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What fire?

Anyone who's ever watched fire fighters at work can see there's something wrong here: They're sipping coffee and standing with their backs to the fire blazing behind them. The reason? The practice session for Independence Township fire fighters was roaring to an end Sunday by letting the building burn to the ground. Other fire fighters, not in the picture, were keeping watch to make sure the fire was under control. There are more photos and a story on Page 24.

Photo by Kathy Greenfield

Cause of death unknown

Body found in Independence Oaks

By Marilyn Trumper

Hikers discovered the body of 24-year-old Alan Baker along the lakefront trail in Independence Oaks County Park early Saturday morning.

Cause of death is unknown.

Members of the Oakland County Safety Division who patrol the park speculate Baker, found clad in a running suit, was jogging the morning of April 17. No foul play is suspected pending the coroner's report, according to Donald Kratt, chief of public safety.



Alan Baker in 1975.

Although deputies from the safety patrol, passersby, the township's Emergency Medical Service and ambulance paramedics worked to revive Baker, a Pontiac General Hospital spokesperson said he was listed dead on arrival.

George Woody is perplexed over his stepson's sudden and unexplained death. Two months ago Alan was diagnosed as "100-percent perfect" following an extensive physical, Woody said.

"He was a healthy young man. We and the professionals are totally mystified. The doctors at the hospital, the emergency rescue unit...no one has any definite reasons on the cause of Alan's death.

"The medical examiner's autopsy is pending, but they've ruled out heart attack and speculated it was a ruptured esophagus," Woody said.

It's expected to be 10 days to two weeks before there's word from the coroner's officer.

"Alan was such a joy to us, we're trying to look on the positive and concentrate on the happiness he's afforded us," Woody said, recalling one year Alan was in junior high, active in the band and state politics. It was the year Lenore Romney ran for governor.

"I got a big red stake truck, got the kids and their music on the back, and they campaigned. They were instrumental in getting the police millage passed in the township. It passed by 28 votes," he said.

"A lot of his friends are flying back. They were like brothers and sisters. I know they all felt like a little better person for having known Alan. I know I did in the 20 years I spent with him."

Baker, a 1975 Clarkston High School graduate and National Honor Society member, is a veteran of the United States Navy.

He is survived by his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. George Woody of Cobden Lane, Independence Township; father and stepmother, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Baker; brother and sisters, Gary Baker of Sterling Heights, Molly and Syntha Baker.

Services were scheduled Wednesday, April 21, at Coats Funeral Home, 3141 Sashabaw, Waterford Township, to be officiated by the Rev. Alford H. Nead. Burial was to follow at Ottawa Park Cemetery, Independence Township.

Lake patrol boost

Speedboaters and wake-makers take heed.

The Oakland County Sheriff's Department (OCSD) reports an additional 10 deputies have been trained in use of marine radar, and they're gearing up for a summer season of patrol.

Complaints of excess speeds and safety violations throughout Oakland County spurred the department into beefing-up the force, according to Deputy Donald McLellan, training officer.

The additional manpower brings to 15 the number of officers trained in radar use, responsible for patrol of Oakland County's 400-plus lakes and rivers, he said.

Springfield says 'no' to Independence expansion

By Marilyn Trumper

Independence Township wanted expand its borders to include 13.6 acres of Springfield Township, the portion of the proposed 30-acre senior citizens complex located in the neighboring township, but the Springfield Township Board turned thumbs down on the proposed annexation at its April 14 meeting.

"Off the top of my head I'm not in favor of considering this," said Trustee Glen Vermilye. "I move not to consider annexation."

Developer Hugh Garner's proposed senior citizen village is targeted for the 30-acre site near Dixie Highway and I-75. Seventeen acres in Independence Township are bound by a 1976 consent judgment restricting development to commercial use, although the land is zoned multiple. An amendment would be required before Garner could begin development of his \$24 million project.

In 1979, Springfield Township allowed Independence to service the landlocked 13.6 acres with sewers. Access to the property can be made only via Independence.

Only if the complex received tax-free status could

the proposed annexation be beneficial to Springfield, said Supervisor Collin Walls.

"That, and perhaps in the remote event that Independence and Springfield end their co-emergency response with fire and police," Walls said, referring to coverage of the landlocked Springfield parcel.

"Quite frankly I can't see any current benefit to Springfield," Walls said after the meeting. "But the (board's decision not to consider the plan) certainly should not be interpreted as a negative feeling on the proposal. It's not."

When informed of the board's decision after the meeting, Independence Township Supervisor James B. Smith was not disappointed.

"It makes little difference to us. We felt it would be an advantage to the developer not to have to deal with two townships, two building departments, two

engineering firms, etc.," Smith said.

Garner's plan to build a senior citizen complex with apartments, duplexes, a nursing center, supportive care and social dining area, has received conceptual approval from the Independence Township Board.

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Building slumps in 1981

But future is bright, says Independence building director

By Marilyn Trumper

"Bleak" might best describe Independence Township's building activity for 1981, but there is good news.

Although the building department issued a record low of 38 permits in '81, the township ranks ninth among Oakland County's top 10 communities for development, topped only in ranking order by Avon Township, 194; Southfield, 189; West Bloomfield Township, 156; Bloomfield Township, 122; Farmington Hills, 88; neighboring Waterford Township, 76; Troy, 70 and Ferndale, 67.

The 10th slot is claimed by nearby Rose Township with 24 permits issued for 1981.

Neighboring Springfield Township and Commerce Township tie for 11th place with 19 permits.

In comparison to last year, Independence Township building starts are down 50 percent when it ranked 11th, issuing 76 permits. Springfield, on the other hand, is down more than half. At this time last year Springfield tied with Walled Lake by issuing 44 permits.

"This is the worst it's been," said Kenneth Delbridge, director of Independence Township's building and planning departments. "I don't expect things to turn around until at least midyear."

Calling on his years of experience, Delbridge points the finger of blame at high interest rates, financing and availability of money.

"Before people are going to let go of their money and start spending, they have to be convinced this country is not going down the tubes," Delbridge said. "People who have money are holding onto it. For a lot of the people who bought in this area, it was their second home. They have the money to do it."

1982 will bring more commercial development rather than residential, he predicts, pointing to the approved McDonald's and a proposed ice cream store targeted for the Sashabaw Corridor.

Independence Township is proving to be a strong magnet for professional people, according to Delbridge, who sees the area attracting General Motors Corp. engineers and designers from the plant under construction in Orion Township, plus doctors and lawyers. As he puts it, "...the people with money," those ready for their second home.

"And, we'll get a lot more. The township is filled

'82 budget final

With little discussion at the April 14 meeting, the Springfield Township Board unanimously adopted the 1982-83 general fund budget totaling \$421,575, which boasts a \$20,000 surplus.

The supervisor, clerk and treasurer's offices, parks and recreation, library, and building and planning operate from the general fund, which has been adjusted to reflect elected officials' 5-percent raises approved by voters at the annual meeting in late March.

The pay increase boosted the supervisor's annual salary to \$20,600, the clerk's to \$20,600 and the treasurer's to \$18,800.

In a second motion, board members unanimously approved raises for the township's four-employee, nonunion staff.

The township hall office coordinator received a salary raise from \$13,800 to \$15,000 a year; the assessing clerk from \$4 an hour to \$5; and deputy treasurer from \$4.50 an hour to \$5. The fire chief will continue to receive a \$2,200-a-year salary, and he is now also scheduled to spend a minimum of eight hours a week at township hall for which he'll be paid an additional \$12.50 an hour, or \$200 a week.

Allocated: \$36,000

This year as in the past, Springfield Township's targeted \$36,000 in revenue sharing for parks and recreation and road chloriding.

With little discussion at the April 14 meeting, board members unanimously allocated the funds.

with lots ready to go. This community is open for residential development—and they're going to be expensive.

"If I were to sit back and say, 'Come August, all

hell's going to break loose and the market will take off,' Washington would be looking for me because I'd be able to predict what no one else knows," Delbridge said.



Her husband Alvin's romantic gesture of making her an outstanding Easter card after seven

Easter-cardless years makes Annetta Crosby smile.

Worth its weight in love

By Kathy Greenfield

Annetta Crosby's the romantic in her family—she writes poetry, delivers her husband Alvin's lunch to him at work daily and remembers, in detail, what he was wearing the first time they met when she was 12 years old.

While she won't go so far as to say Alvin's not romantic, Annetta admits it had been seven years since he had given her an Easter card.

But as she tells story of the special Easter card she received from Alvin this year, she glows with pride, for it is, in a word, romantic.

It weighs 16½ pounds, measures 16 inches wide and nine inches deep and took about three-and-one-half hours to make.

"He found some old scrap steel, he made the bunny out of welding rod and the hinges are used vermeer trencher parts," she says, reading from a list she made detailing the card's ingredients.

On the front, it says, "Honey," and inside, below the three-dimensional bunny are these words: "Happy Easter Sweetheart."

Alvin owns the Al-Cro Construction Co., and during winter months he works repairing trenchers and welding for the Cumming Cement Floors, so he works with the tools used to make the card, but it's the first time he's used his skill for artistic pursuits, says Annetta.

And even the details on how the card came to be made and how it was presented are romantic.

On Easter eve, Annetta had called Alvin at work, telling him she was going shopping for Easter with her friend Ruth Cumming.

When Alvin finished his work, the stores were closed and he couldn't buy her a card, so he set to work on his own creation.

By the time he finished, it was Easter morning—about 2 or 2:30 a.m.—and Alvin brought the card home and put it on the kitchen table in their home on Crosby Lake Road in Springfield Township. Annetta got up to heat his dinner.

"I was so tired," she remembers. "When I look-

ed, I thought it was just a piece of steel with 'honey' on it, and he said, 'Aren't you going to open it up?'

"It really surprised me, and it really means a lot that he'd do that for me. Gosh, I've been in love with him since I was 12—the first time I saw him."

Annetta keeps a notebook of all the poems she's written over the years. The section marked "Alvin" begins with the poem she wrote after the first time she saw him. There's one for when she later found out his name, the first time they danced together, going steady and their first quarrel. The poems continue through their life together as a married couple, for nearly 10 years now, and include their children—Alvin II, 9, and twins Lauren and Lisa, 6.

The latest poem in Alvin's section of Annetta's poem book is about the special card:

Easter Card

With all your special talent
You made an Easter card for me.
With scrap steel, used parts and welding rod
It is as special and unique as can be.

For all the years of cards you've forgotten,
You've made all the years worthwhile.
Now whenever I look at this card,
I know I'll have a big smile.

For 3½ hours, you welded and worked—
On the top of the card you welded "honey,"
The inside says, "Happy Easter Sweetheart,"
And out of welding rods, you shaped a bunny.

For the time it took you to make it
You've really given me a prize.
That's why when I first saw it,
I had happy tears in my eyes.

This card is oh, so very special
I shall always consider it a treasure.
Darling, I love you so very much,
Being your wife is my pleasure.

Springfield puts summer tax question on ballot

By Marilyn Trumper

Clarkston School's Superintendent Milford Mason made a final bid to Springfield Township for summer tax collection, this time in '83.

But the board, unwilling to make a decision on the controversial and unpopular issue, voted unanimously to place the matter on the August primary ballot as an advisory question.

"I think we should either place this on the August ballot or put it to bed," said Supervisor Collin Walls, after reading Mason's letter seeking additional consideration.

Lorraine Woods of Davisburg Road, Springfield Township, opposed the summer tax levy.

