

Empty Bowls

Sashabaw pupils invite the public to a \$5 dinner Thursday to help the hungry — and patrons can keep the student-made soup bowls.

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Last Dance

Ninth-graders mark the ending of an era with Clarkston's last dance for junior high freshmen. Next year, freshmen will attend CHS.

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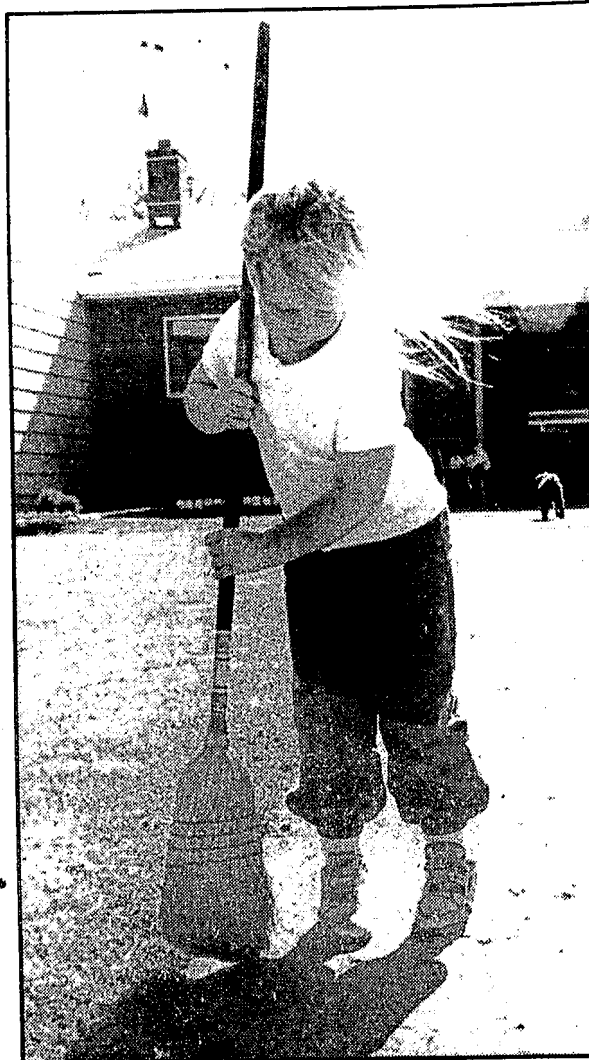
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Time for improvements

BARBARA Coulter (top) of Transparent Drive, Independence Township, lightens up her dark fence with fresh paint. At the same time, she listens to "books on tape," which she borrows from the Independence Township Library. At right, Alicia Flanigan, 5, sweeps the driveway at Carol Smith's house in Independence Township. The Keego Harbor kindergartner was visiting her Grandma Flanigan across the street from Smith's house. This week, The Clarkston News features house and garden tips in its special "Interiors and Exteriors" section. We also take a look at the historic Wompole home, which appears on this year's SCAMP home tour. (Photos by Julie Campe)



Death to the DDA?

Proposal A could hinder improvement projects

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

While Proposal A promises property tax relief and a new way of funding the state's school districts, it could have an adverse effect on Independence Township's Downtown Development Authority.

Specifically, passage of this constitutional amendment could halt any plans to upgrade White Lake Road. "The language from the state guarantees the captured funds to pay off outstanding bonds for past projects, but it could stall any future plans for pay-as-you-go municipalities like us," said Independence Township Supervisor Dale Stuart. "And it'd be a shame not to continue improving our existing infrastructure, especially along White Lake Road."

The DDA was created about seven years ago to improve landscaping, lighting, water and sewer along parts of Dixie Highway, M-15 and White Lake Road. Funding for the DDA comes from tax increment financing, which captures "excess" tax from a base year — and returns the money for use within the DDA boundaries only. The excess money comes from property valuation increases or new development after the base year.

The 10-year DDA project is scheduled to cease at the end of 1996.

Proposal A, which appears on the June 2 ballot, increases the state sales tax from 4 percent to 6 percent, rolls back school operating mills to a maximum of 27 (See PROPOSAL, next page)

Clarkston plant exchange May 22

Violets, lilies of the valley, sedum, pachysandra and more are likely to appear at the Clarkston Farm and Garden Club's annual Plant Exchange.

The event takes place 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, May 22, at the corner of Main and Washington streets, Clarkston.

Gardeners may bring plant to share or take home plants for their own garden.

"You need not bring plants in order to take some home," says Gini Schultz, a member of the club.

The plants are usually hardy perennials and will flourish in yards in this area. In addition to lilies and violets, such plants as herbs, ground covers, phlox, daisies, yarrows, iris and ferns are among the varieties that usually appear.

For more information, call Gale Walker at 625-6887 or Gini Schultz at 625-3122.

Proposal could jeopardize projects

(PROPOSAL, from previous page)
mills, and caps property assessment rates at 3 percent this year and 5 percent or the rate of inflation — whichever is less — in the future. In turn, school districts would be guaranteed at least \$4,800 per pupil.

According to Steve Lenar, deputy superintendent of business and operations for Clarkston schools, the district is the DDA's biggest "contributor." Of the taxes captured by the district, school taxes provide about \$1 million per year to the DDA's annual budget of \$1.3 million.

If Proposal A passes, the district's millage rate will be rolled back to about 22 mills from the existing rate of 38.83 mills. Subsequently, the DDA would lose about 43 percent, or \$430,000 per year, from the school district,

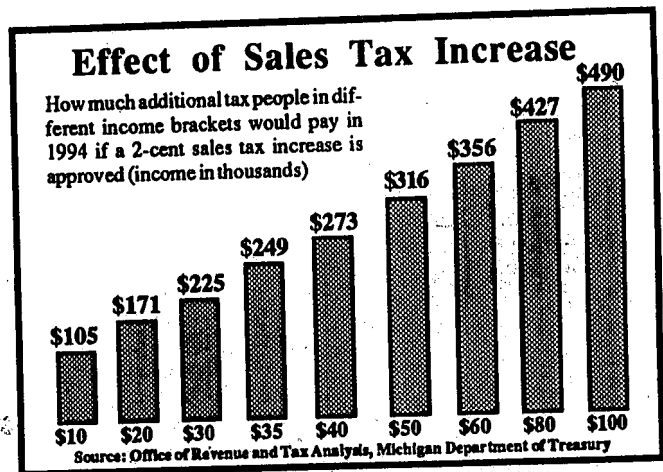
Lenar said.

If this scenario pans out, Lenar said, the DDA could lose \$1.2 million by the time the DDA ends in 1996.

Stuart said township and DDA officials have discussed the matter, as well as their options. One alternative is extending the DDA's life past 1996, so it can continue to benefit the community. No decisions have been made yet, the supervisor said.

Until then, township and DDA officials will continue to monitor all Proposal A information leaving Lansing, so they better understand and can prepare for the future.

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Forum features five candidates

Five candidates for the Clarkston Board of Education are featured in a May 26 forum.

The forum features statements, questions and answers, and closing statements from the candidates.

It's sponsored by the League of Women Voters Oakland Area Clarkston Unit, the parent-teacher associations of the Clarkston school district and the Waterford-Clarkston Business and Professional Women's group.

Up for election for the two open school board seats are incumbents Karen Foyteck and Paul Van Klaveren and newcomers William Craig, William McGregor and Lee Rogers.

Voters may choose two candidates at the polls on Monday, June 14.

Area residents are invited to take part in the forum at the Independence Township Annex, 90 N. Main St., Clarkston.

Lola Koch, a unit co-coordinator for the League, said the forum was a good way for voters to learn more about the candidates.

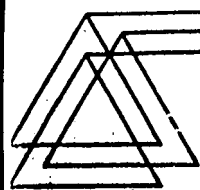
"We would like to have the candidates be seen by the community they'll be serving," she said, adding that the whole purpose of the League is to encourage people to make informed decisions.

Millie Ham, also of the League, said forums are especially important in school elections. "The schools are such a constant concern to the community. We're all concerned about our children and the education of our children."

The League also is publishing a voter guide on not only Clarkston's June 14 school election but also on the June 2 statewide election featuring Proposal A. The guide should be available at the end of May.

For those who can't attend the forum next Wednesday, it will be cablecast on Independence-Clarkston Channel 65 at 8 p.m. Friday, May 28, and 8 p.m. Wednesday, June 9.

For more information, call Koch at 623-0973 or co-coordinator Chris Shull at 625-3250.



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School board cites top teachers

The Clarkston Board of Education acknowledged 10 dedicated teachers May 10.

That evening, the school board recognized the district's four candidates for the Betty Champion Distinguished Support Service Award, five nominees for the the Newsweek-WDIV Outstanding Teacher Award and two people for the Michigan Association of Middle School Educators awards.

The Betty Champion award is designed to recognize local school district support workers such as bus drivers, secretaries and aides. Clarkston didn't claim one of the three final county winners.

The district's nominee was Donna Rudolph, a special education paraprofessional at Pine Knob Elementary School. She received a Clarkston Community Schools key chain and \$50 in cash.

Four other employees were nominated and received a key chain for their efforts. They included: Judy White, building aide at Clarkston Community Education; Grace Radar, cafeteria manager at Clarkston Junior High; Pam Trim, playground supervisor at Andersonville Elementary; and Shirley Condron, media paraprofessional at Clarkston High.

The Newsweek-WDIV award recognizes an outstanding elementary, middle/junior high school and high school teacher in each of Wayne, Oakland, Macomb counties and Detroit Public Schools. In all, 12 teachers were presented with the Outstanding Teacher Award.

Steve Himburg, an instructor at Clarkston Junior High, was the Oakland County winner at the middle/junior high level and will receive a \$2,000 cash prize at a future banquet.

Four other teachers were nominated from the district; two nominees and two alternates. The high school-level nominee was Patricia McArthur and the elementary-level candidate was Mary Schulte of Andersonville Elementary.

The alternates were Louise Dube of Clarkston High School and John Mathews of Sashabaw Junior High School.

The school board presented Schulte and MacArthur with a key chain and \$50 in cash for their representation.

The Michigan Association of Middle School Educators annually awards Teacher of the Year and Parent of the Year citations. The district was represented by Janice Inman of Sashabaw Junior High for Teacher of the Year and SJH parent Phyllis Cooley.

Both women were provided with certificates of merit from the school board.

Bids, Haner's salary topics at next meeting

So far, five items have been scheduled for the Clarkston school board's May 24 meeting.

These topics include: construction bids, change order approvals for construction, review and approval of new elementary school equipment and furnishings, finalization of Superintendent Gary Haner's salary for 1993-94, and the purchase of computer equipment.

The 7 p.m. meeting takes place at the the school board office, 6389 Clarkston Road, Independence Township. For more information, call 625-4402.

Stonehaus condos gain first approval

Softwater Lake residents may soon have new neighbors.

The Springfield Township Board approved the preliminary site plan for Stonehaus Site Condominiums. The 16.3 acres on the south side of Dixie Highway eventually will hold 11 lots, about one acre each. Six lots will have access to Softwater Lake. The parcel is zoned for single-family residential use.

Site condominiums are like single-family homes, except the homeowner owns only the house itself and a small "building envelope" around it. The property between homes is owned (and maintained) by the condominium association, which is composed of homeowners.

The petitioners must receive final approval before construction can begin.

A Look Back

5 years ago this week

The Clarkston girls' varsity 3200-meter relay team of Kate Conlen, Nicole Chinavare, Jenny Mahler and Sonya Schaffer sets a school record with a time of 9:52 and qualifies for the Class A state championships.

Clarkston Elementary fifth-graders Mike White and Beth Eby are the top winners of a countywide poster contest for the Oakland County Division of the American Heart Association.

The Clarkston Village Council and the Independence Township Board haggle over the time span of a lease for Deer Lake Beach.

10 years ago this week

The Clarkston High School Madrigal Singers perform the National Anthem before 15,000 people at Tiger Stadium.

Linda Denstaedt resigns as head coach of the CHS varsity volleyball team after 10 years of service.

The Clarkston girls' track team wins its first-ever regional title at Romeo.

25 years ago this week

The CHS varsity golf team of Kurt Maslowski, Tracy Tuson, Lyle Walter, Jim Navarre and Marty Brown win the district championship.

Linda Olsen of Clarkston and Gerald Flanigan of Waterford announce their engagement.

The Clarkston Players prepare to present "The Late Christopher Bean" at Depot Theater.

50 years ago this week

Margaret Ann Beattie is valedictorian of her graduating class at Clarkston High School. An all-A student, she was president of the student council, a member of the high school chorus, a member of Girls Quartet, a cheerleader for athletics and part of the editorial staff of "The Hilltopper" yearbook. She spent her first year in high school in Lapeer.

The Women's Volunteer Corps of Clarkston is pleased with the response they have received in selling war bonds and stamps. In four weeks, they have sold \$597.75 in stamps and \$3,350 in bonds.

Dog owners in this district are warned that they must keep their dogs on their own property. "If dogs appear in public, they must be on a leash. ... Keep your dogs on a leash or shut up at nights so that the sleep of war workers will not be disturbed. If you want your dog, then you must take care of it. Stray dogs will be shot."

Showing at the Drayton Theatre in the next week are Errol Flynn and Alexis Smith in "Gentleman Jim," George Montgomery and Gene Tierney in "China Girl," and James Cagney and Joan Leslie in "Yankee Doodle Dandy." Also showing: "At the Front in North America."

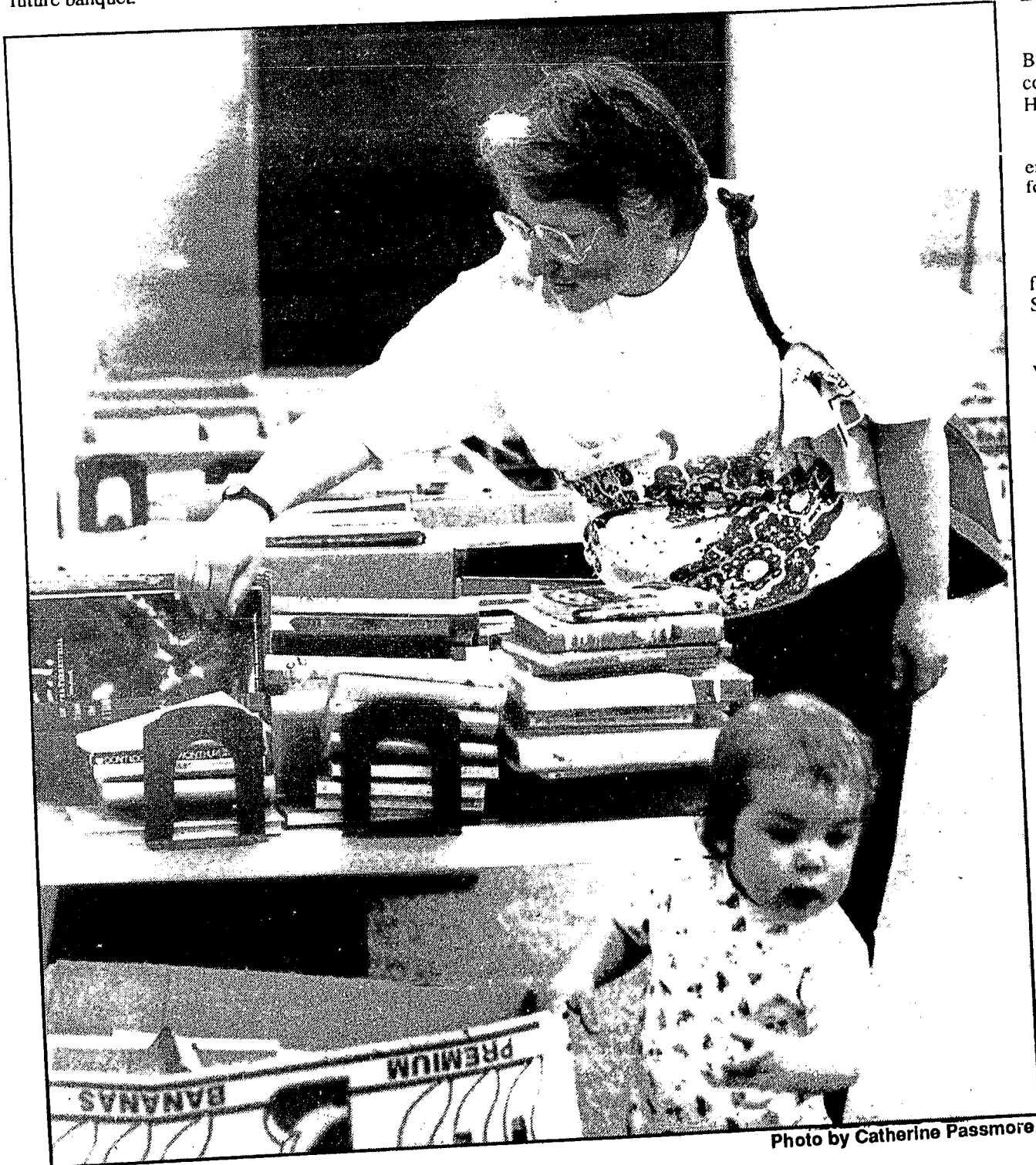


Photo by Catherine Passmore

Book browsing

TIMOTHY GINN, 19 months, and his mom Mickey of Independence Township search for a book about tractors in the Independence Township Library Used Book Sale.

The semi-annual sale, sponsored by the Friends of the Library, ran from May 6 to May 8. The money raised at the sale goes towards buying new books for the library.

Sheriff's Log

Monday, May 10, someone damaged a Maybee Road, Independence Township, business' bathroom.

An AM/FM radio/ compact disk player was stolen from a car on Sashabaw Road, Independence Township.

A Kalis Road, Independence Township, resident reported reckless driving in the area.

A M-15, Independence Township, business reported receiving a suspicious telephone call.

Tuesday, May 11, a plate that had been reported stolen or lost was recovered on Dixie Highway, Independence Township.

A Dixie Highway, Independence Township, business reported a larceny by trick when someone tried to pay with a dime roll filled with pennies.

Wednesday, May 12, police responded to a home on Caberfae Trail, Independence Township, where a resident had died of natural causes.

A car was damaged on Clarkston Road, Independence Township, when a westbound truck lost its tire, and the lug nuts hit the eastbound car.

Police responded to an open door alarm on Bitterbush, Independence Township. Nothing out of the ordinary was found.

An open door alarm sounded on Fox Hollow, Independence Township, but nothing out of the ordinary was found.

Police assisted in a medical call on Maybee Road, Independence Township.

A cassette player was stolen from a car on Middle Lake Road, Independence Township.

A 9-inch crease was found in the bottom part of the door of an Oakland County Sheriff's Department squad car in Springfield Township.

Thursday, May 13, a bike was stolen from Middle Lake Road, Independence Township.

Police investigated a report of child abuse by a Snowapple Drive, Independence Township, resident and

discovered it was unfounded.

Two antique dolls and four bank books were stolen from a Dixie Highway, Independence Township, residence.

Police responded to an open door alarm on Clearview, Independence Township. Nothing out of the ordinary was found.

A wet/dry vacuum, a paint sprayer and a leaf blower were stolen from a garage on Curtis Lane, Independence Township.

Friday, May 14, police responded to an open door alarm on Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. Nothing out of the ordinary was found.

Saturday, May 15, two jewelry boxes were stolen from a home on Summerhill, Independence Township.

Police assisted in a medical emergency on Perry Lake Road, Independence Township.

Residents reported a vehicle had run over a tree on Sashabaw Ridge, Independence Township.

Sunday, May 16, a lawn on Snowapple Drive, Independence Township, was damaged after a vehicle drove over it.

A Snowapple Drive, Independence Township, resident reported receiving threatening phone calls.

Someone broke into a Dixie Highway, Independence Township, business and stole money.

The above information was taken from reports made by the Oakland County Sheriff's Department.

New cable policy covers announcements

Would you like to get an event advertised on cable but you don't know if you're eligible? A new policy in Springfield Township will help you know if you can use the station for your announcement.

The policy, which limits the use of cable channel announcements, was approved unanimously by the township board May 13.

It limits the use of the Springfield Township Cable Channel to the township and township-sponsored or co-sponsored events and/or activities. This also includes announcements of general public service activities sponsored by local public service organizations.

"Township" mean parks and recreation, the library, township board, planning commission, fire department and the zoning board of appeals. "Local public service organizations" means Young at Heart, Northwest Oakland Community Services, Neighbor for Neighbor, Rotary, Boy and Girl Scouts, 4-H and similar organizations.

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School-day preview

RACHEL MILLER (right) experiences her first carton of milk at school. She'll be a kindergartner at Bailey Lake Elementary School next fall. Above, soon-to-be kindergartners enjoy a snack at Kindergarten Screening May 6. That day, children were given a taste of school life by participating in a variety of activities. (Photos by Curt McAllister)



Building expansion OK'd in Springfield

A golf cart company soon will have more space to show and maintain its wares, which may soon include more than just golf carts.

The Springfield Township Board voted unanimously May 13 to approve the site plan for Pifer, Inc.

The plan calls for additions to the existing building on Holly Road, plus the construction of a new building. When complete, the site will include a 4,960-square-foot storage building to the rear of the existing building.

Two additions to the existing maintenance building also are planned. On the east end, a 960-square-foot addition is proposed. On the west end, the applicant intends to enclose an existing unwalled storage area.

The applicant also would like to expand the site to accommodate the sale of recreational vehicles. The area in the front parking lot will be designated for RV trailer display. A paved area to the rear of the proposed storage building would also be used for RV trailer display.

The site plan approval is subject to the applicant cleaning up the area, landscaping the grounds or giving the township a \$4,000 bond toward landscaping, and applying to the Zoning Board of Appeals for a variance for a pylon that should hold a sign but doesn't.

Teacher recalled

A teacher at Oakland Technical Center-Northwest has been recalled to half-time status.

On May 10, the Clarkston school board unanimously approved the recall of Esther Andrews, a dental assisting instructor at OTC-N. She had been scheduled for lay-off at the end of the 1992-93 school year.

However, Andrews was called back due to increased enrollment in next year's program.

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Surnames offer clues

BY VIRGINIA BLOCK

Many "lost" Southern Civil War ancestors, following the end of the battles that found them losers, chose to band together and go to South America.

They called themselves Confederados, moving into Mexico and Brazil, fleeing the "Carpet-baggers" during the Reconstruction period at the war's end.

A descendant of one of these people, Glenda Carney, has provided us with much history of those establishing new homes below the equator.

In 1933, the death of Charles H. Vaughn closed the final chapter of a life filled with adventure. His younger days carried into the thick of the Civil War.

He was one of two survivors of Co. B. of Sturmes 4th. Tenn. Confederate Cavalry that followed Nathan Bedford Forrest and "Fighter Jo" Wheeler through their daring feats in the war.

Shortly after the surrender of Lee, General Hastings and a group of Confederate soldiers sailed from Mobile, bound for South America (Brazil), where they hoped to find new courage, new homes and freedom.

The little band of fugitives followed Gen. Hastings 500 miles up the Amazon until they reached Sartaren. There they established a new South. The following surnames may offer clues to where your missing ancestors have gone:

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Editorial

Fun Daze kicks off summertime

The Seventh Annual Fun Daze Saturday is an excellent opportunity to kick off summer.

The event — which began in 1987 at the instigation of Dick Greenfield and Clarkston Rotary — also starts off the year's community events.

Clarkston hosts four parades per year, and the festivities surrounding Fun Daze are turning it into nearly as big of an affair as the parades.

This year's day is no exception. Not only are there a 5K and 10K run, but a 1-mile fun run or walk also is offered. In addition, children may play at any of the free kiddie games or watch the entertainment in Clarkston's Depot Park — not to mention play on the park's playground equipment.

A few community groups usually pitch in with concession stands, and the whole park area is abuzz with activity.

Plus, other community groups have opted to hold their events that day, such as the Clarkston Farm and Garden Club's annual plant exchange in the village parking lot at Washington and Main streets (see stories on Page 1B). Downtown businesses likely will welcome those who travel from event to event.

Julie Campe's column will return next week.

Fun Daze — now sponsored by the Independence Parks and Recreation Department, Clarkston Rotary, Clarkston Optimists and Lighthouse North — has turned into a good way to meet neighbors and do something fun in the year's first mild weather. It's part of the mortar that builds a town's sense of community.

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We at The Clarkston News realize that an important duty of a newspaper is to provide more than just the facts found in news stories.

Since we're out there uncovering the news, we get an inside look at the issues. In our staff editorials, we will give our opinions on those issues, just as other writing on this page — letters and columns — also offers opinions.

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Jim Sherman

Reading in two ways

Being called a 'celebrity' is different. Being called a 'reader' may not be different, but it is a first.

So, when I got a call from elementary school librarian Penny Linto to be a 'celebrity reader' I chuckled gently.

She explained it didn't take a great reputation to earn that status in Oxford, and in my case I was one.

She said it was a reader "week" of some kind and would I pick a book and name a time to come to Daniel Axford.

