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Wages set for officials

BY KATHY GREENFIELD
Clarkston News Editor

After 22 months of negotiations, the Clarkston school district's supervisors, building principals and central office administrators have received a two-year salary and benefit agreement.

The agreement, which covers 29 positions, includes wage hikes of 5.4 percent the first year and 4.6 percent the second year of the contract. Benefits remain essentially the same.

Following a closed session Monday night, the board of education reopened the meeting and voted unanimously to approve the agreement, which is retroactive to June 1987.

William Jackson, business manager of the district, served as chief negotiator representing the school board.

"As a negotiator, you're always satisfied when you get an agreement by both sides. That's your goal," he said. "The school board was satisfied. Under the circum-

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Child dies in skiing mishap

BY JULIE CAMPE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

When rescuers found 12-year-old Nicole Loveless on the quarter-mile ski hill at Pine Knob Ski Resort they understood the gravity of her injuries, although outwardly, there were few signs.

After she fell Jan. 13 and apparently hit a chairlift tower, she was unconscious. But the rescuers didn't know she would die a few hours later at Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital.

There were no open wounds and she looked like she was asleep, said Capt. Steve Ronk of the fire department, who reached Nicole at the bottom of the hill, where the volunteer National Ski Patrol members had taken her.

"She took a serious blow to the head and had some skull fractures," he said. "It was just a real frustrating deal. ... We battled all the way to the hospital, but the clock was working against us.

"I stayed at the hospital for an hour. They worked so hard. They didn't beat it either.

"Everyone felt terrible. She was a real cute little girl, all dressed up in her ski stuff, supposedly having fun. She didn't deserve that. It was a real bad thing."

Nicole, a student at Greater Life Academy Christian School, Pontiac, had been skiing with her school ski club around 6 p.m. Jan. 13. Her stepfather, John Bradford, had skied down the hill a few minutes before Nicole.

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Photo by Julie Campe

PROUD PARENTS of only the 15th complete living set of quintuplets in the United States, Springfield Township resident Raymond

L'Esperance gives his wife Michele a comforting hug as she prepares to leave the hospital after giving birth on Jan. 11.

Quints' mom goes home

BY PAT YOUNG
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Life will be different at the L'Esperance home.

Raymond and Michele L'Esperance are building a new home in Springfield Township and on about March 17, they will bring home five new members to their family.

The now-famous L'Esperance quintuplets were born by Caesarean section on Jan. 11 at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. Their debut caused quite a stir. They are the first quintuplets born in the United States by the in vitro fertilization method and only the second in the world.

Odds of having quintuplets are one in about 50 million, and the L'Esperance quintuplets are only the 15th complete living set born in the U.S.

Excited about all the commotion their new baby sisters and brother have caused are the L'Esperances' three children from previous marriages, 7-year-old Larry, 5-year-old Christopher and 2 1/2-year-old Brian.

"The 7-year-old, Larry, even started cutting out news articles about the quintuplets," said Raymond.

When Michele was released from Beaumont Hospital Monday afternoon, the crowds of media people and well-wishers that the L'Esperances have grown accustomed to were on hand for the occasion.

Raymond said they are, both very excited about their new babies, though the attention has been exhausting.

"We're looking forward to it," he said. "We found out there were five, and we wanted all five."

All of the quintuplets, four girls and a boy named

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Pine Knob casualty

(PINE KNOB, from previous Page)

Witnesses at Pine Knob said Nicole was in the star position - arms straight out from her sides - and out of control the whole way down the hill, said Pine Knob General Manager Jim Brown.

Her death left everyone shaken at Pine Knob, he said.

"It's just so unfortunate," he said. "We've got a poor little girl who's not with us any longer. ... And we all have to live with that."

"We feel terrible about it. I have children of my own about the same age. All I can do is picture my own children. I have a son who had a skiing head injury when he was 12. I sat in the hospital all night waiting. ... I can feel for the family."

The quarter-mile is an intermediate hill, he said. The conditions weren't icy, although they weren't ideal - such as after a newly fallen snow.

"They were typical midwest conditions, what we skiers call 'hardpack'," he said.

Brown, a competitive skier for 20 years and a former college and high school ski coach, said maybe others would take note of the incident and be more careful.

"There are inherent dangers in the sport," he said. "I don't believe people should be afraid, but they ought to be careful. They should know their limits."

In his four years at Pine Knob, no one has ever died, he said. According to other employees, no one had died before that, either, he said.

Pine Knob employees routinely stop people who are out of control or who are skiing in areas above their expertise, he said.

"We stop them and take their tickets, maybe their ski passes for a week. They don't always understand, but it's for their own safety and the safety of others."

Skiers should take formal lessons and should learn how to fall safely, he said.

"If anything, we can learn from this," he said. "After the accident, there were no accidents. It slowed people down that much."

Figa steps down from planning helm

BY JULIE CAMPE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

After one year at the helm of the planning commission, Chairperson Joseph Figa stepped down from the position and Brent Bair was elected in his place.

After the meeting, Figa said he thought the seat should be a rotating position.

Calling the commission members a "congenial group," he said rotating the position would "give everyone good experience. It's been a very professional and dedicated group to work with. I think everyone would qualify to be chairperson."

Also at the Dec. 14 meeting, Carol Balzarini and Richard Oppmann were re-elected as vice-chairperson and secretary, respectively.

Before the voting took place, Jo Fussman thanked Figa "for his steady and reasonable approach" and Oppmann thanked Figa for his "wisdom and his ability to control the meetings through sometimes heated debates and to always come up with a solution."

After the meeting, Bair commented on his new post.

"We are entering... more and more difficult times," he said. "Our concerns are with additional development. I'll certainly do my best to help the planning commission. I have the support of excellent people on the commission."

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Hose douses flames

Quick action with a garden hose helped prevent some damage during a garage fire on Everest Road, Independence Township, last Sunday.

About 5 p.m. Sunday, a teenager was building a fire in a wood stove in a garage when someone dropped a can of paint thinner and a fire started, said firefighter Larry Wormnest.

The residents used a garden hose to extinguish the flames, he said. By the time firefighters arrived, they had to battle just smoke.

The garage suffered less than \$1,000 in structural damage.

Correction

A story in the Dec. 23 issue of The Clarkston News should have said that the sign on northbound Dixie Highway before the M-15 intersection says "stop here on red."

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Easement dispute creates wait for Deerwood III

BY JULIE CAMPE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

For the second time, a battle over a private road easement delayed the tentative preliminary plat approval for Deerwood III subdivision off M-15 in Independence Township.

After an hour-long debate mostly between attorneys, the planning commission voted 4-0 to table the request for a revised plan that no one liked as well as the first plan.

At the Nov. 18 meeting, the commission tabled the request until the developers and three homeowners settled a dispute over the private road easement on subdivision property leading to the homeowners' land-locked parcels.

At the Jan. 14 meeting, the developers returned with an alternative plan that still crossed the easement but in a different location. The developers, homeowners and commission members said they did not like the alternate plan.

One of the developers, Stewart Mahler, said one homeowner would not budge and was simply against the entire subdivision. The issue should be kept to the road, he said.

M-15 resident Thomas Hall said about 1,000 cars a day, too many to be safe, would pass over the easement, and the subdivision was planned for too many houses.

"If it were a few people, I'd have no objections," he said. "I'd be up there with a shovel helping the developers make 10-acre lots."

Hall's attorney, Robert Coon, said the subdivision road could not cross the private road easement leading from M-15 to the private residences.

"These people have this property right by deed," said Coon. "Their interest is paramount to the fee-holders - the developers."

"You cannot cross that easement. ... To the extent that the commission sanctions the taking of a private property right, it is the public taking the private property right," he said.

Attorney James Simpson, representing the developers, said he used a computer search to help research all litigation in the country over easement issues, and no case supported Coon's statement.

Calling the Halls' objection a "lament for the passing of the wide open prairie," he said, "An easement or private road is merely a right of someone to get access to their land. What do you give up when you grant an easement? You give up the exclusive right to use your property. You invite someone on."

Another homeowner, Richard Campbell, said the developer's first plan Nov. 11 was acceptable to him, but the second plan was not because it would prevent him from developing his 10 acres in the future.

Mahler said he's spent months and a lot of money

trying to solve the problem.

"We've tried hard to make everybody happy. It's impossible. ... This is not our best choice," he said of the alternate plan.

Township attorney Gerald Fisher said the issue was complicated, and if the commission denied it without solving the easement issue, the developers could sue. If the commission approved it without solving the easement issue, the homeowners could sue.

Commission members voiced disapproval over the disagreement and favored the first plan.

"It's very tragic that this hasn't been able to be resolved," said Richard Oppmann. "There was a chance for the property owners there to have a nice 60-foot paved access that would be maintained by the county."

Brent Bair said the developers' proposal was OK by township zoning standards.

"I don't understand why the property owners want to hang on to an access declared by (the Michigan Department of Transportation) as unsafe," he said. "Today, there are other accesses to their property. It

doesn't make a whole lot of sense to me."

Jo Fussman commented on the emotional side of the issue.

"I see a way of life being changed, and that's very difficult to accept," she said. "Development is coming in, and it's unwanted. ... I believe it's a more heartfelt issue, and logic has nothing to do with it."

Chairperson Joseph Figa said, "It's unfortunate that all the parties involved couldn't solve this. It puts everyone at an awkward position."

The commission voted 4-0 to table the request. The developers and the property owners are to negotiate again, and the commission is to consider the plat at a February meeting.

Carol Balzarini was absent.

Deerwood III consists of 157 lots on 182 acres, north of the Deerwood I and Deerwood II subdivisions, extending from Elkrum Drive and Deerwood Drive. The two access points to M-15 are to be through the existing Cranberry Lake Road and the existing Deer Ridge Drive.

Baggins came home

BY PAT YOUNG
Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's a "Lassie Come Home" story, sort of. But in this case, a 15-pound black and tan tabby cat named Baggins finds his way home.

When Kathy Binkley moved to a new house in Independence Township a couple of months ago, she kept her four cats inside for about two weeks so they would get accustomed to their new surroundings.

"When I finally let them outside, everyone knew where they were except Baggins," she said.

Baggins is an 8-year-old neutered cat, so he wasn't out sowing his wild oats. He was just plain lost. Binkley offered a \$500 reward in local papers.

"There were a lot of nice people who called," she said. "They were so helpful and concerned."

But after two months, Baggins was still missing. Then Binkley began feeding a stray that was hanging around in the garage, and who should show up for the food last week but old Baggins.

"I opened the garage door and he ran away frightened, but as soon as I said, 'Baggins, come back!' he did an immediate U-turn and came to me," Binkley said.

He was pretty skinny. He ate six cans of food in the first 10 hours he was home, and he sticks a little closer to home now.

He sticks pretty close to Binkley, too. Everytime



BAGGINS GETS A HUG from his owner, Kathy Binkley of Independence Township.

she sits down, he sits on her and makes sure all four paws are touching her.

"I guess we're both pretty happy he's home," she said.

Warning to moms: Don't leave purses in vehicles

BY JULIE CAMPE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

After four instances of purse snatching from cars at day care centers, Jeanne Molzon thought people should be warned. Police say the thefts are a variation on the frequent breakings and enterings in the Independence area.

Molzon, who oversees the Clarkston Latchkey program, said someone is stealing purses after mothers leave their cars unlocked and sometimes running while

Site inspected

Hazardous materials were involved in a minor fire on White Lake Road, Independence Township, last Thursday, and the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) was called in to monitor the situation.

About 6 p.m., employees at Clarkston Metalurgical Processing were welding when an oxidizer ignited, said Capt. Neil Ashley of the township fire department.

The fire was out in 15 minutes, but firefighters were on the scene for about three hours cleaning up, Ashley said.

The DNR checked the run-off and inspected the site and said nothing was contaminated, Ashley said.

The fire was out before the toxic chemicals could have caused a problem, he said.

they go inside the building to pick up their children.

"We felt that someone might be following and waiting," she said. "They only have enough time for the parents to walk into the building and put their child's coat on."

"Where they park the car is usually not visible from the building," she said.

As a warning to parents, Molzon has placed signs at all of the elementary schools in Clarkston and Clarkston Junior High School, which serve as latchkey buildings.

"It's worth making people stop and think," she said. "It really applies to anyone running in anyplace."

Pine Knob and North Sashabaw elementary schools and a Waterford day care center have been the locations of the crimes--three in the first week of January, Molzon said.

Detective Sgt. Charles Williams of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department said not many purse snatchings have been reported and they don't have any suspects.

People should never leave their purses in their cars, especially since most purses are too big to fit under a seat, he said, and if they do leave their cars running they should carry an extra set of keys and always lock the door.

"If a car is running, chances are it's unlocked," he said. "It's not a good idea to leave the purse in the car at all."

People should be on the alert for suspicious people or vehicles, he said, adding larceny from cars and build-

ings frequently occurs in the area.

"Don't assume that strange cars are there for a reason, especially if your neighbor is away," he said.

People should watch for lights in a house that should be vacant that day, strange cars and strange people.

"I don't want everyone to get paranoid and jumpy, but there are a lot of breaking and enterings in the Independence Township area - in the daytime, too. Somebody is seeing these people, ... but they're just not paying attention. People are kicking in back doors and basement windows to get in."

Adults should talk to kids about it, because they see a lot, he said.

"We had a 13-year-old kid watch two guys break into a house and wait until his parents got home to tell two hours later," Williams said.

Thieves are taking guns, TVs, microwaves, radar equipment, electronic equipment, cordless phones, answering machines and jewelry.

"It's fast money. They can turn them over real quick, and most people don't record the serial numbers," he said. "It's time consuming, but it would be a big help if people would just record the serial numbers."

Owners should make an identifiable mark on watches, rings and other jewelry, so it can be distinguished from items belonging to others, he said.

People who see anything suspicious, should call the sheriff's department at 858-4950.

Sheriff's Log

Monday, Jan. 11, someone stole two 12-packs of beer from a business on M-15, Independence Township.

Tuesday, a security guard caught a Clarkston High School student sticking a knife in a teacher's \$80 car tire. The student said he was angry because he had been suspended from the teacher's class.

Tuesday, a license plate was stolen from a vehicle at the ride pool lot on Sashabaw Road near I-75, Independence Township.

Tuesday, \$4,000 worth of windows were stolen from a house on Onandaga, Independence Township.

Tuesday, three teens were caught prowling through a vehicle on Marvin, Independence Township, and their parents were called.

Wednesday, a \$150 citizen's band radio was stolen from a vehicle on Fowler, Independence Township.

Wednesday, an attempt was made to steal a radio from an unlocked vehicle on Oakhill Road, Independence Township, and the dash was damaged in the process.

Wednesday, two mailboxes were damaged and one destroyed on Andersonville Road, Springfield Township.

Wednesday, someone shot through a \$150 window on Bridge Lake Road, Springfield Township. The bullet was found in the house.

Thursday, someone spray-painted "SID" on a street sign on Sashabaw Road, Independence Township.

Thursday, the "Felix Drive" street sign was re-

ported missing at White Lake Road, Independence Township.

Thursday, a \$400 cap for a pick-up truck was stolen from a residence on White Lake Road, Independence Township.

Thursday, three people were given tickets for possession of open intoxicants in their vehicle when they were caught eating fast food and drinking beer in an auto dealership parking lot on Dixie Highway, Independence Township.

Thursday, two snowmobile trailers worth \$600 were stolen from a Sashabaw Road business in Independence Township.

Friday, a \$30 bike was stolen from an address on Everest, Independence Township.

Friday, a neighbor interrupted a man while he was kicking in a wooden door, trying to break into a residence on Frankwill, Independence Township. The canine unit tracked the suspect for one-quarter mile, where police think a vehicle picked him up.

Friday, a 19-year-old received a ticket for possession of alcohol at a gas station parking lot on M-15, Independence Township.

Friday, \$1,200 worth of windows were stolen from a Chickadee Lane, Independence Township, residence.

Saturday, a delivery truck ran over and destroyed \$1,000 worth of lawn and shrubs on Low Meadow, Independence Township.

Saturday, police were called to break up a loud party on Bristol Park, Independence Township. An 18-

year-old was holding the party while his parents were out of town.

Saturday, two men stole two \$10 sheets of Plexiglas from a business on Dixie Highway, Springfield Township.

Saturday, a neighbor's phone call may have interrupted thieves who had ransacked and stolen a few items from a Hillsboro, Springfield Township, residence. The neighbor called when she saw a light in the house and knew the residents weren't home.

Saturday, a 1988 car was stolen from a Woodhull Road, Independence Township, residence.

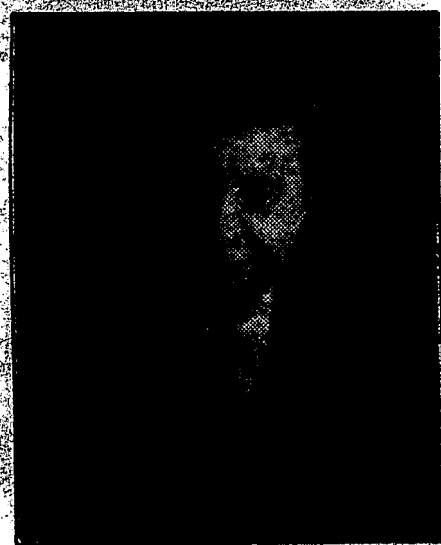
Sunday, someone smashed a car window at Pine Knob Ski Resort and took \$375 skis, a \$200 canvas cassette case full of cassettes, \$50 sunglasses and a \$179 radar detector.

Sunday, someone defaced the Clintonville Road sign with spray paint at Clarkston Road, Independence Township. "BABY" was also sprayed on two signs on North Eston Road, Independence Township.

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

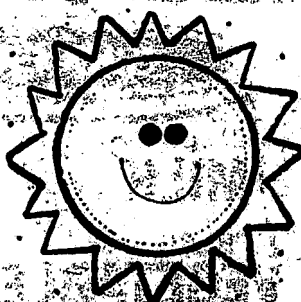
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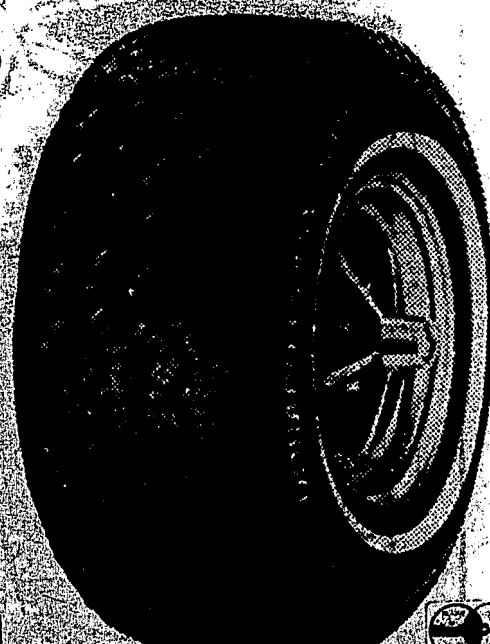
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Salaries go up for 28 school officials

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stances, that was the best they could do."

The agreement puts the salary hikes below the 6 percent agreed upon for each year for the district's teachers, the largest employee group, that numbers about 370.

One factor that influenced the outcome was the defeat of millage requests for operational expenses, which include salaries, by district voters in June and October, said school board President Janet Thomas.

"It was a settlement we were glad to make, for... it should have been made quite some time ago in conjunction with all the others," she said.

Thomas said that some residents in the district may think the administrators should not be given raises because the millage failed, but that it would be unfair to make an example of 29 people when 370 were already receiving increases.

The lower-than-the-majority percentages agreed upon were a "median ground," she said.

George White served as chief negotiator for the 17 building principals and directors, the only official bargaining group of the 29 positions affected by the agreement.

"Basically, I'm glad it's over. It's something that should have been resolved when the teachers' contract was resolved," he said.

According to White, the most significant portion of the contract was an agreement to allow a joint committee with equal representation from the school board and the administration to write procedures for handling reductions, recalls, transfers and reassignment of administrative positions.

The agreement will have to be ratified by both sides, he said, adding that the goal is to have plans in place soon enough to cover reductions that could take place this spring.

The agreement also eliminated merit pay. Salaries are based on position and years of employment. Unlike the teachers' contract, raises are not given for advanced degrees.

For the six supervisor positions, which are transportation, food service, two in community education, data processing and the currently vacant central office manager, salaries for the first year of the contract will range from \$21,693 to \$38,846 and from \$22,691 to \$38,846 the second year. No one is currently making the top salary possible, said Jackson.

For the 17 building principals, assistant principals and directors of special education, community education and athletics, the salaries for the first year will range from \$39,752 to \$55,966. The second year, the range will be \$41,581 to \$58,540.

For the six central office administrators, the salaries will range from \$48,472 to \$65,469 the first year and from \$50,702 to \$68,481 the second year. At the low end are the administrators in charge of personnel, adminis-

trative services, business services and curriculum. The assistant superintendent's salary is higher and the superintendent's salary is the highest, Jackson said.

Superintendent Milford Mason's contract ends June 30 when he plans to retire, so the high figure could change, Jackson said.

Benefits for all positions include hospitalization, dental and vision coverage, group term life insurance, long-term disability insurance and, the only benefit teachers do not have, an additional group term accidental death insurance. There is also an option for those who do not use health care of a tax-sheltered annuity of \$720 a year.

The only other benefits, said Jackson, are vehicles equipped with telephones for the superintendent and administrator in charge of transportation services.

Supervisor expects growth to continue

Springfield Township should continue to enjoy steady growth in 1988, according to Township Supervisor Collin Walls, unless there is a major change in mortgage interest rates.

In 1987, the Springfield Township Building Department issued 255 permits for a total of \$59,963 in fees, according to annual building report figures, compared to 226 permits for \$47,886 in 1986.

Permits are necessary for new buildings as well as additions, decks, garages, pools, barns and other projects.

New dwelling permits accounted for 124 of the permits in 1987, compared to 105 in 1986. Permits for additions and remodeling in 1987 totaled 28, down three from 1986. Permits for garages were up four from 1986, from 22 to 26, as were permits for decks, porches and pools, with 19 issued in 1987 compared to 15 in 1986.

Industrial and commercial permits accounted for

10 of the permits in 1987, while only two were issued in 1986.

Walls said the figures do not necessarily represent new buildings, but additions as well. Four of the industrial permits in 1987 were for new buildings.

March meeting change

The March 10 meeting of the Springfield Township Board is planned in Fire Station No. 2 at the corner of Rattalee Lake Road and Dixie Highway.

The change of location is due to a conflict in scheduling with the Springfield Township Board of Review, which is meeting the same night in the township hall.

The rest of the township board's monthly meetings in 1988 are to take place the second Thursday of the month in the township hall as usual.

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Opinions

Fantasy land

Kathy Greenfield



The TV news reporter called Jan. 12 to propose a fantasy involving the birth of the L'Esperance quintuplets and me.

The whole encounter made me a bit grumpy. Let me tell you the story.

She proposed her plan shortly before 5 p.m. on the day we put the paper to bed, which was beginning to look like a late night since I was still in Clarkston and we paste up the pages of the News in Oxford where Sherman Publications are printed.

It had been quite a day. Our publisher heard about the quint's Jan. 11 birth on the radio that morning (talk about your inside track) and called first thing to give the alert.

Staff writer Pat Young spent much of the morning trying to cajole a hospital public relations person into telling us the parents' names. A press conference had been scheduled that afternoon and she finally convinced someone that since our paper wouldn't even be printed until the next day we couldn't possibly scoop any other newspaper or TV or radio station.

So we had the names, Michele and Raymond L'Esperance, but nobody we knew had heard of them. We continued to try to find out where their "Clarkston area" home was.