"I feel this way—if the school board and administrators are sincere about their problems, why don't they put a freeze on their salaries? They talk about the poor kids, and they get their money and use it for raises," she said.

"Let them freeze their salaries and show the people they're sincere. I think they should try to sell it to the Indians."

Dot Lalone of Andersonville Road disagreed.

"As a student at OCC, I just received notice that my classes for this summer have been cut for this same reason, there's no money.

"I'd like to see this put on a ballot, and I'll be out recruiting votes," she said.

The Clarkston school district has been pushing for the bi-annual tax collection for the past three months in an effort to save thousands of dollars spent in interest, charged when the district borrows at midyear to ease cash-flow problems.

When informed of the board's decision to seek an

advisory vote, Mason, not present at the meeting, was surprised at the move.

"That's substantially different than what I asked them to consider," he said. "I asked them to consider the collection for 1983 if the legislature fails to complete action on House Bill 1450 by the end of the session."

Before other township boards, Mason has gone on the record requesting elected officials make the decision to levy the tax twice a year, a decision within their power, rather than place the matter to a vote of the people.

Supper club planned off I-75

Russell Elkins has big plans for a 13-acre parcel near the I-75, Holly Road exit in Springfield Township—but construction is contingent upon guarantee of a Class C liquor license and rezoning.

"A supper club, that's my plan," Elkins told the township board at its April 14 meeting. "But to do it and do it right and make it a success financially, I'll need a liquor license. It'll be along the lines of a country-western theme, a Texas-like thing."

Brandishing artist's renderings of a barn-style dance and banquet hall. Elkins stressed his first step

is to seek a rezoning from residential to commercial. He currently has an option to purchase the land contingent upon the rezoning.

The conceptual plan calls for two banquet facilities, a staffed coatroom, dining room for seating of 100-plus patrons, seating for 240 in the horseshoe-shaped bar and "...a sizable dance floor with a corral around it," Elkins said.

"I'm going to be putting a lot of money into this, I mean a lot," he said, "and before I do, before I go for the rezoning, I'd like to know I'll have a liquor license."

Without discussion, board members voted 4-1 to hold one of the township's two available Class C liquor licenses for one year, giving Elkins ample time to seek the rezoning, building permits, inspections and engineering.

Supervisor Collin Walls abstained, because his father, of Walls Real Estate, is handling sale of the property.

After the vote, Elkins, a Rose Township resident, indicated the plan includes a Phase II and III, with Phase II involving development of a hotel. He would not comment further.

As of April 15, Elkins had not yet applied to the zoning board of appeals for a hearing.

Sheriff's log

Wednesday, thieves stole a customer's car left running with the keys in the ignition outside Carlson's Corners, 7880 Andersonville, Independence Township.

Waterford Township police later recovered the abandoned vehicle on Dixie Highway and made one arrest for the theft.

Wednesday, thieves broke into a shed on Bridge Lake Road, Springfield Township, and stole over \$800 worth of tools and equipment.

Wednesday, thieves broke into a garage on Tapon Drive, Independence Township, and stole two \$40 tires.

Friday, two 13-year-old girls walking along Whipple Lake Road, Independence Township, were approached by a man driving a car, who got out from behind the wheel and was wearing nothing but a T-shirt.

The girls, unharmed, fled and the man drove away.

Saturday, thieves entered an unlocked garage on Dvorak Road, Independence Township, and stole a motorcycle of unknown value, a \$300 chain saw and \$160 worth of helmets.

Saturday, vandals caused \$40 in damages when they punctured two car tires on Dubuque Road, Independence Township.

Saturday, a man who identified himself as the night manager of the Grecian Gardens on Dixie Highway, phoned the Kayo Service Station, 6550 Dixie Highway, Independence Township, and said the manager had OK'd advancing the restaurant some change, as their key had been locked in cash drawer.

The station attendant gave the man \$90 and later discovered no approval had been given from management to release \$90 for change, that the man was a fraud.

The above information was collected from reports at the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

Fire call

Saturday, April 10

9:21pm—Firefighters responded on a report of a utility pole on fire behind a residence on Riverview Road. Pole burned itself out. Firefighters stood by until Detroit Edison arrived. Estimated property loss was \$50. Cause undetermined.

Sunday, April 11

2:22am—Emergency Medical Service (EMS) responded to a residence on Pinedale Road. A 21-year-old male complaining of chest pains refused transport to a hospital, saying he was feeling much better. Oakland County Sheriff's Department (OCS) and Riverside Ambulance were also on scene.

Monday, April 12

2:54am—EMS responded on a report of a rollover, personal injury accident on I-75 at Clarkston-Orion Road. Upon arrival, unit was canceled by OCS; patient refused treatment.

Tuesday, April 13

10:45pm—Firefighters responded on a report of a chimney fire at a residence on Sashabaw Road. Fire self-extinguished. Cause was creosote buildup. No damage to property or contents reported.

Wednesday, April 14

2:32pm—Firefighters extinguished a suspicious grass fire on Clarkston-Orion Road, west of Flemings Lake Road.

Thursday, April 15

12:09pm—Firefighters extinguished a suspicious grass fire on Morningstar Drive off Reese Road.

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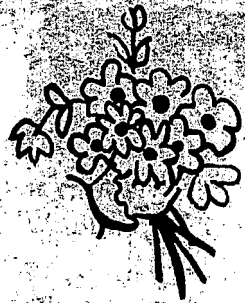
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Thursday, April 22—Clarkston Community Women's Club meeting; business meeting 7:30 p.m.; followed by antique fashion show, fashions from 1920-1950 from the collection of Gail Holt of Waterford; refreshments; guests welcome; Episcopal Church of the Resurrection, 6490 Clarkston-Orion, Independence Township. (625-5978)

Thursday, April 22—Free movies for all ages at the Springfield Township Library; 7 p.m.; two Walt Disney films are planned—"Beaver Valley" and "Bear Country"; 10900 Andersonville, Springfield Township. (625-0595)

Thursday, April 22, through Saturday, May 8—Plant sale sponsored by Pine Knob Elementary School; Green Gardens Greenhouse to supply hybrid plants for \$7.50 a flat for most flowers and vegetables; all orders must be prepaid, with delivery set for May 21; order forms are available at Pine Knob Elementary, 6020 Sashabaw, Independence Township. (625-4091)

Saturday, April 24—Annual rummage sale; Episcopal Church of the Resurrection, 6490 Clarkston-Orion, across from the Independence Township Library; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (394-0110)

Saturday, April 24—State Regional Jazz Festival sponsored by the Michigan Band and Orchestra Association; at Clarkston High School; 19 jazz ensembles from high schools throughout the state begin performing at 8 a.m. and continue until 5:30 p.m. with an hour-long break at noon; free and open to public; 6595 Middle Lake, Independence Township. (625-0900)

Saturday, April 24—Open house at Camp Oweki; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Camp Fire-North Oakland Council invites the public to see their camp and learn about the day camping program open to boys and girls, grades K-5; 6125 Gulick, off Waldon Road, west of Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. (338-4036)

Sunday, April 25—Antiques Market at Springfield Oaks Activities Center; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; free parking; free admission; 12451 Andersonville, Springfield Township. (625-8133)

Wednesday, April 28—Third Annual Spring Jazz Concert by the Clarkston High School Jazz Ensemble; 8 p.m.; free and open to the public; CHS Little Theatre, 6595 Middle Lake, Independence Township. (625-0900)

Wednesday, April 28—Soup and salad buffet at Northwest Oakland Vocational Education Center's Northwest Inn; 11:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.; hot and cold appetizers, 10 assorted salads, fresh fruit plates, two homemade soups, dessert bar; \$3.95 a person; reservations preferred, call 625-5202; 8211 Big Lake, Springfield Township.

Wednesday, April 28—Board meeting of the Clarkston Community Historical Society; 7:30 p.m.; Clarkston Village Hall, 375 Depot, Clarkston; public may attend.

Spring fever



by Kathy Greenfield

Snow melted, lakes cleared of ice, and on Wednesday, the day was cause for celebration.

I had gone out to Independence Oaks looking for members of Clarkston Camp Fire groups taking part in an outing dubbed "Hug-a-tree."

"Perfect, absolutely perfect," I thought for our upcoming special section called "Spring is in the air!" that's to be on the newstands April 28.

As I've found all too often in this business of taking photographs, things didn't turn out exactly as I had imagined, for the only Camp Fire group from Clarkston participating in the outing had already finished their "Hug-a-tree" nature walk, and there were no other local groups scheduled for the afternoon session.

But the day was so perfect for hugging springtime I soon found other things to photograph.

There was a family from Independence Township on an outing in the park. Among the family members was an almost-new baby and his older brothers were sharing with him the adventure of gliding down the slide. When I asked his mother how old he was, she said, "Five months."

Then she smiled and said, "It's his first spring."

It was a perfect thing to say. The day was like a discovery, especially since it seemed only moments since the last blizzard.

I found the Camp Fire group—they were stirring up the waters of Crooked Lake with sticks, and cooking hamburgers over the grill. Ah, the smell of charcoal!

After that, I couldn't bring myself to go back to the office and merely look at the sun shining from inside.

So, I continued on in my search for springtime celebrators. I didn't have to look far to find: a boy flying a kite, a woman on a bike outing with her kids who laughed about the garden gloves she was still wearing because she had been raking her yard when the kids wanted to go for a spin, and a man giving the trees bordering his property a proper spring trimming.

That night, I was telling my husband about the glorious day and how much I enjoyed capturing some of its pleasures on film.

"Boy, I wish I had a job like yours where I could be outside when I wanted to," he said.

For once, I agreed with him.

Jim's jottings

Coon tales



by Jim Sherman

I've never hunted raccoons (coons), but I love to hear stories about it. Like the one of the Good ol' Boy from Almont and his outstanding coon hound.

The reputation of the pair is known from the hills to the thumb, etc. They've traveled to, and conquered their prey in the Smokeys, Okies and Porcupines.

Coon hunters attract one another, especially when one has that exceptional hound.

So, when a coon hunter from Oxford met the hunter from Almont, a word of praise led to an invitation to hunt together.

A date was set, the hunter from Almont came into town with his hound and picked up the Oxford hunter, who we're going to nickname Sparky.

Sparky was excited and talked a mile a minute as the host drove them out in the country toward a wooded area that had always produced at least one coon a night.

At the site, the driver pulled into the lane, got out and talked with his dog for a while, gave him some encouragement, and said, "Go find us a coon, boy".

The hound set off, baying to the night. The men settled back into the pickup, windows down, listening to the hound.

The dog owner reached under the seat of his pickup and pulled out a bit of liquid refreshment, and began telling tales extolling the virtues of his dog.

Sparky grew more excited as one night-time coon-hunting adventure lead to another. The dog, the owner said, is the smartest hound dog

he'd ever seen, and he's seen them throughout the country.

Though he'd never put his hound into a show, he'd been to them and never seen one that could top his for finding and treeing a coon.

The stories went on for an hour, all the time the howling was constant.

Then there was silence for about 15 minutes. Sparky became worried, but the dog owner was non-chalant.

Then the baying continued and a short time later howling centered on one spot. The owner said, "Let's go, he's got 'em treed".

Sparky said, "Great, let's go. But, tell me, why was there that 15 minutes of silence?"

"I told you the dog was smart," the owner said. "He was passing through a no hunting area."

Happily ever after? Not this time!



