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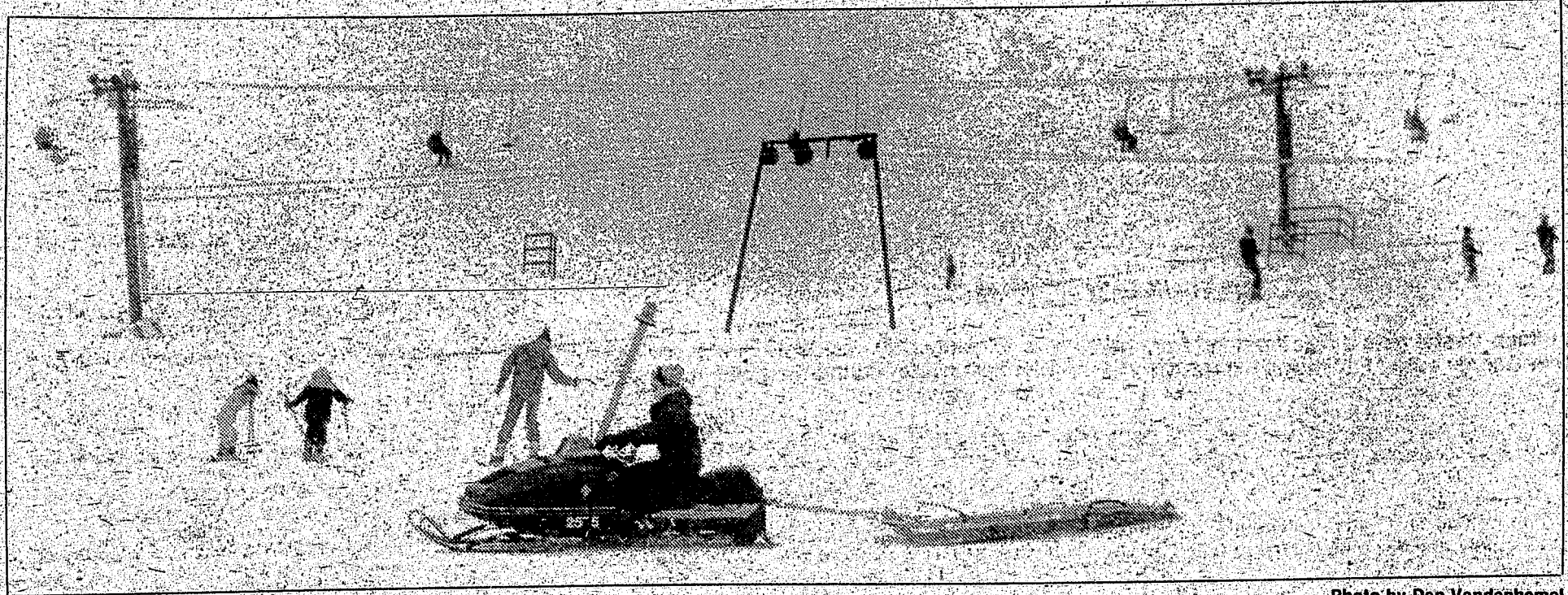


Photo by Dan Vandenhemel

Hills alive with fun

First-aid snowmobiles and sleds dot the slopes at Pine Knob Ski Resort. Fortunately this sled is

empty. The snowy weather conditions are bringing the skiers out to the ski hills in droves to

test ski equipment that Santa Claus left under the Christmas tree.

'Daring Dozen' make predictions

Twelve residents of Clarkston, Independence and Springfield became "The Daring Dozen" when they accepted our challenge to make predictions for the new year.

Some were serious, some cautious and some threw in a touch of humor as they discussed a variety of possibilities for 1986.

Their predictions follow:

"I would hope that we've hit bottom as far as businesses leaving town, and we will see an upswing in retail business." —Carol Eberhardt, 39, president of the Clarkston Village Council, owner of the One More Time Resale Shop.

"I hope for a good, prosperous and healthy year for the community." —Joe Figa, 44, chief of design and development for Oakland County Parks and Recreation.

"I suppose I could predict something that I hope will happen," said Roy Hauesler, 75, retired director of automotive safety for the Chrysler Corp. He predicts that automotive management will recognize the importance of shoulder harnesses to accompany seat belts on all passenger positions, front and back.

"We're not going to give up on the kids. We know there's a (drug) problem out there and we're going to be there to help them." —Betty Kozma, 33, chairperson of Clarkston Area Youth Assistance Committee.

"I think the Clarkston community will continue to develop as the high tech firms establish themselves on the I-75 corridor in Troy and Auburn Hills. We'll continue to develop and flourish in our educational program in '86, based on the curriculum development plan we have laid out." —Milford Mason, 54,

superintendent of Clarkston Community Schools.

"The University of Michigan men's basketball team will win the Big Ten championship. It's a safe prediction. I would say it's guaranteed, almost." —Gerald McNally, 54, 52nd District Court Judge.

"The quickest thing that comes to mind is I'm predicting growth in the area." The community will "stay solvent" and there will be "more police protection, I hope." —Frank Ronk, 56, Independence Township supervisor.

"You're going to be hearing of the women in the executive field, more in the management of an organization and self-employed. Women are finally coming out of the woodwork. This is a new generation. Women have been home with the children; now, women are coming back in the work field." —Denise Schons, 46, president of the Waterford-Clarkston Business and Professional Women's Organization, manager of Pontiac State Bank's Dixie-Maybee branch.

"I predict it will be a good athletic year for Clarkston sports and it will be a better year for the Lions." —Paul Tungate, 43, athletic director for Clarkston Community Schools.

"I foresee a tremendous year of excitement and economic growth for the township. Some good things are going to happen to this community. We'll work together and show teamwork because of the sesquicentennial." —Helen Vergin, 59, sesquicentennial coordinator for Springfield Township.

"It's going to be a great and wonderful year. The economy will stay stable and allow for reasonable growth in the area. It appears that there will be some

limited increases in area businesses." —Collin Walls, 43, Springfield Township supervisor.

"I think our basketball team is going to win the GOAL (Greater Oakland Activities League) and the district tournament." —Mike Walters, 17, co-captain of the Clarkston High School boys' varsity basketball team.

Recycle trees

Donate to church bonfire

Used Christmas trees are wanted for the "Burning of the Greens" planned Sunday, Jan. 5, at Calvary Lutheran Church.

Real trees, not artificial ones, can be added to the pile behind the parking lot at the church, 6805 Bluegrass Dr., Independence Township.

"We're liable to get thousands of Christmas trees. Wouldn't that be great?" said the Rev. Robert Walters.

The annual bonfire is at least a 12-year tradition at the church: It is in celebration of Epiphany, when the Three Wise Men visited newborn Jesus and revealed him as the Christ to the Gentiles.

"It's saying goodbye to Christmas—we sing Christmas carols around the fire—and hello to Epiphany," says the Rev. Robert Walters.

Following the "Burning of the Greens" at 6:30 p.m., there will be a family puppet show, "365 Days of Christmas," inside the church. Both events are open to the public.



Photo by Dan Vandenhemel

Fatherly advice

Yearlmen Castel gets a helping hand from her father George at the Pine Knob Ski Resort. The

two Mexico City residents are enjoying the Michigan winter during the holidays.

Township given water system

The 14-year-old water system in the Hillview Estates subdivision will soon belong to Independence Township.

After a brief discussion, the township board voted 5-2 to accept the system for the subdivision located off Indianwood and Baldwin roads.

Trustee Dale Stuart, who voted against the motion along with Clerk Richard Holman, expressed concerns that the township would be getting a "white elephant" and said he thought a two-year warranty of the system should accompany the gift.

"I believe the township should protect its own interests," Stuart said.

Also in attendance at the meeting were approximately seven residents of the 119-lot subdivision as well as Harold Larson, attorney for the donor.

George Anderson, director of the township department of public works, told the residents their monthly water bills would jump from \$32 to approximately \$54 after the system changes hands.

The citizens agreed the increase was tolerable because they anticipate better maintenance of the water system under township ownership.

The township's acceptance of the system is conditional upon receipt of deeds, title work and easements.

- Fire call -

Dec. 15

- 10:55am—Injury accident on I-75; one person transported to Pontiac General Hospital.
- 4:16pm—Trash fire on Clintonville Road.
- 5:41pm—Chimney fire at Sashabaw Road residence.
- 7:07pm—Injury accident on I-75; extrication; two transported to hospital by Fleet Ambulance.

Dec. 16

- 10:35am—CPR administered at Church Street address; Fleet transported to hospital.
- 12:40pm—Man fell, needed assistance at Washington Street address.
- 2:11pm—Injury accident on I-75; extrication; two transported to hospital.
- 9:06pm—Trash compactor fire on Dixie Highway.

Dec. 17

- 1:25pm—Injury accident on Sashabaw Road; extrication; one person transported to hospital.
- 5:04pm—Chimney fire at Holcomb address.
- 7:38pm—Medical skiing accident at Pine Knob.

Dec. 18

- 2:44am—Injury accident on Dark Lake Drive.
- 2:44am—Injury accident on Sashabaw Road.
- 8:25am—Injury accident on Dixie Highway near M-15.
- 10:24pm—Medical emergency at Clintonville Road address.

Dec. 19

- 10:31am—House fire on Shappie Road.
- 1pm—Assisted Brandon Township Fire Department fighting house fire.
- 9:13pm—Medical emergency at Pine Knob Ski Resort.

Dec. 20

- 1:38am—Medical emergency at Clintonville Road address.
- 12:54pm—Injury accident on Andersonville Road.

Dec. 21

- 12:46pm—Chimney fire at Marconi Street address.

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How she 'receives'

Psychic talks about her gifts . . .

By Carolyn Walker

Several of the predictions psychic Shirley Lynch made for the Village of Clarkston, Independence and Springfield townships last year were either right on or came uncannily close to the way things went.

As reported in the Jan. 9, 1985, issue of The Clarkston News, she predicted:



Shirley Lynch is the host of Shirley's World seen on local cable television Channel 11 at 9 p.m. Monday through Friday.

•A retirement village for the area. (Could that be the planned Mediplex senior complex on Dixie Highway, which has been given the go-ahead?)

•Prison proposals for Independence near Springfield. (Remember the Maybee Road prison site hoopla?)

•And that the new fire chief would be picked from outside Independence Township. (Remember Petoskey's William Carver Jr., who was picked amid a public uproar and eventually turned down the fire chief's position now held by Dale Bailey?)

Lynch also predicted two businesses would leave the Village of Clarkston. Although her numbers were off, at least 12 businesses including Marley's and Christie's vacated their shops this year.

Along with those forecasts, Lynch predicted Dr. James O'Neill would face delays in his proposed senior citizen complex; and that police protection in Independence would become a big issue.

Good guesses?

Shirley says no.

At her home on Dec. 26, surrounded by the residue of Christmas and her grandchildren's gifts from Santa, Shirley sat down to explain how she does it; and to offer a few tidbits for 1986.

She was born with psychic gifts, she says, adding that as a child, she became shy and somewhat withdrawn because her abilities were not understood. "I found out I was different early on," she says.

As an adult she went through a period of fearing she was "crazy" before she came to understand that she had special talents, she says.

"It's a gift as much as any abilities," she contends. "It's more enhanced in certain people."

Her gifts, which she compares to others' talents for music or art, include clairvoyance (clear vision); clairaudience (clear hearing); and acute senses of smell and taste.

"Like more sensitive. Beyond a normal manifestation" is how she explains it. She is also a medium, or person who can communicate with spirits, Shirley says.

Her life has been filled with skeptics and negative feedback, especially when her predictions didn't prove out.

"You're not going to have 100-percent accuracy," she says. "People will only believe what they want to believe."

"It takes a lot of personal confidence to say, 'I did it because I wanted to.' We are not our own person. We tend to want that (public) approval. It really shadows our decisions."

Predictions are often for the distant future, she says, and are subject to people's wills, which can affect the outcome.

Shirley says she can counsel with an individual, offer various solutions to a problem and see the results of each solution. She cannot, however, always tell which alternative a person will take, she says.

An amazing number of people believe psychics somehow influence their predictions, either directly or by "energy," she adds.

