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Silent witness reward plan to net vandals

By Kathy Greenfield

A silent witness program complete with rewards is in the offing at Clarkston High School. The goal is to catch vandals and require them to pay for damages.

The plan, proposed by the CHS student government, was approved by the Clarkston School Board last week. It is to begin after Christmas break.

The problem of vandalism at CHS is costly, said Principal Dom Mauti.

Between \$5,000 and \$6,000 was spent last year to repair damages, and the figure does not include labor if done by school custodians, he said.

Approached by the high school administration, student government members came up with the plan in which the person anonymously reporting the names of vandals would receive a reward of 25 percent of repair costs.

Since discussion of the silent witness program began, there hasn't been any vandalism at the school, Mauti said.

"The silent portion may work out," he said. "It might give (vandals) second thoughts. If we can do that, that's great."

In the past, however, offers of money for information on vandals has had little impact, he said.

Early in the school year, \$800 worth of window breakage occurred in front of CHS and despite a \$300 reward for names of vandals, no one has been caught.

Nonetheless, the program has promise, mainly because of student involvement, he said.

"It can't do anything but help us," he said. "Any time we can get some cooperation, that's great."

Student government officers — President Mike Lockard, Vice President Beth

Haddad and secretary-treasurer Cindy Larkin — presented the proposal to school board members.

"With our plan, the majority of students could band together," Larkin said.

School board members enthusiastically supported the plan.

"I think it's terrific," said board member Mary Jane Chaustowich. "The kids want to improve their environment enough that they thought this up."

"If the students are going to put themselves in the position of doing this, they should be remunerated adequately," she added, and suggested rewards include a percentage of labor costs even when school personnel make repairs.

Board members asked that the system be enlarged to cover personal property losses in locker thefts, and student government leaders agreed to consider the possibility.

The school board approved placing \$2,500 in a special fund earmarked to pay for damages done by vandals and to pay rewards to silent witnesses.

Students can report names of vandals to teachers Chuck Screws or Bill Mackson. Their identities will remain anonymous.

If the student accused of vandalism is guilty, he or she will be required to pay damages and the reward of 25 percent of the costs for repair will come out of the \$2,500 fund.

If vandalism occurs and the person or persons responsible are not found, money for repairs is to be taken from the fund.

At the end of the school year, any money leftover in the fund may be spent by the student government to better CHS and its environment.



Photo by Al Zawacky

Wolfpack attack

Friday night was the Clarkston High School basketball team's first league game of the young 1980-81 season—and the hometown cagers made it count, pulling out a 46-39 win over Lake Orion. There's a story on the Wolfpack win and more pictures on Page 17.

Race begins

The race is on in the Village of Clarkston with four candidates filing to run in the 1981 election.

Two incumbents and two challengers will be vying for the three, two-year-term trustee seats on the village council.

Democrat incumbent Ruth Basinger, who lives at 8 E. Washington has filed her intent to run for re-election.

Republican incumbent James Schultz, who lives at 40 Robertson Court, has also filed seeking re-election.

Former council member James Weber, a Republican who lost his bid for office last year,

has filed for candidacy this year. Weber lives at 55 N. Main.

Newcomer, Republican David Raup Jr. of 59 N. Holcomb has also filed to vie for a trustee seat.

Village elections are held annually with council seats up for election on an alternating basis.

The deadline for filing was Tuesday afternoon at 4 p.m.

"There will be no primary in this election because there are no races within parties, said Bruce Rogers, village clerk. "There are three open seats and three Republican candidates and a single Democrat."

The election is scheduled March 9, he said.

Independent view

No doubt about it. During the Christmas season, it's better to be a township government employee in Independence rather than Springfield.

Holiday-spirited citizens often send small gifts to Independence Township Hall this time of year, prompting The Clarkston News to inquire if the same situation was true in Springfield Township.

Springfield Township Supervisor Collin Walls was confronted with the question of what the township's policy was toward this unsolicited holiday generosity.

There was a long pause, followed by a few chuckles. "We don't have any policy, because—quite frankly—we've never gotten anything," Walls said.

"No—I take that back," he relented. "A builder sent our building department a carrot cake, which we all enjoyed consuming. And I did have a poinsettia sent to my house once."

"It's obviously not something you want to encourage," he added.

Man charged with counterfeiting

Twenty-year-old Douglas Scott Murdoch of Allen Road, Independence Township, awaits trial in the U.S. District Court on charges of allegedly conspiring to manufacture counterfeit money.

Murdoch was arrested at his home on Nov. 13 following a month-long investigation by the United States Secret Service, according to Radford Jones, special agent in charge of the Detroit office.

In October, the department received a tip that money was being printed at a mini-warehouse located at 3401 Lapeer Rd., Pontiac Township, Jones said.

After acquiring a search warrant, agents discovered printing plates, negatives and \$12,000 in counterfeit \$100 bills, he said.

A 19-year-old Pontiac man was also arrested and faces the same charges for his alleged involvement.

Murdoch is free after posting

\$25,000 personal bond. Maximum sentence for conspiracy is five years in prison, Jones said.

No trial date has been set.

Sheriff's log

Friday, vandals broke four fruit trees in the yard of a home on Mustang Road, Independence Township.

Cost to replace the damaged trees is not available, according to police reports.

Saturday, thieves stole a dirt bike from the backyard of a home on Maplewood Road, Independence Township.

Cost to replace the bike is estimated at \$300, according to police reports.

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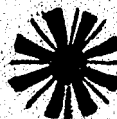
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Black gold: Quest for oil is underway in Springfield Township

By Al Zawacky

When people think of America's oil-producing states, names like Texas, Oklahoma and Pennsylvania usually come to mind.

Perhaps surprisingly, Michigan also ranks high on the list — and there's evidence of Michigan's petroleum industry right in Springfield Township.

It's there, off Bridge Lake Road near Dixie Highway, that Norm Dupuie and Ed deNavarre of the Mid-America Oil and Gas Corporation hope to find the elusive black gold.

"Michigan ranks 11th in the nation in current production," says Dupuie, Mid-America's land manager. "And it keeps going up — I think it was 13th last year."

A maximum depth of about 4,900 feet in the Niagran will be attained at the Bridge Lake Road site, says deNavarre, Mid-America's president. That means the drillers will know sometime this week whether they've got a well or a "dry hole," he says.

"That just shows you how much the technology has advanced," says deNavarre. "It used to be that we'd spend a year — now it's just a matter of days."

The drilling site, known as the old Ellis Farm to area residents, is being leased to the oil company by co-owners Norman and Dorothy Ellis and Ralph and Emalyn Freeman, says Dupuie.

It isn't the first time that oil has been sought on the site, he adds.

"They drilled for oil here in 1942, but for some reason they abandoned the well," Dupuie says. "At \$2 a barrel (the 1942 price), I guess they figured it wasn't worth the expense."

The expense today is bigger than ever, but at the going international rate of \$40 a barrel, the incentive is there.

"A dry hole costs about \$225,000," Dupuie says. "For a completion, figure twice that."

"Oil drilling today is really a team effort — there's the people you lease the property from, the geologists, the drillers — it takes a lot of people working together."

In its first year of operation, Mid-America Oil and Gas is financed by Jim Cook, a Minneapolis-based businessman who is also in the gold and silver business.

"It's a long story," Dupuie says, explaining how the company got started. "Both Ed (deNavarre) and Jim are avid duck hunters, and I think they met while hunting. Jim decided to invest his personal money to finance Ed."

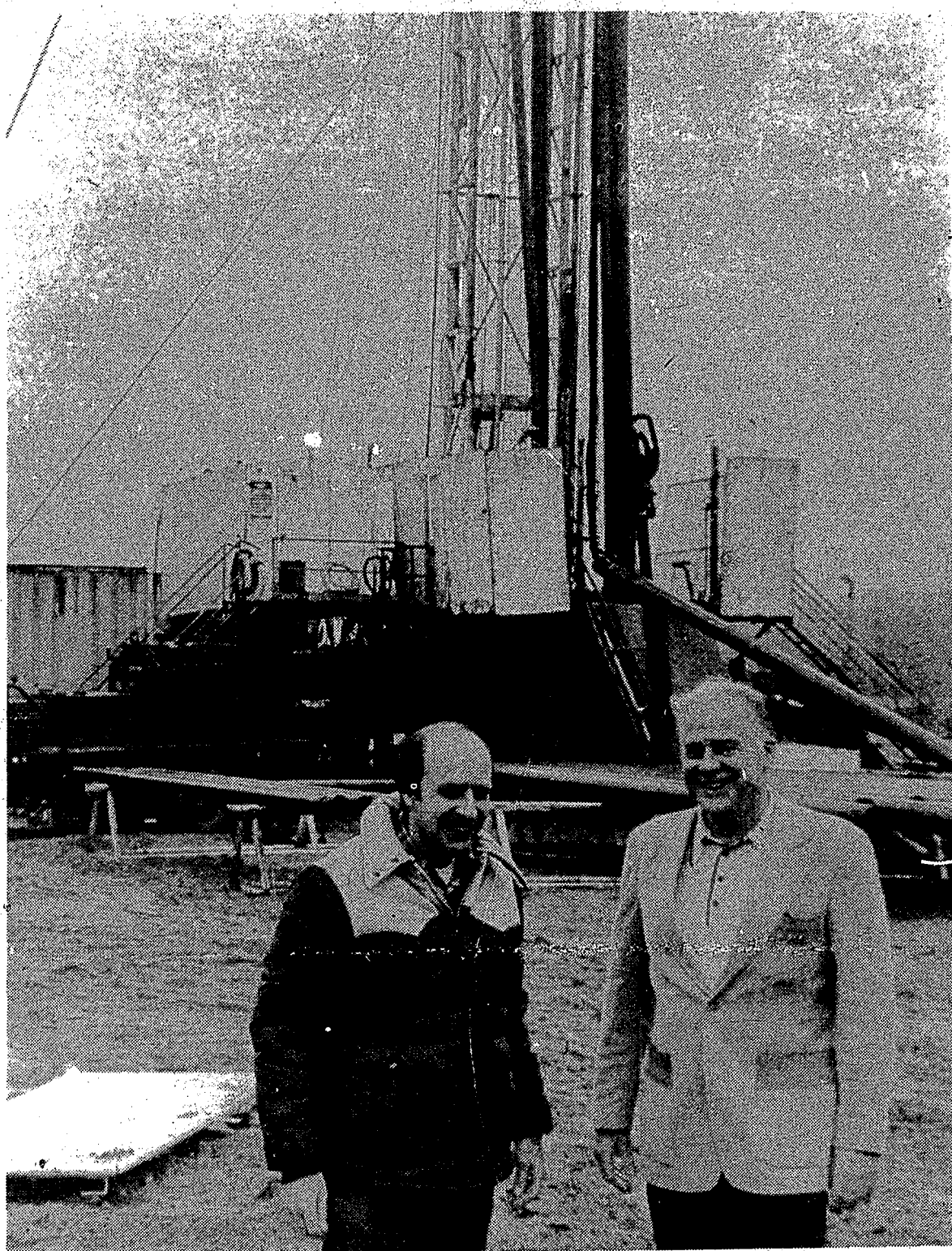
Using his own personal method for deciding where to drill, deNavarre, of New Baltimore, chose a spot approximately 400 feet from the 1942 drilling site and is currently spending much of his time supervising the operation, and hoping for results.

"We're working around the clock, going in three eight-hour shifts," he says.

Dupuie, who lives in Lakeville, Addison Township, says a permit was obtained from the state Department of Natural Resources before the drilling could begin, and that the land will be restored to its original condition when the work is completed.

"One thing I'd like to mention is that the people here have really been cooperative," Dupuie says. "All the residents have cooperated beautifully."

Using deNavarre's oil-finding technique, Mid-America hit the center of a deposit in Grand Traverse county last week. More testing has to be done to determine how much gas and/or oil is in the deposit, but initial reports are good.



Mid-America Oil and Gas Corporation President Ed deNavarre [left] and Land Manager Norm Dupuie are hoping to find oil off Bridge Lake Road in Springfield Township.

Village gives nod to sidewalks, preservation

By Marilyn Trumper

Residents and business people in the Village of Clarkston have several ideas on ways to spend an expected \$15,000 in 1981 Community Development funds (CD).

Ideas tossed out at the Dec. 8 meeting involved everything

from sidewalk construction to street light installation.

When discussions ended, the Clarkston Village Council voted unanimously to apply for \$5,000 toward sidewalk construction and \$10,000 for historical preservation.

"I think it would be good to have a sidewalk built along

Clarkston-Orion Road toward the library and hope the township will continue to build it up to the library," said Fontie ApMadoc, village president.

"But this might be hard because we have to show it's being built in a low-to-moderate income level. If they deny the application, we'll ask the whole \$15,000 go for historical preservation," she said.

Under the heading historical preservation, she said, the money can be spent for a virtual "grab bag" of projects from refuse containers to studies to street furniture.

Carol Eberhardt, owner of the business One More Time on Washington Street, offered two suggestions.

"I ask if you might consider changing street lighting to a more appropriate style that meets the needs of the village," she said.

"After spending so much money on Betty Lee Francis' study this would be a visible way to implement some of her ideas and plans," she said. "If that can't be done, how about the village purchasing the lot behind Hallman's, repairing it, and turning it into a lighted walkway?"

Jennifer Radcliff of Main Street and Virginia Walters of Washington Street, agreed with Eberhardt's proposals and Walters added, "I think it would have an immediate visual impact on the village."

Radcliff offered another suggestion, pointing to what she sees as new movement to widen M-15 to five lanes outside the village limits.

"The first thing they'll do is remove parking from Main Street and I would be strongly opposed to that, as would the businesses. We all share concern over the impact this would have

on the downtown area and the tenor of the historical district," she said.

"I feel the village should consider allocating some CD money for a traffic study and the creation of an alternative plan. The state would have to respond to that," Radcliff said.

Radcliff suggested the village approach the township with a proposal to help finance the cost of the study with its won CD money.

Council members agreed and ApMadoc added such a study could be paid for with \$2,500 available in 1979 CD money.

After the meeting, ApMadoc said a council member would approach Independence Township Board members with the cost-sharing idea at the township's CD fund hearing set for Dec. 16, 7:30 p.m., Independence Township Hall, 90 N. Main Street, Clarkston.



Santa and Mrs. Claus are waiting to hear from local youngsters.

They will be answering telephone calls on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 17, 18 and 19, between 3 and 5 p.m.

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County road plan update

Some homeowners may find they have a little extra backyard to fool around with.

Businesses may discover they can build that parking lot a little larger than originally anticipated.

No, it's not a magic wand that's been waved to realign property boundaries, but it is the next best thing.

The Oakland County Road Commission (OCRC) has realigned its master plan right-of-way which marks areas proposed for construction of primary and local roads.

The plan was drawn up in 1953 as a way to provide easier transition from township to township throughout the tri-county areas, explains Dennis Pajot, OCRC spokesperson.

"We didn't want to have 16 Mile Road in Macomb County be four lanes and then dwindle down to two when it hit Oakland County," he said, explaining the plan's strategy.

Every so many years the plan is updated, he said, explaining the reasons for the latest changes.

First of all, the plan is out of date and 25-year-old concepts have become passe, he said.

"Roads were planned for areas that were expected to develop, and they haven't developed in the way planned, so the roads are not necessary," he said.

The commission also felt it was unreasonable to ask people to set aside parts of their land that were never going to be used, he said.

"Lastly, due to the drop in gas and weight tax revenue, the OCRC discovered it was not going to have the money to acquire property to build. So to keep up with today's realities they've modified the master plan," he said.

The OCRC's changes in the master plan for Independence Township appear below.

Road Segment	Present OCRC Plan	Recommended OCRC Plan
Oak Hill Road (new location) - west township line (Ellis Road) to Reese Road	204'	Del
Oak Hill Road (existing) - west Township Line (Ellis Road) to Reese Road	86'	120'
Oak Hill Rd (existing)-Reese Road to Dartmouth Road	204'	120'
North Twp. Line - Dartmouth Road to Baldwin Road	204'	Del
Ellis Road-Kier Road to Oak Hill Rd.	86'	120'
Baldwin Road - Indianwood to Stanton Rd.	204'	150'
Route-Under-Study - Shapple Road at Perry Lake Road to Sashabaw Road	R-U-S	Del
Indianwood Road (proposed extension)-Sashabaw Road at Pine Knob Road to Indianwood Road (approximately 1/4 west of Dartmouth Road)	120'	Del
Route-Under-Study - west Twp. Line (Ellis Road) to Allen Road at Hubbard Road	R-U-S	Del
Cranberry Lake Road - Ortonville Road (M-15) to Perry Lake Road	120'	86'
Perry Lake Road - Cranberry Lake Rd. to south boundary line of Independence Oaks, County Park	120'	86'
Michigamme Road - Clarkston to Mohawk Road	86'	R-U-S
Michigamme Road - Mohaw (south of Stickney Road) to Whipple Lake Road	N.D.	86'
Un-named Road - Michigamme Road to Clarkston Road	86'	Del
Clarkston Road - from Clintonville to east Township Line	86'	120'
Route-Under-Study - Clintonville Road at Clarkston Road to Clarkston Road at east Township Line	R-U-S	Del
Route-Under-Study (on east twp. line) - Waldon Road to Clarkston Road	R-U-S	Del
Route-Under-Study - Waldon Road to Clarkston Road at Flemings Lake Road	R-U-S	Del
Route-Under-Study - Maybee Road to Waldon Road	R-U-S	Del
White Lake Road - Andersonville Road to Dixie Highway	204'	120'
Maybee Road (proposed) - White Lake Road to Dixie Highway (US-10)	204'	Del
Maybee Road - Dixie Highway (US-10) to Pine Knob Lane	204'	120'
Maybee Road - Pine Knob Lane to Clintonville Road	N.D.	120'
Maybee Road (proposed) - Pine Knob Lane to Rohr Road	204'	Del
Pelton Road (proposed extension) - from Pelton at Sashabaw Road to Pine Knob Lane at Pine Knob Trail	R-U-S	Del

*R-U-S (Route-Under-Study)

*N.D. (No Designation)

*Del (Delete)

Call for more evergreens

More evergreens are needed along the rear of the Clarkston Mills parking lot to form a screen between residential and commercial properties.

That's the word from both the Clarkston Village Council and Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) and they've taken steps to remedy the situation.

The quest for proper screening has been ongoing for a couple of years, ever since the Mills was first purchased by Marc Alan, said ZBA member Edward Thomson.

"Back when Marc Alan was owner of the Mills he came to the ZBA and asked for a variance from the required 6-foot-high wall separating residential from commercial," he said.

"The ZBA granted the exception, providing they would install an evergreen screen," he said.

They were to submit an architectural plan prior to planting anything, and, while they had a plan, it was never approved, he said.

Time went by the evergreen screen was never planted.

Last June, Ted Remke Sr., then owner of the Mills, planted 10 evergreen trees in an effort to fulfill an obligation left by Alan.

Jacob Petty's Restaurant was not going to receive an occupancy permit to open until the evergreen screen was planted or money for the planting was placed in an escrow account, Thomson said.

The 10 evergreen trees planted by Remke were not enough to produce a screen, Thomson said.

As a result, the new owners of the Clarkston Mills, Forrest Milsoz, Edward Adler and Dr. Gary Welch, have inherited the obligation.

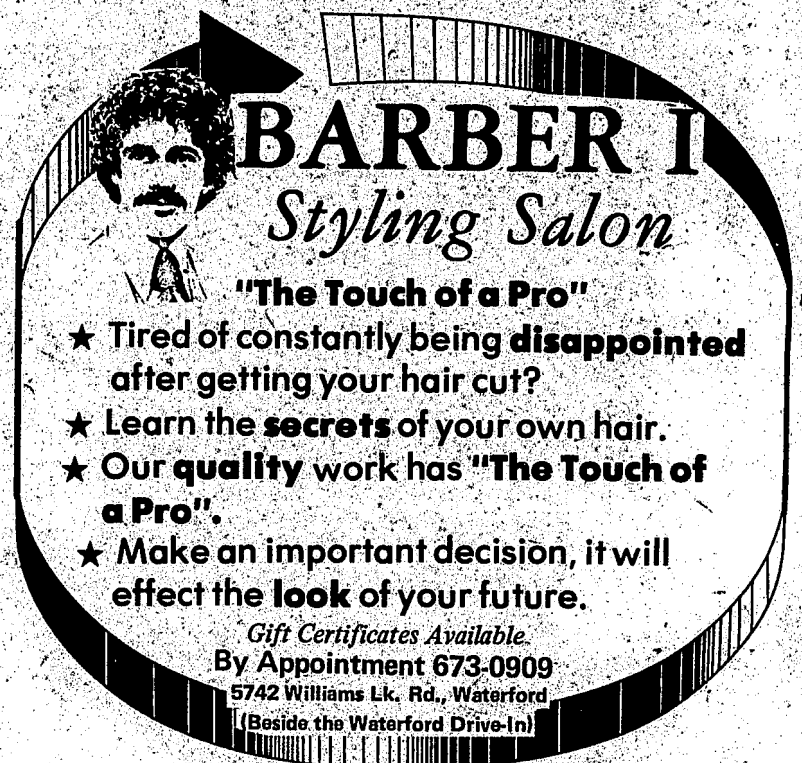
Two weeks ago, the village council asked the ZBA to clarify in writing, exactly what kind of

planting they expected.

At the Dec. 8 meeting, the village council reviewed the ZBA's requirements.

It calls for a single row of 6-foot-tall trees planted at 5-foot intervals. The trees are to be evergreens that remain bushy at the base like Scotch or Austrian pines.

The plan is to be sent on to the Mills owners with a Jan. 26 deadline to appear before the council with a landscaping plan.



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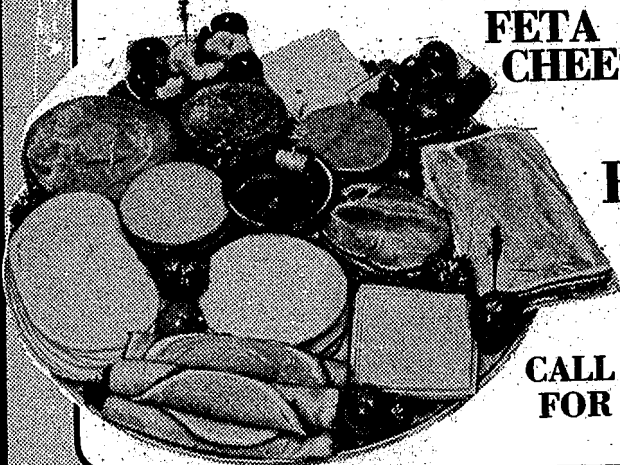
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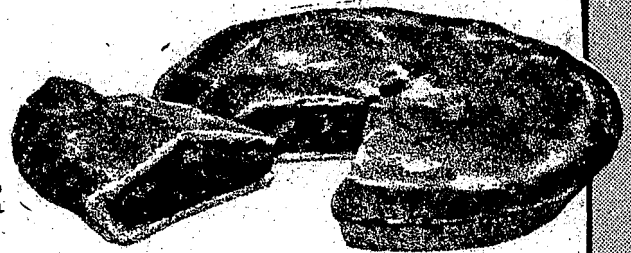


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Letters to editor

Space program helps keep economy on solid ground

Dear Editor:

I'm disappointed that the people answering the questions in "Talking About" on Nov. 26 about Voyager I know so little about the Space Program.

