uncovered at 325 degrees. For last 10 minutes, take out and cover with 1/2 c sharp shredded cheese.
Let stand 5 minutes. Serves 6.

RUSSIAN TEA

By Lori Elwell
Springfield Township

1 lb. 2 oz. jar Tang
1/2 c instant tea
1 1/2 c sugar
1 t cinnamon
1 t allspice
1 t cloves
Mix together and keep in covered jar. For a cup of tea, add 2 heaping teaspoons of mixture to a teacup full of boiling water and enjoy.
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CRAB DIP

By Pat McLaughlin
Independence Township

3 cans crab meat
3 8-oz. pkgs. cream cheese
1/2 c Miracle Whip salad dressing
1/3 c white wine
1 t dry mustard
1 t powdered sugar
1 t onion salt
Dash seasoned salt
Heat this concoction over low heat to blend. Transfer to a chafing dish to keep warm during serving. Serve with cocktail crackers. I prefer to use a large round sesame cracker.

SALAD MALCASON

By Carol Eberhardt
Springfield Township

12 oz very fine noodles
1 Spanish onion, diced
1 green pepper, diced
1 jar pimentos, diced
Boil noodles and drain. Add remaining items. Mix with dressing (below). Let stand 24 hours before serving.

DRESSING

1/2 c oil
1/2 c vinegar
2 t paprika
Shake well.

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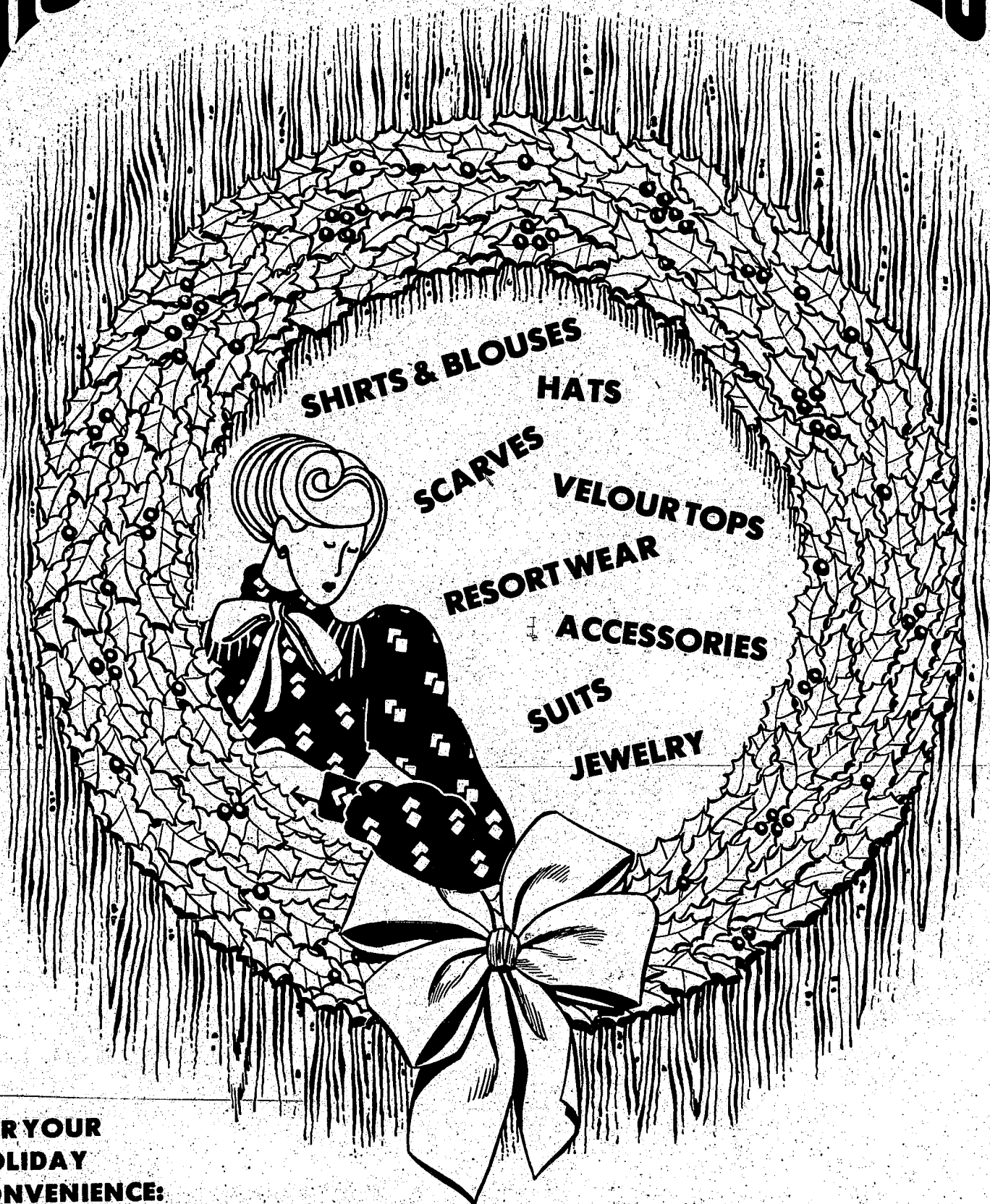
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While cookies can't replace good food as far as nutrition is concerned, says Debra Dillon, a cookie here or there over the holidays is fine.