The couple just married in a mock wedding ceremony—Jodi McAlister and Bill Strong—walk down the classroom aisle to wait in the hallway with their wedding party while

the next couple is wed. Then they'll all go back inside for a double reception with cake and punch.

Photo by Kathy Greenfield

'Twas only make-believe.

The nine brides and grooms, the attendants and parents were all Clarkston High School family living students in wedding disguises.

Over the five hours the classes met the day before, the 163 students transformed the room with pastel streamers, paper wedding bells, hearts, and facial tissue flowers spelling "Congratulations" for all passersby to see.

The day of the big events, decorated cars waited in the school parking lot to whisk one happy couple to the Big Boy and another to the Red Lobster for wedding feasts.

But behind the festivities, the purpose was strictly serious.

"I like to bring a bit of realism to the class whatever it is we discuss," said Marlene Reed, who has taught the CHS course 13 years.

"I find that the kids have often said to me it should be a required class, because they have learned more in this course than they have in any other that they can apply to life," she said.

Family living is a one-semester elective for seniors that covers topics ranging from birth to death.

The marriage portion includes discussions about compatibility and questions couples should ask about themselves and each other.

Couples contemplating marriage in the next two years volunteer for modified premarital counseling with local ministers in front of their classes. The students vote to select the brides, grooms and wedding parties.

After the weddings, classes have visiting speakers including a divorce lawyer and a member of Parents Without Partners.

For the nine years weddings have been part of the classes, the traditional ceremonies and counseling sessions have been conducted by the Rev. Philip Somers Jr. of Maranatha Baptist Church and the Rev. Robert Walters of Calvary Lutheran Church.

They both talked about the importance of showing students the benefits of premarital counseling, and they agreed the weddings are worthwhile.

"The whole thing, I hope, gives them the opportunity to consider it more seriously than they might before they're in the middle of it themselves," said Walters.

Somers put it a bit differently.

"A lot of them can see only the color of the bridesmaids' dresses, but after you pull the rice out of the hair, there's something else there," he said.

'If it Fitz. . .

The President asks for \$120

by Jim Fitzgerald



Be still my beating heart. This week I received a letter from Ronald Reagan. The president of the United States wants to give me a gold Medal of Merit.

But to earn the medal, the president said, I must make "a most unusual sacrifice"—donate \$120 to the Republican Presidential Task Force, whose task is to elect Republicans to the U.S. Senate.

President Reagan obviously knows my history. It would definitely be most unusual for me to give money to the Republican Party. Also, it would require a sacrifice of my principles. It has always been against my principles to give money to any political party stupid enough to think I'd wear a Medal of Merit awarded me for doing nothing more than coughing up \$120.

Besides, according to President Reagan, I could wear the medal only for formal occasions. "I think it's beautiful and impressive...though a bit large for informal wear," the president said in his letter, "so there's a lapel pin (an exact reproduction of the Medal of Merit) to be worn proudly everyday."

It is hard to impress people with lapel pins because they're impossible to read from the distance usually kept between non-consenting adults. If I were stupid enough to pay President Reagan \$120 for a Medal of Merit I would feel even more stupid if I wore the lapel pin and people thought it simply meant

I belonged to the Rotary Club rather than that I had a large Medal of Merit at home, hanging in the front window.

TO BE FAIR, it should be conceded that President Reagan offered me more than the Medal of Merit for \$120. He also offered a charter membership in the Republican Presidential Task Force plus the precious prestige of exclusivity.

"Believe me, I'm not asking everyone to join this club—only proud, flag-waving Americans like you who I know are willing to sacrifice to keep our nation strong," President Reagan wrote in his letter.

Honest, he really wrote that to me. And I will tell you a few other incredible things Ronald Reagan wrote, although it isn't an easy thing for me to do. It isn't easy because I must type with one hand. It's either that or put down the flag.

If I come up with the \$120, President Reagan wrote, "your name will be entered in my 'Honor Roll' book and remain with my permanent papers. I am placing a copy of this Honor Roll on file so that everyone can see your name on this vital document along with the other true Republicans who are making this country strong again...."

"I cannot carry this burden alone. I am only one man. It will be your regular monthly contribution that will carry us to victory."

And finally, under his longhand signature, in a

postscript, the president concluded: "Thanks so much for reading my letter, and please, I need your answer within 10 days."

Not wishing to disregard a presidential directive, I immediately sent my answer in the postage-paid envelope provided. It said:

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: I find it difficult to believe that you are only one man. Certainly it must have taken more than one man to write such an insulting letter. There is absolutely nothing wrong with asking me to give money to a political cause, but it is insulting to imply that I might not contribute unless you promise me some Mickey Mouse Medal of Merit.

"Also, it is insulting of you to assume that I'm dumb enough to attend a formal affair wearing your Medal of Merit so everyone can see I was brave enough to sacrifice \$120 to make this country strong again."

"And I'm insulted that you think I'm shallow enough to be impressed by the insertion of my name in your permanent papers. Glory by association is no less specious than guilt by association."

"I don't support most of your policies, but even if I did, I'd be too offended by your letter to give you 120 cents. The next time you feel like mailing me a letter, please pin it to your lapel instead."

"I'm sorry to unload so much umbrage on you, Mr. President, but I cannot carry this burden alone."

Annual theater gripes start, others praise PK

By Marilyn Trumper

Looking to head-off trouble before the summer season begins at Pine Knob Music Theatre, Independence Township Supervisor James B. Smith called a meeting of residents, theater officials and the Oakland County Sheriff's Department (OCSD).

During open discussion, a handful of Pine Knob neighbors criticized the noise and traffic. Others repeatedly said the organization improves every year, offering only mild complaints on sound, traffic, litter. Still others said they specifically moved into area subdivisions for the closeness to Pine Knob.

Lowell Chuba of Flemings Lake Road complained of loud music, particularly with rock groups and of trespassers on his property, alleged to be wayward music theater patrons.

The Rev. Philip W. Somers of the Maranatha Baptist Church, 5790 Flemings Lake, complained of loud music, "...boiling the walls of the church" and improper police patrols.

"The sound has always been bad but the last week of (last summer's) operations was the worst," Somers said.

"We've had enough. If we don't get cooperation in running our church, we'll have to fight (in court). I'm sorry," he said.

James Brennan, a former member of the township planning commission, recently built a new home across the street from the music theater on Clarkston-Orion Road, and he strongly supported the music theater operation.

"There's been a lot of complaining about Pine Knob but I think people are forgetting it's a business, and as a business I think it's been a damn good neighbor. I've invested everything I have across the road there and I don't think the music theater is that bad. If I did, I wouldn't have built there," Brennan said.

"I think Pine Knob makes a damn good effort to work out those problems."

Karen Ohrnberger of Caberfae Trail, praised the

work of the Pine Knob rangers, said the traffic had improved, but asked that the special announcements that say, "...no cans, bottles, cameras..." before each show, be turned down.

Ohrnberger's concerns were repeated by neighbor Richard Schmaltz of Stowe Trail who criticized the "deep bass notes that rattle the hell out of my house," concerts that go past midnight and honking horns.

Barb Paci of Caberfae Trail asked Pine Knob to consider putting parking stickers inside car windows instead of outside on the windshield wipers.

"They blow off the cars and all over my lawn and every morning I have to go outside and pick them up," she said.

After the meeting, the Nederlander and theater management and township officials met privately to discuss further checks on sound, litter and traffic.

"I felt pleased by the meeting," said George White, community relations manager for Pine Knob. "I thought there was an attempt to put the problems into perspective."

According to White, theater officials will review the speaker sound systems and see if adjustments can be made to ease music flow.

Residents' criticism of the public address system that broadcasts the no-bottle rule can easily be turned down, according to White.

Finally, he said, even theater management has tired of picking up the parking stickers that blow around Pine Knob property.

"And I wouldn't be surprised if (Barb Paci's) suggestion isn't used," he said.

The group has scheduled a second private meeting for May 14 to continue discussions, he added.

10th year stats

As Pine Knob enters its 10th season, the figures on the numbers of patrons, cars, Clarkston High School graduates and employes continue to mount.

In the past decade the theater has hosted approximately 1,000 concerts patronized by 7 million fans who arrived in some 3 million cars, according to George White, community relations director for Pine Knob.

In the past decade, the theater's paid approximately \$750,000 in salaries to Independence Township residents alone, and approximately 5,000 Clarkston High graduates have walked across the stage during commencement exercises, White said, with a combined 40,000 family and friends in attendance.

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The dinner is planned Thursday, May 20, at Deer Lake Racquet Club and, as in the past, the Clarkston Jaycees, Michigan Week Committee and North Oakland Civitans are sponsoring the event.

There are seven categories for nominees:

- Outstanding Government Official—for long or dedicated service above and beyond the call of duty by a village or township employe either elected or appointed.

- Outstanding Clarkston Educator—for long or dedicated service by a professional employe of the

Clarkston school district who has made a highly unusual contribution to the education of children in the district.

- Outstanding Young Citizen—for an unusual or impressive contribution to the community or its citizens by a boy or girl 18 years old or younger.

- "Super Person" Award—for an extra special effort in the area of good citizenship not covered by other categories by any citizen, any age.

- Outstanding Contributor to the Creative Arts—for special contribution to the cultural quality of life in the community by any citizen, any age.

- Distinguished Service Awards—three awards for a special contribution to the quality of life in the community by an individual, a group and a project.

- Outstanding Volunteer—for a member of a civic, fraternal or religious group who has contributed

greatly to the quality of work in the organization.


Each person nominated who does not win the top award shall receive a certificate of appreciation.

Since the sponsoring organizations have minimal funding for the dinner, each person or group making nominations is asked to purchase their dinner tickets plus one for the person nominated.

Tickets are now on sale for the dinner and they cost \$12.50 a person if purchased by May 10. After that date, they will be \$15 a person.

Group seating may be arranged by calling Jim Hibler at the Independence Township Library at 625-2212.

For nominating forms or more information, Hibler may also be called, or contact Carol Balzarini at 625-5948 or Christie Shull at 625-3250.



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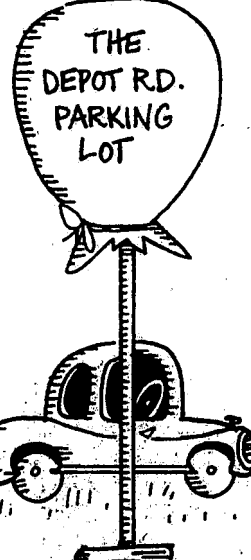
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Landry-Waterbury

Former Independence Township residents Dr. and Mrs. Roy Landry announce the engagement of their daughter Susan Frances to Christopher Shaw Waterbury, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Waterbury of Lincoln, Neb. The bride-to-be attended Southeastern Louisiana University and majored in nursing. She is employed by New Hampshire Insurance. Her fiancé is majoring in music at Colorado State University. A May wedding is planned.



Tackett-Warren

Mr. and Mrs. Abel Tackett of Columbus, Ohio, announce the engagement of their daughter Debra Lynn to Mark Douglas Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Warren of Simler Drive, Independence Township. The bride-to-be attended Ohio State University and is employed by the Ohio Bureau of Employment Services. Her fiancé holds a bachelor's degree from Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, and a master's degree from OSU. He is general manager for the Peninsula Pilots Baseball team in Hampton, Va. An autumn wedding is planned.

CJHS singers rank 'superior' in show

Clarkston Junior High School singers took home two superior ratings from the festival held recently at Southfield Christian School.

Inger Nelson, a ninth-grader, received the rating for a solo performance.

