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## Toma: 'Be proud to be straight'

By Carolyn Walker

The 2,300 high school students filed into the gymnasium displaying a variety of attitudes. The dudes bopped, the cheerleaders bounced.

Some were cocky, some were curious, some were quiet, and some were downright rude.

But, by the end of substance abuse advocate David Toma's two-and-one-half-hour lecture, they were all on their feet in wild applause.

The lecture started amid a mixed greeting of cheers and catcalls as the trim, 52-year-old Toma asked, "What did you expect? A little, old, bald, fat man or what?"

"Watch me go baby," he said.

And go he did, as he launched into a hard-driven, sometimes emotional talk on the dangers of

**"When you give up your pride and dignity, you've got nothing left"**

—David Toma

substance abuse and its cousin suicide.

He began by outlining his own experiences with drug abuse, which stemmed from the death of his young son and his experiences as a New Jersey policeman.

"I was the police department's puppet," he said. "Though in my heart I knew it was wrong, my job was to lock you up."

At least one student decided to heckle Toma.

"Don't play with me kid," he said. "I'm here to help you—you ain't doing nothing for me."

That remark shushed the students for the duration of the talk; and to hear them tell it after the lecture, many were glad they listened.

Alcohol abuse is the number one killer of teenagers, followed closely by suicide, Toma told the students.

"Drugs, alcohol, and suicide are all in one family," he said. "You don't even know what you are doing. You can't handle it, it handles you."

"You got everything to lose," Toma told the crowd. "You're playing a dangerous game."

Toma spent much of the lecture outlining the chemical make-up of marijuana and its ramifications.

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Photo by Carolyn Walker

David Toma punctuates his caring for Clarkston kids by giving Marnie Meehan a hug.

Marnie, a Clarkston High School junior, is credited with the idea of bringing Toma to CHS.

## God, family, good morals

After the lecture, David Toma reiterates his message

By Carolyn Walker

Tough-talking David Toma let his guard down a little bit Feb. 19 after his two-and-one-half-hour, emotionally charged lecture to over 2,300 students at Clarkston High School.

Composing himself after the physically draining talk on substance abuse, he shared his philosophy on life and his thoughts about religion and love.

His beliefs, which are founded in mother, God, family and good morals, might be called old-fashioned by some.

Yet, he spouts them unashamedly to all who will listen.

"You ain't gonna make it without God," he warned.

The national trend toward the collapse of the family unit troubled him the most.

The family is suffering tremendously, according to Toma, who said "parents are missing the boat."

There has been "a complete family breakdown," he said.

Adults must have the conviction of their beliefs, the ability to say "no" and the strength to set a positive example if they want to reach their youth, according to Toma.

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## Jaycees to help with fallen trees

Any Clarkston area resident unable to clean up a yard full of fallen trees and branches from ice storm damage can call the Clarkston Area Jaycees.

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## 5 lanes favored

# M-15 widening talks get going

By Carolyn Walker

M-15 is going to grow, the question is when. Township Supervisor Frank Ronk, along with Clerk Richard Holman and Lewis Wint, of the Independence Township M-15 task force, met with representatives of the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) Feb. 14 to discuss the issue of widening M-15.

Ronk shared the results of the meeting with township board members and representatives of the village council at the Feb. 19 board meeting, but no action was taken.

The widening of M-15 hinges on \$148,000 in drainage improvements for which the township is responsible, Ronk said.

Township officials anticipate using 1985 Federal Revenue Sharing funds to correct the drainage problem.

The widening of M-15 has been a source of debate between township officials and the state for over 10 years, according to Ronk, who said he would like to see the M-15 project undertaken at the same time as the widening of Dixie Highway (1986) to prevent having the area torn up for an extended period of time.

"The drainage portion must be done soon," Ronk said. "We've got some real problems down there."

MDOT proposes widening M-15 to five lanes which will include a center turn lane, and two outside turn lanes; but does not anticipate that work could begin before 1987, Ronk said.

Township officials hope to convince the MDOT to work on M-15 in conjunction with their work on Dixie Highway, he added.

"No matter how bad it gets, it can't get much

worse than it is now," Ronk said of the hazardous conditions on south M-15.

Trustees Daniel Travis and William Vandermark agreed that work should be commenced as soon as possible.

"It's important for us now to go ahead," said Travis, who said he had been involved in two accidents on M-15.

Federal Revenue Sharing may not be available in 1986 if President Reagan's proposed cuts go into effect, and a millage might be hard to raise, Travis said.

Vandermark concurred. "The five lanes seem to be the safest, the best, and the most economical," he said.

Sharon Catallo, chairperson of the village council M-15 committee, expressed concern about how the five lanes would end before reaching the village.

## Strong morals help

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They must demonstrate their love with touches and words; and most importantly, by listening, he said.

Crediting his mother with setting a solid foundation in his life, Toma called himself a person who lives what he preaches; and credited that quality as the source of his success.

"I get into their heads," he said of his talks with disillusioned teenagers.

"They want to be helped. Nobody wants to die."

"We should take a little lesson from nature," he said, relating a story about a baby bird and its protective, survival-teaching mother.

"We are all teachers."

Current designs show them tapering down with a center median before Paramus, Ronk said.

Village council members and business owners have expressed concern that widening M-15 could pose a threat to parking and the general atmosphere of Main Street in Clarkston.

Village President Carol Eberhardt, who said she fears businesses might spread in the residential area between Paramus and the village, asked board members to address the potential of "creeping commercial" businesses (north of Paramus) in the township master plan.

The land in question is currently zoned R1A (single family dwelling), according to Ronk.

Board members agreed to a suggestion that business owners along M-15 be surveyed regarding their thoughts on the merging of driveways and parking lots.

No further action was taken on the issue.

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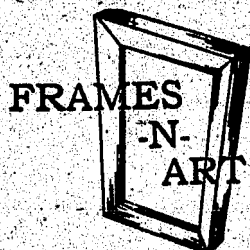
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# Talking tough to teens about drugs, alcohol

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There are 61 different chemicals and poisons in an unlit marijuana cigarette converted to 421 chemicals and poisons when lit, he said.

## The aftermath

### Principals agree: Toma left behind a significant impact

By Carolyn Walker

One man can make a difference.

David Toma, substance abuse crusader, proved that after his two-day visit to Clarkston High School.

The "Toma experience" left a significant impact on the student populations at the high school and Clarkston and Sashabaw junior highs, according to their principals.

"It's the first time I've seen one individual that got so much out of the student body in such a short span of time," said CHS principal Dominic Mauti. "We really had an awakening."

Toma followed his Feb. 19 two-and-one-half-hour lecture on drug abuse with small group and individual counseling sessions Feb. 19 and 20.

And the students turned out in volume, according to Mauti.

As Toma was preparing to leave, he stopped by

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**—CHS principal Dominic Mauti**

the office to say goodbye and was followed by 30 to 40 students, Mauti said.

When Toma went into the hall, the students "gave him all kinds of paraphernalia," Mauti said, including: a bottle of whiskey, "acid," marijuana and smoking pipes.

One student gave Toma a "roll of bills" (money) he had made selling marijuana in the school building that same morning, Mauti said.

"What I was surprised at was the totally different kinds of substances that were visibly taken by us. It's everything and anything," he said.

Over 300 students including 150 from the two junior high schools came forward to admit their drug problems or talk confidentially about other things with Toma, Mauti said.

The abusers who admitted their problems ran the entire gamut of "alcohol, marijuana, everything," Mauti said. "One student admitted doing everything."

Some indicated they had been tricked into using drugs by having their drinks spiked, he added.

Video tapes of Toma's lecture were shown to the seventh- and eighth-graders at both junior highs (the ninth-graders attended the lecture), said Duane Lewis, principal at Clarkston Junior High.

The students were drawn by his speeches and many went to their counselors for help after seeing the video, he said.

Gus Birtsas, principal at Sashabaw Junior High, basically concurred.

"I think they (the students) were impressed because they were so quiet when they got back to the school," he said.

"They were attentive," he said with emphasis, noting that the school was extremely subdued after the video tapes were shown.

"Junior high is the age of experimentation," Birtsas said, indicating he hoped the lectures would help reduce students' curiosity about drugs.

In an effort to capitalize on Toma's success, school administrators and counselors as well as the Chemical People of Clarkston will be offering self-help and support groups, Mauti said.

Every joint is different and can affect the heart, lungs, liver, eyes and brain, he said.

"As you smoke pot, it blocks off the circulatory system in your body. How many kids right now are numb in America?"

One marijuana cigarette stays in the body four to six months, he said.

"This ain't funny. What the h--- are you (kids) doing to yourselves?" he asked.

Toma told the students he has seen marijuana cigarettes dipped in rat poison, embalming fluid and Drano.

"You're so d--- dumb, you're smoking pot with rat poison in it," he said, shouting his frustration.

Toma didn't let the issue drop with marijuana.

He went on to detail horror story after horror story of people he had known who had died or been seriously injured by PCP, alcohol, amphetamines, tranquilizers and cocaine.

The list seemed endless: Elvis Presley, Jimi Hendrix, Janis Joplin, Richard Pryor, John Belushi.

He knew them all; and he told their stories before asking how many unknown teenagers had to die?

"I'm sure in Clarkston somebody is dead because of drugs," he said.

Death is not always the way out of a drug problem, Toma said.

Many abusers end up in jail, mental institutions or "in the gutter," he said.

When that happens, friends disappear, he said.

"That same kid (friend) in school is gonna leave you like a dog. You ain't got no friends."

Toma, who rose from the ranks of a New Jersey policeman through the detective bureau before gaining fame on television in the series "Toma" and "Baretta" (which were based on his life), did not leave the students hanging without answers.

"When you give up your pride and your dignity, you've got nothing left," he said.

"You be proud to be straight. I think I can help you my friend. I love you."



During a press conference, David Toma shares his views on bringing up teenagers. Love, family and God are the main ingredients, he says. [Photo by Carolyn Walker]

## But officer...er, supervisor

### 3 township officials now have authority to issue tickets

Independence department heads are readying themselves for a new assignment: ticket giving.

A new state law signed in December 1984 by Gov. James Blanchard authorizes the issuance of appearance tickets against ordinance violators by township officials and their designees.

Given that go ahead, on Feb. 19, the Independence Township board unanimously voted to adopt an ordinance to allow the supervisor, fire chief and building department director to issue tickets when Independence Township ordinances have been violated.

In addition, employees designated by department

heads, such as the chief building inspector, and approved by the township board can issue appearance tickets, said Supervisor Frank Ronk.

The law, which goes into effect April 1, allows local zoning enforcement through tickets, according to township attorney Gerald Fisher.

Currently, tickets are given by the sheriff's department.

Authorizing department heads to issue tickets will decrease the need for calling in deputies, Ronk said.

The violations are to be resolved in 52nd District Court.



# Lunch falls from multipurpose room menus

By Kathy Greenfield

Luncheon will not be served—or eaten—in Clarkston's five new elementary school multipurpose rooms during the 1985-86 school year.

The board of education informally approved a one-year moratorium on lunch in the brand new additions at a work-study session Feb. 18.

At a board-administration workshop Jan. 31 the

five elementary school principals "asked the board of education to consider not using the rooms to eat in," said Superintendent Milford Mason. "The next day (following the Feb. 18 meeting), I informed the elementary principals their position was supported by the board."

The principals' request apparently followed discussions with principals in other school districts and visits to those buildings during lunch hours.

At the Feb. 18 work-study session, board secretary Mary Jane Chaustowich called such lunch gatherings "like a zoo" and "not beneficial to the pupils."

"I'm dead set against having lunch the first year because if we have it in one, we'll have it everywhere," she said.

Mason suggested the decision on lunches be left to individual principals.

"That's passing the buck," said board member Stephen Werner. "I think we should make the decision."

Several factors were discussed before the consensus was reached including the time-consuming nature of lunch service with table set-ups and break-downs,

and the desire for optimum educational use of the rooms for gym classes, music instruction, school programs and assemblies.

Also considered was the cost of purchasing lunchroom tables and chairs. Mason estimated \$750,000 would be required.

Board member David Kithil expressed concern that getting children out of classrooms for lunch was one selling point during the campaign for voter approval for the multipurpose rooms.

The one-year moratorium would allow principals to assess time demands and would avoid wasting money on lunchroom equipment that may not be used, said board president Janet Thomas.

"I buy that logic and I think it's good logic to use," said Kithil.

Voters approved a \$1.75 million bond issue for the five multipurpose rooms in June 1984 and construction is now nearing completion.

The rooms are expected to be in full use during the 1985-86 school year. Tentative plans include establishing a physical education program for the elementary schools with two 30-minute classes a week for all grade levels.

## Corner to get traffic light

A traffic signal should be in place at Sashabaw and Waldon roads before the end of 1985.

The \$250,000 project includes widening all approaches to three lanes.

Ninety percent of the cost will be funded by the federal highway department with the remaining 10 percent by the Oakland County Road Commission, according to Dennis Pajot, spokesperson for the road commission.

Construction is expected to begin in mid-August with completion in October.

Pajot said he was aware of a petition drive for the traffic light led by Independence Township resident Iva Sommers Caverly.

When the petitions with over 2,000 signatures were received, the road commission had already applied for a federal grant for the signal light.

"We'd been aware of the concern for some time. That's one reason we applied for the federal grant," he said.

Pajot stressed that it takes more than concern to qualify for such funds.

There are specific guidelines that define when a safety at an intersection would be improved with a traffic signal. Among qualifying factors are volume of traffic, number of accidents, number of left-turn accidents and whether there are enough lanes to separate turning traffic.

"Studies did show it did warrant a traffic light," Pajot said.

## Sheriff's log

Tuesday, vandals broke windows out of a residence on Baldwin, Independence Township.

Tuesday, vandals attempted to break into a home on Fawn Valley, Independence Township.

Thursday, vandals broke the windows out of doors at a residence on Fir Street, Independence Township.

Friday, thieves stole a UPS package off a porch on Deerwood, Independence Township.

Friday, thieves broke into a home on Rattalee Lake Road, Independence Township, and stole money, jewelry, and food.

Saturday, vandals smashed the windshield and ripped the wipers off an automobile on Sashabaw, Independence Township.

Saturday, thieves broke into a home on En-

nismore, Independence Township, and stole a VCR, camera and money.

Sunday, thieves stole a radar detector from an automobile parked on Maybee, Independence Township.

Sunday, thieves broke into a home on Edgewood, Independence Township. It is not known what was taken.

Sunday, thieves broke into a home on Ennismore, Independence Township. It is not known what was taken.

Sunday, thieves stole a tape player from an automobile parked on Ennismore, Independence Township.

This information was obtained from reports at the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

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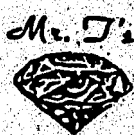
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# Judge plans visit to Athena the tiger's home

By Carolyn Walker

Athena the tiger continues to hold her ground. And Circuit Court Judge Frederick Mester, who must decide her fate, plans a visit to the cat's residence.

At a Feb. 20 hearing in Oakland County Circuit Court, Mester told Athena's owner, Douglas Murdoch, the tiger could remain at his parents' 20-acre Allen Road farm in Independence Township, at least temporarily.

Mester's decision came in response to a request by township attorney Gerald Fisher that the cat be removed from the Murdochs' property.

Fisher's demand was the result of a court-ordered

Independence Township Zoning Board of Appeals determination that Athena's presence violated township ordinances.

Frances Avadenka, the Murdochs' attorney, filed for an appeal of the zoning board's decision in circuit court.

Oral arguments on the appeal will be heard before Mester in June.

Mester told Murdoch that in the interim he must "immediately" reinforce the animal's cage with a second fence, said township attorney Gerald Fisher.

In the meantime, Mester plans to visit the Murdochs...and Athena.

Visiting the cat and observing the security of her cage will help him reach a better understanding of the animal's potential threat to society, Mester said.

When contacted at his office, Mester said he was

interested in giving all parties a "fair chance" and that he would attempt to see the animal sometime this week in the presence of the township and the Murdochs' attorneys.

Athena has been a source of contention between Independence Township officials and the Murdochs since last fall.

Township officials contend the animal presents a dangerous threat to township residents, while the Murdochs contend she is domesticated.

According to Fisher, Mester had to allow the Murdochs to keep the cat through the appeal process because forcing the cat out now would result in a denial of the Murdochs' "appellate process."

The Murdochs told Mester they had no place to send the animal for the duration of the trial without getting rid of it entirely, he added.

## Flooding closes township road

Flooding, pot holes and messed up gravel roads plague the Oakland County Road Commission as springtime approaches.

In Independence Township, flooding has caused the closing of White Lake Road between Dixie Highway and Andersonville Road.

"It could be a couple of weeks before we can do anything," said Dennis Pajot, spokesperson for the road commission. "The big problem we have, in addition to the fast melt we're having, is the water has no place to go down."

The problem, which is "unusual in its intensity," began in early December when several days of rain were followed by a cold snap, Pajot said.

Now that the thaw has come, the December rain water has risen to the surface and the run-off from melting snow has added to the accumulation.

Gravel roads are also suffering the consequences.

"All of our unpaved roads are a mess," he said.

"We really can't grade them. There's no place for the water to go, so it gets just like soup."

Pot hole-repairs on paved roads are underway, Pajot added, with road commission crews working to "patch 'em as fast as we can."



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## Caring voice



Kathy Greenfield

As much as I want to remain skeptical about David Toma, I can't.

If his message had been about anything else, something I have never believed in perhaps, I would probably try harder.

From the beginning, I had some problem accepting his \$6,000 fee plus expenses that, I was told, could add up to another \$1,000.

When I heard Toma speak, and he said he could make more money lecturing anywhere other than the high school circuit, it made sense. But still, as someone pointed out, he could do 33 such lectures a year and have a higher income than the president of the United States.

And when I heard Toma's appearance tagged "disco man," I laughed at its appropriateness. His gold chain studded with what appeared to be diamonds spelling out "Toma" did nothing to dispel that image.

At the end of Toma's 2½-hour talk to parents and community members Feb. 20, he tossed the microphone on the stage floor. That bothered me.

But Toma was a strong speaker. Nearly 5,000 local people saw him live. And his message and its effect was something everybody was talking about everywhere I went last week.

I was, and still am, amazed at the influence he had on young people. High school students reportedly turned over to him every drug you can think of, including heroin and opium, the day after his lecture when he worked on smaller group and individual counseling.

He made everyone I know pause to reflect on their lives—and how they can improve.

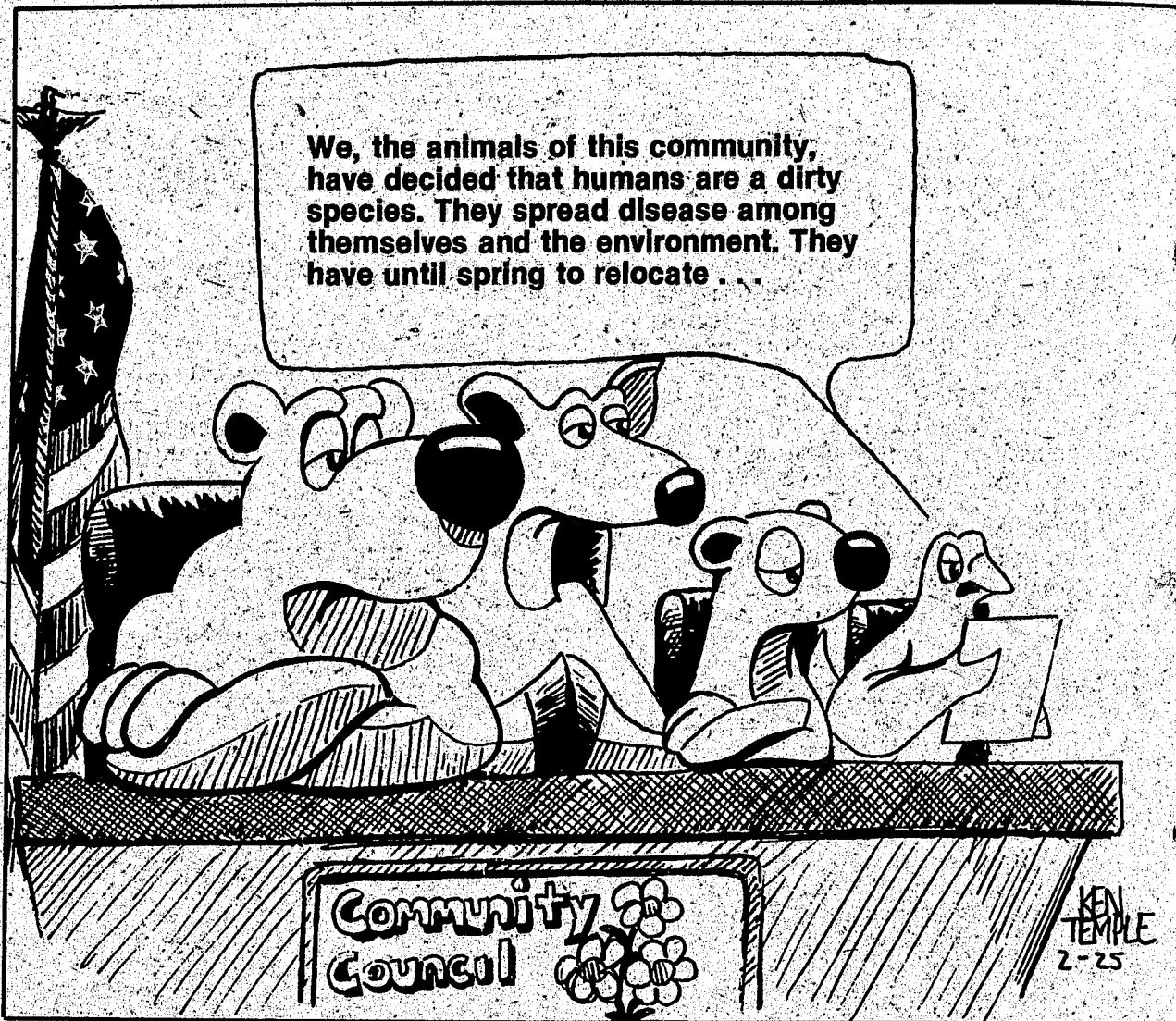
Someone I know said he believes a community is capable of anything if it bands together and works toward a common goal.

Certainly rearing proud, drug-free children is worthy of that kind of attention.

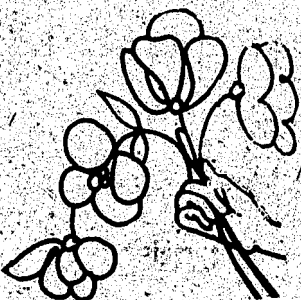
I have nothing but respect and admiration for the Toma Committee made up of members of The Chemical People of Clarkston and the Clarkston Area Youth Assistance Committee.

They set out to find methods to fight drug abuse among our community's young people.

And they found Toma, a man whose caring voice proved so effective.



