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Candlelight vigil



TWENTY area residents participated in a Lighthouse North candlelight vigil Dec. 11, acknowledging the needs of the less fortunate.

Local's fight goes national

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

A Clarkston area resident made national headlines last week when her employer told her to remove a sign wishing passersby a "Happy Hanukkah."

On Dec. 6, Jill Burstein, a security officer at the Renaissance Center, Detroit, was told by a supervisor that she had to remove a sign emblazoned with the message "Happy Chanukah," as Hanukkah is often spelled, from her desk. The distraught employee, who felt her religious freedom was being stifled, complained to superiors, but her pleas proved unsuccessful.

A couple of days later, she decided to go public about the matter, via the media.

"What I don't understand is that no one complained about me having Halloween or Thanksgiving items at my desk," Burstein said from her Clarkston residence. "But as soon as one internal complaint came in about my sign, they decided that such things aren't meant in the work place."

"They had the nerve to say that after continually playing Christmas music in the center all day," she added. "My superiors were very insensitive about the whole issue."

Burstein isn't Jewish, but her husband, Gary, is and they raise their three youngest children under the Jewish

doctrine. She thought the sign would help lend some festive diversity to the RenCen, which plays host to international visitors every day.

"Here, I was trying to honor a holiday that I hold dear and management wouldn't hear of it," she said.

Well, management did her of it, when the story was picked up by Detroit's newspapers, radio and television stations. According to Burstein, the RenCen was besieged by calls from angry citizens.

She also received calls at home, but of a supportive nature.

"After the story broke, I had people calling me at home and leaving messages for me at work," she said. "The public outpouring was unbelievable. I've received at least 30 calls at home, from people both Jewish and Christian."

"Total strangers were calling me, crying, and telling me to stand tall," she said. "I even had one native Romanian call me and say he couldn't believe that these types of things go on in this country."

Burstein said the furthest most phone call came from a person in Williamsburg, Va., who had seen the story in her local paper, via an Associated Press report.

Burstein also received support from the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) and the Anti-Defamation

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Bah humbug!

Christmas rip-offs leave some angry

BY CATHERINE PASSMORE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

While area residents get into the holiday spirit, there are Grinches on the loose trying to take it away.

Oakland County Sheriff's report at least six area homes were robbed of Christmas spirit and property last week.

"Theft is awful anytime, but especially during the holidays," said Cindy S., whose plastic Santa was stolen.

From Dec. 4 to Dec. 8, Christmas decorations were damaged or destroyed at four addresses, a pine tree was

*"Those bad people will
be punished. Santa
Claus won't bring them
any presents."*

Christopher, 4-years-old

stolen from a yard and another was damaged when someone tried to cut it down.

"We're going to have this — like we do every year," said Lt. John Taylor of the OCSD Independence Township sub-station.

An 8-foot, \$200, Blue Spruce tree was stolen from the yard of a home on St. Andrews Dec. 4. The next day in the 7100 block of Chapelview outdoor Christmas lights were cut and destroyed.

On Dec. 7, a 5-foot plastic Santa worth \$50 was taken from a home in the 5900 block of Klais. On the same night in the 9500 block of Klais a 4-foot white snowman, also worth \$50, was stolen and lights were damaged.

Cindy said her son Christopher, 4, was heart-broken when Santa disappeared. "He told me, 'Those bad people will be punished. Santa Claus won't bring them any presents,'" she said.

Four days later a candy cane at the end of Cindy's driveway was also stolen.

A resident in 7100 block of Deerhill Drive reported Dec. 8 a \$75 Christmas wreath of live pine boughs and \$20 worth of Christmas lights were stolen.

Also on Dec. 8, someone attempted to cut and steal a pine tree in the 4900 block of Clearview, doing about \$100 worth of damage.

Taylor said that all but one of the thefts was done in the late evening or early morning hours. There is physical evidence in the incident on Deerhill Drive that is being investigated.

He has ordered extra patrol in various areas and deputies will be stopping suspicious vehicles for questioning. He said there are no suspects in any incident at this time.

Cindy said her neighbors are on the look out too. "We don't know who (stole their decorations) or why, we just hope it stops."

Briefly . . .

Snow removal help

Clarkston's department of public works hired Dan Bentley who will work with the city's snow removal equipment. Steve Secatch, city council member and liaison for the department, said Bentley has experience with big equipment and will start at \$6.75 per hour.

The DPW keeps a staff of four part-time workers.

Stay off our streets

Truckers driving rigs with more than three axles may find that they are not welcome on Clarkston's streets.

City council tabled making a decision on proposed truck ordinance which would put the city in line with an Oakland County truck ordinance which allows trucks with more than five axles on all streets.

Clarkston's ordinance reads no more than five axles; however, most of the council agreed the number could be too high for its residential streets, many of which are showing signs of wear from increased use.

Steve Arkwright proposed that Tom Ryan, city attorney, investigate the effects of reducing the number of axles to three on city streets.

However, the council agreed if the drivers could show they had business in town, they would not be in violation of the ordinance.

A revised ordinance will be presented at the Jan. 10 council meeting.

Hi-tech voting at hand?

Voters could see Clarkston enter the modern age of scantron voting.

Oakland County, in an effort to set up a county-wide uniform system of voting, sent the city a proposal to set it up with three voting booths and scanners for \$5,975. The county's proposal included a lease purchase agreement where the city could pay for the

machines over a six-year period.

Clarkston's voters now use a paper ballot, which according to Jeanne Selander Miller, city clerk, is fine for the small elections, but for national elections it's a "nightmare."

City council members agreed that more information was needed before making a decision. William Basinger asked if the city could rent the machines for national elections only and keep the paper ballots for the smaller elections.

Others questioned the cost.

"If we do not need it, we do not need to spend the money," said Doug Roeser, city council.

Miller will report back to the council at the Jan. 10 meeting.

Helpern steps down

Joseph Helpern, president of the Clarkston school board, stepped down from his post Monday night.

He cited a pending out-of-state transfer as the reason behind his decision.

"I just don't feel like I can sufficiently expend the time to appropriately serve the position," he told school board members.

He has vowed to complete the school year in the role of trustee.

This summer, Helpern and his family will move to New York, where he'll be employed at the Nathan Kline Institute For Psychiatric Research, Orangeburg. At this clinic, he'll serve as the director of the Center for Advanced Brain Imaging.

He also intends to teach courses in neuro-imaging at New York University.

Since 1988, Helpern has been director of nuclear magnetic resonance research and senior staff investigator in the Department of Neurology at Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit.

Vice-president Tom Howard, who was immediately elevated to school board president, thanked Helpern for his three years of service to Clarkston schools.

Howard's vice-presidential seat was later filled by Bill Craig on a unanimous vote from the board.

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CLARKSTON Cafe

Spirit of giving alive and well

Christmas in Clarkston

A lesson of Christmas, the act of giving, is alive and well in the Clarkston area. Charities, teachers, students — people of all ages and professions — are making sure the holidays will be a bit brighter for needy families.

At Sashabaw Middle School, on

"With three days left to go this year we have 5,048 (food) items. We're running out of room to store."

Jim Banas

Maybe Road, English teachers Jim Banas and Bernie Bidinger head up Operation Can-Do. For Operation Can-Do, students bring in canned and jarred food items.

"Our previous best was 3,600 food items," Banas said. "With three days to go this year we have 5,048 items. We're running out of room to store."

Banas said SMS students have a long history of being charitable.

"We've done this for about 20 years. In the old days Bernie Wright (now at

Clarkston High School) helped out. Students go door to door, like trick or treating to collect the food. The community has always been very supportive.

"It's so moving. If people could really see the need we could get a lot more," Banas said.

Lighthouse North Director Sherry Kaars would agree.

Lighthouse, a local charity organization, is located across the street from the middle school. She expects to help make merry the Christmas of 500 families, senior citizens and 1,000 area children.

"This is the third year we've done the Christmas program," Kaars said.

Kaars said the community has come through in giving presents for the children. "What we're asking for now is funding for turkeys and food items."

They'll sign up families through next week. Lighthouse North helps needy families from Independence Township to Holly.

There are several options for those in the community who would like to help Lighthouse spread Christmas cheer. Option one is calling Lighthouse North directly at 673-4949.

Or, the Clarkston Community Women's Club is sponsoring the "Giving Reindeer," at the Independence Township Library on Clarkston Road. Through December 21, Christmas helpers can go to the library and pick a name tag off of the reindeer. Bring back the tag with a gift for the child you have picked. Put the present near the reindeer. The women's club will donate them to Lighthouse



Right, Sashabaw Middle School teacher Jim Banas has to stand on top of a chair to see what's on top of the food pile.

Postal workers productive despite problems

BY DEBORAH DZIEWIT
Clarkston News Special Writer

Most of us feel some degree of stress at work. And more often than not there is bound to be conflict.

The Clarkston Post Office fits the picture of such a work place.

While management sets the budgets and goals, the staff works to meet those standards every week.

And according to Richard Neal, postmaster, clerks and carriers meet and surpass these standards every week.

"Of course, as in any place of business, there is going to be some grumbling," Neal said. "I appreciate the people, they are an excellent work force. It is the nature of these people to get results and do a good job."

The office went through a major overhaul last February when three top positions were filled, including supervisor for customer services and supervisor of clerks and rural carriers.

Since new management took the reins last year, the post office has become more efficient and productive, Neal said.

However, for many of the workers, the numbers do not paint the true picture at the post office.

Over half of Clarkston's employees have signed a petition stating that one supervisor makes their lives miserable. Signed by 31 of the 55 employees, it states "in lieu of recent harassment, constant opposition and overall disruption of the workroom floor; steps must be taken to bring an end to this mistreatment." To the workers this means removal of that supervisor.

Neal acknowledges a problem exists; however, he

would only say "it was being dealt with."

Rusty Bennett circulated the petition and said he would like to see more done about what he calls a "serious problem."

In hope that some action would result, Bennett, a clerk for 8 years, sent the petition to Thomas Newman, district manager of customer services.

After receiving a copy of the petition, Newman sent Frances Chiodini, post office operations manager, to Clarkston to meet with both sides, Bennett said.

The November meeting between all involved left Bennett feeling that nothing was accomplished.

"I was asked afterwards to give the supervisor a big hug and shake hands, but nothing was solved," he said. "I refused."

Chiodini, when asked about the meeting and the results refused to comment.

"It's an internal matter and it would be unfair to speak," she said.

While not invited to the meeting, union officials are not surprised over the problems workers are having with the supervisor.

"I've known that supervisor for 20 years," said Donna Ratkos-Mercier, executive vice president of the American Postal Workers Union. "Wherever the supervisor goes, grievances have been filed."

While no grievances have been filed as of yet from the Clarkston workers, Mercier said that she has recommended that they do file to give more weight to the petition.

If numbers can be used as an indicator of attitudes, Neal says the workers are satisfied.

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YOU think it's stressful to mail all those Christmas cards, you should try sorting them.

They'll tow your car, you this holiday

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

A Clarkston-area towing agency is getting into the holiday spirit this year by helping those who've over-indulged in the "spirits."

From Dec. 24 to Jan. 1, Statewide Towing & Recovery, Inc., will offer free rides home to residents of north-

"There is no charge, no hassles, and no questions."

Duane Swindlehurst

ern Oakland County, who may have had one too many drinks at a local bar or holiday party. But what sets this effort apart from other "dial-a-ride" programs is that Statewide Towing will pick up both the person and their vehicle.

"We do this program, not because we condone excessive drinking," said owner Duane Swindlehurst, "but because we want to offer a positive alternative for people to avoid hurting themselves and others by driving drunk. There is no charge, no hassles, and no questions, except their names and addresses so that we can take them home safely."

More than 1,500 towing operators across the United States and Canada offer this free program, which has been dubbed T.O.W.E.D. (Towing Operators Working to Eliminate Drunk Driving). This national program began a couple of years ago, with an estimated 80,000 pick-ups recorded to date.

T.O.W.E.D. has garnered national acclaim by being named to the "President's Citation Program for Private Sector Initiatives" and receiving a certificate of excellence from former President George Bush.

Yet, despite this program's notoriety, Swindlehurst



DUANE SWINDLEHURST (left) and employee Ed Grogan exhibit one of the wreckers at Statewide Towing & Recovery. This holiday

season, the local company will provide free rides and tow for area residents who've had too much to drink.

believes his company will be the first in the state to offer this service.

"Since the program first began, I've been wanting to do get involved for the past two or three years. But I just never had the time," Swindlehurst said. "It's a unique idea and I think it's going to work well for everyone involved."

Facing the possibility of numerous calls, Statewide

Towing will have all 11 vehicles primed and ready to roll. "We feel we'll have enough personnel to handle the holidays," Swindlehurst said. "We just hope that area residents keep us in mind if they happen to drink too much."

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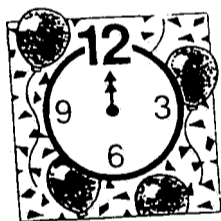
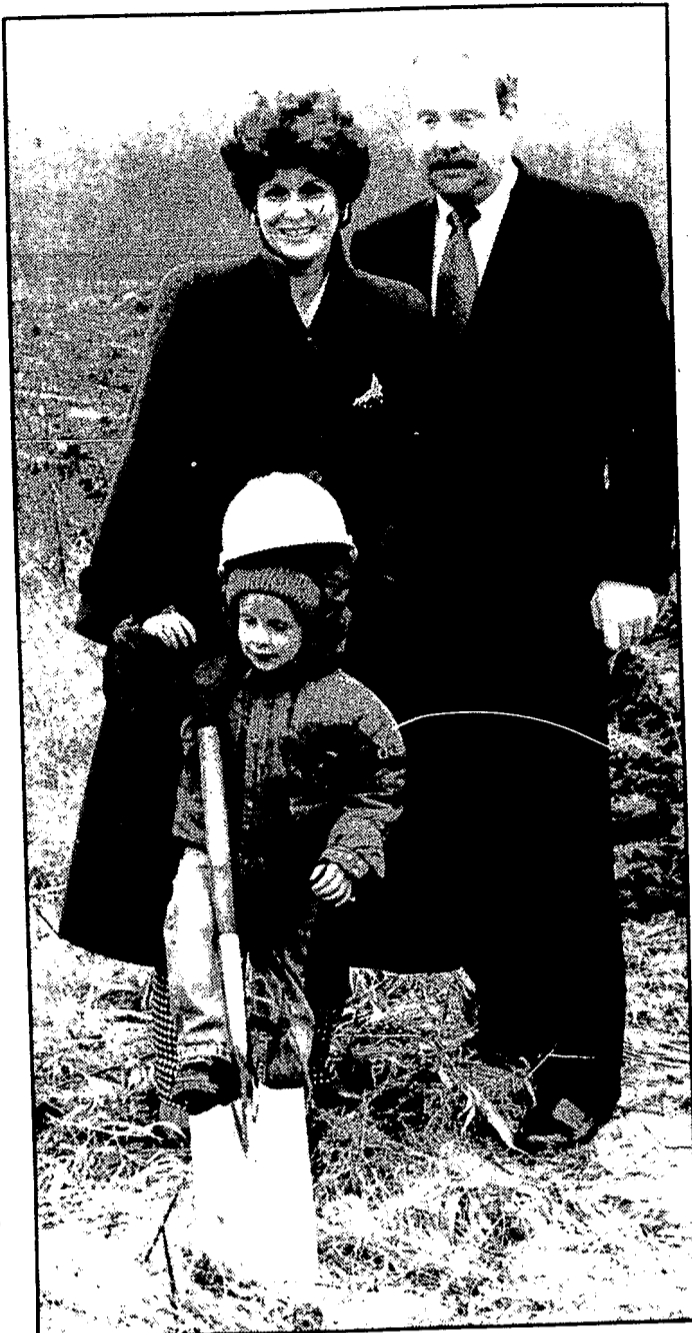
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Don't Rush Me

Let the
games begin

Don Rush



Introductions are in order.

I'm the new guy in town... sort of. Yes, it is true I haven't been seen or read at this particular location in this particular paper. So, in that respect I am *new*.

Ah, but the town and paper aren't *new* to me. I've been a part of the Clarkston News' parent corporation (Sherman Publications, Inc.) since May 1985. I worked as staff reporter, then editor of the Clarkston News' sister paper in Oxford, *The Leader*. Since 1989 I have been Assistant to the Publisher.

I'm not new to Clarkston or Independence Township either. I played football for Walt Wynimco, Kurt Richardson and DJ Marsh; fumbled through musicals for Ma Gibson and Grayce Warren. I graduated from CHS in 1981. To help defray the cost of attending Central Michigan Univeriserty I worked summers for George Anderson.

George "Andy" Anderson is the director of the township's Department of Public Works. He hired me to work at Lakeview Cemetery, under the tutorage of Bud Parker (I also stood up at Andy's daughter Jenny's wedding when she married my very good buddy Tom Roberts).