For the second year in a row, the Clarkston Junior High School Vocal Ensemble won a superior

rating at the festival.

The ensemble is composed of eighth- and ninth-grader girls who meet after school once a week to hone their singing skills. The group's director is CJHS music teacher Mary Conklin.

Judy White served as piano accompanist for the festival performance.

Bailey, Wickstrom wed in afternoon

Sandra Ann Bailey and John William Wickstrom were recently married in an afternoon ceremony at Christ Lutheran Church, Waterford Township.

The Rev. Wayne Peterson performed the candlelight ceremony. Kim Koerber of Clarkston was soloist and Ann Peterson served as accompanist on the organ. Selections sung were "Where There is Love" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bailey of Amy Drive, Independence Township. Sandra is a 1980 graduate of Clarkston High School.

The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Wickstrom Sr. of Heath Avenue, Independence Township. A 1980 CHS graduate, John is an Airman in the United States Navy.

Carrie Smith of Clarkston served as maid of honor at the Oct. 24 ceremony. Bridesmaids were Vonda Fitzhugh of Oxford; the bridegroom's sister, Consie Ridley of Waterford; and the bride's sister, Teresa Bailey.

Michael Hull of Clarkston was best man. Groomsmen were Tim Vellia of Millington, Tenn.; Todd Gavette of Clarkston; and the bride's brother, Michael Bailey of East Lansing.

A reception for the 150 guests was held im-

mediately following the ceremony at Waterford Firemen's Hall.

The newlyweds are residing in Millington, Tenn., where John is currently stationed.



Mr. and Mrs. John William Wickstrom

In service

Airman Mark Fowler has completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

He is remaining at Lackland for specialized training in the security police field.

A 1980 Clarkston High School graduate, he is the son of Gilbert Fowler of Pontiac and Linda Fowler of Davisburg Road, Springfield Township.

Marine Sgt. Stephen Finch has been promoted to his present rank while serving with Station Operations and Service Squadron, Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, N.C.

A 1978 Clarkston High School graduate, he is the son of James and Barbara Finch of Sashabaw Road, Independence Township.

He joined the Marine Corps in August 1978.

Coast Guard Fireman Damage Controlman David Lucas recently departed on a law enforcement patrol to the Caribbean.

He is a crewmember aboard the Coast Guard Cutter Westwind which is 269 feet long and carries a crew of 158. It is armed with five-inch and 40mm guns.

During the five-month patrol, the ship is to conduct surveillance operations aimed at curbing drug traffic into the United States. A helicopter aboard the cutter is to be used for long-range detection of possible drug smugglers.

Lucas is the son of Joseph and Elizabeth Lucas of Pheasant Run Road, Independence Township.

Gary P. Lambert Jr. has enlisted in the United States Army Reserve Split Training Program.

A junior at Clarkston High School, Lambert was guaranteed training as a military policeman. He is to be assigned to the 301st Military Police Company in Inkster and to attend basic training this summer.

He is the son of Gary Lambert of the Clarkston area.

Air Force Senior Airman Teddy Hoskins has been chosen maintenance airman of the month at Little Rock Air Force Base, Ark.

A missile-propellant systems specialist with the 308th Missile Maintenance Squadron, Hoskins was selected for the honor because of professional skill, duty performance and exemplary conduct.

A 1979 Clarkston High School graduate, he is the son of Martin and Gerda Hoskins of Heath Avenue.

Spec. 4 Kim Rathbun has been decorated with the Army Commendation Medal at Fort Hood, Texas.

The medal is awarded to those individuals who demonstrate outstanding achievement or meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Army.

Rathbun is a stock control specialist with the 13th Army Support Command.

A 1979 graduate of Clarkston High School, she is the daughter of Alice and Marlo Bates of Columbia Street, Independence Township.

Marine Pfc. Frances Jasso has reported for duty with Support Battalion, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

The daughter of Francis Jasso of Eston Road, Independence Township, and Janet Hendrix of Rochester, she joined the Marine Corps in September 1981.



Joseph Lewis, who resides with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Buchheister of the Clarkston area, has enlisted in the United States Army Reserve. A junior at Clarkston High School, Lewis was assigned to C Battery, 4th Battalion, 20th Field Artillery on Watkins Lake Road in Pontiac. He is receive basic training this summer under the split-training option.

After graduation from CHS, he is to attend artillery school at Fort Sill, Okla.



James Cantley, a Clarkston High School senior, has enlisted in the United States Army delayed entry program. He has been guaranteed training as an infantryman, and upon completion of training he is receive a \$5,000

cash bonus and be assigned to the 25th Infantry Division in Hawaii. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cantley of Independence Township, James is to leave for basic training in September.

Clarkston Community Schools

announces

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1:30 - 3:00 (last names beg. N-Z)

April 28 - Andersonville Elem.
9:00 - 11:30 (last names beg. A-M)
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April 21	Millford (JV)	A	4:00
April 22	Royal Oak Dondero (JV)	A	4:00
April 23	Lakeland (Varsity)	H	4:00
April 23	Lakeland (JV)	A	4:00
April 24	Royal Oak Dondero (Varsity)	H	11 a.m.
April 24	Birmingham Groves		
April 24	Birmingham Groves (JV)		
April 26	DH	A	12:00
April 26	Rochester (Varsity)	H	4:00
April 26	Rochester (JV)	A	4:00
April 28	Lake Orion (Varsity)	A	4:00
April 30	Kettering (Varsity)	A	4:00
April 30	Kettering (JV)	H	4:00
May 3	West Bloomfield (Varsity)	A	4:00
May 3	West Bloomfield (JV)	H	4:00
May 4	Oxford (Varsity)	H	4:00



May 4	Oxford (JV)	A	4:00
May 5	Mott (Varsity)	A	4:00
May 5	Mott (JV)	H	4:00
May 7	Rochester (Varsity)	A	4:00
May 7	Rochester (JV)	H	4:00
May 8	Hazel Park-Rochester Adams (V)	A	1:00/3:00
May 10	Lake Orion (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 12	Kettering (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 12	Kettering (JV)	A	4:00
May 14	West Bloomfield (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 14	West Bloomfield (JV)	A	4:00
May 15	Royal Oak Kimball (Varsity) DH	A	11 a.m.
May 15	Royal Oak Kimball (JV) DH	H	11 a.m.
May 17	Mott (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 17	Mott (JV)	A	4:00
May 19	Orchard Lake St. Mary (Varsity) DH	A	3:30
May 28	Pre-District		
June 4-5	District		
June 12	Regional		
June 19	Finals		

Clarkston High School Softball

Varsity Coach: Carla Teare
JV Coach: Don Peters

April 21	Millford (Varsity)	H	4:00
April 21	Millford (JV)	A	4:00
April 22	Brandon (Varsity) DH	A	3:30
April 23	Lakeland (Varsity)	H	4:00
April 23	Lakeland (JV)	A	4:00
April 26	Rochester (Varsity)	H	4:00
April 26	Rochester (JV)	A	4:00
April 28	Lake Orion (Varsity)	A	4:00
April 29	Brandon (JV) DH	H	3:30
April 30	Kettering (Varsity)	A	4:00
April 30	Kettering (JV)	H	4:00
May 3	W. Bloomfield (Varsity)	A	4:00
May 3	W. Bloomfield (JV)	H	4:00
May 4	Oxford (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 4	Oxford (JV)	A	4:00
May 5	Mott (Varsity)	A	4:00
May 5	Mott (JV)	H	4:00
May 6	Rochester Adams (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 6	Rochester Adams (JV)	A	4:00
May 7	Rochester (Varsity)	A	4:00
May 7	Rochester (JV)	H	4:00
May 10	Lake Orion (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 12	Kettering (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 12	Tron Athens (Varsity)	H	7:00
May 12	Kettering (JV)	A	4:00
May 14	W. Bloomfield (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 14	W. Bloomfield (JV)	A	4:00
May 17	Mott (Varsity)	H	4:00
May 17	Mott (JV)	A	4:00
May 20	Birmingham Groves (Varsity)	H	7:30
May 20	Birmingham Groves (JV) DH	A	4:00
May 28	Pre-District		
June 4-5	District		
June 12	Regional		
June 19	Finals		



Clarkston High School Girls' Golf

Coach: Jim Chamberlain

April 20	Rochester Adams	A	3:00
April 22	Rochester	H	3:00
April 23	Andover	H	3:00
April 26	West Bloomfield County Meet	A	3:00
April 27	Grand Blanc	H	3:00
April 29	Rochester	A	3:00
May 3	West Bloomfield	H	3:00
May 6	Troy Athens Scramble	A	2:30
May 7	Davison Invitational	A	9 a.m.
May 10	Bloomfield Lahser	A	3:00
May 14	Davison	H	3:00
May 19	Regionals		
May 21	Regionals		

Clarkston High School Track

Boys' Coaches: Walt Wyniemo, Mike Kaul
Girls' Coach: Gordie Richardson

April 20	Kettering (Boys & Girls)	A	4:00
April 24	Andover Relays (Boys & Girls)	A	10 a.m.
April 27	Lake Orion (Boys & Girls)	A	4:00
April 29	Oxford (Boys & Girls)	A	4:00
May 1	Lake Orion Invitational (Boys)	A	11 a.m.
May 1	W. Bloomfield Invitational (Girls)	A	11 a.m.
May 4	W. Bloomfield (Boys & Girls)	H	4:00
May 7	Livonia Stevenson Relays (Boys)	A	5:00
May 11	Mott (Boys & Girls)	H	4:00
May 13	Avondale (Girls)	H	4:00
May 18	Rochester (Boys & Girls) Regional	H	7:00
May 22	GOAL (Boys & Girls)	W. Blfd.	3:30
May 25	Oakland County (Girls)	Walled Lake	
May 27	Oakland County (Boys)	Troy Athens	
May 28	Finals		
May 29	Finals		



Clarkston High School Boys' Tennis

Coach: Dick Swartout

April 21	Brandon	A	4:00
April 23	Millford	H	4:00
April 26	Kettering (Non-league)	A	4:00
April 28	Rochester Adams	A	4:00
April 29	Waterford Township	H	4:00
April 30	Mott (Non-league)	A	4:00
May 1	Lake Orion Doubles Invitational	A	9 a.m.
May 3	Millford	H	4:00
May 6	Kettering	H	4:00
May 10	West Bloomfield	H	4:00
May 13	Rochester	A	4:00
May 14	Brandon	H	4:00
May 17	Mott	H	4:00
May 18	Lakeland	H	4:00
May 20	Lake Orion	A	3:30
May 21	Regional		
May 26	GOAL League		Lake Orion

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Aiming for pro skiing's heights

By Marilyn Trumper

Recovering from a 1980 injury that left two leg bones broken, 25-year-old John Fry enjoyed a successful comeback in '82 and today boasts a world rating of 44 on the downhill ski circuit.

A long way from Clarkston High turf, his 1975 alma mater, in a telephone interview from his home in Aurora, Colo., John recaps last year's season and his current rating.

"I reinjured that same break last year, but really came back this year, and think it was one of the best seasons I've had. This is my fourth year pro skiing."

On Jan. 29 he finished 10th in the Smith Cup Challenge at Lake Eldora, Colo., competed in the Peujot Tour in the Rocky Mountains through Utah, Idaho and Colorado and the World Pro Skiing circuit in the downhill event.

Sports

This year, Fry entered the international speed skiing circuit and plummeting down mountainsides at speeds just inside 95 mph.