## Bouquet



## Task force thanks

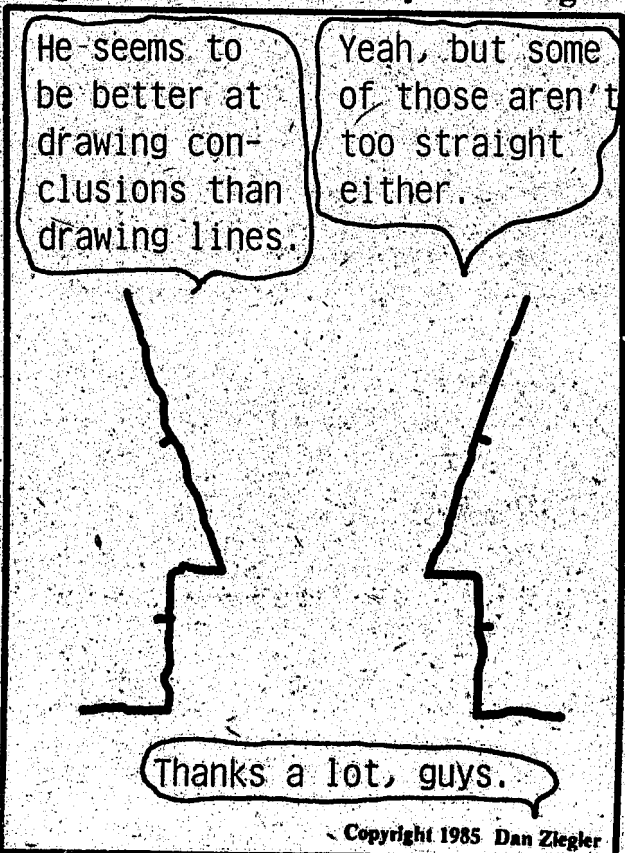
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Jeanette (Hey Mom, it's her again) Sanders  
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I know one of the techniques Generous Motors uses to make those huge profits.

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One is by omitting lights on some Olds Cutlass Ciera's dash instruments. One wonders how the designers reached the conclusion to not light heater and radio switches.

Do they assume all buyers of that car are repeaters, and know the switches are in the same place this year as last?

Are heater switches and radio dials unimportant? Naw, they can't figure that way, else why would they put the lights on other Olds models?

Without an answer to the above, I decided to contact the address in the handy-dandy owners manual, you know, the one that tells you how to drive a car. It's the thick book in the glove box.

No response. So, forget it, I seldom drive it anyway.

But, then, something happened to MY car. Breezing north on I-75, the Buick LaSabre wagon started slowing. It slowed to turtle's pace.

Limping into Wolverine, a mechanic said the catalytic converter was plugged. "It's because you use cheap gas", the confident mechanic said.

Well, it's true I use less expensive gas, but none of it is cheap. And, I don't use methanol, so why did my anti-pollutant device fail?

Ah, hah! Let's give the Customer Service Ad-

visor in Flint another opportunity to do his/her job of keeping a customer satisfied.

I wrote them first October 30, 1984, asking why my car with just 26,000 miles plugged its converter. "Is it because I use cheap gas?", I asked. Nothing tough about that. A simple yes or no will do.

November 13 a Karen Rolfe acknowledged my letter. She said, "We realize that one of our greatest assets is a satisfied customer and, for this reason, it is our intention that all reports of dissatisfaction be resolved, if possible, without delay."

She then began the delaying process. She asked the name of the dealer selling me the car, name of servicing dealer, car serial number, and date of purchase.

What any of that information has to do with my question escapes me. I'd told them it was a 1983 Buick.

And, November 19, 1984 I wrote Karen S. Rolfe, "These points have absolutely nothing to do with my question—which I'm resubmitting. Please stop the form letter stuff."

Let's see. This is February 27, 1985. I think I'll wait just a few more days before I ask Miss/Mrs/Ms Rolfe if she got my letter, since she hasn't replied.

I'll wait considerably longer before consulting another handy-dandy, how-to-drive-a-Buick manual.



'If it  
Fitz . . .'



Jim Fitzgerald

## Singing the blues over policies of the Blues

Last month I wrote about a Mt. Clemens man who dramatically cut the cost of eye surgery by having it done on an outpatient basis. His reward was for Blue Cross & Blue Shield to charge him \$400 he wouldn't have had to pay if he hadn't saved the Blues hundreds of dollars by not staying in the hospital two or three days.

As usual when I tell such horror stories, there were several responses from readers who suffered similar frustration. There was a Royal Oak woman whose stricken husband was rushed to a hospital emergency room. The Blues subsequently refused to cover the costs because, they claimed, his condition "was not life-threatening." He died an hour after arriving at the hospital.

Last month, Kathleen Squires of Clarkston was still waiting for a \$372 check that the Blues claim was mailed to her in December of 1983. Three months later, the Blues wrote her: "The status of the check is unavailable at this time. If you have not received the check within three to four weeks, please let us know. We will then review our records again. If the check is still outstanding, we will reissue a new one."

Squires can't understand why she was asked to wait three to four weeks on top of the three months she'd already waited.

Currently, the Blues said her case is being "re-viewed." Squires has the names of six Blues employees who, at various times in 1984 and '85, have allegedly participated in this review. "Who are these women and why can't they, collectively, cut through the garbage and straighten this out?" she asked in a letter to the Blues last month.

IT IS HOPED that the possibility of the Blues' answering that question, first asked in 1983, is being reviewed at this very moment. Kathleen Squires may not believe it, but there is always hope. I learned that fact in 1983 after describing the woes of several people stung by the Blues' unreasonable policy of canceling coverage without warning and the, even when the cancellation was a Blues mistake, forcing the subscriber to wait several uninsured months to be reinstated.

The Blues subsequently reviewed and changed their cancellation policy so that subscribers are now notified before being cut off. And the same nice thing could happen to the unreasonable policy that penalized that Mt. Clemens man for cutting the cost of his eye surgery.

Dr. Keith A. Kobet of Canton Township performed the same type of surgery on outpatients, saving the Blues thousands of dollars, but the Blues refused to cover costs they routinely pay for inpatients. In September of 1983, Dr. Kobet wrote to Blues President John McCabe:

IT IS DIFFICULT to believe the Blue Cross/Blue Shield claim that they are interested in cost savings when their policies in fact encourage unnecessary hospitalization. . . . All of my younger patients who are having cataract surgery are now being admitted to the hospital for no medical reason."

Last month, only 15 months later, a Blues executive sent Dr. Kobet a letter reiterating its no-outpatient-coverage policy but containing this paragraph: "However, we are currently reviewing the reimbursement level for ambulatory cataract surgery. I will share the results of this evaluation . . . as soon as the study is completed."

So there is hope. Blues subscribers upset by unreasonable policies should keep griping, because it can make a difference . . . someday. They should try not to think about all the money wasted while the reviewing goes on and on and on. . .

## Letters to editor

### 'Prohibition did not work, did it?'

I had the pleasure to hear Mr. David Toma this past Tuesday evening. It was really very good of all those in Clarkston who pulled together to make it all happen.

While it is true that many youngsters are truly experiencing serious problems, it is (likewise) unfortunate that Mr. Toma uses extreme examples and unrelated, emotional rhetoric to, in the long run, skirt the central issue—a real and plausible solution.

Situations involving use of narcotics and other "controlled" and/or "illegal" substances has been a part of many societies in recent history. Clarkston is not facing something new or unprecedented.

The parentally instilled desire to achieve popularity and favor among peers, pride in accomplishment, "success" and so forth are all leading motives turning today's young people to drugs.

Frustrations brought on by failures, either real or imagined, also lead the untrained mind to alcohol or other drugs. Such seems to be the "trend of escapism" in today's affluent environment.

Elimination of opportunity to buy the ex-capt's temptation is not the answer.

For example: closing down all candy shops in order to stop tooth decay is a bad solution. Also, the child with a sweet-tooth will steal, out of spite, if parents deny the money (or allowance) as a form of disciplinary action. Excess indulgence in candy will cause cavities despite the most vigorously supervised brushing of teeth.

This analogy may lack "important details," but it is essentially a good fit.

Now suppose money was not accepted at the candy shop. What if a sort of picture-ID-credit-card was required for purchases?

Such "licenses" are only issued by the local authorities when a doctor's letter is presented and verified. Verification with central registration (by phone) is also done.

Now suppose this candy store is like a

restaurant/bar in that purchases must be consumed on the premises—no carry out.

I believe this to be a simpler and easier and better solution to today's immediate problem. As long as "grass" grows out of God's good Earth, there will be no skirting the problem.

England, Sweden and other nations have already instituted similar systems with no revolting side-effects.

My suggestion to those who are moved by Mr. Toma's oratory is to attempt to apply the full 20/20 hindsight lessons about drug barons robbing children, yes, apply these lessons in their view of the other REAL trouble faced by their kids.

For example, CAI funded airline hauling heroin from the Burmese triangle to Hawaii; \$600 toilet seats...etc. No wonder kids ignore stern lectures about running their own lives from adults who are in part responsible for fostering and perpetuating corrupt practices.

If survival in the REAL WORLD involves the same addictive butchery that is deplorable in private life-styles...then why not...nobody gives a d---.

Prohibition did not work, did it?

Discussed It and Disgusted  
(Name withheld by request)

## Tribute to Toma

Powerful, inspiring, gifted! Can we clone Toma?  
Bill and Cathy Rinehart

Write a letter to the editor.  
The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston,  
MI 48016. Be sure to include your  
name, address and telephone number.

## Guest commentary

### CHS student critiques Toma

By Geri Speace

Scare stories thundered from David Toma at the Clarkston High School auditorium.

The student body, along with ninth-graders from the junior high schools, were held in amazement.

This was the Toma Experience.

On Tuesday, Jan. 19, the famous ex-cop David Toma appeared at the high school to give students straight talk about drugs. That evening, parents and adults in the community were able to attend.

Toma counseled a number of students after his appearance on Tuesday, and again on Wednesday.

Numerous students who were into drugs and alcohol reportedly attended the counseling session and handed over outrageous amounts of various drugs and types of liquor, not to mention money they made dealing drugs.

The booming voice, flamboyant gestures, and emotional delivery of Toma's speech kept students captivated. He had a direct bearing on the attitudes of most.

His colorful and often shocking stories were about drinking, drugs and even cigarettes and what can happen when one is involved with them.

He claimed never to have taken a drink or smoked a cigarette in his life, and condemned even "social drinkers" who maybe only have a few drinks each week.

He mocked cigarette smokers and used profanity in describing them. Although there was much disagreement on his attitudes toward drinking and smoking, the general consensus was that Toma was definitely worthwhile.

Clarkston, with its high substance abuse rate among teenagers, was probably in need of Toma.

However, his long-term effects cannot be predicted.

As Toma himself stated, the parties will continue; the pushers will still make money.

Is \$6,000 (Toma's speaking fee) a shot a fair price to pay for a couple hours of scare tactics and a couple days of beginning counseling sessions?

Toma claims that he goes to schools for such a "measly" sum because he cares about kids so much. What about poorer communities that have high substance abuse rates yet can't afford Toma?

Please do not misunderstand these opinions. I believe Toma has done a lot for students by shocking them into thinking about their attitudes about drugs and alcohol.

However, I would like to put things into perspective. I enjoyed Toma and believe in most of his ideas, but I don't regard him as some anti-drug god like a lot of people.

I would have liked to hear more facts and statistics added into his speech and a few less terror tales even though most students probably were affected more by the stories.

His presentation was spellbinding, true, and his methods obviously worked, but I am not sure if the majority of the school will remember the things he said after the excitement fades.

I know many people thought Toma worked miracles, and many items I have mentioned will stir controversy. Please do not overlook the positive items that are included, nor exaggerate the negative.

Toma was an excellent speaker and seemed very beneficial, but he is not a superhero and his image should not be augmented to such a proportion.

Geri Speace is a senior at Clarkston High School.



# Schools put limit on pupils

By Kathy Greenfield

Beginning next year, there'll be an effort to maintain class sizes of 22 to 27 pupils in grades one and two throughout the Clarkston school district.

The new philosophy of the board of education was informally established at a work-study session Feb. 18. While there was no vote, the six members present agreed keeping classes smaller in the lower grades was desirable.

The action followed the board's request that Superintendent Milford Mason check into research on the effect of class sizes on learning.

In November, parents from Andersonville Elementary School approached the board with concerns about large classes in their school including 28 to 32 pupils in first grade.

The new philosophy was "pretty much brought about by their concern," said board secretary Mary Jané Chaustowich. "It's something they should feel good about."

Mason provided research data at a board work-study session in January. The information, he said, indicated there is some value in keeping class sizes smaller in lower elementary grades if the practice continues over several years.

Most kindergartens in the Clarkston school district already fall within the lower limits.

Principals in the district's five elementary schools were given the task of establishing a plan for the 1985-86 school year to keep numbers low in grades one and two while maintaining staff sizes.

The resulting plan creates more split classes and some classes with 32 to 36 pupils in the higher elementary grades.

## Secretary fee up

The salary for the recording secretary was unanimously raised Feb. 19 by the Independence Township Board.

The position of recording secretary will pay \$35 for the first two hours of every meeting attended and \$4 for each half-hour thereafter, a pay increase of \$10.

The secretary was hired in January following a request by Clerk Richard Holman, who asked to be relieved of the time-consuming and distracting duty of taking minutes during board meetings.

Holman will maintain ultimate responsibility for the minutes.





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SPRING FEVER: Warm weather and a sunny day bring Karen Downs and her daughter April

(left) and Denise Mihos and son, Nicholas, out for a stroll through the village.

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## —Fire call—

Friday, Feb. 15

3:35pm—Firefighter assisted citizen on South Main Street.

4:24pm—Chimney fire extinguished at Wealthy Drive address; caused by creosote buildup.

5:44pm—Personal injury accident at Maybee and Waterford roads; two treated for injuries; Fleet transported to SJMH.

Saturday, Feb. 16

3:16am—Firefighters assisted citizen on Hillside Drive.

8:47am—Personal injury accident at Dixie Highway and M-15; two patients treated; Fleet transported to Pontiac General Hospital (PGH).

3:10pm—Firefighter assisted citizen on Mill Street.

9:58pm—Vehicle rollover on northbound I-75 south of Sashabaw Road; no injuries.

Sunday, Feb. 17

4:38pm—Personal injury accident on Hillandale; two treated for injuries; Fleet transported to SJMH.

7:26pm—Firefighter assisted citizen on Allen road.

7:58pm—Personal injury accident on Sashabaw Road; found no injuries; stood by for sheriff's department and directed traffic.

9:28pm—Personal injury accident on Sashabaw Road; treated person with cut; Fleet transported to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital (POH).

Monday, Feb. 18

5:03am—Person with chest pains treated at M-15 address; Fleet transported to SJMH.

5:58pm—Medical emergency at Pine Knob Road residence; Fleet transported to POH.

8:23am—Firefighter assisted citizen on Buffalo Street.

Tuesday, Feb. 19

5:26am—Medical emergency at Waldon Road residence; Fleet transported to SJMH.

10:45am—Firefighter assisted citizen on Mohawk.

1:23pm—Person who had fallen treated at North Holcomb Road residence; Fleet transported to SJMH.

9:38pm—Medical emergency at Peach Drive residence; Fleet at scene; patient refused transport.

Wednesday, Feb. 20

6:27pm—Personal injury accident on Hadley Road; two treated; Fleet transported to SJMH.

6:45pm—Firefighter assisted citizen on Tuson Boulevard.

7:06pm—Medical emergency at Holcomb Road address; Fleet transported to SJMH.

Thursday, Feb. 21

9:55pm—Person who had fallen was treated at Chan-to address; Fleet at scene; patient refused transport.

Friday, Feb. 22

1am—Firefighters responded to Almond Lane and Plum Street on Edison pole burning; stood by for Edison's arrival.

10:06am—Medical emergency at Whipple Shores Drive address; Fleet transported to PGH.

4:08pm—Personal injury accident in front of Mario's Deli on Sashabaw Road; two treated for injuries; one transported to Crittenton by Fleet; one refused further treatment and transport.

Saturday, Feb. 23

4:53am—Smoke investigation at Clinton Drive residence; found shorted furnace motor.

9:58am—Firefighters responded to automatic alarm at Clarkston Professional Plaza; false alarm.

5:37pm—Person treated for shortness of breath at Dixie Highway restaurant; Fleet on scene.

9:41pm—Personal injury accident on Sashabaw Road; Fleet transported three to POH.

Sunday, Feb. 24

12:15am—Firefighter assisted citizen on Buffalo Street.

9:15am—Flooded basement pumped out at Clintonville Road residence.

10:55am—Person who had fallen was assisted at Princess Drive address; no medical treatment or transport necessary.

The Independence Township Fire Department has responded to 353 calls to date.

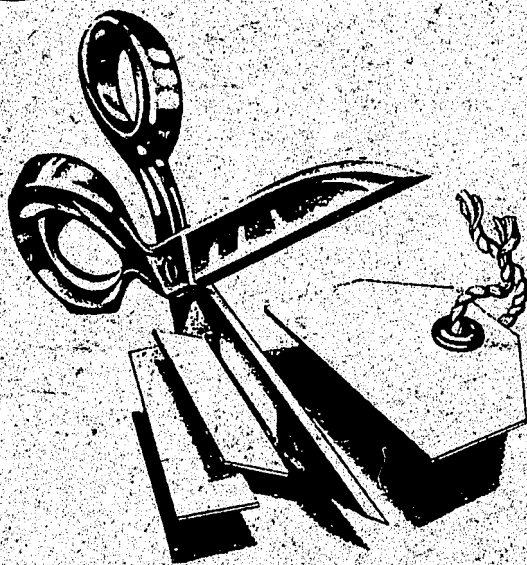
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# Doyle takes election in stride

## He says his term as president won't affect township work

By Dan Vandenhemel

Without much pomp and circumstance, Tim Doyle was elected president of the Michigan Recreation and Park Association for 1986.

Doyle, the director of the Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department, is very

proud of the election because Michigan is widely recognized in the field of recreation.

"We're the second largest association in the U.S.," the Clintonville Road resident said. "We're well respected in the national scene. We're very active in many things. The position does carry some prestige

with it. Maybe that's why I like it."

The new title isn't going to take the 39-year-old Doyle away from his duties in Independence Township. The running of the program here is still important to him.

"There's a lot of little things that have to be done here," he said from his basement office at township hall. "Ninety percent of my time will still be spent here."

"I think we can handle it, but we're a little short of people now. I want to make sure all our ducks are in a row. I'm going to have to organize my time better. I feel we're here to serve the community and I don't want to skip a beat."

Doyle will serve on the board three years, the first by being president-elect. He'll be the chairman of the finance committee in charge of the \$2 million budget. Next year he'll take charge as president; then the following year he'll remain on the board as past president.

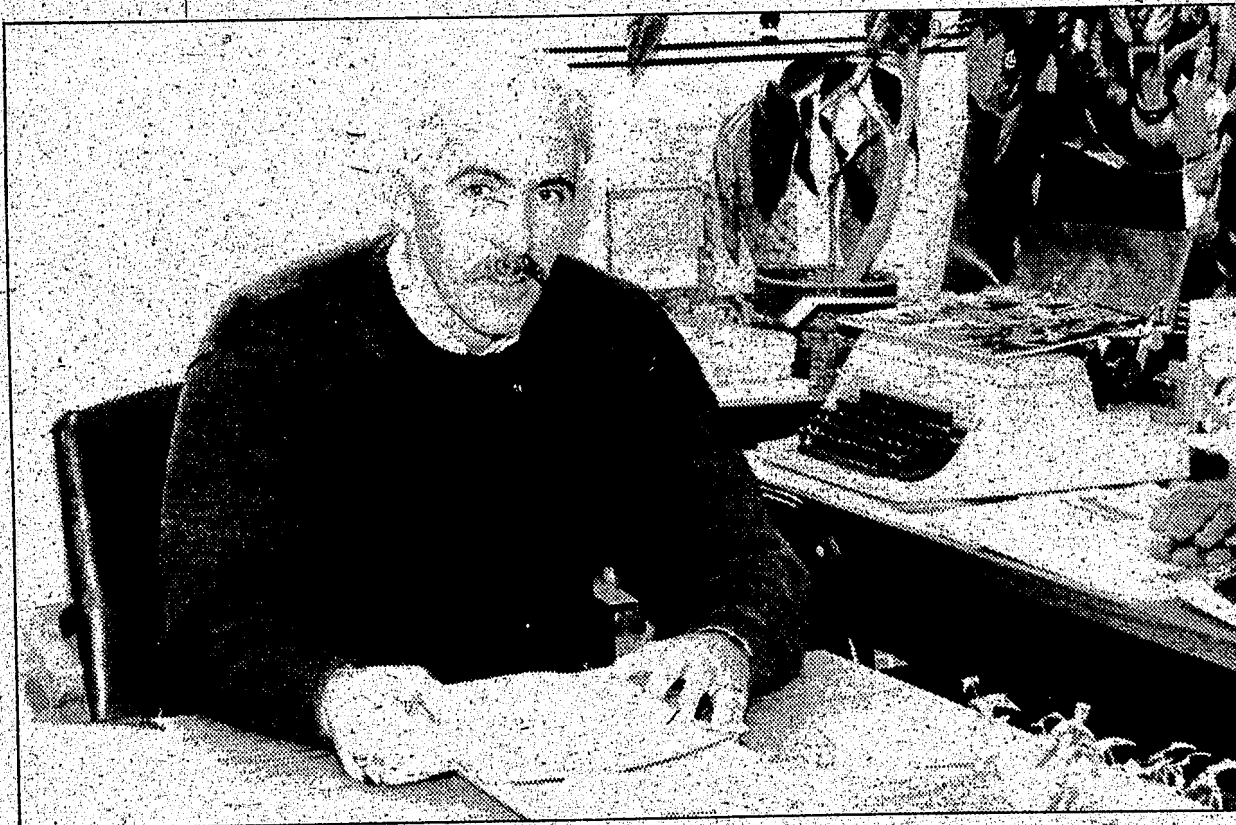
The November election victory was helped by Doyle's work at Independence as well as being a member of the state board six of the last eight years.

Doyle was the first director for the parks and recreation department in Independence Township. He took that post 12 years ago with a budget of \$30,000. Today, the department works with just under \$400,000.

"That first year we had to raise an additional \$5,000 ourselves," he said. "Last year we had a revenue of \$115,000."

A graduate of the University of Wisconsin at LaCrosse and Michigan State University, Doyle would eventually like to return to school as an instructor.


"Getting back to school is the next hurdle," he said. "You get so much from the universities, I'd like to give something back."



Right at home in his Independence Township office, Tim Doyle is looking forward to serving as president-elect of the Michigan Recreation and Park Association.



