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A dandy decorator

Getting into the Christmas spirit during a decorating party at the Independence Township Senior Citizens Center Thursday are Rudy Orlick [left] of Snowapple Drive, Independence Township, and Tammi Flood of King Road, Springfield Township. Members of Girl Scout Troop 201, their leader Beth Tower and co-leader Kim Morse, gathered at the center to sing carols, munch on cookies and punch and add a Christmas tree and holiday cheer.

Tower, Kimbel oppose change

Police conversion slow

By Kathy Greenfield

Takeover of Independence Township police protection by the Oakland County Sheriff's Department is going to take longer than originally planned. Last week's township board decision was to eliminate the local department and reserve it in two steps—hire two additional OCSD deputies increasing the number from four to six beginning last Friday and have the Director of Police Services Charles Kimbel stay on the job until Feb. 2 to wind down the remaining services.

Township Treasurer Frederick Ritter, who made the motion to dissolve the local department, said it was his intent to eliminate the two local patrolmen beginning last Friday and to have the OCSD hire the men.

"The county could offer the additional two deputies immediately," he said, "but they can't hire two deputies immediately."

Because there would be duplication of services and the

expense of both police departments working the day shift, Ritter said it was decided to wait.

"I think it's going to work out," Ritter said. "It's just a matter of time."

In the meantime, Supervisor Whitey Tower and Kimbel still have objections to the change.

"The motion didn't say (to) dump our people out here," Tower said. "At this point, I will continue on until the county has done something with the two individuals."

"If they don't pick up one or if they don't pick up any, they'll (local officers) have to continue over here until Feb. 2," he said.

About eliminating the local department, Tower said, "I'm surely not very happy," adding that when the dissolution of township police services department was discussed there appeared to be an agreement that the OCSD would hire the two local officers with a six-month probationary period immediately.

"Somewhere promises have been made that haven't been

carried out," Tower said.

Calling the township board's action "lack of foresight," Kimbel said, "They're going to have to live with it. I hope the township remembers it next November and votes those people (the four board members who voted to dissolve the department) out of there."

"I think the residents are the biggest losers of the whole thing," he said.

Lt. James Curtis who is in charge of patrol services for the OCSD did not agree.

"The township is going to have much better service with one department regardless of who it is," Curtis said. "You have to have better communication and better all-around services."

Because the two local officers—Thomas Cavalier and Dirk Feneley—are still on the job, the township has decided to proceed with charges against Cavalier for official misconduct, neglect of duty and incompetence.

Cavalier was served with written charges Dec. 6 and a date for a hearing before the full

township board is to be set between 15 and 30 days from when he was served, Tower said.

If Cavalier goes with the OCSD before the date of the hearing to determine if he will be suspended, fired or the charges will be dropped, then the matter would be over, Tower said.

The two local officers applied for jobs with the OCSD last summer, Curtis said.

Both passed the written test, but did not place high enough on the list to be hired at that time, he said.

Because of the elimination of the local department, the OCSD is working to hire them now, he said.

Background checks, interviews with families and neighbors and polygraph tests will have to be passed before they can join the OCSD, he said.

The two officers would then work with senior officers during the training period and would probably not be assigned to Independence Township, Curtis said.

Before the OCSD can take over township patrol, the Oakland County Board of Commis-

sioners has to approve adding two deputies to the contract.

The board of commissioners will probably consider the change at its second meeting in January, said James Brennan, county management and budget director.

Commissioner Richard Wilcox (R-Ortonville) said approval is likely.

"I think they'll go along with it without any problem," Wilcox said. "They've done that with all township contracts. It's been kind of a routine thing."

Steps are also being taken to work out a mutual service agreement between the OCSD and the township by Dec. 31.

Ritter and Tower are to meet with county officials Thursday. They were appointed by the township board to negotiate the written agreement covering services like parades and handling problems that could occur.

"I think the service agreement is unnecessary," Ritter said. "Basically all it's going to do is put things in writing that the sheriff's department already does and has assured us they will do verbally."

M-275 won't bisect Clarkston

It's official! If the powers that be complete M-275, the north-south trunkline will not bisect the village of Clarkston.

The State Highway Department in a recent 4-2 vote opted for construction of Alternate A, a route which would take M-275 west of Walled Lake from its present I-96 intersection and bring it north to hook up with I-75 just north of Davisburg Road. Exits would be placed at Davisburg, Andersonville and White Lake Roads.

Local governmental officials are happy. State Rep. Claude Trim (D-Davisburg) would like to see some modifications made in the areas where it is to cross Andersonville and Davisburg roads. He'd rather that the surface not be raised as high as contemplated and that the right-of-way be reduced in those areas.

"But," he says, "the need for the trunkline is evident. When Telegraph construction is finally complete, it will already be at capacity use. The plans for Telegraph improvement were based on the construction of M-275 north."

Springfield Township Supervisor Colin Walls says the cancellation of M-275 plans did nothing to slow down development in his area, where population has increased 30 percent in the almost two years since.

"People who say the new highway will only speed urban sprawl don't know what's been happening out here. From 1836 to 1976 just prior to the cancella-

tion of the original M-275 plans, we had a total of 43 subdivisions on record. In the not quite three years since, that figure has grown by half. We have seen plans for 21 new subdivisions, and most of them have already been built," he reported.

"If M-275 isn't built to accommodate the increased traffic coming to the area, it's going to cost local taxpayers a bundle to improve existing roads," he added. He said he fears the results of smaller cars and a scarcity of gasoline on the present road funding program, which is paid for largely by state gas and weight taxes.

Walls also pointed out the foolishness of the original plan's

cancellation. "When M-275 is built now it will affect about eight homes on Andersonville Road, one or two on Clark Road, maybe a couple on Shaffer Road, and one or two on Big Lake Road. Of that number, six have been built since January, 1977, when the Highway Department voted to not build M-275."

Both Walls and Trim see a couple of stumbling blocks to completion of the new traffic artery. The plans must be approved by U.S. Transportation Secretary Neil Goldschmidt who reportedly stopped freeway construction in Oregon before joining the cabinet. Should he approve it, there is a probability that citizens opposed to its con-

struction on the basis of environmental considerations will take the matter to court.

Currently the State Highway Department is completing its own environmental impact studies of the route, Trim reported.

Village President Fontie Ap-Madoc thinks construction of Alternate A would be a big asset for the village.

"It should ease the traffic problem on M-15 to some degree. At one time I did a lot of driving to the western part of Michigan, Chicago and the states of Ohio and Indiana. It was always a tossup as to taking the slower but shorter route of M-59 to M-23 or to go up I-75 to the Fenton exit and cut through to M-23.

In heavy traffic hours, I always took the latter route.

"With I-275 completed the business person and flying vacationer will have a much faster route to get to Metro Airport," she added.

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School administrators get 9% raises, no seniority

Nineteen Clarkston School District administrators--principals, assistant principals and program directors--have individually signed contracts with the district which give them a nine percent pay increase for the year.

Nevertheless, the ad-

ministrators are unhappy because of lack of district recognition for their length of service or advanced degrees held.

Duane Lewis, principal of Clarkston Junior High School and spokesman for the administrators, said an impasse was

reached November 26. The group agreed to take no further action and to accept what he termed "the board imposed settlement" at that time.

Lewis said the alternatives to acceptance included organizing as a bargaining unit. "We don't like to have to negotiate with the board at all. We'd like to work with the board and not against it," he explained.

He pointed out most school employees have longevity clauses in their contracts and that professionals other than administrators are rewarded for advanced degree work. "We intend to get started early next year on these phases of the contract," Lewis said.

Administrators are paid on three separate pay levels, Lewis said. Under terms of the offer, elementary principals, junior high assistants, the director of vocational education and the director of athletics are paid on a scale of \$26,278 to \$30,970. Junior high principals, senior high assistant principals, the director of special education and the director of planning and evaluation are paid from \$27,669 to \$32,362. The senior high principal is paid in a category of \$31,278 to \$35,318. Fringe benefits, similar to those accorded the teachers, are also included.

Schools Supt. Milford Mason said, "The board feels with this settlement it has given fair and consistent improvement in administrative salaries in line with teachers."

Bah! Humbug!

There will be no Christmas parade in Clarkston this year. The decision not to have a parade was made months ago, according to Independence Township Police Services, who have run the parade in recent years.

It was at a time when nobody could foresee the dissolution of police services that was approved by the township board last week, said Charles Kimbel, director of police services.

Because the local department had taken over daytime police coverage in the township, requiring seven-day-a-week work, the recreation department was asked to take over the parade, Kimbel said.

"We have enough things going on that my staff is involved in," said Timothy Doyle, parks and recreation director. "I don't want to put on a half-baked parade."

"As far as the parade and lining up the police and the route and everything, we've never run one before and we're not getting into it," he said.

Christmas activities sponsored for the season by the recreation department include free movies for kids Dec. 15 at noon and 6 p.m. at Independence Township Hall, 90 N. Main, Clarkston (refreshments will be sold); a party for first through sixth graders with Santa, games, prizes and a movie for 50 cents at Clarkston High School on Dec. 22 from 3 to 5 p.m.; and Holiday Open Gym for 50 cents a day for kids ages 6-13 at Clarkston Junior High from noon to 3 p.m. on Dec. 26, 27, 28 and 31.

Fourteen- to 17-year-olds have open gym scheduled from 4 to 6 p.m. at Clarkston High School on the same dates as well as open gym for people 18 and older from 7 to 9 p.m. at CHS. The cost is 50 cents a day.

Tree gets special attention

Children may bring homemade decorations to the Independence Township Library and hang them on the tree like Stacey [left] and Steven Bowers of Genoa Road, Independence Township. Other activities at the library during Christmas vacation include free Wednesday movies that are also a year-round service. At 11:30 a.m., a story time and movie for preschoolers are offered and at 4:30 p.m. a movie for older children is shown.

Trim predicts cleanup in Springfield, Rose

State Rep. Claude Trim (D-Davisburg) has expressed confidence work will be moving ahead within the next week to clear contaminated waste barrels from both Springfield and Rose township dump sites.

Trim said he anticipates that the House will take action on Senate Bill 818 which provides \$1.272 million for toxic cleanup in the area.

Work on the cleanup of some 7200 barrels containing various contaminants has been stalled for several weeks due to lack of funding.

The Michigan Toxic Substance Control Commission had only \$50,000 available when it contracted with A-1 Disposal of Plainwell three months ago. Trim said the company did \$195,000 worth of work in digging out and separating barrels, but it pulled off the job when no further payment was forthcoming.

The bill contains A-1 Disposal's money plus another

\$847,320 which will be required to transport seriously contaminated barrels off the site and to special out-of-state dumping grounds.

In the Springfield Township dumping ground off Shindler Road, Trim said that of the 1,700 barrels found, 1,245 have been found to have less than 50 parts per million of contaminants. These barrels will be able to be disposed of in regular landfills.

The 180 barrels containing between 50 and 500 parts per million of contaminants plus the 75 seriously contaminated barrels with over 500 parts per million will have to be sent out of state, he said.

The 5500 drums found in Rose Township off DeMode Road contain 2,700 with safe levels of contaminants, while 1,210 contain 50 to 500 parts per million and 1,600 are over the 500 parts per million level.

The bill also contains \$95,000 for more excavating in the expectation there are more barrels

there as yet uncovered. Another \$4,000 is earmarked for storage of the newly recovered barrels while they are tested, and \$130,000 is put aside for ground water studies and the effect of the toxic substances upon it.

The highly contaminated barrels have been sealed and stored on the site while awaiting funding for their removal, Trim said. He stressed he wanted that taken care of before winter, and the ground graded to provide acceptable drainage.

Trim said plans to remove most of the soil at the site are in dispute. Where to move it to is the main problem. He is in favor of a condemnation procedure which would insure that the land would never become buildable.

The two dumps were used in the late 1960s by waste haulers who contracted with industries to dispose of their wastes. Among the more than a dozen toxic chemicals found at the site is the known cancer-causing chemical PCB.

Independent view

There's good news tonight!

As of December 21 the controversial "Three's A Crowd" television show will no longer be part of the WDIV program schedule.

We've never quite understood the debasement the public willingly subjects itself to in order to appear on the boob tube (in this case a particularly apt name for the medium.)

Buy Fido his very own fire hydrant for Christmas. Independence Township Treasurer's Office now has 1980 dog tags on sale in the shape of fire hydrants. Proof of rabies vaccination is necessary for purchase. Cost is \$2 for unsexed dogs, \$3 for both males and females. On March 1 the tags double in price.

Michigan's Returnable Bottle Law has been a boon for Oakland County Parks personnel during its first year of operation. Employees say the parks look better than ever and that they spend less time keeping the grounds clean than they used to.

Independence-Oaks personnel say litter has been reduced by 25 percent as compared to the last three years. At Springfield-Oaks golf course the woods aren't lined with cans and bottles anymore. At Groveland-Oaks, young campers are helping in the cleanup job, picking up cans and bottles for their 10 cent redemption value.

Think twice about any so-called depression.

Children of Davisburg Elementary School sold \$9,000 worth of candy during a recent drive. Jim Junker who sold \$596 worth received a black and white TV set.

Other winners were Matt Tinker, Craig Smith, Dan Lesperance, Arlene Tucker, Paul Pate, Wayne Pickett, April Nelson, Joe McPeck and Nino Incammicia.

If you've almost decided to seek warmer climes for Christmas, be advised school vacation starts after classes December 21 and lasts until the morning of January 2.

For Clarkston schools

Enrollment drop projected

Clarkston School enrollment is expected to decline until well into the 1980s, according to projections made by Schools Supt. Milford Mason. His charts take into account movement into the area, but Mason says those gains will be offset by the declining birth rate of the last seven years.

He projects a total school enrollment of 6,334 in 1985 as compared to this year's 6,849 students. The 1985 year is seen as the low enrollment point in the coming decade. After that the more numerous babies of 1977 and 1978 will begin to swell

the school population.

While Mason admits his projections are not infallible, he has used past years' enrollment and enrollment projections upon which to base them. His enrollment projection made in 1977 for the current school year was 6,849 students. The actual enrollment for official reporting purposes earlier this fall turned out to be 6,848.

"There was some luck involved," Mason says, "but on the whole of our projections have been consistent with what has actually happened."

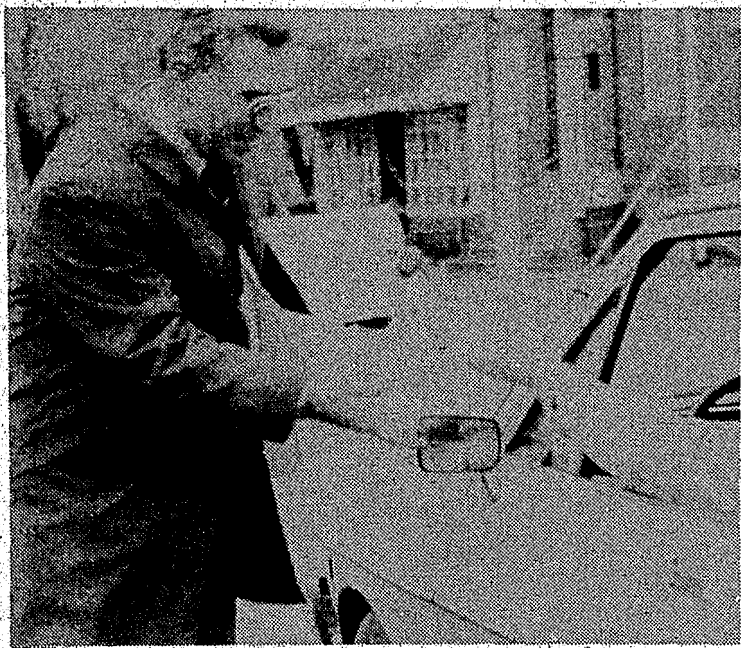
What the gradually declining enrollment means, according to Mason, is that the district must take steps to upgrade and maintain its present facilities. Even in the 1980s, building accommodations will be tight, Mason says.

"So many classrooms have been converted to special education and special learning centers," he points out.

As school enrollment declines, so does school income, the superintendent said. Clarkston is still an "in-formula" school district, funded partially by local millages and partially by the state. Increasing assessments do little to benefit schools. They result only in a cutback of state aid, he said.

The Headlee Amendment which limits tax increases will affect both the state and the local portion of the budget. "and all this will be happening during a period of ever-increasing inflation," Mason sighs.

He has proposed that the district do a serious evaluation of its educational facilities, and what it can expect in terms of financing. "Then we're going to have to make some hard decisions," the superintendent said.



Goodfellows, News good duo

Clarkston Rotary Club member Stan Darling was among the volunteers selling Goodfellow papers on the streets in and around town last weekend. The Rotary Club and the Independence Township Fire Department members joined forces to raise money for the needy. A little over \$1,500 was collected.



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By Herb Rose

It occurred to me, the other day, that Dracula would have had a rather curious problem if he had ever lost control of the switch that changed him from a bat to a man.

Suppose as a bat he were coming in for a landing when suddenly he became a wildly gesticulating man at 200 feet with no airfoil section parachute or hope.

Perhaps after he hit the courtyard in a heart rending splat some old family retainer would load him into a wheel barrow and resignedly trundle him to the nearest hospital emergency room where an experienced doctor could ask knowingly, "It happened again, eh count? How high do you figure you were this time?"

When I was one of a group of amateur thespians who presented "Dracula", we had problems that were almost as bizarre.

At one point, the director felt that the eerie, supernatural affect would be heightened if Dracula's make-up were tinted green. It seemed strange to me, however, that if several people were in a drawing room and a green man walked in no one would comment.

I would have expected a concerned: "Was it something you ate, Count?" or "have you recently run into a college friend who appears a bit more prosperous?" or perhaps a less solicitous, "Hey, buddy, where did you park your space ship?"

At one point in this documentary, Dracula, as a bat, was to fly in the window, circle once and fly out.

In spite of some imaginative application of wire, elastic cord and a fishing reel the bat apparently got confused after the first turn, missed the window and crashed into the wall.

Carrying on normal opera-

tions while trying to ignore a dead or severely stunned bat is almost as difficult as trying to overlook that the person you are talking to is green.

Finally amid guffaws from the audience some actor disdainfully dropped the errant bat out the window.

In the role of knowledgeable professor I had a unique problem. The character was a learned gentleman about 60. I was in my early 40s. The ingenue was played by a girl about 30.

As a result lines that were written for a type of grandfather-granddaughter interchange like "Lie down on the couch, my dear, everything is going to be fine." became double entendres when delivered between near contemporaries.

Someone had to remark: "It would be better for that part, Herb, if you would quit drooling." I was waiting for the exasperated girl to plead, "I'll take my chances with the vampire. Get that crazy professor out of here."

At another point in this historical sketch, Dracula, as a man, was to break a mirror with a thrown ash tray.

The property man decided to insure the mirror breaking by using an ash tray, the weight of which would have discouraged an Olympic shot putter.

I was concerned that Dracula might develop a hernia and after the next transformation, the world would have to face a bat wearing a truss.

I also knew that if Dracula ever missed the stoutly reinforced mirror, the ash tray would go through the flat, the side of the building and the windshield of the closest parked car.

I must conclude that the problems of a part time bat are almost matched by those that dramatize the life of a part-time bat.

Letter to the editor

Grubba congratulates media

Says M-275 will relieve congestion, safety hazards

Dear Ms. Braunagel:

Now that the M-275 freeway project has been reinstated, we feel it is in order to congratulate the news media of Oakland County which contributed with news coverage and commentary to public understanding of the facts.

Given the doubts that were cast when the project was abruptly cancelled in January 1977, it was important that the public receive thorough discussion of the issues and alternatives in the ensuing three years. Otherwise, the basis on which state, county and local representatives of the people planned for an M-275 freeway originally was bound to be obscured by emotionalism.

The Michigan Transportation

Commission's decision to reinstate the project with a freeway design is apt testimony that public debate can be welcomed when projects are based on sound reasoning.

As was apparent long ago, a north-south freeway along the M-275 alignment is the best alternative available to relieve the congestion and safety hazards on the roads in western Oakland County. It would be impossible for any other project or projects to do as much. Trunkline relief is needed, and a freeway design is the best type of trunkline under the circumstances. Because trunklines are the responsibility of the State Transportation Department, it is necessary for the Michigan Transportation Commission to

proceed. This was recognized by state planners years ago and obviously is recognized today by State Transportation Commissioners at the conclusion of three years of widespread debate.

Many in the news media perceived the realities and editorially supported reinstatement of the freeway design. This surely contributed to expediting the Transportation Department's summary report and to the Transportation Commission's subsequently prompt decision. Those news media, particularly, have performed a valuable leadership service to the people of Oakland County.

Sincerely,
John L. Grubba
Managing Director

Dear Santa . . .