His goal: to top the hundred mark.

From 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Fry works as a mechanical designer. Weekends are devoted to the slopes.

An ailing economy took the wind out of 1982's pro-circuit, prize-money-making, sanctioned races—they were fewer and farther between. Two major tours folded this year, according to Fry.

"But I'm staying with it. You have to if you want to do well," he said. "If you do well you can get sponsorship to cover the cost of your equipment and, say, \$20,000 a year for wearing it, or they might match your winnings."

"There's big money to be made."

Speed skiing means an Evil Kneivel attitude.

"Speeds exceed 100 mph. Once you start down that mountain you're committed. I do it because it's a challenge. It's a high, something you can't explain. A self-challenge."

"I ran out of other challenges in the sport and you get to the point where you want to try something else. After 18 years in it, I've done a lot of things...skied some of the steepest slopes...I've won a lot of races, and lost a lot of races."

Fry draws a picture.

Squaw Valley, the site of the 1960 Winter Olympics. The torch burns. The Olympic symbol is promi-

nent. Over 2,000 spectators wait at the foot of the mountain for the competition "...waiting to see blood."

"The run took six seconds at 95 mph. I stood at the top of the hill, saw the 2,000 spectators cheering

below and felt like a gladiator entering the Colosseum. That was it."

Despite rough economic times, a battered tour and repeat injuries, Fry says he'll stick it out and keep working for that slot at the top.



Photo by Kathy Greenfield

Practice dash

Bad weather put the kibosh on the start of the Clarkston High School Boys' Track Team when a meet was canceled, but spring break didn't go by without some serious practice. On the first truly spring-like day this season, the boys met with the Brother Rice High School track team

for a scrimmage. Pictured is Rusty Bennett (right) as he races around the track in a 200-yard dash against a Brother Rice opponent. The track season officially opened April 20 with a Greater Oakland Activities League (GOAL) contest against Waterford Kettering.



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Jerry Hunter, co-owner of The Drop'd Stitch, takes a look at one of the new items, a crewel embroidery kit, the shop carries now that it has

moved to larger quarters. In the background is another new addition, wool needlepoint yarn in an array of colors.

Drop'd Stitch joins Mills Mall

It's only been a few weeks since The Drop'd Stitch moved a bit north from Main Street to its new location inside the Clarkston Mills Mall, but co-owners Jerry Hunter and Karen Foyteck couldn't be happier.

"It's nice to be in the flow of traffic," Hunter said, adding that more space was needed to expand existing lines and add a few new ones. "We have had super business."

The shop celebrates its first anniversary May 1, so it's appropriate that it's growing.

Knitting and crocheting supplies are there, bigger than ever, and needlepoint and crewel embroidery supplies and kits have been added.

Four-week classes in knitting and crocheting are offered continuously, and a class in tatting has been added. Tatting originated in France, and the delicate flowers and patterns that result from the handwork are ideal for fashionable accents on collars and pockets. In the fall, there'll be needlepoint classes.

Instruction in every medium is available for beginner or advanced skill levels, and there are private and group lessons.

The Drop'd Stitch also continues to be proud of its local touch with yarn from Gloria Bellair's Hillside Farms in Springfield Township, and there'll soon be homemade canvasses for needlepoint done by an area artist.

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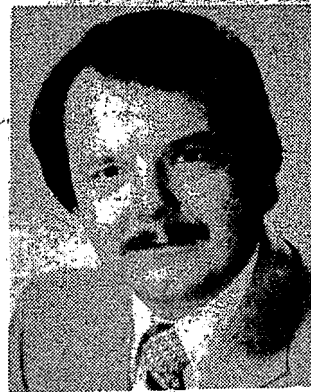
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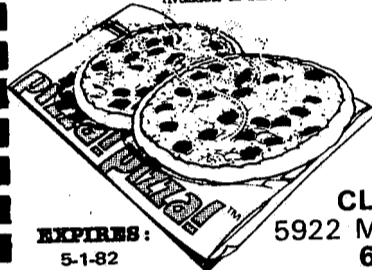
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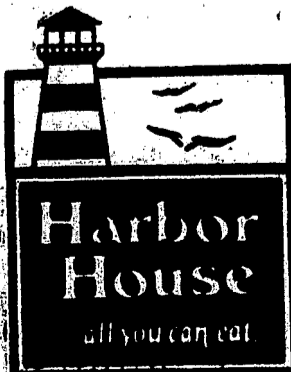
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SEE US FOR ALL of your graduation needs. Open House cards, napkins, thank you cards, table spread, etc. The Orion Review, 30 N. Broadway, Lake Orion 693-8331!!!R-22-tf, RX7-tf

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HAVE A TRACTOR, snowblower or snowmobile that won't run? We'll fix it up and get the parts at J. Brothers, Inc. 693-8056!!!RX-1-tf

DOUBLE STAINLESS STEEL sinks, \$39.95; Delta kitchen faucet with spray, \$39.95; without \$33.95; Delex kitchen with spray \$31.95; without \$24.95. Handy Andy Hdwe., Clarkston Rd., Orion, 693-8989!!!LX-14-6c

1969 CAMARO rear bumper, \$25, deck lid, \$15. 693-4164. !!!LX-15-1

BOAT ANCHORS, \$6.00 and up. Snug Harbor, 160 Heights Rd., Lake Orion, 693-9057!!!RX-14-3

FASHION SHOW TICKETS on sale now, Fayes Fabrics, 693-2555!!!RX14-3

FOR SALE: 7-piece boys trundle bedroom set, dark pine, \$375. Attic treasures. 693-1357. !!!LX-15-1c

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MANSFIELD TOILETS, \$54.95; laundry tubs, \$21.95; double \$42.95; laundry tub pumps, \$59.95; automatic \$109.95. Handy Andy Hdwe., Clarkston Rd., Orion, 693-8989!!!LX-14-6c

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6 X 14 TANDEM trailer. Electric brakes. New condition. \$1000. 628-0764!!!LX-13-2

CHERRY dining table and six Lyre back chairs. \$250. 627-6395!!!LX-13-2

GREENWARE SALE: 30% off March 24th thru April 24th, 693-1510!!!LX-13-3

TRIUMPH TRIDENT exhaust, \$10. 693-4164. !!!LX-15-1

POULAN CHAINSAWS, 3400 16" bar with case and spare chain, \$279.95.; 14" Micro 25 \$169.95. Check our prices on all Poulan chainsaws. Handy Andy Hdwe., Clarkston Rd., Orion, 693-8989!!!LX-14-6c

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FOR SALE: Frigidaire refrigerator, top freezer, white, \$50. Good condition. 693-9553. !!!LX-15-1

READY FOR SPRING PLANTING? Potted Colorado Blue Spruce transplants. Bedding Junipers. Maple and Flowering Crab Trees. Noel Arbor Farm, 79 Park, Oxford, 628-2846. !!!LX-15-8c

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SINGER DIAL-A-MATIC zig zag sewing machine. Embroiders, appliques, buttonholes, etc. Late model, school trade-in. Terms of \$6 per month or \$59 cash. New machine guarantee. UNIVERSAL SEWING CENTER, 334-0905. !!!CX36-1c

FOR SALE: Large Chest freezer, Good condition. \$145. 395-7984 or 628-3077. !!!LX-15-1

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1967 OLIVER 1550 tractor, new tires, sharp, \$3900. 1956 Oliver Super 77 tractor, wide front L.P.T.O. \$1200. 1976 Hesston P. T. 10 hay bline \$2250! 628-2951!!!LX-14-2c

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POOL TABLE 4x8, slate, 628-0895!!!LX14-2

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TORINO HOOD with factory scoops, \$25. 693-4164. !!!LX-15-1

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FOR SALE: Automatic water conditioner, reconditioned, guaranteed, \$250. 693-9333 after 6pm. !!!LX-15-4c

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DISHES, DOLLS, MISC. household & crocheted items. Flea market dealers welcome. Ladies clothes, size 10-12. Thursday, Friday & Saturday, 641 Hemingway, Lake Orion. !!ILX-15-2

30,000 GRAIN ARTESIAN automatic water conditioner, reconditioned. \$250. 40,000 grain Artesian automatic water conditioner, reconditioned, \$375. 338-4189. !!ILX-15-2 L-13-3

HAVE A PARTY! Gold filled sterling silver costume jewelry, 15% off all jewelry, 35% hostess discount, plus bonus jewelry feature of the month, available for day or evening parties. 693-1588. !!R-30-3 RX15-3

FOUR 15-INCH 60 Western ET mags, three TA60 belted tires, \$250 or offer; Three 16.5 8 lug GMC or Chevy wheels; \$20 each. One 950X16.5 mud tires, like new, \$50. 338-4189. !!ILX-15-2 L-13-3

FRESH FISH: Fishing season has started. Fresh perch, whitefish, catfish, suckers, and more. On the dock, on the lake, Bay Port Fish Co., Bay Port, Michigan, 517-656-2121. !!R-30-3 RX15-3 RL13-3

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CHRYSLER COURIER out-board, 60 h.p., \$1850; 1974 Thunderbird, \$750. 391-1135.!!ILX-15-1

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SHOTGUN, Remington Model 1100, Trap Grad, \$300; 2 place snowmobile trailer, \$175. 391-4218.!!ILX-15-3

BICYCLE, \$20 and up. Tricycle, \$10 and up. All sizes. 391-1019.!!ILX-15-2

FOR SALE: 5-piece bedroom, Queen size. \$550. Must sell. 628-6778.!!ILX-15-2

WESTERN SNOWPLOW with complete hydraulic hook-up. Excellent condition. 693-6979.!!ILX-15-2

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LAKE PUMP for sale: 693-1121.!!ILX-15-1

LAYING HENS for sale: 625-2928.!!CX-36-1c

METAL DESK, TYPEWRITER, 2 desk chairs, commercial pop machine with cans. 625-9205. !!CX-36-1c

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AUTOMOTIVE

1976 CORDOBA, PS/PB, air conditioning, radio. Call after 4pm, 693-1410.!!ILX-15-2

1973 BLAZER, new engine. 4x4. \$550. 693-4573.!!ILX-15-1

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1962 FORD FAIRLANE 500. 302 automatic, 2-door, bucket seats, clean, runs good. \$500. 628-0103. !!ILX-15-1

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1964 CHEVY IMPALA, 2-door, tilt, PS/PB, console, buckets, 4 appliance wheels, no rust. \$1335. Call 373-2309. !!ILX-15-1

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1973 TWO DOOR MERCURY COUGAR. No rust. Good running condition. \$1300. Call after 3pm, 628-4264.!!ILX-14-4

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INSTRUCTIONS

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AUCTION

ESTATE FURNITURE AUCTION SALE: 2 blocks west of Dequindre on Auburn Rd. then 1 block south at 3055 Melvin, Rochester, MI on Sunday, April 25 at 12 noon. Sectional davenport and chair; dinette table, buffet and 4 chairs; Sylvania color TV; lamp tables, recliner chair; antique harness maker's vise; cabinet sewing machine; new portable sewing machine; movie projector and screen; 3 piece bedroom suite; portable dishwasher; drop leaf table and 3 chairs; cooking utensils; dishes; small appliances; automatic washer & dryer; freezer; vacuum sweeper; baby jump seat; under bed storage; humidifier; girl's bicycle; and many other items. Donna Williams, Prop. Terms: Cash. Paul G. Hillman, Auctioneer, 752-2636. !!ILX-15-1c