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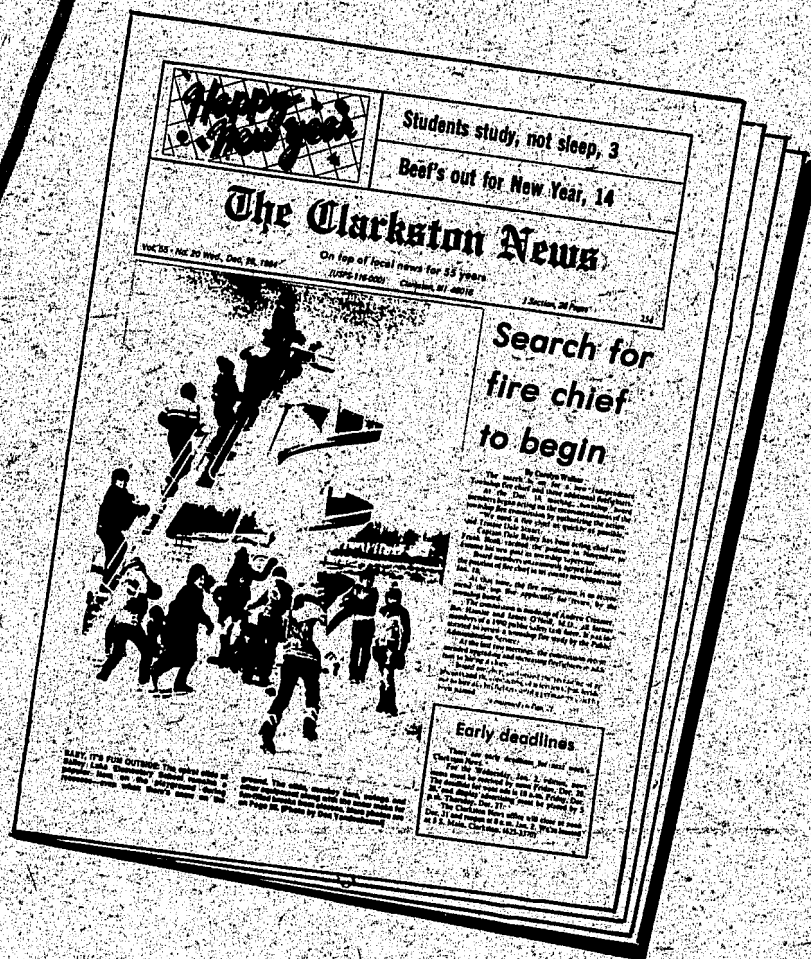
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# -Scoreboard-

## Basketball

**Clarkston High School Varsity**  
Wolves 64, Waterford Mott 48

Feb. 22—A 21-8 spurt in the second quarter gives the Wolves the game and raises their record 5-1 in the league and 15-2 overall. Ed Whitaker with 12 points and Erik Kline, Mike Walters and Doug Colling with 10 each lead the Wolves.

**Wolves 64, Lake Orion 49**

Feb. 19—The Wolves are led by three underclassmen in the victory. Whitaker, a junior, hits for 23 points while Walters, also a junior, adds 12, as does sophomore Dan Jokisch.

**THIS WEEK:** Clarkston at Waterford Kettering, Feb. 27, 8 p.m.; Clarkston at Pontiac Northern, March 1, 8 p.m.

**Clarkston High School Junior Varsity**  
Wolves 74, Waterford Mott 45

Feb. 22—Everyone gets in the act for the Wolves as 11 players score. The victory brings the Wolves' record to 15-2 overall and 5-1 in the league.

**Wolves 64, Lake Orion 36**

Feb. 19—Dave Baran and Craig Chamberlain lead the Wolves with 12 points each and Kevin Pitcher and Jim Hall each add nine in the win.

**THIS WEEK:** Clarkston at Waterford Kettering, Feb. 27, 6 p.m.; Clarkston at Pontiac Northern, March 1, 6 p.m.



**THANKS, MOM:** Some friendly shouts from the stands give Ed Whitaker and his mother Donna reason to smile during Parents' Night at the last home game for the Clarkston Wolves basketball team. Besides the parents of the two basketball teams, the two cheerleading squads and the pompon squad gave their parents recognition.

## Volleyball

**Clarkston High School Varsity**  
Wolves 15,15, Lapeer West 12,10

Feb. 21—This tops the Wolves' week off with five victories. Their record now stands at 28-6. Playing well in this match are Jill DeShetler and Beth Springer.

**Wolves 15,12,15, Lapeer East 9,15,6**

Feb. 21—The three-way match with the two Lapeer schools gives the Wolves plenty of playing time. Michelle Taulbee helps the Wolves this time with her front row hitting.

**Wolves 15,15, Pontiac Northern 6,13**

Feb. 20—The Wolves assure themselves of at least a tie in the Greater Oakland Activities League with the win. They are 6-0 in the league. Laurie Brandt does her part against the Huskies with her serving.

**Wolves 15,15, Oxford 13,12**

Feb. 18—In another three-way meet, the Wolves take care of both opponents. First Oxford falls behind Tammy Pittman and Taulbee's play.

**THIS WEEK:** Waterford Kettering at Clarkston, Feb. 27, 6:30 p.m.; Clarkston at Lake Orion, Feb. 28, 4 p.m.; State District Meet at Clarkston, March 2, 10 a.m.

**Clarkston High School Junior Varsity**  
Wolves 15,15, Lapeer West 10,11

Feb. 21—The first game goes back and forth before the Wolves eventually win it, lifting their record to 15-2. Correen Hummel, Dawn Diederich, Missy O'Dell and Maggie Gdula all play well in the victory.

**Wolves 9,15,15, Lapeer East 15,5,1**

Feb. 21—After losing the opening game, the Wolves turn the match around behind the play of Joanne Beck, Jessica Shoup and O'Dell.

**Wolves 15,15, Pontiac Northern 7,10**

Feb. 20—The match proves little trouble for the Wolves with Wendy Cohoon and Shoup playing well.

**Wolves 15,15, Oxford 2,7**

Feb. 18—The Wolves make quick work of Oxford in the three-way match. Helping the Wolves' cause are Diederich and Hummel.

**THIS WEEK:** Waterford Ketter-

ing at Clarkston, Feb. 27, 6:30 p.m.; Clarkston at Lake Orion, Feb. 28, 4 p.m.

**Sashabaw Junior High Cougars**  
Lapeer West 15,15, Cougars 6,9

Feb. 20—The Cougars are outplayed in this match as they drop their record to 13-6. Shelly Rood, Renda Beck and Jackie Patrick all put in good performances in the loss.

**Oxford 6,15,18, Cougars 15,6,16**

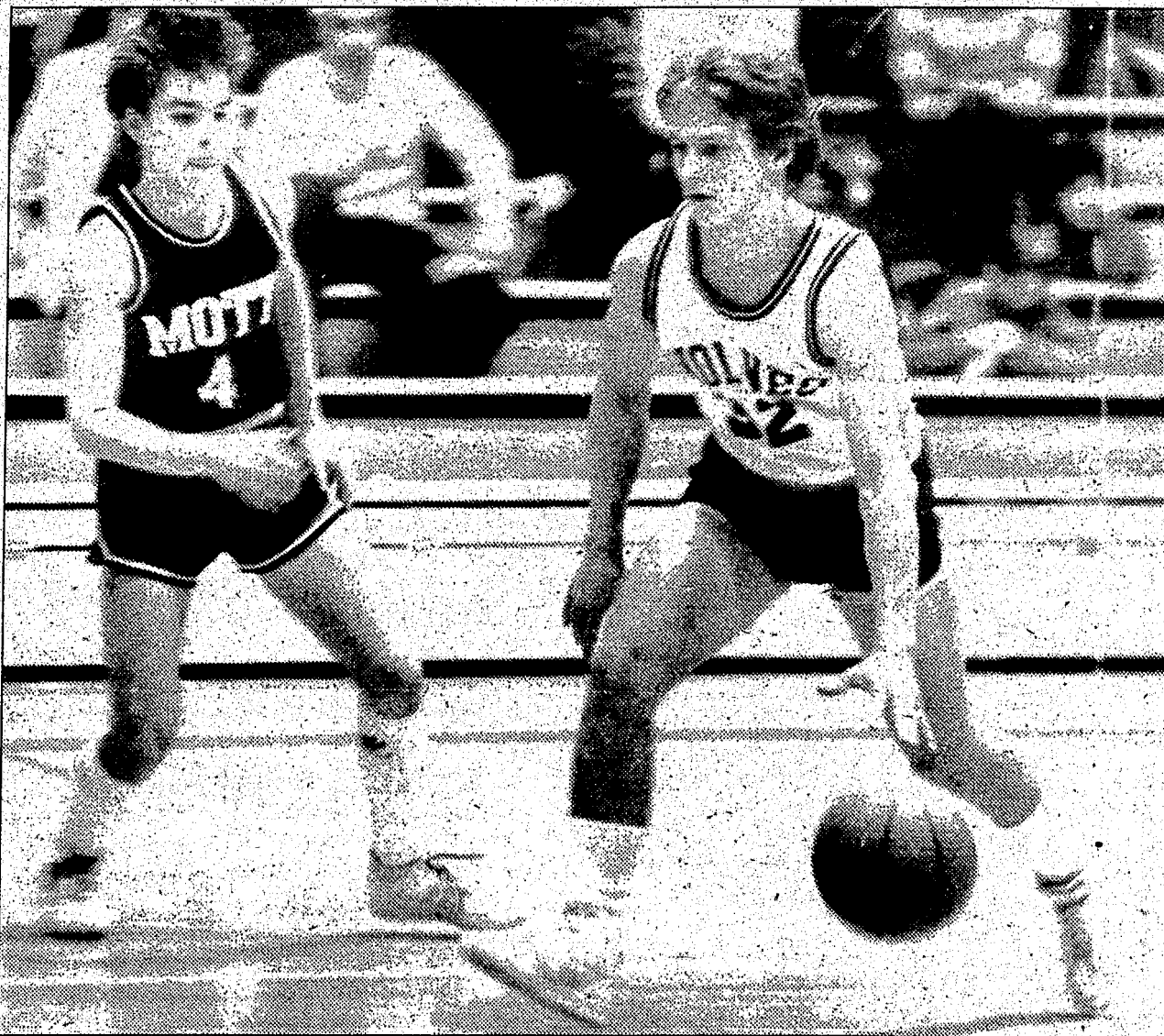
Feb. 18—A tough three-game match hurts the Cougars. They hadn't played a match in two weeks due to weather and scheduling. The serving of Laurie Clements is a strong point.

**THIS WEEK:** Sashabaw at Lahser, Feb. 27, 6 p.m.

## Independence Township

**Men's basketball standings**  
as of Feb. 24

Dunkin Donuts-Pyramid	7-0
Drillers	5-2
Herald Advertiser	5-2
Weal Bar	4-3
Cellar Dwellers	3-4
Gary's Gorillas	3-4
P.B.I.	1-5
Cutters	1-5



Controlling the ball is another factor in the JV Wolves' success. Keeping the ball away from a

Mott defender is Joe Hamlin, who's helped Clarkston post a 15-2 record.

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# Wolves rally, trounce Corsairs

By Dan Vandenhemel

Waterford Mott may have out-hustled the Clarkston Wolves, but they still lost the basketball game.

The 64-48 victory by Clarkston Feb. 22 looks like the Wolves had an easy time of it, but it was far from it. The Corsairs did everything right in the first quarter except for one thing.

Their 14-10 lead woke the Wolves up.

The Wolves outscored Mott, 21-8, in the second quarter behind the talent of Erik Kline. He tallied eight of his 10 points in the stanza.

None of his four 15-foot jumpers in the quarter needed help from the backboard or the rim, a fact that had coach Dan Fife smiling after the game.

Kline missed four weeks with a stress fracture in his leg and is still not back to 100 percent.

"It's nice to see Erik shooting well again," Fife said while enjoying a traditional post-game Popsicle. "It's tough to miss a month in the middle of the season and not be below what you can do."

Kline was one of four players in the double figures. Ed Whitaker led the team with 12 points while Doug Colling and Mike Walters came off the bench with 10 points each. Steve Mayer and Dan Jokisch each chipped in eight.

The win lifts the Wolves to 5-1 in the Greater Oakland Activities League and 15-2 overall. Mott drops to 0-6 and 2-16.

The record for Mott is misleading, according to Fife.

"They're much improved since the first of the year," he said. "If they played a lot of the teams over, I'm sure they'd have more than two wins."

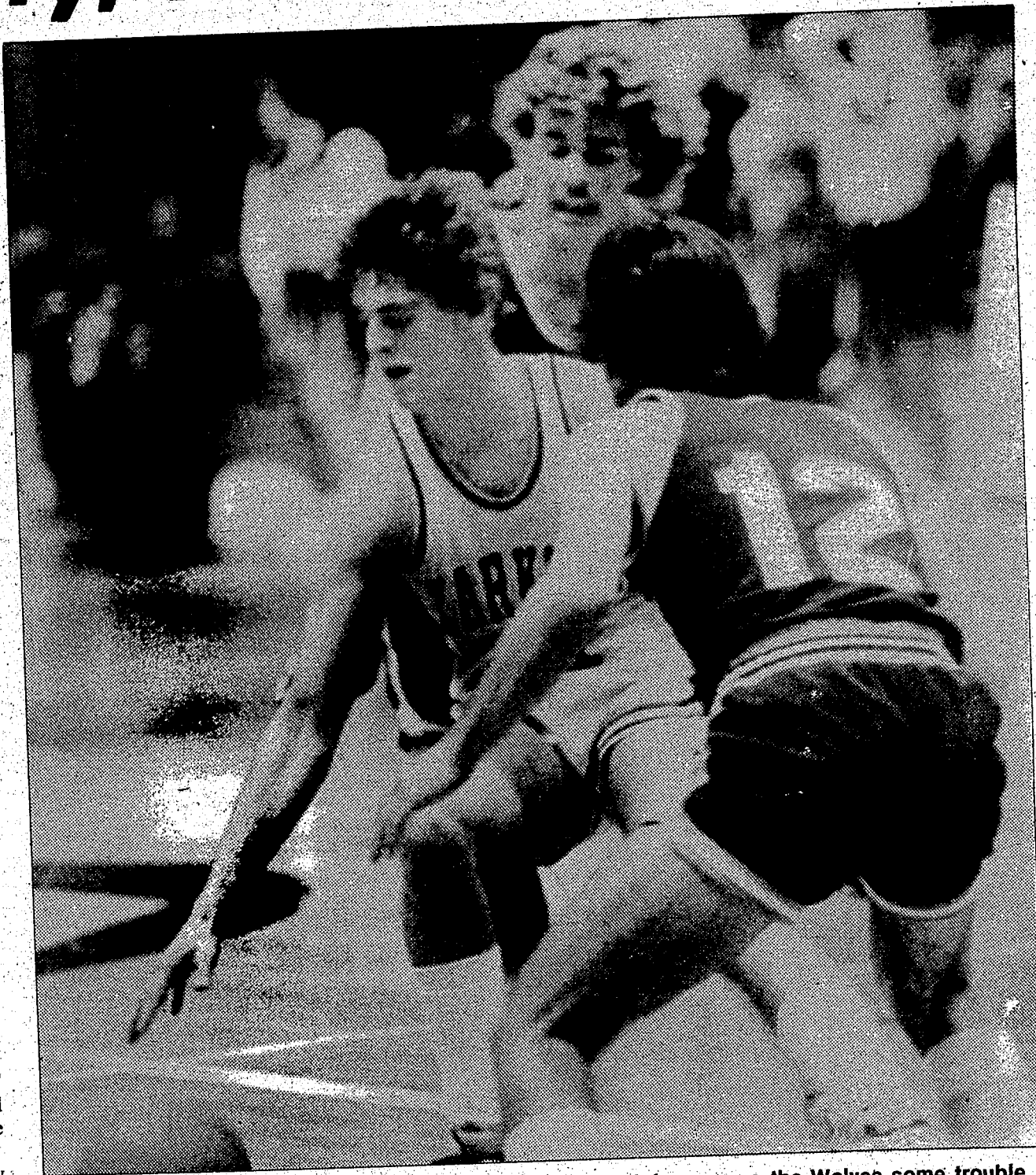
"The difference in the game was when Jimmy Acton went in. The game changed in our favor. It helps when you've got a guy like Jimmy who's willing to work day in and day out but knows he's not going to see that much playing time," Fife said.

Being the last home game for the seniors, teamed with parents' night, may have added to the Wolves' problems at the beginning of the game.

Graduating seniors for the Wolves are Kline, Colling, Acton, David Ladd, Matt Riddle, Mayer and Brian Lewis.

"Jitters, nerves of mothers' night didn't help," Fife said. "You know the seniors wanted to play good because it's their last game here. That added a little pressure on them."

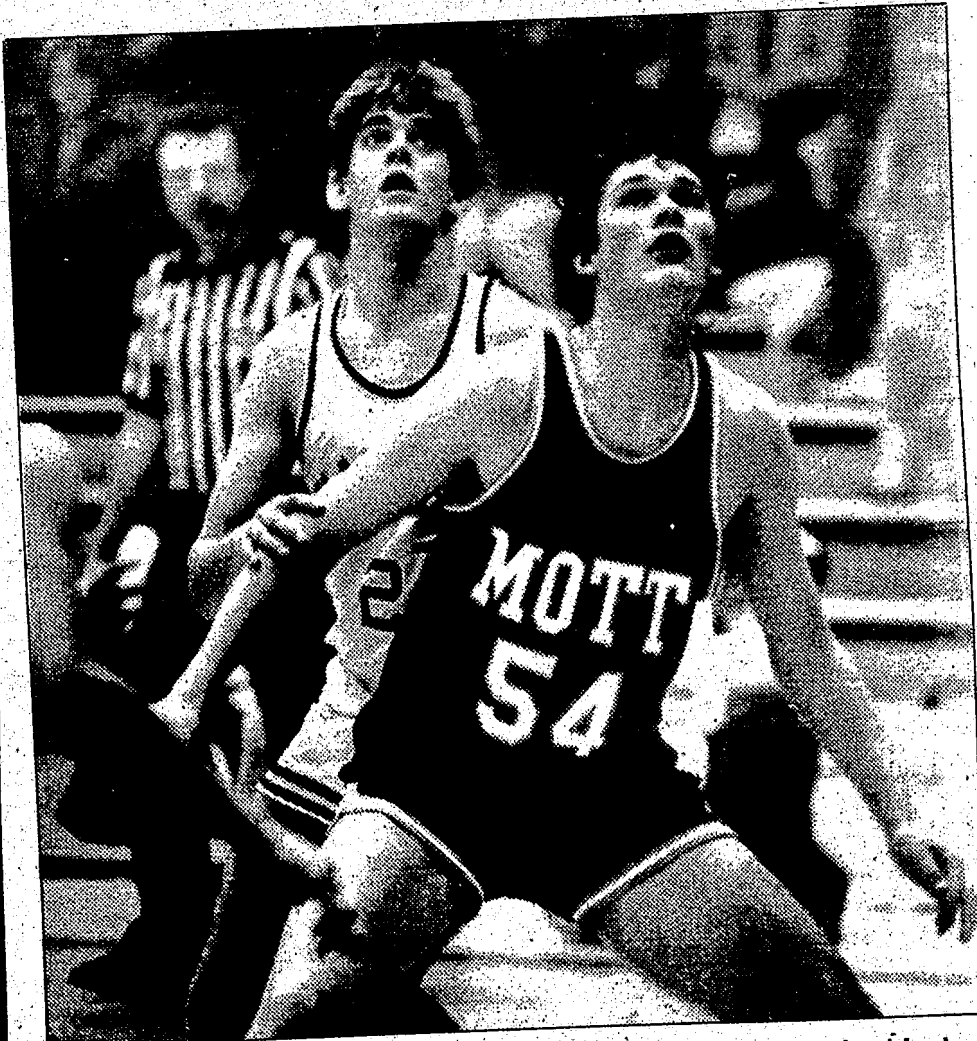
"But to be honest with you, it's hard to play teams that you're supposed to beat. It's tough to mentally get ready for the game, to stay ready for it."



Surrounded by Corsairs, Erik Kline looks for help during the Wolves' 64-48 victory. Waterford

Mott's defense gave the Wolves some trouble in the game's first quarter.

## Sports



Waterford Mott's hopes of beating the Wolves rest on solid play from

Tim Schomberg. Here, he blocks Wolves' Erik Kline from a rebound.

## Tourney time for spikers, hoopsters

March means more than St. Patrick's Day. It means the high school state championship will be on the line.

Not just in the more celebrated basketball courts but also on the volleyball courts.

The Clarkston Wolves' varsity volleyball team is set to defend its district title, March 2, starting at 10 a.m. at the Clarkston High School gym. Last year, the Wolves disposed of their district opponents quickly at Lake Orion before losing to eventual state champions Flint Kearsley in the regional opening round.

Other schools at the this year's tournament include Holly, Lake Orion, Rochester Adams, Rochester, Pontiac Northern, Pontiac Catholic, Waterford Mott, Waterford Kettering and Grand Blanc.

The basketball districts are at Pontiac Central starting March 4. The Wolves will try to avenge a 63-58 loss to Central in the finals. The pairings and teams weren't available at press time.



# Wolverine roundballers control Cougars

By Dan Vandenhemel

Bragging rights between Clarkston and Sashabaw on which junior high school has the better teams will have to wait until the spring.

The Wolverine basketball team put it to the rival Cougars again, 55-44, at Clarkston High School.

The Feb. 21 game was closer than the first meeting, won by Clarkston, 67-49. Throughout the fall and winter sports' seasons, the schools have met in 10 contests and each has won five times. Softball, baseball and track are all that remain to determine who gets the yearly honors.

The recent basketball game left both coaches happy.

Losing coach John Zittle, in his first year at Sashabaw, liked the way his team came back after a poor first quarter.

"We got off to a terrible start," he said. "We really fell too far behind. We played really well once we got started and considering the height disadvantage."

And it was a big disadvantage. The Cougars' tallest players, Keenan Powell and Chip Galley top out at six feet. On the other side of the court, the Wolverines have 6-foot-5 Rob Sanderson and 6-foot-4 Kevin Baert.

"You try to work on the fundamentals in practice, but you kind of get overwhelmed by someone 6-foot-4," Zittle said. "I think the bigger court also had a little to do with the slow start—it added to the nerves. It was a big game. They were really fired up for it."

Josh Newblatt was the Cougars' high scorer with 16 points, while Powell and Zachery Brown each had 11. For the Wolverines, Jeff Tungate had 14 points with Baert tossing in 11 and Sanderson 10.

"With our size, we were able to get the second and third shots, where they didn't get those," Wolverine coach Dave Smith said. "I felt we played better than the first time we met."

Clarkston's defense set the game's tone early. The Wolverines jumped out to a 26-9 lead midway through the second quarter.

"Our press was very effective," Smith said. "We had 27 steals in the game and a lot of those came off the press. We had 16 steals in the first half. We were making things happen. We had to work out for them."

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### Tigers' test

Dan Vandenhemel



Spring is sprung.

There's no question in my mind that winter is over and the rest of the year is going to be close to paradise.

Besides the temperature consistently hitting the double digits, spots of brown grass are poking through the snow.

Since Christmas, only the trees showed through the snow covering and then only if they were over four feet high.

The wonderful rain is washing away the winter doldrums. But the sure sign of spring is happening in Lakeland, Fla., right now.