One woman said the money should be spent on things like medical research. I'm sorry, but she never heard of the spin-off that is helping the blind and heart patients today.

This is only one example that has come true because of the Space Program.

A man said money should be spent on the elderly and for social security.

Surely he must be aware of the young people employed in the Space Program throughout the country.

They are contributing to the social security programs, today, and will be for years to come. (My husband will be retiring next year from Cape Kennedy.)

I only wish there will be something left for the young one day.

Another man said too much money is being spent by the government and that he looks to Reagan for help.

He must know that President-elect Reagan has a big part of

the Space Program in California.

As for the woman who said too much money is going into space, the money is not sent up to the sky in rockets.

It is spent here on Earth in salaries, material, etc.

I often wonder if people who complain about the Space Program would rather have the money go to our Welfare Program or to keep the economy going. I'll take the latter.

Wishing you all a happy holiday!

Mrs. F. Frank
Winter park, Fla.

Whole family enjoys News

Dear Publisher:

Enclosed is your dunning notice for a subscription renewal.

I renewed it for three years a year ago, and Jean also renewed for one year at the same time. We should have three more years to go.

Since, by the time we receive it, it is not a weekly newspaper, but a historical document, I wonder at its value for us.

If it were not for your column and, more important, Jim Fitzgerald's weekly delight, I might demand an instant return of our money.

Forgive the above jibes. The whole family enjoys The Clarkston News.

Independence Township seems never to change.

The election coverage just seemed to be a repetition of the dreary politics of 15 years ago.

Same plot, same cast of

characters, with different names playing the roles.

I suppose we'll find out that the politics and political performers here are not much different than those in Clarkston.

However, the people here seem more vociferous in their resentments of the body politic and propositions appear on the ballot for voter reaction; it seems, more easily.

Government by referendum at least gives us a shot at the more obvious rip-offs.

We all really enjoy Northern California. The Bay climate is benign.

Please enjoy the use of your oft-mentioned snow shovels.

I gave ours to Jim Vollbach with a very impractical physiological suggestion as to what he could do with it, since we won't need it again.

(Come to think of it, he'd look

rather silly trying to shovel the driveway THAT way.)

Best regards
Chuck Fletcher
Santa Clara, Calif.

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Holiday ailment

by Kathy Greenfield



I had forgotten about my annual Christmas backache until I woke up with one a few days ago.

When that happens, I begin having little talks with myself.

"Backaches like this are caused by stress," I say. "It's all in your mind. Get a grip and relax a little."

It never works.

The next step is to attack the problem that creates the tension. There's an easy solution here — get all the Christmas shopping done, bake cookies, decorate the tree and, above all else, get organized.

Did I say easy?

My biggest problem overall is that I used to do all sorts of Christmasy things when I spent my time as a homemaker.

I spent hours shopping all over the place for the perfect, unusual gift — one certain to delight its recipient.

Okay. So I have another little chat with myself.

"Who was having the most fun here, the gifter or the giftee?" I ask. "Although everyone seemed to enjoy the

choices I made, it was no big deal."

A couple of weeks ago, my 10-year-old niece and I were having a discussion about our coming family celebration.

"Aunt Kathy, I always like the presents you give me," she said. "They're always different, but things I really like."

I'm not kidding. She really said that.

More interior dialogue. "I won't disappoint her."

Next, I'll tackle the cookie baking myth.

"Who needs them. When I baked a lot at Christmas time, I always gained at least five pounds," I say.

I walk into the home of a friend. The smells of Christmas — one of which is provided by baking goodies — are there.

"It wasn't really that hard to cast off the extra weight," I remember.

On to the gift buying.

"I'll sit down and make a list," I decide. "It's not all that bad. I've been stocking up on little things for months."

I get as far as the names with neat little dashes afterwards.

The telephone rings, my children ask me what I'm doing, the cat begins scratching the upholstery, the dog wants out. I'll do it tomorrow.

A few things are certain. Christmas will come on Dec. 25. I'll have to give up a couple of traditions. My backache will go away.

And Christmas will continue to be my favorite time of the year.

There's nothing that beats the excitement, visual pleasure from seeing the Christmas packaging of home and the fun of planning special surprises for those you love.



Jim's jottings

With friends like that...

by Jim Sherman

What good are friends and neighbors if they can't try to get you into trouble once in a while.

After all, they deserve a good laugh, even at our expense.

It is toward the latter that we're directing our attention this week. It may really be "at our expense" that these two birds got their yuks.

Seems the neighbor, Dick we'll call him, was in our businessman friend's store recently.

Dick spends little time being our neighbor. He spends a lot of time at his cider mill taking advantage of Auburn Heights customers, or

beating carpenters, electricians and plumbers out of a living by doing his own remodeling.

Dick and I have a good summer relationship. He tells me how to fix my swimming pool and we run some water to help him fill his. We both spent about the same amount of time in a swimming pool... an hour a year.

Anyway, Dick was in our friend's business. Our friend is being audited by the IRS, and has been for months.

The two got onto the topic of vacations. Our name was brought

up. We were told by a prejudiced party that Dick wondered loudly at Sherman being able to take vacations and write them off as a business expense because he writes about his experiences.

That isn't exactly true, but we are permitted some consideration, with provisions.

The one being investigated found Dick's remark funny and laughed loudly as he pointed to the IRS in the corner.

That really turned Dick on. He upped the tempo, chuckled at his good fortune at finding an Achilles's

heel exposed, and friend and neighbor went into a fifteen minute routine that ended with me behind bars, divorced, and homeless.

We can only imagine the actual exchange between friend and neighbor. But even in mild terms the image is one that should not surface in this season of the year.

However, we're not in the proper frame to turn the other cheek. Bushman Disposal is looking for a site closer to home. Perhaps he'd be interested in a landfill on W. Drahn road.

It might attract a few rats, but what's one more.

Car poolers rebel; American Legion lot empty

To the Editor:

Since I moved to Clarkston 18 months ago, I have taken an active part in energy conservation by participating in a car pool for transportation to and from work.

I am joined in my efforts by three other conservation-minded residents of Independence and Springfield townships.

For those of you who drive along M-15 on weekday mornings near I-75, you are aware we are not the only car poolers in the area.

However, as of Dec. 1, many of us have encountered a problem.

Up until that date, the American Legion Hall members on M-15, north of I-75, have been very cooperative in allowing car poolers to park vehicles on their property.

This involved about 50 cars and trucks. This gesture was greatly appreciated and very timely, considering the current state of our economy and energy situation.

However, effective Dec. 1, we were all informed that in order to park at the Legion Hall during the months of December, January, February and March, we would each have to pay a monthly fee of \$20 per vehicle (regardless of whether it was parked there every day).

This charge, so it was stated, was to pay for winter snow removal.

Last winter, the parking was confined to the paved lot only, which, of course, was kept plowed for the Legion members, anyway.

The quantity of 50 participants with cars and trucks involved is

certainly a conservative figure. But, even using that amount, the \$20 charge would total \$4,000 for the four months in question.

In checking with those in the snow removal business, a seasonal contract for such a lot would cost \$600 to \$800, particularly considering the winter we had last year, and that which is forecast for this year.

It appears IF it was necessary to supplement the Legion's budget for snow removal, that a charge of more like \$5 per month would have been far more adequate.

As a result, since Dec. 1, there

has been no one parking in the Legion Lot, and we are all forced to find areas "anywhere we can" to leave our vehicles.

The recently completed com-

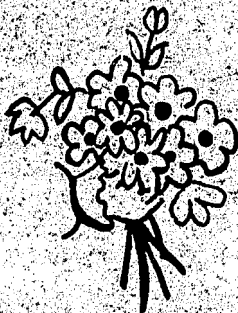
muter lot near I-75 and M-15 is much too small to accommodate the car poolers in this area.

It appears that many of us may just be forced to abandon

our conservatism for the winter, when energy is at such a premium.

Concerned, Conservative, but not Crazy

Bouquet



On behalf of myself, Herman Jaenichen, and the Springfield Township senior citizens, I wish to thank the Davisburg Rotary Arms for their lovely annual Christmas Dinner Sunday, Dec. 14.

The entertainment was furnished by the Adelphi College of Holly.

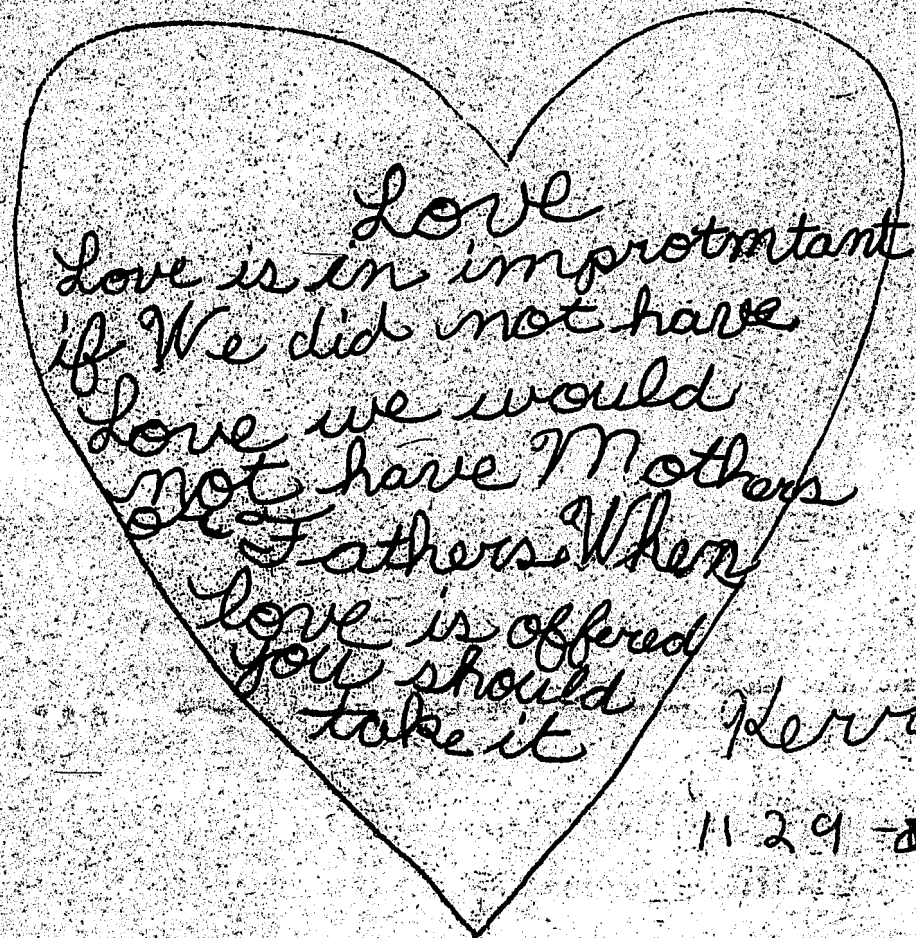
The Girls' Choir and the Men's Brass Ensemble were something to be proud of.

Herman Jaenichen
Dixie Highway
Springfield Township

Eight-year-old Kerri Brudnak captures the spirit of the season with her thoughts on love.

"We asked her afterward, 'What made you write it?' and she said, 'That's how I feel.'" says her proud mother, Judy.

Kerri's father's name is George. The Brudnaks live on Bridge Lake Road in Springfield Township.



'If it Fitz. ...'

Hiring buyers

by Jim Fitzgerald



I have a terrible confession to make. I have never, not even once, gone into a store unassisted and purchased a Christmas gift for someone.

When I was a little boy, I didn't have any money, so I wasn't expected to buy anything for anybody. I made gifts for my mother in school. Usually I made her a necklace by cleverly shaping short strips of colorful paper into circles and then pasting the circles into a chain. The excess paste always turned into crumbs which I ate off the chain. By the time I graduated, my mother had a cedar chest full of paper necklaces and I had a pasty complexion.

I never made anything for my father because he always said he didn't want anything for Christmas. All my life, when people have told me they don't want anything for Christmas, I have always respected their wishes.

I never made anything for my sisters because I didn't like them. One thing I have never been is a pasty-faced hypocrite.

When I became old enough to earn money, I paid one of my little sisters to

do my Christmas shopping. Her name was, and still is, Nancy, but I have always called her the Itch. As a youngster, she was different than my much older sister, Terrible Jean, in that Nancy never pounded me into a pulp. Instead, she irritated me into a frenzy, like an itch that can't be scratched.

The Itch's most irritating habit was selling me sandwiches. When I was in my late teens, my life-style often required that I get home several hours late for dinner. The Itch would make me scrambled egg sandwiches for 50 cents each, \$1 after midnight. If I balked at the price, she would go into a loud sales spiel certain to awaken our father, who would surely notice that his only son was walking on all fours. You may wonder why I didn't make my own sandwiches. I just told you.

In the spirit of the season, the Itch wasn't so crassly commercial about selling her shopping services. She was sensitive enough to perceive the difference between scrambled eggs and Christmas, so she didn't charge me cash. Instead, her compensation was

that she could buy her own gift from me, with my money, and could keep the change. If I demanded to see an itemized statement, she could awaken Dad.

I would give her \$50 with which to buy six gifts and she would buy a \$20 sweater for herself and \$2 box of chocolate-covered cherries for the other five recipients to share.

The reason I got married was to establish a relationship with someone I could afford to hire to do my Christmas shopping. It is no trouble for my wife to do my gift-buying because she is always in a store anyway. I still never see an itemized statement but I draw financial comfort from the fact that my wife had never charged me more than 25 cents for a scrambled egg sandwich, even after midnight.

The misty-eyed among you might wonder if I am so unromantic that my wife is forced to shop for her own Christmas gift from me. Only if she wants one.

I'm kidding. In the early Christmases of our marriage, I would go into a store

and buy something pretty for her. The only requirement was that she had to go into that same store a week earlier and tell the salespersons what to sell me. My credo was that a person should be able to do all his Christmas shopping while double parked. I hardly had to slow down for the several sales clerks who regularly met me at the curb with wrapped packages.

As soon as my daughters got old enough, they took over the task of selecting whatever I give my wife for Christmas. This works out fine because, naturally, my wife shops for whatever I give my daughters. They begin holding planning meetings in August. There is much giggling and I still never see an itemized statement.

I hope I don't come off sounding like Scrooge. I love Christmas. It's only shopping that I hate. Crowded stores and harried clerks cause my elbows to sting and my socks to unknit. If the day ever comes that I can't find someone to do my Christmas shopping for me, I'll go back to eating paste.

'Sashabaw corridor' emerges in master plan

By Marilyn Trumper

The times are changing in Independence Township and the planning commission is working to keep up with the changes.

In recent months, the commission has approved some rezoning and new land use requests for acreage in the "Sashabaw Corridor," the area south of Flemmings Lake Road to the township line.

Seeing a new trend in development unforeseen in the master plan, the commission called for a study of the corridor by Tod Kilroy, township planner.

The township master plan adopted in 1975, is under major review for the first time in an effort to keep up with changing needs.

Kilroy has proposed some changes to the corridor which are expected to be discussed at a public hearing in January. Until then, it remains under review by the planning commission.

Kilroy has proposed the elimination of 110 acres planned for single family housing and the addition of 90 acres of multiple family unit development.

He also proposes using 90 acres for offices and eliminating 50 acres outlined in the master plan for light industrial use.

In addition, he suggest

eliminating 20 acres planned for community commercial development based on findings from a marketing study analysis.

The study showed that 25 acres of commercially zoned and developed property is utilized now when only 20 acres is needed under current population figures.

"This means that population from outside the corridor and immediate area are using those commercial properties," he said.

In 1995, a projected population of 6,000 would only use 66 acres of commercial property, prompting Kilroy's proposal to eliminate 20 commercially zoned acres.

"It's important to remember these are not set boundaries, they are only suggestions," he said. "They are projected to meet long-range developments. It doesn't mean immediate rezoning nor does it mean we'll immediately be surrounded by a boom in condominium development."

Kilroy's proposed changes to the master plan are as follows:
 •An increase of 20 acres zoned multiple family in the northeast corner of Sashabaw and Maybee roads. Present zoning of 50 acres of community commercial would be reduced to 30 acres.

•North of Pine Knob Elementary School, office zoning would replace single family residential and industrial zoning north of Bow Pointe Road to the planned industrial park. Multiple and industrial zoning currently there would remain.

•Along the south side of Waldon Road on the west side of

Sashabaw Road, the replacement of single family residential zoning with office zoning.

•On the west side of Sashabaw Road, across the street from Pine Knob Elementary, rezoning single family residential and industrial to office.

•North of that, to replace industrial zoning with multiple zoning, up to the boundaries of the now closed gravel pit.

This would provide a low density transition zone between future multiple and planned industrial to the north of Waldon Road, Kilroy's report said.

Offices ok'd along corridor

Keep an eye out for new development.

The Independence Township Planning Commission has approved several rezoning and new land use requests in the Sashabaw Corridor over the past year.

The latest occurred on Dec. 11 when the commission unanimously recommended approval of an amendment to the zoning ordinance which would allow the construction of a chiropractor's office if approved by the township board.

The amendment will allow office use in a limited industrial district and should be heard by the township board at its Jan. 6 meeting.

If the township board approves the amendment, the commission is expected to review conceptual and final site plans for the chiropractor's office at a Jan. 8 meeting.

There has been other developments approved for the corridor area.

Last winter, site plan approval was given to the Oakland Coun-

ty Board of Realtors to build a new office in the corridor.

In August, a gravel extraction operation was approved by the zoning board of appeals for an area off the Waldon and Sashabaw intersection.

On Dec. 2, the Independence Township Board approved the rezoning of 11-and-one-half acres from single family residential to local commercial.

The developer plans the construction of an office complex built around a cul-de-sac.

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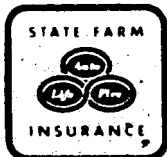
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DPW ready for move to new facility

By Marilyn Turner

Goodbye to cramped working conditions in the Independence Township building annex.

There'll be no more sharing of office space with building and planning personnel for George Anderson, director of the department of public works for Independence Township.

Within the next two weeks, Anderson and his staff of five expect to move into the new DPW building on Flemings Lake Road, south of I-75.

"I'm ready to go," Anderson said, adding he anticipates the township board's go ahead at the Dec. 16 meeting.

The project, including the building, backstop road and parking lot, sits on approximately five acres of a 23-acre parcel originally purchased by the township for a cemetery.

Constructed of concrete and steel, the 7,600-square-foot building was originally approved for development in December 1979.

The building cost \$314,000 to construct which was paid by contractors Clements and VanWagnen of Lapeer, with the agreement the township would repay them when the job was completed.

The building is going to provide office space for municipal employees, as well as storage for voting machines, parks and recreation equipment and vehicles, Anderson said.

In addition, there's an area for light truck and car repair complete with a hoist, which will service all township vehicles except for the fire department.

While the location of the DPW may change, the telephone number will not, Anderson said. He can always be reached by phoning 625-8222.



George Anderson is anxious to move into the new Department of Public Works building in Independence Township, built at a cost of \$314,000. The rear of the modern building butts up against I-75 while the front faces Flemings Lake Road. Bright orange and deep navy blue angle around the building's sides.

3 house sites approved

Those living near the intersection of Clarkston-Orion and Perry Lake Roads, Independence Township, can look for new neighbors in the future.

The township board gave final

plat approval to three sites in Steeple Ridge subdivision at the Dec. 2 meeting.

There are 11 additional sites within the subdivision still to be approved.

Christmas Specials

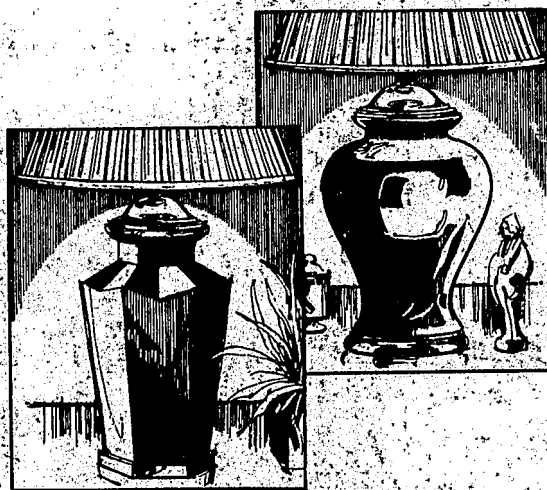
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Village orders Mills to stop work on addition

By Marilyn Trumper

The Village of Clarkston frowns on construction inside village limits without the issuance of a building permit.

When owners of the Clarkston Mills began closing in an area of the mall without first acquiring a building permit — Clarkston had the township building department immediately issue a stop-work order.

Edward Thomson, member of the village zoning board of appeals, filled in the village council on the situation at the Dec. 8 meeting.

The construction involved enclosing an original part of the building where pillars, an overhanging roof and a wall already existed, he said.

"By enclosing the area they've increased their rental space by 2,700 to 2,800 square feet," he said. "The outside of the building is completed but the inside still needs some work."

"I think the stop-work order woke 'em up. Since then we've had several conversations and they are anxious to get into completion and put in the florist shop," he said.

Before any work begins, he explained, the stop-work order must be lifted, a building permit

issued and final site plan approved.

"I think it would be counter-productive for the village to attempt to push punitive action on them about this, because they had no building permit," he said.

"I think we've gotten the action that's needed after it's taken a two-by-four to wake up the mule."

Council members pointed to the visit by Mills owners at the Nov. 24 meeting where they pledged cooperation with village residents and government.

"I defer judgment to you Ted (on this matter) but I see this as a very dismal situation," said Ruth Basinger, council member.

"Just two weeks ago they came here — all three of them

together — and said to us, 'Trust us, trust us.' Then this is what happens. They build without a permit."

Thomson responded with, "It (the Mills) is in tough shape financially. Two of the occupants have filed under Chapter 11 and others are close to it. I think we want to keep this (the mall) as viable an operation as possible."

Council members approved the final site plan and gave Thomson the go ahead to lift the stop-work order and have the building permit issued.

After the meeting, Forrest Milzow, one of the partners in the Mills ownership said, "I did not see it as an addition, I saw it as a glassing in a porch."

Milzow refused to comment further.