AUCTION SALE: 1 1/2 miles north of Armada to Irwin Rd. then 2 miles west at 21095 Irwin Rd., corner of Coon Creek on Saturday, April 24 at 10:30. Ford 4000 Diesel tractor; Ford 101, 3 bottom 16 in. plows; Allis Chalmers D 17 tractor; Allis Chalmers W.D. Tractor complete overhaul; Massey Harris 33 tractor with rear blade; New Holland 273 good baler; New Holland 56 side rake; M-C 7 ft. cut hay conditioner; Ford side arm loader; Ford transport disc; John Deere fertilizer spreader; 3 pt. rear end blade; 300 gal. overhead gas 7 diesel tank; 4 flat deck wagons; hay conveyor; hay loader; 3 section drag; Allis Chalmers; 1 row corn snapper; manure spreader; 3 pt. post hole digger; set of dual tires 136x38; 2 electric waters; windmill frame; commercial radial arm saw; wood fence posts; misc. building supplies and plywood; garden tools; davenport and chair; color television; kitchen table and 4 chairs; portable television; antique bed and dresser; Rattan porch furniture; office desk; humidifier; table top oven; large fans; ping pong tables; radios and stereos; trophies; misc. lamps; tables; automatic washer & dryer; claw foot bath tub; dressers; 2 tail gates for Dodge pickup (new) and many other items. Dan McGee, Prop. Security Bank of Richmond, Clerk; Paul G. Hillman, Auctioneer, 752-2636. !!ILX-15-1c

FOR SALE: 1978 OMNI, \$2400. Call 693-2745.!!ILX-14-2

MOBILE HOMES

OWNER MUST SELL 24x60 mobile home in Clarkston Lakes Park, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, living room, dining room, family room, kitchen includes stove, refrigerator, and dishwasher. Central air, gas heat, utility room, carpeting throughout, 8x15 patio, 9x10 shed. Landscaped corner lot in family area. Park offers club house with pool and tennis. Assumable mortgage, low interest or possible equity exchange. Ad No. 101. Days 887-6200. Evenings 628-4972.!!CX31-8p

10x55 MARLETTE MOBILE home, newly re-decorated, very clean, large porch with awning, stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer. On corner lot across from open park. \$6500. 693-9058.!!ILX-15-1

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DOUBLE WIDE, 24x60, Lakeville Park. 3 bedroom, 2 baths, family room, excellent condition. \$19,900. 628-3231.!!ILX-15-4

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YOUNG CANARIES. Reasonable. 391-1344. !!ILX-15-1

OXFORD DOG OBEDIENCE classes starting May 11, \$18 for 10 weeks. 628-5575. Beginners & advanced. !!ILX-15-1dh

BOXER PUPS: AKC, 8 weeks old. Females. 394-1265 after 3pm. !!ILX-15-1

PERSIAN KITTENS, C.F.A. blues & black, \$75 and up. Studs. 625-7664 !!CX-36-1p

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TROPICAL FISH enthusiasts are you a member of the "Something Fishy Club"? Call for information. Village Pet Shop, 333 Mill St., Ortonville, 627-3383.!!CX: 36-4c

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FREE 3 YEAR OLD male Alredale. AKC registered. Call between 9-5, 693-4553.!!ILX-14-2

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REGENT CARPET CLEANING can answer all of your questions about dry cleaning, and give you an estimate—right over the phone! Call 693-7283!!!LX-7-tfdh, L-5-tfdh, LR-22-tfdh

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DANIEL AXFORD SCHOOL FAIR. May 1, 11am til 4pm. 74 Mechanic St., Oxford. !!LX-15-2

THE SAVAGES ARE COMING. See them at Lake Orion High School, April 23, 24, 30 and May 1 at 7:30. \$3 for adults, \$2 for students & Senior Citizens. !!LX-15-1

NEED CREDIT? Information on receiving Visa, MasterCard, with no credit check. Other cards available. Free brochure call Public Credit Service: (602) 949-0276 Ext. 6691!!LX-13-4*

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DON'T MISS "The Curious Savage" presented by the Off Broadway Players. Lake Orion High School, April 23, 24, 30 and May 1 at 7:30. !!LX-15-1

WORDS OF LIFE—...“Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind...Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself.” (Matthew 22:34-40; Mark 12:28-34)!!LX-15-1*

SEWING CLASSES beginning week of May 3. Sign up today, Faye Fabrics, 693-2555!!RX14-3

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COULD YOUR BASEBALL or soccer team use a discount on shirt lettering? Call for details, Village Pet Shop, 333 Mill, Ortonville. 627-3383.!!CX36-4c

OXFORD LIONS WHITE CANE SALE Friday, April 23rd and Saturday, April 24th. Buy a cane, help us help others!!LX-14-2c

CHICKEN DINNER, Sunday April 25, at OES Temple on Oakwood Rd. Starts 12 noon. !!LX-15-1

DONKEY BASKETBALL game Thursday, April 22 at 7:30 at the Oxford Jr. High. !!LX-15-1*

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AUCTION: Large Estate Auction. Saturday, April 24, 10 a.m. Lockhaven off Cooley Lake Rd. to 6669 West Phalia or Greer off Hiller Rd. to West Phalia. Follow 'auction' signs. !!LX-15-1

PANCAKE/SAUSAGE SUPPER. Oxford Congregational Church. Friday, April 23rd. 5 to 7 p.m. Adults, \$2; Children \$1, Family \$6.50!!LX-15-1

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ATTENTION BRIDES: The all new CARLSON CRAFT WEDDING BOOKS have arrived. Check out one of our books overnight or for the weekend. Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston, 625-3370. to reserve a book!!CX-27-ff

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SAVE THE 29th. Come to our Annual Spring Luncheon at the United Methodist Church in Oxford on Thursday, April 29, 11 - 1 p.m. \$3.50. Mini Bazaar, too!!LX-14-2, L-12-2

REDS TATTOO STUDIO now open at Flea Market, 823 S. Lapeer Road, Oxford, 693-7819 or 628-7527!!LX-13-3, L-11-3, LR-28-3

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ARTIST-CRAFTSMEN: Do your customers have trouble finding you? Antique Village's monthly weekend art & craft markets are the answer! Contact Carol Rausch, manager, 2335 Joslyn Ct., Lake Orion, 391-2380. !!LX-15-2 LR-30-2 L-13-2

ANTIQUY SHOW & SALE at Antique Village, 2335 Joslyn Ct., 3 miles north of I-75. May 1st and 2nd.!!LX-15-2 LX-13-2 LR-30-2

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PAST 'N PRESENTS: 2356 Joslyn Ct., Lake Orion, 391-3502, beginning May 1st bring us your old or used counted cross stitch books in good condition and receive 40% off the book's value towards the purchase of any new item in our cross stitch dept. Stenciling classes, \$20, all materials included. 12-2 p.m. May 10, 7-9 p.m. May 3, 12-2pm; May 10, 7-9 p.m.; May 18, 12-2 p.m.; May 25, 7-9 p.m. Grand Relocation Special, all silk flowers, \$149 each!!LX-15-LX-15-2 L-13-2 LR-30-2

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OXFORD LAKE SUBDIVISION. 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath ranch. 11% assumable mortgage. 628-9110!!LX-2-tf

REAL ESTATE WANTED. Cash for your home. We have investors. Roundtable and Assoc. 391-0700!!CX-33-4p

MOBILE HOME OWNERS: We have several parcels which will accommodate your needs, some with wells & septic, rolling & wooded, all parcels are perked and surveyed. Do you know you can make monthly payments for less than you are paying for lot rent? Call Gardner Real Estate today for more information. You'll be glad you did. 678-2284.!!LX-15-1

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 48018, 625-8381!!CX51-tfc

WEEKENDER FARM: See this nice & neat 1500 sq. ft. 2-story home on 10 acres, 3 bedrooms, living & dining rooms, nice kitchen, enclosed porch, rolling property with lots of woods and nice pond site. Small out-buildings, just a short distance from town. Be sure to put this one on your list to see. Priced at just \$49,900 with \$7,000 down on L/C terms. Call Gardner Real Estate, 678-2284.!!LX-15-1

FOR SALE: Lake Orion, darling ranch with contemporary flair, fireplace, part basement, fenced yard, storage barn, \$48,900; Call Anna Percy, Chamberlain, 651-8850 or 652-4618!!LX-13-4

EXCELLENT BUILDING SITE. For sale in Groveland Twp. Located in sub of custom built homes, 150x350. Call 9-5, 625-2400 or after 7:30, 623-2727!!CX34-4p

HOUSE FOR SALE by owner. Are you looking for a good deal? This 2 bedroom, 1 bath older home in the Village of Oxford on 2 acres may just be what you are looking for. Newly remodeled kitchen. Price \$44,000, good terms or assumable mortgage. 1-513-597-7686 or after 7 p.m. 628-1425. Shown by "appointment only"!!LX-12-4*

SMALL 3 BEDROOM HOUSE for sale in Lake Orion by owner. With appliances. Asking \$36,000. Call 693-7209!!LX-14-3

SUMMER FUN LAKEFRONT: Great for the outdoor family on the grow, is this partially remodeled cottage with 70 ft. lakefront, screened front porch, well and septic, storage shed, selling with all furnishings, and a nice fishing boat & motor. Needs some finish work. Call today for your appt. 'cuz it won't last long at this price of \$16,900 with easy L/C terms. Call Gardner Real Estate, 678-2284.!!LX-15-1

LAKEFRONT ON LAKE ORION. Located in Orion Township on top of a hill with over 1/2 acre. Featuring 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths; 2 fireplaces, walkout basement, deck, dock, 2 1/2 car heated garage. Low taxes. No land contract. \$75,000. Assumable. 693-1251!!LX-12-4, LR-27-3

COLSTREAM FARMS: Exceptional 10 acre parcels, rolling & wooded, frontages on Flint River, perc & survey, in heart of Metamora Hunt. Prices start at just \$21,900. Call Gardner Real Estate, 678-2284 for more information.!!LX-15-1

HADLEY FARMSTEAD: Be sure to be first in line to see this neat & clean 3 bedroom brick/aluminum ranch on 6 1/2 acres, featuring living room with fireplace, kitchen/dining combo, 1 1/2 baths, plus an attached garage, 2 barns for the horses, half wooded with stream crossing back of property. This home is a must to see at just \$73,500 with poss. L/C terms. Call Al Torrey, 628-3547, Gardner Realty. !!LX-15-1

BUYERS MARKET HOME: Avoid 17% interest. Offering 8%-11% depending on down payment. Three bedroom, 1 1/2 baths. Oxford Village. 628-3913 after 5pm. !!LX-15-2

HANDYMAN, BEST BUY in Hi-Hill. 1 yr. old 3 bedroom Quad, needs interior finishing. \$69,900, assume 12.75% mortgage. Gaylor/Williams, 693-8333.!!R-30-3 RX15-1 RL13-3

ORION DOLL HOUSE, has new kitchen & bath, sauna, built-ins, master bedroom deck view of lake. \$43,900, name your terms. Gaylor/Williams, 693-8333.!!R-30-3 RX15-1 RL13-3

NEW SOLAR HOME, dramatic plan, Hi-Hill, contract terms. Gaylor/Williams, 391-3300.!!R-30-3 RX15-1 RL13-3

SECLUDED INDIAN LAKE FRONT, 8 rooms, modern, decks, built-ins, zoned heat, contract terms, \$115,000. Gaylor/Williams, 391-3300.!!R-30-3 RX15-1 RL13-3