Actually, I sort of welcomed the call. A couple years earlier I'd turned down a similar request. I wondered later why I did it. Surely I could find the time. Maybe it's my inferiority complex.

Anyway, in March I read one book to Mrs Mihalyfi's 5th graders and one to Mrs Lawrence's 2nd graders.

Both classes were great listeners, but Mrs Lawrence's students asked the most questions. Then one mentioned a grandparent's death being in our paper and for a while I thought everyone in the class

was going to tell me about someone dying and the obituary being in our paper.

And, folks, if you haven't heard second-graders say (sing) "Thank you, Mr. -----" you've got a smile coming when you hear it.

The fifth-graders sent thank-you notes, several imaginative ones. Some drew pictures: a sun with sun glasses, flowers, books, bells, balloons, borders, multi-colors, funny faces and an imitation Hallmark card complete with a bar code.

"Your Friend, Bobby" did a particularly artsy cover. Shauna did the Hallmark and a funny, two-toothed face. Rian thought I had a "cool" place to work.

Bruce said, "You said, 'I'm not a good reader.' I thought you were a pretty good reader. When you stumbled on words, I didn't mind." Go into politics, Bruce.

You too, Edward. Edward wrote, "You kept saying that we could probably read better than you, but that's not true."

Keith, Karen, Laurie and Christine were kind enough to say they read and enjoy our newspaper.

Laurie's Oxford Leader reading comes third-handed. She wrote, "Thank you very much for coming in our class and reading to us. I like the book, 'The Stranger,' a whole lot. I think you're a good reader. When my mom gets the Oxford Leader from my grandmom, I read the sports page."

One other thought about some of these letters. They used and spelled correctly words I'm sure I did neither of in the fifth grade.

Words like: illustrations, importance, schedule, definitely, appreciate.

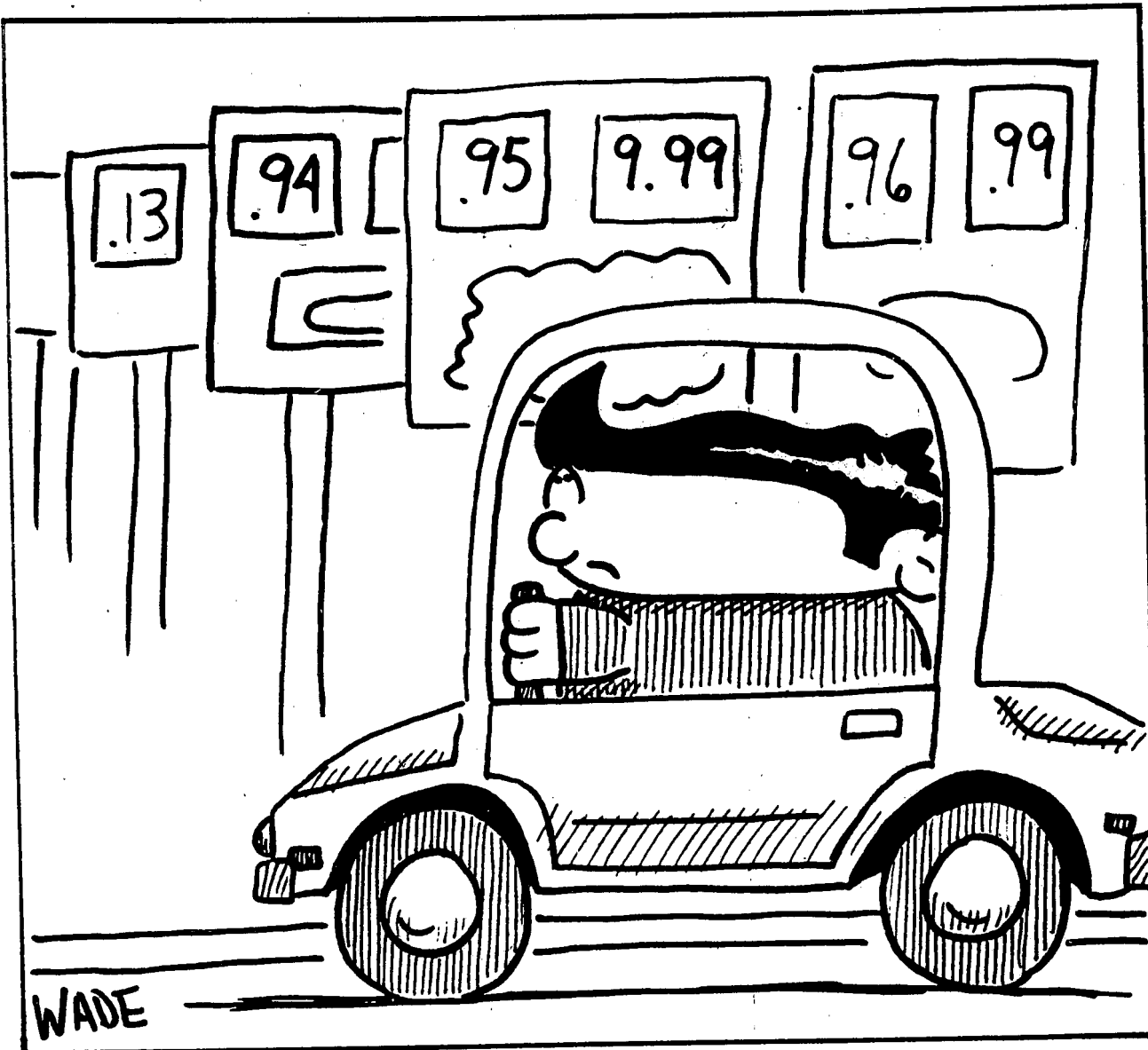
And to all the others for thanking me, I return the thanks for listening and writing me.

Like my headline says, reading to these elementary students was 'rewarding two ways.'

Letter policy

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Opinions



RUDSIL'S SUBURBAN FACT

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Catherine Passmore

Happy anniversary to me

Well, one year has come and gone since I walked into The Clarkston News as the low person on the totem pole.

I still am the "baby," having been here the shortest period of time and being much younger than the others I work with, but I have learned a lot.

Have a calendar and use it. I have three calendars now: one for my desk which is kind of cryptic, one for my purse so I know where I'm supposed to be the next morning, and a big one with phone numbers, directions and detailed descriptions of why I'm going where I'm going. If I were to lose one, I think I'd have a nervous breakdown.

Always get directions. I've lived in the area for 23 years, and I still can't remember how to get to Rattalee Lake Road — is that Sashabaw, M-15 or Dixie I take to get there? I'm not stupid, I just don't need those directions on a daily basis. I think I must have a wonderful disposal unit in my head and as soon as I use things, like directions, they just disappear. Can you imagine how cluttered a brain must get if you were to remember every direction or phone number you were ever given?

Smile. Smile when you meet people. Smile when you ask questions. Smile when the interview doesn't go your way. Smile when you have to do Photo Inquiry and no one will stop and talk to you because they think you're selling things. Smile, smile, smile — then you can scream and complain to yourself in the car.

This is tougher than it looks.

This is much more fun than I thought it would be.

Don't burn your bridges unless you have a

boat. Everything that is off the record needs to remain off the record if you ever want that person or group of people to talk to you again. I've personally never had a problem with this, but I've heard enough complaints from people about others that I wouldn't even think about doing it.

The news is the news is the news. There are some days I feel like a vulture — "Anyone dead?" "How does that make you feel?" "How many years in prison?" "What kind of disease are you dying from?" I try to be as sympathetic as I can, but I've learned that people want and need to know the answers to the questions I find the hardest (emotionally) to ask.

Just for an argument, I will defend a supermodel (who will remain nameless) that I don't even think is that great.

Don't laugh at even slightly off-color jokes, or they get even worse.

When it will be a bad story. In our Wednesday meetings, the moment Julie says, "This could be a great story," it won't be.

Know your personality strengths and weaknesses. Then you need to know how to use your strengths to get your point across, get information and make friends.

Always carry your camera — and some film. I really like flex time.

I really like my job.

Julie is a great boss.

I could do worse than having Curt as a co-worker. Just kidding — you know you're my favorite male co-worker in the editorial department, my friend.

This has been a great year.

'If it Fitz . . .'

MSU adds star power to presidential search



Jim Fitzgerald

I've been nominated for president of Michigan State University. Which means economic justice in on-campus housing could finally be achieved.

For me, assuming the MSU presidency would be a triumphant return to the scene of past discomfort. For you lucky taxpayers, it would mean a significant cut in the cost of operating the East Lansing university.

During my previous official association with MSU, as a student, I lived on campus, in a Quonset hut. Two other young men and I shared a triple-deck bunk bed in a room the size of a broom closet for brooms with short bristles. My rent was paid by the federal government, in recognition of my military service during and after World War II. I would have been more comfortable if the Army had allowed me to take my old foxhole to college.

A short walk away, there was a huge state-owned mansion housing the MSU president and his wife. Two people shared dozens of rooms and never had to stand in line outside the john. And they didn't pay one cent in rent.

I don't recall what the MSU president was paid in the 1940s, but the current annual salary is \$157,000. If I'm chosen the next president, I herewith promise to live up to the protest I first yelled toward the mansion, after a few beers, 45 years ago:

"If we poor students can afford to pay rent for broom closets, the freeloading well-paid president can afford to invite us in for a beer after the bars close."

He never did, but I continued my matriculation anyway. I was determined to graduate, go off into the world to achieve fame and fortune, and someday return to MSU with power enough to force campus residents to pay rent based on the size of their incomes, not the length of their bristles.

While using the field of journalism to achieve this fame and fortune, I kept my columnist eye on MSU housing. In 1980, taxpayers paid \$85,000 to remodel the president's free home, including \$12,060 for a grand piano. Also, 17,500 of our dollars were spent enlarging the president's private box at the taxpayers' football stadium. The athletic director explained that the box seated 50 to 75 people and they needed more "milling-around area."

So, ever prepping for president, I wrote:

"Once my parents visited me at MSU when I was living in that Quonset hut and I took them to a football game. I stood in line for five hours to buy three seats in the end zone where it was so crowded we had to wait until after the game and most of the people had gone home before we had room to mill. And if there'd been a piano in the Quonset hut, my roommates and I would have had to mill in place."

But back to 1993. Last month, Hugh McDiarmid, the very, very veteran Free Press political columnist, suggested his readers nominate me for MSU president. He obviously wanted to add some celebrity luster to the list of rather anonymous nominees, which, up to now, includes such nonentities as a former U.S. ambassador to Italy and a retired general formerly occupied by Desert Storm. Catherine Sheap of Royal Oak took McDiarmid's advice and sent my name to the MSU Presidential Search Committee. (Which, incidentally, is budgeted to spend \$200,000. Whatever happened to Help Wanted ads?)

Bruce Miller, executive director of the committee, sent Sheap this answer: "Your recent letter with regard to nomination of Jim Fitzgerald for the position of President of Michigan State University has been received, We would appreciate receiving Mr. Fitzgerald's address and any other relevant information you may have so that we may contact him to determine his willingness to be considered a candidate."

Wouldn't that rattle your Quonset hut?

I spent over 40 years becoming famous enough to be nominated for MSU president, and the MSU Presidential Search Committee never heard of me? Those bozos don't even know I write for Michigan's most widely circulated newspaper?

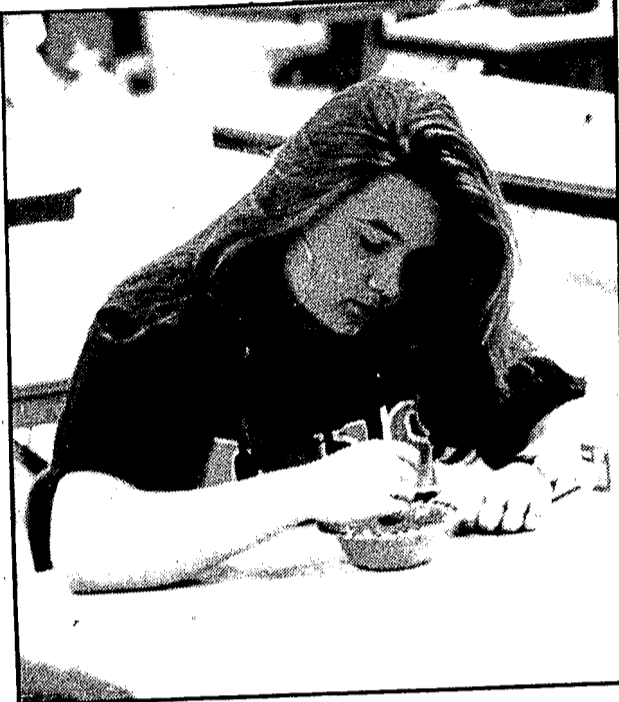
I'd bristle, but no one would notice.

Empty bowls fill up

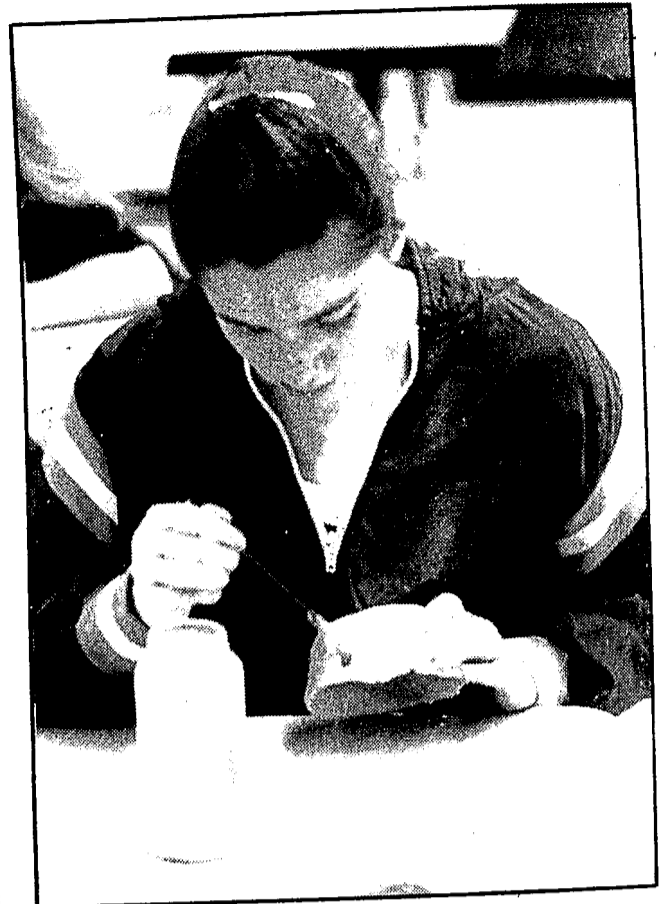
Photos by Catherine Passmore



GEOFF NOWAK, a ninth-grade student at Sashabaw Junior High, puts the finishing touches on his bowl. Students in the SJHS art classes made over 150 bowls to be used for the Empty Bowls Dinner May 20 at the school. Call the school office for more information.



HEATHER WALKER carefully finishes her bowl. The Empty Bowl Dinner consists of soup and dessert. The Sashabaw Encores will sing at the dinner, and the food will be made by five of the school's staff. The meal and bowl cost \$5 and the money will be donated to the hungry.



ALLISON RICHARDS lends her talent to painting a bowl. The empty bowls the students have made will be used at a dinner at SJHS. The money from the dinner will be donated to Lighthouse North.

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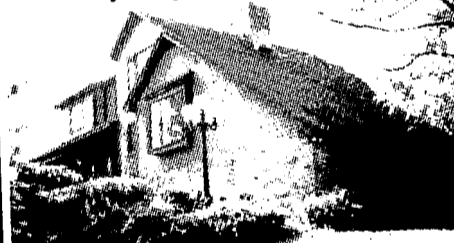
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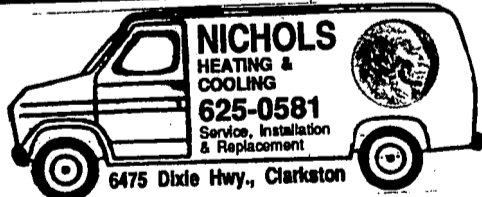


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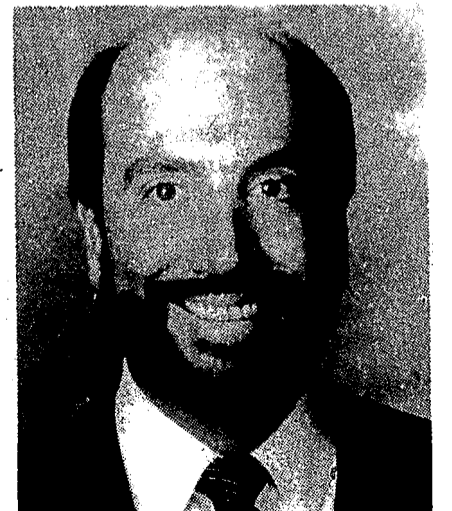
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Recently, Clarkston Community Education's Kids Connection Program, together with its partner Rainbow Connection, had a fund-raiser at the Clarkston Cinema. The two "Connections" raised \$645, thanks in part to the generous efforts of Mr. Paul Glantz and three of his theater staff.

With the help and support of Kids Connection staff, parents and children, 3-year-old Kyle, who has cancer, was able to realize his dream of going to Disney World.

Clarkston has always had a heart and cared. It is our fondest hope that quality will always be a part of this community.

Linda Irwin, Kids Connection
Suzanne Jones, Rainbow Connection

Thanks, teacher

Sashabaw Junior High had 11 students on a Knowledge Master Open Competition team.

The students studied several subject areas. Then we answered questions that many other schools nationwide also were answering.

Mr. Matheus, a teacher at SJH, was our coach. We appreciate him for taking the extra time and helping for the second year in a row.

We all know teachers have a busy schedule, and extra time given is appreciated. We all come in one hour early for practices. Thank you, Mr. Matheus, for all your time, effort and support.

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Letters to the Editor

CAB clarification appreciated

I'd like to thank Clarkston Board of Education President Joe Helpem for clarifying that the decision to use Capital Appreciation Bonds (CAB's) was made by the board and not the administration. It was also encouraging to learn that this decision was made after considerable detailed discussion.

With a school board election coming up in June, it's important that this information be fully understood by the voters.

I seriously doubt that candidate Lee Rogers would have gone along with the idea of using CAB's to finance our new school, etc.

Douglas M. Carlson, BBA
Taxpayer

Poor impression

It is a shame that the kids of today are getting the wrong impression of the working environment.

I know a good student who has worked for an area restaurant since it opened. This student plays varsity

sports and carries a good grade point average. The student is willing to work weekends and has for the past 10 months — and has been on time and worked the posted schedule.

However, as a kid, you do need a little time off once in a while. This student asked for a weekend off. Since the request was made, someone had the stroke of genius to come up with the following rule: If you aren't working at least 10 hours a week, then you are forced to take the next week off. You are now penalized for taking time off. I think this is just the best idea I have ever heard of, seeing that this student was working 8-10 hours per week to begin with.

But I guess the restaurant managers feel that always being on time and showing up for work when scheduled are not important. I guess the managers would rather hire people and train them every week than to get a reliable person who they could develop.

My question is: what type of message are we sending our young people today? Where are the management skills that are so very important in creating a good relationship with employees? I know the message the restaurant is sending our young people. I also know where the management skills are. This restaurant is only one of the many food establishments in Clarkston that treat our young people this way, and this is only one incident of many. When is this going to change?

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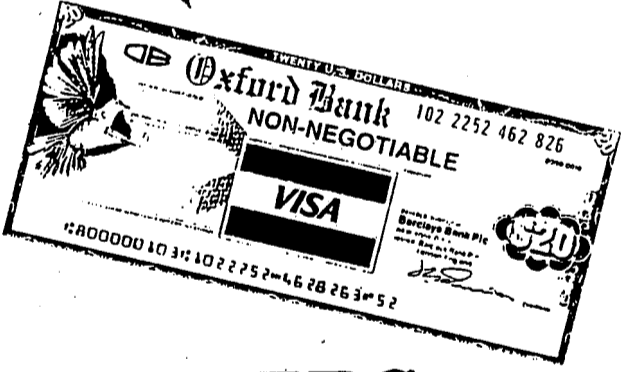
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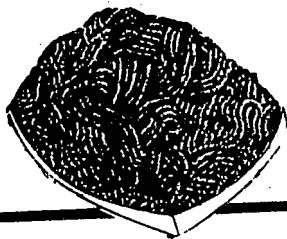
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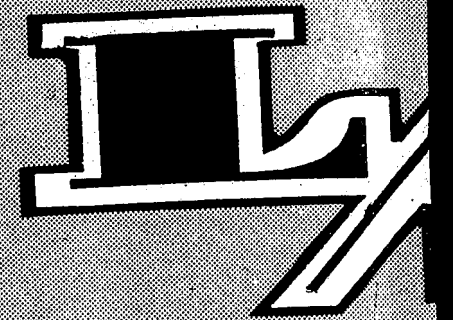
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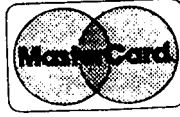
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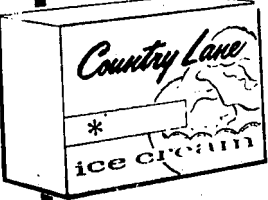
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Sports

Former teammates to suit up at Adrian

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

It's been nearly a year since Eric Ryan and Dan Griffiths shared the same backfield, but they'll be reunited soon enough.

Both players have agreed to play football for Adrian College, Adrian, next season.

Ryan, 18, and Griffiths, 19, rate as one of the most successful backfield tandems to ever play at Clarkston High School. Ryan, a senior, was an all-GOAL fullback the past two seasons. He amassed nearly 1,000 yards as a three-year varsity player and scored 15 touchdowns.

This past year, Ryan ran for 839 yards on 149 attempts for a 5.6-yard-per-carry average. He finished fourth in the conference in scoring with eight TDs and one extra-point.

Griffiths, who graduated in 1992,

Ryan and Griffiths rate as one of the most successful backfield tandems to ever play at Clarkston High School.

was also an all-GOAL runningback during his junior and senior seasons. He churned out 2,070 yards in his two years on the varsity squad, and 4,335 yards overall as both a junior varsity and varsity player.

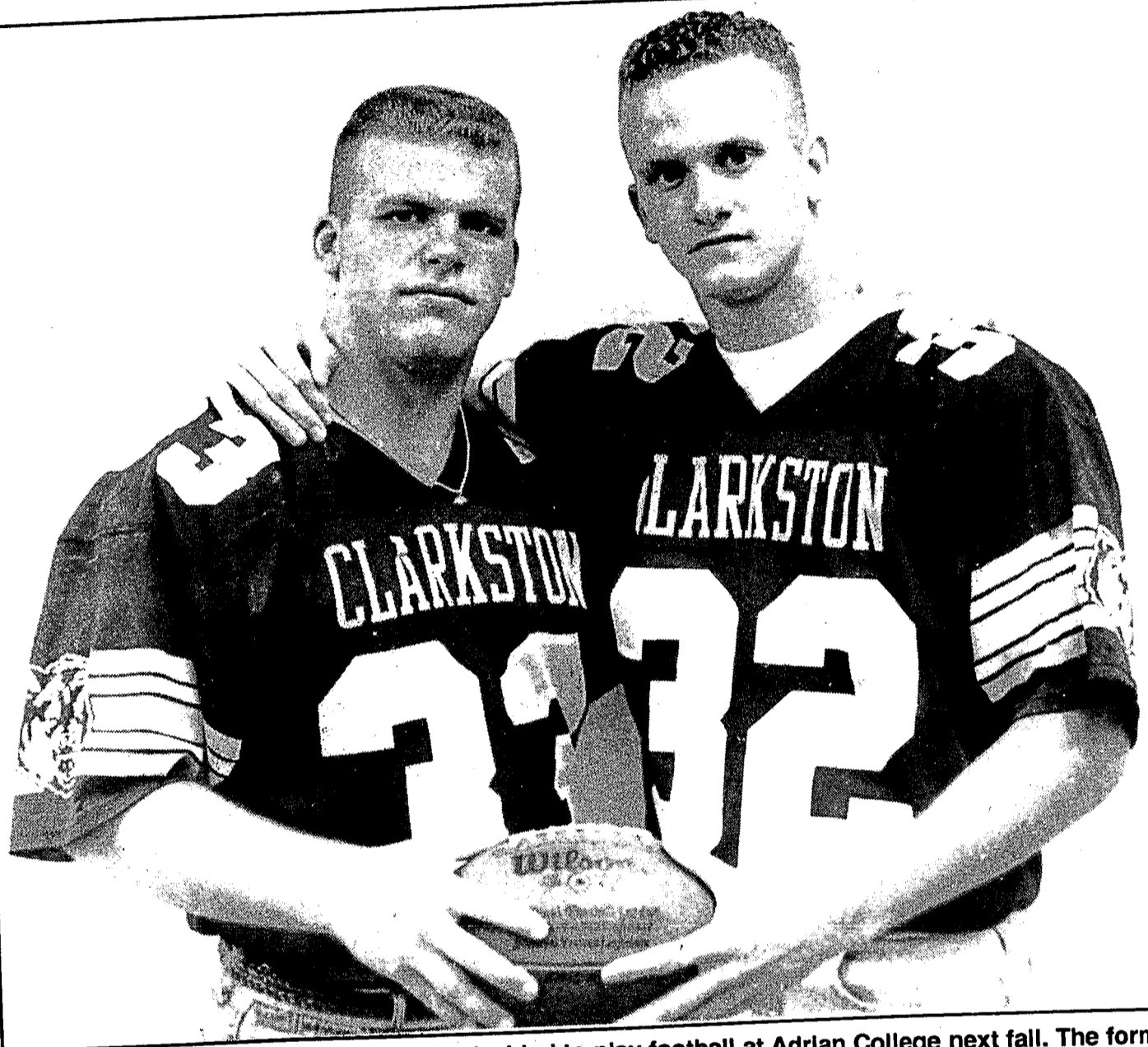
As a senior, he rushed for 1,138 yards and 14 touchdowns. Griffiths also set a school record with a 384-yard performance against Garden City.