The hospital representative wouldn't budge. The Clarkston area was what the parents had said and that was the only "address" they were providing.

We know Clarkston mailing covers a myriad of locations including most of Independence Township and portions of Springfield, Brandon, Groveland and Orion townships.

Nonetheless, "Clarkston quint's" had that glide-off-the-tongue quality, so we used it. Now we know "Davisburg quint's" would have been more accurate.

The TV news reporter I talked to didn't know where the L'Esperances lived, either, except she did say they'd heard that they were living in Warren while having a house built in Clarkston. Somebody on the staff was checking, she said. Meanwhile, she called me.

This is what she had in mind: A chat with me, the editor of the small-town weekly newspaper, saying this was the biggest news Clarkston had ever had and film (at 11) of me pasting photos of the quint's on our front page.

She cooled considerably when I pointed out that Clarkston wasn't quite what she imagined ("Prairie Home Companion," anyone?) and told her paste-up was in Oxford.

Sure, people were curious, but we weren't skipping with glee down Main Street.

And golly, gee, gosh we've had other significant news here, too, I told her. Meanwhile, we were experiencing the pitfalls that any news organization forced to deal with middlemen goes through.

Don't get me wrong. I'm thrilled for the L'Esperances. Here at the News, we've all been talking about what it would be like to care for five infants and about what nice people the L'Esperances appear to be. We've shared hopes that the quintuplets will continue to thrive.

They truly are the talk of the town, just as they are the talk of towns across America and, perhaps, the world.

Of course, that wasn't the truth the TV reporter had in mind. Oh, well.

Editorial

You can protest tax hike

Some say that there are only two sure things in this world - death and taxes. We say that there are three - death, taxes and tax hikes.

But not all increases in the total tax bill are due to voter-approved millage raises, or increases in sales or income taxes.

Some are due raises in the SEV (State Equalized Valuation) on your property. And, when this is the case, you do have a right to question the reason for the increase.

The SEV on property should be one-half of its total market value. For example, if your property is appraised to sell for \$80,000, the SEV would be \$40,000.

Take a look at the tax bill you recently received. Multiply the figure found in the spot marked SEV by two. If you feel that your property is worth less than the figure at which you arrive, you have reason to take the issue to the Board of Review.

Assessors say that they depend upon the real estate business to find out how much homes are bringing in a neighborhood.

Most often, the assessment is correct, but if your home is older than others, if it needs much work, or if it's not as spacious as the house next door, your SEV may be too high.

The problem with questioning your SEV is that you must do the work toward proving that the figure is unfair.

It's up to you to find out what the actual market value of your home is. It's up to you to make sure that the SEV is not placed at more than one-half of that value.

It's not an easy task, but it is worth it if you feel

your property's SEV assessment is too high.

Once you have gathered the necessary information to talk with the Board of Review about your SEV, watch the local papers for an announcement of the dates and times the Board will meet.

Orion Township will conduct its Board of Review from March 14-18. Watch The Lake Orion Review for times and locations.

To help you, the Information Press of Charlevoix is offering a booklet explaining how to appeal your SEV property assessment.

To obtain a copy, mail \$3.95 to Information Press of Charlevoix, 8434 Murray Road, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

When you go to fight the assessment, the battle is all up to you. The booklet is added armor.

CJW

The Clarkston News letter policy

We welcome our readers' opinions. Letters to the editor must arrive at The Clarkston News office by noon Monday to be considered for publication in Wednesday's paper. We reserve the right to edit all letters for brevity and clarity and to limit the number of letters from any one individual on any one topic. We discourage copies of letters sent elsewhere, and require all letters be signed and include a phone number and address. We may withhold names on request, but will not publish unsigned letters. Address all letters to: Letters to the Editor, The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston, MI 48018.

Jim's Jottings

Jim Sherman



Lists are the "in" thing at the start of a new year. The list I like best is the what's in and what's out list, 1987 and 1988. I haven't the slightest idea who creates it, and I don't care. Some things you just read for the heck of it.

It was interesting to see Paul Prudhomme, Tama Janowitz and Peter Marino are out, because I didn't see them on the in list last January and still don't know who they are.

I hate to see acid washed jeans are out, but I suppose soft pants being in will lessen my attitude.

It's hard to believe suspender makers have got their product on the in list, but then so are Pee-Wee Herman products. (By the way, don't you think Detroit Lions coach Darryl Rogers and Pee-Wee Herman look alike?)

Lear's magazine is in. Is that the stare or the plane?

Here's a conflict. Short skirts are out, but short strapless dresses are in. And, shorts are in, but walking shorts for me are out.

Gary Hart made both lists.

Martinis are in, champagne is out, Range Rovers are in, Taurus out, and hot pink and red-together are in, and gray and brown are out.

Being on time is in, and it should never have been anything else. I never could understand being "acceptably late". If people wanted you to arrive at 10 minutes after 8:00 they would have said so.

Tan lines are out. Thank goodness. I was wondering what I was going to do this January with

out my August tan lines.

Green plants are out, but gardening is in. What grows that isn't green someplace? Stockbrokers are out (naturally), and financial planners are in. Watch all stockbrokers become financial planners.

The gatherer of these lists put growing old gracefully in. Wonder if we can do that in just one year?

Long straight hair is in and with it long sideburns for women. Maybe that was necessary to divert glances from décolletage, which is also in.

I am happy to see they took tv evangelists off the list, but certainly not surprised. Also pleasing is the removal of couch potatoes, suction lipectomy, Lucite placemats, and Elizabeth Taylor's Passion. I don't know why they spelled her passion with a capital "P".

Off the list and out for 1988 is Spuds Mackenzie. When a brewery has to use a dog to sell suds it's time to switch.

One thing about these lists, there are always counter offerings. An armful of bracelets is out, one great accessory is in, chunky earrings are out, earring-less ears are in, long red fingernails are out (too bad, guys), the no-makeup make up look is in, and Metropolitan Home is out, the new House and Garden in.

The list writer has probably never heard of Jim's Jottings. If he/she had it would probably be treated like Gary Hart.

Letters to the Editor

Insult, not honor

I have found yet another great reason to read The Clarkston News. It is how I found out I had been awarded a plaque at the most recent township board meeting!

Since I was not aware of Mr. Ronk's nomination, I did not have the opportunity to decline.

Insincere gestures on the part of the present township supervisor cannot buy off my concern for uncontrolled development and environmental destruction.

I will accept plaques from friends when I decide to retire, not from someone who dumped me after 15 years of service on the planning commission.

Holly Stephens

Scouter's worries

The Clinton Valley Council of Boy Scouts of America has several individuals on its executive board and executive membership-at-large whose businesses and residences are in the territory of the Detroit Area Council.

Some are even members of the Detroit Area Council. This is a conflict of interests.

Many of these individuals were stacked into positions in order to push through the attempted consolidation that we of the "grass roots" so soundly defeated late last November.

We are asking that all of these people immediately resign and make room for honorable, well-qualified personnel from our Clinton Valley Council territory and current Scouters ranks.

We do not want or need individuals who are there in name only; or, for personal financial or political gain. We need people who are interested in the promulgation of Scouting and are, quoting the Scout Law, "trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient (to the mass), cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean and reverent."

It seems that these basic ideals have been forgotten in lieu of cupidity and lust for personal gain. Let the "true Scouters" be involved and have input in a council management whose only purpose should be for the benefit of the adolescent members of Clinton Valley Council.

David R. Strong
Grass Roots Scouters
Clarkston

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An attorney for the defense argued that contaminated air inside 36th District Court headquarters caused an assistant Wayne County prosecutor to fix traffic tickets.

And, speaking of foul air, the mail brought a business-size envelope with this message printed in large red letters on the front: "In Germany, MEN CHANGE THEIR UNDERWEAR on an average of ONCE EVERY 7 DAYS."

You may wonder what happened to good taste. I wonder what happened to SWAK. Oldsters may recall when SWAK was an acronym for "sealed with a kiss." It used to be that SWAK was the only thing, other than names and addresses, commonly printed on the outside of mailed envelopes.

I was a substitute mailman in the late 1940s when there was a postal regulation against sending messages on the outside of envelopes. It was a romantic stretch to allow sexually active correspondents to print SWAK in small letters on the back of the envelope, along the seal.

TODAY, letters are sealed with a ton of verbiage. Before opening the envelope you can read that you're going to win a billion dollars from Ed McMahan, whose picture is on the 22-cent stamp, but you must act fast or you may only win a trip for two to Hawaii or for 10 to Toledo, depending on whether the offer is valid in Vermont.

But the underwear schedule of German men printed where the return address belongs? Yes. Honest.

The letter was from Michele Wolk, circulation director for World Press Review, a monthly magazine headquartered in Farmingdale, N.Y. Saying her magazine featured excerpts from dozens of foreign publications. Wolk asked if I wanted to understand "what people around the world really think about? What makes them feel - and act - the way they do?"

I don't know. From just reading the outside of an envelope, I learned why German men feel lonely and act scratchy. I'm not sure I have the stomach for reading an entire magazine full of such internationally embarrassing information. Although I admit being curious about whether they all change underwear on the same seventh day, in unison, or in Berlin.

ANYWAY, it's unlikely Germany can be blamed for the mysteriously contaminated air at 36th District Court in the Madison Center building. In 1986, after many people got sick there and it was closed for 12 days, a judge ordered a sign posted on the building warning it might be hazardous to your health to enter. Naturally, everyone was reminded of the thousands of smokers who ignore a similar warning on cigaret packages.

At the time, I guessed most court employees would continue to enter the building because they were afraid if they quit they'd gain weight. I also suggested nearby restaurants should offer no-Madison-Center-building seating sections for patrons who didn't want to sit near building employees and be exposed to second-hand foul air transmitted - by breeze, menu or hostess - from their clothing to innocent people who never once worked at the Madison Center or gave up working there many years ago when it was still a warehouse approved by the U.S. Surgeon General.

But, proving I still have a way to go before achieving pre-eminence in the Theatre of the Absurd, it never occurred to me to suggest contaminated air caused crime.

It took a lawyer - Peter Kelley - to come up with that idea. He said his client, Thomas Smith, a 21-year veteran of the prosecutor's staff, never fixed tickets until he began working in the Madison Center building in 1986. He suggested the foul air caused "transient brain syndrome," which in turn caused ticket-fixing.

A judge refused to convict the building, or even reduce Smith's sentence. But what do judges know? Do they even know how often German men change their underwear?

Photo Inquiry

by Julie Campe



"Bush. He has a lot of publicity. That's probably the only reason I would say that."

Judy Curry
Student
Hummingbird Lane
Independence Township

Who do you think
the GOP
presidential

nominee will be?



"I don't like (any candidates), personally. I'm more of a Democrat. I think they should all be Democrats."

Barbara Beale
Athletic trainer
Walton Boulevard
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"Bush or Dole, ... probably Bush. I think his alignment with the present administration will serve him in good stead. He ... has been in a powerful position. People have confidence he's not a radical. Many of the same things could be said of Dole."

Dick Southern
Economic development
White Lake Road
Independence Township



"I would say Bush, just because he's more popular than Dole is around here."

Debbie Clarkson
Housewife
Allen Road
Independence Township

Child dies in crash

A 15-month-old Independence Township girl was killed and five others injured in a two-car accident on Maybee Road, near Chestnut Hill, Independence Township, on Monday.

Apparently, the snow, rain and icy road conditions contributed to the accident, according to reports at the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

About 8 a.m. Monday, Audra Meral Cobb, 26, of White Lake Road, Independence Township, was driving a 1981 Chevrolet Citation eastbound on Maybee Road, when she lost control of her vehicle and spun out, crossing the center line, according to the police report.

Her vehicle struck a westbound vehicle driven by Lea Ann Wells, 28, of Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. Wells, who was driving a 1984 Dodge Charger, also carried her four children: Melissa, 8; Ronald, 6; Ryan, 2; and Maria, 15 months.

Maria died at Pontiac General Hospital (PGH) the same day. Lea Ann, Ronald and Ryan were treated and released from PGH. Melissa was in good condition Tuesday.

Cobb suffered minor injuries.

All wore seat belts and alcohol was not a factor, according to the police report.

Tickets are pending further investigation.

Springfield changes septic requirements

The second reading of a revamped general provisions ordinance in Springfield Township prompted a question from township resident Tom Purves.

The ordinance, which affects all property owners, sets the distance a septic must be from waterfront property at 100 feet. The Oakland County Health Department recommends 50 feet.

Before the board approved the ordinance, Purves, who is in the excavating business, questioned why the township would require 100 feet if the county only requires 50.

"I'm in the business of digging septic," Purves said. "I'd say you're making problems for old number one - me."

Township Supervisor Collin Walls told Purves that the purpose of the 100-foot requirement was to encourage roadside septic rather than lakeside.

Existing septic would not be affected by the ordinance, and in those rare instances where a lot's size would

not allow compliance, residents could go to the board of appeals, Walls said.

"It (the ordinance requirement) is further assurance of greater isolation from septic, and more protection for ponds, lakes and streams," Walls said.

Approval of the revised ordinance passed on a 4-2 vote. Treasurer J. Calvin Walters and Trustee Charles Oaks voted against the ordinance. Treasurer Patricia Kramer was absent.

A separate portion of the ordinance that deals with multiple zoning was approved 6-0 on first reading at the January meeting. A second reading and approval are required before the change becomes official.

The main change proposed for multiple zoning involved density, Walls said.

The new standard would allow up to seven and one-half two-bedroom units in the most dense zonings and four and one-half units in the least dense. Previously, the standard allowed approximately 10 two-bedroom units in multiple zoning.

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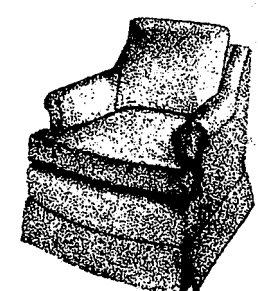
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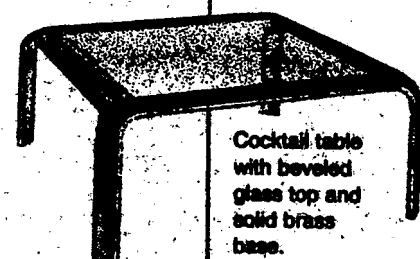
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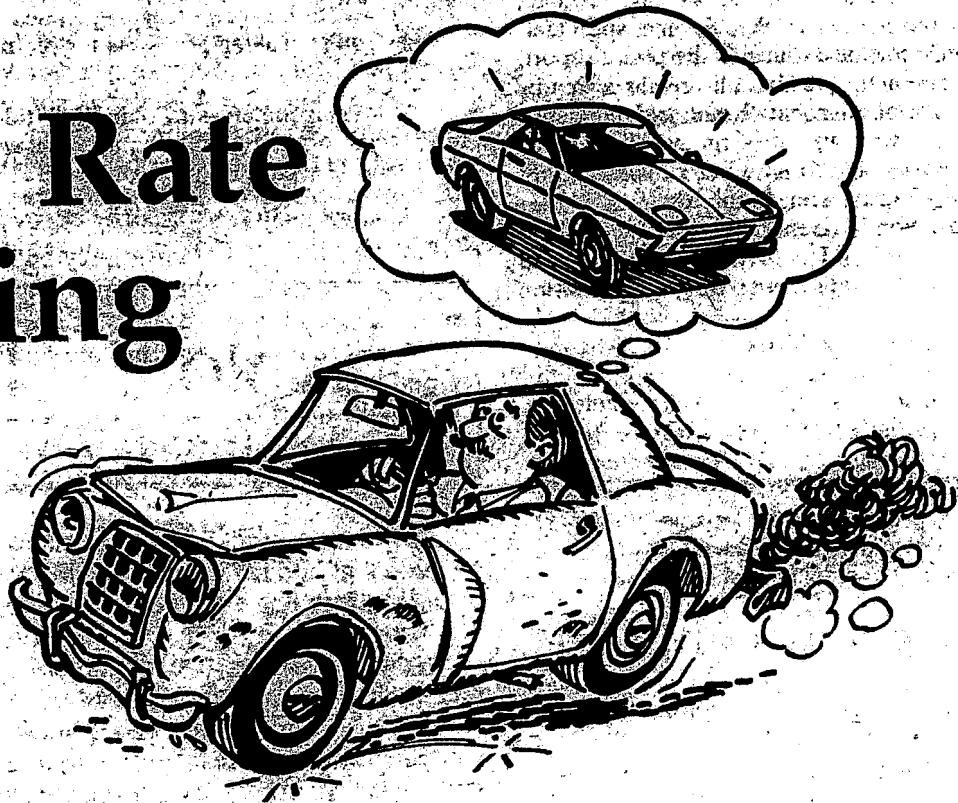


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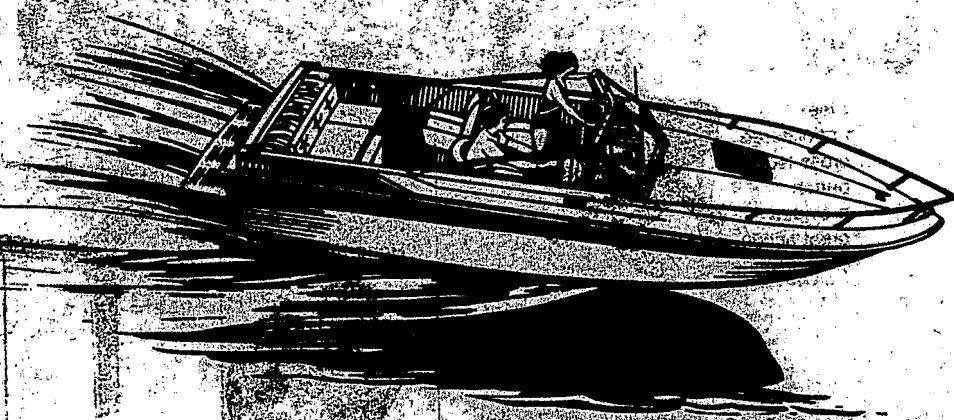
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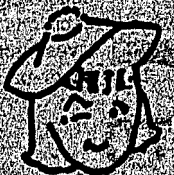
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Condo project back on track

Foundation problems, possible contaminated water and a questionable market demand have delayed the Steeple Ridge condominium proposal for Perry Lake Road, north of Clarkston Road, in Independence Township.

But the project is back on track after receiving a 12-month extension from the township board Jan. 5 for a planned unit development (PUD). The board also allowed an amendment to reduce the number of units from 22 to 19.

The foundation problems have been solved and a market study shows the area needs the condominiums, said Stuart Mahler, of the developing company MBM Associates.

The contaminated wells in the Northview Drive, Perry Lake Road area are still a problem, he said.

The PUD extension is valid until Feb. 13, 1989, and construction is to begin this year.

The board unanimously approved the extension and amendment with little comment.

"How can we refuse to do this for someone who wants to reduce density?" asked Trustee Carol Balzarini.

The project is proposed for a 14.8-acre site. About 10.8 acres were deeded to the Independence Land Conservancy, leaving a buildable area of four acres.

Township sets cable fee

Springfield Township residents are closer to getting cable television.

The township board voted to set a fee of \$1,000 and a deadline of Feb. 9 for companies to submit applications and proposals.

Township Supervisor Collin Walls said between four and six companies have expressed an interest in the cable television franchise in Springfield.

He estimates it will be late 1988 before cable is available in Springfield.

Growing up

Carolyn Walker



We almost always called her MaryLinck. Rarely just Mary; and certainly never Miss Linck.

Calling her MaryLinck was something that simply evolved, out of silliness, among those of us who lived on the third floor of Davis Hall in 1968.

Though we oftentimes conducted ourselves with the giddiness and nonchalance that is typical of that age group, we occasionally engaged in serious, heated, late-night debates about religion and politics and other matters of importance.

We were looking to "find ourselves" as they termed it in the 60s.

Finally out from under the protective thumbs of our parents (though still under their pocket-books), we searched deep in our souls for purpose in our lives.

We talked about atheism, racism and peace, Republicans and Democrats and the Students for a Democratic Society, about the late Kennedys and King.

And, of course, because of the times, we talked about the war in Vietnam.

"We" were Celeste and Linda, who were studying to become teachers; Jeanne, who was to evolve into an artist; and Joetta, who would be a musician. I would write.

We were confident that we would make a difference in the world. We were 18 years old.

MaryLinck, the naivest in our naive group, flitted in and out of our discussions intent on her own dream: Gary this. And Gary that.

She already wore his engagement ring on her finger, a symbol of a certain future that was delayed only by her education and Gary's stint in the Army.

With her little-girl-like, wide brown eyes, long black hair and slight build, we least suspected MaryLinck of possessing courage.

She surprised us all.

It was Easter time when word came that Gary was missing in Vietnam. We all hoped against hope for three days, encouraging MaryLinck as best we could before she was notified that his body had been found.

MaryLinck went home for the funeral, then to our amazement, returned immediately to face her final exams with the rest of the student body.

Despite the pain of lost love and a now uncertain future, MaryLinck performed better than many of us.

We all said it took a lot of guts for MaryLinck to go on like that.

Once, later, when we were all talking about something now long forgotten, MaryLinck excused herself.

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Carolyn Walker's column appears every other month in The Clarkston News.

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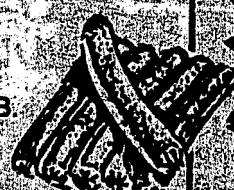
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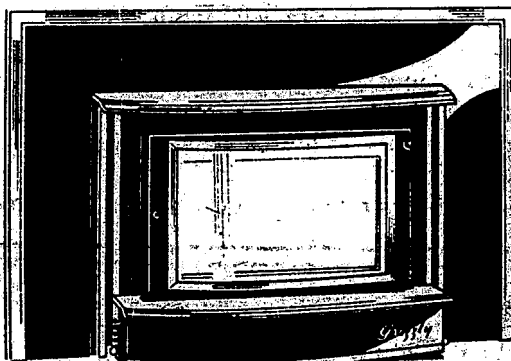
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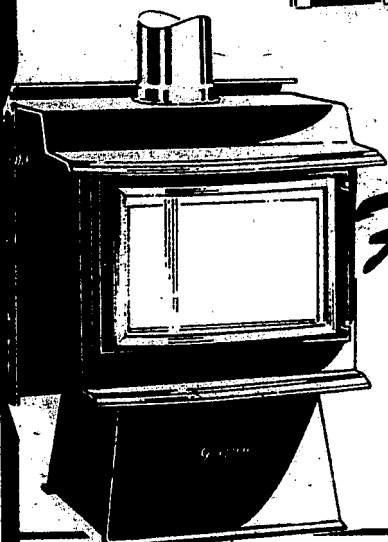


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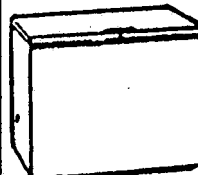
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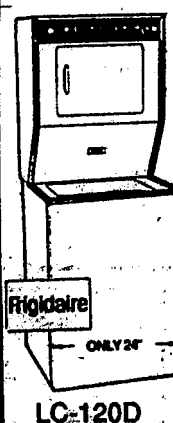
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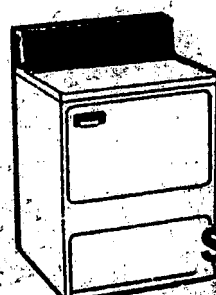
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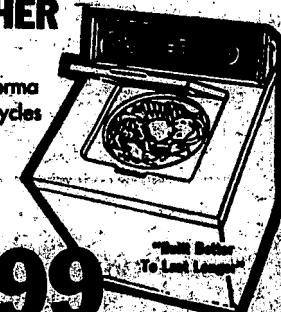
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(QUINTS, continued from Page 1)

Alexandria, Danielle, Erica, Veronica and Raymond, are doing well, according to Mary Horan of Beaumont Hospital.