I was an alter boy at St. Dan's Catholic Church. Now you all know the fluff and stuff that makes up one Donald P. Rush -- nice to meet you.

I'll be here for a bit working with the award winning staff of the Clarkston News. I'm the guy who'll take the heat when something is wrong, insensitive or over looked.

Sort of like the fall guy. If anything goes wrong in town go ahead and blame me, even if it has nothing to do with the newspaper.

If you plan on blaming me, I do request you let me know what the problem is and give me a suggestion as how to solve it. You can call me here at 625-3370 or stop by the office. My plans are to be at 5 S. Main by 7:30 each morning.

Stop by and we can go across the street, sip a cup of hot joe and discuss what's on your mind. In other words I'm all ears. The door is open.

It's also in my plans to continue the Clarkston News' tradition of being the only paper in town. It is my firm belief that the Clarkston News is *the* community newspaper.

And, as such, it is our responsibility not only to inform of all the good things happening in town, but also the sad. We should be the pulse of the community, not the heart, nor its life's blood -- only the pulse. From us, any one from anywhere should be able to read our community's vital signs.

We should share in the joys of this community. We should be a part of the pride in any accomplishment. We should feel a tinge of pain in hearts upon the misfortunes of any of our neighbors.

While the Almighty has not put in stone that we are the community watch dog, we feel we are. And, we shall watch.

I look forward to working for you all. As they used to say: Let the games begin.

Don't Be Shy

Don't be so shy! We like to hear from you! We need your ideas for feature stories, too. Drop us a line or give us a call at 625-3370.

Opinions

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Jim's Jottings

A column for parents



Jim Sherman

Don't believe for a minute you are really wanted at:

- Council meetings
- School board meetings
- Township board meetings
- Committee hearings
- State legislature
- Congressional whatever, etc.

During the months of discussion on education reform in Michigan "parents" is the consistent subject.

The teachers' union says parents should not have to make a choice of schools.

The governor and Republicans say parents should have choice.

Let parents vote on taxes. Let parents decide curriculum. Let parents tell us what is best for their children.

Well, parents, this is all hogwash. It's political talk. It sounds good, but they don't really mean it.

Parents are asked to come to meetings. Get involved. Communicate. And those who do are politely welcomed.

They are publicly welcomed, but for the most part those participating in the meeting do not welcome outside "interference."

Parents upset the status quo. They don't understand. They don't have all the background material. They lengthen meetings. They interrupt. They don't understand procedure.

For these and the unsaid reasons... they ask embarrassing questions, they're too loud, they have a closed mind, they're always mad, they never contribute, they're prejudiced, I'll tell them what's best, they just don't know... an audience is just what elected officials don't want sitting out there watching, listening and questioning.

When one part of the legislature says they want parents to "have schools of choice," they know the vast majority of parents will chose the closest school.

When the other side of the legislature and the Michigan Education Association says all schools should be equal so parents do not have to make a choice, they know schools will never be equal.

The union and other Lansingites have come to these conclusions and they sure didn't ask any parents I know.

We believe schools of choice is a non-issue. Curriculum and funding are the issues. Particularly funding.

One group wants more money spent, regardless.

The other says they want costs cut and choices of taxes.

I just can't shake the feeling that when a decision is made the status will be quo... property tax will be back, what we have is what we'll get in education... and it will cost more.

See, they don't want me in the audience either. I'm too cynical.

What do you think?

Write a letter to the editor and express yourself!

Bouquet

Thanks to all

Dear Editor:

We wish to thank area businesses, our members and friends for their generosity.

The 54-year-old Clarkston Dance Club held its annual Christmas party on Wednesday, December 8, 1993 at the Spring Lake Country Club. In keeping with the spirit of the holiday season, the 85 people in attendance helped collect \$350, 85 pounds of food, and toys for donation to Lighthouse-North. We thank them.

The following area businesses generously and graciously donated to enhance the party, and we thank them as well: Rudy's Quality Market, Coach's Corner, Mesquite Creek, Bogie Lake Greenhouse, Village Bookstore, Clarkston Cafe and LB's Muffins & Yogurt.

We wish everyone happy holidays. May we all share in the spirit of the season.

Sincerely,
December Committee
Clarkston Dance Club

I would like to thank all the fine people of this community who have made my job as fund raising chairwoman so very enjoyable. I have grown to feel like a true part of this community, made a lot of friends and became very close to the students of the Clarkston Band.

My pride in this community and the love I have for the students and my fellow Band Boosters will be in my heart forever, and I will always be so very proud of how this community has pulled together and helped our students.

So, on behalf of myself, the band students and the Band Boosters, we would like to thank all of our supporters for their kind generosity.

Marla McKee
Fund Raising Chairwoman
Clarkston Band Booster

We would like to thank all the volunteers who helped make Santa's Secret Shop an exciting event for the students at Clarkston Elementary.

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Parsley sprig, for garnish

In small bowl, combine ingredients until well blended. Chill 1 hour. Garnish with parsley sprig, if desired.

BLACK BEAN 'N SALSA DIP (Makes 1 3/4 cups)

1 (16-ounce) can black beans, drained
1/2 cup mild thick and chunky salsa
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 large clove garlic, crushed
1/4 cup chopped scallions
Scallions, for garnish

Reserve 1/2 cup beans. In blender or food processor, blend remaining beans, salsa, lemon juice and garlic until smooth. Stir in scallions and reserved beans. Chill 1 hour to blend flavors.

Letter policy

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'If it Fitz . . .'



After this close call, she can't go nameless

Jim Fitzgerald

It was the kind of phone call you never want to get. The woman said she was calling from the hospital and my wife was in a car accident.

Only a week earlier we'd moved into our new home that, besides being near children and grandchildren, is near Lapeer Regional Hospital. So within five minutes I was looking at my wife on an emergency room table with several doctors and nurses busily hovering over her. Oh Lord.

I've lived a lucky life. I've never spent a night in a hospital nor missed a day's work because of illness. My wife, children and grandchildren have suffered a few ailments and injuries, but never anything severe enough to make me think I might lose them. I've often said the one advantage of being the oldest poop is that odds are good you won't be around to agonize over the deaths of the people you love most. Was my wife going to screw up the odds?

That's what I was thinking as I worked my way close enough to see she was conscious. I asked one of my typically brilliant questions: "How are you?"

"I'm mad," she murmured. "Why didn't I drive the old car today?"

Thanks to being married to her for 38 years, I understood completely. She never drives our 10-year-old car, but she certainly would have if she'd known she was going to be in an accident. Why hadn't I looked at the calendar and warned her it was an accident-likely day?

And it wasn't only that she'd smashed up our just-4-year-old car. She also was mad because she's been driving for years without so much as a dented fender. She's always taken pride in that record, and now she'd have to stop bragging.

Besides, talk about being moved to anger, she had hardly begun to unpack the countless boxes of stuff the movers moved from our old home to our new home. She'd figured it would take a month to make the place presentable for visitors. Now she was injured and in the hospital, and God only knew how long it would be before she got the job done.

God only knew . . . I was sick with fear that she might never be able to get the job done.

The police said that, according to witnesses, the crash wasn't her fault. A woman leaving a parking lot had pulled out in front of her on a busy stretch of highway. The woman who caused the accident wasn't injured.

After a long, worried wait, I learned from a doctor that, although she was wearing her seat belt, my wife cracked the windshield with her head and suffered a concussion. Three bones were broken in her left hand, some ribs were fractured, and there were bruises almost everywhere, including on a lung and kidney.

But after three days of monitoring by what she called a wonderful hospital staff, mainly to make sure there was no heart bruise, my wife is home again, moving cautiously, with a cast on her busted hand, but home again, and so very needed. But not in time to prevent me from melting the coffee pot.

Now I'm her left-hand man. Even though my previous experience was about 50 years ago, and in the dark, I find I'm still able to unhook a bra. I never did know anything about hooking them.

So far in this column, as usual, I've referred to her as "my wife," never using her first name. It's an agreement she demanded many years ago when I began writing newspaper columns and she wanted an escape hatch if a new acquaintance asked whether she were any relation to that newspaper Fitzgerald who wrote the stupid column insulting the local mayor, who was the questioner's beloved grandfather. Many times, my wife said she never heard of me.

But there's no use being evasive today. Just like it says on the accident report, Mrs. Fitzgerald's first name is Patricia. It was Patricia's injuries that forced me to miss my first scheduled day's work in 42 years.

God, how I wish they were my injuries. They couldn't possibly hurt and scare me as much as when I saw my much-loved Patricia on that emergency room table.

Got a message for Fitz? Phone 222-8755 anytime.

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Catherine Passmore

I'm outta' here

I'm quitting my job.

No, Julie hasn't started a trend by leaving the Clarkston News. I have seen the light and it is in Metropolis.

I saw "Lois and Clark — The New Adventures of Superman" this weekend and decided I'm in the wrong town to be a reporter.

In case you don't know the show I am talking about it is the classic Lois Lane/Clark Kent/Superman story set in the fictional place of Metropolis. And, Lois and Clark are newspaper reporters.

After watching the show I decided I should quit my job here and go where the action is. Lois seems to lead a charmed life — maybe it will rub off on me.

Lois (who isn't too much older than I am) is paid enough to afford a luxury weekend in a fancy hotel. Then, when she stumbles onto a story her paper puts her there with a good looking man for three more days.

She has a little point and shoot camera that takes fabulous (in focus) pictures into the next building.

She is captured by bad people and a flying super hero comes to her rescue.

Lois never gets a run in her nylons, her hair is seldom out of place and I've never known her to step in dog poo. I have yet to see her cover a meeting — as a matter of fact I haven't even seen her use a computer.

No matter where she goes she comes across Pulitzer Prize stories that are never in others' beats or too difficult to crack.

What make me the most jealous is everyone returns her calls and talks to her.

I really won't quit the Clarkston News. I have to send my resume to The Daily Planet first. A job without Superman and an expense account is a lot better then no job at all.

About staff editorials

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.

We leave the editorials unsigned because we've written them as a staff. Every week, we talk about the issues and take notes on everyone's opinions. Then one of us writes it and the rest of us change it until we're all satisfied.

While our opinions aren't always unanimous, our editorials reflect the majority views of the staff. If the staff splits evenly on an issue, we'll write two editorials on the subject.

We welcome your response to our views.

MEA: teachers should oppose Engler

Editor's note: Doug Carlson presented a brief description of Gov. Engler's proposed school reform plan. The opinion of the Michigan Education Association appears below.

BY DOUG CARLSON

For the past several weeks, we have been discussing Gov. Engler's school reform plan, which the MEA is totally against. It seems only fair, therefore, to present their views on this subject.

The following article was in the Nov. 22, 1993, issue of the MEA Voice, a publication of the Michigan Education Association. I think you might find it to be very enlightening.

As Gov. John Engler's so-called school reform package comes under closer scrutiny, more and more people are discovering the Republican's plan has little to do with improving educational quality and much to do with attacking public school employees and the MEA.

There are many reasons to oppose charter schools and schools of choice, the cornerstones of Engler's reform plan, and there are just as many reasons why every MEA member should oppose the "hidden" parts of the governor's plan, those that don't attract a lot of media attention but very definitely are direct attacks on public school employees.

Here are several reasons why every MEA member should oppose the Engler plan.

1. Loss of jobs. Part of Engler's proposed school aid bill requires competitive bidding of noninstructional services costing \$5,000 or more. This would affect support personnel in the areas of transportation, food services,

janitorial services and building maintenance and administrative services such as data processing, accounting and clerical functions.

MEA opposes privatization of support personnel. The likely result would be cuts in pay and benefits for school employees retained by the private companies or loss of jobs altogether.

2. Diminishment of collective bargaining rights. Engler wants to change the state's collective bargaining statute, the Employee Relations Act, and bills are being considered that would:

- Prohibit bargaining over the name of the insurance carrier, subcontracting any noninstructional service, use of volunteers, calendar, whether and where to have open enrollment, building staffing and building programs.

- Allow individuals to remove themselves from the bargaining unit and not be represented by the labor organization.

- Call for arbitration of bargaining disputes on a total package basis. The arbitrator is the "Office of the State Employer," the governor's representative in bargaining against state employees.

- Provide fines of \$100 to \$250 per day per employee for striking and \$5,000 a day for labor organizations that strike.

This legislation virtually would eliminate the ability to bargain over working conditions, subcontracting and insurance. Arbitration by the governor's political appointee would be harmful to bargaining.

3. Attacks on MESSA. A number of bills introduced seek to eliminate school employees' rights to

bargain the name of the insurance carrier, even though prior court rulings, commission rulings and labor board decisions all recognize that the carrier is inextricably intertwined with coverage when it comes to health insurance.

While it is a mandatory subject of bargaining in virtually every bargaining arena, the legislation proposes that school employees be denied that right and that insurance must be bid after bargaining on the plan.

SB 901, 902 and 903 call for competitive bidding of insurance and disclosure of certain information that may violate privacy rights.

These bills amount to another selective attack on school employees and employee rights. Health carrier is a mandatory subject of bargaining in all other arenas. Disclosure requirements could raise a host of privacy questions.

4. Erosion of pension and health care benefits for retirees. HB 4936 would change the current defined benefit plan to a defined contribution plan for new hires. MEA opposes the bill because it would drastically reduce benefits, eliminate disability coverage, seriously impact funding of the current defined benefit plan and is a serious impediment to attracting the best teacher/school employee candidates.

Also included in the Engler plan are bills (SB 833/ HB 5108) that would subject public pensions to the state income tax for persons retiring after Oct. 4, 1993. The law would exempt the first \$7,500 for a single return and \$15,000 for a joint return.

MEA opposes SB 833 because it will diminish benefits for members of the school employees' retirement system. These benefits were promised years ago, in lieu of higher salaries.

The question all MEA members should be asking their legislators is: What do these bills have to do with providing a quality education for our children?

Doug Carlson resides in Independence Township.

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Warrant issued in murder of woman

A 36-year-old man is being sought for the murder of a former Clarkston woman.

According to Pontiac Police Sgt. Everett Gard, a warrant has been issued for Robert Benton, an ex-boyfriend of Barbara Sanders who was murdered Dec. 3.

Benton is described as a black man who is 5-feet 8-inches tall and weighs 160 pounds. He was last seen driving Sanders' car — a dark blue Ford Escort.

Gard said Sanders called police to say Benton had left her home. Police were called about 10 minutes later by a neighbor to investigate a family fight in Sanders' apartment.

Police found Sanders dead in her locked apartment.

Man pleads guilty to stalking ex-girlfriend

A 21-year-old Pontiac man pleaded guilty last week to stalking his ex-girlfriend.

Patrick A. Lafluer was charged Aug. 16 with aggravated stalking, a felony punishable with up to five years in prison and/or a fine of \$10,000.

He will be sentenced on Dec. 17 by Oakland County Circuit Court Judge Deborah Tyner.

Lafluer was first arraigned Aug. 14 on charges he assaulted his ex-girlfriend in the Independence Township home of a friend. He was charged with illegal entry and assault and battery. As part of his bond condition he was barred from contacting his ex-girlfriend.

Two day later, he began calling the woman and returned to the residence where the first assault allegedly took place. He was then arrested for aggravated stalking.

Aggravated stalking occurs when stalking violates a court order, is not the first offense or includes threats of violence against the victim, or any member of the victim's family.

Live nativity

Members of the Clarkston Community Church of God will re-enact the birth of Christ.

The live Nativity scene, complete with farm animals, is this Friday and Saturday, from 6 to 9 p.m. The church is located at 6300 Clarkston Road.

Dino-mania!



MICHAEL Cook, 9, of Clarkston Elementary browses through some of the displays created by his classmates. The exhibits were done by Mrs. Hewko's two reading classes

as part of a project dubbed "Christmas at Jurassic Park." This activity capped off their study of dinosaurs. (Photo by Curt McAllister)

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The Clarkston Band Students &
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Beating trial begins next year

The trial of four men charged with beating a California man at a Pine Knob concert last August is to begin early next year.

Brian Podgorksi, 20, Bruce Helm, 19, and Keith Anderson, 20, all of Independence Township; and Ian Morris, 23, of Dryden are charged with assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than murder — a felony punishable with up to 10 years in prison.

The 31-year-old victim suffered an open head injury after being attacked at the Foreigner concert.

The men were bound over to Oakland County Circuit Court in November and were arraigned there on Nov. 17 in front of Judge Robert Anderson. A trial date has not been set but will probably be in January 1994, according to a court official.

Dog licenses available

Dog owners can save if they purchase their 1994 dog licenses before May 31.

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When you get your dog's license bring documentation of their shots and whether or not they've been nurtured or spayed.

For more information, call the treasurer's office at 625-5111.