OXFORD CONDO. Sharp 3 bedroom, ranch, 2 baths, 2 car garage, air, all built-ins, \$59,900, 11% terms. Gaylor/Williams, 693-8333.!!R-30-3 RX15-1 RL13-3

LAKEFRONT BY OWNER on all sports Clear Lake. Custom 3 bedroom, 2 ceramic baths, brick fireplace, walk out basement, vaulted & cathedral ceilings, sandy beach, to many extras to list. Must see. New on market. Priced well below duplication. Land contract terms. 628-4164!!LX-14-2

LAKE ACCESS: Goes with this 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 story cedar shake home on nice corner lot. Living rm. with fireplace, full basement, kitchen/dining combo, porch and garage, nice treed lot, lake access to all sport lake. House needs to be decorated. Great for a starter home. Just \$21,000 with excellent land contract terms. Call Gardner Real Estate, 678-2284.!!LX-15-1c

SOLAR SITES and more: Can be found on this 4.7 acre parcel with 2 road front, can be split (3) times, Southern exposure, perc & survey, priced at just \$10,900 with easy L/C terms. Call Gardner Real Estate, 678-2284.!!LX-15-1c

CLARKSTON prestigious Deer Lake Sub., 2700 sq. ft. Colonial on beautiful treed 1 1/2 acres, \$179,000. Land contract terms. Owner/Agent. 625-4202.!!CX-36-1c

LAPEER AREA: \$282 a month, assume 8 1/2% mortgage. Beautiful Quad on almost an acre of land. \$49,500. By Owner. 1-684-7354.!!LX-15-4

ORION TOWNSHIP RANCH: Nice area, paved streets, beautiful lot with 3 bedrooms, barn, mature trees, \$67,500. Land contract terms. \$15,000 down and 7 years 11% MBR359 - Lake Orion frontage, 2 story, separate apartments with private entrance, 4 possible 5 bedrooms, fireplace, good land contract terms \$54,900; MBR341 - Exceptional lakefront value, 14% interest. Take advantage of this distress sale. Serene beauty, squeaky clean, well decorated, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, Cape Cod with basement, Clarkston schools, \$59,900. MBR316 - Lakefront, unbelievable value, \$12,000 down, 11% interest. Beautifully decorated, professionally landscaped, full brick home, with view of the lake. This home has everything, \$78,900. MBR338. Max Brook, Inc. 625-6300!!LX-14-3c

NEW RANCH ORION TWP. Land contract terms, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, full basement, attached garage, 75x175 ft. lot. Water and sewer in and paid for. Full price, \$55,900, \$8000 down. Call Wendell 373-7538 agent for Elam Realty!!LX-14-2

SUTTON HILLS. 3-plus acre building site, rolling & treed, perc & survey, septic in driveway also. Seller says sell at just \$17,900 with L/C terms. \$2,000 down. Call Gardner Real Estate, 678-2284.!!LX-15-1

BY OWNER: 2-story home on 1 1/4 acres in Lake Orion. Garage, sun porch, gas heat. Ideal location, Cash or land contract. \$50,000. 693-2812. !!LX-15-2

FOR RENT

CLARKSTON AREA Country living at its best. 1-2 bedroom townhouse starting at \$365. 625-8407!!CX-50tfc

FOR RENT: Motor home, 24 feet, \$250 per week, \$150 weekend. 693-1209, 693-2355!!LX-48-tf

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house, \$80 per week. \$300 deposit. 693-1209, 693-2355, 693-4186!!LX-10-tf

CLARKSTON OFFICE SPACE approximately 700 sq. ft. Private. Good sign exposure \$400 per mo. Includes utilities. 625-1333!!CX25-4c

HALL RENTAL for weddings, banquets, K of C Hall, 1400 Orion Rd. Capacity 400. Air conditioned. For further information contact Ed Korycinski, rental manager, 693-7122 or William Fenwick 391-1642 or 693-7122. !!LX-32-tf

FOR RENT: 1 bedroom apartment, \$70 a week plus deposit & electric. No pets, 693-4186, 693-1209!!LX-14-tf

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom house, \$90 a week plus deposit & utilities. 693-4186, 693-1209!!LX-14-tf

LOVELY 2 bedroom apartment in Ortonville. No children. No pets, \$240 a month. 627-3947!!CX35-8p

FOR RENT: 2 plus garage, convenient Oxford location. \$50 a month. 628-4069.!!LX-15-1c

FOR SALE OR RENT: Attractive 3 bedroom ranch. Full basement, partially furnished. Woodburner. Area of nice homes. Excellent terms. 628-1119.!!LX-15-3* L-13-3* LR-30-3*

ONE 2-BEDROOM apartment and one 3-bedroom apartment in Village of Lake Orion. 335-8142. !!R-30-3 RX15-1

BOAT WELLS FOR RENT: Skip's Landing, Lakeville Lake. Call 628-7418. !!LX-15-3 LR-30-3

FOR RENT: Beautiful Keatington Colonial, \$550 per month. Call Louise at 628-4869.!!LX-15-1c

FOR RENT in Lake Orion. 3 bedroom, family room, basement, 2 baths, fireplace, \$450 month, deposit. 646-1542.!!LX-15-2

1975 OLDSMOBILE '98, \$500. Call 628-4916 after 4pm.!!LX-15-1

1981 OUTLASS LS 4-door Oldsmobile. Oversize tires, other extras, no air, 11,500 miles. \$6800. 693-1605.!!LX-15-1

BEAUTIFUL CLARKSTON AREA, spacious 1 bedroom apartment with carpeting, appliances and heat included. Private balcony with lake view. Adults, no pets. 625-6737 or 878-1875!!CX31-tfc

HOUSE FOR RENT: 1663 Lapeer Rd., Oxford, 573-0224 after 4pm!!LX-13-6*

FOR RENT 2 bedroom apartment, utilities paid. Call 693-1209, 693-4186!!LX-13-tf

INDUSTRIAL BUILDING rent 2500 square feet. Orion Township. \$650 per month. Office 334-3445, evenings 693-2406!!LX-1-tf

FOR RENT UPPER 2 bedroom apartment in older home, Village of Clarkston. Three blocks to town. 160 W. Church. Stove, refrigerator, washer, dryer available. Suitable for 1 or 2 people. \$315 per month plus utilities. 673-8515 days, 682-2811 evenings!!CX31-tfc

OPEN STORAGE, 60 S. Main Clarkston Village. \$250 per month. Available Feb. 15th. 625-2601!!CX-25-tfc

4-ROOM 1st floor in country. Stove, refrigerator, carpeting, adults. \$260 month plus deposit. Agent, 391-3300. !!R30-3 RX15-1 RL-13-3

\$450 MONTH. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, bi-level, built-ins, family room, garage, near Lake Orion. Deposit, references. Agent, 693-8333. !!R-30-3 RX15-1 RL-13-3

LAKE ORION: 4 rooms with bath, unfurnished upper, utilities furnished, carpeted. \$260 plus security deposit, adults only, no pets. 693-9204. !!R-30-tf RX-15-1

FOR RENT Century 21 Real Estate 217. Exclusive Oxford Condo. All appliances. Finished basement, garage, pool, \$525, 628-4818!!LX-15-1

FOR RENT: Sleepers, \$55 per week plus deposit. Efficiency \$65. 693-2355 or 693-2912 or 693-1209!!LX-48-tf

APPROXIMATELY 50 ACRES of field in Clarkston area for rent for spring planting. Call during business hours. 649-2441. !!CX36-1p

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom condo on Marco Island, Fla. No children under 12. 625-4537!!CX32-8p

APT. TO SHARE. Two bedrooms available. Call 2pm-10pm any day, 678-3337!!LX-12-8c

OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT, 2 offices Clarkston Cinema, first floor, 6800 Dixie Hwy, 698-1830!!CX32-tfc

KEATINGTON CONDO for rent; 2 bedroom, appliances, garage, lake privileges. \$320 plus security. 391-2296!!LX-13-2

MOBILE HOME TO SHARE, non-smoker, Oxford area. \$195 per month. Air conditioner, washer and dryer. 752-2641!!LX-13-3

SALISBURY VILLAGE APTS. of Ortonville, 2 bedroom apt. for rent. Refrigerator, stove, & air conditioning included. Cross ventilation. Beautiful location & view. Nice quiet area. \$300 monthly. 627-6408!!LX-50-tf

SLEEPING ROOM, PRIVATE entrance & bath. \$45 per week, 628-7256!!LX-14-2c

1 BEDROOM APARTMENT, unfurnished. \$55 week, \$200 security deposit. North of Pontiac. 334-3173. !!LX-15-1*

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom home in Oxford. Credit references required. Call 628-3679 after 6pm. !!LX-15-1c

FOR RENT: Two bedroom house within walking distance to shopping area. Stove & refrigerator furnished. 693-6388 or 693-9110.!!LX-15-1c

PLEASANT 2 BEDROOM APARTMENT, Ortonville, carpeting, appliances, \$255 per month. \$300 security deposit. No pets, 625-9127 after 6pm!!CX32-tfc

REC. VEHICLES

1981 250 YZ YAMAHA. Good condition, plus parts, \$800. 628-1772!!!LX-13-3*

1979 HONDA CRT25 Eisino. Bought new in 1981, trail ridden few hours. Sell or trade. 693-8961. !!!LX-15-1* LR-30-3*

1976 KAWASKI KZ900. Hippo gloves & jump suit. \$1700 or best offer. 693-7990!!!LX-12-4

16 FT. SHASTA TRAILER, furnace, oven, stove, refrigerator, electric brakes, new canopy and add-a-room. \$1100. 628-1993. LX-15-2

12 FT. ALUMINUM Sea King boat & trailer. Also 3 1/2 h.p. & 7 h.p. boat motors. All for \$800 or best offer. 628-4515 after 5pm. !!!LX-15-1dh

1976 TIOGA 22 ft. mini motor home, Dodge frame, \$9000. 625-8925 after 5pm!!!CX35-2p

FOR SALE: 1974 SUZUKI TS 250, good condition. \$375. Call after 3. 628-1424. !!!LX-15-1

1981 250 YZ YAMAHA, good condition, plus parts. \$1000 or best offer. 693-2881, ask for Hal, 8am-5pm. !!!LX-15-1dh

FOR SALE: 1976 250 Honda Eisino Induro. Excellent condition. Only 1,000 miles. \$700 firm. 693-1490. !!!LX-15-2

1975 TS185 Suzuki. Like new, only 600 miles. \$550. 693-1172!!!LX-14-2c

1975 HONDA 125, 534 actual miles, \$500; Also 4 Corvette wheels & wheel covers. \$75. Call 693-7017. !!!LX-15-1

FOR SALE: 1974 Suzuki TS 185. 693-2961 after 1:30 p.m. !!!LX-15-1

1977 SUZUKI motorcycle, excellent condition, low mileage. \$900 or best offer. 628-4388. !!!LX-15-1*

11-FOOT TRUCK camper, excellent condition, has many extra features, must sacrifice, \$1995. Call 628-2001 after 4pm. !!!R-30-3 RX-15-1

NEW BOAT SEATS, 2 buckets, with stands, one bench, blue & white. Ideal for pontoons, 693-2676. !!!R-30-3 RX-15-1