Dr. Daniel G. Batton, director of newborn medicine at Beaumont, said the quint's chances for survival are good - 90 to 95 percent.

Michele will be able to visit them anytime she wants while they remain behind in the hospital. She experienced the thrill of holding the tiny babies, hardly larger than the hands that delivered them, when they were less than a week old.

Doctors predict the quint, weighing between 1 pound, 14.5 ounces and 3 pounds, 2.5 ounces at birth, may be home in the normal time for premature babies - on their original due date of March 17.

Offers of help and gifts have been pouring in for the L'Esperance quint. Thomas Plunkett, Bloomfield Hills attorney, has been retained by the L'Esperances to handle the quint affairs.

Raymond L'Esperance, soft-spoken and still sounding somewhat overwhelmed by the whole thing, has been the main spokesman for the family so far. He is a corrections officer for Macomb County Jail and his wife is a former counselor for a Macomb County shelter for abused women.

The couple could not have children of their own because Michele had undergone surgery to have her Fallopian tubes removed. It was for this reason they elected to try the TUDOR technique: transvaginal ultrasound directed oocyte retrieval.

In simpler terms, the technique involves removing eggs from the woman, fertilizing them with sperm from the husband, and implanting them in the woman's womb. Seven fertilized eggs were implanted in Michele, with the



MICHELE AND RAYMOND L'Esperance, parents of the first quintuplets conceived

through in vitro fertilization in the U.S., hold their son Raymond at Beaumont Hospital.

hopes of at least one surviving. Five did.

"A lot of people have asked us if we purposefully tried for five babies," Raymond said. "I'd really like people to know we were only trying to have one baby for

us. The whole thing was a result of that.

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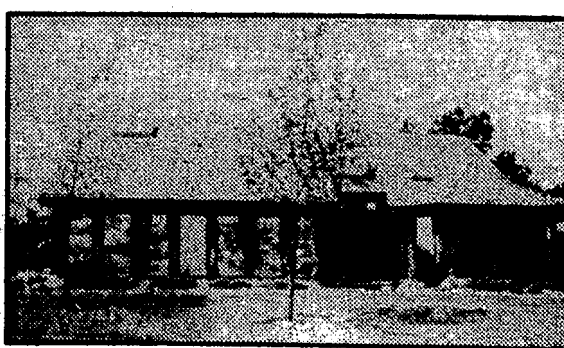


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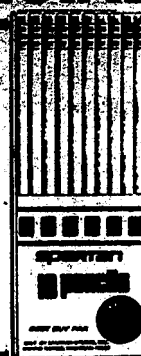
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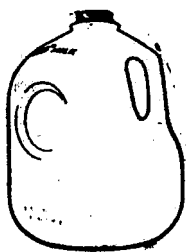
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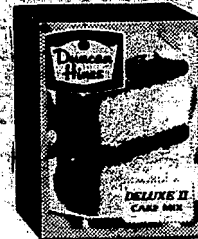


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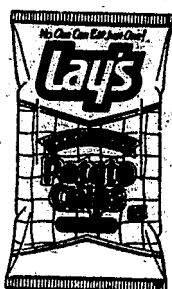
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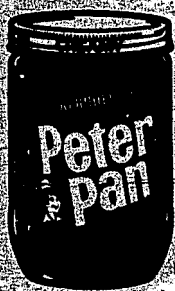
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Tire removal effort rolls along in Independence

BY JULIE CAMPE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

By April, a pile of 600,000 tires on White Lake Road should be gone.

After seven months of court battles, Judge David F. Breck of the Oakland County Circuit Court ordered in December the 65 acres in Independence Township be sold or leased to pay for the tire removal.

Property owner Paul Eghigian plans to pay for the removal without selling or leasing his property, according to Cecil St. Pierre, his attorney.

"We didn't agree with the judge's ruling," said St. Pierre. "We still may appeal it and ask for a stay of order."

The fate of the tires is not an issue, he said. "Everyone agreed that the tires need to be removed," he said, adding Eghigian hopes to recover the removal fees from the people responsible for dumping the tires.

"Paul should get some credit for this," St. Pierre said. "He wants to get it done. It's our position that Paul wasn't responsible. He's putting up the money even though it wasn't his fault."

The judge ruled that the property owner is ultimately responsible for his property, and that position protects the best interest of the township, said St. Pierre, adding he would have preferred the judge to order the tire removal with the property renter responsible for the cost.

Eghigian's next step is to prove the tires were none of his doing and to get reimbursed by the renter and possibly Independence Township, said St. Pierre.

In July 1987, Eghigian leased the property to William Smith, who accepted tires from others and planned to recycle them, according to a statement Smith made to the building department last summer.

Eghigian has filed a lawsuit in Oakland County Circuit Court against Smith and the township, said St. Pierre.

Attorney Richard Campbell, a former township

attorney who was named receiver in the case, is responsible for seeing that the tires are removed.

Campbell said he wouldn't sell or lease the property if Eghigian would produce the contract for the tire removal.

"Judge Breck has done an excellent job of moving

this along," said Campbell.

"There are a lot of eminent problems with this—fire, insects. The DNR (state Department of Natural Resources) tells me that mosquitoes breed five times as fast in stacked tires than they do in a swamp."

The tire removal is to start this month, he said.

2 hurt in crash on Dixie Highway

Two people were injured in an accident last week on Dixie Highway, Independence Township.

About 1:50 a.m. Jan. 11, William Edwin Foucher, 45, of Orchard Lake was driving southbound on Dixie Highway near M-15 when the car ahead of him did a U-turn, and he couldn't stop. They collided, according to reports at the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

The driver of the other car, Christine Marie Brigulio, 19, of Birmingham, was injured and said she

couldn't remember what happened, according to the police report.

Brigulio, who had been drinking according to the report, was treated and released from Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital.

Foucher suffered minor injuries and went to his private physician for treatment.

No tickets were issued, pending the investigation.

False alarms cost

Kids were probably responsible for the four false fire alarms the Independence Fire Department received Monday for the Mary Sue Street area, said Chief Gar Wilson.

False alarms are dangerous and expensive, said Wilson, adding a normal run costs \$600.

"They're tying up our trucks and our phones with all these alarms," he said.

Sometimes the equipment is needed elsewhere, such as on Monday, when several car accidents occurred at the same time, he said.

By checking the phone number against the address, two false alarms were caught before the trucks reached the location, he said, adding they put a tracer on the phone and may have a lead to the responsible people.

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Scoreboard

Wrestling

Clarkston Junior High

Wolverines 74, Walled Lake Central 21

Jan. 6 - The visiting Wolverines clobbered Walled Lake Central for their second win of the season.

Winners for Clarkston were as follows:

- 93 - Jake Briggs
- 100 - Derek Moscovic
- 114 - Joel Mellen
- 121 - Matt Seitz
- 128 - Rick Detkowski
- 134 - Art McGee
- 147 - Jeff Weiling
- 157 - Tim Robertson
- 169 - Joe Webb
- 180 - Kevin Brown
- Hwt - Aaron Powell

Lake Orion 52, Clarkston 33

Jan. 11 - Winners for Clarkston in this home meet against the Dragons were:

- 100 - Moscovic
- 121 - Seitz
- 140 - Mike Richmond
- 169 - Webb
- 180 - Brown

Wolverines 47, Brandon 38

Jan. 13 - Clarkston got back on the winning track with a road victory over Brandon. Winners for Clarkston were:

- 100 - Moscovic
- 114 - Mellen
- 121 - Seitz
- 140 - Richmond
- 147 - Jason Slater
- 169 - Webb
- 180 - Brown
- Hwt - Powell

Sashabaw Junior High

Cougars 43, Mason 36

Jan. 13 - The visiting Cougars pulled out a close one to keep their unbeaten streak alive. Winners for Sashabaw were:

- 93 - Kevin Kildal
- 100 - Jerry Anderson
- 107 - Mike Stanton
- 114 - Bryce Jarrett
- 134 - Eric Hund
- 157 - Dwayne Atkins
- 180 - Paul West
- Hwt - Tony Miller

Cougars 72, Walled Lake Central 6

Jan. 18 - Sashabaw rolled to an easy win on the road. The victory boosted the team's record to 7-0 at the midpoint of the season. Winners for the Cougars were:

- 93 - Mike Cain
- 100 - Anderson
- 107 - Stanton
- 114 - Jarrett
- 121 - Joe Kilgore
- 128 - Shawn Flanagan
- 134 - Hund
- 147 - Alex Martin
- 157 - Steve Turocy
- 169 - Shawn Strong
- 180 - Paul West

Hwt - Miller

Basketball

Clarkston High varsity

Ferndale 65, Wolves 55

Jan. 12 - Clarkston's rollercoaster season took another dip on the road against Ferndale.

A 9-0 run by Ferndale late in the second quarter provided the Eagles with a comfortable 42-27 lead at halftime.

Leading scorers for Clarkston were Chip Galley with 18 points and Jeff Tungate with 16.

Clarkston JV

Wolves 64, Ferndale 50

Jan. 12 - A balanced scoring attack by Clarkston helped overcome Ferndale on the road.

The first half was hotly contested, but Clarkston went into a man-to-man defense after halftime and managed to pull away.

Top scorers for the victors were Kevin McCormick with 16 points. Jason Brown had 14 points and Reggie Reed made 13.

"This was a good win for us," said Coach Tim Kaul. Wolves 51, Waterford Mott 48.

Jan. 15 - Clarkston struggled in the first half but recovered after the intermission to post another victory.

Only one player managed to score in double figures for the victors. Tony Simmons made 11 points.



Clarkston Junior High

Lake Orion 97, Wolverines 34

Jan. 12 - Visiting Clarkston ran into a buzz saw. No one scored in double figures for the Wolverines as Coach Bill Bildstein emptied the bench and allowed everybody to play.

Crary 60, Wolverines 37

Jan. 14 - The host Clarkston club dropped to 2-2 with the loss.

Sashabaw Junior High

Pierce 57, Cougars 43

Jan. 12 - Visiting Sashabaw bottomed out at 0-3 after the loss.

Cougars 61, Brandon 45

Jan. 14 - Three players scored in double figures for the victors as they notched their first win of the year.

Chris Wasilk topped all scorers with 16 points. Derek Raymond added 11 and George Crouch had 10. Cougars 46, Lakeland 24.

Jan. 18 - Sashabaw limited its visitor to just six points in the second half en route to victory.

Greg Heaton paced the Cougars with 13 points while Wasilk added 11 and Raymond 10.

The victory upped the team's record to 2-3.

Volleyball

Clarkston JV

Wolves vs Waterford Mott

Jan. 11 - Clarkston captured its first win of the season on the road. The Wolves won by identical scores of 15-9, 15-9.

Michelle Sikes and Jamie Law played well for Clarkston, said Coach Kecia Powell.

Waterford Kettering vs. Wolves

Jan. 13 - Clarkston dropped its record to 1-2 on the year with a loss to GOAL rival Kettering at home. The Wolves lost, 15-10, 15-11.

Clarkston High varsity

Clarkston at Waterford Mott

Jan. 11 - The Wolves began the Greater Oakland Activities League season with a bang, toppling the Corsairs, 15-7, 15-8.



Clarkston Junior High

Lake Orion vs. Wolverines

Jan. 11 - On the road, the Wolverines easily handled the Dragons in two straight games. Clarkston won by identical scores of 15-5, 15-5.

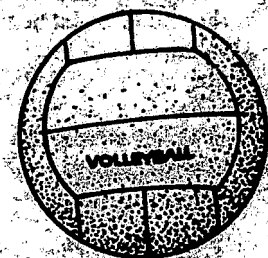
Brandon vs. Wolverines

Jan. 13 - The Clarkston club went down to defeat against Brandon at home.

Wolverines vs. Crary

Jan. 18 - The Wolverines put up a tough fight but finally fell in three games to host Crary.

Crary won, 4-15, 16-14 and 17-15. The loss drops Clarkston's record to 2-2.



Sashabaw Junior High

Cougars vs. Crary

Jan. 11 - Good play from Missy Crites and Stephanie Cashin helped the visiting Cougars slip past Crary in a 9th grade volleyball match.

Sashabaw won in three games, 15-13, 11-15 and 15-6.

Mason vs. Cougars

Jan. 13 - Sashabaw won 15-8, 14-16, 15-13 behind the strong play of Lauren Caston and Stephanie Shilling.

The Cougars' record now stands at 4-1.

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Sports

Wolves continue to roll in GOAL

BY PETER AUCHTER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

As coaching decisions go, the one Scott Strickler made for the Wolves against Waterford Kettering was a gem.

Clarkston needed a victory in its last match to beat its GOAL rival during a prep wrestling meet. The heavyweights were ready to square off.

To match Kettering's effectiveness in the speed department, Strickler bumped up senior Dan Souheaver one division from the 198-pound class.

Souheaver was both shorter and lighter than his opponent. He also was facing his first match since returning from an injury that had disabled him five weeks ago.

To put it mildly, Clarkston's chance of pulling out a win looked pretty slim.

But it also made the win all the more sweet when Souheaver pinned his opponent in the second round to spark the Wolves to a 39-33 win over Kettering at home Jan. 14.

Afterward, an exhausted Souheaver sat quietly as teammates, friends and family congratulated him.

"I just wanted to win," he said. "This isn't bad coming off the injury."

When Souheaver was slammed to the mat seconds after the match started it appeared it was all over. But he was able to get back to his feet and turn the tables on his larger opponent.

"When I got him on his back he was nothing," said Souheaver. "I was just trying to stay away from his upper body."

When he pinned his opponent, the crowd erupted in cheers.

Souheaver's performance was so thrilling, it left Strickler nearly speechless. But then the coach didn't have to say much, the huge smile on his face said it all.

"(Kettering) came to wrestle," he said. "We proved something tonight. This was a good win for us."

The win proved Clarkston wasn't overrated, the coach said. It also gave the team a boost heading into the battle for the Greater Oakland Activities League crown.

"This might do it for us," Strickler said.

Other winners for Clarkston included Eric Wall at 105 pounds, Chris Luzi at 112, Dave London at 119, Jerry Lawrence at 155, Jon Mahler at 167 and Jason Campbell at 185. All except London won by pin.



DAVE LONDON had to work hard, but he managed to chalk up another win during a

dual wrestling meet with Waterford Kettering. Clarkston's victory upped its record to 15-2.

Basketball team socks it to yet another league opponent

BY PETER AUCHTER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

In a blood-and-guts battle, the varsity basketball team came out on top against GOAL rival Waterford Mott.

Senior Chip Galley, who accidentally knocked

noggins with a teammate late in the first quarter, provided the blood and guts part. Galley suffered a deep gash over his right eye and said he would need 16 stitches.

While he returned to the court with a large bandage over the cut, Galley wasn't the same - and for good reason.

"I was worried it was going to bust open," he said. "But I wanted to play."

Rob Sanderson filled in for Galley and managed to score nine points. Coach Dan Fife said Sanderson did a great job off the bench as Clarkston won 71-54 at Mott.

The Wolves, now 4-3 overall and 2-0 in the Greater Oakland Activities League, started slow but finished fast.

Mott scored the first six points of the game and appeared ready to control the tempo before Galley canned a jumper to stop the streak.

Mike Barnes then proceeded to take over and sank two three-pointers to pump up Clarkston's lead to 15-10. The Wolves never trailed again.

"It was a good win for us," said Fife. "Especially, after losing twice to them last year."

Barnes scored four of Clarkston's last five points in the first half to hand the Wolves a comfortable 34-20 lead at halftime. He finished with a team-high 16 points.

Kennan Powell added 10 as the other double-figure scorer for the victors.

Once again, the Wolves bounced back from a tough non-league loss to beat a GOAL opponent. Their hard scheduling seems to be paying off in a big way now that the league season is under way.

"We didn't lose anything by losing (to Ferndale Jan. 12)," said Fife. "We did the best that we could and we knew it."

But by no means is Fife looking past any of his GOAL rivals this early in the season. All of them will be heard from, he said.

Even Waterford Kettering, in the midst of a terrible slump, will call on its players to beat the GOAL Wolves. Mott, who has counted out the Wolves, will be counted out, too.



BATTLING ON THE BOARDS, Josh Newell (left) pulls one down against Mott as teammate Rob Sanderson (left) watches. The Wolves improved to 2-0 in the GOAL with the victory.

Time out

Contest rules

Peter Auchter



A fellow comrade once told me that I could have fun with anything I did, just as long as I didn't hurt anybody.

I thought staging a little contest might help us all get through the winter blahs a little faster. It also will provide me with the opportunity to get some mail with my name on it. (That's my main motivation for conducting this extravagant game.)

The subject is Prep Profile.

The object is finding original questions to use.

The prize is recognition (name and picture) in this column for your hard work.

Sounds simple, eh? Well, then let's get moving and get those entries in before Feb. 26, 1988.

Just to throw a fly in the ointment, questions now being used in the Prep Profile feature are exempt from this contest. Ditto for any crude or embarrassing questions such as, "When was the last time you had a date?"

Why did people always ask me that when I went to high school?

The kind of questions that will win this contest have to relate to teen life in Clarkston. What is it that you people most want to know about your peers but were afraid to ask? Remember, no smart aleck remarks.

School rules of no cheating on assignments are hereby suspended. Feel free to steal ideas from your friends. I really don't care. Actually, I encourage it.

Who knows, there may even be room for you in the Joe Biden 1992 presidential campaign. This

contest could be the stepping stone you need to start a successful career in politics.

A few final items to keep in mind, make sure the questions you enter are legitimate - for you may be the next one chosen for Prep Profile.

In case of a tie, answer the following question: What is your mother's maiden name?

This contest is void where taxed or prohibited by law. No purchase is necessary and entry forms are not available. Winners will be notified whenever I have time to contact them. All decisions are mine and therefore are not subject to appeal.

Send any and all entries to: The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston, MI 48016, in care of the sports desk.

Good luck to all!

From now on, I'm arriving early at Clarkston High School sporting events.

The entrance the varsity volleyball team made before the start of the Waterford Kettering game was nothing short of regal.

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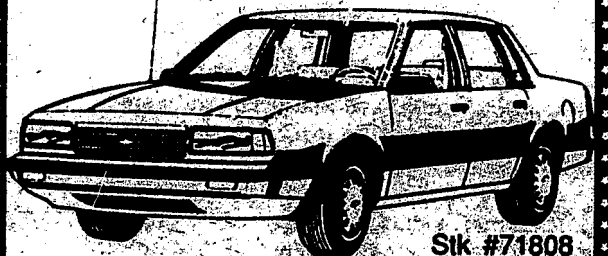


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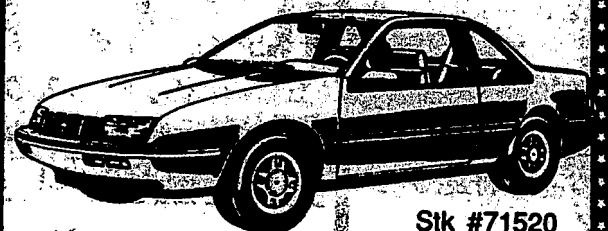


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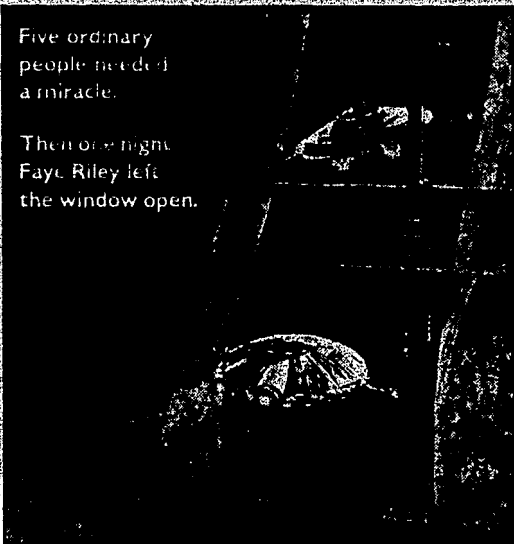
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Wrestling club continues to win

The Clarkston Wrestling Club fared well at a weekend meet Jan. 17 at Madison Heights Lamphere, capturing four first-place awards.

Winners for the club, by age group, were:

Eric Kenny (45 pounds), who took third place, and Zachary Sartel (60), who finished second in the 8-and-under novice division.

In the advanced 8-and-under bracket, Charlie Myer (40) finished third, Arron Grant (45) first, Andy Auten (55) second, Franco Vega (65) first and Josh Simpson (65) second.

Jason Tiffenback (55) and Brandon Rank (60) finished second and Dennis Busch (60) took third in the 9-and-10-year-old advanced age group.

In the novice 11- and 12-year-old age group, Robert Jeffrey (65) finished first and Jamie Churchill (80) took second.

Among advanced grapplers, Chad Granlund (60) and Brett Walter (65) finished first, and Eric Endryszl (85), Tony Detkowsi (90) and Armin Michelsen took second. Corey Grant (70), Brian Richmond (90) and Jason Cain (108) ended up with third-place finishes.

In a separate meet, Kevin Barnes (8-and-under) finished third in the 77-pound class at the Mid Michigan Wrestling Club meet at Duran High School.

Clarkston's next meet will be on Jan. 24 at Lake Shore High School. Roseville will be the host club.

Is Snyder a 'Wise Guy?'

Tim Snyder is a senior at Clarkston High School and is a member of the varsity ski team.

Born: May 2, 1970

Nickname: T-Dog

Favorite sport: Skiing

Favorite food: Pizza

Favorite TV: "Wise Guy"

Favorite place to be: Blue Mountain

Favorite thing to do: Hang around with friends

Favorite music group: Van Halen

Prep profile

Goal in life: Ski for Michigan State.

Biggest thrill: Making the ski team as a sophomore.

Most embarrassing ski moment: Sleeping through ski camp and having a teacher wake up him.

Idol: Walt Stone.

If he could change one thing about himself, he would: Stop coughing. He has had a cold for a long time.

Biggest accomplishment: Going to the state ski meet as a sophomore.



TIM SNYDER'S teacher in ski camp probably won't forget his name for a long time since Snyder fell asleep in class.

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Springfield in Eagle Cup Invitational
Waterford Kettering at Clarkston, 6:00
Varsity volleyball
Springfield at Green Hills, 5:00

SATURDAY, JAN. 23

Varsity basketball
Springfield in Eagle Cup Invit.
Wrestling
Springfield at Pontiac Catholic Invit.
Clarkston at Royal Oak Kimball, 10:00
Varsity volleyball
Clarkston at Gerber, TBA

MONDAY, JAN. 25

Skating
Cranbrook/Kingswood vs. Clarkston, 4:00

Varsity volleyball

Clarkston at Pontiac Northern, 6:00
Junior high volleyball
Waterford Pierce at Clarkston, 6:00
Brandon at Sashabaw, 6:00
Junior high wrestling
Sashabaw at Brandon, TBA
Clarkston at Waterford Pierce, 4:00

TUESDAY, JAN. 26

Varsity basketball
Flint Academy at Springfield, 7:30
Lakeland at Clarkston, 6:00
Varsity wrestling
Clarkston at Brandon, 6:00
Springfield at Luthern NW, 6:00
Varsity volleyball
Springfield at Faith Baptist, 5:00
7th/8th grade basketball
Lake Orion at Clarkston, 4:00

Junior high basketball

Clarkston at Waterford Mason, 4:00
Sashabaw at Lake Orion, 4:00

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 27

Skating
Detroit Country Day vs. Clarkston, 4:00
Varsity volleyball
Lake Orion at Clarkston, 6:00
Junior high volleyball
Clarkston at Waterford Mason, 4:00
Sashabaw at Waterford Pierce, 4:00
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Time: 3:00-6:30 p.m.
Place: Independence Township Hall, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan

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Tentative project schedule is as follows: to begin construction in June, 1988 and be completed in September, 1988.