The Detroit Tigers are opening up spring training as defending champions. The last time that happened was the spring of 1969. After their fantasy season last year, this spring is going to be the telling tale of the Tigers' mettle.

Winning last year only proved they can win. Repeating the feat would show the world it wasn't a fluke.

Since 1900, many teams have won the world championship once, but very few have grabbed back-to-back titles.

The Tigers won't need another 35-5 start to repeat. They won't need to have the other teams in the American League Eastern Division to fall on their collective faces.

With the talent the Tigers have just walking around the clubhouse, few teams can field a better one.

Sure, the Blue Jays improved themselves, sure the Orioles, the Yankees, the Red Sox all enhanced their chances. Add the fact the Tigers have added only pitcher Walt Terrell from the Mets while losing three players and two quality coaches.

All the laps around the outfield, all the sit-ups and all the ground balls fielded during March won't mean a thing unless the Tigers have their heads in the game.

If they think winning this year will be easy just because of last year, they just might find themselves in fifth place. Just ask the Orioles about that.

After they won everything in 1983, the birds from Baltimore dropped to an anemic fourth place. Be it injuries, or cockiness, they fell hard.

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# AAU Winter Games reward wrestlers

By Dan Vandenhemel

"The kids had a good time and we brought home a lot of medals."

The words of Bob DeRoseau, president of the Clarkston Wrestling club, sums up last weekend rather quickly. The free-style club participated in the AAU Winter Games in Muskegon, Feb. 23, and earned 12 medals at the annual event.

Over 30 clubs and 400 wrestlers from Wisconsin, Ohio and Michigan converged at Muskegon Community College.

Clarkston club members sold candy to help with expenses.

"The rooms were \$48 a night. We were able to pay for \$30, but that's still a lot," DeRoseau said. "The kids really had a good time. We stayed in the Holiday Inn and they swam all night."

They must have gotten some sleep, because registration was at 7 the next morning. When it all ended around 4 p.m., 10 youngsters and two adults held medals.

In the 8-and-under division, Kevin Allen was third. In the 9-10-year-old division, Jeff DeRoseau was first and Scott Eggleston and Brett Walter were third. For the 11-12-year-olds, Ruben DelosRois was first and Sean Flannigan was third. In the 13-14-year-old bracket, Dave London took a first. John Anderson

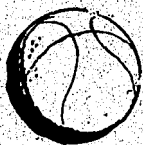
was second and Jim Allen was third. In the Open Masters divisions for wrestlers over 25 years old, Craig DeLowe was first and Mike Murphy placed third.

"The nice thing about the masters is Delowe is our head coach and this is the first time Murphy has wrestled," DeRoseau said. "This is the first time

we've had someone place in the masters. It's tough on us old guys."

The Clarkston Wrestling Club will be hosting the Southern Michigan Associations of Grapplers state regional meet at Clarkston High School on March 23 starting at 9:30 a.m.

## The Seer



Found in the Clarkston News mailslot Monday morning.

Seer here. I must have underestimated just how good Waterford Mott is. I predicted they would lose by 18 points to the Wolves last week, but Clarkston's margin of victory was only 16.

With Mott finally out of the way, the Wolves hit the road for three games this week. It all ends Friday in the band room of Pontiac Northern, better known as the gym.

Games with Bloomfield Hills Lahser and Waterford Kettering lead up to the showdown for the league title. It's going to be the second Game of the Century this season for the two schools. Read on for the perfect prediction.

Clarkston at Pontiac Northern (March 1): Northern has always played to the beat of a different drummer and he has been LOUD. Any team going in to the Huskies' gym has to cope with the band, the fans and the noise, not to mention a tough basketball team. The Wolves are looking for revenge and part of the league title, while the Huskies want to own the league by themselves. Northern held on for an overtime victory at Clarkston earlier this year, but the Wolves were without senior shot-maker Erik Kline. He will make a difference. Clarkston by three.



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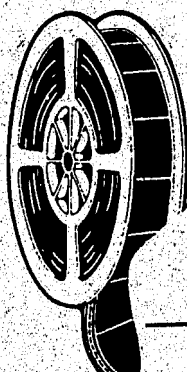
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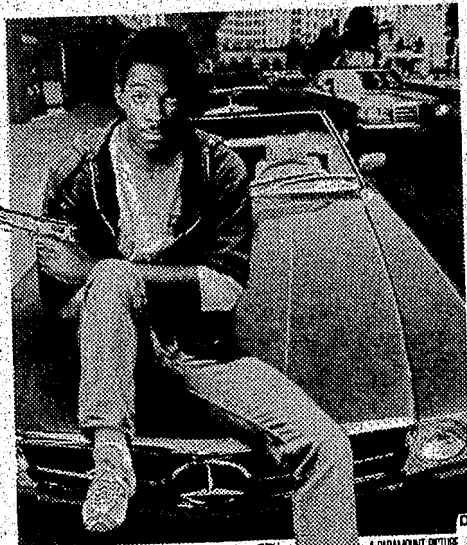


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# JV cagers keep rolling with 15-2 record

By Dan Vandenhemel

Defense, defense, defense.

If anything is important to Clarkston High School junior varsity basketball coach Tim Kaul, it's defense.

Standing with a 15-2 overall record and 5-1 in the Greater Oakland Activities League, the Wolves are getting more than enough points on the board.

Of the 17 games, the opposition has been held to under 40 points 11 times. Waterford Mott was the latest victim of the under-40 disease.

The Wolves' 74-36 pummeling of Mott Feb. 22 gives them a seven-game winning streak. The Wolves started the season with eight straight before losing to Rochester Adams and Pontiac Northern in the same week.

"The key is our defense all year," Kaul said. "This is the best defensive team I've ever had."

The 15-2 mark is quite a turn around from last season when the Wolves finished at the 12-8 mark. With just the three games this week, they are assured of a very successful season.

Unavailable at press time were the results of the Bloomfield Hills Lahser game on Tuesday. Wednesday, the Wolves meet Waterford Kettering in a make-up of the blizzard-canceled Feb. 15 contest. Friday, the league crown is up for grabs at Pontiac Northern for the junior varsity and varsity teams.

"It's tough on the young kids to play that many games in a row," Kaul said. "It's going to be a tough week. We'll have a light practice on Thursday, just some shooting and talk about the Northern game. They'll need a rest."

Kaul is hoping the two juniors, Dave Baran and Kevin Pitcher, on the team will help them get through the two games prior to meeting Northern. Looking too far ahead could cost the Wolves a game.

Pitcher has been the team's high scorer since coming down from the varsity squad and Baran has been coming off the bench of late for some much needed leadership.

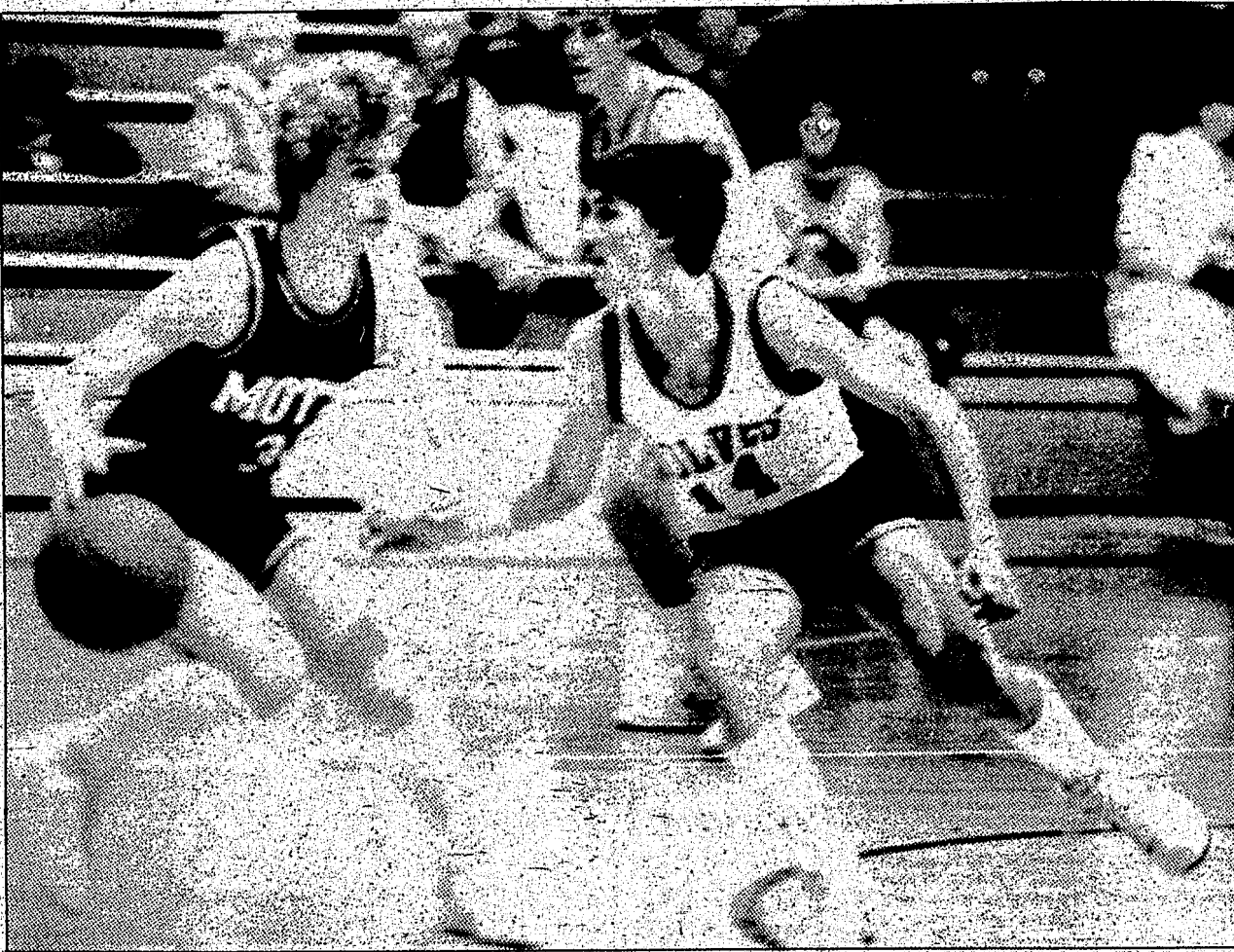
Kaul is also impressed with sophomores Craig

Chamberlain and Keith Mercier.

"Craig has been the most consistent player all year. He does everything well, all aspects of the game," Kaul said. "Mercier runs the offense and has been there all year on defense. Jimmy Hall has been

leading the team in rebounds, too.

"This has been by far my most satisfying season," he said. "It's gone by awfully fast. There's been a lot of games where everyone gets in. That really helps the team attitude."



Defense has been a strong point of the junior varsity Wolves all year and Keith Mercier shows

why against Waterford Mott. The Wolves win easily, 74-45.

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## Photo inquiry by Dan Vandenhemel

## What do you think about Toma's visit to Clarkston?



"I thought he was really good. I like what he said and he could express himself."

Kathleen McInnis  
Student  
Kier Road  
Independence Township



"I think it was good but I heard some complaints from parents. I think the kids liked it better than the parents. He was telling how bad it is for them, but the parents wanted to know what to do about it."

Connie Howard  
Mother  
Havelock  
Independence Township



"I enjoyed it. I think it helped a lot of kids. My sister goes there (CHS) and she thinks it helped."

Elizabeth Sans  
Student  
Rattalee Lake Road  
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"It was very impressive. I didn't go but my mother did. She liked the way he expressed his views."

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Julie Kiser

The Toma experience is one that I will never forget.

When Dave Toma came to Clarkston High School on Tuesday, Feb. 19, I wasn't sure what to expect. I'd seen a video tape of him; that was all. That was nothing close, however, to what he was like in person.

From the moment he walked into the gym, he had the students' full attention. That may have been the first time that many students were quiet for that length of time.

For two and a half hours, he told us the facts about drinking and drugs, and he told personal experiences with his own family and the many kids he's worked with.

He made us laugh, he made us cry, but most important, he made us think. Think about the choices that we have to make as we grow older about drinking and drugs.

He left such an effect on the students that many of them went back to see him that day. Whether it was a large group discussion or individual counseling, many kids got to voice their opinions and relate experiences.

I believe every high school in the nation should bring David Toma into their community.

Dave Toma, Clarkston High School thanks you.

Julie Kiser, a senior at Clarkston High School, is a member of student government.

# Independence ponders switch to charter township status

By Carolyn Walker

When our forefathers in the east laid down the foundations of government before Michigan became a state in 1837, they couldn't anticipate the problems of townships in the 1980s.

General law townships like Independence (which consisted of 36 square miles of territory) were the "first form of government in Michigan," according to Clerk Richard Holman.

General law townships can become annexed to cities, which have come along in the interim between 1837 and 1985, according to Holman.

That is just one of the issues that has township officials looking at the option of becoming a charter township.

Holman raised the issue at the Feb. 19 meeting, but no action was taken by the board.

Many townships including Novi, Royal Oak and Avon have been annexed to cities, said Holman.

Cities "can carve out a portion of (general) townships. They do not need a vote (if that portion contains less than 150 people) to be annexed," Holman said, citing a hypothetical example using Orion Township.

"If Orion goes city, we'd better be prepared to go charter township to protect ourselves," said Trustee Daniel Travis.

There are several advantages to becoming a charter township, according to Holman. They include: greater protection from annexation, no increase in taxes (unless charter approved by the people), change in fiscal year to match the calendar year and greater administrative authority for the supervisor.

There are two ways a general township can become a charter township, said Holman after the meeting.

**"If Orion goes city, we'd better be prepared to go charter township to protect ourselves"**

—Trustee Daniel Travis

One is by a majority vote of the township board, which must have published a 60-day notice of their intentions, Holman said.

If the notice is not challenged, they can pass a charter township resolution.

The other method is by a vote of the people.

If approved by a vote of the people, a maximum 5-mill tax can be levied against the property owners, Holman said, but the 5-mill provision does not hold true if the board votes for charter township.

Holman expressed concern that citizens would think the proposal (if it went before the people) was a way of increasing taxes.

That is not the township's intention, he said.

"It's not a smokescreen. We need to protect the assets that we have," he said.

Carol Eberhardt, president of the village council, who was in the audience, expressed concern over the ramifications such a move might have on the Village of Clarkston.

"It would in no way affect our relationship with the village," Holman said. "We're not interested in any power plays."

In addition, Holman said being a charter township would not change the way Independence would generate income, taxes, assessments, or affect budgets.

The board tabled the issue for further discussion at future meetings.

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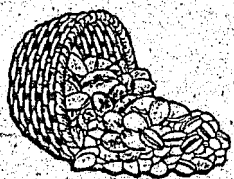
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Jeff Huber takes a turn behind a TV camera during a CHS Media II class. The students are bus-

ed to the classes held three times weekly in the Tribune/United Cable studio.

## Teens move behind cable TV show-to-be

By Kathy Greenfield

They're the TV guests and the audience. They run the cameras and man the control booth. They're in charge of lighting and directing.

The Clarkston High School students in Bill Genshaw's Media II class rotate from job to job in the Tribune/United Cable Communications studio.

Working toward a news magazine program to air on cable Channel 11 beginning in mid-April, on this day they're filming a mock interview program.

Their work is monitored by Genshaw and Tribune/United access director Jim Vonderhaar.

It's a class unlike any other at CHS.

"I love it," says Amy LaValley. "It's a good introduction into a career of communications. It's really good."

This is the first year of cable in Independence Township and Clarkston. The students work with Genshaw five class sessions a week including three at the studio next to Clarkston Junior High School.

The availability of the all-new equipment and a cable TV channel to air their work are the major changes to media classes taught by Genshaw since 1975.

"We've got much more sophisticated equipment than we did before," says CHS senior Ken Dean. "Now we've got full studio capabilities. It's a real learning class now because we can get the feeling of being in a real studio in a real job."

"We have all the capabilities that, say, Channel 7 does. If we went down there it wouldn't take us long to figure it out."

For Genshaw, it's a chance to offer students opportunities they may have missed otherwise. They have to work as a team. They can express creativity visually rather than in writing or drawing. They can explore career possibilities.

"I get a kick out of it," he says. "It's the highlight of my day."



CHS senior Ken Dean

## Board halts 'inquisition' with video camera

Community activist Michael Clark quietly set up his video camera at the Feb. 19 Independence Township Board meeting with the intention of filming board reactions to his accusations of poor zoning enforcement.

Firing questions at individual board members, he was cut short by Clerk Richard Holman's remark, "This is not an inquisition."

Clark aimed his camera at the board for approx-

imately 20 minutes, before agreeing to return to a future, unspecified meeting with his questions in written form.

Board members said they were sympathetic to Clark's cause, but appeared to resent his approach.

"The ball is in our court to look at your allegations," said Holman.

"You're not being interrogated," said Clark. "What I'm trying to do is get the board, planning

commission and zoning board of appeals to do their job."

Clark supported his position by presenting a 35 page report outlining planning commission meetings, decisions and ordinances.

He accused three local businesses of violating zoning ordinances.

Representatives of the three businesses were not at the meeting.



## Obituaries

### Bertha Boehmer

Bertha (Bertie) Boehmer, 60, of Clarkston died Feb. 18.

Surviving are her husband, Elton; mother, Bertha Simm of Clarkston; daughter, Mrs. James (Margaret) Bertrand of Clarkston; grandchildren, Scott and Eric; and sister, Mrs. E.B. (Margaret) Chipman of Florida.

The funeral service was held Feb. 20 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township, with the Rev. Robert Hollis officiating. Burial followed in Lakeview Cemetery, Independence Township.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

### Michael J. Lovchuk

Michael J. Lovchuk, 9, of Springfield Township died Feb. 21 of natural causes. He was a student at the Waterford Training Center.

Surviving are his parents, Michael and Bonnie Lovchuk; sister and brother, Chrisie and Scott; grandparents, Lillian Lovchuk and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Binienda, all of Utica; and great-grandmother Mrs. Warren Spears of Warren.

The funeral mass was held Feb. 25 at Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church, Waterford Township. Burial followed in Ottawa Park Cemetery, Independence Township.

Arrangements were made by the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township.

Memorial tributes may be made to Michael's school.

### Dr. Lamar Mathews

Dr. Lamar K. Mathews, D.O., died Feb. 18 at age 93. A Burton resident, he formerly resided in Groveland Township.

He began his practice in the Pontiac State Bank Building in 1925, and in 1947 moved to his clinic to Groveland Township at the corner of Dixie Highway and Grange Hall Road. He practiced osteopathic medicine until 1966.

Surviving are his son, Albert of Guam; daughter, Jane Doremus of Bloomfield Hills; 10 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and sister, Mildred Brittenger of Rocky River, Ohio.

The funeral service was held Feb. 21 at the Goyette Funeral Home, Clarkston, with the Rev. Alexander Stewart officiating. Burial followed in White Chapel Cemetery, Troy.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection in Independence Township.

### Clement E. McNeive

Clement E. (Mac) McNeive, 78, of Waterford died Feb. 14. A retired businessman, he was the builder and former owner of the McNeive Motel on Dixie Highway, Independence Township. He was a member of Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church, Waterford Township.

Surviving are his wife, Norma; son, Tom of Waterford; two grandchildren; and brothers, Raphael of Arizona and Gene of Kentucky.

The funeral mass was held Feb. 18 at Our Lady of the Lakes Church with the Rev. James Cronk officiating. Burial followed in Lakeside Cemetery, Holly.

Arrangements were made by the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township.

### Judi M. Moran

Judi M. Moran, 32, of Clawson died Feb. 19. She is survived by her parents, Ralph and Mert Orlando of Clarkston; son, Andrew; brothers and sisters, Michael, Mark, Tim, Patti, David, Suzie and Larry; and grandparents, Concetta Orlando and Odilia Joinville.

The funeral mass was held Feb. 23 at St. Daniel Catholic Church with the Rev. Charles Cushing officiating. Burial followed in All Saints Cemetery, Waterford Township.

Arrangements were made by the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Capuchin Retreat House, Washington, Mich.

### Harry W. Parker

Harry W. Parker, 88, of Independence Township died Feb. 20. He was a retired electrician from American Forgin-Socket.

Surviving are his children, Robert of Clarkston, Mrs. Cedrick Tyler of Clarkston, Audry Kidwell of Mansfield, Ohio, and Donald of Pontiac; 13 grandchildren; and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Feb. 23 at Goyette Funeral Home, Clarkston, with Dr. Paul Vanaman officiating. Burial followed in Mt. Bethel Cemetery, Groveland Township.

### David E. Patton

David E. Patton, 80, of Clarkston died Feb. 21. He was a retired carpenter.

Surviving are three sisters and one brother. He was the dear friend of Lois Sadler of Clarkston.

The funeral service was held Feb. 23 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township. Burial followed in King Cemetery, Devereaux.

### Charity Poole

Charity Poole, 90, of Springfield Township died Feb. 23. She was a member of the Apostolic Church, Detroit.

Surviving are her son, Robert of Clarkston; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

The funeral service was held Feb. 26 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township. Burial followed in Oak Hill Cemetery.

### Thomas C. Rigdon

Thomas C. Rigdon, 85, of Independence Township died Feb. 19. He was a retired automotive engineer.

Surviving are his children, Carlene Martin of Illinois, Russell of Florida and Phyllis Braun of Clarkston; eight grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and brother, Fred of Missouri.

Burial took place in Kennett, Mo. Arrangements were made by the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township.