Recycle your Christmas trees at county parks

Oakland County residents are asked to take a "green approach" to the disposal of Christmas trees this year.

The Oakland County Parks will accept Christmas trees at 10 locations Saturdays and Sundays, Jan. 8, 9, 15 and 16. Drop-off hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. No park entry fee will be charged to vehicles dropping off Christmas trees.

"After March of 1995, homeowners can no longer put yard waste, including Christmas trees, curbside. Landfills will not accept these items in accordance with state law," Dan Stencil, chief of parks operations, said. "We suggest they practice the alternative now — recycling Christmas trees at the Oakland County Parks — to start a good habit."

Recycling sites include: Groveland Oaks near Holly; Independence Oaks near Clarkston; Orion Oaks in Orion Township; Springfield Oaks Activities Center in Springfield Township.

The Oakland County Parks have recycled 15,000 over the past two years. The chipped trees are used on parks' nature trails and for mulch and compost.

For their conservation efforts, recyclers will receive a coupon good for a free pine seedling and entry to the annual Earth Fair at the Independence Oaks Nature Center. The fair is set for Saturday, April 23, 1994, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Seedlings will be distributed to coupon holders that day only.

Her holiday almost wasn't a happy one

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League. She still marvels at the speed of their response and action.

"The day the article ran in the Free Press, they showed up at my work station to talk to me," she said. "It was amazing the way these watch-dog groups jumped in and took control of the situation."

With all the phone calls and media attention, Burstein said her biggest thrill came last Friday when she reported for work.

"The story had come out that morning and at our employee roll call about 30 of my fellow workers gave me a standing ovation," she said. "That was definitely the highlight for me."

A day after the story appeared, RenCen officials announced that they were changing their policy regarding such displays. In fact, they said display areas would be made available for Hanukkah, as well as Quaxas and Las Posadas.

This announcement was very satisfying to Burstein,

who is quitting her job after six years of service. This leave was planned before the incident, she claims.

"I was very pleased to see them change their stance," she said. "I find it kind of humorous that one official actually said that he wanted to thank me for bringing the matter to light. Even after all this, they're still trying to patronize me."

Burstein, who celebrated Hanukkah with family on Sunday, said the controversial sign now hangs over their fireplace.

"I plan to eventually frame it," she said. "It only seems natural after all it's and we've been through."

In reflection, Burstein still considers the opinion of a Detroit radio show host the most fitting end to the story.

"A radio show host said this type of story was truly ironic because Hanukkah is a celebration of religion freedom and it was put to the test in this case," Burstein said. "I agree, but I'd say it was more of a case of personal rights, with freedom of expression winning out in the end."

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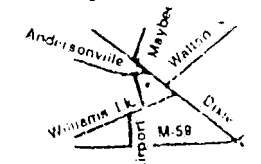
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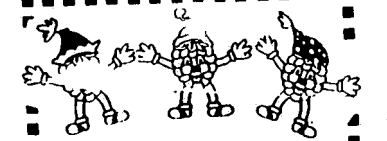
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Sports

Spikers hope to cash in on their athleticism

Winter sports preview

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

This could be a very interesting year for the Clarkston varsity volleyball team.

Gone from last year's 25-12-2 squad are six players, lost to graduation. Unquestionably, the biggest void will be at middle hitter, where Heather Steinhelper dominated for the past two seasons.

The all-stater has taken her talents to Ferris State University as a member of their volleyball team.

Despite this turnover in the talent

"I figure we'll play some role in the GOAL race before it's over."

Gordie Richardson

pool, CHS Coach Gordie Richardson doesn't consider this season a rebuilding one.

"I don't think of this season as a rebuilding one, to be honest with you,"

Richardson said. "Our young kids are real good athletes. They just have to learn to adjust to the speed of the ball and the level of play."

Richardson is relying on five returning letter winners to lead by example. They include seniors Lisa Goforth, Christa Heron and Andrea Slavin and juniors Beth Eby and Carey Haven.

All five saw action last season, as the Wolves captured GOAL and district titles.

When asked his team's biggest strength, the coach again referred to athleticism.

"All but one of the girls on the team plays in at least two sports at Clarkston," Richardson said. "So, there's already a competitive nature there from some other activity."

"These girls have a lot to learn about the game, especially when it comes to running an offense," he added. "But with their positive attitudes and work ethic, we should be alright."

Looking ahead to the league race, Richardson sees a competitive field.

"Brandon has got some good players coming back, as does Waterford Mott," he said. "Kettering has some talented kids, but the question is whether they'll sacrifice volleyball for winter basketball."

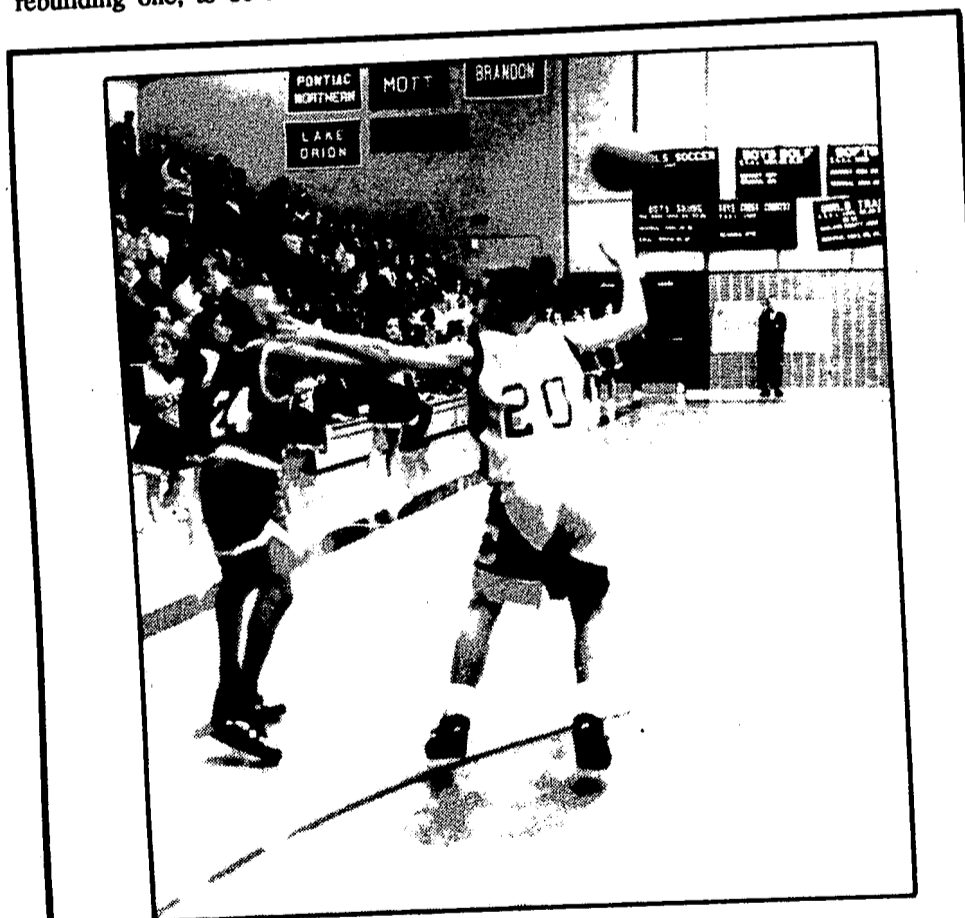
"I admit I don't know a lot about Lake Orion or Pontiac Northern," Richardson added. "With us, I figure we'll play some role in the GOAL race before it's over."

The Wolves' first, regular season contest is Jan. 4. That night, they'll host Troy and Rochester Adams in a tri-match. "Both teams are supposed to be

among the best in the county, so it should be a good determiner to how far we have to go this season," Richardson said.



THE Clarkston varsity volleyball team will be paced by a trio of seniors this winter. They include (from left): Lisa Goforth, Christa Herron and Andrea Slavin.



Tough 'D'

SOPHOMORE Tim Waslik (20) hounds Earl Chatman of Carman-Alnsworth Friday night. The Wolves eventually beat their guests, 52-43.

Wolves take fourth at Owosso Invitational

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

The Clarkston varsity wrestling team kicked off the 1993-94 season with a fourth-place finish at the Owosso Invitational last Saturday.

The Wolves amassed 141 team points to finish behind Mt. Pleasant, Shepherd and tourney champ Owosso. Ten teams participated at this meet.

Coach Mike DeGain said he was pleased with his team's debut, even though the results could have been better.

"I was pleased with our performances because this was a pretty tough invitational," he said. "We had P.J. Vandermeer missing from our line-up and I think he could have won his division (160), which would have given us first place overall."

"Still, I saw a lot of good things from the wrestlers who did compete," DeGain added.

The Wolves were paced by Joe DeGain (189) and Corey Grant (130), who cap-

tured first-place medals. Coach DeGain said Grant's performances were most impressive.

"Corey really wrestled well," he said. "He had to beat out two state qualifiers in his division to earn his medal."

Also placing for the Wolves were: Jason Laycock (125), second; Armin Michelson (152), second; Ryan Mack (103), third; Brett Rhebb (171), third; and heavy-weight Bob Lipinsky, third.

CHS also had a B-Team competing at the Ferndale Invitational this past weekend. The Wolves took tenth out of 10 teams.

Only two grapplers placed for Clarkston. They were 130-pound Jay Richardson (fourth) and 135-pound Joe Roy (fourth).

CHS will be competing at the Oakland County Meet Dec. 17-18. The Dec. 17 preliminaries will be held at Oakland Community College, Orchard Ridge campus. OCC's Highland Lakes' campus is the site for the finals on Dec. 18.

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CHS cagers upset No. 6 Carman-Ainsworth

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

After a heartbreaking loss to Pontiac Central in the season opener, the Clarkston varsity basketball team rebounded by knocking off highly-touted Carman-Ainsworth, 52-43, last Friday.

The Wolves struggled early, however, as the No. 6 ranked (Class A) Cavaliers jumped out to a quick 11-0 advantage in the first quarter. This early slump forced CHS Coach Dan Fife to call a quick time out.

"We were down about 9-0 when I called the kids over," Fife said. "I just looked at them and said, 'we're a better team than this.' I don't know if that kick-started them, but they really took off."

Pressuring their much-taller opponents at both ends of the court, the Wolves finally overtook the Cavs halfway through the second quarter on a breakaway dunk by senior Rick Vollmar. Backed by the frenzied cheering of the Jungle II, CHS rolled to a 23-19 advantage at the half.

The Wolves continued to hound Ainsworth in the third quarter as they outscored their foes 14-6. The Cavaliers

"I've had a lot of great wins since I've been here, but this one has to rank right up there with the best of them."

Coach Dan Fife



SENIOR Rick Vollmar of Clarkston throws down a dunk against Carman-Ainsworth Friday night. Vollmar scored 15 points as the Wolves upset the Cavaliers, 52-43.

were able to reduce their deficit by seven points on a couple of occasions in the fourth quarter, but the resilient Wolves refused to break.

Ultimately, Clarkston walked off their court with a much-deserved victory.

"I've been here, but this one has to rank up there with the best of them," Fife said. "The kids showed a lot of character, considering they were down by 11 early on."

This win snaps a two-year losing

skid, which had left the Wolves bruised and frustrated.

"It's nice to finally beat this team," Fife said. "Over the past two years, they've beaten us by 30 and 25 points."

Offensively, Clarkston was paced by Vollmar who tossed in 15 points. Teammates Tim Wasilk and Jeremy Fife added eight apiece. Brad Agar and Rusty Mitcham also chipped in with seven points.

The Cavaliers were led by Jeremy DeLauder with 11 points.

On Dec. 7, CHS fell victim to Pontiac Central, 64-60.

This run-and-shoot affair saw numerous lead changes, with the Wolves never more than six points out. In the end, however, the visiting Chiefs proved victorious.

"We just allowed too many layups and easy points off the press," Fife said. "We just couldn't put it all together that night."

Vollmar scored a game-high 25 points

for the Wolves, with Agar chipping in with 10. Pat Mulligan also knocked down eight points in defeat.

This Thursday, Dec. 16, Clarkston will compete in the four-team Oakland Tournament at Oakland University. They'll play Troy at 8 p.m. in the first game, with the winner meeting the victor of the Rochester Adams-Detroit Catholic Central contest on Friday at 8 p.m. The losers will play in the consolation game Friday at 6 p.m.

'Sports Talk' airs Tuesday

The second installment of TCI cable channel 65's newest program, "Clarkston Sports Talk," is slated to air Tuesday, Dec. 21.

This show will run from 6 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

"Clarkston Sports Talk" premiered two weeks ago with CHS wrestling coach Mike DeGain as its first guest. The upcoming episode will feature an in-depth interview with a member of the Clarkston varsity basketball team.

Recreation Roundup

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at the Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department.

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Names are being taken for those in need of a holiday food basket. If you know of anyone who should be on the list, please call Sharon at 625-8231.

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.

The Week Ahead

Thursday, Dec. 16

CHS boys' basketball at Oakland Tournament — 6 p.m.

SMS boys' basketball at Mason — 4 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 17

CHS boys' basketball at Oakland Tournament — 6 p.m.

CHS frosh boys' basketball at Troy — 4 p.m.

CHS wrestling at Oakland County Meet

Saturday, Dec. 18

CHS varsity volleyball at Lansing Waverly — 9 a.m.

CHS wrestling at Oakland County Meet

CHS wrestling B-Team at Marlette Invitational

Monday, Dec. 20

SMS boys' basketball hosts CMS — 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 21

CHS boys' basketball at Troy Athens — 6:15 p.m.

CHS frosh boys' basketball hosts Troy Athens — 6 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 22

CHS wrestling at Howell/Davison
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ADULT BASKETBALL STANDINGS AS OF DECEMBER 12, 1993

UPPER DIVISION				
TEAM	W	L	PCT	GB
Condon TV	2	0	1.000	-
Bud's Pro Shop	2	0	1.000	-
Ace Hardware	1	1	.500	1
Statewide Towing	1	1	.500	1
Utilase Lasers	1	1	.500	1
IntelliForm Inc.	0	1	.000	1.5
The Red Barchetta's	0	1	.000	1.5
CACC Lifesavers	0	2	.000	2

RESULTS
 Condon TV 60, Utilase Lasers 58
 Bud's Pro Shop 45, IntelliForm 36
 Statewide Towing 72, Red Barchetta's 39
 ACE Hardware 68, CACC Lifesavers 65

LEADING SCORERS

Nick Niera	ACE Hardware	23
Ron Courtley	ACE Hardware	23
Rick Williams	CACC Lifesavers	22
Bill Blythe	Utilase Lasers	21
Erik Kline	Statewide	21

MID-NORTH DIVISION				
TEAM	W	L	PCT	GB
Paine Webber	2	0	1.000	-
Team Bonzai	2	0	1.000	-
Dillinger's	2	0	1.000	-
Pontiac Aviation	2	0	1.000	-
CFB	1	1	.500	1
Zak Attack	1	1	.500	1
Al Ditttrich	0	2	.000	2
Milt's Monks	0	2	.000	2
CompuSource	0	2	.000	2
Bloomfield Collison	0	2	.000	2

RESULTS
 Team Bonzai 38, CompuSource 35
 Paine Webber 51, Bloomfield Collison 44
 Dillinger's 73, Milt's Monks 30
 Pontiac Aviation 65, CFB 62
 Zak Attack 52, Al Ditttrich 49

HIGH SCORERS

Keith Rogers	Paine Webber	25
Zach Brown	Zak Attack	23
Shaun Hayward	CFB	22
Adam Miller	Al Ditttrich	18
Bernardi Williams	Bloomfield	18

MID-SOUTH DIVISION				
TEAM	W	L	PCT	GB
Ted's	2	0	1.000	-
Sadow's	2	0	1.000	-
Huttenlocher Group	2	0	1.000	-
Village Place	2	0	1.000	-
Dairy Dream	1	1	.500	1
Waterfall Jewelers	1	1	.500	1
Bad Boys	0	2	.000	2
Mac Attack	0	2	.000	2
Sharks Club	0	2	.000	2
Pauley Realtors	0	2	.000	2

RESULTS
 Waterfall Jewelers 47, Pauley Realtors 42
 Huttenlocher Group 39, Sharks Club 38
 Ted's 75, Mac Attack 45
 Sadow's 62, Bad Boys 35
 Village Place 45, Dairy Dream 37

HIGH SCORERS

Matt Falconer	Ted's	24
Scott Falconer	Ted's	23
Kevin McCormick	Huttenlocher	18
Derek Wiley	Dairy Dream	17
BU Lee	Mac Attack	17

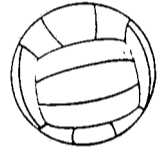
LOWER DIVISION				
TEAM	W	L	PCT	GB
Bowman	2	0	1.000	-
Icemen	2	0	1.000	-
CTS Unitel	0	2	.000	2
R&A Records	0	2	.000	2

RESULTS
 Bowman 68, CTS Unitel 33
 Icemen 39, R&A Records 36

HIGH SCORERS

Jim Tish	Bowman	21
Pat Burdick	CTS Unitel	21
Jim Seefeld	Icemen	19
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Ears to you

Teacher shares story of life with AIDS

In this day and age people are too busy rushing around, working, etc., to stop and think about how short life really is. It almost takes a tragedy to make people stop and think. I met a very special woman last year and she made me realize how precious life really is.