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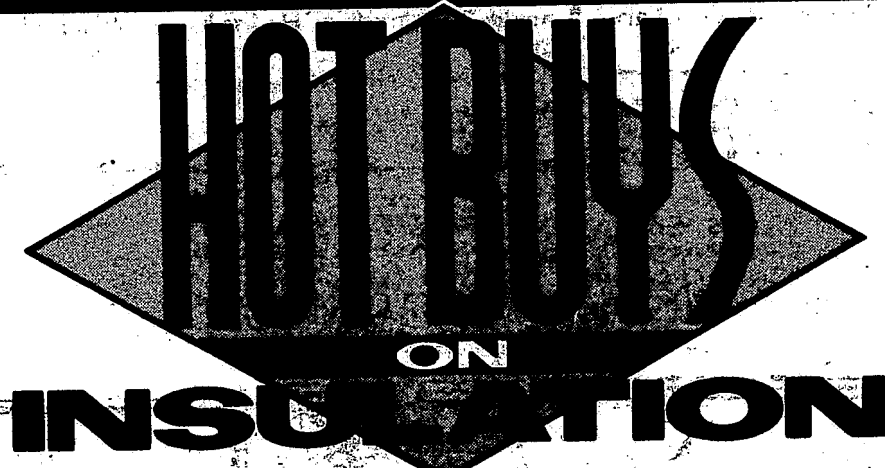
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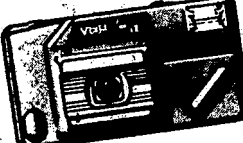


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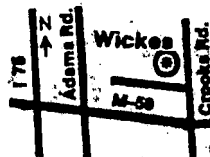
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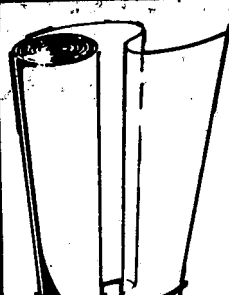
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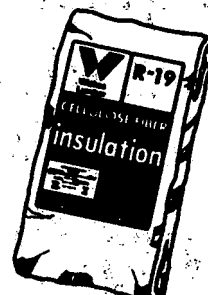


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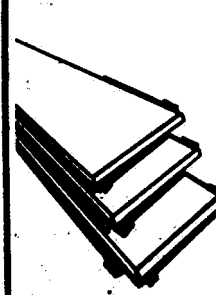


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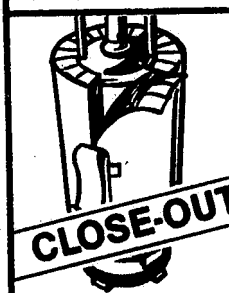


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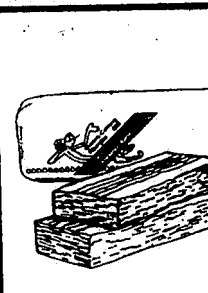


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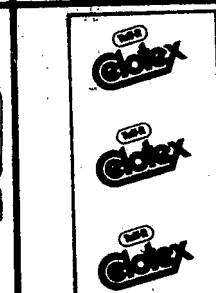


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Volleyball team remains unbeaten in GOAL

BY PETER AUCHTER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

A successful league season start has all but wiped out the memories of a rough beginning for the varsity volleyball team.

Clarkston opened the season 1-3, losing to top-notch teams such as Livonia Stevenson and Brighton, but the team learned its lessons well and is now beating up on Greater Oakland Activities League opponents.

The latest victim was Waterford Kettering at home Jan. 13. Clarkston clipped the Captains in two straight games, 15-13, 17-15, to up its overall record to 3-3 and its GOAL mark to a perfect 2-0.

As the scores indicate, both contests were hotly contested.

"It was hard," said Coach Gordie Richardson with a sigh of relief. "We have lapses in concentration and if we could tune in for the whole game, we would be all right."

Heather Behrens' serving was a high point for Clarkston. She continually came into the game, reeled off half a dozen points or more and got the Wolves rolling.

Behrens was 18-of-19 serving for the night, including several aces.

"She really helped us when we needed it," said Richardson. "She had an outstanding night."

Ali Fedio also had a fantastic evening in the kill department, nailing 8-of-14 attempts. Usually a 30 percent kill rate is considered excellent, said Richardson.

Jenny Grohs paced the victors with seven assists and Deanna Green had five assists. Richardson learned after the match that Green will be moving soon. But he is confident a replacement player can be found.

"I think we have the kids who can fill in (for Green)," said Richardson.

Kettering jumped out to a 3-1 lead in the first game before Behrens and the Wolves got rolling. Back-to-back aces by Behrens started a six-point spree that put Clarkston out in front, 7-3.

The Captains battled back and took the lead once again at 12-9 behind the excellent serving of Cathy Pike.

Clarkston narrowed the gap to one point (13-12) when Behrens took over. She served the last three points of the contest, handing the Wolves a hard-fought victory.

Kettering started fast in the second game, building up a 4-1 lead before a successful spike by Fedio stopped the streak.

Behrens continued her hot play by serving up seven straight points to put the Wolves on top, 8-4.

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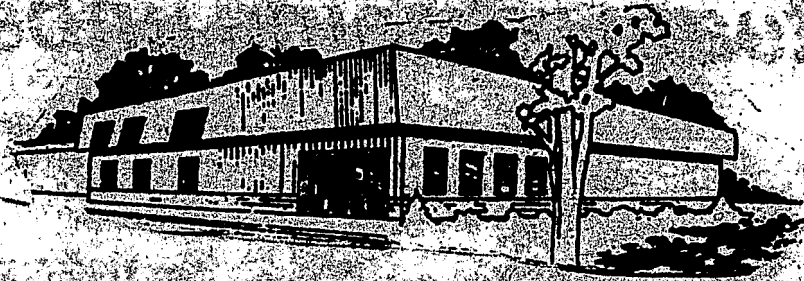
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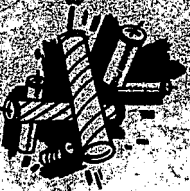
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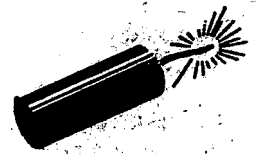
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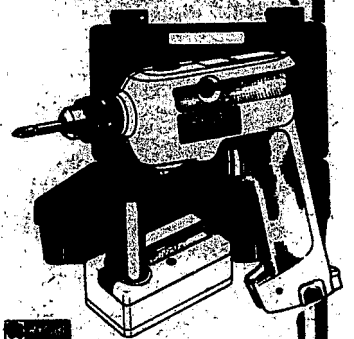
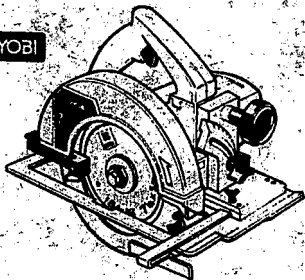


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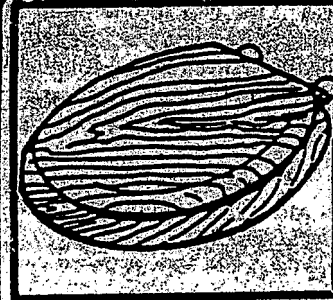
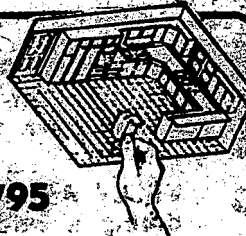
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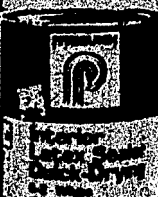
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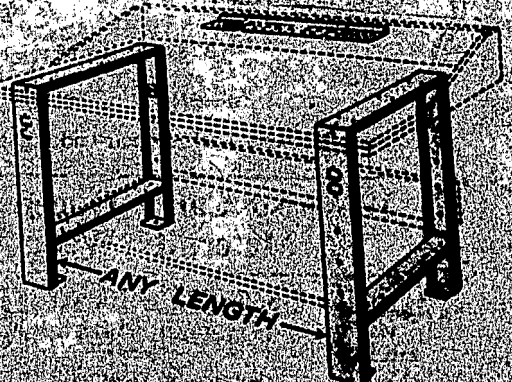
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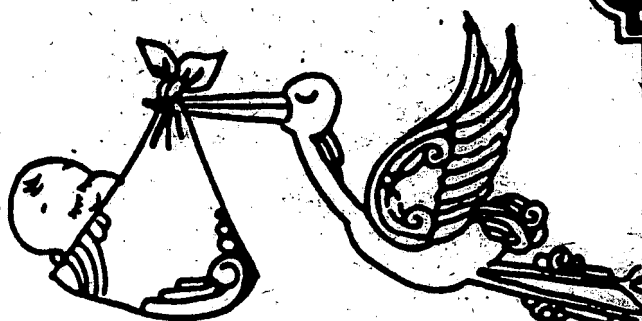
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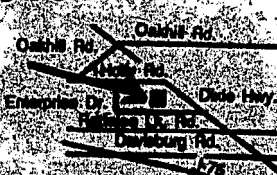
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Some self-help tips for headache sufferers

People who suffer from headaches can take steps to help themselves, according to the Michigan State Medical Society.

Joel Saper, M.D., of Ann Arbor recently wrote about headaches in the quarterly medical care trends magazine "MediScene," which is published by the MSMS. Saper is a headache specialist.

First, Saper recommends that headache sufferers gain an accurate understanding of their condition as well as an awareness of treatment limitations.

He said that headache, like other forms of pain, is a warning signal. The headache could mean there is infection, insufficient circulation, swelling or a body chemical imbalance.

A headache can also be the first warning of carbon monoxide intoxication from a faulty furnace, exposure to various other intoxicants or chemicals, or to some unknown infection or allergy.

"Fortunately, for 80-90 percent of patients with recurring headaches, doctors believe the pain is simply a reflection of a hereditary or biological tendency causing that person to experience headaches more easily than others," says Saper in his article.

He recommends the following self-help steps for those who suffer recurring headaches.

✓ Avoid the daily use of pain-killing drugs related to ergotamine. These drugs, when taken too frequently, can make the headache problem worse and can bring about rather serious health consequences.

✓ Regularize your daily schedule. Go to bed at approximately the same time and arise at the same time, even on weekends.

✓ Eat regularly each day and do not force your body to wait for food that it anticipates.

✓ Exercise frequently and ask your physician for advice.

✓ If you are a woman, be aware of peak hormonal times and recognize that during hormonal changes you are more vulnerable to headaches.

✓ Familiarize yourself with the dietary restrictions that are sometimes appropriate for patients with headache.

✓ Avoid alcohol.

✓ Avoid smoking.

✓ If your life is in emotional turmoil, address this in an appropriate fashion with a well-chosen health professional. Ask your doctor for advice.

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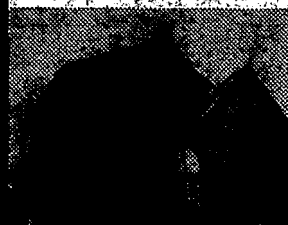
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A glimpse of the working world

Mentors share experience with Sashabaw Junior High ninth-graders

BY JULIE CAMPE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Both wore blue jeans. One carried a leather portfolio and had pinkish-red hair that stood on end. They joked and laughed a lot.

As they examined the work before them, they were tough and gentle at the same time.

"It's OK," one said. "But it's not great. Tighten it up a bit more. Remember, the person who sees this isn't going to know what you mean. You have to make it clear."

"But it's pretty good for just starting," said the other.

As they had done every other Thursday for four months, they gave honest criticism sprinkled with jokes to the four Sashabaw Junior High School ninth-graders interested in drawing.

They offer a glimpse of the working world to the students, who are part of the mentorship program for 18 academically talented ninth-graders at SJHS.

Pink-haired Guy Davis was once a SJHS student himself. An Ypsilanti resident, he makes a living in cartoon illustrations.

"When I was in school, they never taught about cartooning, so it's basically just teaching these kids cartooning. I'm not really teaching, though," he said.

"We're showing them stuff we wish people would have shown us when we were 14," said Guy's co-mentor, Mark Bloodworth of Walled Lake.

"Cartooning isn't a real job. ... You can make a lot of money at it, but it comes down to paying attention to opportunity when it knocks. ... (The kids) understand. They see usicker about who's buying lunch," said Mark, adding that it's important that the kids understand the business end of the profession, too.

The students like the program. In addition to the



CARTOON ILLUSTRATORS Guy Davis (left) and Mark Bloodworth critique the work of

one of the students in the mentorship program at Sashabaw Junior High School.

obvious reasons - six hours a month out of class is a real treat - they realize the benefits of learning from the mentors' experiences.

"In mentorship, most of the time we learn more in hands-on than we would in class," said Jeremy Hargis.

"I like seeing the art before it's drawn up in the comics," said Richard Hunt. "I like the idea that they're helping us, hopefully, to be discovered."

With humor typical of the relaxed atmosphere, Karl Erickson said, "I like seeing what color Guy's hair will

be."

Karl also likes the opportunity to draw. And he likes the atmosphere that's so unlike the structured classroom setting. It's better to draw and discuss the work in that atmosphere, he said.

In a more structured setting is Chris Erickson, another ninth-grader in the mentorship program, who is thinking about teaching for his profession. He worked with sixth-grade teacher John Matheus.

(See MENTOR, Page 36)

Mentorships: Beyond the classroom

In its fourth year of existence, the mentorship program for academically gifted ninth-graders at Sashabaw Junior High School is still successful. And with help from Youth Enrichment Coordinator Jeanne Molzon, sponsor Sue Kiser doesn't mind all the work it takes to organize 18 students and a dozen mentors.

The program lets students explore a profession, deal with adults and find out if they're interested in a job, said Kiser. It gives them poise and puts them out in the community.

"They need to be really challenged in some area that's really interesting to them," she said. "It provides them with the hands-on experience. It's a real-life experience that you can't get in a classroom."

At the end of eighth grade, she finds out what professions interest the students. In the summer, she finds people in the community who are willing to share their profession twice a month during the school year with the students.

In the ninth-grade year, the program begins, with parents providing transportation every other Thursday, and the students making up the homework from missing three hours of class.

"There are some teachers who find it difficult to let these kids out of their classes. ... But the kids are

responsible for the work they miss," said Kiser.

"I think it has a lot of pluses," she said. "It's a first-time experience. It can be scary."

Ninth-grade is a good time for the program, because high school students have to make career-related decisions, but they really don't know what they want, she said.

The program can be tough, but "it's very good for their self-esteem," she said.

Mentors seem to like the program, too, she said. "The engineer, Brian Leslie, just loved it. He thought it was great working with these young people and seeing how bright these young people are."

"A mentor can make or break a program. ... A mutual respect can come from this."

The mentors in the first semester are: SJHS SPICE occupational therapist Kathy Gonyeau, comic illustrators Guy Davis and Mark Bloodworth, Clarkston News Editor Kathy Greenfield, SJHS ninth-grade teacher John Matheus, Clarkston Cafe Chef Gary Grzywacz, Deer Lake Racquet Club Chef Rich Guisenger, General Motors Truck and Bus mechanical engineer Brian Leslie, psychologist Fred Baumann, interior designer Charles Jackson and three people from the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.



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Exchange students share Christmas experiences

BY PETER AUCHTER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Foreign exchange students from Clarkston High School visited a group of fourth-graders last week to explain the Christmas customs of their homelands.

Floris Van Den Boom of Holland and Olatz Fernandez and Roberto Diez of Spain visited Joy McCurdy's class at Pine Knob Elementary School on Jan. 14 to explain what Christmas is like in their countries.

A snow day wiped out the original date of the talk on Dec. 15.

The discussion corresponded with an assignment in which students had to find out what the Christmas customs of a foreign country are.

When Van Den Boom, who lives with the Floyd Miles family, told of a "Sinter Klaas" or Santa Claus who brings presents to all the good little boys and girls on a big, white horse.

Santa Claus stops at every house and throws the presents down the chimney, Van Den Boom said. He also said kids are taught Santa comes from Spain and all the bad boys and girls are taken there by Santa.

Some countries have more than one way of celebrating the Christmas holiday.

Such is the case with Fernandez and Diez, who come from different parts of Spain, and each have their own unique way of enjoying Christmas. Fernandez lives with the Gerald Roberts family and Diez is staying with the Frank Catalano family.

In northern Spain, Christmas is celebrated on Dec. 25 as it is in America, said Fernandez. Other regions of the country wait until Jan. 6 when the three kings deliver presents, said Diez. Sometimes, families celebrate on both days.

"We have a lot of parties in January," said Fernandez, summing up the Spanish Christmas spirit.

To cap the presentation, the children learned how to say "Merry Christmas and a happy new year" in Dutch and Spanish.



EXCHANGE STUDENTS Floris Van Den Boom (left), Olatz Fernandez and Roberto Diez visited fourth graders at Pine Knob Elementary Thurs-

day afternoon to share memories of Christmas in their homelands.

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New arrivals

Jeremy Michael Kline was born Jan. 7 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac, to Laura and Erik Kline of Independence Township.

Jeremy is their first child and he weighed in at 8 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces.

Honors

A 3.5 grade point average or better was achieved by 2,047 Miami (of Ohio) University students including three from the Clarkston area.

Local students who made the dean's list were:

Elizabeth Ann Pilarcik of Greene Haven Dr., Kristin Anne Whisner of Fawn Valley Dr. and Jennifer Elaine Kempf of Pelton Road. All reside in Independence Township.

The dean's list at Hillsdale College includes all students with a 3.4 or better grade point average. A total of 248 students made the grade including two from the Clarkston area.

On the list are Jennifer Lyn Farough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Farough, and Christopher Bruce, son of Hilda Bruce of Guyette Street, Independence Township.

Stuarts celebrate 25th

Dale and Deborah Stuart of Mustang Drive, Independence Township, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary Jan. 19.

In celebration, their children treated them to a weekend at the Renaissance Center, Detroit, and an evening at the Detroit Symphony Orchestra.

Their children are Deanna, Doreen and Danette, and Dawn and her husband, Randy. They have one grandson, Joshua.

Grandparents are Dennis and Mary Kline, Dave and Kathie Banks, John and Barbara Ayotte and Ron Hurren, all of Independence Township.

It's a girl for Fred and Doreen Schwarze of Ellis Road, Springfield Township.

Casey Lee Schwarze was born Dec. 31 at 1:19 p.m. at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac. She weighed 7 pounds, 4 1/2 ounces and measured 19 1/4 inches long.

Her sister, Rudi Nicole, is 23 months old.

Grandparents are Jim and Pat Freitag of Dayton, Ohio, and Rudy and Elsa Schwarze of Clarkston.

Great-grandparents are Oma and Opa Hagele of Clarkston, Helen Robinson of Dayton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Suntrup of St. Louis, Mo.

It's a boy for Dr. and Mrs. Mark (Kathleen) Frenchi of Springfield Township.

Richard Francis was born Dec. 21 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac. He weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces and measured 20 1/2 inches long.

Richard's brother, Michael, is 15 months old.

Grandparents are Rose Riopelle of River Rouge and James and Irene Frenchi of Redford Township.

Great-grandparents are Alice King of Southfield and Mary Frenchi of California.

Engagement



HUERTAS-BISHOP: Mr. and Mrs. Hector V. Huertas of Killeen, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter Jenny Maria to Kevin Scott Bishop, son of Harold B. Bishop of Clarkston and Mary L. Mack of Pontiac. The bride-elect is to graduate in December 1988 from Baylor University, Waco, Texas, with a bachelor's degree in biology. She plans to attend medical school following graduation. The prospective bridegroom is a sergeant in the United States Army, stationed at Fort Hood, Texas. A May wedding is planned at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Killeen.

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Thursday, Jan. 21—"Cooking with Mary Jane" at the Clarkston Community Women's Club; 7:30 p.m.; all women of the community are invited to attend; Episcopal Church of the Resurrection, 6490 Clarkston Rd., Independence Township. (623-0628)

Thursday, Jan. 21—Clarkston League of Women Voters meeting; 7:30 p.m.; topic is "Meeting Human Needs"; Clarkston Village Hall, 375 Depot, Clarkston. (Ann Glenn, 625-2775)

Fridays and Saturdays, Jan. 22, 23, 29, 30 and Feb. 5 and 6—Clarkston Village Players present "Arms and the Man," George Bernard Shaw's comical war-time satire; 8 p.m. curtain; tickets, \$5, available at Tierra Arts and Design, Clarkston, or by calling 363-0188 after 5 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 23—"Sunrise Ski" at Independence Oaks County Park; 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.; cross country ski at a leisurely pace while encountering signs of nature's night life and sounds of early morning; skiers must have previous experience and bring their own equipment; off Sashabaw Road, Independence Township; advance registration required. (625-6473)

Sundays, now through May 22—"Journey in Faith" at St. Daniel Catholic Church; a series for people who want to update their faith or wish to return to active church participation; table discussion and prayer; rectory meeting room. (Rev. Charles Cushing, Frieda Arpoika or Arline Moore at 625-4580)

Sunday, Jan. 24—"This Bud's For You," a hike with winter tree identification using buds or bark, 1 p.m.; dress for the weather; Indian Springs Metropark off White Lake Road in Springfield and White Lake Townships; advance registration required: (1-800-24-PARKS)

Mondays—Overeaters Anonymous meeting every Monday at 7:30 p.m.; Drayton Heights Free Methodist Church, corner of Maybee and Winell roads, Independence Township.