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By Tanya Luchkovitz-Weeder  
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Dr. Emanuel Cheraskin has recommended 600 to 800 units of vitamin E as well as 25,000 units of A, and 1,000 to 2,500 mgs. of vitamin C. Dr. Atkins recommends 500 mcg. B 12 and Dr. Rosenberg, 400 mg. of Niacin.  
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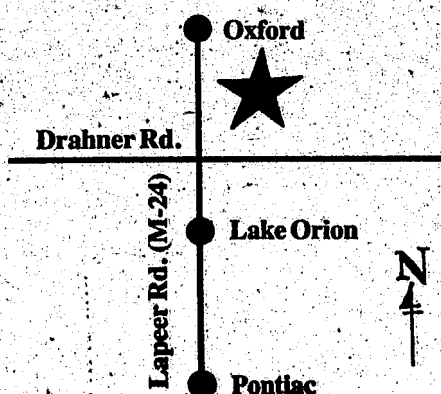
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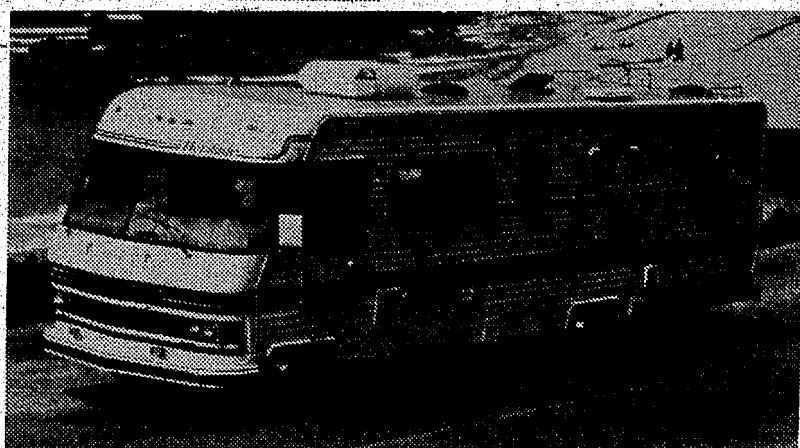
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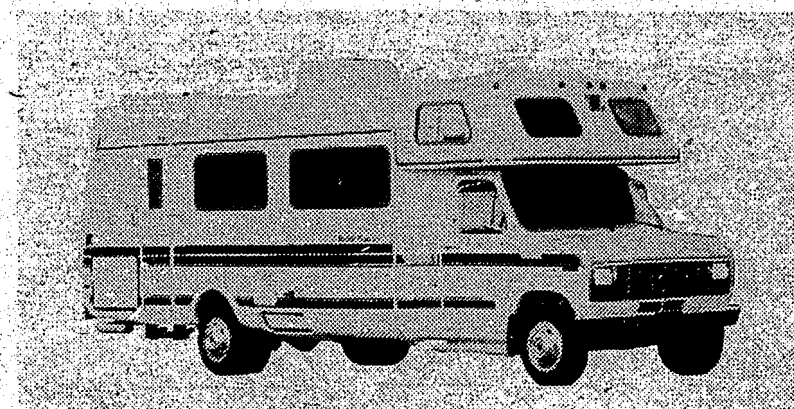


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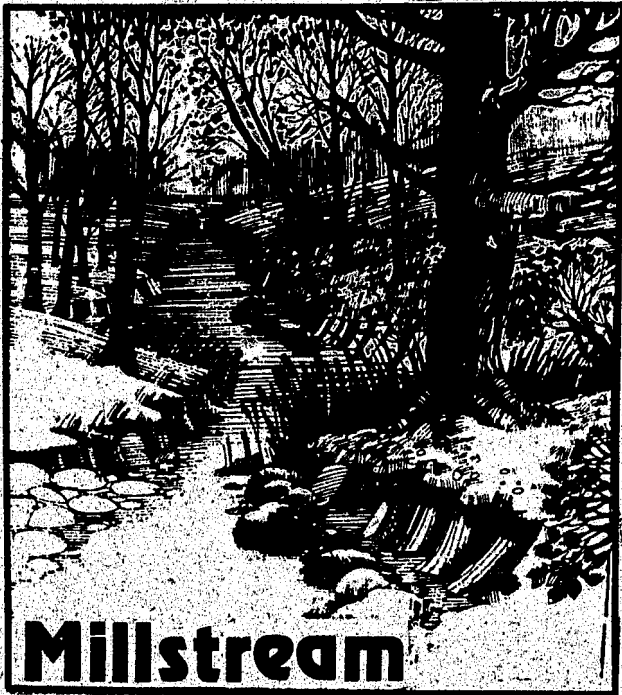
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## New arrival

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Born at 5 p.m. at Crittenton Hospital in Rochester, Brenton John weighed 8 pounds 5 ounces and measured 21 inches long.

Grandparents are Donald and Carolyn Place of Independence Township, and Gary and Lois Sanders of Clarkston.

Brenton's great-grandparents are Edna Graves of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Sanders of Florida.

## Honors

Richard Brady, a Clarkston area resident, has been named to the dean's honor roll for the winter evening term at Lawrence Institute of Technology, Southfield.

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Greg Ellis is on the fall semester 1984 dean's list at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, Ky.

An arts and sciences major, he resides on Hadley Road, Independence Township.

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Tanis Pettit is on the dean's list for the 1984-85 fall semester at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo.

She resides on Warbler Lane, Independence Township.

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Natalie Russell has received a Michigan State University, East Lansing, Army ROTC Academic Achievement Award.

The award is given to students in the top 10 percent of each Army ROTC class.

A freshman majoring in astrophysics at MSU, Russell graduated from Clarkston High School in 1984.

She is the daughter of Judith Russell of Clark Road, Springfield Township.

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# 19 win top band music accolades

Band students from Sashabaw Junior High School won 19 first- and second-division ratings at the Michigan State Band and Orchestra Solo and Ensemble Festival on Feb. 16.

Receiving blue first-division ratings were: Kelly Stickney, flute solo; Russ Simonson, alto sax solo; Susan McKoin, flute solo; Sheri Mitchell, flute solo; Jenny Danielson, clarinet solo; and Jenny Danielson and Sheri Mitchell, woodwind duet.

Red second-division ratings went to: Aaron Sherrill, piano solo; Shari Coleman and Tina Sheppard, flute duet; Shari Coleman, flute solo; Aaron Sherrill,

trumpet solo; Kristine Rudolph, flute solo; Kelly Stickney and Alicia Nyberg, flute duet; Kelly Avenall, oboe solo; and Kris Rosenthal and Kim Bailey, clarinet duet.

Other students who attended the festival were Kelly Miller, AnnMarie Mudge, Shelly Mead, Robin Miessner, Robert Potts, Ted Hale, Larry Creed, John Koslosky, Keri Ranta and Margot Coxen.

The entire SJHS Wind Ensemble is now preparing for the band festival planned at Waterford Mason Junior High School on March 16.



Norris and Pauline Walls stand behind boxes of food at the Neighbor for Neighbor center. The

program has been helping families in northern Oakland County for four years.

## Neighborly acts help organization

By Dan Vandenhemel

An organization helping the community just got some of that help back.

Neighbor for Neighbor, a non-profit group in Springfield Township providing assistance to needy families, has a new location.

The center is located in the back of the community building in the Mill Pond Park on Davisburg Road, near Andersonville Road. The paneled, heated room was mostly constructed with donations.

All the labor and a furnace were given to the center. The only thing that was paid for was the material. The total bill will be close to \$1,500.

With crates of food packages, crackers and soup cans lining the walls, there isn't room for much else.

Directors of Neighbor for Neighbor are Norris and Pauline Walls. They said the center has changed since the Federal Emergency Money Agency (FEMA) started helping two years ago.

"Since that money has come in, we're open to a

wider area," said Walls, who also owns Walls Real Estate in Springfield Township. "Before the FEMA fund, we managed our own money and what we could buy. Now they're managing the money."

The FEMA funds are used only for edible items. Soap and paper products can't be purchased through the grant. That's why Walls is still looking for local donations for those items and heating and electricity costs for the Neighbor for Neighbor center.

The group has 78 families on file that they have helped in the northwest portion of Oakland County including the townships of Springfield, Independence, Rose, Holly and Groveland.

"Most of the donations we've gotten are from Springfield Township residents even though we serve people outside the area," Walls said. "The schools in the area have helped quite a bit too."

The center's hours are Tuesday and Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information on Neighbor for Neighbor, call 634-0900.

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# Around town

As a community service local events open to the public are printed in Around Town. Two weeks in advance call 625-3370 or write to The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston, MI 48016.

**Thursday, Feb. 28—Youth Peer Connection** meeting; a youth peer support group; the only requirement for membership is the desire to stop using substances; anonymity; every Thursday, 7:30 p.m.; Clarkston United Methodist Church on Waldon Road, Independence Township. (625-9007)

**Sunday, March 3—Swiss Steak Dinner;** noon to 3 p.m.; by Joseph C. Bird No. 294; Clarkston Masonic Temple, 2 N. Main, Clarkston. (625-4610)

**Monday, March 4—Open community meeting** to discuss follow-up to David Toma; hosted by the Toma Committee and the Chemical People of Clarkston; 7:30 p.m. (625-5304)

**Sunday, March 3—"Wildlife Signs,"** a two-hour program searching for clues of the red fox, deer, small animals and birds at Indian Springs Metropark in Springfield Township; free with park vehicle entry permit; advance registration required. (1-800-552-6772)

**Wednesday, March 6—Clarkston La Leche** League meeting; 9:30 a.m.; "The Family in Relation to the Breastfed Baby," a discussion on those first hectic weeks with emphasis on the entire family as

well as timely tips for mother and baby; expectant mothers and babies welcome; 10400 Ellis Rd., Independence Township. (625-6839)

**Wednesday, March 6—Preschool Story Times** at the Independence Township Library; identical programs at 10 and 11 a.m.; free; for 3- to 5-year-olds; stories, songs, games and the short film "Smiley," the story of a boy who tries unsuccessfully to find the owner of a little lost dog; registration not necessary; 6495 Clarkston Rd., Independence Township. (625-2212)

**March 8, 9, 15, 16, 22 and 23—"Finishing Touches,"** a comedy by Jean Kerr, by the Clarkston Village Players; showtime 8 p.m.; Depot Theatre, 4861 White Lake Rd., Independence Township; tickets \$4, for sale at Tierra Arts & Design, 20 S. Main, Clarkston, or call 363-0188 after 5 p.m.

**Saturday, March 9—Smorgasbord** at the Sashabaw United Presbyterian Church; 5 to 8 p.m.; adults \$4, children 5-12 \$2.75, families \$14; 5300 Maybee, between Sashabaw and Clintonville roads, Independence Township. (673-3101)

**Saturday, March 9—"Sap Show,"** a public interpretive program featuring the tapping of a Maple tree, demonstration of the traditional method of boiling down sap and history of maple syrup making; led by parks naturalist Kathy Thomas; free with park vehicle entry fee; Independence Oaks County Park on Sashabaw Road, 2½ miles north of I-75, Independence Township. (625-6473)

**Sunday, March 10—Muscular Dystrophy Benefit** dinner-dance; sponsored by the juniors of Chief Pontiac Post No. 377, American Legion; begins at noon; 25-cent-a-dip dinner from noon to 2 p.m.; bands begin at 2 p.m. and play to 7; Ron's Gang is the house band; \$1 donation at door; door prizes; 4819

Edgewood Dr., Independence Township. (673-9950)

**Sunday, March 10—"Spring Is Almost Here!";** a walk in search of signs of the changing season at Indian Springs Metropark in Springfield Township; 1 to 2:30 p.m.; led by naturalist Julie Cerbus; free with park vehicle entry fee; advance registration required. (1-800-552-6772)

**Tuesday, March 19—"Hats off to Spring,"** a luncheon, fashion show and scholarship fund raiser by the Clarkston Community Garden Club; salad and dessert; fashions from Christie's of Clarkston Mills; tickets \$6.50; available from club members or call 625-2554 or 625-2436; Clarkston United Methodist Church on Waldon Road, Independence Township; reservation deadline March 4.



## AREA CHURCHES AND THEIR WORSHIP HOUR

**SASHABAW UNITED PRESBYTERIAN**  
5300 Maybee Road, Clarkston  
9:30 Church School  
11:00 Worship  
Co-pastors:  
Jenny H. & William C. Schram  
Phone 673-3101

**CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST**  
CHURCH  
6600 Waldon Road  
Rev. James R. Balfour  
Worship & Church School 10 a.m.

**GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
1950 Baldwin, Lake Orion, MI 48035  
391-1170  
Family Worship 9:30  
Pastor James H. Van Dellen

**OLD FASHIONED PENTECOSTAL**  
CHURCH  
Rev. Omer Brewer  
5785 Clarkston Rd.  
Sunday School 10:30  
Sunday Evening Service 7:00

**CLARKSTON CHURCH OF GOD**  
54 South Main  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer, Bible & Youth 7 p.m.  
Pastor, Charles Lunsford

**LAKE LOUISE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
M-15 at W. Seymour Lake Rd., Ortonville  
9:45 Sunday School  
10:50 The Hour of Worship  
6:15 p.m. Youth and Bible Study  
7:00 Evening Service  
Wed. 7 p.m. Family Prayer & Bible Study

**MARANATHA BAPTIST CHURCH**  
5790 Flemings Lake Road  
Rev. Philip W. Somers  
Worship 11:00 a.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DAVISBURG**  
12881 Andersonville Road, Davisburg  
Rev. Robert R. Hazen, Pastor  
Phone 634-9225  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 8:30 & 11:00  
Evening Gospel Hour 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: Family night program 7:30 p.m.  
Awana clubs 8:30 p.m.

**CLINTONVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
4479 Dixie Hwy., Drayton Plains  
9:45 Sunday School  
11 Morning Worship  
6 p.m. Evening Worship  
7 p.m. Prayer Worship

**ST. DANIEL CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Holcomb at Miller Rd.  
Father Charles E. Cushing  
Sunday Masses 7:45, 9, 10:30 and 12:00  
Sat. 5 p.m. & 7 p.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST**  
5972 Paramus  
Rev. Clarence Bell  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Service 11 a.m.  
Primary Church thru 4th grade  
Evening Service 7 p.m.

**DRAYTON HEIGHTS**  
**FREE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Corner of Winnell and Maybee Rd.  
Rev. Clancy J. Thompson  
9:45 Sunday School  
11 Worship Hour, 8:00 Vespers  
Wednesday 7 p.m. Family Night

**FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
4832 Clintonville Rd. - Phone 673-3638  
Services - Sunday  
Sunday School Bible Study 10 a.m.  
Worship Hour 11 a.m.  
Youth Hour 5 p.m. Gospel Hour 6 p.m.  
Wednesday, Hour of Prayer 7 p.m.

**PENTACOSTAL TABERNACLE**  
9890 Ortonville Rd.  
Worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.  
Thurs. Nite Prayer 7 p.m.  
Pastor, David McMurray  
Singing Last Saturday of Month

**OPEN BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Meeting at the former Silver Lk. Elem. School  
3200 Beacham, Pontiac  
Pastor Robert Lapine  
332-5100  
Services:  
10 a.m. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Worship Sunday  
6 p.m. Evening  
Wed. 7 p.m.

**GRACE CHAPEL**  
3041 Reeder Road off Clintonville  
Pontiac, MI  
Rev. Jim Maddox  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

**NEW HOPE BIBLE CHURCH**  
5311 Sunnyside  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Evening  
Bible Study & Prayer Meeting 7 p.m.  
Rev. A.T.B. Phillips 674-1112

**CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
INDEPENDENT NEW TESTAMENT  
Gene Paul, Minister  
3248 Lapeer Rd. (M-24 near I-75)  
Bible School 9:45; Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship 8:00

**CALVARY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
6805 Bluegrass Drive  
Rev. Robert D. Walters, D. Min.  
8:00 a.m. Communion  
1st & 3rd Sunday  
Sunday Church School 9:15 a.m.  
10:30 a.m. Communion 1st Sunday  
Nursery at both services

**CROSSROADS FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
4851 Clintonville Road  
(Clintonville Trailer Park)  
Independence Township, Michigan  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Service 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Mid-Week Service 7:00 p.m.  
Robert Edmonson, Pastor  
673-0813

**MT. ZION TEMPLE**  
4451 Clintonville Rd. 673-2050  
Prayer 10 a.m.  
Worship Service 10:30  
Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.  
Pastor Loren Covarrubias 674-1415

**WATERFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Airport Road at Olympic Parkway  
Minister of C.E. Russell G. Jeandell  
Minister of Youth, Dair Hileman  
Sunday School 9:30  
Morning Worship 10:45  
Evening Service 8:00  
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00  
Rev. Philip Whisenhunt, Pastor

**MT. BETHEL UNITED METHODIST**  
CHURCH  
Jossman and Bald Eagle Lake Rds.  
Pastor, David L. Davenport  
Church Worship 11:00 a.m.  
School 10:00 a.m.  
Phone 793-2291  
Coffee Hr. & Fellowship 9:30 a.m.

**FIRST CHURCH OF GOD**  
6300 Clarkston Road  
Clarkston 625-1323  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Mid-week Service Wed. 7:30 p.m.  
Dr. Ed Ross

**ST. ANDREW EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
5301 Hatchery Rd.  
Drayton Plains  
The Rev. William Evans  
Worship Services  
8 a.m. & 10 a.m.  
The New Prayer Book

**COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH**  
1888 Crescent Lake Rd.  
Pontiac  
Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Worship Service 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 6 p.m.  
Pastor, Rev. Myron Gaul

**CLARKSTON GOOD SHEPHERD**  
ASSEMBLY OF GOD  
9051 Sashabaw Rd., near Maybee Rd.  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7 p.m.  
Mid-Week Worship Wed. 7:00 p.m.  
Pastor: Don De Mars 673-8718

**EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF**  
THE RESURRECTION  
6490 Clarkston Road  
Rev. Alexander Stewart  
Worship 8 a.m., 10 a.m. Church & Nursery  
Using 1926 Prayer Book

**ST. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
7925 Sashabaw Road  
625-4644  
Sunday School 9:45  
Worship Service 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.  
Nursery 11 a.m.  
Rev. Michael Klathenn

**TEMPLE OF LIGHT SPIRITUAL CENTER**  
for Healing, Learning & Worship  
Pastor, Rev. John Wilson  
9844 Susin Lane  
off Davisburg Road  
625-4294  
Sunday Service 1:00 p.m.

**TRINITY UNITED METHODIST**  
6440 Maceday Dr., Waterford  
Rev. T.K. Foo 623-8860 or 623-7084  
Sunday School 9 a.m. - all ages  
Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Jr. Church & Nursery

**COMMUNITY (U.S.A.) PRESBYTERIAN**  
CHURCH  
Pastor Alfred H. Nead  
Sashabaw Rd. at Monroe St.  
(2 blocks north of Dixie Hwy.)  
Drayton Plains  
Phone 673-7805  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Babies thru Adults  
Worship 11 a.m. - Nursery provided

**SEYMOUR LAKE UNITED METHODIST**  
Sashabaw at Seymour Lk. Rd.  
Rev. J. Douglas Paterson  
Sunday School 9 a.m. - 10 a.m.  
Coffee Fellowship 10 a.m.  
Worship Service - 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.  
Nursery Provided

**SPIRITUALIST CHURCH OF THE**  
GOOD SAMARITAN, Clarkston  
5401 Oak Park, off Maybee Rd.  
Rev. Beryl Hinz 623-1074  
Sunday Evening Worship 7 p.m.  
Silver Tea last Sat. of  
each month at 2 p.m.

**MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
5661 Clintonville Rd.  
9:45 Sunday School  
11:00 Morning Worship  
6:00 Sunday Evening  
Wed. 7:00 Prayer & Bible Study  
Rev. Ben Fulayter, Pastor

**ANDERSONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
10350 Andersonville Rd.  
Davisburg, MI 48019  
Phone 625-9831  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
AWANA Clubs 8:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.  
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## Cougar comments

### Winter's bonus



Monica Miles

When there's no school due to weather conditions or any other reason, those are the best days of the year.

On snow days I wake up early and listen for the high school bus to go past. If I don't hear it, I double check by listening to the radio.

On regular no-school days, I sleep in till around eight o'clock.

In the winter I spend my free time skiing or digging tunnels and snow caves with my brother.

When we get cold, we go inside, drink some hot cocoa and play games the rest of the day.

In the summer we ride motorcycles or bicycles and just keep ourselves busy until dinner.

Unfortunately, mothers have ways of ruining no-school days that are coming up. They enjoy scheduling dentist appointments on those days.

Another run of bad luck is the fact that Clarkston schools are like the mail, they always come through.

Only once in a blue moon do we ever get a snow day on which school is canceled.

Occasionally, if we're really lucky, we have two days of no school in a row.

That's why kids love winter so much, it supplies a bigger chance of school cancellations.

Though we do see the bad side of winter, the road conditions and the cold, we don't forget about them. We just try to look at the better side.

The groundhog has promised we have more of winter to look forward to. Hopefully it will be filled with no school—or at least lots of snow.

Monica Miles, a ninth-grader at Sashabaw Junior High School, is working this school year with The Clarkston News as part of the SJHS mentorship program.

### Ritters Farm Market

Special \$8.39 Carton & Tax  
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### SYNOPSIS OF ACTION TAKEN BY INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP BOARD FEBRUARY 19, 1985

The meeting was called to order at 7:33 p.m.  
Roll Call: Balzarini, Holman, Lutz, Ronk, Travis, Present; Absent: Stuart, Vandermark.

Mr. Vandermark arrived at 7:55 p.m.

1. Agenda approved as presented.

2. Approval of minutes of February 5, 1985 Township Board meeting.

3. Approval of bills totaling \$30,093.81.

4. Approval of motion to close meeting to discuss pending litigation.

5. Approval of motion to re-open Township Board meeting at 8:08 p.m.

6. Approval of motion to approve the 1985 Tri-Party program for Perry Lake Road from Cranberry Lake to Deerwood, and Stickney Road at Pine Knob Road.

7. Approval of motion to award the purchase of a township vehicle to John Bowman Chevrolet, Inc., at a low bid of \$9,549.65.

8. Approval of motion to adopt the appearance ticket ordinance, with an effective date of April 1, 1985.

9. Approval of motion to table discussion regarding charter township for Independence Township.

10. Meeting adjourned at 9:55 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Richard A. Holman, Clerk

## Springfield's mysterious lawsuit

By Dan Vandenhemel

Springfield Township has been named as a co-defendant in a bankruptcy case involving the Salem Mortgage Co., but Supervisor Collin Walls is leary about Springfield's tie to the case.

Walls said many other municipalities are also named in the suit as having received payment from the company.

But, he said, Springfield can't find any record of a receipt of from Salem Mortgage to Springfield Township.

"The feeling is that the payment is an asset of the company and should be returned," Walls said. "I think it is ludicrous to send the money back without any facts on the people or property involved. In my opinion, we (the township) still wouldn't pay it."

The alleged payment to Springfield Township is \$133.35. Of that, the township is asked to return 65 percent.

Walls said the payment was to have come in during the first three months of 1983. Walls said it's strange to not be able to find any information in their books.

"Pat Kramer (township treasurer) thought there might be another Springfield Township in Kalkaska County," he said. "That would explain why we couldn't find any record of it."

"We don't intend to try to find if there's a mistake. I don't think we should spend time to verify their mistake."

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### ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet March 6, 1985 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Annex Meeting Room, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, 48016 to hear the following case:

CASE NO. 1349 Clarkston Dairy Queen  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ADD 14 SQ. FT.

TO EXISTING GROUND SIGN.

M-15-C-2 Zone

08-29-401-005

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT the proposed variance 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  
Richard Holman, Clerk  
Beverly A. McElmeel  
Secretary to the Building Official



### STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF OAKLAND TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE AND SERVICE OF APPEARANCE TICKETS

#### RECITALS:

The Township has adopted ordinances and codes applicable in the Township.

A person determined to have violated certain of such ordinances and codes is deemed to be guilty of a criminal offense less than felony grade.

The law, MCL 764.9c and 764.9f, provides for the authorization of a public servant, other than a police officer, to issue and serve appearance tickets in connection with such offenses, if such public servant has reasonable cause to believe that persons have committed the offenses.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF THE TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE DOES HEREBY ORDAIN AND ENACT THE FOLLOWING:

1. The following persons, being public servants of the Township, shall be, and they are hereby, authorized to issue and serve upon persons appearance tickets with respect to alleged violations of ordinances and codes of the Township of Independence in such cases as such public servants have reasonable cause to believe that such persons have committed violations of an ordinance or code of the Township.