Her name is Shelley Gerson. You may have seen her in the news. Shelley is 26 and is a science teacher at Cranbrook Kingswood's Girls Middle School.

Shelley came to Clarkston High School October 18, and she shared her life story with many people. She touched the hearts of many.

It began when she was born. Like her father, Shelley had a disease called Hemophilia - a bleeding disorder. The unique thing about Shelley and her Hemophilia is that she is only one out of 20 women Hemophiliacs in the United States. Call it a miracle or just luck, she said she would have rather won the lotto. She inherited this disease by a mutated gene in her genetic makeup.

In order for Shelley to get this disease her mother and father would both have to be carriers of the gene, but not in her case. Although Shelley was infected, her older brother Michael was not.

When Shelley was about 8, her family came across a baby boy with Hemophilia. Feeling bad because no one really wanted him due to his disease, Shelley's family figured they knew how to deal with it and adopted him, naming him Patrick. Patrick became a big part of their lives, and became Shelley's best friend.

As time went on, Shelley grew up and moved out. She was going to school at Wayne State and working as an emergency room technician at Royal Oak Beaumont

Hospital. Life was great, until one day things started to change, changes that would last forever.

Patrick got sick. The doctors said he had pneumonia, but he only got worse. Shelley moved home and watched her brother get sicker. He grew weaker and weaker. The couch became his bed and a silver mixing bowl sat on the floor next to him in case he got sick because he was too weak to make it to the bathroom.

Patrick coughed constantly, his skin became yellowish and started to stretch across his cheek bones. It was hard to believe, Patrick was dying. Dying of AIDS.

They only began testing for the HIV virus in donated blood in 1985 so Hemophiliacs who needed blood by-products called Factor-8 could have contracted the virus unknowingly and unwillingly.

Patrick ended up dying at the age of 13 after meeting his life-long sweetheart, Christie Brinkley (made possible by the Make A Wish Foundation).

Shelley still grieves her brother's death. She says sometimes when everything is quiet she can listen carefully and hear Patrick's cough, a sound she will never forget.

The story doesn't stop there. Last year Shelley and her husband Gary decided to go public with a secret she's kept for a long time. Shelley is HIV positive.

When Shelley got her job at Cranbrook, teaching was her life, until she met Gary. Gary and Shelley started dating and he was impressed with her ambition for teaching. Everything was great.

After their first date they walked through the halls of the school when she stopped and announced she had something to say. Gary had already known about her

Hemophilia, but she stated, "When a person has Hemophilia they have other things, too. I'm HIV positive." When she told him, she expected him to take off running down the hallway but he didn't. He just said, "Oh, no problem."

When Gary talks about Shelley his face lights up. "She's one of the most caring people I know," he said. Many ask, "Why is it you'd marry someone with HIV if you know they could die?" Gary's response is, "Any time with Shelley is better than no time at all."

Shelley and Gary travel as much as possible. They've been to the Galapagos Islands, where they went snorkeling; England, where they enjoyed 14 plays in 10 days; as well as Spain and Morocco.

When the couple aren't traveling or teaching, Shelley works at an organization called the Wellness Networks that provides support services for people for HIV and AIDS. She also works as a volunteer on the hotline and is in the process of training teens to work the hotline.

Shelley has made people stop and think. People say it'll never happen to me, but it can. Shelley didn't choose to get this disease. She says in a way, it's kind of a miracle. She thinks she got this disease for a reason and she's doing something about it.

I would like to thank Shelley and Gary for coming and sharing their story with hundreds of kids. From the students of Clarkston High School, we're with you all the way!

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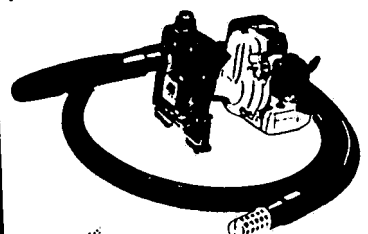


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After 32 years, Jr. Miss a no-show

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

Dating back to 1961, the end of the fall season at Clarkston High has been trumpeted by numerous school events, among them the Junior Miss competition.

Unfortunately, 1993 will be remembered as the year that this 32-year-old tradition fell to the way side.

"We missed it this year," said a dejected Barb Hamaker, who retired as the contest's chairperson in 1992. "It's really a shame that we couldn't find someone to chair it."

Hamaker, who has 16 years of chairmanship under her belt, was poised to groom a successor this year, but no one stepped forward.

"During the summer, I sent out numerous letters to local organizations, hoping to find someone to chair the event, but no one volunteered," she said. "The organizations were willing to retain their support status in terms of scholarships or judges' seats, but nothing beyond that."

Hamaker said the Clarkston area could still send a representative to the state festival, Alpena, if a local contest were held by the end of January. However, she sees little or no possibility of that happening.

"It really hit me last week, when I was going through some of the old costumes, with the idea of passing them along to the next chairperson," she said. "I just couldn't believe that they were going to go unused this year."

When asked if prospective entrants were disappointed, Hamaker was uncertain.

"I'm not really sure," she said. "I found it astonishing that I didn't get any calls during the summer from interested girls. In the past, I've always been contacted by at least a couple about Junior Miss."

Clarkston Principal Brent Cooley also said he heard very little feedback from the student body on the contest's demise.

"I'm sure there are some disappointed girls out there, considering the talent at our school," he said, "but no students or parents talked to me about it's passing."

"I'm not sure if this means that the Junior Miss has

run its course, but I do know that Barb (Hamaker) has put her all into it over the years," Cooley added. "Under her chairmanship, she's helped propel Clarkston's program into one of the most recognizable in the state."

Cooley said he'd like to see the Junior Miss contest resurrected next year, but he's also aware of the demands of the chairmanship.

"Running the Junior Miss is a big undertaking, and it will require a good leader," he said. "We can only hope that someone eventually comes forward."

"The story had come out that morning and at our employee roll call about 30 of my fellow workers gave me a standing ovation," she said. "That was definitely the highlight for me."

A day after the story appeared, RenCen officials announced that they were changing their policy regarding such displays. In fact, they said display areas would be made available for Hanukkah, as well as Quaxas and Las Posadas.

This announcement was very satisfying to Burstein, who is quitting her job after six years of service. This leave was planned before the incident, she claims.

"I was very pleased to see them change their stance," she said. "I find it kind of humorous that one official actually said that he wanted to thank me for bringing the matter to light. Even after all this, they're still trying to patronize me."

Burstein, who celebrated Hanukkah with family on Sunday, said the controversial sign now hangs over their fireplace.

"I plan to eventually frame it," she said. "It only seems natural after all it's and we've been through."

In reflection, Burstein still considers the opinion of a Detroit radio show host the most fitting end to the story.

"A radio show host said this type of story was truly ironic because Hanukkah is a celebration of religion freedom and it was put to the test in this case," Burstein said. "I agree, but I'd say it was more of a case of personal rights, with freedom of expression winning out in the end."



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Sheriff's Log

Independence Township

Friday, Dec. 3, a coat was stolen from an office on North Main. * * *

A Waldon Road woman reported a suspicious man who came to her door and acted strange. * * *

Saturday, Dec. 4, a wallet and cassettes were stolen from a car on Briarwood Court. * * *

A radar detector was stolen from a car parked on Caribou Trail. * * *

A Misty Hill lawn was damaged when a car was driven over it. * * *

The dash board, window and door of a car parked on Sashabaw Road were damaged in an attempted larceny. * * *

A Pine Knob Road resident received harassing phone calls. * * *

A Parview resident reported receiving 20 to 30 harassing phone calls in two days. * * *

Sunday, Dec. 5, over 20 compact discs, a crossover signal processor and amplifier were stolen from a car on Cedar Grove. * * *

Monday, Dec. 6, a \$500 check written on a closed account was received by a business on Maybee Road. * * *

Five windows were shot out and the siding was marked with magic marker at a home on North Eston. * * *

Tuesday, Dec. 7, a Mary Sue resident received obscene telephone calls. * * *

A Linden woman reported her license plate was stolen while her car was parked in a lot on Dixie Highway. * * *

A Maybee Road resident made threats at a school after he complained that the teenaged students were loitering on his lawn and looking in his windows. * * *

Wednesday, Dec. 8, a shed and garage on Eston Road were broken into and damaged. Nothing was stolen. * * *

A radar detector, a circular saw and nailer were stolen from a car on Church. * * *

Police were called to a home on Elk Horn Court when the resident died. * * *

Thursday, Dec. 9, a student made threats against a school official on Middle Lake Road. * * *

Police recovered a missing vehicle on Clintonville Road. * * *

Springfield Township

Friday, Dec. 3, police were called to a Bluewater home where a person and died of natural causes. * * *

A Bridge Lake Road resident reported being bit by a dog on her arms, shoulder, face and back. The dog was captured and held. The woman was treated at an area doctor's office. * * *

A side window of a vehicle traveling on Davisburg Road was shattered by a rock. * * *

Saturday, Dec. 4, a Roberts Drive resident reported a lost or stolen license plate. * * *

Sunday, Dec. 5, an overhead garage door on Big Lake Road was damaged when it was struck by a vehicle. * * *

Illegal dumping at the corner of Scott and Big Lake roads. Six kitchen chairs and two rear car seats were dumped. * * *

Monday, Dec. 6, a payroll check of a Northwest Court resident was stolen and cashed. * * *

Wednesday, Dec. 8, a garbage can was stolen from a Clark Road home. * * *

A stereo was stolen from a car parked on Big Lake Road. * * *

A mailbox on Clark Road was knocked off its post. * * *

A Big Lake Road resident received threats. Thursday, Dec. 9, police responded to an open door alarm on Raymond Road. Nothing out of the ordinary was found. * * *

A Hillsboro Road resident reported a breaking and entering when an acquaintance entered his home. The resident told the person to leave, and then found an antique picture missing. * * *

Charged with yielding knife at his ex-wife

Prison time possible

A 46-year-old Independence Township man was charged with assault with a knife. * * *

David Valdez was arraigned in 52nd District Court in front of Magistrate Dana Fortinberry Dec. 13 for felonious assault. If convicted he could serve four years in prison. * * *

Police were called to Valdez's home at 3:45 a.m., Dec. 7 for a family fight. According to Oakland County Sheriff's Detective Chuck Young, Valdez and his ex-wife were fighting when she allegedly took a knife from the kitchen to cut his car tires. * * *

Young said there was a struggle outside and Valdez allegedly held the knife to the woman's throat. At this point one of the children called the police. * * *

The woman suffered a cut on her arm, this wound is being investigated. * * *

When police arrived the knife was in the kitchen sink and the couple was separated for the night. * * *

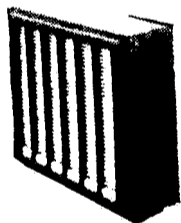
His preliminary exam is scheduled in District Court Dec. 23 at 9 a.m. * * *

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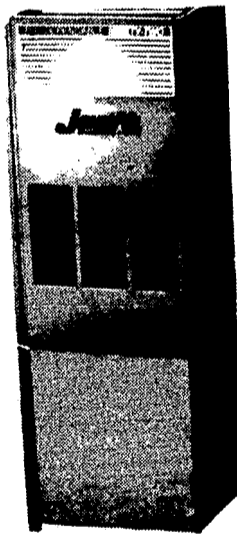
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Brazier, Robert
Cosner, Karena
Craven, Sean
Crosby, Laureen
Galan, Brady
Gehrke, Gina
Hartke, David
Herron, Christa
Lewis, Christopher
Lipinski, Robert
Mack, Christopher
Maki, Leslie
Martin IV, William
McGeogh, Martin
Mitcham, Carl
Moore, Ryan S.
Parker, Matthew
Porritt, Michael
Scholz, Nicholas
Schweitzer, Karla
Smith, Angela
Swartout, Kristy
Tillman, Heather
Yaeger, Sandra

3.6 - 3.0

Abney, Nathaniel
Allison, Robert
Baetz, Melissa
Barnes, Heidi
Bartlett, Rebecca
Bas, John
Bauer, Eric
Baxter, Robert
Bernard, Kathryn
Berney, William
Bielak, Nicholas
Bills, Michael
Bishop, Amy
Bjorman, Matthew
Bliesath, Margaret
Boggs, Brian
Bovee, Brian
Brain, Serenity
Brinn, Danielle
Brown, Jamie
Brueck, Elizabeth
Bryson, Karl
Buday, Steven
Chun, Martin
Conway III, Calvin
Cotter, Caroline
Covarrubias, Sara
Dakroub Jr, Joseph
Dankert, Kevin
Davis, Joseph
De Napoli, Jami
De Witt, Garrett
Debo, Brett
Dickinson, Marcie
Ditmyer, Chris
Downs, Thomas
Drallos, Jennifer
Duca, Curtis
Ehritt, Tobias
Elkins, Mandy
Ernst, Torben
Eyl, David
Fines, Kristina
Flores, Amy
Freeman, Mary
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Gilleland, Chris
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Kellie
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Hutchinson, Lisson
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Ruppert, Nicole
Sartor, Anthony
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Schaffer, Heather
Schmidt, Stacie
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Schroeder, Michelle
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Kelly, Kerry
Myers, Jenifer
Oostdyk, Christyn
Ryan, Mark
Sanford, Joel
Sanford, Scott
Szykula, Timothy
Tankersley, Chris
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Vance, Robert
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Wenger, Matthew
York, Johnathon

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Attaman, Jill
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Scharl, Leah
Schlaff, Audrey
Seaman, Ryan
Shubert, Renee
Smith, Sarah
Swick, Jeremy
Wagner, Julie
Wall, Kelley
Webster, Allison
Whittington, Steven

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Agar, Bradley
Anderson, Carrie
Antonazzo, Sarah
Ashby, Mason
Aska, Melinda
Atkin, Evette
Bailey, Aaron
Bildstein, Corey
Boehm, Karen
Bowman, Joseph
Brewer, Phillip
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Carter, Dawn
Chaffin, Tiffany
Chandler, Chad
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Cole, Robert
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Newton, Michelle
Puroll, Michael
Coburn, Michael
Roselli, Jeffrey
Seltzer, Stephanie
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Wherry, Charlyn
Wolven, Paul

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Bauer, Nicole
Bowman, Michael
Bradford, Stephanie
Brent, Amy
Brewer, Mary
Burklow, Stephanie
Clark, Shannon
Craven, Eric
Deegan, Keirsten
Downey, Donald
Duca, Grace
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Fenton, Sarah
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Gabriel, Benjamin
Gilreath, Adam
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Kretz, Tracy

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Moniaci, Kenneth
Montney, Laura
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O'Rourke, Timothy
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Sage, Stephanie
Schmidt, Suzanne
Schoemer, Stephanie
Sievers, Timothy
Smith, Joseph
Thayer, Jessica
Tredler, Sara
Turnblom, Sarah
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Williams, Christina
Winn, Nicole

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Alley, Megan
Allingham, Michael
Allyn, Brynn
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Barton, Rachael
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Witkowski, Laura
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Worden, Jason
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Zynda, Matthew

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Gay, Michael
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Hyer, Stephen
McIntyre, Colin
Schmidt, Heather
Swick, Kari

3.9 - 3.7

Barnett, Renee
Bauer, Todd
Bell, Zachary
Beutler, Wayne
Bragg, Heidi
Brosseau, Maritha
Campbell, Daniel
Carter, Bethany
Case, Rydan
Cischke, Chris
Combs, Meagan
Davidson, Jeremy
Davies, Richard
Evans, Christopher
Farah, Allison
Flores, Emily
Gard, Kathryn
Gebus, Lisa
Gifford, Matthew
Green, Tara
Greve, Jason
Hall, Rachel
Janowiak, Rachel
Johnson, Jimmy
Kade, Kristy
Knakal, Anthony
Kopez, Kevin
Kozma, Kelley
Leininger, Karen
Lloyd, Carin
Marks, James
McPherson, Nicholas
Michalak, Kristy
Oostdyk, Joel