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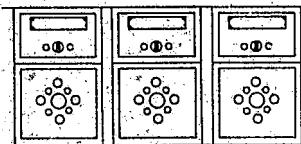
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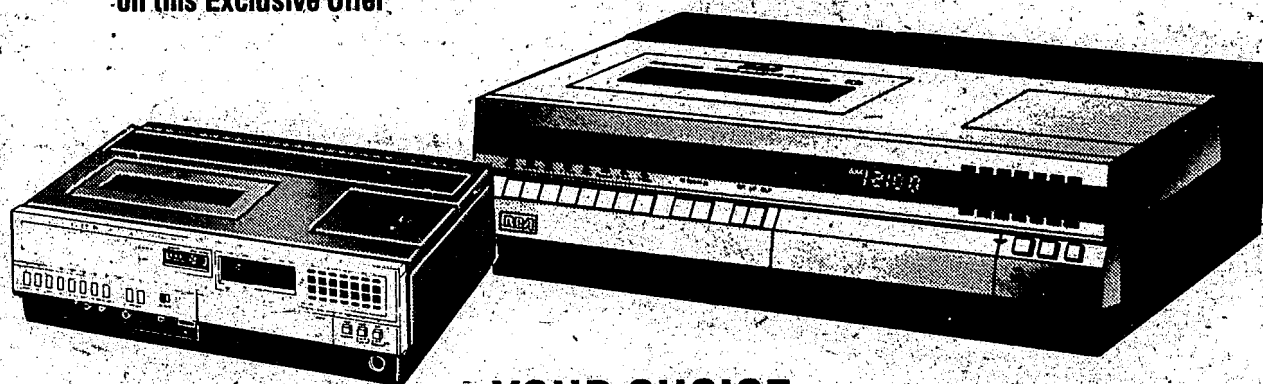
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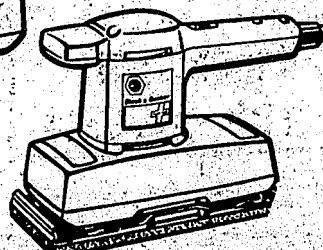
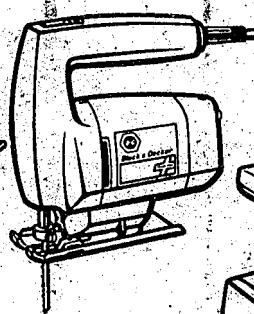
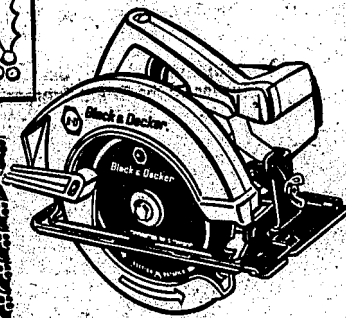


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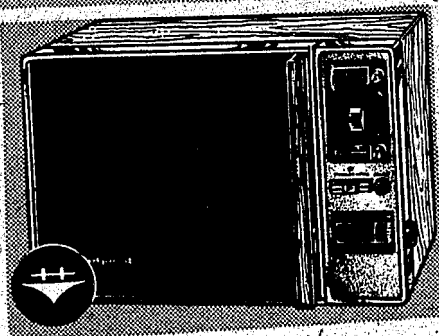
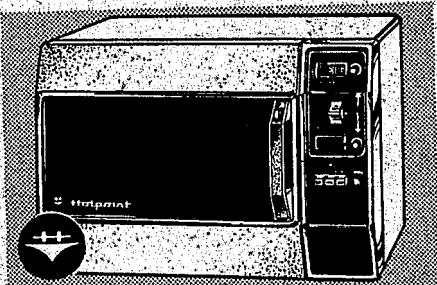
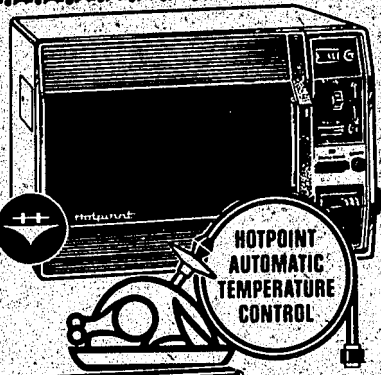


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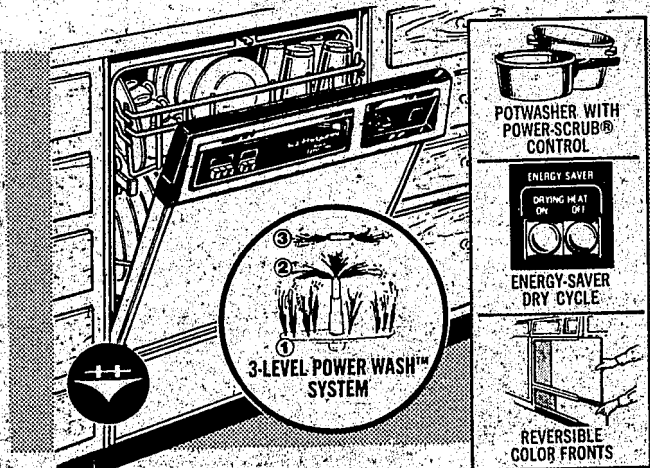
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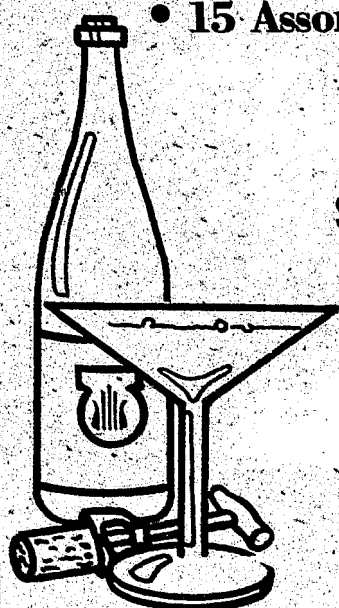
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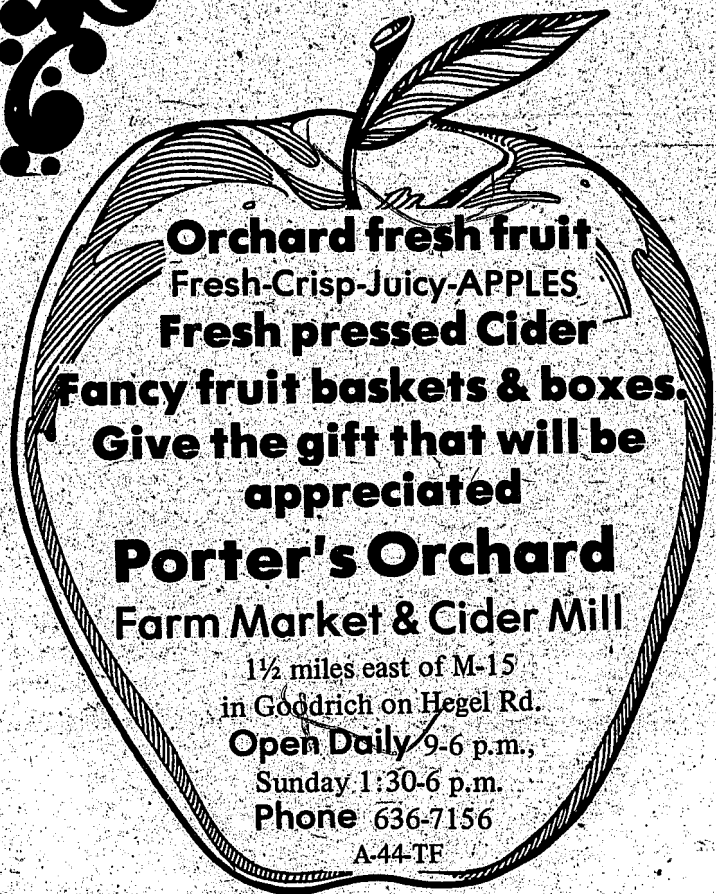
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Cemetery condition prompts takeover efforts

'There's something undignified about allowing (Case Cemetery) to deteriorate'—Susan Basinger

By Marilyn Trumper
Vandals have shattered and stolen headstones in the Case Cemetery located on Dartmouth Road, between Oakhill and In-

dianwood roads in Independence Township.

The fence around the perimeter of the cemetery is falling down and grass grows four to

five feet high in places.

At this point, no one knows what's happened to the cemetery association which maintained the property in the past where graves dating as far back as the 1800s are located.

These conditions prompted the Clarkston Community Historical Society to pose an idea to the Independence Township Board.

"They want to know if there isn't some way the township couldn't take it over," said Christopher Rose to board members at the Dec. 2 meeting.

If the township attorney were to proceed with abandonment, it could cost between \$4,200 and \$5,000, in legal fees, he said.

The historical society has expressed an interest in working with the township to repair the property, he added, and said they would be willing to help finance repair costs.

Susan Basinger, president of the historical society, added her thoughts following the meeting.

"If we could restore the tombstones they would be important for genealogical purposes, but more than that, there's something undignified about allowing the cemetery to deteriorate," she said.

"It is the responsibility of the population in general to care for

everyone's ancestors," she said. "Members of the society have discussed the idea of helping to finance the cost of a new fence and the possible restoration of headstones."

At the meeting, George Anderson, director of the township's department of public works, estimated a new fence to surround the cemetery would cost \$3,000.

The fence would be a deterrent to keep vandals from entering the yard, Rose said.

One board member was concerned about the legal fees that would be charged by the attorney to vacate the cemetery.

"Before we decide to do anything definite," said Trustee Dale Stuart, "let's see how much the actual legal fees are going to be, and see if they're not too high."

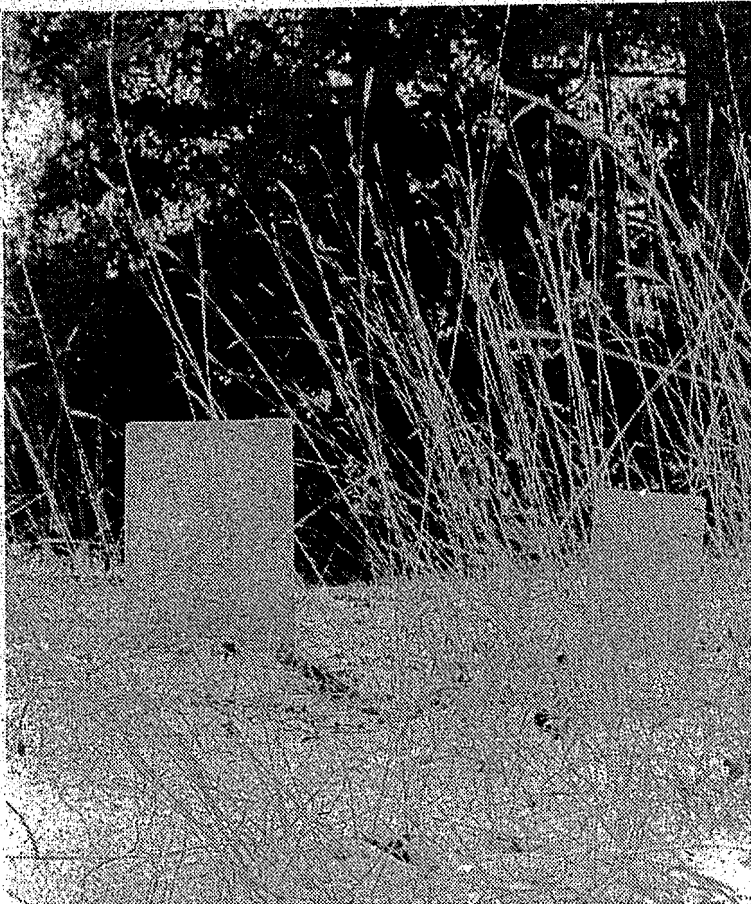
The township board unanimously agreed, and instructed Rose to investigate the matter.

A vacation of property is not the same as a condemnation, explained township attorney Richard Campbell, following the meeting.

"If it's established no one is taking care of the property and that it appears to be abandoned, we petition the court and ask the judge to declare it public property," he said.

Before any court action begins, Campbell said, he must make every attempt to discover what happened to the cemetery association.

The last funeral conducted in Case Cemetery took place in the 1950s, according to headstones.



Tall thin weeds surround forgotten graves in the Case Cemetery on Dartmouth Road, Independence Township.

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Operators say 1 to 2 more years needed

Salemn pit may request extension

By Marilyn Trumper

Since 1960 the Salemn gravel pit on Oak Hill Road has been operating in Independence Township.

A consent judgment in 1977 extended the pit's operation for an additional five years with specific plans for restoration of the 200-acre site.

While the operation should be winding down to a close by the end of April, 1982, it appears mining may continue for at least one to two more years, according to John F. Gillespie, general manager of J.P. Burrough's aggregate division, the firm which leases the site.

"We'll probably ask for some additional time to mine," Gillespie said. "Due to the economy we haven't extracted at the rate anticipated and we'll probably be stopping in another week or so when things start to freeze. This is only a seven-month operation."

"Before anything is done to amend the consent judgment, they'll be testing for more gravel under the water table to be sure

it's there," he said. "It might mean an additional year or two at the most."

The mining has been methodical and currently they're working under the water table, he said.

As outlined in the consent judgment, the company still has the right to mine the land by Round Lake and the land along Indianwood Road, he said.

Restoration of the land has been followed as defined in the consent judgement, including 35 acres on the west side of the pit that are to be restored by the end of this year, he said.

The seeding of that land has not been done and will probably be taken care of in the spring, Gillespie said.

The consent judgement in 1977 occurred when those leasing the land at that time asked the township to revise an earlier consent judgement which would allow them to mine additional acreage.

"Essentially the township wanted the orders of the pits defined. And, they wanted to pin them down on a reclamation

plan which was something that had not been done in the past," said Timothy Palulian, director of the building- and planning department.

The township approved the amendment with the new regulations on reclaiming the land, border definitions and the five-year deadline, he said.

The pit has maintained hours of operation from 8 a.m. to 3:45 p.m., coinciding with daily daylight to dusk hours as the consent judgement ordered, he said.

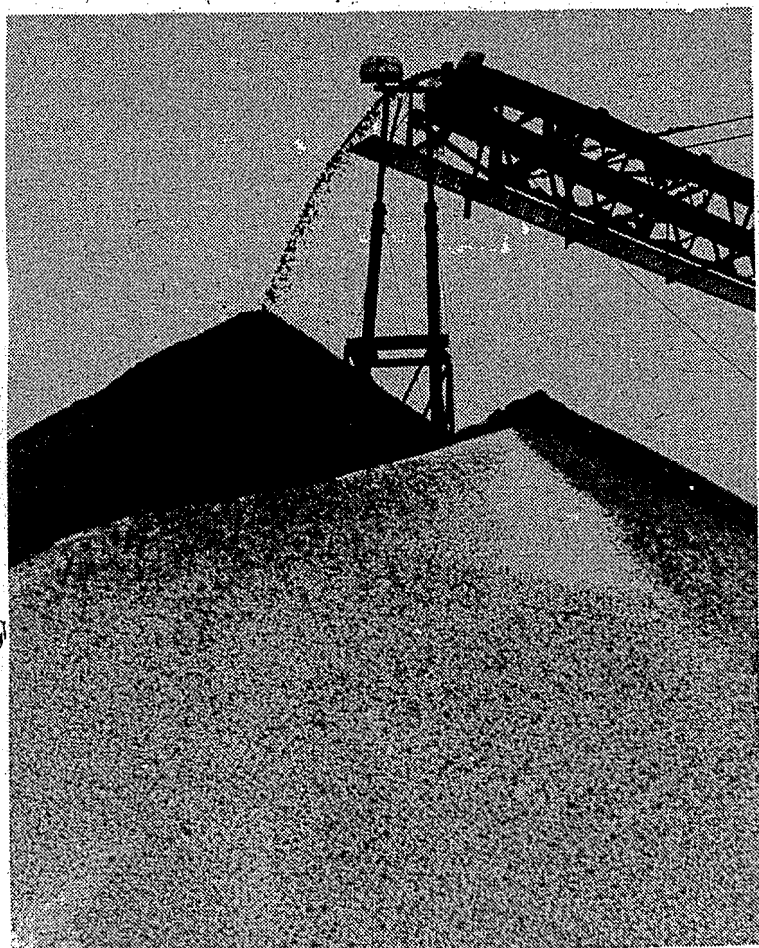
Gillespie did say truckers sometimes arrive before 8 a.m. but do not make runs after 3:45 p.m.

"The only real complaints we've had were about the condition of the road from the entrance out to Sashabaw," he said. "This past summer we provided the county with the materials and they repaired the road."

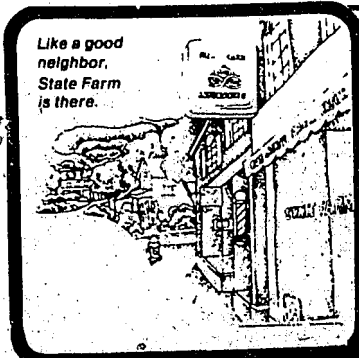
"We just want to be good neighbors," he said.



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Clarkston winter sport calendar

Use this page to keep track of Clarkston athletics: As games and meets are completed, the results will be recorded in the right hand column of the schedules—'W' for win and 'L' for loss.

Clarkston High School Boys Basketball

Varsity Coach: Gary Nustad
JV Coach: Larry Mahrle

Dec. 5	Davison	H	L
Dec. 9	Flint Carmen	H	W
Dec. 12	Lake Orion	H	W
Dec. 19	Kettering	H	6:15
Jan. 6	Mott	A	6:15
Jan. 9	W. Bloomfield	H	6:15
Jan. 13	Lakeland	H	6:15
Jan. 16	Millford	H	6:15
Jan. 20	Rochester Adams	H	6:15
Jan. 23	Rochester	A	6:15
Jan. 27	Andover	H	6:15
Jan. 30	Lake Orion	A	6:15
Feb. 3	Township	A	6:15
Feb. 6	Kettering	A	6:15
Feb. 10	Davison	A	6:15
Feb. 13	W. Bloomfield	A	6:15
Feb. 17	Pontiac Central	H	6:15
Feb. 20	Millford	A	6:15
Feb. 24	Lasher	A	6:15
Feb. 27	Rochester	H	6:15

Clarkston Junior High Boys Basketball

Coach: Larry Sherrill

Dec. 8	Crary	H	L
Dec. 11	Sashabaw	A	W
Dec. 17	Rochester West	A	4:00
Jan. 6	Mason	H	7:00
Jan. 8	Lake Orion West	H	7:00
Jan. 13	East Hills	A	4:00
Jan. 16	Pierce	A	3:30
Jan. 19	Walled Lake Central	H	7:00
Jan. 21	West Bloomfield	H	7:00
Jan. 27	Walled Lake Western	H	7:00
Jan. 29	Lake Orion East	A	4:00
Feb. 6	Rochester VanHoosen	A	4:00
Feb. 10	Millford	H	7:00
Feb. 12	Rochester Reuther	H	7:00
Feb. 16	Lakeland	A	4:00
Feb. 19	Sashabaw	H	7:00
Feb. 23	Grand Blanc	A	7:00
Feb. 27	Bloomfield	A	4:00

Clarkston High School Wrestling

Coach: Rick Detkowski

Dec. 4	Brandon	A	W
Dec. 6	Birmingham Groves	A	W
Dec. 10	Thurston Invitational	A	W
Dec. 10	Holly	A	W
Dec. 10	Avondale	A	W
Dec. 17	Fenton	H	6:00
Dec. 17	Clawson	H	6:00
Dec. 17	Southfield Lathrup	H	6:00
Dec. 17	Pontiac Catholic	H	6:00
Dec. 19	Oakland County Tourney	H	6:15
Dec. 20	Oakland County Tourney	H	6:15
Jan. 8	Waterford Kettering	H	6:15
Jan. 10	Plymouth Salem Invt.	A	8 am
Jan. 15	Rochester	A	7:00
Jan. 17	Clarkston Invitational	H	9 am
Jan. 22	Millford	A	6:30
Jan. 24	Southfield Lathrup Invt.	A	6:30
Jan. 27	Pontiac Northern	A	6:00
Jan. 27	Birmingham Brother Rice	A	6:00
Jan. 27	Waterford Mott	A	6:00
Jan. 29	Lake Orion	A	6:30
Feb. 3	Lakeland	H	6:15
Feb. 5	West Bloomfield	H	6:15
Feb. 7	League Meet [Roch.]	A	6:15
Feb. 14	District	A	6:15

On dates of tri- or quad-meets, school in Bold Face Type is location of the meet.

Sashabaw Junior High Boys Basketball

Coach: Gary Mason

Dec. 5	Pierce	A	L
Dec. 8	Grand Blanc	H	W
Dec. 11	Clarkston	H	L
Dec. 16	Walled Lake Central	H	4:00
Jan. 7	West Bloomfield	A	7:00
Jan. 9	Lake Orion East	H	4:00
Jan. 13	Walled Lake Western	A	3:45
Jan. 15	Rochester Vanhoosen	H	7:00
Jan. 20	Millford	A	4:00
Jan. 22	Rochester Reuther	H	7:00
Jan. 26	Lakeland	A	4:00
Jan. 29	West Hills	H	7:00
Feb. 3	Lake Orion West	A	4:00
Feb. 5	Bloomfield	H	7:00
Feb. 10	Crary	H	7:00
Feb. 13	Rochester West	A	4:00
Feb. 17	Mason	H	7:00
Feb. 19	Clarkston	A	7:00
Feb. 27	East Hills	A	7:00

Sashabaw Junior High Wrestling

Coach: Rich Weston

Dec. 15	East Hills	H	L
Dec. 18	Clarkston	A	4:00
Jan. 7	Rochester VanHoosen	A	6:30
Jan. 13	Walled Lake Western	A	4:00
Jan. 16	West Hills	H	4:00
Jan. 21	Flushing	A	6:30
Jan. 23	Clarkston	H	4:00
Jan. 28	Rochester Reuther	H	4:00
Feb. 2	Flushing	H	4:30
Feb. 4	Lake Orion East	H	4:00
Feb. 9	Bloomfield	H	4:00
Feb. 11	Rochester West	A	6:30
Feb. 16	Lake Orion West	H	4:00

Clarkston Junior High Wrestling

Coach: Dave Stobbe

Dec. 15	Bloomfield	A	W
Dec. 18	Sashabaw	H	4:00
Jan. 7	Rochester Reuther	H	4:00
Jan. 9	Flushing	H	4:30
Jan. 15	Rochester VanHoosen	H	4:00
Jan. 23	Sashabaw	A	4:00
Jan. 26	East Hills	A	4:00
Jan. 29	Rochester West	H	4:00
Feb. 2	West Hills	A	4:00
Feb. 4	Lake Orion West	A	4:00
Feb. 9	Flushing	A	6:30
Feb. 11	Lake Orion East	H	4:00
Feb. 16	Walled Lake Western	A	4:00

Clarkston High School Volleyball

Varsity Coach: Linda Denstedt
JV Coach: Nancy Foster

Jan. 12	Flint Northern	H	6:00
Jan. 12	Grand Blanc	H	6:00
Jan. 14	Goodrich JV	H	6:00
Jan. 14	Goodrich Varsity	A	6:00
Jan. 14	Brandon JV	A	6:00
Jan. 16	Dearborn	A	3:30
Jan. 17	Fordson	A	3:30
Jan. 17	Andover Invtl.	A	3:30
Jan. 19	Lake Orion	H	6:30
Jan. 21	Waterford	H	6:30
Jan. 21	Kettering	H	6:30
Jan. 26	West Bloomfield	H	6:30
Jan. 28	Millford	H	6:30
Feb. 2	Rochester	A	7:00
Feb. 4	Lake Orion	A	6:30
Feb. 7	Dearborn	A	7:45am
Feb. 9	Waterford	A	6:00
Feb. 11	Kettering	A	6:00
Feb. 11	West Bloomfield	A	6:15
Feb. 14	Clarkston JV Invtl.	H	9:00am
Feb. 16	Millford	A	7:00
Feb. 18	Rochester	H	6:30
Feb. 25	Birmingham Groves	H	6:15
Feb. 28	Fenton	H	6:15
Feb. 28	Clarkston Varsity	H	9:00am
Mar. 2	Inv'tl.	H	9:00am
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Sports

Improving Wolfpack clips Orion

Cagers snuff late Dragon rally; face arch-rival Kettering Friday

By Al Zawacky

Little by little, bit by bit. There may be nothing meteoric about the 1980-81 Wolfpack's game-by-game improvement, but the team's forward progress is unmistakable.

