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Projected water main costs called 'a big hit' for some businesses

Unincorporating the city an option to pay for massive project

BY BRAD MONASTIERE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

At the July 26 city council meeting, council members and several residents got their first look at preliminary costs to bring a water main into downtown.

The 11-page document, drawn up by city engineer Gary Tressel and his firm Hubbell, Roth and Clark, detailed what each residence and business along Main Street would have to pay if a water main were to be built along Main Street given the current construction estimates.

After examining the figures, and recognizing several fast-approaching deadlines, the council decided to put off making any decisions regarding the water main until Jan. 1 to explore state and federal grant opportunities.

According to the estimate, the water main installation will cost each Main Street address \$882.81 per year over the next 15 years. That is based on one Residential Equivalent Unit based on sewer units in the city. One REU is equal to the amount of water a single-family home would use in a given year.

All of the affected Main Street businesses and residences have a total of 122 REUs, 36 1/2 for residences and 85 1/2 for the businesses. The project is estimated to cost a total of \$924,952.50.

Tressel emphasized that these numbers are preliminary in nature and could change dramatically based on what the council is able to obtain.

"We've gone back to the original formula used when the city did its sewer project," he said. "It was

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Police seek suspects in watercraft thefts

Two personal watercrafts were stolen from homes in the city on Tuesday, and Clarkston Police Chief Paul Ormiston says the incidents may be related.

The first was reported stolen at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday from a home in Pinehurst. Through interviews with the victim, suspects were developed.

At 8:30 p.m. that same day, a craft was reported stolen from a Middle Lake Road home. It was later found adrift on Deer Lake.

"These incidents could be related to others that occurred in Independence Township," Ormiston said.

A Lesson in Fun



CHS graduate Bill Goforth instructs a group of kids ages 8-10 at Deer Lake Beach as part of a swimming course offered through Independence Township Parks and Recreation. Photo by Renee Lutz

Fire departments ablaze over new paramedic policy

BY EILEEN MCCARVILLE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Imagine your loved one, lying along the road, injured from a car accident — and it takes 30 minutes for an ambulance to arrive.

That's an all-too-familiar scene for Brandon Township Fire Chief Bob McArthur. "It's too long to wait," he says. "Fifty years ago, I guess that was acceptable. But it's not now."

Although response time is shorter in Independence Township, firefighters here say

they've experienced that long of a wait also. According to a recent article in "SEMScope," a Southeast Michigan Council of Governments publication, victims must be en route to the hospital in 10 minutes ("Platinum 10") and at the hospital in 60 minutes (the "Golden Hour") to ensure the greatest possibility of survival.

Independence Fire Engineer Bob Cesario explains, "Critical patients need to be packaged and on their way to the hospital within 10 minutes, and in the hospital emergency room or on an operating table, if necessary, within the Golden Hour."

But now there's hope for communities who haven't been able to afford their own paramedics and

emergency transport service.

Last month the Oakland County Medical Control Board ruled fire departments now have the option of staffing their Emergency Medical Service vehicles with just one paramedic instead of two. The change replaces a 20-year-old policy.

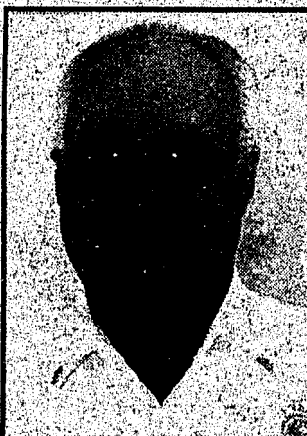
The new policy was co-written by McArthur and Groveland Township Assistant Fire Chief Steve McGee. They were joined in support by Independence, Orion, Addison, Oakland and Oxford townships.

The option is more cost-effective for smaller, rural communities that don't have much of a tax base. One of the biggest changes is they can upgrade their level of service to Advanced Life Support immediately — once the new paramedics are trained and the paramedics and fire department are licensed.

Under ALS, paramedics can administer advanced medical treatment, such as drugs and IVs. Most smaller departments operate under either Medical First Response (MFR) or Basic Life Support (BLS).

MFR, the most basic level, means trained medical personnel are the first to arrive on scene. BLS, a step up, allows for advanced procedures such as ad-

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Chief Gar Wilson



Bob Sesario

The News in Brief

Labor Day Parade entries needed

Entries are needed for the Clarkston Rotary Club Labor Day Parade Monday, Sept. 6. The parade begins at 10 a.m. with the theme, "Clarkston Marching into the New Millennium."

Ideas to take part in the parade by marching, cycling, driving, walking, et cetera are invited. Those interested should contact Dick Miller at (248) 620-7100 for more information and an entry application.

All applications must be received by Aug. 16. An entry number, route map, set up time and position information will be sent upon registration.

Lighthouse Back-to-School Program ends Aug. 6

Registration for Lighthouse Emergency Services annual Back-to-School Program is underway for the Clarkston area. Parents of eligible children who have not yet registered have until Friday, Aug. 6 to register at 5331 Maybee Road.

Those to register after Aug. 6 will be put on a waiting list. Groups or individuals interested in helping Lighthouse Clarkston reach others in need for the upcoming school year are asked to contact Mary Ann Emick at (248) 673-4949.

Donors may buy suggested generic items or "adopt" a child and buy all the listed items for one or more children. Suggested donations include backpacks, lunch boxes, paper/spiral notebooks, crayons, all sizes socks, glue (liquid or sticks), scissors, pens, pencils, etc., all sizes of underwear.

Donor drop off is August 12, 13 and 16.

Kindergarten orientation

Parents who have not yet registered their kindergarteners for school may do so Tuesday, Aug. 10 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Springfield Plains Elementary School, 8650 Holcomb Road.

Parents should accompany their kindergartener to the school's cafeteria. There will be activities for the kindergarteners as well as a parent meeting. This meeting is inappropriate for siblings.

Please bring the child's birth certificate and immunization records and two proofs of residency other than a driver license.

For more information, contact principal Dr. Sharon Devereaux, (248) 625-6882.

New local history website

The answers to Clarkston or Independence Township history questions are now just a mouse click away. The Clarkston Community Historical Society has created an Internet site featuring sections for adults and children, with local history quizzes, stories and vintage photos.

A wide selection of Historical Society merchandise, including Clarkston-themed clothing and articles for the home can be viewed, along with ordering information. Membership and fundraising activity information is also available. You may also e-mail questions to Historical Society board member Kim Huttenlocher and receive replies on-line.

The site has just won the Advanced Internet Technologies, Inc. Most Innovative Website Award. The address is <http://www.clarkstonhistorical.org>. You may also use the e-mail feature to offer the Historical Society suggestions.

Just Because



Young leader: Marty Rathsburg

Global interaction

If a world oil crisis developed, how would the United Nations handle the situation? How are foreign trade disputes dealt with?

Marty Rathsburg of Clarkston joined more than 800 students from around the globe to learn ways such problems are faced in the real world. The students worked out simulated crises at a leadership development program sponsored by the Congressional Youth Leadership Council June 28-July 8.

Based on PSAT scores and responses to an interest survey, Marty and the others were selected from nearly 40,000 students nominated for the program. The students were required to take on leadership roles to develop foreign relations.

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The Second Front

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Back from the garden

Local teens have a blast at Woodstock 1999

BY EILEEN MCCARVILLE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

They aren't bell-bottomed hippies or love-beaded Deadheads.

In fact, Clarkston teens Courtney Bomier and Gretchen Pitser are more your fresh-scrubbed, girl-next-door types.

But for one weekend they became flower children like many of the 250,000 temporary residents of Rome, New York.

The two 19-year-olds attended Woodstock '99 with three fellow Clarkston High School graduates and Michigan State University students: Sara McKechnie, Aaron Sailor and John Arcello.

They made the 12-hour trek in Gretchen's mom's minivan because she wanted them to have a "dependable car," Gretchen said.

The adventure started when the group found out about the July 23-25 event way before it went public, via the Internet.

Although some of the parents were "paranoid" about them going, "the Website was very reassuring," saying there would be tight security at the gate, Courtney said. The five bought their \$150 tickets the first day they went on sale, deciding the three-day rock festival would be worth it.

"I guess the reason was the bands and the experience of it," Courtney said. "It sounded like fun. This kind of thing doesn't happen every summer. It was a little bit different."

They left around 8 a.m. Thursday, arriving at Rome in the early evening after traveling much of the way through Canada -- and getting lost several times. The girls said it was fun to see all the different states' license plates as they neared the festival.

But the gates weren't that tight, Courtney said. "Once you got there, it wasn't anything like that. (The guards) were supposed to check bags. By that time, I think they were fed up. They'd scan you with the metal detector and let you right in."

The five set up camp as soon as they found space. "The first place we found, we took it," Courtney said, adding that was a smart thing to do. "You'd wake up in the morning and find four more tents surrounding yours."

The next day, Friday, was the first day of the festival. Bands played every day from noon till after midnight. "We lost the guys (Aaron and John) right away," Gretchen said. Later, Courtney passed out from the 90-degree-plus weather and wound up in a medic tent. That was OK because she got to drink all the Gatorade she wanted.

Everyone eventually found each other at the campsite.

The girls shared some more highlights during Monday's interview.

Costly food and drink: Hot dogs, probably the cheapest food choice, cost

\$3. "If you bought them at some spots, they were \$5," Gretchen said. The pizza -- by their standards, personal-pan size -- was "gross," they said.

Water was \$5 a bottle. "I spent more on water than anything else there," Courtney said. Once you bought a bottle, you could keep filling it up at the "spigots," which satisfied thirst and basic bathing needs.

The group packed some food, mostly nonperishable breakfast-type items, Courtney said. "We tried to ration these as much as possible."

Music for everyone: They were looking forward to hearing Sugar Ray first thing Friday, but the band's lead singer was sick. Legendary soul man James Brown filled in -- not exactly a favorite. "Woo-hoo!" Gretchen said dryly. "They had girls in these patriotic costumes dancing along. We didn't listen to it."

Both agreed the best bands were Everclear, Bush and Live. "It was nice to hear Dave Matthews (too)," Courtney said. Metallica and Sheryl Crow were also rated highly. However, the crowd got rowdier when "they put Limp Biscuit, Rage Against the Machine and Metallica all in a row," Courtney said, listing the heavy-metal groups.

"We wanted to see Our Lady Peace," Gretchen added. "But our friend Aaron was too sunburned. (The medics) said, 'Here's an aspirin. Go home.'" Aaron grew more miserable when dancing patrons bumped him, they said.

People, people everywhere: The crowd size "exceeded our expectations," Gretchen said. "I didn't realize how many people there were going to be." The closer you got to the main stage, the thicker the bodies were. "You were always next to some other sweaty person," Gretchen chuckled.

Most of the people were really nice, the girls said. "Some of them were really funky," Courtney said. "They'd ask, 'Do you want some 'shrooms, some acid?' We turned down those and the cigarettes."

Too long: "It was long. It took a lot out of you," Gretchen said. They conceded a two-day festival might have been better. They estimated they only slept about five hours each night. Plus, the mornings were a little boring. "The concerts didn't start till noon. So you had all this time to kill," Courtney said.

What do you say to a naked lady -- or man?: Topless men and women were a constant presence, and some were "air-brushed." They saw some totally naked people also. When asked who, the girls said a couple of "hairy," paunchy older men.

Fire, but no rain: Luckily, the group left Sunday afternoon, before crowds started setting fires to some of the structures. Many people left with them. "I think everyone was so hot, so

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From left, pals Courtney and Gretchen show off the commemorative tees they purchased at Woodstock. The \$20 souvenir shows the festival's logo -- Peanuts character Woodstock atop a guitar.



From left, Clarkston friends Courtney Bomier, Sara McKechnie, Gretchen Pitser, John Arcello and Aaron Sailor at the door of their tent.



The group returns to the car -- a half-hour hike.

New paramedic policy offers options for fire depts.

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ministering electric paddles to patients whose hearts have stopped, and clearing airways (intubation). ALS is the highest level of care.

"Paramedics can give drugs, IVs and emergency room stuff—the things you see on TV," says Groveland Township Fire Cpt. Jerry Hobson. "And that's what we want. We don't want to have to wait for a paramedic."

Independence's fire department would like to implement the change. The department estimates private ambulance company American Medical Response time at 10 minutes, their own firefighters at four. AMR is the ambulance company used by most of the smaller communities.

"If you're waiting all this time for an AMR ambulance, what's that patient doing?" asks Fire Chief Gar Wilson.

Members of the local firefighters' union, the Independence Township Professional Firefighters Association, have been adamant for years, pushing for changes. (Independence does not provide its own transport service.) "We could call (AMR) tomorrow and they could say we are not providing service to your community anymore. That's why we've been jumping up and down," said Phil Williams, fire engineer. "We're trying to give the patient a better deal."

"We need to come up with a system," agreed Wilson. "If I'm going to go to paramedics, then I'm going to push for my own transport too."

"You can have one ambulance sitting at Baldwin and I-75, and that unit has to cover numerous communities," adds Williams.

Wilson estimates voters would have to approve a half-mill increase for ALS service. That means about \$.5 million more in taxes, which could come from the annual fire millage or a special millage. A mill is \$1 for every \$1,000 of state equalized value.

That amount would be needed to get the service started and provide paramedics' salaries, said Cesario, also the township's EMS coordinator, who has written an ALS proposal for Independence Township.

Paramedics would be staffed around the clock, 24 hours, seven days a week. Cesario said the goal is to have 18 paramedics so "that truck pulls out with two people every time. What would change is AMR would be cut out. We would provide all life support and transport. AMR would be reduced to a back-up service."

It would be the most "cost-effective" option to have both paramedics and transport in Independence, Cesario says. Currently, people pay as much as \$800-\$1,000 per trip for a private ambulance, he said. If ALS were implemented in Independence, residents would pay through their taxes. The fire department would be reimbursed for its services from both the taxes and insurance companies.

Cesario said the department has been talking about ALS for five years. The proposal was submitted to Township Supervisor Dale Stuart some time ago.

"His response has been a wait-and-see type of attitude," Cesario said. He added the proposal has not yet been submitted to township board members. "We've been trying to do this in a manner that doesn't rock the boat too much," Cesario said.

"The chief is behind this too. But it stops there. It never makes its way to the township board ... I don't know what has to happen to make him (Stuart) realize how important this is for our community," he added.

Told the policy change had passed, Stuart said

Township	Population	Average Response Time in Minutes	
		AMR	Fire Dept.
Independence	32,000	10	4
Springfield	12,000	21	6
Orion	30,000	12.5	5
Oxford	16,000	17	3
Brandon	16,000	17	6
Groveland	5,000	19	7

Monday, "I do think that any process that makes it more possible for communities to do their own ALS is a plus." He said he has been "investigating" whether this is the right thing to do for Independence "at this time." Earlier, Stuart said he was concerned about the tax increase.

Within the policy approved by the Medical Control Board are two options. An "intermediate life support policy" will allow fire departments to keep one paramedic and one emergency medical technician (EMT) on board permanently. An "interim life support policy" will enable departments to build to two paramedics over a three-year period. After the term's up, they would be required to equip each EMS vehicle with two paramedics.

Either way, the idea is to have paramedics in the departments immediately—so communities don't have to rely on private ambulance companies, which takes longer for critical life-saving care, says McGee.

"Our response time in Groveland was 19 minutes and we thought, boy, this is not a good system. We need to do something about that," McGee says. "The problem is the urban areas, Waterford and Southfield, they have a lot of calls. So they use up all the ambulances. There's just not a rig around."

However, Groveland started its own transport service when the new hospital, Genesys Regional Medi-

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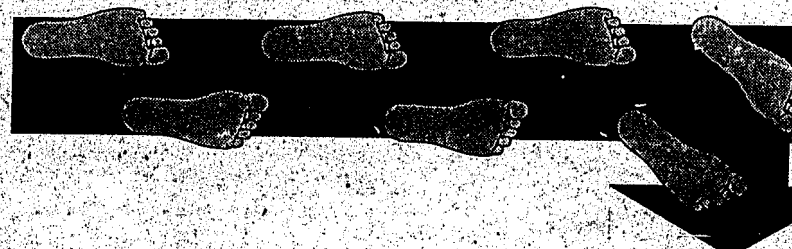
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'We'll take you anywhere in the townships that you need to go'

Parks and rec van service provides help to seniors, disabled

BY RENEE LUTZ

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Denise Kildal-King drives more than 100 miles each day to help others. Only she isn't a soccer mom.