Besides Adrian, the fleet-footed tailback was courted by Ferris State University and Northwood University for his football skills. However, Griffiths decided to hold off a year, so he could improve his grades at Oakland Community College.

Despite this year-long layoff, Adrian Coach Jim Lyall continued to call Griffiths about playing for the Bulldogs. Eventually, he got his man.

"Adrian was definitely the most interested school of the three who recruited me," Griffiths said. "The coach was impressed with my performances in high school, and I was impressed with the way he stuck with me for two years.

"I was also drawn by Adrian's beautiful campus and the individual attention



ERIC RYAN (left) and Dan Griffiths have decided to play football at Adrian College next fall. The former teammates hope to have the same success in the college ranks as they did at Clarkston High School.

the instructors provide in the classroom," he added.

During the recruiting process, Griffiths also recommended Ryan as a potential prospect.

Besides Adrian, the 205-pound fullback was considering two other Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association (MIAA) schools at the time, Alma and Albion. But Lyall was able to bring him aboard as well.

"Coach Lyall kept in constant contact with me and he really pushed the college and everything it had to offer," Ryan said. "They graduated their starting fullback last year, and he told me that I'd have a good shot at starting right away."

Lyall, whose team went 2-7 last sea-

son, said both players should make an immediate impact.

"Both guys are real good athletes, who should help us next year," he said. "Dan has tremendous speed and he's a threat to score every time he touches the ball. I was amazed at the highlight tape he sent me. It was 20 minutes long, full of some great action.

"Eric is a big, strong fullback with real soft hands," Lyall added. "He's going to fit into our offense real well as a runner, receiver and blocker."

Both Griffiths and Ryan were two-sport stars at CHS. Griffiths was a track standout, who qualified for the state long jump finals his senior season.

Ryan is an all-GOAL and all-region pitcher for the varsity baseball team.

Griffiths said he'll concentrate solely on football at Adrian, while Ryan remains uncertain about trying out for the baseball team.

Academically, Ryan intends to enroll in Adrian's art program, while Griffiths pursues a degree in business finance.

Both players will report to the college in mid-August for the start of summer practice.

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Streak snapped

The Clarkston boys' varsity baseball team had its six-game winning streak snapped last week, but they've already started a new one.

The Wolves split a doubleheader with Waterford Kettering May 13, and rebounded four days later to knock off Lake Orion.

In the opener, Clarkston jumped out to a 1-0 lead, which held for four innings. In the top of the fifth, the Captains scored four runs off starter Eric Ryan (2-2) to take the lead.

The Wolves scored once in the bottom of the fifth to close the gap at 4-2. However, Kettering held tough the final two innings to claim the victory.

Offensively, CHS was paced by Scot

Matusz, Matt Underwood and Jeff Golec who had two hits apiece.

In the nightcap, Clarkston scored seven runs on just four hits to beat Kettering, 7-5. Matusz led the Wolves with two hits, including a triple.

Pitcher Jeff Mull (2-0) earned the win after pitching 4 1/3 innings. He got relief help from Jeff Marshall and Aaron Phillips, who was credited with the save.

On May 17, the Wolves upped their record to 12-4 overall, 9-1 in the GOAL, with a 6-4 win at Lake Orion.

Phillips (2-0) pitched a two-hitter to stymie the Dragons. Brent Bundridge (.390) collected two hits in the victory.

The Wolves' next game is Thursday, May 20 at Waterford Mott.

Kickers lose to Brandon

The Brandon varsity girls' soccer team claimed the GOAL title May 17 with a 4-0 win over Clarkston.

With the loss, the Wolves finished 4-3-1 in the conference. CHS is 4-7-1 overall, with one regular season game left. They play at Lapeer West on Friday, May 21.

Last Wednesday, May 12, the Wolves whitewashed Waterford Mott 4-0. Sadie Caruso, Gabrielle Bielak, Carrie Millen and Nicole Trombly scored for Clarkston, as goalie Michelle Schroeder registered the shutout.

The Wolves play Mott again on May

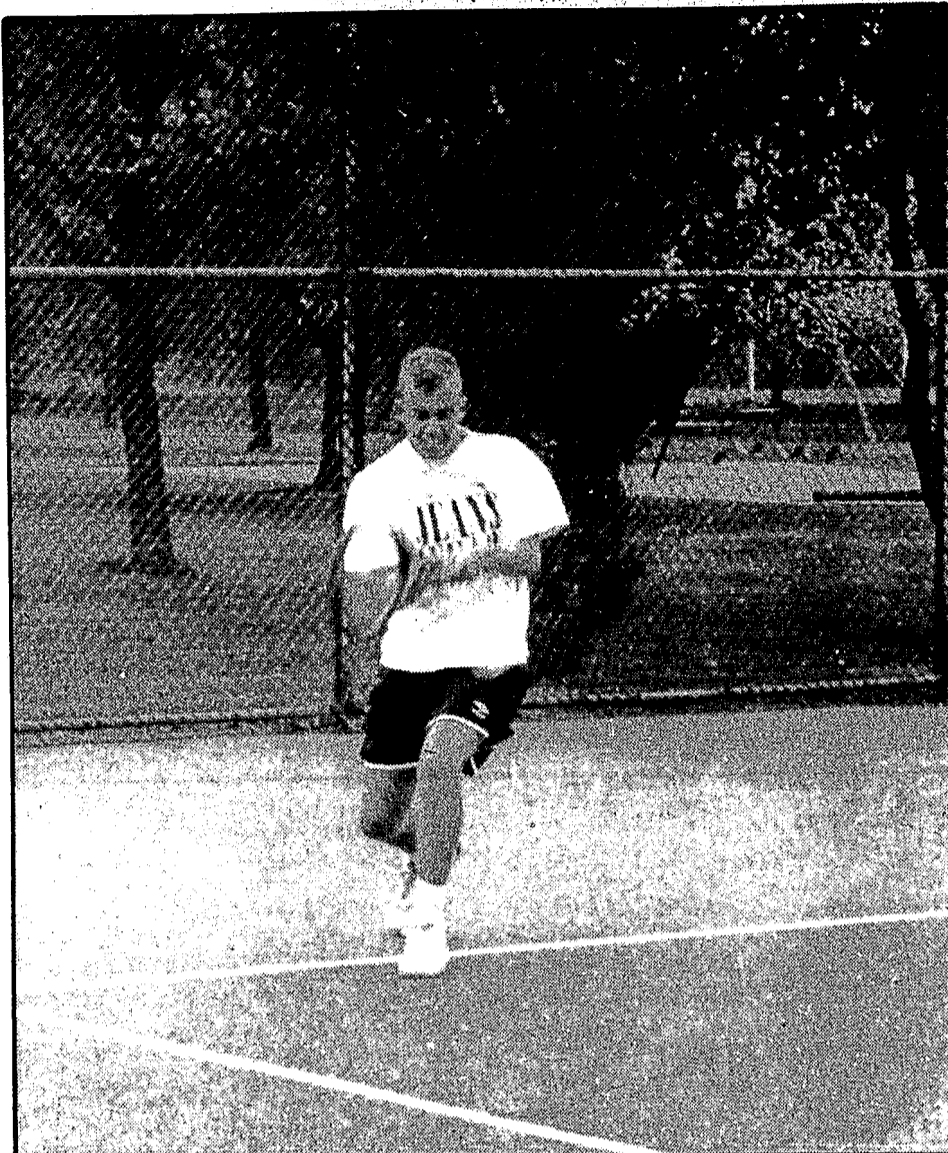
24, when the two league rivals collide in the first round of district competition.

Clarkston JV 3, Brandon JV 0

The Clarkston junior varsity girls' soccer team claimed the league title by blanking Brandon May 17.

Alison Grieme scored twice and teammate Kelley Wall knocked in a free-kick for the Wolves. Goalie Stephanie Schoemer was credited with the shutout.

CHS was 4-1-3 in conference play this season.



Swinging away

JUNIOR Pat Wall prepares to send another volley at his Pontiac Northern opponent May 14. Playing No. 3 singles, Wall easily defeated Huskie Stuart Foster 6-1, 6-0, as the Clarkston varsity tennis team downed Northern 7-0.

Netters come on strong

The Clarkston boys' tennis team ended its regular season on a high note last week by winning the final three contests.

The Wolves dumped Waterford Kettering, Lakeland and Pontiac Northern to finish the season at 10-4 overall, 7-3 in the GOAL.

On May 12, Clarkston beat Kettering 5-2. Bobby Brazier, Pat Wall and Paul Wolven won their singles matches. The No. 2 doubles team of Brendan Kelly and Matt Babcock, and the No. 3 duo of Mike Kopec and Jeremy Doty were also victorious for the Wolves.

A day later, CHS visited Lakeland and blanked the Eagles 7-0. Brazier, Craig Coxen, Wall and Wolven claimed singles wins. Clarkston's doubles teams were equally successful. Winning tandems included Marc Chamberlain-Jon Tan, Babcock-Kelly and Doty-Kopec.

On May 14, the Wolves played host to Pontiac Northern and shut out the Huskies 7-0.

Singles victories were claimed by Brazier, Kelly, Wall and Eric Bauer. The winning doubles squads consisted of Tan-Chamberlain, Babcock-Coxen and Doty-Kopec.

CHS wins two of three

Pitcher Erin Patterson continued her ascent as a prep pitcher by winning two of the last three games for the Clarkston girls' varsity softball team.

The junior posted a victory over Waterford Kettering May 13 and then beat Lake Orion 2-1 on Monday.

Last week, the Wolves split a doubleheader with the Captains. CHS lost the opener 4-1, after Kettering scored three runs in the first inning.

Senior Heather Austin was the losing pitcher. Amanda Van Klaveren had one hit and one run batted-in for Clarkston.

In the nightcap, the Wolves' bats came to life as they crushed the visiting Captains 7-1. Van Klaveren was 3-for-4 at the plate with 4 RBIs. Stephanie Giroux also chipped in with a 3-for-3 showing and four stolen bases.

Patterson went the distance, allowing only three hits and striking out five.

Coach Al Land was thrilled by his team's solid victory.

"This was, by far, the best performance of the season — both offensively and defensively," he said. "We were sharp on defense and aggressive at the plate and in the basepaths."

"The girls weren't to be denied a victory in this game," Land added. "They were mentally prepared and enthusiastic."

On May 17, the Wolves upped their record to 12-9 overall, 7-5 in the GOAL, with a win over the Dragons. Patterson pitched a one-hitter and fanned five batters for CHS. Offensively, the Wolves were paced by Missy Phillips and Laura Seitz with two hits apiece.

Recreation Roundup

HERSHEY TRACK & FIELD

This four-week conditioning program, designed for kids ages 9-14, helps them prepare for the upcoming Hershey Track and Field Local Meet at 9 a.m. Saturday, June 26. The conditioning program, led by an experienced track coach, begins May 29 at Clarkston High School's track. Winners of the local competition qualify for state and possibly national track championships.

ADULT SOCCER LEAGUES

Adult soccer leagues are forming. The seven-week season begins the week of June 14. Women play on Wednesday nights, and men play on Thursday nights. Team fees are \$200.

ADULT VOLLEYBALL

Registration is underway for adult volleyball leagues. These sand volleyball leagues are played at Clintonwood Park. Women's leagues are on Monday nights, men's leagues on Tuesday nights, co-rec leagues on Wednesday nights, and men's doubles

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FOR MORE INFORMATION

Call 625-8223 or stop by the Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department, 90 N. Main St., Clarkston. The office is open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Tracksters split at Mott

The Clarkston girls' track team earned an easy victory over Waterford Mott last week, while the boys' squad fell to defeat.

The boys' team (2-3, 2-2 GOAL) lost to the Corsairs 71-66.

The Wolves had nine first-place finishes on the day. Earning these victories were: Kyle Powell (shot put, discus), J.R. Kirk (110 hurdles, high jump and long jump), Steve Locher (pole vault), Jason Graves (400 meters), Steve Cohoon (800 meters), Steve Bennett (200 meters) and the 1600-meter relay team (Greg Fisher, Cohoon, P.J. Vandermeer and Graves).

In retrospect, the girls' squad won every event as they cruised to a 116-12 win.

Individually, the top-finishers were: Derenda Howard (100 hurdles), Rachel

Seifferlein (discus), Michelle Wade (shot put), Angie Brown (100, 200, 400 meters), Leah Scharl (1600, 3200 meters), Nikki Hard (300-meter hurdles), Shannon Binkley (long jump), Kristen Stanton (high jump) and Carey Haven (800 meters).

CHS was also successful in the four relays. The winning teams were: 3200-meter (Renee Staley, Sarah Treder, Lisa Herron and Beth Fletcher), 800-meter (Melissa Lozon, Becky Moore, Hard and Stanton), 400-meter (Lozon, Binkley, Howard and Stanton) and 1600-meter (Stanton, Haven, Winn and Brown).

With the win, the Wolves raised their record to 4-1, 4-0 GOAL.

Both teams will be participating in the league meet at Pontiac Northern on May 25.

Scoreboard

SOCCER STANDINGS AS OF MAY 9, 1993

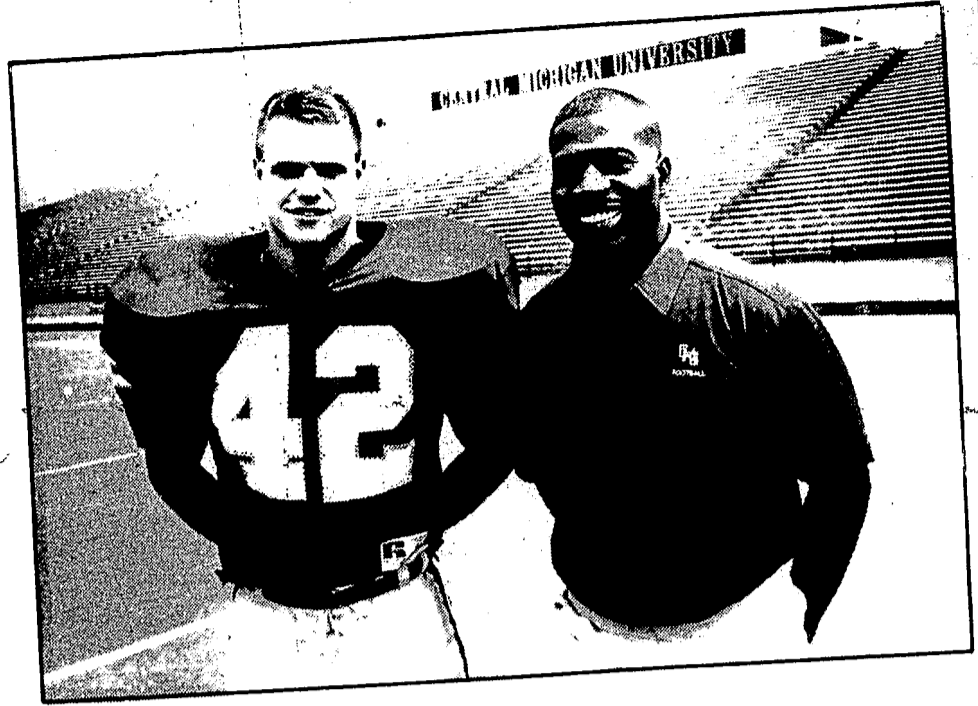
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GOLD	VOSS	1	1	2
PURPLE	VERLA	1	4	0
BRANDON	TRYSKA	0	3	1

GIRLS UNDER 10		W	L	T
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GREEN	HILL	1	1	1
BRANDON	RABY	1	1	1
BLUE	HAMILTON	0	3	3

SOCCER STANDINGS AS OF MAY 9, 1993



Full-ride

JOHN KING (left), a 1990 Clarkston High grad, was recently given a full-ride scholarship to play football at Central Michigan University. King was a walk-on three years ago, and slowly worked his way into the system as a special teams performer. A senior, with junior eligibility, he's expected to battle for the starting fullback position this season. Here, he's pictured with assistant coach Ray Cabarris.

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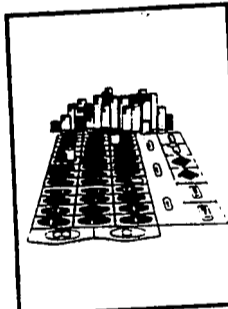
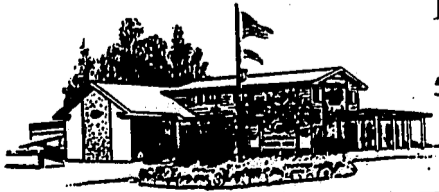
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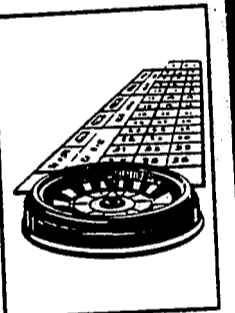
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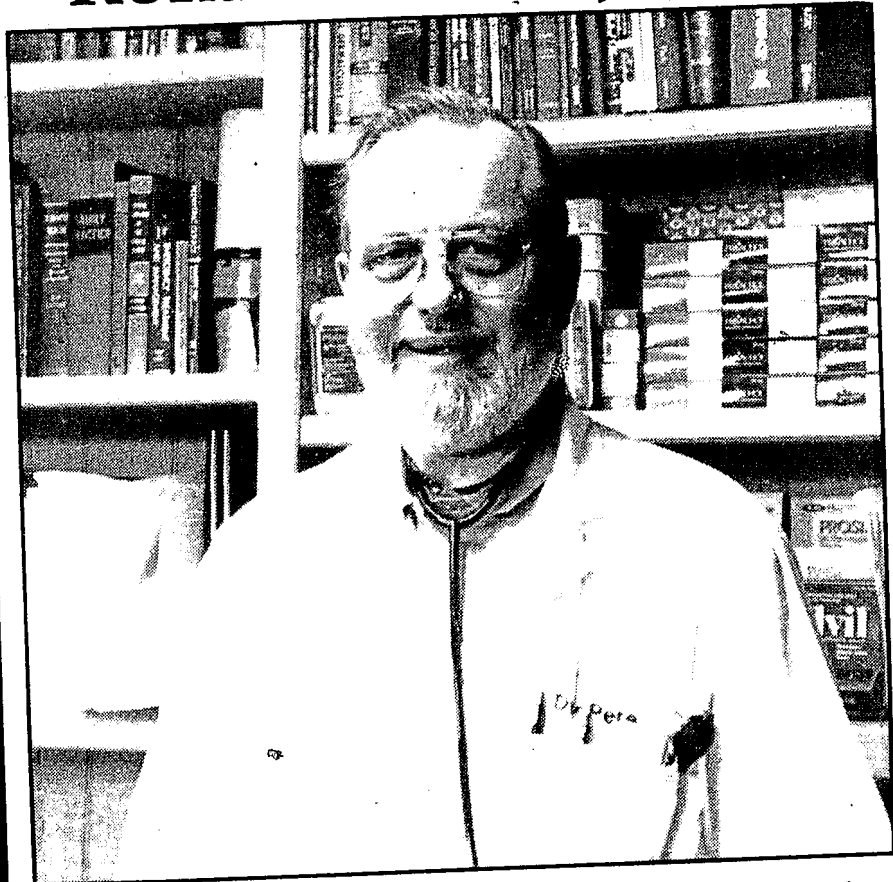


SENIOR Scott Jenkinson takes a mean rip at a pitch May 13. The Wolves split a twinbill with Waterford Kettering that afternoon. Despite the loss, CHS still sits atop the GOAL standings with a 9-1 record.



ERIC RYAN looks to mow down another Waterford Kettering batter. Unfortunately, the senior pitcher lost this game 4-2, dropping his record to 2-2 on the season.

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Remodeling concept OK'd for Knights

The Knight of Columbus are one step closer to having their building remodeled and updated.

The Independence Township Planning Commission voted 6-0 to approve in concept the addition and remodeling of the Maybee Road building. Carolyn Place was absent.

The Knights plan to remodel the bathrooms in the building, update the parking lot, expand the membership area and basically fix up the building.

Township planning consultant Richard Carlisle called the plan a "logical expansion" and told the commissioners "we see no major natural resource impact."

Commission members approved the plan with the following conditions: modification to the parking lot, to the sign and to the lighting outside of the building. The commissioners also requested a landscape plan before final approval.

\$1,000 donated to cemetery

Andersonville Cemetery will receive a little help for maintenance again this year.

The Springfield Township Board voted unanimously May 13 to donate \$1,000 to the Andersonville Cemetery Association's 1993-94 budget.

Deter arsonists with these tips

Arson Awareness Week is May 23-29 in Independence Township and the State of Michigan.

Experts recommend that property owners follow the following suggestions to deter fire setters:

- Always keep entry doors and garages locked.
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- Report all suspicious activity to local law enforcement officials.

To report information about arson or a suspicious fire, call Arson Control at 1-800-44-ARSON. The program awards up to \$5,000 for information that leads to arrest and conviction of arsonists.



Doug Carlson

From Our Perspective

In light of Clarkston school budget, we'd better vote yes on Proposal A

Because of the front-page article in an area daily newspaper last Sunday on Capital Appreciation Bonds (CAB's), I think it's important to reiterate the correction that appeared in last week's Clarkston News on this subject.

When our article on CAB's appeared, an entire line was omitted, which resulted in erroneous information being conveyed to our readers.

The paragraph in question should have read as follows:

"The total amount financed came to a little over \$22 million. Of this amount, approximately \$15.5 million is in conventional bonds and approximately \$6.5 million is in CAB's. Apparently, Clarkston was left out of the Free Press article because of the newness of the bonds."

In all fairness to the administration, we'd like to add that by simultaneously refinancing most of our existing debt, the district will save approximately \$2.5 million in finance charges.

Now, on to other financial matters. Last week's Clarkston News also included an article on the school board supporting Proposal A. No problem with that.

However, the end of the article said, "If Proposal A fails, the district could enact about \$1.7 million in budget reductions for the 1993-94 school year. A list of designated cuts was approved May 10."

"Ranging from athletics to transportation to elementary physical education, these cuts touch a variety of district activities, programs and operations."

"Superintendent Gary Haner said the cuts represent a worst-case scenario for the district, which can't be determined until after the June 2 (Proposal A) election."

After reading this, I got out the 1993-94 General Fund Revenue Projections, and I see where the district estimates its revenues to be \$30,571,645 for the coming

year, even if Proposal A fails. This is an increase of 8.66 percent or \$2,435,377 over the 1992-93 revenues.

So why should there be a big problem in making ends meet next year? Very simply, they can't afford the salary increases they've handed out so generously. In addition, they'll soon have a new school to operate.

As I've mentioned on several occasions, I spent over 30 years of my life in the personnel activity of Ford Motor Co. Although I never got involved in contract negotiations, I was close enough to it to have learned a little about how these people function. The first thing I learned is that you don't bargain away things you can't afford.

As far as I'm concerned, the Kalkaska School District can talk all they want about "quality education," but it doesn't alter the fact that they granted 18 percent in pay raises over three years and then discovered they didn't have the money to pay for them. So they closed the schools. Any company that did that would be out of business — permanently.

Anyway, the Clarkston school district is discovering that its recently negotiated pay raises are costing a bundle, to say nothing of higher medical costs, improved benefit plans, the new school, etc.

And they still have to negotiate a pay raise for Superintendent Gary Haner for the 1993-94 school year. The 3 1/2 percent raise was for 1992-93.

We realize that another raise for Superintendent Haner is peanuts in an overall \$30 million budget. But it's the principle of the thing. How can the board talk about yet another pay raise when we're being presented with the possibility of even more program cuts?

I think we'd better vote yes on Proposal A.

Doug Carlson is a member of Citizens for Fiscal Responsibility in Government.

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End of an era

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BETSY SARI, a Sashabaw Junior High student, and her date Robert Haines, a student at Our Lady of the Lakes, wait to check in at the ninth-grade dance May 16 at the high school.

