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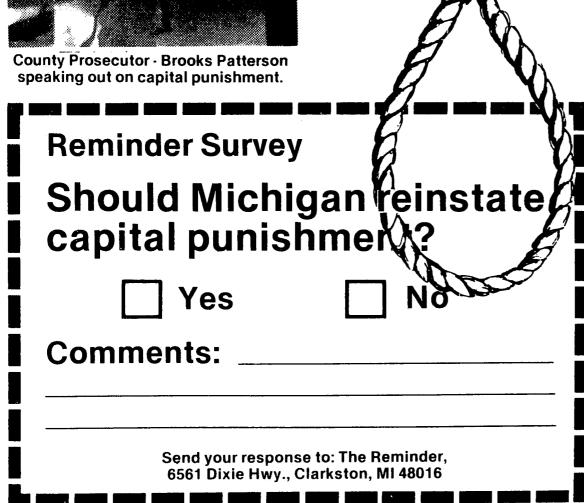
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Sentencing Due in Miracle-Mile Murder





In the early morning hours of May 3, 1980 Deborah Ann Porcelli, 28-year-old Clarkston resident, was shot and killed while watching a drive-in movie with her husband.

Her assailant, Ronnie Waters of Pontiac, now 18 years old, was convicted on first degree murder recently by Oakland County Circuit Judge John N. O'Brien and will be sentenced March 5.

The mandatory sentence for first degree murder in the State of Michigan is natural life imprisonment, no parole.

But Oakland County Prosecutor, Brooks Patterson, who tried the case, thinks the penalty should be stiffer and says, "I happen to believe this (the Porcelli murder) would not have occurred if we'd had capital punish-

Patterson calls the slaying a "flat out execution", a prime example of why he is sponsoring a petition drive to place the reinstitution of capital punishment before the electorate.

The success of that effort will not be decided for sometime.

But in the legal battle to prosecute Ronnie Waters Patterson has so far had things pretty much his own way.

The prosecutor first became involved in the case when Waters was bound over in the court of 48th District Judge Carl Ingraham on

a charge of second degree murder. Bond was set at \$10,000. Upon the request of Mrs. Porcelli's family, Patterson stepped in and sought an emergency appeal from Circuit Judge Gene

Schnelz to revoke the bond and reinstate the charge of open murder. Schnelz granted that appeal and Patterson subsequently succeeded in making his point

stick by winning the first degree conviction in front of O'Brien. But attorney for Ronnie Waters, William Waterman of Pontiac, is not going to let the

matter rest there. He intends to file with the Michigan Court

of Appeals "immediately" upon sentencing. Not surprisingly, Waterman's assessment

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editor's note

Is it finally coming? A tax revolt that involves the masses and will finally change our tax structure for the better?

If what has happened in Flint, where 3500 autoworkers have refused to pay income taxes and a similar movement in Pontiac are successful, it will only encourage more people to take on the IRS.

And, although I don't advocate the anarchial tendencies of the tax resistance movements, I do believe it's time, Americans enmasse, protest the upward spiral of all forms of taxes.

Locally, everywhere you do, the major topic of conversation lately has been taxes. The Reminder survey that showed residents of Clarkston School favored a new millage received considerable reaction -- most of it from voters that couldn't understand why anyone would want additional millage.

People are fired up about taxes. They don't want to pay more. Yet unfortunately it is our children that will suffer because without additional millage, they will lack the basics required to have the opportunity to get a well-rounded education.

I say bravo to those people that are taking a stand. Yet, I caution them to direct their energy to the state and federal levels of our government. For they are the true culprits of our spiraling taxes, not the local school board or township government.

On a similar subject this week, one of our new Clarkston High School correspondents, Lynette Weber took an informal poll amongst students to find out just how they felt about possible cuts or total elimination of the sports program. Her article begins on Page 8.

Mike Willey

Editor of The Reminder:

About your tax survey I just can't believe the homeowners of Clarkston can be foolish enough to vote for a tax increase. It is regretful that the Tisch Amendment was not voted in, it would have cut our taxes in half. But the people listened to the politicians. My taxes have increased gradually from \$640.00 in 1976 to \$1,172.67 in 1980, an increase of \$350.00 in 1980 and I've already received a notice of a \$3,500.00 valuation increase for 1981. This year they will be \$1,300.00. Where the hell does this stop. Teachers are overpaid. The school system is like our government out of proportion. It's time to say no for a tax increase. The only way to stop it is everyone vote no. Stand together.