Honor Roll

Pointer, Lauren
 Porritt, Carrie
 Richardson, Jay
 Roughton, Jeremy
 Schneiderer, Jayson
 Shires, Elissa
 Sitar, Meghan
 Stout, Kyle
 Territo, James
 Thompson, Mindi
 Vaughn, Ronda
 Wrobel, Jennifer
 Zeile, Jennifer
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Allison, Lucas
 Atkinson, Katie
 Banks, Kelly
 Barach, Jamie
 Barker, Matthew
 Barnett, Jamie
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 Bell, Melinda
 Black, Erica
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 Evans, William
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 Fallscheer, Michele
 Fazyta, Christopher
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 Frack, Jason
 Franson, Gregory
 Frericks, Tricia
 Gates, Ralph
 Gates, Russell
 Geliske, Franz
 Gilbert, Richard
 Giles, Keri
 Gray, Michael
 Grech, Joseph
 Gruenhagen, Philip
 Haight, Roxanne
 Hamill, Richard
 Hanel, Thomas
 Hanewacker, Scott
 Hargett, Mitchell
 Harmon, Tracey
 Harris, Justin
 Higdon, Kathryn
 Hodges, John
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 Jackson, Richard
 Jennings, Lisa
 Johnson, Marcus
 Johnston, Amy
 Jupp, Suzanne
 Keiser, Jason

Kirk, Carin
 Klender, John
 Kneisc, Jeren
 Kotschedoff, Mark
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 Medina, Andrew
 Meier, David
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 Monroe, Jason
 Moore, Heather L.
 Mumma (McCormack),
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 Murray, Charles
 Mustonen, Heather
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 Olafsson, Jason
 Olive, Benjamin
 Olsen, Rebecca
 Opyr (Cagle), Tina
 Orlor, Jill
 Ostrom, Jason
 Pankey, Charles
 Paolucci, Bryan
 Pearsall, Adam
 Pinazzo, Nicholas
 Pope, Tracie
 Powell, Kammy
 Prather, Elisabeth
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 Purrett, David
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 Andrew Curtis
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 Schuyler Edwards
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 Anthony Facione
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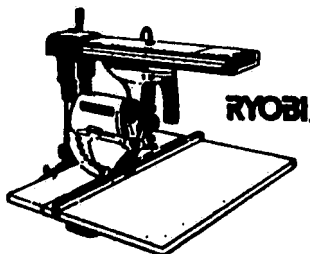
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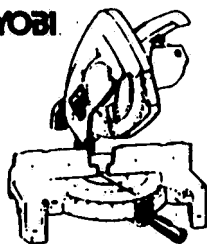


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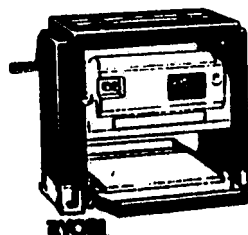


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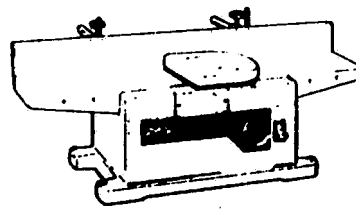


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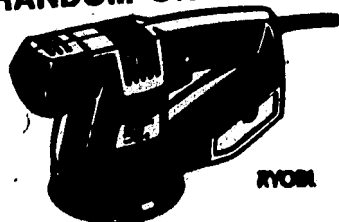


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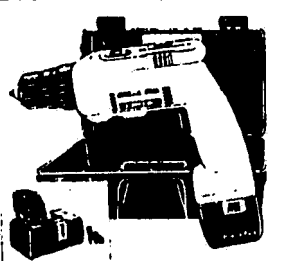
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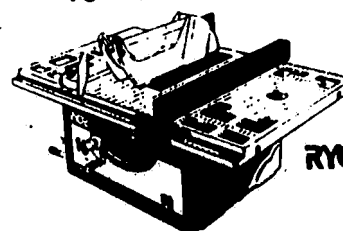


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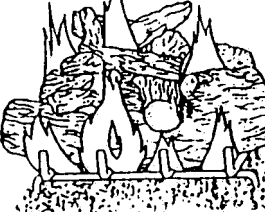
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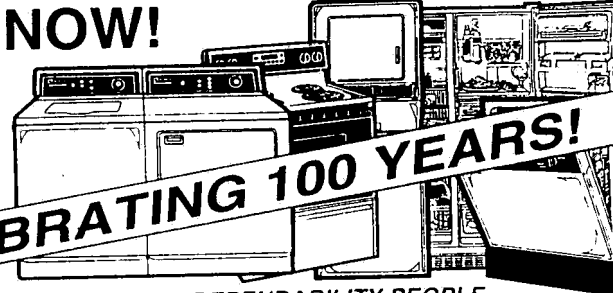


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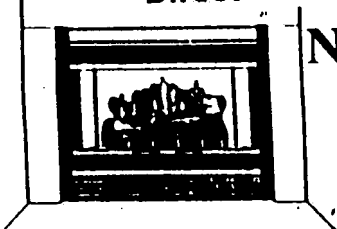
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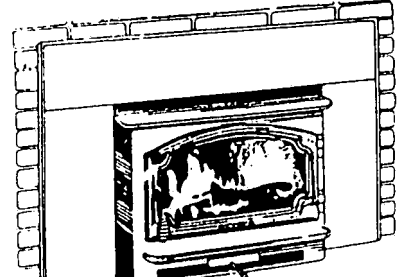
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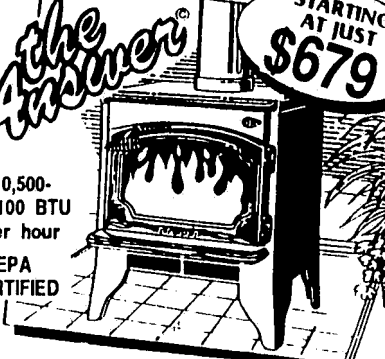
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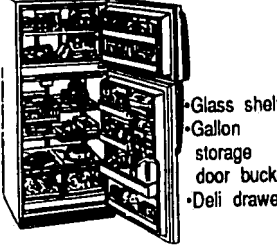
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These Clauses prefer Oakland over North Pole

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

For nearly a decade, Wayne Foore has epitomized Santa Claus in virtually every possible way.

He's big, jolly and has his own North Pole Hotline — albeit in an 810 area code. Along with his wife, Ellene, a.k.a. Mrs. Claus, the 69-year-old Waterford Township resident has arguably become the area's most popular St. Nick.

Foore's career as Kris Kringle began in 1984, due to Ellene's prodding and promoting.

"I'd always thought he'd make a great Santa, so I went to the manager of the Summit Place Mall and told

"There's nothing like the moment when a child sees Santa for the first time. It's truly magical."

Ellene Foore

him all about Wayne," Ellene said. "I told the manager that he had the perfect voice and build for the job ... sort of a big, Pillsbury doughboy."

Upon meeting Wayne, the manager hired him and put the wanna-be before the masses. For the next three years, Foore catered to kids at the mall.

Then one day, a stranger offered the retired GM worker a bit of advice.

"He told me that I probably could do better for myself if I went into the rental business," Foore said. "At that point, I became a Santa for hire."

In 1988, Foore began working private parties and his

reputation grew. Before long, he was appearing at numerous area businesses and homes.

"In Clarkston, I think I've been everywhere but the Clarkston News and Wint's Funeral Home," the 260-pound Foore said, jokingly.

That same year, Foore gained another performing partner, Ellene.

"Whenever we went to home parties, I'd always feel like the odd person out, watching Wayne perform," Ellene said. "It seemed like a natural role because children were always asking him, 'where Mrs. Claus was?'"

"Now, at parties, if smaller kids appear afraid of him, they'll come to me," she added. "I guess it's because of my grandmotherly image."

During his career as Santa, Foore estimates that he's catered to at least 20,000 youngsters. The largest such engagement was visiting 560 kids at the Stepanski Learning Center, Waterford, two weeks ago.

Over the years, the Foorees have accumulated a number of terrific kids' stories.

Ellene still recalls the day a grief-stricken youngster told Wayne that his entry into her home would be near impossible.

"She told him that they had a chimney, but it was decorative and no hole leading down into the home," she said, smiling. "She was afraid that Santa might pass her over because he couldn't get in."

Wayne also told of the time when a boy told him that he had no use for the bathroom.

"I'd been playing Santa for a couple of hours and found I needed to use the restroom," Wayne said. "So, I tried to explain to the next little boy in line that I'd be back after I used the bathroom, for reasons not unlike he or his father."

"That little guy looked up at me and said, 'but Santa you never have to use the bathroom,'" he added, laughing. "I almost lost it right there."

Unfortunately, the Foorees also have some tear-jerking stories of children and their requests.

"Our saddest, but probably most important annual visit is to the Children's Village in Pontiac," Wayne said.



WAYNE and Ellene Foore have been portraying Santa and Mrs. Claus for several years. Both are retired GM employees, who dress up for the love of the children and the holiday season.



THE CLAUSES pose with a young fan at a Waterford Township restaurant.

"There, most of the kids rarely ask for toys. They're most concerned with food or clothes or having their parents get back together.

"I always get my heart broken whenever one of these kids ask me for a new mommy or daddy," he added, pointing out that most Village children have been abused in one fashion or another.

Yet, good or bad, the Foorees say they wouldn't trade their seasonal hobby up for anything.

"We just love being around the kids," Ellene said. "There's nothing like the moment when a child sees Santa for the first time. It's truly magical."

Wayne prefers the hugs best.

"I honestly feel a hug is just another way of teaching love," he said. "This way, they get to find out that there's someone else out there who really cares for them. And outfits or not, we do."

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Honors

Two Clarkston-area residents were among the 114 freshmen who received academic scholarships at Adrian College, Adrian, for the 1993-94 school year.

Kimberley Michalak received the Presidential Scholarship, awarded in recognition of excellent academic ability at the high school level. A 1993 Clarkston High School graduate, Michalak is the daughter of Don and Jeanette Michalak of Chestnut Hill Drive, Independence Township.

Eric Ryan received the Dean's Scholarship awarded in recognition of high academic ability as demonstrated by work in high school.

A 1993 Clarkston High School graduate, Ryan is the son of Dale and Linda Ryan of Cranberry Lake Road, Independence Township.



Air Force Airman Basic Darrell P. Krier graduated from Air Force basic training from Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio.

During the six weeks of training the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

Krier is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Krier of Old Cove Rd., Clarkston. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. George Krier of Milltown, N.J.



Navy Seaman Recruit John E. Beach, son of John H. Beach of Waterford Hill Terrace, Clarkston, recently completed basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.

The 1981 graduate of Walled Lake Central High School of Walled Lake, Mich., joined the Navy in July.

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Clarkston High School senior, Kate Louise Yarber, will represent Clarkston in the Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizens Scholarship Contest.

Kate, daughter of David and Cecilia Yarber of Independence Township, is sponsored by the Sashabaw Plains Chapter, NSDAR.

She was selected by faculty and the senior class to represent the school in the state competition sponsored by the Michigan State Society DAR. Kate was judged on her leadership, dependability, service and patriotism.

She is the secretary of student council and a member of the National Honor Society. Kate has been a member of the Blue and Gold Club since 10th-grade. She is a varsity soccer player.

She is a member of Peer Listening, Wolf and the Spanish Club. She was one of three finalists of the Bud McGrath Spirit Award. She was also participated in Girl's State.

After graduating Kate plans on attending Michigan State University and major in elementary education with a minor in Spanish.

As part of the application for the state DAR award, Kate wrote this essay:

Our American Heritage and Our Responsibility to Preserve It

"History is the essence of innumerable biographies." This statement, quoted by the Scottish essayist and historian Thomas Carlyle, states that people have always been the true stuff of history. It is Americans who have shaped our nation through various events and struggles. There are history-makers whose names survive, but whose impact have been dimmed by time. Therefore, it is our responsibility as fellow Americans to preserve this heritage to the



KATE YARBER, a senior at Clarkston High School, is this year's recipient of the school's Daughter of the American Revolution award. (Photo by Catherine Passore)

best of our ability.

Eli Whitney, Thomas Edison, Ben Franklin, Alexander Graham Bell and many, many more. One could hardly forget what these men and other people have opened up to daily American life. Each person has contributed something useful and practical for everyday life ranging from electricity to the automobile and assembly line. Many technological advances brought up by these fine historians are amazingly taken for granted by people in today's society. This is one responsibility we must partake to remember and acknowledge the incredible creations given to American heritage by these fabulous people. In addition to clever inventions, there are still other persons who have given things to the United States such as individual rights or people who wen the extra mile to help out in certain occasions.

One special person who made a vast difference in the live of many was Clara Barton. This was especially true during the Civil War. She is remembered for her heroic service in getting medical supplies to the war front and ministering to the wounded victims. She later went on to start the American Red Cross, which is a highly respected organization to the day because it encourages others to give a chance for life.

Another person was Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. He sacrificed his life for black rights everywhere. This man got up and took a stand, s showed genuine leadership and was punished for it. It took a strong person to prove that blacks and whites should be equal and Martin Luther King, Jr. did the job.

We can preserve this in our heritage through many ways, whether it be by giving blood or just eliminating any prejudices or stereotypes we have against blacks or other groups. We need to remember and respect these individuals for what they have made of America today. Not only are these people important to our heritage by there are various athletes who have put influence in the lives of many.

Many Americans aren't aggressive people but America is probably the world's most competitive. America has a love for sports; it's their favorite pastime. It's not only evident with the all-American game of baseball, but more so with track, basketball and tennis as well. We are the only country to have a Babe Ruth, Muhammad Ali or Billie Jean King from one generation. This is remarkable because athletes like these exhibit hard work, determination and commitment. These qualities are precious and are needed to be successful. People like this act as role models to others. Our responsibility is to display our own diligence an devotion to reach out goals ... just as our triumphant athletes have. After all, America is still the land of hope.

It is true that much of America's heritage has been formed by people of years past. It is our responsibility to preserve this heritage by remembering our inventors, following in our leaders' footsteps and always striving for the top. An open and compassionate society would be the most lasting memorial to the labor of those who came before us.

Contest about the U.S. Constitution

With the hopes that a deeper knowledge of the Constitution of the United States will be gained, the American Legion is hosting a oratorical contest.

All 9th through 12th grade students are encouraged to enter the contest. They are to prepare an eight to 10 minute speech on The Constitution and three to five minutes on selected articles and amendments.

Scholarships are presented to winners at the local, district, regional and national levels. Locally, Campbell-Richmond Post #63 will host the contest on Jan. 31.

For more information or to register call Shannon Wawruck at 625-8393 or 625-9912.

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.

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

Mondays, beginning Dec. 6 - Divorce Recovery Workshop in the Clarkston area; 7:30 p.m.; eight-week workshop; \$17 donation requested; call for location. (Sue, 625-3964)

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, make crafts and strengthen their faith in Christ; \$3 meeting, \$5 registration fee; call to register; 7925 Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. (625-4644)

Tuesdays - Parents of Young Children Support Group meeting at First Congregational Church; 7-8:30 p.m.; topics: discipline, values, attitude; Clarkston Road, Independence Township. (394-1549)

Wednesdays - Clarkston Area Optimist Club meeting at Spring Lake Country Club, 7:30-8:30 a.m.; public welcome; service club for men and women with theme of "Friend of Youth"; Maybee Road, Independence Township. (625-5000)

Wednesdays - 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)

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)

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



Clarkston carolers

ABOUT 40 people, many of them local Camp Fire girls, participated in Christmas carols around the Village Christmas tree last Friday.

Senior spotlight

Christmas party

This week's lunch menu at the Independence Township Senior Center:

Lunch is daily at noon. Reservations are needed by noon the day prior. A donation of \$2 is requested from those age 60+, there is a charge of \$3 for anyone under age 60. Homebound meals and supplemental liquid meals are also available. For further information or reservations call Donna at 625-8231.

LUNCH MENU:
 Thursday, Dec. 16 - Stuffed cabbage
 Friday, Dec. 17 - Baked fish
 Monday, Dec. 20 - Sizzle steak
 Tuesday, Dec. 21 - Tuna noodle casserole
 Wednesday, Dec. 22 - Spinach meatballs

Thursday, Dec. 23 - Macaroni & cheese
 Friday, Dec. 24 - Closed for the holiday
SENIOR CITIZEN CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Independence Township Parks and Recreation Senior Citizen Christmas party is scheduled for Friday, December 17, from 6 to 10 p.m. This special holiday program includes a full dinner, gift and entertainment. Cost is \$9 per person and advance reservations are needed by December 15. Tickets are limited. For additional information call 625-8231.

MEN'S BREAKFAST CLUB

The Independence Township Senior Citizen Center hosts a monthly breakfast for men only! The next one is scheduled for Tuesday, December 21, 8 a.m. Cost is \$2.50 per person, reservations must be made by Friday, December 18. Call 625-8231 for additional information.

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 Glenn Rupert, Youth Pastor
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 10:05 a.m. Sunday School
 11:15 2nd Worship Service
 6:00 p.m. Vespers
 Wed. Family Program 7:00 p.m.

