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Building surge adds up to students

By Kathy Greenfield

For years, enrollment projections for Clarkston Community Schools have been close to the mark, but that is likely to change this year.

"The indication is that elementary enrollment is up considerably," said Superintendent Milford Mason following the first few days of school.

Before school started on Aug. 27, Mason was predicting higher than expected enrollment in kindergarten, which is the only grade level where early registrations are actively pursued.

Last year, there were 429 kindergarten pupils in the district and the projected number for 1986-87 is 464. To accommodate the higher number of kindergartners, three sections were added.

Last year, enrollment in grades K-12 was 6,012. The projection for the 1986-87 school year was 5,858, or a decrease of 104 enrollments.

State aid to the district is based on the number of enrollments on the fourth Friday of September, and it's too early to guess what the actual numbers will be, Mason said.

While it is known, for example, that 40 more students than expected have enrolled at Clarkston Junior High School, "what becomes the unknown is how many people are leaving the system because parents have been transferred to another school district," he said.

Mason attributes the increase in enrollment to the building surge under way in Independence Township, and he expects the new housing to continue influencing enrollment figures.

"As I view the development around, the houses are in various stages of construction and families won't be occupying until October, November, December," he said. "I expect we will get a larger

number than normal after September, the fourth Friday."

According to a township building department spokesperson, 166 building permits for single family homes were issued during 1985 compared to 219 by mid-August this year. Likewise, 48 certificates of occupancy were issued in 1985 and by mid-August the number for 1986 had reached 98.

At the Sept. 8 board of education meeting, a preliminary enrollment report will be made. At that point, the district may be adding classes, especially at the elementary-school level, Mason said.

Planners OK new building

By Carolyn Walker

The Independence Township Planning Commission voted to approve a new medical building Thursday night.

In less than a half hour, the commissioners voted 6-0 to approve Clarkston Specialty Building for the southwest corner of Dixie Highway and Parview Road.

The only comment uttered was by commissioner John Gray, who described the project and its landscaping as "fantastic."

"It's a situation where you and us are going to be proud," Gray said.

David Katz, the petitioner and architect for the development and a former member of the commission, explained why the site plan approval went so smoothly after the meeting.

The matter had been discussed and problems ironed out in subcommittee meetings, and it had been reviewed by the township engineers and planner, he said.

Conceptual and final site plan approval were given pending a parking variance by the zoning board of appeals.

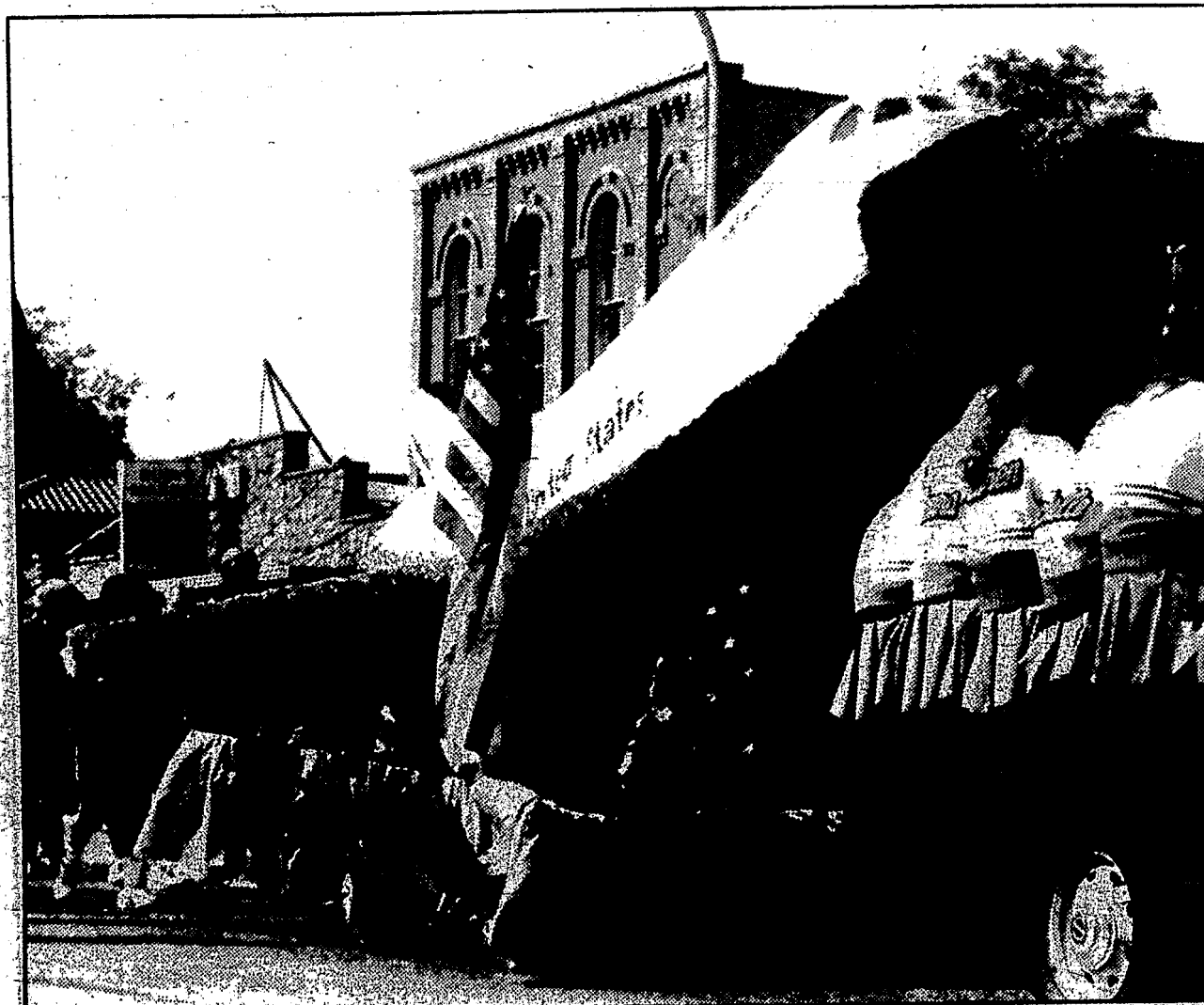
Katz must go before the ZBA for a variance to permit two-and-one-half parking spaces in the front yard setback.

The developer of the building is Dr. Mark E. Frenchi, D.D.S., who currently has a practice on M-15.

It is proposed that the 6,800-foot building will house three suites on one floor and will be constructed of brick with wood and glass trim, Katz said.

In his motion to approve the project, Chairman Neil Wallace included a request that the ZBA give "favorable consideration" to the parking variance request.

Commissioner Carol Balzarini was absent.



FLOAT DAY: The Clarkston Chiefs follow behind their Labor Day float, a tribute to the crew of the space shuttle Challenger. The float

came in second in the voting, behind the Boy Scouts' Birthday Cake float. [Photo by Chris Gerbas]

Sheriff's log

Monday, Aug. 25, a color television and several shotguns were stolen from a residence on Foster Road, Independence Township.

Monday, a generator was taken from Waterford Baptist Church, Maybee Road, Independence Township.

Monday, welding torches, gauges and tanks were stolen from Pontiac Steel on Dixie Highway, Independence Township.

Monday, a rock was thrown through a window at M & R Drugs on Sashabaw Road, Independence Township.

Monday, a bow was stolen from a garage on Geyette Road, Independence Township.

Monday, a leather jacket, afghan, tapes, a bracelet and an Anchor Bay Pom Pon jacket were stolen from a car in the Pine Knob parking lot, Sashabaw Road, Independence Township.

Monday, a wallet with \$150 and a license plate were stolen from a car on Rohr Road, Independence Township.

Monday, a house window was broken on Deewood Road, Independence Township.

Tuesday, distributor wires were ripped out of a car on Mary Sue Street, Independence Township.

Tuesday, there was an attempted theft of a car on Sashabaw Road, Independence Township.

Tuesday, a car window was broken out on Dixie Highway, Independence Township.

Tuesday, lumber was stolen from the Lake

Oakland Woods subdivision, Independence Township.

Wednesday, a car stereo was stolen on Big Lake Road, Springfield Township.

Wednesday, a door was shot with a pistol on French Lane, Springfield Township. The door was unarmored. No word yet on its condition.

Wednesday, someone failed to pay for \$11 worth of gas at the Clark Station on Sashabaw Road, Independence Township.

Thursday, a stereo, microwave, VCR and tools were stolen from a residence on Bigelow Road, Springfield Township.

Friday, a BMX bike was stolen on Parview Road, Independence Township.

Friday, a radar detector was stolen from a car on Hawkmore Court, Independence Township.

Friday, a rock was thrown through a van window at Bowman Chevrolet, Dixie Highway, Independence Township.

Saturday, criminals went to Happy Hour.

Sunday, Aug. 31, two cars were damaged at Bowman Chevrolet, Dixie Highway, Independence Township. The car windows were smashed and the steering columns damaged.

Sunday, a car stereo was stolen on Dixie Highway, Independence Township.

Sunday, a car stereo and speakers were taken on Heath Road, Independence Township.

Monday, Sept. 1, crime did not take a holiday. Two car batteries were stolen, one on Oakgrove, one on Edgewood, both in Independence Township.

Monday, a car radio and tools were taken from a car on Hillandale Road, Independence Township.

Monday, a wicker swing was stolen from a house on North Main Street, Independence Township.

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

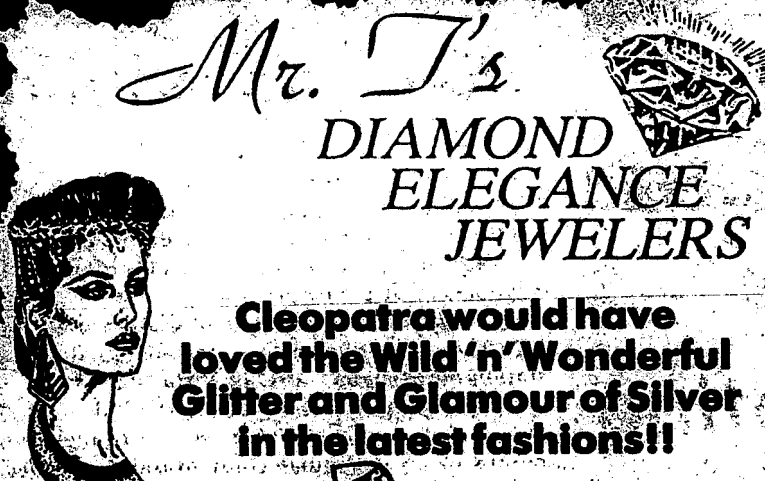
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Dixie strip wins 'downtown' status

By Carolyn Walker

It's official. The Downtown Development Authority (DDA) for Independence Township is to be established.

At a special meeting Aug. 26, the township board held its second reading to authorize the district, as mandated by the township's charter status. A first reading and vote was taken on Aug. 7.

The next step will be a search for citizens to serve on the DDA board, according to Supervisor Frank Ronk.

The DDA is to extend from the southern-most boundary of the township on Dixie Highway north to Deer Lake Road and has been drawn to eliminate several residential areas.

According to Ronk, property at White Lake Road, now owned by Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital and proposed for a hospital, was also removed from the boundaries.

In the past, Neil Wallace, chairman of the planning commission, had said including the site in the DDA would pre-suppose the township was in favor of

the hospital before site plans had been properly reviewed.

A motion to withdraw the Northcrest Condominium site on Dixie from the boundaries was withdrawn when citizens said they wanted to remain in the district to benefit their sewer system, Ronk said.

At a previous public hearing, some citizens had asked that Northcrest be removed from the district because they feared a tax increase.

The township has proposed the district to collect funds for the upgrading of sewers and landscaping. In a DDA, tax assessments are captured and returned to the district for improvements.

The amount returned is based on the difference between initial state equalized valuations of businesses, which are frozen, and subsequent valuations made after the values rise.

At the meeting, several prominent businessmen explained why they were in favor of the DDA, Ronk said. They included Jim Brennan, Forrest Milzow, Lew Wint, Dr. James O'Neill and Tom Rademacher.

The businessmen were advised of the meeting personally by Treasurer John Lutz and Clerk Richard Holman, Ronk said.

"We thought it was important to have both sides there," Ronk said, referring to past meetings where several citizens spoke against the DDA.

After the meeting, during a phone interview, Rademacher explained why he is in favor of the district.

"I think it's a very progressive move on our part," he said. "It's an opportunity to go and improve what really should be the business district."

The district will "clean up" the area and provide several advantages, especially the construction of sewers to correspond with the Dixie and M-15 road improvements, he said.

"Really," he said, "I'm sold on the idea."

First rezoning, then remodeling

By Carolyn Walker

Max Kennedy views the situation he's in as being "between a rock and a hard place."

But the Independence Township Planning Commission said it is just doing its job.

Kennedy is an employee of Clark Oil and Refining Corp., which hopes to do remodeling to its service station on Sashabaw at Oak Vista roads.

The proposed remodeling includes changing three existing pumps, which are in a triangle, to four pumps in a rectangular configuration; and the construction of a canopy over them for the protection of customers, Kennedy said.

His request for site plan remodeling was denied by the commission because of complications arising from the zoning of the site.

Currently, it is zoned C3, commercial. For improvements to be made, it must be rezoned MS, multiple service.

Rezoning means a trip before the township board, Kennedy said. In addition, he must petition the zoning board of appeals for a variance because the property's road frontage, at 140 feet, is 10 feet short of the township's requirements.

"We're offering the accommodations, supplies and services to the motorist," said Kennedy, who indicated he did not want to go before several boards if he didn't have to.

"We want to be allowed to upgrade our service station. I am not increasing the nonconforming use of this service station," he said.

Township Planner Richard Carlisle disagreed, however.

Expansion of the pumps expands the nonconforming use, he said, to which Chairman Neil Wallace added, "We don't have the power to make the exception."

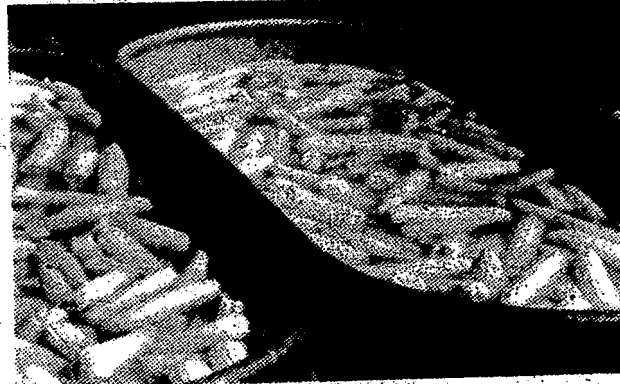
Wallace made a motion to deny the request and set a public hearing for rezoning to MS on Sept. 25. The commission voted 6-0 to pass the motion.



Photos by Chris Gerbas

Season's finest

A good old-fashioned corn roast was put on by good old-fashioned American Legion members after the parade activities had ended. They shucked a lot of corn, enough to fill up these two huge pots and then some.



Bridge repairs stir debate at Clarkston Council meeting

Repairs to the Pinehurst Bridge continue to be a source of debate at Clarkston Village Council meetings.

On Aug. 25, discussion covered the lack of building permits when the bridge was repaired, a request for financial help from the village and a call for an engineering analysis to ensure that the new structure is sound.

Bud Campbell, a resident of the private Pinehurst Road, asked the village to pay for half of the \$3,700 repair cost.

"The village doesn't own the bridge," said council President Sharron Catallo.

Campbell countered that the bridge connects a private road with the village road, so the ownership should be divided at the halfway point on the bridge.

Several council members voiced disagreement. Trustee James Schultz asked if Campbell had a building permit.

A building permit isn't necessary, said Campbell, since he only repaired the bridge and didn't build a new one or install a culvert.

A permit is necessary for reasons of safety, said village attorney John Steckling.

"The village, unfortunately, has the responsibility of the structural integrity of the bridge. But it's not the responsibility of the village to pay the cost," he said.

At an earlier meeting, the council had asked Campbell to seek engineering approval of the plan before construction began, said Schultz.

"I'm not spending \$3,000 of people's money for a blueprint that can be drawn up in 15 minutes, said Campbell. "You figure it out."