The latest victims of the Wolfpack's self-improvement course were the Lake Orion Dragons, who bowed to the Clarkston High School varsity basketball team 46-39 Friday evening.

Clarkston Coach Gary Nustad met with reporters afterwards, grinning broadly and humming "Another One Bites The Dust" as he walked into the Clarkston coaches' office.

Another appropriate song was suggested: Chicago's "Feelin' Stronger Every Day."

"I like it," Nustad said. "We're getting a little better all the time. We're getting closer and closer to playing 32 strong minutes."

Nustad could afford the smiles—and a sigh of relief—when the game was over. Several times in the fourth quarter the stubborn Dragons pulled within striking distance of a major upset, closing the gap to a scant three points before the Wolfpack regained control.

But Nustad was neither disappointed nor surprised by the close score against one of the Greater Oakland Activities League's lesser lights.

"I thought we played an exceptionally fine first half, and we had a chance to come out at the start of the third quarter and essentially put the game away," he said.

"But we didn't play well at the start of the half, and we let Lake Orion get back in the ball game. We may have been a little excited going into the game, thinking we could give everybody a chance to play—but I don't think we're at that point of the season yet where we're going to blow out anybody."

"We've got to have patience with this team."

For Lake Orion Coach George Elias, a seven-point loss to Clarkston was a source of encouragement.

"We're nowhere near the ball team we were in our first game, I'll tell you that," Elias said. "I thought we played well—our kids hustled and worked hard, but we're just too small."

"Our biggest kid was 6-foot-2, so we knew coming into the game that we'd have a lot of trouble on the boards. Clarkston's got two real fine ball-players in (Scott) McKoin and (Greg) Lane."

Although suffering from a pinched nerve in his back, McKoin still led the team in scoring with 13 points and in rebounding with 16. Lane contributed nine points and a team-high six assists.

Three Wolfpack members turned in six-point performances: Brad Beattie, Ric Schebor and Ray Kubani, while Brad Sheldon had four points and Craig Schnabel two.

Dennis Recknagel and Bruce Bullard led the Lake Orion attack with 12 points apiece.

With the win, Clarkston improved its overall record to 2-1 and opened the GOAL campaign with a 1-0 mark. The Wolfpack will play its second league game of the season and last before the two-and-a-half-week holiday break at home Friday against Watterford Kettering.

"Kettering is going to be in the thick of the league race," Nustad opined, looking ahead to the Wolfpack-Kettering to be a very worthy opponent.

"But we'll be playing with intensity, too."

Greater Oakland Activities League

Varsity Basketball Standings

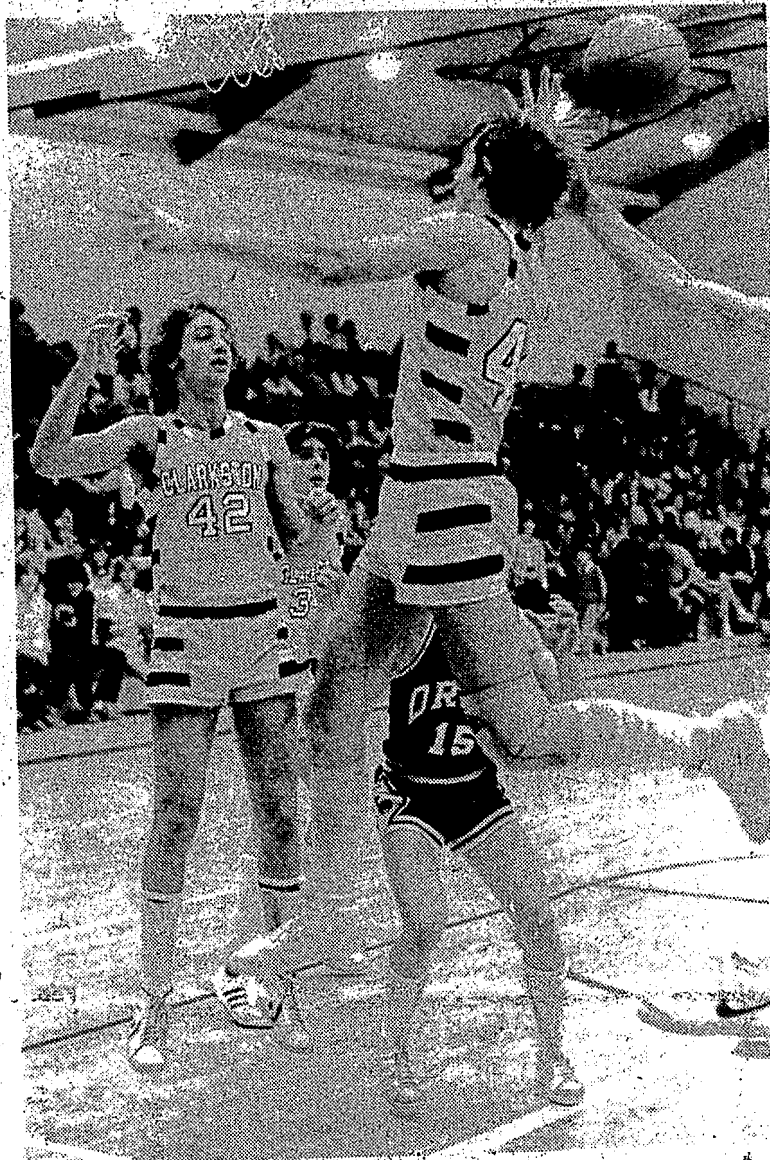
Team	League				Overall	
	W	L	PF	PA	W	L
Kettering	1	0	39	36	2	0
Clarkston	1	0	46	39	2	1
West Bloomfield	1	0	54	45	2	1
Milford	0	1	45	54	1	2
Lake Orion	0	1	39	46	1	2
Rochester	0	1	36	39	0	3

Friday's Results:

Clarkston 46, Lake Orion 39

Kettering 39, Rochester 36

West Bloomfield 54, Milford 45



Clarkston's dominance of the boards was a major factor in Friday's win. Wolfpack players picked up 37 rebounds against the Dragons, including a game-high 16 by Clarkston's Scott McKoin [right].



Surrounded by enemy jerseys, Wolfpack senior co-captain Greg Lane [30] drives toward the Lake Orion basket in the first half of Clarkston's 46-39 win over Lake Orion. Lane finished the contest with nine points and six assists.

Tuesday's results

**Clarkston 50,
Flint Carmen 49**

Flint Carmen (49)

Kendrick 11 0-0 22, Ketner 3 0-0 6, Jones 4 3-4 11, Hamilton 5 0-0 10.

Totals 23 3-4 49.

Clarkston (50)

McKoin 9 8-8 26, Lane 2 1-3 5, Schebor 3 0-0 6, Schnabel 1 2-2 4,

Sheldon 1 0-0 2, Kubani 1 1-1 3,

Beattie 1 0-0 2, Weaver 1 0-0 2.

Totals 19 12-14 50.

Flint Carmen 10 10 19 10 49

Clarkston 18 11 12 9 50

FG pct — Flint Carmen .638,

Clarkston .441. Total fouls — Flint

Carmen 9, Clarkston 6. JV

score — Clarkston 50, Flint Carmen

48.

Wrestlers crush Holly, Avondale

By Al Zawacky

Like conquering heroes, the Clarkston High School wrestling team is coming home.

Wednesday will be the grapplers' first home meet, and they'll enter the contest with a perfect 4-0 dual meet record and a first-place tournament finish, all of which they achieved away from the friendly confines of the Clarkston High School gymnasium.

Last week, Clarkston rolled over Holly 44-21 and crushed Avondale 39-19 in a non-league contest held at Holly High School on Wednesday.

"I thought we pulled together as a team," said Coach Rick Detkowski of his victorious Wolves. "Our first five wrestlers are usually where our strength is."

Last week, the Wolves lightweights had their share of troubles, but the slack was quickly picked up by their teammates, the coach noted.

Winning their matches against Holly were Mike Conway (pin, :52), Mark Hughes (pin, 1:10), Jeff Miracle (decision, 13-0), Mike Ogans (pin, 3:17), Brad Moshier (decision, 17-15), Tom Hecker (pin, 1:59), Mark Karrick (pin, 2:10) and Mark

Johnson (pin, 2:46).

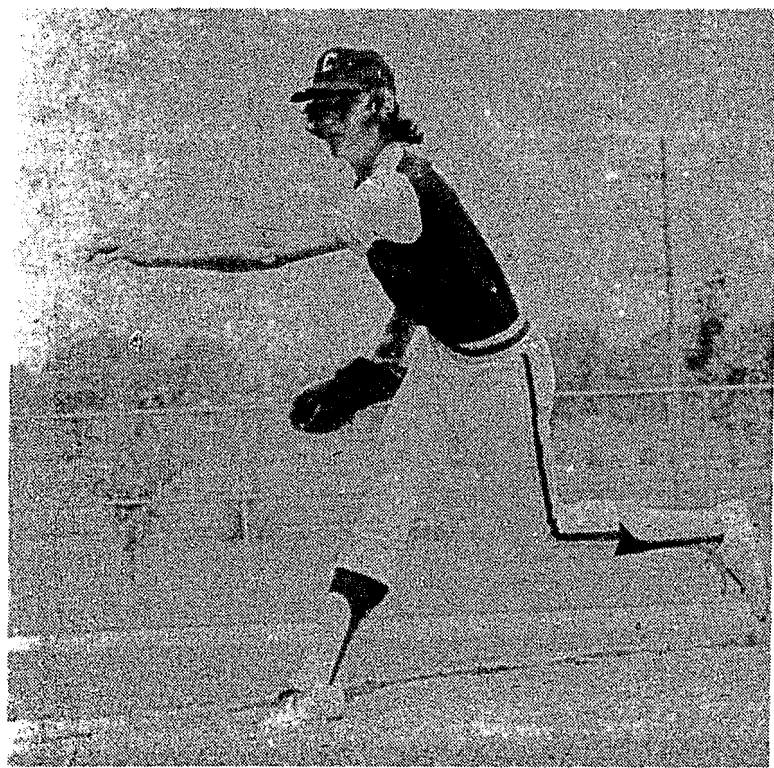
The Clarkston winners against Avondale were Alan Wall (pin, 4:45), Todd Thompson (decision, 9-2), Miracle (decision, 13-6), Ogans (decision, 5-2) and Hecker (pin, 1:28). Conway and Johnson each drew voids.

Conway, Miracle and Ogans have yet to lose a match this season. Conway, a junior who wrestles at 105 pounds, has won every one of his matches on a first period pin.

Wednesday's home opener will also mark the return of junior Bruce Burwitz of the Clarkston lineup. Burwitz pulled a hamstring prior to the start of the season and has been unable to compete in his team's opening two weeks.

"We're hoping for a good crowd," Detkowski said of his Wolves upcoming home meet. "We certainly couldn't be doing any better, and with Bruce back we'll be fielding our strongest team."

Admission to the meet, which will feature opponents from Clawson, Southfield Lathrup and Pontiac Catholic, is \$1. Starting time is 6 p.m. and a case of Pepsi will be raffled off to a lucky ticket purchaser.



The way he was

Friday will be "Steve Howe Night" at Clarkston High School, as Los Angeles Dodger reliever Steve Howe will be saluted by his hometown and alma mater during halftime at the Clarkston-Waterford Kettering varsity basketball game. Howe, shown above as he appeared for the state-champion CHS baseball team in 1976, was recently voted the national League's Rookie of the Year for his outstanding freshman season in the Los Angeles' bullpen this summer. Tickets for Friday's game are currently on sale at the high school office.

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The Clarkston lighting fund continues to grow.

Last week contributions reached "around the \$6,000 mark," according to Conrad Bruce, Clarkston Community Schools administrative assistant and co-chairman of the lighting fund drive committee.

That leaves still \$54,000 to go to the committee's goal of raising \$60,000 to replace the aging lighting system at the Clarkston High School Athletic field.

Built in 1955, the present lighting system is beyond repair, according to Bruce. Without a new system, it will be impossible to play evening football games next fall.

Since the \$60,000 is not available in the Clarkston Community Schools' general fund, Bruce and the lighting drive committee are trying to raise the money through private contributions. The Clarkston News is co-sponsoring the drive.

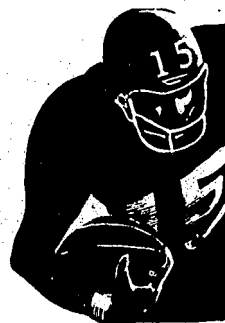
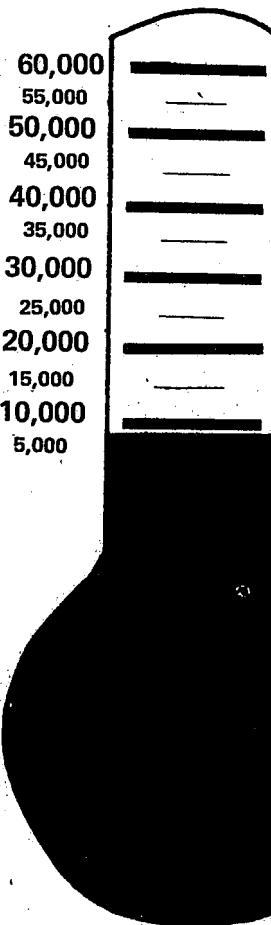
"We'll be making about 50 canisters to place in the businesses around the area," said Bruce. "No contribution is too small."

As a result of the drive's progress, the school board recently approved the first phase of the new lighting system's installation, he added.

"The engineering costs have been approved," Bruce said. "We'll be getting ready to accept bids."

In the meantime, private contributions are welcome and can be mailed or dropped off at Clarkston Community Schools, 6389 Clarkston Rd., or at The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston 48016.

Checks should be made out to Clarkston Community Schools and indicate that the money is for the lighting fund. Contributions are tax deductible.



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by Al Zawacky



Davison loss bitter, but future promising

It's called the "agony of defeat." It was evident in the Clarkston locker room after the Wolfpack dropped its season opener to visiting Davison.

But there are indications that the Clarkston cagers won't be feeling that agony very often this season.

IT'S NEVER EASY to lose, but that opening loss two weeks ago had to be absolute purgatory for 12 proud young men. Prior to that evening, there wasn't a single player on the Wolfpack roster who had ever lost a game in front of the hometown fans. Not one.

It doesn't seem fair, does it? Winning is always so temporary, so transient. It matters for nothing that nine months ago this team was one of the best in the state. Championships must constantly be defended, while yesterday's glittering trophy tarnished and gathers dust.

You'd think that losing would be the same way — fleeting and forget-

table — but it's not. The pain stays with you, refusing to disappear. You can win the next one and the one after that, but the hurt comes back every time you remember the one that got away. You can't ever erase that big "L" in the record book.

It wasn't necessary to look at the scoreboard or even see the game two weeks ago to know who won and who lost. The deathly silence in the Wolfpack dressing room would have told you the result immediately.

Some of the players were a little misty-eyed. Tell me these guys don't take their basketball seriously, that the loss to Davison didn't hurt. They do and it did.

Saturday morning it was pick up the pieces and back to work.

"After Friday's game, I told the kids to go home and analyze in their own minds why the team did not come to

play in the first half," recalled Coach Gary Nustad. "And I got some excellent feedback."

"Basically, what it came down to was that it was the first varsity game for six of the eight kids out there."

Inexperience. It's the main reason the Wolfpack has been a Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde team so far this season, alternating from quarter to quarter and half to half between basketball and blunderball.

"We've been playing two entirely different games," Nustad agreed. "It's something that's just got to work itself out as we gain experience."

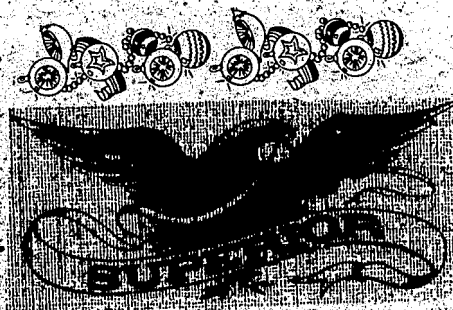
Three games into the season might seem a trifle early to be using terms like "crucial" and "turning point," but it is difficult to overestimate the importance of the Wolfpack's victories over Flint Carmen and Lake Orion. What would have happened to a young team's con-

fidence if it opened the season 1-3 or 0-4 at home? It was nothing less than crucial that the Wolfpack enter the Christmas break at least at the .500 mark.

"If you're going to be successful, you've got to win at home," Nustad said, placing emphasis on each of the words. "From the standpoint of building confidence for the road trip we've got coming up in February, these first four home games are very important."

Fortunately, Nustad and his Wolfpack will be able to enjoy the holidays. The worst has not happened and the future appears promising.

Even the cynics (including yours truly) are beginning to get the feeling that these 12 young men are going to win a lot of basketball games before its all over.

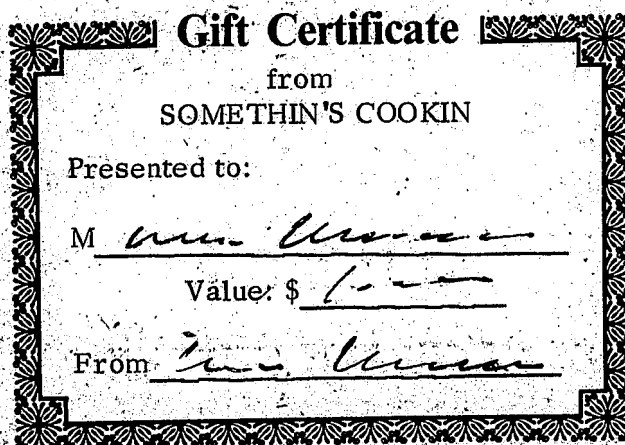


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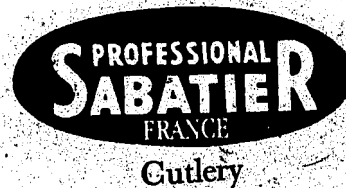
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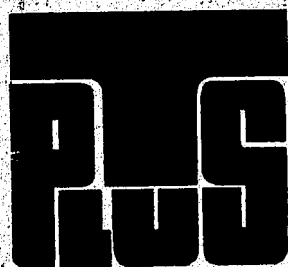
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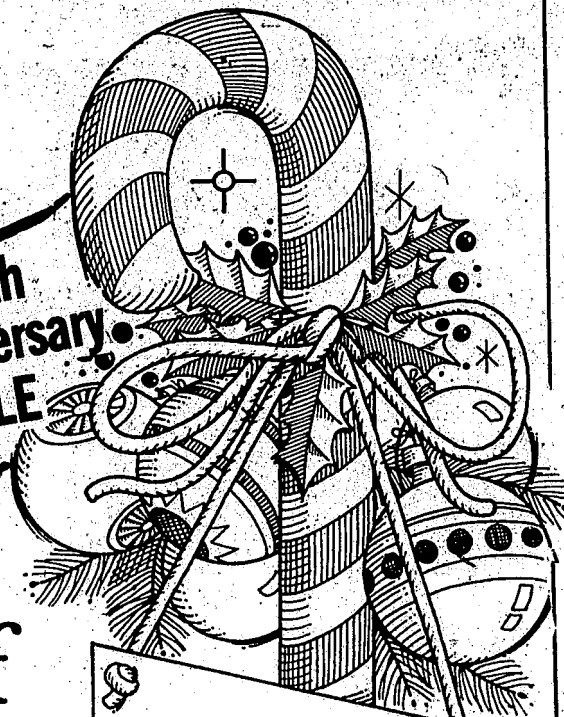
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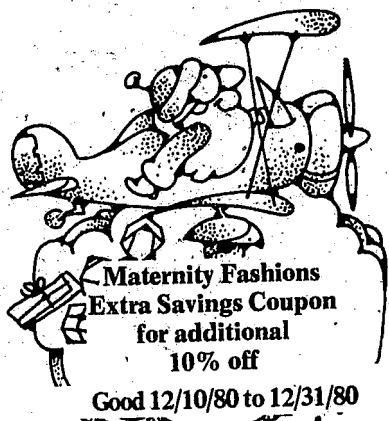
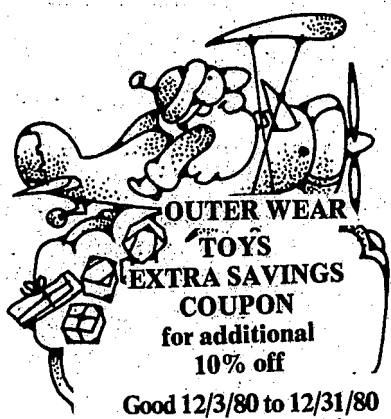
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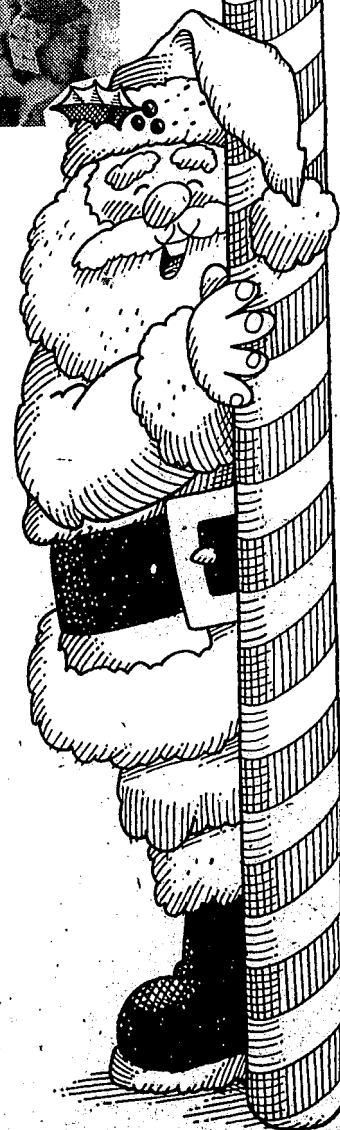
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Fire call

Friday, Dec. 5

10:06am—Investigated and took a report on a vehicle fire that had self-extinguished on Whipple Lake Road. Vehicle unoccupied at time of fire.