Tuesday, Jan. 26—Support group for eating disorders meeting; 7:30 p.m.; friends and family members of those struggling with anorexia and bulimia are welcome; the group meets every four weeks; Dr. James O'Neill's office, M-15, Independence Township. (625-CARE)

Tuesdays, Jan. 26 and Feb. 9—Support Group meeting at Clarkston High School; focus is on adolescent-related issues and how they relate to parenting; 7 p.m.; Room 232; group meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month; for more information, contact Katie MacKay at CHS. (625-0900)

Wednesday, Jan. 27—Preschool Story Times at the Independence Township Library; 10 and 11 a.m.; free; for 3- to 5-year-olds; theme is the importance of the sense of taste; songs, exercises and the film "Tasting"; 6495 Clarkston Rd. (625-2212)

Wednesday, Jan. 20—"Building Self-Esteem and Self-Talk" is the topic in a parenting education series called "For Parents Only" from 7 to 8 p.m. at Drayton Heights Free Methodist Church, corner of Maybee and Winell roads. (625-6153)

Saturday, Jan. 30—"Winter Wildflower Search on Snowshoes," a hike looking for wildflowers in their winter forms at Indian Springs Metropark in Springfield and White Lake townships; advance registration required. (1-800-24-PARKS)

Saturday, Jan. 30—Las Vegas Night at the Oakland County Sportsmen's Club; 6:30 till 7; \$3 donation; cash bar; snacks; 4770 Waterford Rd., Independence Township. (623-0444)

Sunday, Jan. 31—Clarkston Wrestling Club Freestyle Wrestling Tournament; 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; 200 wrestlers, ages 5 to adult, plan to compete; \$2 a family, adults \$1 and children 50 cents; Sashabaw Junior High School, 5565 Pine Knob Rd., Independence Township. (Tournament Director David Endreszl, 394-0587)

Sunday, Jan. 31—"Track Up a T-Shirt" at Indian Springs Metropark's nature center in Springfield Township; an opportunity to make permanent animal tracks on your T-shirt; 1 p.m.; \$1 per person; bring your own T-shirt and wear an apron or old clothes; advance registration required. (1-800-24-PARKS)

Sunday, Feb. 7—Bill Heid Jazz Trio performs at La Veranda restaurant at Pine Knob; 7 p.m.; scholarship benefit concert for Clarkston Conservatory of Music students; donation \$15; cash bar; tickets available at Tierra Arts and Design on Main Street, Clarkston. (625-3640)

Wednesdays, Feb. 3 through April 13—Free tax assistance and preparation for senior citizens and low income people; 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Independence Township Senior Citizen Center in Clintonwood Park on Clarkston Road; call for an appointment. (625-8231)

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AREA CHURCHES AND THEIR WORSHIP HOURS

<p>SASHABAW UNITED PRESBYTERIAN 8000 Maybree Road, Clarkston Worship: 8 Church School 9:30 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m. William Schram, Pastor Phone 673-3101</p> <p>CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 8800 Walden Road Clarkston 625-1611 or 625-1727 8:45 a.m. Morning Worship (nursery provided) 9 a.m. Church School 10 a.m. Morning Worship (nursery provided) 10:15 a.m. Church School 7:20-8:30 p.m. Jr. Hi Youth Fellowship 7:20-8:30 p.m. Sr. Hi Youth Fellowship Pastors: Doug Trebilcock, Don Pinner, Jon Clapp</p> <p>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH 1880 Baldwin Lake Glen, MI 48035 361-1170 Family Worship 8:30 Pastor James H. VanDusen</p> <p>OLD FASHIONED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH Rev. Omer Brewer 5798 Clarkston Rd. Sunday School 10:30 Sunday Evening Service 7:00</p> <p>CLARKSTON CHURCH OF GOD 54 South Main Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 8:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer, Bible & Youth 7 p.m. Pastor John Ralston</p> <p>LAKE LOUISE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE M-15 at W. Seymour Lake Rd., Orionville 8:45 Sunday School 10:30 The Hour of Worship 6:18 p.m. Youth and Bible Study 7:00 Evening Service Wed. 7 p.m. Family Prayer & Bible Study</p> <p>MT. HOME LUTHERAN CHURCH 812 W. Walden Blvd. Pontiac, MI 48066 335-8881 Summer Service 9:30 a.m. Pastor Duim</p> <p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DAVENPORT 12861 Andersonville Road, Davenport Rev. Robert R. Hazen, Pastor Phone 634-6228 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Gospel Hour 8 p.m. Wednesday: Family night program 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Avenue Club 8:30 p.m.</p>	<p>FIRST CHURCH OF GOD 6300 Clarkston Road Clarkston 625-1223 Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Evening Worship 8:00 p.m. Mid-week Service Wed. 7:30 p.m. Dr. Ed Ross</p> <p>CLINTONVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH 4478 Dixie Hwy., Drayton Plains 8:45 Sunday School 11 Morning Worship 6 p.m. Evening Worship 7 p.m. Prayer Worship</p> <p>ST. DANIEL CATHOLIC CHURCH Holcomb at Miller Rd. Father Charles E. Cushing Sunday Masses 7:45, 9, 10:30 and 12:00 Sat. 8 p.m. & 7 p.m.</p> <p>FIRST BAPTIST 5072 Perimeter Richard Courson, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Service 11 a.m. Primary Church thru 4th grade Evening Service 8 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 7 p.m.</p> <p>DRAYTON HEIGHTS FREE METHODIST CHURCH Corner of Winell and Maybee Road Rev. Frank VanValko, Pastor 8:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Worship Hour 6:00 p.m. Vespers Wed. Family Program 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>FIRST MISSIONARY CHURCH 4832 Clintonville Rd. Phone 673-3638 Services: Sunday Sunday School Bible Study 10 a.m. Worship Hour 11 a.m. Youth Hour 5 p.m. Gospel Hour 8 p.m. Wednesday Hour of Prayer 7 p.m.</p> <p>PENTACOSTAL TABERNACLE 8880 Orionville Rd. Worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Thurs. 10p Prayer 7 p.m. Pastor David McMurray Singing Last Sunday of Month</p> <p>MT. BETHEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Joachim and Bald Eagle Lake Rds. Pastor Scott A. 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Finn 625-1344</p> <p>MARANATHA BAPTIST CHURCH 5780 Fleming Lake Road (Off Sashabaw) Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 8:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Glen Curtis, Pastor Steve Sanders, Assistant Pastor 625-2700</p> <p>TEMPLE OF LIGHT SPIRITUAL CENTER for Healing, Learning & Worship Rev. Grace Goff 5800 Andersonville Road Waterford, MI 48098 682-5868 Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.</p> <p>NORTH OAKS COMMUNITY CHURCH Meeting at Clintonwood Park (Off M-15 & Sashabaw Road) Worship 10:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship 11:20 a.m. Home Bible Studies Kurt Gebhardt, Pastor Phone 625-7332</p>	<p>TRINITY UNITED METHODIST 8440 Macedonia Dr., Waterford Rev. T.K. Fox 623-8860 or 623-7084 Sunday School 9 a.m.-all ages Worship 10:30 a.m. Jr. Church & Nursery</p> <p>COMMUNITY (USA) PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Pastor Alfred H. Need Sashabaw Rd. at Monroe St. (2 blocks north of Dixie Hwy.) Drayton Plains Phone 673-7805 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Babies thru Adults Worship 11 a.m. Nursery provided</p> <p>SEYMOUR LAKE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 3050 Sashabaw at Seymour Lake Rd. Brandon Twp. Rev. Heidi C. Reinker, 628-4783 or 628-4685 Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School 9:10-10:15 a.m. Nursery Provided</p> <p>SPIRITUALIST CHURCH OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN 5401 Oak Park, Off Maybee Rd. Rev. Beryl Hinz 625-1074 Sunday Evening Worship 7 p.m. Silver Tea Sat. of each month at 2 p.m.</p> <p>MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH 5881 Clintonville Rd. 8:45 Sunday School 11:00 Morning Worship 8:00 Sunday Evening Wed. 7:00 Prayer & Bible Study Rev. Ben Fuley, Pastor</p> <p>ANDERSONVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH 10350 Andersonville Rd. Livonia, MI 48019 Phone: 625-0531 Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 8:00 p.m. AWANA Club 9:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Nursery at all services Pastor Kenneth J. Simmons</p> <p>ST. 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Vining, Pastor Phone 673-7614 Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m.</p> <p>OAKLAND WOODS BAPTIST CHURCH 5628 Maybree Road Clarkston, MI 48018 625-7657 Pastor Ken Johnson Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m. 8:00 p.m. Bible Study 9:45 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer 7:00 p.m.</p>
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- 4 cups hot water
- 1 cup green split peas
- 1/2 cup chopped onion
- 1/2 cup thinly sliced carrots
- 1/4 cup thinly sliced celery
- 1 tablespoon parsley flakes
- 1/2 teaspoon marjoram leaves
- 1/2 teaspoon salt, optional
- 1/4 teaspoon thyme leaves
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper

In a 3-quart casserole or microwavable soup tureen, combine all ingredients. Cover. Microwave at high 8 to 10 minutes or until boiling. Stir.

Reduce power to 50 percent (medium). Microwave, covered, 20 to 30 minutes or until peas are very soft. Remove 3/4 to 1 cup peas. Mash thoroughly and stir into soup.

Increase power to high. Microwave, uncovered, 10 to 15 minutes or until slightly thickened. Makes four servings.

Per serving: 82 calories, 275 mg. of sodium, zero

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Add tossed salad with lemon and a corn muffin to complete a light meal, but watch the butter and margarine. One tablespoon of either adds 100 calories.

Begin a meal with Spicy Tomato Soup to help fill you up and prevent overeating.

SPICY TOMATO SOUP

- 2 1/2 cups tomato juice or vegetable cocktail
- 2 teaspoons instant beef bouillon granules
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1/2 teaspoon basil
- 1/4 teaspoon thyme
- 1 teaspoon parsley flakes
- 1/2 teaspoon sugar
- 4 lemon slices, optional

Combine all ingredients in 1-quart casserole; cover. Microwave at high 1 1/2 to 4 minutes or until heated. Pour into 4 serving bowls. Garnish each with a lemon slice. Serves 4.

Note: For a low-sodium diet, substitute low-salt bouillon and tomato juice or vegetable cocktail.

Per serving: 25 calories, 700 mg. sodium, zero cholesterol.

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Home economist Betty Wagner resides in Independence Township. Her "Microwave Plus" cable-TV program airs weeknights at 7 on Independence-Clarkston Channel 65.

Treetop bid takes unexpected twist

Treetops and a rental house in the newly purchased Shiawassee Basin park were back on the Springfield Township Board agenda last week.

When bids were sought on approximately 500 face cords of treetops from the 395-acre park, the board expected to sell the firewood.

"In typical government fashion," Township Supervisor Collin Walls quipped later, "instead of making money, it was going to cost the township money."

The only bid received was an offer to clear the wood for a \$10,000 fee. The board had estimated making \$3.50 to \$10 per treetop. The tops were left from a previous logging operation.

The board voted to reject the lone bid because it did not meet the bid requirements.

The property, purchased from Mary and Ed Barker in November, has two homes on it. The smaller one has been rented for about 12 years.

Last month the township board decided to negotiate a rental agreement for the larger home, which was the Barkers' residence.

Meanwhile, furnace problems developed in the about 2,500-square-foot home.

"Now that we're a happy landlord," Walls said, "we need to repair or replace the furnace."

After considerable discussion, the board voted 6-0 to allow Walls and Trustee Charles Oaks to work with companies and determine the best solution to the problem, working with a budget of \$4,200.

Free tax help for seniors

Free tax assistance and preparation is available for senior citizens and low income people starting in February.

The help is offered from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. every Wednesday from Feb. 3 to April 13 at the Independence Township Senior Citizen Center in Clintonwood Park on Clarkston Road. Call 625-8231 for an appointment.

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Music plays high note in CHS senior's life

BY PAT YOUNG
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Being part of the "Academy Singers" for three years has been a big boost to Clarkston High School senior Matt Ford, who plans to pursue a career in music.

But he says what really highlights his stint with the Academy of Popular Vocal Arts is the positive attitude it instills in the 50 or so students who are members.

"It's a different, totally positive group," he says. "That's what makes it special."

Because Ford personifies the attitude and leadership qualities and outstanding musicianship the group strives for, he was the recipient of the Susan Karol Memorial Award in December.

A member of the Academy is selected each semester to be the recipient of the award, which is a tuition scholarship for one semester (\$250).

The Academy is a show choir consisting of students from the Detroit metropolitan area who apply for membership and then audition in front of the entire show choir. The Academy is directed by Gene and Audrey Grier and the group rehearses every Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Oakland University.

Among the Academy accomplishments are several specials for Channel 7, performing the national anthem at Tiger Stadium, publishing a yearly album as well as many local concerts, workshops for area schools and twice yearly performing their own concert in Varner Hall at Oakland University.

There is a waiting list to get into the Academy Singers. Ford thinks the group has given him and the other members some very special education.

"They bring in famous composers, but it's the attitude teaching which is really important," Ford says. "It's a people group who get their message across through music."

At CHS, Ford is a member of Drama Club, Madrigal Singers and is singing the national anthem at several of the home basketball games this year. He is also performing in the upcoming CHS performance of "My



MATT FORD, a Clarkston High School senior, recently received the Susan Karol Memorial

Award, which pays for a term with the Academy of Popular Vocal Arts.

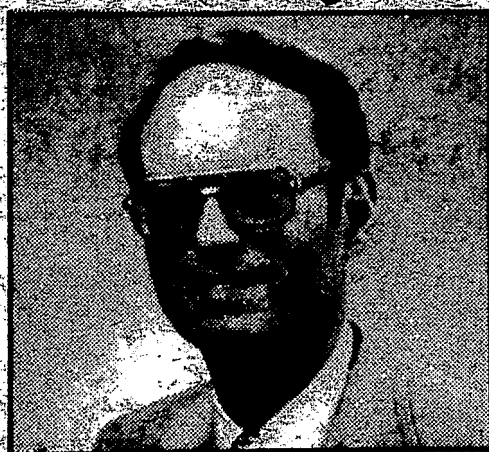
Fair Lady."

He plans to use his talents at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, next fall as a music major. And he says he will always remember the message from the

Academy Singers.

"The director always tells us that if you want something in life, you have to go get it," Ford says. "It won't just come to you."

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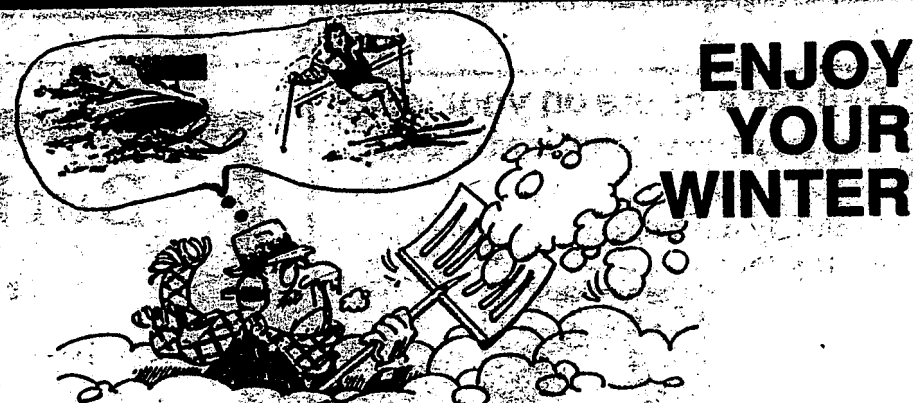
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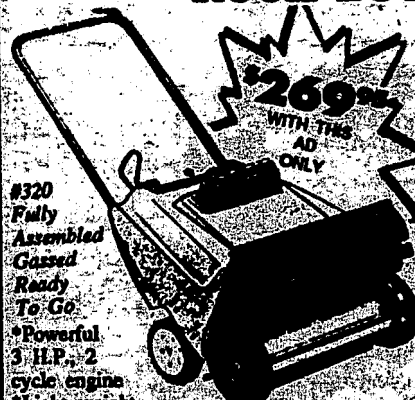
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Mentors work with gifted junior high students

(MENTOR, continued from Page 29)

"I just like working with people," said Chris. "I like to talk a lot, so I've got to be communicating with somebody instead of playing with a machine or something like that."

In his work with the sixth-graders, he goes over "things they have fun with that use their creativity," he said.

"I enjoy speaking in front of people. ... The kids are a lot more outgoing than we were. They verbalize a lot more," he said.

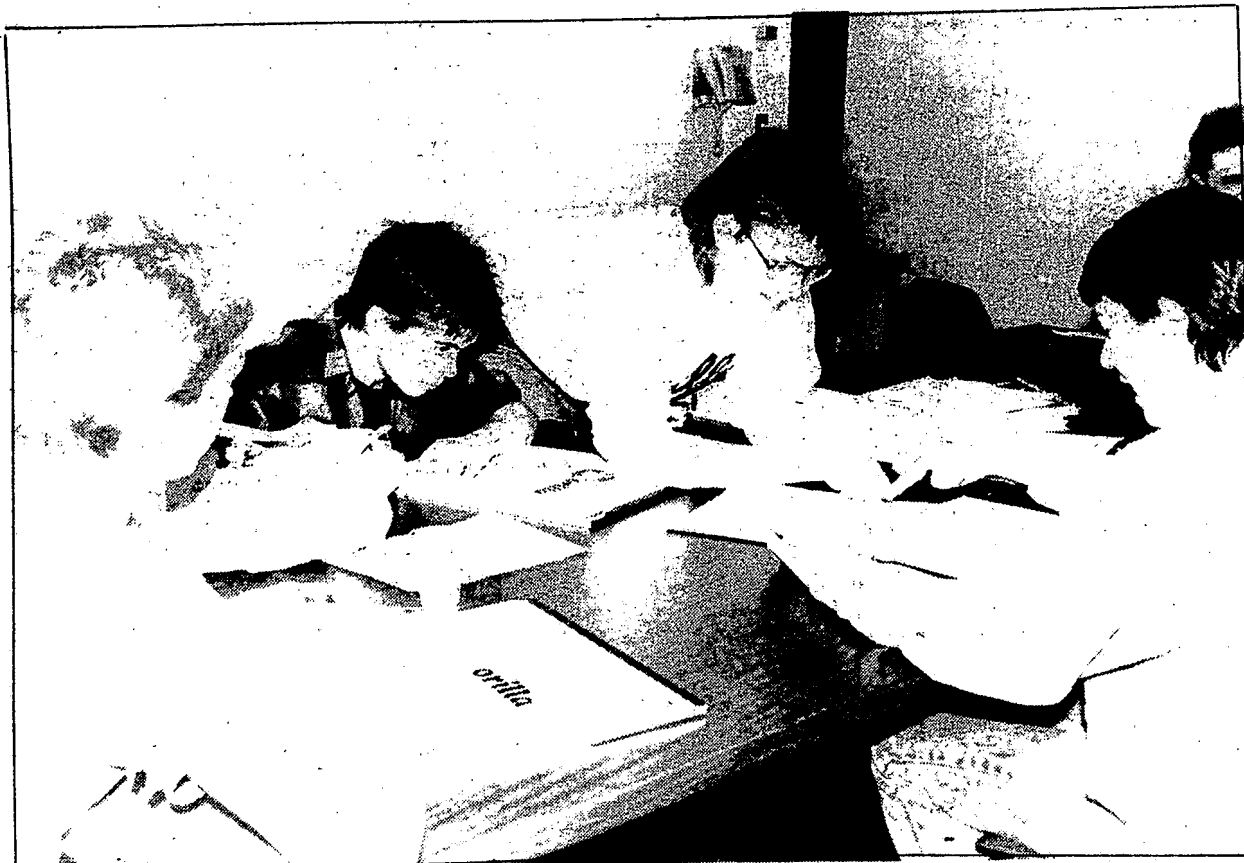
His mentor shares Chris' enthusiasm.

"I think it's an excellent opportunity for Chris," said John. "It gives him an opportunity to develop his communicative skills and interpersonal skills with students. It develops his leadership skills."

"He's been doing a fine job. The kids like Chris, and they look forward to him coming in. ... If he's going to be a teacher, this might be a nice time to find out."

When Chris meets with the sixth-grade class every other Thursday, he misses algebra, English and social science.

"It's kind of hard to make up the work," he said, adding the mentorship program is well worth the effort.



SOMETIMES, A CONFERENCE helps the creativity flow. In the less-structured atmosphere in the SJHS mentorship program, conferences are possible, as Richard Hunt (from left to right), Joe Daniels, Karl Erickson and Jeremy Hargis find out.

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Question session stars business trio

BY PAT YOUNG
Clarkston News Staff Writer

What do an artist, an attorney and a restaurant owner have in common?

Last Thursday at Sashabaw Junior High School, the answer to that question was an interest in volunteering an hour of their time to give ninth-graders a better understanding of what lies in their futures.

The three business people, along with Kevin Eikey, a General Motors technical writer who had spent an hour a week for the past 15 weeks working with the students, were all participating in Project Business.

Project Business, a program of Junior Achievement, has been in operation four years at Sashabaw, according to Gail King, vice president of the program who was sitting in on the final session. A flexible economic and career education program, Project Business is designed to help students become more effective participants in the American economic process.

The program is taught as one unit of social science at the junior high, said Bernard Wright, social science teacher at Sashabaw who cooperates in the Project Business program.

During his one-hour sessions with the students each week, Eikey covered such topics as economics, the American enterprise in action, supply, demand and market price, as well as personal and global economics.

The program concluded with the students and the

"Taking a variety of classes makes you better as a whole person."

Jeff Helfrich

visiting professional people participating in a "What's My Line" type of session. Once the students guessed their occupations, which happened quickly, they were free to ask questions about the different careers.

But the answers spanned more than the duties or qualifications of a particular profession. Prompted by a question from Wright about the value of education, these visitors gave the students some food for thought.

From the attorney, Earlene Baggett, the students learned how discipline enters into the education picture.

"There are things you don't care for in the real world, too, but there are certain things you have to learn," she said. "There are challenges you have to meet whether you like it or not."

Jeff Helfrich, owner of "The Greenery" Restaurant in Clio, told the students "taking a variety of classes makes you better as a whole person. College is the best experience to make you more knowledgeable, more

aware."

Bill McElroy, an illustrator for GM who hopes someday to have his own syndicated cartoon strip, told the students, "As an artist, you can't fool your audience. You have to know a wide variety of subjects. It's not just drawing pretty pictures. A lot of my ideas come from my college experience."

McElroy told them he only made C's in high school and then paid for it in college. "C's don't cut it if you want to go to college," he said.

One student asked why subjects like history and geography were important and Baggett responded, "You need to understand where you came from and where you're going in your career. You're going to intermix with professional people and you need to have the knowledge and the self-confidence to do that."

McElroy added, "The competition is extremely fierce. Don't tunnel vision yourself. Have something to fall back on."

Each student received a certificate for completing the program and most agreed that the experience was beneficial.

"I thought it was very educational because they were telling us what the future will be like and how we can deal with it," said Jenny Graham.

"It was interesting because they told us why we should be taking the classes that we're taking," added Lauren Caston. "And they told us why these classes will help us in the future."

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Survey reveals millage's weak points

BY KATHY GREENFIELD
Clarkston News Editor

A telephone survey by the Clarkston Community School District indicates that the tax hike request on the October ballot was defeated mainly because residents believe their taxes are too high.

George White, principal of Pine Knob Elementary, served as chairman for the survey in which 355 randomly selected residents were called. Statistically, the number should provide a reliable indication of the opinions of the entire school district.

The survey "was helpful in quantifying some of the reasons why the millage might have failed, and that was the whole purpose behind it," said White.

The residents were called Nov. 18-20. The results were submitted to the school board and the communications committee as steps are taken toward the board's decision on whether or not to put the millage question on the ballot in June 1988, White said.

District voters defeated the request for 4.25 additional mills in June 1987 and October 1987. (4.25 mills are \$4.25 for each \$1,000 of assessed property valuation.)

White said he believes the community does not understand that as property values increase and more homes are built, the in-formula Clarkston school district does not receive more money.

As more money from increased assessments comes in, the state's portion of the formula increases so residents pay more of the expenditure and the state pays less.

White said the only way the district can continue to offer quality programs is to agree to support the schools.

"It isn't as though we live in a community where people don't support schools," White said. "What we're challenging is support schools completely."

Nine questions including the following were asked (percent or more correctly):

Do you have a child in school? (96 percent.)

Do they attend private or public school? (96 percent.)

Why do you think people voted "no" on the Oct. 27th millage? (Taxes too high, 34 percent; administration too high, 23 percent; do not know, 23 percent; no need for it, 15 percent; was not asked, 1 percent.)

Why do you think people voted "yes" on the Oct. 27th millage? (Kids in schools, 49 percent; need more money, 28 percent; need more money was established, 25 percent.)

Where did you get your information about the millage proposal? (Clarkston News, 65 percent; word of mouth, 27 percent; school employees, 23 percent; Oakland Press, 23 percent; Reminder, 18 percent; Clarkston Connection, 13 percent; building newsletters, 12 percent; children, 12 percent.)

What source of information was most helpful? (Clarkston News, 45 percent; word of mouth, 31 percent; school employees, 15 percent.)

The principals, teachers, teacher aides and parent volunteers who made the telephone survey were asked to indicate each person's reaction to the survey.

Two thirds of the parents rely on The Clarkston News for millage news. Less than one-fifth get it from The Reminder. People turn to The News for news.

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7 p.m. - Microwave Plus: Microwave cooking tips with home economist Betty Wagner of Independence Township.

7:30 p.m. - CHS Media II Special Presentation: "Cat Spay Operation" is produced by students and hosted by Dr. Bruce Harlton of North Oaks Animal Clinic. This program won a certificate of honor at the 1987 Michigan Student Film and Video Festival.

8 p.m. - Oakland County Parks: "Around the Year, We're Right Here" is the motto of the parks system and the theme of the program, which highlights county parks and events.