James Glazier

letters

Dear Governor Milliken and Editor:

As you know, I have expressed concern to you regarding the State of Michigan's community placement program. The following is a list of four criteria I would like to see implemented regarding the development of homes and the placement of clients into those homes:

- 1. No placements occur before licensing is secured.
- 2. No contracting occur before license is issued.
- 3. No start-up monies be allocated until a license is filed, fire safety report and building inspection report completed and knowledge of total monies to run total operation and programming.

4. No monies be spent for residential care until the items in No. 3 are completed.

I feel that if these four procedures were implemented incidents such as the one I am about to discuss could be avoided. It has again come to my attention that the Department of Mental Health is caught in a potentially embarrassing situation. The Department has spent \$260,000 over the past six months, spent \$344.00 per day per patient to maintain a facility in Calhoun County, located in the City of Springfield, called the Dolcsa Home. This information has appeared in local newspapers and I am sure you can understand the community's concern about what appears to be total fiscal mismanagement during a time when budgets have been cut severely. It is my understanding that the facility has been awaiting Department of Social Service's licensing since September. Meanwhile, we are serving four clients and expending \$15,000.00 monthly in rent. What disturbs me even more is that clients were moved into the facility before licensing was secured.

At one point in time, the Department of Mental Health felt it could license the facility for thirty clients and gave approval to Calhoun County Community Mental Health to move clients into the facility. Shortly after the facility opened, the Department realized they could not license the facility and asked the Department of Social Services for assistance. The Department of Social Services indicated that since the facility was already part of an existing program (Home for the Aged is housed in the first two floors of the building) it would be very difficult for the Department of Mental Health to obtain adult foster care licensing. Also, under current law, they could not issue a license for adult foster care for more than twenty clients. At that point, it is my understanding that the Department of Mental Health tried to take advantage of a licensing loophole and allocated monies to be spent for renovating the facility to classify it as a separate entity. I am not aware of how much money was spent for renovation but it is difficult for me to comprehend where the Department came up with the additional monies.

I have requested, along with Senator Welborn, that a Special Committee be organized to address not only deinstitutionalization and community placement issues, but also a list of roughly eighteen crucial issues the mental health field is now facing. One of these issues is dealing with the overcrowded jail situation we have throughout the state with incarcerating mentally ill people. To date, I have not received feedback regarding these issues or the organization of a committee to look into them. I fear that the citizens of Michigan will be able to accurately accuse us of being unorganized and irresponsible if new procedures, such as the ones I suggested earlier, are not implemented.

As I have stated to you before, I am an advocate of community placement and agree that institutionalization can be very dehumanizing and regressive experience. However, if we are to be successful with our community placement efforts, we must be able to assure the communities and the patients that services and programming are available to meet each client's individual needs before placement occurs. We must develop a uniform rate structure so expenditures for client care will not vary throughout the state. We must be able to show the public that we are organized and capable of providing quality care to patients exiting from state hospitals.

I would appreciate your comments regarding my suggestions, the Dolcsa situation and once again urge you to assist me in organizing a committee to look into these urgent issues.

Sincerely, Claude A. Trim, Chair Mental Health Committee

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The evening's program will be presented by branch member Karen O'Connor. The topic will be "Retirement Options".

All Waterford-Clarkston area women who are college graduates are welcome to attend. For further information, call 625-9467 or 623-

CYA to Show Films

Clarkston Youth Assistance will show films on Anti-Shoplifting for 5th graders at: March 3rd, Clarkston Elementary; March 4th, Bailey Lake Elementary; March 5th, Andersonville Elementary; March 10th, Pine Knob Elementary; and March 11th, North Sashabaw Elementary from 1:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Travel Club Needs Members

Independence Parks and Recreation is interested in starting a Travel Club that will meet once a month. If you would be interested in joining a travel club, contact Sheryl at 625-8223.