She works full-time for Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department as a driver for the Senior Center's transportation program. And since she's been involved, she says she finds the program is just as rewarding for her as it is for her passengers.

"It makes you count your blessings," Kildal-King says of her experiences helping seniors and others who are handicapped through the van service.

Any senior age 55 or over and any person who is disabled and lives in Independence or Springfield townships can make use of the program. A \$1 donation each way is requested, but not expected, she said.

Kildal-King began as a part-time driver in March 1997 after her father's death prompted her to see the need for such service.

"When you need help and all these doors get slammed: . . . When my dad got sick, it took the wind out of everyone's sails," she said.

She said his situation was not as fortunate as seniors who live in Oakland County, where transportation services are readily available.

"We're really lucky in this county than in some other places," she said. "People need to be informed of this pro-

gram."

On a typical morning, Kildal-King leaves the Senior Center at 8 a.m. to pick up one of several seniors and others who need to run errands or who want to visit the Senior Center. She routinely drops off passengers and picks them up from different locales.

Lita Sheffield is one of many seniors who take advantage of the transportation service, and rides daily to the center to meet with other seniors.

"It's wonderful," she said. "When you're 90, you don't have many acquaintances left, so I come here."

Another frequent passenger, Susie DePoorter, finds the service Kildal-King helps to provide an essential aspect of her life.

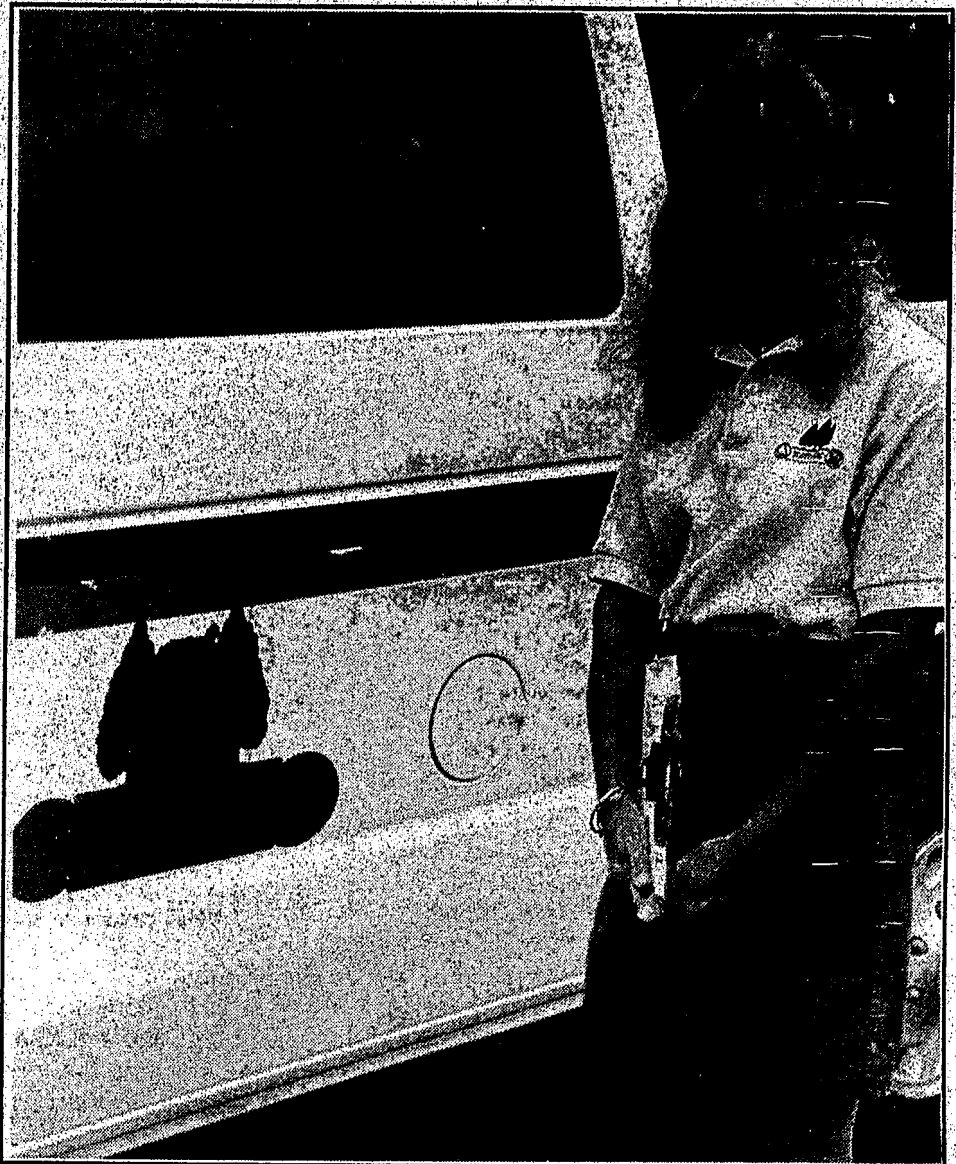
"They watch over you, no matter what," she said.

In general, on Mondays, Kildal-King takes passengers to doctor's appointments, to bingo or to lunch. On Wednesdays, she transports people to Meijer and the Summit Place Mall, both in Waterford.

K-Mart in Waterford is her destination each Friday. Trips to Great Lakes Crossing Mall in Auburn Hills are planned for the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

She also transports supplies and other donated items to the Senior Center from several local non-profit centers on a day-to-day basis. It is not un-

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Denise Kildal-King stands outside one of four vans used in the Independence Township Senior Center's transportation program.

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Letters To The Editor

Inexperience unacceptable in utility work

Dear Editor,

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sponsibility for the safety of their customers.

Utility means usefulness. A nineteen-year-old staker
for UTI (a staking subcontractor for Consumers Energy)
with one month's experience staking is not useful or com-
forting. A young man with four months' experience stak-
ing both Consumers Energy gas and DTE electric is unac-
ceptable.

These fine young people lack training, insight, expe-
rience and proper resources for so important a responsi-

bility.

To lose one's pets, heirlooms, photos and antiques
is tragic. To lose innocent life is criminal.

Auto companies either choose, but often are
forced to recall at their expense, vehicles deemed de-
fective and unsafe. Can the locating of underground
utilities continue to be taken so lightly when so much is
at risk?

Families deserve to be and feel safe from harm
by their energy providers.

Richard Parrish
Lake Orion

Last, but certainly not least -- thanks

Dear Editor,

In the process of thanking individuals involved in the
Clarkston School District's building projects, we neglected
to mention our outstanding building maintenance staff. This
small department of three is responsible for building main-

tenance in all of the school district's 14 buildings. Once
again, thank you to all parties involved in these projects.

Sincerely,
The Clarkston Community Schools
Transition Team

Flemings Lk Rd. speed limit should be reduced

Dear Editor,

I've lived in Oregon for over 26 years, but still have
many fond memories of my childhood in Clarkston. Less
than pleasant are the memories of cars speeding down
from the hill above my parents' home on Flemings Lake
Road.

In those days, 35 MPH was speeding on the dirt
surface, and we would race across the road, in fear of the
automobiles that could come over the hill so quickly, and
possibly not see us in time to stop.

Shirley Pyrtle, the owner of the farm across the
street, once stood firm in the middle of the road, brick in
hand, to serve as a threat to the drivers she felt were
endangering her children, as well as my family. The po-
lice had been called, but showed no interest. The speed-
ing has continued and worsened over the years.

My parents are still on Flemings Lake Road, but the
farm has been replaced by a beautiful, spacious new high
school. The grounds are obviously well-used, as there is
much activity there, even in the summer months. Children

are coming and going, and staff, as well as service
personnel zip up and down the road. My parents said
that the school months are very busy -- teens walking,
biking, and driving in and out all day, and into the night
for extracurricular events.

I just spent two weeks with my parents, at the
foot of that hill, across from an entry to the school
grounds. I observed one accident and several near-
collisions. Teens pull out, tires screeching, reaching high
speeds rapidly. The Department of Public Works
trucks, and cars that I can only assume are parents,
teachers, and other personnel drive well above the 35
MPH speed limit.

My parents state it is much worse during the
school year, with two or three minor collisions a week,
and traffic multiplied by hundreds. Police and school
authorities were notified, but did not respond.

I do understand that kids will be kids, and that
many, if not most of them drive fast. What I don't un-

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Tying the knot won't make me come undone

I was supposed to be a little more nervous than this.
But the truth is, as my wedding day nears, I'm feel-
ing more stressed out about the growing R.S.V.P. list and
fixing my terrible tan lines than the fact that my last name
and my life will change forever.

I have been a little out of sorts lately, but it isn't be-
cause of my fiance Brian. It's because this is all new to
me, and although it could be classified as a positive form
of stress, it's still stress. My mind and body relay it to oth-
ers.

To think I'm marrying the man of my dreams and it
will last a lifetime brings the biggest smile to my face. It's
my relief from planning.

Yet I've been warned during the final hours, things
get crazy. Brides or grooms may faint during the ceremony.
I think the only way I'm going to pass out is if this heat
wave continues.

All the same, as I fine tune the details of the cer-
emony and reception -- and the honeymoon -- I run across
the same question, "Are you getting nervous?"

When I started hearing it a couple months ago, my
first reaction was, um, sure, I guess I should be, right? But
now, in the final few days before I would like to respond to
all of you who've asked me -- um, no.

I can't wait to kiss my man and be carried off to
Cancun for a week of relaxation and dreamy beaches. I
am thrilled to become a Mrs. and even more excited to be
someone's partner for as long as we both shall live.

I'm tired of the stigma attached to marriage -- and it

doesn't need repetition in my column. Let me just say
this: When I am married, the only thing that will change

between Bri and I is we will have a
legal document that proves we are
inseparable. I don't need the legal-
ity, though.

I ask anyone reading this to ask
me two, three, or even 20 years
down the road, how I feel about mar-
riage, and I will say it's wonderful.

Some of you are smirking.
*She'll change her mind, once the
newlywed syndrome wears off.*

I'm not a cynic and I believe
life -- and marriage -- is what you
make of it. I'm not going to let jokes
about nagging wives and cheating

husbands take away from my happiness. We're only
here on Earth so long. I'm not looking at my cham-
pagne glass as half empty.

When I walk down the "dreaded aisle of doom"
Saturday, I'll be smiling the whole way.

For all of you who are making wedding plans, I
offer this simple advice from a young bride-to-be: When
someone asks you if you're getting nervous, tell them
you're getting ready for a great marriage, and that's
all.

The best is yet to come.

Writer's Block



Renee Lutz

Letters to the Editor

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derstand is the posting of a 35 MPH speed limit.

In Oregon we protect our children with a 25 MPH speed limit near most of our schools. Even the schools on major thoroughfares are posted with 25 MPH when children are present. Limits are enforced, and offenders are ticketed regularly. There are no such signs at Clarkston High School. The school is in a rural/residential area that could reasonably be posted for safety.

It appears that the residents of Clarkston wanted

Editor's Note: Clarkston schools superintendent Dr. Al Roberts said he has heard no reports of accidents or speeding on Flemings Lake Road. He added raising the speed limit must be done by Road Commission for Oakland County. He expects all

a modern, beautiful school, but don't have the patience to drive slowly around it to protect their children. It also appears they don't have the backbone to require the students to do the same.

Do the right thing — protect your children. Post and enforce a 25 MPH speed limit around Clarkston High School.

Thank You,
Sandi Fisher (Foster)

people coming and going from CHS to abide by the law or come under the jurisdiction of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department. A spokesperson at the Independence substation said complaints about Flemings Lake Road are minimal.

A reporter must abide by the code

Bum adeeda, bum adeeda, bum, "Happy trails to you . . ."

While perusing the pages of *Publishers' Auxiliary*, ("The newspaper industry's oldest newspaper") a headline nabbed my attention, "The cowboy way: a guide for respected reporters."

It intrigued me. Cowboys and reporters.

Reporters and cowboys — those were two of my favorite childhood fictional characters. Growing up I read (and reread) Louis Lamour books of the west, stayed up late to watch old black and white westerns with Dad.

My favorite television show was, *The Night Stalker*, a Friday night staple starring Darren McGavin as the intrepid, monster-fighting reporter Carl Kolchak. Heck, my favorite comic book heroes were *The Daily Bugle* photographer Peter Parker (aka Spider Man) and *The Planet's* reporter, Clark Kent — Superman.

Truth, justice and the American way — I saw these strong characteristics in both the cowboys of yore and modern-day reporters.

Honesty, integrity, pride and honor were the paths I wanted to tread. I didn't have a horse nor wide-open spaces so I couldn't be a cowboy — besides, all the real cowboys were dead and buried long ago. I suppose it is no surprise then, that I went into reporting. All this happened on some sort of subconscious level, to finally be imprinted on the convolutions of the grey matter packed inside my noggin.

I never drew a connection between "cowboy" and "reporter" until I saw it in print. And, I like it. What is the "cowboy" way? It is Gene Autry's code of ethics for cowboys. And, while it is just as valid for reporter-types it can be applied to life in general.

Here's what the column by Rosco Barnes III lists as the cowboy way.



Don't
Rush Me

Don Rush

1. A cowboy should never shoot first, hit a smaller man or take unfair advantage.

2. He must never go back on his word or a trust confided in him.

3. He must always tell the truth.

4. He must be gentle with children, the elderly and animals.

5. He must not advocate or possess racially or religiously intolerant ideas.

6. He must help people in distress.

7. He must be a good worker.

8. He must keep himself clean in thought, speech, actions and personal habits.

9. He must respect women, parents, and his nation's laws.

10. The cowboy is a patriot.

Is that list a little trite and outdated? Sure it is, and I am sure some women may be upset by No. 9 of the cowboy way, but in general I think you all get the idea. I also bet if more reporters would think like cowboys (be they man or woman-folk) people across this nation would like us more than they currently do.

Well, maybe there is still time to pull on the boots, saddle up and fulfill that romantic childhood vision of becoming a cowboy. I like that.

A sunset.

A reporter in the cowboy way.

Roll the credits.

Comments for *Beefalo*. Don Rush can be emailed to: Donrushme@juno.com

Two views of one hard fall

There're two sides to every question.

There are two ways to look at things.

I'll be more specific, and you'll know exactly what I mean.

Dick Klink is out of his tree?

No, that's not true, but yes it is true.

Klink is one of those normal grandfathers who likes to do things for their grandchildren.

In this instance he thought his 6-year-old grandson would like a tree-house about 10-feet off the ground at his Lakeville Lake home.

Then there was a mishap. Klink fell out of the tree. (Now don't anyone ask, "Did he go clink?")

He broke a wrist, bruised his body and embarrassed himself.

I called to ask if he 'dropped out of the tree-house building business,' just to lighten his day.

His day didn't need lightening. But he did explain his actions. He said, "No. I was just showing my grandson how not to exit a tree-house."

There are two painful ways to look at it.

When a law says the penalty for first degree murder is mandatory life in prison, why do judges take more than a single breath to sentence the murderer? Often a

couple months lapse between conviction and penalty.

Car makers make a big to-do about how outside noise cannot be heard IN their autos. But, during this open-window summer weather have you noticed how many people are driving cars, with noise blasting OUT? And they all emit the same deep sound . . . KA BOOM, KA BOOM, KA BOOM, KA BOOM! I'd look at the drivers, but then I might see a friend and I don't really need to lose any more friends.

I recently subscribed to Jerry Baker's *On The Garden Line* magazine. He sends so much advertising junk I sometimes regret my action, but other times there are really great suggestions, like: "If you're short of garden space, train your melons to grow up—on trellises. To support the fruit, make a nice, neat sling out of pantyhose." Wouldn't that be a nice sight to see when you look up from your hoeing?

Baker also suggests: "Don't throw them out—save the leaves of broccoli, rutabaga, radish, kohlrabi, carrot and cauliflower plants for tasty salads or stir-frys." That made me question renewing my subscription.

In a 5-day weather forecast during a late July hot spell the forecaster wrote: "Monday: Hot and humid conditions continue; high 89, low 67. Tuesday: Warm and humid conditions; high 87, low 67." My question is: When the high is 88 is it hot and humid or warm and humid?

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the People Poll

BY RENEE LUTZ

The Clarkston News asks park-goers at Depot Park in downtown Clarkston:

How do you beat the heat on hot summer days?