The titles of the authorized public servants are as follows:

(a) Township Supervisor  
(b) Director of the Department of Building and Planning, and persons employed in such Department designated in writing by the Director and approved by the Township Board by motion.

(c) Chief of the Township Fire Department, and persons employed in such Department designated in writing by the Chief and approved by the Township Board by motion.

2. For purposes of this Ordinance, the term "appearance ticket" shall mean a complaint or written notice issued and subscribed by a public servant, authorized above, directing a designated person to appear in a designated local criminal court at a designated future time in connection with his or her alleged commission of a specified violation or violations of Township ordinance or code for which the maximum permissible penalty does not exceed ninety (90) days in jail and a fine of Five Hundred (\$500) Dollars. The appearance tickets shall be numbered consecutively, be in such form as determined by the Attorney General, the State Court Administrator, and the Director of the Department of State Police and shall consist of the following parts:

(a) The original which shall be a complaint or notice to appear, filed with the court.

(b) A copy which shall be the abstract of court record.

(c) A copy which shall be retained by the Township and/or its attorney.

(d) A copy which shall be delivered to the alleged violator.

With prior approval of the Attorney General, the State Court Administrator and the Director of the Department of State Police, the appearance ticket may be appropriately modified as to content or number of copies to accommodate enforcement and local court procedures and practices.

This Ordinance is hereby declared and certified to have been duly adopted by the Township Board of the Township of Independence, Oakland County, Michigan, at a meeting of said Township Board duly called and held on the 19th day of February, 1985, and published in the manner prescribed by law on the 27th day of February, 1985. The effective date of this Ordinance shall be April 1, 1985.

TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE  
BY: RICHARD A. HOLMAN, Clerk

## VILLAGE ELECTION

To the Qualified Electors:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an Annual Village Election will be held in the

Village of CLARKSTON

State of Michigan

AT

THE VILLAGE HALL - 375 DEPOT RD.

within said Village on

**Monday, March 11, 1985**

FOR THE PURPOSE OF VOTING FOR THE ELECTION  
OF THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS: viz

**Three Trustees—Full Term**

Notice Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls  
ELECTION LAW, Act 116, P.A. 1954

SECTION 720. On the day of any election, the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

THE POLLS of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election.

Norma Goyette, Village Clerk



## Three charged in break-in

Three Pontiac men were apprehended by police Friday near the scene of a house-breaking-and-entering on Rattalee Lake Road, according to Sgt. Douglas Hummel of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

Robert Day, Thomas Bonk, and Michael Marx, who fled the home on foot, were arraigned Monday in 52nd District Court on charges of breaking and entering with intent to commit larceny.

According to a sheriff's department report, a woman arrived home to find a burglary in progress and after "going after" one of the suspects with a

knife, called to her neighbor who in turn notified the sheriff's department.

The suspects allegedly stole jewelry, money and food before fleeing through a broken window.

They were tracked through a field for approximately four hours by the Michigan State Police and Oakland County Sheriff's Canine divisions before being apprehended, Hummel said.

One of the suspects sustained injuries when he jumped through a glass window in an effort to escape.

The suspects are being held on \$10,000 cash bonds in Oakland County Jail, said Hummel.

IF YOU HAVE A STORY IDEA PHONE: 625-3370



Barb Krzyczkowski prepares to measure fresh raisins. It's the worst part of the food co-op job, she says, but it's worth it because of the excellent buys.

## Nutritional co-op bargains

Boxes pile up by the dozens.

Men and women slice, measure and weigh food for the Clarkston Country Cupboard food co-op, held monthly on Fridays at Saint Daniel's Church Hall in Independence Township.

The food co-op, which branched off from a Holly co-op about five years ago, offers "natural foods" to members, according to Barb Krzyczkowski, co-op spokesperson.

A \$56 fee entitles new people to join and participate in the bulk-ordering of such items as: yogurt, cheeses, raisins, soups, flour and sugars, said treasurer Julie Fisher.

The fee is refunded when the

member leaves the co-op, she said.

The theme of the group, which includes over 35 members, is "food for people, not for profit," said Krzyczkowski, adding that the majority of food is ordered from People's Warehouse in Ann Arbor.

All members of the co-op are required to work, either by helping distribute and set up the food or by holding officer positions.

Once-a-month work hours are from 9 a.m. until noon with distribution of food from noon until 2 p.m.

For information on joining the co-op, call Fisher at 625-6253.

## EARL KEIM REALTY

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**ORION TOWNSHIP RANCH**, 4 bedrooms, 1 bath plus 2nd bath to be finished, 2 doorwalls, fireplace in living room, 1st floor laundry, new kitchen cupboards, 2 car garage, brick patio, \$49,900.



**IDEAL 3 BEDROOM STARTER HOME** in Orion Township, woodburner, low heat bills, extra insulation, large lot, appliances included, won't last! \$39,900.



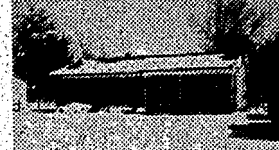
**SUPER SHARP 3 bedroom** brick ranch with full finished walkout basement, 2 plus garage, beautiful 1 acre parcel, utility barn, black-top road, move in and live! \$62,900.



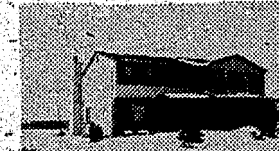
**LOVELY VIEW** sitting high on a hill from this 4 bedroom, possibly 5 bedroom bi-level on 3.2 acres, 20x15 barn, Oxford area, quick possession, horses allowed, call now!



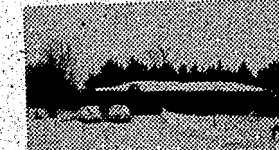
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Wednesday through Friday

Feb. 27 through March 1

7pm—"Cassandra" is the featured program on the "This is the Life" series sponsored by St. Trinity Lutheran Church on Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. When she feels her life is falling apart, a woman consults a fortune-teller. Includes introduction by the Rev. Michael Clafehn, past of St. Trinity.

8pm—"How to Take an Oral History," from the Clarkston Community Historical Society series

"Tapestry." Discusses techniques for taping interviews about history. Includes tapes of oral histories from local residents and historical photographs.

Next week, Monday through Friday

7pm—"This is the Life" series features "God in L.A. Thursday": When Christ returns in glory, is it possible He might announce His coming on billboards and leaflets dropped from the sky?

Programs on cable channel 11 begin at 7 p.m. weekdays only. Other times, the station features a billboard with community service announcements and a schedule of the evening's programs, updated daily at 2 p.m.

A Clarkston Community Schools' calendar billboard is on cable channel 33.

## Pray for peace

All church women of the community may attend the annual Day of Prayer service March 1 at 1 p.m. at the Church of the Resurrection, 6490 Clarkston, Independence Township.

Guest speaker will be the Rev. Karen Evans of St. Michael's Church of Grosse Pointe Woods and St. Andrews Church, Drayton Plains.

For the 98th consecutive year, women across the world will meet to observe a day of prayer for peace.

The theme of the services this year will be "Peace Through Prayer and Action."

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Parents, he reached so very many of them that I'm frightened.

Suddenly the "Burn Outs" everyone talked about had faces.

I hugged and held a boy who sobbed in my arms telling me he had never been hugged before.

I met a beautiful girl who wants to die.

These children, they know who they are, worked their way into my heart and will always be a big part of me.

Parents, I cried for two days—along with everyone else in that school.

I wish each and every one of you could have experienced Toma.

Those of us who did, all had our eyes opened.

Oh, I knew there was a problem—I faced that—but never realized how large.

We now have to set blame aside and work together to help these children.

They need positive activities, a person to trust, a hand to touch, an ear to listen and someone to hug.

Kids, you know WE are there for you.

And David Toma, you touched me more than you'll ever know. I hope you never wear off!

Thank you and I love you!

Jeanette K. Sanders

Chairperson of the "Toma Experience"

Dear Cat Paw:

I know a man who smoked pot. Now his son has started too. The father disapproves of it and wishes his son would quit, even though he himself won't. How do we expect kids to stay away from drugs, even if their own parents choose to use them?

M.B.

Dear M.B.:

Children use their parents as role models. It is not surprising to find the son smoking pot since the father does. Unfortunately, the father expects his son to do as he says and not as he does.

This does not work—children emulate their

parents. This is an unfortunate situation. You sound wise to recognize the flaws. Education hopefully will reach one or both of them.

Dear Cat Paw:

How long does mescaline stay in your body? Are there any effects on your body after a few days of taking it?

True Stoner

Dear True:

Mescaline comes from the peyote cactus and its effects are similar to those of LSD. Often street doses of mescaline contain contaminants. Flashbacks can be experienced days or months after the last dose.

They may be spontaneous, or may be triggered by physical or psychological stress, by medication or by marijuana. Heavy use of the drug seems to produce flashbacks more frequently.

Dear Cat Paw:

Why is it that when a person abuses substances it lowers the sex organs, and gives problems of reproduction. Thanks for your time.

Devastated

Dear Devastated:

Drugs are poison to a healthy body. They disturb normal bodily functions and disrupt the body's balance. When you abuse substances, you are abusing your body. You can't expect your body to function in a normal fashion when you mistreat it.

Dear Cat Paw:

Is it possible to have a relapse from drugs after five months of non-usage?

Bugsy

Dear Bugsy:

Yes. Certain drugs definitely cause flashbacks.

C.A.T. P.A.W. author Jeanette Sanders, a Springfield Township resident, is a member of the Chemical People of Clarkston, a group devoted to the prevention of drug abuse, including alcohol, among the community's young people.

To submit questions about drugs, write to C.A.T. P.A.W., in care of The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston, MI 48016.



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They had previously rejected bids from four dealers as too expensive.

The topic of buying a new car for the supervisor arose at the Jan. 8 board meeting when Kenneth Delbridge, director of the building and planning department, requested a new automobile.

In response to his request, it was determined Ronk should receive a new automobile and Delbridge should be given his old one, a 1982 Chevrolet with 19,000 miles on it.

"It's more appropriate that if there's going to be a new car in the township, the supervisor should be driving it," said Trustee Dale Stuart at the January meeting.

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WOOD STOVE for sale. Black Bart, fire place insert with fan, removable doors and screen. Like new. \$300. 628-5169, after 1 P.M. LX-8-2

17 INCH Passier Dressage saddle, 17 inch Crosby Prix de Nations english saddle. Excellent condition. 628-5495. ILLX-8-2

1971 AMC Hornet, 4 door, 258, 6 cylinder. Runs good. Good gas mileage. \$500 or best offer. Sears Steel belted radial tires. All train treads 8.75/16.5, 8 ply truck tires. Like new, \$250 or best offer. 627-2481 after 6pm. only. IICX-29-2c

1983 MAGIC CHEF 20 pound washer, \$110. Maytag wringer washer, \$100. Whirlpool electric dryer, \$75. 693-0358 after 7pm. ILLX-8-2

25 INCH COLOR TV. \$75. Good condition. 693-7633. ILLX-8-2

2600 WATT Generator, Sears long running model, 110-220V. \$475. 625-1646. IICX-28-2p

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### 036-LIVE STOCK

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FOR SALE: 1966 Ford Mustang for parts. \$300 or best offer. 628-5868. ILLX-8-2

SNOW TIRES 2 months old. 1200x16.5. \$175. 628-3477. ILLX-8-1f

1973 BODY Parts. 628-6104 call before 2pm. ILLX-8-2

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1972 DODGE DART for parts, \$200. 1972 VW Super Beetle, as is or for parts, \$200. 628-4903 after 5pm. ILLX-8-2

### 40-CARS

1974 PONTIAC VENTURA, Good condition. \$650, or make offer. 628-7319. ILLX-8-2

1975 CAMARO-Automatic, PS/PB, cassette stereo, runs great. 623-9608. IICX-29-2c

1979 BUICK PARK Avenue, 4 door, V-8, excellent condition, all options, \$5500. 693-9333 after 6pm. ILLX-7-2

1979 CHEVETTE 4 door. Auto, stereo, tape, AM/FM radio. Good condition. Clean. \$1750. 628-0879. ILLX-7-2

1981 BUICK Skylark Limited. Loaded. \$4,300. Call 625-7523 after 5pm. IICX-29-2c

1984 CAVALIER type 10, 4 cyl., 4 speed, 2 door coupe, AM/FM cassette stereo. Warranty. Exterior needs little work, \$6200 or best offer. 391-1314. ILLX-8-2

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FOR SALE: 1978 Electra 225, A-1 condition, 693-8238. ILLX-8-2

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1980 ZEPHYR Wagon, 6 cylinder, automatic, PS/PB, AM/FM cassette, cruise. Excellent condition. \$2700. 623-0521. IICX-28-2c



**40-CARS**

1971 Convertible Impala. \$250. 693-6866. IIRX-7-2

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1972 OLDS CUTLASS, \$895. Call 628-0575. IILX-8-2

**45-REC. VEHICLES**

HEAVY DUTY Three place snowmobile trailer, \$600 or best offer. 628-5481. IILX-8-1f

SKIS, GRAVES 180 Besser bindings \$60. Krystal 160 Besser bindings \$30. Hart 170 Tyrolia bindings \$70. Rossignol 160 \$25. Childs skis \$15. Munair boots size 10. Henke boots 6 1/2 and 8 1/2. Assorted poles. 625-1257. IILX-8-2p

SNOWMOBILE SLEIGH \$75 or best offer. 628-5481. IILX-8-2

SPALDING SKIS with Marker bindings, \$100. Hart skis, \$75. 625-5143. IILX-8-1f

TOBAGGON & Austrain Skis with cable bindings, best offer. 373-6457. IILX-8-1f

1970 & 1973 Chaparrals, both run good. Plus caboose. Call 628-1618. IILX-8-1f

1973 SUZUKI 440, lots of Suzuki parts for sale. \$300. 693-7799. IILX-8-1f

1978 KAWASAKI 440 Invader, liquid cooled, oil injected. Only 570 miles. 628-5894 after 6pm. IILX-7-2

1980 440F EXCITER. Like new. Low miles. \$1450 or best. 391-1939. IILX-8-2c

FISHER 180mm cross country skis; Size 2 ski boots; Ski pants, girls 14, ladies small. 693-1810. IILX-8-1

KAWASAKI Invader LTD SS440, 500 miles, \$1850 or best offer. 351-0430. IILX-8-2c

MISC. PARTS For Rupp, Chaparral, Sno-Jet, Boa Ski. Make offer. 628-1674. IILX-8-1f

1968 ARTIC CAT Snowmobile, runs great. \$125. 391-2926 evenings. IIRX-8-1f

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1983 HONDA CB1000 Custom, shaft drive, 860 miles. Rifle fairing, black, show-room condition. \$2850. 628-3100. IILX-7-2

1984 TRUE North 32 ft. travel trailer, 25 ft. awning, spare, A & E jacks, much more. Used 4 weeks. Must sell \$10,200. 858-2375 after 3pm. IILX-8-2c

OVER-HEAD camper for sale. 628-3940. IILX-8-2

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1978 YAMAHA Exciter 440. Like new condition. 625-0143. IILX-8-2c

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1982 JOHN DEERE 440 Trailfire LX. 950 miles \$1100. 625-0570. IILX-8-1f

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ARTIC CAT 1981 Pantera, \$1600. 625-1128. IILX-8-2f

CHEAP - 1978 Polaris snowmobile, skis and poles. 625-1038. IILX-8-1f

RUPP 440 Nitro and Rupp Nitro with Chapparel engine, both \$125. 627-4449. IILX-8-1

SNOWMOBILES: 72 Olympic 399, 74 Silver Bullet with trailer \$1100 or best, 693-0146. IILX-8-1f

Ski-DOOs, 1968, 12 horse, 1969, 14 horse. \$300 for both. 693-0146. IILX-8-1f

UNFINISHED TRAVEL TRAILER. \$1000. 625-2745. IILX-8-2f

YAMAHA 1982 250 Bravo, 340 Enticer. Both like new. Covers included. 682-8843. IILX-7-2

16 FOOT Glastron and 50 HP Merc outboard, EZ load trailer and extras. Must sell, \$3000. 628-7066 after 3 p.m. IIRX-7-2

1977 ARTIC-CAT Eltigr 5000. Good condition. First \$650. takes. 627-4196. IILX-7-2

1977 RUPP NITRO 440, liquid cooled. \$650. 693-9071. IILX-8-2

1977 SCORPION Sting 440, excellent condition, except track. \$480.; 1971 Viking 440, fast. Make offer. 625-9430. IILX-8-2c

1978 ElTigre 5000. Studs, carbides, excellent condition. \$1045. 628-2117. IILX-8-1f

**046-REC. EQUIPMENT**

16 FOOT GLASS Spar tri-hull, 115 Johnson outboard and boat trailer. 5 horse Johnson trolling motor. 693-8238. IILX-8-2

1981 ARTIC CAT El-Tigre 5000. Must sell. \$1800. or best offer. 627-2024 or 627-2281. IILX-8-2c

MAN'S C/C skis, boots (12), poles. Like new. \$80. 625-3023. IILX-8-1f

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SKIIS FOR SALE. Good condition. Binding boots, and poles. 628-7085. IILX-8-2

TWO PAIR Childrens cross country skis. 625-9339. IILX-8-3\*

**50-TRUCKS & VANS**

1970 EL CAMINO: good condition, some rust. \$1000 or best offer. 628-0513. IILX-8-2

1972 CHEVY LUV: Oklahoma truck, no rust, 1976 engine, good condition. \$1000. Can be seen at 75 Dennison, Oxford. IILX-7-2nc

1976 FORD F250 Camper Special. Air, cruise, 36,000 miles. \$2750. Also huge camper, sleeps 6, loaded. \$1100- Both \$3500. 752-2192. IILX-8-2

1977 DODGE B200 van, excellent buy. 100% solid. \$3350. Jim 332-3325. IILX-8-2

1978 TOYOTA Land Cruiser, 4 wheel drive, 60,000 miles. \$2600. 693-7799. IILX-8-2

1980 SUBURBAN, 4 W.D. Locking hubs, air, brakes, steering, AM/FM, belted tires, 2 tone, no rust. \$5950. 391-2556. IILX-8-2

1983 FORD F150XL Super Cab pick-up, PS/PB, tilt, cruise, air, stereo-tape, cap, 351 V8, 2 tone brown. 25,000 miles, \$9850. 858-2375 after 3 PM. IILX-8-2p

1985 GMC Jimmy S10 4x4, power doors and windows, air, am/fm stereo, special paint, sealer, and under coating, 6500 miles. \$13,500 new car financing. 628-1724. IILX-8-2

1975 DODGE Ram. Fair condition. Runs. \$500. 628-6495. IILX-7-2

1982 CHEVY: 4x4, fiberglass cap, 6.2 true diesel, \$8500. 628-2384 after 6pm. IILX-8-2

FOR SALE: 1967 F600 Ford wrecker, Tulsa winch, 10 ton equipment, 500 ft. cable. Driveable. Needs work. \$3000. or best offer. 752-7477. IILX-8-2\*

PARTS FOR a 1978 Jeep 4 wheel drive pick-up. Call after 5pm. 625-5308. IILX-8-2c

1974 DODGE Power wagon, 4 W.D. truck. \$650. or offer. 752-3662. IILX-7-2

1978 BLAZER with plow. \$2000. 628-5326. IILX-7-2

1979 CHEVY 1/2 ton, 4 wheel drive, dual tanks, top, sliding rear window, air shocks. \$4250. 750-9192. IILX-6-4

1983 FORD Ranger pick-up, 6 ft. box, aluminum cap with sliding windows, 4 speed, 30,000 miles. \$4,700. 634-9812. IILX-8-2c

427 GMC Truck short block. Evenings 623-7893. IILX-29-2f

FOR SALE: 68 Chevy Truck, runs good, needs transmission work. \$500 or best offer. 73 Caprice, whole or parts. 73 Ford 6 cylinder motor and transmission \$125 or best offer. IILX-8-2

**55-MOBILE HOMES**

1969 MOBILE HOME, 2 bedroom, newly decorated. Can stay on lot, childrens section. \$5200. For more information, 373-5618 after 5pm. IILX-7-2

1978 KIRKWOOD mobile home, 14x70, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, air conditioning. \$11,000. Owner will help with down payment. Before 4:30 call 752-4525, after 5:00 call 693-1972. IILX-5-4

FOR SALE: 12x65 2 bedroom mobile home. Air conditioning, refrigerator, stove, washer/dryer. Must see to appreciate. \$5900. 693-6011. IILX-8-2

WINDSOR 14x70, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, loaded. Large shed, deck. \$16,500 or best offer. 628-7179. IILX-8-2c

FOR SALE: Mobile home 12x65, 2 bedrooms, fireplace, air, microwave, plus more. Must be moved from present lot. Priced to sell. Call 693-9762 weekdays, 693-9602 weekends. IILX-8-3\*

MOBILE HOME: 14x70, with 7x11 expando. 2 large bedrooms, 2 full baths, appliances. Excellent condition. Lakeville, \$13,000 or offer. 628-3739. IILX-7-2

**Mobile Home Lots for Sale**

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LX-8-1c

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**Mobile Homes**

for sale  
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**65-AUCTIONS****AUCTION**

Saturday, March 2, 10am. Excellent quality antiques & Collectibles will be sold in the Lapeer County Center Bldg. at 425 Center St., Lapeer, Mich. (2 blocks east of M-24 on M-21, south of Bently St.) Preview at 8:30am. Lunch available. Antique furnishings include: Oak furniture (Pier mirror with marble, 1887 S curve rolltop desk, Civil war era desk chair, Hoosier style cupboard, secretary/bookcase, hall seat with mirror & hat hooks, round table, dressers, drop-front secretary, stack bookcase, sideboard, rockers, etc.) Large Ash ice box; tilt-top mahogany table; Eastlake style dresser; Cherry china cabinet; ice cream table & chairs; Milwaukee bar table; piano stools; Victorian side chair; gate leg table & more! New & collectible furnishings include: Apothecary chest; large doll furniture; bookcases; 3 piece Mahogany D.R. set with 6 chairs (mint condition). Large selection old stained glass window panels (non-religious) plus some clear, pair French doors, 7 old shelf & mantle clocks. Rare oak type cases with wooden type: 2 large Hamilton 20 drawer cases filled with thousands of pieces old wooden type & border, plus smaller Hamilton casw with large type & adv. cuts (Selling as entire lot only with starting bid of \$1600. required). Large selection of glass & china includes: Pattern glass; Art glass; Cobalt Blue; Carnival; Wavecrest Biscuit jar; pitcher & bowl; Wedgewood; Limoges; Schmid 71 & 72 Hummel plates; cup & saucer sets & lots more! Quantity paper collectibles including postcards; cookbooks; Wallace Nuttings & more! Collectibles include: Mint floor model scale (16 wt./5c horseshoe); Excellent National Brass no. 313 cash register; Copper kettles (jelly-candy & large apple butter kettle with stand); adv. tins; Baskets; Rare 1880 Doulton jug; Quilts; Quilt-tops; Super hand loomed coverlot; misc. handwork; 2 door spool cabinet; Coffee grinders & much more! A good clean auction. Terms cash or check with I.D.