A Star, A Schedule Change, and a Marvelously Witty American woman mark the arrival in Detroit of television's Pat Carroll playing the immortal Gertrude Stein at Music Hall Center. Fans will have only four opportunities to see the play, entitled Gertrude Stein Gertrude Stein Gertrude Stein. Performances are now confirmed for Tuesday, March 10 at 8:30, Friday, March 13 at 8:30, and Saturday, March 14 at 2:00 and 8:30.

Tickets can be ordered through the Music Hall box office at 963-7680 or purchased at all CTC outlets.

Oops!

In a Reminder report last week noting the accomplishments of several members of the Clarkston High School Chorus the name of soloist award winner, Don Lanpher, was -oops! -- incorrectly listed as Donna Lanpher.

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Ball Registration Begins

Independence Township Parks and Recreation will begin registering children for Junior Baseball and M & M Softball on March 16 - March 22. Registrations will be taken at the Recreation Department which is located in the Township Hall. You may register March 16 - 20 from 9:00-6:00 p.m. You may also register on Saturday, March 21 from 10:00 -5:00 p.m. and Sunday, March 22 from 1:00 -5:00 p.m. Anyone registering after this time will be charged a late fee. For more information call 625-8223.

PNH Plans Reunion

Pontiac Northern High Class of 1961 is planning a class reunion and are looking for classmates. Call Sandy Lawrence 625-3267 or Georgia Mular 623-0933.

Square Dance March 7

The Independence Squares will hold their second annual Red, White and Blue Square Dance on Saturday, March 7 at 8 p.m. at Clarkston Junior High. Jim Thompson will be the caller. For further information, call 625-

Church Sponsors Play

A threatre troupe from Anderson College will present the play "The Long Road Home" at the First Church of God, 6300 Clarkston Road, on Sunday evening (March 15) at 6:00

Authored by Earl Reimer, "The Long Boad Home" is an imaginary account of what might have happened if the biblical parable of the prodigal son had actually occurred.

The play opens the morning after the prodigal son's return home, and relates the probable emotions and responses of various members of the household.

"This particular dramatic presentation is intended to be more than mere entertainment," said Robert Smith, director of drama at Anderson College. "It's a service of worship that speaks about the practical applications of love.

Jeff Downey, son of the Reverend and Mrs. Eddie Downey, 7237 Snow Apple Dirve, portrays the prodigal son's father in the play.

Manager Meeting March 11

Independence Township Parks Recreation will be having their first managers meeting for Junior Baseball and M & M.Softball on March 11. The meeting will take place at the Township Hall at 7:00 p.m. on the third floor. This will be the only managers meeting prior to the draft. For more information call 625-8223.



Players (left to right) Jack McCaffrey, Paul Hoffmaster, Steve Cunningham and Ed Cable (seated).

"Heaven Can Wait"

Lakeland Players are presenting "Heaven Can Wait", a comedy based on the recent motion picture of the same title on March 6-7 at the Eage Theatre "Live", 13 South Saginaw, Pontiac, Michigan. Curtain time is 8:00 p.m. Tickets are available at the door. Group rates for people over 20 are available. For information, call 623-7928 or 666-39094.

Springfield Offers Classes

With spring in the air, many people are

turning to new activities.

At Springfield Oaks County Park classes in basketweaving, clowning, children's open gym, dog obedience and dried and silk flower arranging will soon begin.

There is also a puppy kindergarten class which is only offered once a year. "This is good preparation for dog obedience," said Anne Clinton-Cirocco, park supervisor.

Classes begin throughout March and will be held at Springfield Oaks Youth Activities Center in Davisburg. The class and fee schedule is available from the park office. Interested persons should register before classes begin.

Springfield Oaks is eager to build upon its present selection of classes.

"We're always looking for instructors to recommend new and exciting courses," said Clinton-Cirocco.

Open tennis court times are also available at the Activities Center. Court times are available Monday through Friday. Reservations must be made 24 hours in advance.

Springfield Oaks Activities Center is located at 12451 Andersonville Road at Hall Road in Davisburg. For more information and registration call 625-8133.

Grable Benefit March 12

Clarkston School Busdrivers are planning a benefit for the family of Ken Grable on March 13 at the high school.

Grable, a 23-year-old graduate, was struck by a motorist while walking down a sidewalk in Mt. Pleasant and has been in a coma for two weeks. He had no insurance.