"(My kids) play in the sprinkler, play at the pool or at the beach."
-- Erin Nelson,
Waterford resident



"Fishing!"
-- Lucas Nelson, 3,
of Waterford



"I come out early, or I'll head out to the stores in the afternoon. At home, I shut all the blinds."
-- Adrienne Lynch,
Clarkston resident



"Swimming or sitting inside—drinking a lot of water."
-- Rima Jureviciute, au pair from Lithuania



"Put some sunscreen on and go in the water."
-- Lexi Baylis, 3, of Clarkston

4-H Fair features new exhibits, old traditions

BY RENEE LUTZ

Clarkston News Staff Writer

From racing pigs to aerospace rockets, the 1999 Oakland County 4-H Fair offers activities daily through Aug. 8 at Springfield Oaks County Park.

Jackie Scramlin, 4-H Fair manager, said despite attendance numbers being down last year with only 60,000 turning out for the week, the fair should draw a large crowd.

"We certainly hope for more people," Scramlin said.

The fair kicked off Monday with a club parade and continues through Sunday evening with a gospel talent search and classic antique car show until 5 p.m. The Pugh Carnival will feature rides daily, in addition to a slew of 4-H animal shows.

New to the fair is the Science Discovery Tent, with different activities each day for kids of all ages, Scramlin said. Among the activities will be instruction on inflating hot air balloons Thursday and Friday, and building bat houses Saturday and Sunday.

Also, a mini tractor pull will take place Sunday - the first of its kind at the fair, with racers from all over Michigan, she said.

Other events taking place through Sunday:

Wednesday, Kids Day -- special kids activities and games; magician; poultry and Alpaca shows; motocross at 7 p.m. Thursday, Seniors Day -- blood sugar, cholesterol and blood pressure testing by the Oakland County Health Department; goat show; demolition derby at 7 p.m.

Friday, Family Day -- traveling music show "Singsation," presentation of the Homemaker of the Year Award; monster truck racing at 7 p.m. Saturday, Family 2 Day -- sport and school physicals; 4-H livestock sales (small animals at 2 p.m. and large animals at 6:30 p.m.); figure eight race at 7 p.m.

Sunday, Family Fun Day -- classic car show 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; heavy weight horse pull 2 p.m.; gospel music talent search.

In addition, more than 3,000 exhibits will be featured at the 4-H exhibit tent for judging, including pho-

tography entries, table settings and collectibles.

"It's more than just cooking. It's incredible -- anything you would be interested in," Scramlin said.

The cost for evening grandstand events is \$7 for adults and \$3 for children. Daily admission to the fair is \$6 per car, van or bus, or \$3 per walk-in.

Entrance to the car show is free; however, car entries cost \$10 in advance and \$12 the day of the show, Scramlin said.

Proceeds benefit the fairgrounds, fair events and prizes for 4-H animal show winners. Event planners will begin working on next year's fair just one week after the fair ends, Scramlin said.

"There are literally hundreds of volunteers who put on the fair. The fair just doesn't happen," she said.

The fairgrounds are located at 12451 Andersonville Road, just south of Davisburg Road in Davisburg. For more information, call (248) 634-8830.

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Rob Stawarz

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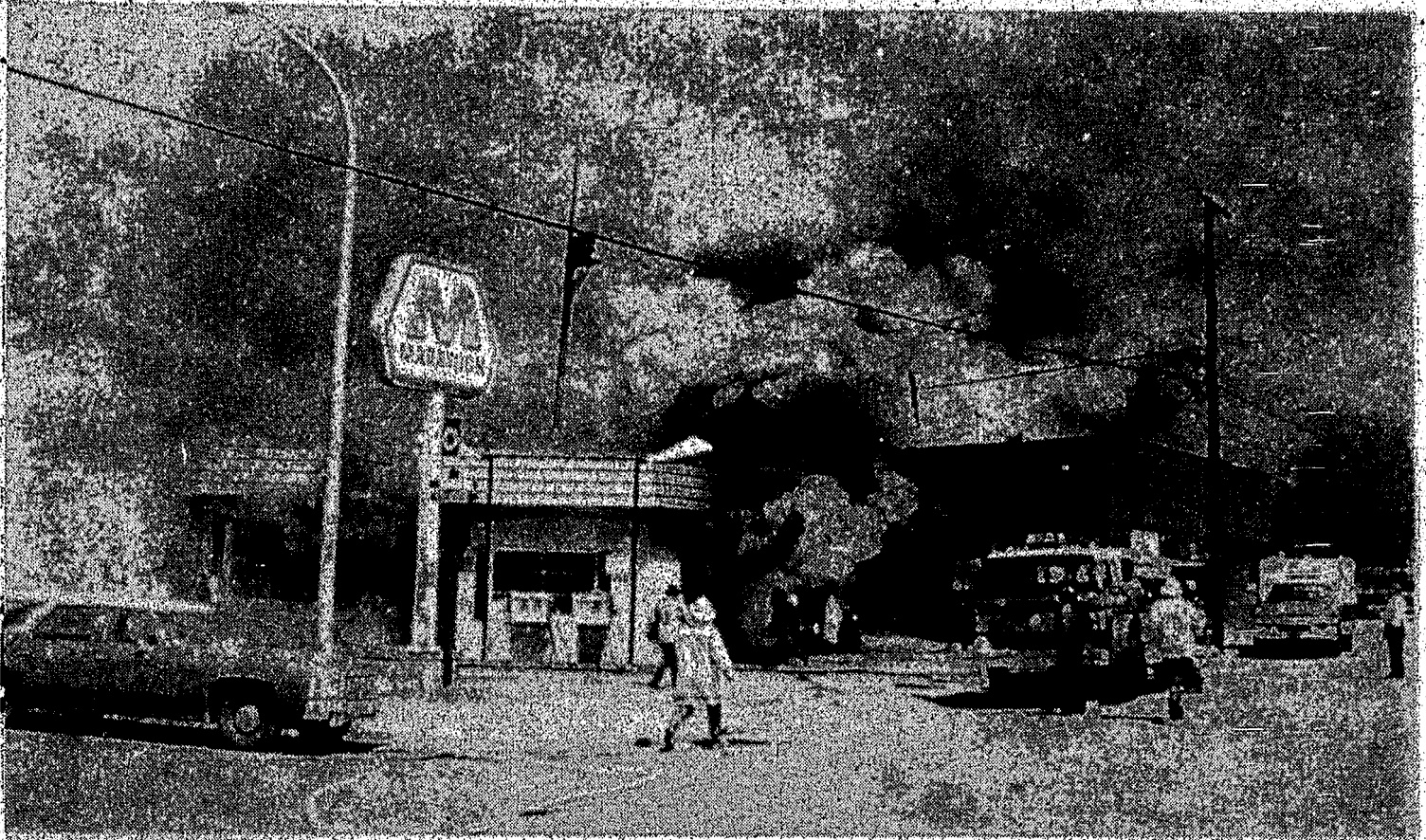
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Morgan's heavily damaged by fire

Firemen from Independence, Brandon and Waterford Townships battled a fire at Morgan's Service Station for nearly an hour Friday before bringing it under control. Smoke, that could be seen for miles and fire heavily damaged the service station along with an apartment and an insurance company next door. Within a week, however, the station was once again pumping gas with full service expected to be resumed later this month.



45 years of work goes up in flames

by Dan Trainor
of The Clarkston News

Richard Morgan Monday stood amid the charred ruins of a lifetime thinking, not of the fire that destroyed 45-years of work, but of the future.

If the building department gives its okay, he said, and the township gives its approval to borrow electricity from the fire station, the gas pumps at Morgan's Service Station will be in operation by this weekend.

Sparks from an electric grinder touched off some flammable liquid shortly before 2 p.m. Friday, sending smoke and flames through service station in a matter of seconds.

The fire spread so quickly that by the time workers ran next door to the fire hall, smoke and flames were shooting out of the service area doors.

"I was working on a grinder with a piece of metal and all of a sudden there were flames around my feet and running up my back," Morgan said. "It followed me right out the door."

Two dozen firemen from Independence along with men and equipment from Brandon and Waterford fought the blaze for an hour before bringing it under control.

The heat of the fire, according to Fire Chief Frank Ronk, melted the aluminum siding on the building next door and fire spread to the roof area.

There was extensive damage to the southerly portion of the building housing a second floor apartment and Farmer's Insurance Company. Tierra Arts and Design, also housed in the structure, was not damaged but was evacuated as a precautionary measure.

In a fire such as this, Ronk said, there is a constant danger of an explosion from the underground gas storage tanks and the thick smoke created by the burning tires and petroleum products.

Several times during the fire, the sounds of exploding cans of oil could be heard.

Some of the firemen had smoke problems, Ronk said, but none of them were serious.

Soon after the fire was out, Morgan said, he was thinking about rebuilding the station he has owned since Jan. 5, 1932.

It is all going to depend on the township building department, he added. If the present structure can be repaired, then in a matter of two or three weeks, repairs should be completed and the

station will be back in full operation.

But, Morgan said, if the building has to come down, then that will be the end of it.

"When the fire struck, my mind went blank," he added. "You don't really think of what is happening until it's over."

"The first thing I remember doing was calling my wife. I didn't want her to find out through the grapevine," Morgan added. "I told her to keep calm and told her that as of this moment we are out of business."

"My wife and I drove by here a couple times Sunday and Dora asked me to go a different way because it brought tears to her eyes."

"John (his son) was very upset," Morgan added. "He did his share of tear shedding but we all did, whether it was inwardly or outwardly."

During a tragic situation like the fire, Morgan added, you find out what kind of people make up the community.

"There were six cars parked out here when the fire broke out," he added, "and just plain bystanders had the presence of mind to jump in them and move them away from the fire."

On Saturday people stopped by and said they didn't have much to do that day and chipped in to help

clean up the debris, Morgan didn't have any gas in his car added.

"One by one, the people came by telling me how much they wanted me to reopen and to say how terrible it would be if I didn't rebuild," Morgan added. "That is the type of people that make up this community."

As he was talking about rebuilding, Asst. Schools Supt. Mel Vaara stopped by and said, "You know I have been buying my gas here for 23 years and I woke up Saturday wondering where I could buy some gas."

Oddly enough, Morgan said, he

didn't have any gas in his car Saturday and had to drive to a Marathon station on Williams Lake Road adding, "I wouldn't put any other kind in my car." As tragic as the fire was, Morgan said it would have been a lot worse if it occurred later in the afternoon.

Friday is when the gasoline is delivered and if the fire would have occurred around 3 p.m., there probably would have been a 10,000 gallon gas truck making its delivery, "They would never have gotten it out of there in time," he said.

It's time to clean up!

Just as area residents prepare their homes for the summer months so do the townships.

Springfield Township will hold its annual clean-up this Saturday, May 7. Independence Township will follow suit the next two Saturdays.

Springfield residents can dump their unwanted trash the remainder of this week and Saturday at the Mill Pond in Davisburg. A garbage truck will be present on Saturday to collect the litter.

Volunteers are needed to patrol township roads in order to collect the garbage which has accumulated over the past year. They should call the Springfield Township offices at 625-4802 or 634-3111.

The following two Saturdays, May 14 and 21, Independence Township will offer free dumping at the Powell Landfill site on Clarkston Road. Residents will be able to unload all their unwanted year-old trash free of charge.

Scout troops and civic and church organizations will again patrol township roadsides in search of errant garbage and litter.

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Woodstock revisited

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tired and so dirty, they couldn't wait to get out of there," Gretchen said.

Contrary to what the press said, mud was not made with overturned Port-a-Johns, the girls said. Water was used to concoct the mixture. Although storms were predicted, not a drop of rain fell, they said.

"No rain. No shade. Just sun," was Gretchen's summary of the weather.

Cleanliness is next to godliness? Forget the showers. Basic bathing was achieved through the spigots. The girls said they also relied on a huge water jug to clean up and brush their teeth. Their feet were the worst part.

"I've never been so dirty in my whole life," Courtney said. "I think the water ran black the first time I took a shower at home. I stood up till the water ran cold. It just felt so good."

Home sweet home: The group made it back to Clarkston late Sunday night. Courtney said her mother jumped out of bed the second they arrived. Gretchen stayed up with her mother, telling stories "till 2 or 3 a.m. She laughed at a lot of it."

Back to the garden -- In 2004? While Gretchen said she'd go again, Courtney had to think twice. "I don't know if I would," she said slowly. Later, she admitted the experience got better the farther away you moved from it -- now that she was dry, cool, clean and fed.

"I've never been camping," she admitted. "So any camping experience now will be absolutely clean," she joked. "All the bad things kind of made it just that much more interesting."

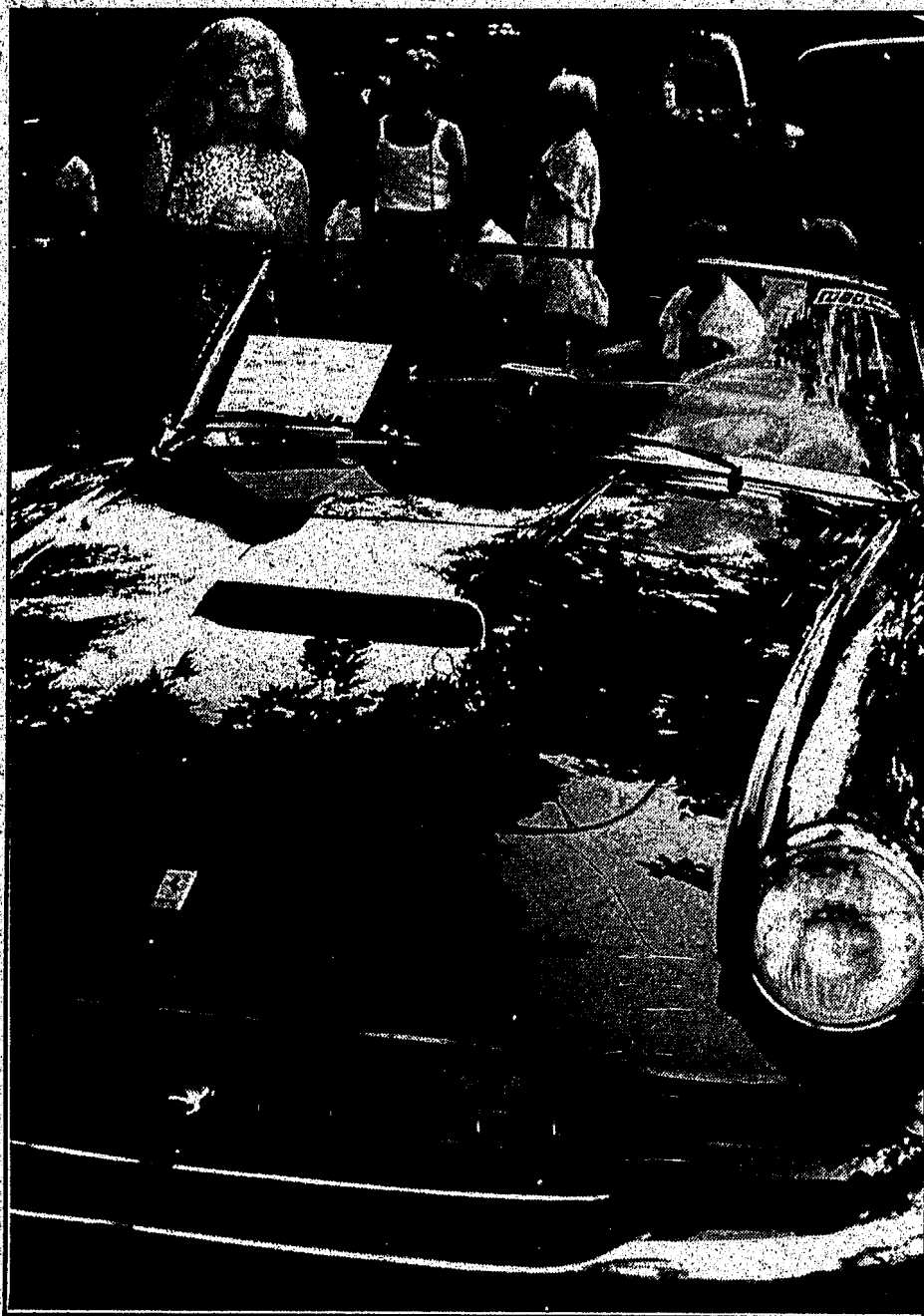
Already, her little sister is talking about going to the next Woodstock, five years away. "She'll be a high school senior. She'd been watching it on TV and said, 'When we're that age, we're going to go see it.'"

Her mother was watching too.