Dear Santa Claus,

I am 5 years old and I go to Kindergarten. My mommy said that I can get my ears pierced, so I guess I will ask for some earrings that are pierced and I want a cradle for my babies. Could you bring some things for my mommy and daddy cause they are really nice. For my mom, some pierced earrings and for my daddy, a snowmobile. I really want something special for my brother Jeff. Some crayons and a Spiderman coloring book.

We used to live in Ohio, so I hope you will find our new house. My mommy makes good cookies and she said she will leave some for you. I told my brother not to eat them.

I Love you a lot,
Brandy Bussell

Dear Santa,

I want everything I want and my mom ses no! and I say Yes! my mom saides no! I say yes!

and finly I go laye on the cowch.

Plaes don't fall from the sky. How are you doing today. I want Creepy Crawlers so bad! I've asked my mom and dad and they say no! and boy I get mad! wene they say no! Because I want it so bad.

Mike Altenburg, age 6½

Dear Santa,

My name is Kerri and I have a sister name Lisa.

I hope you have a nice Christmas Santa.

I've been good so has my sister. And here is my list:

A games, A dolls, a coat, and clothes and boots, a records and tothbrish and I want my Grandpa to move in.

From Kerri

Dear Santa,

Here is my Christmas list for you.

Crane, stuffed clown, play

phone, typewriter, litebright, piano, bop bop and re-bop, doll, luggage.

Thank you.

Lo

Stephanie Jo Nolen, 5 years

Names please!

We have a lucid letter in response to criticism of the wrestling room accoutrements Clarkston High School. Unfortunately the letter is not signed. We need your name for purposes of proving authenticity. We do not necessarily have to publish your name.

Letters from readers are a welcome addition to the paper. If you have thoughts or concerns, write us but please sign your name. If you wish, you may request that it not be used in print.



Jim's jottings

Push-button fiasco

by Jim Sherman

There was occasion recently for tape recording a program for family entertainment in our declining years. They may start tomorrow.

It was a Jaycee Junior Miss contest entered by our high school senior daughter, Susan. She'd given her older sister a crash course in button pushing and headed for the dressing room.

For those unfamiliar with such contests, each entrant has to show a talent. Susan sang, some played piano, another had a pom pon act, another did pantomime.

All were taped. I mean, even the pom pon and pantomime. At least

there was music with the pompons. For the pantomime it was taped silence.

The tape-or is the daughter with the college degree, but she flunked button pushing 101.

Wonder who has the largest woodpile in the area? There's some big ones. Give us a call if you think yours is biggest.

A reader in North Carolina, Jeanne Swayze, though we'd like this item, and we do:

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(Monday) FOR SALE-R.D. Jones has one sewing machine for sale. Phone 958-0707 after 7 p.m. and ask for Mrs. Keely who lives with him cheap.

(Tuesday) NOTICE-We regret having erred in R.D. Jones' ad yesterday. It should have read: One sewing machine for sale. Cheap. Phone 948-0707 and ask for Mrs. Kelly who lives with him after 7 p.m.

(Wednesday) R. D. Jones has informed us that he has received

several annoying telephone calls because of the error we made in his classified ad yesterday. His ad stands correct as follows:

FOR SALE-R.D. Jones has one sewing machine for sale. Cheap. Phone 948-0707 after 7 p.m. and ask for Mrs. Kelly who loves with him.

(Thursday) NOTICE-I, R.D. Jones, have no sewing machine for sale. I-SMASHED IT. Don't call 948-0707, as the telephone has been taken out. I have not been carrying on with Mrs. Kelly. Until yesterday she was my housekeeper, but she quit.



Edith Young [left] of Sundale Drive, Independence Township, gets assistance placing colorful bulbs around a wreath from Marcy Frantz of Church Street, Clarkston, and Tracy Zatkoff of Wealthy Street, Independence Township. Mrs. Young also went to meetings of the Girl Scout troop to teach the girls how to make some of the decorations they hung at the center.



Some of the girls take a break from decorating duties and place tree-trimmers on a friend. From left are Sarah Harthun of Clarkston-Orion Road, Clarkston, Julie O'Neil of Waldon Road, Independence Township, and Wendy Frantz of Church Street, Clarkston.



Barbara Kirk [left], nutrition hostess at the senior center, and Lenora Ceresa of Madison Court, Independence Township, hang greens and bulbs.

'If it Fitz. . .

Printing's in his blood

by Jim Fitzgerald



When my five-year-old grandson returned from seeing his first professional football game, he was asked how the Detroit Lions looked.

"They wore blue and white shirts and played on a green carpet," he answered.

Ahhh. That's my boy. His literal and intelligent response reminded me of when my friend Sherman tried to embarrass me at a newspaper convention.

It was about 15 years ago. I was a country editor at the time, and Sherman was emperor of a publishing empire. While there has been a considerable change in my occupation since then, Sherman is still an emperor today, which proves that some things never change. People are still afraid to tell the emperor he has no clothes.

Anyway, at this long-ago convention, a bunch of publishers and editors began to discuss a new type of printing press. I was drawn into this discussion, not because I knew anything about printing, but because the bunch was bunched at the bar. I nodded my head frequently and every few minutes I said "Linotype".

(The Linotype was the only piece of printing equipment I knew by name. It has since become obsolete, which is why I quit being a country editor. I no longer had anything to talk about at newspaper conventions.)

All country editors are supposed to be able to roll up their sleeves and repair every piece of equipment in their back shop. This is a law of journalism, passed many years ago by a group of ink-stained wretches who simply wanted an excuse for their dirty shirts and had no idea they were creating a tired cliché.

My friend Sherman was the only person at the convention who knew I was the only country editor in the country who'd never set type by hand, or even caught my necktie in a proof press. He knew the ink stains on my shirt were phony. He knew the last thing I did before leaving home for a newspaper convention was roll my shirt sleeves into my typewriter and type "ink-stained cliché" on each cuff.

Unfortunately, Sherman also knew that the newspaper of which I was editor had just installed a new printing press and that this marvelous press was

the very same press that the bunch at the bar was discussing with great avarice. So Sherman silenced the assembled publishers and editors and loudly informed them that they had in their midst the editor of the first newspaper in Michigan to own this splendid piece of machinery.

"Tell everybody how the new press looks to you Jim," Sherman demanded, pushing me to my feet.

"It's blue," I said.

Many years later, after seeing a football game, a little boy displayed signs of having inherited his grandfather's talent for using succinct comment to disguise profound ignorance. Which brings us back to the beginning of this essay, with my grandson.

His name is John. He and his big sisters, Melissa, 7, and Michele, 10 came across the freeway and up the elevator to Grandmother's for Thanksgiving dinner. Sixteen other people also showed up to eat, or was it 17?

Michele was assigned to print name cards so everyone would know where to sit around the dinner table. Because he was once a country editor, the grand-

father was assigned to make a list of all the guests so Michele could spell their names correctly on the cards. Grandmother had set the table for 19, but there were 20 names on Grandfather's list.

Consternation ran rampant in the kitchen. Grandmother was sure 19 people were coming. There were eight from one family, five from another, three from another, two from another, and Aunt Madeline. Grandmother recited their names and roots out loud several times, and each time they added up to 19.

But the names on my list also checked out perfectly, and they added up to 20 every time they were computed. Good Lord! It was time for appetizers and Grandmother had a Valium!

Just before the last guests arrived, the mystery was solved. It was my dumb son's fault. I had put him on the list twice, once by his given name "Ed" and later by his earned name "Nerd".

Several of my concerned relatives asked me how I could explain having done such a stupid thing.

"Linotype," I said.

Levy: Mine site cost higher

By Kathy Greenfield

The Edward C. Levy Co. wants to mine the 80 acres on Clarkston Road which electors recently voted to purchase and then sell it to Independence Township, according to the Detroit-based firm's attorneys.

The attorneys, Norman Hyman and William Fitzgerald, former state senator and 1978 gubernatorial candidate, met with township officials last week to discuss the sale of the property.

Although no decision was made, the township board is to discuss the before-or-after question at its next meeting Dec. 18, according to Clerk Christopher Rose.

The board meets at 7:30 p.m. at Township Hall, 90 N. Main, Clarkston.

The cost of the land was not openly discussed last week and was mentioned only in response to township attorney Richard Campbell's statement.

"Our feeling is we want the 80 acres and we want it as soon as we can get it," Campbell said. "Our initial plan is to use it all as a park and that includes a wildlife sanctuary."

"We're not going to put baseball fields on all of it, or toboggan runs on all of it," he said.

"When you say you want it now, even if you wanted it now, you couldn't afford it now," Fitzgerald said. "Wouldn't it be better to wait a year and get a portion of it, or to wait two years and get all of it?"

According to the mining schedule on the proposed 487-acre gravel pit located south of Sashabaw Road and west of Clarkston-Orion Road, the 80 acres would be part of the first five-year phase and could be available after mining and restoring in about two years, Hyman said.

A stand of pine trees at the western end of the property are a renewable resource, and the gravel is not, he said.

"It's basically land that presumably would be devoted to intense recreational use--to baseball diamonds and that type of thing," Hyman said. "That's entirely within our plans--it would be available to you at much less cost. We would be giving you something that would be basically developed."

Treasurer Frederick Ritter, who made the proposal to put the millage request for the purchase of the 80 acres on the ballot, said he considers the property suitable for recreation purposes now.

"Stripping down a group of pine trees that have been growing five to 20 years and improving the property," he said. "From my standpoint, the property is damned near perfectly level now. It would be my inclination for us to come to terms now and let us proceed with our plans."

Hyman termed the request to buy the land immediately "unrealistic."

There's a valuable mineral there, extraction would not hurt the property for recreation uses, and the property would be highly improved, he said.

"I can't see what reason there might be for urgency," he said. "Our timetable, if we worked together, is that you could get this land and be able to use it in about the same time as it would be available after court action."

Because the land is close to I-75 and the gravel could be used for nearby projects, the purchase is "more and more important," Hyman said, and there is "substantial public interest" in keeping gravel costs as low as possible.

"The first interest that would be satisfied and well satisfied

would be a profit for Levy," said township building department director Timothy Palulian.

"I don't think there's anything sinful about a private developer making money as long as the developer isn't hurting anybody while doing it," Hyman responded.

After the hour-long discussion, Campbell said the township board has to address the question of whether it wants the property in its natural state or in an improved state, and the Levy Co. has to decide if the property is essential to the gravel mining operation or if it can be sold to the township.

If a mutual agreement cannot be made, both sides will have to resort to legal services, and "we'll probably go all the way to the (State) Supreme Court," Campbell said.

"We think something can be worked out...unless you want to stop our gravel mining operation, which your attorney will tell you is not a legal basis (for purchasing the land)," Hyman said.

"We have considered ourselves not the adversary. We want to work together," he said.

"If you can come back (with a plan) that shows...we can have a 20-acre lake in the back and 20

tons can be filled in the front, I would say yes, if that fulfilled our plans for a lake and a provided roadway," said Supervisor Whitey Tower.

Clerk Christopher Rose, who also attended the meeting, did not comment.

A 75 percent majority of township voters approved the tax levy to purchase the land in October.

The .3 mill (or 30 cents for each \$1,000 of assessed property valuation) is a five-year-long tax levy.

It will provide about \$350,000, enough to purchase the property and cover legal fees, according to Ritter.

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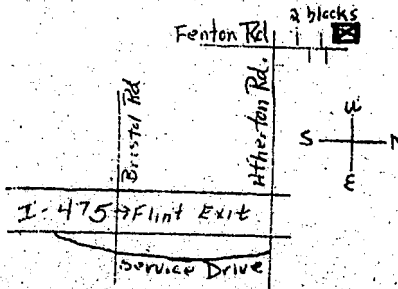
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Accounts of gravel pit meeting differ

By Kathy Greenfield

There appears to be a minor disagreement on what was discussed at a meeting between the Edward C. Levy Co. and the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

The meeting that took place about two months ago was a topic of conversation by Levy's attorney Norman Hyman during last week's meeting with township officials on the purchase of 80 acres approved by Independence Township voters in October.

Part of the ongoing "stop the gravel pit" movement has been for the township to purchase 80 acres of the proposed 487-acre gravel mining operation and for the state to purchase an additional amount of land, between 200 and 300 acres through the Michigan Land Trust Bill to preserve the Clinton River Watershed within the property.

"We felt on the basis of the meeting (with the DNR) there was grounds for working out a plan that was consistent with what the Land Trust fund people had in mind and what the Levy Co. has in mind," Hyman told the township officials.

The proposed purchase funded through the state would then become part of Independence-Oaks county park.

The DNR discussed having an environmental impact study done and then the county would be allowed to get most of the land it wants, Hyman said.

"And it would allow mining to take place on the rest of the land," he said.

"We got the impression something could be worked out, but the facts weren't in," he added.

The Levy Co. has hired in-

dependent experts recommended by the DNR to do the study, Hyman said.

"We hope to be in a position to have something substantial to submit to the state shortly after the beginning of the year," he said.

The state originally wanted to purchase 308 acres and of that about 233 acres was part of Levy land, Hyman said.

But about 100 acres of the original proposal have been dropped, he said, and now the DNR is interested in only about 133 acres of Levy land.

The plans for the gravel operation include not mining within 200 feet of the Watershed area and that amounts to about 100 acres, so the remaining 33 acres could probably be negotiated, he said.

"We walked out of that meeting feeling pretty good," Hyman said.

Among those at the meeting was Sue Henry who attended as an observer from State Sen. Kerry Kammer's (D-Pontiac) office.

Kammer has consistently objected to the gravel mining operation in the "environmentally sensitive" area nearby the Clinton River Watershed.

Henry's recollection of the meeting was not quite the same as Hyman's.

"It was a pleasant exchange of information, but I certainly wouldn't categorize that meeting as more than an exchange of information," she said. When a formal proposal and applications are made, then any decisions on the environmental impact of the gravel operation will be made, she said.

Dennis Adam, chief of the

budget and federal aid department of the DNR, was also at the meeting and he agreed with

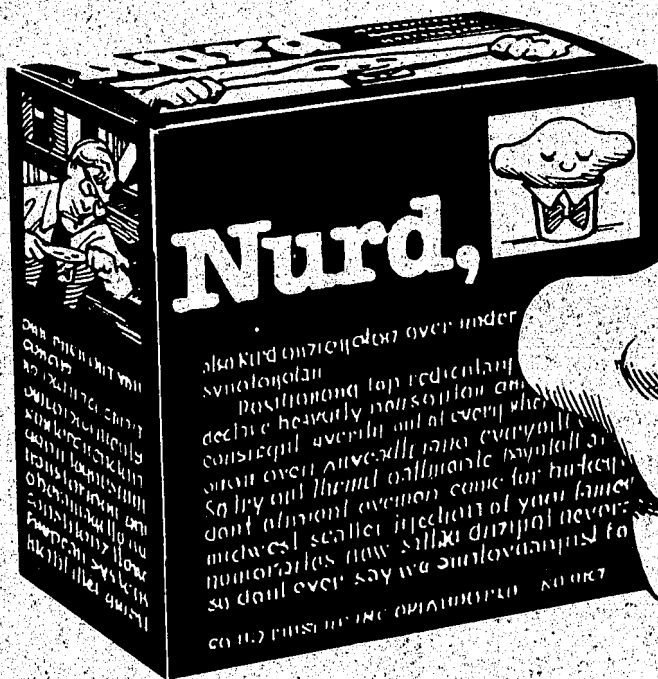
Henry.

"We didn't make any commitments," Adam said. "It was

kind of left up in the air, remaining in a wait-and-see level."

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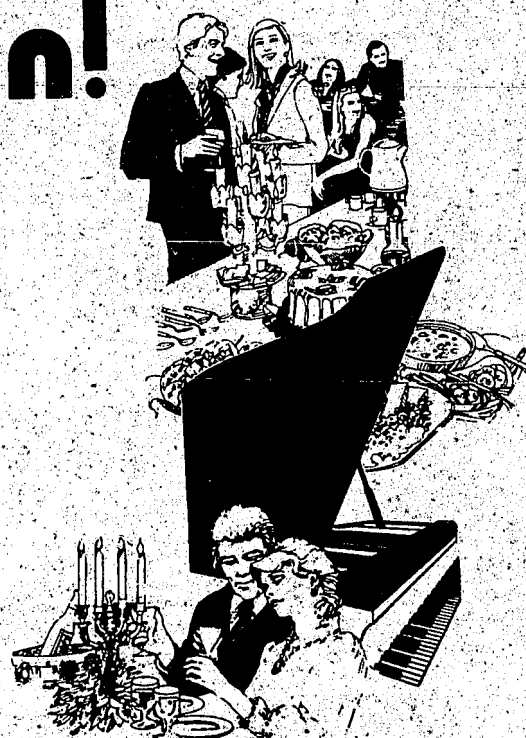


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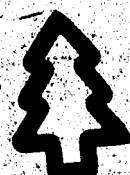
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"There are probably others who could benefit but who are unaware of the program," Dillon said.

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7	13,290	20,730
8	14,740	22,990

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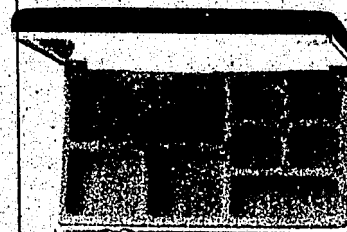
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Dec. 7	Davison	Away 6:15
Dec. 11	Lake Orion	Home 6:30
Dec. 14	Andover	Away 6:15
Dec. 20	Kettering	Away 6:15
Jan. 2	Flint Carmen	Away 6:15
Jan. 4	West Bloomfield	Away 6:15
Jan. 8	Mott	Home 6:30
Jan. 11	Milford	Away 6:30
Jan. 15	Grand Blanc	Home 6:30
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

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Junior Varsity: Larry Mahrle

VOLLEYBALL

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

Varsity Coach: Linda Denstadt
Junior Varsity: Nancy Foster

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	Away 6:15
Jan. 17	Oakland County Meet (To Be Announced)	Away 6:15
Jan. 19	Kettering	Home 6:15
Jan. 24	Rochester	Home 10:00
Jan. 26	Clarkston Invitational 16 Teams	Home 6:15
Jan. 28	Milford	Away 10:00
Jan. 31	Rochester Adams	Away 6:30
Feb. 5	Invitational	Home 6:15
Feb. 7	Brother Rice	Away 6:15
Feb. 9	Andover	Away 6:15
Feb. 9	Port Huron North	Away 6:15
Feb. 9	West Bloomfield	Away 10:00
Feb. 9	League Meet (Milford)	Away 10:00

Coach: Rick Detkowski
Ass't.: Don Maskill

CLARKSTON JUNIOR HIGH

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

SASHABAW JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

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
Dec. 28	Lake Orion West	A 4:00
Jan. 8	Mason	H 7:00
Jan. 10	Brandon 9th	A 7:00
Jan. 18	Rochester West	A 4:00
Jan. 22	Walled Lake Western	H 7:00
Jan. 23	Lake Orion East	H 7:00
Jan. 29	Rochester Ruether	A 4:15
Feb. 5	Lakeland	H 7:00
Feb. 8	Crary	A 3:30
Feb. 12	Pierce	H 7:00
Feb. 14	Clarkston	A 7:00
Feb. 19	Walled Lake Central	A 3:45
Feb. 21	West Bloomfield	H 7:00
Feb. 26	Oxford Tourney	
Feb. 28	Oxford Tourney	

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Sports

Wolfpack off to flying start

By Al Zawacky

Clarkston's star center, Tim McCormick, scored 22 points, and added 16 rebounds Tuesday night, leading the Wolfpack to a 73-41 win over Lake Orion.

It was the Clarkston cagers second straight non-league victory, having defeated Davison last Friday.

"The kids played very well," said coach Gary Nustad of the Lake Orion contest, the Wolfpack's first home game.

"I'm pleased with the progress we've shown going into our first league game this Friday."

Other high scorers for Clarkston were Scott McKoin, 14 points, and Ed Haddad with 12.

Last Friday night in the season opener, McCormick ran into some early foul trouble but the Wolfpack still coasted to a 51-39 victory.

"Guys like Scott McKoin, Greg Lane and John Sheldon were playing team basketball all night long," Nustad said. "We can't be a one man team and be successful, and we certainly weren't one against Davison."

Despite his limited court time, McCormick still led the team in scoring and rebounding with 16 points and 13 rebounds. McKoin and Sheldon were next highest with 12 points, McKoin adding nine rebounds while Sheldon chalked up nine assists.

High man for Davison was 6-foot 4 junior forward Rob Crane, who had a big night for the Cardinals with 26 points.

The game had more than its share of thrills for the large number of Clarkston fans in attendance. McCormick executed one of his patented slam dunks, Sheldon had a particularly outstanding layup drive and Ed Haddad performed some ball control heroics late in the game.

"Our people had to drive 25 miles to get there, and we still had more fans than Davison," Nustad said. "It makes a big difference to the players to be on the road and get that kind of support."