The busdrivers, according spokeswoman Loretta Graham, will attempt to raise money to offset hospitalization costs in a benefit volleyball game with a group of Clarkston teachers.

Income from a bake sale and concessions will also be donated to the fund.

"Regardless of what happens, they'll need the money," said Graham.

Ken is the son of Dale Grable and step-son of Rose Grable, a busdriver with the schools.

He was attending Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant when the accident occurred.

Learn Tornado Safety

WPON, the National Weather Service, and Oakland County Disaster Control have put together a one hour presentation, "Tornado Safety". The presentation will include a discussion on what is known about tornadoes, safety rules during tornadoes, and severe storms.

The programs will all be held at the Oakland County Commissioners Auditorium. 1200 North Telegraph in the Oakland County Service Center. The programs are open to the public with no admission charge. The times

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of the case differs sharply from the prosecutor's.

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He contends that O'Brien "abused his discretion" and "drew too many inferences" in handing down the decision. That a host of Michigan case precedents support the position that premeditation (the basis for the 1st degree conviction) has not been established by the evidence against Waters.

Patterson had argued, and the court agreed, that Waters had shown cold-blooded deliberation when he fired the second of two shots from a .22 calibre pistol into the Porcelli auto after one of his friends had been refused a light by Mrs. Porcelli's husband, Joseph.

The first shot shattered the car's windshield? glass was hurled into Mr. Porcelli's eye and he slumped over in his wife's lap. The second shot killed Mrs. Porcelli.

Patterson says further evidence of premeditation and deliberation were shown by the fact that Waters had two hands on the gun and that his attitude both before and after the shooting indicated a willingness to commit murder.

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take place," he says.

"(Waters) has absolutely no feelings of remorse," says Patterson.

"The day after the killing he called one of his friends and said, 'The white bitch died'...she had the audacity to die on him," he says with disbelief.

O'Brien in his ruling said, too, that the fact that Waters had not carried the gun on his person earlier in the evening argued for con-

ramifications of any perceived leniency in Waters' treatment.

In a slaying of this kind he says, "Everybody want to compromise the law in order to satisfy the emotional need for

served dispassionately. And in the Waters

Waterman thinks the whole question of law at issue in the case has been obscured by the emotional nature of someone being killed while engaged "in one of the safest situations in the world" and the political

But the law, Waterman says, has to be ob-



case the law clearly calls for a less than 1st degree conviction.

"I don't condone the act anymore than I do the actions of whoever is snatching black kids off the streets in Atlanta," he says.

But the evidence of premeditation on Ronnie Waters' part is simply not there according to his attorney.

He says there is no evidence that Waters was even aware of the Porcelli's existence until seconds before the shooting. And ten seconds, the time lapse between the request for a light and the first shot, is not sufficient to establish premeditation when taken in conjunction with the rest of the evidence.

The precedents which argue premeditation on the basis of deliberate actions leading to a spur of the moment killing do not apply in the Waters case, he says.

Nor does the second shot theory hold up. (Patterson) feels there's some kind of reflection involved here. But we're talking about a time lapse of, at most, a couple of seconds. There was not time for him to cooly reflect on the act. People have been stabbed 20 times and (the assailant) received a second degree conviction."

Waterman views the question of attitude as equally irrelevant.

"If you start talking about attitude you might as well talk about color...or social history. Whether he called her a "white bitch" or not is of no moment and shouldn't be considered by the court."

And if it is considered, Waterman thinks it should be considered in the light of what fosters that kind of attitude.

'That bravado is the substitute for a lot of things in the inner city," he says. "A lot of things would have to change before Ronnie Waters became the exception rather than the

Brooks Patterson, of course, argues the opposite tack.

The Porcelli murder was totally senseless. She had no reason to die except for the meanness of Ronnie Waters. Waterman's right...(people) are not going to accept this kind of thing.

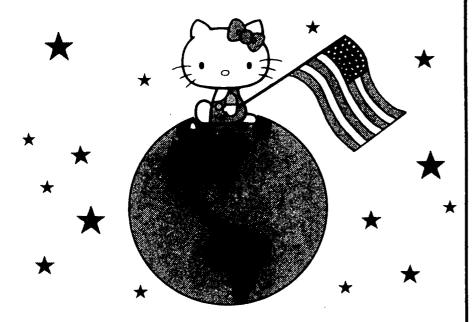
He believes, and even William Waterman concedes he may be correct, that the mainstream of Michigan's populace would like to see capital punishment brought back to the

But Waterman, for one, doesn't feel very optimistic about the prospect.