Steckling recommended having the village engineer assess the bridge and have Campbell pay the fees or special assess the fees to the residents of Pinehurst Road.

"I recommend we order the analysis (now) because we're liable no matter who pays for it, and then assess the residents," said Trustee William Basinger.

"I can see the village council gives the residents of the village a lot of credit and a lot of help, which is none," said Campbell.

"You own your house, too," said Basinger. "If you had decided to build an addition on your house, you would have had to pull permits."

Before discussion ended, Campbell and the council members had reached a reconciliation.

"I don't have anything personal against any of you," said Campbell. "When this village needs help and asks for help from the citizens, they will get help from me."

The council voted 6-0 to seek a structural analysis of the bridge from the engineer. Trustee Eric Haven was absent.

In the parade

Photos by Chris Gerbasl



Stu McTeer stands tall beside his replica of the Guttenberg Press on The Clarkston News' float entry. The float, with the slogan "Independence

Means a Free Press," won the President's Award.



Members of the Michigan Missing in Action group marched to help people remember that there are still American soldiers missing overseas. The group won the Theme Award for its demonstration.



Members of the Springfield Christian Academy girls basketball team lead that school's contingent, including teams and cheerleaders, down the street.



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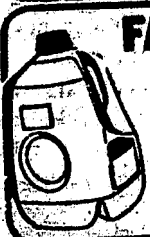
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Opinions

Time to rejoice

Kathy Greenfield



The chilling call came after midnight. It was the call every parent with teens on the road dreads.

Our son was in a car accident, and he was unconscious and in serious condition.

The accident took place in Ohio and he was in a hospital in Oregon, a suburb of Toledo. It took us over an hour to get there.

What followed was a round-the-clock vigil. He spent four days in intensive care and two days in a regular room. The chunk of time was like an eternity.

We know now that he'll recover 100 percent, a fact we didn't know for several days. It was the most frightening experience we, as parents, have ever faced.

The accident happened when our son, the driver, fell asleep on the way home from Cedar Point. When he awoke and tried to steer the car back on the road, he lost control and was hit by a car traveling the opposite direction on the two-lane highway.

We'll be forever thankful that his friend riding in the passenger's seat was not hurt. Likewise, we're thankful they were wearing their seat belts. One of our son's doctor told him that fact saved his life.

We have heard of two other serious accidents that happened when young people fell asleep during the drive home after a tiring day at Cedar Point.

I'm not sure I'd allow the trip knowing what I now know, but if I did, the drive home would follow a night in a motel.

We are thankful for caring friends, neighbors and coworkers whose many kindnesses and thoughts and prayers helped more than they will ever know.

And we are rejoicing at the sound of our son's voice, his laughter and his winning, as usual, at three-handed pinochle.

ALL ABOUT TOWN



Editor's note: Words of inspiration were offered by Student Council President Maggie Sans during 10th-grade orientation Aug. 20 at Clarkston High School. CHS Assistant Principal Jan Gabier was so impressed that she asked us to share Maggie's speech with our readers.

By Maggie Sans

On behalf of the student body, I would like to welcome the Class of 1989 to Clarkston High School.

I'm sure all of you are excited and maybe a little nervous as everyone is when they start high school, but I want to reassure you that you have a great three years ahead of you.

In spite of any doubts you may be having about what to expect, we have a good bunch of students and a staff that isn't totally unreasonable.

Clarkston High School is a good place to be—we have a faculty and student body that are proud of their school. That pride comes mainly from two



"You can have some of the greatest times of your life by becoming involved . . ."

—Maggie Sans

things, a positive attitude and widespread participation.

The attitude, or school spirit, at Clarkston is built in a couple of different ways.

There are opportunities to become involved in school activities, remembering that supporting the band, sports, plays and clubs is as important as joining them.

Guest commentary

Mutual respect for other classmates and staff members is another way of creating an atmosphere that allows the school to work as a whole—and most important of all is the good feeling that comes from academic achievement.

School spirit is important for several good reasons, mainly because it makes being in school fun; and it also reflects our good image to the community and to the neighboring schools.

Participation is the other way that Clarkston shows its pride. Because the high school is twice as big as the junior highs, there are twice the opportunities.

You'll find that there is a greater variety of academic courses, a sports program designed to cover a wide range of interests, and enough boys—I mean new faces—to expand your social life dramatically, and that is important, too.

The key to having these successful years is to follow the old rule that "the more you put into something, the more you get out of it."

You can have some of the greatest times of your life by becoming involved with some of the possibilities that high school offers.

Also, I want to remind you that student council is the organization of the school whose purpose is to represent the entire student body.

We revolve around your ideas, compliments and complaints, so if you ever have any of the three, be sure to bring them to our attention.

I wish you the best of luck and many great experiences throughout your high school years.

Clarkston High School has a lot to offer, and this is your chance to make the best of it!

Jim's Jottings



Jim Sherman

It dawned on me that summer was over when it was suddenly dark at dawn. The minute of daylight we were losing each day since June 21 added up too quickly.

The realization that fall-winter is coming prompts me to write, "You know summer's over when . . ."

It's Labor Day.

Convertibles look out of place.

You get a phone call asking if they can do your snow plowing.

You know summer is over when the crabgrass in your lawn starts turning a glorious purple, and your lawn can go more than a week without mowing.

Sweaters feel more comfortable on the golf course.

Elderberries are ripe in the swamp.

You see your first Prestone anti-freeze ad.

You know summer is over when you have to put your robe on to go out for the morning paper instead of going out in your shorty pajamas.

When fuzzy caterpillars walk by and I examine their rings for signs of winter's length.

You know summer is over when sports pages switch from talk of world series for the Tigers to predicting playoffs for the Lions. Gone is Gibson, Lions long for Long.

Cities let salt bids.

Corduroy sounds good.

Beard stubbles start appearing on deer hunter faces.

Ski shops boast numerous bargains.

Your daughter tells you the store she's working in has to have it's Christmas shop ready by Sept. 29.

You know summer is over when short sleeve dress shirts, white belts and white shoes look out of place.

When 'pure wool' commercials start appearing on television.

When re-runs finally are stopped by the networks . . . and, after viewing the new shows, you yearn for the re-runs.

When you wonder why in the world you bought a pontoon boat that has to be taken from the water each winter.

When you realize the quietness in the neighborhood is due to schools having started.

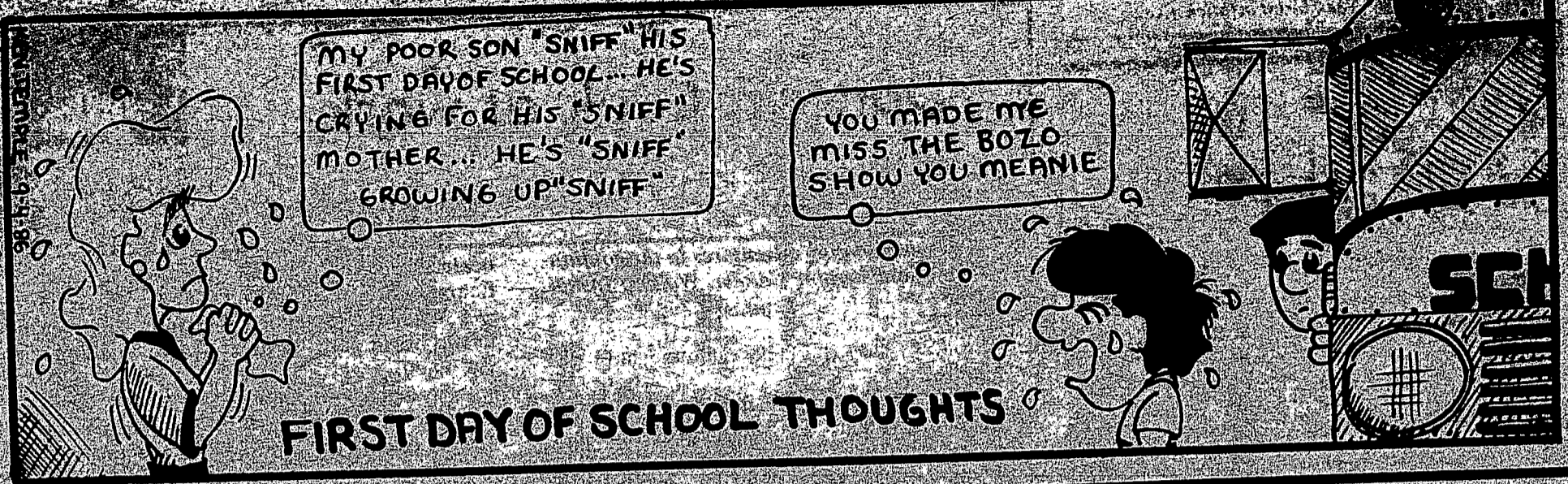
You know summer is over when the first brown leaf falls, and you wonder if the wind will rake your lawn for you.

When car companies announce new car showings.

When salmon start their run.

When tomato vines die, and you haven't had your fill yet, and sweet corn stands disappear.

You know summer is over in an election year for too many obvious reasons: when church attendance goes up, when Florida starts coming into conversations, when garage sales become holiday bazaars, when hats come out of the closet, when fireplaces are rediscovered, and when rosy cheeks look better than fading tans.



-Editorial-

Statistics on aging Americans provoke many questions

From Modern Maturity magazine come these facts on aging:

- 210 Americans reach age 100 each week.
- 56,000 people past 65 get married every year.
- 10,000 get divorced.
- One of six elders has children age 65 or over.
- The world's 60-plus population was 376 million in 1980. In 40 years it will top 1 billion.
- At the turn of the century, the average male spent 3 percent of his lifetime in retirement; in this decade he is spending 20 percent.
- Almost two-thirds of all workers retire before age 65.
- Over half of the oldest-old (85-plus) report no physical disability whatsoever.
- End of Modern Maturity article.
- The shifting of age groups in America is getting a lot of attention these days. (Not however by our legislature.) Right now the larger age group is providing funds (taxes) to support the smaller age group.
- In the next 10 years the current major-tax-paying group will need to be supported by the smaller, minority age group. How will that be possible? That, of course, is the million dollar question not being addressed by political powers.
- How will education be financed, for instance? How will social security and other pension programs

be funded? Population analysts say in the next ten years, people living on fixed incomes, who pay \$3,500 a year in property taxes, will be unable to own their homes.

When that happens, where will government get

the money to provide services that seem vital today? Education. Social welfare. Transportation. Indeed, pensions from government jobs.

Undoubtedly, these questions are being addressed in academic halls and think tanks. Hopefully, this is true. They are not new figures. JAS

-Letter to the editor-

Now, the syrup

On behalf of myself and the Independence Township Firefighters Association, I would like to extend my appreciation and thanks to all for a very successful Labor Day pancake breakfast. The help received from the wives, girlfriends, newspapers, area cable services—the list could go on—was greatly appreciated.

I would especially like to thank those of you who stood in line patiently without which the morning would not have been possible. Your generosity is surely felt throughout the Muscular Dystrophy Association, as well as through the department.

Sincerely,
Robert Cesario, President
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'If it Fitz . . .'

'Extra sister'

Jim Fitzgerald

When I write about Suzy Moons, I call her my extra sister. I have four actual sisters — no brothers — and I need an extra sister as much as Terrible Jean needs a motel guide.

Terrible Jean, my by-far-the-oldest sister, has spent most of her long, long life making friends with strangers from out of town so she can stay in their homes whenever she happens to be spending a month passing through their front door. She thinks a room clerk is the K mart employee who makes space for more merchandise to be displayed.

Anyway, the four sisters have always picked on me unmercifully. When we were children, the three youngest took advantage of the fact that I was raised to believe boys never hit girls, no matter how cruel the provocation. Terrible Jean took advantage of the fact that she played both right and left end on the neighborhood football team — at the same time. I couldn't even watch the games from the bleachers because I was so skinny I kept slipping between the cracks and falling to the ground where dogs buried me.

So I've certainly never felt the need for an extra sister to fill in when one of the real sisters was unable to be present at a family beat-up-on-Jim gathering. However, Suzy Moons often performed that function with great animation during our adult years, never tiring of des-

cribing the time I was a 10-year-old cowboy who rode into her front yard on a garden rake. I soon rode out backward — "He backed all the way home and it was three blocks," she howled — because the rake ripped the seat out of my pants.

Suzy and I were the same age and thrown together at infancy — whether we liked it or not — because our parents were best friends. Parents always want their children to marry the children of their best friends. When the parents of the bride and groom belong to the same dance and bridge clubs, they have the same friends, and this cuts down tremendously on the number of people you have to invite to the wedding.

It never worked out that way, although I was certainly willing. Suzy was the prettiest girl in Port Huron, but I wasn't the only boy to notice it. I was, though, the only boy Suzy knew who had good reason to worry about being buried by a dog under the bleachers.

Suzanne Reid married Bob Moons and they had six gorgeous daughters. Those daughters were grown and mostly scattered, when, several months ago, it became apparent their mother was losing a long fight against cancer. Suzy didn't want to die in a hospital. So all six daughters came home to care for her and make it possible for her to die at home.

By just hanging around, I've become a member of the oldest surviving generation of my family. I've reached the age in which I made a mental list of the people I love whose funerals I don't want to attend. Selfishly, I want to go first. Suzy was on that list.

But, like our parents' plan for our marriage, it didn't work out that way. During Suzy's funeral recently, it suddenly occurred to me that she was my oldest friend. That is, when Suzy died, she'd known me longer than any other friend alive had. (Not counting Terrible Jean, of course, who has known the whole world longer than anyone else has.)

It was a fine Irish wake. Dozens of Suzy's friends drove from a Birmingham church to attend graveside services in Emmett, the Ireland of Michigan. At the afterglow, countless Suzy stories were told, most of them concerning her sense of humor (her favorite activity was water fights). She kept laughing until the very last. When she could barely see, speak, hear or move, she was still making jokes to make things easier on her family.

The only time I cried was when everyone sang "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling." But I will probably cry again when, headed for the next family gathering, I remember there's no chance at all that my extra sister will be there.



SONYA TO APPEAR IN OXFORD: Syndicated talk show host Sonya Friedman, Ph.D., will talk about women, teenage daughters and the family unit at Oxford High School. Her presentation, "What's Happened to the Happy Family," will start at 7 p.m. Sept. 17. Friedman is the host of the show "Sonya." Advance tickets cost \$6 a person or family and \$8 at the door. The program is sponsored by the Oxford/Addison Youth Assistance Committee and the Community Health Care Center. For more information, call 628-3000.

Treasurer's meeting

Springfield Township Treasurer Pat Kramer will attend an annual treasurer's conference in Traverse City in late September.

The tuition and other expenses for the township will be about \$250 for the three-day trip.

Danger. Cook at work

Carolyn Walker



The never-ending adventures in the continuing saga of our heroine Carolyn Walker: Installment Five.

Readers, beware. This column could give you indigestion.

Early this spring, after badgering The Perfectionist about the hundreds-of-radishes-only garden that he planted last year, I decided to start my own. My first.

I spent Memorial Day selecting and planting a variety of vegetable plants and seeds, looking forward to the time when we would enjoy fresh greens on our kitchen table.

I even made secret plans to bake lots of delicious zucchini bread.

Friday, the time arrived to grind those zukes and set to baking.

With The Teenager off to school, I had free reign of the radio and kitchen. I turned on my favorite station and began to work, Elvis accompanying me in the background with, "The Wonder of You."

Right off the bat(ter) I had trouble. The food processor wouldn't cut up the zucchinies. I tried my blender next and they got stuck on the blades.

After laboring for quite some time over the blender, I managed to grind them up.

It was then time to collect the other ingredients. I opened the upper cupboard and had to duck a flying box of fig newtons.

Regaining my composure after the cookie attack, I decided to make a double batch of batter. That meant six cups of flour.

I tossed it into the batter, turned on the

beaters, and found myself surrounded by a white flour cloud, gasping for air.

When the fog settled, I poured the batter into two bread pans, thinking that it wouldn't rise too much.

So much for thinking.

The pans hadn't been in the oven 10 minutes when a thick black smoke filled the air.

Time for a peek, I thought.