WHO will make the first move? A half-hour after the music started, junior high students were still finding friends, commenting about their fancy clothes and press-on nails, and talking in somewhat gender-segregated groups. These students participated in the last ninth-grade dance for Clarkson's two



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Tuesday, May 11 ... Answered a medical call on Almond Lane; male patient with injury transported to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac. ... Responded to an automatic alarm on North Main Street; found to be a malfunction from workers at the home. ... Answered a medical call on Parview Drive; a 6-month-old child with a high temperature was transported to SJMH. ... Answered a medical call on Pine Knob Lane; ball player with a possible dislocated shoulder was transported to family doctor by mother.

Wednesday, May 12 ... Responded to a grass fire on White Lake Road. ... Answered a call on Parview Drive. ... Responded to a medical call on Maybee Road. ... Answered a medical call on Maybee Road. ... Responded to a medical call on Dartmouth.

Thursday, May 13 ... Answered an automatic alarm on North Main; the dust from inside sanding had set it off. ... Responded to a medical call on Clarkston Road. ... Answered a complaint on Hillside; homeowner was burning on a non-burn day. ... Responded to a medical call on Ortonville Road; an elderly woman was found unresponsive in car. She recovered and refused medical treatment. ... Answered a call on Clarkston Road about a minor accident; patient's mother signed off.

Friday, May 14 ... Responded to a medical call on Cramlane. ... Answered a medical call on Ortonville Road. ... Responded to a medical call on Cramlane; patient was transported to Harper Hospital.

Saturday, May 15 ... Answered a medical call on Perry Lake Road; patient was transported to SJMH. ... Responded to an accident on Sashabaw Road; two patients were transported to area hospital. ... Answered a medical call on South River; a female with chest pains was transported to North Oakland Medical Center, Pontiac. ... Answered an accident call on Whipple Lake Road; two females lost control of their vehicle and hit a tree.

Sunday, May 16 ... Responded to a medical call on Whipple Lake Road. ... Investigated the smell of natural gas in the basement of a Staghorn Trail residence.

As of May 16, the Independence Township Fire Department has responded to 488 calls.

County dog census begins soon

If you're a dog owner in Oakland County, you'd better circle June 1 on your calendar.

That's the date the 1993 Annual Dog Census begins. All dog licenses expire on that date, and owners who have not purchased a new license for their pet by then will face a \$25 delinquent fee.

Not waiting until the last minute will also save you a few bucks. Current fees for male and female dogs are \$10, while licenses for spayed and neutered dogs are \$6.50.

"A door-to-door canvas will be conducted to enforce rabies and dog licensing in Oakland County," said Sandy Gay, Oakland County Animal Control manager. "We will be covering 26 municipalities within our service area."

Michigan State Public Act 339 of 1919 mandates that a dog six months of age or older must have a valid

rabies vaccination and dog license. This license must be worn on the dog's collar at all times.

The vaccination is especially important this year because an epidemic of rabies in raccoons is sweeping the southeastern United States and is headed this way, said Gay, adding that experts predict seven or eight years before the outbreak reaches Oakland County.

"We want to make sure people are prepared," said Gay. "Vaccinations will safeguard the health not only of the pet but of the family as well."

In 1992, 15 rabid animals were turned over to the Michigan Department of Health, including 10 bats, one cow, one goat, one horse, one skunk and one dog.

The dog census will be conducted Monday through Saturday. Gay also recommends that cats be vaccinated against rabies, too.

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School district to check criminal records

The Clarkston school district is only one approval away from passing a new policy regarding a criminal history check of its professional and support staff candidates.

On May 10, the school board unanimously granted first-reading approval of this measure. Second-reading consideration is slated for June 14.

If passed, this policy would require all applicants to submit, at no expense to the district, a set of fingerprints prepared by a state or local law enforcement agency. These criminal checks will also be made for substitutes who wish to be employed by Clarkston schools.

All information and records obtained from such inquiries will be confidential and not released to those not directly involved in evaluating the applicant's qualifications. However, the district may confirm to another district that a potential substitute doesn't have a criminal record, according to the State Police.

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Outdoor restaurant coming soon

Picture this: the sun is setting in the west, there is a slight breeze, and you and the person you like best are sitting on a patio sipping cool drinks.

Sounds like the setting for a movie or novel, but it isn't — it's the outside seating recently approved for Mesquite Creek restaurant.

The steakhouse on Ortonville Road gained the Independence Township Planning Commission's permission to have outdoor seating at the restaurant in a 6-0 vote. Carolyn Place was absent.

The area, to be located in what is now a plaza, would seat 46 and alleviate the crowding of people waiting for

seats. No dinners would be served in the area, only drinks and appetizers. The area is to be enclosed with removable fencing that will be stored off site in the off-season.

The commissioners approved the seating on the recommendation of the township planner and because of the tables, chairs and fencing would be stored off-site during the colder weather. They also formed a committee to study the directing of parking at the restaurant, which was brought up at the meeting as a problem.

Toilet search OK'd

Collin Walls probably didn't know finding toilets would be part of his job description when he became Springfield Township supervisor.

Nonetheless, the township board voted unanimously May 13 to authorize Walls to spend up to \$1,300 for portable toilets.

The supervisor is to find suitable portables for Shiawassee Basin ball fields.

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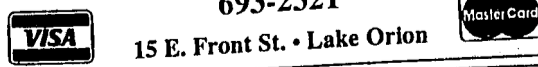
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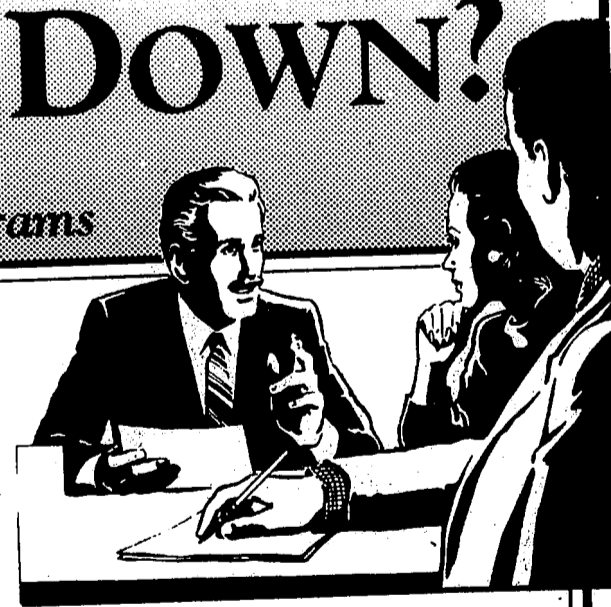
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Amateur photographers may enter three of their best photographs or slides depicting nature scenes, landscapes, visual or performing arts, or people enjoying recreation of their favorite park or recreation facility.

The top three photographs will be chosen from three age divisions. Winners receive ribbons and other prizes. Only photographs taken in a Springfield Township Park or Recreation facility are eligible for local prizes. Local winners, who will be announced in January 1994, will

automatically enter the statewide competition, where Eastman Kodak will award a \$100 grand prize for the photograph judged best in show.

Other prizes in the statewide competition include 16-by-20-inch reproductions by Kodak and ribbons. All winning photographs will be published in the Michigan Recreation and Parks Association Leisure Focus magazine. Statewide winners will be announced in February 1994.

Deadline for the local contest is Dec. 4, 1993. For more information, call 313-634-0412.

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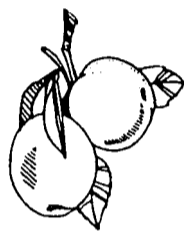
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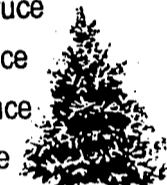


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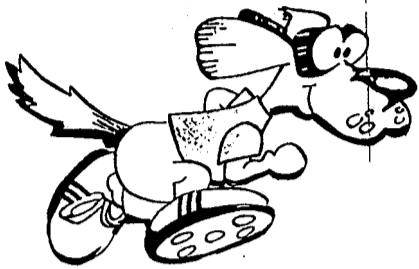
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Reflections



Fun Daze:

Fun activities for the whole family offered

BY CATHERINE PASSMORE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Fun Daze kicks off spring in the Clarkston area this weekend.

The Seventh Annual Clarkston Fun Daze is Saturday, May 22. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. in Depot Park, Depot Road, Clarkston.

Chairman Marc Cooper calls it "a morning to get out in the fresh air and have a fun time."

Events include the traditional one-mile fun run/walk, and the 5K and the 10K runs. The one-mile fun run/walk begins at 9:30 a.m., and the 5K and 10K runs start at 10 a.m. If you haven't already registered, the cost is \$4 for the one-mile and \$14 for the 5K or 10K.

This year walkers and runners have a chance to help others. They can collect pledges for their participation, and the money will go to Lighthouse North, which provides food, clothing and emergency money to the needy in north Oakland County. Those who turn in \$100 in pledges will receive a refund of their early registration fees.

Along with the walk and runs are events for the rest of the family.

"We want this to be fun," says Cooper. "We want people to do this as a whole family."

Family fun and entertainment includes a petting farm, kiddie games and activities, clowns, a coloring activity and moon walk, as well as dance, gymnastic and karate exhibitions.

Runners, walkers fight hunger

Those who plan to run or walk in Fun Daze also have a chance to help the needy in the area.

Pledge sheets are available, so participants can collect money to donate to Lighthouse North, which provides food, clothing and emergency assistance to needy families in north Oakland County.

Those who turn in pledges for \$100 or more will receive a refund of their registration fee. Pledge forms are available at Lighthouse North on Maybee Road, Independence Township, and at other locations. Call 673-4949 for the location nearest to you.

In 1992, Lighthouse North provided food for 7,264 people. In the first three months of this year, Lighthouse North contributed about \$10,000 to help people remain in their homes.

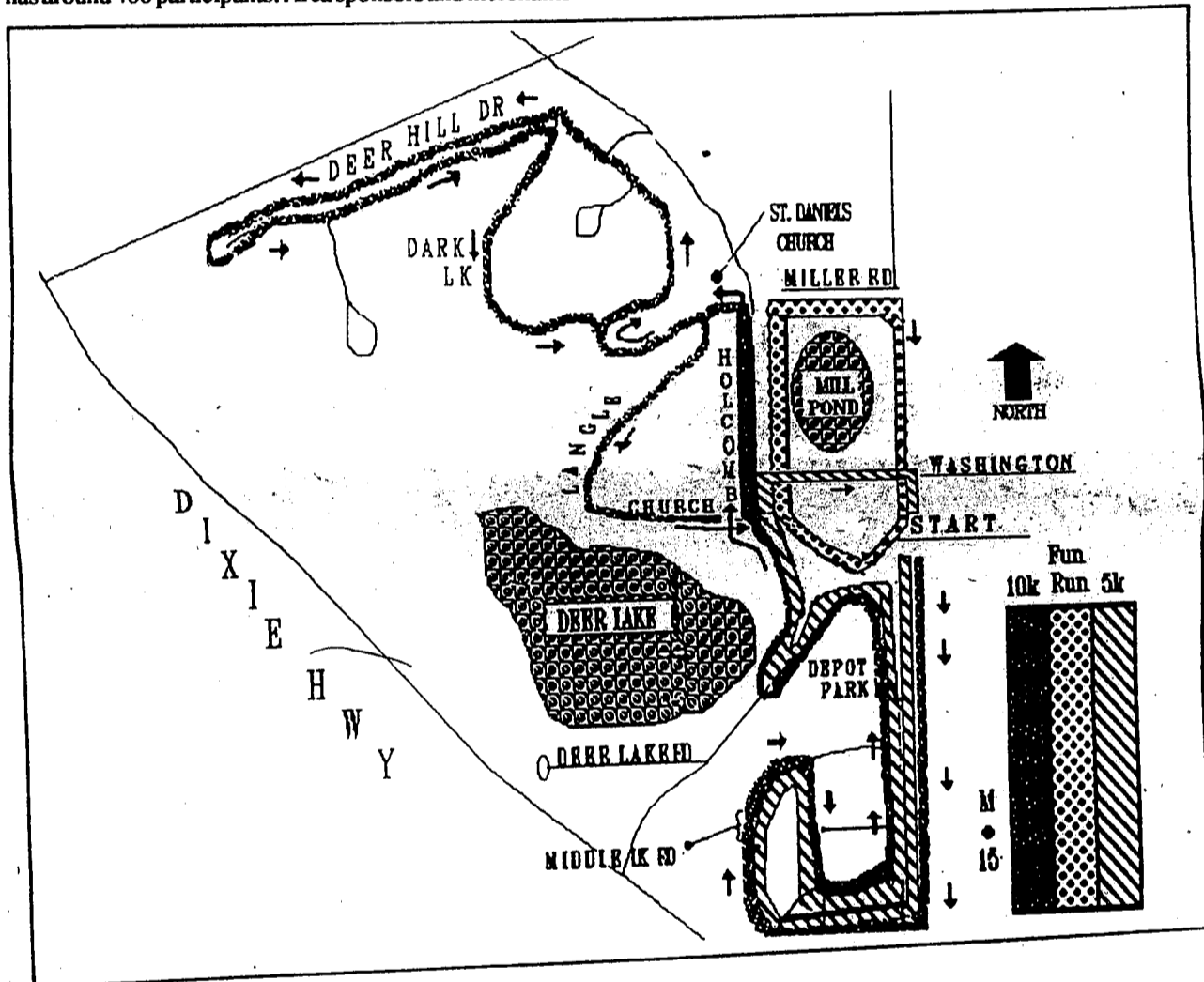
"We're trying to have things that will entertain kids," says Cooper.

Cooper says the event — which is sponsored by the Independence Township Parks and Recreation, Rotary International and the Clarkston Area Optimists — usually has around 400 participants. Area sponsors and merchants

donate the awards, prizes, T-shirts and refreshments.

"I think it's a good venture, and it's well supported by the businesses in the community," says Cooper.

For more information about Fun Daze, call the Independence Township Parks and Recreation office at 625-8223.



Pleasant run

HILLS and spring colors mark the courses for the Seventh Annual Fun Daze. The running and walking events begin in Clarkston's Depot Park, just off of Main Street. The one-mile Fun Run or Walk circle the Mill Pond. The 10K and 5K runs travel south to

Middle Lake Road and then circle back north, where the 5K returns to the finish line and the 10K continues through a Deer Lake-area subdivision. During the race, onlookers may take part in games or enjoy the entertainment.

Saturday fun ranges from horses to gardening

There's no excuse to be bored this weekend.

In addition to Fun Daze (see related story), Saturday is filled with a range of events certain to appeal to someone in the family.

Scenic run or walk

A 4-mile run and 4-mile walk for fitness are planned through historic DAVISBURG and scenic Springfield Township roads on May 22. A 1-mile walk is planned for the new nature trails of Shiawassee Basin Preserve. Registration is 8 a.m. Saturday, with the run starting at 8:30 a.m. at Mill Pond Park, Davisburg. The \$15 registration fee includes a T-shirt. Proceeds help the Springfield Parks and Recreation Department. For more information, call 634-0412.

Chores

For those who would like to use the weekend to do chores, Saturday, May 22, is the last day of Independence Township-Clarkston Cleanup Days. Rubbish may be dumped 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Department of Public Works, 6050 Flemings Lake Road. Call 625-8222 for fees or more information.

Horses

Another special event is sure to please those who like horses. The Triple B's 4-H Club Horse Show takes place at 9 a.m. at the Springfield Oaks Activities Center, Andersonville Road, Springfield Township. Call 858-0889 for information.

Gardening

This weekend also is a good time to dig in the garden — and the Clarkston Farm and Garden Club is prepared to help out — sort of. It sponsors a plant exchange 10 a.m. to noon Saturday at the corner of Washington and Main streets, Clarkston. The free exchange allows people to drop off extra plants, pick up other plants or both. Organizers say you don't have to bring plants in order to take plants.

More events, too

For more weekend events, check The Clarkston News "Around town" calendar on Page 5B.

Obituaries

Paul F. Didio

Paul F. Didio (Ditty), 59, died May 12, 1993. He was preceded in death by his father, Paul Ditty.

He is survived by his children, Terrence and his wife Linda, Debbie and her husband Ron Fields, Gary and his wife Michelle, Tom and his wife Kim, and Kevin; mother, Helen; brother, James; sister, Joann; nine grandchildren; and fiance Lauren.

Mass of the Resurrection took place May 15 at St. Perpetua's Catholic Church, Waterford. Burial was at All Saints Cemetery, Waterford. Arrangements were made by the Lewis E. Wint and Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston.

David D. Galley

David D. Galley, 49, of Clarkston died May 12, 1993. He was a member of Clarkston United Methodist Church and was a senior advisor of Activities Based Costing at General Motors Corp.

Mr. Galley is survived by his wife, Sharon; children, Beth Galley and Michael Greening of Clarkston and Christopher and his wife Heather of Lake Orion; parents, Myron and Naomi of Arizona; and brothers and sisters, H.T. Galley, Denise Clark, Tom, Larry, Dan and Dale.

The funeral was May 14 at the Clarkston United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Douglas R. Trebilcock and Director of Support Don Kevern officiating. Arrangements were made by the Lewis E. Wint and Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston.

Memorial tributes may be made to the Clarkston United Methodist Church Pipe Organ Fund or the University of Michigan School of Literature, Science and Arts.

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7:30 p.m. - **Mastermind:** An FSA presentation.

8 p.m. - **A Difference of Opinion:** Motivational series hosted by April Cowan.

8:30 p.m. - **Blade:** Alternative music video show.

9 p.m. - **Inside Mountainbiking:** A look at mountainbiking and area trails.

TUESDAY

6:30 p.m. - **See How They Grow:** Gardening series.

7 p.m. - **Master Angler:** Southeast Michigan fishing show.

7:30 p.m. - **Dining with Christopher:** Cooking with Christopher Cryderman.

8 p.m. - **Tony Stark:** Music videos.

WEDNESDAY

6:30 p.m. - **Bailey Lake Festival of the Arts** arts and crafts.

7 p.m. - **The Job Show:** A presentation of The Michigan Employment Security Commission.

7:30 p.m. - **Clarkston City Council:** Meeting of May 24.

FRIDAY

6:30 p.m. - **See How They Grow:** Gardening show.

7 p.m. - **Master Angler:** Southeast Michigan fishing show.

7:30 p.m. - **Dining with Christopher:** Cooking with Christopher Cryderman.

8 p.m. - **League of Women Voters:** Meet the Candidates Forum for the Clarkston Board of Education.

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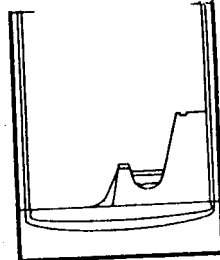
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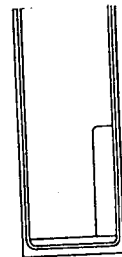
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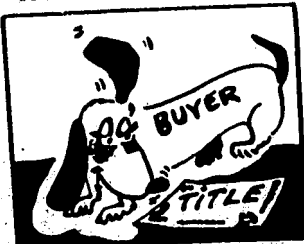


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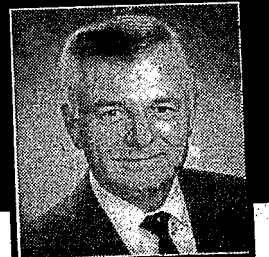
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REAL ESTATE UPDATE

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QUESTION? I am buying an old home. Why must a new title search be done when it obviously has been searched many times before!

ANSWER: The question is academic. The lending bank will require a title search to protect its investment. The search will attempt to answer the following questions:

1. Is the seller the legal owner of the property?
2. Is the legal description of the property accurate?
3. Are there any municipal or contractor liens on the property?
4. Does anyone else claim an ownership interest?
5. Are there any easements which could affect the property's value.

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Community education at a glance

Funshine preschool registration

Registration for summer and fall Funshine preschool is underway. Preschool and extended care are offered by the program, which is accredited by the National Academy of Early Childhood Programs. Registration forms are available at the Community Education Center. Family registration fee is \$25 per school year.

Summer Kids Connection

Registration is underway for the eight-week summer program for children who have completed grades K-5 covering hours from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. June 28 through Aug. 20. (Call 625-8223 or 674-3141)

Fall Kids Connection

Registration for Kids Connection for the 1993-94 school year begins June 1 at the Community Education Center.

STEP

Clarkston Career Center offers the Summer Training and Education Program (STEP) for teens ages 14-15 who are entering ninth grade this fall. It's designed for those who are at least one year behind in reading or math. The six-week program combines classroom learning with actual work experience, and participants are paid \$4.25 per hour. Eligibility depends on family income level. (Judy Monroe, 674-4791)

Meet the IBM

This introduction class covers the IBM personal computer keyboard, disk operating system and various software applications. The four-session class takes place 9 a.m. to noon Tuesdays, beginning May 25, at Community Education Center. The \$63 class fee includes book.

Annuals

This class covers varieties of annuals and garden maintenance and takes place 7:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday, June 3, at Sashabaw Junior High School.

Hanging moss basket

In this class, participants learn to plant their favorite annuals in a moss-line wire basket. Class takes place 6:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday, June 3, at Sashabaw Junior High School. Class fee is \$12; materials fee, \$21.

For more information

Clarkston Community Schools Department of Community Education operates out of a building at 5275 Maybee Road, Independence Township. To register, to obtain a brochure, or for more information, call 674-0993. Visa or Mastercard may be used to pay enrichment class fees.

Business Brief

New children's menu at Clarkston Cafe

A new feature at The Clarkston Cafe is a special children's menu listing foods that kids like.

The new children's menu, printed on a heavy place mat, contains games and puzzles that young diners may take home with them.

The menu lists entrees with youth appeal, such as chicken fingers, hamburger and meatloaf. Special kids' beverages include strawberry slush, a daiquiri without the punch.

The Cafe, at 18 S. Main St., Clarkston, also provides children's portions, high chairs and booster seats to accommodate families with children.

Recipe corner

Fancy fruit pies

These delicate and tasty pies make a fancy dessert for special occasions.

INDIVIDUAL LATTICE PEACH PIES WITH ALMOND CRUST

(Makes 6)

Six 4-inch pastry shells

1/4 cup sugar

1/3 cup toasted ground almonds

6 medium-large peaches, peeled and diced

1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon

1 tablespoon lemon juice

Grated rind of 1 lemon

1 to 2 tablespoons flour

2 tablespoons unsalted butter, cut into bits

For topping:

3 tablespoons softened, unsalted butter

7 ounces almond paste

1 large egg, beaten lightly

1/3 cup all-purpose flour

Egg wash (beat 1 egg with 1 teaspoon water)

Prick bottom of each pastry shell with fork and sprinkle with toasted almonds. Chill. In a bowl, combine peaches, sugar, lemon juice, flour, cinnamon and butter. Let stand 15 minutes.

In a bowl, cream butter and almond paste, and beat until combined well. Add egg in a stream, beating. Add flour and beat until combined. Transfer mixture to pastry bag fitted with decorative tip.

Divide peach mixture among pastry shells, and pipe four strips of almond mixture in a lattice design over each. Brush lattice with egg wash and bake pies on baking sheet in preheated 350-degree oven for 40 minutes or until golden brown. Let cool.

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New arrivals



Bruce and Sally Campbell of Pine Knob Road, Independence Township, are the proud parents of a baby girl. Ashley Marcelle Campbell was born at 12:42 a.m. May 3, 1993, at Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital. She

weighed 10 pounds and measured 21 inches long. Welcoming her home were her three sisters: Jessica, 12; Meagan, 9; and Amanda, 2. Grandparents are Donald and Alice Scarbrough of Waterford and Katherine Campbell of Pontiac. Great-grandmother is Stella Mitchell.

It's a boy for **and Kristin Tiahrt Smith of Allegan.**

Jencen Walter Tiahrt Smith was born at 9:53 a.m. March 14, 1993, at Allegan General Hospital. He weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces, and measured 20 1/2 inches long. Proud grandparents are Warren and Barbara Tiahrt of Clarkston and Clarence and Mary Smith of Allegan.

Daniel and Debra Gaves of Overpine, Independence Township, welcomed home their first child recently.

Eleni Rebecca Gaves was born at noon on Monday, May 10, at William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak. She weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces, and measured 19 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are George and Josephine Gaves of Clarkston and Paul and Dee Blanger of Bellaire.

Great-grandparents are Antionette Gaviotakis of Rochester and Jean Scholfield of Palo Alto, Calif.

Grads

Dale R. Chandler, a 1989 graduate of Clarkston High School, was graduated with honors May 1 from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, with a bachelor of science degree in engineering. He has accepted a job with R&B Machine Tool of Saline and will be residing in the Ypsilanti-Ann Arbor area.

Six Clarkston-area residents are among some 6,500 degree candidates at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, this spring.

Michael D. Kolody of Amy Drive earned a bachelor of arts degree from the College of Literature, Science and the Arts.