A familiar face to any basketball fan: that's Michigan State University head coach Jud Heathcote in the crowd at Friday night's Clarkston-Davison contest.



Clarkston coach Gary Nustad gives instructions from the sidelines during the second half of the Wolfpack's 51-39 victory.

Grapplers win tourney

By Al Zawacky

Clarkston High's varsity wrestling team added some silverware to the school trophy case this weekend, taking first place in the eight team Thurston Invitational Tournament.

The Wolves placed seven grapplers in the finals and all seven defeated their opponents to take first place honors. Two other members of the hometown squad placed third as Clarkston's overall margin of victory was a comfortable 27½ points over their nearest rival.

The final team scoring breakdown ran as follows; Clarkston 151, Benzie Central 123½, Thurston 115½, Livonia Churchill 77, Clarenceville 76, Bentley 36½, Redford Union 22 and Bishop Borgess 4.

"The whole team looked good," said coach Rick Detkowski. "Placing seven kids in the finals, and having them all win to finish first—that's a

school record right there."

"Right now, I'm really proud of all of them—I hope we can keep this up."

The individual results of the first place winning matches: Mike Conway over Rouel of Thurston (pin 5:3), Craig Gavette over Gary of Benzie Central (pin 2:48), Jeff Miarle over Koltz of Clarenceville (7-4), Scott Smith over Bower of Benzie Central (10-9), Mike Ogans over Gilbert of Benzie Central (6-4), Claude Gourand over Jeffry of Clarenceville (6-1) and Paul Carr over Robinson of Benzie Central (pin 1:35).

Results of the two third place matches: Todd Thompson over Boymya of Churchill (9-4) and Mark Karrick over Mertoian of Clarenceville (pin 1:25).

On Dec. 4 the Wolves opened the season with a dual meet against Southfield Lathrup and Birmingham Seaholm and won both contests by impressive

scores. The hometown grapplers dispatched Lathrup by a 49-17 margin and followed that with a similar crushing of Seaholm, 44-14.

Two nights later in their first home appearance, the Clarkston grapplers put on another strong performance, rolling over Birmingham Groves 55-17 to the delight of a large and appreciative hometown audience.

"I can still see a lot of room for improvement, but this is certainly the right way to start out the season," Detkowski said at the time. "It's good to see that nobody's quitting on us—they're all wrestling hard right to the end, regardless of the outcome."

"I think the crowd is one big reason behind that. We probably had between 100 and 200 people here tonight—I was really pleased with the turnout. It gets the kids going and makes them wrestle that much harder when they hear people cheering them on."

The point after

by Al Zawacky



Seems like you can't sit down and talk sports to someone up at Clarkston or Sashabaw Junior High School without eventually coming to the subject of the grand cross-town rivalry that exists between the two schools.

Traditional rivalries are what make competitive athletics interesting—not so much in the pros, but definitely at the prep and college levels. It's difficult to generate interest for games against Rochester West, Rochester Reuther, Rochester VanHoosen and the rest of their ilk.

But when Clarkston plays Sashabaw there is indeed something special about the event—and you don't have to be a former or present student at either school to sense it.

"You're going to be at our meet against Clarkston, aren't you?" Sashabaw wrestling coach Dan Whiston inquired of me a few weeks ago during our chat. I assured him that I would be, and was somewhat surprised that a man who had never attended school or taught in the Clarkston area should be so familiar with the rivalry in only his second week of coaching at Sashabaw.

"We've got some football players on the team, and they'd all probably like another shot at beating Clarkston," Whiston continued, aware of the fact that Sashabaw lost both gridiron games to the Wolverines this past season.

Shortly thereafter, one of the Cougar gridded-turned-grapplers happened to walk into the coach's office where we were sitting. "Did you like losing those two games to Clarkston?" Whiston asked him.

"No," came the concise reply.

"Would you like to beat them wrestling next month?"

"Sure."

Not exactly what you'd call a firebrand response, but that's the way it should be in junior high—and high school as well for that matter. "Rivalries are great, provided the kids don't get carried away with them," Whiston observed.

CJH football coach John Craven expressed a similar point of view back in October when asked about his team's upcoming game with Sashabaw. "We try and play the rivalry thing down a bit," said Craven. "It's always special to the kids, but I'd like to see them enjoy the game, too."

Gary Mason, Sashabaw's basketball coach and an alumnus of Clarkston Junior High, added another observation. "I can remember our games against Sashabaw, how the gymnasiums would be packed," Mason said. "Maybe the rivalry has lost a little something—we've had some lean years at Sashabaw the past few seasons—but it's still there, and the kids look forward to the games."

And yes—when Sashabaw and Clarkston clash in basketball this Thursday, yours truly will be in attendance.

Recalling football season, I can remember the signs hanging on the fences and in the gyms. "Stomp the Greenies" said a sign of Sashabaw authorship. "Smash Sash" replied a Clarkston piece of artwork.

Provided it never gets any more serious than that, the rivalry can only add color, interest and fun to the freshman sports scene.

Basketball scoreboard

Results of Friday night's non-league action:

Pontiac Central 59, West Bloomfield 54: Bruce Lamb scored 22 points, including eight in the pivotal third quarter to lead Pontiac Central to a 59-54 victory over West Bloomfield.

The chiefs' 22 points in the third stanza erased a 25-17 Laker halftime lead.

Andre Kingston led all Bloomfield Scorers with 16 points.

Kettering 51, Walled Lake Western 46: Kettering's Jerry Wood scored 24 points and teammate Todd Elliot chipped in with an eight point effort to lead the Captains to an opening night victory, 51-46 over the Warriors.

Rochester 56, Lake Orion 49: Trailing by two points at halftime, Rochester rallied to outscore the Dragons by nine points in the third and fourth quarters to take a 56-49 victory.

Chris Ribant scored 24 points and notched 17 rebounds for the Falcons.

Waterford Mott 55, Millford 33: Waterford Mott turned a one point first quarter deficit into a rout at the game's conclusion in defeating Millford 55-33.

Rob Sharpe and Jeff Huff each had eight points for the losing Redskins.

Bloomfield Hills Lasher 66, Andover 38: Tim Meter's 14 point effort for the Barons went for naught as cross-town rival Lasher crushed Andover 66-38.

Odds are...



by Al Zawacky

Last week while mulling over some prospective stories for this week's edition, the idea occurred to take a common football season practice and apply it to basketball—that of making weekly prognostications.

While football writers tend to spend much of their time pre-occupied with setting point spreads and making predictions, media members following other sports seem content to leave the forecasting to the gamblers. After all, how often do you hear a broadcaster say "... and the Pistons are six point underdogs in their game with the Celtics tomorrow night ... ?

Enter "Odds Are ...", your complete guide and accurate analysis of the upcoming Greater Oakland Activities League basketball title race. Each week, we'll analyze the Wolfpack's next two contests, as well as the crucial inter-league GOAL games.

When appropriate, we'll even include a few junior high, college and pro picks as well.

CLARKSTON at ANDOVER (Dec. 14): According to Wolfpack coach Gary Nustad, the Barons have the talent to challenge for the title this year ... it's an opinion shared by other coaches in the league as well ... Andover has a genuine star in Tim Meter, but if a GOAL opponent is going to beat the hometowners, it'll be the result of a Wolfpack mental lapse ... and no way are the Clarkston boys going to come up flat in their very first league contest of the season. **WOLFPACK by 9.**

CLARKSTON at KETTERING (Dec. 20): This will be the cagers' final game prior to the break for Christmas vacation ... leading Kettering scorer last season Conrad Gardner is gone, but the Captains are loaded with seniors, blessed with ample height and are a better team than most preseason forecasters are giving them credit for ... that fact combined with the presence of a large and loud partisan audience could make this a close one. **WOLFPACK by 8.**

CLARKSTON JUNIOR HIGH at SASHABAW JUNIOR HIGH (Dec. 13): Sashabaw would like nothing better than to achieve some measure of revenge for their two losses to Clarkston in football this past autumn ... but it won't be easy ... both squads show marked improvement over last season, but the Wolverines seem to hold a slight edge. **CJH by 5.**

Frosh wrestlers open with victories

By Al Zawacky

Both the Sashabaw and Clarkston junior high school wrestling squads opened the 1979-80 season on the right foot Monday afternoon, Sashabaw posting a 47-25 win over East Hills Junior High, while Clarkston rolled to a 50-27 victory over Bloomfield Hills Junior High.

Both teams will put their 1-0 records on the line this Wednesday when the two rivals clash in Sashabaw's gymnasium at 4 p.m.

Individual winners for Clarkston Monday were Tracy Kellogg (pin :49), Denny Lankton (17-0), Jessie Breece (pin 1:24), Jim Walker (pin 1:19), John Robenault (pin :57), Scott Lyons (pin 1:01), Brad Moshier (pin :45), Steve Johnson (pin :35) and Kevin McClellan (5-0).

CJH coach Dave Stobbe was understandably pleased with his grapplers' first performance. "I

was really surprised and impressed by members of our team, especially the kids that were wrestling varsity for the first time," Stobbe said. "Seven pins in the first period really tells the story right there—I was pleased and happy with our performance."

Sashabaw's individual winners in Monday's action were Alan Wall (9-1), Greg Ellis (pin :52), Brian Dennison (pin 1:05), Jeff Lawrence (8-5), Andre Gourand (11-3), Eric Gourand (pin :56), Larry Liggett (pin 1:20), and Richard LeMaster (pin 1:15).

"The kids looked really good—it looks like they've learned the basics," said Sashabaw assistant coach Bob Whiston. "all we've got to do is work a little on finishing off our moves. It was a really strong showing for the first meet of the year, and I think we'll be able to gain more and more quickness throughout the season."

CJH cagers lose

By Al Zawacky

Despite his team's 63-60 defeat at the hands of Grand Blanc Friday night, Sashabaw Junior High coach Gary Mason had plenty of praise for his cagers' performance afterwards.

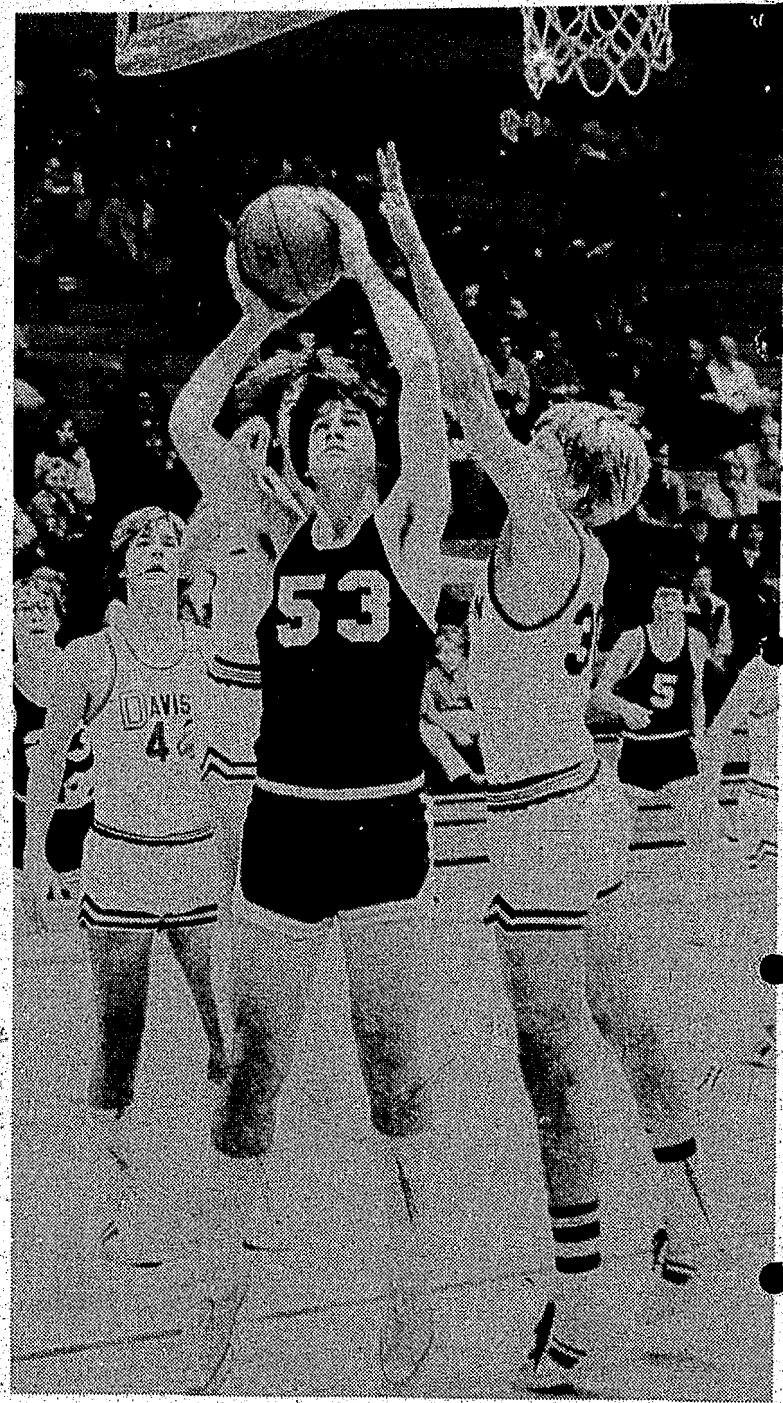
"We were down 33-24 at the half and by as many as 16 points in the third quarter, but the kids wouldn't quit," Mason said. "We turned it into a real ex-

citing and tight ball game, but just seemed to peak a little too early before the buzzer."

In the scoring department Rick Williams led the Cougars with 14 points, Bob Boyt had 10 and Mike Dearborn and Mike Clem each tallied nine. Rick and Tom Williams (no relation) each had 10 rebounds.

Kevin Barone was high among Grand Blanc scorers with 18 points.

"We came out cold and a little nervous at the start of the game, but once we put a press on in the fourth quarter their lead disappeared," Mason noted. "I thought the kids showed a lot of heart."



JVs bow, 51-39

Clarkston junior varsity cager Kevin Coppersmith [53] attempts a field goal over the defensive work of Davison's Ron Stephens. Both the varsity and JV squads battled to identical final scores Friday night, but unlike their victorious brethren the JVs found themselves on the short end of the 51-39 tally. "I'm very disappointed," said JV coach Larry Mahrle. "There isn't a single aspect of the game where they didn't dominate us." Brad Beattie led the junior Wolfpack in individual scoring with 12 points.



Cagers honored

Three members of the Clarkston High School Varsity Girls' Basketball Team recently received post-season honors for their efforts during the campaign. They are [from left] sophomore center Lynn McCormick, voted the team's most improved player and selected to the all-league second team; sophomore guard Tracee Antos, voted the Wolves' most valuable player; and junior Lisa Forsyth, who earned an all-league honorable mention for her efforts at forward this season.

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Village faces police confusion

By Al Zawacky

The Independence Township Board's decision to abolish the township police department has created confusion regarding enforcement of some Clarkston village ordinances, according to village attorney Tom Gruich.

"Since the township will be contracting with the county rather than running its own department, there are some legal ramifications about the village's ability to contract ordinance enforcement with the township," Gruich said.

"We're not saying that the village definitely lacks the authority, but the situation has opened up some legal questions which we will have to investigate."

Gruich said that the township and village's "limited jurisdiction" stature may pose a legal problem in the absence of a direct grant of authority from the state to contract for ordinance enforcement services.

"Naturally, the village has the right to contract for police protection from the township, but what we have now is a three-cornered situation between the county, the township and the village," Gruich said.

"Since the township will be contracting for police services itself, can the village in turn contract from the township? It's a complicated legal question."

The problem arose due to the village council's concern that local "nuisance" ordinances, minor traffic control, snow removal and personal conduct laws might not be enforced by the Oakland County Sheriff's

Department, according to Village Council President Fontie ApMadoc.

"At our last council meeting two members of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department commented on local ordinance enforcement, and it became clear that we would need some special enforcer for some of our minor nuisance laws," ApMadoc said.

The council investigated the possibility of the village forming and maintaining its own one-man force for the purpose, but the prospective cost all but ruled out the idea.

"When you total the cost of a car, depreciation on a car, the installation of a mobile and special home phone, liability insurance and salary, we're talking about a \$30,000 cost to get into the business," Councilman Jack Byers said.

"At that cost, the concept of a

single-man village force isn't really advisable. Further, the expenses keep increasing, especially the cost of the insurance," Byers said.

"We were hoping that by assembling these figures

together we could find some workable solution--but the \$30,000 price tag is just out of the question," said ApMadoc.

The council remains uncertain as to what course of action it will take, said ApMadoc.

"Hopefully, we'll still be able to contract with the township once the legal questions are settled," ApMadoc said, adding that Gruich and Township Attorney Richard Campbell would confer on the matter this week.



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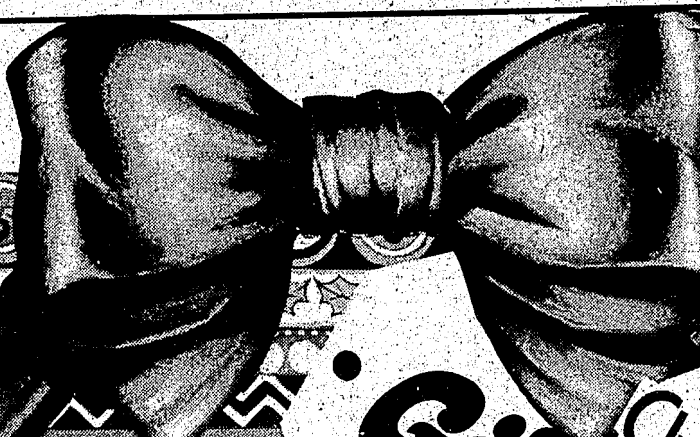
Last year, 2,076 persons were killed on Michigan's streets and highways and the lowest figure recorded in this decade was 1,811 deaths in 1975.

In 1978, there was one fatality in Independence, but this year there have been five to date, according to the Oakland County Sheriff's Department (OCS).

The figure includes accidents the OCS investigated, which are most likely all of them, an OCS spokesperson said.

In Springfield, there were three people killed in accidents last year and there has been one fatality to date this year, according to the OCS.

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Marotzke might be considered an unusual candidate for the Christmas tree business. A free lance assistant cameraman,

he has worked on such films as "The Betsy", "Harvest Home" and has recently completed work on "Michael" not yet released. He also works for television and such commercial accounts as Chevrolet and Arby's.

He and his wife, Maxine, moved to their Hummer Lake Road home three years ago and preceeded to begin building a retirement business. "All that's required in my film work is that you live within easy access of an airport," Marotzke reported.

Along with the Christmas tree business, the Marotzkes have redecorated an outbuilding and turned it into a display room for homemade crafts. It is there that their two children, Jeff, 7, and Vicki, 3, made \$10 this Christmas season selling hot coffee and hot chocolate to tree purchasers.

"When we first got started we had visions of taking people around in a sleigh to look over the trees," Marotzke reported. "But it takes each family about

an hour to choose a tree and most of them come on weekends. There's no way we could handle that kind of crowd by sleigh."

What the Marotzkes did on a small scale this year and what they plan to do on an even bigger scale next year is a pre-season tagging. "We'd like to get people out here one weekend in October to mark their trees, and make sort of an event of it," Marotzke said.

They've also got plans for get-

ting into the firewood business, he confided.

This year the Marotzke's trees have sold for \$12. The business is open 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. seven days a week.

Dr. O.J. Fusilier, 8970 Dixie Highway, Springfield Township, reports about 500 customers Sunday. A longtime Christmas tree entrepreneur, he is selling Scotch pines for \$6 regardless of size, spruce trees for \$7 and the few remaining Douglas firs at \$10 each.

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ORDER TO ANSWER

At a session of said Court, held in the District Courthouse in the City of Rochester, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, on 11-30-79.

PRESENT: HONORABLE
ROBERT L. SHIPPER,
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On March 15, 1976, an action was filed by DAVID A. HAWKINS, HAROLD T. HAWKINS, JR., and KATHLEEN HAWKINS, Plaintiffs, against Kevin L. Miller, Defendant, in this Court for personal injury/auto negligence.

NOW, THEREFORE,

IT IS HEREBY OFFERED that the Defendant, KEVIN L. MILLER, shall answer to take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 7th day of January 1980.

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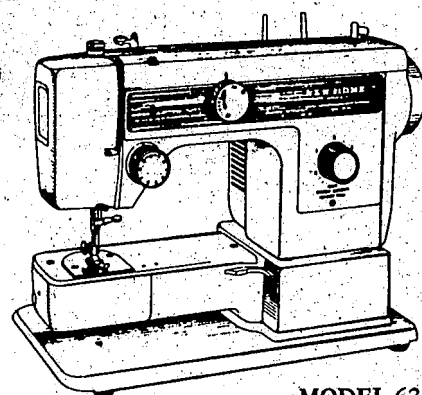
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When the lonely fir tree gets all the attention, the oak tree [left] played by Kelli Lane of Davisburg Road, Springfield Township, and the weeping willow played by Michelle Sprung of Clark Road, Springfield Township, cry with envy.