Shirley says she "receives" messages when she is in what she calls "an altered state."

She compares being in an altered state to driving with the mind in neutral—not being consciously aware of how you got to your destination.

She learned that she functions in an altered state 90 percent of the time while undergoing bio-feedback testing.

"I don't always like what I receive. But I don't judge it. I accept it and know it will work out in the best interests of everyone."

Most people experience some form of psychic phenomenon in their lives and that it is often labeled "mother's intuition" or "that gut feeling," Shirley says. These psychic abilities are best put to use when they benefit mankind, she adds.

Shirley has used her skills to aid fire and police departments across the United States. She also takes clients on referral from psychologists and doctors.

"We're very much of an interlocking piece in a puzzle. And the piece itself can't see more than three or four pieces away," she says.

. . . and the future

Here are Independence Township resident Shirley Lynch's predictions for 1986 and the near future:

•Village of Clarkston businesses will continue to have problems with high rent, and many will leave to go to Independence shopping areas. She compares the exodus to that of stores in Pontiac that left for outlying malls.

•Dr. James O'Neill will eventually get his senior citizen and surgical center projects built. But the senior complex will be built first. O'Neill will face continued delays and changes in the plans.

•Area leaders will regret not installing a three-signal traffic light at Waldon Road and M-15, and a serious accident at that intersection in 1986 will claim at least one life.

•Independence Township will experience a large building boom. So much so, that officials will consider not allowing any more land to be built upon. Much of that boom will be related to medical facilities which will create jobs.

•Interest rates will continue to drop and stay in the one-digit rates.

•The township will have four distinct quadrants with four shopping areas and residents will tend to stay in their quadrants.

•Very quietly, officials will attempt to locate prison facilities as well as a mental health, institution-type facility in Independence Township.

•There will be no action taken to increase the number of police patrolling Independence.

•The Detroit Lions will start "getting their act together." There will be three new trades, and in four to five years "you're going to see champions."

•The death penalty issue will be placed on the ballot and passed into law in Michigan.

•Wayne County Executive William Lucas will not win a gubernatorial nomination.

•Michigan Gov. James Blanchard will be re-elected, but he really wants to be president of the United States.

•For the next year, everything, including emotions, will be intensified because of the effects of Halley's comet. The United States will become more conscious of overseas problems and there will be increased racial bombings in the United States.

•The airlines will experience a conflict over traveling fares.

-Sheriff's log

Friday, Dec. 20, auto parts were stolen from an auto parked at a ride pool on M-15, Independence Township.

Saturday, Dec. 21, skis were stolen from the Pine Knob Ski Resort, 7777 Pine Knob, Independence Township.

Saturday, money and a man's wedding band were stolen from a residence on Independence Road, Independence Township.

Saturday, a strongbox was stolen from a residence on Independence Road, Independence Township.

Sunday, Dec. 22, two stepladders were stolen from a residence on Mockingbird Lane, Independence Township.

Sunday, auto parts were recovered from a field off Woodview Road, Independence Township.

Sunday, a fire was set in a dumpster at Howes

Lanes, 6695 Dixie, Independence Township.

Sunday, gifts were stolen from a vehicle parked on Mary Sue, Independence Township.

Sunday, a chainsaw was stolen from a residence on Whipple Shore Drive, Independence Township.

Monday, Dec. 23, a generator was stolen from the new 52nd District Courthouse on Lorac Road, Independence Township.

Wednesday, Dec. 25, a window was shattered on a vehicle parked on Transparent Road, Independence Township.

Friday, Dec. 27, a mailbox on Pelton Road, Independence Township, was damaged.

Friday, a tree was stolen from a residence on Waldon Road, Independence Township.

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

Two lives lost

A Waterford couple was killed in an evening auto accident on Dec. 26 in Independence Township.

The Dixie Highway accident occurred just south of I-75 at 7:30 p.m. It claimed the lives of driver Judith Evelyn Hoose, 44, and her husband Richard Jerome Hoose, 39, said Kim Rossman, traffic officer for the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

The two were killed when their southbound vehicle slid across oncoming traffic lanes and was struck by a northbound vehicle driven by Charles Edward Haney, 25, of Independence Township.

Haney was transported by Fleet Ambulance to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital, where he was treated and released after being held overnight for observation.

It is believed that slippery road conditions led to the accident, Rossman said, adding that the accident remains under investigation.

Alcohol is not believed to be a factor in the accident and no tickets were issued, Rossman said.

The Hoses were not wearing safety belts.

Ski classes set

Cross county skiing is growing in popularity and Independence Oaks County Park is helping the process.

The park on Sashabaw Road is offering five ski instruction programs on five consecutive Saturdays.

The clinics will be held from 8:30 to 10 a.m. on Jan. 11, 18, 25, Feb. 1 and 8.

The \$10-a-person fee includes rental equipment, an hour beginner ski lesson and open skiing for half day. The fee is \$5 if skiers provide their own equipment.

A skier must register one week in advance.

For more information, call the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Department at 858-0906.

Aerobics offered

Two nights a week, the gym at Sashabaw Junior high will hopping, jumping and dancing.

The Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department is holding aerobic exercise classes at the school starting Jan. 7.

The 12-week program will meet on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6 to 7 p.m. for beginners and from 7:15 to 8:30 p.m. for the advanced. Saturday classes are also available.

The cost for attending twice a week is \$40 and \$50 for three times a week. There is a \$2 additional fee for walk-ins. The cost includes free fitness testing.

The instructor is Becky Craig. She is certified by the American College of Sports Medicine as a fitness instructor. She is also a member of American Fitness in Business and is certified in first aid and C.P.R.

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CHRISTMAS VACATION: Matt Allen and his dog Hannibal do what comes naturally when free time and snow arrive on the same day:

Adult open gym

There are three warm, dry places for adults to go and burn off holiday calories.

The multipurpose rooms at Bailey Lake, Pine Knob and North Sashabaw elementaries are ready to be teeming with 12 weeks of evening activity.

Beginning Jan. 6, the Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department offers adult gym from 7 to 10 p.m. Mondays at Bailey Lake, Tuesdays at Pine Knob and Thursdays at North Sashabaw. The fee is \$1 an evening.

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Those planning to attend an adult gym session should call the recreation department at 625-8223 to verify availability.

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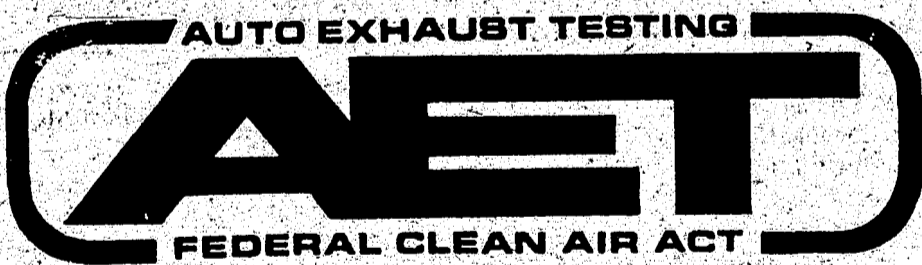


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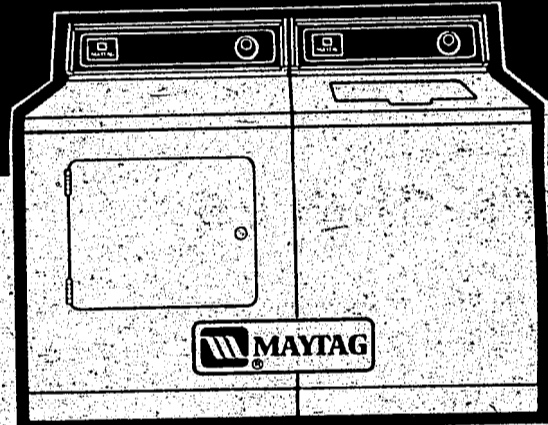
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Under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, (being 300.1 through 300.5 of the Michigan Compiled Laws) the Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on October 11, 1985, set the size limit on smallmouth and largemouth bass at 12 inches for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1986, through March 31, 1991, on all Michigan waters including the Great Lakes and connecting waters.
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Holiday surprises



Carolyn Walker

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The Week Before

I should have known Dec. 18 when the cats ate my party hors d'oeuvres and I came down with the flu that the Christmas holiday would not be uneventful.

The Day

Christmas morning came as it does every year. Stockings stuffed. Presents wrapped. The little children up at the crack of dawn to see what Santa had brought them.

Our youngest slept; but the eldest got up at 5:30 a.m. begging to open her gifts. I told her in the kindest voice I could muster at that hour that she had to wait a little longer.

Then dawn came with the sound of bells.

I grabbed my camera in anticipation of the annual, living room free-for-all while The Perfectionist answered the phone. The time was 7 a.m.

It was his 79-year-old mother who had dined with us in seemingly perfect health the night before and she was making the following announcement: "I'm having a heart attack."

"Hey, no problem," I thought.

I calmly put down my camera, telephoned the Pontiac paramedics, gave them directions to her house, turned to the eldest, and said, "We have to rush Grandma to the hospital. I'll call you." We left. The presents waited.

The Day After

The Perfectionist's mother was, in fact, admitted to the hospital Christmas morning with chest pains. The question of whether or not she had actually suffered a heart attack was not fully answered pending hours and days of tests.

We paid her an evening visit. Upon arriving at her hospital room we found her comfortably ensconced in a bed, looking considerably better.

She greeted us with a cheery, "Guess who's here?"

I looked at The Perfectionist. He looked back. We shrugged our shoulders, and together, looked at her. "Mrs. Smith," she said in glowing response as Mrs. Smith moved lock, stock and toothbrush into the bed across from hers.

"Who's Mrs. Smith?" asked I.

"Mar---'s mother," replied The Perfectionist under his breath.

"It figures," said I.

Mar--- was The Perfectionist's high school girlfriend; and she broke his heart.

I knew The Perfectionist truly cared for Mar--- because one week before we were married 15 years ago (and some 12 years since she had left his life), he said while embracing me, "I love you Mar---."

And I said, "You love me *who*?"

On the way out of the hospital I turned to The Perfectionist and said, "You know, if you'd played your cards right, you could have had your mother and your mother-in-law in the hospital over Christmas."

He turned to me gloating, I presume, over the fact that he could still stir a little jealousy in my heart after all these years. "What's the matter?" he cooed.

"Hey," this heroine said. "No problem."

Talking to the animals

Kathy Greenfield



Our dog and cat received an unexpected Christmas gift this year.

The parakeet arrived at our door just before the holiday for a bird-sitting session while its owners bask in the Florida sun.

Our house has been home to birds before, but not recently enough to fall into the lifetimes of our present menagerie—Felicia, the cat, and Brandy, the dog.

The bird was hung with care on a hook in the living room near the staircase. Before retiring, I covered its cage with a towel. All was quiet.

The next morning, everyone vanished from the house except me, the cat, the dog and the bird.

The cat and the dog almost never spend much time together in the same room, and then only when there's food present.

The bird, apparently, falls into that category.

Once when I walked through the room, the cat was perched on top of the banister (a first). Her entire body was pitched at an angle toward the cage. The dog sat on the floor, his nose pointed upward. They created an interesting framing effect.

Mercifully, the bird didn't seem to mind.

I took the opportunity to explain something significant. "Brandy," I said, "you're a pet. Felicia, you're a pet. And the bird is a pet. No one is supposed to hurt a pet, so forget it."

They wouldn't, so I put a lantern on the banister to keep the cat off.

Then Brandy decided to bark for the bird, just like he does when he wants one of his favorite toys, a tennis ball or Frisbee.

"Brandy," I said, "You can't have the bird, so stop asking."

It's been a few days, so things are starting to quiet down. Everyone's getting used to everyone else.

After our visiting bird departs, I'm going to sit Brandy and Felicia down and tell them about Nicky, our parakeet who died many years ago.

Nicky dominated every other pet in the house. His favorite trick was to jump into the guinea pigs' straw-lined box and herd them around.

Then, I used to talk to the guinea pigs. "If you guys would just roll over, you'd get rid of the bird—forever," I'd say. They didn't listen either (thank goodness).