Saturday, Dec. 6

9:56am—Responded to possible building fire on Guyette and found shorted-out dryer box. Disconnected feed to box from electrical panel and advised resident to have dryer serviced.

9:47pm—Responded to suspicious trash fire behind 5529 Sashabaw. Fire extinguished. No suspects or injuries reported.

Sunday, Dec. 7

12:46am—EMS (Emergency Medical Service) treated female who was in route to hospital to give birth, but could not continue drive due to hazardous road conditions. Riverside Ambulance transported her to William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak.

2:42am—EMS treated a male involved in a one-car auto accident on Dixie Highway near Foster Road. Riverside transported him to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac.

10:54am—Responded to a structure fire on M-15, north of I-75. Fire had self-extinguished. Losses undetermined. No injuries.

Tuesday, Dec. 9

1:31am—EMS treated a male on Sylvanview. He was transported to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital via Fleet Ambulance.

Wednesday, Dec. 10

8:49am—Responded to smoke investigation on Amy Drive. Pump pressure switch had overheated. Disconnected power to switch and advised resident to have the unit serviced.

Thursday, Dec. 11

11:05pm—EMS treated a female having difficulty breathing on Cranberry Lake Road. Riverside transported her to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital.

Friday, Dec. 12

11:01am—Responded to an automatic alarm at 6595 Middle Lake. Call canceled before arrival.

Obituary

Ward A. Neddo

Memorial service for Ward A. Neddo of Hutchinson Road, Springfield Township, was held Dec. 15.

Neddo, 52, died suddenly Dec. 11. A jitney driver for General Motors Truck and Coach, he was a member of the David Belisle Post VFW, Clarkston Eagles No. 3373 and Waterford Eagles No. 3303.

He is survived by his brothers and sisters, Clarence of Maple

City, Harold of Pontiac, Howard of Pontiac, Wesley of Maple City, Clara Evans of Jackson, Lidia Goodell of Lapeer, Lucille Schaub of Florida, Cliff of Florida and Lloyd of Florida.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Rudyard K. Fay and burial followed at Rosehill Cemetery, Maple City.

Arrangements were made by Goyette Funeral Home, Clarkston.

Yule party for kids



Santa Claus, a movie and pinatas filled with candies await Clarkston area kids at the third annual Christmas party sponsored by the Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department.

It is to be held Sunday, Dec. 21, from 3 to 6 p.m. at Clarkston Junior High School, 6300 Church, Independence Township.

The party is open to children in grades one through six. Cost is \$1 a person if pre-registered at the Recreation Department, 90 S. Main, Clarkston.

Anyone registering the day of the party must pay \$3.

Ticket stubs will be used for a drawing to determine the lucky winners of gifts donated by local merchants.

Children are asked to bring a wrapped present costing \$2 or more which will be used for a gift exchange.

Parent volunteers are also needed.

Call the recreation department at 625-8238 or stop by between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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•Avoid areas where there is moving water beneath ice on

rivers and streams or where springs feed lakes and ponds.

Hough also suggests parents warn children of potential dan-

gers, that they supervise play areas on ice and that provisions be made for emergency rescue as part of any ice-related activity.



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Children can wear their pajamas to the Springfield Township Library on Monday, Dec. 22, for the second annual "Night Before Christmas" party.

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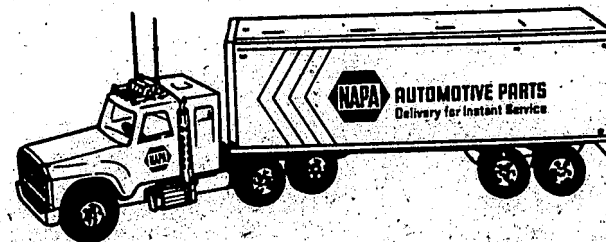
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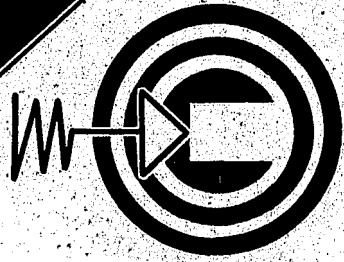
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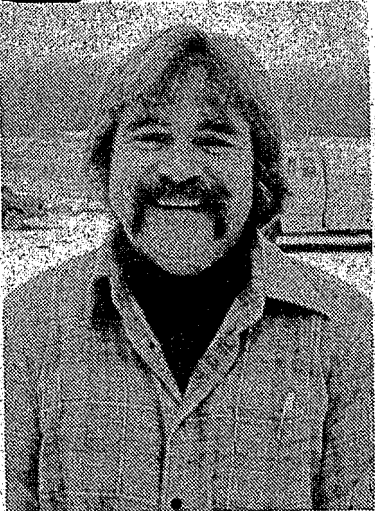


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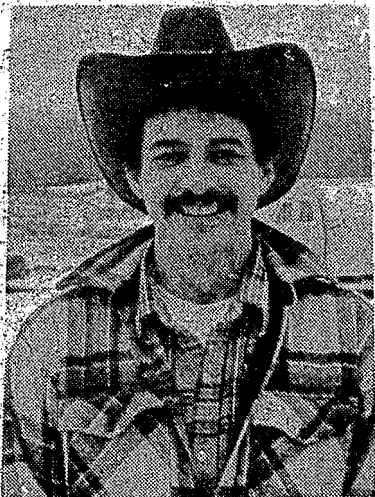
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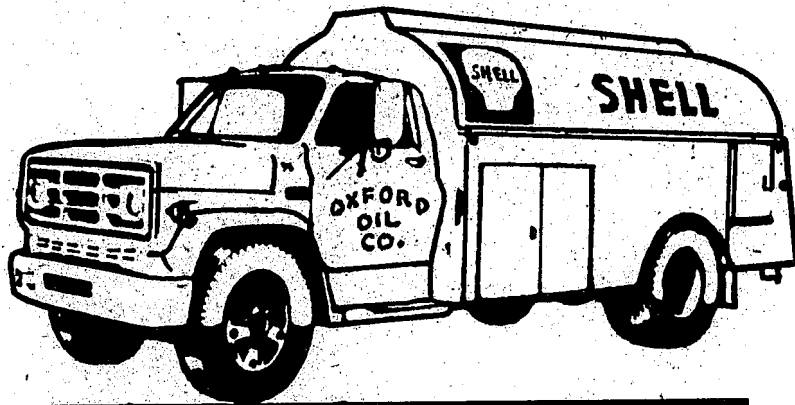
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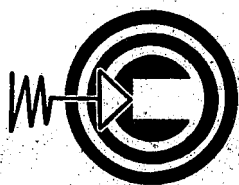
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She loves all animals—but horses are special

By Al Zawacky

Ask Lynn Kacy how many horses she owns and a smile spreads across her face.

"Four and a half," she said happily.

She adds the "half" because one of her horses is an expectant mother, and the prospect of a fifth resident in the barn behind the Kacy's Independence Township home always produces a smile.

Lynn's love for animals is evidenced by the pets she has, a census count of which reveals two house cats, three barn cats, one dog and two guinea pigs.

But horses occupy a special part of her life, she says.

*'It's a nifty feeling
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"I like all animals, but with horses — well, I guess I'm a frustrated teacher. It's a nifty feeling to take this creature through his growing years and learn to communicate with him," Lynn says.

"There's training involved with dogs, too — but there's a much greater involvement with a horse. You can't ride a dog. With a horse, every little movement becomes a means of communication."

Lynn bought her first horse in 1968 when she and her husband Dennis were celebrating their first anniversary. At the time the Kacys lived in Southfield.

"It was an anniversary present to myself," she jokes. "I had always wanted to own a horse — it was a typical little girl thing."

Although she did take a few lessons, most of her riding skills were learned the hard way, "in the school of hard knocks," she laughs.

"People who don't ride might think it looks easy — you just pull in the reins to stop and kick him in the ribs to get him to go — but that's not the way it happens."

"It depends too on whether you just want to be a passenger, or whether you want to actually communicate with your horse. To be a really good rider, you've got to know where all the buttons are — and that takes time and practice."

The Kacys' home is decorated with evidence of her success as a rider and her horses' successes at show after show. Brightly covered ribbons grace the mantel of the fireplace, while the family room is brimming with trophies and awards.

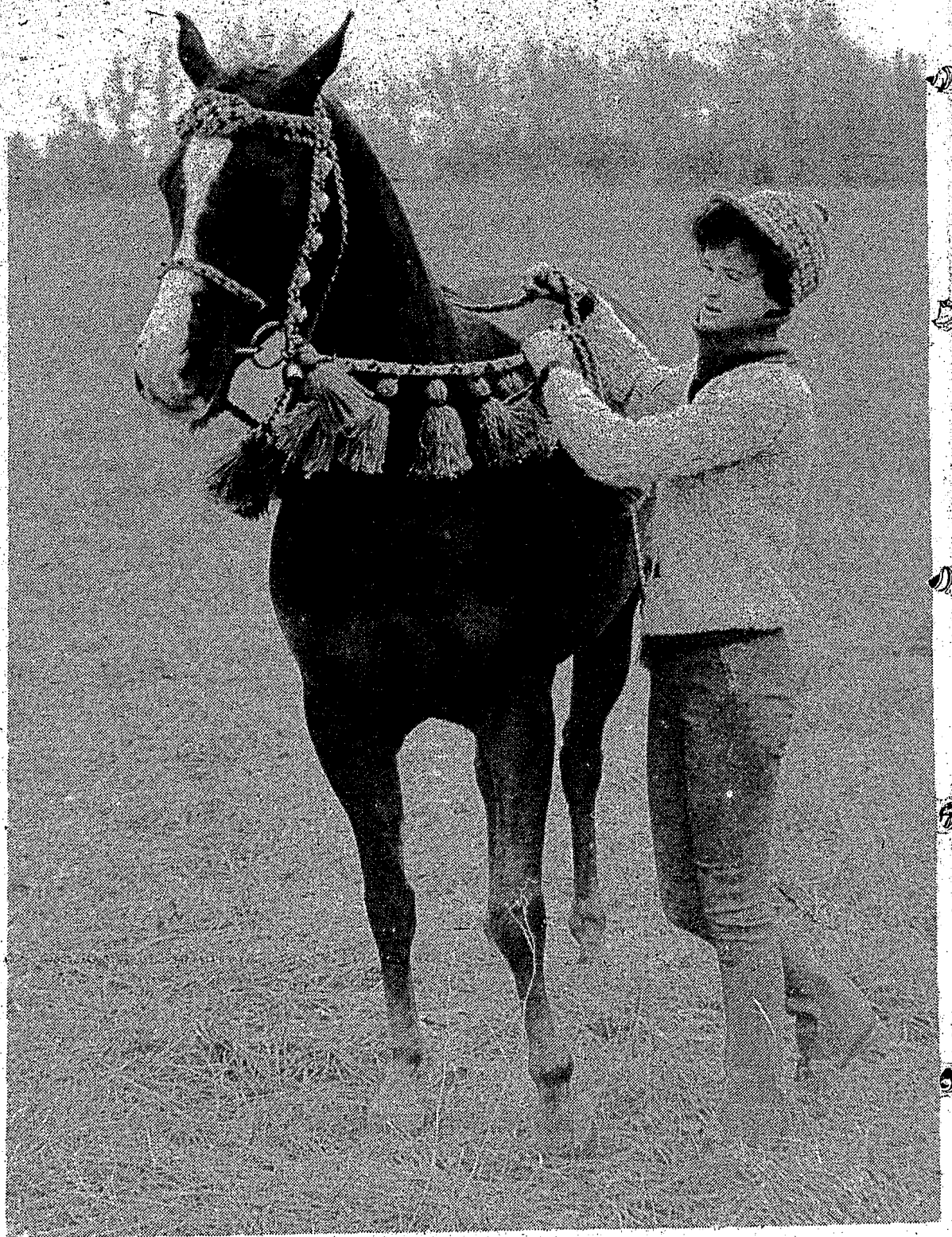
"Some people will say that horses are dumb animals," Lynn says. "I think their intelligence is comparable to a dog's — they know exactly what they can and can't get away with. They're not dumb by any stretch of the imagination."

"You can't judge an animal's intelligence by our own — their minds are entirely different."

That intelligence means that the horse is aware that a show is something special, she says.

"When they call off the winners, he starts to get antsy," Lynn says of her prize show horse, "Will-O-Wind Zafir." "If he's not called up there first, he gets all excited as if he's saying, 'Hey, I belong up there.' Horses are very sensitive to their owner's feelings and voice, too."

That's not something I can definitely say for every horse, but I can say it for mine, having them right here, it's almost like living with them."



"He's a champ in everything I've ever showed him in," says Lynn Kacy of her 6-year-old half-Arab, "Will-O-Wind Zafir." "Zafir" means "victor" in Arabic.

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No shortage of prospective rebounders here, but Wolverine Bill Hudler [second from left] manages to grab the elusive basketball in the midst of the mob. Hudler led his team in rebounds with eight, as Clarkston's dominance on the boards was a major factor in Thursday's 54-26 Wolverine win over Sashabaw.

Wolverine cagers down Cougar rivals

By Al Zawacky

There were some very frustrated young men at Sashabaw Junior High Thursday evening.

"What can you say?" asked Sashabaw basketball coach Gary Mason, shaking his head over an embarrassing 54-26 defeat at the hands of cross-district rival Clarkston Junior High.

And to add insult to injury, the defeat took place right in the Sashabaw gymnasium before an enthusiastic throng of Cougar fans.

It was hard to stay enthusiastic.

"Losing one's thing, but getting killed—it's terrible for morale," Mason said. "I just told the kids that after a game like that, they've got to pull together, not pull apart."

Meanwhile, Clarkston Coach Larry Sherrill and his victorious Wolverine freshmen were beaming over their first win of the young season, squaring their record at 1-1.

"We got our running game going tonight," Sherrill said. "We've got a big team—seven

guys are over 6 feet—and when a big team can run, that's a big plus."

Clarkston held a slim one-point lead at the end of the first quarter, but in the second and third quarters the Wolverines took complete control. Leading 26-17 at the half, the visitors stretched their margin to 20 points by the end of the third stanza.

"We didn't pour it on,"

'We didn't pour it on...'

—CJH Coach Larry Sherrill

Sherrill said. "In the middle of the third quarter, we didn't have a starter on the floor. I can't tell the kids to go out there and lay back."

Leading a balanced Wolverine attack was Tim Dangel with 10 points, the only player on either team to hit the double-figure mark. Ken Johnson and Ken Temple added eight points apiece to the Clarkston cause, followed by Greg Molzon, Craig Kulaszewski and Mike Harbaugh with seven, Bill Hudler

with four and Scott Kovacik with three.

Sashabaw's leading scorers were Chris Bruce and Tom Hall with six points, followed by Dean Callison and Steve Luchenback with four, Dave Newblatt and John Spiker with two and Rod Nichol and Bob Ruelle with one.

Bruce was coming off a dazzling 28-point performance on Monday against Grand

Blanc, a game the Cougars won 62-60. The loss to the Wolverines dropped Sashabaw's season mark to 1-2.

"You should have been here Monday," Mason said, only half jokingly as the quiet Cougar locker room emptied out. "Bruce played a super game and we played really well."

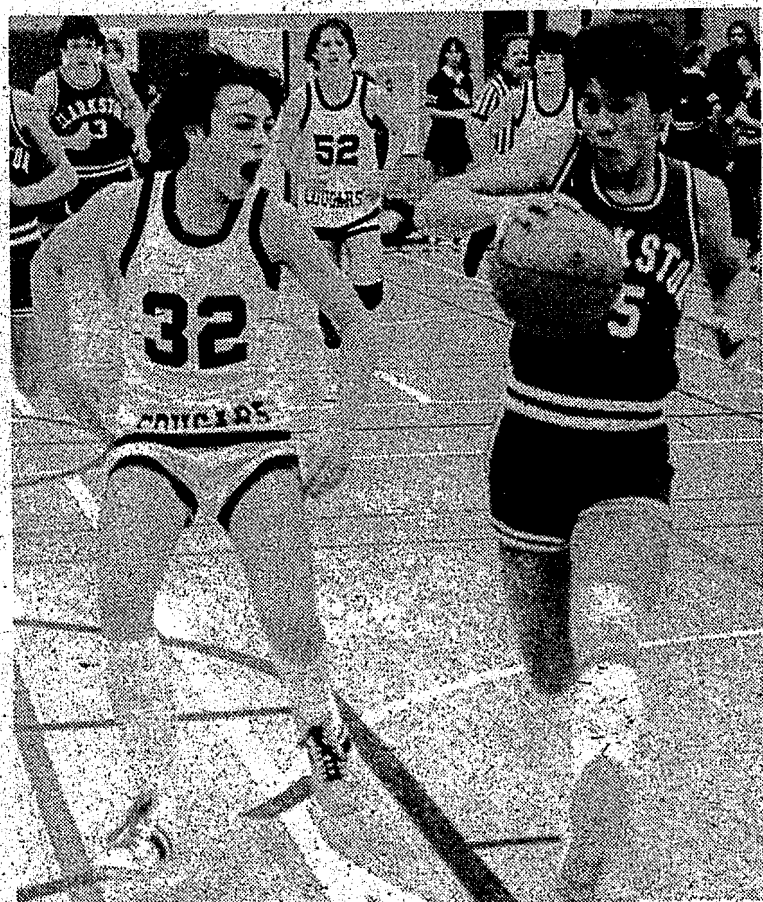
"I'll tell you one thing—you're going to see a different team the next time we play them. I know we're a lot better than this."

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Fast break: Clarkston Junior High co-captain Craig Kulaszewski is layup bound with Cougar Dean Callison [left] in hot pursuit.



Gargantuan teddy

Before the fond farewell, Sashabaw Junior High School home economics students [from left] Debbie Catalano, Dawn Harrington, Mary Roberts and Kristie Dearborn carry the 6-foot teddy bear down the hall. A project of teacher Nancy Clark's students, the bear is to be raffled off today. Money collected will be for scissors, button holers and sewing supplies for the classroom. Entirely handmade, the bear was sewn and stuffed with shredded foam by about 13 students. They worked on the project for about six weeks after regular assignments were completed.

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Year-round holiday spirit prevails

Carters give to others through multitude of volunteer efforts

There are no colorful lights strung around the Carter home on Villa Crest Drive, Springfield Township. Neither is there a gaily-decorated evergreen propped in the living room corner.

While Sylvia, 48, and husband Al, 56, appreciate the festive season and plan a family get-together — they make a point of celebrating the world's most recognized holiday every day of the year — and tackle it with a vengeance shared by few.

The Gregorian calendar marks Dec. 25 as Christmas day, Sylvia is quick to remind.

"If people could just keep the holiday spirit year-round, it would really be something," she said, with experience.

The couple is immersed in volunteer church, community and county organization work.

Perhaps Al's drive stems from his philosophy on life.

"It's satisfying to help others and at the same time help yourself. But I really feel that each day you should try to accomplish something; if you can't accomplish anything, then that day is wasted — a waste of time," he said.

The Carters' latest volunteer endeavor has strong parallels to the Christmas story, for the couple has found room at the inn.

Just three weeks ago they opened their home and their hearts to Don, a 14-year-old ward of the Oakland County Court.

"It's been a long time since there's been so much activity in the house. He's active, tall and you just can't fill him up," she laughed, her eyes lighting up.

"Normally the county volunteer program asks that a case-aide take a child for four hours a month. We thought it would be so much better if he could stay the night, so we asked to have him on weekends.

"Now when he leaves the first thing he says is, 'See you next week!' He's so special and he's really taken to Al. Why on Saturdays, they sit here in front of the TV and watch football for hours," she said, smiling.

Don has gotten the Carters out onto the floor of a roller rink, a sport the trio readily enjoy.

"And Friday night is stay-up-late night," she laughed again. "He really likes that even though he falls asleep."

The programs' ideal is to make a child's life more comfortable, Al said.

"Often," Sylvia said, "a child won't open up to a caseworker, but will to a family. A caseworker is an authoritarian figure. People seem to forget that kids need to talk, too. Sometimes young people have problems we as adults may think are silly — but to kids they are so important."

Al retired last August from General Motors and his free hours have easily been filled with volunteer work and activity in



In the 25 years he's lived in Springfield Township, Al Carter upon hundreds of happier hours to those in need and will no doubt make this Christmas very special for one new friend. has made a practice of volunteer work. His wife Sylvia shares the same philosophy. Together they've brought hundreds

the Clarkston Area Youth Assistance Committee.

In September, he was appointed chairman of the organization.

"I've been with them for the past 18 years," Al said. "As chairman, I coordinate the different programs we have. But the people in the Clarkston group are so good, that rarely do I have much work to do. Just a little double-checking.

"Now, when I hear of some new program, I have time to check it out and follow up on it and see if we can't incorporate it into Youth Assistance," he laughed, referring to his new found free time.

Al is actively involved in the Oakland County Mental Retardation Center and the cabaret held there every Wednesday evening.

"I've been doing that for about the past eight years," he said. "We service mentally retarded adults from as far north as Flint and as far east as Macomb County.

Each Wednesday, a professional band plays and the volunteers serve popcorn, chips, coffee and punch to 200 people, he said.

"It's a social function, and the only program of its kind until recently. There is a lot of love transmitted there. So much grabbing and hugging," Al said.

"If you or I went around and told people, 'I love you,' they

would think we were some kind of a weirdo. Sometimes I wonder if they don't have more sense than we do.

"I've seen some go off and get married — people think that's weird — yet they have successful marriages living in the limited scope in which they live," he said.

Both Sylvia and Al also take time to visit nursing homes and hospitals with members of their church auxiliary.

"After several visits, they start looking for you," Sylvia said. "I have a weakness for old people and kids. They need someone to talk to — they need someone to care.

"It's a good feeling to know you've made someone feel better. Our church holds an annual social and we pick up the folks from homes and drive them down for a party.

"They remember each year," she said.

Just 10 months ago, Sylvia began working in the financial office of the advertising firm of D'arcy-MacManus and Masius Inc., a job that quickly brings a smile to her face.

"There are many opportunities within the company and this is their corporate office. No one is too big or too small to eat in the lunchrooms together. Not even the execs," she said.

"I always have the opportunity to present ideas, to send in a verse or write a song. There's

Country Living



by Marilyn Trumper

always the chance to see what potential you have. I've interviewed for one job within the company, but I have plans. I want more than what I'm doing now," she said.

While Sylvia rises each morning to head off to work, Al bounces into the daylight at 7 a.m. to begin a 7-mile, brisk walk.

He walks from home to the corner of M-15 and Dixie Highway, back home and once around the subdivision.

"I started walking because I felt I needed it, and I went from 196 pounds to 167 pounds," he said. "But now, more than

that, it's a chance to think, to have ideas, and to purge myself.