Preparing family big

By Maralee Cook

Debra Dillon, who joined Clarkston Community Schools as food service director in August, has been interested in the field of foods since she was a sophomore in high school.

A lot of people don't know how to eat properly, Debra said, and one way to approach this problem is by teaching kids how to eat properly through the schools when they're young.

When at home, Debra enjoys cooking poultry and pork, because they are economical and offer a variety of uses. She likes to experiment with meats and dress up vegetables with sauces and herbs.

True to her field of dietetics, Debra said eating a lot of cookies will never replace the nutrients in good food. But a cookie here and there, especially around the holidays is just fine.

Preparing large meals over the holidays, including delicious desserts, is tradition for most families, hers included, Debra said. And the ritual of preparing the food and sharing among the family is a big part of what holidays are about.

The following recipes are favorites of Debra's and cooks at Pine Knob and Bailey Lake elementary schools.

The recipes are delicious as well as nutritious, said Debra. While the calories are also present, they supply many nutrients.



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CAPE COD CRANBERRY PIE

1 lb. (4 cups) fresh cranberries
2½ c sugar
½ c quick-cooking tapioca
1 t ground cinnamon
½ t salt
1/8 t ground cloves
½ c orange juice
1 c diced orange sections
½ t pure vanilla extract
1 T butter or margarine
Pastry for 9" pie with lattice strips to cover.

In a medium saucepan combine cranberries with sugar, tapioca, cinnamon, salt and cloves. Stir in orange juice. Cover and cook over medium heat until skins pop - 6 to 8 minutes. Remove from heat - cool slightly. Stir in orange sections and vanilla extract.

Prepare pastry and roll half to a 1/8-inch thickness. Use to line a 9-inch pie plate. Turn cranberry mixture into pie shell. Dot with butter. Roll remaining pastry 1/8-inch thick and cut into ½ inch wide strips. Arrange over pie in lattice fashion. Trim and flute edges. Bake for 10 minutes at 450 degrees. Reduce heat to 350 degrees and bake 20 to 25 minutes longer or until crust is golden.

Bonnie Locklar, cook-manager for Pine Knob Elementary School, submitted an old family recipe for date pudding.

Bonnie first began making it 30 years ago back home in southern Illinois, and it has been a tradition since.

DATE PUDDING

1 c dates, chopped fine
1 c boiling water
2 T butter
1¾ c sifted flour
1 t baking soda
1 c sugar
1 egg, well beaten
1 c nuts, chopped fine
1 t vanilla

Combine dates, boiling water, butter. Let stand until cool. Sift flour once and measure. Add baking soda, sugar, egg, nuts and vanilla. Line bottom of pan with the following mixture: 1 c brown sugar, 1 c water, 2 T butter.

Bake at 375 degrees to 400 degrees for 35 to 40 minutes, in 9 by 13 inch cake pan.

Pecan Delights are a favorite of Joy Henry, cook-manager at Bailey Lake Elementary School.

PECAN DELIGHTS

½ lb. butter, softened
4 T white granulated sugar
½ t salt
2 c flour
1 c chopped pecans

Cream butter, sugar and salt. Add flour and nuts. Mix well. Form into small balls. Bake one hour in 275 degree oven. Cool to handle, then roll in powdered sugar.

Bailey Lake Elementary School's second cook, Ora Diericks, suggests her liver sausage spread with a cheese ball as hors d'oeuvres for holiday entertaining.

LIVER SAUSAGE SPREAD

1 lb. smoked liver sausage
4 T butter
4 T. grated onion
2 T Worcestershire sauce
1 dash tabasco
1 cream cheese

Blend with fork until smooth. Form into ball. Chill until firm, about two hours. Frost ball with softened cream cheese, beaten until smooth.

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CHERRY COCONUT SQUARES

By Lynn Bennett
Independence Township

Pastry:

1 c flour
½ c margarine
3 T confectioner's sugar
Mix well and spread in 8-inch greased pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 15 minutes.