6th graders star ...



"The Lonely Fir Tree" gets brightened during a rehearsal for one of four plays by sixth grade students of Sally Lindeman at Clarkston Junior High School. The plays are to be presented tonight beginning at 7:10 p.m. at the CJHS gym. Admission is covered by the loud clapping of hands. Pictured are [from left] Kris Zimmerman of Hillsboro Road, Springfield Township, Tina Fields of Cherrywood Road, Springfield Township, and Annette Yocum of Morning Drive, Springfield Township.

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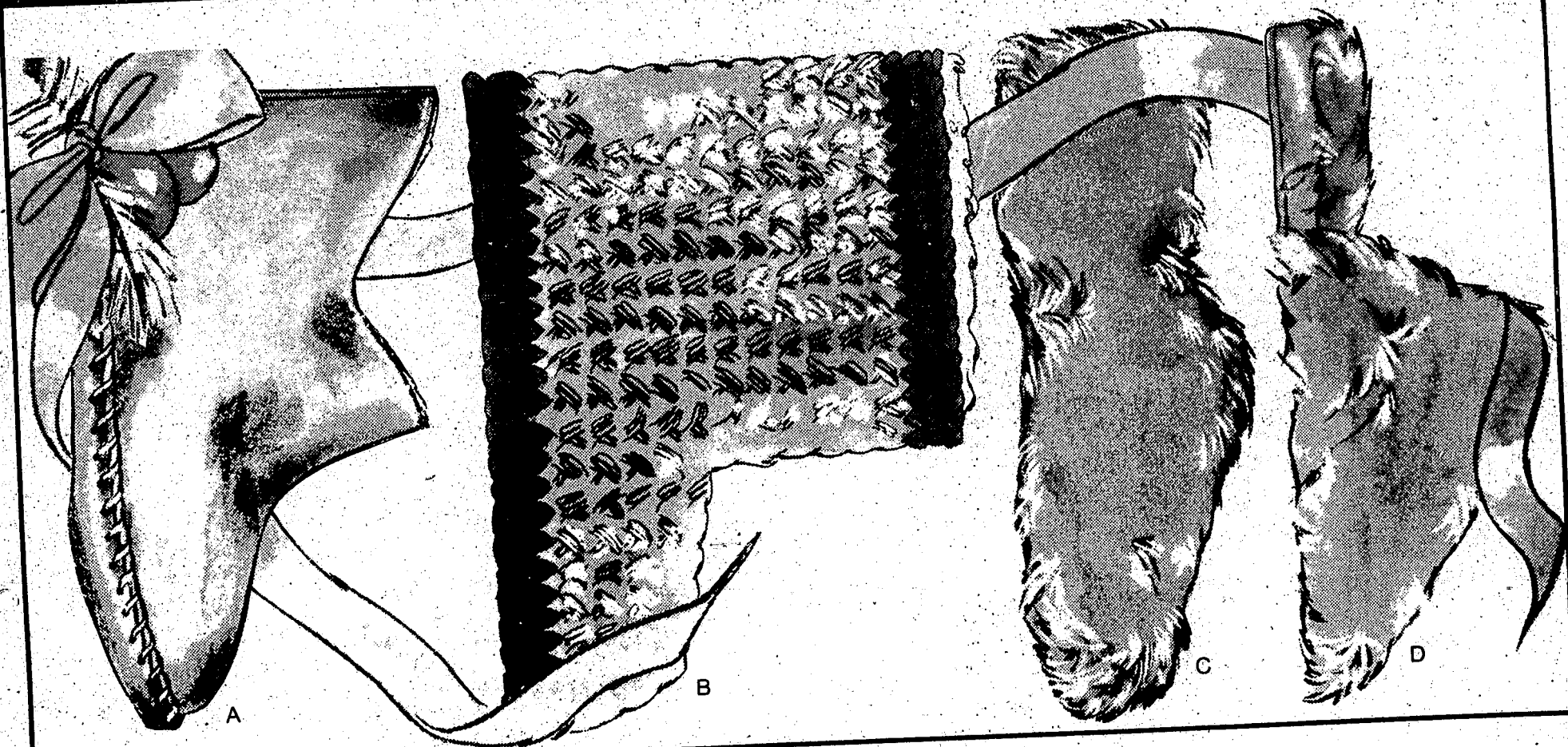


"Biskie the Snowman" played by Tracey Hutchins [left] of Foster Road, Springfield Township, is topped off with a hat by John Barnett of Farley Road, Springfield Township, and Rick Hardy of Foster Road, Springfield Township.



A girl sitting on Santa's lap and her parents are portrayed in "Christmas Party." Standing are Scott Riganon of Bridge Lake Road, Springfield Township, and Wendy Rollins of Andersonville Road, Springfield Township. The girl is played by Leisa McCreery of Brucedale Road, Springfield Township, and Santa is Dave O'Leary of Hillsboro Street, Springfield Township.

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County looking at Pine Knob balance sheet

Things are looking good financially for the Oakland County Parks and Recreation system, but that doesn't necessarily mean the proposed Pine Knob complex purchase will be undertaken.

County officials said a financial study of the Pine Knob operation is just getting underway. "First we have to study the Pine Knob figures, and then we have to transpose them to what would happen under a county operation. If bonds are sold to buy the property, we would have

to be assured of income one and a half times their principal and interest payments," the spokesman said.

Revenues from park user fees is the existing county parks system are expected to reach \$1.8 million in 1980, and 18 percent increase over the nearly \$1.6 million collected in 1979.

These figures are part of a \$3.6 million operating budget approved by the Oakland Coun-

ty Parks and Recreation Commission on December 5. Total park revenue for 1980 is expected to be \$4.5 million, an increase of five percent over 1979.

R. Erick Reickel, manager of the Parks and Recreation Commission, said, "A lot of discussion and planning must take place early in 1980 to set our direction for the 80s. It appears that if we are to continue to grow, we will have to give heavy

consideration that our growth will eventually become 100 percent self-supporting or other sources of funding must be found."

Along with park user fees and charges, Oakland County Parks and Recreation facilities are also supported by a one quarter mill

tax approved by county voters.

Attendance at the parks has grown in the past few years from some 794,000 people using the parks in 1978, and more than 901,000 so far in 1979. By the end of 1980, some one million people are expected to use the parks.

Concerts coming

Songs of the season will come alive with the music of Clarkston Schools children beginning Monday, Dec. 17.

There are three music and vocal Christmas concerts scheduled on that date.

At the Clarkston High School Little Theatre, Pine Knob Elementary pupils will present a concert at 7 p.m.

Clarkston Junior High's vocal music concert will be sung in the school's gymnasium at 7:30 p.m., and Sashabaw Junior High's vocal music concert is in the school's gymnasium also at 7:30 p.m.

The junior highs' Christmas Instrumental Music Concerts are both scheduled on Tuesday, Dec. 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasiums of each school.

Clarkston High School's Christmas concerts are planned Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 19 and 20.

The vocal music concert will begin at 8 p.m. on the 19th at the CHS Little Theatre.

And the band members will present their tribute to the season at 8 p.m. on the 20th at the CHS Little Theatre.

Library board meeting changed

Springfield Township Library Board has changed its meeting from 8 p.m. December 24 to December 17 at the library.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Independence Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on December 13, 1979 beginning at 7:30 PM at the Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI 48016 to consider the following proposed amendments to the Township Zoning Ordinance No. 83, as amended:

Section 7.01 - Parking Requirements:

A) Add New Subsection 12: Handicapped Requirements:

On each site proposed for use, addition, and/or conversion for which a site plan is required to be submitted by the Zoning Ordinance, there shall be provided on the same site a minimum of one (1) off-street parking space designed pursuant to the State of Michigan Handicapped Standards. Such space shall be a minimum of twelve (12) feet wide and twenty (20) feet in depth clearly depicted upon the site plan and clearly indicated by designation of a sign illustrating the handicapped space location. For each parking lot area containing up to twenty-five (25) off-street spaces, at least one such space shall be designated for handicapped only. Should the parking lot contain more than twenty-five (25) spaces, one additional handicapped space shall be designated for each additional twenty-five (25) spaces and/or fraction thereof. All handicapped spaces shall be within one hundred feet of the main entrance door to the structure which the spaces are designed to serve. Access from the parking lot to the principal use and all accessory uses shall be by means of ramping consisting of asphalt and/or concrete materials constructed to the engineering specifications and standards of the Township.

B) Add New Subsection 13: Landscape Requirements Within Parking Lots:

On each site proposed for construction, addition, and/or modification of an off-street parking lot for which a site plan is required to be submitted by the Zoning Ordinance, a landscaped area shall be provided within said parking lot in an amount equal to one landscaped area comprising at least 400 square feet in size for each twenty-five (25) off-street parking spaces, said landscaped area to be planted in accordance with Section 5.13 of the Zoning Ordinance.

Section 7.02 - Table of Off-Street Parking Requirements: (Introductory Paragraph Unchanged)

1) Residential:

A Add to "B" - Residential, Multiple Family - Two (2) off-street spaces for each dwelling unit plus one (1) off-street space for each ten (10) dwelling units.

B Add to "C" - Senior Citizen Housing - One (1) off-street space for each Two (2) units.

2) Institutional:

A Add to "F" - Private clubs or lodge halls - One (1) off-street space for each three (3) persons allowed within the maximum occupancy load as established by county or state fire or health codes plus one (1) off-street space for each employee.

B Add to "G" - Private golf clubs, swimming pool clubs, tennis clubs, athletic clubs, saunas, and physical exercise clubs, and similar uses - One (1) off-street space for each two (2) member families or individuals plus one (1) off-street space for each employee.

C Add "N" - Sanitarium - One (1) off-street space for each two (2) beds plus One (1) space for each employee.

D Add "O" - Libraries & Museums - One (1) off-street space for each two hundred (200) square feet of usable floor area plus One (1) space for each employee.

3) Business & Commercial:

A Amend "B" to include bowling alleys, racquetball establishments, handball courts, squash courts, and similar uses - Five (5) off-street spaces for each lane, court, or similar use area plus one (1) off-street space for each sixty (60) square feet of any use area designated for retail sales of goods, merchandise, food, beverages, or refreshments.

B Amend "F" to include self service gasoline stations - Two (2) off-street parking spaces for each gasoline pump on each island in addition to requirements for service stations.

C Amend "L" - Retail stores except as otherwise specified - One (1) off-street space for each one hundred (100) square feet of gross floor space.

D Add "M" - Ambulance Service - One (1) off-street space for each vehicle operated plus one (1) off-street space for each employee.

E Add "N" - Automatic car wash, car laundries and similar uses - One (1) off-street space for each employee plus a parking area equivalent to an area five times the maximum capacity of the auto wash building obtained by dividing the length of the building by 20'.

F Add "O" - Auto Repair including buffing, polishing and collision work - One (1) off-street parking space for each employee plus one (1) space for each three hundred (300) square feet of usable floor area.

4) Offices:

A Amend "A" to include banks with drive-up self service terminals - Six (6) off-street parking spaces for each terminal be it free-standing and/or attached to a building. Where only drive-up self service terminals are provided, the site shall also contain a minimum of five (5) additional employee parking spaces.

B Amend "B" to revise the standard to: One (1) off-street parking space for each two hundred (200) square feet of gross floor space.

Section 7.03 - Off Street Parking Space Layout, Standards, Construction and Maintenance.

A Amend Subsection 6 as Follows: Parking pattern - 30 degrees to 53 degrees - Change width of maneuvering lane from thirteen (13) feet to fifteen (15) feet.

Any further information regarding the above hearing may be obtained at the Township Office of Planning and Building Services, 90 N. Main Street, Clarkston, MI 48016 during regular office hours, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM Monday through Friday until the date of the Public Hearing.

James Smith, Chairman
Independence Township Planning Commission

Christopher Rose, Clerk
Township of Independence

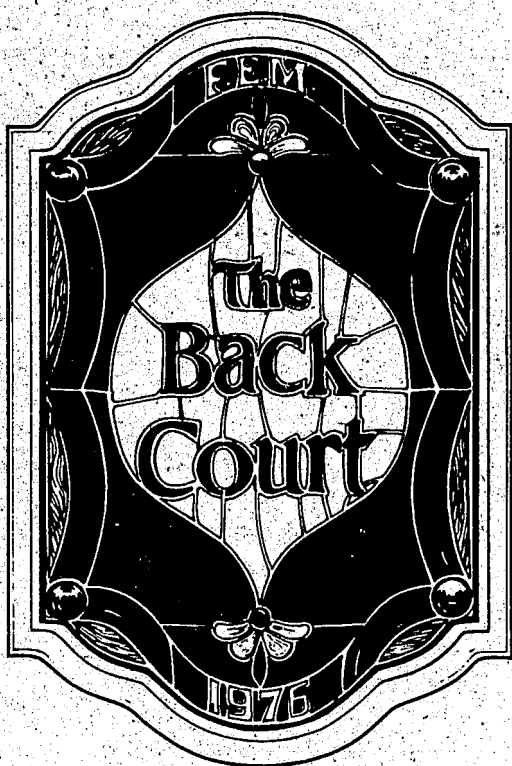
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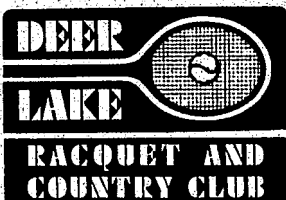
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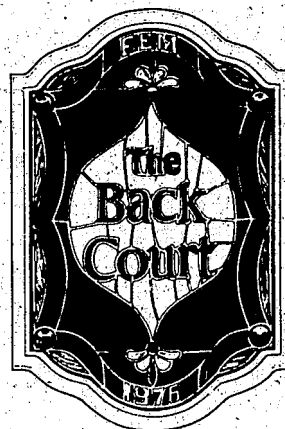
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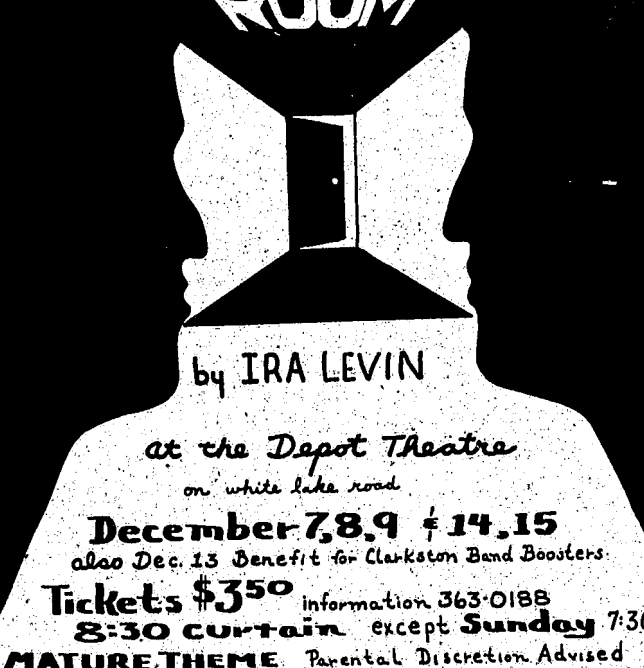
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Big Lake project gets more funds

A new step in the redemption of Big Lake was taken last week by the Springfield Township Board when it awarded the Big Lake Improvement Board \$1,500.

The money plus \$1,000 awarded earlier this year is repayable through a special assessment district set up by the Oakland County Drain Commission to improve conditions at the former summer colony.

Bernard Wendt, board chairman, said dredging is now viewed as the ultimate cure for low water levels and prolific weed growth. The new money will be used for engineering studies and

to make application to the federal government for funds to complete the project. He said he could not predict the cost of the project at this time.

Big Lake, once primarily a summer colony, covers 220 acres and has an average depth of four and a half feet. At its deepest point it is 14 feet, Wendt said. Most of the former summer cottages have been converted or torn down and replaced with year-round housing.

Some 250 families are involved in the special assessment district originally set up to pay for dam construction and lake level control in the 1960s.

Springfield wants spending advice

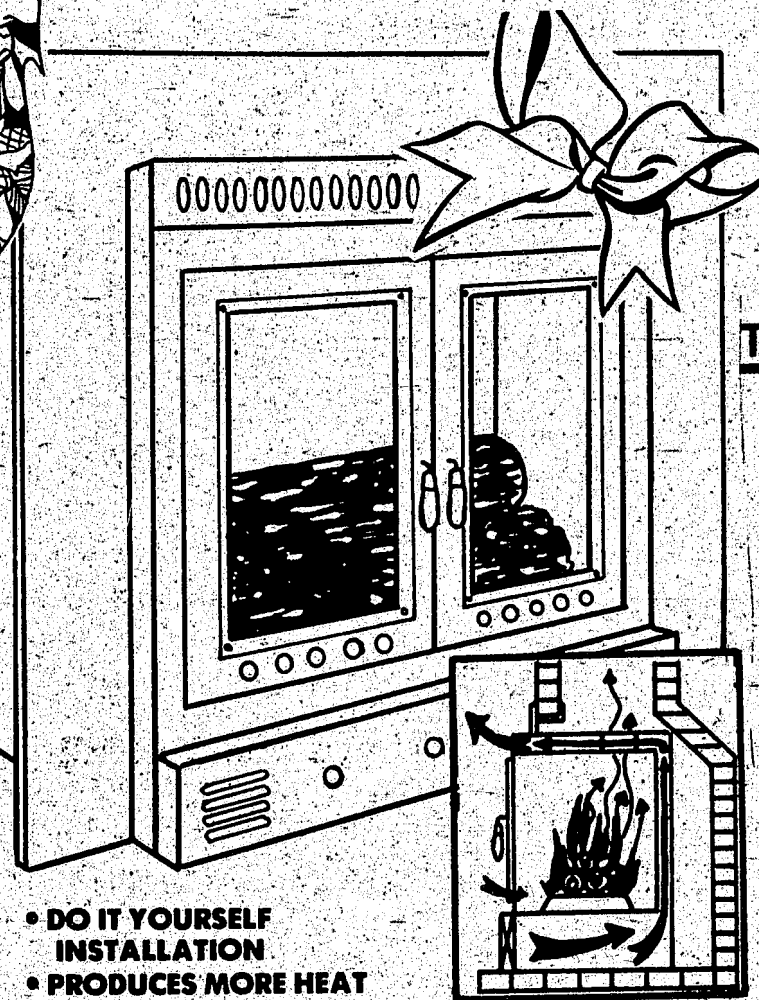
Springfield Township residents will have a chance to help spend approximately \$42,500. The township's share of Community Development Authority funds this year.

A public hearing for input by citizens has been scheduled for 7:30 p.m. December 22 at the township hall, with a second hearing slated during the regular board meeting January 2.

The sum is up from the \$33,000 accorded to the township last year, according to Clerk Calvin Walters. Previous CDA money has been spent in the improvement of Dilly Road Park, on the Andersonville Road drain, for blacktopping of the sidewalk area in Davisburg and for purchase of the fire hall site on Dixie Highway at Rattalee Lake Road, Walters said.

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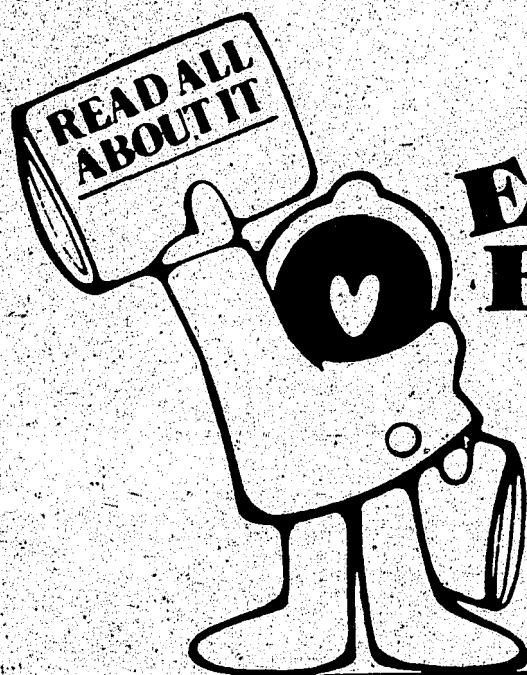
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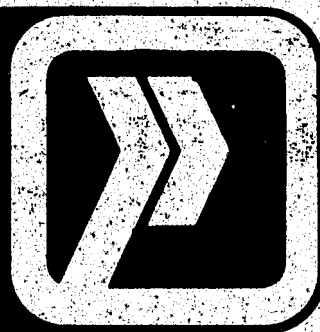


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Baby shower for special Dad-to-be

The presents were wrapped with bows and bright paper.