Leonard Paul Pomrehn of Cedar Cove Court earned a doctor of philosophy degree from the Horace H. Rackham School of Graduate Studies.

Wendy M. Law of Hubbard Road earned a bachelor of arts degree from the College of Literature, Science and the Arts.

Craig Michael Litherland of Hummingbird Lane earned a bachelor of science in engineering degree in aerospace engineering from the College of Engineering.

Dave S. Przygoda of Bristol Court earned a bachelor of arts degree from the College of Literature, Science and the Arts.

Matthew G. Pyenta of Timber Ridge Trail earned a bachelor of science degree from the College of Literature, Science and the Arts.



AN APRIL 21, 1945, photograph shows Dr. Rockwood and Maryetta Bullard (at right)

with Dr. Bullard's step-brother and his wife, the late Tom and Marjorie Wilson of Clarkston.

Bullards celebrate golden anniversary

Dr. Rockwood and Maryetta (Fitts) Bullard Jr. celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in April.

The Clarkston couple were married April 24, 1943, at Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago in Chicago, Ill.,

where Dr. Bullard was in a residency program.

Maryetta is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Blair Fitts of Aspen Hill, Drewry's Bluff, Va. She attended William and Mary College is a graduate of Children's Hospital, Boston.

Rockwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rockwood W. Bullard of St. Clair, was graduated from Harvard Medical School.

The couple eventually moved to the Clarkston area and had three children: Rocky Bullard III and his wife Donna of Clarkston, who have four children: Elizabeth, Cathleen, Braley and Rocky; Blair and her husband Mike Schweitzer of Clarkston, who have two children: Michael and Karla; and Tom Bullard and his wife Julia of Sunnysvale, Calif., who have two children: Arturo and Jennifer.

Rockwood practiced medicine in the Clarkston area for 32 years until he retired in 1982.

Club notes



Senior Miss Poppy ShyLynn Jones, Chief Pontiac 377 American Legion Junior Auxiliary, was honored recently at the state capitol in Lansing with a proclamation from Senator Mat Dunaskiss and Representative Tom Middleton. ShyLynn received this honor for her volunteer work in nursing homes, veteran's hospitals, community projects and the help she has given to children and youth programs. She is the daughter of Cecil and Darlene Jones of Clarkston.

Honors

Three Clarkston-area students were recognized for academic achievement for the winter quarter 1993 at Baker College of Flint.

Wendy Batt, Sally Dunham and Stacy Shurtz were among the 408 students cited on the full-time student dean's list.

Melissa Rohn, a Clarkston High School senior, has been named a recipient of Oakland Community College High School Scholar Awards for the 1993-94 school year. She is eligible for 12 credit hours of tuition and registration fees for the fall 1993 and winter 1994 semesters and another six hours for the spring 1994 term.

Engagement



Mr. and Mrs. Patrick L. Kelly of Clarkston announce the engagement of their daughter, Tricia Michele, to Shawn P. Santini of Canton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Santini of Fond du Lac, Wis. The bride-elect is a 1988 graduate of Clarkston High School and is employed at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac. Her fiancé is a 1987 graduate of Williamsville High School, Williamsville, N.Y., and attends Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti. He is employed by Ford Motor Co. An Oct. 16, 1993, wedding is planned.

Around Town

Local events open to the public are printed in **Around Town** as a community service. Call 625-3370 or write to **The Clarkston News, 5. S. Main St., Clarkston, MI 48346** two weeks in advance.

Thursdays - T.O.P.S. (Take Off Pounds Sensibly); a support group for weight loss; weigh-in 6:15 to 7 p.m.; meeting 7-8 p.m.; new members should arrive early; \$16 registration fee (teens, \$8) plus \$3 a month; Clarkston Free Methodist Church, 5300 Maybee Road, Independence Township. (620-1838)

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 20, 21 and 22 - "The Tomorrow Box" at Depot Theater; 8 p.m. curtain; call for ticket information; family comedy-drama by Anne Chislett, produced by Clarkston Village Players; on White Lake Road, Independence Township. (625-1826)

Thursday, May 20 - Widowed Support Group meeting at the Independence Township Senior Center; 7 p.m.; speaker: Leslie Freeburg from the Consortium for Human Development; topic: Dealing with stress; free; for recently widowed men and women of all ages; in Clintonwood Park, Clarkston Road, Independence Township. (Jenni at Wint Funeral Home, 625-5231)

Friday, May 21 - Children's Goodnight Walk at Indian Springs Metropark; 8 p.m.; short hike followed by indoor bedtime story and snack; \$1 per child; for ages 3-7 (and an adult); registration required; \$3 vehicle entry fee; on White Lake Road in Springfield and White Lake townships. (625-7280)

Saturdays - Overeaters Anonymous meeting at the Church of the Resurrection; 10 a.m.; 6490 Clarkston Road, Independence Township. (Carol, 625-5130)

Saturday, May 22 - Wonderful Water at Independence Oaks County Park; 1-3:30 p.m.; for children ages 6-8; games, songs, craft-making; \$5 per child; registration required; \$4.50 vehicle entry fee; on Sashabaw Road, 2 1/2 miles north of I-75, Independence Township. (625-6473)

Saturday, May 22 - Spring Stars at Indian Springs Metropark; 9 p.m.; slide presentation followed by outdoor observation; bring binoculars or telescope, if possible; registration required; \$3 vehicle entry fee; on White Lake Road in Springfield and White Lake townships. (625-7280)

Saturday, May 22 - All-you-can eat spaghetti dinner at St. Daniel Catholic Church; 6 p.m.; advance tickets: adults - \$5, children over 6 - \$3, children 5 and under - free; at the door: \$7 adults, \$4 children over 6; proceeds benefit the parish youth in their pilgrimage to World Youth Day in Denver; in the Cushing Center, Valley Park Drive, Clarkston. (625-1750 or 625-4580)

Sunday, May 23 - Business Bowl-off at Cherry Hill

Lanes North; 4 p.m.; \$75 for team of four includes bowling, shoes, pizza, salad and prizes; benefit for Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund; registration required by May 20; Dixie Highway, Independence Township. (625-8055)

Mondays - Overeaters Anonymous meeting at the Church of the Resurrection; 5:30 p.m.; 6490 Clarkston Road, Independence Township. (Grace, 627-4058, after 6 p.m.)

Tuesdays -- MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) meeting at St. Trinity Lutheran Church; 9:30 a.m. to noon; group for mothers of preschoolers and their children (birth to kindergarten) to build friendships, have fun, make crafts and strengthen their faith in Christ; \$3 meeting, \$5 registration fee; call to register; 7925 Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. (625-4644)

Wednesday, May 26 - Clarkston Area Optimist Club meeting at Senior Center in Clintonwood Park; 7:30-8:30 a.m.; public welcome; service club for men and women with theme of "Friend of Youth"; Clarkston Road, Independence Township. (625-5000)

Senior spotlight

Financial seminar

HOT LUNCH PROGRAM:

The nutritionally balanced lunch is cooked on the premises and served daily at noon. Cost is \$2 for those over age 60 and their spouses and \$3 for those younger. Reservations for lunch are due by noon the day before. Special arrangements may be made for those unable to pay the meal costs. Homebound meals are also available. Menu available by phone (625-8231).

LUNCH MENU:

Thursday, May 20 - Vegetable lasagna
Friday, May 21 - Crispy cod
Monday, May 24 - Cube steak with mushrooms
Tuesday, May 25 - Ham broccoli casserole
Wednesday, May 26 - Crispy baked chicken
Thursday, May 27 - Veal birds

Friday, May 28 - Macaroni meat skillet

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:

Monday -- bowling, bridge.
Tuesday -- ceramics, cards, volleyball.
Wednesday -- crafts, pool, band practice.
Thursday -- Bingo, woodshop.
Friday -- sing-a-long, cards, women's pool.

SPECIAL HELP:

Daily lunch, homebound lunch, transportation, health problems, referral service, home chore service, outreach services, Focus Hope food program, income tax assistance.

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES:

Senior adult softball: Leagues for men and women

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Wednesday, May 26 - American Red Cross Blood Drive at STRIVE Alternative High; 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; 5275 Maybee Road, Independence Township. (John Zittel, 674-0993)

Wednesday, May 26 - Preschool storytime at the Independence Township Library; 10 a.m. and 11 a.m.; free; films, stories, puppets, flannel board activities, games and songs; for 3- to 5-year-olds; 6495 Clarkston Road, Independence Township. (625-2212)

Thursday, May 27 - '50s-'60s Dance for Adults at Clarkston High School; 7-10 p.m.; \$5 per couple, \$3 per individual; sponsored by CHS Student Council; in the gym, off Waldon Road, Independence Township. (625-0900)

Saturday, May 29 - Wet and Wild Pond Life at Indian Springs Metropark; 10 a.m.; a chance to meet and examine some of the fascinating inhabitants, from microscopic to large, that make the pond a home; waterproof boots helpful; registration required; \$3 vehicle permit required; on White Lake Road in Springfield and White Lake townships. (625-7280)

in various skill levels include teams from around Oakland County. Days and times depend on league. Call for information.

Summer bowling league: The Senior citizen Summer Fun bowling league takes place 1 p.m. Wednesdays at Cherry Hill Lanes North, Dixie Highway. Neither talent nor registration is necessary -- just show up ready to bowl.

Tiger Baseball: This afternoon trip to Detroit's Tiger Stadium takes place Wednesday, May 26, when the Tigers face the Boston Red Sox. The \$14 cost includes transportation, general admission ticket, escort services. After the game, the bus stops at the Sign of the Beefcarver for Dutch treat dinner.

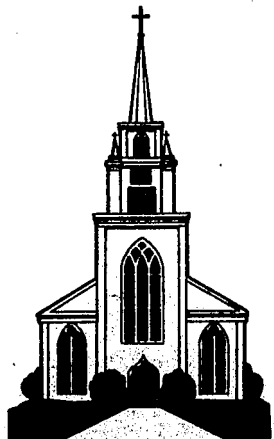
Financial planning seminar: Seminar takes place at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 20, at the senior center. Eric Altman, a chartered financial counselor for the Sun Financial Group covers estate taxes, nursing home planning, home health care, long-term care and special hints on how to stretch your dollars. The free seminar is open to the general public.

Nurse is in: 10 a.m. to noon first Thursday of the month; registered nurse Helen McCredie from the Oakland County Health Department will speak individually on your health concerns and will answer your questions.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Unless noted, all activities take place at the Senior Citizens Activity Center in Clintonwood Park, 5980 Clarkston Road, Independence Township. For more information, call 625-8231 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

AREA CHURCHES AND THEIR WORSHIP HOURS



SASHABAW UNITED PRESBYTERIAN
5300 Maybee Road, Clarkston
Worship 10:15 a.m. Nursery provided
William Schram, Pastor
Phone 673-3101

CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
(A Stephen Ministry Church)
6600 Waldon Road, Clarkston 625-1611
Sundays: Worship 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
Church School 8:30, 9:30 & 10:30 a.m.
Staff: Pastors, Doug Trebilcock, Jon Clapp
Support Director/Program Director, Don Kavern
Music, Louise Angermeyer
Youth/Education, John Loece

ST. DANIEL CATHOLIC CHURCH
7010 Valley Park Dr., Clarkston
(W. of M-15, S. of I-75) 625-4580
Pastor: Msgr. Robert Humitz
Saturday Mass: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Masses: 7:45, 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.
Nursery Available: 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.
Religious Education: 625-1750
Mother's Group
RCIA
Scripture Study
Youth Group

NORTH OAKS COMMUNITY CHURCH
Clarkston High School Auditorium
10:00 Christian Ed. Classes
11:00 Celebration Service
12:00 Refreshments
(Nursery Provided all Services)
Home Bible Studies
Kurt Gebhard, Pastor
Phone 625-7332

CLARKSTON COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD
(formerly First Church of God)
6300 Clarkston Road
Clarkston 625-1323
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service Wed. 7:30 p.m.
Dr. David New

EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION
6490 Clarkston Rd., Clarkston, MI 48346
625-2325
Sunday Services:
7:40 a.m. Morning Prayer
8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. choral Eucharist, Nursery
Member Episcopal Synod of America
Father Charles Lynch, Rector

CLARKSTON FREE METHODIST CHURCH
Corner of Winell and Maybee Road
Roger Allen, Pastor
Glenn Rupert, Youth Pastor
9:00 a.m. 1st Worship Service
10:05 a.m. Sunday School
11:15 2nd Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Vespers
Wed. Family Program 7:00 p.m.

DIXIE BAPTIST CHURCH
8585 Dixie Highway Intersection I-75
625-2311
High School 625-9760
Pastor James Todd Vanaman
Sunday School 10 a.m. Church 11 a.m.
AWANA Wed. 6:45
Wed. Eve. Service 7:00
Education Ministry
K-3 - 12 w/supervised care

PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN
270 Grange Hall Rd., Ortonville, MI
627-6222 Pastor: Paul Arndt
Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Sunday: Sunday School 9 a.m.
Adult Bible School 9 a.m.
Adult Info. Class 9 a.m.
Monday: Junior Confirmation 6:30 p.m.

CALVARY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH
6805 Bluegrass Drive, Clarkston
(W. of M-15, just S. of I-75) 625-3288
Saturday Worship: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Worship: 8 a.m./10:30 Nursery avail.
9:15 Church School
Staff: Pastors-Dr. Robert Walters, Thomas Struck
Music-Yvonne Lowe, Susie Jones
Youth Ministry-Karen Zeile

OAKLAND WOODS BAPTIST CHURCH
5628 Maybee Rd., Clarkston, MI
(313) 625-7557
Pastor: Keith Wells
Located between Sashabaw & Clintonville Rd.
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
4:30 p.m. Adult Choir
6:00 p.m. Worship
Wednesday: 5:45 p.m. Preschool Choir
5:45 p.m. Children's Choir
7:00 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer
7:00 p.m. Mission Organizations
for Preschool & Children
7:00 p.m. Youth Activities

PUBLIC NOTICE
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
PUBLIC NOTICE

Registered voters may vote absentee ballot in the June 14, 1993 General School Election if they qualify in one of the following categories:

- I expect to be absent from the community in which I am registered for the entire time the polls are open on election day.
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- I cannot attend the polls because of the tenets of my religion.
- I have been appointed an election precinct inspector in a precinct other than the precinct where I reside.
- I am 60 years of age or older.
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The deadline for ballots to be mailed is Saturday, June 12, 1993 at 2:00 p.m. However, those qualified to vote absentee may vote in the Clerk's office until 4:00 p.m. on Monday, June 13, 1993.
Joan E. McCrary
Township Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
TOWNSHIP BOARD
AGENDA
7:30 P.M.

DATE JUNE 18, 1993
Call to Order
Pledge of Allegiance
Roll Call
Opening Statements and Correspondence
Approval of Agenda
Minutes of Previous Meeting
List of Bills
Approval of Purchase Orders
Public Forum
Old Business

1. Revised Final Preliminary Plat - Spring Lake North Subdivision.
 2. First Reading 08-25-351-002 Clintonville & Maybee Road.
 3. Bid Award - Beechwood
 4. Fire Station No. 1 - Status, Need, History, Land Options.
 5. Consideration of Sound Wall Easement.
 6. Bid Consideration Concession Stand - Parks.
- New Business**
1. Rezoning Section 27 From IOP to OS2.
 2. Waldon Road Sewer Petition Special Assessment District.
 4. Reclassification - DPW.
- Only those matters that are listed on the agenda are to be considered for action. A majority vote of the Board members may add or delete an agenda item.

PUBLIC NOTICE
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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, June 2nd, 1993 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Annex Board Room, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI 48346 to hear the following cases:

- Case #93-0023 Ronald & Patricia Weber, Petitioners TABLED FROM APRIL 21st, 1993 MEETING APPLICANTS REQUEST BUILDING PERMIT ON NON CONFORMING ACREAGE WITH SETBACKS TO BE CONSIDERED Perry Lake Road, 2 Acres, R1-R Zone 08-16-100-007.
- Case #93-0036 Kenneth Gill, Petitioners APPLICANTS REQUEST BUILDING PERMIT ON EXISTING LOT OF RECORD, REAR YARD SETBACK TO BE CONSIDERED Simler, Lot 9 Deer Lake Estates, R1-A Zone 08-30-202-005.
- Case #93-0037 Albert & Jody LaLonde, Petitioners APPLICANTS REQUEST VARIANCE TO EFFECTUATE SPLITTING OF PROPERTY Thendara Blvd., Lots 19, 20 & 21, Block 5 Thendara Park Country Club, R1-A Zone 08-12-358-002.
- Case #93-0038 Thomas Hall APPLICANT REQUEST VARIANCE TO EFFECTUATE SPLITTING OF PROPERTY Deer Ridge Dr., 20.09 Acres, R1-R Zone 08-09-300-002.
- Case #93-0039 Stephen Ryan, Petitioner for Chris & Mary Haight APPLICANT REQUEST 16 FT. REAR YARD SETBACK VARIANCE FOR CONSTRUCTION OF DECK Southampton, Lot 70 Sheringham Place, R1-A Zone 08-28-379-006.
- Case #93-0040 Robert Martin, Petitioner APPLICANT REQUEST APPROVAL FOR ACCESSORY BUILDING LESS THAN 10 FT. FROM RESIDENCE Oakvista, Lot 68 & pt. of 67 Drayton, Highlands Sub., R1-A Zone 08-34-402-018.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT THE ABOVE REQUESTS 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,
Joan E. McCrary,
Township Clerk

Flora Yingling,
Administrative Assistant

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
PUBLIC ACCURACY TEST

The Charter Township of Independence announces a Public Accuracy testing of the computer program for the General School Election to be held on Monday, June 14, 1993.

This testing will be held on Wednesday, May 26, 1993 at 10:00 a.m. at the Independence Township Clerk's Office, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan.
Joan E. McCrary, Clerk
Independence Township

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Township Clerk

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CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON
375 DEPOT ROAD
CLARKSTON, MI 48346
CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING
MAY 10, 1993

Meeting called to order by Mayor Catallo at 7:37 p.m. followed by the pledge of allegiance.
Roll: Present: Arkwright, Basinger, Catallo, Roeser, Sanderson, Schultz, Secatch.

Moved by Sanderson, supported by Schultz, "That the minutes of the meeting of April 26, 1993 be approved as presented." Yeas 7, Nays 0. Motion carried.
Moved by Sanderson, supported by Schultz, "That the agenda be approved as presented with the following additions: Old Business: Fingerprinting of Village children, and Trash." Yeas 7, Nays 0. Motion carried.

Moved by Sanderson, supported by Secatch, "That the bills for April be approved for payment, excluding the bill for the patches for the police uniforms, for a total of \$17,925.89." Roll: Yeas 7, Nays 0. Motion carried.

Moved by Basinger, supported by Schultz, "That the regularly scheduled City Council Meeting for Monday, June 14, 1993 be rescheduled for Tuesday, June 15, 1993 at 7:00 p.m. because of the School Board election which will be using the City Hall as a polling place on Monday. The meeting on June 15, 1993 will serve as a budget hearing." Yeas 7, Nays 0. Motion carried.

Attorney Ryan did the first reading of the proposed truck ordinance. The ordinance is being established to keep large trucks of 5 axles or more out of residential areas in the Village. The ordinance would establish truck routes and require signs to be posted. Failure to comply with the ordinance would be a misdemeanor with penalties up to \$500 plus costs and/or up to 90 days in jail.

The ordinance will be read again at the meeting on May 24, 1993 and if approved will go into effect 20 days after publication in the Clarkston News. Chief Devore worked with the weigh master and the Oakland County Road Commission in developing this ordinance.

The Council will discuss supporting the Open Housing mission at the next meeting.
Resolved by Schultz, supported by Sanderson, "To begin the application process for Community Development Block Grants for 1994 to 1996. Roll: Yeas 7, Nays 0. Resolution passed.

The Council will discuss using CDBG funds to provide a home chore program for the elderly and low income residents, at the next meeting.
Ann Marie Gasiorek is a new police officer in the Village. Arkwright suggested providing Village residents an opportunity to have their children and grandchildren fingerprinted as a public service offered by the police department. This will be discussed with Chief Devore.

Schultz indicated that some residents are complaining about people who are putting their trash out two to three days before their scheduled pick up day. Ryan will check the current ordinance and report back to the council.
Moved by Roeser, supported by Sanderson, "That the meeting be adjourned." Yeas 7, Nays 0. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.
Jeanne Selander Miller
Clerk

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PROBATE NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
In the Matter of the Estate of: **VERLE G. SHELDON, JR.**, Deceased. File No. 83-223,960-SE. Last address: 4017 Watuga Walled Lk., MI 48390. Deceased Social Security No. 373-26-8123.

HONORABLE ROBERT G. ISGRIGG, JR. P-24924 Attorney for Per. Rep.
PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:
TAKE NOTICE: On May 7, A.D. 1993, at 8:30 a.m., in the probate courtroom, Pontiac, Michigan, before Honorable **EUGENE ARTHUR MOORE**, Judge of Probate, a hearing was held on the Petition of **TERESA L. HUNTER, TERESA L. HUNTER** was appointed personal representative of **VERLE G. SHELDON, JR.**, who lived at 4017 Watuga, Walled Lk., MI 48390, and died on 4/19/93. Creditors of the Deceased are notified that all claims against the Estate will be forever barred unless presented to the personal representative or to both the probate court and the personal representative within four (4) months of the date of publication of this notice.

Notice is further given that a determination of legal heirs of said Deceased will be made on June 2, 1993 at 8:30 a.m. or as soon thereafter as the parties may be heard.

Notice is further given that the Estate will thereafter be assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.
Dated: May 5, 1993
TERESA L. HUNTER
1468 N. 7-Mile Rd.
Lake City, MI 49651

ROBERT G. ISGRIGG, JR. (P-24924)
Attorney for Personal Representative
2745 Pontiac Lake Road
Waterford, Michigan 48328-2653
Telephone: (313) 682-8800

PUBLIC NOTICE
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STATEWIDE SPECIAL ELECTION

To the qualified electors of Independence Township: Notice is hereby given that a Statewide Special Election will be held in the Charter Township of Independence, County of Oakland, State of Michigan on Wednesday, June 2, 1993 at the places of holding the election in said Township as indicated below:

- Pct. 1 Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church 6805 Bluegrass.
- 2 North Sashabaw Elementary, 5290 Maybee Road.
- 3 Senior Citizens Center 5980 Clarkston Road.
- 4 Free Methodist Church, 5482 Winell.
- 5 Pine Knob Elementary, 6020 Sashabaw Road.
- 6 Bailey Lake Elementary, 8051 Pine Knob Road.
- 7 American Legion Hall, 8047 M-15.
- 8 Clarkston Elementary, 6576 Waldon Road.
- 9 Clarkston Elementary, 6576 Waldon Road.
- 10 Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road.
- 11 North Sashabaw Elementary, 5290 Maybee Road.
- 12 Bailey Lake Elementary, 8051 Pine Knob Road.