8:30 p.m. - Shirley's World: Psychic discussion hosted by Shirley Lynch of Independence Township. This week's program is "Psychic Experiences."

9 p.m. - Best Medicine Co.: With host Joe Hoo (Joe Armstrong) of the Clarkston area.

9:30 p.m. - Special Presentations: "Sacred Musical Ministries" at Maranatha Baptist Church of Independence Township will be shown on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. "The Ingredients of Success" is a look at Dale Carnegie courses and will be shown on Tuesday and Thursday.

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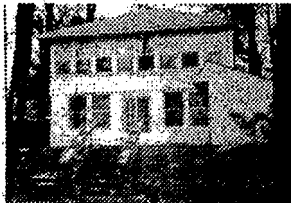
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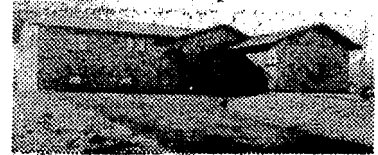
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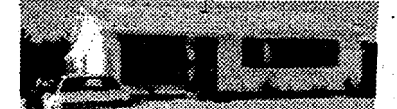
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Scoring is based on personal qualities, material organization, delivery and presentation and overall effectiveness. Contestants must speak on the topic for no less than four minutes and not more than five.

The event will be conducted at a Clarkston area school facility at 7:30 p.m. on March 16. For more information call Duane Lewis, principal of Clarkston Junior High School, at 625-5361.

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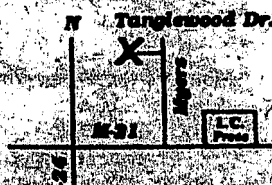
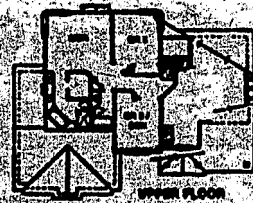
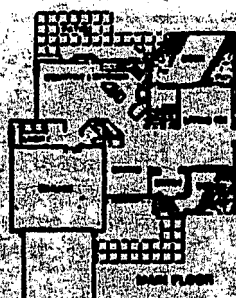
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Leaky roof greets Pine Knob pupils



OVER 100 GALLONS of water were pumped from the roof and a flooded classroom at Pine Knob Elementary School Monday. Custodians Dave Blehm (left) and Al Hami-

ton spent much of the day on top of the roof, while students inside moved to find a dry place to study.

BY JULIE CAMPE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

On Monday morning, 25 third-graders arrived at Pine Knob Elementary School and found their classroom flooded. Two other classrooms also had leaking ceilings.

The worst leak was in Carolyn Young's class, so the pupils took their books to the media center to continue their learning.

Meanwhile, custodians pumped the water from the floor and from the leaking roof, while buckets were placed beneath the steady stream of drops, said Principal George White.

"It's leaked before, but never like this," White said. Last fall, the hallway ceiling leaked and the center of the roof was patched, he said.

On Monday, until the custodians punched a hole in a hollow steel beam that was full of water, the water spread and dripped across three classrooms. After the hole, it only poured into Young's classroom, said White.

On the roof, the problem was clear. The 30-year-old building on Sasabaw Road in Independence Township was showing its age - sagging, full of water and a hole was directly above Young's classroom, said White.

Another obvious problem was that after the roof sagged, the drain rested above the rest of the water-covered roof.

"With all the freezing and thawing, the water just seeps right through," White said.

According to Assistant Superintendent Mel Vaara, unofficial estimates for repairing the hole are between \$3,000 and \$5,000; for repairing the entire roof, around \$80,000 - about the cost of three teachers for one year, said White.

"It's no cheap undertaking," he said. "And if you don't spend the money now, the steel beam begins to rust. And then what? Something needs to be done now."

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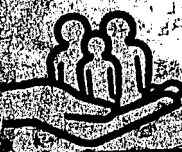


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Players in action



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"STICK 'EM UP" is nowhere to be found in the dialogue despite the gun Hugh Rose (Capt. Bluntschli) points at Cynthia Lohmeir (Raina) as they practice their roles in "Arms and the Man." The George Bernard Shaw comic war-time satire is the latest offering by the Clarkston Village Players. The play debuts Friday,

Jan. 22, and continues on Jan. 23, 29, 30 and Feb. 5 and 6 at the Depot Theatre, 1681 White Lake Rd., Independence Township. Curtain is 8 p.m. Tickets, which cost \$5, are available at Tierra Arts and Design on Main Street, Clarkston, or by calling 363-0188 after 5 p.m. [Photos by Kathy Greenfield]

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The Community Education after-school enrichment program offers students the chance to try something new and different. Other activities offered include tumbling, baton, dance, roller skating, basketball, computers, painting, ceramics, guitar, keyboard, wood crafts, sewing, children's theater and creative science.

Brochures will go home with all Clarkston elementary and junior high students the week of Jan. 25. Those who do not receive a brochure may call Jeanne at 674-3141.

Cold remedies

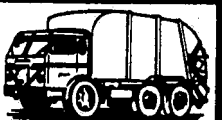
On any given day this winter, thousands in Michigan will be suffering the miseries of the common cold.

If you want to improve your chances of avoiding this ailment, shake fewer hands, kiss fewer cheeks, dress warmly and maintain a good mental attitude, says Dr. Larry Sell, Senior Vice President for Health Care Affairs at Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan.

Colds can be caused by anyone of approximately 200 different viruses that are more likely to be spread by direct contact such as handshakes and kisses, rather than coughs and sneezes from nearby persons, Dr. Sell says.

"Some authorities believe that emotional stress can also make a person vulnerable to colds by reducing blood flow as well as moisture and antibody production in the mouth and nasal passages," he says.

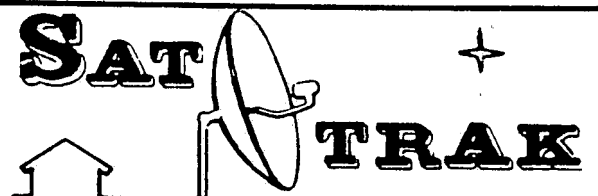
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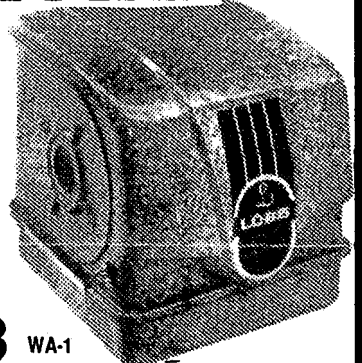
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Friend to Friend

Worrying is a waste



Dear Friend to Friend:

With the holiday season over, I feel fat! Spring break is on its way, which means bathing suits and skimpy outfits.

I know I am really not hefty, but I am not exactly what you would call spring break material. Do you have any tips on fast, easy weight reduction?

Feels Hefty

Dear Feels Hefty:

First of all, weight reduction isn't an easy thing to do. It will take a lot of work and determination on your part to get rid of those unwanted pounds, but the results will be rewarding.

Our suggestions include cutting down on those after-school snacks.

Most important, eat your three meals from all basic food groups. By starving yourself, in the long run you end up gaining more weight because your metabolism slows down. Your body overcompensates when you start eating again.

Another suggestion is to exercise by doing aerobics (walking fast, running, swimming, biking) for at least 20 minutes four times a week.

To work on specific problem areas, get in the routine of specific exercises such as situps, pushups and leg lifts. Group support is available at an aerobics class.

Don't weigh yourself every day. Once a week works best because weight fluctuations from day to day can be discouraging.

Even though it sounds corny, eating food high in fiber and a well-rounded exercise program are the best way to feel good and look good.

One thing to keep in mind is very few people have a fashion model body and it's more important to feel good about yourself on the inside.

Dear Friend to Friend:

Exams are coming up and I'm starting to get scared. All my classes are hard and I can't afford to fail any of them. The pressure is heavy and my grades could really use a boost.

I never seem to have time to do my homework, and when I do have time I don't feel like doing it. Why do they put so much emphasis on one test? I really want to do well on my exams. Any suggestions?

Booked Out

Dear Booked Out:

Worrying is wasted energy. Instead, put that energy into making a study plan and setting goals.

Set up time blocks for each subject. For every day, have a study group with your friends, outline important things that you will need to know for exams and study them periodically, make up tests for yourself and have other people quiz you.

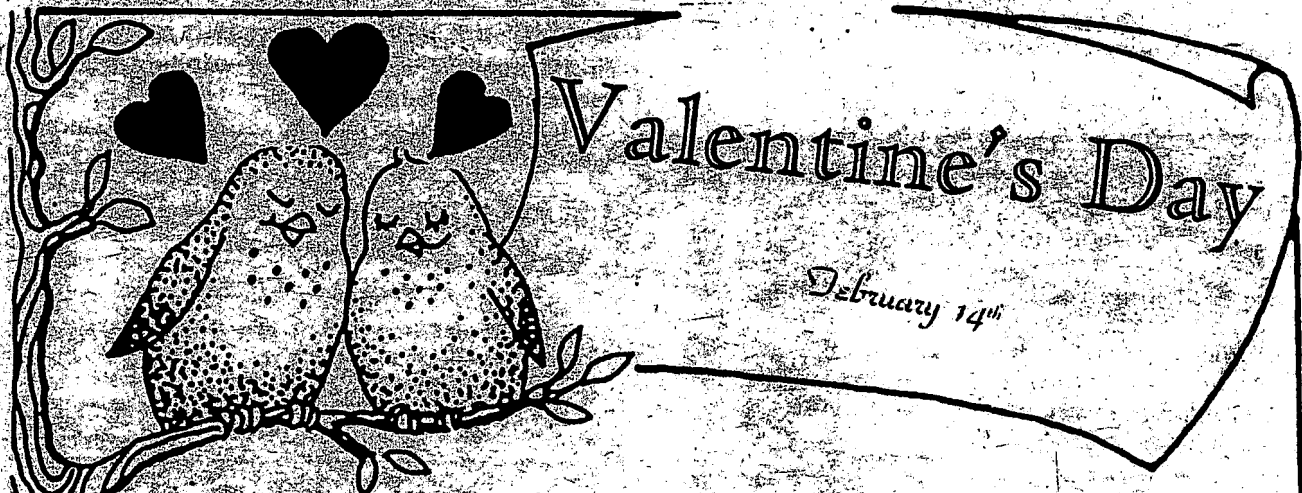
One thing to remember is to study in short blocks of time rather than in long periods.

This means you have to start studying earlier rather

than waiting until the last minute and cramming.

It is important in high school to establish your own best studying and learning habits. Once you determine these, you can study each subject in the same way and your efficiency will increase.

Friend to Friend is written by a panel of Clarkston High School students working under the sponsorship of Aware, a community organization devoted to action and education against substance abuse.



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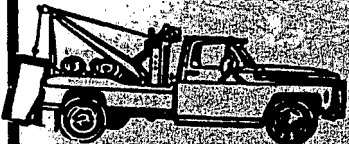
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Obituaries

John F. Baker

John F. Baker, 81, of Independence Township died Jan. 16. He owned and operated the John F. Baker Construction Co.

Mr. Baker was a member of St. Daniel Catholic Church, Clarkston.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy; sons, Robert and Tom, both of Romeo; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

The mass of the resurrection was Jan. 19 at St. Daniel Catholic Church with the Rev. Charles Cushing officiating. Burial was in All Saints Cemetery, Waterford Township. Arrangements were by the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township.

Memorials may be made to the University of Detroit Engineering Department.

Frank M. Covert

Frank M. Covert, 81, of Springfield Township died Jan. 13.

Surviving are his wife, Phyllis; daughters, Mrs. Leon (Thelma) Cobb of Clarkston and Mrs. Sidney (Beverly) Winstanley Jr. of Pontiac; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

The service was Jan. 16 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township, with the Rev. James Finn officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery, Independence Township.

Harold J. Hamilton

Harold J. Hamilton, 52, of Springfield Township died Jan. 13. He was an employee of the Oakland County Road Commission.

Surviving are his wife, Janet; children, Scott and his wife Sandy of Davisburg, Michelle of Pontiac, Renea and Dennis of Davisburg and Michael of Clarkston; grandchildren, Kina, Cory, Marquita and Brianna; father, A.W. Hamilton of Pontiac; in-laws, Alice Stayt of Pontiac and Gordon and Thelma Stayt of Florida; and brothers and sisters, Wanda Wright of Texas, Marguerite Stenwall of Union Lake, Mike of Union Lake, Richard of Louisiana, Grace Robinette of Pontiac and Bonnie Brooks of Milford.

The funeral was Jan. 16 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Independence Township, with the Rev. Tom Hampton officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Cemetery, Independence Township.

Memorials may be made to the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

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REZONING REQUEST

DAN PROCTOR, PETITIONER

FROM: ML (LIMITED INDUSTRIAL)

TO: R1A (SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL)

Parcel Identification Number: 08-31-451-005

Common Description: North side of Andersonville Road, East of White Lake Road, 27.62 acres of land.

Any further information regarding the above Public 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

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OFFICIAL NOTICE

Village of Clarkston Synopsis

Regular meeting of the Clarkston Village Council, January 11, 1988, 375 Depot Road, Clarkston, Michigan 48016. Meeting called to order at 7:35 p.m. by President Pro-tem Schultz, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Roll: Present - Schultz, Roeser, Millard, Haven, Basinger and Symons.

Absent - Catallo.

The minutes of the last meeting were approved. The Agenda was added to and approved.

Millard made a motion to approve the bills totaling \$20,370.62. Seconded by Symons. Roll: 6 Yeas. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

The Wycoff property on Middle Lake Road and M-15 is in the 100 year Flood Plain Limits. The Engineers, Hubbell, Roth and Clark will send a copy of their plans to the DNR. The Village feels Mr. Wycoff will have to get the DNR approval before the Council can act further.

Mr. Sherman came with a request for offices over the Clarkston News. The Council advised Mr. Sherman to present site plans to the Planning Commission then back to the Council for final approval.

The Council discussed with the Village Engineers and the Village Attorney on the new Condo Ordinance. There will be a Public Hearing with the Planning Commission on January 25th on the amendment.

Motion by Roeser to adjourn at 9:20 p.m. Seconded by Millard. Motion carried.

Norma Goyette
Village Clerk

OFFICIAL NOTICE

Springfield Township TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING JANUARY 14, 1988 SYNOPSIS

The regular meeting of the Springfield Township Board was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Supervisor Walls.

MINUTES of the December 9 and the December 16, 1987 meetings were approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT was accepted. Reports were submitted by the Building Department, Fire Department and Ordinance Officer.

COMMUNICATIONS:

1. Notice of Oakland County Chapter MTA meeting on January 21, 1988.

2. Copy of a letter from Toxic Control Comm. to Morris Lifshay regarding the toxic substances near the proposed site for the correctional facility.

3. Letter from Collin Walls to the Railroad Safety & Tariff Div., Mich. Dept. of Transportation regarding unsafe railroad crossing in the township.

4. Copy of a permit from DNR for construction of a deck for the Cedar Cove development.

5. Copy of a notification of a health hazard from the Oakland County Health Department on property located in the township.

6. Copy of a letter from the Oakland County Health Department regarding waste disposal on a site in the township.

7. Letter from the Oakland County Road Comm. regarding the 1987 transportation package.

8. Copy of a letter from Oakland County Road Comm. regarding a public informational meeting for Andersonville Road bridge replacement.

9. Letter from Oakland County MTA regarding the hospitality suite at the Convention.

10. Letter received for Police Department for City of Davisburg.

11. Resolution from the City of Birmingham regarding support of legislation to permit local legislative body to have jurisdiction over liquor licenses before an extension of renewal time. The Board supported this resolution.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Fire Department Bids - Fire Chief Marian Hillman presented bids; Bids were accepted from Jackson Fire Equipment to transfer equipment to new chassis, Oakland County Purchasing Comm. for new GMC truck, Miller & Associates for slide-in unit, Oakland County Purchasing Comm. for turn-out equipment.

2. Adoption of amendments to Ordinance 26, Articles 3, 14, 15 & 23.

3. Bid for Shiawassee Basin tree tops rejected.

4. Salary increase for Assessor/Aide approved when certification received.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Authorization to negotiate expenses for summer tax collection given to Treasurer and Supervisor.

2. Decision not to elect constables in 1988.

3. Location of March Township Board meeting changed to Fire Station #2.

4. Decision made to charge \$1,000 fee for cable applications.

5. Amendments to Ordinance 26, Article 6 set for 2nd Reading at February meeting.

6. Authorization given to purchase computer furniture and office equipment.

7. Authorization given to Supervisor and Trustees Oaks to repair or purchase new furnace for home in Shiawassee Basin.

BILLS authorized for payment.

ADJOURNMENT at 9:15 p.m.

J. Calvin Waters, Clerk
Collin W. Walls, Supervisor

Firefighters donate funds to burn center

Money raised from the annual pancake breakfast over the Labor Day weekend by the Independence Township Firefighters recently was presented to the National Institute for Burn Medicine of Ann Arbor.

Township firefighters estimated that 913 breakfasts were served on Labor Day, about the same as last year. All profits made at the breakfast were donated to the burn center.

The check for \$1,000 went to the non-profit health care support organization, which is dedicated to preventing burn injuries, saving the lives of burn victims and improving their chances for complete recovery and rehabilitation.

The burn center's funds go to three areas of concentration: patient care support, research and burn prevention educational programs.



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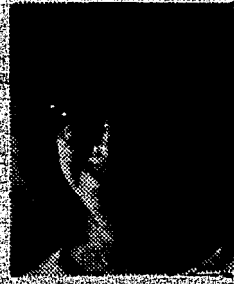
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We live in a bite-sized world. Everything has been shrunken, compacted or condensed so it can be easily handled by all these upwardly-mobile "people on the go."

Therefore, newspapers like this one have been divided into separate articles. I think it's for people who can't read an entire paper in one day.

Well, now I've invented something new: columnettes. These are articles-within-an-article for people who don't have enough time to read my column entirely.

Of course, I have some respect for the things I write. I wouldn't let a perfectly good column be summarized in a single paragraph.

In this case, I'm going to try it on a few of the dullest, most stereotypical feature columns ever found in a paper. These are topics almost everyone chooses if they can't think of anything original to write about.

Remember, columnettes are my own idea, the subject matter (thank goodness) isn't.

No. 1: THE WEATHER

It's quite a cold day. One reason this is so is because it's January.

I don't like to wear smooth-soled shoes on icy days because I always slip. Why do they keep the "Watch for Ice on Bridge" road signs up in the summer? Talk about being careful!

It was snowing a while back. They say no two snowflakes look alike. I don't think they should jump to such a conclusion, since nobody has actually checked every single snowflake that ever fell.

As I said before, it's cold today. I suggest everyone build a fire to keep warm. Fires start easier if you use scraps of newspaper.

Columns about the weather always burn nicely.

No. 2: REFLECTIONS ON A RECENT HOLIDAY

Martin Luther King Day was celebrated not very long ago. If Dr. King was alive today, he'd probably feel

very honored to have a day named after him.

Or maybe he'd be embarrassed. I know I wouldn't feel comfortable with a Suzanne Baumann day. Maybe that's why they waited until after he died.

I remember last year's Martin Luther King Day. Late in the afternoon I was reading about it in the newspaper (I think it was next to a weather article) and I said to myself, "Oh, was that today?"

There isn't much tradition that goes along with this holiday.

No. 3: THE HONEST APPROACH

I have writer's block. I can't think of anything to say. I started to write two or three different articles, but they weren't any good so I crumpled them up.

Sometimes it's hard to think of things to write about. Right now is one of those times. I have to say something, though, so I'll write this: Blah blah blah, blah-blah yakkety-yak blah. Yakkety yakkety blah, yakkety-blak, blakketty yak.

There you have it. Keep in mind columnettes are only in their trial stage at the moment.

To be honest, I think my new creation is even worse than the combination ink pen/correction fluid dispenser that didn't work (another useless invention of mine). It defies the purpose of good literature! (The columnettes; not the pens.)

Anyhow, it was an idea. It just so happens it's one I've rejected.

If any of you readers are thinking of stealing it for patenting under your own name, go ahead! It's certainly nothing I want to be blamed for coming up with.

You can be sure my column will return to its usual format next week.

Suzanne Baumann is a ninth-grader at Sashabaw Junior High School.

Equipment boost

The Springfield Township Fire Department is about to get more than a \$45,000 boost in new equipment and gear.

On Jan. 14, the board voted 6-0 on separate motions to approve the purchases, based on Springfield Township Fire Chief Marlan Hillman's recommendations from the bids received.

A new chassis for a 4-by-4 fire truck at Station No. 1 will be purchased from the Oakland County Cooperative Purchasing Pool for \$12,279, and equipment will be transferred from the old body to the new one by Jackson Fire Apparatus Inc., of Three Rivers, for \$14,600.

A slide-in (water tank, pump, hoses, etc.) and new 3/4-ton pick-up truck approved for purchase will be useful for fighting brush fires, Hillman said. The \$6,250 slide-in will come from Miller and Associates in Davisburg, and the pick-up truck will be purchased from Oakland County Cooperative Purchasing for \$10,816.63.

New turn-out gear was also approved.

"We've got new personnel (eight or nine firefighters) coming on board in a month or so," said Hillman.

The board approved the purchase of 12 outfits (hats, coats, boots, helmets, etc.) for about \$3,900 from the Oakland County Fire Chiefs Association.

Solicitors untruthful

Residents in Springfield Township have been receiving phone calls from people soliciting funds who say they they represent the Michigan Professional Fire Fighters Association.

"There is a legitimate association called the Michigan Professional Fire Fighters, but whoever is soliciting these funds is not associated with it. They aren't legit," said Springfield Township Fire Chief Marlan Hillman at the township board's January meeting.

Some people have told Hillman the phone solicitors said some of the funds would go to the "Davisburg Fire Department."

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REZONING REQUEST

ALAN & SANDRA LAWRENCE, PETITIONER

FROM: R1R (RURAL RESIDENTIAL)

TO: R1A (SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL)

Parcel Identification Number: 08-21-400-010

Common Description: North side of Walden Road, West of Walters Lake Road & East of Almond Lane, 4.61 Acres of Land.

Any further information regarding the above Public 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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AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE, SECTION 5.06, RESTRICTIONS ON THE NUMBER OF BUILDINGS PER LOT

ELIMINATION OF:

#2 in the R2, Multiple-Family Residential District, more than one principal building per lot shall be permitted.

#3 in all other districts, more than one principal building per lot shall be permitted only upon the approval of a special use permit of the planning commission, in accordance with section 5.15.

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(To be added to Section 3.01, Definitions)

Self-storage Facility. A building or group of buildings containing fully enclosed, compartmentalized stalls or lockers which are rented or leased as individual units for the storage of personal property customarily related to residential, office and/or local commercial activities.

(To be added to Section 7.02 Table of Off-street Parking Requirements)

5.c. Self-storage Facility. One (1) parking space for every one hundred (100) storage units plus one (1) for each employee, with a minimum of five (5) parking spaces. Required parking spaces shall be located in order to serve the management office.

(To be added to Section 22.03, Special Land Uses, in the ML-Limited Industrial District and to Section 23.02, Principal Permitted Uses, in the MH-Heavy Industrial District.)

8. Self-storage facilities, subject to the following:

a) All storage shall be contained within a building.

b) Other than the rental of storage units, no commercial, wholesale, retail, industrial or business use shall be permitted on or operated from the premises.

c) The storage of any toxic, explosive, corrosive or hazardous material shall be prohibited.

d) Exterior walls of all storage units shall be of masonry construction.

e) On-site management and/or controlled access shall be provided during hours of operation.

f) All storage units shall be served by paved access drives between buildings. Access drives shall also provide for continuous traffic circulation around all storage buildings. The minimum width of access drives serving storage units shall be twenty-four (24) feet when storage units open onto one side of the access drive and thirty-six (36) feet when storage units open onto both sides of the access drive.