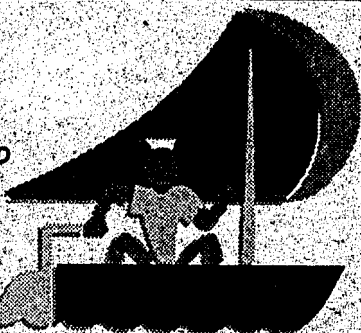
Courtney laughed. "My mom said, 'I'm taking you this time. We'll stay at a hotel if you ever go again!'"

Cruisin' for a cause

Rise Frendberg of Clarkston gets an up-close look at this 1959 Cabriolet Pininfarina Ferrari at Depot Park's Concours in the Park Friday night. Proceeds from the events for the evening, which included an ice cream social and silent auction, will benefit SCAMP, a summer program for special needs children.



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Projected water main costs could be prohibitive for some businesses

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based on square footage and usage. This also does not account for any increase in SEV (state equalized value). That's something that would be up to a bond counsel."

The two businesses to be charged the most for water under this plan are the Clarkston Cafe (18 S. Main) and the Clarkston Union (54 S. Main) restaurants. The Cafe has an REU of 15.5, bringing its yearly cost to \$18,898.11 for water. The Union's REU is 13.0, making its annual cost \$14,451. Those figures are based on that business' high demand for water.

Carol Harris, owner of the Clarkston Cafe, said she would rather not be hooked up to the main than pay around \$20,000 per year for the entire building to be hooked into the system.

"It's just totally ridiculous," she said. "They are overestimating what the businesses here are making if they think we can afford that."

There are three different addresses which fall under the Cafe. Two 18 S. Main St. addresses, and 14 S. Main. Besides the restaurant, Harris owns some upper-floor apartments, which will also be charged for the water main, bringing her yearly bill to \$20,009.76.

Harris said the Cafe and Union alone would be paying for 26 percent of the total cost of the project.

"Even the Union, which isn't that big, has to pay \$14,000," Harris said. "That's pretty steep for them."

Tierra Fine Jewlers (64 S. Main), on the other hand, only has an REU of 1.0, bringing its annual cost to \$1,111.65.

Buck Kopietz, co-owner of Tierra, said the high cost figures can be partly attributed to the city's failure to accept a proposed water main plan in a special election four years ago.

"Unfortunately we didn't take the opportunity to get this done in a less expensive way before, now we realize that this is an expensive thing for many people to incur," he said. "This is going to be a big hit for a lot of businesses."

Seeing the numbers on paper for the first time,

even though they are preliminary, caused one council member to use a word that hasn't been heard at public meetings in a long time: unincorporation.

"With this water project, we just don't have the size to reasonably expect to generate revenue to handle these kind of projects," councilman Dan Colombo said. "Unincorporation is a frightening word to a lot of people who fought hard for cityhood. But the simple fact is, this is not going to get any less expensive as we continue."

Mike Kelley, former city councilman and Main Street resident, said without additional funding, the project could easily become cost prohibitive for the city and its residents.

"You get to a point where the potential cost would exceed the benefit," he said. "As far as unincorporation goes, I'd be surprised if it happened. People are comfortable with the way the city government is run. If we go back to being part of the township, some of the things they get now would disappear. But the water main is an expensive undertaking and is going to be a tough pill for some people to swallow."

One of the potential benefits to unincorporation would be in the ability to spread the cost of the water main project over a much larger group of people, opening up the option of hooking up the entire city to water with one project.

"Unincorporation is not a goal," Kopietz said. "Without dissolving the city, we are going to be stuck with a very expensive project. I don't know how we can't do it."

Kopietz, who also owns the Millpond Inn bed and breakfast with his wife Joan at the north end of the city, said the difference between having water from a main and a well is clear.

"The B and B already has water, and there's a big difference," he said. "We bring water from the B and B to the jewelry store because it's so much better. There's that much of a difference."

But with the city extending its deadline for decid-

ing on financing for the project until the first of the year, many decisions still remain to be made.

"We don't want to make any rush decisions. There's too much at stake," Colombo said. "I want to hear from the experts, and I think we need to pursue doing as much of the village as possible."

Harris said she would be in favor of a different plan.

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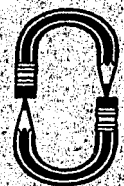
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Around Town

■ Registration for a tour of Mackinac Island and a stay at the Grand Hotel in October for seniors is still open. For trip fee information and other details, call the Independence Township Senior Center at (248) 625-8231.

■ Calvary Lutheran Church invites children to dig into the Bible at Treasure Hunt Bible Adventure summer activities. Bible adventure stories, songs, crafts, treats and games are part of the experience. "Explorers" will meet from 9 a.m. until noon Aug. 2-6 at the church, located at 6805 Bluegrass Drive in Clarkston.

For more information, call (248) 625-3288.

■ Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Oakland County will hold its family support meeting at 7 p.m. August 4 at Christ the Redeemer Church, 4005 Baldwin Road in Lake Orion. For further information, call the AMI support line at (248) 557-6440.

■ Davisburg United Methodist Church is hosting a Vacation Bible School themed "What Did Jesus Do?" from 9-11:30 a.m. through Aug. 6. Children ages four through fifth graders are invited to participate in lessons focusing on Jesus' birth, life, death and resurrection.

Kids will also make crafts, take part in recreational activities and snacks will be provided. The church is located at 803 Broadway in Davisburg.

For more information, call Beth Rosati at (248) 634-2215 or Maureen Martin at (248) 625-8853.

■ Presentation on canning: Sylvia Treitman, home economist for the Michigan State University Extension in Oakland County, will present updated USDA canning and food preservation methods at 7 p.m. Aug. 4 at the Orion Township Library, 825 Joslyn Road in Lake Orion.

Treitman also manages the Food and Nutrition Hotline. To register, call (248) 693-3001.

■ Hands-on exhibits have been added to the Lewis E. Wint Nature Center at Independence Oaks County Park.

New exhibits include Water Wonders, Star Power, Get the Dirt on Dirt, and Amazing Atmosphere. The park is located at 9501 Sashabaw Road, 2 1/2 miles north of I-75 on exit 89.

■ Trucks scheduled to race in the ARCA Lincoln Welders Truck Racing Series Saturday, Aug. 7 at the Owasco Speedway will be shown Friday, Aug. 6 from noon until dark at Truck King USA,

7400 Dixie Highway in Clarkston.

The series is sponsored by Truck King; free passes to the race and other door prizes will be available. For more information, call (248) 620-9220.

■ Clarkston Free Methodist Church will sponsor The Good News Fair Aug. 7 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the church, located on the corner of Maybee Road and Winell.

Games, clowns, shows and races will be featured throughout the day, including yo-yo demonstrations and juggling to music. The fair is free and food will be available for a donation.

For more information, call (248) 623-1224.

■ Ted Nugent United Sportsmen of America annual 3-D shoot and family picnic will take place Aug. 7 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., and Aug. 8 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Royal Oak Archers in Lake Orion.

Free beginners' instruction, fun shoots and games for the kids, and a yard sale will be featured both days. Lunch also will be served.

Entry fee for the 3-D shoot is \$8, kids 11 and under free; proceeds benefit Ted Nugent Kamp for Kids. No entry fees are required for the picnic. Prizes will be awarded.

For information, contact Louis Krick at (248) 627-8172 or Lenox Bowman at (810) 254-2493.

■ St. Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church will host a Red Cross Blood Drive Aug. 8 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the fellowship hall, located at 7925 Sashabaw Road in Clarkston. For appointments call (248) 625-4644.

■ The First Congregational Church in Clarkston will be hosting a SonCastle Faire Vacation Bible School Aug. 9-12 from 6-8:30 p.m. at the church, located at 5449 Clarkston Road in Clarkston.

SonCastle Faire, an old England theme, will feature songs, skits, crafts, games and Bible studies, as well as a light supper at 6 p.m. each night. Cost is \$7 per child; \$15 per family of three or more. To register, call the church office at (248) 394-0200.

■ Maranatha Baptist Church will be hosting Neighborhood Bible Time Aug. 9-13 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. for ages 4 through eighth grade. Bible stories, songs, games, awards, snacks and recreation all are included.

The program is free for all children in the community and bus transportation is available in Clarkston and Waterford. Call (248) 625-2700 for more

information. The church is located at 5790 Flemings Lake Road in Clarkston.

■ A free immunization clinic will be hosted by the Oakland County Health Division Wednesday, Aug. 11, from 12:30-3:30 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, 140 East Flint in Lake Orion.

Immunizations for measles, German measles, mumps, polio, diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, Haemophilus influenzae Type B (HIB) and Hepatitis B will be available. Call (248) 858-1305 or 1-888-350-0900, ext. 8-1305 for more information.

■ Free ongoing well child care is provided from birth to school entry through the Oakland County Health Division. Services include vision, hearing and lab testing, growth and developmental screening, heights and weights, and head to toe physical examination.

Appointments are required; call (248) 858-1311 or (248) 858-4001.

■ Dan Layman of Hospice of Michigan will discuss end of life care at the Orion Township Library at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 11. The library is located at 825 Joslyn Road in Lake Orion; call (248) 693-3001 to register.

■ "Chicken Little's Night Out," a hands-on look at the summer constellations and viewing of the Perseid Meteor Shower (weather permitting) will take place Aug. 12-13 at 9:30 p.m. at Indian Springs Metropark.

Bring a lawn chair or blanket; children must be able to sit quietly. For more information and/or to register for the program, call (248) 625-7280.

■ The famous 32nd Red Arrow Division originally composed of troops from Wisconsin and Michigan, with replacements coming from the entire United States, Hawaii and Alaska, will hold its 80th annual reunion at the Best Western Midway Hotel in Grand Rapids Aug. 12-15.

For information and registration, write: Thomas Novic, Reunion Chairman, 501 W. Lincoln Ave., Milwaukee, WI, 53207-1133, or call (414) 671-6797.

■ North Oakland Co-op Preschool will hold an open house Saturday, Aug. 14, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 5300 Maybee Road in Clarkston, between Sashabaw and Clintonville roads.

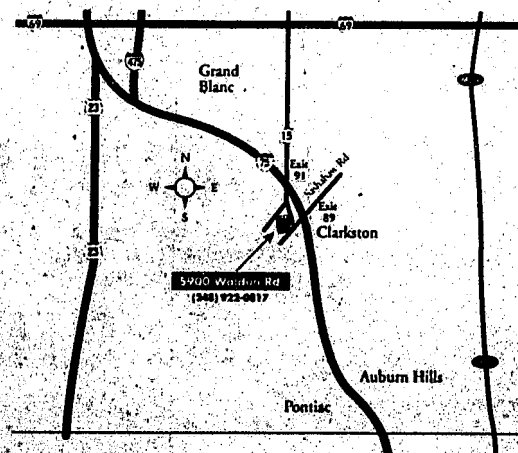
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New paramedic policy

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cal Center, was built. "We could now see a hospital from I-75. We started transporting. Now we can do it in five minutes."

Even better response time could be achieved if Groveland had its own paramedics on board, he added. The policy revision presents a huge change, McGee noted. What would Groveland rather have, he muses, "one paramedic in five minutes or two paramedics in 19 minutes? We can start doing that advanced treatment in five minutes."

McGee said most local fire departments operate under a "two-tiered" system. In tier one, the MFR or BLS team arrives to provide basic stabilization, and may transport minor-injury patients to hospitals. Under tier two, EMTs have to wait for paramedics to arrive to treat the more severe cases.

Some of the urban communities that can afford two paramedics are burning because the option could mean job cuts. They also argue two pairs of hands are better than one. That's what the smaller departments believe too, said McGee, but this will at least give them one paramedic.

"What we were doing was looking for an option," explains McArthur. "To make sure ALS services would be provided to our communities. Before, our hands were tied."

Under the new option, EMTs can be trained as paramedics, a cost McArthur estimates at \$2,000 per person. Equipment upgrades would mean shelling out about \$15,000 more, McGee said.

Springfield Township was not one of the rural communities that pushed for the policy change, but Fire Chief Charlie Oaks says he's glad it happened.

"I guess I'm really surprised it went through. I'm glad it did," says Oaks. "I've said all along (the old policy) puts a restraint on the northern communities." Springfield doesn't have the manpower to train paramedics and provide transport, but "we would like to work to-

wards that," Oaks said. It's costly, he admits. "First we would need direction from our township board."

Some local communities currently have no alternative other than to contract with private ambulance companies like AMR, a big fish which swallowed smaller companies like Paramed and Fleet.

But Laidlaw Inc., a Canadian company which owns AMR, is suffering financial woes, according to Gary Ludwig, chief paramedic for the St. Louis, Missouri Fire Department and an EMS board member for the International Association of Fire Chiefs. Among them, Ludwig claims, are "\$500 million in restitution to the United States government for back taxes and interest." Ludwig says the problems have forced employee cut-backs.

According to Ludwig, "AMR continues to lose 911 contracts or shut down operations." He said the company has already bailed out of Chicago, and is expected to lose 250 more communities.

Some fire officials fear Oakland County may be next. However, Tom Gahan, vice president of AMR of Eastern Michigan and a Davisburg resident, says there's no chance AMR will turn its back on Oakland County.

"I've been here 29 years and I'm in touch with corporate all the time," Gahan says. "In fact, we're expanding our services to more areas." AMR is present in 37 states, he added. As for pulling out of Chicago and other markets, "In some markets, it makes some sense to be there, in others it does not." Insurance reimbursements in Chicago are "really low," Gahan said. "It's just not advantageous to be there."

Dr. Robert Aranosian, chairman of the Medical Control Board and an Independence Township resident, thinks it would be "wonderful" if communities like Independence could staff their own vehicles with paramedics.

"It means a shorter response time," he said. "Plus, you have (fire department personnel) who know the people, the area, the health care facilities. I just think it makes a lot of sense to do it."

Clarkston man arrested in Maine for thefts

A 19-year-old Clarkston man is sitting in a Maine jail awaiting extradition back to Independence Township, where he awaits arraignment on charges he stole between \$5-7,000 worth of items here.

The man, whose name is not being released by police, is the lead suspect in many area thefts of items like cell phones and wallets according to Detective Perry Dare of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department's Independence Township substation.

According to the police report, the man is also a suspect in ATM fraud and arson in Maine.

He was arrested in Maine for larceny, and a national computer check revealed he was wanted for many similar incidents here.

Dare said the man was caught because his girlfriend returned from Maine and showed deputies boxes that were stored at her mother's house full of items he allegedly stole.

The items that were recovered were: 15 cell phones, three CD cases with a total of 95 CDs, two women's wallets, two men's wallets, two purses, a cordless drill, two calculators, a radar detector, a golf cap, a computer, a camera, a portable CD player, a tape measure, a computer disk drive, a keyboard, a television, a car ash tray, a utility knife, a storage box, a pair of leather gloves, a video game, cell phone adapters, and a backpack.

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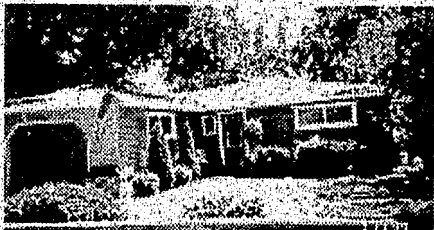


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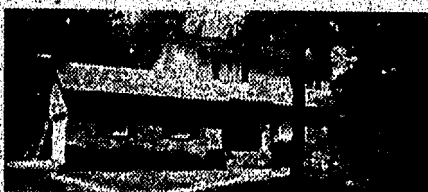
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Police and Fire

Sunday, August 1, a 40-year-old Clarkston woman suffered severe cuts on her legs after breaking a window to a business on Deer Lake Road. She appeared to be intoxicated.

A \$175 concert lion was stolen from a residence on Ricky Court.

Three Clarkston teenagers were cited for consuming alcohol while underage on Rattalee Lake Road. The youths, one age 18 and the others age 17, were caught with beer and showing signs of intoxication. The homeowner, who was celebrating his 25th birthday, allowed the youths to drink from two kegs of beer. He and his wife were cited for furnishing alcohol to minors.

Medicals on Clintonville, Heath, Deer Lake Road and Oak Park.

Saturday, July 31, harassing phone calls on Waldon.

A \$200 cell phone was taken from a car on Lancaster.

Payroll checks and \$2,500 in cash were taken from a safe at a Dixie Highway business. The business owner suspects a disgruntled former employee in the theft.

A \$300 car stereo was taken from a car on Scenic Pines Court.

The wood post to a mailbox was damaged on Timber Ridge.