I opened the oven door and was greeted by zucchini batter running over the pans, down the racks and onto the oven floor, where a mound, in its infant stages, was pulsing, rising and cooking.

Hmmm.

I decided to remove the pans and racks and clean up the mess before completing the baking process. Naturally, I burned myself.

Some two hours later, the zucchini bread with crisp brown tops, bulging sides and swayed middles, was still not done.

I then took one pan out of the oven, banged the bread out of the well-greased-and-floured pan for a test, cut it in two and found mush at its core.

Needs more baking, I thought (this on a recipe that called for one hour).

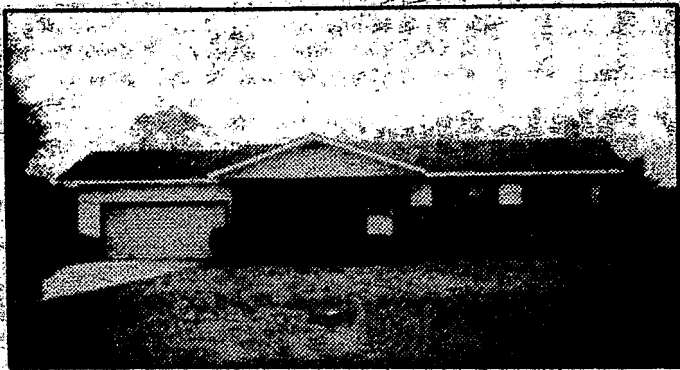
I then piled the two halves, on end, back in the pan and gave them another 20 minutes.

Fortunately, I completed my task before The Teenager and The Perfectionist arrived home for the day.

A hint of cinnamon in the air, they turned eagerly to the kitchen and eyed the loaves.

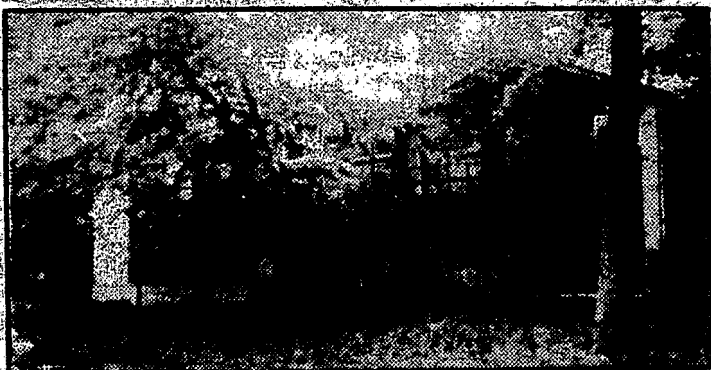
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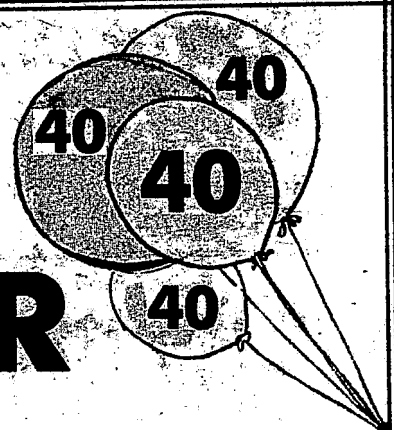
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BANG A GONG: The Scottish were represented by a kilt-clad, drum-banging group.

Parents can go 'back to school' at Clarkston's two junior high schools

Communication will be easier for parents of junior high school students who participate in the "Back-to-School Nights" Thursday, Sept. 11.

The sessions for parents only will begin at 7 p.m. at Clarkston and Sashabaw junior highs in the school gymnasiums.

A brief message and directions will be given by Principal Duane Lewis at CJHS and Principal Gus Birtsas at SJHS.

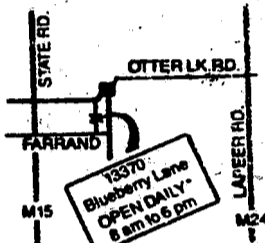
Parents will then be excused to follow their children's schedules and meet their teachers, who will

explain their curricular programs, objectives and expectations in their classes.

Time will not permit individual conferences or discussion with the faculty, but parent-teacher conferences will follow on Oct. 2 and 3 in both junior highs.

Both schools will have an in-service day for teachers on Friday, Sept. 12, following the Back-to-School Nights, and there will be no school for junior high school students that date.

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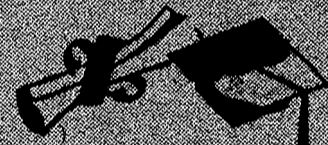
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By Chris Gerbasl

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John Kevirtis of Clarkston was among the 22 volunteer drivers who made the trip to Atlanta and its hay distribution center.

"It was a terrific trip," said Kevirtis. "It was all volunteer. We left Friday night and got there Saturday afternoon at about 2:30. Then we left at 6 the next morning and got home at 11:30 (p.m.)."

All lodging and food for the drivers was also donated for the cause.

In all, there were 10 semis and 12 pick-up trucks involved in the trip. The drivers were from C-P-C and suppliers such as Jones Transfer, Highway Garage, Customer First and Commodore Cartage.

"It was worthwhile, the farmers are out of hay," said Kevirtis. "Next they're going to haul hay up north. They've got an awful drought up there."

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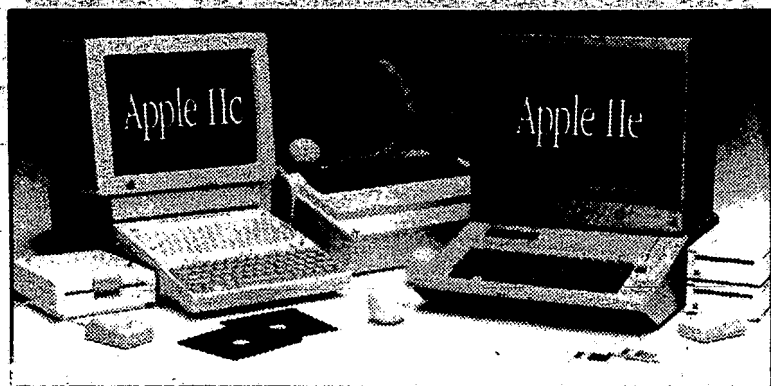
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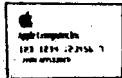
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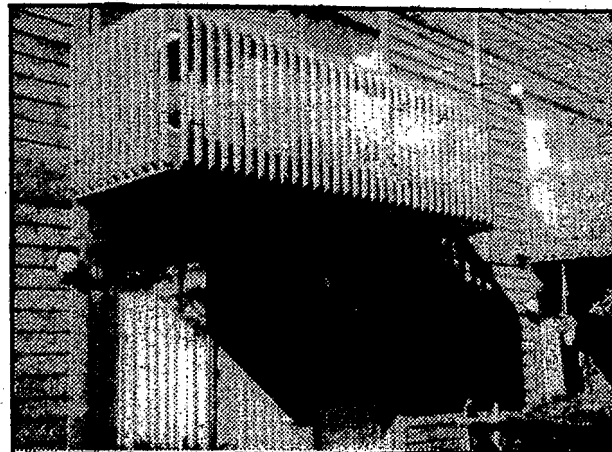


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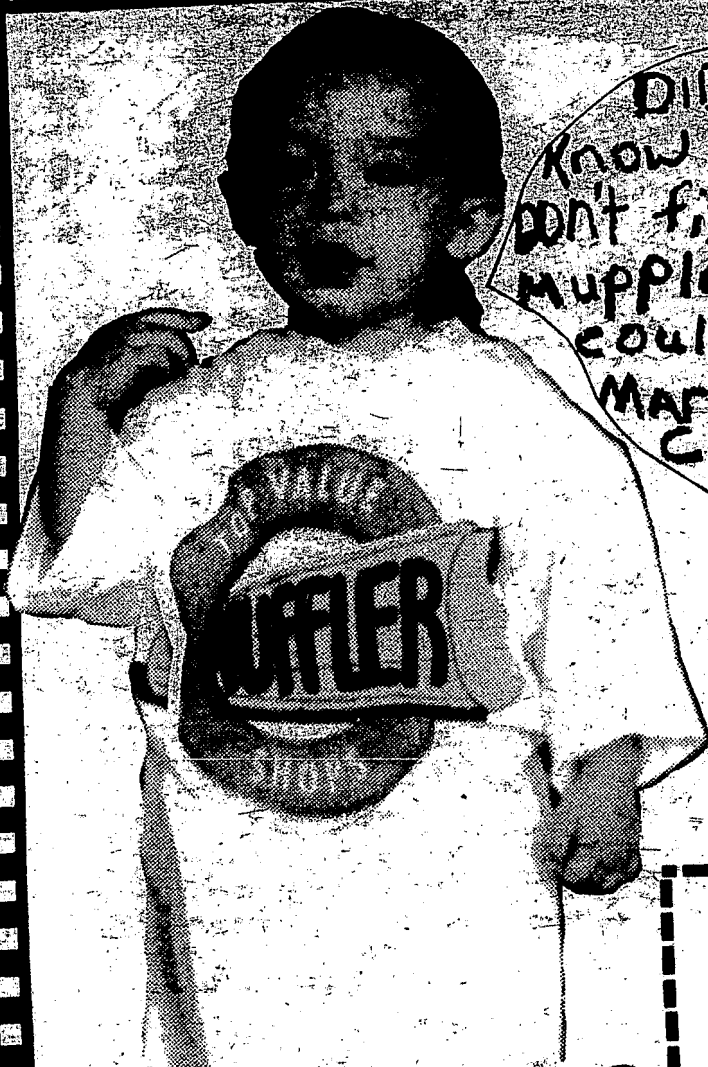


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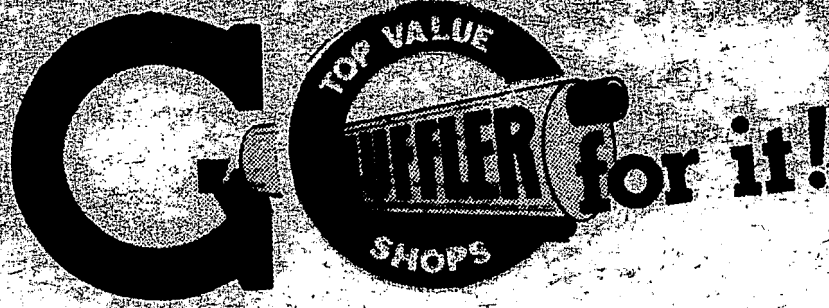
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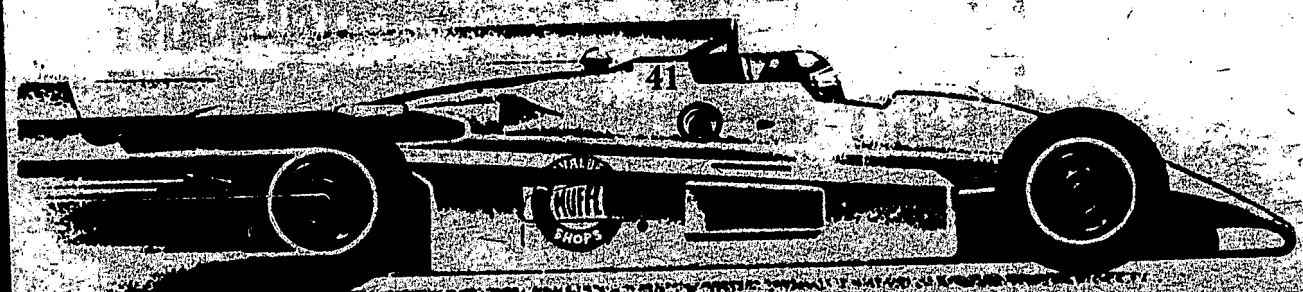
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 Clarkston at Romeo, 7 p.m.
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 Clarkston at Milford, 4 p.m.
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FRIDAY, SEPT. 5
Varsity Football
 Romeo at Clarkston, 7:30 p.m.
JV Soccer
 Novi Christian at Springfield Christian, 4 p.m.
Jr. High Soccer
 Springfield Christian at Bethany Christian, 4 p.m.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 6
Soccer
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MONDAY, SEPT. 8
Girls Tennis
 Clarkston at Milford, 3:30 p.m.

Jr. High Soccer
 Springfield Christian at Baptist Park, 4:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 9
Girls Varsity/JV Basketball
 West Bloomfield at Clarkston, 6 p.m.
 Springfield Christian at Genesee Christian, 4 p.m.
Golf
 Waterford Kettering at Clarkston, 3 p.m.
Soccer
 Clarkston at Springfield Christian Quad, 4 p.m.
Jr. High Girls Basketball
 Clarkston at Howell, 6 p.m.
Jr. High Soccer
 Springfield Christian at Genesee Christian, 5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 10
Soccer
 Clarkston at Lapeer West, 4:30 p.m.
Girls Tennis
 Clarkston at Pontiac Northern, 4 p.m.
Jr. High Football
 Clarkston at Sashabaw, 6:30 p.m.
Jr. High Girls Basketball
 Milford at Sashabaw, 4 p.m.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 11
Girls Varsity/JV Basketball
 Clarkston at Rochester Adams, 5:30 p.m.
Golf
 Lake Orion at Clarkston, 3 p.m.
Cross Country
 Clarkston at Pontiac Northern, 4 p.m.
JV Football
 Clarkston at South Lyon, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 12
Varsity Football
 South Lyon at Clarkston, 7:30 p.m.
Soccer
 Clarkston at Springfield Christian Quad
Girls Tennis
 Waterford Kettering at Clarkston, 4 p.m.
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 Valley Christian at Springfield Christian, 5:30 p.m.
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CHEERING HONORS: The Clarkston High School junior varsity cheerleaders pose for a picture. This summer, the squad won ribbons for gymnastics, partner stunts, home cheer, pyramids and voice at the Oakland University summer camp, said Coach Gayle Conwell. The team placed first in a preliminary round of competition and second in the final round, qualifying them for a place in the national competition in December in Nashville, Tenn. Members are: captain Kyle Powell, co-captain Pam Conwell, Wendy Evans, Tina Johnson, Tammy Lee, Tanya Munsil, Christine Serb and Tammy Smith. Powell also received an individual award for spirit.

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McInnis paces Wolves

Girls win opening CC meet

Sports

By Chris Gerbasi

The first fall sports event of the season was a success for Clarkston's Kathleen McInnis last week.

The all-stater opened up the cross country schedule with a victory in the Second Annual Rochester Adams Invitational at Oakland University.

McInnis ran the 3.1 mile course in 20 minutes, 19 seconds, ahead of Cheryl Leitch of Oxford, who ran 20:35.

The Wolves' Melissa Elfes was third (21:08) and Kate Conlen was sixth

(22:14) as Clarkston had the best team finish.

The Wolves had 36 points, based on their top five runners, Lake Orion had 53 points, Oxford had 67 and Adams had 42 with just four runners. Avondale had dropped out of the meet.

Clarkston's boys squad did not fare as well, trailing behind Adams, Oxford and Lake Orion. Brian Baert ran 13th for the Wolves.

"We approached this meet as a scrimmage or preliminary meet," said Clarkston co-coach Mike Kaul.

"We didn't expect 110 percent," he said. "Some runners were not ready because they haven't practiced enough. Obviously, some of our girls were ready for the race."

"I took it as more than just a scrimmage," said McInnis, who also won the event last year with the exact

same time. "I thought my main competition would be my own team. I felt really good, I didn't get tired at all really."

Elfes worked hard this summer including two weeks at a camp conducted by former Birmingham Seaholm track coach Kermit Ambrose.

"I felt really strong," Elfes said of the race. "It was pretty good for the first meet. I was surprised at my time."

Conlen, a transfer student from Oxford, was running against her old teammates for the first time.

"It kind of brought back old memories," she said. "I didn't feel like I needed to go out and beat them. I was friends with a lot of them and it was just good, friendly competition."

Junior Amy Rice was 11th for Clarkston (23:42) and sophomores Nichole Chinavare (25:08) and Emily Winfield (25:15) ran 15th and 16th, respectively.

"That was an excellent time for her (Rice)," Kaul said. "And the two sophomores did a very nice job. We're very encouraged."