Purpose of this election is to vote on the following Ballot Question:

PROPOSAL A
A PROPOSAL TO LIMIT ANNUAL INCREASES IN ALL PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENTS, REDUCE MAXIMUM SCHOOL OPERATING TAXES, INCREASE THE STATE SALES AND USE TAX RATES FROM 4% TO 6%, CONSTITUTIONALLY DEDICATE FUNDS FOR LOCAL SCHOOLS AND SET A PER-PUPIL FUNDING GUARANTEE

- The proposed constitutional amendment would:
- 1) Limit for each property parcel (excluding new construction) annual assessment increase to 5% or the inflation rate, whichever is less. When property is sold or transferred, adjust assessment according to current market value.
 - 2) Reduce maximum school operating taxes to 18 non-voted mills. Permit districts to levy up to 9 additional voted mills.
 - 3) Reduce 50-mill maximum property tax limit to 40 mills.
 - 4) Increase state sales and use tax rates to 6%. Dedicate this additional revenue and lottery proceeds to schools.
 - 5) Establish a minimum state/local per-pupil funding guarantee, annually adjusted for revenue changes. Provide a minimum 3% per-pupil funding increase in 1993-1994.
- Should this proposal be adopted?
YES NO

040-CARS

1984 BUICK LaSABRE, LTD. 4dr. Excellent condition. Runs great. 628-5898. IILX20-2

1984 CHEVETTE, \$800 obo. 628-6836. IILX21-2

1984 CUTLASS SUPREME, V8 auto, ps/pb/pw. \$1850. 627-9146. IICX42-2

1984 DODGE, good body, needs motor. 335-9586. IILX20-2

1984 FIERO: RARE FIND. Indy 500 with auto transmission. \$5,500 negotiable. 628-1591. IILX15-12*

1984 MAZDA GOC, Air condition, auto, 100K. \$800 obo. 394-1003. IICX42-2

1984 SUNBIRD: 5 speed, 4 cylinder. \$400. 625-4705. IILX21-2

1985 BUICK RIVIERA: V8 engine. Loaded, well maintained. Looks and drives great. Very nice car. \$2750 or best offer. 673-1439. IICX41-4nn

1985 CAMARO IROC, Black. Auto. T-tops, excellent condition. \$5,000 obo. Must see. Call after 6pm, ask for Brian. 625-7026. IICX42-2

1985 CELEBRITY EURO SPORT: 4 door, 2.8 engine, automatic. Good tires and transportation. Rear end smashed. \$700 obo. 627-6320. IICX41-2

1985 FORD MUSTANG GT, 5.0, 5speed. New white paint. Many new parts. Loaded. Excellent condition. \$3,950 obo. 623-6976. IICX42-2

1985 FORD LINCOLN Town Car: Loaded! Excellent condition. New tires. 302. Blue with vinyl top. \$3,800. 693-5566. IILX21-12nn*

1985 OLDS CALAIS, LOADED. Blue, 2 door coupe. New 7 year Delco battery; Trailer hitch; high miles. Excellent transportation. \$1,195. Phil, 693-2735 nights; or 543-8200 days. IILX16-12nn

1985 OLDSMOBILE CUSTOM Cruiser Station Wagon, 350 auto. Newly painted, low mileage, AM/FM stereo, cruise control and AC. Runs good. Reese hitch. Excellent condition. \$1,500. 628-1354. IILX21-4nn

1985 PONTIAC 6000. 60,000 miles. \$4,500. 625-1759 home, 528-7262 work. IICX52-cc

1985 PONTIAC 6000: Good looking. Mechanically sound. Inexpensive transportation. \$2,400. 628-1591. IILX15-12*

1985 PONTIAC T1000, auto, 4dr. 91K. Loaded. \$1,400. 628-6367. IILX20-2

1985 THUNDERBIRD turbo coupe: All options. Turbo charged 4 cylinder, 5 speed manual, A/C, PW/PL, electric seats, AM/FM stereo cassette. Four extra wheels & tires. \$1,600. 628-7787. 696-7018 days. IILX21-4nn

1986 CHEVROLET \$2,900; 1987 Chevrolet \$2,400; 1987 Cadillac Coupe DeVille. 22,000 miles, \$5,600. 628-2459 or 628-3562. IILX21-2*

1986 DODGE 600 ES Convertible, loaded. Original owner. Clean. Maintenance records. \$3,450. 391-2682. IILX18-12nn*

1988 CADILLAC CIMARRON, Gray on gray. 61,000 miles loaded. \$4200 obo. 391-0602. IILX19-4nn

1988 MUSTANG GT. All options. Below average miles. Excellent mechanic. New parts & tires. \$6,000 obo. 628-0815 after 5pm. IICX30-12nn*

1986 FORD MERCURY MARQUIS, small body. Air, ps/pb/pw/pl; am/fm cassette. 94,000 miles. \$1500. 693-5566. IILX18-12c*

1986 JEEP, CJ7, 61,000 miles, 6 cylinder, 4speed stick. Hardtop and softtop. Very good condition. \$3900 or trade for boat. 693-9550, days or after 4pm, 673-6340, ask for Fred. IILX20-4nn

1986 MERKUR XR 4TI, 54,000 miles. Leather, auto, sunroof. Mint condition, loaded. \$5,500 obo. 693-1072. IILX21-2

1986 PLYMOUTH DUSTER, Auto. Looks good/ runs good. \$1675 ask for Bill or LeAnn. 625-2670. IICX41-2

1986 PONTIAC PARISIENNE V8, loaded. Excellent condition. \$2,900. 391-2809. IILX21-4nn

1986 S10 BLAZER 4x4 Sport, 80,000 miles. Wife's car, good condition. Must sell. \$4,600 obo. 693-9853. IILX18-4nn

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1987 NISSAN SENTRA, 5speed stick. Excellent condition. Great mileage. \$2195. 391-4775. IILX20-2

1987 PLYMOUTH Sundance, needs front clip except bumper and driver's fender. Make offer. 628-4311. IILX20-2

1987 RED BONNEVILLE, AC, pb/ am/fm. New tires, brakes and battery. 75,000 miles. Clean. \$4,500. 391-2898. IILX21-2

1988 AIRES-K WAGON, 5-speed stick. Good condition. \$2500 obo. After 6pm, 391-2578. IILX18-12nn*

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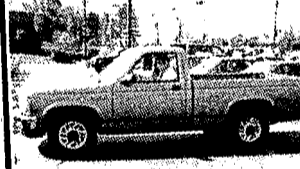

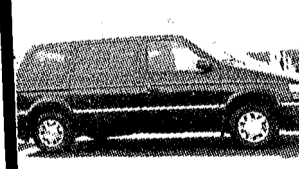
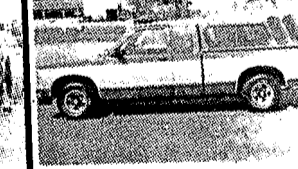
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040-CARS

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 1989 SHELBY TURBO Z. White, loaded, air, 5-speed, sunroof. Original owner. Looks great, mint condition. \$7600. 377-3328. IICX29-1fdh
 1989 SUZUKI SWIFT GTI: 16 valve, DOHC. 30,000 miles. 4 wheel discs. Factory aluminum wheels. Non-smoker. 28/35 MPG. Spotless. \$4,800. 969-2273. IILX20-4nn
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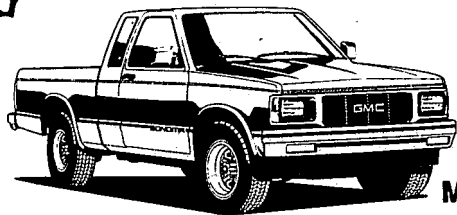
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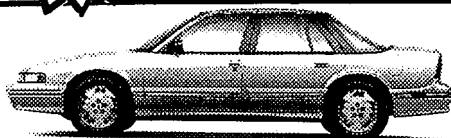
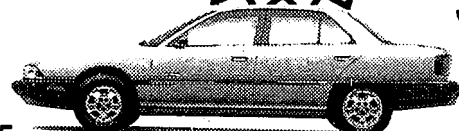
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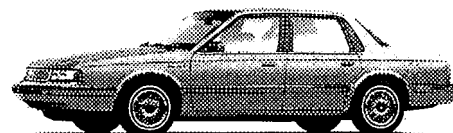
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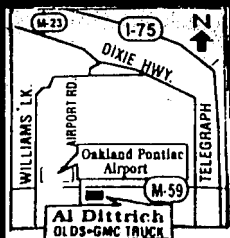
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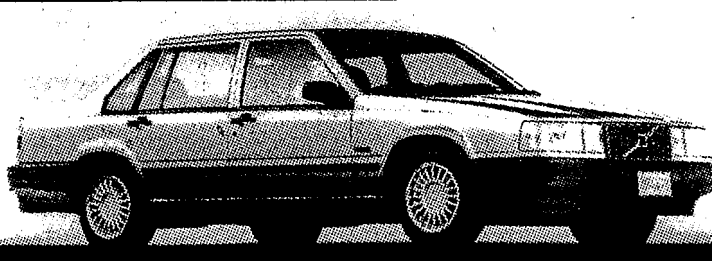
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Fifth-grader amuses friends, family with cartoons

BY CATHERINE PASSMORE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Jessie Doyle, a pretty little fifth-grader at Clarkston Elementary, has big hopes and dreams — and a lot of talent.

Jessie is an artist. She has developed a host of characters for her original cartoons, is beginning her own line of greeting cards, and has a series of pencil drawings called "Bunny Tales," which puts bunnies into fairy tale settings.

Her parents, Rick and Nancy Doyle, discovered their middle daughter had talent when she was very young.

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"My mom said I probably started drawing in preschool. Everyone else was drawing stick people, and I was drawing real people."

Jessie Doyle



JESSIE DOYLE, 10, is an aspiring artist. The fifth-grader at Clarkston Elementary School would like to begin selling her own line of

greeting cards and has developed a cast of cartoon characters — and strips — for her own enjoyment.

drawing real people," Jessie explained.

The cartoons came first. "I was on the phone doodling and came up with (Harry). Then I needed more characters."

She now has four main characters for her cartoons: Harry, Chuck, Capital and Drool. It takes her a half hour to draw and write an entire cartoon. "These guys are easy to draw; they're just shapes. I guess some people would think they're hard, but they're easy for me."

Jessie said she wouldn't want to sell her cartoons right now. "My friend Jessie (Thomas) and I are making up cartoons and putting them in a book, but it's just for fun."

Last year, after making a birthday card for one of her sisters, and with a little prompting from her mom, she decided to try her hand at greeting cards.

"It takes me about an hour to do a card," she said. She has birthday cards, get well cards, invitations, and friendly cards.

"I'd like to get them copyrighted and then sell them," she said.

The "Bunny Tales" will be submitted to 4-H for judging.

"All I did was draw a glass bunny on our piano," she

said.

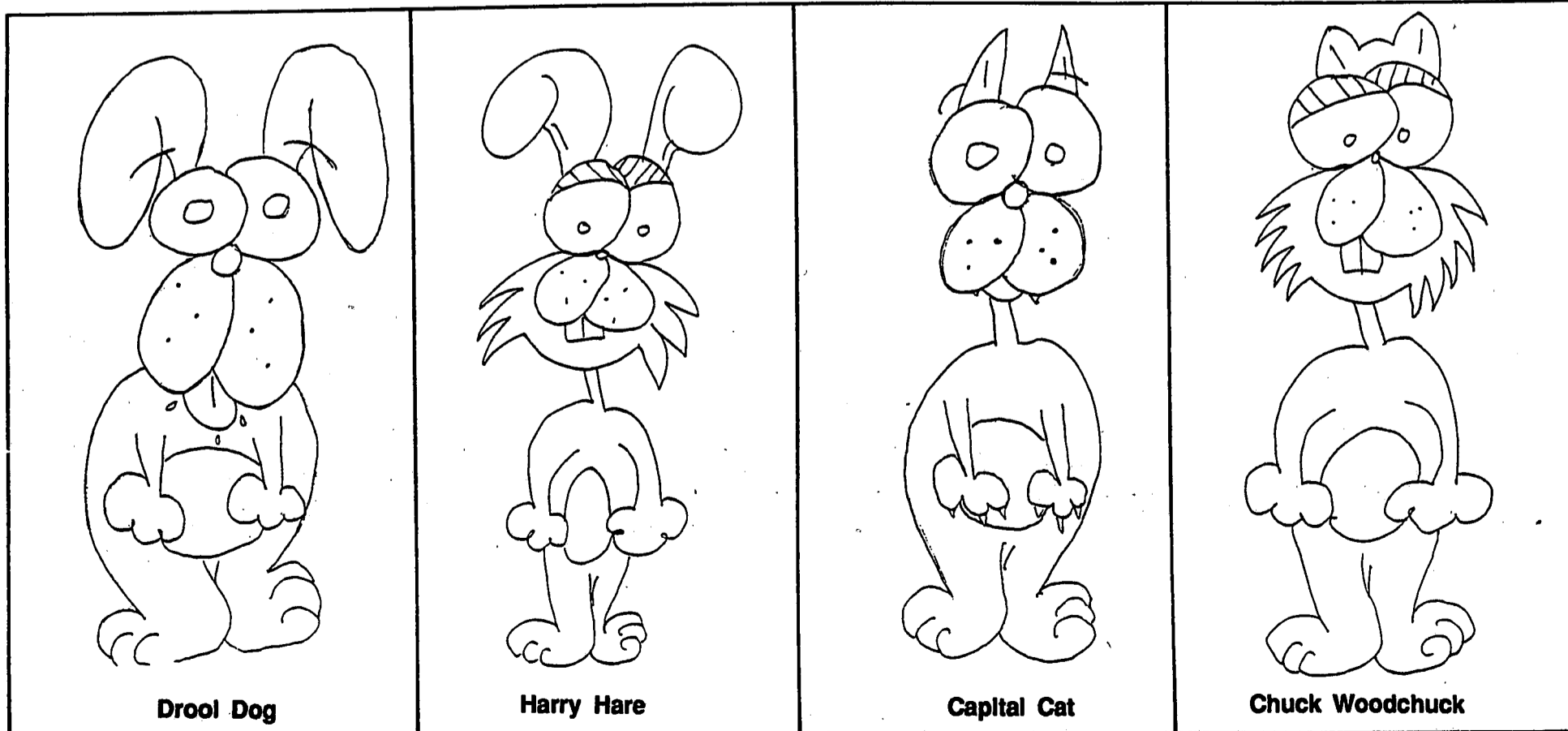
She turned it into Romeo from "Romeo and Juliet." She has drawn scenes from "Snow White," "Sleeping Beauty" and "Aladdin," using bunnies as the characters.

"I think they're cute and I like the shading," she said about these creations.

Jessie doesn't have a special place to draw. "I just

draw anywhere. I usually draw the 'Bunny Tales' in the living room. I like to draw at school when I have free time."

Although she's only 10, Jessie has narrowed her career choices to two. When she grows up, she would like to do "something in acrylic painting or a (be) professional cartoonist," she said.



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THE ORIGINAL fireplace warms what is now the library of Bihl and Peppler's home. The

library formerly was the front room in the Wompoles' original house.

A house with history

Historic Wompole home, now modernized, on SCAMP Home Tour 11

BY CATHERINE PASSMORE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Twenty years ago, David Bihl went to a party in a historic home in Clarkston.

"I said, 'Someday I'd like to own this house,'" recalls Bihl. And so he has — for the past two and a half years.

The original house at 105 Wompole, just east of Main Street, Clarkston, was built in 1928 in what used to be the Wompole family's orchard.

Bihl and Evelyn Peppler, both employees of school districts, have taken great pains to furnish their home with period colors and furniture. Their personal history is integrated throughout the home, giving it a comfortable, nostalgic ambiance.



ALL THE WAY from Scotland, this 1880s wardrobe in the master bedroom is a beautiful addition to the decor. Peppler made the doll.

Area residents have a chance to take in that atmosphere during the Clarkston SCAMP Home Tour 11 June 5 and 6, when five area homes and two buildings are opened to the public. (See related story.)

In the Wompole house, Bihl and Peppler have kept the original frames, doors and windows where possible.

The original house at 105 Wompole, just east of Main Street, Clarkston, was built in 1928 in what used to be the Wompole family's orchard.

They also have removed carpet to show the original wooden floors.

When a visitor walks in the front door, to the right is what formerly was the "front room." Bihl uses it as his library. The original brick fireplace and wood mantle are here — still in working order. Bihl and Peppler put in the numerous bookshelves, custom-made to appear from the same era as the house itself.

To the left through the foyer is the dining room. The buffet belonged to Bihl's grandmother. Bihl's grandfather and his baseball team appear in a turn-of-the-century photo above the buffet. Two keys on display traveled with Bihl's ancestors when they came from Sweden in the 1870s.

"I don't know what they go to, but that is all we have left of them," Bihl explained.

Framed announcements are from Bihl's parents' and grandparents' weddings.

In the kitchen are the original cabinets. The floors are a soft pine that Bihl and Peppler found under the Linoleum.

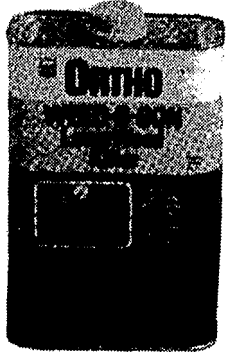
"We wanted to modernize the kitchen yet keep the old feel," said Bihl.

They've added appliances and extra counter space. Peppler's antique jar collection is displayed on a shelf above the sink.

Through the kitchen is the living room, which was added to the house eight years ago, though it's not readily (See FAMILY, Page 3)

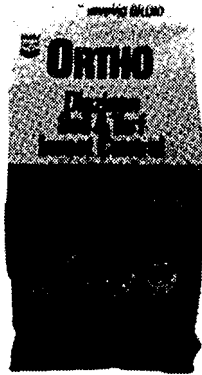
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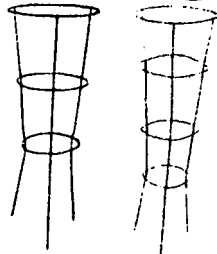
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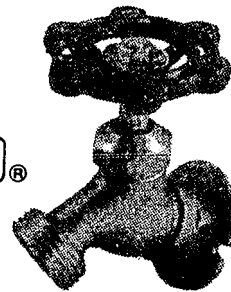
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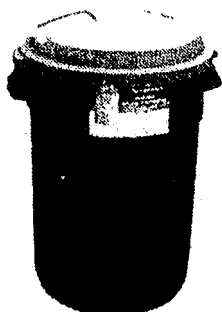
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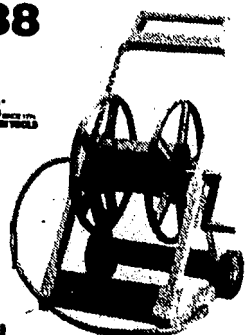
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Family history added to home

(FAMILY, from Page 1)

apparent. Bihl pointed out that previous owners took care to keep the flow of the house such that visitors can't tell what's new and what's old.

Bihl and Pepler helped this along with their color schemes and period furniture. Bihl credits Pepler with this skill.

"If I had picked the colors it would have been all beige," he said with a laugh.

A dining room set from the 1900s fits perfectly in the living room area. Pepler found the nine-piece set in horrible condition and refinished it to its now beautiful

"We've tried to put a lot of our families into our house."

David Bihl

state.

The sunroom was furnished for comfort. One can sit in the room and watch people walking down Main Street and Clarkston Road or just feel the warmth of the sun.

Back through the living room is a sitting room, which served as the master bedroom when the house was first built.

The atmosphere of the second floor of the house also gives a sense of history and family.

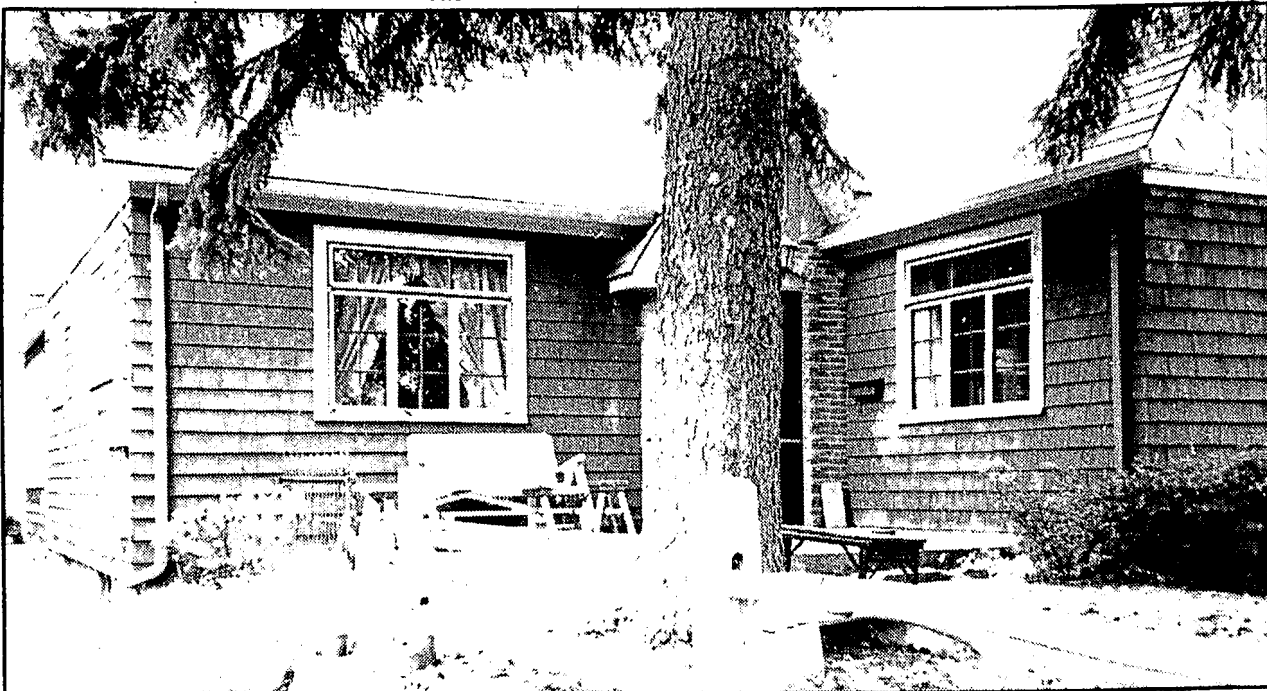
On the stairway wall is a picture of Pepler's great-grandfather's farm in Gagetown, Mich. In the hall is a display of family photos, including a wedding photo of Pepler's parents and a picture of her dad and his four brothers when they were children.

There is also a picture of two children walking down a path hand in hand. In the corner is a similar picture of Bihl's son and daughter when they were children.

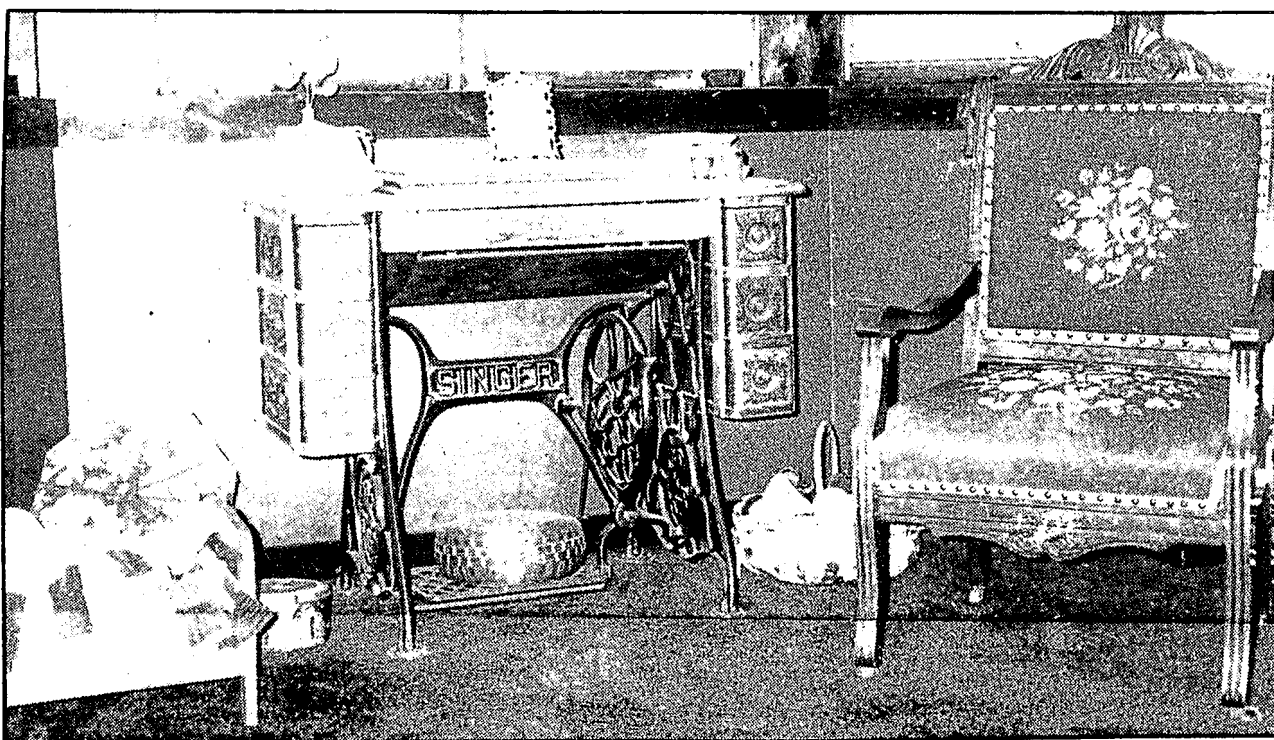
"It just reminded me of them, and we framed it," he explained.

Upstairs are three bedrooms. The master bedroom was added to the house when the living room was built. The brass bed came from an orphanage. Near the door is a cobbler's bench, where signs of many shoe repairs from the past are apparent.

Quilts in the master bedroom were handmade by (See BIHL, next page)



THE FRONT of the house is equipped with a picnic table and chairs, providing the ideal spot for entertaining guests — just the purpose for which Bihl and Pepler use it.



ALTHOUGH, she doesn't use this antique sewing machine, Pepler has incorporated it into her home's decor. The home appears on the SCAMP Home Tour in June.