A 19-year-old Ontario man was cited for underage drinking in the parking lot of the Pine Knob Music Theater.

A 28-year-old Illinois woman was cited for disorderly conduct at Pine Knob Music Theater. She was caught urinating on the lawn next to the parking lot with four men trying to block the view. She did not have a ticket for the concert, and was cited.

A 35-year-old Ontario man was cited for disorderly conduct and trespassing at Pine Knob Music Theater. He refused to follow an officer's instructions and fought with officers and security personnel. He also appeared intoxicated, according to the police report.

Harassing phone calls on Snow Apple.

A \$50 wreath was taken from a home on Woodcrest.

A 28-year-old Grand Blanc man was arrested on an outstanding warrant in Holly. He was taken to the Oakland County Jail.

Medicals on Parview, Church and Pine Knob

Road.

Car fire on Maybee.

Injury accidents on I-75 and Sashabaw.

Wires down on Middle Lake Road.

Friday, July 30, a 17-year-old Clarkston boy appeared to suffer a drug overdose on Mann. He was seen earlier in the evening consuming an eighth of an ounce of mushrooms and was discovered screaming and thrashing about. He was taken to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital for treatment.

Three tires were flattened on a car parked on Cramlane.

Many items were taken from a home on Pine Knob Road, including keys, a purse, a wallet, two pairs of sunglasses, credit cards, a men's bicycle, a laptop computer, a daily planner and a cell phone.

A credit card fraud report was made on Pine Knob Road. A man suspects his stepson, who ran away from home, took the cards and charged a total of \$5,993.53 to it at various businesses in Dearborn.

A \$3,200 laptop computer and a \$500 digital camera were taken from a car on Adder Stone Drive. The window was smashed to gain access to the items.

A \$200 radar detector was taken from a car parked in a Dixie grocery store parking lot. The window was forced down to gain access, and prints were taken from the scene.

An exterior light fixture was broken at a home on Perry Lake Road.

Medicals on Crimson King Circle, Waldon, Elk Run Court, Oak Park and Dixie.

Fuel spill on Amy Drive.

Injury accident on Middle Lake Road.

Thursday, July 29, a man was spotted entering a half-open garage on Mustang. One of the residents of the home recorded the license plate number of the van the man was driving. A computer check revealed the van's owner to be a 40-year-old White Lake man.

A \$50 cell phone and three keys were taken from a car on Forest Valley Drive.

Two golf carts were damaged at a golf course on Royal St. George. The course's owner said one of the men responsible for the damage was having his wedding reception there the next day, and would ask that he pay for the damage at that time.

A Jet Ski had \$300 worth of damage done to it on Dixie.

Medicals on Sunridge Court, Andersonville and Whipple Lake Road.

Fuel spill on M-15.

Wires down on Clarkston Road.

Wednesday, July 28, a 24-inch pipe wrench, a half-inch drill motor, a hammer gun, a side grinder and a bib overall were taken from the construction site at the new elementary school on Hubbard. The items have a combined value of \$1,278.08.

An object struck a window at a home on Pine Knob Road, causing it to crack.

A seat reclining lever was broken on a car parked at a Sashabaw residence. The car's owner said in the past six months, the seat backing has been cut, knobs on radio broken and garbage has been found in the car. He suspects his ex-girlfriend has done the damage.

Dumping complaints on Deer Lake Road and Wellington Drive.

Credit card fraud on Golf Point Drive. A total of \$273.53 in unauthorized charges were made to the card.

Medicals on Brierwood Court and Parkwood.

Tuesday, July 27, a 24-year-old Birch Run man, working as a freelance cameraman, was injured at a concert at Pine Knob Music Theater. The lead singer of the band Iron Maiden yanked on the camera's cord, jerking the man's neck back and knocking him in the forehead.

Fifty CDs and \$80 in cash were taken from a car on Rattek. Entry was gained with a slim jim-type of object.

Fishing tackle, a reel and some rods were taken from a car on Oakvista.

A trash complaint was lodged against a Sashabaw business. The township's building department has sent three warning letters to the business about its trash in the past.

A car was damaged on Roselawn. Footprints were found on the hood and top of car, the side of the car was keyed and dents were found on the hood of the car.

Two girls got into a fight on Lancaster Court. A warrant is being sought for an 18-year-old Waterford woman as a result of the incident.

Medicals on I-75, Parview, Dixie and Whipple Lake Road.

Fuel spill on Maybee.

A lawn was damaged by a car on Forest Valley. **Monday, July 26**, harassing phone calls on Marshbank.

Medicals on Indianwood and Thornhill.

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HINT: The federal Family and Medical Leave Act also covers leave for illness, whether it is the worker's own or that of a close family member.

Obituaries

Wed., August 4, 1999 The Clarkston (MI) News 15 A

Mary K. Oakes

Mary Kathryn Oakes of Colorado, formerly of Waterford, died July 29, 1999, at age 81. She was born in Clarkston on Oct. 22, 1917.

Mrs. Oakes retired in 1985 from the Waterford schools as a secretary. She volunteered at the Michigan Cancer Society and was the first woman Elder in her church.

She was the mother of Ellen and Gerald, both of Colorado, and grandmother of Kristen, Sara and Jonathan.

Joseph LeVigne

Joseph LeVigne of Waterford died July 31, 1999, at age 82. He retired as head custodian from the Clarkston schools.

Mr. LeVigne also was a charter member of Calvary Lutheran Church and had been a member of the Waterford Eagles. He was the father of Ralph (Nancy) of White Lake and Tim (Marianne) of North Carolina.

He also was survived by his grandchildren Scott (Stacy), Eric, Katy and Kathy, and three great-grandchildren.

She also was the sister of Elizabeth Ronk, formerly of Clarkston, and Lessiter Hammond of Texas.

Mrs. Oakes was preceded in death by her husband Harlan.

Funeral service took place Aug. 4 at the Community Presbyterian Church in Waterford with Pastor Hartley and Pastor Wilson officiating. Interment took place at Lakeview Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the church or Karmanos Cancer Society. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son Trust 100 Funeral Home.

He also was the brother of William, Dorothy and the late LeRoy.

Mr. LeVigne was preceded in death by his wife, Elsie, and grandson, Todd.

Funeral service takes place Thursday, Aug. 5, at 2 p.m. at Calvary Lutheran Church in Clarkston, with Rev. Heierman officiating. Friends may visit at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Trust 100 Funeral Home in Clarkston Wednesday from 6-8 p.m.

Memorials may be made to Genesys Hospice or Calvary Lutheran Church.

John C. Poage

John C. Poage of Clarkston died July 28, 1999, at age 74. Mr. Poage was a teacher for the Waterford Township Schools, retiring in 1987, after completing 32 years of service.

He was survived by his wife, Pauline, and daughters Kathleen (James) Knol of Ann Arbor and Julie

Poage of Spokane, Wa.

He was the grandfather of Meghan Knol. Mr. Poage loved teaching social studies at Waterford Kettering High School.

He also served his country in the U.S. Army during WWII. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son Trust 100 Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

George S. Gaves

George Stephen Gaves of Clarkston died Aug. 2, 1999, at age 76. Mr. Gaves was a lifetime member of Disabled American Veterans and enjoyed hunting.

He was the husband of Josephine and father of Stephen (Mary) of Warren, Mathew of California, Daniel (Debra) of Ortonville and Becky of Texas.

Mr. Gaves also was the grandfather of George Ethan, Robbie, Kimberly, Eleni and Sophia. He also was survived by his siblings Ann Ghiaciuc of Troy and Clarence Gaviotakis of Rochester.

Funeral mass took place Aug. 4 at St. Daniel Catholic Church in Clarkston with Father Fred Henley, SJ officiating. Rite of Committal took place at All Saints Cemetery. Arrangements entrusted to Lewis E. Wint & Son Trust 100 Funeral Home in Clarkston.

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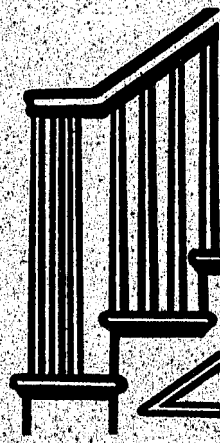
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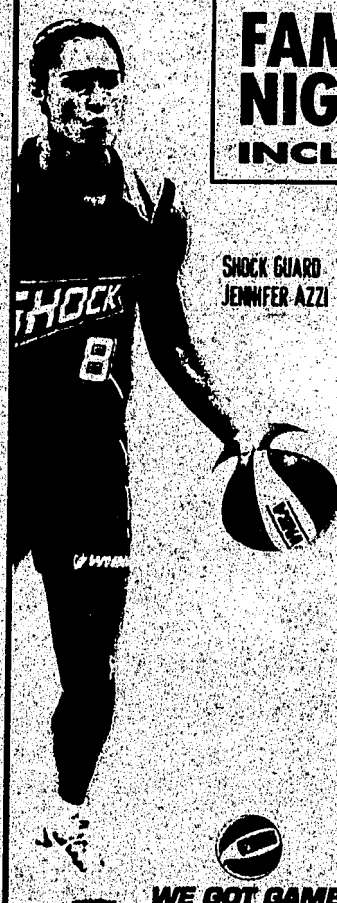


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Milestones

Morris - Elmquest



Michael and Pamela Morris of Clarkston announce the engagement of their daughter, Kimberly Kay Morris to John Patrick Elmquest of Libertyville, Ill. The couple was engaged in the fall of 1998.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Clarkston High School and Michigan State University. She is employed as an advertising media buyer by TBWACHiat-Day in Oak Brook, Ill.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Michigan State University and is employed as a sales representative by Genesis Specialties in Vernon Hills, Ill.

A September 1999 wedding is planned and will take place in Chicago.

Welcome, Jake!

Debbie and Eric Spoelstra of Tequesta, Fla., are pleased to announce the arrival of their son, Jake Riley, June 14, 1999. At birth, Jake weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

Proud grandparents are Michael and Lynne Spillum of Clarkston and Rudy and Betty Spoelstra of Hobe Sound, Fla.

At School...

Candy DuBord of Clarkston is a winner in the SPS Technologies Scholarship Program. The company is a leading manufacturer of machine tooling and magnetic materials.

Candy is a graduate of Clarkston High School and currently attends Oakland University, where she is majoring in psychology.



Geliske - Councilman

Edward and Belinda Geliske of Clarkston announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Geliske to Jason Councilman, son of Gerald and Rita Councilman of Clarkston.

The bride-to-be is a 1993 graduate of Clarkston High School and 1998 graduate of Michigan Technological University. She is employed at Detroit Diesel Corporation.

The prospective groom is also a 1993 graduate of CHS and a 1998 graduate of Michigan Tech. He also is employed at Detroit Diesel Corporation.

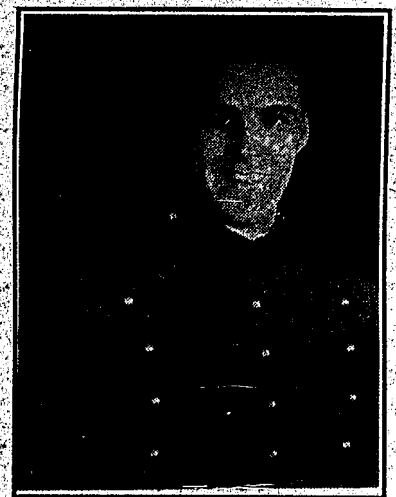
An August 1999 wedding is planned.



James M. Holst, a 1998 graduate of Clarkston High School, received dean's list status for both fall and spring semesters at Purdue University in Lafayette, Ind. James is enrolled in the Schools of Engineering, with a major in electrical engineering.

Joshua L. Holst, a 1996 graduate of Clarkston High School, is slated for graduation from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point in 2000. Joshua, a systems engineering major, trained this summer with the Green Berets in the Middle East for several weeks.

Also, he will host several cadets from Peru's Military Academy in August as part of a cultural exchange program. He was their guest in March.



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Just Because

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Marty said waking up at 6:30 a.m. each day and working on problems until midnight took its toll.

"It was a lot of fun, but it was a challenge. I have a better understanding of how global communications works," he said.

During his visits to Washington, D.C. and New York City, Marty had the opportunity to view the inside of the New York Stock Exchange, as well as the Statue of Liberty, the Brooklyn Bridge, and the U.N. General Assembly room. But perhaps more importantly, Marty said the friendships he made while at the conference will last a lifetime.

He hopes to visit a newfound friend from Australia during the Olympics next year, and said all the friends he made at the conference invited him to stay in their countries.

"They said, 'If you're in my part of the world, you can come stay at my home.'"

He said his e-mail account is overflowing with messages from the students. "Every day, I have like 100 messages from around the world."

Marty is a student at Notre Dame Preparatory and said he is considering going to college to become either a doctor or elementary education teacher. He is the son of Martin and Paula Rathsburg of Clarkston.

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Van Service

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common for her to drive between 100-150 miles a day.

Kildal-King said the sense of appreciation she receives from those who use the service gives her great job satisfaction.

"You get to know them, and with some of them, you get a bond -- a real attachment," she said. "When something happens to them, you grieve along with the family."

Another advantage to her job is she gets to know the area fairly well and has a strong sense of direction.

"I've lived here for a long time. There's all new streets to learn, and if you don't know where something is, you find out quick," she said.

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"I just see it expanding more and more. Every day, we get people who call needing assistance," Turner said.

Kildal-King said she hopes the funds will some day be available for such expanded service.

"What we really need is a bus, with both a door and a lift to accommodate both (people with wheelchairs and other passengers) nicely," she said.

Margaret Bartos, Senior Center coordinator, said both another full-time driver and vehicle will be added to the program in coming weeks.

For more information on services provided by the Senior Center or for details on the transportation program, call (248) 625-8231.

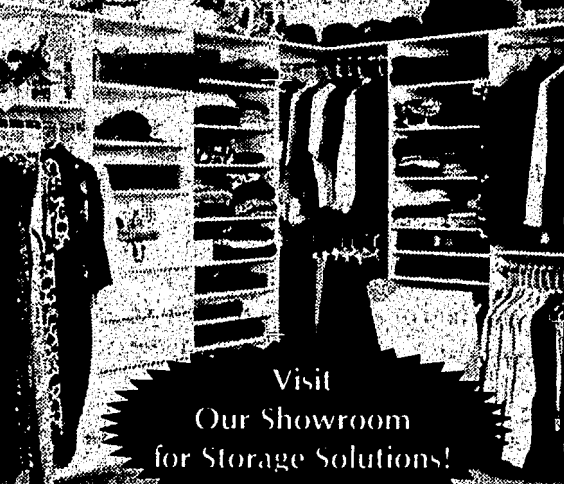
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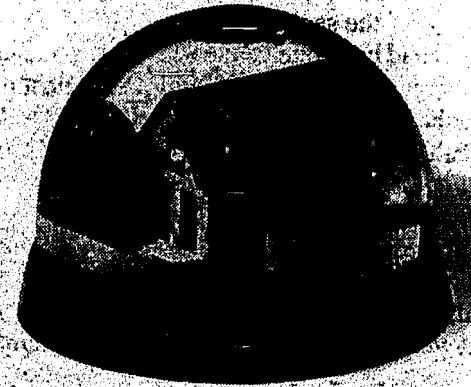
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Clarkston BUSINESS NEWS

Briefs...

■ Clarkston Financial Corporation, whose wholly-owned subsidiary Clarkston State Bank introduced community banking at 15 S. Main St. in downtown Clarkston in January, reported assets of \$18,657,000 for second quarter 1999, a 40 percent increase from March 31.

Dave Harrison, CSB president, announced the second quarter financial performance for the new bank, located at the exact site of the first Clarkston State Bank, founded in 1913. Harrison said in the first year, the bank experienced a second quarter loss of \$186,000, bringing the year-to-date losses to \$374,000 and in accordance with the business plan.

CSB also recorded its 1,000 customer during the second quarter since January, Esther M. Skibowski of Clarkston. Harrison said the bank's first branch at the Foodtown Store, 6555 Sashabaw Road in Clarkston, is scheduled to open in late July.

There were 950,000 shares of stock for CSB sold late last year in a initial public offering to help finance the new bank. Roney Capital Markets was the managing underwriter for the offering. Quotations for the company's common stock are reported on the OTC Bulletin Board under the symbol "CKSB."

■ Oxford Bank announced its net income for the first six months of 1999 was \$1,630,000 or \$2.55 per common share. This figure was 4.2 percent more than the earnings of \$1,564,000, or \$2.44 per share that the corporation reported for the same period in 1998.