Baert finished the boys race in 18:52, good for 13th. Lake Orion's Cliff Dwelle won the race, setting a new course record.

The Wolves' Dan Reed improved 10 spots over last year's race. He was 22nd this time around with a 20:06 time.

"Baert we expected to run well," said Kaul. "Dan did a good job. I thought he did well for not running that much (this summer)."

Rounding out the boys results were Jim Hotary at 28th, Rod Swanson, 29th, Scott Graham, 30th, Kevin Baert, 32nd and Kent Hansen, 33rd.



A member of Clarkston's boys cross country team roots on the Wolves' girl runners at the start of

last Thursday's meet at Oakland University. Kathleen McInnis eventually won the 5K race for

Clarkston. Brian Baert ran 13th for the Wolves in the boys race.

Crystal clear

Lem was a gem

Chris Gerbasi

I had nothing better to do last Friday night than watch the Lions-Bengals exhibition football game. It was a good game for an exhibition, but that's not what this column is about.

Broadcasting the game was Lem Barney, one of the Lions' all-time greats. The fact that he's not in the Hall of Fame is an insult and I take it personally because Lem is one of my all-time favorite athletes.

I always had mixed emotions about this time of year. I hated going back to school with a capital "H". Make that all caps. But I didn't mind putting away the bat and glove and bringing out the football.

We'd go down and play four-on-four or whatever on the Rosedale Elementary lawn or one of the fields in back of it. On offense, I'd be maybe Charlie Sanders or Fred Bilentnokoff. But on defense I would become Lem Barney.

Nothing in sports has ever been more exciting than watching Barney return a punt or an interception.

A run by him could last 10 minutes. He was not unlike a playground player in that regard, zigzagging

across the field, changing direction, twisting, turning, running circles around the opposition. He was sleek and slick, quick and graceful.

And I would try to emulate him at Rosedale. On a kickoff or a rare punt (you'd always go for it in a pick-up game because chances were you'd make the first down) I'd catch the ball and take off to one side of the field.

If that side was blocked off, I'd cut back to the other side, always just one step ahead of would-be tacklers, just like Lem. In my mind, anyway.

A pass play in a pick-up game could go on forever if you didn't have enough players to rush the quarterback. So the receivers would just run around in circles and the quarterback would wait until one of the defenders got too tired to keep up. Of course, 8-year-olds never get too tired.

As Lem, I would wait for the opportune time on defense; I'd lull the quarterback into thinking my man was open and then with a burst of speed, I'd jump in front of the pass and begin my Barney routine again. Just like Lem.

I've said it before that the Lions are my favorite Detroit team, even though they're also the most frustrating.

But when I first started following sports in 1970, the Lions had their best season of the last 25 years.

In those days, it was hard to get into the playoffs. A team actually had to be very good and the Lions were.

The Lions had to win their last six games, against tough teams, to make the playoffs. And they did.

The names come back easily: Landry, Munson, Taylor, Farr, Sanders, McCullough, Naumoff, Lucci, Walker, LeBeau, Weger and, of course, Barney.

Some of the pictures are as vivid as yesterday: Sanders crashing into the goalpost, but catching a pass for a touchdown in a Thanksgiving Day win over Oakland; Greg Landry pulling off a 76-yard quarterback sneak against the Packers; and Barney and Mike Weger leaping high to try to deflect a pass from the 49ers' Gene Washington.

That last picture is a classic and hangs in the Hall of Fame. Now all they need is a bust of Barney.

On to coaching

Wyckoff winds down track career at Saginaw Valley

By Chris Gerbaai

Steve Wyckoff has had enough of track. Well, almost.

Wyckoff wrapped up his track career at Saginaw Valley State College this year and he's through with serious competition as a high jumper and javelin thrower. And although he wants to get into coaching, he will not miss competing.

"I haven't yet," said Wyckoff. "I'll miss the people more than anything.

"High jumping is hard on the body, not many people know that," he said. "It's consistent pounding. Just to stay flexible is a chore in itself. You have to bend over backwards, hyperextend your back, drive off the knee."

The 1981 Clarkston grad originally went to Saginaw Valley on a football scholarship. But after two seasons, he wasn't playing that much.

"The football team was about 2-8 and the track team were national champs my freshman year," Wyckoff said. "I said, 'I want to be on that team' and I dedicated myself to track."

The Cards were NAIA Division I indoor champs in 1981 and 1982. Wyckoff made it to the outdoor nationals as a freshman in the high jump.

Eventually he hurt his back and was red-shirted and then he hurt his heel as a junior. Wyckoff told his coach he hurt the heel jumping, but actually he hurt it falling off a goalpost after the Michigan-Ohio State football game.

Wyckoff said this season was his best ever. In the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference meet, he was first in the high jump at 6-6 and second in the

javelin with a throw of 170-3/4.

At the district meet, Wyckoff leapt 6-8 for second and threw the javelin 165-6 for fourth.

In the indoor nationals, he missed All-America status by one position because of one miss in the high jump. He finished seventh with a jump of 6-8.

But now Wyckoff is content to be building a house in Clarkston for his father and to start teaching.

"I've been doing it since seventh grade and I just don't want to be that competitive anymore," he said.

"It's time to be moving on and start a career. If you can't put the time into it to be as good as you can be, then why do it?"

"That's the problem with some athletes," he said. "They want to keep competing, but it's not doing them any good. If they're not getting paid for it, they're wasting their time."

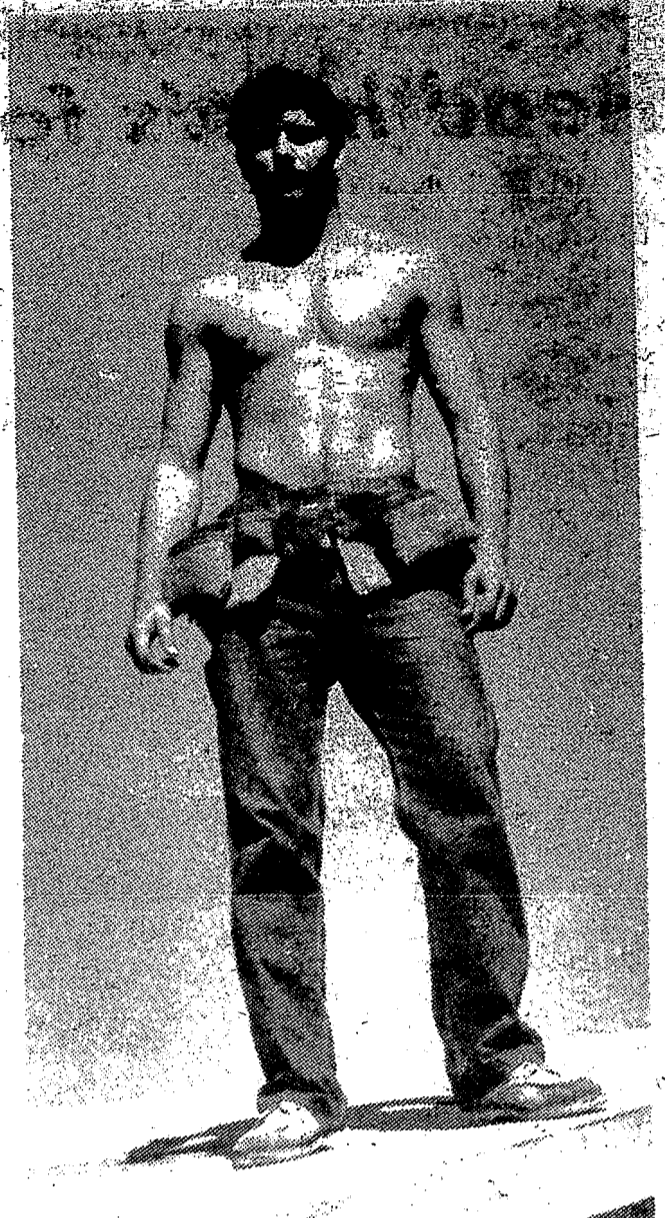
Wyckoff will soon begin a 12-week student teaching program in Saginaw. He majored in physical education and minored in history at Saginaw Valley.

After that program, he'll try to substitute and also find a track team to coach. And he's not completely through as an athlete. He'll compete in some open meets in the javelin.

"I don't want to sit around watching my weight," Wyckoff said. "But with the javelin, you just need a few warmups. You go out there and scream a little and it usually flies."

Through coaching Wyckoff wants to help others, since people took the time to help him in track.

"It got me through college," he said. "I don't think I would have stayed too long if I didn't have track."



Steve Wyckoff now leaps onto tall buildings in a single bound after closing his career as a high jumper and javelin thrower at Saginaw Valley. Wyckoff plans to go into teaching and coaching.

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Head heads for skating teaching program

By Chris Gerbaud

Two years ago, a knee injury ended Connie Head's competitive figure skating career.

No problem, since she wanted to go into teaching skating anyway.

Now, at 19, she might be considered over-the-hill as a skater, but she's just beginning as a teacher.

Head, of Waterford Township, is going to start as an assistant teacher this month at the Birmingham Ice Skating Arena under her coach Jill Jenkins.

"It's what I've always wanted to do," said Head. "It's a lot of fun and I get a lot out of it. You teach youngsters what you've learned and maybe they'll pass it on."

She has plenty to pass on. She's been skating since she was seven and has won three medals and many ribbons as a competitor.

She tore ligaments in her knee while skating and aggravated the injury in Powder Puff football her senior year at Clarkston High.

"I don't miss (competing) that much," said Head. "I liked competing. It was fun and you got to meet different people, but it was awfully expensive."

This summer, she still skated for about four hours a day, four days a week. Any more than that could cause knee problems.

To prepare for teaching, Head recently spent two weeks at the Olympic Training Center in Marquette.



"You teach youngsters what you've learned and maybe they'll pass it on."

—Connie Head

She not only trained herself, but also learned about training techniques.

"We did ballet for about an hour and a half, then gymnastics for two and a half hours, then we had a nutritional speech on how to eat right and then we skated from about 4:30 to 8:30," she said. "It helped me understand skating a little better."

In Birmingham, Head will observe Jenkins and help with skaters ages 9 to 15. She must work with Jenkins for a year before she can qualify to teach under the U.S. Figure Skating Program.

She's also taking recreational management classes at Oakland Community College so she can one day have her own skating school.

"When I turned 16, I decided where I'd like to go and I decided to go into teaching," Head said. "I thought I'd be good at it because of all the stuff I've learned from pros."

"My goal is to just get kids under my belt and get them going in competing and testing."

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Sibling Simkos are unique on race circuit

By Chris Gerbaal

Maybe the family that races together, stays together.

Dave and Patty Simko are the only brother and sister racing team on the Automobile Racing Club of America (ARCA) circuit and Patty is the only woman on the circuit.

Those two facts might call for some kidding or verbal abuse from fellow stock car drivers.

"I get more help than anything else," said Patty, 26. "These are more professional-type drivers."

"Until she starts beating them," said Dave, 31. "Then they'll quit helping her."

Patty's best finish this year was 16th at the Flat Rock Speedway. Dave ran his best race ever last month at the Talladega 500 in Alabama. He sat on the pole position with a speed of 201.464 miles per hour in his '86 Monte Carlo and then finished second in the race.

Patty drives an '86 LeSabre. She smashed up another car earlier this year, but despite the speeds, she said stock car racing is relatively safe.

"I crashed at 180 miles per hour and walked away from the car," she said.

Neither Dave nor Patty have competed in all the ARCA races this year because of time and expenses. Despite that, Dave was still ninth in the ARCA point standings with 1,190 going into this past weekend's Southern Illinois 200.

Their father's company, Mound Steel & Supplies, sponsors them, but expenses for a year can approach \$100,000.

That's a lot of money, but it's still a far cry from the Winston Cup stock car drivers, the Richard Petty and Darrell Waltrips.

They spend over a million dollars annually on their cars and that's the difference in the quality of cars on the ARCA circuit compared to the Winston circuit.

The Simkos naturally hope to one day attract a major sponsor and race on the larger circuit.

They spent part of their growing years in Clarkston and Dave still lives in the township.

They got into racing because their Dad had raced



Dave and Patty Simko stand beside their stock cars at Mound Steel. The company sponsors the brother and sister team on the Automobile

Racing Club of America circuit. Patty is the only woman on the circuit.

in his younger days, and they gained early experience at the Mount Clemens Race Track, where Patty competed in Powder Puff events.

"She's still learning," said Dave. "She's just starting out. More women are slowly coming into it. Not

that many are talented enough."

Patty beat out Dave in one race this year when he blew out his motor, but he'd rather not count that.

In time, maybe they'll be battling each other for first.

VB tourney held

Independence Township Parks and Recreation held the First Annual Clintonwood Sun Volleyball Tournament on Aug. 23 and 24 at Clintonwood Park.

The men's triples tourney was held on Saturday and 12 teams participated. The winning team was made up of Jim White, Dave Clark and Ron Stelpflug. They were challenged in the finals by Bill Binder, Alan Burns and Bill Mathis.

The co-rec tournament played on Sunday was won by the team of Pam Reed, Dave Oliwek, Tami Blau and T. Mescio. Their opponents in the finals were Kathy Miller, Dayna Gray, Jim White, Dave Clark and Ron Stelpflug.

Plans are being formulated for next year's tournaments. If you would like your name on the mailing list, call 625-8223.

10K run for freedom slated

A 10 kilometer run for freedom and a 5 kilometer fun walk are planned Sept. 28 by the Michigan Prisoner of War/Missing in Action group.

The second annual event will begin at 9 a.m. at the Phoenix Center Plaza in Pontiac to raise money for the Prisoner of War Committee of Michigan.