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**BLUEBIRD AUCTION**

16847 Dixie Hwy. at Oakhill Roads. Auction Every two weeks on Sat., 7:00pm. Antiques, collectables and good used furniture. Stoney and Sons Auction Service. Wanted estates and good consignments. 634-1967, 681-1866, 623-7213 CX9-ft

**Auction**

Rhoades Auction Saturday March 9, 10am. Located in Lapeer County Center Building, 425 County Center St. in Lapeer, MI (2 blocks east, 2 blocks south of the M-24 and old 21 intersection). Selling quality antiques, collectables, glassware & china, small lot of furniture items. Terms cash or check with proper ID. Lois Rhoades Proprietress

Bud Hickmott General Auctioneer Oxford 628-2159 LX-8-2c

EXQUISITE ESTATE Antique auction sale. To be held in the Memphis Youth Center, Memphis Mich. One block west of M-19 on Pratt Rd. On Sat. March 9 at 9:00 AM. Curved glass china cabinets, 1856 iron coat rack, oak umbrella stand, antique oak secretary with glass top book case, player piano with rolls, rockers, commodes, beds, quilts, crystal, china, old guns, tinware, hand carved solid ivory ship and many other items. Andy Schuster Prop. Terms cash. Paul G. Hillman, 752-2636 and Chuck Cryderman 392-3148, Auctioneers. LX-8-1c

FARM AUCTION Safe: Due to the death of my husband. Located 12 miles east of Gratiot in Muttonville on St. Clair Hwy, then 1 1/2 miles south at 4438 Church Rd. Richmond, Michigan. On Saturday, March 2 at 10:30. Complete line of good farm implements, including 3-John Deere tractors, self propelled combine, gravity wagons, trucks, lumber and many other items. Carol Keller prop. Terms cash. Paul G. Hillman 752-2636 and Chuck Cryderman, Auctioneers. 392-3148. IILX-8-1c

**70-REAL ESTATE**

OXFORD LAKEFRONT: Beautiful setting on an all sports lake. Large corner lot. Many trees. Fireplace, 2 or 3 bedrooms, family room. Must see to appreciate. \$79,900 land contract possible. 628-1587. IILX-7-2

TOTAL COUNTRY environment. Rolling, beautifully treed 10 acres, spring fed stocked pond plus barn, contemporary bi-level, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, library, skylighted solarium, minutes from I-75. Land Contract terms available. \$169,900. Snyder, Kinney & Bennett Realtors, 652-3700. IILX-8-4



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BEAUTIFUL wooded building sites. Close to Pine Knob. From \$19,900. 394-0164. IILX-8-2F

CLARKSTON PINE Knob area, lake living. 3.5, 10 & 20 acres. Horses OK, nothing down, from \$149,000 month. Phone owner 625-0091 IILX-6-4



IMMACULATE! Just listed - five bedroom cape cod. All new interior, large full bath with laundry area. Super Land Contract Terms! Ask for 1093-H. Partridge Home Specialists, Inc. 693-7770. IILX-8-c

FIVE SQUARE acres, 10 miles north of Rochester. Property can be split. Priced to sell. \$16,500 cash. 628-7667. IILX-8-2

OXFORD AREA Quad-level on two scenic acres. Natural fireplace, central air, lots of trees and many more extras. \$70's. Open house Sunday 12 to 6 PM. By owner. 628-7667. IILX-8-2



ORION LAKEFRONT FOR RENT - Perfect for a young couple or retirees. Two bedrooms, one bath, beautiful deck overlooking the lake. Please, no pets. Ask for Diane. Partridge Home Specialists, Inc. 693-7770. IILX-8-c

CLARKSTON beautiful wooded, rolling lot in area of fine homes. Lake privileges. \$16,000 or best terms. 627-4089. IILX-8-2c

CORNER 5 acres in Orion Township. By owner. \$16,500. 391-0093 IILX-43-trdh



100 FT. LAKEFRONT - LOT PRICE \$38,000. Land contract terms! Area of fine homes. Private park with tennis courts available to residents only. Call today! Ask for Vacant L.E. Partridge Home Specialists, Inc. 693-7770. IILX-8-c

FOR SALE By owner: One 3 bedroom home, 110 years old. Excellent condition. 4 car garage. Plus 1 bedroom apartment attached. Oxford village. 628-2044 call after 6pm. IILX-8-2\*

FOR SALE on Lake Orion. 3 bedroom house. 693-6063. IIRX-8-2p



\$49,900! ORION TOWNSHIP! "Sharp as a tack!" Three bedroom ranch features first floor utility room, garage, huge lot. New vinyl siding. Sewers are in and paid for. Ask for 3705-G. Partridge Home Specialists, Inc. 693-7770. IILX-8-c

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**WATERFORD DOLL HOUSE** - Three bedroom brick ranch has family room, Florida room. New listing, \$51,900. Ask for 156-F. Partridge Home Specialists, Inc. 693-7770 IIIIX-8-c

**WOODED** 10 acres with new 30x40 pole barn. 5 miles north of Lapeer. Adjoining state game area. Seclusion for \$29,900. Call Dave Moss, Broker 664-7280. IIIIX-7-2

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## 75-FREE

**FREE MAGAZINES:** Globe, National Enquirer, Star, Good condition! 628-2619 IIIIX-8-1f

## 80-WANTED

**WANTED** 3 bedroom house with garage to rent Orion or Ortonville area. Family of 4. Before June. 391-0884. IIIIX-7-2

**WANTED: BROWNGS-** Belgium, pre 64 Winchester, old Rem. Quality guns. 693-6408. IIIIX-7-2\*

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**WANTED:** 2 1981 Toyota Corolla tail lights, 4 tires A78-13. VCR VHS, good working condition. 628-0050. IIIIX-7-2\*

**WANTED:** 5000 watt generator. 625-4506. IIIIX-29-2F

## WANTED

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**BABYSITTER** wanted. 2 to 6:30pm. 2 afternoons per week in my home. 628-3179. IIIIX-8-2

**SEWING MACHINE** wanted. Reasonable price. Good Condition. 628-1559 after 4 P.M. IIIIX-8-2

**WALNUT TREES** And light oak for veneer purposes wanted. Nels Peterson 2110 Ernest Rd., Ionia, MI 48846 616-527-1273 IIIIX-3-6

**WANTED:** FORD engine, 6 cylinder, low miles, good shape. Call 391-4527. IIIIX-7-2c

**WANTED: PLASTIC** duck decoys, all sizes, to use for craft projects. Call 628-2960 after 6pm. IIIIX-3-1f

**WANTED:** Upholstery sewing machine. 625-5167 IIIIX-28-2c

## 85-HELP WANTED

**BABYSITTER** needed reliable. My home. Days. Own transportation. References. 628-0644. IIIIX-8-2

**DELIVERY AIDE:** We are looking for an individual who would like to deliver meals to homebound Senior Citizens on a daily basis. The deliveries would be in the Clarkston/Ortonville area. You will work 2 hours per day, 5 days per week. Salary \$3.35 hr. plus mileage. You must have access to a car daily. Contact OLHSA; 196 Oakland; Pontiac, MI 48058. 858-5195. E.O.E. IIIIX-29-1C

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**MACHINIST** Experienced on all machines in tool room. Day shift. Retirees considered. Apply 595 S. Lapeer Rd., Oxford. IIIIX-7-2c

**RECEPTIONIST POSITION** Available in Doctors office. Days and some evenings. General office skills. Send resume to Box W100 %Orion Review, 30 N. Broadway, Lake Orion 48035. IIIIX-8-1

**PHONE SURVEYOR:** part time at home. 674-4841. 9am-5pm. IIIIX-27-3c

**WAITRESS NEEDED.** Some experience helpful. 628-2268 ask for Kevin, call between 11-1 or 5-7. IIIIX-8-1\*

## WANTED CLERICAL POSITIONS

Immediate position. Full/part time opening for individuals with experience in general office, clerical functions with ability to type. Call Mon. thru Fri. between 12:30pm to 3:00pm. Ms. Scott 853-6026 LX-7-2

**WANTED HOUSEKEEPER:** References required. Village of Clarkston. Call between 9-4pm. 625-5767. IIIIX-28-2c

**WANTED:** Waitresses and bus help. Apply in person at Pete's Roadhaus. IIIIX-8-1c

**2 BEAUTIFUL Daughters** ages 4 & 2 are in need of a devoted, responsible care taker in their Pontiac St. home. Hours 7:30 to 4:30, Monday thru Friday. Walking distance from Village Manor Apartments. Call 628-5325. IIIIX-7-2

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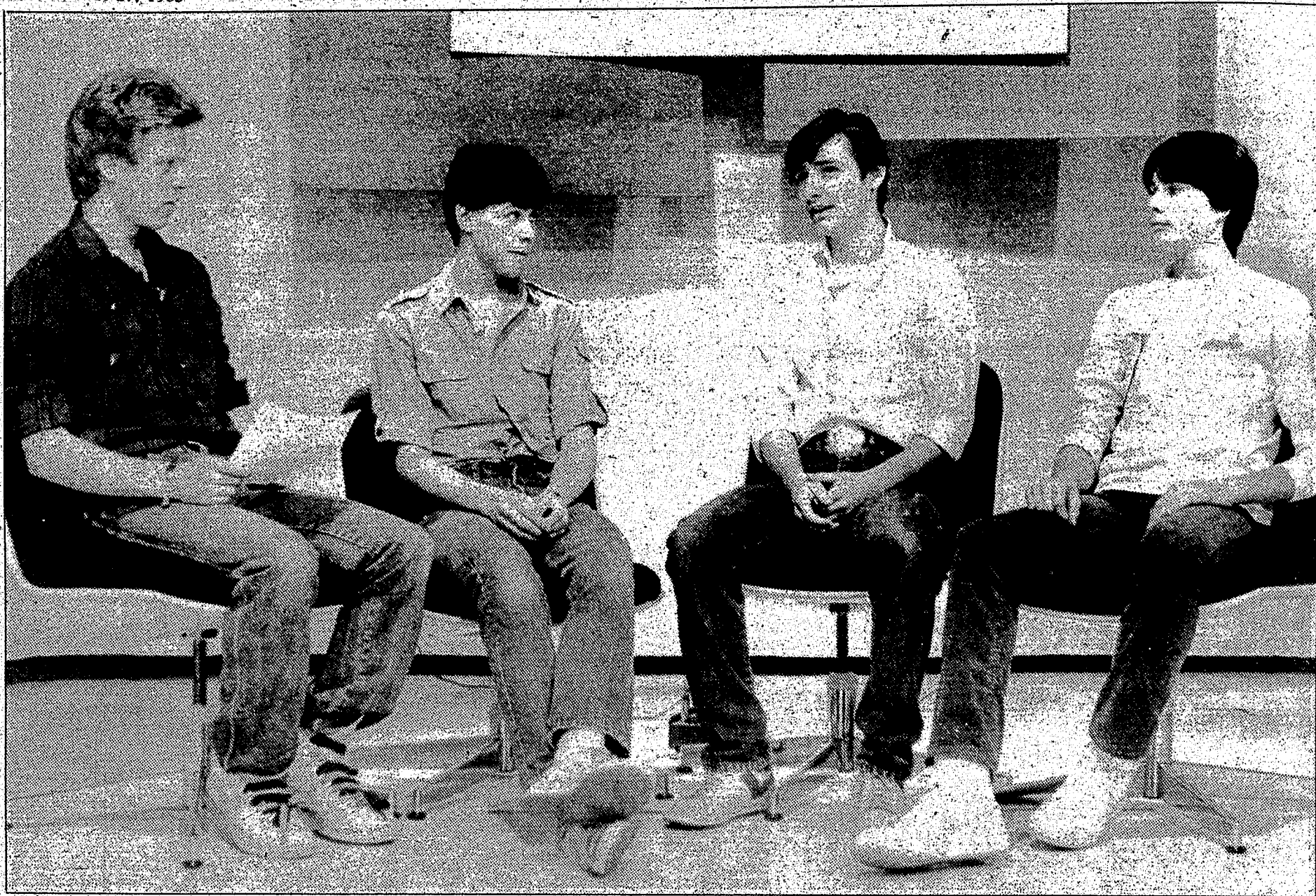
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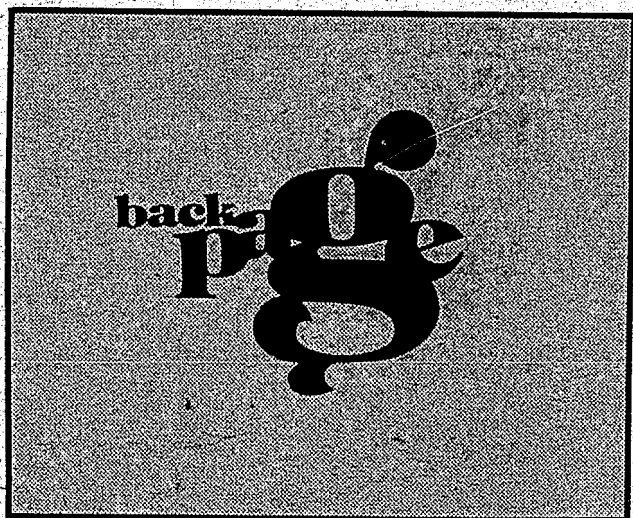




Under the stage lights are media students [from left] Jim Durham, Eric McCarty, Bill Phipps and

Tom Myers. The rest of the Media II crew works behind the scenes on cameras and in the con-

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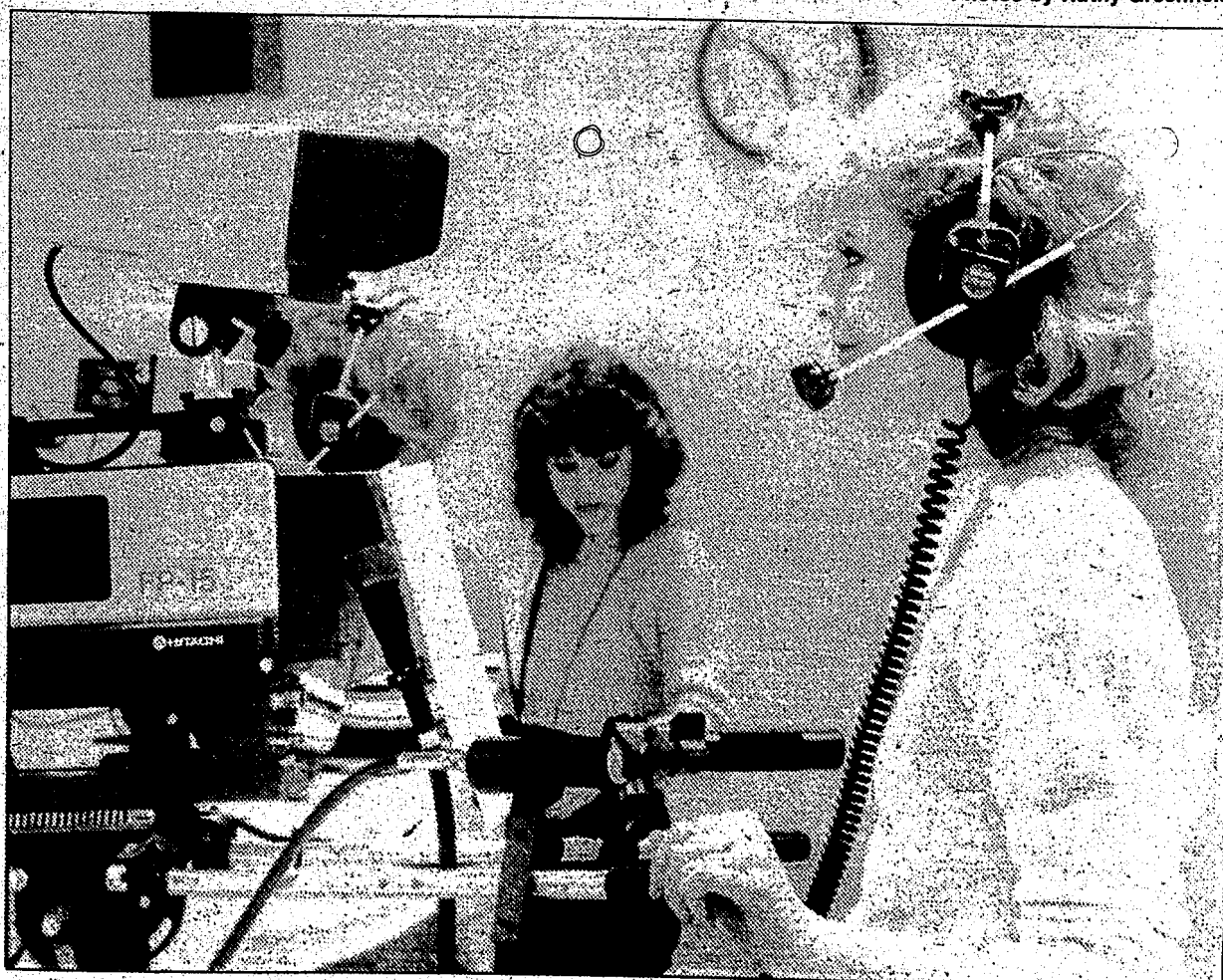
CHS media class works on cable program

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Photos by Kathy Greenfield



As the 50-minute class nears its end, Genshaw pays close attention to the practice shows.



Vicki Chenoweth works with one of three cameras pointed at the stage. During the view-

ing of the finished product, media instructor Bill Genshaw praises her use of the zoom lens.

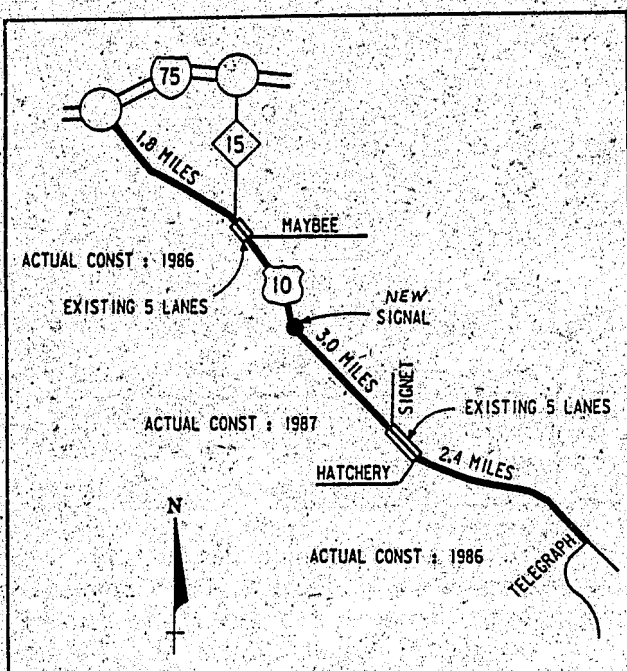


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# BUSINESS & FINANCE

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This section of Dixie Highway is scheduled for widening during 1986 and 1987.

## Octogenarian's memories of 'the Dixie'

By Carolyn Walker

Dixie Highway has a history that goes way back. C. Wesley Tindall, a Springfield Township resident for the better part of 83 years, recalls much of it with appreciation.

The past, he admits, is one of his favorite places, right along with Springfield Township.

What he didn't experience first-hand in the area, he read about. What he didn't read about, he wrote down from his own memories.

Turning to one of several diary-type notebooks he keeps, Tindall outlines the history of Dixie Highway, jumping from story to story.

He clearly remembers the time when workers waved their lanterns at opposite ends of a nearly 400-foot-long, 12-foot-deep "sinkhole" along present Dixie Highway (known before its paving as the Saginaw Trail or the Saginaw Turnpike) to let drivers know the single-lane road was clear of traffic.

He recalls the days in the 1920s when he worked with a road crew paving the highway; and talks about Mrs. Wright (known lovingly as The Queen) who owned an inner-city trucking firm that used the road.

The Michigan Indians, he says, used a 12-inch path for centuries, taking two weeks to traverse the Saginaw Trail on foot during their journeys from the north to Detroit and Windsor.

Following the lines of that Indian path, the Saginaw Trail was the first legally authorized road in the area, according to literature at the Oakland County Pioneer and Historical Society.

In 1818 Gov. Lewis Cass signed a law authorizing the road's completion.

As a dirt road, it was completed from Detroit to Pontiac in 1825, and extended to Flint during the 1830s.

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## Business boom?

### Dixie improvements can help, says Ronk

A surge in business development along widened Dixie Highway is expected by Independence Township Supervisor Frank Ronk.

The highway's widening between Telegraph in Waterford and I-75 in Springfield is planned to begin in 1986.

"Any improvement to that highway is going to enhance development," Ronk said. "As you go along there, you already sense it because you see real estate signs you haven't seen in years. I really think something is going to gel out there."

The highway's improvement will alleviate "a lot of problems" at the intersections of White Lake Road and Dixie, and M-15 and Dixie, according to Ronk.

It will be "so much safer," he said, indicating the improvements will make travel to Independence more attractive to shoppers.

According to Ronk, the current plans include

changing the light at M-15 and Dixie so there will be a left-turn arrow onto M-15 when going south.

In addition, there are hopes the continuous blinking arrow at the same intersection going north will be eliminated, he said.

Plans to widen M-15 between Dixie and Paramus are also currently underway, and Ronk views the change at the intersection as beneficial.

Supervisor Collin Walls, of Springfield Township does not feel widening Dixie is going to have much of an effect on his area.

Dixie is the only artery through the township and people will have to use it one way or another, he said.

Most of Springfield's portion of Dixie is exempt from the improvements, anyway, he added.

Current plans are to widen the road only as far as I-75, just past the Independence border.



Wesley Tindall talks with interest and vigor about the "old days" when he helped pave a

section of Dixie Highway. He could talk about those times all day, he says.



# Tindall worked on original Dixie paving crew

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Eventually, the former Indian footpath was used by white settlers as a stagecoach road (during the 1840s-50s), before being planked (that is, lined with boards at boggy sections) graveled, and in the 1920s paved.

It is hard to envision today, but during the early 1900s, when automobiles were a new item, cars would straggle by "every hour or so," Tindall says.

"Sometimes it would be all day, and you wouldn't see a car on the Dixie," he adds.

Paving the Dixie in the Independence-Springfield area took approximately one year, Tindall says.

Using a shovel, he helped fill the sinkhole with gravel during the early 1920s; and later joined the P.W. O'Connor road crew which contracted to grade and pave the highway.

The road's lines were changed, somewhat, during paving.

Dixie used to connect with Deer Lake Road and cut through to M-15 near Depot Road, Tindall says.

Prior to being paved, the current intersection of M-15 and Dixie was a fenced off portion of the Buzard farm.

Workers had to obtain a right of way across the farm to construct the current highway.

In addition, he says, some curves were taken out at Austin Corners and near what is now the Whoopee Bowl.