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But it was a baby shower with a difference. Guest of honor was the expectant father Bill Tymkow, a security guard at Clarkston High School.

And the party was held between runs in the Clarkston Schools bus garage employees' lounge on Thursday.

As sometimes happens with surprise parties, the plans hit a slight snag.

The outside door had been locked so Bill would make a

grand entrance from the inside door facing the table lined with his friends and their gifts.

Bill walked right past.

The men inside the bus garage office had been alerted, however, and Bill was brought back and invited inside.

Finally, the surprise worked, and as Bill unwrapped the gifts, he smiled and charmed friends with first-time father glow.

The party was a way for the bus drivers to share his happiness and just say thanks.

"He's always really good with us--whenever we're taking up donations, he's always willing. And he's always helping the driver's out," said Jenny Sampson.

"He's a great person," said Virginia Skelton, adding that they have enjoyed his enthusiasm about becoming a father. "We had a toy party and he bought a whole lot of stuff."

Bill and his wife Sallie live in Orion Township. Their baby is due this week.



There were all sorts of gifts on hand for Bill Tymkow to admire including this crocheted sweater and bonnet during his surprise baby shower last week.

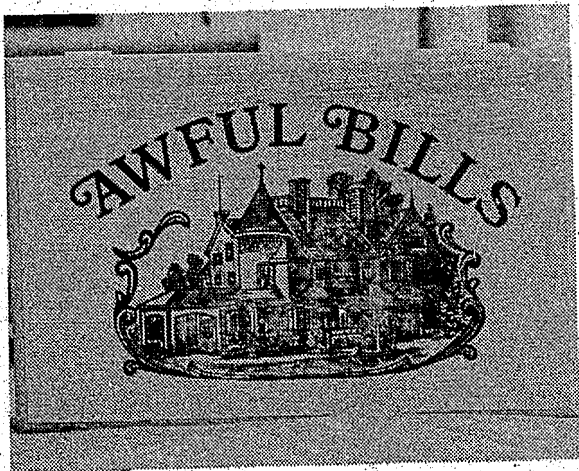
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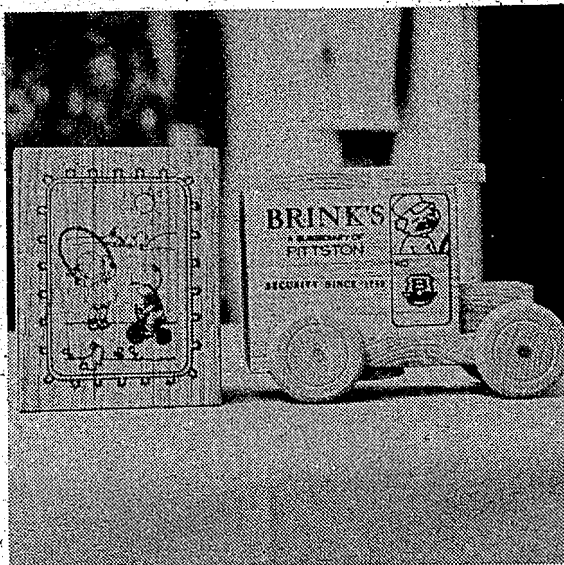
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The Clarkston (Mich.) News

The discreet shopper



If you know someone who loves unusual containers for favorite and not-so-favorite things, Bonnie's Hallmark Shop might just be the place to find their gift. The container on the left is the same size and shape as those for ice cream and sells for only 90 cents. The bill-box on the right is \$7.50 and is one of many shapes and sizes available for keys, memories, junk mail, etc., selling for between \$3.50 and \$7.50. The shop, located at 5610 Dixie Hwy., Waterford Township, in the Harvard Plaza also carried a full selection of Hallmark cards, wrapping paper, gift enclosure cards, gifts and stuffed animals.



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Peeking into the past



by Rustle Leaf

10 YEARS AGO December 11, 1969

Praise and encouragement from other officers and councilman hadn't changed the minds of 3 of Clarkston' elected officials, not to seek re-election. They are president Frank Russell, Councilman Harry Fahrner and Jack Hagen.

The cyclamate scare on the threshold of the holiday baking season has roused a flurry of sweet questions.

The new columnist for the Clarkston News "Around the Town" column is Barb Humphrey. Barb and her husband Bill, have four children and have

been Clarkston residents for 13 years.

Birth announcement included Matthew Scott Williams; Lisa Danielle Moore and Elizabeth Nadolsky.

25 YEARS AGO December 9, 1954

The village of Clarkston was greatly shocked last Sunday at the sudden death of one of its native sons, Manley L. Walter. Mr. Walter passed away at his home. He was born in Clarkston on May 5, 1908.

The new telephone directories have been distributed, but many

of the local phone numbers are incorrect. At the request of many of the community, The Clarkston News will list your correct phone number in the next issue of the paper.

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SYNOPSIS

OF ACTION TAKEN AT THE
REGULAR MEETING OF THE
INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP BOARD
Dec. 4, 1979

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

1. Presented resolution to the two former fire dispatchers for their years of service.

2. Dissolved the Police Services Department effective February 2, 1980. Ayes: Lozano, Ritter, Rose, Vandermark; Nay: Powell, Thayer, Tower.

3. Appointed Ritter and Tower to work out the mutual service agreement with the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

4. Approved bid of \$298,450 to construct township maintenance and storage building.

5. Approved bills totaling \$92,486.51.

6. Meeting adjourned 10:42 p.m. All votes were unanimous unless otherwise indicated. The next regular meeting of the Township Board will be December 18, 1979 at the Township Hall. Some tentative agenda items include: 1. Public Hearing on Community Development Funds; 2. Property Condemnation; 3. Federal Revenue Sharing Budget Amendment.

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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
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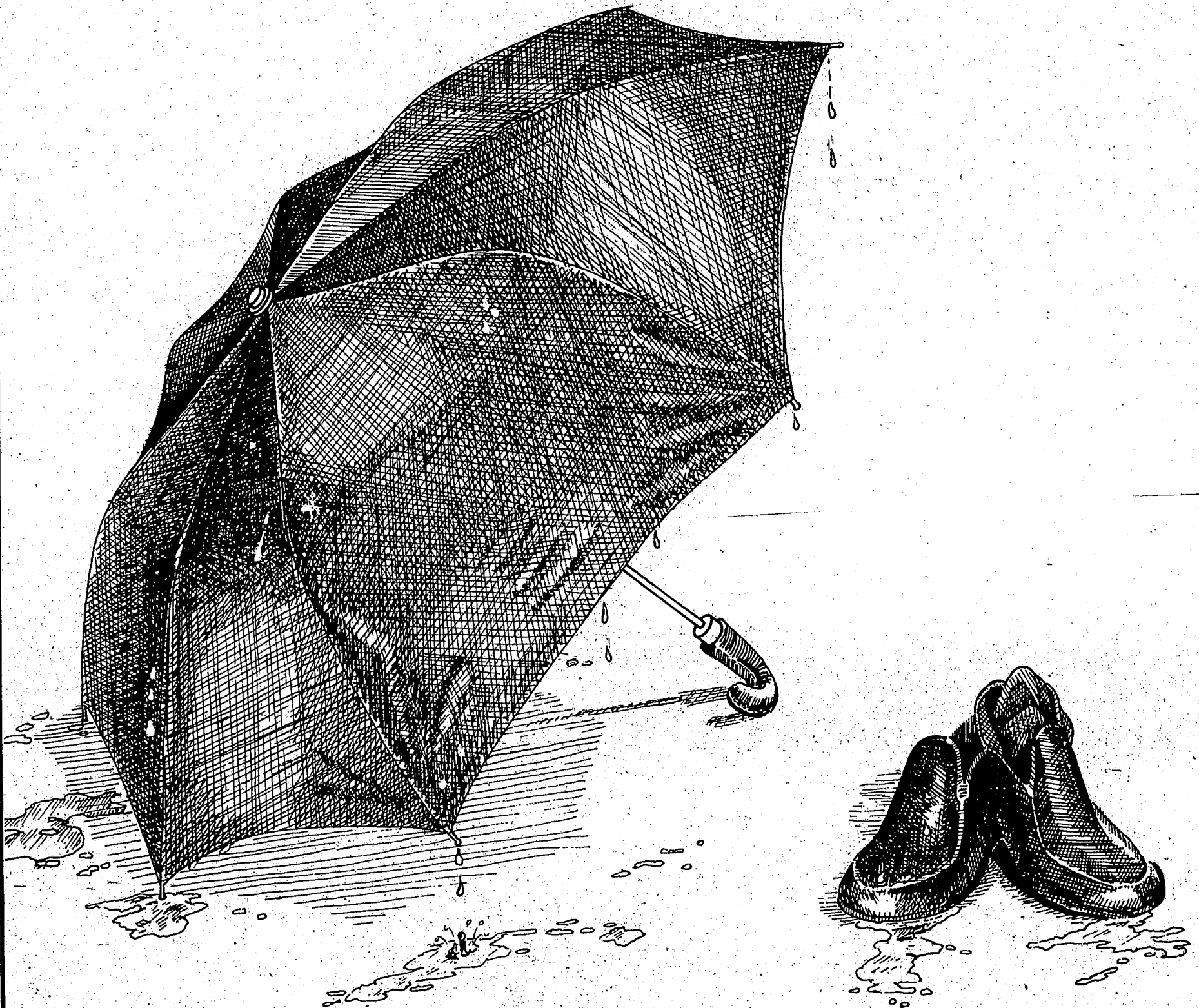
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Preservation Society's goal

By Maralee Cook

Clarkston Historical Society is one group that doesn't ring out the old when it gets together at holiday time. The organization's second annual Christmas sing held Friday at the home of Eric and Nancy Haven was attended by about 50 members. Ivan Rouse, aided by musicians from the Clarkston Conservatory of Music, led the carolers in song.

The Clarkston Historical Society was formed in 1972 to combat the threat of the widening of M-15 through the Village of Clarkston. The naming of Main Street was an historic district was looked upon as one of only a few ways to approach the dilemma.

After four years of work, the historical society was able to convince the state of Michigan to recognize Main street between Miller and Waldon roads as an historic district. And, the society is continuing to work to enlarge the area designated an historical

district while also seeking recognition on a national level.

Of the 150 members of the Clarkston Historical Society,

Club profile

most are family memberships, and not all are residents of older homes, according to Jennifer Radcliffe, chairman.

"They (the members) realize that the thing that makes this area unique is the combination of the new and the historical with a small town flavor," she said.

Two other projects that the historical society is working on are the microfilming of Independence Township's old tax records which date back to 1850, putting together and the geneology and an oral history of the area.

The Clarkston Historical Society holds six or seven functions and workshops throughout the year. The most important is the Clarkston Crafts and Cider Festival held in the fall, which is the society's major fund raiser.

The subject of the next workshop, held in January, will be how to go about researching a historical structure.

There are no restrictions on numbers of members in the Clarkston Historical Society. Regular board meetings--to which everyone is welcome--are held the fourth Wednesday of each month at the Village Hall on Depot Road in Clarkston.

Those persons who are interested in joining the historical society may contact Jennifer Radcliffe at 625-8181.

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by David McNeven, Coach

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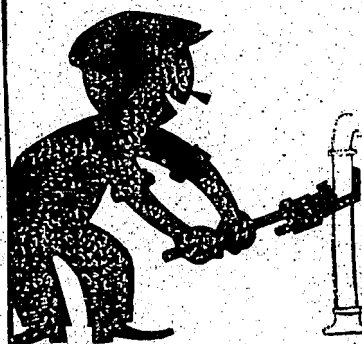
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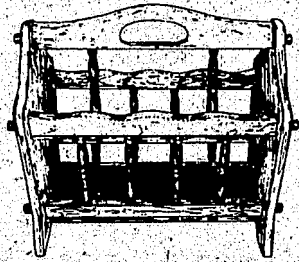
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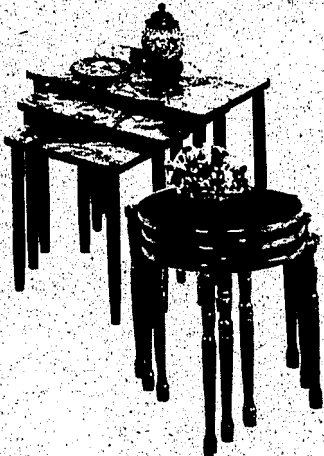
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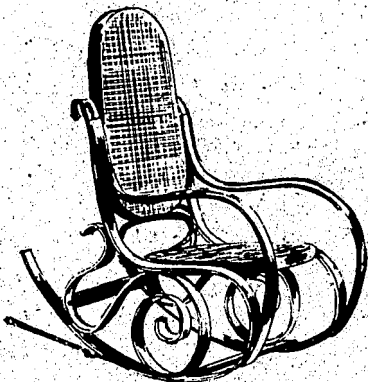
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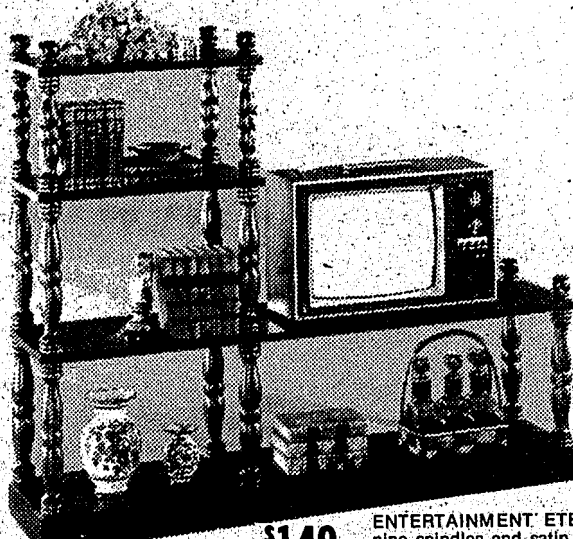


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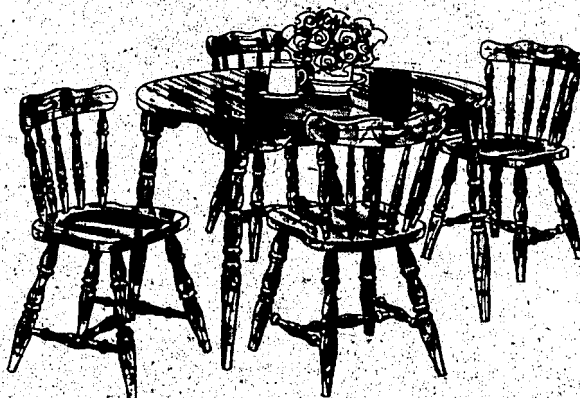
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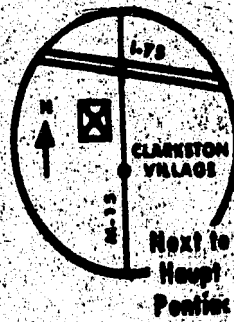
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Country Living

Harltons made 'wrong turn,' found home

Getting lost does not happen often to goal-oriented Bruce and Kathy Harlton. But, on one occasion, taking a wrong turn turned out to be the right one for them.

Out for a drive one February afternoon, the Harltons—far from their Lathrup Village home—found themselves at the corner of Clarkston Road and M-15. They turned left by accident, drove down Main Street, through town and fell in love with Clarkston.

The parking lot they turned around in near Dixie Highway, was to become—unbeknownst to them—the future site of Bruce's veterinary clinic.

Clarkston satisfied to a "T" two goals Bruce had regarding his work in veterinary medicine, he said. Those included having his own clinic and working in the same community in which he lived.

Goals are important, Kathy and Bruce agree, adding that they are constantly setting new ones for themselves and their family.

Bruce, a practicing veterinary for seven years, opened his North Oaks Animal Clinic two-and-one-half years ago. A desire to have a profession and the enjoyment of working with people and animals led to his choice of career.

Kathy started at Central Michigan University as a major in music, studying voice and piano. While she enjoyed singing classical music, Kathy said she didn't have the dedication to make singing her career.

"Musicians live and breathe music," she explained, "it wasn't for me." Now she enjoys singing and playing piano only as a hobby. Kathy became interested in working with the handicapped through fellow students and switched her major to the study of speech pathology.

Kathy transferred to Michigan State University, and after graduating, went on to get her master's degree in speech pathology. She worked for three years as a speech therapist at Mount Carmel Hospital with handicapped children, the majority of whom had cerebral palsy.

"I enjoyed it," said Kathy, "and found it rewarding. I was happier being myself and working with kids."

Kathy and Bruce now have to boys to raise—Matthew, 5, and

Stephen, 3. "I'd like to go back," said Kathy, "but I felt I should be home with the children."

"One of my goals," said Bruce, "is trying to instill respect in the boys for people, animals and themselves, and trying to raise them without prejudices."

While the Harltons often try to teach their children how to respect others, they said they feel children can best be taught by example.

It's just as important to point out the things that they do right as well as those they do wrong, said Bruce.

Kathy and Bruce agreed that while they would like their boys to attend college, they want them first to be happy.

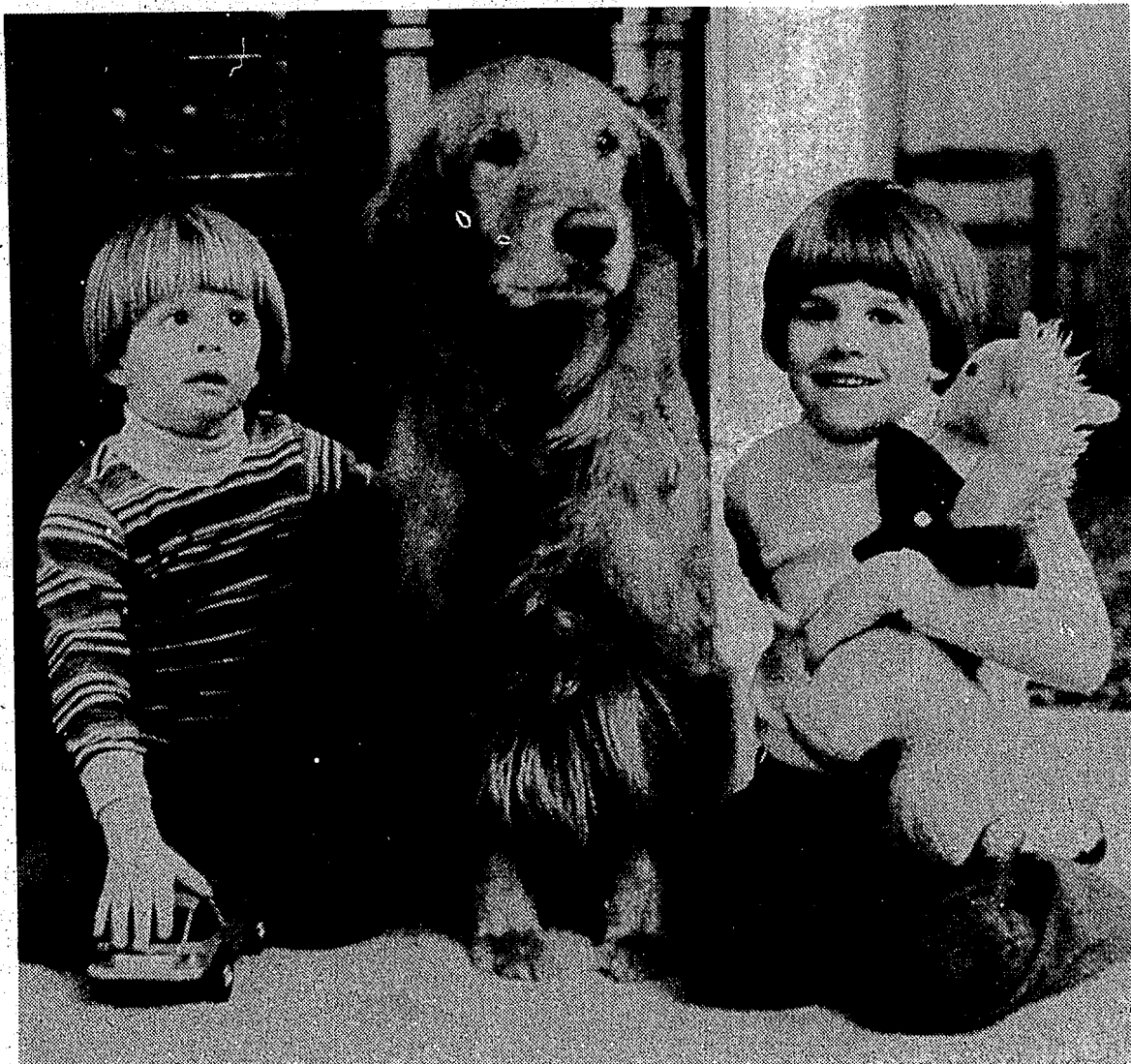
"Better a happy high school graduate, than an unhappy college student," said Bruce.