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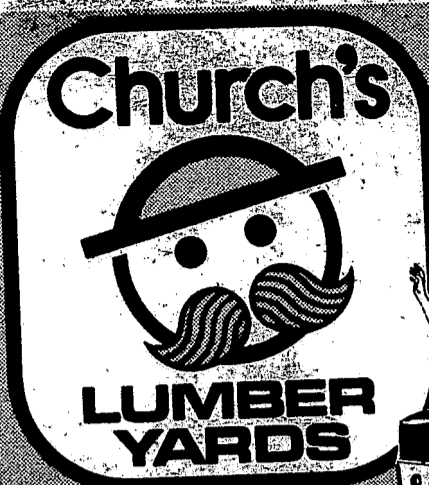
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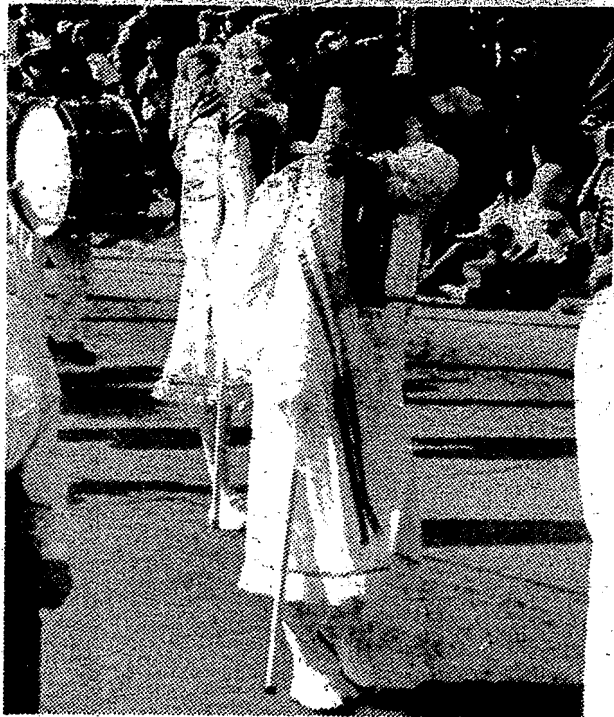
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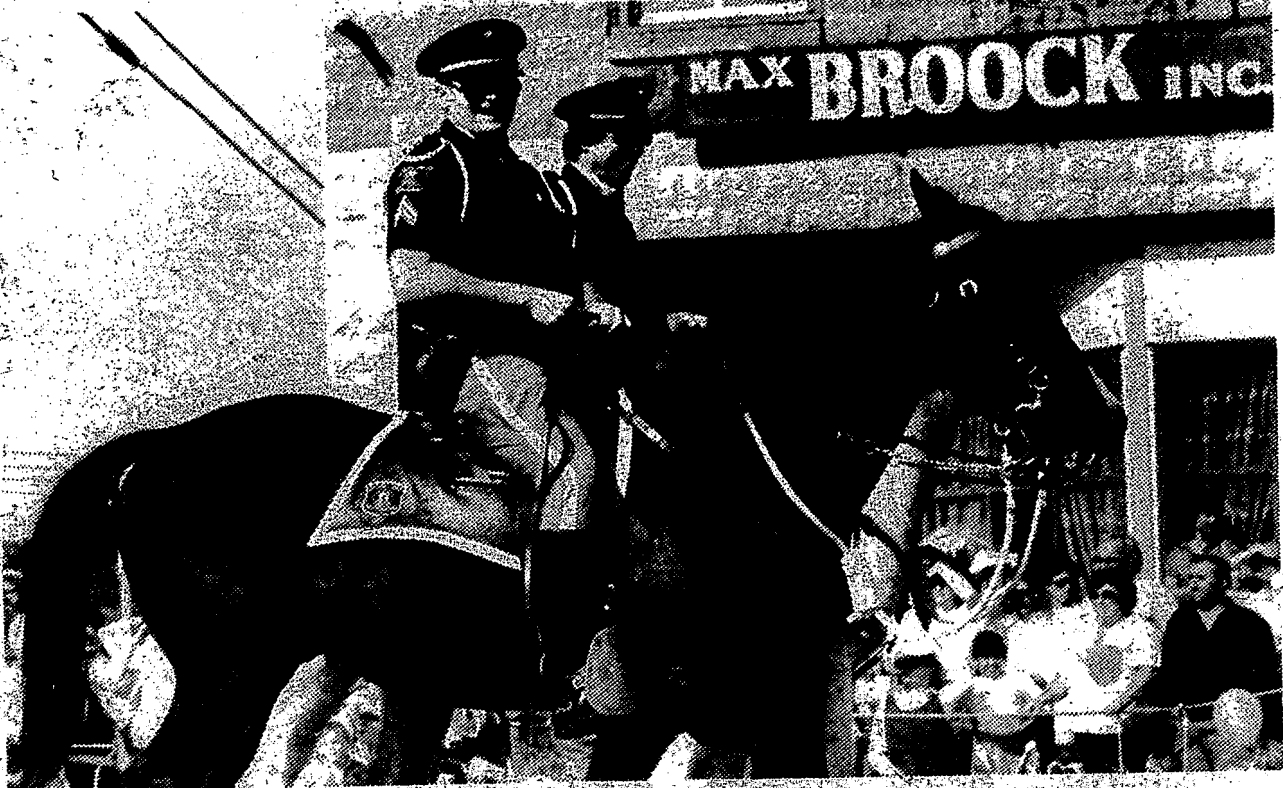
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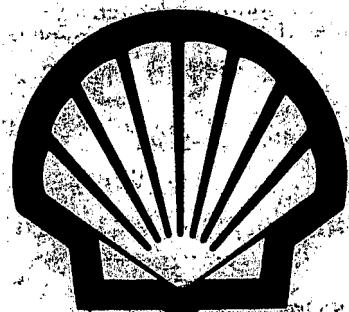
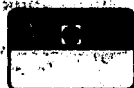
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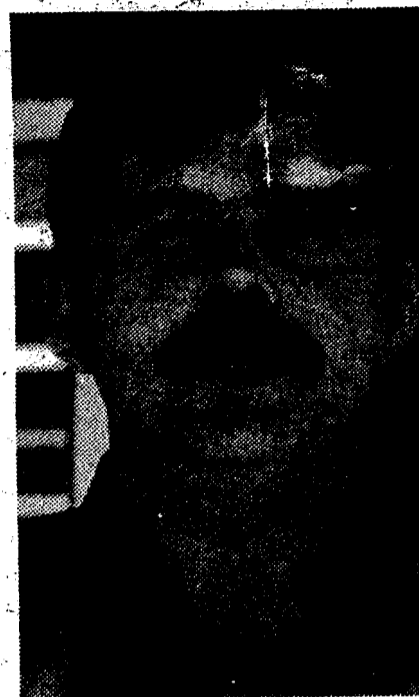
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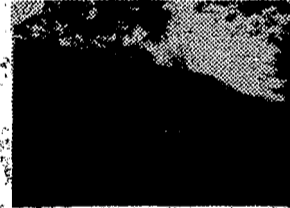
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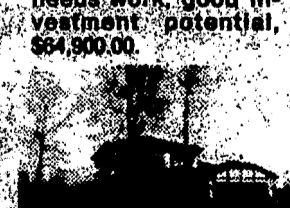
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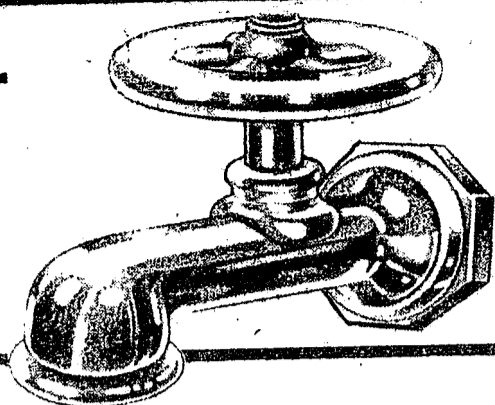
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12 IN COLLEGE!

Treses talk about how they're raising their 17 children

By Julie Campe

In modern times, large families are few and far between. The days of six and seven children in one bunch are rare enough, but nestled in a rambling farmhouse in Brandon Township live the Treses.

Laone and Tom Trese have 17 children, ages 7 to 33. None are adopted. All belong to Tom and Laone.

First came Lynette, then Tamara, Art, Greg, Noelle, Phillip, Brennan, Todd, Joe, Chuck, Dolores, Peggy, Angela, Colleen, Christianne, Shane and Shereen.

But more amazing than the biological fact of 17 children are last year's statistics: 12 attended college.

Some were just beginning. Some were working on masters' degrees, some on doctorates. Some went just for fun.

Fortunately, all have had academic scholarships. "We've been lucky with that," said Tom. "They were hard workers. They went to school knowing they had to work, and they're all very bright. We've never had to check anybody on homework."

The Treses don't have a master plan for raising smart children. When they were young, Laone didn't do anything special. She didn't try infant tutoring or any such new-fangled techniques.

"I read to them an awful lot," she said. "I don't believe in pushing them when they're little at all, academically. That's a very limited way to push kids—reading, writing, math—there's so much more."

Many of the Trese kids have been runners on Brandon High School's track or cross country teams. One played tennis. Some have played musical instruments: piano, flute, drums. And all have had jobs on the side such as baby-sitting.

The Treses don't have definitive answers to raising a happy, productive family. Each family is different, just as each child is different, they said.

"The expectation (to do well) was there," said Tom. "They've all got good common-sense, and they've used it. We've never had anybody screw up badly. Of course, we stopped them before they could."

They've loved their large family, even through the difficult parts, although there really haven't been too many, said Laone.

"Transportation. That's the hardest part," she said.

As for the cost, imagine 17 pairs of shoes, 17 hamburgers, 17 toothbrushes. But the cost hasn't been a problem, either, they said.

The major expenses have been food, clothing and housing, and they've handled them all fairly easily.

After a certain age, the children would begin taking care of their own clothing.

"Even the boys have learned to sew," said Laone.

For special occasions, the girls would buy a pattern and material and make their own dresses.

For food, they bake their own bread, belong to a food co-op and have a vegetable garden.

"Desserts were for real celebrations, birthdays, or something special," said Laone.

And with 17 birthdays, the children have never felt deprived.

One year, they had dessert just about every week. It began when the boys ran track or cross country. Each time one of them set a new record, they celebrated with ice cream. One year, a new record was set nearly every week and the celebrations came just as frequently.

"I've never bought a bag of potato chips or a bottle of pop," said Laone. "We serve good, healthy food."



A few of the Treses' 17 children pose for a picture at the side of their house on Oakhill Road. From left are Colleen, Greg, Christianne,

Dolores, Shereen, Terry [a friend of the family], Angela, Laone and Tom. The cat, Tabby, sits in front of the group.

Greg, 29 elaborated.

"Every morning she'd make us eat hot oatmeal," he said. "For lunch, we'd have a peanut butter sandwich on homemade bread. For dinner, we ate potatoes, a vegetable from the garden and maybe chicken. Lots of chicken."

Luckily, all of the children have been healthy. They've only had rare trips to the doctor in the case of a cut or a sprain.

"She used to feed us a spoonful of cod liver oil every night when we were young," said Greg.

It's worked, he said. He's healthy. He's 29 and has never had a cavity.

The children also have helped with all of the chores around the house. They have helped roof the barn and build the kitchen and cook dinner and bake bread.

"Sometimes, I might have five little helpers with their hands in the bread dough," said Laone.

It has been good for them to be involved, she said. It has given them confidence and ability.

For fun, they would entertain each other. They would go for walks or play baseball, basketball or football in the back yard. With 17 children, they've had plenty of players.

They also have a pond out back.

"When you're working hard in the summer, the

encouragement is when you're done, you can go for a swim," said Laone.

The Treses emphasized that no precise guides exist for raising a family, and Tom expressed the important aspects for his family.

"Security in your own position as parent," he said. "To see each child as an individual, you have to have a sense of their personality so you see them not as just a child. So when you look at them, you really see them. . . . And you influence their behavior to benefit the child, not so that it would necessarily benefit the parents or family."

"One thing I think is important is the family comes first with dad," said Greg. "He doesn't have a lot of hobbies . . . and he's deeply religious. He has faith that everything will turn out all right."

The Treses have provided the examples for their children. With eight children at home, Tom went to school nights while working as a carpenter. He eventually received his master's degree and now works as a social worker in the Royal Oak school system.

Laone has been attending school for years in the evenings. She has several associates' degrees—in landscaping, social work and general health.

One long-term goal is to open their own family counseling center, where they could put their experience to practical use.



Photo by Chris Gerbasl

WATCHING AND WAITING: Some onlookers had a popcorn breakfast instead of pancakes as they waited for the entourage to make its way around the Church and Main intersection.

Wilson wins recognition for 25 years in water works

By Julie Campe

It's been almost 26 years that Bill Wilson has worked in Independence Township's water department, and it's been a challenge.

"Since I've been working here, it's been a challenge every day," he says.

He remembers when it was just a one man operation. Now, as supervisor of the department, he trains the other employees as well as performing his regular duties. They include the installation of new equipment and services, the maintenance of the equipment, the sampling of water and the flushing of hydrants.

For his service to the profession for more than 25 years, he will receive the Edward Dunbar Rich Service Award from the American Water Works Association.

"I've worked for so many different supervisors, clerks and treasurers, and boy there's a flock of them," he says.

But through all the changes, his work hasn't gone unnoticed. His devotion to the job when not officially on duty is what impresses a lot of people, says Rosemary Howey, township deputy clerk.

"Many times, people call him in the middle of the night (with water problems), and he's gone out and doesn't charge the township for his time. . . . This goes way back. . . . I would say it's complete dedication to the job.

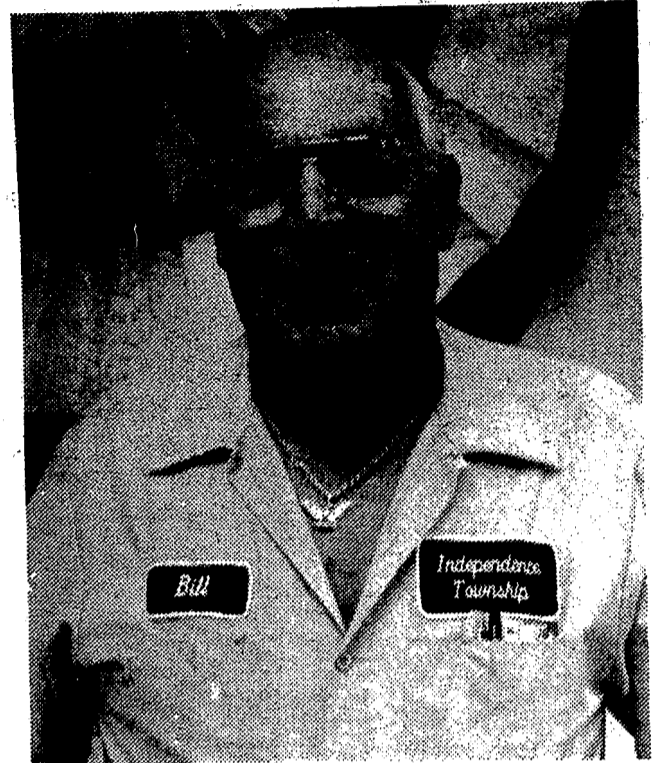
"He sets up our voting machines for us, too," she says, about the extra chore he's handled for 20 years.

Besides the challenge of the job, Bill likes the people he meets.

"There's such a thing as how many nice people I've met. . . . people recognize me as the water man," he said. "They wave and say hello.

"In any given subdivision that has water, how many kids I've seen who've grown up."

In his spare time, Bill cares for his lawn.



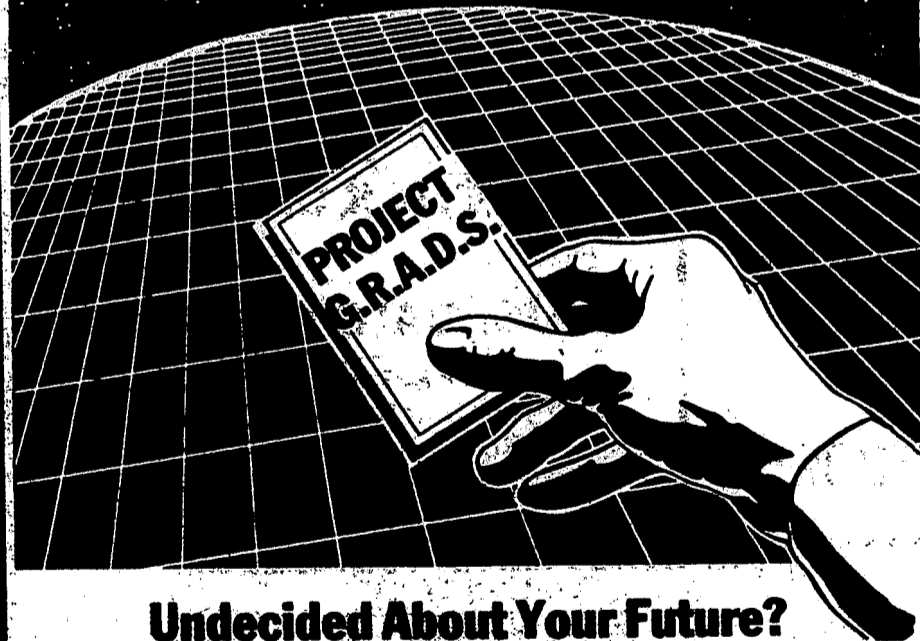
Bill Wilson will receive the Edward Dunbar Rich Service Award for his more than 25 years of work in the water department.

"People accuse me of spending too much time on my yard at home," he says. "My neighbor and I don't run a contest, but we've probably got the nicest lawns on Northview."

He also golfs, and he served as a volunteer firefighter for 25 years.