Filling:

1 t vanilla
¾ c chopped nuts
¾ c coconut
¼ c chopped cherries
2 eggs, slightly beaten
1 c sugar
¼ c flour
½ t baking powder
¼ t salt

Mix filling well. Spread over pastry and bake another 15 minutes at 350 degrees.
(Note: Very rich—cut small pieces.)

SIMPLE CHOCOLATE COOKIES

By Sue Peterson
Independence Township

1 pkg. devil's food cake mix
2 eggs, slightly beaten
1 T. water

½ c vegetable shortening
Confectioner's sugar

Combine cake mix, eggs, water and shortening. Mix with a spoon until well blended.

Shape dough into balls the size of small walnuts. Roll balls in confectioner's sugar.

Place on greased baking sheets. Bake at 375 degrees 8 to 10 minutes.

Makes approximately 48 cookies.

TURKISH COOKIE BALLS

By Linda Porter
Independence Township

Blend:

1 c peanut butter
1 c powdered sugar

Mix with:

1 c crushed corn flakes
1 c chopped nuts
1 c chopped dates

Roll into balls. Melt 1 T parafin in double boiler and add 12 oz. pkg. of chocolate chips.

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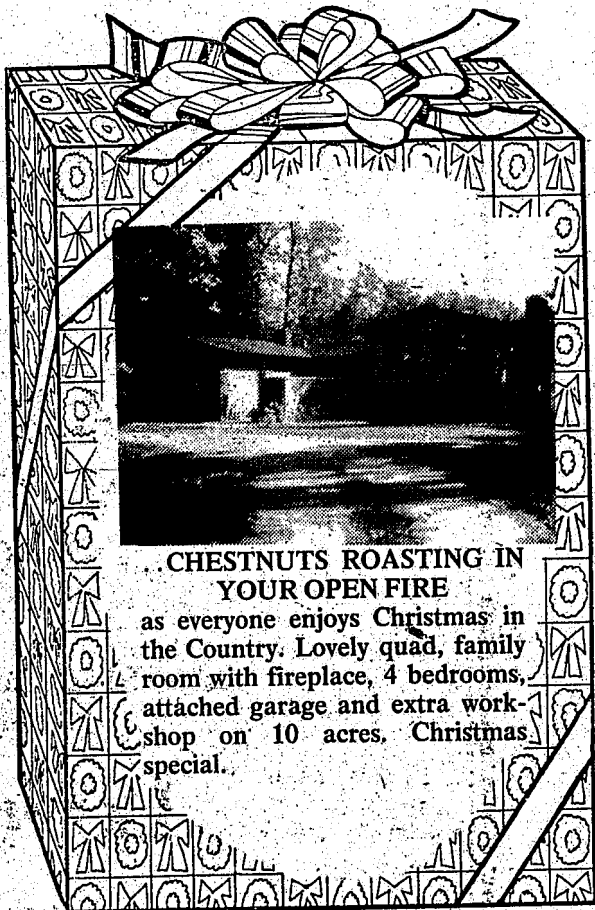
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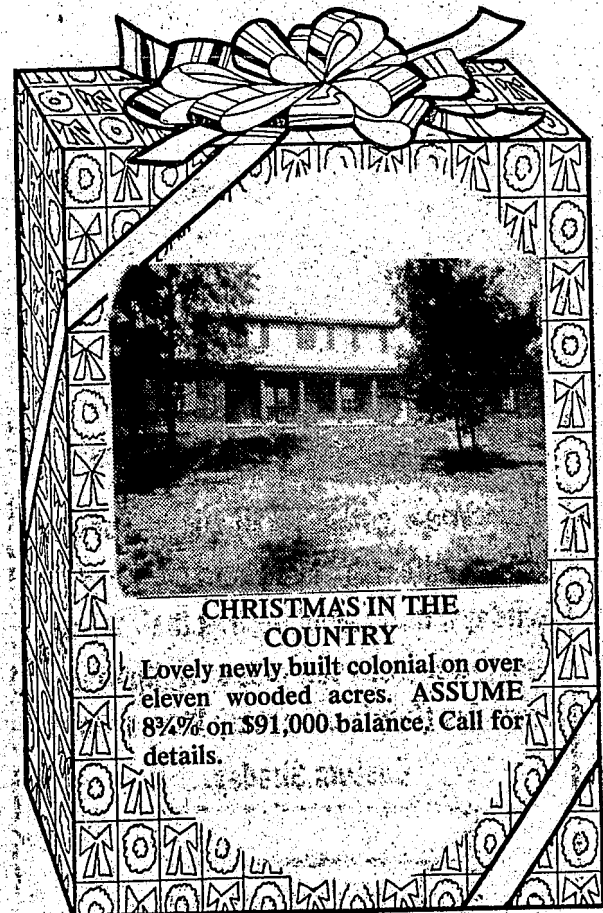
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PEPPERMINT PINWHEELS

By Lynn Bennett
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- 2 c flour
- 1/2 t baking powder
- 1/2 t salt
- 3/4 c butter or margarine
- 3/4 c sugar
- 1 egg yolk
- 1/2 t peppermint extract
- Red food coloring

Sift flour and salt. Set aside.