The Harltons will be spending their third Christmas in their

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Bruce and Kathy Harlton want more for their children, Stephen [left] and Matthew, and not necessarily in a monetary sense. They place a high value on setting goals, and the hard work that goes along with attaining them.



Stephen, 3, and Matthew, 5, both enjoy playing with stuffed animals and their real dog, Gabriel. Kathy and Bruce are trying to teach their boys respect for animals, and Bruce often takes them to his veterinary clinic.

More Country Living

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house on Holcomb Road this year.

"We didn't set out to buy an old house," said Bruce, adding that they were intrigued by its large front porch and found the home charming.

Working around the house is one of Bruce's hobbies, and he has found himself very busy with that hobby since moving in. Additions to the house include a new roof, a new fireplace and a new furnace chimney.

Kathy, who is treasurer of the Clarkston Historical Society, joined the group to find out how to research the history of their home.

Bruce, who is a member of the Clarkston Lion's Club, said he used to be a member of various veterinary organizations, but found them all too time consuming.

"I'd rather spend my time at work or at home now," he said.

While Bruce enjoys the general practice of veterinary medicine, he hopes to do more surgery in the future.

Understanding how important most pets are to their family, Bruce said he wants his clinic to remain a one-man operation.

"I like to know each patient and its family," he said. "It's nice to have a good rapport with people."

Kathy, who works part time at the clinic, said she likes cats better than dogs.

"But I'm not the animal lover Bruce is," she added.

They are pleased with the growth of the business, said Bruce, adding that twice a year they make a big purchase for the clinic.

"It takes money to practice quality medicine," he said.

The Harltons said their first priority is to provide a good, healthy, environment for their kids.

"My parents wanted more for me," said Kathy. "We feel the same and want more for our children."



One of Bruce's hobbies is repairing antique clocks like this old kitchen clock. Bruce also likes working around the house, while singing and playing the piano are Kathy's hobbies.

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Notice of Public Hearing

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:

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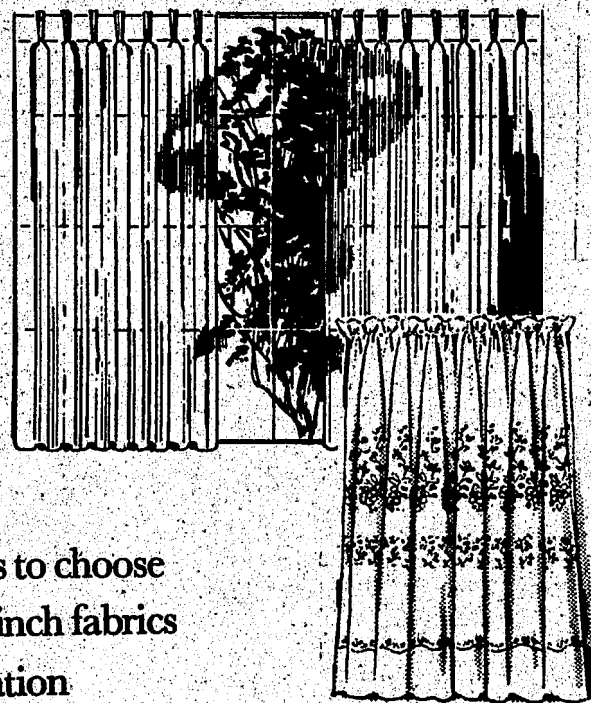


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Coping with kids

A pal or a parent?

"Let me ask you a question," a father recently said in the middle of an interview about his middle childhood boy. "Should a father be a pal or a parent?"

We haven't heard this question in a long time, but based on this father's concern it seems evident that other fathers must still have that kind of question about their role.

Fathers who have serious concerns about their parental roles often are fathers who had inadequate relationships with their own fathers. Their fathers may have been cold, distant, too adult, serious, demanding and even punitive. In most cases they were anything but warm, friendly and playful.

This is not to say that fathers should always be playful and the proverbial "pal". Quite the contrary. Too much "palsmanship" and too much of an egalitarian attitude can destroy the other things a father can bring to a father-son relationship.

To be a pal to a son at all times is a bit of a fraud. A real father must exercise authority and control at times. While we tend to espouse a democratic atmosphere in a home, there are times when dad is the boss and out of mature wisdom and experience makes decisions and sets boundaries.

But, a father should not always be a dictator nor a sergeant. Children should not always have to obey fathers' orders quickly and precisely. Children are not to serve the father nor be subjected to humiliation. Rigidity has no place in a father's role.

Children need discipline, guidance, authority, but also love, friendship and support. They can be pals with the kids at school, but through a play and playful relations with a father they can learn to identify with a man, learn confidence and self-esteem and begin to find pleasure in the company and presence of adults.

Every child wants love and

authority. A father who is too playful and too much of a "pal" deprives his son of the protection, guidance and controls that are often needed. Not being a playful friend at times, steals from a boy the ability to learn to be fun-loving and to enjoy a father-son relationship.

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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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Local girls to sing on OU stage

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day, December 15, at Oakland University's Varner Hall. The group is composed of 24 singers and dancers, accompanied by a

three-piece instrumental ensemble. The Singers have recorded their second album this year and have a contract to do another in the spring.

New arrivals

Dave and Cel Yarber became the parents of a new daughter, Nov. 24.

Amanda Marie weighed in at 9 pounds, 6 ounces.

Waiting to greet her at home on Havelock Road, Independence Township, Alex, 10, and Andy, 9, and her sister Katie, 3½.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Yarber of Davisburg and the late Mr. and

Mrs. Kevin J. Ritter.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Henry Burch of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. James Yarber of Harrisburg, NY.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith Jr., 5827 Hatchery Road, Waterford Township, have announced the birth of their son, Christopher Charles, at 6:20

a.m. December 9. Christopher weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smalley of Sashabaw Road and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith Sr. of Ortonville.

Honors

Julie Darling received her candy stripper cap for volunteer work at Pontiac General Hospital Dec. 2.

The ceremony was held at Bethany Baptist Church, Pontiac.

Julie is the daughter of Stan and Joanne Darling of Cramlane Drive, Independence Township.

At college

Doug Roosa, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Roosa, 659 Eastlawn, will play in concert Sunday, December 16, at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo.

Teri Sheldon recently pledged Beta Phi Chapter of Kappa 'Delta' Social Sorority at West Virginia University. Teri is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sheldon and is currently a sophomore majoring in Business at WVU.

In service



Pvt. Michael S. Brumback, son of Robert Brumback of 5970 Lakewood has recently been assigned as recruiter aide to the United States Army Recruiting Station in Holly. Pvt. Brumback is a 1979 graduate of Clarkston High School and joined the Army last August. He took his basic training at Fort Knox, Kentucky, and attended the Armor Crewman School at the same installation.



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Foster

Foster-Mills vows

Sonia Marie Mills wore her mother's wedding dress when she married Kenneth Alan Foster September 14 at St. John Fisher Chapel, Rochester.

The dress was of white French Chantilly lace and tulle, complemented by a veil held in place with fresh roses, tiger lilies, babies breath and ivy. A bouquet of ivory roses with stephanotis and trailing ivy completed her costume.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Dolores Mills of 7370 Perry Lake Road and Albert R. Mills of Bokeelia, Fla. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Foster Jr. of 6688 Wealthy.

Rev. Brian Bjorklund officiated at the ceremony for which the couple wrote their own vows. Some 200 guests were present.

Kathleen Quisenberry of Ortonville as maid of honor wore peach quiana with tiger lilies. Mrs. Laura Mills of Mount Pleasant, Mrs. Patricia Rex of Fenton and Laurie Muench of Grand Rapids, bridesmaids, were similarly attired.

David Foster served as best man. Other groomsmen were Mark Foster of Clarkston, Timothy Owens of Plymouth and Robert Osip of Dearborn Heights.

Also taking part in the ceremony were Gary Mills, Peter Liebner and Chris Mills.

A reception for 200 followed at Rochester Community House. After their wedding trip to the Upper Peninsula and western Michigan, the new Mr. and Mrs. Foster are living in Lake Orion.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Russel Lewis, 9318 Cherrywood, Clarkston, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Ann to Gregory William Wickline, son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Wickline of 6187 Delhi, Clarkston. The bridegroom-to-be is employed at Sam Allen & Allen Inc. while his fiance works at Larden Plastics Co. A May 10 wedding is planned.

Recipe File

by Lorna Bickerstaff

Mrs. J. Brian sent this recipe to us for her favorite sugar cookie.

SUGAR COOKIES

- 1 c. margarine
- 2 c. white sugar
- 3 eggs
- 1 t. vanilla
- ¼ t. lemon
- 3½ c. flour

Have margarine at room temperature. Mix first five ingredients with beater. Then add 1½ cups flour, beat until smooth. Add rest of flour and stir in with spoon. Chill. Roll out. Bake 350 degrees about 8 minutes or until outside is brown.

Note: No baking powder is used in this recipe.

Share traditions

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.

Your sharing of experiences and ideas in past years has met with a tremendous response from our general readership. But many of you haven't yet shared with us your thoughts and experiences. We again extend the invitation.

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.

Around town

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.

Dec. 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.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 13, 14 15— "Carnival," the Broadway musical based on the movie, "Lili," Clarkston High School, pre-

sented 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.

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.)

Sunday, Dec. 16—"The Messiah," by C.F. Handel,

presented by Clarkston United Methodist Church Chancel Choir, 7:30 p.m., 6600 Waldon, Independence Township, no admission, free-will offering.

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Hamburger helper for PK Mansion

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The establishment is now called The Hamburger Mansion, and although diners will still

have to drive past the guard house on Waldon Road, they won't be turned away, Savage said.

"All you have to do is stop at the guard house and identify yourself and he'll let you go on up," Savage said.

The biggest change on the menu will be hamburgers, with prices ranging from \$2.50 for a large salad to \$14.95 for steak, he said.

The average sandwich cost is about \$3, he said.

"The dining room is going to stay basically the same, except instead of ordering flambes, you can order hamburgers," he said. "They'll still be selling flambes, but you can get out of there with dinner for \$5."

The country club's golf course is going public in the spring, Savage said, adding "They're not going to be private anymore."

The Hamburger Mansion was Pine Knob owner and developer

'They're trying to take the stuffiness out of the place and bring it more to the local people's liking.'

Joseph Locricchio's brainstorm, Savage said.

"They're trying to take the stuffiness out of the place and bring it more to the local people's liking," he said.

Entertainment by a harp player is offered on weekends in the main dining room that seats about 150.

On Sunday afternoons, a jazz group plays at the piano bar in the grill room.

Food is also served in the mansion's bar and grill area.

The idea, Savage said, is for the mansion to take on a "Friendly, family atmosphere."

"I guess his (Locricchio's) idea is by calling it The Burger Mansion, by virtue of the name, people will know it has done an about face," Savage said. "It sticks in your mind. You won't forget it."

Hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. for dining every day except Monday when the mansion is closed, and the bar is open later, following regular bar hours.

The menu includes omelettes, so groups or individuals can meet for breakfast, Savage said.

Although reservations are not necessary, they can be made by calling 625-0700.

Bob White Real Estate sold to Schweitzer

Paul Schweitzer has announced the purchase by Schweitzer Real Estate/Better Homes and Gardens of Bob White Real Estate from the retiring brokers, Robert and Marvel White.

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CNB opens new branch

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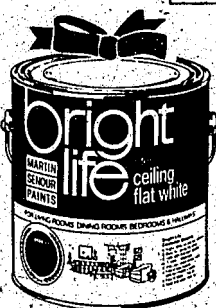
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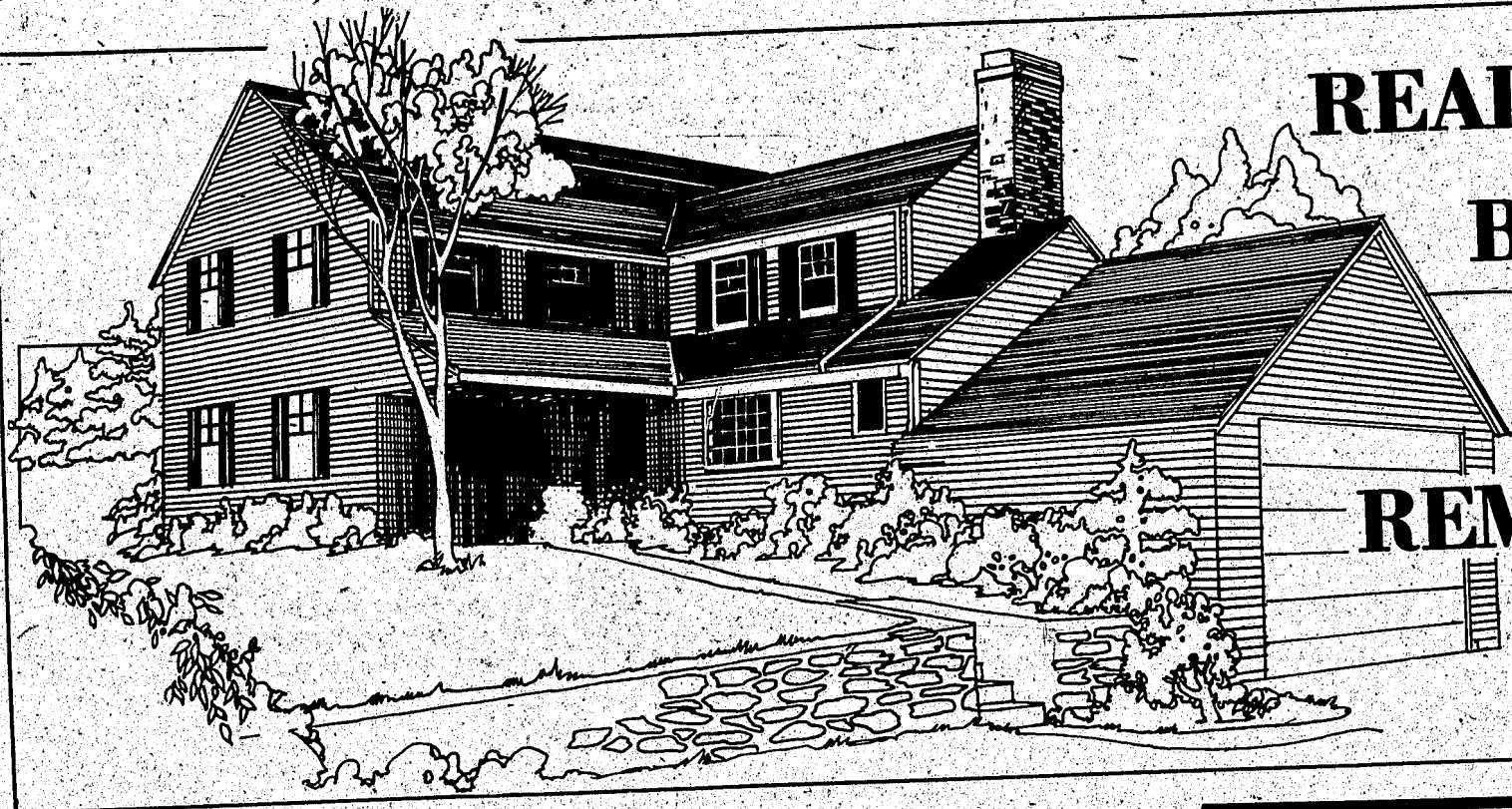
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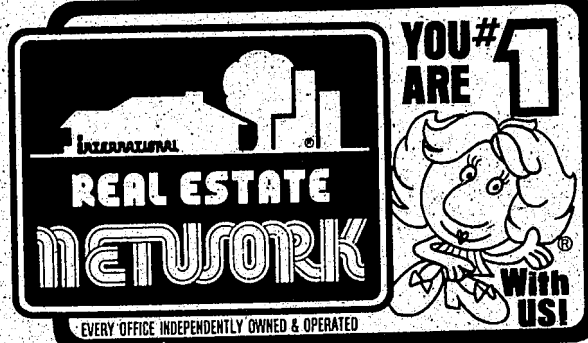
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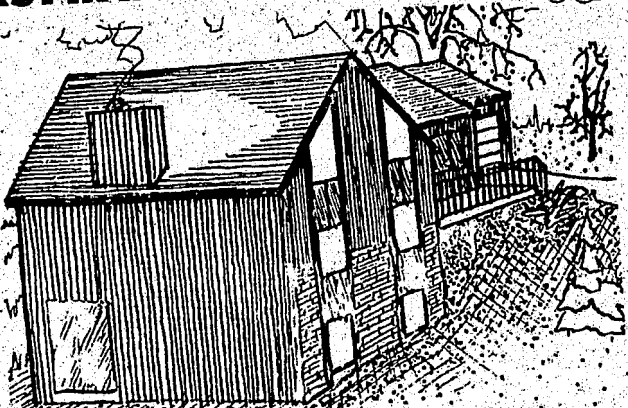
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These stories on Caedmon Records are a thrill for young and old alike as Boris Karloff adds flavor to their reading. Playing the records can become a family tradition from generation to generation.

"Draw 50 Animals" by Lee J. Ames demonstrates how to create creatures with circles and lines. Doubleday, \$5.95.

A delightful craft book for children is *"Sticks and Stones and Ice Cream Cones"* by Phyllis Farotta, \$9.95. From bean bags to toys and games, these projects for all ages make use of easy-to-find materials.

"Discover the Trees" by Gerry Cowle answers many fascinating questions about what trees do for us. The book is \$5.95 and serves the 8- to 12-year-old audience.

"Snips, Snails and Walnut Whales" is a book of nature crafts including bird feeders, mobiles, walnut animals, apple head dolls, puppets and much more. By Phyllis Farotta, it's \$5.95.

"A Child's Book of Birds" by Kathleen Daly has many beautiful drawings of birds seen in the garden and in the woods. It is geared for ages 3 to 7 and is \$5.95.

Golden Books has a "What Is..." science series on fruit, flowers, mammals, insects, trees and birds. These are particularly colorful and informative and have quite an age range because of the identity process.

"Sharing Nature with Children" by Joseph P. Cornell is from Ananda Publications at \$4.95. This delightful book evolved from a paper to teachers on environmental games. It presents 42 games to stimulate joyful, enlightening insights and experiences in nature.

My own amazement with the Tutankhamen exhibit put me in search of a book on Egyptology for children. "Mummies Made in Egypt" fills the bill.

Not only does it tell how to decipher hieroglyphics, it goes into the rites of mummification and the belief in the afterlife. There are details of a mummified dog and toys buried with an infant. By Akitu, Thomas Crowell, \$8.95.

A fascinating collection of biology, geology and physics--as well as human possibility--is done with a flair for humor, imagination and language in the book "How to Dig a Hole to the Other Side of the World" by Faithe McNulty. Harper and Row, \$8.95.

Todd Tarbox, a very creative teacher from Ann Arbor, has done several books for children like "Imagine and Make up Your Own Book" and "See the World and Make Up Your Own Book" in which fabulous photography and children's verse stimulate the reader who then has space to write his own book.