By 1924, the Dixie was a paved two-lane highway.

## BUSINESS BRIEFS • BUSINESS BRIEFS

### Bixby 'manager of year'

David Bixby has been named "Manager of the Year" by the National Association of College Bookstores.

The Washington Street, Clarkston, resident will be honored at the association's annual meeting in April in San Antonio, Texas.

Bixby is manager of the University Bookcenter at Oakland University, Rochester, a post he has held 21 years.

"I am very pleased. It is one of those things you wish for but never expect," Bixby said.

He has served the association in many capacities over the years including teaching seminars and workshops and serving on various committees.

The association said it picked Bixby "in recognition of his acknowledged expertise, service to the industry, community involvement and his unselfish dedication to furthering professionalism in the industry."

It went through its first widening in 1927 or 1928, according to Tindall.

At the time, a large stand of beautiful, hand-planted maple trees, which had grown to nearly 50 feet in height near Waterford Hill, had to be removed to make way for the widening, Tindall said.

The highway received the name Dixie after it was paved in recognition of it being a road that could lead to the South, or Dixieland, according to Tindall.

As he speculates on the road's namesake, Tindall sits back in his rocking chair and reflects longingly on the old days.

He remembers the neighboring barn raisings along the Dixie, and hob-nobbing with truckers at the Canteen Restaurant.

He recalls playing with his friends in 12-foot snowdrifts along the road.

"There was a number of years...that the Dixie didn't amount to much," he says.

Not if you don't count the trees, the horses, the farms that graced its boundaries.

Not if you don't count the serenity of another time.

Tindall counts all those things.

They're gone forever.

## VIEWPOINT

### Auto sales up, but little else

by Jim Sherman

Clarkston News Publisher

The big three auto makers have announced their earnings for 1984. And, they are all the same record profits.

Good for them. It's wonderful, outstanding or fantastic news depending on your involvement with the industry.

No one ever doubted that the auto giants know how to make money, just as other businesses do. Keep labor and material costs down and prices up.

Car makers have been forcing suppliers to reduce prices of their goods, while increasing their own, and at the same time keeping the labor force at a minimum.

However, it isn't the auto industry's method of making money that prompts this article. It's the fact that so few other businesses are showing profits anything like car people.

Even the giants of retailing, K-mart and Sears, showed profit declines in the holiday month of December and again in January.

Perhaps it's a case of people spending money on cars and not having anything left for clothes... but major grocers, too, are tallying less sales.

If the published figures were for Michigan only, one might say the January ice storm and continuous snow since caused the decline. However, the figures are national as well as local.

So, except for automobiles, it appears the country, particularly, Michigan, has not pulled out of the depression that started in the spring of 1979.

This must be even more true in the plains states - the farm belt - where many banks are in trouble along with hundreds of farmers. Optimism must be as scarce as hen's teeth. News of record sales in the auto industry can't be received with much enthusiasm there, particularly when all remember the 2 to 3 percent price hike tacked on to autos last fall.

And, if Sears and K-mart sales are not up to par, what of the smaller merchant who has to compete with them?

They can't force a supplier to reduce their price, they have few places to cut back, and small businesses are extremely hesitant about raising prices.

Nevertheless, these are the things we have to do. We have to look to the leaders. We have to both work harder and longer, and we have to get more productivity out of our employees.

In the end small merchants, if they want to survive and make money, have to do it the old fashioned way... they have to earn it.

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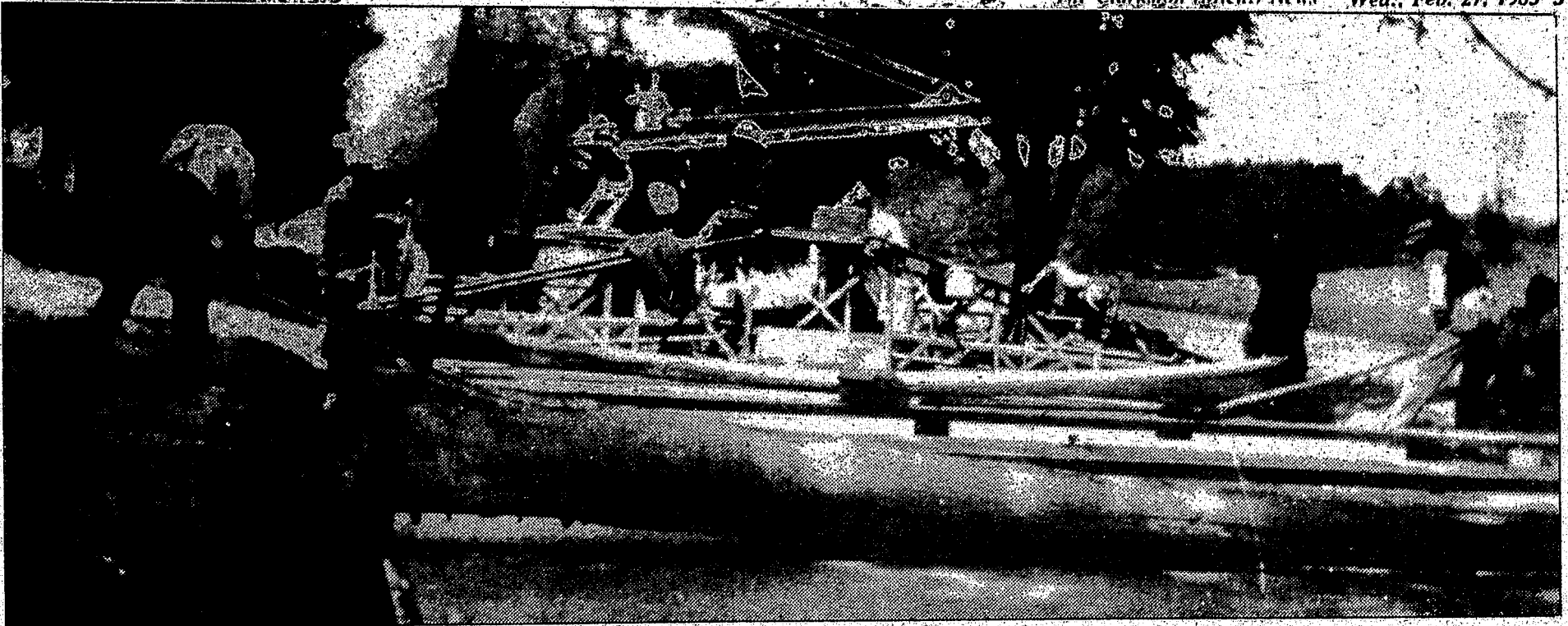
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Workers pave Dixie Highway near Independence and Springfield Township in the 1920s. It took approximately one year to pave the section, according to Wesley Tindall, a Springfield Township native who helped do the work. [Photo courtesy of Lester Smith]

## From Indian path...to busy Dixie Highway

By Carolyn Walker

Long before white settlers drove their family-laden wagons from the east to the area which would become Oakland County, Indians traversed the area on foot.

For uncounted years they followed a path known as the Saginaw Trail on their journeys from Detroit or Saginaw.

The Indians would never recognize their footpath today as it has undergone centuries of changes.

Soon that footpath, which we know as Dixie Highway, will undergo extensive renovation.

The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT), using federal funds obtained by U.S. Rep.

Surface surveys do not involve deep testing, according to McAllister.

Areas where there is little vegetation are probed for relics such as arrows or broken pottery.

In addition, surveyors dig holes in areas that are overgrown with weeds and grass to search for artifacts, he said.

McAllister said he does not foresee the finding of any significant sites along Dixie but the possibility can not be ruled out until an investigation has been done.

If a significant site is found it will be excavated, he said.

Those sites that are less significant will be kept carefully guarded secrets to prevent vandalism, he added.

Bob Carr, proposes widening Dixie Highway in 1986 and '87.

Before they begin the project, however, they must have environmental clearance from the state.

Federal law provides that no federal undertaking may effect significant archeological resources, according to Paul McAllister, staff archeologist for the Michigan Department of Transportation.

The northern portion of Dixie (roughly from M-15 to I-75) is situated on known historical sites, McAllister said.

The Michigan bureau of history keeps records on "lake country" where prehistoric people were known to have lived, he said, indicating surface surveys are proposed for this spring.

### MONTH IN REVIEW

The proposed Northcreek Shopping Center on 4.28 acres at M-15 south of I-75 has a new look.

Developer Ronald Helin, an Independence Township resident, plans to present the traditional style building, designed to blend with Clarkston, at the Feb. 28 planning commission meeting. The previous plan was more contemporary in design.

Before construction can begin, the planning commission must approve the final site plan.

The 51,000-square-foot building is expected to cost over \$3 million, Helin said.

The widening of Dixie Highway to five lanes is coming soon. The 7.2 miles between Telegraph Road and I-75 span Waterford, Independence and Springfield townships.

Construction is expected to begin in 1986 on the 1.8 miles between Maybee Road and I-75 and on the 2.4 miles between Hatchery and Telegraph roads. A 1987 starting date is set for the 3 miles between Hatchery and Maybee roads.


United States Congressman Bob Carr (D-6th District) secured \$12 million in federal funds for the highway improvements following a petition drive led by an Independence Township woman.

Sheilah Denne was praised by Carr for her efforts as "the driving force" behind the campaign. At a public hearing Feb. 4, Carr presented her with a plaque of recognition.



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# A practical reason to be nice to your spouse

If during this cold, snowy, icy and sometimes powerless winter, you and your spouse have become cranky and irritable with one another, then the following material may give you a reason to turn to your spouse, smile and say, "I love you."

A possible reason for this newfound spousal affection is the Retirement Equity Act (REA) of 1984. Before you dismiss this idea as a joke, consider the following.

The REA was signed into law on Aug. 23 and it gives spouses of qualified pension and profit sharing participants significant rights to plan benefits.

As a practical matter, REA was primarily passed to enhance the legal status of women in the complex world of retirement benefits. To this end, one of REA's major provisions is to change survivor benefit requirements.

Under prior law, it was quite possible for a plan participant's surviving spouse to end up with no benefits, even though the participant had accrued significant vested benefits.

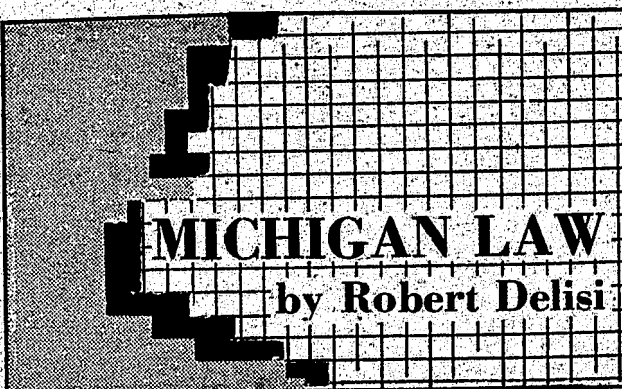
Under the new law, a spouse of a vested participant (a plan member who has a non-forfeitable right to certain benefits) has a two-fold right: automatic surviving spouse benefits unless otherwise provided and, if the plan participant desires that the spouse not receive these benefits, the spouse must first consent to this in writing.

This rule has application in two key areas: the death of a plan participant prior to or after attaining retirement age, and the retirement of a plan participant.

Under REA, upon the death of a plan participant who has attained certain non-forfeitable benefits under the plan, his or her surviving spouse will automatically receive these benefits in the form of a surviving spouse annuity (periodic payments for the life of the surviving spouse).

If a plan member desires not to have the payments made to his or her spouse or for the payments not to be made in the form of a survivor annuity, then the spouse must consent to this. The spouse has the final say in this matter.

Also under the new act, upon the plan participant reaching retirement age and terminating



employment, the benefits will automatically be paid out to the retired participant in the form of a joint survivor annuity.

This is a monthly payment for the life of the participant and upon the participant's death, a monthly payment for his or her surviving spouse equal to at least 50 percent (but not more than 100 percent) of the monthly payment the participant received prior to death.

The effect of this rule is that a participant will receive upon retirement substantially less than he or she would otherwise receive if monthly payments were scheduled to be made solely over the participant's life

and not over the lives of the participant and his or her spouse. Again, in order for a participant to receive these higher monthly payments, the spouse must consent.

The bottom line is this, under the new legislation employees with pension or profit sharing cannot name someone other than their spouses to receive their benefits upon death and cannot themselves receive all their benefits upon retirement unless their spouse consents.

So be nice to your spouse. Your retirement benefits could depend on it.

Next month, I will review Michigan Inheritance Tax law.

Readers are encouraged to forward to the Editor of The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston, MI 48016, any questions they may have concerning the topics discussed.

The author will attempt to respond in writing directly to the questioner. If an abundance of questions arise concerning a particular area of the law, he will address this area in a subsequent article.

Author Robert Delisi, an attorney with Barbier, Goulet, Petersmarck, Tolleson, Mead & Paige, P.C., of Birmingham, is an Independence Township resident.

## •BUSINESS BRIEFS•BUSINESS BRI

**REALTORS' COUNCIL OFFICER:** Fran Dickie has been voted president-elect of the North Oakland County Board of Realtors Women's Council. A two-and-one-half-year veteran of residential sales for Max Brook Realtors, Dickie was top salesperson for Max Brook, Clarkston, for 1984.



## Schneider named bank vice president

Brenda Schneider has been named vice president and community relations officer at Manufacturers National Bank of Detroit. An Independence Township resident, Schneider joined the bank in 1978 as director of consumer and urban affairs in the marketing department. She was named officer in 1978 and promoted to second vice president in 1981. She received her bachelor's degree from the University of Wisconsin. Schneider has served as a consumer affairs resource person for universities, local school districts, businesses, labor unions and governmental agencies.



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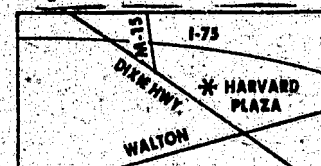
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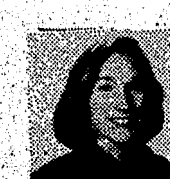
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## Anderson joins PR firm

Robert A. Anderson is a new account executive for Marketing Communications Interface Inc., a marketing/public relations firm in Farmington Hills.

Anderson, a Clarkston area resident, was executive director for the Republican Committee of Oakland County for two years. He recently served as manager for the successful election campaign of Oakland County Sheriff John Nichols.

A political consultant, he has worked on election campaigns in several states and in Puerto Rico.

He was formerly a consultant with M. Zunt Associates, a governmental consulting firm in Cleveland, Ohio. He has also been affiliated with the Washington, D.C., political advertising firm of Bailey, Deardourff and Associates Inc.

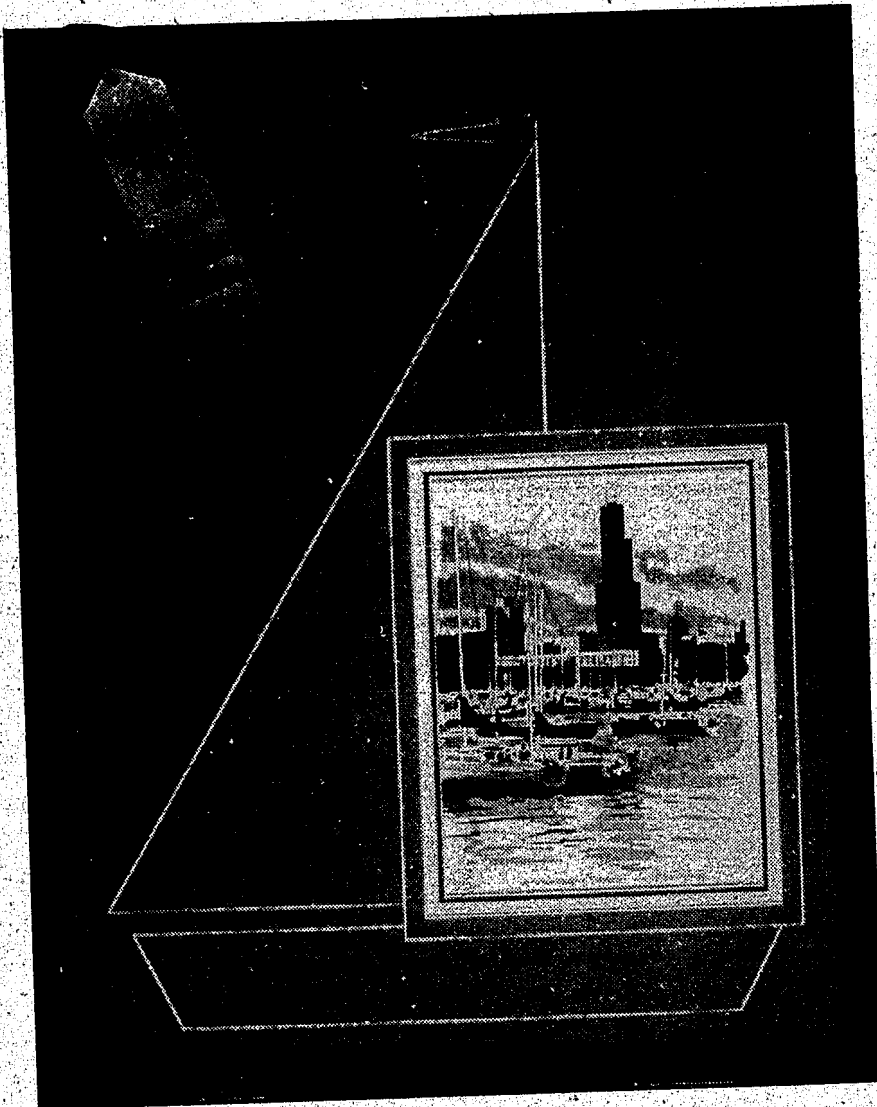
A graduate of Oakland University with a bachelor's degree in political science and communications, Anderson grew up in Southfield.

## White's aerobics go south

Kathy White, director of the local Aerobic Slimnastics program offered through the Clarkston Community Education Department, has been selected by the International Dance Exercise Association (IDEA) to conduct an Activity Session Workshop at the '85 IDEA Industry Convention in San Diego, Calif. Others planning to lead sessions are such fitness notables as Jacki Sorensen, Judi Missett and Joanie Greggains. Professional exercise leaders from all 50 states and 28 countries worldwide are expected to attend. White is a Washington, Mich., resident.



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The outline of a sailboat accents the dockside scene in the winning print frame entry of Marilyn Greve of Frames by Marilyn.

## Marilyn wins award

Marilyn Greve, owner of Frames by Marilyn, won an honorable mention award for her entry in the print framing category at the Professional Picture Framers Association's International Convention and Trade Show.

Ninety entries in the framing competition's three categories were on display at the July 1984 convention in Chicago.

"Recognition like this is especially satisfying because it represents critical acclaim from the framing industry itself," said Marilyn.

She shares the honor with two employees, Bonnie Palizzi and Jean Dixon, who helped create the entry.

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# Computer club serves all levels of expertise

By Kathy Greenfield

Eleven months ago, Elizabeth Prudden didn't know how to operate a computer.

Now she's district manager for Slipped Disk Inc., in charge of the Slipped Disk Computer Club of Clarkston and soon-to-be-opened clubs in Lansing, Ann Arbor and Flint.

Her new-found skill is something she says can belong to others, for the club provides services for beginners and experienced home computer users, as well as programing and classes for businesses.

"The public needs it. They buy the computer, they bring it home and they get frustrated with it," she says. "They think, 'I've bought this thing and all I can do is plug it in and play a game,' so they stick it away and forget about it."

"That's why we're here, to cut that frustration level down—to show them not to be afraid of it, it's only a machine."

The Clarkston club at 6485 Dixie Highway opened Dec. 20. Franchise owners are Jim Long of Clarkston and Gil Ham of Waterford. Long's real estate office is also housed in the building, a 135-year-old converted residence.

A bank of four Apple and four Commodore computers with a large TV screen in front for conducting classes make up the meeting room.

Annual club dues are \$50 for adult memberships, \$75 for families and \$25 for children under age 16. Hours are 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week. To use the computers, members pay \$3 an hour weekdays and \$5 an hour afternoons, evenings and weekends.

Members have access to a full library of Commodore and Apple books to read on the premises, over 1,000 public domain tapes that can be copied, and samples of software to test before a purchase is made. They can get discounts from participating software stores, and tips on the best buys. A bi-monthly newsletter is also part of the package.

The club does not sell computers or software, with the exception of floppy disks as a service.



Elizabeth Prudden sits in front of a bank of computers at Slipped Disk Inc. of Clarkston, a

club for experienced and new home computer users, which also offers business services.

The Clarkston club now has about 50 members. Some are beginners, like the man who just purchased a computer and, on his first visit, spent over four hours learning how to use it.

"We got him rolling," says Prudden. "By the time he left here, he knew how to format a disk, he knew how to copy programs."

Others have advanced skills.

"We get members in here that could teach us," she says. "They come in to preview software, to find out what the latest is coming out."

Every third Tuesday is the Commodore users night and every third Wednesday belongs to Apple users. Ideas are exchanged, applications tried and problems and their solutions are discussed.

On March 22, members can hear Pete Bosser of the Commodore computer firm speak at Madison Heights high school.

Classes are also offered. The latest is called Codewriter and focuses on teaching people to write their own programs.

Slipped Disk Inc. was founded 11 months ago by Jeffrey Moskow. The original club is located in Madison Heights and Long and Ham own the franchise rights.

Prudden lives in Ortonville with her husband Jerry and their three children, ages 11, 9 and 7.

"They're all very good," she says about the youngsters' computer skills. "They all know basically what I do."

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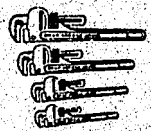
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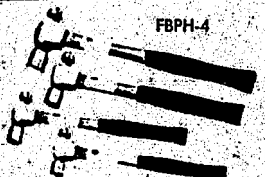
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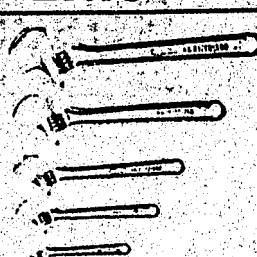
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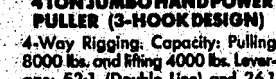
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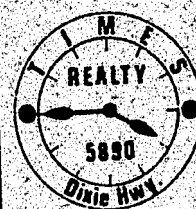


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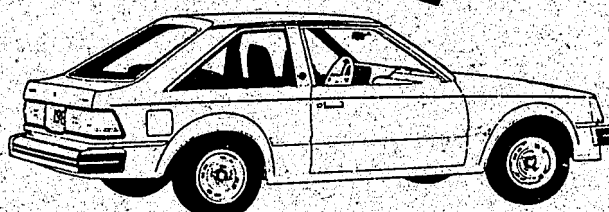
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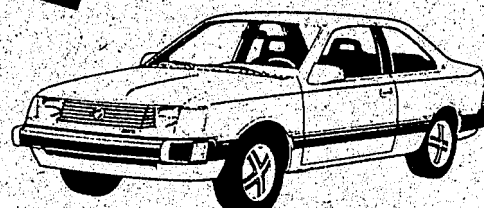
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