The characters are different this time around, only the breed of the bird the same. But there's a lesson here: The worm almost always turns.

The Clarkston News

Letter policy



We welcome our readers' opinions. Letters to the editor must arrive at The Clarkston News office by noon Monday to be considered for publication in Wednesday's paper. We reserve the right to edit all letters for brevity and clarity and to limit the number of letters from any one individual on any one topic. We discourage copies of letters sent elsewhere, and require all letters be signed and include a phone number and address. We may withhold names on request, but will not publish unsigned letters. Address all letters to: Letters to the Editor, The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston, MI 48016.



Jim's Jottings

Jim Sherman

My, my! Look at the date on this paper. The beginning of 1986. Come August, I'll have spent six decades on this earth. The realization that I'm going to leave it with just what I came in with is growing stronger.

Not that I'm getting ready to leave. That thought was only considered when our kids were younger and all problems insurmountable.

One of the great things about the passing of time is how it reduces crises. The car in the ditch, a failing grade in school, a missed deadline... how devastated I've been over irrelevant things.

It's ridiculous, but I still have things that irritate me too much. Being late for appointments and meetings is upsetting. To me it's like being dishonest, like not keeping a promise.

Missing a press deadline with one of our weekly papers gets to me. Too many people are waiting in the printing department or, hopefully, at the newsstands. I don't want people to get upset and call me.

Maybe this year I'll see an analyst. I heard Dick Cavett say on a talk show recently all an analyst does is listen, and if you have a friend to talk to it's the same thing. That's what prompted my considering an analyst.

It's difficult having a friend when in the newspaper business. Sooner or later we seem to offend

just about everybody, especially if they want to be offended. We call those people thin-skinned; they call us jerks.

I think I'd tell the analyst even though I was the baby of the family I never got my way, that my two brothers and sister were spoiled rotten, and my aunt wanted to adopt me because we were so poor.

How poor were we? You shouldn't ask. Neither should the analyst. Hazel, my spouse, and I have made many statements through the years as to which family was poorest.

Neither of us ever had any new clothes, we took nothing but bean sandwiches to school; we used canning jar rubbers to hold our soles from flopping on our shoes (which had cardboard in them to cover the holes), and we sometimes never made it back from the outdoor john.

Another thing I'll tell my new analyst is how teachers and coaches never worked with me to bring out my potential. They always had time for Marsha and Lee Ann and Jerry and Steve, but never for me.

I'll tell how my dad saved me from drowning in a cistern and my brother pulled me from a swimming hole, and that my sister wonders why.

Naw, I'm not going to do any of that. I have you poor readers (assuming that's plural) to listen to me. Let's hear it... How poor are you?

- Letter to editor -

Praise for EMS

This letter is way past due. I want to thank and praise the Emergency Medical Service (our own Independence Fire Department), which I consider to be "Clarkston's Finest"!

I spent several years working for the Clarkston Community Schools and on many occasions have called for their services.

For the past three-and-one-half years, I have had a more personal relationship with this fine group. My father has needed their aid on several occasions.

They have always answered our calls with expediency. I have the highest respect and admiration for their professionalism.

Yet, I have watched them handle all kinds of emergencies at the school—their kindness and personal care is of the highest quality and goes far beyond the call of duty!

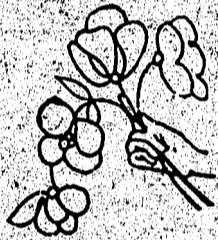
There are no words to express my appreciation and gratitude for their professional care in aiding my dad.

On behalf of all my family, all I can say is a humble thank you—and God bless you. "Clarkston's Finest"!!

Most sincerely,
Sharm Blasey

Bouquet

Beautiful evening



I want to thank all my friends and co-workers for the beautiful evening and the honors bestowed at my retirement dinner.

These 10 years working in Clarkston have been the greatest experience of my life and my career. It's been a tremendous experience I will never forget.

When I retire Dec. 31, I'll begin a new phase of my life. I'm pleased Charlie and I will remain in Clarkston and I'm sure we'll continue to be active in the community.

Marty Wheeler
Branch Manager and Vice President
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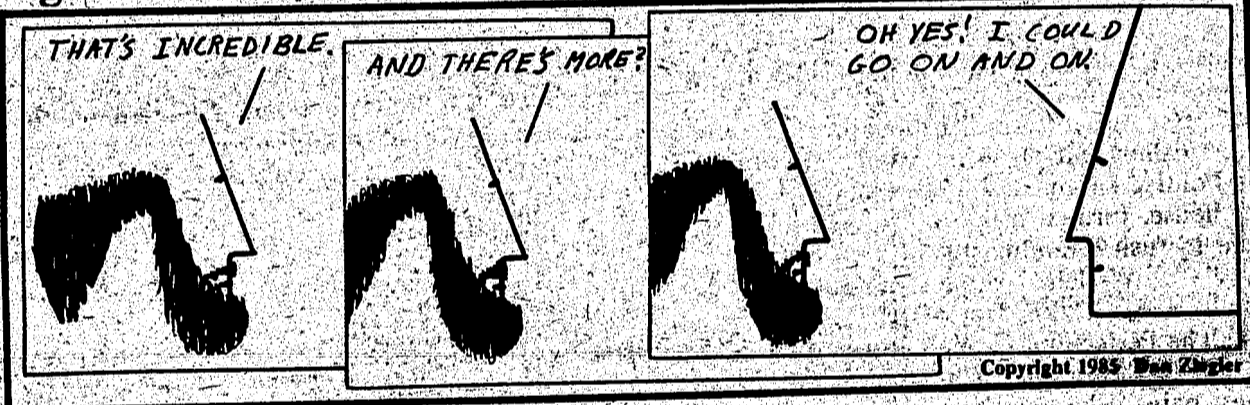
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by Dan Ziegler

THAT'S INCREDIBLE

AND THERE'S MORE?

OH YES! I COULD
GO ON AND ON



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'If it Fitz ...'

Put stubble in its place

Jim Fitzgerald



Only a few minutes after I told my wife how proud I was to live in the city with the nation's highest-paid mayor, he showed up on the TV news.

"The nation's highest-paid mayor looks seedy," she said.

I couldn't deny it. Mayor Young was televised emerging from a short government meeting, but he looked like he'd been playing poker all night.

It wasn't just the stubble on his face, which could be excused. The mayor recently began growing a beard. It looks scruffy now, but I assume the goal is a semi-long, neatly trimmed growth that will only add to his usually well-groomed appearance.

At least, that's what I used to assume. But on TV, along with the budding beard, Young also displayed a loosened necktie and an unbuttoned shirt collar. The portent is alarming.

As usual, the mayor was wearing a well-tailored three-piece suit. And he was showing the correct glimpse of shirt cuff at the south end of his coat sleeves. But the usual impression of a successful, highly paid, well-respected executive was badly marred by the open collar and half-mast tie.

Such a schizoid costume is not as jolting a paradox as washed-out blue jeans and tennis shoes worn with a dress shirt, tie and sport jacket. But it's a step in that dismaying direction.

If a man cares enough about his appearance to wear a three-piece suit, he should care enough to button his collar and tighten his tie. Otherwise, he looks like a tastefully decorated Christmas tree with a dirty sock on top where the star belongs.

Lately, in certain circles, it has become stylish to wear loosened ties and open collars with suits, which makes as much sense as dress shoes with untied laces and flapping tongues. But those are young circles, the same circles that revere chin stubble and no socks with tuxedos.

It must be understood that these impressionable young men are suffering under the peer pressure of obviously demented TV detectives who need two hands to hold one pistol and can't squat without shooting, so it really isn't surprising that they wear undershirts for over-shirts.

Someday the stubbled ankle-barers will gain maturity and forgiveness for past sartorial sins. But Coleman Young is 67. His forgivable youth is long gone. For many years he has displayed a fine understanding of

how the successful, big-city politician should dress while pleading his city's poverty.

So what does it mean when he suddenly appears on TV in a neat suit with a sloppy collar and tie?

We can only hope it doesn't mean some sort of a second childhood in which Mayor Young strives to emulate Kirk Gibson. That would mean more than an open shirt at three-piece meetings of government leaders. It would mean Young doesn't want a beard, he wants a stubble.

Actor Don Johnson has won awards for his stubble. Articles in the life-style sections of newspapers assure us that women are attracted by male stubble. Surely there will be a list of the 10 best stubbles of 1985.

Each passing day it becomes more fashionable for men to go nuts trying to figure out where a stubble ends and a beard begins, and how the hell to trim a beard down to a stubble without having too close a shave with a close shave.

Our mayor doesn't need that kind of a problem.

And Detroiters can't be expected to be proud of a \$115,000-per-year mayor who always looks like he needs a shave.

Not unless he can steal bases, hit home runs and sign a three-year contract.

Write us (We really mean it)

Sometimes it may seem we "cry wolf" too often. We ask people to write their opinions, their responses, their anger to our paper so often readers may be becoming oblivious to the suggestion.

Regardless of the number of times we urge you to "write a letter to the editor," we are no less sincere each time.


Survey after survey shows letters to the editor rate in the top five reader interest portions of the paper.

They get readership... whether it be for causes, for justice, for saying thanks, for bouquets, for barbs, for brickbats, or in agreement... letters to the editor are read.

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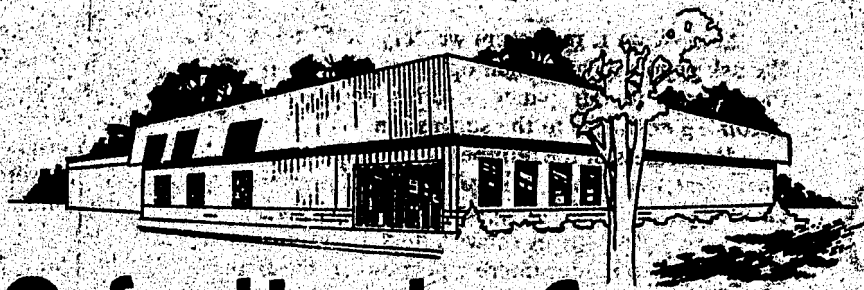
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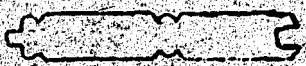


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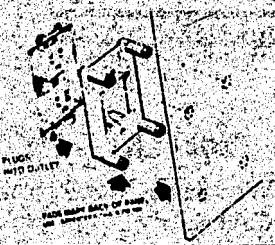


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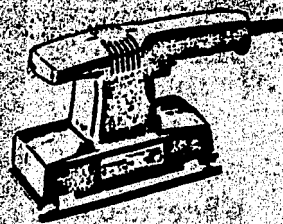
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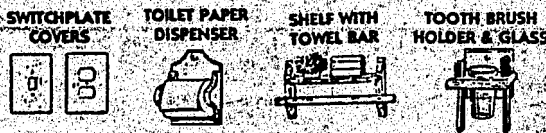
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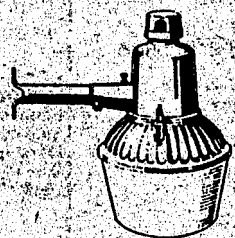
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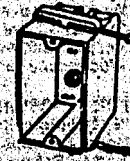
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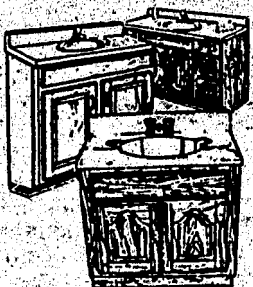
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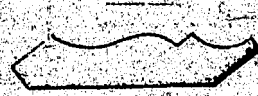