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 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





Ask the therapist

My parents treat me like I'm in high school

**Stan
Garwood**

Dear Dr. Garwood,

After being out on my own for a few years I've had to come home and live with my parents for financial reasons. I am a 20-something guy who goes to school part time and works full time. I pay rent and all my own expenses.

Even though I've been away for awhile, since I came home my parents have treated me like I was still in high school. They want to know where I'm going, who I'm dating, if I've done my homework, etc. Is there a nice way to approach my parents and tell them that I am an adult now and would like to be treated that way?

Signed,
Don't Want To Call Home

Dear Don't Want To Call Home,

You are experiencing a phenomenon common to 80 percent of those adults who live at home. A rational mind would expect that mom and dad would be tired of their parental role by this time, their job complete and see you as the adult you are. However, rational minds fail to prevail in this circumstance.

There are several reasons why a parent (perhaps yours) would treat one like he was still in high school.

Your parents may be feeling they haven't completed their job of providing the tools one needs to survive out there.

They may be the "worrying type." Now that you are back, they've added you to their list! Often I have seen moms and dads who were not able to differentiate adolescents from adults. In other words, parents still see their children as younger or more immature than their chronological age. And, obviously youth requires continual guidance and direction.

If you have given them no reason to trust your judgment regarding school affairs, social expectations, legal matters, etc., it should not take too much to resolve your dilemma.

Politely request that they both write down their concerns for you as a resident and as an individual. Use this list as a catalyst for discussion. If they're avoiding your maturity, this can and should be addressed.

Point by point, you will be negotiating your independence. You and your folks are establishing the beginnings of them allowing your individuation. That is, in the spirit of cooperation, you are presenting your needs and defining the parameters of an effective working relationship. They, in turn, are voicing their concerns. They can allow a particular limit on concessions with the remainder to come in time and based on their observations of appropriate, well thought-out behavior.

Although you probably feel your need to prove yourself is unnecessary, it will serve to reassure your parents. Reasonable people cannot argue against consistent, quality decision making. And the more of these your parents witness, in their minds, the older you will become.

Family therapist Stan Garwood, M.A., M.S.W., resides in Independence Township. "Ask the Therapist" appears in The Clarkston News regularly. Address questions on family issues, emotional/psychological questions, behavior disorders, parenting, marital discord, etc. to: Stan Garwood, % The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main St., Clarkston, MI 48346. Stan Garwood will answer them in order of their postmark.

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- 1/2 cup shredded carrot
- 1/2 cup walnuts, chopped
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1/2 teaspoon dried marjoram
- 1/4 teaspoon dried thyme leaves
- 1/8 teaspoon dried rosemary
- 3 cups cooked rice (cooked in chicken broth)
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley

Cook onion, carrot, walnuts, marjoram, thyme and rosemary in butter in large skillet over medium-high heat until vegetables are tender crisp. Stir in rice and parsley; heat thoroughly.

Community Cable Guide

Holiday fare

Programs on Independence-Clarkston cable-TV Channel 65 normally air Monday through Friday. They are broadcast from the TCI Cablevision studio on Waldon Road.

Week of Dec. 20 through Dec. 24

Monday

- 7 p.m. - **This is the Life:** A contemporary drama series presented by St. Trinity Lutheran Church.
- 7:30 p.m. - **Mastermind:** Money-making know-how.
- 8 p.m. - **TAG Talk:** Issues relating to people with disabilities.
- 8:30 p.m. - **Church Street Singers:** Christmas gala.

Tuesday

- 6 p.m. - **Clarkston Sports Talk:** Weekly program about local prep sports scene.
- 6:30 p.m. - **Oakland County Parks:** Winter Recreation
- 7 p.m. - **Dragon Digest**
- 7:30 p.m. **Garden Show:** Helpful tips from green-thumb experts.
- 8 p.m. - **Living with your Addictions:** Self-help talk show.
- 8:30 p.m. - **Dining with Christopher:** Cooking programs with Chef Christopher Cryderman.
- 9 p.m. - **Tony Stark:** Music videos.

Wednesday

- 6:30 p.m. - **The Oakland Voter:** Voting highlights.
- 7 p.m. - **The Job Show:** A presentation of The Michigan Employment Security Commission.
- 7:30 p.m. - **Independence Township Board:** Meeting of Dec. 21.

Thursday and Friday: No programming -- Happy holidays from TCI.

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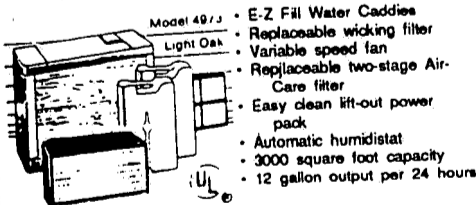
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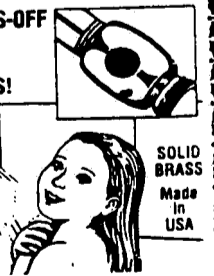
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Fund raising done, donations still accepted

Student fund raisers for the Clarkston Marching Band are over and attention has shifted to passports and packing.

The last fund raiser for the 180 students participating in the Lord Mayor of Westminster's New Year Parade in London, England wrapped up Sunday.

A group of students stuffed packages for Santa to give to children at the Summit Place Mall. In two weekends they stuffed over 14,000 bags. Summit Place Mall will make a donation to be divided between the students.

"They were really nice out there," said Marla McKee, fund raising chairwoman for Clarkston Band Boosters.

Band Boosters and students have raised about \$92,000 toward the trip to London. McKee said that overall the cost is about \$180 to \$200 less for the students because of the fund raising.

She noted that those students participating in student-run fund raisers divide the money earned at a specific event. Some students have earned most if not all of their expenses.

The group of 230 leave Dec. 27 at 1:30 p.m. and return Jan. 3.

McKee said Band Boosters will still accept donations for the trip. For more information call her at 625-7067.

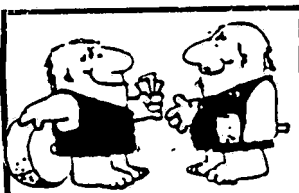


RYAN SEAMAN and Colin McIntrye sold the most Clarkson News subscriptions in a fund raiser for Clarkston High School Band. The pair and over 200 other people will be taking off for London later this month to participate in the Lord Mayor of Westminster's New Year Parade.

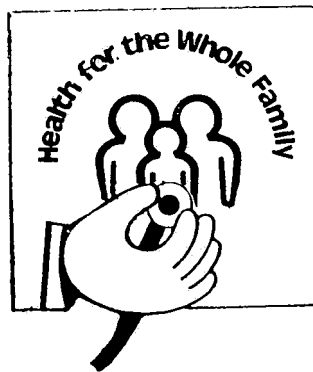


BAND students pose with Santa Claus after stuffing bags for him to pass out to children when they visit. The students stuffed over 14,000 bags in four days for Summit Place Mall.

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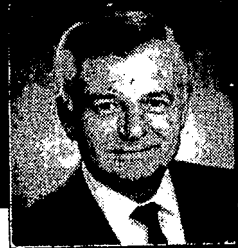
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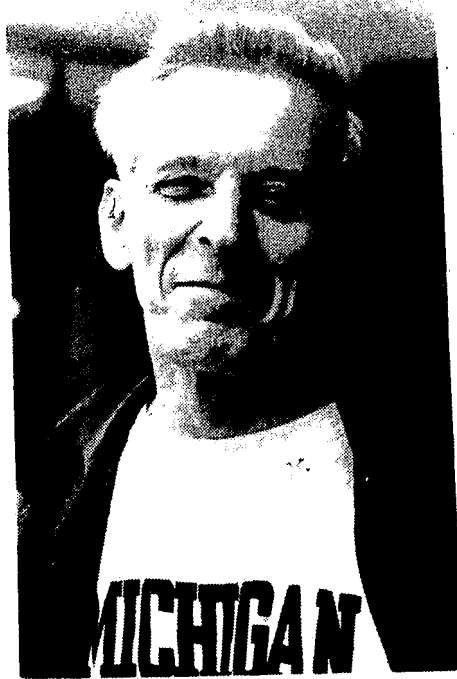
by Deborah Dziewit



"Our church is who we give to. At Harvest Christian Church we make up baskets and give them out."
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"Lighthouse North. We donate food through my daughters' schools — Andersonville Elementary and Clarkston Coop preschool."
 Debbie Armstrong
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"St. Vincent's on the Wide Track in Pontiac. We (my wife and I) work in the soup kitchen twice a month on Thursdays. We also donate money to Capuchin (another soup kitchen) in Detroit."
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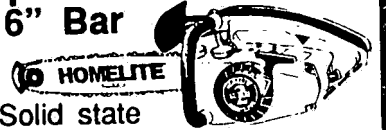
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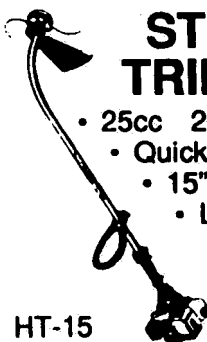
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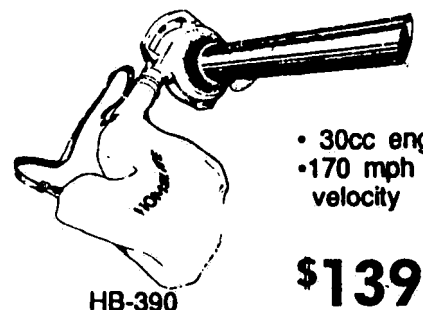


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Pontiac postcards illustrate the past

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A recent purchase of old Pontiac post cards depicted 10 different scenes of the city during 1910 era.

Written to relatives in Canada, the messages, brief as they were, told of a "family connection" that would provide clues for someone seeking information on the common name of Smith, at that time or period.

Referred to as "postals," two of the cards refer to "Bertie" as the recipient, but the messages, carried from one card to another, must have been enclosed in a letter, or at least mailed in the same envelope, for the two "postals" were never mailed, and were minus postage stamps or cancellation.

While the message continued from one card to the other, only one was signed, "Belle." "Bertie" proved to be a Mrs. Lloyd Smith, whose address on yet another card was shown to be 110 Emma St., Sarnia, Ontario (Canada). This card was sent to Bertie from "Maude," and seeks information as to whether "Lizzie" is there, as "George" is waiting for them to have pictures taken on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The card was mailed Sept. 18, 10 a.m., 1910 and is a picture of the Pontiac County courthouse, at that time.

Yet another card sent to Mrs. Lloyd Smith, from Maude, is a clue, showing that she is addressing "Cousins."

Another card, while not signed with the sender's name, gave the address of the sender as "Orion, R.F.D. #1," and it too, referred to Mrs. Smith as "cousin." While "Nettie" signed a card or two, there is no indication of her relationship to "Bertie" (Mrs. Lloyd Smith) but it certainly proves that with even this scant bit of knowledge gleaned from the backs of the popular "penny" postcards, a lot of direction can be found, for piecing together this family.

Carol Callard, special collections librarian for the State of Michigan Library in Lansing, was a recent speaker at a meeting of the Pontiac Area Historical and Genealogical Society. She presented each attendant with a genealogical packet that is a real treasure.

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beginner, just starting his (her) family story, but finding your way to locating answers in the Lansing library. Make this a must for everyone. Ask Carol about it, next time you are in Lansing.

As we prepare for the beginning of 1994, we are committed to doing those things in the coming year that will promote peace and understanding - and being kind to all. Won't you join us?

Happy Hunting.

Genealogist Virginia Block may be contacted by writing to her in care of Sherman Publications, Inc., 666 Lapeer Road, Oxford, MI 48371.

Home fires increase in winter months

Christmas trees aren't the only things that may light up your house this holiday season.

Over 14,000 fires occur in Michigan dwellings each year. And during the winter months, the incidence increases significantly due to home heating accidents.

"Wood stoves and fireplace mishaps are the leading causes of residential fires, with nearly 3,000 blazes linked to these devices each year," said Terry Buckles, president of the Michigan Association of Insurance Companies (MAIC). "Most are a result of improper maintenance."

MAIC recommends seven basic guidelines for wood-burning safety:

- Buy only equipment approved by a recognized testing laboratory.

- Make certain equipment is installed according to authorized standards.

- Learn to follow proper rules for operation/maintenance.

- Regularly inspect chimneys and stovepipes for deficiencies and creosote build-up.

Playing Dreidel for treats

During the holidays, Jewish families often play "dreidel." Each player has a chance to spin the top-like toy to land on "gimmel," the Hebrew letter meaning "great" and win all of the chocolate coins, gold coins or little treats.

Good-luck wheat

In areas of Czechoslovakia and Poland, holiday dinner is eaten on a tablecloth that has wheat "hidden" underneath it. Originally, the wheat represented hopes for a good harvest; today, it is said to bring good luck and prosperity through the coming year.

Boxing Day

On Boxing Day, a legal holiday in Great Britain, everyone gives gifts to the people with whom they work. Baked goods are a popular Boxing Day gift, a tradition much like homemade gifts of food shared among co-workers in the United States.

- Check stoves for cracks or faulty legs and hinges.

- Keep a fire extinguisher available that is suitable for wood fires.

- Burn only dry, seasoned wood.

Another reason for the rise in fires during winter months is increased use of electrical appliances. It's important to check extension cords to ensure that they are not frayed or broken. Also, don't overload electrical outlets.

Insurance industry representatives also suggest that you have a working smoke detector on each floor of your home. You should have fire extinguishers available in key locations throughout the dwelling, including the kitchen. Remember that it's best to store flammable materials in a garage or outside building. Also make sure that you and your family have prepared and practiced an escape plan.

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Business Briefs

Oxford Bank increases dividend

The board of directors of Oxford Bank Corporation, the holding company for Oxford Bank, has declared a semi-annual cash dividend on the company's common stock of \$1.70 per share. The dividend is payable on December 10,

1993 to shareholders of record at the close of business on November 26, 1993.

This dividend is 9.7 percent greater than the dividend of \$1.55 per share which the company paid in December 1992. In June of this year, the company paid a dividend of \$1.22 per share. The total dividend in 1993 of \$2.92 is 10.2 percent more than the company paid in 1992.

Randall G. Fox, president and chief executive officer of both the holding company and the bank, announced the board's action. "The increase in our cash dividends reflects the growth of our bank and the improvement in our earnings. We are growing at a considerably faster pace than the banking industry in general but our earnings are excellent. As a consequence, we can pay a quarter of our net income to our shareholders while still maintaining a strong capital position and internally financing our growth."

Teacher named vice president-elect

A Clarkston resident was named vice president-elect for 1993-94 of the Oakland County Reading Council.

Kay Robertson, a Chapter I reading teacher at Andersonville Elementary School, was named to the position.

The Reading Council is a professional organization to serve teachers, parents and administrators of public and private schools in Oakland county.

Steaming mad?

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Collecting toys

Circus toys bring out the child

BY JIM CARLSON

The last "Whatzit?" should have shouted circus! Last week, the item pictured was a Schoenhut Band Wagon with eight musicians and a driver. A team of four horses was not included in the picture but came with the original set.

Circus toys have remained very popular over the years. The belief for continued popularity is each of us at one time wanted to "join the circus."

Toy Band Wagons and Calliopes seem to retain the highest interest along with toy cage wagons, performers, animals and accessories.

The Band Wagon in last week's edition was a manufactured piece. There are many Band Wagons in existence today and old catalogues show pictures with a variety of performers.

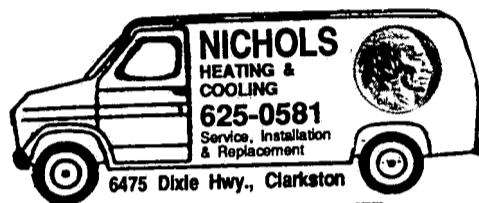
In addition, there are many one-of-a-kind circus "folk art" toys. These toys were hand-carved and in many instances displayed for viewing.

As we get closer to Christmas, the "Whatzit?" for next time should be easy to identify. But how did it balance? How did it stay upright?

Toy collector Jim Carlson resides in Independence Township.



What is it? The answer will be revealed in Collecting Toy's next installment.



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 March 1, 15
 April 5, 19
 May 3, 17
 June 7, 21
 July 19
 August 3, 16
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AGENDA
 7:30 p.m., December 21, 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
- Public Hearing - Bow Pointe
- Old Business
 1. Sound Wall Update - Mr. Whitenon - MDOT
 2. Sound Wall Presentation - Olde Sturbridge
 3. Resolution to MDOT - Sound Wall
 4. Resolution Confirming Bow Pointe Road Improvements Assessment Roll
 5. Discussion Fire Station Architect
 6. Final Plat Approval - Spring Lake North
- New Business
 1. Transfer of Ownership of Township Property
 2. Approval for Fund Balance Designation - DDA \$150,000 - White Lake Road
 3. Approval Wolfs Revised Co-Op Plan - Library
 4. Fire Exhaust System - Approval to Purchase
 5. Discussion on Affordable Housing
 6. Request to Enter Into Agreement - DNR for Phase II Bay Court
 7. Request to Solicit R.F.P. from Architect
 8. Sheriff Contract (94-96) - Discussion & Approval
 9. Non-Union Salary Increase
 10. Appointments - Various Boards and Commissions
 11. Solicitor Ordinance Amendment
 12. Adoption of BOCA Codes - 1990
 13. Adjustments to Fee Schedule - Building Department

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.