Any further information regarding the above Public 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



Village of Clarkston

NOTICE TO VILLAGE RESIDENTS

Village General Election, March 14, 1988. Deadline for registration is February 15, 1988. People wishing to register may do so at the Village Office on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 11:00 to 2:00.

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Charter Township of Independence Zoning Board of Appeals

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, February 3, 1988 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 #1703 Peter Kozma

APPLICANT REQUESTS SIDE YARD SETBACK VARIANCE of 20' for CONSTRUCTION of 768 SQ. FT. POLE BUILDING, Allen Road, R1R Zone. 08-18-476-005.

CASE #1704 Joseph Duran

APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE to CONSTRUCT 1500 SQ. FT. POLE BUILDING, Perry Lake Rd., R1R Zone. 08-18-100-020.

CASE #1681 Donna Goldworthy

APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE to SPLIT PROPERTY DENIED BY LOT SPLIT COMMITTEE, Synnyside & Easton, R1A Zone. 08-12-377-007 & 08-13-126-001.

CASE #1699 Thomas Goun

APPLICANT REQUESTS ROAD FRONT VARIANCE of 40' plus WIDTH to DEPTH RATIO VARIANCE to EFFECTUATE SPLITTING of PROPERTY, Marvin Road, Lot 11, R1A Zone. 08-33-126-015.

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
Linda M. Gee, Secretary



ON WEEKENDS, THE PINE KNOB ski resort chairlifts are almost never empty, but on this frigid Monday afternoon, the word solitude comes to mind. The number of skiers goes

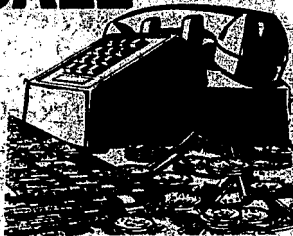
down when temperatures drop and the wind blows, but the diehards are always there. Snow hasn't been abundant this year, but skiing conditions are very good at the Inde-

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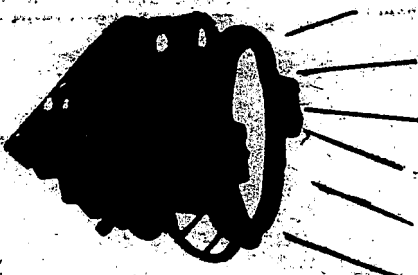
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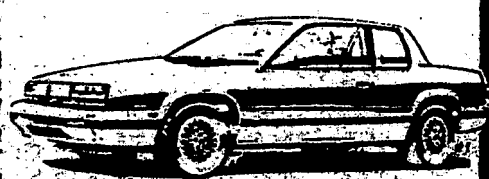
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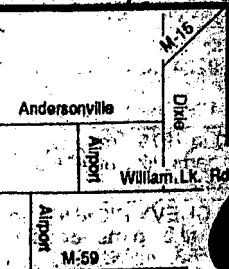
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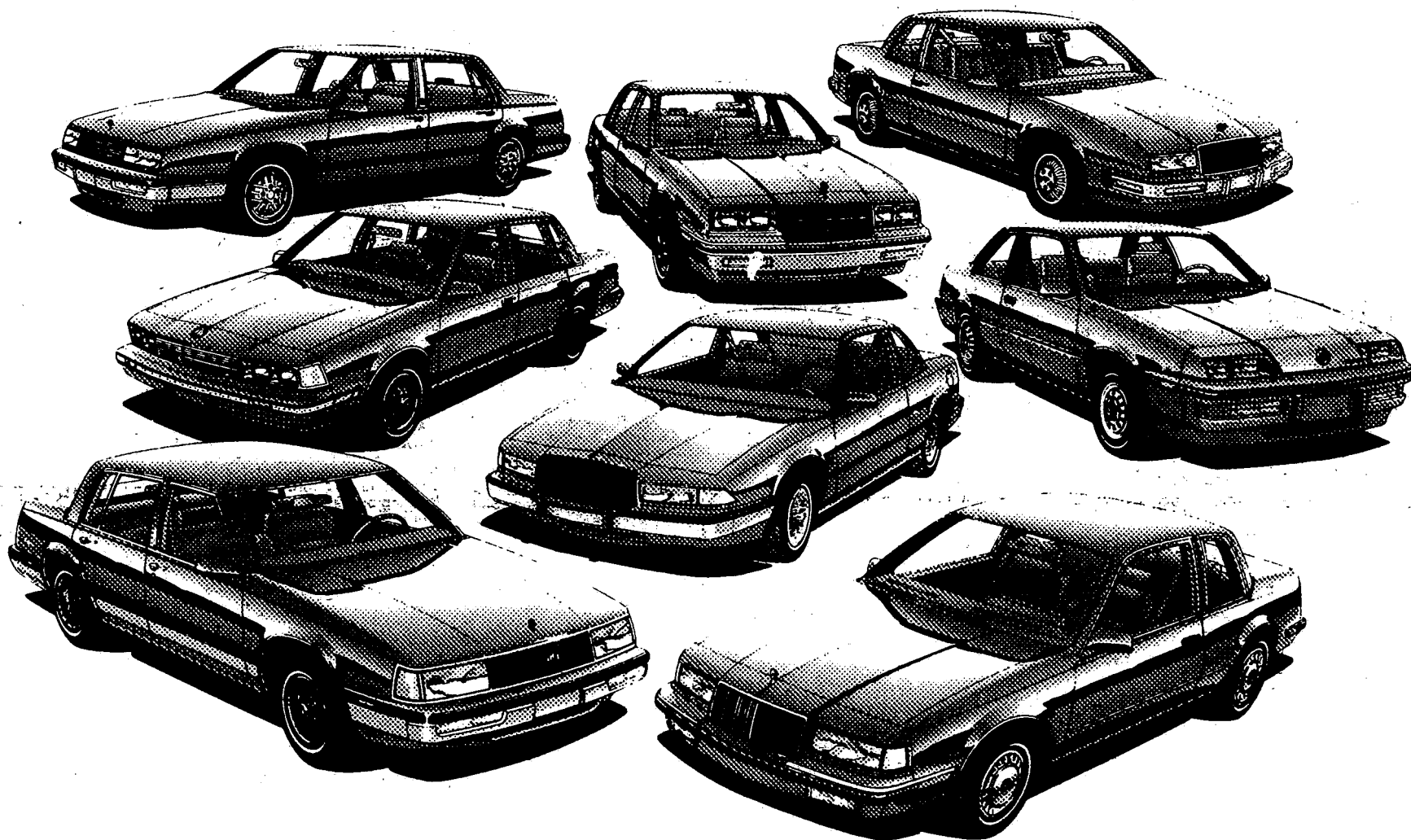
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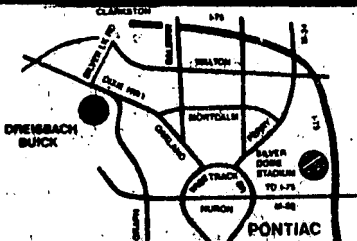
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1985 HONDA 4 trax, 4 wheeler, 250cc, like new, \$1,000; 1973 Suzuki 292 snowmobile, \$350. 628-5182. IILX3-2

1986 SUZUKI QUAD, Racer 250cc, \$1,600. 628-5546. IILX3-2

FOR SALE SNOWMOBILES: 1977 Arctic Cat 500cc, \$750; 1974 Scorpion 440cc, \$550 or best offer. 628-7292. IILX3-2

SNOWMOBILE 1986 Yamaha Racer 485cc, like new! 693-1005. IILX2-2

1975 MERCURY SNOW TWI with trailer \$995; 1980 John Deere Sportfire \$1,050. or best; both excellent condition. 628-1674. IILX2-2

046-REC. EQUIP.

MENS GOLF CLUBS WANTED: metal woods preferred, before 10pm 693-3306. IILX2-2

ROSSIGNOL 185 SKIS with Soloman 727 bindings, \$120. or best. 391-2347. IILX3-2

SKI'S OLIN 700, 180cm, Soloman bindings, poles, \$100. Mens Kaver boots size 10, \$45. good condition. 625-5720. IILX23-3

SNOW SKIS, Hexel Ultra SR salomon 747 binders, only used twice. 693-6521. IILX3-2

NEW DARTON SL 50 Compound bow, 35.55 lbs, new case, quiver, arrows, finger grip. \$160. 625-3851. IILX23-2

BARRECRATERS ski rack, tip top, compact model SR 72L, used one season \$55. 625-3234. IILX24-2

FOR SALE 2 Kawasaki 1979 snowmobiles, trailer, cutter, \$1,500; 1972 Suzuki road & trail bike \$350. 628-4255. IILX3-2

50-TRUCKS & VANS

1981 CHEVY PICKUP with cap, 6 cyl, manual trans, runs good. Call after 5:30pm 628-7923. IILX3-2

1981 WHITE DATSUN Pickup with cap, great gas mileage. Good condition. 394-1344. IILX3-2

1985 FORD 150, 4x4, 3 speed overdrive, stereo, alarm, rust proofed, must sell, \$7,995. 627-4109. IILX24-2

CLARK 4000lb fork lift, hard tires, \$2,500. 517-635-2389. IILX3-2c

FORD 2000 SERIES tractor and rear blade, \$3,500. 517-635-2389. IILX3-2c

TIRES FOR SALE 4-750 x16, 8 lug on wheels with full hub caps new. Evenings 628-0317. IILX3-2

1974 FORD F350 Pickup, 2wd, 360 manual, stereo, \$800. obo. 628-4380. IILX2-2

1976 BLAZER WITH myers plow, \$1,200. 628-7302. IILX2-2

1976 DODGE CLUB CAB \$500. obo, needs work, good bed 693-8596. IILX3-2

1976 GMC JIMMY, 4x4, 350 automatic, am/fm, \$700. 627-6441. IILX24-2

1979 1/2 TON CHEVY Pickup, good condition, \$1,600. 693-2375. IILX3-2

1986 JEEP CHEROKEE, v6, 4wd, 4 door, auto trans, air, power lock, cruise and much more. 17,000 miles. \$10,400. 628-5136. IILX2-2

1987 S10 EXTENDED cab pickup, 4 wheel drive, sport package, air, 5 speed, jump seats, 14,500 miles, \$11,495. Call after 6pm 752-6268. IILX2-2

FOR SALE 1976 Ford 250 4x4 parts. Transfer case & rear end \$200. each. 391-2593. IILX2-2

TRUCK CAP, FITS full size Pickup bed, \$125. After 7pm 373-6386. IILX2-2

1965 FORD DUMP, southern, rebuilt engine \$350, or best offer 338-3154 or 338-8268. IILX3-2

1979 JEEP CHEROKEE, runs good, many new parts. \$900. 625-1581. IILX2-2

1979 SCOUT 4x4, v8, auto, new tires and paint, \$2,000. 627-4551. IILX23-2

1984 GMC CUB VAN, 14ft, Grumman aluminum body, runs and drives A-1, \$7,500 or best. 693-4783. IILX3-2

WESTERN 7 1/2 FOOT plow, fits full size GM truck, \$900. 391-1432. IILX2-2

055-MOBILE HOMES

1969 HERRILL 12x65 with 4ft extension off family room, all appliances, 2 bedrooms, 2 sheds. Must Sell. \$10,000. 673-8267. IILX23-2

1976 ROSEMONT Mobile home, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, large deck, all appliances stay, excellent condition. 693-7661. IILX3-2

1978 REGENT 14x70, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, appliances, deck. Ideal Villa 678-2050 or 391-1295. IILX3-2

BRISTOL 14x70, 2 bedroom, stove, refrigerator, enclosed porch, \$7,900. 625-2451 days. IILX23-2

MOBILE HOME FOR sale, Chateau Orion, 12x65 Holly Park, appliances, water softener, central air, new shed and skirting, full awning. \$8,900. 373-1251. IILX3-2

1985 GRANDVILLE Mobile home, 14x80, 3 bedrooms, Woodland family section, \$22,500. 693-4035 after 4pm. IILX2-2

1985 CHAMPION 28 x 56, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central air, fireplace, much more. Adult section, Sashabaw Meadows. \$32,000. 628-7936. IILX24-2

060-GARAGE SALES

MOVING SALE/ Saturday Jan 23 10am-6pm. Air conditioner, dehumidifier, humidifier, 600 bricks, shelves, ski rack, baby items, cassette player, firewood, 2 stereos, 32000 tire & rim, window fan, dog kennel, 2 driveway gates, & much more. 1717 Lakesview, Oxford, off W. Drahter Rd. 628-0816. IILX3-1

MOVING SALE, miscellaneous furniture, chain saw new, dining room set, piano bedroom furniture 334-4160. IILX3-1

065-AUCTIONS

HARDWARE AND ANTIQUE auction sale, 1/2 mile north of 27 Mile Road, Washington, MI at 59581 VanDyke Avenue, on Saturday, January 23 at 10:00am. All inventory and fixtures must be sold. Bins, plumbing, electrical, heating, lawn products, antique furniture, dishes, glass, 21ft travel trailer and many other items. Washington Hardware Prop. Terms cash day of sale or guaranteed funds. Paul G. Hillman 752-2636 and Chuck Cryderman 727-3725 Auctioneers. IILX3-1c

066-CRAFT SHOWS & BAZAARS

RENT A TABLE AT our spring craft show, \$15. Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 136 S. Lapeer, Oxford, April 23, 9-3pm. Call 628-7791 or 628-0847. IILX3-2

070-REAL ESTATE

10 ACRES TO 40 ACRES starting at \$21,900. in Hadley Twp. 628-3814. IILX2-2

3 BEDROOM RANCH, 1 1/2 baths, full finished basement, large corner lot, 2 1/2 car garage, 16x32 pool, Lake Orion Schools. Immediate possession, \$79,500. 693-7630. IILX3-2

5.76 & 11.33 ACRE Parcels, Oxford Twp. Possible land contract terms, also Barn for rent. 628-7968 or 1(517)655-1371. IILX2-2

WOODS & WATER all on one gorgeous lot. Build your own hide-away home and still enjoy lake living! Call for details. Ask for V-S. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990. or 693-7770. IILX3-1c

ATTENTION BUILDERS! For sale 4 building sites, lake privileges, available immediately. Orion Schools. Call 693-9491. No agents. IILX2-2

BEAUTIFULLY ELEVATED and treed building site in prestigious Deer Lake Farms. Area of exceptional homes!! 1.5 acres. Deer Lake privileges, and sewer at street. \$69,900. Ask for V-D.L. Partridge & Associates. 625-0990. IILX3-1c

CLARKSTON/BY OWNER, beautiful 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, brick/alum. quad., fire place, deck, central air, underground sprinklers, 2 car attach garage & much more! only \$112,900. Call 625-5003. IILX3-2

COUNTRY LIVING AT its best. Extremely neat, 4 bedroom, 2 bath ranch, situated on a beautiful lot. 1 acre parcel. Minutes from Mt. Gramplan Skiing, Lakeville Lake and golf course in Addison Twp. Priced at \$84,900. Call Caruso Realty, Ltd. 394-1200. IILX23-2

LAKE LOVERS. This all sports lakefront lot is available now and may not last until spring. The lake is clear and sandy, the view beautiful. \$45,000. Ask for V-M. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990 or 693-7770. IILX3-1c

LOT FOR SALE Orion Twp. 125' by 350' deep, next to 631 Gramplan 693-6425, land contract terms IILX3-2

METAMORA HUNT AREA.

Beautiful redwood country rustic home located on 15 rolling acres. Special features, 3 large bedrooms, charming 2 story fireplace, brick foyer, convenient 1st floor laundry, oak beams, quality craftsmanship throughout. This home has it all, a true country classic! Ask for 3333 J. \$242,000. Partridge & Associates, 693-7770. IILX3-1c

DREAMS WILL COME true with this fantastic 10 acre parcel located in Clarkston area: Country setting with hilltop view, priced at \$55,900. Call Caruso Realty, Ltd. 394-1200. IILX23-2

HIGH ON A HILL with a gorgeous view of the wooded and hilly country side from every window. This 3 bedroom colonial is less than a year old. Home is well planned with 2 1/2 baths, large 2 1/2 car garage and walk-out basement located in Springfield Twp. 4 miles west of Clarkston. Selling for \$129,900. Call Caruso Realty, Ltd. 394-1200. IILX23-2

LOTS, 2 SEPERATE locations at Lakes Of The North, Gaylord, Michigan. Best reasonable offer over \$1,500 each lot. 625-4081 6pm-9pm. IILX23-2

OPEN HOUSE - Saturday, January 23rd from 1-4pm. This immaculate ranch sets on 1/4 of an acre at 607 Joslyn in Orion Township, just north of Clarkston Road. \$77,250.

THIS BEAUTIFUL new home sets on nine acres, plus has lake frontage. Features two fireplaces, one in the kitchen, cathedral ceiling, walk-out basement energy efficient. \$159,000.

THE VILLAGE OF Orion has a handy man special that already has a beautifully remodeled kitchen with oak cabinets. Has 3 bedrooms, woodburner, enclosed porch, recently rewired. TLC and new siding would make this home a charmer. \$46,500.

LAKE ORION LAKEFRONT on a picturesque bay. Features include cathedral ceiling, T & G knotty pine, wood burning stove, large deck. This beautifully remodeled home won't last long at \$68,800.

NEWLY DECORATED ranch has extra large lot (almost an acre). You'll appreciate all the work that has been done to this tastefully done three bedroom home. Includes garage and basement. \$85,000.

GREAT PRICE and terms for this 3 1/2 acre homesite on a paved road east of Oxford. \$14,900.

Quaker Realty, Inc. 651-1110 CX3-1c

ACREAGE BRANDON Township, 5.5 acres, \$19,750. Call 628-1852 or 628-7899. IILX3-1c

NEAR RECREATION & shopping, but still on a gorgeous parklike setting, this 3 bedroom ranch with cozy, neutral decor boasts 1st floor laundry, 2 car garage, and Maceday Lake privileges. All this for only \$56,900. FHA info available. Ask for 6808 W.L. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990. IILX3-1c

REDUCED TO \$79,900. What a steal! Imagine yourself in a brick ranch with 3 oversized bedrooms and a full walkout basement with fireplace. All situated on a rolling and wooded lot. Call quickly and ask for 1159 W. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990. IILX3-1c

STOP - LOOK. Fantastic contemporary lakefront on beautiful Indian Lake. Gorgeous view from master suite with fireplace. 3700 sq ft of quality and class. 3 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 3 fireplaces, central air, decking and more. Ask for 71 L. Partridge & Associates, 693-7770. IILX3-1c

SUPERB SETTING comes with this 3 bedroom ranch on almost 5 acres overlooking state land. Features hardwood floors, family room with fireplace, walkout lower level and barn with electricity and water. \$115,000. Ask for 350 C. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990. IILX3-1c

BEAUTIFUL 1 1/2 Acre building site in well kept Heritage Heights Sub. Just minutes from Clarkston. Lot is parked, surveyed and ready for the home of your choice. Only \$24,900, good terms. Call Caruso Realty, Ltd. 394-1200. IILX23-2

BY OWNER, SPACIOUS custom built 4 bedroom home in Kensington, 2700 sq ft, well maintained, with new top of the line carpeting and appliances. Central air, security alarm system, in-ground sprinklers, and many extras. Professionally landscaped. Lake Privileges. \$139,500. 391-2809. IILX3-2

15 MINUTES NORTH of Rochester, 2 acres of secluded treed paradise in area of nice homes. Possible pond site at front of property. 200 ft of serene canal frontage that leads to Indian Lake. Great fishing, swimming and ice skating. Ask for V.R. Partridge & Associates, 693-7770. IILX3-1c

5 ACRES \$8,900. Just north of Orionville we have 5 green acres on land contract terms! Ask for V-9400-W. Partridge & Associates, 693-7770. IILX3-1c

A COSMETOLOGISTS dream! Own your own beauty shop business and be your boss. Business opportunity, equipment and inventory. Full service, 5 stations. Only \$19,900. Ask for Judi or Suzanne. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990, or 693-7770. IILX3-1c

AFFORDABLE Lakefront living. 217 ft of shoreline on beautiful Davis Lake. 3 bedroom quad level, 2.5 baths, family room with fireplace. Priced for immediate sale at \$119,000. Hurry, this one won't last! Ask for 583 T. Partridge & Associates, 693-7770. IILX3-1c

UNIQUE VILLAGE Home! This large historical home can be yours for only \$63,500. 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, formal dining room, beautiful remodeled kitchen. A must to see! Ask for 40 H. Partridge & Associates, 693-7770. IILX3-1c

THINKING OF SELLING your home? Call Robert Huston at Michigan's #1 ERA Real Estate office with commitment to professional service. 693-2244 or 628-0575. Jack Christenson, Inc. ERA Realtors. IILX3-4

THIS TERRIFIC 10 acre parcel is surrounded by wide open spaces, and is fantastically priced to sell at \$19,500. Call for location and ask for V-CS. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990. IILX3-1c

TIRED OF SNOW And cold? Buy in sunny Florida. Retirement park. Own your land. Sewcunity, club house, swimming pool, 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath, real nice party furnished. \$31,500. Write: Associate Realtor, Leo Lauckern, 7385 Second Loop, Brooksville, FL 34613. IILX24-2p

WANT TO LIVE IN THE country? Have room for family to roam? That's what this 3 bedroom Quad level home offers. Has heated 2 car attached garage. All this on over 3 acres. Call your REaltor of Oakland, 628-1650 ask for 901LG. IILX2-1

ENJOY THE GREAT outdoors! This beautiful waterfront acreage awaits your dream home. A southern exposure allows solar capabilities. \$34,900. Ask for V-P. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990. IILX3-1c

FIRST CLASS HOME! This spacious family home offers 3 bedrooms, basement, formal dining room, 2 fireplaces, living room, family room, and much more! Lake privileges! Beautiful decor! Ask for 1717 L. \$79,900. Partridge & Associates, 693-7770. IILX3-1c

CLARKSTON Open Sunday 1-4

Brand new 3 bedroom 2 story farm house on 1 1/2 acres in Clarkston School district. Super insulated, Andersen windows, great room with brick fireplace, first floor laundry, paved street. \$109,000. Take Dixie Hwy. to Andersonville Road to 5410 Taylor Lane.

Now taking contracts for 1988 building jobs. We have several 1 1/2 acre lots on paved street. Some are wooded and suitable for walkout basement. Lot prices start at \$20,000, our plans or yours.