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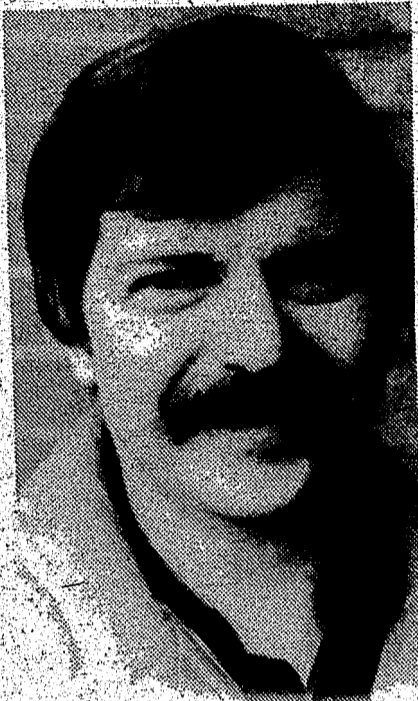
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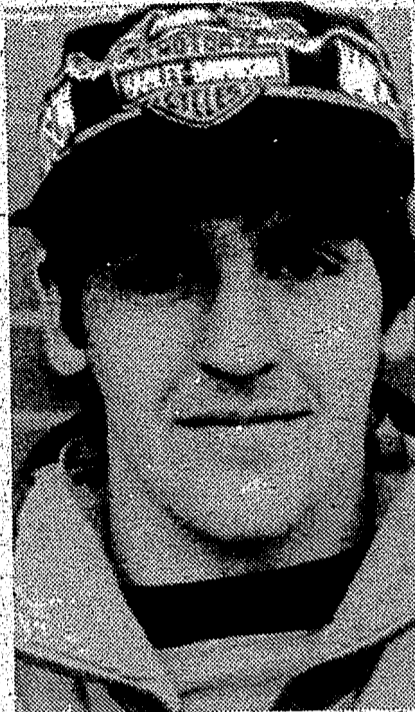
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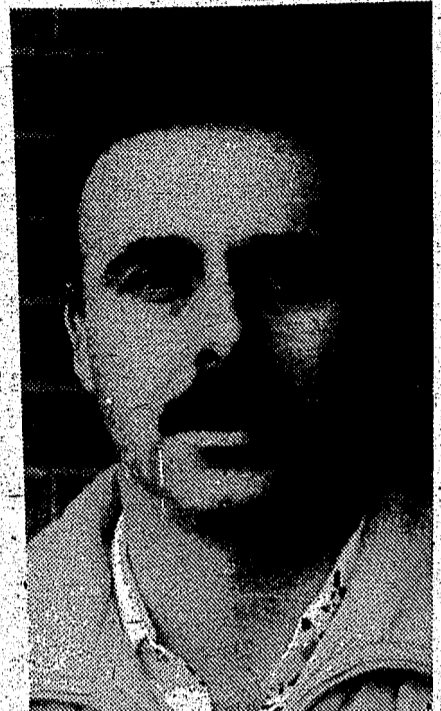
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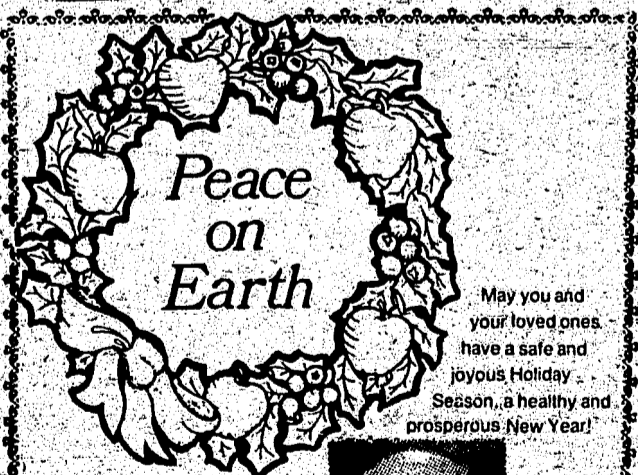
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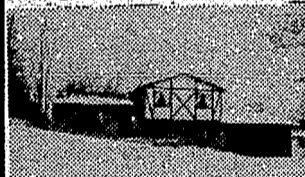
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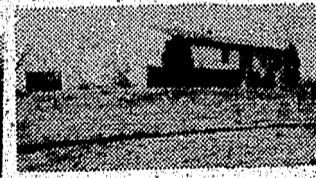
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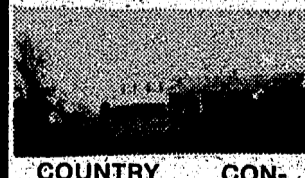
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The Year

Jan. 2.
A lawsuit against the Village of Clarkston and developer Frank Walker threatens proposed condominiums along White Lake Road.

The Walters Lake cleanup project hits a snag as the lake board tries to determine who should pay the \$28,000 annual cost of harvesting weeds and using herbicides in the lake.

Jan. 9
A New Year's Day ice storm cripples much of southeastern Michigan, including the Independence Township area. Some citizens go nearly a week without electrical power.

Two houses are completely destroyed and two others damaged in fires related to the New Year's Day ice storm.

Clarkston area resident William P. Walker wins \$2.6 million in the Michigan Lotto jackpot.

Jan. 16
Independence Township Trustee Carol Balzarini raises a question over the sale of packaged beer and wine and gasoline at the Dandy Oil Station on Sashabaw and Maybee roads.

Plans begin for bringing anti-substance abuse crusader David Toma to the Clarkston High School.

Jan. 23
Members of the Independence Township Board consider abandoning a \$69,000 Community Development Block Grant because of strict regulations governing its use.

Word arrives that former Clarkston High School basketball player Tim McCormick will be playing ball with the Seattle Supersonics at the Silverdome.

Over 30 neighbors of Athena the Siberian tiger rally to her support at a meeting of the Independence Township Zoning Board of Appeals.

Jan. 30
Dr. James O'Neill, M.D., receives word that the Comprehensive Health Planning Council of Southeastern Michigan has rejected his certificate of need request for the Clarkston Surgical Center.

The Independence Township Zoning Board of Appeals rules that Athena the tiger cannot live in the township because zoning ordinances do not allow it.

Firefighters suspect arson in a fire at the Clarkston Mills Mall Cookery, which had previously closed.

Feb. 6
Area resident and businessman Lewis Wint is awarded the prestigious Heart of Gold in ceremonies at Cobo Hall. The award is presented by the United Foundation.

A lawsuit brought against the Village of Clarkston and developer Frank Walker, which would prevent his building of condominiums off White Lake Road, is dropped.

United States Congressman Bob Carr (D-East Lansing) comes to Waterford Township to discuss the widening of Dixie Highway.

Feb. 13
Possible Michigan gubernatorial candidate William Lucas vows local Republicans at a breakfast hosted by State Rep. Mat Dunaskiss at the Nichelodeon restaurant.

The Oakland County Health Division tells Rudy Schwarze the pigeons in his lot have got to go and that he must quit feeding them.

Feb. 20
Developer Ron Helin presents a new "Clarkston-look" for his proposed Northcreek Shopping Center to be located at M-15 near Northview.

The Clarkston Village Council reviews a rough draft of a proposed condominium ordinance.

Frederick Ritter, former treasurer of Independence Township, joins the staff of United States Congressman Bob Carr (D-East Lansing).

Feb. 27
David Toma, anti-drug speaker, brings the students of Clarkston High School to their feet in a two-hour presentation.

Talks on the widening of M-15 begin between representatives of an Independence Township task force and the Michigan Department of Transportation.

March 6
Wind, rain and sleet cause three electrical fires in Independence Township.

A micro-computer shop, Universal Data, takes over the old People's Furniture Store on M-15.

March 11
Declining school enrollment causes concern, including the potential closing of Clarkston Junior High School, in the Clarkston school district.

Members of the Independence Township Board stall their decision on picking a fire chief to replace Supervisor Frank Ronk after listening to the recommendations of the fire commission.

March 20
Approximately 184 acres of wetlands are purchased by the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission for addition to Independence Oaks County Park.

Members of the Independence Township Board consider doubling water and sewer rates.

March 27
Independence Township Acting Fire Chief Dale Bailey loses his bid for fire chief to Petoskey resident William Carver Sr.

The Independence Township Planning Commission tells Merritt Butler he cannot rezone his residential property to commercial and recommends office zoning instead.

April 3
Voters at the Independence Township Annual Meeting deny pay raises to township officials.

Citizens cry out at the annual meeting against the hiring of Petoskey resident William Carver as township fire chief.

Residents at the township annual meeting approve the purchase of 40 acres from the Edward C. Levy Mining Co. The land is near Independence Oaks County Park.

April 10
Water rates double for residents in Independence Township.

Independence Township resident John Harms drowns in a fishing accident near Lake Huron.

Dr. James O'Neill receives word from the Michigan Department of Health that his bid for certificate of need for the Clarkston Surgical Center has been denied.

April 17
Members of the Clarkston Village Council vote to keep their terms to two years rather than extend them to four as proposed by Clerk Norma Goyette.

Independence Township Fire Captain Dale Bailey accepts the position of fire chief after William Carver declines the position. Carver cites anonymous letters and telephone calls as his reason for not taking the job.

April 24
Fire Captain Dale Bailey is officially appointed fire chief at an Independence Township Board meeting over the objections of Trustee William Vandermark.

Moving day arrives for the pigeons in Rudy's Market and Sons parking lot as Leo Armstrong cages some for transportation to another location.

Stricter graduation requirements are proposed for pupils in the Clarkston school district.

May 1
A parcel of over 30 acres owned by the Clarkston school district off Maybee Road is being considered as a potential prison site by the state.

Jim Bohl receives all A's on his report card from Clarkston High School. Bohl missed nearly a semester and half because of a head injury received while on the soccer team and a month-long coma.

May 8
An early morning fire on May 2 destroys Harvey's Colonial House restaurant on Dixie Highway. Estimated damages are near \$200,000.

The Rev. James Balfour retires from the Clarkston United Methodist Church. He and his wife Emmalyn are moving to Fort Myers, Fla.

May 15
Circuit Court Judge Frederick Mester makes a trip to the Murdoch farm for a visit with Athena, the family's pet tiger.

Dom Mauti, principal at Clarkston High School, retires after nine years at the helm and 33 years as an educator.

May 22
Concerns over class sizes and split classes prompt a parent group from Clarkston Elementary School to voice their concerns at the board of education meeting.

The Clarkston school district spends \$84,429 for new textbooks.

May 29
Independence Township moves closer to possibly becoming a charter township. The board approves publishing a resolution of intention to become a charter township.

Forty-three students at Sashabaw and Clarkston junior high are winners at the Oakland County Project Fair for Industrial Arts.

June 5
Tim Birtsas, the 24-year-old son of Gus and Carolyn Birtsas makes his major league baseball debut in Detroit against the Detroit Tigers. Birtsas, a pitcher for the Oakland A's, works five innings and receives the loss.

The threat of a state prison off Maybee Road ends when the Clarkston board of education agrees to an option to purchase 39.09 acres by Dr. James O'Neill. The sale price is \$215,000.

The car owned by Cindy L. Moore is found in Madison Heights. The Clarkston woman has been missing since May 23.

June 12
A 17-year-old Ortonville resident is arrested and arraigned in connection with a pipe bomb explosion outside the Clarkston Mills Mall.

Only 2 percent of the registered voters turn out for the Clarkston school district election. Carolyn Place and Stephen Werner, the only candidates on the ballot, are re-elected.

June 19
Shantan Simper, an 11-year-old Pine Knob Elementary pupil, dies of a brain aneurysm June 11. His heart, lungs and kidneys are donated to three individuals.

A new vaccine, given in three stages, will ward off Feline Leukemia, the number one killer of cats.

A new senior citizen complex may be in the works in Independence and Springfield townships by the Mediplex Group Inc. of Newton, Mass. The group is looking at 26 acres off Dixie Highway near I-75.

June 26
Independence Township firefighter Gar Wilson is promoted to fire marshal. The promotion is the first within the department in 17 years.

The doors open to the Independence Oaks Nature Center this week. The building houses programs held by the park naturalists and a children's discovery area.

July 3
The location of the 52nd District Courthouse on Dixie Highway in Independence Township could change. There are six proposals, all in Independence Township, for the courthouse. The Oakland County Board of Commissioners will make the final choice.

Roy Haeusler feels satisfied with the adoption of the seat belt law in Michigan. The Independence Township resident is the former director of Auto Safety Relations for Chrysler Corp. For 40 years he's been a national leader for automobile safety.

July 10
The State of Michigan OK's a certificate of need for a surgical center in Clarkston. The issue goes before the Independence Township Planning Commission next.