"In between, I have a chance to meet new people. School buses filled with kids wave and all I see are flailing arms," he laughed, performing a reenactment.

"Cars regularly honk and if you're a little late one day, the regulars say, 'Where were you yesterday, I missed you.' Sometimes people say they missed you, who you're not even aware know you exist," he said.

With all the lives these two have touched, it's easy to believe they'll be remembered for years to come.



Jeanne Vagnetti

Lucky winner!

As luck would have it, Jeanne Vagnetti's prize weekend for two in Toronto couldn't have been more appropriate for her and her husband, Mike.

Her entry was selected in a drawing held recently at Clarkston Corners in celebration of the shopping mall's grand opening.

"We've been married eight years, and we went to Toronto on our honeymoon," said Jeanne. "We haven't been any-

where together since without the kids."

To top it all off, this is the first time Jeanne has ever won anything.

The contest was sponsored by the owners of the mall. There were about 1,500 entries.

Jeanne only entered once, and she dropped off her coupon the day before the drawing.

The Vagnettis and their two children live in Independence Township.

Fire facts

With the Holiday Season in full swing, the added threat of fire becomes a major concern of the Fire Prevention Bureau.

The added fire hazards in your home during the Christmas Season are overwhelming. The added load on your electrical outlets with the numbers of decorations requiring electricity, numerous unattended candles and flammable decorations.

All increase your chances of having a fire.

The beauty and excitement of the Holiday Season tends to hide the numerous dangers that exist. Certain rules must be recognized and strictly enforced to insure your safety.

Never allow overloading of an electrical outlet or allow the use of decorations with faulty electrical connections or wiring.

When candles or decorations requiring open flame are in use, make sure all flammable materials are kept at a safe distance from the source of heat.

Care of your Christmas tree and all living greenery should be of top priority. Insure they receive more than enough water to keep them from becoming dried out to the point of ignition.

Anytime you have a live tree in your home you have a potential fire bomb on your hands.

A small amount of sugar or "Karo" syrup mixed with the water for your Christmas tree can help to preserve the life span of your greenery.

The location of your tree is of great importance. Never place any living greenery near a duct or register. This tends to dry out the tree prematurely.

Take this holiday season to be fire safe. The fire load and fire potential will be at the greatest level in the weeks to come than it has been all year long.

The Independence Township Fire Department wants to wish the people of Independence Township a safe and happy holiday season.

Peeking into the past by Harry Fahrner

10 YEARS AGO December 17, 1970

James H. Helvey of Sashabaw Road will be installed as Worshipful Master of Cedar Lodge on December 19.

Dear Santa:

I want a walkie-talkie, a camera and skiboots. How are your elfs? How is Mrs. Claus? I am very very good all year. I like school very much to. I hope you have a Happy Christmas. We do every year. Love Michael David-son

Board member, Richard Funk, was appointed to serve on The Oakland County Constituent Board.

A village law to ban all outside burning in Clarkston is half way through the council. Final action is expected to come at the next meeting.

Tom Bullen was appointed to the Independence Board as a trustee to complete the unex-

pired term of Merle Bennett who has resigned.

The Pisanis Acrobatic and balancing team will appear at The Jaycee's annual Christmas Show for Children.

25 YEARS AGO December 15, 1955

Holly Theatre presents "The Friendly Playhouse."

Local merchant has pullover and coat sweaters of wools, nylon and mixtures for \$6.95.

Shirley Bauer was hostess for the Christmas Recital given by Mrs. Paul Elisason's piano and cello students.

The Christmas party of the 21 Club was a big success with 150 students dancing to the music of Fenton Weaver's Orchestra at the Clarkston High School.

Fresh ground beef is 3 lbs. for 89c, Defiance coffee 89c a lb., and lean small spareribs 37c a lb.

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The office is a drop-off point for "Toys for Tots," and the gifts are to be distributed by United States Marine Corps Reserve members.

Realty World, Carpenter Inc. is located at 60 S. Main, adjacent to Bob's Hardware. The office is open seven days a week until 6 p.m.

For more information, call 625-5605.

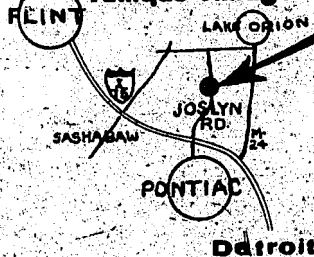
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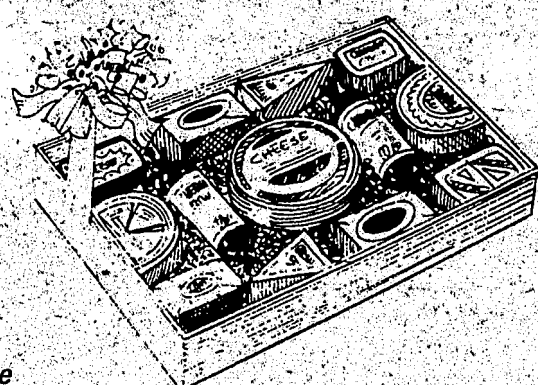
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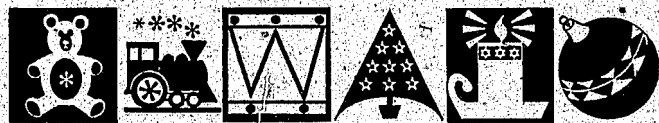
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Things to do

Activities outside the Clarkston-Independence-Springfield area



See Charles Dickens' Christmas past, present and future zoom past during Detroit's Harbinger Dance Company's presentation of "Ebenezer!"

The dance/theater musical is to be on stage at the Detroit Institute of Arts auditorium on Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 and 7 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 27, at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m.; and Sunday, Dec. 28, at 2 and 7 p.m.

The Detroit Youtheatre presentation costs \$5 for morning and afternoon shows and \$10, \$9 or \$8 for evening performances. Children under age 5 will not be admitted.

To order tickets, send a check payable to Detroit Youtheatre and a stamped, self-addressed envelope to: Ticket Office, Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward Ave., Detroit, MI 48202.

Make the holiday season a time to meet new friends by attending the Community House Singles Club dance and party on Friday, Dec. 19, at 8:30 p.m.

All single persons over age 21 may make reservations by calling the singles hotline at 646-3090.

The event is to take place at the Community House, 380 Bates St. at Townsend, Birmingham.

Tickets are \$7 and participants are asked to bring a pair of mittens for the tree-trimming and a box or can of non-perishable food.

A salad luncheon, bake sale and bazaar is planned Friday, Dec. 19, at the Seymour Lake United Methodist Church.

The bake sale and bazaar are to be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and the all-you-can-eat salad feast for \$2.50 is to be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The church is located at the corner of Sashabaw and Seymour Lake Road, Brandon Township.

Information on Reye's Syndrome is now available by telephone from Tel-Med, a medical information service offered by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan and the Wayne County Medical Society.

The three-minute tape is one of 330, written by doctors, which callers may hear by calling 393-1796.

Tel-Med operators are on duty from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday. Ask for tape number 5001.

Free folders listing subjects and tape numbers of all the topics are available by phoning Tel-Med or by sending a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Community Relations No. 1908, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan, 600 Lafayette East, Detroit, MI 48226.

Winners of a poster contest sponsored by Moslem Temple as a prelude to the 1981 Shrine Circus will be able to be clowns in a real circus performance. The contest is open to pre-school and elementary school artists. Entries must be postmarked by Jan. 30. Topics can be anything the child likes about a circus. The posters must be in color, but they may be completed in

paints, crayons or colored pencils. Lettering may be used, but it is not required. The entries must be no smaller than 8½ by 11 inches and no larger than 18 inches square.

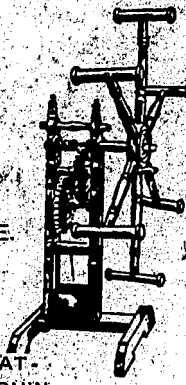
The back of each poster must have printed on it the child's name, home address, phone number, school, grade and teacher's name.


The top three winners in each category (pre-school and kindergarten, first and second grades, third and fourth, fifth and sixth, seventh and eighth) will win gift certificates plus circus tickets.

They'll also have the opportunity to join the Shrine Clowns in a performance during a circus matinee when it comes to Detroit March 20 — April 5.


Send the posters to: Shrine Poster Contest, 434 Temple, Detroit, MI 48201.

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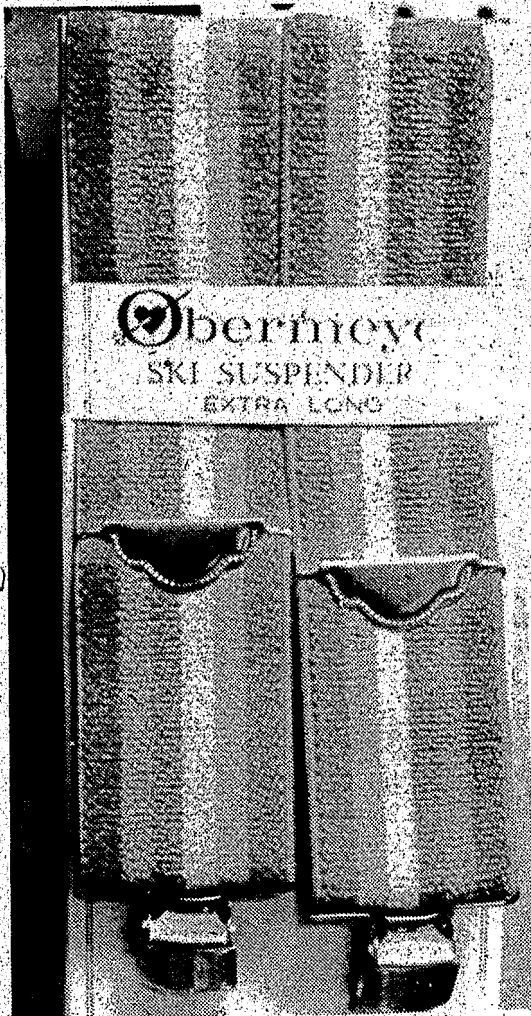
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The discreet shopper



Coffee or hot chocolate lovers can sip in Christmas style with a red and green coffee mug from The Calico Cat, 2 S. Main, Clarkston. Available with or without the date, the ceramic mugs from West Germany are \$5 each. The same design can be found adorning a juice pitcher, plate, bowl, wine bucket, cookie plate, creamer and sugar, and cheese board.



If it's for the love of Morc or just the need to hold up ski pants, these rainbow suspenders are sure to do the trick. In an array of bright colors, they are \$7 at Coach's Corner on Main Street in downtown Clarkston. They're also for sale in another stripe for \$6.50.



Give hours of reading pleasure with a box of books. Pictured is a box set of seven Ziggy cartoon books that costs \$8.75. Other collections are packaged for readers of all ages and tastes, from Rod McKuen and Erma Bombeck to Judy Blume and "The Tiny Golden Library." You can find them at The Village Book Store, 26 S. Main, Clarkston.



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**Millstream****Cedar Lodge master**

Watson Siecinski is to be installed as master of Cedar Lodge No. 60, F&AM, on Saturday, Dec. 20. Ceremonies are to begin at 7 p.m. at the Clarkston Masonic Temple, 1 N. Main, Clarkston. In all, 18 officers, elected by lodge members, are to be installed during the annual event. A member of the lodge five years, Siecinski lives on Glenburnie Lane, Independence Township. The installation ceremony is open to the public. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call 625-2967.

In service

Airman First Class James O. Smith has arrived for duty at the K.I. Sawyer Air Force Base in Michigan. Smith was previously assigned to Kirtland Air Force Base, N.M. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith of Davisburg Road, Springfield Township.

Recipe File

By Lorna Bickerstaff

Mary McIntosh's Apricot Bars make a nice addition to your cookie recipe file. Mary and Charles McIntosh live in Pontiac Township.

Apricot Bars

1½ c flour
1 t baking powder
¼ t salt
1½ c quick cooking rolled oats
1 c dark brown sugar
¾ c butter or margarine
¾ c apricot preserves

Cut butter into brown sugar, add sifted flour, baking powder, salt and rolled oats. Mix until crumbly.

Pat ¾ of mixture into 11x7½ baking pan. Spread with preserves. Top with remaining rolled oat mixture. Bake 35 minutes at 375 degrees.

Norton, Thompson married

Joyce E. Thompson and Todd G. Norton were recently wed in a double ring ceremony at the Church of the Resurrection.

The evening ceremony was performed by the Rev. Alexander Stewart.

For her Sept. 6 wedding, the bride wore a gown of crystal sheer fabric. The high neckline with an illusion yoke was bordered with a full collar of Chantilly-type lace.

The long, fitted sleeves and hemline were accented in matching lace. Her waltz-length, three-tier veil was edged in lace and attached to a lace headband. She carried a bouquet of white and peach silk roses.

Maid of honor was Pam Hall of Clarkston. Bridesmaids were Lori Thompson of Davisburg, Cindy Thompson of Davisburg, and Cindy Newton of Clarkston.

The bride's attendants wore navy blue floor-length, halter-type dresses of Qiana fabric.

Jennifer Hynes of Clarkston served as flower girl and the bride's nephew, Will Hober, was ring bearer.

The bride was given in marriage by her uncle, Charles Thompson.

Best man was Jim Norton of Davisburg. Other groomsmen were Steve Norton, Joe Norton,

Neil Norton, Bill Hober and Mark Doolin.

A reception for the newlyweds and the 250 guests was held at the VFW Hall, Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton honeymooned in the Smokey Mountains. They are residing in Holly.

The bride is the daughter of Joyce M. Thompson of Springfield Township and the late

Todd G. Norton. A 1977 Clarkston High School graduate, she is employed by Ladd-Williams Associates, Lake Orion.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Norton of Silverpoint, Tenn. A 1978

Clarkston High School graduate, he is employed by Faygo Beverage Co.

*Mr. and Mrs. Todd G. Norton***Club notes**

Christmas festivities are planned by members of the Austin Chapter No. 396, Order of the Eastern Star of Davisburg.

The annual party is scheduled Saturday, Dec. 20, with a potluck dinner at 6 p.m. followed by a visit from Santa Claus and a Christmas program.

Members of the organization, Masons and their families and friends are to attend the event.

Former Clarkston resident, John C. White has been installed as master of Proctorville Lodge No. 550, F&AM of Proctorville, Ohio.

A 1966 graduate of Clarkston High School and 1970 Michigan State University graduate, White is a project design engineer for C and O Railway Co., Huntington, W. Va.

He is a member of the Cedar Chapter, Order of Demolay.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. S.W. White of Main Street, Clarkston, attended the open installation of officers held in Proctorville.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Rosner of Reese Road hosted the annual caroling party for the Clarkston Historical Society Friday, Dec. 5.

Fifty society members attended the party, enjoying hors

d'oeuvres and champagne punch while ringing in the holiday season.

The society is concerned with preservation of historical homes and building in the Clarkston area.

At college

Pamela Sue Stalker recently graduated with a bachelor of fine arts degree from the Center for Creative Studies, Detroit.

Her major was advertising design and her minor, photography.

Much of the work she has done as a free-lance artist is familiar to area residents. Her clients include Pine Knob Investment Co., Lady and the Tramp, and The Essence Of It.

Pamela plans to attend the California Institute of Arts beginning in the fall of 1981 where she is to study film and animation.

As honors graduate of Clarkston High School in 1975, she is the daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Neil Stalker of Warbler Lane, Independence Township.

Peggy Fry is among 73 Alma College students who have been named Michigan Scholars this year.

Selection of students for the honor is based on interest in graduate research, a 3.3 cumulative grade point average and recommendations by faculty members.

Peggy, a senior at Alma, is a 1977 Clarkston High School graduate.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Fry Jr. of Paramus Drive. Her major at Alma is sociology.

At school

Timothy Cassidy has been nominated for the Century III award and scholarship.

This national competition asks the student to write his plan for American in the coming

third century.

Chosen to represent Our Lady of the Lakes High School, Timothy's entry will first be considered at the state level and then, if it wins there, will go on

to national competition.

Timothy, who is president of the Lakes senior class, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cassidy, of Deer Ridge Drive, Independence Township.

Celebrate!

It's Christmas and local churches have planned special celebrations of the holidays true meaning with expressions of joy for Jesus Christ's birth.

The Clarkston News contacted those churches which have telephone-answering services during the week. A listing of Christmas services of those that responded to our request follow:

Calvary Lutheran Church
6805 Bluegrass
Independence Township

"We Celebrate a Tree," by Calvary's Sunday Church School, Sunday, Dec. 21, 7 p.m. Directed by Sandy Melson and Yvonne Lowe.

Christmas Eve Family Candlelight worship, 7 p.m., features the Junior Choir and a special Christmas story. Carol sing at 6:45.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion, 11 p.m., Chancel Choir to sing.

Student Recognition Sunday, Dec. 28, 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Students will help lead service and carols will be part of the worship.

The Church of the Resurrection
Episcopal
6490 Clarkston
Independence Township

Sunday, Dec. 21, 10 a.m., Children's Christmas Pageant.

Christmas Eve: Family Choral Eucharist, 7 p.m.; Carols, 11 p.m.; Choral Eucharist, 11:30 p.m.

Christmas Day: Holy Communion, 10 a.m.

Clarkston United Methodist Church
6600 Waldon
Independence Township

Annual Christmas Eve Adoration and Candlelighting Service, 7 p.m. The Christmas story will be told in scripture, anthems, poetry, carols and pantomime.

All choirs will sing and each person will receive a candle symbolizing the lights of the world, Jesus Christ.

Holy Communion service at 10:30 p.m.

First Church of God
6300 Clarkston
Independence Township

Sunday, Dec. 21: Morning receiving of the annual Christ's Birthday offering for world missions. "Christmas around the World" at 6 p.m., a time for showing how some modern Christmas customs can be used to celebrate Christ's birthday. Saint Nick will be there, as well as Joseph and Mary.

Dec. 22, 23, 24: Live nativity with members of congregation in costume and some animals, 7 to 9 p.m. each night, outdoors in front of the church.

Christmas Eve: A come-and-go communion opportunity at the church, 5 to 6 p.m.

Sashabaw United Presbyterian Church
5300 Maybee
Independence Township

Sunday, Dec. 21: Advent Worship Service, 11 a.m.; Children's Christmas Pageant, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 24: Family Night Candlelight Service, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 31: Family Watchnight Service, 7:30 p.m.

Seymour Lake United Methodist Church
Sashabaw at Seymour Lake Road
Brandon Township

Christmas Eve, December 24, 7 p.m.

Spiritualist Church of the Good Samaritan
5401 Oak Park
Independence Township

Sunday, Dec. 21: Special Christmas Service, 6:45 p.m., with the Rev. Beryl Hinz. Special Christmas music with Deana Yates.

The service is to be followed with a social hour, refreshments and a sing-a-long Christmas music.

St. Trinity Lutheran Church
7925 Sashabaw
Independence Township

Sunday, Dec. 21: Sunday School Christmas Service, 6:30 p.m.

Christmas Eve: Midnight Service, 11:15 p.m.

Christmas Day: Holy Communion Service, 10 a.m.

New Year's Eve: Holy Communion Service, 7:30 p.m.

Around town

Does your group have an activity planned that is open to the public?

As a community service, The Clarkston News will print details about the event in Around Town.

There is no charge.

Call us at 625-3370, drop us a line at 5 S. Main, Clarkston 48016, or stop by the office.

Sunday, Dec. 21--Christmas Party for children grades 1-6, 3 to 6 p.m., magic show, a visit by Santa, refreshments, movie, pinatas, pre-registration \$1, at door \$3, bring wrapped gift worth \$2 or less, Clarkston Junior High School, 6300 Church, sponsored by Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department. (Sheryl, 625-8223)

Monday, Dec. 22--"Night Before Christmas" party, 7 to 8 p.m., kids can wear pajamas, songs and stories and refreshments, free, Springfield Township Library, 10900 Andersonville Rd., Springfield Township, (625-0595)

Wednesday, Jan. 7--Clarkston Mill Ponds Association meeting, 7:30 p.m., Village Hall, 375 Depot, Clarkston. (625-8066)

AREA CHURCHES AND THEIR WORSHIP HOUR

SASHABAW UNITED PRESBYTERIAN 5300 Maybee Road, Clarkston Worship 11:00 a.m. Church School 9:30 a.m. Co-pastors: Jenny H. & William C. Schram Phone: 673-3101	ST. DANIEL CATHOLIC CHURCH Holcomb at Miller Rd. Father Charles E. Cushing Sunday Masses: 9, 10:30 and 12:00 Sat. 5pm & 7pm	MT. BETHEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Jossman and Bald Eagle Lake Rds. Pastor, David Rahn Church Worship 9:30am School 10:30am Phone: 694-9243
CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 6600 Waldon Road Rev. James R. Balfour Worship & Church School 10am	FIRST BAPTIST 5972 Paramus Rev. Clarence Bell Sunday School 9:45am Morning Service 11am Primary Church thru 4th Grade Evening Service 7pm	MT. ZION TEMPLE 4451 Clintonville Rd. — 673-2050 Sunday school 10am Worship Service 11am Evening Service 6pm Mid-week Service 7:30pm Pastor Loren Covarrubias — 674-1415
GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 1950 Baldwin, Lake Orion, MI 48035 Sunday School 9:15 Family Worship 9 and 10:30am Weekday School Wed. 6:15pm Pastor Charles Kosberg	DRAYTON HEIGHTS FREE METHODIST CHURCH Corner of Winnell and Maybee Rd. Rev. Clancy J. Thompson 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Worship Hour — 6:00 Vespers Wednesday 7pm Family Night	FIRST CHURCH OF GOD 6300 Clarkston Road Clarkston 625-1323 Sunday School 9:30am Morning Worship 10:45am Evening Worship 6:00pm Mid-week Service Wed. 7:30pm Dr. Eddie Downey
ANDERSONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH 10350 Andersonville Rev. Wallace Duncan Worship 11:00am	FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH 4832 Clintonville Rd. — Phone 673-3638 Services: Sunday Sunday School: Bible Study 10am Worship Hour 11am Youth Hour 5pm, Gospel Hour 6pm Wednesday, Hour of Prayer 7pm	ST. ANDREW EPISCOPAL CHURCH 5301 Hatchery Rd. Crayton Plains The Rev. William Evans Worship Services: 8am July & August Only 8 & 10am Sept. thru June The New Prayer Book
MARANATHA BAPTIST CHURCH 5790 Flemings Lake Road Rev. Philip W. Somers Worship 11:00am	PINE KNOB COMMUNITY CHURCH 3041 Reeder Road off Clintonville Pontiac, Michigan Ken Hauser Worship 10:15am & 6pm	COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH 1888 Crescent Lake Rd. Pontiac Sunday School 10am Worship Service 11am Evening Service 6pm Pastor: Rev. Myron Gaul
SEYMOUR LAKE UNITED METHODIST Sashabaw at Seymour Lake Rd. Rev. Kenneth Christler Sunday School 9:30-10:15 Worship Service 10:30am	NEW HOPE BIBLE CHURCH 5311 Sunnyside Sunday School 9:45am Worship Service 11am Worship at 6pm Rev. A.T.B. Phillips 674-1112	CLARKSTON GOOD SHEPHERD ASSEMBLY OF GOD 6051 Sashabaw Rd. near Maybee Rd. Sunday School 9:45am Morning Worship 11am Evening Worship 7pm Mid-Week Worship Wed. 7:00pm Pastor: Peter Magdi, 673-3068
OLD FASHIONED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH Rev. Omer Brewer 5785 Clarkston Rd. Sunday School 10:30 Sunday Evening Service 7:00	CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH INDEPENDENT NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH Gene Paul, Minister 3246 Lapeer Rd. (M-24 near I-75) Bible School 9:45; Morning Worship 11am Evening Worship 6:00	LAKE LOUISE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE M-15 at W. Seymour Lake Road, Ortonville 9:45 Sunday School 10:50 The Hour of Worship 6:15pm Youth and Bible Study 7:00 Evening Service Wed. 7pm Family Prayer & Bible Study
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The puppets sport papier mache heads and homemade costumes fashioned by the students over a three-week period. Laurie Hein [left] and her puppet "Mouse" assist Jennifer Bradley as she forms the finishing touches for her "Marion the Librarian"—a brown yarn bun.