For the three months ending June 30, net income was \$863,000 or \$1.35 per common share, representing a 7.2 percent improvement over income of \$806,000 or \$1.26 per share for the second quarter of 1998.

Between June 30, 1998 and June 30, 1999, the corporation's total assets increased 12.2 percent from \$264,872,000 to \$297,146,000. Total deposits went up 12.8 percent, growing from \$237,356,000 to \$267,643,000. Total net loans showed a 16.4 percent increase as they went from \$159,346,000 to \$185,628,000.

Shareholders' equity was \$26,044,000 at the end of the second quarter, 9 percent more than it had been one year earlier. It represented 8.8 percent of total assets and was almost one and one half times the minimum recommended by bank regulators for "well capitalized" community banks.

Randall G. Fox, the corporation's chairman, president and chief executive officer announced his organization's performance and said, "Oxford Bank is doing very well so far this year. Our growth rate is significantly greater than the rate at which the banking industry or our community bank peers are growing."

"Because we must constantly invest in improved customer service to keep up with new business activity, our earnings are not increasing as fast as our assets, deposits and loans, but that is to be expected in a fast-growing institution such as ours. Our board and all of us associated with the bank are quite pleased with the progress we can report once again this year."

Oxford Bank has branches in Oxford, Lake Orion, Clarkston, Oakland Township, Ortonville and Dryden.

'Better tasting, better quality water'

New water treatment store offers options for Clarkston businesses, residents

BY RENEE LUTZ

Clarkston News Staff Writer

To some people, reverse osmosis sounds like something they wish they could have accomplished with their homework in high school.

But the scientific process instead allows for drinking water to be filtered in such a way that it becomes more aesthetically pleasing, said Kelly Thompson, sales trainer and recruiter for Village and Country Water Treatment Inc. of Clarkston.

Village and Country, an independent authorized dealer of Kinetico Quality Water Systems, opened in May and features a wide range of residential and commercial water treatment systems, including water softeners and drinking water systems, Thompson said.

Two engineers started Kinetico in 1970. Its reverse osmosis and water softener systems do not need electricity to run and each cleans its twin tanks using softened water. By not using electricity, customers will not run the risk of having the system short out — a problem seen in electric water softener systems, he said.

Electric water softener systems also must regenerate themselves every three to four days, whereas the Kinetico system meters the water. While one tank is regenerating, the other is ready to use. The system removes hardness minerals such as magnesium, calcium and iron.

The reverse osmosis system removes contaminants at the molecular level; both systems have a 10-year warranty, Thompson said.

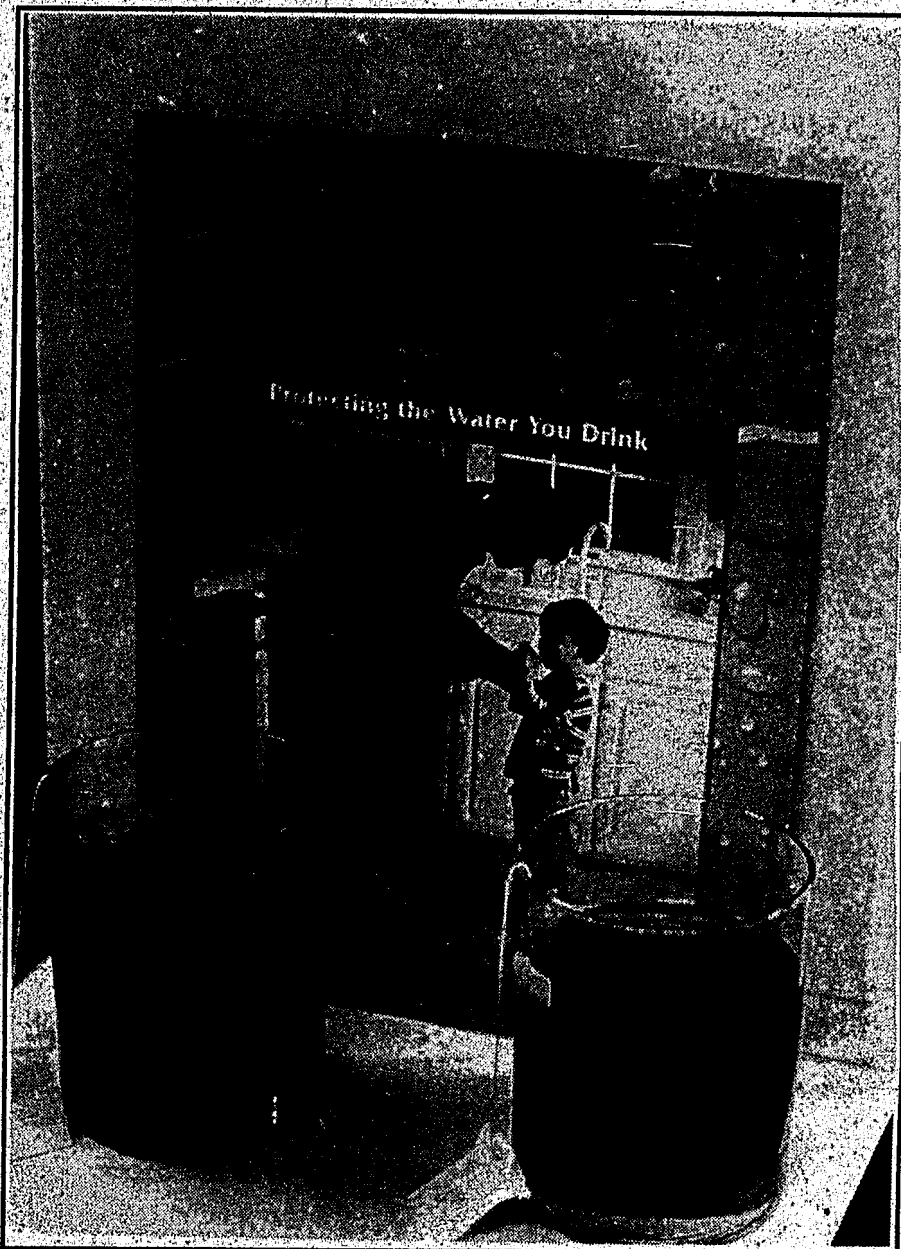
New employee Gary Thompson said he was so impressed with the system, he asked to work at the Clarkston store to sell it to others.

"It's maintenance free," he said. "I've had it for seven years and all I do is put salt in it."

Village and Country Water Treatment Inc. has several brands of systems in varied price ranges, Kelly Thompson said.

"We have systems to match all of our customers' needs and budgets," he said.

The store also rents water coolers, although water softeners and reverse osmosis systems are the



The glass of tea on the left contains Clarkston city tap water; on the right, water processed by reverse osmosis. Kelly Thompson, sales trainer and recruiter for Village and Country Water Treatment Inc. of Clarkston, recommends people "take the tea test" and see the difference in their own tap water versus water treated by reverse osmosis.

store's most popular items, Kelly Thompson said.

He said despite only one percent of water used in the household being classified as drinking water, the difference in using reverse osmosis is clear.

"The reverse osmosis system will make it better tasting, better quality water," he said.

Village and Country provides free water analysis, either by testing samples brought into the store or by visiting homes and businesses to test water. Consumers can also have their tap water tested by the city of Clarkston or the state government in Lansing, he said.

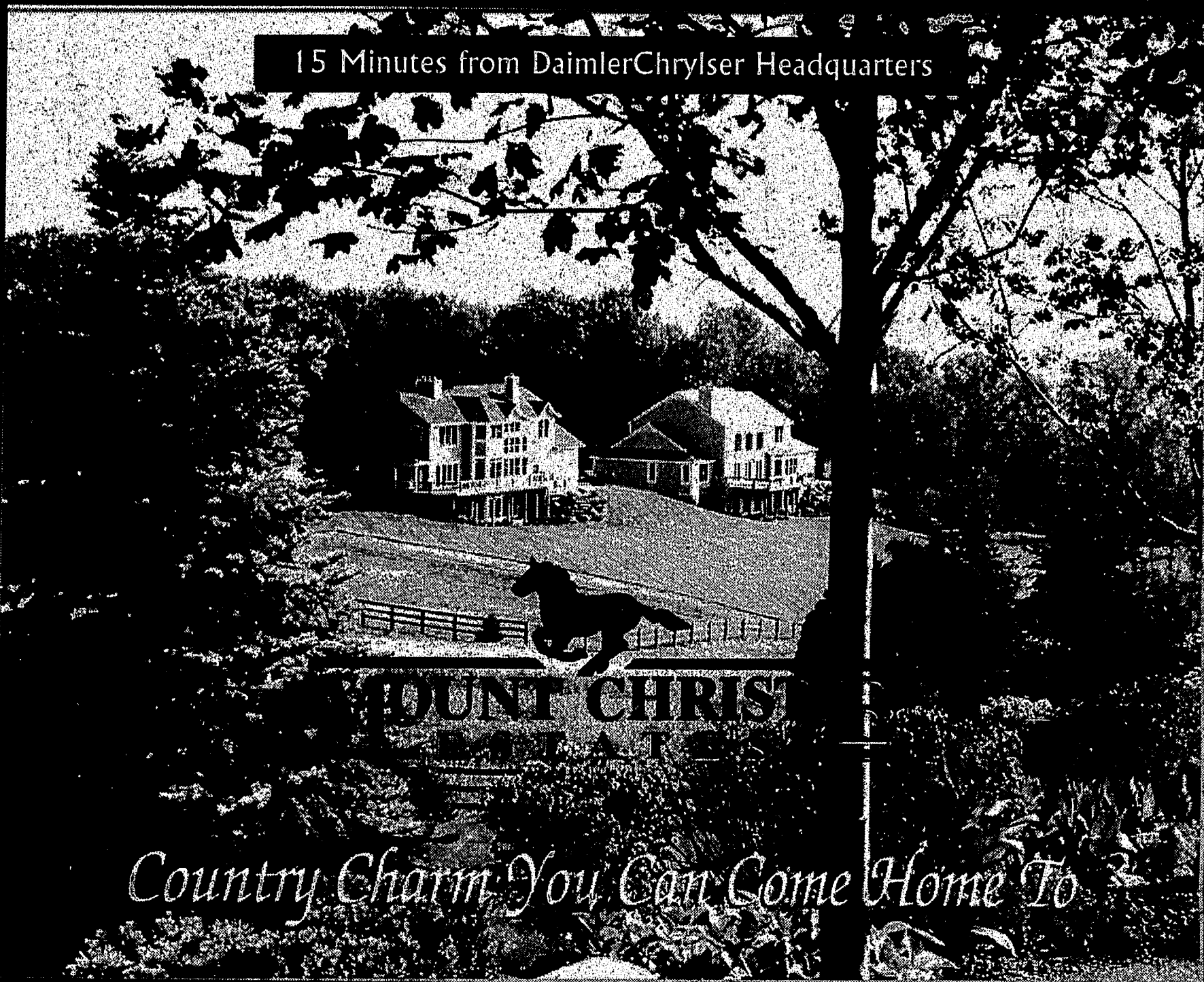
Last year, Village and Country placed third in sales out of more than 600 independent Kinetico dealers in 70 countries, he said.

Aside from the Clarkston store, Village and Country Water Treatment Inc. has stores in Hartland, Brighton and Ann Arbor. The Clarkston store is located at 5930 Ortonville Road.

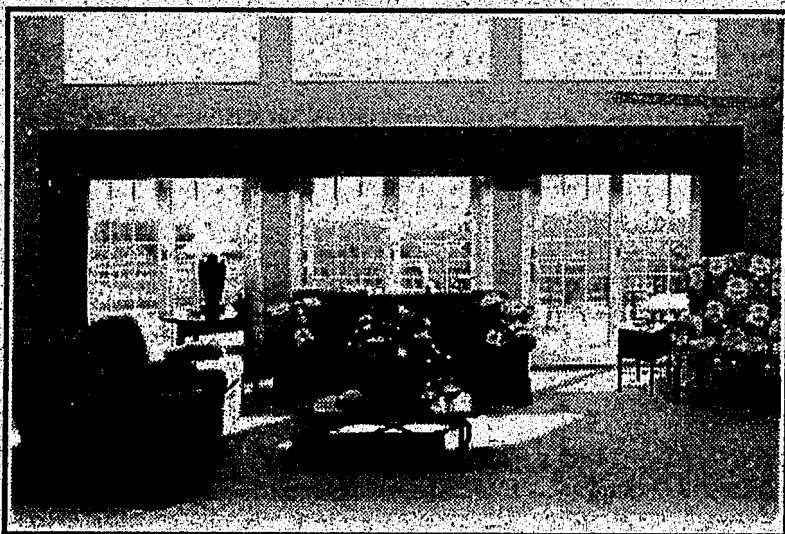
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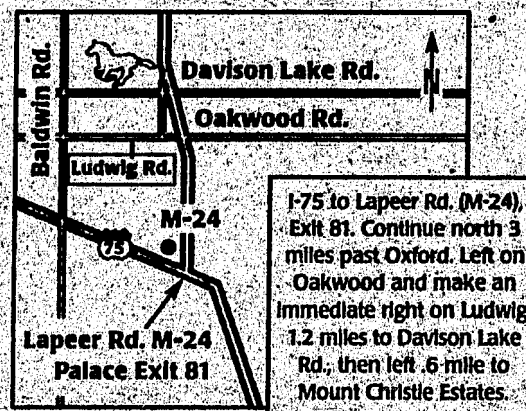
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A Grave season awaits GLIAC teams

Jason Graves enters senior season at Grand Valley as football team's captain

BY BRAD MONASTIERE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

In preparing for his senior season on the Grand Valley State University football team, the first thing Clarkston resident Jason Graves didn't run extra wind sprints or more reps in the weight room.

Instead, wrote a letter.

Graves leads the two-time GLIAC champions into the 1999 season as one of its captains, and in one of this first acts in that role, he penned a letter to his teammates asking them how badly they wanted a three-peat.

"I wrote a letter to the whole team, and it was from all the captains,"

he explained. "I just thought it was something I needed to do as captain. We lost a lot of good players and I asked the guys who was going to step up to fill those gaps."

That is just one way Graves' natural leadership skills show themselves on and off the football field. Graves is a 1995 graduate of Clarkston High School, where he had a brilliant senior season, leading the Wolves to a 9-2 season in 1994 and helping the team advance to the second round of the playoffs before losing to eventual-state champion Troy. Clarkston's only two losses that season were to the Colts. But looking back on those times, Graves says he has no regrets.

"We gave it our all, we just lost to a better team that day," Graves said, referring to the 14-0 playoff loss to the Colts on Nov. 12, 1994. "I want my team this year to be as close as the team my senior year of high school was. Everyone could count on each other to help each other out. We joked around and hung out all the time. I think that was a big reason for our success."

Clarkston varsity football coach Kurt Richardson called Graves a role model on and off the field.

"Jason was a Dream Team tailback for us, and didn't start at the position as a junior," Richardson said. "He got the top honor in the state, and then when he



Jason Graves, a 1995 Clarkston High School graduate, will be a captain of the Grand Valley State University football team this season.

gets to Grand Valley, they tell him 'You'll play DB for us,' and he does it with no complaints. That kind of thing is a great example for our players and parents to follow."

In his final season with the Wolves, Graves piled up 1,726 rushing yards and scored an incredible 24 touchdowns. Besides making opposing defenses look silly on a regular basis, Graves also returned kickoffs and punts and handled all the kicking chores for the team. In a 41-24 win over Rochester Adams that season, he scored 39 of the team's

points.

Richardson said although Graves was not a captain in high school, his leadership skills were apparent.

"He was a great leader and not even a captain for us," he said. "He has those skills, and the Grand Valley kids think that also, because they picked him to be a captain this year. But that whole group of seniors gave us great leadership that year. Still the best group I've ever coached."

Jeff Bemis, a teammate of Graves' on that 1994 team and a 1996 CHS

graduate, said Graves was a leader on the team, but still knew how to give his teammates room to shine.