At the urging of concerned parents, the Independence Township Board is investigating the cost of building 1,350 feet of safety paths along Pine Knob Road from Clarkston Road to Bailey Lake Elementary School.

July 10
Problems with soil delay construction of the proposed Northcreek Commons Mall on M-15. The soft peat soil is to be removed and replaced with a more stable soil before construction of the mall can begin, says the developer.

A bid to outlaw smoking during Clarkston board of education meetings goes up in smoke. The board votes to table the issue.

Clarkston High School's new principal is John Kirchgessner. He was promoted from his assistant principal post by the Clarkston board of education.

July 24
More bone fragments are found at the Brandon Township site where the extinct remains of a mastodon and a giant moose were first discovered in 1977.

Skyrocketing liquor liability insurance rates, up to as much as 300 to 800 percent, are forcing some

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businesses to go without coverage. The increases are due to a higher number of lawsuits and the low rates previously available.

July 31

Complaints by citizens over the use of mopeds draws a review of the law from Village Marshall Charles Smalley.

Aug. 7

Pine Knob Pharmacy relocates after 20 years on Sashabaw Road in the Pine Knob Plaza.

Telephone poles may be on the way out while underground cables become more commonplace in rural communities. Michigan Bell is installing underground lines along the Grand Trunk Western Railroad from Pontiac to Flint. The 23-mile route takes the cables through Independence and Springfield townships.

Aug. 14

It appears the days in Independence Township are numbered for Athena, the 300-pound tiger. Circuit Court Judge Frederick Mester rules against the animal's owner Doug Murdock of Independence Township. The ruling states the family has 120 days to relocate the tiger.

The Oakland County Road Commission plans to begin improvements on Clarkston Road this week. The commission will be making two curves on the road less sharp.

An afternoon fishing trip on Deer Lake produces the skull and antlers of an Elk. Kurt and Tracey Maier pull the bones from 50 feet of water. It is believed the animal fell through the ice many years ago.

Aug. 21

Springfield Township ponders making the junk ordinance tougher. Part of the plan is the change to an outdoor storage ordinance that includes a wider range of items.

Class size and split classes are again discussed at the Clarkston board of education meeting. The issue instigates comments on enrollment, remedies for overcrowding and redrawing school boundaries.

Aug. 28

Independence Township will now be known as a charter township. That means greater protection against annexation from neighboring cities and greater authority for the supervisor.

For the first time since Lake Oakland Woods was established eight years ago, a crossing guard will escort the subdivision's children across Maybee Road to elementary school.

Sept. 4

Several Clarkston area doctors plan to attend rally in Lansing Oct. 22 to call legislative attention to the high cost of medical malpractice insurance.

Calvary Lutheran Church will double its size with a 6,000-square-foot addition. Construction is expected to begin this month at the Bluegrass Drive address.

Sept. 11

A fall soccer league at Sashabaw Plains Park off Maybee Road is approved by the Independence Township Board. The activity will bring more people to the park and could help decrease thefts and vandalism, says parks and recreation department director Timothy Doyle.

James Butzine is named the 1985 Michigan School Social Worker of the Year by the Michigan School Social Worker Association. Butzine has been a Clarkston school district employee since 1974.

Sept. 18

Work stops on the Clarkston Surgical Center following a temporary restraining order issued by Ingham County Circuit Court Judge Thomas Brown. The order is issued in conjunction with a lawsuit by Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital. The lawsuit asks that the center's state-mandated certificate of need be revoked.

Insurance costs have nearly tripled for the Clarkston school district, for an increase of \$126,496 over last year.

Sept. 25

Robberies in northern Independence Township are on the rise. This year, there have been 22 residential breakings and enterings in an area bound by Holcomb, M-15, Oakhill and Ellis roads, police say.

Dena Kent, an Independence Township resident, is in stable condition at a hospital in Cleveland, Ohio. She was shot Sunday in Cleveland by a thief attempting to take her purse.

The Clarkston Community Historical Society's 11th annual Crafts and Cider Festival is a roaring success, says Betty Duris, president of the society. About \$7,000 is raised, compared to \$5,234 from last year's festival.

Members of the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection of Clarkston Road are working together to save money on the church addition. Church member and builder John Baker estimates a savings of between \$30,000 and \$40,000 thanks to volunteer construction work by about 70 parishioners.

Oct. 2

For the eighth straight year, enrollment declines in the Clarkston school district. There are 146 fewer pupils than last year, for a total enrollment of 5,588.

Oct. 9

The sewer tax has been reinstated in Independence Township. December tax bills will include .35 mill for sewers, or 35 cents for each \$1,000 of assessed valuation.

Voters across the county approve a 1 mill increase in taxes for special education.

Oct. 16

The Clarkston Village Council approves the purchase of seven rubber owls to ward off pigeons perching atop Rudy's Market and the Pontiac State Bank Building.

Oct. 23

A buckled gymnasium floor has filled the Clarkston High School gymnasium with silence. Since Oct. 7 when the damage was discovered, the gym has been closed for physical education classes, assemblies and sporting events. Repair work has been delayed until the source of moisture is found.

The former Oakland County Road Commission's Davisburg Garage has been renamed the George "Bud" Keyser Garage in honor of its retired supervisor. At the dedication ceremony, Keyser, an Independence Township resident, reacts to the honor: "Real good, real proud. Something I didn't ever expect."

Oct. 30

The Oakland County Road Commission offers to pay for deeper wells at 13 residences near its garage on Dixie Highway in Springfield Township. The action is due to higher than normal salt and chloride levels that could have resulted from road salt storage.

A new \$180,000 salt dome is nearing completion at the county road commission garage. The dome is expected to keep the road salt dry and eliminate salt runoff. The road crew uses about 7,500 pounds of salt each winter season.

The Clarkston Cinema now requires youngsters under age 16 to be accompanied by an adult on Friday and Saturday nights. The new rule is the result of excessive noise and rowdiness displayed by large groups of teens at the Dixie Highway movie theater.

Nov. 6

Two teenage suspects have been arraigned in connection with the Oct. 23 robbery of two Food Town employees.

The apathy of residents is partially to blame for the high number of break-ins in Independence Township, police say. They urge witnesses of suspicious activities to contact the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

Five percent of Clarkston school district students are high school dropouts as compared to 24 percent statewide.

Patti Haddad wins the Daughters of the American Revolution Award, an annual honor granted to a senior at Clarkston High School.

Nov. 13

Seat belts are rejected for use on Clarkston school district buses. The decision is based on a report and video tape by Transport Canada of tests which shows injuries are more severe to non-belted dummies during simulated bus crashes.

Following the discovery of roof leaks, repairs have begun on Clarkston High School's gymnasium floor that buckled in October.

Nov. 20

About 50 people attend a meeting at In-

dependence Township Hall led by Oakland County Sheriff John Nichols. The topic is how to prevent crime by establishing neighborhood watch programs. Nichols also offers this advice: "Learn to drive defensively, walk defensively and live defensively."

Springfield Township denies the rezoning of 188 acres owned by the Detroit Metro Girl Scout Council. The land is zoned recreational. The Girl Scout Council sought rezoning for single family residential.

Nov. 27

A five-member committee has been appointed to review the salaries of Independence Township's seven township board members. The committee is to recommend a pay scale for the elected officials.

Dec. 4

For the first time in about 30 years, Christmas decorations won't shine from downtown Clarkston's 11 light poles. The Clarkston Rotary Club decided not to put up the decorations this year because Detroit Edison refused to put an electrical outlets in each pole. Edison is standing firm in its policy.

Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital's lawsuit against the Clarkston Surgical Center is dismissed in Ingham County Circuit Court. "What a nice way to start Monday morning," says Dr. James O'Neill, developer of the \$3.4 million structure proposed for six acres behind his pediatrics office on M-15.

Dec. 11

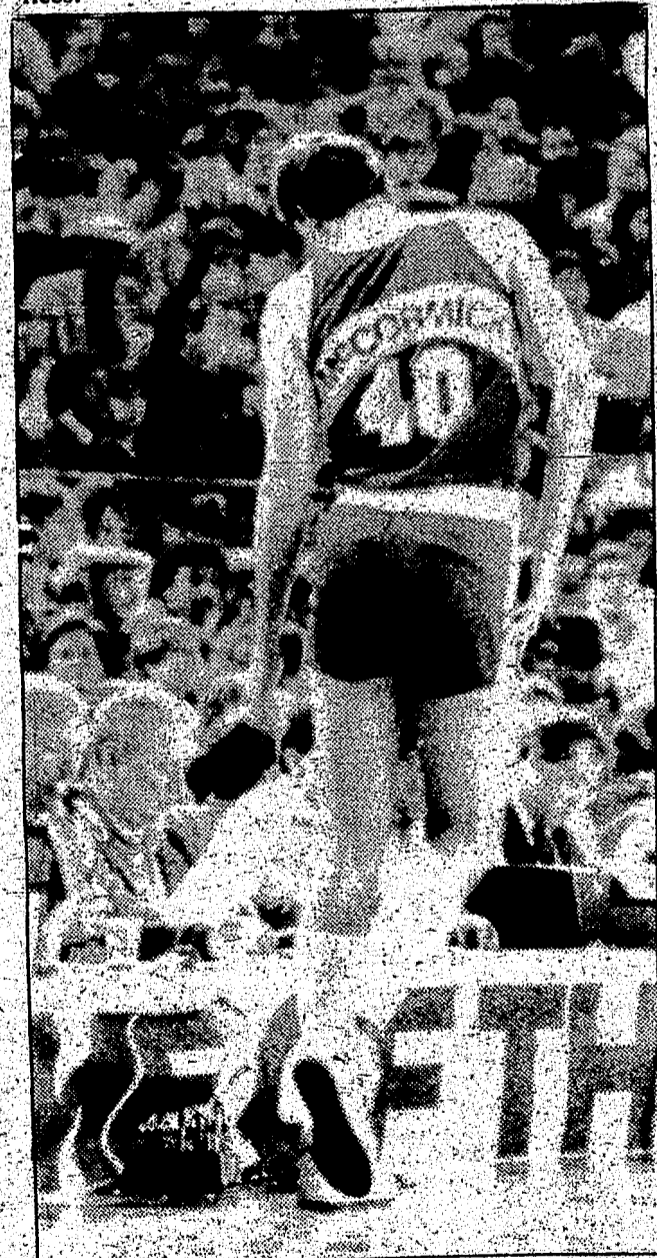
Clarkston Village President Carol Eberhardt says she will not seek re-election.

Final site plan approval is granted for the senior citizen complex proposed by Mediplex of Newton, Mass. The 26-acre project off Dixie Highway straddles the Independence-Springfield borderline. Plans are to build the 120-bed convalescent center and 60-bed home for the aged first and follow with apartments.

Dec. 18

Five candidates file for the six Clarkston Village Council seats up for election.

A new master plan is approved for Independence Township by its planning commission. The plan discourages strip developments and encourages offices.



HOMETOWN STAR: Tim McCormick, a Clarkston High School and University of Michigan graduate, made his professional basketball debut in Michigan as a member of the Seattle Supersonics. McCormick and company lost to the Detroit Pistons at the Silverdome on Jan. 27.



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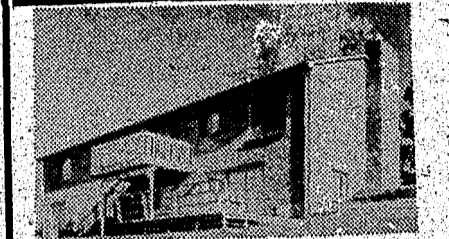
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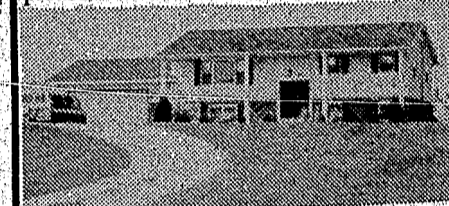


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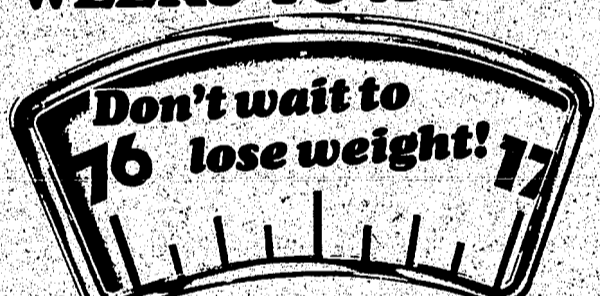
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Parks and Recreation Commission, the Michigan Council of American Youth Hostels, and Raupp Campfitters in cooperation with Independence Oaks' volunteer Nordic Ski Patrol.