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Place: Township Hall Annex,

90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on December 21, 1993, at 7:30 p.m. in the Township Hall of the Charter Township of Independence, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan (Annex), the Township Board shall meet for the purpose of hearing comments and objections to the Special Assessment Roll prepared and filed with the Township Clerk in connection with the Bow Pointe Road Improvement and Special Assessment Project, a proposed improvement to pave Bow Pointe Road for industrial use purposes for the benefit of properties described as 08-27-251-002; 08-27-251-003; 08-27-251-005; 08-27-252-001; 08-27-252-003; 08-27-252-004; and 08-27-276-001, Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan ("the Special Assessment District").

The cost of the project has been estimated to be in the amount of \$304,313.00, and such cost has been allocated in the proposed Special Assessment Roll among the properties in the Special Assessment District according to benefit.

The proposed Special Assessment Roll may be examined in the offices of the Charter Township of Independence, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, during normal business hours.

Appearance and protest at the hearing is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the state tax tribunal. An owner or party in interest, or his or her agent, may appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment, or shall be permitted to file his or her appearance or protest by letter and his or her personal appearance in such case shall not be required.

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SYNOPSIS OF ACTION

TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD
 OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
 Supervisor Stuart called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Hall Annex on December 7, 1993.
 Pledge of Allegiance.
 Roll Call: Present: Lutz, McCrary, McGee, Mercado, Stuart, Vaara.

Absent: Travis.
 There is a quorum.

1. Approval of motion approving the agenda with the addition of a Resolution setting a Public Hearing for Bow Pointe Drive Assessment Roll as Item 2, Bid Award for Water Main Extension and Water Taps for Sashabaw Road area, Main Street, as Item 3 and Request Transfer SDM License as Item 4 under Old Business. The deletion of Reclassification-Police Services under New Business.

2. Approval of motion to approve the minutes of the Regular Township Board meeting of November 18, 1993 as submitted.

3. Approval of motion authorizing the payment of bills totaling \$309,890.23.

4. Approval of motion authorizing the issuance of purchase orders totaling \$22,973.60.

5. No one spoke under the Public Forum segment of the agenda.

6. Approval of motion to award the low bid for the Light Modular Rescue, for the Captain's Truck to Scherer Truck Equipment of Troy in the amount of \$24,064.

7. Approval of motion to set a public hearing for December 21, 1993 for the assessment roll for Bow Pointe Drive.

8. Approval of motion to award the contract for the Water Main Extension to Yates Construction, Inc., in the amount of \$420,866.

9. Approval of motion to award the contract for the Water Taps to R. Santia & Sons, in the amount of \$399,470.

10. Approval of motion approving the transfer of SDM License as requested from Daenzer & Thomas, Inc. to Mike and Eddy Limited.

11. Approval of motion to enter into an agreement for maintenance of drainage easements re: proposed Indianwood Court with direction to the Building Department that the lot splits not be approved or building permits issued until receipt of a recorded copy of the agreement and proof of road approval by the Road Commission for Oakland County.

12. Approval of motion allowing the transfer of the Liquor License for Arena Associates, Inc.

13. Approval of motion to adopt the 1994 Township Board Meeting Schedule dates.

14. Approval of motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
 Joan E. McCrary
 Township Clerk

Kids enjoy Christmas crafts

Snowflakes, candles and potpourri were all part of Holiday Happenings this weekend.

About 40 children, parents and grandparents made holiday keepsakes on Dec. 11 at Independence Oaks Park.

Children made hand-dipped candles, cachets for hanging in closets, snowflake ornaments and Christmas tree ornaments with potpourri. In the afternoon they were visited by Santa Claus and had a sing-a-long.



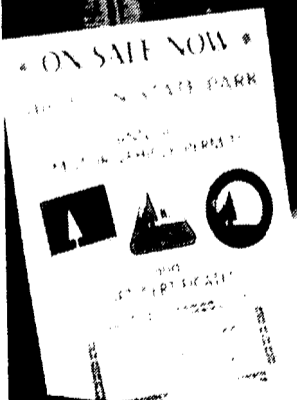
JAMES ROSE, 6, of Orion Township patiently dips his candle into hot wax. James and his brother Tom came to Holiday Happenings with their grandparents.



AMANDA BLAIR, 2, gets some help from her dad, Gary. The Blairs made an ornament and cachet. (Photos by Catherine Passmore)

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Area business helps bring Vietnam statue to life

BY CURT MCALLISTER
Clarkston News Associate Editor

This May, Mt. Pleasant will be home to a new Vietnam memorial. And they'll have a Clarkston-area company to partially thank for it.

The statue "War Cry," depicting an American soldier clutching a dying comrade, is presently being cast at the Fine Arts Sculpture Centre, Independence Township. Upon completion, this statue will be delivered to the Vietnam Veterans of America — Chapter 438, Mt. Pleasant, for a Memorial Day dedication.

This five-foot statue, which is one and half times life size, is the creation of Portland, Mich., artist Derek Rainey. He sent the full-size clay rendering to the centre in September, which has the reputation of being one of the best art foundries in the state.

Perhaps the most recognizable statue to be cast at the Fine Arts Sculpture Centre is the 12-foot image of Joe Louis at Cobo Hall, Detroit. This statue was completed in the late 1980s.

According to Charlene Trudeau, co-owner of the 31-year-old centre, "War Cry" is undergoing the same treatment as the Joe Louis statue — a method known as

ceramic shell investment casting or "the lost wax process."

This process entails taking the full-size clay rendering and applying a rubber mold over top of it. Upon removal, the mold is split into two, leaving an impression on both halves.

With a monument of this size, the statue is cut into a couple of pieces, prior to the application of the rubber mold. Wax is then painted inside of the rubber molds. These wax replicas are then invested with a ceramic shell material and sand for 10 consecutive days to build up the thickness desirable for the pouring in of hot bronze.

The ceramic shells are then heated in a furnace, melting the wax and leaving a void in the shells. Molten bronze is then poured into the ceramic shell investment, filling the voids left by the wax.

The ceramic shells are then broken off from the bronze sculpture.

Subsequently, the bronze pieces are welded together and "chased," to give the metal a smooth blend and restore the artist's original detail.

After the piece is completed, a patina is applied with the use of chemicals and heat to achieve the desired color.

When it's finished, Trudeau estimates this hollow statue will weigh about 500 pounds.

Trudeau said she takes great pride in her company's

casting work, even though her occupation is often the unsung hero in the bronze art field.

"For us, it's fun to go to the sites of these statues and see the finished product and how the public reacts to them," she said. "We may not have our name listed alongside the sculptor's, but we know our job is vital to that piece ever coming to fruition."

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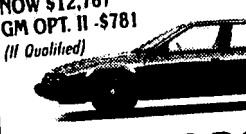

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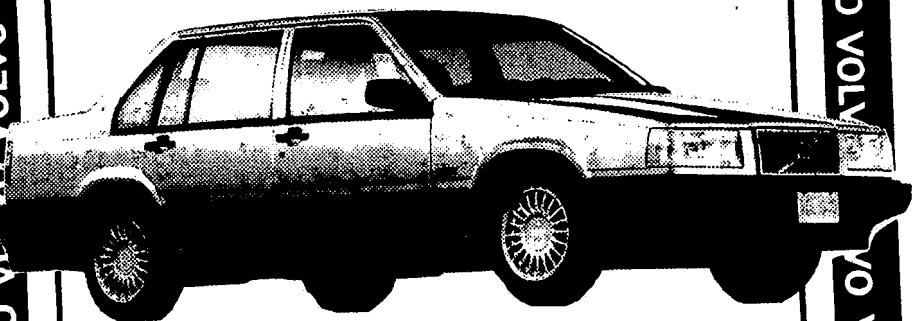
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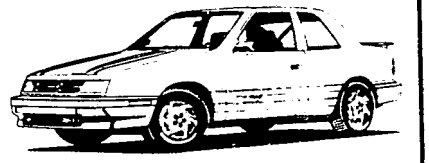
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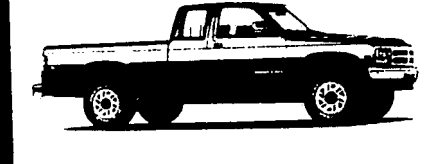
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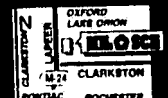
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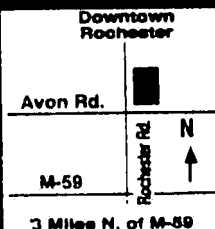
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1984 SUBURBAN SILVERADO: Loaded. Trailer package. High miles. \$3000. 693-3495. IILX50-4nn

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1987 RANGER PICKUP, 5 speed, air, pull out Pioneer Radio. 97,000 miles. 4 cylinder. \$2250. 693-9166. IILX50-2

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1981 GMC SUBURBAN: Heavy duty hitch. 3 seats. Needs some work or buy for parts. \$550. obo. 752-5737. IILX39-21nn

1991 RANGER XLT: New condition. Red. Cab-high fiberglass cap, stereo/cassette, 5 speed. New shocks, new tires. 41,000 miles. \$5,900. Call mornings, 628-4720. IILX49-4dh

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1992 CHEVY High-top conversion van: 350 engine. Loaded. Built in radio, Nintendo, TV, VCR, automatic bed, 2 radios, ear phones, much more. 17,000 miles. \$19,900. Please call 693-0316. IILX45-12nn

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1993 ASTRO VAN: Dutch door rear, all wheel, almost loaded! 16,500 miles. \$18,500 obo. 693-2962. IILX43-12nn

1993 CHEVY S-10, 4.3 V8, auto with overdrive, low miles. Tahoe package, Tonneau cover, inter-mitten wipers, tilt, am/fm cassette, air, bug deflector. \$11,500. Under warranty. 664-7304, after 6pm. IILX43-12nn

1993 F-150 XLT PICKUP: White, loaded. 31,500 miles. \$17,500. 693-4883. IILX48-4nn

1993 FORD F250 H.D. Supercab, 7.3L diesel. Loaded! Phone 810-628-0796. IILX51-2

1993 SAFARI XT: 8 passenger. Loaded. \$15,900. 693-3838 after 6pm. IILX48-4nn

CHEVY TRUCK, 1978, 4 wheel drive. \$1,500 obo. 391-2561. IILX50-2

FORD 1992 F150 XLT: 5.1L, V8 automatic, power lumbar support. Loaded! PW/PL, air, AM/FM stereo cassette, bedliner. Forest green. Excellent condition. 38,000 miles. \$12,800 obo. 810-544-0264. IILX51-4nn

FOR SALE: 1985 FORD Econoline Van XLT. Auto, air, AM/FM tape, cruise, PS/PB. 79,000 miles. Excellent condition. \$3,500. 628-5315. IILX40-12nn

FOR SALE: 1988 DODGE Mini Van. 2.6 auto, two-tone. Loaded with full power. \$3,500 obo. 693-2626. IILX48-4nn

FOR SALE: 1977 GMC 1 ton 4x4 truck. \$2,200. 625-6570. IILX19-2

1983 S-10 EXTENDED CAB Pickup, 6-cylinder, auto, air, Ziebart, dual-axle. Looks good, runs good. \$1450. 752-0909. IILX51-4nn

1984 CHEVY 1/2 TON, full size with cap. Auto, 6 cylinder. \$2,200. Call after 6pm, 693-0472. IILX41-12nn

1984 JEEP CHEROKEE 4x4. \$3,400 or best offer. 391-4047. IILX48-12nn

1984 JEEP WAGONEER hatch-back: 4WD, PW/PL, power everything! AM/FM. 92,000 miles. Very good condition. Very little rust. \$4,000. 693-2930. IILX50-4nn

1984 S-10 BLAZER: 4WD, 2.8L, V-6. Loaded! High highway mileage. Very good condition. \$2,500. 693-4790. IILX51-4nn

1984 UTILITY TRUCK Ford F250 4.9, auto, ps/pb. Enclosed box with shelves and racks. Ready to work, low miles. \$3,200. 625-4634. IILX48-4nn

1985 FORD ECONOLINE CLUB Wagon XLT 300. Auto O/D, A/C, pw/pl, security. Extra load and tow package. Premium sound. Single family owner. Must see! \$3,500 firm. 313-652-3305. IILX46-12nn

1985 GMC SUBURBAN SIERRA Classic 2 wheel drive. 350 V-8, 3:08 axle, auto, air, ps/pb, tilt, cruise, power windows and door locks. Front bucket seats. Running boards. \$5000. 693-2177. IILX49-13nn

1985 S-10 BLAZER 4x4: High miles, air cruise, well maintained. Asking \$3500. 620-0157. IILX14-12nn

1986 BRONCO WITH SNOWPLOW and new tires. Runs good. \$2,750. 628-4715. IILX51-2

1986 CHEVY S-10 Blazer 4x4, Tahoe package. \$4,500. After 6pm, 391-2804. IILX44-16nn

1986 CHEVY PICK-UP full size: V8, full power, with cap. Auto trans, air, good tires. Runs & looks good. Must sell. \$1,800. 693-7722. IILX47-12nn

1987 BRONCO II XLT. Loaded! \$6,000. 391-4218. IILX50-4nn

1987 CHEVY SAFARI VAN, Starcraft Conversion. Very clean! Many extras. 56,000 miles. \$7,500 Like new. 628-5512 after 4pm weekdays. IILX45-12nn

1988 NISSAN STANZA station wagon (mini van). Good running car. Automatic, air, good Michelin XH-4 tires, sliding rear doors both sides, large radio, 6 speakers. Excellent mileage. \$4,500. 693-1162. IILX50-12nn

1988 PLYMOUTH HORIZON: 4dr. One owner. 66k miles. Great transportation. Good condition. Automatic. Blue. \$2,800. 628-8109. IILX48-12nn

1989 JEEP CHEROKEE Laredo: 4WD, PW/PL, air, cassette, 57,000 miles. \$10,000. 693-2607. IILX50-4nn

1990 LUMINA APV VAN, seats 7. Fully equipped. New shocks, brakes. \$9,000. 391-4379 or leave message, 391-2266. IILX42-12nn

055-MOBILE HOMES

1966 MOBILE HOME: 3BD, Avondale. Best offer over \$1,000. 852-0819. IILX50-2

1976 ARLINGTON 14x65, 2BR, furnished. Can stay in park. \$4,500 obo. 752-6825. IILX51-2

1980 TWIN MANOR Double wide. 2 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath. Furnished. Largo, Florida. \$18,900. 628-5806. IILX50-2

1985 REDMAN DOUBLE WIDE: 3 large bedrooms with walk-in closets, 2 full baths, ceiling fans throughout, doorwall, greenhouse window dishwasher, garbage disposal, shed & deck. Excellent condition. Was reduced by \$5,500 for quick sale. 693-0174. IILX51-2

BY OWNER: Must sacrifice 1986 Riverview 14x60, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath. Still owe \$10,700. Make offer. 693-8992. IILX50-2

DOUBLE WIDE 3BD, 2 full baths. V.G.C. \$16,000 obo. 693-8348. IILX51-2

FOR SALE: 1983 MOBILE HOME. 14x65, 2BR, all appliances stay. Price negotiable. Owner motivated. 693-0248. IILX50-2

LAKEVILLA PARK: 2 bedrooms, new skirting. \$7500. 628-0765. IILX50-2

WANTED: MOBILE HOME in Clarkston Lakes or Sashabaw Meadows, 3bd, \$10,000 range. Call R.L. Davison Real Estate, 628-8191. IILX51-1c

MOBILE HOME: Land Contract. Clean, 68", 2 bedrooms, appliances, blinds. Low down and low payments. 628-6855. IILX51-2

MOBILE HOME

In Sashabaw Meadows 14x70 2BRs, 2 full baths New Carpeting Extra large corner lot Beautiful landscaping, next to park. \$13,900. NO REASONABLE Offer Refused 628-6729 CX17-4

MOBILE HOME 12x60, 2BD, 7x12 extended living room, 8x25 glassed in porch, 9x10 shed, new carpeting. \$3,500. 693-0105. IILX51-2

060-GARAGE SALE

MOVING SALE: DREXEL contemporary/Oriental sofa, chairs and coffee table. (\$2600 new) \$400. 391-1403. IILX50-2