As her group presents the show to the class, Amy Pearson speaks for her "Knave" puppet.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan will hold a Public Hearing on January 8, 1981 at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, to consider the following request:

By Mr. Hugh Garner to discuss modification to the Deer Lake Farm's Consent Judgement to allow condominiums on presently zoned commercial land.

The purpose of this Hearing is to obtain information and comment from the developer and concerned citizens on the scope of this proposal.

COMMON DESCRIPTION: 30 acres at the corner of Dixie Highway, DeerHill Dr. & I-75 Expressway.

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

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It is time for rehearsal and the kids and the puppets they designed and made head for the front of the Sashabaw Junior High School classroom of

drama-speech teacher Jan Malane.

While groups of four or five perform behind a table on its side, their classmates watch.

When a puppet show needs more practice, they become restless and Malane offers the puppeteers some advice.

But when it's good, their appreciative laughter fills the room.

The 23 students are getting ready to perform their shows for North Sashabaw Elementary kindergartners and children in the preschool program that meets at SJHS.

"The puppet idea was a good one," says Malane, and she is also pleased with how well things have gone in the class that was offered the first time this year at SJHS.

During parent-teacher conference time, she says, one parent couldn't decide who bubbled over with more enthusiasm for the class—his daughter or her teacher.

The students mime, improvisation, radio plays and they are now doing the puppet plays.

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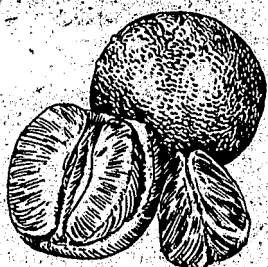
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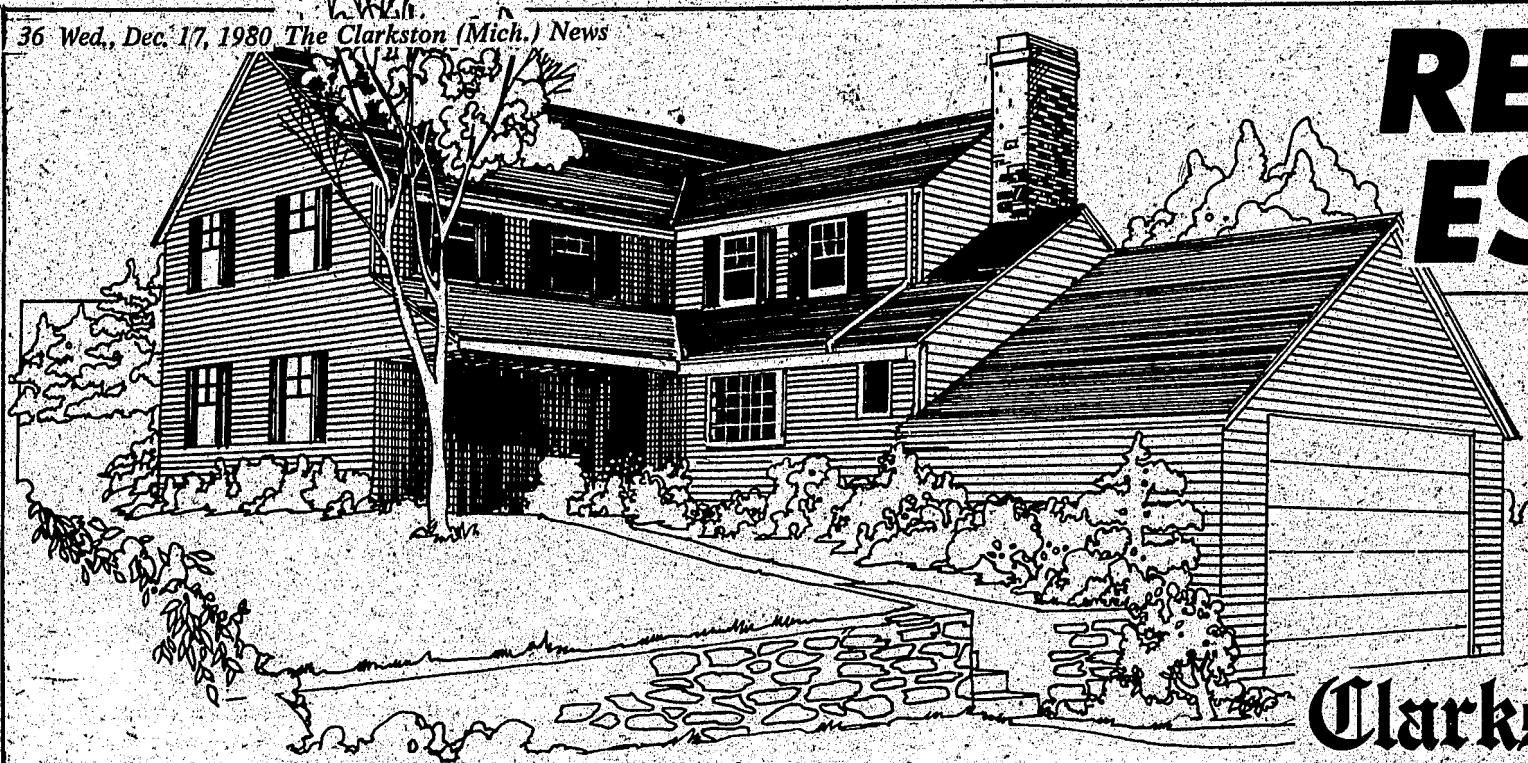
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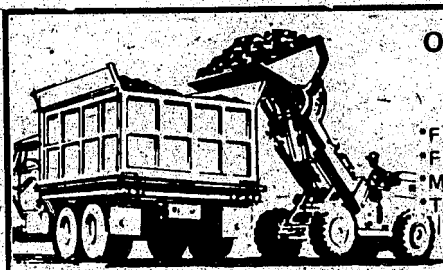
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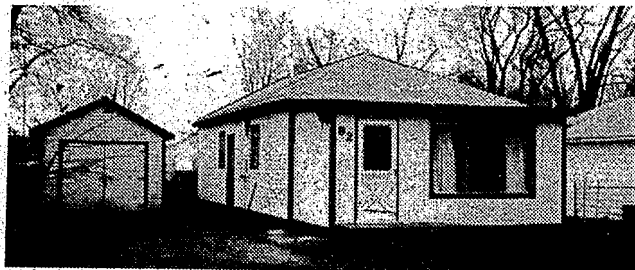
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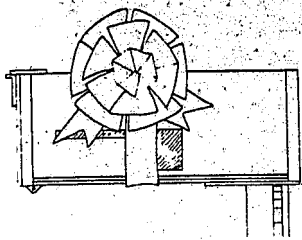
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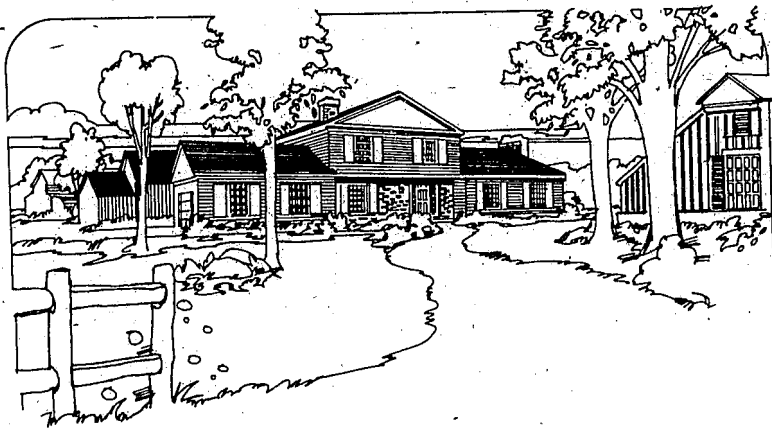
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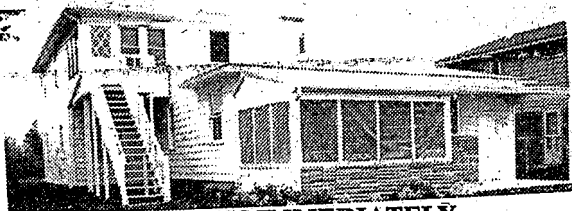
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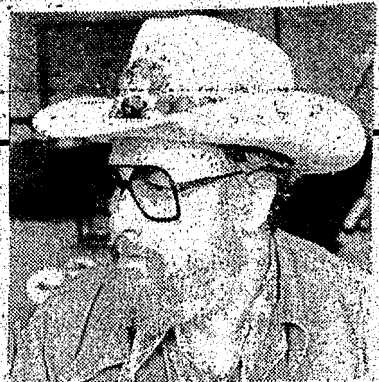
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'Tis the season for memories

In the old days at the Andersonville country school, Thanksgiving's passing signaled the beginning of preparations for the Christmas season.

Much to the delight of the students, the teachers, and possibly the parents, that was when the planning began for the annual Christmas program which was held sometime in the week previous to Christmas in the Andersonville church.

As I reflect on these times, they must have been filled with both pride and much frustration for our teacher, Miss Jenny Scott.

The classroom schedule was altered somewhat in those weeks to allow for rehearsals and to make gifts for mothers, fathers, brothers and sisters.

Each student would bring a few pennies for materials for these projects, but I'm sure Miss

Scott bore most of the expense. Some of the older girls would help the younger kids make their gifts.

This was one of the most beneficial aspects of the old one-room school, that the younger children had the opportunity to learn from the older students.

Some of the girls — Louise Studebaker; the Fuller girls, Theresa, Geraldine and Joan; Dorothy Danley; and MaryLou Sommers — were very helpful.

As it got nearer to Christmas and we had our gifts nearly finished, our renditions of "Silent Night," "Jingle Bells," "Night Before Christmas," and so on, were all fine-tuned.

Our Christmas play was ready to be shown-off at its finest.

The big night finally came. The good word had spread all over town. We would be playing to a packed house tonight.

Our announcer was a young man who inherited the job, because he had missed two weeks of school with a bad case of poison oak. This certainly created a very itchy situation.

The show was completed to a standing round of applause. Then everyone went next door to the church house.

We feasted on a potluck of cake, pie, milk and coffee.

When we were finished, we heard sleigh bells outside and the thump of boots on the porch.

The door opened and there was Santa with a big sack slung over his shoulder.

In it, he had a bag of candy and an orange for each of the children. In these times, the

orange was as big a treat as the candy.

After Santa passed out the gifts and talked to the children, he said a jolly good night to all and retreated out the door.

As boys are sometimes prone to do, a few of them recognized that Santa was wearing Webber Ware's shoes, and they started chasing him across the snowy field behind Charley Kross' farm.

Mr. Ware was seen shortly afterward, all red-faced and out of breath.

It is certainly a wonder that the old man in the red suit has survived all these many years.

After holiday greetings and goodbyes were exchanged it was time to go home with the dreams and anticipation of the upcoming holiday filling our heads.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish each and every one of you a merry old-fashioned Christmas, the very best kind of all.

Gifts with Clarkston touch

After quizzing a few of Santa's elves, the Clarkston Community Historical Society has come up with some very special gift ideas for Christmas.

Two of the gifts are native to the Clarkston area and could prove to be a real taste of home.

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Somethin's Cookin': Everything for the kitchen

If it's something for the kitchen, there's a new business in downtown Clarkston that's bound to have it.

So say Phillip Alper and Dee Paul, who are ready to greet customers at "Somethin's Cookin'," the kitchen supply store that opened Dec. 1 in the Clarkston Corner's mall on the corner of Main Street and East Church.

"We have special items that the average kitchen store doesn't," says Paul, who manages the store. "Our gourmet coffees and teas, for one."

Pots, pans, cooking ware, mugs, gadgetry, cook books, aprons and pot holders are all in abundant selection along with special varieties of fresh-ground coffee and tea.

"I've been surveying the kitchen supply business for the past three years," says Alper, who owns the business. "It's a growing and growing business—more and more people are staying home. Interest in home cooking is rising."

Alper lives in Bloomfield Hills. He previously worked in the real estate business, and located his business in Clarkston based on his experience.

"After surveying all of the possible areas, I decided on it while driving home one day. Clarkston," he says. "It's small,

but it's growing—and we want to grow with it."

"We're not catering to gourmets alone," Paul points out. "We have a price line for the average housewife to the elite hostess—everything for the average cook to the gourmet chef."

Doing Business

Both the name and the appearance of the business are intended to give people a relaxed and homey-type feeling, say Alper and Paul.

"When we came in here, there were just the four walls," Alper says. "We hired a professional interior designer, John Greenberg & Associates, to design the interior."

"We wanted a comfortable, homey atmosphere," Paul adds. "Something that would make people feel at ease to browse around."

The name was Paul's invention, says Alper. She thought of it while driving home one day. "It's a country-style name,

and this is a country-style town," Paul says. "Everybody thinks the name is pretty cute."

Somethin's Cookin' also plans on offering cooking classes starting in February, taught by

such culinary notables as Clarkston Cafe Chef Greg Goodman and Tish Meyers of The Detroit News. Free cooking demonstrations inside the store are another coming attraction, says Alper.

A wide variety of cooking styles and methods will be covered in the classes, he adds, and persons interested in participating can come into the store and register this month.



Owner Phillip Alper and Manager Dee Paul pose in front of the well-stocked shelves and walls at Somethin's Cookin'.

Business briefs

John Whittaker is the big winner in a recent drawing held during the grand opening celebration of the new Clarkston branch bank building of Manufacturers Bank of Southfield.

Whittaker, who lives in Brandon Township, won an RCA color television.

His name was drawn by the Rev. Robert D. Walters of Calvary Lutheran Church, which is located on Bluegrass Drive adjacent to the bank.

Also present for the drawing were Daniel O'Connor, branch officer of the bank, Aurel Ursu, senior vice president and Robert E. Buchanan, vice president.

Tierra Arts and Design, of downtown Clarkston, has expanded with a second store in Auburn Heights.

Called Tierra Educational Crafts Supply, the new store is "a massive version of the upstairs" of the Clarkston shop, said Buck Kopietz, who owns the two shops with his wife Joan.

While the Clarkston store has almost 700 square feet of space, the new store has 16,000 square feet, he said, and the emphasis is on educational toys, crafts and art supplies.

The new store is located at 3345 Auburn Rd.

Delton E. Lohff, an owner of Kieft Engineering of Independence Township, has been elected to the board of the Michigan Association of the Professions (MAP).

Lohff was named to his position on Nov. 20 when the organization met at the Michigan State University Club, Lansing.

Serving its members for over 21 years, MAP represents the professions of architecture, Certified Public Accountancy, dentistry, education, engineering, land surveying, law, medicine, optometry, pharmacy, school administration and veterinary medicine.

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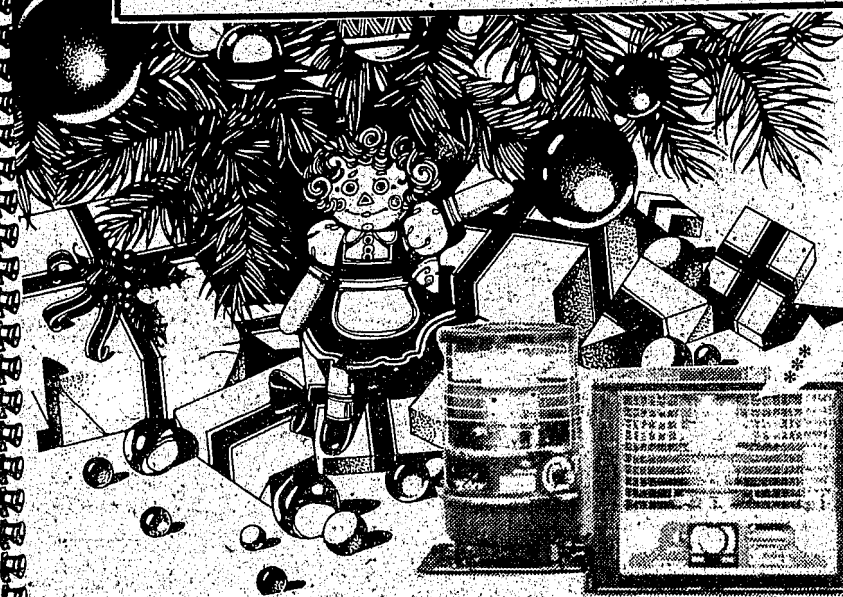
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Brenda, as almost any adult

parent eventually realizes, is wrong. She will never escape the influence of her mother and father.

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It has been said that we do not reach maturity until we reach that point in our lives where we can forgive our parents for all the things we supposed as we grew up that they did wrong to us.

In forgiving comes an accep-

tance of ourselves and our families.

Only when we have let our anger cool, can we differentiate between what was really so awful our parents did and what seemed to have benefitted us in the long run.

The worst parent probably passed on much that was good.

We know only too well what our parents' idiosyncracies and faults were.

Our anger with these, however, sometimes blinds us to their attributes. But, it is their attributes that may best stand us in good stead when it comes to being a parent ourselves.

Understanding, which perhaps always carries an element of forgiveness, is one of the keys of becoming a successful parent.

We want to avoid blind repeti-

tion of our parents' bad patterns, but we don't want to reject their useful or pleasing traits either.

As parents, we want to consciously and wisely choose the patterns that will best benefit our children.

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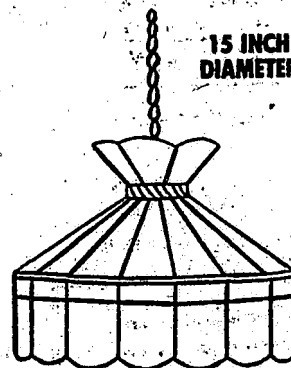
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The Birmingham Bookstore has quite a selection of unusual calendars. Put out by the Humane Society of the United States, there is one on dogs, another on cats, sea mammals, or wild beasts.

They also carry Sierra Club nature calendars as well as Whole Earth calendars, which are pictorial masterpieces.

The world of books offers great variety and amusement in the world of nature.

"Beaversprite: My Years Building an Animal Sanctuary," by Dorothy Richards tells how she created a sanctuary for beavers.

Dorothy and Al Richards

began communing with beavers after they rescued one from a steel jaw trap. "Beaversprite" gives fascinating insights into the playful, inventive, friendly and responsive beaver.

A good companion book on beavers is "Pilgrims of the Wild" by Grey Owl, a Canadian naturalist who was converted from the profession of trapping by two beaver kits whom he had made orphans. He devoted his life to trying to restore beavers in Canada.

Grey Owl says of one of his beavers, "She busied herself at tasks that I could, without loss of dignity, have occupied myself at, she made camp and carried in supplies, could lay plans and carry them out."

"A Passion for Birds: Fifty Years of Photographing Wildlife" by Eric Hosking, is a magnificent collection of bird photographs ranging from the graceful glide of the gray heron to tender nest scenes of blue bitterns.

Hosking describes the circumstance of taking the pictures and reveals his deep passion for birds, and the knowledge and understanding he gained through observing and photographing birds.

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An interesting children's book is really a weighty discussion that brings philosophy to light. It is "Conversations with a Pocket Gopher" by Jack Schaffer, Noel Young Press, paperback \$4.95.

"The Beginning Naturalist" is weekly encounters with the natural world, and is beautifully written by Gale Laurence and illustrated by Adelaide Murphy. New England Press, \$6.95.

"Kinship With All Life" is by J. Allen Boon, who takes over a famous German Shepherd movie dog. From there they strike up

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"The Biography of a Tree" by James P. Jackson, is the 265-year biography of a white oak tree, how it struggles to spread its branches and hosts other animal life in its spread. Then comes the change from flourishing to decay over many years. A bit like society? Perhaps. It is a story of slow, steady toil; tirelessness in the face of fate. Hardcover, \$12.50.

My favorite for the world of dogs this year is "How to be Your Dog's Best Friend: A Training Manual for Dog Owners" by the Monks of New Skete, who live in New York.