A set of cross-country skis will be given away during the afternoon by Raupp Campfitters.

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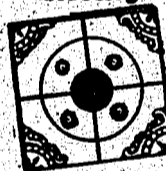
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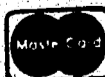
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Dec. 10	Milford	A 6:00
Dec. 13	Pontiac Central	A 6:00
Dec. 17	Davison	A 6:00
Jan. 3	Lake Orion	H 6:00
Jan. 7	Detroit Country Day	H 6:00
Jan. 10	Waterford Kettering	A 6:00
Jan. 14	West Bloomfield	A 6:00
Jan. 17	Waterford Mott	H 6:00
Jan. 24	Pontiac Northern	H 6:00
Jan. 25	Grand Rapids Cent.	A 5:45
Jan. 28	Lakeland	H 6:00
Jan. 31	Dearborn	H 6:00
Feb. 4	Rochester	A 6:00
Feb. 7	Lake Orion	A 6:00
Feb. 11	B.H. Andover	A 6:15
Feb. 14	Waterford Kettering	H 6:00
Feb. 21	Waterford Mott	A 6:00
Feb. 25	Bloomfield Lahser	H 6:00
Feb. 28	Pontiac Northern	A 6:00



Clarkston 9th Basketball

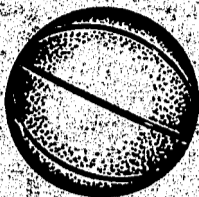
Dec. 5	Sashabaw	A 7:00
Dec. 9	Rochester West	H 6:30
Dec. 12	Pierce	H 6:30
Dec. 16	Howell	A 7:00
Dec. 19	Mason	H 6:30
Jan. 6	Lapeer West	A 7:00
Jan. 9	Crary	H 6:30
Jan. 16	Flint Northern	H 6:30
Jan. 20	Howell	H 6:30
Jan. 23	Lake Orion	A 4:00
Jan. 27	Pierce	A 5:00
Jan. 29	Lakeland	H 6:30
Feb. 4	Mason	A 5:00
Feb. 5	Milford	A 6:30
Feb. 12	Crary	A 5:30
Feb. 17	Lapeer East	A 7:00
Feb. 19	Pontiac Northern	H 6:30
Feb. 25	Oxford	A 4:00
Feb. 27	Lake Orion	H 6:30
Mar. 3	Sashabaw	H 7:00



Sashabaw 9th Grade Basketball

Dec. 5	Clarkston	H 7:00
Dec. 9	Crary	A 4:00
Dec. 10	Pierce	H 6:30
Dec. 17	Rochester West	A 4:00
Dec. 20	Van Hoosen	A 4:00

Jan. 6	Lapeer East	H 6:30
Jan. 9	Lake Orion	H 6:30
Jan. 13	Pontiac Central	H 6:30
Jan. 16	Milford	H 6:30



Jan. 20	Flint Northern	A 6:30
Jan. 23	Mason	A 5:00
Jan. 29	Crary	H 6:30
Feb. 5	Pierce	A 5:30
Feb. 10	Howell	A 7:00
Feb. 13	Lake Orion	A 4:00
Feb. 17	Lapeer West	H 6:30
Feb. 18	Oxford	H 6:30
Feb. 25	Lakeland	A 7:00
Feb. 27	Mason	H 6:30
Mar. 4	Clarkston	A 7:00



Volleyball

Clarkston JV/Varsity Volleyball

Dec. 28	Oak Univ. Inv.	a.m. A 8:00
Jan. 6	Waterford Mott	A 7:00
Jan. 7	Brighton	A 7:00
Jan. 11	Bloomfield Lahser Inv.	A TBA
Jan. 13	Waterford Kettering	H 6:00
Jan. 15	Lake Orion	A 6:00
Jan. 22	Brandon - Lakeland	H 6:00
Jan. 25	Waverley Inv. (JV) a.m.	A 9:00
Jan. 27	Flint Cent. Inv. (V) a.m.	A 9:00
Jan. 27	Pontiac Northern	H 6:00
Jan. 29	Milford	A 7:00
Feb. 3	Waterford Mott	H 6:00
Feb. 8	JV Invitational	a.m. H 9:00
Feb. 10	Waterford Kettering	A 7:00
Feb. 12	Brandon - Lake Orion	H 6:00
Feb. 15	Varsity Inv.	a.m. H 9:00
Feb. 17	Lapeer West - Holly	A 5:00
Feb. 19	Pontiac Northern	A 6:15
Feb. 24	Oxford	H 6:00
Feb. 26	Rochester	A 6:30
Mar. 1	District	



Sashabaw 9th Volleyball

Jan. 8	Pierce	A 3:45
Jan. 10	Clarkston	H 5:00
Jan. 13	Howell	A 6:00
Jan. 14	Mason	H 6:00
Jan. 15	Lapeer East	H 6:00
Jan. 18	SJH Inv.	a.m. H 10:00
Jan. 22	Lake Orion	A 4:00
Jan. 25	South Lyon Quad.	A TBA
Jan. 27	Crary	H 6:00
Jan. 29	Howell	H 4:00
Feb. 4	Clarkston	A 6:00
Feb. 5	Lapeer West	H 6:00
Feb. 10	South Lyon	H 6:00
Feb. 12	Lakeville	A TBA
Feb. 17	Flint Northern	H 4:00
Feb. 19	Oxford	H 6:00
Feb. 26	Lake Orion	H 6:00



Clarkston 9th Volleyball

Jan. 9	Mason	A 5:00
Jan. 10	Sashabaw	A 5:00
Jan. 13	Lapeer West	H 6:00
Jan. 15	Lakeville	A TBA
Jan. 18	SJH Invit.	a.m. H 10:00
Jan. 21	Oxford	H 8:00
Jan. 22	Howell	H 6:00
Jan. 27	Pierce	A 3:45
Jan. 31	Lake Orion	A 4:00
Feb. 3	Howell	A 6:00
Feb. 4	Sashabaw	H 6:00
Feb. 11	Lapeer East	A TBA
Feb. 12	Lake Orion	H 7:00
Feb. 17	South Lyon	H 6:00
Feb. 19	Crary	A 3:45
Feb. 20	Flint Northern	A 6:00
Feb. 24	South Lyon	A TBA



Skating

Clarkston Skating

Jan. 6	Pontiac Catholic	H 4:00
Jan. 8	Lake Orion	H 4:00
Jan. 15	Wtfd. Lady of Lakes	H 4:00
Jan. 16	Bloomfield Lahser	H 4:00
Jan. 20	Rochester	H 4:00
Jan. 22	Rochester Adams	H 4:00
Jan. 28	Bloomfield Andover	H 4:00
Feb. 4	Detroit Country Day	H 4:00

Feb. 6	Divisional	H 4:00
Feb. 13	Regional	H 4:00
Feb. 19	League	H 4:00

All Meets at Pine Knob



Wrestling

Clarkston JV/Varsity Wrestling

Dec. 3	Hazel Park, Milford	H 6:00
	Warren Fitzgerald	
Dec. 7	Grand Blanc Inv.	a.m. A 7:30
Dec. 10	Flint Kearsley Quad.	A 4:30
Dec. 14	Ferndale Inv.	A TBA
Dec. 20	Oak County Tourn.	A TBA
Dec. 21	Oak County Tourn.	A TBA
Jan. 6	Springfield Christian	A TBA
Jan. 9	Waterford Mott	A 7:00
Jan. 11	South Lyon Inv.	a.m. A 8:00
Jan. 16	Waterford Kettering	H 6:00
Jan. 18	R.O. Kimball Inv.	a.m. A 10:00
Jan. 23	Lake Orion	H 6:00
Jan. 25	Midland Inv.	A TBA
Jan. 28	Lakeland	A 6:30
Jan. 30	Brandon	H 5:00
Feb. 6	Pontiac Northern	A 6:30
Feb. 8	Byron Inv.	a.m. A 10:00
Feb. 11	Oxford	A 7:00
Feb. 15	District	A



Clarkston Wrestling

Dec. 13	CJH Tournament	H 4:00
Jan. 7	Pontiac Northern	A 6:00
Jan. 10	Lake Orion	H 4:00
Jan. 13	Walled Lake Central	A 4:00
Jan. 15	Rochester West	H 6:00
Jan. 21	Crary	A 4:00
Jan. 23	Pierce	H 6:00
Jan. 28	Walled Lake Western	A 4:00
Feb. 5	Van Hoosen	A 4:00
Feb. 6	Reuther	H 6:00
Feb. 10	Mason	A 5:00
Feb. 20	Sashabaw	A 6:00

Sashabaw Wrestling

Dec. 13	CJH Invitational	A 4:00
Jan. 7	Walled Lake Western	A 4:00
Jan. 8	Walled Lake Central	H 6:00
Jan. 13	Van Hoosen	H 3:30
Jan. 15	Reuther	A 4:15
Jan. 21	Mason	H 6:00
Jan. 23	Lake Orion	A 6:30
Jan. 30	Pontiac Northern	H 6:00
Feb. 3	Rochester West	H 6:00
Feb. 5	Crary	A 4:00
Feb. 11	Pierce	H 6:00
Feb. 20	Clarkston	H 6:00

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Wolve wrestlers make mark at tourney

By Dan Vandenhemel

Making the second day of the Oakland County Wrestling Tournament a feather in the cap of a high school wrestler. Two from Clarkston made it.

Brent Gwisdalla placed third in the two-day tournament and Mark Oswald split his two matches.

"Making the second day gives a wrestler respectability," says Wolves' coach Greg Gwisdalla. "You had to beat some people to get there."

Wrestlers from 48 schools started the tournament on Dec. 20. Only a select few came back the next day. It is a double-elimination event—once a wrestler loses twice, he's out.

The wrestling format is a complicated one. On Friday, a wrestler can have three or four matches.

Brent Gwisdalla, a senior wrestling in the 126-pound class, won two and lost one on Friday. Saturday, he won all four.