1978 HONDA 400, \$800 or best offer. Call 693-7505. !!!LX-15-1*

10 Ft. ALUMINUM, flat bottom boat, 3 seats, good condition. \$175. Phone 628-2834. !!!LX-15-1c L-13-3c

HELP WANTED

WANTED: MATURE woman to care for toddler in my home. References. 628-7764. !!!LX-15-2

CARPENTER NEEDED to construct 9x12 ground level Erecto-Pat deck. Can pay \$100 labor. May have other work available. Call 693-7458 mornings. !!!LX-15-1

WANTED, VERY RELIABLE babysitter. Hours, 4:30 pm to 2:30 am. 3 nights per week. Wages negotiable. Don't call if you don't qualify. 693-4251. LX-15-2 LR-30-3

JOB INFORMATION: Dallas, Houston, Overseas, Alaska. \$15,000 to \$40,000 possible. (312) 741-9780, ext. 7056. Call refundable. !!!CX36-4p

SMALL ADULT FOSTER CARE home has opening for part time help. 628-6348 6 p.m. until 10 p.m. 628-3692 7 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. !!!FX14-2

NURSERY SCHOOL in Lake Orion/Oxford area has opening for qualified teacher. 5 mornings, 2 afternoons per week. Preschool background preferred. Call Mrs. Barker, 628-5805. !!!R-30-3 RX15-3 RL13-3

LADIES WOULD YOU give up 10 hours a week for \$100 commission. Queens Way, 673-3465 or 673-0446!!!CX34-6c

MARKETING TRAINEE, local office of National Organization needs 3 full time career minded individuals willing to work hard and be trained. Earn while you learn. Possible first year earnings \$20,000. Call EJ or Lee, 625-5703!!!CX33-4p

EARN EXTRA MONEY from your home selling Amway Products. Call 625-0616!!!CX25-tfc

TUTOR WANTED for fast crash in high school math. 628-7223. !!!LX-15-1

AMBITIOUS PEOPLE: Join the exciting business of AMWAY. Call 623-1381 for appointment. !!!CX-36-4p

MATURE WOMAN needed for full time cleaning & care of small child in Clarkston. 625-6660 days or 851-7976 nights. !!!CX-36-1c

WANTED: Summer help guards for club house ground & short order kitchen. Reply by May 1 to P.O. Box 82, Lake Orion, MI 48035. !!!LX-15-2

DELIVERY AND ORDER taking, \$5.85 per hour starting. Car needed, must be 18 or over. Call after 1 p.m. 391-2880. !!!R-30-3 RX-15-2 RL-13-2

WANTED

USED GUNS WANTED regardless of condition. Top cash dollars. We buy-sell-trade. Guns galore. Fenton 629-5325!!!CX-4tfc

WANT TO BUY JUNK or wrecked cars and pick-ups, 1969 and newer. Percy's Auto Service. 3736 S. Lapeer, Metamora. 678-2310!!!A-18 tf

WITNESS TO ACCIDENT at Perry's between Truck & Car, March 17. Please call 693-9879. Urgent. !!!LX-15-2 L-13-3 LR-30-3

WANTED: Used boat trailer. 628-0743. !!!LX-15-2

LOOKING FOR PARTS for '67 Mustang. Call 628-3197 after 6pm. !!!LX-15-2

WANTED: 14 ft. gate, 693-4306!!!LX-14-3

WANTED: Refrigerators in good running condition. Also used carpet or rugs, 628-9656!!!LX-13-3

RESPONSIBLE ROOM MATE to share 2 bedroom lakefront apartment. Female preferred, non smoker. Share utilities. \$150 monthly, security. Be persistent 693-7097 LX14-2

WANTED BATTERIES \$2.00 auto. trans. \$3, steel, copper, brass, aluminum, radiators, starters, catelectic converters, 625-5305!!!CX29-23p

WANTED STANDING TIMBER veneer trees. Perry Kendall, 517-861-2631. Oakley, Michigan!!!LX-10-6*

WANTED: HORSE HAY, delivered. 628-0926. !!!LX-15-4

WANTED SMALL HOUSE to rent in Orion/Oxford area for young couple with no children. 391-1923 or 628-4252!!!LX-14-2, L-12-3, LR-29-3

WANTED: SMALL LAP DOG. Housebroken, good with children. Call 391-3318. !!!LX-15-1

DO YOU NEED A TAX DEDUCTION?? We need a piano. Let's trade. League for the Handicapped-Goodwill Industries. 627-4905. !!!CX36-1c

WANTED: Utility trailer any condition, 693-2227!!!LX-14-2

SPONSOR needed, Clarkston 35 and over men's softball champs. Call Pat, 625-3881. !!!CX-36-2p

WANTED: Carpenter familiar with dog kennel house design. 394-0478 evenings. !!!CX-36-1c

GOLFERS NEEDED: Oxford Hills Ladies Thursday morning golf league. Call 628-1674 or 628-5077. !!!LX-15-1

GARAGE SALE

HUGE GARAGE SALE: April 15-25, 9:30-? 4270 Rochester Rd., Leonard!!!LX-14-2

RUMMAGE SALE: Paint Creek Methodist Church. Collins Rd., Goodison. April 23, 9-4 pm, April 24, 9-noon. !!!LX-15-1

MOVING SALE: Everything must go. Furniture, clothes, shed, picnic table, swing set & lots more. 628-0103. !!!LX-15-1

GARAGE SALE: Furniture & misc. Thurs. and Fri. after 2pm. All day Sat. & Sun. 2604 Freeman, Lake Orion. Perry Acres. !!!LX-15-1*

GARAGE SALE: 324 Casemer, Lake Orion. This weekend & next. We're moving, come make offers, clean us out. Chest freezer, \$50; 7 h.p. motor, \$35; edger, \$15; lots more. 693-8401. !!!LX-15-2

GARAGE SALE: 5955 Chickadee, off Maybee, Clarkston. April 22 & 23rd. !!!CX-36-1c

BABY ITEMS; ladies size 5 clothes; snow skis, boots, more. Misc. 65-67 Corvette parts, 1962 283 Chev. engine; 1969 Chev. 4x4 with plow, \$750; snowmobile & misc. parts; 250 Yamaha & Suzuki parts; misc Chev. engine parts. One mile N. of I-75 off Dixie. R. on Bridge Lake Rd. April 22nd through 25th, 10am to 6pm. !!!CX-36-1c

7365 BLUEWATER DR. Apart. 5, Dixie Hwy. N. of I-75., Fri., Sat., Sun. !!!CX-36-1c

GARAGE SALE: 5380 Clarkston Rd., Thurs., Fri., Sat. after 10am. !!!CX-36-1c

ANNUAL CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE, St. Trinity Lutheran Church, 7925 Sashabaw Rd., (1/4 mile north of Pine Knob), Thursday, Apr. 22, 9-5; Friday, Apr. 23, 9-5; and Saturday, Apr. 24, 9-12. Lots of everything. Refreshments!!!CX35-2c

HUGE GARAGE SALE: Wed. thru Sat., 9am-6pm. 3628 W. Drahnner Rd., off Baldwin, Oxford. Clothing, infant thru adult; books; bar stools; electric roaster & griddle; sofa bed; household; two 4-ft. doorwall screens; tires; tennis rackets; sewing dress form; paint & tile primer; some tools; and much more. !!!LX-15-1

GARAGE SALE: 5 Watt Walkie Talkie, electric heaters, Whiskey barrel, etc. 846 Glaspie Rd., off W. Drahnner, Saturday, 8am-5pm. !!!LX-15-1

BARN SALE: FURNITURE, wood & coal stove, antique radio, clothes-adult & infant, shop supplies, nuts & bolts, pipe fittings. Misc. April 22, 23, 24th, 10am-5pm. 3008 Rochester Rd., Leonard. !!!LX-15-1*

GARAGE SALE: Dressers, end tables, coffee table, antique sewing table, electric fixtures & lamps, bookcase, large sideboard, pump organ, desk chairs, antique rockers, and assorted chairs & stools. Interesting odds & ends of all kinds. 10 Park St., Oxford. 628-2044. !!!LX-15-1* L-13-3*

ANTIQUES

DAVISBURG ANTIQUES MARKET, April 25, 4th Sunday each month. Springfield Oaks Building on Andersonville Road. Antiques & collectables only. 10am-5pm. Free admission, free parking. !!!CX31-1c



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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet May 5, 1982 at 7:30 PM at the Independence Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, 48016 to hear the following cases:

CASE #1156 Harvey's Colonial House APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ADD 34 SQ. FT. (2nd sign) to EXISTING POLE. 5896 Dixie Highway - C-3 Zone 08-33-354-001 & 002

CASE #1161 Robert Pearson & Charles Halpin APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ALLOW OVERSIZED SIGN. (by 8 sq. ft.) Sashabaw Rd. south of Maybee Rd. C-3 Zone. 08-34-128-052 & 051.

CASE #1162 Jack Harrington APPLICANT REQUESTS FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 5' PLUS ALLOWANCE OF OVERSIZED GARAGE. Burgundy Dr. Corner of Mary Sue. 08-26-303-011.

CASE #1163 Kenneth E. Durnen APPLICANT REQUESTS SIDE YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 2'. FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 1' TO CONSTRUCT ATTACHED GARAGE ON NON-CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD. Maplewood, Sunny Beach CC Sub. 08-12-334-004

CASE #1164 Sharon M. Hirschman APPLICANT REQUESTS WAIVER OF ONE SEWER ASSESSMENT. Jerome, Woodhull Lake Sub. No. 2 Lots 165-166. 08-34-378-032.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that proposed variances may be examined at the Independence Township Building Department, during regular hours each day Monday thru Friday until the date of the Public Hearing.

Respectfully submitted,
Christopher L. Rose,
Clerk

Beverly A. McElmeel, Secretary to the Building Official



Of all the fires set, the garage fire was the most spectacular. Bright orange flames lept to the sky, and it was hard to tell what loomed behind the smoke. But that fire, too, was out in short order.

Fire fighters practice on deliberately set blaze

FIRES WERE DELIBERATELY set four times as Independence Township fire fighters got in some practice time at an old farm house on Clarkston-Orion Road Sunday. The idea was to get the fires going, then call in fire fighters from each of the township's three fire stations so responses to actual house fires could be simulated. The house and garage were burned to the ground at the end of the session.

In Independence, fire fighters attend three practice sessions a month, covering all phases of their duties. It has been about a year since an actual building has been burned to use for practice, said Fire

Chief Frank Ronk.

"It gives us a chance to keep our guys sharp on the equipment that they use," said Ronk. "There was a lot of good knowledge gained, and it was a very worthwhile project. We appreciate Levy letting us have the building."

The house, located on the 80 acres the township is attempting to purchase through condemnation proceedings, is owned by the Edward Levy Co. of Detroit and is part of a proposed approximately 200-acre gravel mining operation.

The house, located on Clarkston-Orion Road adjacent to the township Senior Citizens' Center, was

damaged in a fire about two months ago.

"If we find one that's not going to be repaired—that's beyond the 50-percent damage—we contact the owner to see if it's available for a training facility," Ronk said.

"We're tickled to death when we find one like that, and the Levy Co. cooperated with us fully."

About 25 fire fighters participated in the practice session that began at about 8:30 a.m. By about 12:30 p.m., the house was burned to the ground, and fire fighters checked the site every half hour until about 8:30 p.m., Ronk said, making sure no grass fires started.



The smoke became so thick, it was impossible to see far into its billowing blackness, but the men were inside, fighting the blaze. Fire fighter Steve Ronk (right) was in charge of the training session, and he watched intently throughout the morning.