Beat butter or margarine with sugar in large bowl until fluffy. Beat in egg yolk and vanilla.

Stir in flour, a third at a time, blending well after each addition, to make a soft dough.

Divide dough in half, and to half add the extract and enough food coloring to tint the dough a deep pink. (Green food coloring may be used.)

Roll out each color dough to a 16-by-10-inch rectangle between sheets of waxed paper. Remove top sheet of waxed paper from each, place pink dough top side down on top of plain dough, peel off paper.

Roll up dough tightly, jelly-roll fashion. Wrap in waxed paper or foil. Chill several hours until very firm—or you may freeze dough and take out of freezer 1/2 hour before cutting and baking.

When ready to bake, unwrap dough and cut into 1/4-inch-thick slices with a sharp knife. Place on ungreased cookie sheets.

Bake at 350 degrees for 10 minutes or until cookies are firm, but not browned. Remove from cookie sheet to wire rack for cooling.

Makes approximately 5 dozen.

PEG'S PUMPKIN BARS

By Peg Wiederhold
Independence Township

- 4 eggs
- 1 3/4 c granulated sugar
- 1 c cooking oil
- 1 16-oz can pumpkin
- 2 c flour
- 2 t baking powder
- 2 t ground cinnamon
- 1 t salt
- 1 t baking soda

In mixer bowl, beat together eggs, granulated sugar, oil, and pumpkin until light and fluffy.

Stir together flour, baking powder, cinnamon, salt and soda. Add to pumpkin mixture and mix thoroughly.

Spread batter in ungreased 15-by-10-by-1-inch (jelly roll) pan.

Bake at 350 degrees for 25-30 minutes.

Frost with cream cheese icing, cut in bars.

Makes 2 dozen.

Cream Cheese Icing

- 1 3-oz pkg cream cheese (softened)
- 1/2 c butter or margarine
- 1 t vanilla
- 2 c sifted powdered sugar
- 1/2 c walnuts

Cream together cream cheese and butter, stir in vanilla, add powdered sugar a little at a time. Beat until smooth.

Sprinkle with crushed walnuts.

SURFER SQUARES

By Donna Marraccini
Independence Township

- 1 c butterscotch pieces
- 1/4 c brown sugar
- 1/4 c butter
- 1 egg
- 3/4 c flour
- 1 t baking powder
- 1/4 t salt
- 1 c semi-sweet chocolate pieces
- 1 c miniature marshmallows
- 1/2 c chopped nuts
- 1 t vanilla

In large saucepan, melt butterscotch pieces, sugar and butter over medium heat, stirring constantly. Remove from heat. Add egg, beat well. Add flour, baking powder and salt. Stir in remaining ingredients. Spread into greased 8 inch square pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 20-25 minutes. Cool. Cut into 24 bars.

PEANUT BLOSSOMS

By Lorna Bickerstaff
Independence Township

- 1 1/4 c flour
- 1 t soda
- 1/2 t salt
- 1/2 c shortening
- 1/2 c peanut butter
- 1/2 c white sugar
- 1/2 c brown sugar
- 1 egg
- 2 T milk
- 1 t vanilla

Cream shortening, peanut butter, sugar and egg together. Add flour, soda, salt, milk and vanilla. Drop by teaspoonfuls about 2 inches apart. Bake at 375 degrees for 8 minutes. Take out, press one chocolate kiss in middle, return to oven for about 3 minutes more.

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PRETTY PEPPERMINT PUFFS

By Sue Peterson

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- ¾ c margarine (scant)
- 1 t vanilla
- ¼ c sugar
- 2 c sifted flour
- 1 egg separated
- ½ c crushed peppermint candy
- ½ c sugar
- chocolate bits (chips)

Cream margarine and vanilla. Add sugar gradually, creaming thoroughly. Stir in egg yolk, add flour gradually ¼ c at a time.

Stir in peppermint candy. Roll into 1-inch balls. Beat egg white slightly. Dip balls in the egg white, then roll in the ½ c sugar.