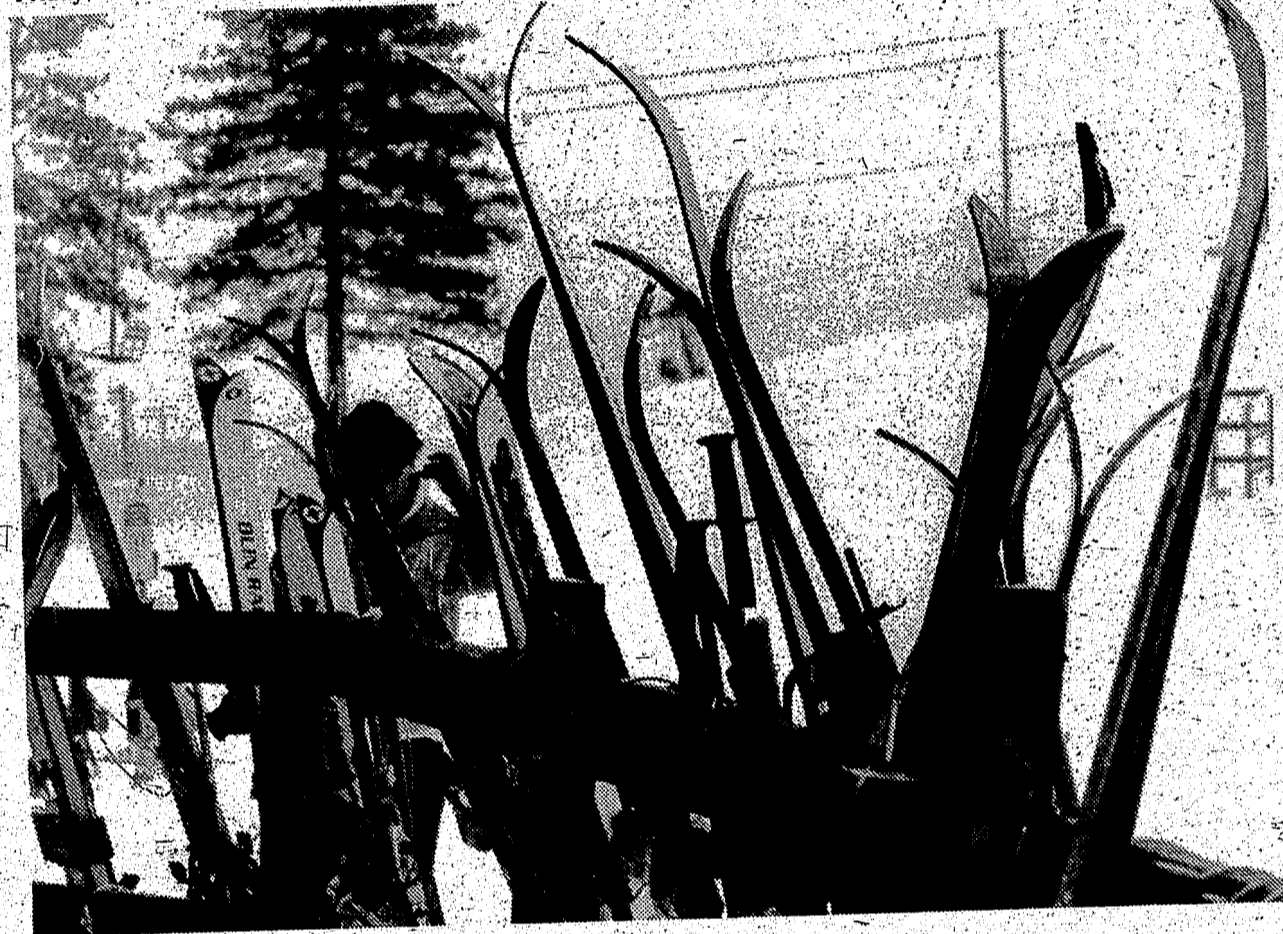
Oswald, a sophomore in the heavyweight division, also won two and lost one and received a bye in the second round on Friday. On Saturday, Oswald won his first match then lost the next one.

"Mark did a nice job to make the second day," coach Gwisdalla said. "He's only a sophomore and was filling in for our regular heavyweight. I'm going to shake up the lineup to give some of these kids who try hard a chance."

This is the second straight year that Brent Gwisdalla made the second day. Last year he finished sixth.

"It was fun to watch him wrestle," said coach-father Gwisdalla. "He came out smoking on Saturday. He didn't let up for a second."

Some other Wolves wrestled well on Friday but failed to make the jump to Saturday. The coach mentioned Mark Ice, Don Spring, Denny Conway, Scott Emery and Dan Souheaver.



Winter lineup

A forest of skis and poles line the benches outside Pine Knob. While the snow brings the

skiers to the resort, the cold temperatures force them inside to warm up.

Sports

The Seer

The Seer has returned to The Clarkston News after nearly 10 months of vacation. The anonymous predictions are slipped through The Clarkston News mailslot. The famous soothsayer will forecast the Friday night basketball games for Clarkston High School.

Jan. 3, Lake Orion at Clarkston—Chuck Mahoney's Lake Orion team always hustles, but this year the Dragons are thin on talent. Clarkston will have no problem overpowering the undermanned Dragons.

Clarkston will control the boards on both ends of the court and will dictate the tempo of the game.

This game will never be close. The only chance Lake Orion has of holding the lead is if they control the opening tip-off and scoring. The Wolves will win in a blowout: Clarkston by 29.

'86 Clarkston sports showcase

Clarkston sports in 1985 gave fans a number of thrills. The events ranged from two professional athletes playing before a hometown crowd to the high school softball team finishing in the top four in the state.

Jan. 30—Tim McCormick, the 6-foot-11 basketball player, made his professional debut in Michigan at the Pontiac Silverdome. The Clarkston High School and University of Michigan graduate and his team, the Seattle SuperSonics, lost to the Detroit Pistons, 132-113.

Feb. 13—Darrell Cooper and Rick Huttenlocher returned from a week as members of the Detroit Tigers. The two Independence Township residents took part in the 1968 Detroit Tiger Fantasy Camp II.

March 6—For the first time in history, Clarkston High School sent both of its ski teams to the state finals. The boys' finished seventh while the girls' team placed eighth. Leading for the boys were Steve Zoss and Mark Southby and the top female skiers were Stephanie Brown and Heather Laurie. For the season, the boys were 7-1 in meets, second in the divisional and regional meets, and fifth in the Southeastern Michigan Championships. The girls went undefeated with an 8-0 mark, won the divisional and regional meets, and were second in the Southeastern Michigan Championship.

April 10—The Clarkston Wrestling Club sent 19 members to the state finals. Six came home with championships: Brett Walters, Jerry Anderson, Ruben DelosiRois, Jeff DeRoseau, Tony Miller and Todd George.

April 24—The girls' soccer team at Clarkston High School made its debut. The first week of the

season left the Wolves with a 1-1 record. Ruth Webb scored the lone goal in the Wolves' first victory.

May 15—The Clarkston High School boys' tennis team came home as champions of the Greater Oakland Activities League. The Wolves outdistanced second-place Lake Orion 18½ to 9. Wolves singles champions were John Reading, Grant Reading and Ron Hammond. Doubles champions were Matt Hargett and Dan Travis, and Dan Martin and Steve Weidemann.

May 22—The regional track championship went to the girls' track team of Clarkston High School. The Wolves' 121 points far outdistanced second-place Milford's 74.

June 5—Tim Birtsas pitched against the Detroit Tigers but his Oakland A teammates came out on the losing end of the 3-2 score. Birtsas, a graduate of Clarkston High School, was making his second start in the major leagues and only the sixth appearance of his career. In five innings, he struck out six, walked four and hit batter Kirk Gibson in the mouth.

June 19—State title hopes ended for the Clarkston Wolves' softball team. The Wolves reached the top four in the state for the third time in five years and again lost in the semi-finals to the eventual champion.

June 26—The Clarkston High School athletic program won the Greater Oakland Activities League All-Sports Trophy. The award went to the school with the winningest teams in the 14 different sports. The Wolves placed first in girls' track, boys' tennis, baseball, volleyball and boys' golf.

July 24—Over 900 athletes converged in Waterford Township to test their skills and push for en-

durance in the Bud Light U.S. Triathlon. Parts of the race course went through Springfield and Independence Township toward the start-finish line at Pontiac Lake.

Sept. 11—The Clarkston High School football team opened the season with a 13-6 victory over Romeo.

Oct. 2—The championship trophy for the Springfield Christian Academy Soccer Tournament went to the Clarkston Wolves. The varsity team easily won the tournament by outscoring three opponents, 13-2.

Nov. 6—Kathleen McInnis and Jeff Toretta finished near the top in the state high school cross country meet in Flint. McInnis placed seventh and Toretta finished 31st. Each race featured the top 90 runners in the state.

Nov. 13—John Craven and Steve Pearson, football coaches for Clarkston Junior High, shaved off their mustaches after the team's shutout of West Bloomfield in the final game of the season. The coaches bet the team if the Wolverines won the last three games by shutouts, the mustaches would go.

Nov. 20—The legal issue of two Clarkston High School boys who wanted to play on the girls' volleyball team was dropped. Jeff Toretta and Jeff Funck decided against going to court to see if they could play the sport this winter.

Nov. 27—Philippe Duchene, an exchange student from France, was voted the best player in the North Oakland Soccer Association. The Clarkston High School player scored 35 goals in 18 games. He was also voted the most valuable player in the Springfield Christian Academy tournament.

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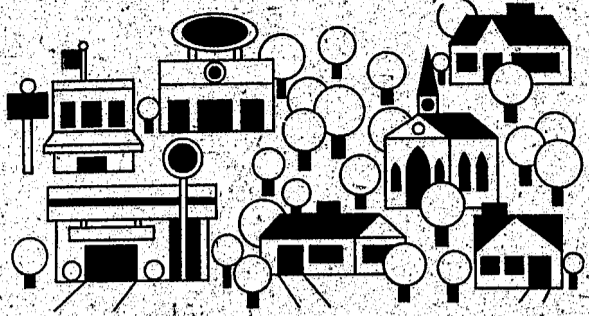
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Around town



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, Jan. 2—Preschool Story Times at the Independence Township Library; 10 and 11 a.m.; free; for 3- to 5-year-olds; stories, games, songs and the film "Winter"; advance registration not required; 6495 Clarkston Rd., Independence Township. (625-2212)

Thursday, Jan. 9—January meeting of the American Association of University Women-Waterford Branch; 7:30 p.m.; program: "School Absenteeism and Dropouts—A Critical Educational and Social Issue" with Dr. Terry Thomas, director of pupil personnel services for Oakland Schools; women who are college graduates may attend; St. Perpetuas Church, 134 Airport Rd., Waterford Township. (673-1591)

Saturday, Jan. 4—Family Ski Tour sponsored by

the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission at Independence Oaks County Park; noon to 4 p.m.; includes cross-country ski lectures, lessons, ice skating and ice fishing; some 150 skis are available to rent; \$7 a family (four or more) or \$2 a person; each participant will receive a patch and guidebook for the event; the park is located on Sashabaw Road, 2½ miles north of I-75 in Independence Township. (Dan Stencil, 858-4944)

Sunday, Jan. 5—"Snowshoe Trek," an outdoor program using snowshoes to hike through the Huron Swamp; 1 p.m.; free; snowshoes will be provided; participants should wear thick moon-boots or sorrels; meet at the Nature Center at Indian Springs Metropark in Springfield Township; advance registration required. (1-800-552-6772)

Monday, Jan. 6—Clarkston Elementary School PTO meeting; 7 p.m.; multipurpose room; all parents welcome. (625-4900)

Wednesday, Jan. 8—Preschool Story Times at the Independence Township Library; 10 and 11 a.m.; free; for 3- to 5-year-olds; registration not required; this week's short film is "Use Your Imagination"; 6495 Clarkston Rd., Independence Township. (625-2212)

Friday, Jan. 10—Spaghetti Dinner by the Waterford Golden Agers Club; 4:30-7:30 p.m.; \$3 per adult and \$1.50 per child under 12; North Oakland Community Center (CAI), 5640 Williams Lake Rd., between Dixie Highway and Airport Road, Waterford Township; proceeds to go toward the CAI swimming pool fund. (674-4881)

at the American Legion Post No. 377, Mary Sue Street, Independence Township; 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.; for an appointment, call Shirley Wilfang at 673-8805.

Saturday, Jan. 11—"Oh Deer," a program about Michigan's only native deer, the whitetail, at Independence Oaks County Park; includes a program at the Nature Center and a hike; 1-2:30 p.m.; free with park vehicle entry fee; advance registration required; on Sashabaw Road 2½ miles north of I-75 in Independence Township. (625-6473)

Sunday, Jan. 12—Bob Taylor, "The Singing Plumber," in concert at the Clarkston United Methodist Church; 4 p.m.; donation \$5; tickets at door; 6600 Waldon Rd., Independence Township. (625-1611)

Monday, Jan. 13, and Friday, Jan. 17—Melissa's Keyboard Classics begins "Musik for the Young," a preschool music class for ages 4, 5, 6; 5863 Dixie Highway, Independence Township; call 623-2455 weekdays between 3 and 5 p.m. for a brochure and more information.

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The Charter Township of Independence will hold a public hearing January 7, 1986, for citizens' comments regarding the re-allocation of 1983 Street Improvement Fund. The balance in the 1983 Street Improvement Fund is \$6,804.82.

Proposed uses of the funds are as follows:
A. \$670.27 for 1983 Senior Center Fund.
B. \$6,134.55 for 1983 Planning and Management Fund.

1. \$2,500.00 for the Downtown Development - Authority engineering and planning costs.
2. \$3,634.55 for a design guide booklet to be used for persons filing for building permits or appeals.