Marv Menzies Builder 625-5325 CX24-4

FOR SALE, Lot at Leisure Lake Campground, \$4,000 or best. 673-2709. IILX45-1c

FOR SALE: Immediate occupancy! Attractive 2 bedroom condominium, completely redecorated with paint, wallpaper, floor coverings, renovated bath. All appliances, central a/c, water softener, garage. Enjoy year round lake sports. 391-0022. IILX2-2

GET THE BEST of both worlds! Enjoy the quiet country life, yet on paved roads with quick access to conveniences. This wooded parcel stretches over 2 acres and lets you surround yourself with nature! \$17,900. Ask for V-H. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990 or 693-7770. IILX3-1c

ENGLISH TUDOR Country estates. This dream home is priced for immediate sale! Quality craftsmanship, 4000 sq ft, 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, master suite with fireplace and veranda overlooking scenic pond and in ground pool, 18.7 acres of lush greenery. \$295,000. Ask for 5491LG. Partridge & Associates, 693-7770. IILX3-1c

070-REAL ESTATE

1100SQ FEET RANCH. 1.33 acres, 2 1/2 car attached garage. Basement, 18x11 kitchen, fireplace, 24x20 living room. \$64,900. ERA Lakeland Realty, Adam Katz, 363-7653. IILX2-2

BY OWNER secluded Metamora country home. 6 Acres with swimming pond, 5 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 1/2 car attached garage, & deck. For \$110,000. 664-9908 or 664-0196 after 4pm. IILX2-2

CLARKSTON PINE KNOB area, 3 to 10 acres, \$16,995, nothing down, from \$249/month. Block. (313) 674-4116. IILX2-3

BOTTOM LINE! Best lakefront home value in the county. 2 full levels of living space with many quality features. No need to shop around! \$189,900. Ask for 1112 A.W. Partridge & Associates, 625-0990. IILX3-1c

COUNTRY COZY, CITY Convenient. Neat and clean 3 bedroom ranch on 2.7 acres with huge barn. Horses ok. Terrific buy at \$107,000. Ask for 850 R.V. Partridge & Associates, 693-7770. IILX3-1c

075-FREE

FEMALE CAT & 1 Female kitten free. Outside or inside cats. Call 628-0540. IILX3-1f

FREE 2 YEAR OLD male dog, loves everyone, housebroken. 693-1467. IILX3-1f

FOR RENT Furnished one bedroom, heat included, efficiency, very clean, \$300 per month, plus deposit. 693-8086. IILX2-2

FREE TO GOOD home, 9 month beagle walker, has all shots and good with kids. 394-0031. IILX24-2f

FREE FOUR FEMALE PUPPIES, mixed breed. 628-0848 IILX1-2

MIXED PUPPIES need home. Moving. Mother needs home, too. 628-5522, after 4pm. IILX52-1f

080-WANTED

ROOMMATE WANTED. Professional female non-smoker. \$250, plus 1/3 heat (on lake) and phone. Call 693-0430 between 10am and noon. IILX2-2

WANTED BABY CRIB in good shape. With or without matching furniture. 628-4945 or 656-9600. IILX2-2

WANTED STANDING Timber & veneer trees. Perry Kendall. (517) 681-2631. IILX52-4*

WANTED USED GUNS

Regardless of condition. Top cash offers. We buy sell trade. Guns Galore. Fenton 628-5325 CX18-1c

WANTED USED ROCK Tumbler and supplies. Call Luci. 628-6285. IILX2-2

MATURE, NON-SMOKING, active person to share lake front home ne of Lake Orion. \$275/month, 1/2 utilities plus security. Call after 6pm 693-9891. IILX3-2

WANTED BABY GRAND piano, 625-4626. IILX23-2

WANTED: Portable dog run. 693-6055. IILX2-2

FEMALE ACOUSTIC GUITAR enthusiast seeks same to jam with. Cat Stevens/John Cougar type music. Call. 393-8318 after 5pm. IILX2-2

LADY TO LIVE in and care for elderly woman in Keatington Oondo. Room, board & Pay. Phone 391-2788 or 391-2348. IILX2-2

ROOMMATE WANTED, female preferred. Call Eric, leave message, 391-1465. IILX2-2

WANTED ACCOMPLISHED rider, full time, to condition thoroughbreds. Must be experienced, under 140lbs. 628-3200 before 5pm. IILX3-2

WANTED CARS, TRUCKS, vans, 1978-82. Needing repair ok. 724-7647 days or 797-4296 evenings. IILX3-1

WANTED LARGE EVERGREENS and shade trees, will purchase one or many. Zandt Brothers. 852-6279. IILX23-2

085-HELP WANTED

ATTENTION ORION Area, company looking for machine helpers and banders. \$5.95 per hour, plus benefits. Call 693-5485 after 1pm. Must be JTPA eligible, E.E.O. IILX3-1c

CARETAKER, GROUNDS keeper position. Compensation includes: 1 bedroom residence, all utilities. Send resume and references to: Oxford Lakes Association, P.O. Box 281, Oxford, MI 48051. IILX2-2

DELIVERY PERSON earn \$5-8 per hour, full and part time, days or evenings available, 852-9400. IILX3-1*

EXPERIENCED LEGAL Secretary/Para legal for Oxford Law Office; 628-0606. IILX3-1c

FOLAND'S, A FAST pace department store is seeking mature daytime applicants to work part time on their sales floor. Experience an asset, will train. Apply in person at our Rochester store for an immediate interview. Foland's 1200, South Rochester, Rochester, Michigan. IILX3-1

MALE BARN HELP Needed for T.B. Farm. Must have experience handling young stock. References required. 636-7101. IILX23-2

PART TIME stable help 3-6pm, experienced with horses. 636-2307. IILX24-2p

REPAIRMAN, electric, air tools and misc. equipment. Part time, hours flexible. Prefer retiree. 625-2979. IILX24-1

WANTED BARTENDERS, waitresses. Apply within Donel's, 2775 S. Lapeer, Lake Orion. 391-2829. IILX3-2c

RN'S, LPN'S, HOME care cases in your area, flex. hours, be a part of a hospital system. Professional Medical Services. 628-7820. IILX24-3

TYPING SECRETARIAL

Positions in Auburn Hills, Bloomfield Hills, Birmingham, Troy and Rochester with many becoming permanent. Call now: 674-3232, Waterford or 693-3232, Lake Orion. Workforce, Inc. no fees. LX1-4c

WAITRESS EXPERIENCED, full time, White Horse Inn. 678-2150. IILX2-2

WAITRESS, WEEKENDS, Friday night, Saturday, Sunday day. Apply Carole Village Grill, 2 South Main, Clarkston. IILX24-2

WANTED

Local non-profit organization who desires to make over \$1,000 per week. Please contact Cal at the Long Branch & Miss Kitty's Comedy Club. 628-6500. LX2-3c*

Watkins DEALERS NEEDED

*Auburn Hills
*Clarkston
*Lapeer
*Orionville
*Oxford
*Pontiac
*Rochester

Sell an established product that's reputation sells itself. Call Dick and Patty Wenzel at 693-0329. LX3-2*

WEIGH PERSON, light data entry, full time seasonal position, must have dependable transportation; \$4. per hour to start. 634-8276. IILX3-2

NOW ACCEPTING Waitress applications, day & night shift available. Apply in person at Pete's Road House. IILX2-2c

MEN AND WOMEN FOR part time early evenings office cleaning in Auburn Hills area. Call 9am to 5pm, 569-3297. IILX49-1f

NEEDED AT ONCE 12 people to start immediately at \$1,300/month. Company will train. Call Thursday through Saturday, 334-2354. IILX2-2

NEW YEAR. New start, come join a 21st century hotel style healthcare facility. Nurse assistant for all shifts. Apply in person at Peachwood Inn, 3500 West South Blvd, Rochester Hills, 9-5pm. 852-7800. E.O.E. IILX2-2

OPPORTUNITY OF A life time. Training, support and backup. Earn \$400 to \$1,200 a week. 628-1428, ext 300. IILX2-2

PART TIME Housekeeper for small long term care facility. Call 752-2581. IILX2-3

PART TIME, Permanent, 10am to 3pm, Monday-Friday, at 7350 Highland Road. IILX24-2

Part time help

Tuesdays, 9:30-6pm
or 1pm to 6pm
Wednesdays 9:30-3:30pm

OXFORD LEADER
666 S. LAPEER
OXFORD, MI

APPLY IN PERSON. LX52-1fch

PINE KNOB'S Mesquite Grill on the Hill Restaurant. Wait staff, hostess, cashiers, dishwashers, cooks, bus persons needed. Call 625-0800. IILX22-3

Registered Nurse

Needed for 3 to 4 days/week in northeast Oakland area. Hospital experience required in critical care, P.C.I.U. or emergency room nursing. Must be able to take charge. Second shift with 7 percent differential. Call Community Health Services, Flint, MI, Carol Hunt, 1-762-2088. CX23-3

EASY WORK! EXCELLENT pay! Assemble products at home. Call for information. 312-741-8400 ext.A-886. IILX3-1p

GOVERNMENT JOBS: \$15,400-\$72,500. Now hiring, excellent benefits. Call 504-649-7922, ext. J-886. IILX3-1p

GOVERNMENT JOBS \$15,400-\$72,500. Now hiring, excellent benefits. Call 504-649-7922, ext J-886. IILX3-1*

Housekeeping Janitorial Commercial Cleaning

Positions in Waterford, Lake Orion, Birmingham, Rochester and Walled Lake for dependable only. Work from 1-5 days a week. Call now: 674-3232, Waterford or 693-3232, Lake Orion. Workforce, Inc. no fees. LX1-4c

LPN/RN FOR SMALL home like, health care facility. Ft/pt positions on afternoon shifts. New wage scale w/benefits. Call 752-2581. Current MI License required. IILX2-3

Real Estate Sales Career

The opportunity here is unlimited. If you are ambitious, willing to learn and willing to work we will make a real investment in you to train you for a successful career.

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TEACHER WANTED Part time, Home Economics, Tues-Thur, 5 hrs/wk. Call Oxford Adult Ed. 628-9220. IILX2-2c

WANTED, BUS PERSON and porter. Needed for executive dining room. Days: Mon-Fri; 456-2266; 1-3pm. IILX48-TFC

WANTED CAMPBELL Bosworth sewing machine operator. Call Luci, 628-6285 IILX2-4

WANTED PRESS ROOM foreman, medium to heavy stamping, must have experience in progressive in-line die, good starting wage, plus all benefits. Bonus based on performance. Please send resume to: P.O. Box 1073 Davisburg, MI 48019. IILX24-2

WANTED STABLE HELP on private horse farm. 1 full time or 2 part time; Mon/Fri. Must have reliable transportation. 628-6073. IILX2-2

WOULD LIKE IRONING done preferably in my Keatington home, flexible on time and price. If capable, high school student fine. 391-3292. IILX3-2

20 DEPOT STREET, Clarkston Mills Mall, looking for kitchen staff, wait staff, hostesses, bus people in person, experience needed. IILX22-3

ADVERTISING SALES position. The Clarkston News is looking for a neat, enthusiastic person with creative ability to call on established advertisers, plus set-up new accounts. Experience helpful but will train the right person. This is a full time position. Hours 8:00-5:00, Mon-Fri. Salary plus commission. Some benefits. For interview call Stu McTeer, The Clarkston News (313) 625-3370 Monday through Friday, 8am to 5pm. IILX24-2ch

APARTMENT COMPLEX in Oxford has immediate opening for part time maintenance person. Must have own tools and be experienced in all phases of apartment maintenance. Please call 628-1600. IILX2-1c

BARTENDER, EXPERIENCED, part time, White Horse Inn. 678-2150. IILX2-2

CHILD CARE ASSISTANTS 18 or older. Love kids. Community Education, Latch Key. Call 674-3141. IILX23-2

COME JOIN A 21st century hotel style healthcare facility. Assistants for laundry and housekeeping departments. Apply in person at Peachwood Inn, 3500 West South Blvd, Rochester Hills, 9-5pm. 852-7800. E.O.E. IILX2-2

GOVERNMENT JOBS \$16,040-\$59,230 year. Now hiring, your area. 805-687-8000, ext R 5975, for current federal list. IILX17-8p

HELP WANTED full time, inside sales, home improvement products. Will train right person. Apply, 3 East Burdick, corner M-24 Oxford. IILX2-2c

HELP WANTED at the Malls of Rochester apply at 332 East Street, Rochester. IILX3-1

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087-BABYSITTING

BABYSITTER NEEDED Tuesday and Thursday, my home, if possible Saturdays. Two good girls, ages 6 and 1. 693-9212. IILX3-2

BABYSITTER NEEDED my home, own transportation. Monday thru Friday, 4pm to 1am. 391-3589 Keatington. IILX3-2

CARING GRANDMOTHER WILL babysit in our Lake Orion Village home for 1 or 2 children M/F. 693-0150 after 6pm. IILX2-2

CHILD CARE BY Experienced Christian Mom. My home only, located between Lake Orion & Oxford, 693-9656. IILX3-2

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NEED A BABYSITTER? One that's clean, neat, reliable, dependable. Clarkston Lakes home! Call Jean. 628-6254. IILX24-2

PT. CHILD CARE, Licensed, seven days a week. References, 11 years experience. Located 32 mile and Rochester Rd. Hidden Lakes Estates. 752-5877. IILX2-2

RESPONSIBLE MATURE adult will babysit in my Oxford home, any shift. 628-0603. IILX3-2

WANTED LOVING PERSON to babysit in our Lake Orion home for our 3 month old infant. From 8am to 5:30pm, M/F. 693-0150 after 6pm. IILX2-2

DAYCARE, FULL OR part-time, flexible hours, structured program, etc. 693-2159. IILX3-2

LICENSED DAYCARE in my Orion Home. Off of M-24. 693-9771. IILX3-2

MATURE BABYSITTER WANTED for 2 boys 6 & 4 1/2. Lakeville area. Some house-keeping, cleaning & laundry duties required. 8:30am to 5:30 or 6pm. At \$135/week, call 628-6365, 9-3:30pm. IILX2-2

MATURE DEPENDABLE Loving mother wishes to give your child quality care in her Sashabaw Meadows home. Mon/Fri days. Reasonable rates, references. 628-7240. IILX23-2

MATURE, LOVING, Dependable babysitter needed for our north Oxford home. Must be flexible & dependable. 628-4529. IILX2-2

MOTHER OF TWO will watch your children in my home. Call anytime 693-7485. IILX3-2

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LOVING BABYSITTER wanted, Elkhorn Lake area. 2 boys, 1 1/2 and 3, M-T-W-F 12:30-5:30pm, mature with references, excellent pay, 693-9178 after 6pm. IILX3-2

MATURE BABYSITTER wanted, three school age boys, age 5 through 10. Carpenter School, Judah Lake Sub. Your home if possible. Call after 7pm 391-0805. IILX2-2

NEED CHILDCARE FOR Newborn prefer in my Waterford home. Mon/Fri. 8am to 6pm. Starting Feb. Call after 6pm. 673-0919. IILX23-2

PROFESSIONAL couple looking for woman to care for 1 infant, preferably our home, Clarkston Village. M/F. 8am-5pm. No weekends or holidays. Transportation may be provided. 625-1272. Beginning Feb 15. IILX2-2*

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WILL BABYSIT in my home for 3-5 year old girl. Full or part time 625-7390. IILX24-2

WILL BABYSIT, my home, Clear Lake School District. References. 628-0848 IILX3-2

090-WORK WANTED

HOUSECLEANING, reasonable rates, 674-0671 or 391-4390. IILX3-2

MATURE DEPENDABLE Woman seeking work as house cleaner or nanny. Help with older individual. I do all work that you dread: ironing, oven cleaning etc. 8 years experience, excellent references. 627-3515. IILX3-2

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100-LOST & FOUND

FOUND DOG: looks like Terrier, long black hair, off Miller, Lake Orion. 693-4260. ILLX3-2

LOST 1/11/88: female English Setter, white with orange ears, orange spotted. Vicinity Sashabaw and Oakwood Roads. Brandon Twp. was nursing pups. Did have ID collar when lost. Any information please call 627-2005. Reward. Family heart broken. ILLX2-2

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LOST BEAGLE, white with black spots, last seen vicinity of American Aggregates, 628-9445. ILLX2-2

105-FOR RENT

2 BEDROOM HOUSE for rent Lake Orion area, \$550, plus utilities. contact Steve 456-2599 from 6am till 3pm, 693-6144. ILLX3-2

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CLARKSTON AMERICAN Legion Hall for rent, 623-1040 or 625-9912. ILLX18-24p

FOR RENT APARTMENT in Village of Orionville, 2 bedroom, quiet neighborhood, no pets. 625-6166. ILLX23-2

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107-WANTED TO RENT

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125- CARD OF THANKS

A GREAT BIG THANK you to all who sent me cards, flowers and prayers while I was in the hospital. Also to those who brought in foods. It was certainly appreciated. Thank you again. Elaine Bossardet. ILLX3-1c

THE OXFORD LIONS Club would like to thank the area businesses & residents who contributed to our efforts in insuring a Merry Christmas to the needy people of Oxford. Also thank you to everyone at the Oxford Middle School for a very successful can food drive. Best Wishes for the New Year! Oxford Lions Goodfellows. P.S. Watch for our Sat. morning movies at the Oxford Cinema, starting Jan. 23 & the Lions Winter Festival Pancake & Sausage Breakfast, Jan. 24 at the Vets Hall. ILLX3-1

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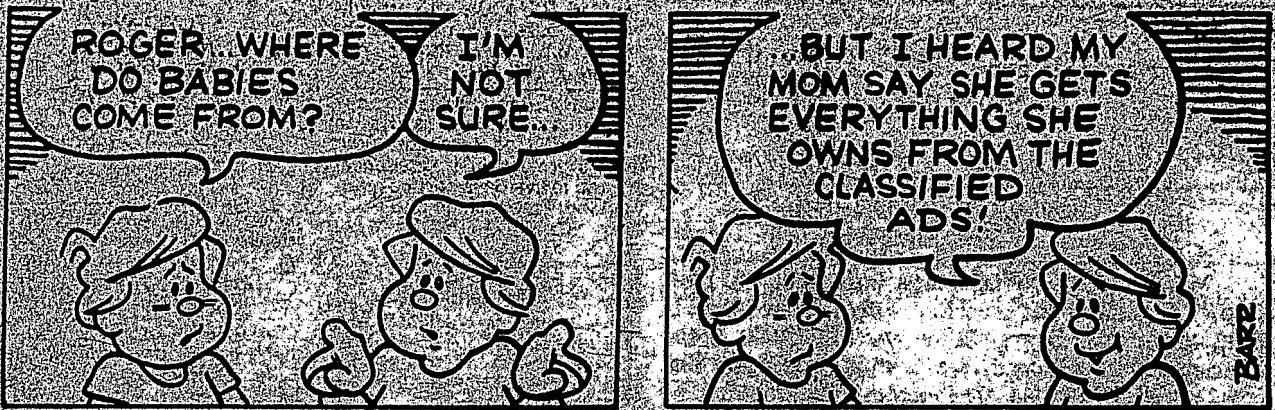
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HAVE SOMETHING AROUND THE HOUSE YOU'D LIKE TO SELL? TRY A CLASSIFIED

99-year-old woman shares memories

BY JULIE CAMPE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

When Dellah Johnson was born Jan. 14, 1889, Grover Cleveland was president, only 42 states were in the Union, the U.S. population was 61,775,000, bread cost 5 cents a pound, eggs were 20 cents a dozen and milk cost 26 cents a gallon. The automobile wouldn't be invented until Dellah was 14 years old.

It was the same year the Eiffel Tower was built; the same year Charlie Chaplin, Marc Chagall, Charles Bickford and Robert Taft were born; the same year of the first steam-powered tractor, the first electric sewing machine and the first Kinetoscope moving picture "peep-show" by Thomas Edison.

"Instead of learning to drive a car, in my day, they had to learn to break a horse to make it go and stop when you told it to."

Dellah witnessed hundreds of inventions following her birth. Some of them were awe-inspiring, such as a rocket and a man on the moon.

"When they went up in that, I seen 'em," she said. "I thought they was awful foolish to go up."

Dellah immediately had the answer to the best invention in her lifetime - indisputably the automatic washing machine, she said.

"Before the washing machine, I washed everything on the washboard," she said. "That was hard work to wash and wring everything by hand. When you washed big sheets on the washboard, and then you had to wring it, your arms would ache, and your back would hurt from rubbing clothes on the washboard."

For about 10 years, Dellah has lived on Main Street, Clarkston, with her daughter Dawn Tower's family.

Having lived in the Waterford, Clarkston, Holly and Grand Blanc areas her whole life, she feels comfortable now, she said.

Her only lament over growing old is that her legs don't work the way they should. Because of her arthritis, she's confined to a wheel chair most of the time, and her eyes and ears don't work as well as they used to, either. But her mind still works, said her daughter.

"She can remember better than I can," Dawn said, mentioning how her mother daily reminds her of errands to run or chores she means to do around the house.

According to Dellah, though, even her mind used to work better.

"I can remember things that happened years ago better than things that happen now," she said.

She thought back to "years ago" and described the way of life when she was a little girl.

"My father being a farmer, I used to help a lot with the chores and things like that," she said.

"My father used to be a butcher, so we always had plenty of pork. He always smoked our own ham and bacon. We had a smokehouse. He smoked them with corn cobs and hickory branches.

"We didn't have McDonald's in them days. I didn't have McDonald's until I come to Clarkston."

"Before the washing machine, I washed everything on the washboard. It was hard work to wash and wring everything by hand."

"Nobody had furnaces then. They heated their house with a wood stove. We had wood boxes that we filled with wood every night to keep a fire every night to keep the house warm. It was cold. We had cold winters. We used to have bob sleighs. ... My father would



"JUST TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF" is Dellah Johnson's advice for those who want to live a long life. "I didn't do anything in particular," she said. "I danced a lot. I never smoked nor

go to town once a week to buy groceries to last all week.

"We had a big pantry, and my father would buy a barrel of flour, a barrel of crackers and a barrel of sugar in the fall - to last all winter, so when the roads got bad, they didn't have to go to town all week.

"We'd keep vegetables in the basement - cabbage, apples, potatoes - to last all winter.

"We never bought potatoes or cabbage, we always raised it. There was a big orchard on the farm where we lived, and we had all kinds of apples. ... We raised our own popcorn."

"We didn't have McDonald's in them days. I didn't have McDonald's until I come to Clarkston."

"My mother baked all of our own bread and cookies and things like that. We always had a good oven on our kitchen stove. My mother baked five and six loaves of bread at a time."

Parenting was different back then, she said. "They was more strict in them days than they are now. The children used to mind younger. I know us children always had to mind from the time we could creep."

Education wasn't stressed as much, Dellah said. "Everybody went to school, but there wasn't too many that went to college. Just well-to-do people went to college. They didn't have graduation classes like they have now."

Kids back then seemed to work harder than kids today, she said. For instance, they didn't have a vacation when they weren't in school.

"We were always so busy on the farm during the summertime, we never had no vacation," she said. "We stayed home. That was the busy time for farmers. It was haying and harvest time. We always went barefoot in the summer."

When she was 18, she married Ernie Coleman. "We just went to the minister's house. We had to have a license, so Ernie went to Pontiac to get it."

Dellah knew she was in love because "I was always glad when he came to see me. ... He always looked nice. He dressed nice. ... He was always neat and clean," she

I never drank very much." The Clarkston resident has six children, 24 grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren and eight great-great-grandchildren.

said.

"There ain't too much difference now. I think women today fall in love with a man for just about the same reasons they did then. ... I think they see their lovers more often."

"They didn't have cars to go in then. They only had horse and buggy. I think now they can go faster and get there."

"Instead of learning to drive a car, in my day, they had to learn to break a horse - to make it go and stop when you told it to."

She and Ernie farmed until Ernie was drafted in World War I, Dellah said.

"After that, he helped work on the road. He helped put the pavement in the Dixie," she said.

Although the traffic was bad back then, it was nothing like it is now, she said. Still, people were concerned.

She and Ernie counted cars at the Hatchery Road-Dixie Highway intersection to prove a traffic light was needed.

Shortly after, Ernie was hit by a car and killed on Dixie Highway, leaving Dellah with two children.

In 1937, Dellah married Dewey Johnson, and she had four more children.

Of her six children, only three are left: Dawn, Uldene of Florida and Clarkston, and Inez of Holly.

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For her 99th birthday, five generations gathered in two shifts at the Tower residence to celebrate.

She received flowers, cards and balloons. Her granddaughter baked her favorite cake - molasses. President Reagan sent her a birthday card. The Independence Township Fire Department gave her a burning permit allowing all 99 candles to be lit on her cake. Her great-grandchildren helped blow out the candles.

It was a wonderful birthday, and she doesn't know what she's going to do next year to top it, she said.