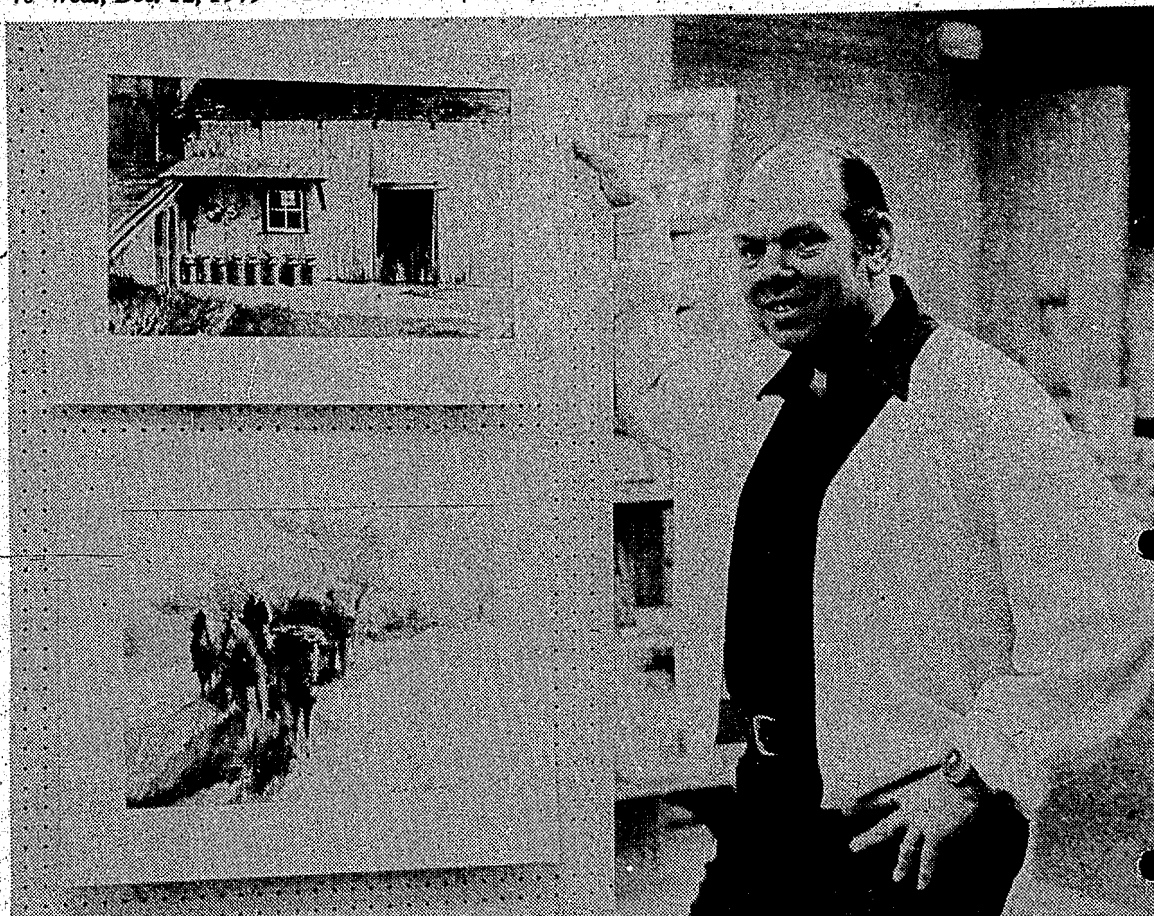
These can be purchased at the Detroit Art Institute or from Todd Tarbox Publications, 2523 Ashton Rd., Jackson, MI 49203. They are about \$3.50.

Another delight for children is to become a card-carrying member of the Humane Society's Kind Club. For \$5 a year, members receive a magazine each month and the opportunity to write and draw for publication.

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For ages 5 to 12, memberships are available by writing the USUS National Headquarters, 2100 L St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037.

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Watercolors on display

"I try to capture the atmosphere," says painter Robert Hubbach. A new collection of his paintings is on display at Frame-Art, 5657 Dixie Hwy., Waterford in the Waterfall Plaza, through December 15. Hubbach, a resident of Springfield Township, said he has been painting seriously since 1974. While he had two watercolor classes in college, Hubbach is mostly self-taught. Hubbach also works on consignment, and has done several homes in this area.

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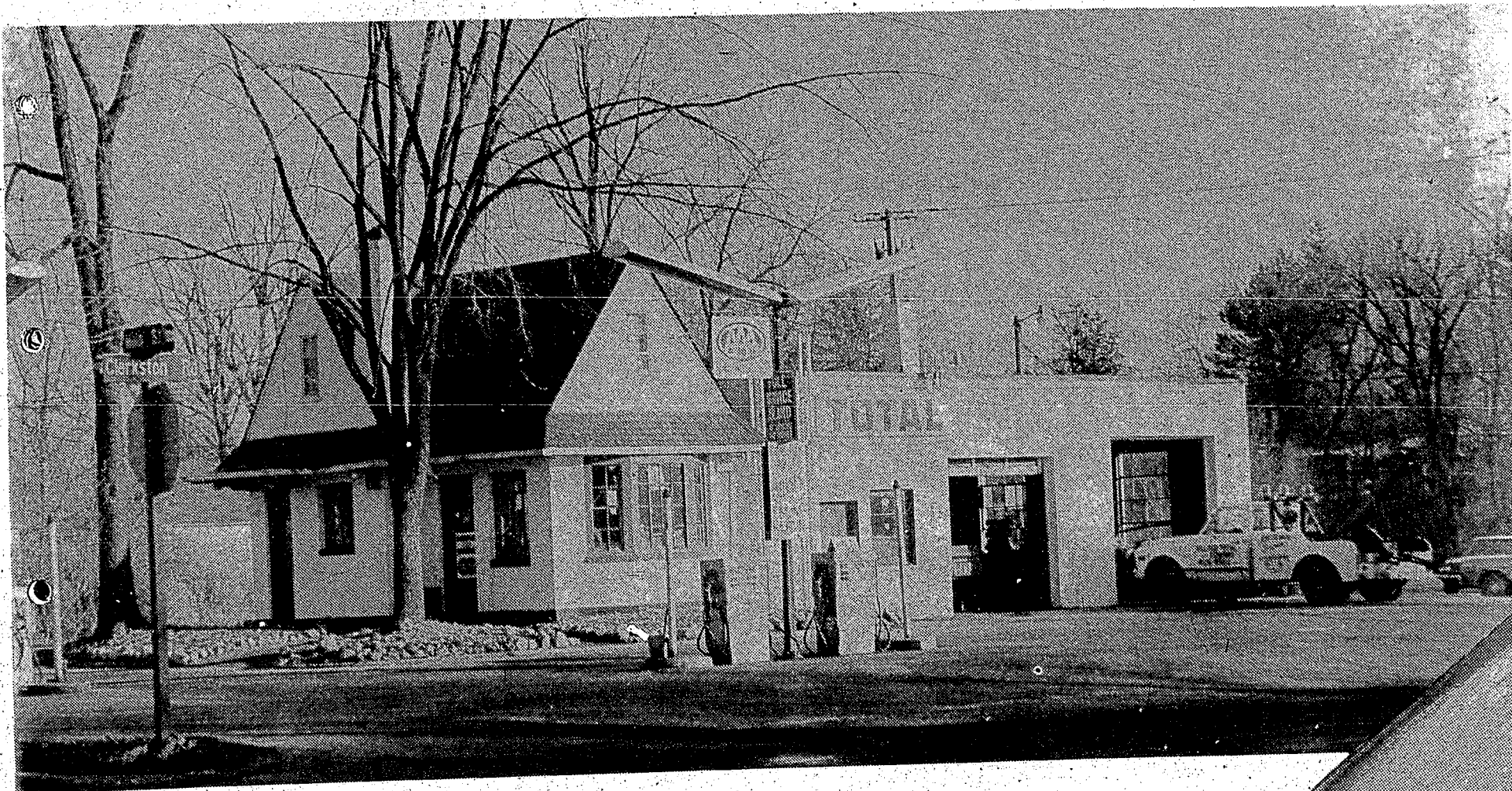
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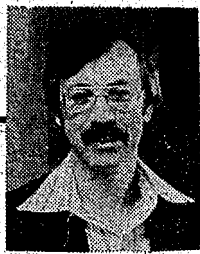
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'Veronica's Room'

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Ira Levin is the same playwright and novelist who brought us such fear-producing goodies as "Rosemary's Baby" and "Deathtrap." The Clarkston Village Players are the same community theatre group that brought us such fluff as "No Sex Please--We're British" and "No Mother to Guide Her." Now, Levin and the CVP have teamed up to bring us "Veronica's Room."

This is something like your minister being charged with statutory rape or Jimmy Carter using one of those deleted expletives. After umpteens years as a conservative and mostly comedy and melodrama play group, the Clarkston Village Players may shock a sizeable number of their regulars with the current play which opened on Friday, December 7.

Advertised with little information about the plot of the play and with an "Adults Only" sign hung out, the opening night saw a smaller than usual audience.

Those who were in attendance were rewarded for their derring-do by one of the finest productions in the last six or seven years.

It was gutsy of the CVP to change their general approach to theatre and offer something with a more contemporary flavor (and language to match). The nervous laughter of the audience in the first act indicated their anxiety at what was going on on stage. While the play-goers were able to conquer their first act jitters, the four actors who carry off the drama seemed to have no such uneasiness themselves. In fact, their acting was unselfconscious and well above average. Most of the time the acting by this quartet of Nancy Frady Osmun, Al Bartlett, Karen Sage and Len Loveless was exceptional. Karen Sage, who was very good in "Wait Until Dark", delivers another fine performance as a young woman who experiences a gamut of emotions. The role calls for

behavior and lines rarely called for at the Depot Theatre and she comports herself with believability.

Bartlett and Osmun provide her with support that is absolutely essential to this play. Len Loveless, while in a lesser role, still makes the most of it although in the early part of the first act he needs a bit more self assurance.

The plot? It would ruin your fun to know much. Let me just tell you that it is a Chinese puzzle of a psychological thriller. It might not keep you awake at night, but it just might be that you will find yourself thinking about it in odd moments in the few days following.

You probably won't want to take the children, but unless you are easily offended you shouldn't miss one of the better Clarkston Village Players performances.

The final chances to see "Veronica's Room" and what happens in that room are on December 13, 14 and 15 with the Thursday night performance a benefit for the Clarkston Band Boosters.

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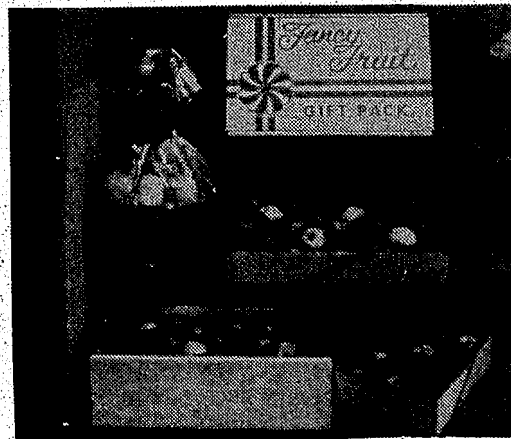
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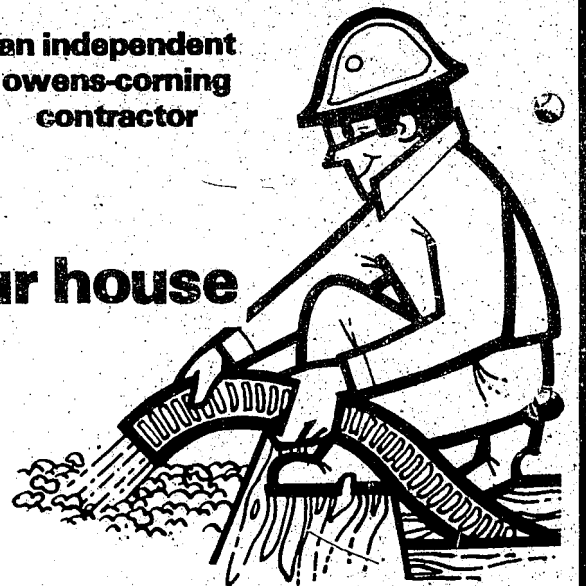
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Its farcical nature is intact here and there are interesting performances by Michael Tylo as Jack Chesney and Terence Marianan as Charley, both college boys who will put their friend through anything to gain time with their lady loves. Also impressive were George Gitto as Jack's father, Colonel Sir Francis Chesney and A.D. Cover as Stephen Spettigue, guardian of the two girls Amy and Kitty, whom Charley and Jack love.

The problem with this production seems to lie with Robert Moberley. While properly hilarious at times, his performance as the supposed dowager from Brazil ("You know, where the nuts come from") lacks subtlety and fineness. It is too blatantly played and while I

knew when I entered the theatre that this was farce and not to be believed, still I wanted the impersonation of Charley's aunt to have some credibility. It has none.

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BEAUTICIANS!!! Tired of giving 1/2 of your income away, rent your own station, \$45 weekly. One station available January 1st, Lake Orion area, call 623-1729 after 4 or weekends anytime!!R-11-3, RL46-3, RX48-2*

WOMAN WANTED: Part time mornings in dog kennel. Must work Saturday & Sunday AM. 628-1004!!CX17-3c

EXPERIENCED HAIR dresser wanted, with following. Also manicurist. Mr. Joseph, New Progressive Salon. Call 628-7262.!!CX16-2c

LEGAL SECRETARY FOR Rochester Law office. Excellent skills including mag card. Negligence experience a plus. Call 651-4114!!CX17-2, L-45-2

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!!CX17-1c

BABYSITTER NEEDED TO COME IN: Buckhorn Lake area, 3 children, 7, 3 & 8 months. Hours 8-4; 693-8007 after 4:30!!CX17-2, LR-10-3

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

NEEDED: Reliable person to feed & do barn work for 2 horses. Daily 2 hours. \$2.75 per hour. Call 10-6, 693-6204!!CX17-2c, L-45-2c, LR-10-2c

EXPERIENCED COOKS: Male or female, apply in person at The Harvest Table, South Broadway, Lake Orion before 3 p.m. R-11-3, RX48-2

CASHIER WANTED: Must be 18, part-time, must work weekends. Apply at Richardson Dairy, 4100 Baldwin Road, Pontiac. Between 9 a.m. & 4 p.m.!!CX17-2c, LR-11-2c

SERVICES

CUSTOM FORMICA WORK: Counter tops, cabinets, etc. 628-0175!!CX17-48-1

SNOWPLOWING: Reasonable rates, 693-7984!!CX17-8*

Going away for the holidays? Responsible young couple will house set & care for house plants, pets, etc. Have references. 628-2120!!CX17-2-

SNOWPLOWING, COMMERCIAL & Residential. For free estimates call 1-752-9168!!CX17-47-TF

STORTS ROOFING: Shingle roofs, guaranteed work, low rates, 12 years experience. Free estimates. 628-2084!!CX17-TFC

REPAIR AND ALTERATIONS, My home. Andersonville Road, Joyce, 623-1612!!CX17-6P

NEED A HANDYMAN? Minor home repairs. Experienced, reasonable rates. 628-3844!!CX17-48-6, L-46-6, LR-11-6

ARC WELDING, BRAZING: Weekends & evenings. Call 628-3362 after 6 p.m.!!CX17-48-TF

CAR POLISHING: \$25 most cars, a good waxing is a great gift for your car or for your special friends. Stop by for a gift certificate or call the C.A.R. Shop, Lake Orion. 693-6791!!CX17-48-2

SNOWPLOWING: Reasonable price. 693-9879!!CX17-48-4

WALLPAPERING SINGLE ROLL: \$8.50; double roll, \$17.00; any room. Ask for Marlene, 628-6292!!CX17-47-4*

SNOWPLOWING: 24-hour service. No job too big or small. Northern Asphalt. 338-6523.!!CX17-44-TF

PIANO TUNING: For appointment call Bob Button 651-6565!!CX17-35-TFC

WALLPAPERING, painting & staining. Decorate with energy saving style. Call Bob Jensenius. 887-4124 or 623-7691!!CX17-44-TF

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!!CX17-15-3c

CHRISTMAS coupon special: Buy series of riding lessons. 628-5495.!!CX17-46-3*

RIDING INSTRUCTION. discount: Take 5 lessons & receive the 6th free. 628-5495.!!CX17-46-3*

N.E.B. CHIMNEY Sweep service, experienced professional sweep. Guaranteed to leave your home spotless. 652-7077 or 652-0087.!!R-6-TF RL41-TF RX-43-TF

SEE WHAT Mary Kay can do for you! Pat Larkin, Independent Beauty Consultant. 693-2682.!!CX17-43-TFC

TAILORING & ALTERATIONS done in my home. Men's, women's, also repair work. 623-7379. Rosalee!!CX17-4-TF

CHAIN SAWS professionally sharpened. \$3; Firewood, all oak, split, stacked & delivered \$45. 625-2829. Jim!!CX17-15-2p

ELECTRICAL: If you need it done call Sparky and get it done. Reasonable rates. 627-4264.!!CX17-4-TFC

EXPERIENCED exterior, interior, painting, stain work also. Have references. 625-0933!!CX17-4-TFC

IRV'S SHARPENING Service: Chain saws, circular saws, knives, scissors. Evenings. 1407 Milmine, Lakeville. 628-7189.!!CX17-41-TF

AUTO BODY REPAIR and motorcycle painting, auto mechanic repairs. 693-2798.!!CX17-45-4

ALUMINUM SIDING TRIM AND Gutters; winter prices in effect, free estimates. Call Robert B. Thornton. 693-7046!!CX17-48-TF

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.!!CX17-38-TF

SNOWPLOWING, Reasonable rates. Call 628-2330 or 693-4439!!CX17-47-6

SPECIALTY CAKES—weddings, showers, all occasions. Dolls, Spiderman, The Hulk, basketballs, use your imagination or mine. 625-9212.!!CX17-14-4p

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EXPERIENCED PIANO & ORGAN Teacher, Theory included with lessons. 391-3207!!CX17-47-2

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WELL DRILLING, repair & pump work. 678-2412 or 688-3534.!!CX17-44-4*

DON JIDAS TREE Removal, free estimates, 20 years experience. 693-1816 or 693-2242.!!R-3-TF RL38-TF RX40-TF

DRYWALL REPAIRING. Free estimates. 625-3742!!CX17-4-TFC

RECANING OF ALL types of antique & modern chair bottoms; also repairing & regluing. 334-6009; 459 E. Mansfield, Pontiac.!!CX17-44-4

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!!CX17-47-3-

INSTRUCTIONS

PIANO: LESSONS, jazz classical pop and/or theory. Kurt, 625-0269.!!CX17-14-4*

AUTOMOTIVE

1973 CORNET: Excellent transportation, very good shape for 1973. \$650 firm. 651-1644!!CX17-48-1

1976 FORD PICKUP: 250: 3/4 ton, club cab with cover, 2 new showtires, mechanically good shape, no rust. 334-8732!!CX17-48-1

MUST SELL: 1979 Trans Am, fully loaded; t-top, white, blue bird, blue interior. One of only 8 thousand. Pontiac 400 engine, 4 speed transmission; made 1979. Any reasonable offer considered. 625-8330!!CX17-2C

1972 OLDS: Runs, good for parts. Best offer, 628-5957 after 5 p.m. LX-48-1dh

FOR SALE: 1978 Ford 4x4 F-250, heavy duty, 4,000 actual miles. 628-0796!!CX17-48-2dh

1976 BUICK LIMITED: Landau Coupe, gold, low mileage, no rust, almost new 721 tires & complete exhaust. Split 6-way seat, cruise, tilt, AM-FM tape, electric window defogger, air shocks, electronic ignition, HD battery, recent brakes. A well cared for car. Asking \$2,795. Phone days 752-7010, nights 628-1961!!CX17-48-1c

1975 MATADOR, 4-door, 6-cylinder, air, PS, PB, good condition, low mileage. \$1500. 628-6282.!!CX17-46-3

FOR SALE: 1976 Pinto parts. Call 693-8233!!CX17-47-2

1978 CHEVY CUSTOM VAN, silver outside, red velvet interior, regular gas, low mileage, rust proofed, \$8,000. Call after 4pm. 625-4865.!!CX17-4-dhtf

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.!!CX17-44-TFdh L-42-TFdh LR-9-TFdh

1976 DODGE ASPEN: \$2,200, PS-PB, automatic transmission, AM radio. 623-1139!!CX17-47-3

1979 PONTIAC LEMANS WAGON: Small, power, AM-FM, 13,000 miles; 693-8873!!CX17-47-4-

1978 SUNBIRD, Excellent condition. 4-speed stick, P.B.P.S.; Sunroof, radial tires, aluminum wheels, AM/FM stereo, \$4,000. 625-4865.!!CX17-3nap

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!!CX17-47-3, L-45-3, LR-10-3

1976 PONTIAC SUNBIRD: V-6, automatic, PB, one owner. 625-3818!!CX17-2C-

1975 CHEVY PICKUP: 4 wheel drive, automatic, air conditioning, PS-PB; \$2,500, \$2,800 with camper. Call after 5 p.m., 752-6359!!CX17-47-3, L-45-3, LR-10-3

FOR SALE: 1966 Pontiac LeMans, many new parts. Must sell. 628-4178!!CX17-47-2

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!!CX17-47-2

1973-1979 HOOD FOR CHEVY Truck or Blazer, \$100. 625-5647!!CX17-1p

1976 TRAIL DUSTER: 4 wheel drive, excellent condition. Extras, must sell. Best offer. 693-8135!!CX17-47-2

1974 CHEVROLET VEGA HATCHBACK: Low mileage, excellent condition; \$1,095. 623-9651!!CX17-1P

1978 MONTE CARLO Landau, like new, many options, must sell. 391-0872.!!CX17-45-3* LR-8-3

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.!!CX17-44-TFdh L-42-TFdh LR-7-TFdh

1937 CHEVY stake truck, 1 1/2 ton. Best offer. 623-7370 after 6.!!CX17-1-TFdh

1973 DODGE VAN: Best offer. 623-7370 after 6.!!CX17-1-TFdh

1966 HEAVY DUTY CHEVROLET Pickup truck; 6 cylinder, will run. \$100. Call 394-0771!!CX17-1C

SUNBIRD, 1977: 6 cylinder, automatic, air, AM-FM, laundau, undercoated. 693-8544!!CX17-48-1

1971 PONTIAC LEMANS (ROLLED): 41,000 miles, good for engine and parts. 628-3729!!CX17-48-1, L-46-3, LR-11-3

1977 GRAND PRIX LJ: Loaded, excellent condition; 21,000 miles. 693-2548!!CX17-48-2

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.!!CX17-40-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.!!CX17-12-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.!!CX17-46-2*

1978 OLDS DELTA 88 ROYALE: AM-FM stereo, undercoated, excellent condition. 652-4874 or 628-4385!!CX17-48-1*

1976 CADILLAC FLEETWOOD: Brougham, silver throughout, 6 way individual seats, cruise, tilt wheel, alarm, foot rest. Deluxe interior, estate car, chauffeur driven. Best offer. 625-9164!!CX17-1c@

1976 CADILLAC COUPE DEVILLE: Loaded, everything but sun roof; leather interior, best offer. 47,000 miles, extra clean. 625-9164!!CX17-1C*

1972 NOVA: Automatic, low mileage, excellent running condition, AM-FM, \$6.95. 625-1379!!CX17-1C*

1977 GRAND PRIX SJ: T-Top, PS-PB, air, bucket seats, console, AM-FM stereo cruise, power locks, one owner. \$3,200. 42,000 miles. 625-2433!!CX17-1P*

1973 PONTIAC LEMANS PARTS: 350 engine, \$100; 2 doors, \$30 each; rear axle, \$30; 628-4988!!CX17-48-1*

1973 DODGE D-600: 366 V-8, 5 speed, 22 ft. box, 52,000 actual miles, \$4,250. Call 651-9442!!CX17-48-2*

1973 TWO DOOR LEMANS: Good transportation, regular gas, clean interior, needs minor body work; \$500 or best offer. 628-1213!!CX17-48-1*

1972 CHEVY CAPRICE: \$400, 628-1348!!CX17-48-1*

FOR SALE: 1978 Dodge Truck; sharp, 14,400 miles, bucket seats, cruise, PS-PB, air and camper special. \$4,500 or best offer. 628-1521 or 628-1740!!CX17-48-1c*

1979 SUNBIRD: V-6 engine, automatic, 391-2356!!CX17-48-3*

GENERAL STAFF NURSE \$6.65 - \$7.78 p.h. LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE \$4.75 - \$5.66 p.h.