The public hearing will be held in the Township Annex behind the Township Hall at 90 N. Main St., Clarkston, MI, at 7:30 p.m. All Township residents are urged to attend.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE NOTICE OF APPROVED ZONING ORDINANCE

At a regularly scheduled meeting on December 17, 1985, the Township Board of the Charter Township of Independence approved amendments to the following sections of the Township Zoning Ordinance Number 83, as amended:

Sections 3.01, 8.04, 9.04, 10.05, and 11.05.
The proposed Zoning Ordinance amendments pertain to the Definition of Family.

SYNOPSIS OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS REGARDING DEFINITION OF FAMILY

PART I OF AMENDMENT - SECTION 3.01
1. Definition of domestic family.
2. Definition of functional equivalent of the domestic family.

PART II OF AMENDMENT - SECTION 3.01
1. Definition of Dwelling Unit.

PART III OF AMENDMENT - SECTION 3.01
1. Definition of Dwelling - Multiple of Multiple-Family.

PART IV OF AMENDMENT - SECTIONS 8.04, 9.04, 10.05, and 11.05

1. The following provisions would be added as a "Special Land use in Accordance with Section 5.15" in the R-1A, R-1B, R-1C, and R-1R districts:

a. The limit of six as a functional equivalent family may be increased upon demonstration by the applicant of all of the following:

1. There exists adequate provisions for off-street parking, and adequate storage for each person.
2. The extent of increase of the limit of six shall not place an unreasonable burden upon public services, facilities, and/or schools.

3. There shall be a minimum of 125 square feet of usable floor space per person on the premises.

4. If the property in question is not serviced with public water and/or sewer facilities, an approval under this subsection shall be conditioned upon approval by the Oakland County Health Department of the number of persons on the premises in relation to sanitary sewage and water facilities.

5. If the Planning Commission grants an application under this provision, the determination shall include the specific number of persons authorized to reside on the property, and any minimum parking or storage requirements to be maintained.

The motion to approve the proposed zoning text amendments was made by Stuart and supported by Holman. The motion passed unanimously. These approved zoning ordinance amendments are effective immediately upon publication.

Respectfully Submitted,
Richard A. Holman
Township Clerk

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1983 ATC 185-S, \$750. Call 625-2730. IILX20-2c

1983 STARCRAFT 16' Runabout, 60hp Evinrude motor, Shorelander trailer, many extras, excellent condition, \$6200. 627-6065. IILX52-2

TWO 1973 NORTHWAY snowmobiles: \$200 takes both, 2-place trailer, \$350. 693-7292. IILX52-2

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046-REC. EQUIP.

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CX20-4c

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GOVERNMENT Homes from \$1 (U repair). Also delinquent tax property. Call 805-687-6000, Ext. GH-5975 for information. ILLX17-8p

75-FREE

FREE 5 month old calico kitten. 693-6550. ILLX52-1f

FREE TO GOOD home, female calico cat. After 6pm, 693-0039. ILLX52-1f

WE HAVE MICHIGAN Maps. The Orion Review, 30 North Broadway, Lake Orion. ILLX51-3f

80-WANTED

ANTIQUE ROCKING Chair wanted. 628-2064 Call after 6pm. ILLX41-dh

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CX18-tfc

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WANTED: Pre-'64 Winchester, Remington, Brownings. Also quality guns. 693-6408. ILLX502

WANTED: Roommate for Metamora area. \$200 per mo. 664-8199 evenings. ILLX51-4

WANTED: Sears/Ted Williams 7.5hp outboard motor, model 574-60121 for spare parts. 391-3148. ILLX52-2

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RX52-1

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COUNTER HELP Wanted weekdays 7 to 3pm, also part time days Saturday and Sunday. Apply at Clarkston Village Bakeshop. ILLX21-2c

FREE CLERICAL computer training: Free Clerical/Secretarial, Accounting and Word Processing/Computer training. All students completing our last program were offered full time jobs. Child care facilities are available in the same building that training takes place. Applicants must have had typing training at some time. Classes begin Monday, January 27th. This class fills quickly so do not delay calling us. This is one of the best training programs available to people between the ages of 16-60. This "free" training program is for persons from Lake Orion and Orion Township who are unemployed or have low income. Applicants may also be from Auburn-Hills, Independence Township, Clarkston, Lake Angelus, Pontiac, Waterford or White Lake Township. Call 693-0050 January 2nd or 3rd, or come in to our Placement Office between 8:30-3:30pm weekdays, at 55 Elizabeth St., Lake Orion to get more information and find out if you are eligible. Lake Orion Community Schools is an Equal Opportunity Employer. ILLX52-1

MAKE MONEY working at home selling information and advertising by mail. Free details - rush self-addressed stamped envelope. Dept. A, Box 232-ES, Oxford, MI, 48051. ILLX52-2

RELIABLE PEOPLE to do janitorial work in Clarkston. 232-6676 between 3-5pm. ILLX21-2c

TEXAS OIL CO. needs mature person for short trips surrounding Oxford. Contact customers. We train. Write P.G. Dickerson, Pres., Southwestern Petroleum, Box 789, Ft. Worth, TX 76101. ILLX52-1

TEXAS OIL Company needs mature person for short trips surrounding Lake Orion. Contact customers. We train. Write: P.F. Dickerson, Pres., Southwestern Petroleum, Box 789, Ft. Worth, TX 76101. ILLX52-1

WOMAN WISHES TO babysit full or part time days. Evenings, weekends and overnight welcome. Experienced. References. 628-3699, Clarkston area. ILLX20-1p

NEEDED: Dining room waitress, and utility person. Apply 1840 W. Scripps Rd., Lake Orion. ILLX51-4

TAKE CONTROL of your life! Do you want job training, money, self-confidence and independence now? If you are 16-21, call Oxford Employment Service today! We have several openings in maintenance, food service, custodial and secretarial fields - no experience necessary. Eligible residents call 628-9220 and ask for Julie Youngs. ILLX52-1c

UNEMPLOYED? Tired of hearing "Come back when you have more experience"? If you are 16-21, we have a job for you - no experience necessary! Eligible residents call Oxford Employment Service NOW, 628-9220 and ask for Julie Youngs. The sooner you call, the sooner you'll be cashing your first paycheck! ILLX52-1c

WANTED: Dependable person to handle sidewalk snow removal at local church. Call 628-1289. ILLX51-2*

GOVERNMENT JOBS: \$16,040 - \$59,230/yr. Now hiring. Call 805-687-6000, ext. R5975 for current federal list. ILLX19-8p

HELP WANTED: High school boy with own transportation. Must be mechanically inclined. Shop courses preferred to do odd jobs after school for Plumbing and Heating business. 693-4777. ILLX47-tfc

HELP WANTED: Stock and driver. Apply at Bray Auto Parts, 1140 S. Lapeer Rd., Lake Orion. ILLX52-1c

MATURE WOMAN wanted: Full time babysitter for 2 year old, my Keatington area home. 391-4411. ILLX52-2

90-WORK WANTED

WORK WANTED

Maintenance, Remodeling/Repair, Exterior/Interior. No job too small.

CURTIS & COMPANY

627-3946

RX30-TF

CARPENTER - NEEDS WORK, garages, additions, attics, roofing, rec. room, kitchens, barn & decks. Bob 669-3448 ILLX-6-tf

WILL CLEAN HOMES and offices at affordable rates. references included. Call 391-1697. ILLX51-2

WOMAN WILL BABYSIT New Years Eve. Any age, overnight welcome. Experience, references. 628-3699 Clarkston Area. ILLX20-2c

95-TRADE

WILL SWAP well repair for anything that you may own that I can use. Fence post, riding mower, piano, etc. The Well Doctor, state licensed, 44-1800. Call 664-6079 ILLX-13-TF

100-LOST & FOUND

LOST 12/18, grey kitten, Tanview & Seymour Lake. Child heartbroken. Reward: 628-5758. ILLX52-2

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Dear Needs It:

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Dear Cat Paw:

Is there any possible way to get undercover police to go as teachers and cut down on some of the drugs? **Wondering**

Dear Wondering:

Yes, it is possible. Young police officers have even posed as students in order to crack down on drug traffic. The best and most effective way is still to simply stop the demand for drugs.

Dear Cat Paw:

How long does alcohol stay in your system?

Drinker

Dear Drinker:

About 1 ounce of liquor, 4 ounces of wine or 12 ounces of beer are metabolized per hour by the average size person. Nothing can speed up this process.

Dear Cat Paw:

I'm mad! I'm tired of being picked on because I smoke. It's my body and my business—right? **Fuming**

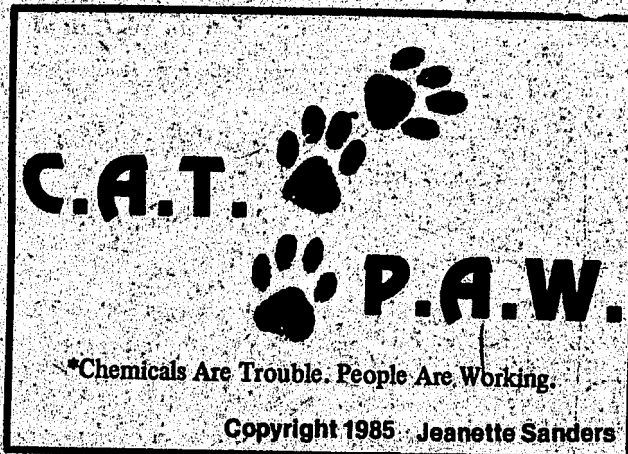
Dear Fuming:

Wrong! We now know nonsmokers can be seriously affected by nearby smokers and that makes it everyone's business. Don't look for any excuses to continue smoking from me.

Dear Cat Paw:

What are the symptoms of marijuana?

Smoker



Dear Smoker:

Persons influenced by marijuana usually exhibit bloodshot eyes, a dryness of the mouth and throat and a slightly lowered body temperature.

Blood pressure and pulse rates are typically elevated. Outbursts of laughter are common as is an increase in appetite.

Excited behavior, euphoria, hallucinations, anxiety and panic sometimes occur, depending upon the individual and the amount consumed.

The duration of the drug's effects is from one to 10 hours, depending upon the dosage and the method of ingestion. These signs of abuse are for marijuana alone, not marijuana that has been dipped.

Mall letters to Cat Paw in care of The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston, MI 48016.

Cat Paw author Jeanette Sanders, a Springfield Township resident, is a member of the Clarkston Area Chemical People, an organization devoted to the prevention of substance abuse among the community's young people.

Obituaries

Valdor L. Haglund

Valdor L. Haglund, 75, of Fenton died Dec. 21. A former Clarkston resident, he was retired from Wesley's Ice Cream Co. He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, Clawson.

Surviving are his wife, Gerda; children, Mrs. David (Yvonne) Lowe of Clarkston, Mrs. Richard (Marsha) Parker of Clarkston, Keith of Linden and Valdor Jr. of Farmington; 11 grandchildren; and sisters, Wilma Roadfeldt and Vendia Hedman, both of St. Paul, Minn.

The funeral service was held Dec. 23 at Calvary Lutheran Church, Independence Township, with the Rev. Robert Walters officiating. Burial followed in White Chapel Cemetery, Troy.

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

Memorial tributes may be made to the Calvary Lutheran Church organ fund.

Robert Lee Nelson

Robert Lee Nelson, 45, died Dec. 26 in a snowmobile accident in Lewiston. A Davisburg resident, he was known by his CB handle "Brown Bottle." He was a fork truck driver at General Motors Truck & Bus.

Surviving are his wife, Sue; parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Nelson of Lake George; grandmother, Rose LaBrie of Little Falls, Minn.; children, Robert Nelson Jr. of Drayton Plains, Candy Trobar of Pontiac, Dawn Boudreau of Upland, Calif., Lori Nelson of Las Vegas, Nev., Sandra Johnson of Minneapolis, Minn., Gaye Smith of Millford, Jerry Smith of Pontiac, Cindy Hiatt of Colorado, Cheryl Sasser of Millford, Jackie LaPrate of Colorado and Marry Morris of Pontiac; brother, Gary Nelson of Waterford; and sisters, Hazel Griffin of Davisburg and Arlene Grant of Farwell.

The memorial mass was held Dec. 30 at Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church. Burial followed in Lakeview Cemetery, Independence Township.

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