"He really took charge in that

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Jason Graves' highlight reel

- ♦ Three-year veteran of varsity football and basketball teams at CHS.
- ♦ Rushed for 284 yards on 32 carries and scored six touchdowns in a 41-24 win over Rochester Adams at the 1994 CHS Homecoming Game.
- ♦ Two weeks later, rushed for 234 yards on 22 carries in a 33-0 win over fourth-ranked Lake Orion in the last game of the regular season.
- ♦ Scored four touchdowns and rushed for 222 yards in a 33-19 win over Monroe in a first-round playoff game on Nov. 5, 1994.
- ♦ Was named to the Michigan Dream Team at tailback following senior season.
- ♦ Rushed for 1,726 yards and 24 touchdowns in senior season.
- ♦ Led Grand Valley to GLIAC championships in 1997 and 1998.
- ♦ Named Division II Third-Team All-American following 1997 season.
- ♦ Named Second-Team All-GLIAC following 1998 season.
- ♦ Named Division II Preseason All-American before 1999 season.

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In-line hockey leagues grow by the day

BY BRAD MONASTIERE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

The back basketball court at Clintonwood Park was momentarily transformed into a pond of frozen water, where players glide along on skates and take their shot at the winning goal.

Although imagining an ice-cold rink in the place of a basketball court on another 90-degree July day can be a stretch, such is typical of the growing popularity of in-line hockey.

The demand for local in-line teams has grown to the point where Beth Walker, recreation programmer for Independence Township Parks and Recreation, has a waiting list of eight players wanting to get into one of the three leagues it's offering this summer.

"We changed the format a little this year to get more kids involved," she said. "Last year, we had groups of kids come and sign up as a team. This year, we now have 22 teams and 270 kids involved. We had 246 sign up last year."

By keeping registration open, it allowed for more equitable competition between teams, Walker said. Games are also scheduled this year five days per week, something the department tries to avoid if possible. But the number of teams involved, coupled with the township still only having one in-line rink, left it with little choice.

"We are using everything we can this year," Walker said. "There was talk for a while of a second rink being built, but nothing's happened with that for some time. But yes, eventually I would like to have a second rink built."

Chuck Parrott, coach of the Red Five under-10 in-line hockey team, said he finds in-line hockey more exciting than ice hockey.

"It's a quicker game and it's higher scoring," he said. "There's less break in the flow of the play."

Beyond that, Parrott makes sure his players have fun and find playing the game to be a fulfilling experience.

"Five years ago, one of my boys played on a team in Waterford, and the coach wasn't really involved too much," Parrott said. "I want to recognize the kids for what they do and to have fun playing."

The in-line leagues play two 22-minute halves, and most games see the winning team score between six and eight goals. The pace of the games stays high, and there's steady involvement in the play among all five players on each team.

"In baseball there's a lot of down time," Parrott said. "Here, the kids stay involved the whole time."



Michael Fittney (left) handles the puck on offense against Jacob Parrott (right) in a Friday night in-line hockey game at the Clintonwood park rink. Parrott's father Chuck, the coach of the Red Five team in the under-10 league, says he coaches so the kids can have fun and learn about the game. "It's very important for the kids to learn good sportsmanship and have a good time," he said. Fittney's Orange Seven team is currently in first place in the league with a 4-0-1 record.



Jeff Bemis, coach of the Orange Seven in-line hockey under-10 team, selects his starting lineup before Friday's game against the Red Five team at the Clintonwood rink. Bemis, who has two younger brothers who play ice hockey, has his team in first place so far this season. At left, Michael Rose of the Red Five teams takes a refreshing drink to cool off from last week's heat and humidity.



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Graves motors into senior season with Grand Valley's football team

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huddle," Bemis said. "What I liked about him was he always gave everyone else credit for his accomplishments. I remember one story where he was quoted a ton talking about the offensive line."

When reminiscing about that senior season, one game easily stands out for Graves.

"That first playoff game," he said with a knowing smile. "There was so much excitement that whole day. There were so many people at the old field, and it was the first playoff game ever for the school. And the team played a great all-around game. It was one of the funnest days I've ever had in football."

Graves arrived at Grand Valley all set to pick up the ball and start running where he left off in the Wolves' backfield. But an injury suffered during his redshirted freshman season and spots that opened up on the team caused the Grand Valley coaches to switch Graves to playing defensive back full time.

After sitting out the 1995 season, Graves got his chance to start at tailback midway through the 1996 season, but was switched to the defensive backfield midway through the season. He earned a starting spot before the 1997 season and hasn't looked back since.

After the 1997 season, Graves was named Division II Third-Team All-American at defensive back, leading Grand Valley to an 8-3 record.

Last season, Graves led the team to the Division II playoffs and another GLIAC championship, finishing with a 9-2 record. He was named Second-

GRAND VALLEY'S 1999 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 2	vs. South Dakota St.	7:00
Sept. 11	at Northwood	7:00
Sept. 18	vs. Indianapolis	7:00
Sept. 25	at Findlay	1:30
Oct. 9	vs. Mercyhurst College	1:00
Oct. 16	vs. Saginaw Valley State	1:00
Oct. 23	at Northern Michigan	1:00
Oct. 30	at Ashland	1:30
Nov. 6	vs. Michigan Tech	1:00
Nov. 13	vs. Ferris State	1:00

Team All-GLIAC after last season. Last year, he intercepted two passes and took them both back for touchdowns.

Switching from offense to defense was not a big deal to Graves, who was an outstanding defensive back in high school. As a junior for the Wolves, he intercepted a pass in the end zone clinching Clarkston's 1993 GOAL championship in a 21-10 win over Pontiac Northern.

"The thing I like about defense is the door is open to have as much fun as you want," he said. "You

aren't confined to special plays, and you can fool and manipulate the offense a little bit. Just fly around, have fun, get a little physical and when a receiver comes around, you take their head off."

Although Grand Valley is a Division II school and doesn't quite get the national exposure that teams like Michigan, Tennessee and Florida State get, Graves does not shy away from his desire to play football at the next level.

"It's something I do think about, whether it's the NFL, arena football, CFL, anything," he said. "I play for the love of the game, and being able to play at the next level is a dream I've always had. I have a dream, and I'm going to try and live it out."

Even if his dreams of playing on Sundays doesn't pan out, Graves has much to fall back on. He is nearing his degree in business with a major in marketing and a minor in public relations, but also would like to stay involved in the game he loves in any way possible.

"I'd love to coach," he said. "Being a team captain means I know my position very well, and from my time playing offense, I understand those positions as well. A lot of guys come to me with questions, and I think I can help them out."

The long letter of Jason Graves' football career is certainly not at the conclusion stage yet. With a strong cast of returning players and the experience he's built up starting in Clarkston, Graves has a chance to write a fun and dramatic ending to this body of work. Just don't write the word "Sincerely" just yet.

Sanders' retirement a loss for everyone involved

Last week, I lost one of the reasons why I like sports. Barry Sanders retired from the NFL.

This is an utter disaster for everyone involved; Barry, the Lions, coach Bobby Ross, owner William Clay Ford, and the NFL. And sadly, it's one that so easily could have been avoided. No one gets through this fiasco scot-free, and the fans of the Lions will be paying the price.

Reports state Sanders' disillusionment began last year when Ross pulled the plug on QB (and former Clarkston resident) Scott Mitchell after the second game of the season and made rookie Charlie Batch the starter. Although I believe this move was premature, it may ultimately be a good long-term move for the team, because Batch showed poise and looks like he will become a solid, dependable starting quarterback for years.

Despite the long-term promise, the move torpedoed any chances the team had last year of making the playoffs. Barry handled this in the way he's handled everything in his career - never letting his feelings show on the outside, not demanding any changes, not making any waves.

As the disastrous 1998 season ended, a 5-11 record hanging off of the team, Barry slinked away, without so much as a single word to his bosses or coworkers. He waited until the day before training camp began to say anything to anyone, then releases a statement that really didn't state why he was leaving, only that he was.

Barry deserves some criticism for the way he went about all of this. He showed complete lack of consideration to his employers by waiting to announce his decision the way he did. He declined to accept ques-



tions regarding his reasons for retirement, and he skipped to London of all places, the day he dropped his bomb. He showed an alarming lack of responsibility and accountability for his actions, and that indifference is something that is not excusable.

Out of all the characters in this tragedy, Ross may actually deserve the least amount of criticism. Barry never seemed crazy about Ross' two-back offense, but the bottom line is, he had his best season in 1997 running the two-back. Having a two-back offense with Barry creates room in the secondary for the team's strong receiving corps, and adds the element of a fullback on short-yardage plays.

Unfortunately, many fingers are pointing to Ross as a reason for Barry's departure, including his father William, who will tell anyone who will listen the only reason Barry left was Ross. But Ross is a proven winner who has filled the team's holes admirably. Unlike the team's owners (we'll get to them in a second), Ross made genuine efforts to communicate with Barry, to hear his side of the story. But for all it was worth, Ross might as well have been talking to the aluminum siding on his house.

If we're looking to lay blame on anyone's doorstep, it should be the Ford family. While their automotive company rakes in millions in profits, their good name continues to get smeared by their sheer incompetence in handling the football franchise. Many principle characters spoke the day of Barry's retirement: coaches, general managers, players, family members, and fans. Even Barry himself gave a quote in passing to a scribe in the London airport. But the silence by the Fords speaks volumes.

A responsible owner would, first of all, have done everything in his power to prevent this from happening. Pick a private jet from your fleet and fly wherever is necessary and find out what it takes to keep your franchise player happy. Even if you don't do that, show up the day the bomb drops, face the music and explain yourself. Where was William Clay Ford last Wednes-

day? Where was Bill Jr.? These guys have been getting hammered on talk shows, yet we hear not a peep from them in their own defense. Unspoken admittance of guilt, or another head-in-the-sand trick?

If Steve Yzerman was unhappy with the Red Wings organization, where do you think Mike Ilitch would be? Most likely setting up camp in the front yard of Yzerman's Grosse Pointe home, washing his car, dishes, kitchen floors, anything to make sure Stevie dons the 19 sweater for the upcoming season. That's the big difference. Ilitch is an owner who wants to win first, while the Fords have shown time after time over the years that winning is not a top priority.

They stood idly by while all this was going on, not saying a word either way. This is simply inexcusable from owners of a team with arguably the widest and most passionate following of any franchise in the state. But hey, they're getting \$7.3 million in a return of Barry's signing bonus from his 1997 contract, so it hasn't been such a bad day for them, right?

When players like John Elway and Wayne Gretzky retired, they went out on their terms to showers of praise, championship rings on their fingers and the closure of a career complete. With this retirement, it's like having a theater projector conk out an hour and 45 minutes into a 2 1/2 hour movie. You leave unfulfilled, but somehow, believe this is a story that isn't over yet.

We haven't heard the last of this, and there certainly is a window open for Barry's return to the Lions. It might mean a change in coaching, or in offensive philosophy. Hopefully, a change in ownership. Whatever ends up happening, we are faced with a fall of losers. A player loses out on a chance to make history. A coach loses out of having his best player on a team injected with a nice group of young talent. An owner loses the way he's allowed himself to lose for 35 years. And worst of all, the fans of Detroit and the NFL lose out on watching the most exciting player in the game. Shame on everyone.

Riverdawg team takes second at tourney

After playing five straight games in sweltering 90-degree heat, the 14-year-old Clarkston Riverdawg travel baseball team lost to the Toledo Reds 3-1 in the championship game of the Grand Blanc Tournament July 25.

Inclement weather allowed the Riverdaws to only get one game in on Friday, a 6-1 win over Davison. The makeup games were played Sunday, with the team emerging victorious over Fenton (7-3), Flushing (7-6), Grand Blanc (6-3) and White Lake (13-3).

But fatigue caught up with the Riverdaws in the finals, coming from the heat and tired pitching arms.

"We just didn't have the arms in all that heat after five straight games on Sunday," said assistant coach Craig Medlen.

The team, with quality depth at many positions, got contributions from everyone on the roster during the tournament.

Shortstop Chase Morris slammed a home run in the win over White Lake. Eric Plante produced his most consistent hitting streak in years, and Jason Medlen had the game-winning hit against Flushing.

Matt Brady, Brandon Rosengren and Chris Webb all connected with the ball much better than the stats would show. Defensive standouts included Nate Davis and Nick Bokuniewicz. They had back-to-back diving catches in the outfield in the win over Fenton.

Matt Orris, Eric Kammeyer, Adam Johnson, Bobby Slaughter and Chad Zelinski turned in strong pitching performances for the team.

"This was the first time in a month that we really played with hustle, drive and determination," said



Flashing "V" for victory, the 14-year-old Clarkston Riverdawg baseball team celebrates its second-place finish at the Grand Blanc Tournament. Pictured are: (bottom L-R) coach Craig Medlen, Chris Webb, Matt Brady, Brandon Rosengren, Jason Medlen, Nick Bokuniewicz, Eric Kammeyer, (top L-R) coach Brian Plante, Matt Orris, Nate Davis, Adam Johnson, Bobby Slaughter, Chad Zelinski, Chase Morris, Eric Plante and coach Tom Zelinski. Not pictured is Doug Brady.

assistant coach Brian Plante. "I think it finally dawned on the kids that to win consistently, you've got to play with some fire in your belly."

The team has also reached the Sunday round in

the Clarkston Tune-Up Tournament, and the semifinals of the Rochester HIT Tournament. The team concludes its 1999 season by playing at Home Plate Center in the St. Clair Shores Tournament.

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Independence Township Parks and Rec In-Line Hockey League Standings

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Coach	COLOR	W	L	T	POINTS
Jeff Bemis	ORANGE	4	0	1	9
Paul Hancock	TURQUOISE	4	1	0	8
Mike Horvath	WHITE	4	1	0	8
Chuck Parrott	RED	2	2	1	5
Larry Brookes	FOREST GREEN	2	2	0	4
Dan Keefe	TAN	1	3	0	2
Don Cadeau	ROYAL	1	3	0	2
Mike Tyler	GOLD	1	3	0	2
Matt McCarty	NAVY	0	4	0	0

12 & UNDER

Coach	COLOR	W	L	T	POINTS
Chuck Parrott	NAVY	6	0	0	12
Mike Palmer	ORANGE	4	1	0	8
Rick Prasil	WHITE	4	1	0	8
Brian Hoskins	TURQUOISE	2	3	1	5
Mitch Plinski	MAROON	2	3	0	4
Tim Smith	ROYAL BLUE	2	4	0	4
Bonnie Motto	KELLY GREEN	1	3	1	3
Marianne Livezey	RED	1	3	1	3
Richard Ouimet	FOREST GREEN	0	4	1	1

14 & UNDER

Coach	COLOR	W	L	T	POINTS
Chris Turner	NAVY	4	1	0	8
David Provenzano	GRAY	4	1	0	8
Ed Chesney	MAROON	1	2	1	3
Doug Racine	KELLY GREEN	0	3	1	1

Clarkston sports news in brief

1999-2000 Riverdawg board elections coming up soon

The Clarkston Riverdawg boys baseball program will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, Aug. 10 at 7:15 at the Clintonwood Park Senior Center.

At the meeting, the 1999-2000 board of directors will be elected, with nominations being accepted at the meeting. All those interested in supporting the continued success of the Riverdawg program are encouraged to attend.

The board will also accept applications for coaching positions for the 2000 season. Applications can be obtained from the Independence Township Parks and Recreation office and are due by Sept. 1. For more information, call recreation programmer Beth Walker at 625-8223.

The Riverdawg girls softball board meeting will be held the same night at the same location starting at 6 p.m.

OCC seeking volleyball program seeking players

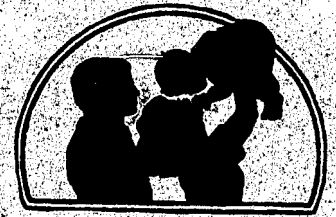
New Oakland Community College women's volleyball coach Larry Wyatt is seeking volleyball players for this season.

He will hold an open tryout for anyone interested in playing at the Highland Lakes Campus of OCC Monday, Aug. 9 at 5 p.m. All players for the 1999 season must be full-time students at OCC. The season runs from August through mid-November.

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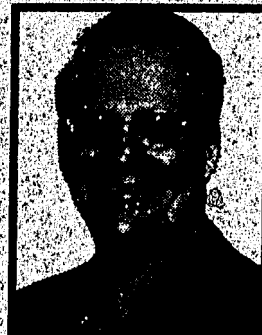


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The month of August signals the beginning of the upcoming school year, including the beginning of another fall sports season for nearly a quarter of a million young student-athletes who will be participating in the eight sports sponsored by member schools of the Michigan High School Athletic Association.

Football practices will begin on August 9 for all schools wishing to begin their season on the weekend of August 26-27-28. The regular season begins a week earlier for those schools wishing to play a 9-game schedule because of the additional week added to the MHSAA Football Playoffs. However, the change in the schedule means that practice begins only 2 days earlier than it would have without the playoff expansion. All football schools must conduct three required conditioning days of practice before beginning contact. Conditioning sessions may not include any pads.