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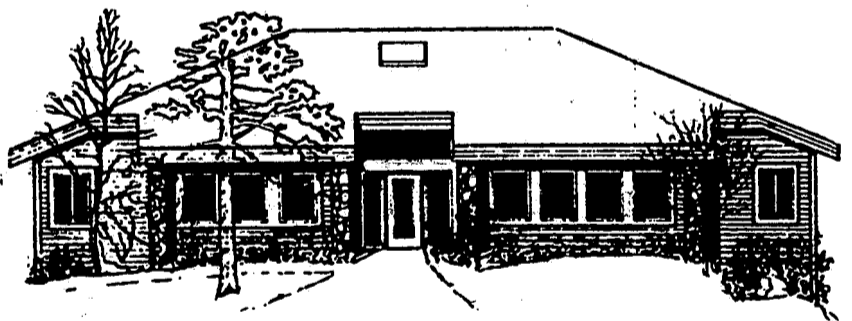
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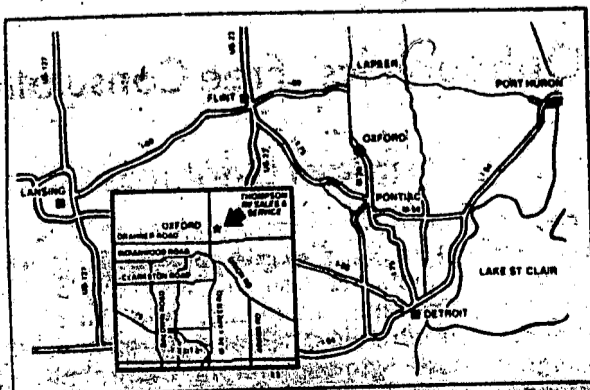
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Reeta Maynard walks twice a day and never smokes or drinks, she says. She turned 90 on Saturday.

Reeta is 90

By Julie Campe

On Saturday, Aug. 30, Reeta Maynard turned 90, but her rosy complexion and sharp mind belie her new age.

"I feel really good," she said. "I don't feel like 90."

She celebrated last Thursday with the Young At Heart Senior Citizens in Springfield Township. They baked her a cake and gave her roses and good conversation.

"The people here are so nice and friendly, you'd think you'd known them for years," she said.

One wonders how she came to live so long and so apparently happily.

"I don't smoke or drink or anything," she said. "My husband didn't either."

And every day, she takes two walks—about three blocks in the morning and again in the afternoon—with her dog.

Born in Canada in 1895, she moved to Michigan in 1922 and became a U.S. citizen a year later. For more than 40 years, she and her husband owned and operated a farm on Big Lake Road.

"She was also a nurse in her younger years," said Irene Sroka, her friend from Young at Heart.

Reeta now lives in Independence Township, and on Saturday, she celebrated her birthday again at Frankenmuth with some friends.

In service

Airman James Condron completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, on Aug. 8.

He is now stationed in Wichita Falls, Texas, where he is training to become a pharmacist specialist.

A 1986 graduate of Clarkston High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Condron of Eckles Road, Independence Township.

United States Air Force 2nd Lt. Gary A. Smith graduated from the USAF Electronics Warfare Officer Training School Aug. 5 after receiving his navigator's wings in December.

Smith is the husband of Jill Morse Smith of Clarkston.

He will be going to Mountain Home Air Force Base for flight training in the F-111, then will be stationed at Upper Heyford Air Base in Great Britain with the 79th Tactical Fighter Squadron.

A Parisian visits Clarkston

By Kathy Greenfield

Sylvie Helle can't wait to get home with her Jello. Eating the American dish will be a treat for the preschoolers she teaches in Paris, and Jello is for children, she says.

"It's very funny for us. Jello is funny," she says in her lilting French accent.

As a Parisian in America, Sylvie visited Chicago, Milwaukee—and Clarkston—and planned to go to New York. She also scheduled trips to Toronto and Quebec during her five-week holiday.

She arrived to attend the wedding of Ann Gower and Scott Hill in Milwaukee and ended up in Clarkston as an overnight guest of Ann's mother, Barbara.

"I've seen a great town like Chicago and a small town like Clarkston," said Sylvie, who went on to describe her reactions to the Clarkston community.

"It's very pretty, a lot of pretty houses and a lot of trees and a lot of space," she said. "In France, the towns are very close (with) trees, but not so many..."

Ann and Sylvie met during Ann's year-long stay in France when they were both vacationing in La Rochelle, a town south of Paris near the Atlantic Ocean.

Both residents of Paris, their friendship grew after their return to the city.

Ann was working to master the French language while caring for two youngsters. Sylvie, who has a bachelor's degree in biology, takes care of 2- and 3-year-olds in a government-funded day care program.

In addition to the Jello, Sylvie plans to return



Sylvie Helle, 28, spent a day in Clarkston during her visit to America.

home with an "I love Clarkston" T-shirt, blue jeans (they're less expensive), some posters and many memories.

"It really is interesting for me to visit this country because it is very different from France," she says. "Everything is bigger, the space, the cars, the highways, the buildings."

"I will have a lot of things to tell my friends when I come back."

New arrival

Mark and Renee Gage had their second baby Aug. 25.

Shelley Renee was born in Saginaw. She weighed 7 pounds 15 ounces and measured 20 inches long. Waiting at home was her brother Mark Andrew, 2.

Grandparents are Bill and Jean Gage of Independence Township and Bob and Phyllis Berry of Waterford.

Grad

Thomas Whetstone recently received a bachelor's degree from Spring Arbor College, Spring Arbor.

A management of human resources graduate, he resides on Reese Road.

At college

Reed Swanson has been accepted for the fall 1986 semester at Methodist College, Fayetteville, N.C.

A graduate of Clarkston High School, he plans to major in political science. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Swanson.

Honors

Two local students have been named to the dean's list at the University of Detroit.

Robert Cogswell, a freshman in communication studies, resides on Pine Ridge Circle, Independence Township.

Sandra Conlen, a sophomore in communication studies, resides on Robertson Court, Clarkston.



CLUB AWARDS SCHOLARSHIPS: Scholarships totaling \$7,500 were awarded to seven students by The Inde-Spring Charter Chapter of American Business Women's Association. Pictured are [back row, from left] Andrea Zanotti of Clarkston, freshman, University of Michigan; Kristen Ehrstrom of Rochester, freshman, Michigan State University; Deborah Kappler of

Lake Orion, freshman, U of M; and [front row, from left] ABWA president Irene Druzynski; Stephanie Lehman of Waterford, sophomore, Oakland University; and Karen Shepardson, freshman, OU. Not pictured are Kim Jeschke of Newago, sophomore, Central Michigan University; and Pamela DiFalco of Lake Orion, freshman, CMU.



Photo by Chris Gerbas

SOUP LINE: In the early morning hours of Labor Day, dozens of people stood patiently in line for the Independence Township Firefighters

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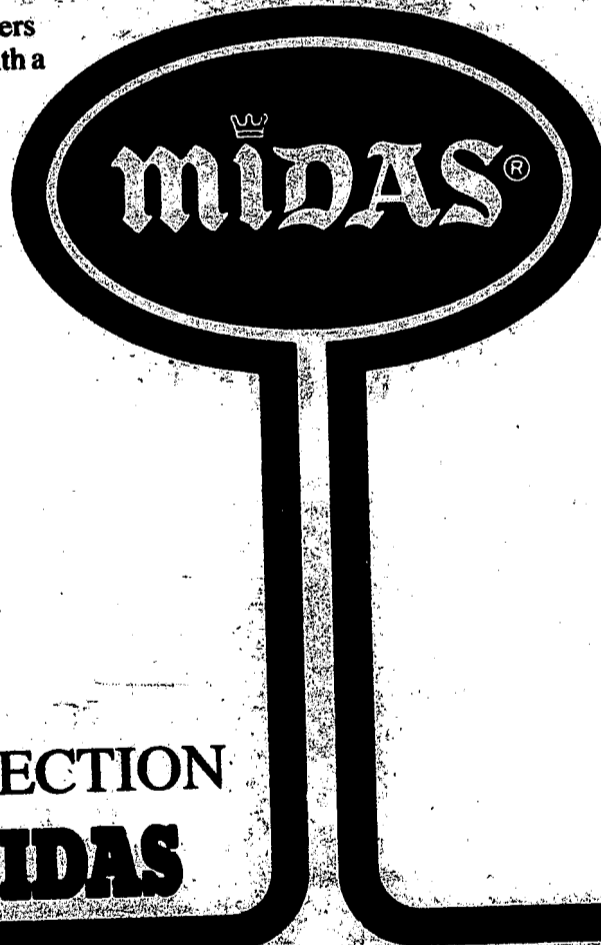
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Cook up after-school snacks

Betty Wagner

Possibly the long, lazy days of summer provided a good opportunity for kids to practice cooking skills. Now that school has started, after-school snacks will be easy to prepare.

The microwave oven offers a safe and quick way for children to prepare tasty and nutritious treats. Here are several rules to follow for maximum safety.

- Use microwave-safe glass, paper or plastic containers and coverings.

- Avoid twist ties and foil-lined wrappers.

- Remove coverings away from you to prevent steam burns.

- Let high sugar and/or fat foods cool slightly before tasting to prevent burning in your mouth.

Michael Schweitzer helped his aunt Thayer Wilson Wine fix some quick snacks during their appearance on the Microwave Plus cable TV show on Channel 11 at 7 p.m.

VANILLA PUDDING

- 1 1/2 cups milk
- 2 egg yolks
- 1 tablespoon all-purpose flour
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 1/2 teaspoons unsalted butter
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

Measure milk into 1 quart Pyrex measure. Whisk in egg yolks, flour, cornstarch and sugar, stirring until no lumps remain.

Cover and microwave at high power for 2 minutes. Stir. Cook 2 to 4 more minutes until thickened, stirring after each minute.

Whisk in butter and vanilla. Whisk thoroughly so no lumps remain. Chill for 1-2 hours for best

flavor. Serve with fresh berries or eat as is.

CHOCOLATE-PUDDING VERSION: Stir 2 tablespoons unsweetened cocoa into milk mixture before cooking. Cook as directed above. Stir in butter as directed; vanilla is optional. This also makes a great pie filling.

CHEESY TORTILLAS

- 2 medium-sized corn or flour tortillas
- 2 tablespoons grated or chopped Monterey Jack cheese, divided
- 2 tablespoons grated or chopped Cheddar cheese, divided
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped green pepper, divided
- 6 slices pepperoni, divided
- 2 tablespoons taco sauce, if desired

Sprinkle 1 tablespoon Monterey Jack and 1 tablespoon Cheddar cheese evenly on each tortilla. Sprinkle each tortilla with 1 tablespoon chopped green pepper and top with 3 slices pepperoni. (Do not mound ingredients in the middle of the tortilla.)

Place one tortilla at a time on a large microsafe plate. Microwave at 50 percent (medium) power for 1 1/2 to 2 minutes or until cheese melts.

To serve, spread 1 teaspoon taco sauce, if desired, on each tortilla and roll up to eat.

The following snack foods do not need cooking, but they are included because they are nutritious, tasty and easily prepared by kids.

ZIPPY DIP

- 1 pound (2 cups) low-fat or regular cottage cheese
- 1/4 cup minced celery
- 1/4 cup minced radishes
- 1/4 cup minced green pepper

- 2 teaspoons Dijon mustard
- 1/2 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1/4 teaspoon salt (optional, as cheese contains salt)
- 1/8 teaspoon freshly ground pepper
- 1/8 to 1/4 teaspoon Tabasco sauce
- 1 teaspoon vinegar

If cottage cheese is large curd, beat with a mixer or mash with a potato masher or fork.

Add minced celery, radishes, green pepper, Dijon mustard, Worcestershire sauce, salt (optional) and pepper; stir well.

Refrigerate, covered, 2 hours so flavors will blend. Serve with raw celery, carrots, radishes, cauliflower, broccoli and other raw vegetables or chips.

MARJORIE'S YUMMY BALLS

- 1/4 cup chunky peanut butter
- 1/2 cup quick cooking oats
- 3 tablespoons honey
- 2 tablespoons coconut
- 2 tablespoons chocolate chips

Combine peanut butter, oats, honey, coconut and chocolate chips with a spoon. Roll with hands into small balls and place on cookie sheet lined with waxed paper. Refrigerate until firm.

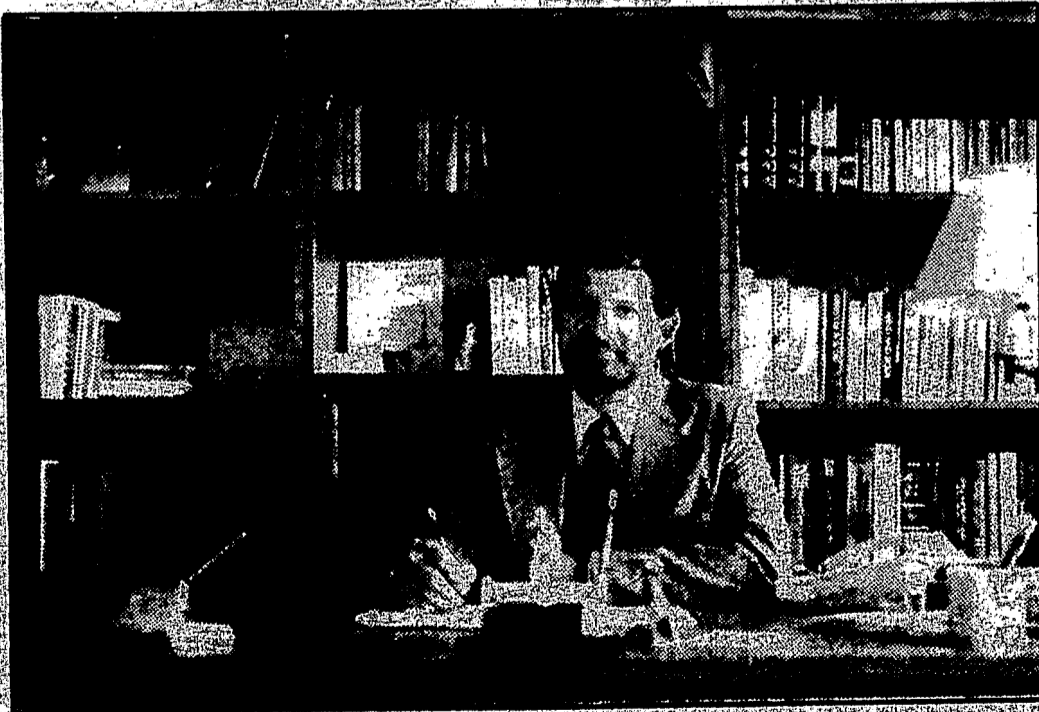
Home economist Betty Wagner is a graduate of West Virginia University. She resides in Independence Township.

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Jenni McGee is serving part of her resident apprenticeship at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home in Independence Township. The Holly resident plans to become a mortician.

Mortuary science is her field

By Julie Campe

While society is only just beginning to get used to the idea of female doctors and lawyers and electricians, Jenni McGee is preparing for still another male dominated field.

The Holly resident is studying mortuary science. "It's such an interesting field, I don't know why everyone doesn't want to do this," she said.

She began college in pre-veterinary studies at Michigan State University, East Lansing, but then changed her mind.

She loved anatomy and chemistry, and she also liked to draw. She wanted to choose a field that combined art with science. Her mother suggested mortuary science, and after investigating it, Jenni switched.

"It's got psychology, art, cosmetology, business, anatomy," she said "It's got everything in one."

This summer, she worked as an apprentice at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home on M-15, Independence Township, where she learned about the odd hours a mortician keeps and about the entire life-style of the profession.

"To own your own funeral home, it's your life," she said. "It's not a job. It's not a career. It's your life."

Because of the odd hours, she never knew when she would be working, but it was a "satisfying" experience, she said.

In order to become a licensed mortician, she has to obtain an associate's degree and a certificate of mortuary science, and she has to serve a year as an apprentice.

To reach the goals, she's attending Oakland Community College in Auburn Hills and will then attend Wayne State University, Detroit, which is Michigan's only mortuary school, she said. Her studies will continue for about three more years.

She has already begun her apprenticeship at Wint's. She plans to return next summer for more experience.

Although the career choice seemed natural to Jenni, some people were surprised and even shocked at her decision to become a funeral director.

"I don't know if they're scared of it or if they don't know anything about it, or what. I don't think I'm that unusual," she said.

"My mom is a fire chief over in Groveland Township. I think that had an influence. I never ruled out any male job.

"Things are just now breaking through for the women's movement," she said.

-Reunions-

Hamtramck High School, classes of January and June 1946—The 40th reunion is planned Oct. 11 at the Ukrainian Cultural Center in Warren. For more information, contact Henry Golata at 278-3711 or Olga Trojanowski at 689-5470.

Highland Park High School, classes of January and June 1961—The 25th reunion is planned Nov. 29. For information, call 469-1410 or write Class Reunions, P.O. Box 1171, Mt. Clemens, MI 48046.



OFFICIAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on September 25, 1986 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Annex Board Room, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, 48016 to consider the following request:

PROPOSED AMENDMENT to ZONING ORDINANCE No. 83, SECTION 25 PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT (PUD), (The proposal would require the application of PUD to sites of 100 acres or larger.)

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

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Obituaries

Estelle A. Emery

Estelle A. Emery, 81, of Waterford Township died Aug. 30. She was a member of the Clarkston United Methodist Church, P.E.O. Sisterhood and a life member of the Veterinary Medical Auxiliary.

Surviving are her son, Jack W. Emery of Colorado; daughter, Marian Emery of Waterford; and granddaughter, Sherry. She was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. A.W. Emery.

The funeral service was held Sept. 2 at the Clarkston United Methodist Church with the Rev. Douglas Trebilcock officiating. Burial followed in Ottawa Park Cemetery, Independence Township. Arrangements were made by the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township.

Memorials may be made to the Clarkston United Methodist Church.

Michael K. Hanson

Michael K. Hanson, 30, of Springfield Township died Aug. 30.

He is survived by his son, Michael; and brothers and sisters, Henry Hanson Jr. of Davisburg, Mrs. Thomas (Sharon) Knibbs of Orion Township, Mrs. Brian (Carol) Wright of Westland, Lisa Boling of Detroit and Jim Reid of Rochester.

The funeral service is to be held Thursday, Sept. 4, at 11 a.m. at the First Open Bible Church, Pontiac, with the Rev. Michael L. Knibbs officiating. Burial is to follow in Christian Memorial Cultural Center, Rochester.

Friends may visit the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township, on Wednesday from 3 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the Michael K. Hanson Living Memorial Fund.

Lillie B. Johnson

Lillie B. Johnson, 83, of Clarkston and formerly of Pineville, Ky., died Aug. 25.

Surviving are her children, Gertrude Ramsey of Kentucky, Mrs. Millard (Gladys) Cheek of Orion Township, Mrs. Fred (Imogene) Stimson of Illinois, Paul Johnson of Clarkston, J.L. Johnson of Attica, Mrs. Garner (Joyce) Miracle of Auburn Hills, Vernon Johnson of Clarkston, Mrs. Darl (Dorothy) Hess of Clarkston, Lee Roy Johnson of Ohio, 24 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and two great-great

grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ollie Johnson, and son Ollie Johnson Jr.

The funeral service was held Aug. 28 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township, with the Rev. Roy Cummings officiating. Burial followed in Ottawa Park Cemetery, Independence Township.

Memorials may be made to the Heart Foundation.

Eugene R. Vliet

Eugene Raymond Vliet, formerly of Clarkston, died Aug. 21 in Sulphur Springs, Texas.

Mr. Vliet, 46, suffered a heart attack and was buried in Sulphur Springs. He owned the Classic Car Co. there.

He is survived by his mother, Dortha, of Clarkston; his wife, Linda; son, Eugene Jr.; daughters, Carol, Sherri of Sulphur Springs, Michelle Ballard of Sulphur Springs, Laurie Robertson of Tampa, Fla., and Marta Sharrow of Charlevoix; and stepsons, Scott and Todd Gordon.

He is also survived by two grandchildren, five sisters and one brother. Another daughter, Brandy Lynn, died in 1979.

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REZONING REQUEST by CLARK OIL & REFINING CORP. FROM C-3 (Highway Commercial) TO MS (Motor Vehicle Service Station)

INTENDED USE OF PROPERTY: Service Station
Parcel Identification number: 08-34-326-013
Common Description: Corner of Oak Vista & Sashabaw Rds.

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

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File No. 86-176-648-SE

In the matter of MABEL M. HART, Deceased, 5273 Highland Rd., Waterford Twp., Pontiac, MI 48054, Social Security Number 363-22-5286.

TAKE NOTICE: On Sept. 16, 1986 at 8:30 a.m., in the probate courtroom, City of Pontiac, Michigan, before Hon. BARRY M. GRANT, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Herbert W. Schaefer for probate of purported Will of the Deceased dated October 3, 1984, and for the granting of administration to Herbert W. Schaefer, the Personal Representative named in the Will, or some other suitable person; and for the determination of heirs. Creditors of the Deceased are notified that all claims against the Estate must be presented to said Herbert W. Schaefer at the address of the Estate's attorney, Robert G. Isgrigg, Jr., 2715 Pontiac Lake Road, Pontiac, Michigan 48054, and proof thereof with copies of the claims filed with the Court on or before Nov. 4, 1986.

Notice is further given that the Estate will thereafter be assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

July 28, 1986

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Robert G. Isgrigg, Jr. P-24924
2715 Pontiac Lake Road
Pontiac, Michigan 48054
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Charles A. Weaver

Charles A. Weaver, 80, of Springfield Township died Aug. 31. He was retired from Fisher Body.

Mr. Weaver is survived by many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Minnie.

The funeral service is to be held Wednesday, Sept. 3, at 2:30 p.m. at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township, with the Rev. Robert Hazen officiating. Burial is to follow in Ottawa Park Cemetery, Independence Township.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on September 25, 1986 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Annex Board Room, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, 48016 to consider the following rezonings:

Southeast Corner of Sashabaw & Maybee Rds.,
08-34-201-001 FROM MS to 0 (.29 Acres of Land)
08-34-201-002 FROM C-3 to 0 (.15 Acres of Land)
08-34-201-003 FROM C-3 to 0 (.61 Acres of Land)
08-34-201-004 FROM C-3 to 0 (1.23 Acres of Land)
08-34-201-005 FROM C-3 to 0 (.47 Acres of Land)
08-34-201-006 FROM C-3 to 0 (.17 Acres of Land)
08-34-201-007 FROM C-3 to 0 (.69 Acres of Land)

Northeast Corner of Sashabaw & Maybee Rds.
08-27-400-020 FROM C-2 to C-1 (.98 Acres of Land)
08-27-400-008 FROM C-2 to C-1 (.53 Acres of Land)

(MS - Motor Vehicle Service Station)
(0 - Office)
(C-1 - Local Commercial)
(C-2 - Planned Shopping Center)
(C-3 - Highway Commercial)

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

Richard A. Holman,
Clerk

OFFICIAL NOTICE

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, September 17, 1986 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Annex Board Room, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, 48016 to hear the following cases:

CASE No. 1523 - Albert Ferrari, APPLICANT REQUESTS SIDE YARD SETBACK VARIANCE of 20' for ATTACHED GARAGE, M-15 - Lot 5 - Supervisors Plat No. 10 - R1R Zone. 08-05-300-015.

CASE No. 1451 - Michael J. Haibel, APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ALLOW CONDITIONAL APPROVAL FOR SPLITTING OF PROPERTY. (AMENDED PROPOSAL) M-15 North of Hubbard Rd., R1R Zone. 08-08-300-022.

CASE No. 1452 - Frank D. Basler, APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ALLOW POLE BARN (728 sq. ft.) ON VACANT PROPERTY, Reese Rd. South of Oakhill Rd. (5.02 Acres) Lot 22 - Clarkston Hunt Club Estates - R1R. 08-06-100-028.

CASE No. 1453 - Richard L. Zartman, APPLICANT REQUESTS FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE of 7' for CONSTRUCTION of NEW HOME. (Building Permit Issued) Tahoe Corner of Mohawk, Lots 13, 13, 15, 16 Thendara Park CC Sub. R1A Zone. 08-11-431-012.

CASE No. 1454 - Edward Rose Building Company, APPLICANT REQUESTS REAR YARD SETBACK VARIANCE of 7' for CONSTRUCTION of NEW HOME, Old Cove Rd., Lot 241, Lake Oakland Woods Sub. 08-34-251-018.

CASE No. 1455 - Richard Moscovic, APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE on SETBACKS for LOT WITH 3 FRONTAGES for NEW HOME CONSTRUCTION. Clarkston, Easton & Sylvanview Rds. R1A Zone. Sunny Beach CC Sub. 08-13-176-026, 27, 28, 29.

CASE No. 1456 - David Katz, APPLICANT REQUESTS PARKING VARIANCE for 2 1/2 SPACES in FRONT SETBACK Dixie Highway corner of Parview - C-1 Zone. 08-29-376-002.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT THE PROPOSED VARIANCES MAY BE EXAMINED at the Independence Township Building Department during regular hours each day Monday thru Friday until the date of the Public Hearing.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard A. Holman, Clerk
Beverly A. McEimeel
Secretary to the Building Official

OFFICIAL NOTICE

VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON

Village of Clarkston minutes of regular meeting August 25, 1986, 375 Depot Road, Clarkston, Michigan 48016.

Meeting called to order by President Catallo at 7:33 p.m., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Roll: Present - Schultz, Basinger, ApMadoc, Catallo, Roeser, Millard. Absent - Haven.

The minutes to the regular meeting were approved. Also the minutes of special meeting were approved.

The agenda was approved. Public hearing for Federal Revenue Sharing was opened at 7:58 P.M. Public Hearing closed at 8:05 p.m.

Basinger made a motion to authorize the Village Engineer to perform or obtain structural analysis of the Pinehurst Bridge to determine whether bridge, as reconstructed, complies with applicable building code. Seconded by Millard, Roll: Yea - Schultz, Millard, Basinger, Roeser, ApMadoc and Catallo. No nays. Motion carried.

Jon Gaskell discussed the Solid Waste issue with the Council.

The people on E. Washington have cut down two Village trees. The Council feels that they should come to the next meeting and be sent a copy of Ordinance 7, against cutting trees that is on Village property.

Table tree bids until next meeting. Motion to adjourn by Schultz at 9:30 p.m. Seconded by Millard. Motion carried.

Norma Goyette
Village Clerk



OFFICIAL NOTICE
STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF OAKLAND
CHARTER TOWNSHIP
OF
INDEPENDENCE

ORDINANCE TO ESTABLISH A
DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

At a Special Meeting held on August 26, 1986 the Township Board of the Charter Township of Independence approved a new ordinance to add Chapter 22 to the Code of Ordinances of the Charter Township of Independence.

The proposed ordinance pertains to the establishment of a Downtown Development Authority (DDA).
SYNOPSIS OF APPROVED ORDINANCE
THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE,
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN, OR-
DAINS:

Sec. 1 of Ordinance: Adoption of Ordinance
CHAPTER 22
ECONOMIC GROWTH PROMOTION

ARTICLE I. IN GENERAL

Section 22-1 to 22-15. Reserved.

ARTICLE II. DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT

Section 22-16. Findings.

In the development of this Ordinance, the Township Board has determined that it is for the best interests of the public to halt property value deterioration in Independence Township and increase property tax valuation in the Township's business district, and that certain property values in the Township are deteriorating in fact, or, in relation to other growth and inflation, are deteriorating in effect, and, further, that it is likely that additional deterioration shall occur unless action is taken to halt its occurrence. It has additionally been determined that it is in the best interests of the public to eliminate the causes of such deterioration and to promote economic growth. The Township Board previously adopted a resolution of Intent to Establish a Downtown Development Authority and Downtown District, and conducted a public hearing on the adoption of this Ordinance.

Section 22-17. Intent, Purpose, and Short Title.

(a) It is the intent and purpose of this Ordinance to: stop deterioration which has occurred, and deterioration which the Township Board has determined is likely to occur unless action is taken to halt its occurrence; eliminate the causes of such deterioration; increase property tax valuation where possible in the Township's business district; and, promote economic growth.

(b) This shall be known and may be cited as the "Downtown Development Authority Ordinance".

Section 22-18. Creation of Authority.

The Independence Township Downtown Development Authority (the "Authority") is hereby created and established pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 197 of the Public Acts of 1975, as amended ("the Act").

Section 22-19. Duration of Effectiveness of the Authority.
 The Authority shall be dissolved at such time as the authority has completed the purposes for which it was organized, as determined by the Township Board.

Section 22-20. Governing Board of the Authority.
 The Authority shall be under the supervision and control of a Board (the "Authority Board") consisting of the supervisor of the Charter Township of Independence and eight members appointed by the supervisor, subject to the approval of the Township Board. Not less than one member of the Authority Board shall be a representative of the Clarkston Community Schools and not less than one member of the Authority Board shall be a representative of the Waterford Community Schools. The members of the Authority Board shall hold office and the Authority Board shall conduct itself in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Act.

Section 22-21. Powers and Duties of the Authority.

The Authority shall have the powers and duties as provided for in the Act, except that the Authority shall not have power to:

- (a) Capture tax increments to the extent that such tax increments are based upon tax levies made to pay debt service on school bonds; and/or
- (b) Capture tax increments subsequent to the 1996 tax year.

(c) Levy to the limited extent authorized by statute an ad valorem tax and/or borrow money and issue bonds or notes, without the approval of the Township Board and approval by majority vote of the electors situated within the Downtown District.

Section 22-22. Downtown District Boundaries.
 The boundaries of the Downtown District within and with respect to which the Authority shall exercise its powers are hereby designated by the description set forth on Exhibit A, attached and made a part of this Ordinance by reference. This designation is subject to alteration or amendment as the Township Board may deem appropriate in the future.

Section 22-23. By-laws and Rules of the Authority.
 The Authority shall adopt by-laws governing its procedures and rules regarding the holding of its meetings, all in accordance with Section 4(3), and other applicable provisions in the Act. The Authority shall immediately forward a copy of its proposed by-laws and rules to the Township Board in care of the Township Clerk. Such by-laws and rules shall be subject to the approval of the Township Board.

Section 22-24. Directors Bond.

In the event the Authority Board employs a director as authorized by Section 5(1) of the Act, such director, prior to entering upon the duties of office, shall post a bond in the penal sum of \$10,000.00, payable to the Authority for the use and benefit of the Authority. The form of such bond shall be approved by the Authority Board and filed with the Township Clerk. The premium on the bond furnished by the director shall be deemed an operating expense of the Authority, payable from funds available to it for expenses of operation.

Section 22-25. State Filing of Ordinance.

A certified copy of this Ordinance shall be filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Michigan promptly following adoption.

Section 22-26. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall take effect on the date of publication.

Sec. 2 of Ordinance. Incorporation as Part of Ordinance Code. This Ordinance shall be codified as designated above, as part of the Independence Township Code of Ordinances.

INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP
PROPOSED DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
LEGAL DESCRIPTION

August 12, 1986

Land lying in the west 1/2 of Section 33, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., the northeast 1/4 of Section 32, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., the south 1/2 of Section 29, and part of Section 30, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan and more particularly described as: Beginning at the intersection of the south line of said Section 33, and the east line of Windiate's Waterford, a subdivision of part of the southwest 1/4 of Section 33, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., Independence Township and part of the northwest 1/4 of Section 4, T. 3 N., R. 9 E., Waterford Township, Oakland County, Michigan and recorded in Liber 3, Page 42C of Oakland County Records; thence westerly along the said southerly line of said Section 33 to the westerly right-of-way line of Dixie Highway; thence northerly and northwesterly along the westerly line of said Dixie Highway to the southerly line of Moon Valley Subdivision, on part of the N.E. 1/4 of Sec. 32, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan and recorded in Liber 41, Page 38 of Oakland County Records; thence westerly along the southerly line of said subdivision 179.54 feet to the southwest corner of Lot 1 of said subdivision; thence northwesterly in part along the southwestly lines of Lots 1-8 and 44-51 of said subdivision 904.03 feet more or less, to the westerly corner of said Lot 51; thence southwestly along the southeasterly line of Lot 52 of said subdivision 191.34 feet more or less to the southerly corner of said Lot 52; thence westerly along the northerly line of said subdivision 1321.38 feet to the northwest corner of said subdivision; thence northerly to the south 1/2 corner of said Section 29; thence westerly along the south line of said Section 29 200 feet; thence northerly to the southerly corner of Lot 36 of Supervisor's Plat No. 9, a subdivision of part of the south 1/2 of Section 29 and part of the northeast 1/4 of Section 32, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan and recorded in Liber 104, Page 10 of Plats, Oakland County Records; thence northwesterly along the southeasterly line of said plat 350 feet; thence southwestly along the southeasterly line of a parcel with a Sidwell No. of 8-29-377-003-20 feet; thence northwesterly along the southwestly boundary of said parcel 259.56 feet; thence northwesterly to the southeasterly corner of Lot 41 of said Supervisor's Plat No. 9; thence westerly along the southerly lines of Lots 41 and 42 of said Supervisor's Plat No. 9 to the center of the Clinton River; thence southerly along the easterly boundary of Northcrest Village Condominiums O.C.C.P. No. 184 of Oakland County Records and a parcel with a Sidwell No. of 08-29-351-006 to the south line of said section 24; thence west along the south line of said Section 29 to the southeast corner of said Section 30; thence north along the east line of said Section 30 1267.02 feet; thence northerly along the easterly line of Lot 5 of Supervisor's Plat No. 3 being a part of the East 1/2 of Section 30 and part of the west 1/2 of Section 29, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan and recorded in Liber 66, Page 29, of Plats Oakland County Records to the NE corner of said Lot 5; thence westerly along the northerly line of said Lot 5 and its extension to the centerline of White Lake Road; thence northeasterly along said centerline to the southwestly R.O.W. line of Dixie Highway 120 feet wide; thence northwesterly along the said R.O.W. line of Dixie Highway to the centerline of Deer Lake Road; thence easterly along the centerline of said Deer Lake Road to the northwest corner of "Deer Lake Heights," part of the N. E. 1/4 of Section 30, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan and recorded in Liber 116, Page 36, Oakland County Records; thence southerly along the westerly line of said Deer Lake Heights 210.00 feet; thence along the southerly lines of Lots 1-8 of said Deer Lake Heights to the southeast corner of said Lot 8; thence northerly along the easterly line of said Deer Lake Heights to the centerline of Deer Lake Road; thence easterly along the centerline of said Deer Lake Road to the centerline of White Lake Road; thence southerly along the centerline of said White Lake Road to the centerline of said Dixie Highway; thence southeasterly along the centerline of said Dixie Highway to the southeast corner of Dollar Lake Subdivision, a subdivision of part of the southwest 1/4 and part of the northwest 1/4 of Section 29, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan; thence northerly along the easterly line of said Dollar Lake Subdivision to the northwest corner of Lot 45 of said Supervisor's Plat No. 9; thence easterly along the northerly line of said Lot 45 263.22 feet; thence northerly along the westerly line of said Lot 45 300 feet to the southwest corner of Outlot B of said subdivision;

thence northerly, northeasterly, and easterly along the westerly, northwesterly and northerly line of said Outlot B to the southwest corner of Lot 52 of said Supervisor's Plat No. 9; thence northerly along the westerly line of said Lot 52 to the northerly line of said Supervisor's Plat No. 9; thence easterly along the northerly line of said subdivision to the northeast corner of said Supervisor's Plat No. 9; thence southerly along the easterly line of said Supervisor's Plat No. 9 to the south line of a parcel with a Sidwell No. of 8-29-402-005; thence easterly along the southerly line of said parcel to the westerly line of Highwood Village, a subdivision of part of east 1/2 of southeast 1/4 of Section 29, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan and recorded in Liber 91, Page 12 of Oakland County Records; thence southerly along the westerly line of said subdivision to the north line of said Section 32; thence southerly and southeasterly along the westerly and southwestly lines of a parcel with a Sidwell No. of 8-32-227-004 to the east line of said Section 32; thence southerly along the easterly line of said Section 32 to the northeasterly right-of-way line of said Dixie Highway to the northwest corner of Lot 68, Townsend's Subdivision, a subdivision of part of the southwest 1/4 of Section 33, T. 4 N., R. 9 E., Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan and recorded in Liber 31, Page 12, Oakland County Records; thence easterly along the northerly line of Lots 68 and 69 to the northwest corner of Lot 67 of said subdivision; thence southeasterly along the southwestly line of Lots 67, 66 and 65 of said subdivision to the southwest corner of Lot 65; thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of said Lot 65 to a point that is 200 feet southwestly from the east corner of said Lot 65; thence southeasterly to a point on the northerly line of Lot 62, said point being southerly along the northerly line of said Lot 200 feet from the northeast corner of said Lot 62; thence westerly along the northerly line of Lot 62 to the northwest corner of Lot 62; thence southerly along the westerly lines of Lots 62, 61, 60, 59 and 58 of said Townsend Subdivision to the northwesterly right-of-way line of Rockcroft Drive 50 feet wide; thence southwesterly along the northwesterly right-of-way line of said Rockcroft Drive to the southeast corner of Lot 81 of said Townsend Sub.; thence southerly to the northeast corner of Lot 82 of said subdivision; thence southeasterly along the southwestly right-of-way line of Rockcroft Drive 50 ft. wide to the southeast corner of Lot 83 of said subdivision; thence westerly along the southerly line of Lot 83 to the northeast corner of Lot 84 of said subdivision; thence southerly to the southeast corner of a parcel with a Sidwell No. of 08-33-354-003; thence easterly to the northeast corner of a parcel with a Sidwell No. of 08-33-354-013; thence southerly to the southeast corner of Lot 96 of said subdivision; thence westerly along the northerly right-of-way line of Bryant Avenue 50 ft. wide to the intersection of the extension of the easterly line of a parcel with a Sidwell No. of 08-33-356-001; thence southerly along said easterly line to the southerly line of Lot 107 of said subdivision; thence easterly to the northeast corner of Lot 108 of said subdivision; thence southerly in part along the westerly line of Lots 111 and 122 to the southwest corner of Lot 122 of said subdivision; thence easterly along the southerly line of said subdivision 142.78 ft. more or less to a corner of said subdivision; thence southerly along the easterly line of said subdivision to the south line of said Section 33; thence west 190 feet more or less to the POINT OF BEGINNING.

The proposed ordinance amendments will be voted upon on August 26, 1986 at the Independence Township Hall Annex, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI 48016 at 7:30 p.m. A complete copy of the proposed ordinance amendments is available at the Clerk's office, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI 48016, Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
 Richard A. Holman
 Township Clerk

The motion to approve the proposed ordinance was made by Holman and supported by Vandermark. The motion passed unanimously. This ordinance is effective immediately upon publication.

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- 7:30pm—This Is the Life: The Christian drama series is sponsored by St. Trinity Lutheran Church of Independence Township. This week's episode is "The Painting," the story of an art-loving pastor who discovers a long-lost masterpiece is a forgery.
- 8pm—Klubhouse Kids: Local children appear in the audience and on stage in the program designed for preschoolers and hosted by Dottie Rivers and Shawn Smith. This week's theme is

- Jobs
- 8:30pm—Oakland County Parks and Recreation Presents: This week's program is about Groveland Oaks.
- 9pm—Shirley's World: The discussion of UFOs continues with Independence Township psychic Shirley Lynch's guests, George and Shirley Coyne of the Michigan UFO Network.
- 9:30pm—Field Day: The program covers the annual field day of the Oakland County Amateur Radio Society.

Programs on Independence Township's cable channel 11 begin at 7 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays only. Other times, the station features a billboard with community service announcements and the schedule of the evening programs.

New teen club to meet soon

Several communities are joining together to form a teen club this year.

Kids between ages 13 and 20 from Independence Township, Waterford Township and Rochester areas will meet for such activities as skiing, volleyball and college football.

Pine Knob Ski Resort will be a co-sponsor and will offer benefits (such as free skiing) to those on Jr. Ski Patrol, public relations or security.

The \$5 registration fee includes a pizza party, monthly newsletters, Explorer membership, a chance to join the Jr. Ski Patrol at Pine Knob and other activities.

The first meeting and pizza party is at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 16, at Pine Knob Ski Lodge. Reservations should be made by Sept. 12.

Some of the planned activities:

- Teen club cookout/volleyball: Oct. 2 at Clintonwood Park, Clarkston Road, \$2.50.

- Michigan State Spartan Football: Nov. 1, \$10—includes ticket and transportation to East Lansing.

- Christmas shopping: in December, at Fairlane Towncenter in Dearborn, \$1 for transportation.

For more information, call Independence, 625-8223; Waterford, 623-0900; or Rochester, 651-6210.

Just for preschoolers

Registration is under way for the Springfield Township Library's Preschool Story Hour.

The program features films, stories and crafts for preschoolers, ages 3 to 5. Sessions are planned each Thursday from 1 to 2 p.m.

There is a 25 cent weekly donation for materials. For more information, call the library at 625-0595.

Pageant is postponed

The Springfield Township Historical Pageant has been rescheduled for next year.

The change was made so the township and Michigan's 150th birthday history could be celebrated with one production.

Anyone interested in working with Craig Aleo on the project may write to him in care of Helen Vergin, 12561 Scott, Davisburg, MI 48019.

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Illiteracy rate 20% in county

BY KAMIBUCHHOLZ
Oxford Leader Editor

Communication poses great hurdles for many non-readers.

In Oakland County alone, 138,000 people—20 percent of the adult population—are classified as illiterate, yet less than 2 percent of those people are receiving help.

The numbers, provided by the director of the Oakland County Literacy Project, underscore the problem. Non-readers struggle to fill out job applications, read a newspaper, even write a letter.

A tutor with the county says that many of the area's non-readers stopped the learning process because of illness, or they quit school for financial reasons. Others lost sight of learning to read due to frequent moves that resulted in changes of schools.

"In more cases than not, the fact that they can't read is outside of their control," Jack Gillard, tutor with the OCLP says.

Gillard has been tutoring a student for two months. The pupil, in his 20s, works for a family-owned retail business.

Reading is difficult for the student. He especially has trouble with phonetics. But, he wants to be able to read so that he can attend college.

Although he did complete high school, he is now learning to write letters of inquiry and read a newspaper.

"This isn't a quick fix solution, but I think people will make more rapid success with a tutor than under a school program because you're working one-on-one," Gillard says.

The OCLP is entirely volunteer and there is no cost to students.

Persons in the program cross all social and economic levels and range from 19-86, says Cathryn Weiss, program director.

"People become a little bit complacent if they already have a job, but it affects them personally, too," Weiss says.

Area adult and community education directors report that only a few individuals with reading difficulties seek help.

"We get people that come into our office and say they can't read. We usually get half a dozen a year, but I know there's more out there.

"It's not that they can't read anything, but they can't look at a page of words and decode it," Karen Eckert, adult and community education director for Oxford Schools, says.

Auburn Hills Avondale School Adult Education program also reaches less than a half dozen non-readers.

"Sometimes they feel they're not good enough to come to school... If someone in their family has done it, it gives some validity to it," says Ellen Nash, Adult Learning Center Coordinator.

Many non-readers lack complete reading skills; the

progression of skills used in reading wasn't learned

"Take the apostrophe," says Nash. "Something as simple as that, that people take for granted, was something this person had never learned."

Clarkston's Community Education program helped about 20 non-readers last year.

"Most of the ones we've seen in the last year are functioning between 2nd and 4th grade reading," says Marilyn Ally, Adult Outreach Supervisor for Clarkston's Community Education.

"But we've also seen some that don't know their alphabet, or know the alphabet but can't put it in order," she says.

In Lake Orion, the number of non-readers is considered non-representative of those that need help.

"The numbers really are staggering, but there are so many more out there. It's just minute (the number being served) when you're talking about the (overall) problem," says Maryanne Thornycraft, Adult Basic Education Supervisor for Lake Orion schools.

Last year 30 students were enrolled in classes aimed at persons reading below at 8th grade level, says Thornycraft.

Most area adult and/or community education programs report that students usually improve by at least one grade level in reading after completing a few weeks of instruction.

Television, newspapers, radio and magazines are pushing campaigns to bring about awareness of the problem.

The American Newspaper Publishers Association Foundation recently launched "Press to Read."

The program, which will coincide with Literacy Month in September, will link the efforts of literacy education with individual communities.

The computer age is already having an effect on non-readers.

"One woman was offered a promotion at GMAC. It involved more reading, and she can't read real well," says Weiss.

In the business world, persons continue to turn down promotions because the upward move requires reading ability.

Statistics show local breakdown

In Oakland County 158,328 persons, age 18 and above, have completed schooling through the 8th grade.

The Oakland County Literacy Project estimates that 138,000 Oakland County residents are illiterate.

Although lack of a high school diploma does not mean someone is illiterate, many persons who did not complete high school have difficulty reading.

The 1980 census breakdown on the number of persons age 18 and older who completed schooling through grade 8 follows:

ORION TOWNSHIP—2,817

LAKE ORION VILLAGE—526

OXFORD TOWNSHIP—1,321

OXFORD VILLAGE—554

AUBURN HILLS—2,468

INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP—2,870

CLARKSTON VILLAGE—87

ADDISON TOWNSHIP—614

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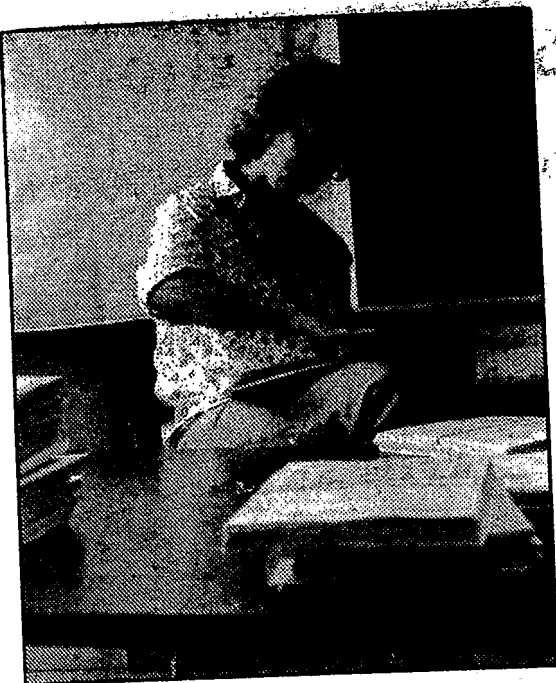
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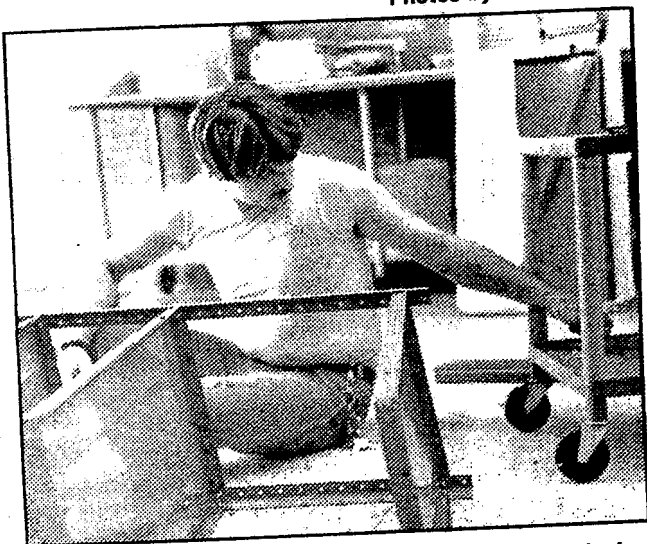
Sheila Moore sorts dittos a whole week before school starts. She will be student teaching at Clarkston Elementary School this fall in Audrey Shupe's first grade class.



Jeremy Doty, 12, [left] and Stephen Locher, 11, help Barb Glover prepare for the first day of school. The boys are sixth graders at Clarkston Elementary School.

In the beginning

Photos by Julie Campe



Before school starts, more shelves are needed, and Jim Malone works hard at the task. Mike Hull and Phil Brewer [not pictured] also help.



Teacher Barb Glover examines the calendar before class begins. She went to school the week before it started, hoping to find all of her bulletin board letters.



On the second day of school, the new kindergarten pupils still need a little help in finding their rooms. Sixth-grade safety volunteers provide the guidance.



Parade-goers are on the edge of their seats, or curbs, as they line up on Main Street, Clarkston, in anticipation of the Labor Day

Parade. People were lined up as much as four-deep along some parts of the parade route on Monday, Sept. 1.

On both sides

Photos by Chris Gerbasi



The Davison Shrine Club members squeezed into their tiny, old-fashioned cars and zigzagged

throughout the parade route.



Even President Reagan joined in the festivities, although he wasn't looking his best.



This Springfield Christian cheerleader is just plain happy about being in the parade and she lets everybody know it.