MOVING: GE refrigerator, sofa bed, misc household items. 628-9817 leave message. IILX50-2

SECOND MOVING SALE -INDOORS-

Antiques, furniture & more! PRICES REDUCED! SATURDAY, DEC. 18th, 11-5pm 41 FREDRICK, OXFORD (Off Seymour Lk, 1mi W. of M-24) LX51-1

BLACK LEATHER COUCH and loveseat, \$600; Oak formica table with 6 chairs and 2 stools, \$600; Amana 25 cu.ft. refrigerator, \$725; Sony cassette deck, \$25; 14" color TV, \$70. 625-7255 after 6pm. IILX20-2

065-AUCTIONS

GROCERY AUCTION, Sunday, December 19th, 2pm. By Discount Foods. Now accepting food stamps. Oxford American Legion, 130 E. Drahrner, Oxford. 693-6141. IILX51-1

066-CRAFT SHOWS & BAZAARS

CRAFT SHOW: SANTA'S Last Stop! Hadley Town Hall, Dec 18-19. IILX50-2

075-FREE

FREE: BOSTON TERRIER, female, 8. Housebroken, well mannered. 969-2064. IILX20-1f

FREE: CONCRETE FILL and bricks. Grange Hall/ Dixie area. You move! Weekdays 628-4700. IILX51-1f

FREE PUPPIES in time for Christmas. Mother AKC Golden Retriever, father unknown. 628-5733. IILX51-1f

FREE: SAILING BOAT, you remove. 693-0268 evenings. IILX51-1f

AKC COLLIE, male 2yrs. Free to good home with kids. 391-0311. IILX51-1f

FREE KITTENS: Five 6wks, two 8mths. Litter trained. 628-7303. IILX51-1f

FREE TO GOOD HOME, Golden Retriever Shepherd mix, 7mo old female. 693-6860 after 5pm. IILX51-1f

FREE ADORABLE CHUBBY Christmas kittens, 12wks. Must see! 628-7111. IILX51-1f

FREE EXERCISE BIKE, 693-7048. IILX51-1f

080-WANTED

CASH PAID FOR ALL instruments. Guitars, amps, drums, keyboards. 628-7577. IILX48-tfc

WANTED: OLD BUTTONS. Glass, metal, and jet. 651-1847 after 4:30pm. IILX19-2

WANTED: SANTA HELPER NEEDS Criss Cross Crash Set. 628-3904. IILX50-2

WANTED: SMALL MIG Welder. 693-2151 evenings. IILX51-2

WANTED USED GUNS Regardless of condition TOP CASH DOLLARS WE BUY-SELL-TRADE • GUNS GALORE • 629-5325 (Fenton) CX45-tfc

TAXIDERMIST: WILDLIFE wanted in good condition. Old or new. 651-1384. IILX20-2

WANTED: OUTBOARD MOTOR up to 25HP, also rowboat 12-16ft. 625-1173. IILX19-2

WANTED: 1973 GRAND PRIX in good condition. Please send photo to Mike, 149 Sunset Hills Dr, Atica, MI 48412. IILX38-tfdh

085-HELP WANTED

BARN HELP NEEDED: Stall cleaners & show grooms. Hard working, dependable. Apply at Fernandos Arabian Ranch, 2716 E. Sutton, Metamora, 667-9219. IILX51-2

CHILDCARE NEEDED IN MY Home 2 days a week for 4 and 1 year olds. 625-0636. IILX19-2

DIRECT CARE STAFF needed for part time work in Oxford area group home. Call 628-3692. IILX48-4

DIRECT CARE-SEEKING individuals to work with developmentally/ disabled adults in Oxford area group homes. For more info call 313-969-0736 M-F, 8am-3pm; or 313-969-2392 after 3pm. Oxford area. IILX51-1

IMMEDIATE POSITIONS OPEN for experienced pizza makers, also need phone personnel. Apply at Hungry Howies in Buckhorn Plaza, 786 S. Lapeer Rd, Lake Orion. IILX51-2c

LIVE-IN in exchange for light house-keeping, 1-2 women or mother and 1 child. Info, call 752-4237. IILX50-2

LOOKING FOR FULL TIME travel agent with computer experience. 628-0017. IILX49-3c

MANAGEMENT/SALES: One of Michigan's largest financial corporations is looking for people who

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CONTACT PAULA SMITH AT (313) 732-3770 FOR AN APPOINTMENT LX51-1

PART TIME DIETARY aide for nursing home. Will train. Call or apply in person at Bortz Health Care of Oakland, 1255 W. Silverbell, Orion Township. Monday-Friday, 10am-5pm. 391-0900. IILX50-2

PART TIME STABLE CARE, 4 horses. Grooming, cleaning stalls and tack. 8am-12 noon. Monday through Friday. \$100 per week. Call evenings, 628-3301. IILX51-1

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HIRING FOR AN ADULT foster care home in Auburn Hills for live-in management position. Great opportunity for an elderly, older couple or young marrieds with 2 or less children. Please contact Beth at 313-636-2154 for an interview. IILX51-2

LIVE-IN HELP to care for elderly ladies. 391-2885. IILX18-3

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PART TIME BOOKKEEPER, etc. 693-8776. IILX51-1

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SERVICE COORDINATOR, to schedule classes for busy Clarkston Home Care Agency. Excellent communications and clerical skills required. Family Home Care, 313-229-5683. IILX18-4

SUPERVISORS AND JANITORS needed for all shifts. Call 313-357-0327 between 12 noon-2pm. IILX51-2

TEACHER FOR AN ESTABLISHED developmental pre-school. Assist as a team member in planning for and participation in all school sessions and events. Experienced special person, talented with children, organizational and communication needed. To start in January '94. B.A. in Early Childhood Education or related experience preferred. Send resume and cover letter to Personnel Director at Country Town Nursery and PreSchool, 140 E. Flint St, Lake Orion, MI 48362 by December 20th. Any questions, call 391-2148. IILX50-2

VETERINARY ASSISTANT. Small animal. 41 hours per week. Will be involved in all aspects of operation. Reliability essential. Salary commensurate with experience. 628-6840. IILX51-2

THE RED ROOF INN of Rochester Hills is now hiring for full time front desk clerk/ auditor. We offer benefits, competitive wages. Please apply in person at 2580 Crooks Road, Rochester Hills. IILX51-2

WEEKEND CAREGIVER: Mature, physically able, reliable person wanted to care for handicapped child. Friday evenings through Sunday evenings. \$5.50 to start. 628-0525. IILX51-2

DIRECT CARE STAFF: Career opportunity available working with the developmentally disabled. Good starting wage. Blue Cross/ medical/ dental/ optical. Paid vacation. Flexible hours. Call anytime 1-313-634-1688. IILX18-4

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DEVELOPING MARKETING team for a growing local insurance business. Hourly rates plus bonus plan. 3 evenings & some daytime hours. A great place to work. Call 628-3110. IILX51-2c

EXPERIENCED PART TIME help wanted for a mental health agency, working with developmentally disabled adolescents/adults living at home. Flexible after school and weekend hours. Minimum starting salary \$6/hr. Depending on experience. Call Mary at 544-9354. IILX50-2

FULL TIME HOUSEKEEPER wanted, 4-5 days per week. 375-1600, 8-4pm, M-F. IILX51-3

Full & Part Time CASHIERS Wanted

HAPPY, SMILING FACES... available to work 2pm-10pm and 10pm-6am. Three locations. Benefits, paid holidays and vacations. Life and health insurance, college tuition reimbursement. Apply at: AMOCO - AUBURN HILLS (corner of Lapeer & Brown Rds) RX50-4

HELP WANTED: Full time, general foundry. Apply at BarronCast, Inc. 411 N. Oxford Rd, Oxford, MI. 8-5pm. IILX49-3

HELP WANTED: Daytime housecleaners. \$6-7 per hour. Experience preferred. 693-5548. IILX50-2

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Orion Township is now accepting applications for Certified Level I or Level II Appraiser with the State Assessors Board with High School diploma or equivalent and experience in Assessing Office. Course work in assessment and/or real estate preferred. Full time position with benefit package. Salary dependent upon experience and certification. Applications are available in the Orion Township Clerk's Office. Applications or resumes must be submitted by 4:00 p.m. Friday, December 17, 1993 to the ORION TOWNSHIP CLERK'S OFFICE, 2525 JOSLYN, LAKE ORION, MICHIGAN 48360. For more information call 391-0304. All applicants will be tested and only those with a passing score will be interviewed. AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER. Marie E. English, Clerk CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF ORION LX51-1c

AIDES AND HOME MAKERS/COMPANIONS: Accepting application for mature, caring, and reliable aides and caregivers for hourly and live in positions (4 days in/ 4 days out). Call 625-8484. IILX50-4

ASSISTANT CLEANING supervisor: 26/Mound, M+T+Th 5+45, W 6+05, F+50. \$9/hr. Savings bond and bonus. 583-2960. IILX50-4

087-DAY CARE

DEPENDABLE, RESPONSIBLE person needed to get children off to school, 2 mornings a week. 7-9am starting in January. Excellent pay for right person. 391-5188. IILX49-3

UNIQUE CHILDCARE: Warm, loving atmosphere. Separate area for children. Excellent references. Licensed. Oxford area. 969-0873. IILX51-4

WANTED: CHRISTIAN, Non smoking, experienced caregiver for infant in our home. Tues. through Fri. 7:30am-5pm beginning in January. Call 693-4098. IILX51-2

CHILDCARE NEEDED M-F, 4-11pm. Must be at least 18, have transportation & have no children. References required. 391-5916. IILX50-2

CHILDCARE, EVENING HOURS, 2pm-12am. Oxford. Certified teacher, non-smoking. Call 628-4144. IILX51-3

MOTHER WILL BABYSIT children in my home. Infants to school age, from 6am until 9pm. Weekends negotiable. Call Bonnie at 391-2543. IILX51-2

NEWLY LICENSED DAYCARE, certified teacher. Activities & meals, 0-18mo- \$2.75/hr; 19mo+up- \$2.50/hr. Open 6am-7pm. Orion, 391-2814. IILX50-2

TIRED OF LOOKING for day care... well look no more! Caring mother offers a safe and fun environment for children of all ages. For more information call 627-6441. IILX20-4

LOVING CHRISTIAN WOMAN wanted to watch 2 children in my home, Mondays- Wednesdays-Fridays. Sashabaw & Granger location. 969-0171. IILX51-2

GRAND OPENING- Children's Garden Learning Center Montessori School. Wednesday, December 15th, 6pm-8pm, 775 West Draher (west of M-24). New owners! Pre-School, Kindergarten, Day Care. IILX51-1

LICENSED DAYCARE has openings in January. Located M-15/Oakwood area, outside Village Ortonville. Planned activities, nutritious meals and snacks, outdoor play. More information, 810-627-5106. IILX19-2

STATE LAW REQUIRES some Childcare facilities to be licensed and some to be registered. Call Michigan Department of Social Services if you have any questions. IILX43-dhtf

095-TRADE

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100-LOST & FOUND

FOUND: JACKET, Friday. Gray/blue. In front of Lake Orion Review parking lot. Owner may pickup at Lake Orion Review, 30N. Broadway. IILX50-2dhtf

LOST: COATS/GRANGER area. 5mo Black Lab puppy wearing red collar. 628-4743. IILX50-2

105-FOR RENT

BEAUTIFUL SPACIOUS 3bd or 2bd/ den, Oxford apartment. References required. No pets. \$570/mo. 650-3067. IILX50-2

DISNEY/ ORLANDO CONDO: 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, pools, spa, golf. Ideal for newlyweds, families, couples. \$495/wk. 545-2114 and 852-0362. IILX20-tfc

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HALL FOR RENT: Seats 200 plus - dance area. Refreshments and catering is available for wedding receptions and all other types of parties or gatherings. Phone Oxford American Legion 628-9081. Fridays, 5-9pm, serving fish, shrimp, chicken and combination dinners. Take outs are also available. IILX5-tf

HALL RENTAL for weddings, banquets. K of C Hall, 1400 Orion Rd., capacity 350. Air conditioned. For further information contact Ed Koryncinski, rental manager, 693-7122 or 693-9824. IILX26-tf

INDEPENDENCE POINTE: 1,000 sqft medical office space. Sub lease available. Inquire: (313) 733-3200, Jeannine. IILX28-tfc

LARGE ONE BEDROOM Apartment. Washer/ dryer, appliances. Downtown Lake Orion. No pets. \$390 monthly plus utilities. 693-8053. IILX50-3

LARGE ONE BEDROOM lakefront apartment- Orion Twp. Front, rear entrances. Fireplace, sunporch, washer, dryer. All utilities & cable TV included. No pets. \$550, first, last, references. After 4pm, 391-3016. IILX51-2

ONE BEDROOM APARTMENT, Village of Lake Orion. Upper \$390, lower \$375. Cable ready. Includes heat & water, central A/C. Will accept one cat. One year lease. 693-7371. IILX49-3

ORLANDO CONDO near Disney World. Pool, lake. \$375 week. 689-8852. IILX46-tfc

ORLANDO, FLORIDA: Very nice condo. Rent weekly. Near all attractions. Pool, lake, clubhouse. Close to golfing. Private owned. Non-smoking. 313-524-2455. IILX45-9

FOR RENT: 1BR house with basement in Oxford. \$375 month. 628-9896. IILX50-2

FOR RENT: LAKESIDE CABINS, sleepers \$78/wk. Includes utilities. Call Gary, 693-2912 after 6pm, 693-9375 days. IILX50-tfc

OXFORD PARK VILLA APARTMENTS (WINTER SPECIALS)

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5 MONTH APARTMENT lease available beginning January 1st. 2bd, D/W, A/C, window blinds & gas heat. Utilities not included in rent. New 5 month lease required. \$485 monthly. Current occupant willing to give up security deposit to new tenant. Within walking distance to downtown Oxford. Nice area, quiet complex, children welcome. Cat or small dog allowed at extra charge. Can be seen evenings only between 5-8pm. 628-5966. IILX51-1

AVAILABLE DEC. 1st: 6 month rental, nice 2 bedroom home in Davisburg on Big Lake. \$550 per month plus last month rent and \$200 security deposit. 543-9672 after 6pm. IILX19-2

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YOUNGSTERS in Ruth Kelsey's class try their hands at painting small, wooden Christmas tree ornaments. (Photos by Curt McAllister)

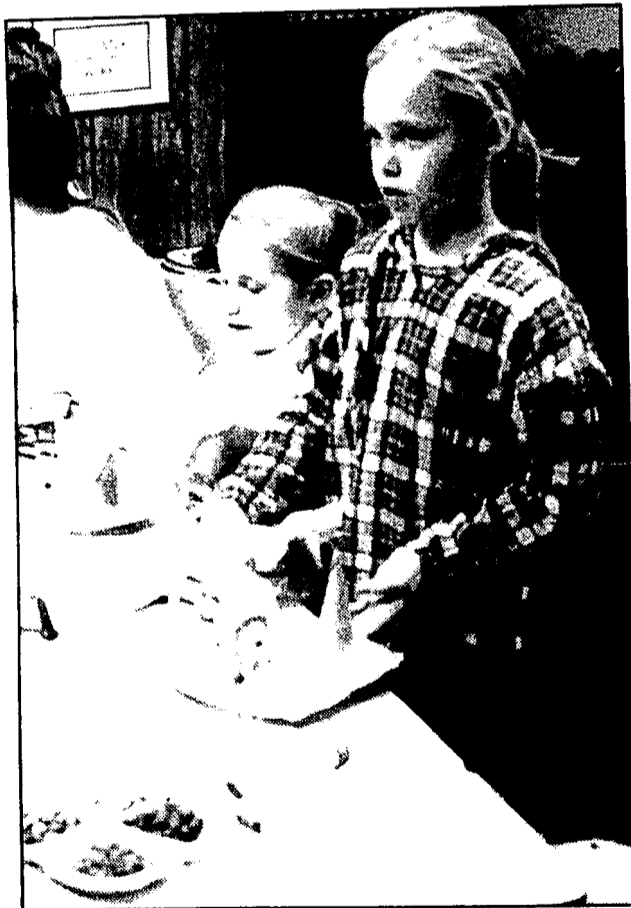
'Tis the season

As is the tradition in Ruth Kelsey's classes, Christmas ornaments are all the rave this time of year.

Last week, the Clarkston Elementary teacher treated her fourth and fifth grade classes with 11 separate ornament projects. Some of these ornaments will adorn the room's Christmas tree, before being sent home as potential presents or decorations.

Among these projects were small wreaths, gingerbread houses, and numerous ornaments.

"The children really enjoy creating these crafts," Kelsey said. "A majority of them will eventually be given away as gifts, making them very personal."



ALICIA LAIR, 9, decorates her festive gingerbread house.



CAYLAN COOK, 10, applies paint to her Christmas tree ornament.