Place a chocolate bit (chip) in center of each cookie. Bake on ungreased baking sheet in a 350-degree oven for 15 minutes. Remove from baking sheet immediately. Makes 3½ dozen.

Former Clarkston resident, Mrs. Charles Weber of Pontiac, submitted the following recipe for oatmeal cookies.

It was published in the Oxford Leader in 1940 as a time-saving recipe for busy mothers.

The Leader article also says the recipe is full of vitamins and perfect for the soldier's cookie package.

Mrs. Weber says her children, including son Charles Weber of Independence Township, say she makes the best oatmeal cookies around.

OATMEAL COOKIES

- 1 c brown sugar
- ¾ c shortening or ½ c lard
- ½ c sweet milk
- 2 c oatmeal
- 2 c pastry flour
- 1 c raisins

1 t each of salt, baking soda, cinnamon.

Dissolve soda in a little warm water. Mix ingredients and drop on greased pan. Bake in 350-degree oven for 15 minutes. Makes two dozen medium cookies.

APRICOT ALMOND BARS

By Mrs. G. W. Craven

Independence Township

- 1 c butter or margarine
- ½ c sugar
- 1 t vanilla extract
- 2 c sifted flour
- ¼ of 1 lb. jar of apricot jam
- 2 egg whites
- ½ t almond extract
- 1 c powdered sugar
- ½ c blanched, sliced almonds

Cream butter, sugar and vanilla until fluffy. Add flour and mix thoroughly. Spread in an ungreased 13 by 9 by 2 pan. Bake in a 350 degree oven 15 minutes. Cool.

Turn oven up to 400 degrees. Spread jam gently over crust. Beat egg whites slightly using electric beater. Gradually beat in sugar and almond extract. The mixture will be thin and acts as a glaze.

Spread over jam and sprinkle almonds evenly over glaze. Bake in a 400 degree oven 20 minutes or until golden brown. Cut into 36 bars when cool.

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By Maralee Cook

Nancy Tilley, who has eight children, is used to cooking for a large crowd.

She studied home economics at Central Michigan University and learned how to make a work order. That, she says, is the biggest secret to having all the dishes in a meal ready at the same time.

Making a work order means planning the entire meal with pencil and paper, said Nancy, and figuring out what can be done ahead of time. She said she hated orders in college, but now they come naturally.

Nancy, who has a cake baking business on the side, said that of her eight children, daughter Caron Short was the only one to take an interest in cooking.

There are usually over 20 members of Nancy's family gathered together for holiday meals. While the person who hosts the gathering usually fixes the main meal, all chip in with snacks, vegetable dishes and desserts, she said.

Nancy likes to make fruit cakes for the holiday, but rarely bakes cookies.

"Cookies never get off the pan in this house," she explained.

"Most of my recipes are stolen from somebody else," said Nancy.

The following recipe for vegetable dip is "stolen" from friend Pat Ripley of Independence Township.

Vegetable Dip

- 1 t dill weed
 - ¼ c mayonnaise
 - ½ c sour cream
 - 1 envelope Lawry's or Frito-Lay green onion dip mix
 - 1 T dried parsley
 - ½ t Accent
 - ½ t seasoned salt
 - ½ t Worcestershire sauce
 - 2 drops tabasco sauce
- Mix ingredients, refrigerate for two hours, and serve with raw vegetables.

The following recipe for lemon jello is a good mouth cleaner after a large meal, Nancy said.

Lemon Jello

- 5 pkgs. lemon Jello
 - 1½ containers of 9 oz. Cool Whip
- Dissolve 3 small packages of Jello in 1½ cups boiling water. Add 3 cups cold water. Set up in cookie sheet. When set, cut into tiny cubes with a large 3-tined fork. Prepare remaining 2 packages of Jello according to package instructions. Let set to shaky stage. Beat with Cool Whip. Fold small, firm cubes into mixture. Let set for ½ hour.

Nancy recommends that Hi-Ho crackers or other non-specially-flavored crackers be served with her shrimp mold.

Shrimp Mold

- 1½ envelopes gelatin
- 1 can tomato soup
- 1 large package cream cheese
- 1½ lbs. shrimp, cooked and chopped
- 1 c mayonnaise
- 1 c onion, diced
- 1 c celery, diced
- Dash of salt and pepper
- 2 shakes Worcestershire sauce

Dissolve gelatin in ½ cup cold water. Heat undiluted tomato soup then beat while still hot with cream cheese. Mix all ingredients together and pour into 2-quart mold. Let set one hour.

Nancy suggests the following crab dip as a quick and easy partner for crackers.

Crab Dip

- Large brick of cream cheese
- Crab meat
- Bottled cocktail sauce

Place brick of cream cheese in serving bowl. Shred crabmeat over cream cheese. Cover with cocktail sauce and serve with crackers.