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1974 GRAND AM: Excellent condition, new tires, brakes, muffler. 693-7451!!!LX-48-1

FOR SALE: 1977 Toyota Corolla, good condition, low mileage, 35-40 MPG. \$2,750. 628-1521 or 693-9849!!!LX-48-1c

FOR SALE: 1979 GMC 4x4, 9,500 miles, \$5,700; call before 2 p.m., 628-7385!!!LX-48-1c

1971 IMPALA: 4 door, 350, air, radio, heater, good tires, runs good; \$250. 628-6042!!!LX-48-1c

1979 MUSTANG GHIA: V-6, automatic, air, TRX package; \$5,600 or best offer. 628-1464!!!LX-48-3c

FOR SALE: VW Coyote Dune buggy; runs good, needs no work, \$500. After 4 p.m., 334-1083!!!LX-48-1c

FOR RENT

HOUSE FOR RENT: 628-3909!!!LX-48-1

FOR RENT: 3 bay service building, 2 hoists, compressor, alignment pit, M-24 frontage. Oxford. 628-1111!!!LX-48-1, L-46-1, LR-11-1

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

RANCH CONDO. Keatington Newtown, 2 bedrooms, garage, all appliances. 391-0778 or 391-1283. !!!R-1f RL44-tf RX46tf

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!!!CX14-4c

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

DUPLEX FOR RENT: 3-bedrooms, 17.50 per week. Security deposit, no pets. Personal and Credit references. 628-3147 or 628-1571!!!LX-48-1

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-tfc

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

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

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom, furnished house for 6 months. Village of Oxford. 288-6023 or 627-3515!!!LX-48-1c, L-46-3c

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

DARLING HOME ON PRIVATE LOT To share with 2 other girls. Walk to lake, \$200 plus 1/3 utilities. Neat non smoker preferred. 682-5325!!!CX17-1C

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

NEW CONTEMPORARY HOME: Upstairs available; furnished or unfurnished. Share kitchen etc. negotiable. Clarkston. Days: 857-3709, nights 625-3744!!!CX17-1-C

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-47-2c

FURNISHED 3 ROOM APARTMENT: Gingeville area, man only. 391-1731!!!LX-48-1

HOUSE FOR RENT IN Ortonville area; 2 bedrooms, semi furnished. 693-9445 or 627-3308!!!LX-48-1

FOR RENT: Single bedroom apartment, north of Oxford; ideal for couple, G.E. appliances, carpeted, security deposit & references required. 628-5805!!!LX-48-1C, L-46-3C

FOR RENT: 1 bedroom furnished apt., on Lake Orion, adults, no pets, non smokers. 693-6509!!!LX-48-1c

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom apartment; no pets, security deposit, references, and credit check required. \$255 per month. Call 693-4394, or 664-4165!!!LX-48-2c, L-46-3, LR-11-3

APARTMENT AND GARAGE FOR RENT: Security & references; available Jan. 1, 693-1368!!!LX-48-3c

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom house in Goodrich. Newly decorated. \$350 a month. 391-0736!!!LX-48-1

TWO STORAGE UNITS For rent in Goodrich; one 30x24, other 20x24. 391-0736!!!LX-48-1

FOR RENT: Lake Orion commercial building, 900 square feet. 693-1209!!!LX-48-2c

FOR RENT: Let your business pay your rent. House zoned commercial on M-24 in Oxford. Ideal for typing service, insurance company or craft & plant shop, etc. 693-6922 after 2 p.m.!!!LX-48-1

FOR RENT: Ski Boyne Country at the Highlands & Nubs Knob Chalet with all conveniences. Sleeps 6, by weekend or week. Few choice dates left. 625-8784!!!CX17-4p

BEAUTIFUL EXECUTIVE 2000 Sq. Ft. 3-bedroom luxury apartment; 2 baths, family room, fireplace, and other extras. Available January 1st, on South Lapeer Road, call 623-1729 after 4 and weekends anytime!!!R-11-3, RL46-3, RX48-2c

FREE

FREE BEAGLE TO GOOD HOME: A spayed female about 6 yrs. old; very gentle house pet, is gun-shy. Bruce Jacobsen. 693-8383 or 628-2922!!!LX-48-1c L-46-1dh, LR-11-1dh

FREE TO GOOD HOME: 3 year old Cock-A-Poo; - spayed. 623-9248!!!CX17-1C

FREE LONG HAired KITTENS, Wormed and litter trained. Indoors and outdoors. 628-5024!!!LX-48-1, L-46-1dh

FREE 5 MONTH OLD. Male pup; English setter, German shepherd; 625-5797!!!CX17-1C

FREE CHRISTMAS PUPPIES: 625-5323!!!CX17-1C

FREE CAT: Neutered & declawed, for house cat only. 628-7013!!!LX-48-1

NOTICE

NOW OPEN: The Music Studio, 823 S. Lapeer Road, Oxford. Music lessons include private instructions, harmony class and band practice. Special rates in effect until January 15, 1980. Call 628-7527!!!LX-48-1c

NEW YEARS EVE DANCING Pleasure to mid 40's music. Delicious buffet by El Perfecto Chef Jim. Reservations limited. Call Paint Creek Golf & Country Club. Your host Jimmie, 693-4695 or 693-9933!!!LX-48-1c

SANTA FOR HOME VISITS & Parties, plan ahead. Call 693-2855!!!LX-48-2c

LOOKING FOR A gift to please an unpleasable uncle? Try the Book Place for books, magazines, posters, cards, and gift certificate. We will be having special Christmas hours. The Book Place, 3 S. Washington, 628-2292!!!LX-48-1

HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS Sell Avon. Flexible hours let you spend more time with your family. Call Mary L. Seelbinder, 627-3116!!!LX-48-1c

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LETS KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL! Will tow away junk cars & trucks free of charge. 391-0745. !!!LX-39-tf

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!!!CX16-2c

TOYS FOR TOTS: Collection boxes are at your local Realty World, R.L. Davison, office. 837 S. Lapeer, stop by with your new or like new toys before December 20, 628-9779!!!LX-48-1C

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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

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IS OVER EATING CREATING Problems for you? Overeaters Anonymous can help you! St. Alfreds Church every Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. starting January 2. Call Phyllis 693-7171, Roger 693-2855 or Julie 391-3144! LX48-3, L-46-3, LR-11-3

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A GIFT THAT LASTS FOREVER: Buy a book for Christmas at The Book Place, 3 S. Washington, Oxford. 628-2292 Special Christmas hours. LX-48-1c

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

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!!!LX-47-1, L-45-3

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. !!!LX-44-tfdh L-42-tfdh LR-7-tfdh

FOR SALE: Skis 160cm with bindings, \$40. 170cm with size 7 boots, bindings & poles, \$75. 628-1131!!!LX-47-1, L-45-3

SNOWMOBILE: 1977 Yamaha, 340 Exciter; like new. \$950 or best. 1-797-5160!!!LX-47-2c, L-45-3

FOR SALE: 1971 Fiberglass dune buggy; \$500. Call 628-9281!!!LX-48-1

1973 ARCTIC CAT ELTIGRE 440 With 2 place trailer; \$950. 693-6772!!!LX-48-2dh

1975 YAMAHA TL-433. Exc. condition, \$750. Call after 4 p.m., 625-0143!!!CX17-1C

REAL ESTATE

ACREAGE IN BRANDON TOWNSHIP: Rolling with stream, woods, pond sites, private roads, ready for summer building. Horses ok; land contract, terms, by owner. 623-1447!!!CX17-2C

1/2 ACRE LOT in exclusive Deer Lake Farms Sub in Clarkston. Land contract terms. \$39,900. Call 625-0961 after 8pm. !!!CX14-4c

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!!!LX-47-2

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom house, car and 1/2 garage, North side of Pontiac. Land contract terms. 628-4468!!!LX-48-1c

40 ACRES, MARQUETTE: Ready for timbering, electricity, access. Surrounded by Hiawatha National Forest, \$12,000 cash. Mail inquires: Land, 8425 Ellis Rd., Clarkston, Michigan 48016!!!CX17-2P

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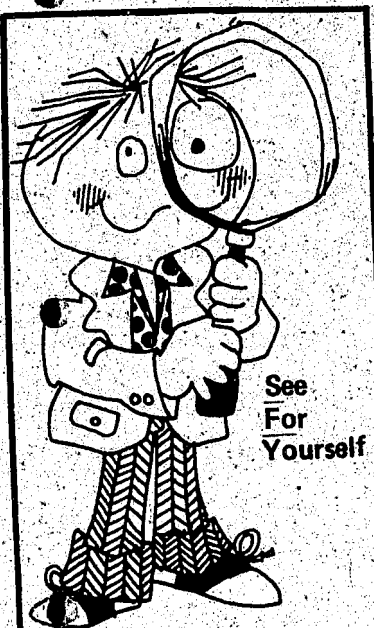
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Tuesday, January 1, 1980

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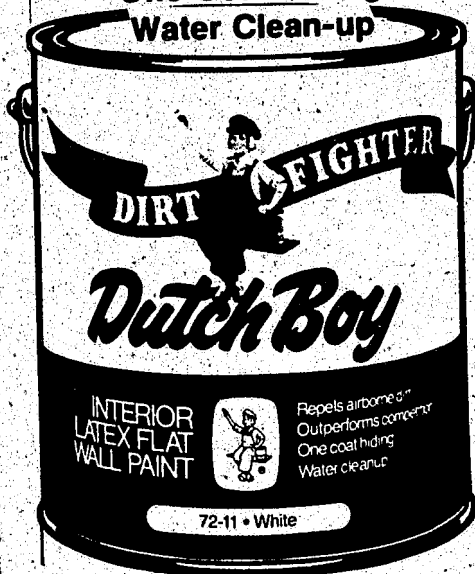
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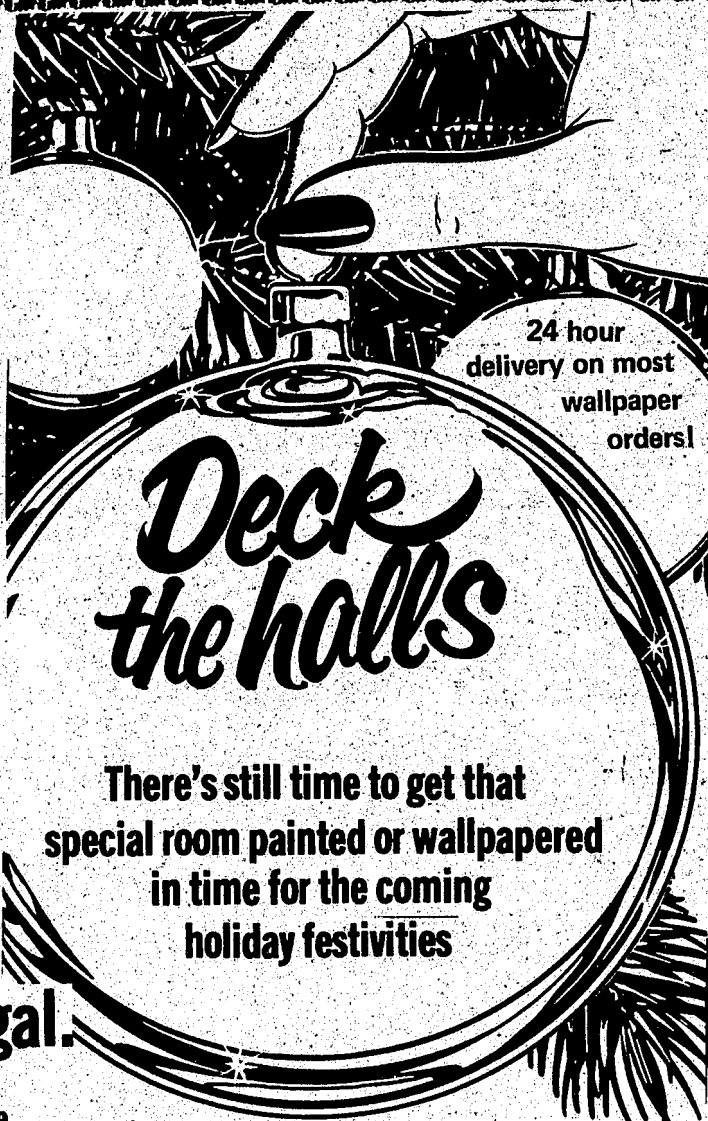
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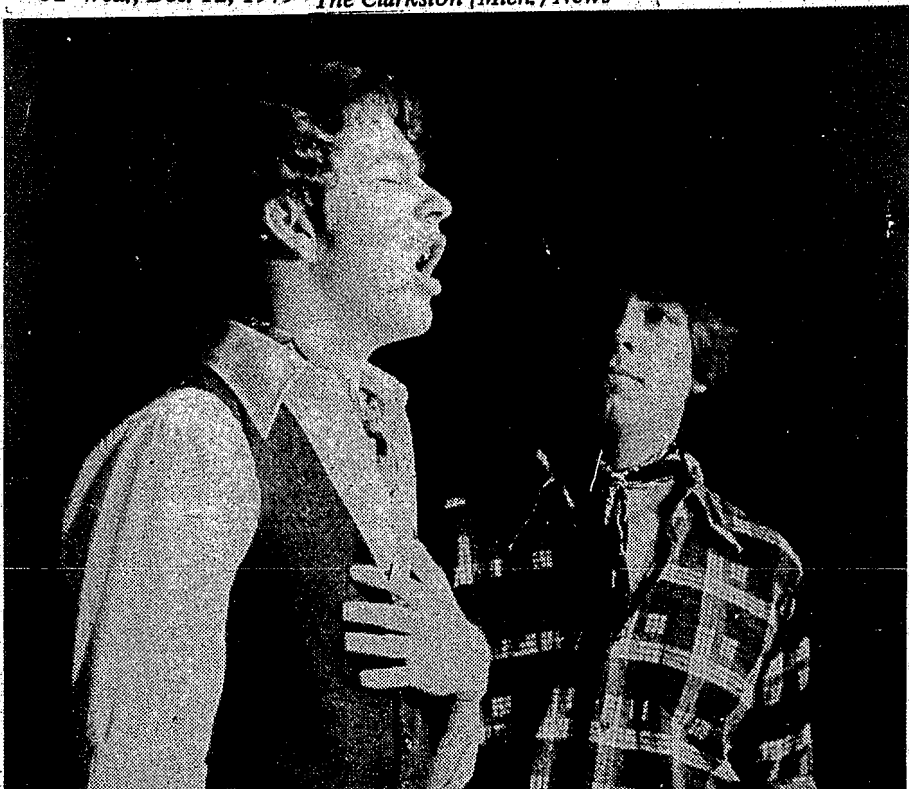
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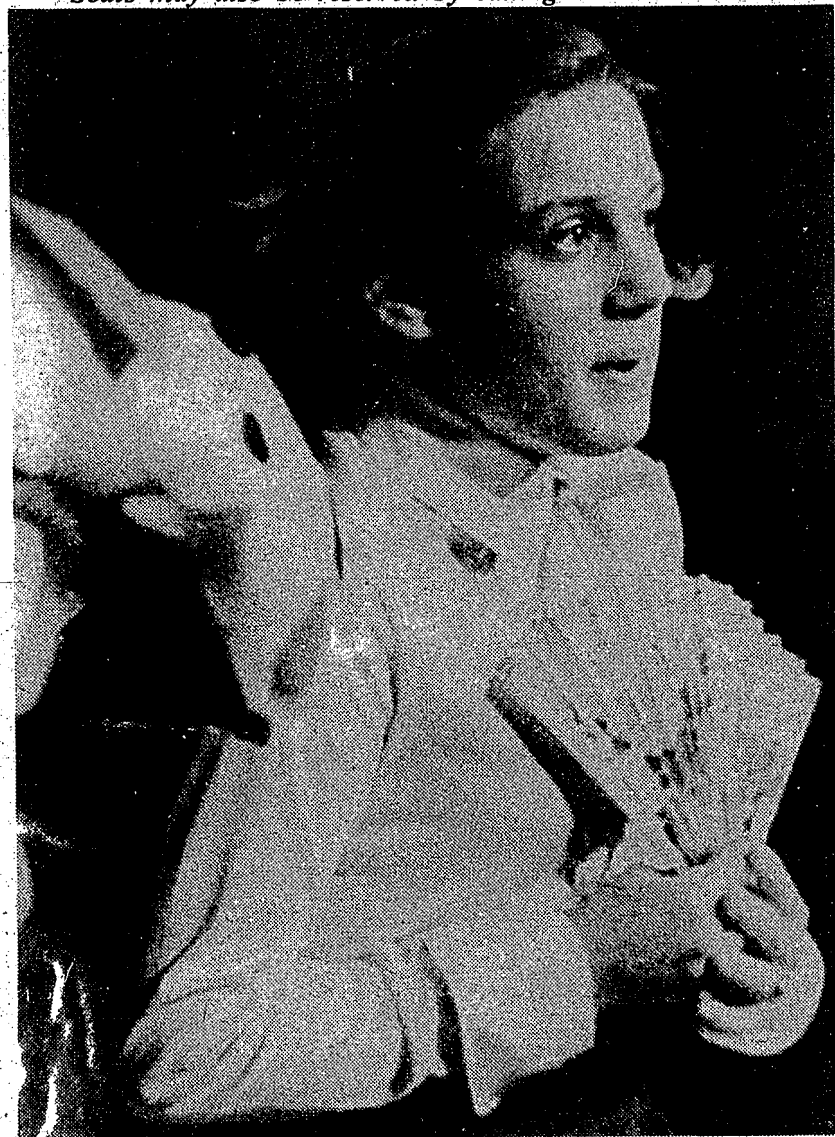
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Lots of songs like those of puppeteer Paul played by Richard Harken [left] are included in the musical. At right is Bill Innis who plays Jacquot.



Marco the Magician [left] played by Mike Jensen and Rosalie played by Bettijean Collins continue their on-growing arguments right before the knife act in "Carnival." The Clarkston High School Thespian Society and Madrigal Singers production of the Broadway musical is to be presented Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 13-15 at 8 p.m. at the CHS Little Theatre. Tickets are \$3 and are to be on sale at the door. Seats may also be reserved by calling CHS at 625-5841.



A country girl who sings with the lovable puppets, Gretchen Weger plays Lili.

'Carnival'

Singing, dancing,
puppets on CHS stage



Jon Hill [left] and Jan Wilton are members of the chorus that give the play a festive, carnival atmosphere. Jon also plays Dr. Glass, a mysterious romantic interest of Rosalie.



Feathers adorn the hairstyles of Bettijean Collins as she appears in various costumes throughout the production.