The remaining fall sports begin their practice schedules on August 16, and all but three sports can start competition that day. The first game date for boys' soccer is August 27, girls' swimming and diving may open activity on August 28, and girls' basketball begins on August 30.

Playing rules changes by the National Federation of State High School Associations are few for the upcoming season. In football, the team box may now extend to the 25-yard line on each end of the field; and provides that players no longer will be downfield illegally if, for example, on a screen pass the ball goes beyond the line of scrimmage because it is deflected by the defensive team. The rule regarding eye shields was edited to read that such shields must be clear. In basketball, the most notable rules changes are visual - the numbers 1 and 2 have been added to the list of legal numbers used on jerseys; and the restriction regarding the use of a commemorative/memorial patch on the jersey has been deleted from the rules. In soccer, the uniform rule has been clarified to note that stockings will be a single dominate color in time for the 2000-01 school year; and that once in possession/control of the ball, the goalkeeper may no longer hold the ball for more than 5 seconds.

The 1999 fall campaign culminates with championships beginning with the Upper Peninsula finals in girls' tennis on October 8 and wraps up with the girls' basketball finals on December 4.

Here is a complete list of fall championship dates:

- **Girls' Basketball:** Districts - Nov. 15-20
Regionals - Nov. 22-24
Finals - Nov. 30, Dec. 2-4
- **Cross Country:** U.P. Finals - Oct. 23
L.P. Regionals - Oct. 30
L.P. Finals - Nov. 6
- **Football:** Pre-Districts - Oct. 29 or 30
District Finals - Nov. 5 or 6
Regional Finals - Nov. 12 or 13
Semifinals - Nov. 20
Finals - Nov. 26-27
- **L.P. Boys' Golf:** Regionals - Oct. 8 or 9
Finals - Oct. 15-16
- **Boys' Soccer:** Districts - Oct. 25-30
Regionals - Nov. 2-6
Semifinals - Nov. 10
Finals - Nov. 13
- **L.P. Girls' Swimming/Diving:** Diving Quals - Nov. 16
Finals - Nov. 19-20
- **Girls' Tennis:** U.P. Finals - Oct. 8
L.P. Regionals - Oct. 8-9
L.P. Finals - Oct. 15-16

Independence Township Parks and Rec youth baseball standings

Boys 9-10 Final	W	L	T
1. Clarkston Auto Wash	10	0	
2. Thomas Santarossa, D.D.S.	8	2	
3. Delta Tooling	7	3	
4. Watson Group Financial	7	3	
5. Kieft Engineering	7	3	
6. Clarkston Area Optimist	4	6	
7. Clarkston Eccentric	3	5	2
8. Machine Engineering	3	7	
9. Clarkston Burger King	2	7	1
10. Clarkston State Bank	1	8	1
11. Dairy Queen	1	9	

Boys 11-12 Final	W	L	T
1. Chapel Hill Builders	8	2	
2. All-Star Amusements	7	3	
3. Gary Fiteny, D.D.S.	7	3	
4. MPX	7	3	
5. Exide	6	4	
6. BCS Sluggers	4	6	
7. Chase Plastics	4	6	
8. Independence Twp. Parks & Rec.	4	6	
9. Mark Frenchi, D.D.S.	3	7	
10. Delta Tooling	0	10	

Boys 13-14 Final	W	L	T
1. Lee Cleaners	11	2	1
2. Meritor	11	2	1
3. All-Star Amusements	11	3	
4. Synergy	7	6	1
5. Terry Machine	6	8	
6. Cambridge Industries	4	9	1
7. Edward Jones Investments	2	11	1
8. Clarkston Rotary Club	1	12	1

Boys 15-18 Final	W	L	T
1. Clarkston- C-Town Warriors	11	1	
2. Clarkston- Dairy Dream	9	3	
3. Clarkston-AFM Screenprinting	9	3	
4. Orion Township-Firefighters	6	6	
5. Clarkston- Clarkston Pest Control	5	7	
6. Orion Township-MM&G Accounting	4	7	
7. Orion Township- Copa Tool	3	8	
8. Clarkston- Cambridge Industries	0	12	

Girls 12 & Under Final	W	L	T
1. North Oakland Sales	7	5	
2. Clarkston Area Optimist	7	5	
3. Thomasville Home Furnishings	7	5	
4. Clarkston Burger King	5	7	
5. Clarkston Pool & Excavating	4	8	

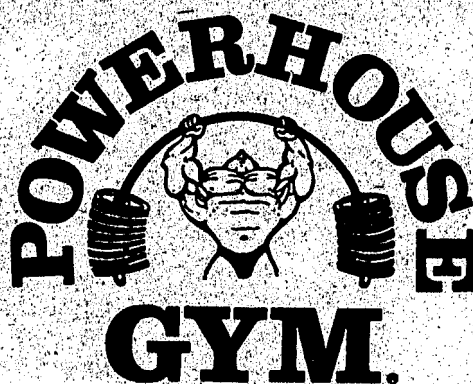
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1. ITP&R- Synergy	8	0	
2. ITP&R- Clarkston Rotary Club	6	2	
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030-GENERAL

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SECRETARY/ RECEPTIONIST needed for Lake Orion psychological clinic. Good phone, computer and people skills. F/T, Mon-Thurs noon to 8:30pm; alt. Fri/Sat 8:30-5:00. Resume to OPC, 2633 S. Lapeer Rd., Lake Orion, MI 48360. Fax 248-393-1791. e-mail opc3@voyager.net ILLX33-1

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Instructor

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CX2-2

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LX32-2c

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LZ33-1c

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LX20-tfn

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LX33-2

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LX30-4c

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LX31-5

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LX33-3c

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CX2-1

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NON-PROFIT REGIONAL office looking to fill a Part time Entry Level Clerical position. Please send resume to: Regional Representative 1520 S. Lapeer, Ste. 211 Lake Orion, MI 48360. Fax 248-693-1429. ILLX32-2

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ORDINANCE NO. 130

An Ordinance to provide for establishment of Special Assessment Districts to defray in whole or any part of the costs or expense of any public improvement upon property specially benefited, in proportion of the benefits derived or to be derived of the whole of the property included within the district; to provide a procedure for the establishment of said special assessment districts; to provide for the collection of assessments; to provide procedures for deficiency or excessive assessments; and to authorize the collection of delinquent assessments by suit.

The above is the title for Ordinance No. 130 which was passed by the City of the Village Council on July 26, 1999. This Ordinance will take effect twenty days after publication of the above summary, August 24, 1999.

Ordinance No. 130 in its entirety is available for inspection at the City Offices, 375 Depot Road, Clarkston, Michigan 48346.
Artemus M. Pappas
Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, August 18, 1999 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Senior Center (Carriage House), Clintonwood Park, 5980 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, MI 48348 to hear the following cases:

Case #99-0064 Kevin Fangel, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS 10' REAR YARD SETBACK VARIANCE TO CONSTRUCT ADDITION.
Dvorak, Lot 6, R-1A
Wilshire Subdivision.
08-26-301-017

Case #99-0065 Scott Banks, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS 20' REAR YARD SETBACK VARIANCE PLUS 10' FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE TO CONSTRUCT NEW HOME.
Clarkston Rd. & Lakeview Blvd., Lots 17-20, R-1A
Sunny Beach Country Club Sub No. 2
08-13-151-038

Case #99-0066 Jon Yivisaker, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ALLOW TEMPORARY MOBILE HOME FOR LIVING QUARTERS ON PROPERTY UNTIL RECONSTRUCTION OF HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE IS COMPLETE.
Pine Knob Rd., R-1C
08-02-151-002

Case #99-0067 George Krull, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO CONSTRUCT ADDITION TO ATTACHED GARAGE PLUS REAR YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 30'
Clarkston Rd., 3.15 acres, R-1R
08-15-301-008

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT THE ABOVE REQUESTS MAY BE EXAMINED at the Independence Township Building Department during regular hours each day, Monday through Friday until the date of the Public Hearing. For Further Information call (248) 625-8111.

Respectfully submitted,
Joan E. McCrary,
Township Clerk

Beverly A. McElmeel
Director

Rams season ends at AABC regionals

BY BRAD MONASTIERE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

More than just another baseball season ended for the Michigan Rams last weekend in Battle Creek.

Many of the team's players have been teammates over many springs and summers the past few years, and with most of the players entering college later this month, the team's 3-1 loss to the Toronto GTA Stars marked the end of the road.

"When that game ended, the guys knew this would be their last game together," coach George Drallos said. "There were some happy and sad tears flowing from the players, and even the coach too."

The Rams' season ended with a 28-14 record

and an AABC District championship. The team went 1-2 in the North Central AABC Regionals in Battle Creek. The Rams lost their first game to Saginaw Mean Stamping 12-9, losing a four-run sixth-inning lead.

The Rams bounced back to get an exciting 11-10 win over a Battle Creek team that had 27 college scouts and six pro baseball scouts in the stands.

Drallos said the attention the team received from those scouts was one of the highlights of the season.

"It was just unbelievable," he said. "These kids really created a name for themselves. People now know who the Michigan Rams are."

"The coach from Central Michigan was at more games than I was," Drallos quipped.

The four Clarkston players on the Rams all turned in fine seasons. John Drallos (Valparaiso), Spencer Hynes (Oakland University) and Clarkston High School senior Chris Mitchell all batted over .400 for the season. Eric Jenks (Saginaw Valley State) batted around .300 and was one of the team's top pitchers all season.

Last year the Rams qualified for the CABA World Series, but that was in a league that according to Drallos, was a notch below the level of competition the team saw this season.

"Getting to the AABC regionals is bigger than getting to the World Series in CABA," he said. "Just a great way to finish up."

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on:

August 12, 1999 at 7:30 p.m.

at the Independence Township Senior Center-Carriage House, 5980 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, Michigan 48348, to consider the following:

FILE #99-1-032

Mr. Chris Clark, Petitioner

PageNet, Inc.

REQUEST SPECIAL LAND USE APPROVAL FOR 3 NEW ANTENNAS CO-LOCATION ON EXISTING TOWER AT DPW

Parcel Identification Number: 08-21-176-003

Common Description: 6050 Flemings Lake Road
Independence Township Department of Public Works

Any further information regarding the above Public Hearing may be obtained at the Township Planning Office during regular office hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, or by phone at (248) 625-8111.

JOAN E. MCCRARY, CLERK

PUBLIC NOTICE

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OAKLAND COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

WE WANT YOUR HELP

Your Board of Road Commissioners for Oakland County wants you to help decide on the

2000 BUDGET

FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2000 AND

2000 ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

The Board of Road Commissioners for Oakland County invites all interested citizens and elected officials to present comments prior to adoption of the 2000 Budget and Road Improvement Program. For this purpose, we have scheduled a Public Hearing.

Date: Thursday, August 26, 1999

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Location: Oakland County Auditorium
Oakland County Service Center
1200 North Telegraph
Pontiac, Michigan 48341

WHAT THE BUDGET IS

The proposed Budget sets forth the revenue anticipated to be available to the Road Commission and the sources of the revenue. The Budget also designates the proposed use of these funds, including the Operating Expenditures of the Road Commission and the proposed Road Improvement Program.

ADVANCE COPIES ARE AVAILABLE

Copies of the proposed 2000 Budget and related information will be available one (1) week prior to the Public Hearing. They may be obtained by contacting the Finance Department of the Road Commission for Oakland County, 31001 Lahser Road, Beverly Hills, Michigan 48025 (Telephone (248) 645-2000, ext. 2237 or TDD (248) 645-9923).

Copies of the proposed 2000 Road Improvement Program will be available one (1) week prior to the Public Hearing. They may be obtained by contacting the Engineering Department of the Road Commission for Oakland, 31001 Lahser Road, Beverly Hills, Michigan 48025 (Telephone (248) 645-2000, ext. 2265 or TDD (248) 645-9923).

WE HOPE YOU WILL PRESENT COMMENTS

The Board Meeting and Public Hearing are held in accordance with the provisions of Act 2, P.A. 1988, as amended by Act 621, P.A. 1978; Act 43, P.A. 1983 (2nd executive session), and Act 267, P.A. 1978, as amended.

If you require accommodation in accordance with the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act, please provide the Finance Department with five days advance notice.

BOARD OF OAKLAND COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS
OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN
Brent O. Bak, Managing Director

PUBLIC NOTICE

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, August 4, 1999 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Senior Center (Carriage House), Clintonwood Park, 5980 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, MI 48348 to hear the following cases:

Case #99-0077 Hooser Pontiac Buick, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE FOR TENT SALE FROM 8/15/99 THRU 8/27/99.
Dixie Highway, C-3
Randy Hooser Pontiac Buick
08-32-201-011

Case #99-0078 Edward Mullin, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 6' TO CONSTRUCT FRONT PORCH (already constructed).
Ascension, Lot 25, R-1A
Clarkston Villa Sub
08-21-202-006

Case #99-0079 Joseph Blasko, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO RECONSTRUCT DETACHED GARAGE AND SHED (destroyed by fire) ON NON CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD.
Lakeview, Lot 6 and Pt. of Lot 3, R-1A
Sunny Beach CC Sub
08-12-376-060

Case #99-0080 Terrence Laderman, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS ALLOWANCE OF LP GAS INSTALLATION OF ONE STORAGE CONTAINER AND DISTRIBUTING RESALE POINT.
Dixie Highway, C-3
Truck King USA of Clarkston, Inc.
08-30-251-004

Case #99-0081 James Dixon, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS EXTENSION OF VARIANCE GRANTED ON 2/17/99 FOR TEMPORARY OFFICE/CONSTRUCTION TRAILER (1 year).
White Lake Rd., MH
Dixon Metal
08-31-301-002

Case #99-0082 Paul Silverman, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ALLOW SPLIT FOR PURPOSES OF ISSUING TWO BUILDING PERMITS PRIOR TO FINAL PLAT APPROVAL.
Belshire Lane, Lots 2 & 3, R-1A
Woodlake Estates (Lake Waldon Village)
08-28-282-002

Case #99-0083 Keith Davis, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS an APPEAL FROM the PLANNING COMMISSION DECISION (REZONING)
Dixie Highway, 2.18 Acres, O - Office Zone
08-32-225-018

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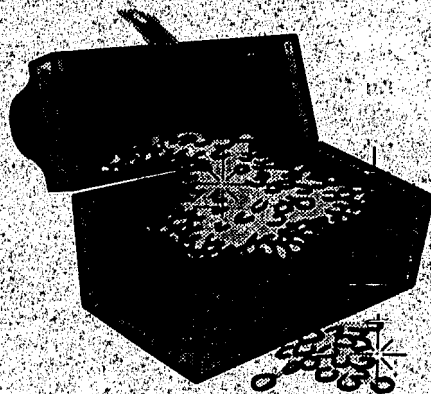
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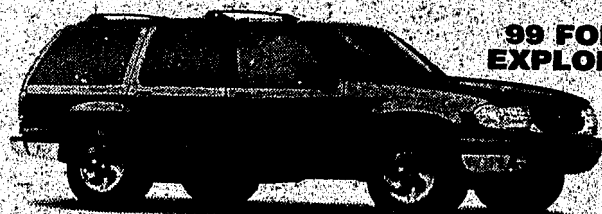
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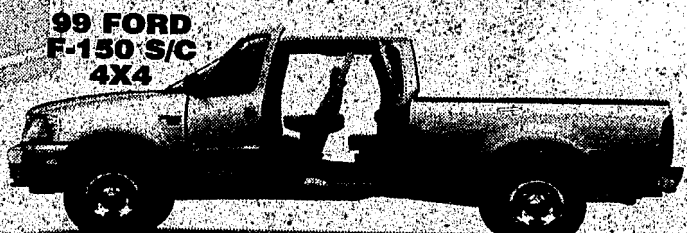
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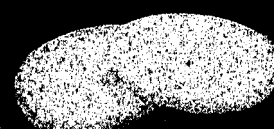


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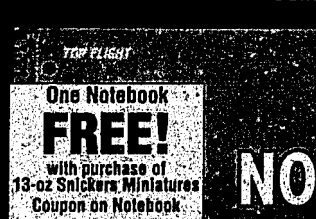
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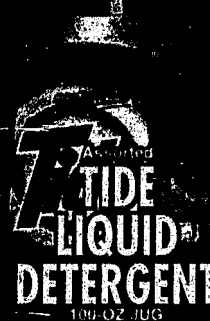
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