Nancy Tilley makes fruit cakes for the holidays, but says she rarely bakes cookies. "Cookies never get off the pan in this house," she explains.



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By Sue Peterson

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| 1½ c brown sugar (packed) | 1 t cinnamon |
| ½ c shortening | ½ t nutmeg |
| 2 eggs | 1/8 t cloves |
| 1¾ c pumpkin | ½ t salt |
| 2¾ c flour | ¼ t ginger |
| 1 T baking powder | 1 c raisins |
| 1 c chopped nuts (pecans or walnuts) | |

Mix sugar, shortening, eggs and pumpkin thoroughly. Blend dry ingredients, add to pumpkin mixture, stirring until well blended. Add raisins and nuts.

Drop batter by teaspoonfuls on ungreased baking sheets.

Bake at 400 degrees 12-15 minutes, or until lightly browned.

Makes about six dozen.

Cookies may be iced with a thin butter frosting if desired.

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By Donna Marraccini

Independence Township

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| 1 c white sugar | 1 t vanilla |
| 1 c brown sugar | 1 t cream of tartar |
| 1 c margarine | 1 c Rice Krispies |
| 1 c cooking oil | 1 c coconut (if desired) |
| 1 egg | 1 c Quaker Oats |
| ¾ t salt | 3½ c flour |
| 1 t baking soda | |

Mix in order given. Drop by teaspoon on baking sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 12 to 15 minutes.

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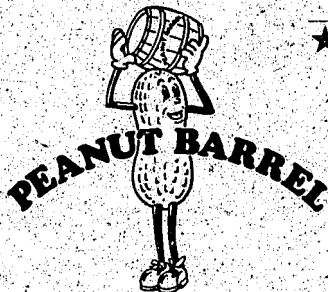
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Included in Jo Vaara's busy holiday schedule is a party for her kindergarteners and their parents at North Sashabaw Elementary School, which she gives a touch of elegance with a flower arrangement and candles.

'Wild', but happy time for Vaaras

By Kathy Greenfield

Jo Vaara sums up the holiday season around her house in a word--"wild."

"It's busy, but we're all holiday oriented around here," she said while relaxing at home on West Church Street, Clarkston, after a busy day teaching kindergarten at North Sashabaw Elementary School.

As a working mother, Jo's holiday entertaining has decreased in the past four years since she began teaching full time.

"If you're working, you have to do everything ahead of time and squeeze it in," she said.

She and her husband Mel have four daughters. The two oldest, Anne Marie, 20, and Lisa, 18, are Michigan State University students, and Ingrid is 12 and Tasha, 10.

"All the children and Mel like the holidays as much as I do," she said, and the whole family helps with entertaining.

One party that has become tradition after six or seven years is a Christmas Eve gathering.

The Vaaras serve punch, coffee and holiday goodies to about 25 people between the 7 p.m. children's service at Calvary Lutheran Church and the 11 p.m. service when Jo sings in the choir.

With her job and church activities--she also teaches a Sunday school class for adults--Jo has collected several recipes that can be prepared in advance, and she shared three with The Clarkston News.

One dish she serves at a party at least once a year is clam chowder. Her friend Judy Larsen of Ortonville gave her the recipe.

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Jo Vaara cooks...

CLAM CHOWDER

- 4 slices bacon
- 1 large onion, chopped
- 1 c. celery, diced
- 4 large raw potatoes, diced
- 1 t. salt
- 2 cans minced clams
- 2 cans cream of mushroom soup
- 3 c. milk

Cut up bacon and brown. In bacon drippings, saute the onion and celery. Add the potatoes, salt and enough water to cover, and simmer until potatoes are tender, about 20 to 25 minutes.

Dump in the clams with liquid, mushroom soup and milk, and heat. When serving, put small pat of butter and freshly ground pepper on top.

Jo usually serves a variety of lunch meats and breads with the chowder or a loaf of warm French bread and relishes.

Another favorite of Jo's for party-giving is a recipe from her mother.

"My mother was an immigrant from Rumania and we always had a lot of people at our house," Jo said. "She would make strudel, the real thing."

"Although, strangely enough, she didn't teach us to cook, when you're used to eating good things, then you want to cook them."

One thing Jo remembers well about her mother's culinary skills is she always cooked with natural ingredients.

"She used butter we made on the farm," Jo said. "She wouldn't have oleo in the house. And she wouldn't take short-cuts. She always used the real thing--she never used artificial flavorings or anything like that."

Her mother made Blueberry Nut Cake with home-canned wild huckleberries. For the recipe (below), she would use about 1/2 quart huckleberries thickened with cornstarch.