The Monks take an ethological approach to establishing dominance over the dog. Their

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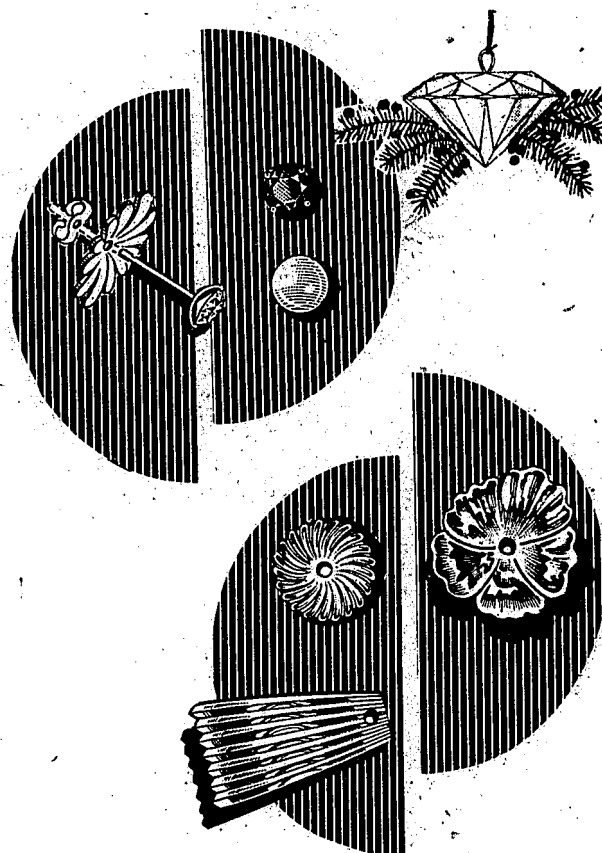
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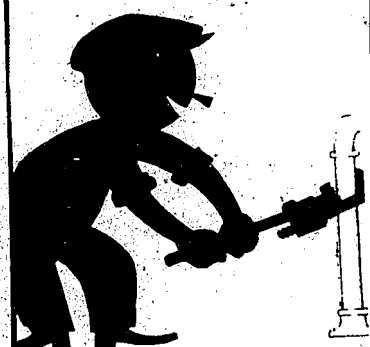
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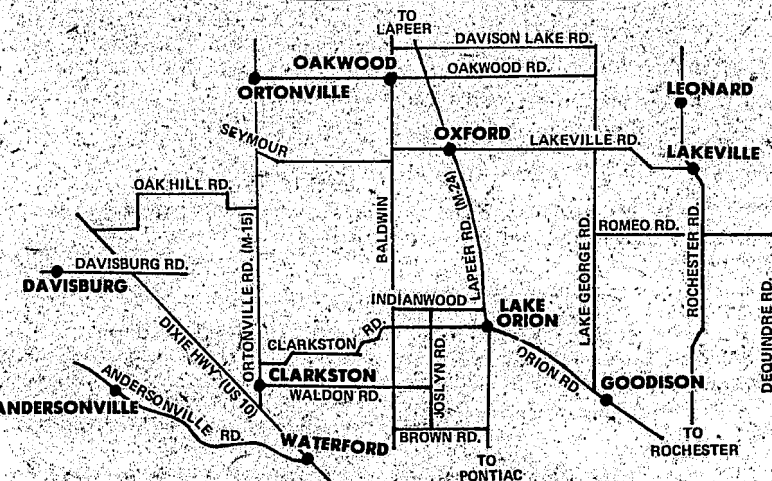
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ELECTRIC GUITAR, Les Paul style, mint condition, \$125; French horn, Reynolds single, good condition, \$200, must sell! 693-9352!!LR-12-3, RX49-1*

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SNOWBLADE, Meyers 2 way with mounting brackets, pump & headlights. \$250. 693-1247!!LX-49-1

SEASONED FIREWOOD for sale; \$40 face cord, 2 \$75 delivered. 391-4676 or 391-0344!!LX-48-4

FOR SALE: Antique mahogany sideboard 6 1/2 ft., good condition, \$275 or best offer. Two antique jumbo size inside pine doors, 42" each \$100; or best offer. 693-8464!!LX-49-2

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CHRISTMAS CLEAR OUT SALE: 1419 S. Sashabaw Rd., Ortonville. Furniture, clothes, crafts and more. 9 am - 6 pm, Thursday - Sunday!!LX-49-1

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1980 CHEVY LUV, 4 WD, a.c. Mikado, rust proofed, 5000 miles. 693-7020!!LX-49-1

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1974 JEEP, 6 cylinder, 3 speed. Good miles. MPG, 49,500 miles. \$1800; Call 693-4038!!LX-49-1

1972 FORD GRAND TORINO \$100, 752-7003!!LR-12-2

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1974 YAMAHA ENDURO dirt bike, 350 engine bored out. Runs good, looking for best offer. \$250 so far. Call evenings 628-9151!!LX-35-1fth, L-33-1fth, LR-50-5fth

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PERSONALS

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LOST

LOST: Gray and white male cat on November 22. Leonard area, answers to Cody. Call 628-1381!!LX-48-2

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WOULD THE PERSON WHO PLACED the ad for "a found orange blossom gold ring" a few months ago, please call 693-6883. **REWARD!!!**LX-48-2, L-46-3, LR-11-3

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OXFORD AMERICAN LEGION Children's Christmas Party 2 p.m., Dec. 20 in new building!!!LX-49-1f

NEW YEAR'S EVE Party - American Legion Building on E. Drahter, 9 p.m. - 2 Band, open bar & buffet. Call 628-9081 for tickets before Dec. 25. \$35 couple, \$40 couple after the 25th!!!LX-49-2c, L-47-2c

CRAFT & BAKE SALE sponsored by Indianwood Christian Academy December 19, 9-5, L&S Foods, Lake Orion!!!LX-48-2c, L-46-2c, LR-11-2c

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ATTENTION APPLE CUSTOMERS Stony Creek Orchards Sales room closing Dec. 25 thru Jan. 7, for the holidays. Winter hours begin Jan. 8, open Thursday thru Sunday only 10-5:30 p.m. Romeo 752-2453!!!LX-49-2

REAL ESTATE

CLARKSTON 3 BEDROOM ranch 2 1/2 car garage, family room, fireplace, formal dining room, newly decorated, large lot near village. \$65,900. 625-1416!!!CX18-4c

4 BEDROOM HOUSE, 68 Pleasant St. in Oxf. Inquire 45 W. Burdick, apt. 1, Oxf.!!!LX-49-1f

CLARKSTON VILLAGE - Large home on Park Lake. Land contract available. 625-2536 or 673-6734!!!CX18-3p

OXFORD CONDO - Beautiful 2 large bedrooms, 2 1/2 car garage, many extras. Also 3 bedroom tri-level on almost 2 acres. Cut field stone front and fireplace. Also 10 acre parcels. Land contract. Lic. salesperson agent for Robyn Realty. Office 628-4058, Home 628-1282!!!LX-15-1f, L-13-1f

WANTED: Someone who would like to make \$800 to \$1000 month, part-time or full time. No door to door selling. Must be ambitious, don't wait, call 693-8130 from 9 a.m. to 3:30p.m.!!!LX-47-3

2 1/2 ACRE CLARKSTON, 3 bedroom ranch, 1 1/2 baths, walkout basement, 7 yrs. old, custom built. Door wall to redwood deck. Beautiful view of pond on property. VA. commitment \$64,500. Land contract or cash to existing mortgage. Call Evelyn Young, Bateman Shultz Realty. 623-9551!!!CX18-1c

LAND CONTRACT TERMS (ch-169) 2 bedroom ranch, large family room, 1 1/2 baths, 2 car garage. Clarkston schools. \$47,900. Call Mark Licatovich at B&B Clarkston Hills Real Estate Inc. 625-9500!!!CX18-1p

WHY RENT? (ch-171) When you can have your money working for you in this comfortable 3 bedroom home with full basement. Land contract terms, \$64,900. Call Judy Rosenberger at 625-9500. B&B Clarkston Hills Real Estate!!!CX18-1p

NOT A DRIVE BY (ch-174) Lots of charm in this Independence ranch. Close to shopping but has a country atmosphere. 1/2 acre fenced lot. So much more. \$69,900. Call Lucy Smith at 625-9500. B&B Clarkston Hills Real Estate Inc.!!!CX18-1p

UNIQUE LAKEFRONT (ch-101) Stunning lake view of Pontiac Lake, 2 bedrooms, spacious great room with possible 2 more bedrooms upstairs. Call Russ Harvey for more details. 625-9500. B&B Clarkston Hills Real Estate Inc.!!!CX18-1p

5 BEDROOM HOME for the active family, 2400 sq. ft. of living featuring family room with fireplace and spiral staircase, swimming pool, covered patio, and lake privileges on Lake Oakland. Land contract terms available. 673-8026!!!LX-48-2, L-46-3, LR-11-3

RED BARN SUB. Beautiful 2 story, completely finished basement with fireplace, huge garage, partially fenced rear yard. Tip top condition. Possible assumption full price \$59,500. Call Ken Thomas 693-1465 Broker!!!LX-49-1c

10 ACRES WITH 1 1/2 YEAR OLD quad level, 6 minutes north of Oxford. Like new condition. Possible land contract terms. Call Ken Thomas 693-1465 Broker!!!LX-49-1c

LAKE ORION LAKESIDE. The quality of this house has to be seen to be believed. 2 fireplaces, enormous kitchen, full walkout basement, recreation room, call Ken Thomas 693-1465 Broker!!!LX-49-1c

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE by owner. Old farmhouse on private lake with acreage. Frontage on 3 roads, good outbuilding, wandering creek through property. 313-793-4937!!!LX-48-6

LOT FOR SALE: Approximately 800 ft. from Davis Lake, Oxford Twp. 88x150. Backs to 7 preserved wooded acres. Day 628-4058, after 6 p.m. 628-1282!!!LX-38-1f, L-36-1f

ALTERNATIVE financing available. Existing land contracts purchased. Call for quotes. Selling your Home??? See us for financing possibilities. Land Contract Investment Co., 59 S. Main, Clarkston, MI 48016. 625-8381!!!CX51-TFC

WANTED

WANTED APT. SIZE refrigerator and gas stove. 628-9655!!!LX-48-3

JUNK CARS WANTED, pay \$30 for complete cars. 628-0431!!!LX-48-1f

NEW CONSERVATION OFFICER in county needs housing. Looking for unfurnished flat, part of house or cabin. Write to Susan Hlywa, 2455 N. Williams Lake Rd., Pontiac, MI 48054!!!LX-49-1, L-47-3, LR-12-3

PART-TIME COOKS position at Christian conference Center. Available after January 1. Mostly day time, some weekends. Starting \$4.65 hour. call 373-5474, 9-6, Monday-Friday!!!LX-48-2

DON'T THROW IT AWAY, custodian would like to pick up. Snowmobiles, riding lawn mowers, rifles, cars, etc. 693-2753!!!LX-49-2

WANTED: Ladies downhill ski boots size 8. Call 628-5854!!!LX-49-1

WANTED GOOD USED furniture, antiques, guns, tools, etc. Cash paid. 693-2075!!!LX-46-4

JUNK CARS WANTED: Will pay for complete car or will tow away junk cars free of charge & partial cars. Will buy batteries & radiators. This includes old & new cars. 628-4349!!!LX-45-8c

FUR BUYER, I buy raw furs, racoons, fox, mink, muskrat and deerhides. 666-3787!!!R-7-6, RX-44-6, RL42-6

WE BUY OLD & wrecked VWs for parts. Highest prices paid. Recycled Bugs, 373-2300!!!LX-46-6

WANTED: Class rings any condition. 10 K. Paying \$50 men's \$25 ladies. Also, scrap gold & silver. Will pick up. 1-651-0023!!!LX-48-1f, L-46-1f, LR-11-1f

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USED GUNS WANTED regardless of condition. Top cash dollars. We buy-sell-trade. Guns galore. Fenton 629-5325!!!X4-tfc

ANTIQUES

ANTIQUE SALE: Royal Doulton figurines, & Toby mugs for X-mas at discount prices. Antique furniture, china & glass, round oak table, 4 chairs, Chippendale walnut oval table, Basset chest of drawers, 3 piece Golden Oak bedroom set, misc. Fri. & Sat., 10-7, 725 Seymour Lake Rd., Oxford, 628-5566!!!LX-49-1, L-47-1

FOR RENT

APARTMENT FOR RENT, 1 & 2 bedroom. From \$245. Heat included. Children's area available. 628-4728!!!LX-46-1f, L-44-1f, LR-9-1f

BOYNE COUNTRY. Ski reservations. Weekends or by the week. Beautiful A-Frame at the slopes. All conveniences. 625-8784!!!CX11-10p

APT. FOR RENT: Salisbury Village. Apts in Ortonville. 2 bedroom, carpeted, drapes, \$275 per month. 627-4220!!!LX-49-2

ONE BEDROOM APARTMENT. \$225. Utilities included. Call 628-0971!!!LX-49-2

DOWNTOWN LAKE ORION, one bedroom apartment for rent. \$250. No children or pets. Lease. Call evenings. 1-293-2303!!!LX-49-3

TOWNHOUSE FOR RENT in Lapeer. New. Two bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, appliances, dishwasher, air conditioning, carpeted, natural fireplace, walk-out patio. \$350 per month, \$450 security deposit. 628-4600!!!LX-45-tfc

FOR RENT: Furnished mobile home. Utilities furnished. \$250 a month. \$250 deposit. No pets. 678-2723!!!LX-47-3, L-45-3

TWO BEDROOM COLONIAL, condominium. I-75/Baldwin. Garage, appliances. \$325 mo. Mrs. Hayes 625-5660, 334-1818!!!CX17-4c

FOR LEASE, store in downtown Lake Orion 1100 square feet, plus 450 square feet of back room storage. 693-2321!!!R-10-3, RX47-3, RL45-3

FOR RENT: Efficiency units. \$55 per week plus deposit. 693-2355!!!LX-44-tf

CLARKSTON AREA one and two bedroom apartments and townhouses. Starting at \$285. 625-8407. After 6, 625-2803!!!CX50-tfc

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LOVELY 4 BEDROOM lakefront home in Village of Clarkston. Call F. Russell Fahr at 674-3188 or 681-5218!!!CX18-1p

COMMERCIAL SPACE for rent. 3200 sq. ft. shop area, plus office space. \$600 per month. 628-7225!!!LX-38-1f, L-36-1f

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FOR RENT: 12x60 mobile home, 2 bedrooms, excellent condition, on private land. North of Oxford. References and security deposit required. 628-5805!!!LX-49-2c, L-47-3c

APARTMENT TO SHARE 1 person, downstairs. Fireplace, horses. 5116 N. Lapeer Rd., 5 miles north of Oxford on M-24!!!LX-47-1f

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FOR RENT: Duplex on Lakeville Lake. Two bedroom. \$275 per month. 628-1994 after 4pm!!!LX-49-3, L-47-3

OAKLANE APARTMENTS

Lake Orion

2 bedrooms

Available for immediate occupancy

from \$275.00 month

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If no answer 628-4434

FOR RENT: One bedroom apartment. Stove, refrigerator & carpeting included. \$50 per week, \$300 security deposit. North of Oxford on M-24. 693-1544!!!LX-49-1

2 BEDROOM HOUSE for rent on Lakeville Lake. 628-3909 after 5 pm!!!LX-48-2

FOR RENT KERSLEY CREEK apartments. 2 bedroom, carpeted, appliances, washer, dryer in utility room. \$240 per month. No children or pets. 627-3947!!!CX17-8p

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FOR RENT

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LAKE ORION LAKE FRONT: 1 bedroom furnished apt. All utilities included. \$300 per month plus security. By week or month with 1 month in advance. 693-6163!!ILX-49-2

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CEMENT CONTRACTOR: Quality work, free estimates. Driveways, patios, sidewalks, block laying, repair work. No job too big or small. Specialize in putting basements under new or old homes. 628-9486!!ILX-41-tf

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WILL DO BABYSITTING in my home. Keatington area. Call 391-4951!!ILX-49-2

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REGISTERED HALF ARAB GELDING, English and Western, 15.2 hands. 627-2563!!!LX-48-2

FREE TO LOVING HOME ONLY Shepherd/Lab, mixed, 1 1/2 year old. Neutered, all shots!!!623-0809 CX18-1f

BLACK LAB MALE, 3 months, shots and housebroken, loving home only, \$40. 628-7787!!!RX-49-1

DARLING Christmas puppies, 693-8673!!!LX-49-1c

DOBERMAN PINCHER, male, black & tan, looking for good home. 628-1776!!!LX-49-3c, L-47-3c

DOG GROOMING All breeds, includes hair cut, bath, nails, ears, glands. Call Diane, 628-0012!!!LX-45-1f

DOG GROOMING: All breeds, quality work, reasonable rates, \$8 & up. Call Alyse, 628-2420!!!LX-45-1f

2 MARES: 1 6-year-old Arabian/Welch bay, 13 hands; 1 10-year-old part Morgan, gray, pulls buggy, 14 hands. 752-6332!!!LX-48-2

6 WEEK OLD Kittens fluffy, cuddly, adorable. Lake Orion Pet Centre, 44 E. Flint St., Lake Orion, 693-6550!!!LX-49-1c, L-47-1c, LR-12-1c

WORK WANTED

LAI OFF CARPENTER needs work, remodeling, additions, siding & odd jobs. Pay based on what you can afford. 628-0119!!!LX-49-2

NEED A HELPING HAND with housework for the holidays? Call now for your day to have us clean, 394-1262!!!LX-47-3

CUSTOM REMODELING AND general household repairs. Call Phil Johnson for free estimate. 373-5818!!!IR-10-3, RL-45-3, RX-47-3

N.E.B. CHIMNEY Sweep service, experienced, professional, sweep. Guaranteed to leave your home spotless. 652-7077 or 652-0087!!!IR-6-1f RL41-1f RX 431f

FOUND

FOUND: Shepherd Mix tan female with blue nylon collar and 10' chain. 628-1776!!!LX-49-1c, L-47-1c

FOUND: LONG HAIR young cat. Gray and white, wearing flea collar. 625-5623!!!CX18-1c

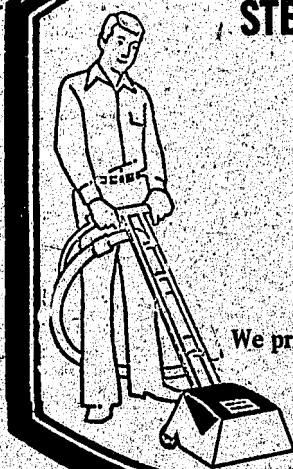
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CLARKSTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING

December 8, 1980

1. Approved minutes of the November 10, 1980 regular meeting.
2. Approved general fund and building site fund expenditures in the amount of \$203,069.
3. Received elementary curriculum report.
4. Voluntarily recognized Clarkston Community Schools Cafeteria Association for collective bargaining.
5. Approved Clarkston Senior High Student Government Vandalism Prevention Program.
6. Approved funding engineering drawings for athletic field lighting project.
7. Approved a Central Energy Management System for Clarkston Senior High.
8. Set a special meeting of the Board of Education on December 15, 1980 at 7 p.m. at the Administrative Offices.
9. Adjourned at 9:55 p.m.

Mary Jane Chaustowich, Secretary

SYNOPSIS

of Clarkston Village Council Meeting

Minutes of Dec. 8, 1980

Roll: Present - ApMadoc, Basinger, Fisher, Gardner, Schultz, Symons. Absent - Byers

Approved the bills in the amount of \$6075.55.

Appointed Trustee Gardner as our representative to the Clarkston Youth Assistance Committee.

Held the second Public Hearing on proposed uses for 1981-82 Community Development funds.

Allocated the 1981 Community Development funds to \$5000 for sidewalks and \$10,000 for historical preservation.

Approved the request of the Clarkston High Drama Club to hang a banner over M-15 from April 30 to May 16, advertising their spring play.

Discussed with Ted Thomson a proposed site plan for an addition to the Clarkston Mills, the number of parking spaces there, landscaping south of the building, and the pros and cons of the village having the water rights of the Mills.

Approved the proposed site plan for the addition at the north end of the Clarkston Mills.

Canceled the Dec. 22nd meeting.

Adjourned at 11 p.m.

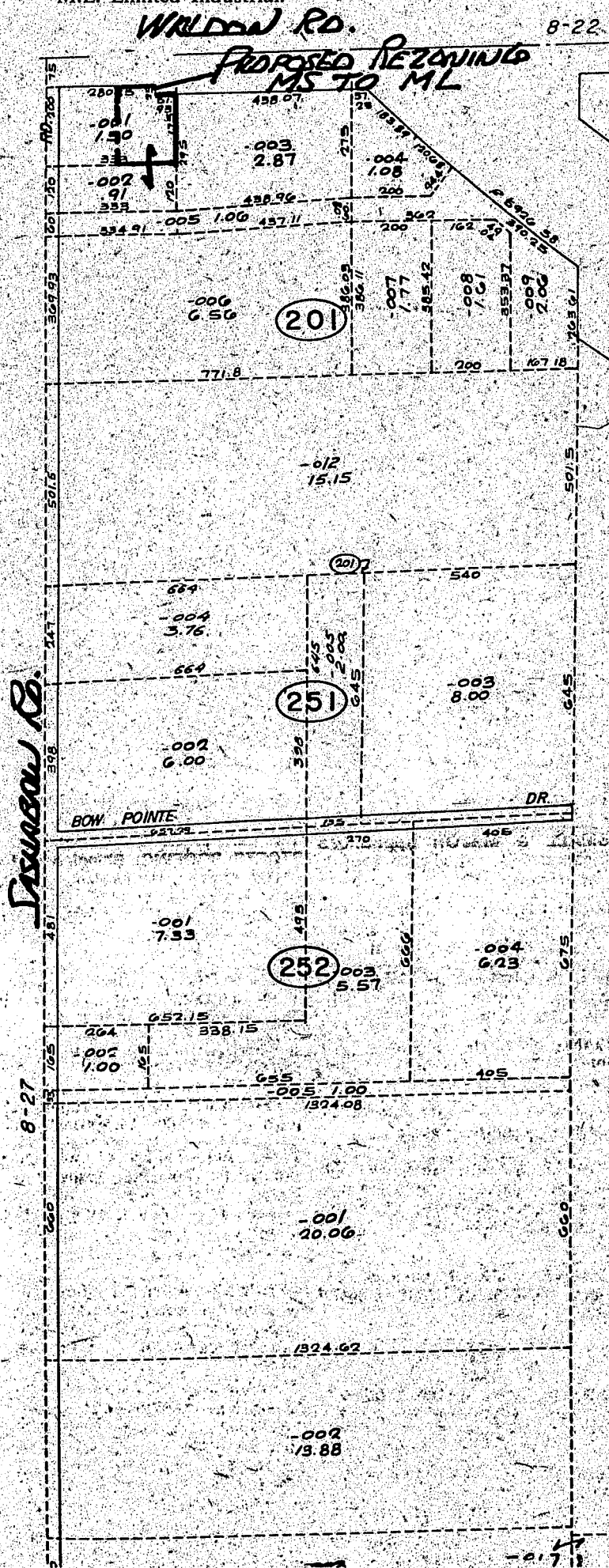
All votes unanimous unless otherwise indicated.

Bruce Rogers
Village Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan will hold a Public Hearing on January 8, 1981 at 7:30 P.M. at the Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, to consider the following request:

Mr. Paul Verhey to Rezone .59 Acres
from M.S. Motor Vehicle Service to
M.L. Limited Industrial.



Parcel Identification Number: 08-27-201-014

Common Description: Subject Property is 1/2 acre located directly behind Standard Service Station at the corner of Sashabaw & Waldon Roads.

ANY FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING THE ABOVE HEARING MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE TOWNSHIP PLANNING OFFICE DURING REGULAR OFFICE HOURS, 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY, OR BY PHONE AT 625-8111.

CHRISTOPHER L. ROSE,
INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP CLERK

JOHN GRAY,
VICE-CHAIRMAN
INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP PLANNING
COMMISSION



Success! Gary Farmer [right] and son Dave find a tree to the family's liking—and after a little cutting work—are ready to cart it off to their car. The Farmers were just one of several families at Camp Oweki off Gulick Road in Independence Township last weekend for the camp's annual cut-your-

own Christmas tree sale. Cutting tools are provided, and the proceeds go to the North Oakland Camp Fire organization, which owns Camp Oweki. Trees will again be available this weekend, Dec. 20 and 21, from 8 a.m. until dusk.

Timber!

Photos by Al Zawacky



The wood fire was a popular gathering place, providing a respite from the chilly winter air.



A steaming kettle of hot chocolate was also on hand to warm the insides of the Christmas tree gatherers.