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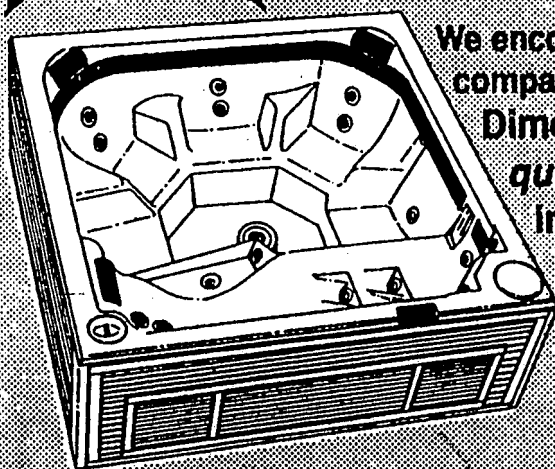
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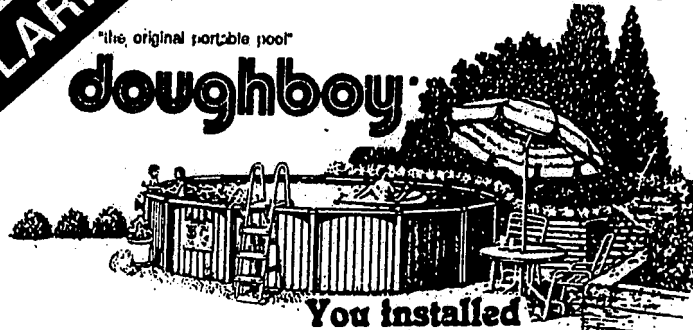
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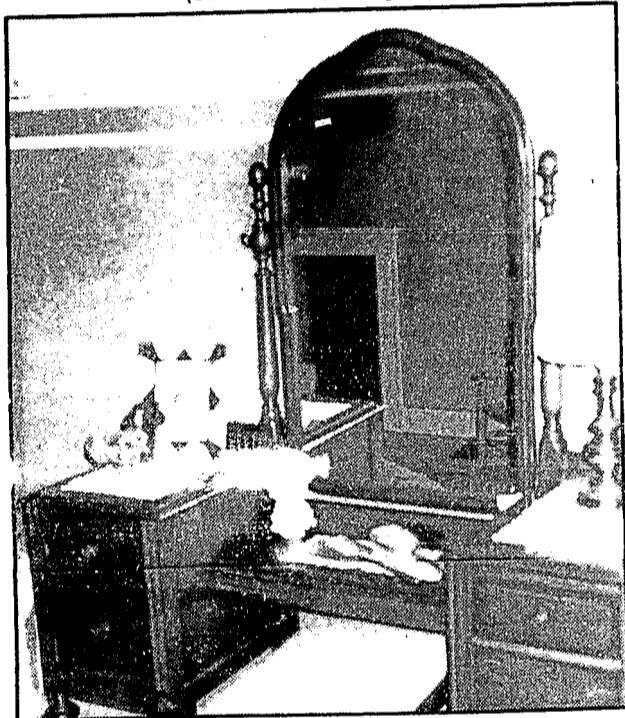
On Saturday, tickets (tax-deductible) cost \$50 per person and include a private champagne reception at the Historic Clapboard Church on Main Street. Tickets are available in advance from Clarkston SCAMP, 6590 Middle Lake Road, Clarkston, MI 48346, or at 6:15 p.m. the night of the preview, at Main and Washington streets, in the village.

On Sunday, tickets are \$15 (tax-deductible) per person and, for the first 400 ticket holders, include a light luncheon at the historic Clarkston Cafe from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Tickets may be purchased 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Main and Washington streets. A shuttle service between homes also is available.

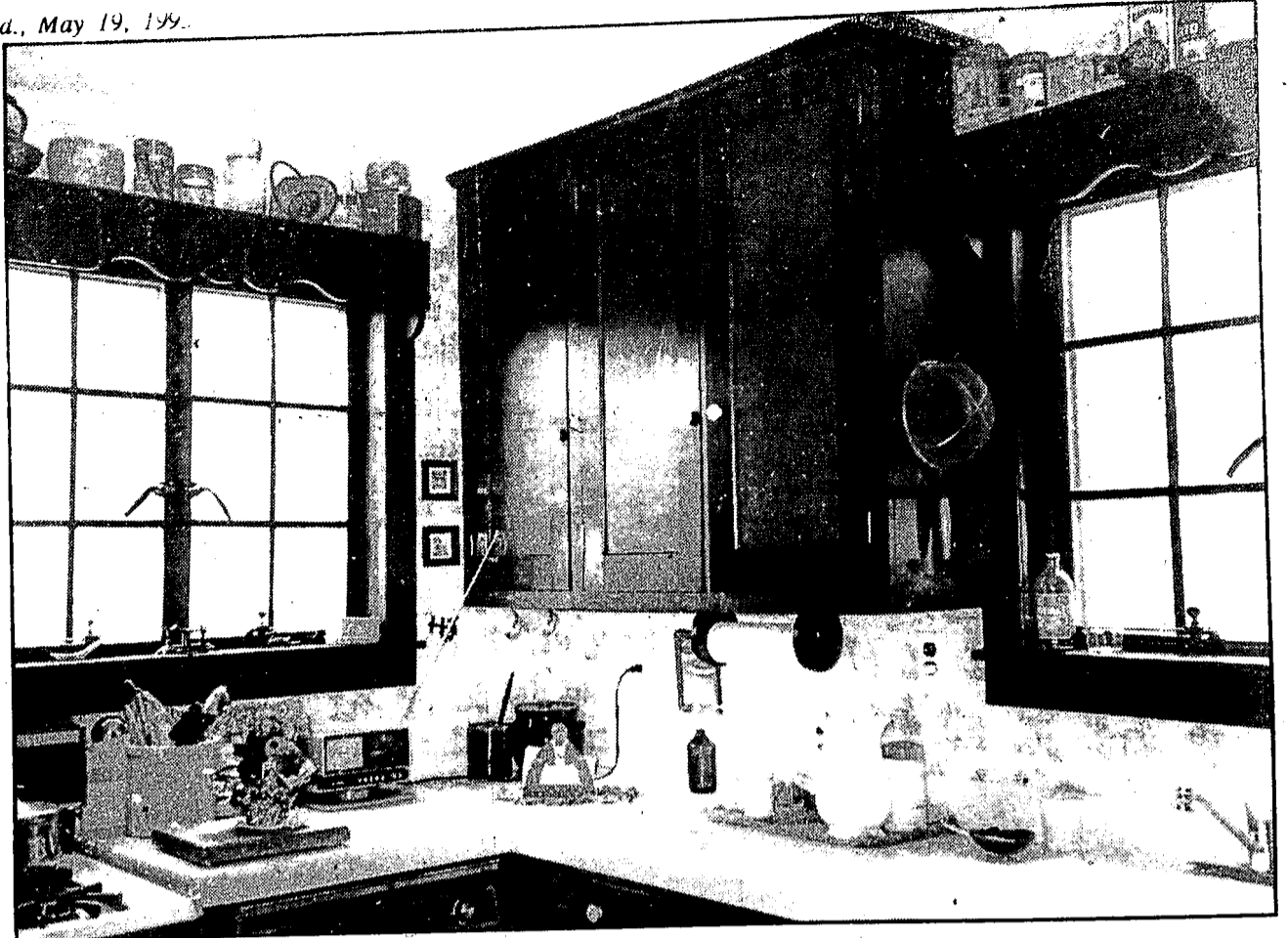
Five homes featured

Homes on tour include the following:

- Andrew and Laura Creamer's English Tudor- (See SCAMP, next page)



SHIRLEY Temple's picture adorns an antique vanity.



THE KITCHEN has been modernized but still has the feeling of yesteryear, with original cupboards and a soft pine floor discovered beneath the Linoleum.

Bihl-Peppler home showcased

(BIHL, from previous page)

Bihl's grandmother and her great-grandmother. The wardrobe came from Scotland in the 1880s. Dolls around the house were made by Peppler, as were quilts in the other upstairs bedrooms.

The bedroom sets in the other two bedrooms are from the 1930s.

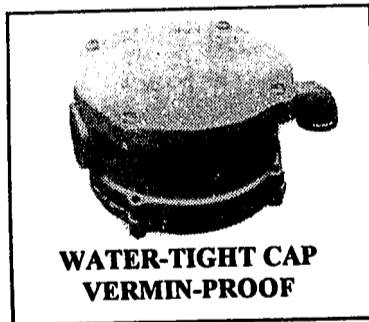
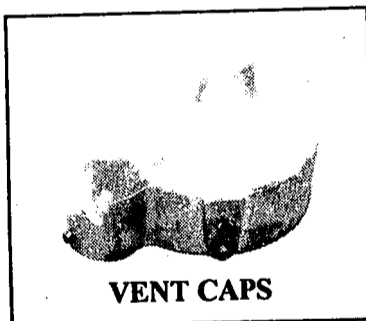
"We've tried to stay with the same time (period) throughout the house," said Bihl. "The only thing new is what you sit on."

In the green room, Peppler does her sewing. In the corner is a table bed — a table that pulls out to form a real bed. In old jars around the room are old buttons, wooden spools of thread and old clothes pins. There is also a little rocking chair that Peppler used as a child.

Bihl noted that their home contains a lot of furniture and artifacts from their ancestors. "We've tried to put a lot of our families into our house," he said.

The house, it seems, is all the better for it.

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SCAMP Home Tour includes seven buildings

(SCAMP, from previous page)
style condominium in the Pine Knob Manor complex features seven rooms, which serve as a tasteful repository of family heirlooms and antiques.

■ Nancy Noonan's Country French site condominium in the Pine Knob Manor complex includes nine rooms, 3 1/2 baths, and a traditional design scheme highlighted by Oriental accents.

■ David Bihl and Evelyn Pepler's "cottage" (1928) in Clarkston retains the feel of a home of that era and is furnished in family antiques (see related story).

■ Mary and Steve Himburg's clapboard farmhouse-style house on the Mill Pond, Clarkston, was built around 1890, with a 1920s addition and a great room added by the Himburgs two years ago. Mary's craft artistry appears throughout the 10-room home, which is barrier-free for Steve, who uses a wheelchair.

■ Across the street from the Himburgs is the home of Dan and Carolyn Bielak, who live in a nearly century-old California-style bungalow. The interior features woven wall hangings and quilts, made by Carolyn's late brother, an environmental artist and designer. The prairie garden portion of the landscaping also is a tribute to him.

Two commercial buildings on tour

Also on the tour are two Clarkston commercial buildings.

■ The Clarkston Village Post Office on Main Street (Palladian Gothic style) was built in 1911 as a township hall. Its history of use includes evening "picture shows," classrooms for the crowded local school, and a stint when it was owned by Henry Ford. Attorney Dennis Kacy purchased the building in 1976 and extensively renovated it into a six-room law office with the decorative theme of Colonial Williamsburg.

■ The Parsonage on Main Street has an uncertain construction date, but it was purchased in 1895 to serve as a parsonage for the First Baptist Church, built in 1847, next door. The parsonage was purchased a few years ago by Clarkston Mayor Sharron Catallo and her husband, Clarence, who are in the midst of renovation. The lower floor is home to Creations Best, an antique and flower shop. The upper floor eventually will serve as a two bedroom apartment.

Clarkston situated around Mill Pond

In 1830, Linus Jaycox built the first home in Clarkston, but Butler Holcomb made the first use of the abundant water for power by constructing a saw mill in 1832. A grist mill was added to the operation after Holcomb sold his business to the Clark brothers, Jeremiah and Nelson W., in 1838.

The Clark brothers not only gave the town its name but also improved the area. Settlers steadily arrived and

by 1860, the settlement was a real town.

With the construction of the railroad, Clarkston attracted tourists, who used the Mill Pond and nearby lakes for recreation. Some of the summer houses still remain, but the inns have disappeared.

Just as in decades ago, the business district is still a series of independently owned shops situated in larger structures, most of which were constructed more than 50 years ago. The surrounding residential section still finds families occupying many homes that were built over 130 years ago.

The Village of Clarkston was placed on the National Register of Historic Sites in 1980.

SCAMP — a summer camp for kids with special needs

Proceeds from the tour benefit Clarkston SCAMP, a five-week summer day camp for children and young adults with special needs. It takes place in the Clarkston area, serving more than 300 students.

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Sweet scents of summer easy with fragrance garden

BY JULIE FINUCANE

Today, people are so incredibly busy. We're stressed, stretched and searching for simple, healthful pleasures. We need to make connections with our simpler past and spend time with nature and family to keep a realistic perspective.

Why not try a scented garden? Take some time to stop and smell the roses.

Fragrance appeals to one of our most mysterious senses. Eluding conscious interpretation, certain smells seem to pull directly at our emotions, evoking feelings or longings that we cannot explain. Other scents throw us

Some scents throw us back to another place and time, making us recall fragments of memories that we'd otherwise have forgotten.

back to another place and time, making us recall fragments of memories that we'd otherwise have forgotten.

Why not add the element of scent to your garden?

As with any other type of gardening, it is important to assess the growing conditions in the site where the fragrance garden will be placed and to limit ourselves to the plants that will thrive there.

A complete fragrance collection might include trees, shrubs, annuals and perennials, as well as herbs — so some thought should be given to the overall composition and to the succession of bloom within the different plants chosen.

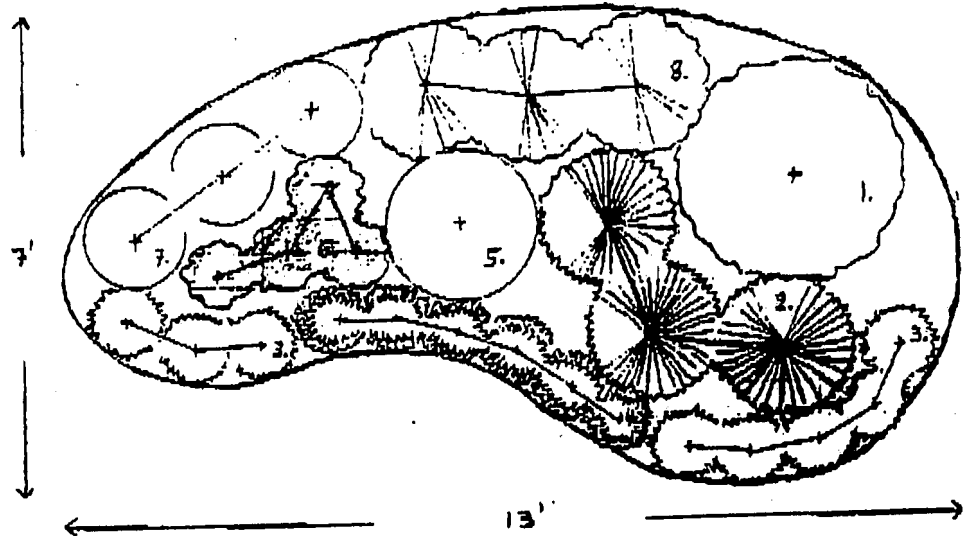
As a rule, either flowers or foliage of a plant will be fragrant. Keep in mind that leaves will usually give off a scent only when crushed or brushed against, while flowers will breathe their scent out into the air.

Plan your garden so you will have fragrant contributors at all times during the growing season. And remember, many herbs can be grown indoors in winter months, and many more fragrant plants can be dried and brought indoors to be used as decorations and potpourri.

The garden design shown gives some ideas and helps put selections together in a way that appeals to the eye as well as the nose. Feel free to add your favorite plants to the composition, or try something new.

Julie Finucane of Davison, a Michigan Certified Nurseryman, is assistant manager of the tree and shrub department at Bordine's Better Blooms, Springfield Township.

The scented garden (sun)



Bloomtime extends from May to September.
Various species illustrated may not all be in bloom at the same time.

Plant selection — first choice

- | | |
|---------------------------------|-----|
| 1. Rose | (1) |
| (Angel Face or Perfume Delight) | (3) |
| 2. Daylily "Hyperion" | (5) |
| 3. Dianthus (pink or white) | (6) |
| 4. Lemon Thyme | (1) |
| 5. Peony | (4) |
| 6. Lavender | (3) |
| 7. Catmint | (3) |
| 8. Tall Garden Phlox | (3) |

Plant selection — alternate choice

- | | |
|------------------------------|-----|
| 1. Rose | (1) |
| (Fragrant Cloud or Oklahoma) | (3) |
| 2. Southernwood | (5) |
| 3. Sweet Alyssum or Petunia | (6) |
| 4. Santolina | (1) |
| 5. Pineapple Sage | (4) |
| 6. Scented Geranium | (3) |
| 7. Purple Basil or Carnation | (3) |
| 8. Gasplant | (3) |

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Some other plants with fragrance are listed below. (The quality of a given scent is highly subjective — something that appeals to one person may be repulsive to another. For this reason, there is no attempt to rate the different plants on whether they smell "good" or not.)

Perennials

Snowdrop Anemone (flower)
 Daylily (flower) Stella de Oro, Hyperion, Bonanza, etc.
 Dianthus, especially cottage pinks, clove pinks and border carnations
 Lily of the Valley (flower)
 Yarrow (leaves)
 Hosta (flower) Royal Standard, Honeybells, August Lily
 Lavender (flowers and leaves)
 Peony (flowers)
 Phlox (flowers)
 Gas plant (flowers)
 Alpine and Icelandic Poppy (flowers)
 Sedum "Brilliant" (flowers)
 Lilyleaf Ladybells (flowers)
 Houtuyinia Chameleon (leaves)
 Perennial Geranium "Walter Ingwersen" (leaves)
 Lupine (flowers)
 Bee Balm Monarda
 Queen of the Meadow (flowers)
 Lilies — Oriental Hybrids

Herbs, annual

Dill	Curry plant
Chervil	Lovage
Borage	Oregano
Caraway	Basil
Coriander	Parsley
Fennel	Rosemary

Herbs, perennial

Chives	Lovage
Winter Savory	Lemon Balm
Santolina	Mints
Tansy	Bergamot
Marguerite Daisy	Rue
Artemisia, all types	Germander
Chamomile	Thyme (leaves) — try the
Sweet Woodruff	creeping varieties between
Hyssop	paving stones
Lavender	

Annuals and Biennials

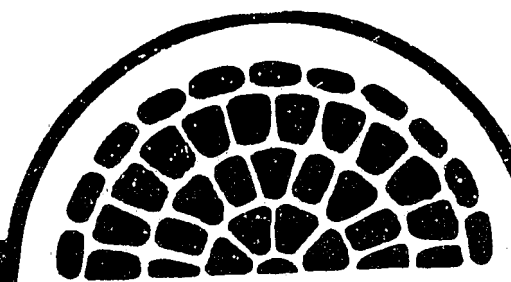
Snapdragons	Nicotiana
Sweet William	Marigold
Carnations/ dianthus	Nasturtium
Heliotrope	Verbena
Sweet Pea	Petunia, especially white,
Alyssum	violet blue and purple varie-
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Shrubs

Butterfly chestnut	Daphne
Boxwood (leaves)	Deutzia
Cornelian Cherry	Russian Olive
Caryopteris Blue Mist (leaves)	Wintergreen
Clethra Summersweet	Witchhazel
Juniper, especially sabina-type (leaves)	Privet
Mahonia (Oregon Grape Holly)	Honeysuckle
Pieris Japanese Andromeda	Bayberry
Viburnum Burkwood, Carlesii	Elder
Variegated Wiegela	Fragrant Sumac
Azalea, Rhododendron	Yucca
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	Mockorange



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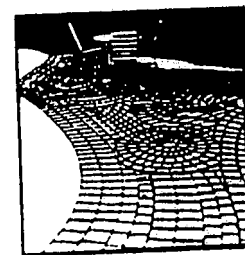
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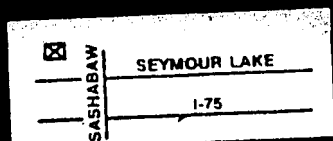
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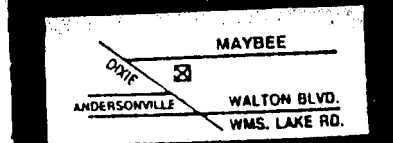


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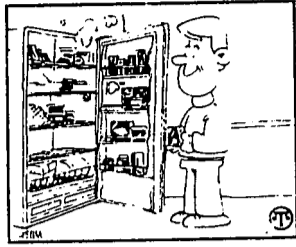
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Summer freezer-cleaning tips



Few people include defrosting their freezer as a favorite summertime activity.

However, you should defrost and clean your freezer annually. There's no time like the present, before you freeze this summer's crop of fresh fruits and vegetables.

So if your home freezer isn't a no-frost model, follow these summer cleaning tips:

- Turn off and unplug the freezer.
- Remove frozen food and store it for a few hours. Your best bets are in your refrigerator's freezer compartment or in a neighbor's freezer. Another method: Wrap food packages in several layers of newspaper, put it in a box or basket and cover it with a blanket (it will stay frozen for several hours).
- Melt and remove the ice build-up. Caution: Use only a plastic scraper, pans of hot water or a hand-held hair dryer to speed melting. Never use an ice pick or other sharp tools, which can damage the freezer.
- Drain or remove all defrost water.
- Wash the inside and outside of the freezer with warm water and mild detergent. Rinse and dry thoroughly.
- Plug in unit and turn it on.
- Reload freezer with frozen items. Be sure to wait until freezer has reached 0 degrees before adding fresh items to be frozen.

Locksmiths offer vacation do's, don'ts



More burglaries occur in July and August than at any other time of year. Not coincidentally, that's the time of year most people go on vacation.

Most burglars gain entry to a home through exterior doors or windows or garage doors. Here are some ideas from the Associated Locksmiths of America to protect your home while you're away.

- All entry doors and doors within 40 inches of windows should have double-keyed deadbolt locks.
- Door locks should not be reachable from mail slots or pet entrances.
- If you are not certain about who has keys to your home, you should have the locks changed and have new keys made.
- Windows should have pins or locks on the casings to impede entry.
- If you have a conventional gravity-drop garage door, you should have a spring-loaded bolt that is anchored in concrete on the inside of your door installed.
- Install electric timers for your lights, arrange to have your lawn mowed and the mail picked up by friends or a neighbor.

Planting a salad bowl garden

The fun, flavor and satisfaction of home-raised vegetables prompts millions of American homeowners to plant backyard gardens every year.

But, until recently, those who live in apartments or simply lack the space, time and energy for full-scale gardening have had to settle for store-bought fare.

The recent development of modern, lightweight potting mixes and the availability of large, inexpensive containers make it possible to raise vegetable on a deck, patio or even in a sunny windowsill.

Here are some tips for planting your own salad bowl garden.

1. Select a wide-mouthed container at least five or six inches deep with drainage holes in the bottom.
2. Fill the container with a lightweight, soil-less potting mixture designed for container-gardening. Lightweight mixes need to be thoroughly dampened before planting.
3. Plant seed or started transplants from your garden center. Looseleaf, non-heading varieties of lettuce work best. Here are some other easy-to-grow, good-tasting vegetables to try.
 - **Swiss Chard:** Resembles lettuce, but doesn't bolt to seed in hot weather. Try the ruby red variety, "Rhubarb," interplanted with green vegetables for a beautifully decorative bowl.
 - **Scallions:** Interesting to grow and a zesty addition to salads and other recipes. Grow them from seed or from onion sets available at the garden center in the spring.
 - **Radishes:** Fastest growers and many delicious kinds to choose from. Plant radishes every few weeks to ensure a continuous supply.
4. Set your salad bowl gardens where they'll receive five or six hours of sunshine daily. Bowls of lettuce alone



The brilliant yellow saffron that makes dyes and food flavoring comes from dried autumn crocuses. It takes 4,000 flowers to yield one ounce of saffron—hence its high price.

Avoid planting trees too close to your house: The height and spread of a tree will dictate how close it can safely be planted to your home.

A tree generally should not be allowed to get more than 50 percent taller than the highest part of the house—unless it is planted as far away as its ultimate height.

A tree that will reach 100 feet should be planted at least 75 feet away from the house. A tree that will reach 20 feet should be planted at least 15 feet away.

Planting your tree in the proper place will ensure that it provides beauty and value for years to come.



The Bolas spider does not trap insects in a web. It spins a line of silk with a drop of sticky silk at the end. The spider swings the line at an insect and traps it in the sticky ball.

will tolerate somewhat less than this. If you place the bowls outdoors on a patio or deck, remember to wait until danger of frost is past. As the weather turns warmer, you will need to provide some shade during the hottest part of the day to slow lettuce down and prolong your harvest.

5. Keep the soil in your containers uniformly moist but not soggy. If you have a number of containers or need to be away from home for a day or two, you may want to consider some kind of automatic watering system such as drip irrigation.

6. Vegetables grown in containers do best with small amounts of fertilizer applied often. Feed them with a complete fertilizer (one containing nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium plus trace elements) starting when they are four to six inches tall and then every two weeks thereafter, using half the amount recommended on the package.

Once your salad bowls are up and growing, use them as decorative accents on your patio, deck or a sunny spot indoors. For added color, try mixing them with pots of bright edible annual flowers like nasturtiums or flowering herbs.

Please eat the nasturtiums



For the healthiest and most colorful salads, sandwiches and other recipes, add flowers.

Edible blossoms make the simplest dishes a treat for the eye and the palate. Blossoms that are pretty and good to eat include violets, pansies, marigolds, squash blossoms, dandelions and particularly nasturtiums.