Jo has found canned blueberry pie filling an acceptable substitute for the wild berries.

more good things

CLAM DIP

By Thomas Boothby
Independence Township

- 1 can drained minced clams
 - 1 T lemon juice
 - 1 lg pkg cream cheese
 - Dash of Tabasco sauce
- Cream together. If needs thinning, add a little clam juice.

FROZEN FRUIT SALAD

By Gracie Langford
Orion Township

- 1 can cherry pie filling
- 1 can crushed pineapple, drained
- 1 can Eagle Brand condensed milk
- 1 lrg container Cool Whip
- 1/2 c lemon juice

Mix and freeze.

(Note: This is more like a dessert.)

SUGARED NUTS

By Lorraine Robeson
Independence Township

- 3 c walnut halves
- 1 c water
- 1 1/2 c pecan halves
- 1/4 t cinnamon
- 2 c sugar

Mix ingredients in heavy skillet, cook until water disappears and nuts have a sugary appearance. Remove from heat and pour onto greased baking sheet. Separate with fork and cool.

(Note: Great gift idea!)

FRENCH COCONUT PIE

By Marty Johnston
Independence Township

Filling:

- 3 eggs
- 1 t vanilla
- Pinch of salt
- 1 stick margarine
- 1 c sugar
- 1 can or 1 c coconut
- 1 T vinegar

Place in unbaked 8-inch or 9-inch pie shell. Bake 35 min. at 350 degrees.

BLUEBERRY NUT CAKE

- 2 1/2 c. flour
- 1 t. salt
- 1 1/2 c. shortening
- 1 t. cinnamon
- 2 1/2 t. baking powder
- 1 t. grated lemon rind

Mix as you do for pie crust. Add 1 c. sugar and mix it again. Make a well in the center, add 2 egg yolks, 2 T. sour cream, 2 T. white wine, 1 t. vanilla and juice of 1/2 small lemon.

Mix together. Should be softer than pie crust. If too stiff, add a little milk.

Divide in two parts, one part a little larger for bottom crust. Roll out larger portion between waxed paper. Place in bottom of 15 by 18 inch pan (cookie sheet).

Spread on top 1 can blueberry pie filling, or slightly more. Roll the other portion and place it on top. Brush with 1 beaten whole egg. Sprinkle with 1 c. sugar mixed with 1/2 c. chopped walnuts or pecans.

Bake at 375 degrees for about 45 minutes. Watch it, because if the top is browning too quickly, the oven should be reduced to 350 degrees.

Let cool in pan. Cut in diagonals to make diamond shapes. When stored, do not cover.

Jo rarely bakes except for special occasions, because "If I have them, I'll eat them," she said.

The recipe for another favorite baked dessert was given to Jo by her sister.

KIFLIK (or crescents)

Step 1.

Dissolve 1 yeast cake and 2 T. sugar into 1/2 c. lukewarm sour cream.

Step 2.

3 c. sifted flour, sift before measuring; 1 stick margarine; and 1 stick butter. Blend together like pie crust.

Step 3:

Add yeast mixture, 3 egg yolks and 1/4 t. vanilla. Mix all together and divide into six balls. Wrap in plastic wrap and chill overnight.

Step 4:

In the morning, roll out each ball one at a time. Keep the others refrigerated. Cut into wedges. Then put filling in wide part of edge and roll up in a crescent. Brush with beaten egg white. Bake at 350 degrees for 10 or 15 minutes. Watch carefully.

Yield: 50 good-size Kiflik.

FILLINGS

Nut filling--chopped nuts, sugar to taste, vanilla, beaten egg whites--just enough to moisten.

Prune--Cut 2 c. prunes; add 1 c. sugar. Stir and cook slowly until mushy and thick. This scorches easily, so watch it.

Cream cheese--Mix cream cheese with a little vanilla; sugar to taste and a few drops of half-and-half milk to soften it.

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We learned by doing says Colombiere's Brother Louie

By Maralee Cook

Cooking for a crowd is no big deal for Brother Elias "Louie" Aowad, S. J., food services director for Colombiere Center on Big Lake Road, Springfield Township.

He and his staff of 18 full and part-time cooks, waitresses and dishwashers prepare daily meals for about 60 persons, while the weekends find them cooking for groups of 150 to 300.

Brother Louie has been cooking since he joined the Society of Jesus in 1948 in Canton, Ohio. He first came to Colombiere in 1958 where he was stationed until 1963. Transferred out in 1963, he returned to Colombiere's kitchen in 1969.

Brother Louie has had no formal schooling in the art of cooking.

"We just learn by doing," he said.

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Brother Louie Aowad and cook Mary Moller are used to cooking for large crowds. They prepare meals for about 60 people every day, in addition to those for special groups of up to 250 people.

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Cake recipes from Brother Louie's book

Brother Louie said that even though he and his staff are cooking for large crowds, the food they serve tastes like it was home-cooked.

He buys the finest quality meats and foods possible, works with the other cooks in preparing menus and they take care in seasoning and preparation, Brother Louie said.

The staff also makes its own desserts as often as possible.

One of the most important factors in Colombiere's meals having a home-cooked flavor is the dedication of his staff, said Brother Louie. They work very hard, and the morale is very high, he added.

One of Brother Louie's favorite holiday treats is White Fruit Cake, made with four ounces of white wine or rum. The following recipe makes three loaves.

The following recipe for Prune Cake came from the mother of an associate of Brother Louie's.

PRUNE CAKE

First Bowl:

- 1 c vegetable oil
- 1½ c white sugar
- 3 eggs
- 1 c buttermilk
- 1 t baking soda
- 1 t. vanilla

Second Bowl:

- 1 t cinnamon
- 1 t nutmeg
- 1 t salt
- 1 t allspice
- 2 c flour
- 2 c cooked, pitted and chopped prunes
- 1 c chopped nuts

In first bowl, combine oil and sugar and mix well, then add eggs and beat well. Add buttermilk, soda, vanilla and mix well.

In second bowl, combine cinnamon, nutmeg, allspice, salt and flour. Mix and sift ingredients, then pour into first bowl.

Mix well and bake in 9-by-13-inch pan for 45 minutes to one hour at 300 to 325 degrees.

BUTTERMILK SAUCE FOR PRUNE CAKE

- 1 c brown sugar
- ½ t baking soda
- 4 t butter
- ½ c buttermilk
- 1 T Karo white syrup

Combine all ingredients in a sauce pan and bring to a boil. Let sauce cool until warm, then pour over cake.

WHITE FRUIT CAKE

- ½ c milk
- 1 c butter
- 3 c flour
- 2 c sugar
- 8 egg whites
- ½ lb candied red cherries
- ½ lb candied green cherries
- 1 t baking powder
- 1 lb candied pineapple
- 1 lb blanched and finely chopped almonds
- 1 lb shredded coconut
- 4 oz white wine or rum-pineapple juice may be substituted for a non-alcoholic cake.

Cream butter and sugar until very smooth. Sift flour and baking powder with a pinch of salt three times.

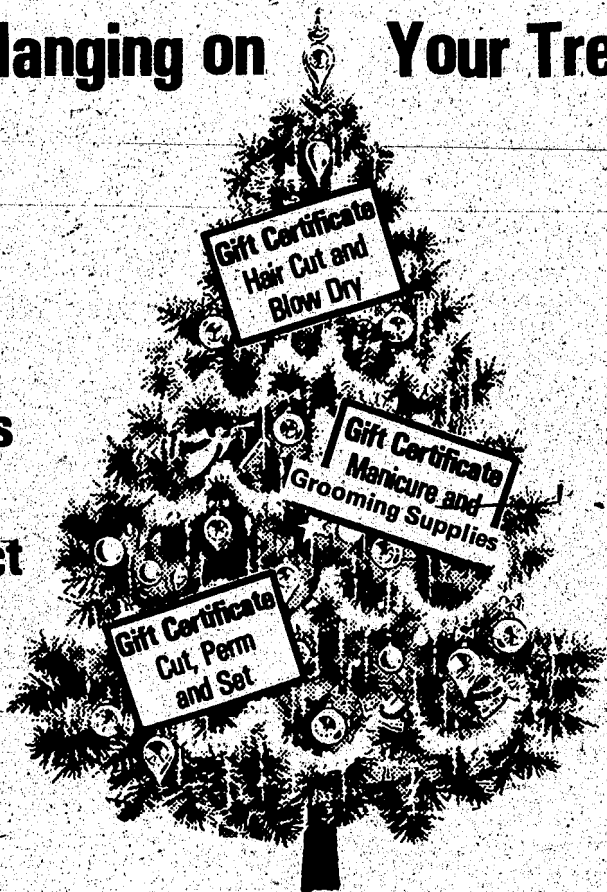
Add flour mixture to creamed butter and sugar a little at a time, alternately with milk. Continue until flour and milk are used up.

Before using up the last bit of flour, mix fruit and nuts in and put in batter. Add rum or wine to mixture and fold in stiffly beaten egg whites.

Bake in moderate oven at 350 degrees for 45 minutes to one hour and 15 minutes, reducing the heat the last half hour to 325 degrees.

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