Nasturtiums are the most popular, and perhaps, tastiest of the edible flowers. They have a peppery crispness, like watercress. Their red, orange and gold blossoms are high in vitamin C, and they are said to contain a penicillin-like ingredient that helps ward off infections.

How to grow them

Grow nasturtiums from seed. They don't transplant well. Grow them outdoors in full sun, and provide netting or other support for the vines to climb. In pots, also in sun, allow them to cascade like hanging gardens. Feed them every two weeks with water-soluble fertilizer applied to the roots and leaves.

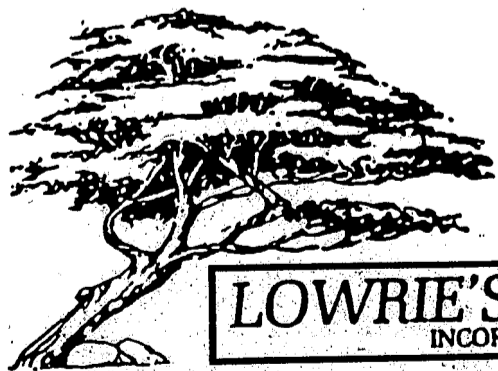
How to use them

Use nasturtiums fresh. Flowers, leaves and stems are all edible. In salads, a plain oil and vinegar dressing allows their distinct flavor to come through.

For a dramatic and delicious omelet, add a pinch each of pimento, parsley, garlic and a couple of chopped nasturtiums. Add butter, and salt and pepper to taste.

Nasturtiums are a marvelous accent with meat or seafood dishes, in herb vinegars, wherever a touch of color or a little zing are called for.

When growing anything to eat, avoid using harsh chemical pesticides or herbicides. When gathering flowers or other plant for consumption, make sure you know how they've been grown. And if in doubt, don't eat it!



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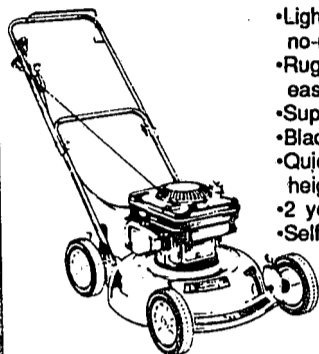
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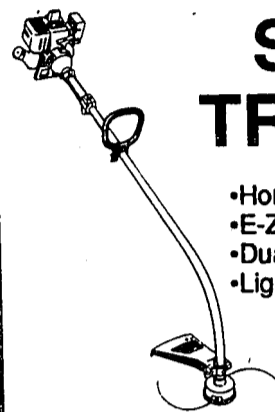
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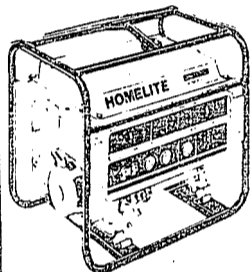
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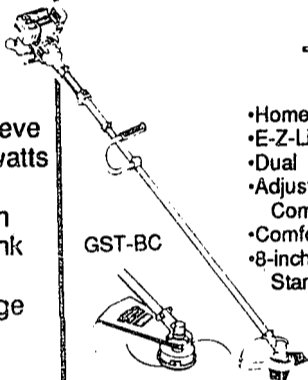


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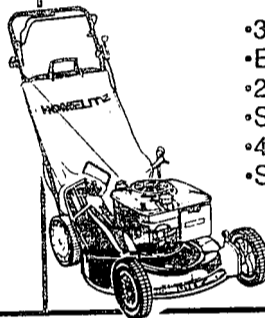


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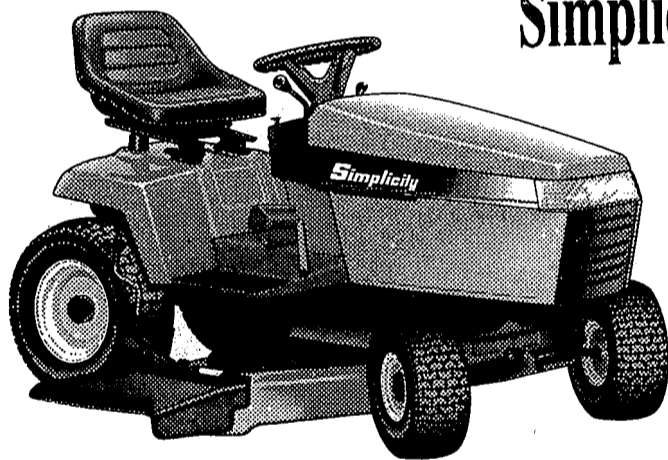
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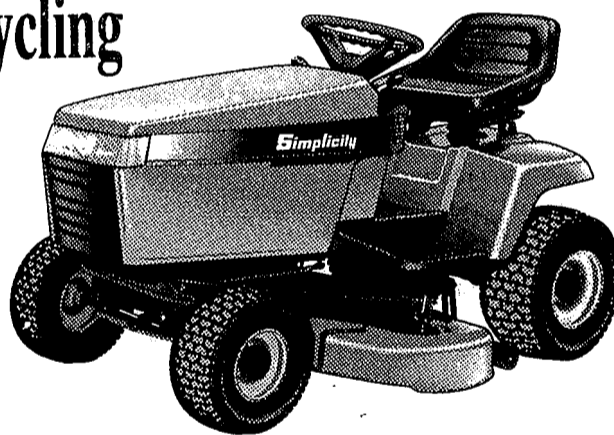
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How can I solve my garbage disposal problems?

Q. My garbage disposal seems to get stuck on a regular basis, and I'm tired of calling the plumber. Is there anything I can do myself to avoid these costly visits?

A. If your kitchen sink has backed up and you have a disposal that has stopped working, the problem usually lies with the disposal, not the drain lines.

A disposal has several thick blades on the top of a round "can," which spins around like a blender to grind up residual waste in your sink. At times, items become lodged between this "can" and the housing in which it spins.

To free up the disposal, first, **MAKE SURE THE SWITCH IS OFF!** Then take the wood end of a broom and insert it in the disposal until you feel the bottom. Put the other end of the broom over your right shoulder, and rotate the broom in the disposal against one of the blades to dislodge the foreign material. After you feel the blade has moved, remove the broom and turn on the disposal. If this does not work, you should call in a professional plumber.

To avoid minor problems, remember, a disposal should not be used as a garbage can, but only for incidental garbage. If grease or oil accidentally has been put in the sink, always pour in some liquid detergent and warm water, so the grease breaks down and does not clog up the disposal and the drain lines.

Other objects that should not be put in the disposal are fish scales, bones, shrimp shells, fruit seeds and any man-made products, including aluminum foil, plastic paper or metal.

Q. I am planning to renovate my bathroom. What should I consider before I get started?

A. There are many options to consider, but eventually cost may be the determining factor in what you can and cannot do. Start by setting an affordable budget figure. Then narrow your design by selecting items most favorable to your budget.

The most costly item is likely to be the tile, should you choose to use it. Of course, if you are doing a quick and easy makeover, you can install a fiberglass shower or tub surround for a few hundred dollars (for materials), eliminating the need for tile around the wet area. If at all possible, an existing tub should be reused and refinished or relined, saving substantial costs for replacement.

If you do use tile, granite or marble, the costs can range from \$3 to \$25 per square foot. On a standard 5-by-8-foot bathroom, this alone could run into thousands of dollars, depending on how much wall are you cover. A cost-saving method is to tile the floor, the baseboard and only around the shower or tub, about 5 feet higher than the tub.

Ceramic tile varies in price, depending on the size of the tiles, the finish and the quality. Spending an hour at a ceramic-tile store before you begin to design would be extremely helpful. Whatever tile you choose, make sure that it is applied over a concrete-type board or exterior-grade plywood, as water eventually penetrates the grout in the joints.

The second most expensive item will be plumbing fixtures. A standard 24-inch, in-stock base cabinet ranges from \$125 for a laminate to \$325 for solid wood. The sink top could cost between \$125 and \$325 for solid wood. The sink top could cost between \$125 and \$325, depending on whether it is cultured or real marble. Pedestal sinks range from \$125 to \$400, depending on the style and finish. Faucets range from \$50 to \$180, including the drain accessories, unless you prefer solid gold.

If you are designing a deluxe bathroom and are considering a Jacuzzi, it can add from \$2,000 to \$6,000 to the overall cost. If you are in this league, you probably will have marble or at least tile everywhere, increasing your overall costs.

A few items you definitely should add while you are doing an overhaul include one or two dedicated receptacles for blow-dryers and other heavy consumers of electricity. Also, an additional wall- or ceiling-mounted heat source is worth a few hundred dollars of expense for the convenience of quick heat in severe cold weather. An exhaust fan also should be included, as well as insulation in all of the walls.

One other aspect to consider is lighting. Down lights can add to the design of a bathroom for around \$100 each, instead of the usual surface-mounted fixtures. Another alternative is wall-mounted sconces or makeup lights over the sink.

The Handyman is provided by Joe Zorc of the Home Builders Institute.

Apply insect repellent properly, safely

The rise in Lyme disease cases coupled with the record mosquito population have many people wondering how to protect themselves against biting insects.

Protection is critical since ticks and other biting insects or arachnids can transmit diseases such as Lyme disease, spotted fever, encephalitis and Dengue fever, in addition to being painfully annoying.

These repellent usage guidelines are endorsed by the Environmental Protection Agency.

- Wear light-colored, tightly woven clothing to make insects and particularly ticks more visible and more difficult to cling to you.

- Minimize wearing flowered, patterned or bright colors and perfumes, which attract insects, namely mosquitoes.

- When possible, wear a collared shirt with long sleeves, long pants and socks. Tuck shirts into pants and pants into socks to keep insects from crawling inside.

- Look for a DEET-containing insect repellent and follow the labeled instructions carefully. DEET, which is registered with the EPA, is the only repellent effective against biting insects that can be used on both skin and clothing.

- Match the length of time you need protection from

biting insects with the appropriate level of DEET concentration.

- Hold can about six inches away from yourself when spraying, using a sweeping motion, and use just enough to lightly cover clothing and exposed skin. Moisten all exposed skin with spray and spread evenly with your hand.

- Never use repellents over cuts, wounds or irritated skin.

- Don't spray repellents directly on your face; use your hand to apply the product and avoid your eyes and mouth.

- Adults should apply the product to youngsters, lightly and sparingly. Apply to exposed skin, but not to the hands and feet of children too young to know not to put them in their mouths.

- At home, remove standing water in and around drain pipes and gutters. Water trapped in children's toys or sand boxes attracts mosquitoes.

- When eating outdoors, keep food covered at all times, especially sweets. Throw trash away promptly.

Transform your yard with hedges: Hedges serve many purposes such as defining the areas of the yard, enhancing the display of flowers, directing the flow of traffic in the yard and garden and protecting the house and the garden from weather extremes.

They can give definition to the various parts of your garden or lend a more private feel to your outdoor living area. For example, you might try a hedge of shrub roses between the lawn area and the vegetable garden work areas. You can also use hedges to make an outdoor room with green living walls.



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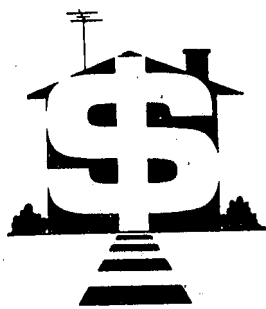
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Landscape your home to improve its resale value



Landscaping can improve the resale value of your home by as much as 27 percent, says the American Association of Nurserymen (AAN).

In today's real estate market, it pays to make an investment such as landscaping to draw buyers to your home.

You can develop a neat, low maintenance landscape that will immediately set your house apart from others on the market. Trees and other landscaping features provide what real estate agents call "curb appeal." This is the subtle but significant factor that determines whether a buyer will want to look at your house.

One of the first things a prospective homebuyer looks at in a house, real estate experts say, is the entrance to the home. When prospective buyers come to look at your house, they will be struck by the overall appearance of your yard and the details around the front door. For the savvy homeowner who designs an appealing — and easy to maintain — landscape, this first impression can help make the sale.

In addition to the psychological and aesthetic impact, landscaping adds real economic value to a home. If you think about how quickly a \$20 plant grows into an eye-catching \$200 shrub, it is easy to see why landscaping helps a home appreciate. According to real estate appraisers nationwide, trees in particular can make the value of

your property grow.

A recent study demonstrated that homes with trees can sell for much more than homes without trees. The study compared identical homes on lots with trees and lots without trees. It found that homes on the lots with trees sold for \$9,500 more than those on lots without trees.

One reason that trees are so valuable is that they provide many benefits, such as noise abatement, protection from cold winter winds and energy savings.

Landscaping, of course, is more than planting trees.

A home landscape can include a wide variety of plants, shrubs, flower beds, vines and other vegetation, as well as man-made elements, such as stairways, brick walls, patios and decks. Fortunately, your landscape does not have to be elaborate to increase the selling price of your house. It simply needs to be attractive and easy to maintain.

If you want to join the ranks of homeowners who are getting ahead in the real estate market through well landscaped homes, talk to the experts at your local garden center or landscape firm.

FASTFACTS

Ten Tips for Fire Safety

Do's

- ✓ 1. **DO** have at least one smoke detector on every floor of your house, including the attic and basement.
- ✓ 2. **DO** install fresh batteries in your smoke detector in the spring and fall, the same day you set your clocks forward or back one hour. Test the batteries monthly.
- ✓ 3. **DO** have a plan for getting out of your house in the event of a fire. Conduct family fire drills.
- ✓ 4. **DO** have a prearranged meeting place outside your home where your family knows to gather.
- ✓ 5. **DO** have a fire extinguisher in your home at every location where a fire is likely to start.

Don't's

- ✗ 6. **DO NOT** place flammable materials near stoves or other sources of fire.
- ✗ 7. **DO NOT** store flammable liquids or rags soaked in flammable liquids any place in your home.
- ✗ 8. **DO NOT** attempt to put out a fire yourself, unless it is very small and easily contained.
- ✗ 9. **DO NOT** attempt to retrieve valuables before exiting a burning building.
- ✗ 10. **DO NOT** go back into a burning building for any reason whatsoever.

Source: National Association of State Fire Marshals

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Free nutrition, food hotline

Have you ever wondered about the safety of a certain food that's been left in the back of the refrigerator?

Or are you embarrassed to admit you don't know what to do with that frozen turkey?

Help is available from the Food and Nutrition Hotline, offered by the Oakland County Cooperative Extension Service.

"No question is silly to us," says Sylvia Treitman, home economist for the Extension.

Treitman and her staff answer food and nutrition questions as a free service to Oakland County residents. Call 858-0904 for answers.

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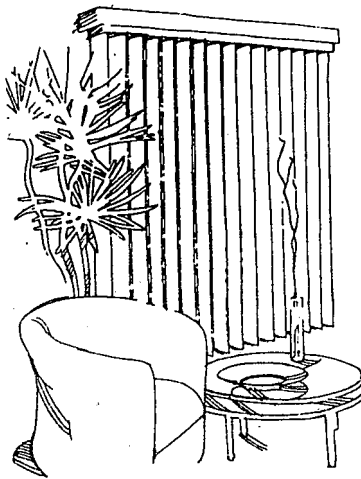
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Summer 'bug boom' brings pests out in force

Did you ever wonder why there are so many more bugs in the spring and summer?

The warm weather brings the pests out in force and provides them with ideal conditions to breed.

For example, two German cockroaches carried in with moving boxes in early spring can become 500 by summer. Two fleas that hitch a ride indoors on the family pet need only 18 days to multiply into a crew of 500.

Homeowners can take steps to help protect against infestation. The following tips from Orkin Pest Control will help keep pests from making themselves at home in your house:

Indoor tips

- Store garbage pails in dry places, not moist, dark areas such as under the kitchen sink; empty often and keep clean.

- Don't keep old newspapers and paper bags for extended periods.

- Inspect plants for pests before bringing indoors.

- Transfer dry food products to air tight containers; keep cupboards clean.

- Inspect possible entry points such as windows, door frames and pipes for openings; caulk or screen areas to close entry.

Outdoor tips

- Store firewood outdoors, away from the side of the house and off the ground; shake off logs before bringing inside; only bring in what you will burn immediately.

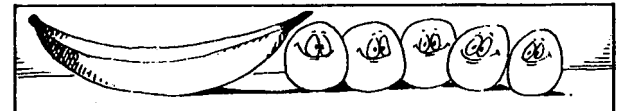
- Trim tree limbs so they don't touch or hang over the house.

- Don't let leaves accumulate in gutters or outside drains.

- Keep grass short.

- Minimize exterior lights.

Even the cleanest of homes attracts pest, so it is wise to have a professional inspection to find signs of pests the untrained eye may miss.



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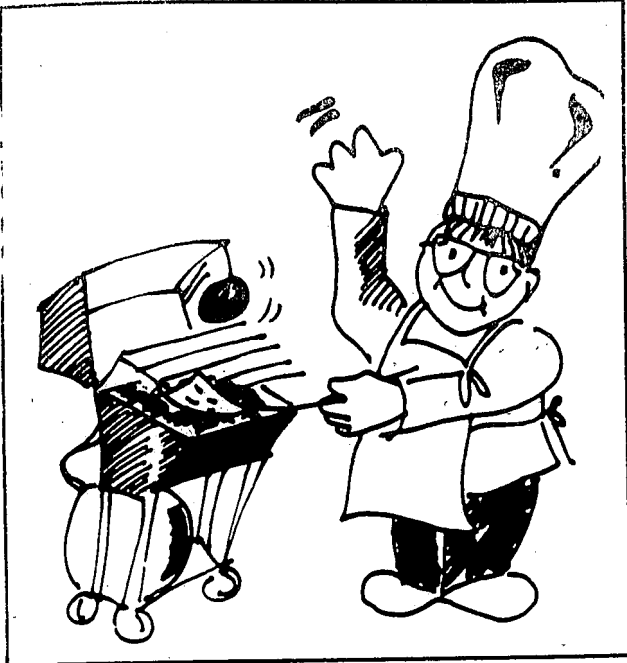
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Baby's laundry can be easier

These strategies ease the way for new moms and dads

Many new parents are dismayed to discover that, along with their new bundle of joy, comes a bundle of baby laundry!

The mountains of diapers, plastic pads and pants, and soft, cuddly washable toys present new challenges to people who are accustomed to doing a few loads of adult laundry each week.

Laundry experts from Whirlpool Corp. offer these tips for dealing with challenging stains such as infant formula, baby food, baby oil and diaper soil:

Pretreat stains immediately. Pretreat fresh food stains with a liquid detergent or a paste of powdered detergent and few drops of water. Soak oily items in a solution of heavy-duty detergent and water.

Rinse diapers immediately in cold water. Then soak them in a diaper pail in a solution of lukewarm water and a small amount of detergent until you're ready to wash them. You may wish to add a diaper conditioner to the soaking solution to control bacteria and odors.

When it's time to wash diapers, pour out the solution from the diaper pail. Put diapers — no more than three dozen at a time — into the washer on the final spin cycle to remove excess water.

If your washer has a prewash or soak cycle, use detergent and warm or cold water to prewash or soak the diapers. Then wash them 8 to 10 minutes in hot water with plenty of detergent. Add liquid chlorine bleach, if needed, for sanitizing, whitening and any remaining stain removal; and use a fabric softener if you don't use one in the dryer. Follow with a cold rinse and regular spin.

Dry diapers on regular setting and remove them from the dryer when there's still a hint of dampness in them.

For best results, use a gentle wash cycle for plastic items and washable soft toys. Never dry plastics or items containing foam rubber on heat setting in an automatic dryer. Use the air (no heat) cycle only — or let them air dry naturally. Heat drying these items can damage them or cause a fire. As always, be sure to check and follow all instructions on the item's care label.

To use the air setting, place items in the dryer as usual. Add three or four dry towels to help absorb moisture. Select the air setting and set the timed cycle for 20 minutes. Remove items when they're still slightly damp.

Some dryers feature a removable rack for drying tennis shoes or other heavy items that thump when tumbled. The rack attaches to the dryer drum at four points, and remains stationary in the drum as hot air circulates around the items. If your dryer includes a rack, use it to hold delicate booties, canvas shoes, and washable stuffed toys. For rack drying, select the heat setting recommended for special washables.



Summertime grilling tips

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The American Gas Association offers some energy-saving tips when using a gas grill:

- Limit preheating time.
- Use only one burner on a dual-burner grill, unless both burners are needed.
- Prepare slow-cooking foods on the grill to keep heat out of the kitchen and to save on air conditioning.
- Cook with the grill cover closed to shorten cooking time and to enhance the smoked flavor.
- Cook several foods or an entire meal at one time.
- Use a thermometer or timer to eliminate guesswork and overcooking.
- Keep "burn off" cleaning time to a minimum.
- Thaw frozen foods before grilling unless directed otherwise.
- Keep the grill clean and properly maintained by following the instructions in the owner's manual.



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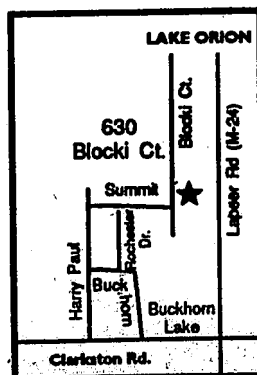
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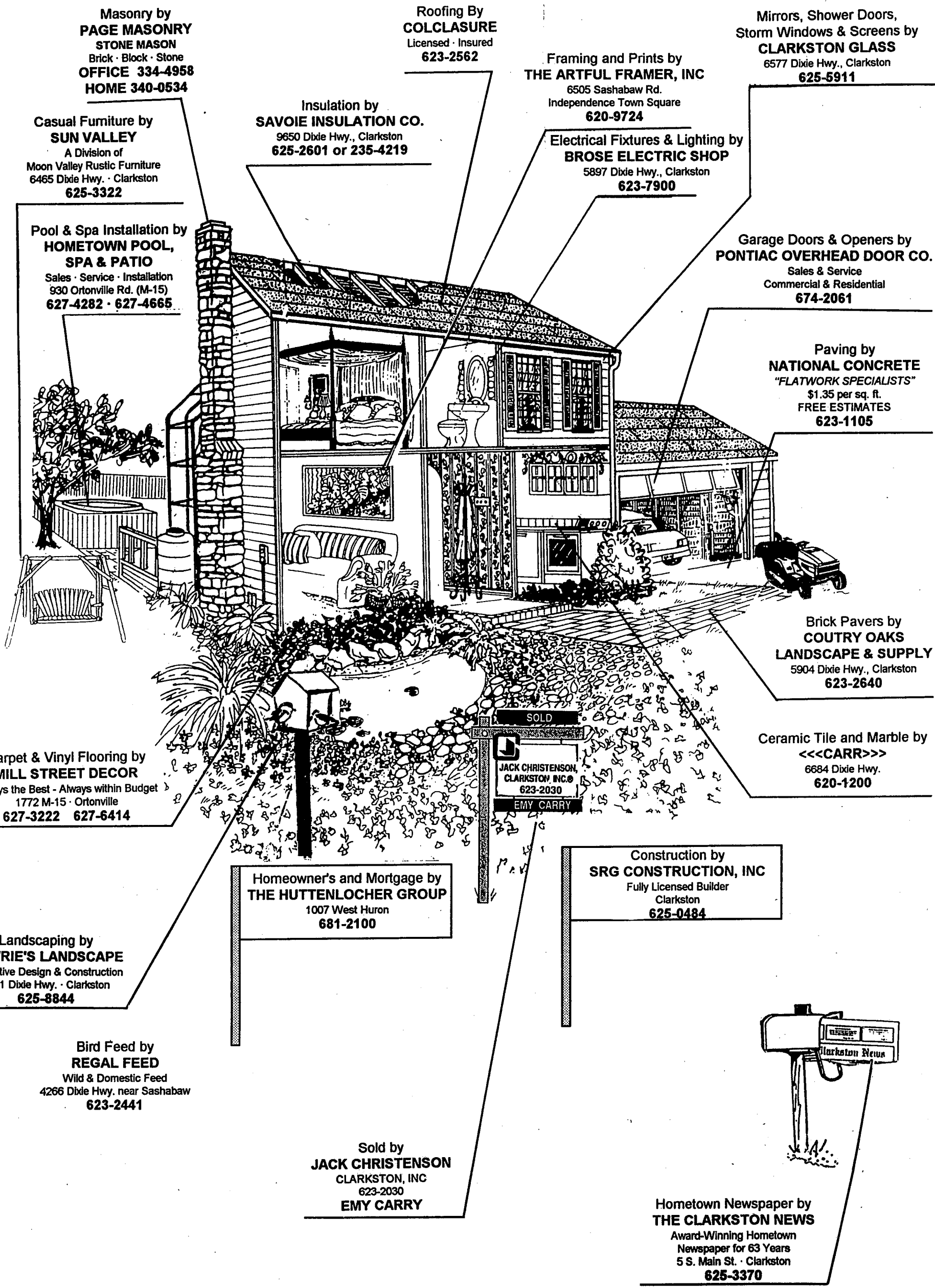
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