'We're manufacturing Ronnie Waters because we don't have any way of dealing with him. It's easy to get on that bandwagon. But we're going to have to develop a more intelligent approach."



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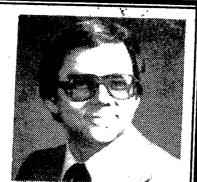
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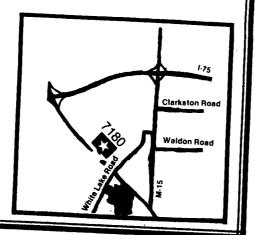
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Money is said to make the world go round. For Clarkston High School students, it also makes basketballs bounce, footballs fly, and wrestling mats unfold.

Proposed cutbacks may cause extracurricular sports activities in the Clarkston Schools to be directed out of bounds.

With the oncome of the 1981-82 school year, students with the talent or desire to participate in sports competition may never realize their true abilities.

Having experienced avid sports successes at Clarkston High School, a tradition of school pride and enthusiasm has been established. And, to its future victors go the spoils -- spoiled dreams and talents due to the predicted financial difficulties of the Clarkston School district.

Realizing that money is difficult in the school system suggests that the private money of the players themselves may not, in turn, stretch far enough to facilitate sports programs either.

With this in mind, Clarkston High School students offered their two cents on the money matter.

Recently, an apportionment of 250 sophomores, juniors, and seniors were asked to establish an opinion as to whether or not they deemed sports to be necessary to a school. 84 percent felt strongly that sports are, in fact, an intricate part of our educational system.

Many reasons were given to support their beliefs.

Barb Bruce, a senior, suggests, "If they (sports) were stopped, the whole school would begin to fall apart."

Junior, Bob Walters, offers this idea: "Sports are the other half of education. Some people learn much more on the field of play than in a classroom."

Dave MacClennon, a sophomore, says, "They allow one to enjoy school more."

Another sophomore, Traci Sherman, mentioned scholarship importance in sports; and junior, Jeff Klein views school pride as the major reason for sports necessity.

With their senior year right around the corner, Juniors proved slightly more concerned than the other classes about the sports topic, with 85 percent foreseeing athletic dissolution in the future.

Senior, Ric Schebor, a Clarkston High School athletic participant, may have summed up the unfortunate expectation of sports programs when saying, "If I didn't play sports, I would have no incentive to do well in school."

Undoubtedly, this thought creates suspicion as to further complications that may spur from the absence of school sports.

Should sports include attitudes and academic success in its sphere of influence, the Clarkston Schools may be losing more than just football, basketball, or other sport teams.

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Clarkston Schools to Seek Millage Increase

by Dawson Bell

As a result of action taken by the Clarkston Community School Board at a special citizen's committee meeting last Tuesday, voters in the district are going to be asked sometime soon to increase property tax support for the financially troubled

The resolve to ask for an as yet unspecified additional operating millage came after two hours of discussion with an audience of 60 which centered on the process of determining cuts necessary to offset an anticipated \$1 million deficit in school spending for 1981-82.

Members of a board appointed citizen's committee reaction presented preliminary findings gathered in conversations in the community.

And, predictably, they reported serious reservations about the prospects for passing a millage among already beleaguered tax-

"The people I talked to," said one Springfield Township resident, "were ready to vote for a millage...and then their assessments came.'

Property valuations were released in both Springfield and Independence Township in the preceding week and showed sharp increases.

Karen Ohrnberger, 7870 Caberfae Trail, said, "Over and over again as I talked to people they say...we have to tighten up on administrators.

"Any reason is good enough not to vote for a millage.'

"(People are saying) if we see enormous cutting...then maybe we'll vote for a millage. Something drastic is needed to show (the schools) are willing to make sacrifices."

The call for administrative cuts was repeated throughout the evening.

Leonard Cotter, reading from a prepared statement, said, "There should be no room for sacred cows when you're dealing with my monev.'

"Administrative cuts are probably not cuts at all (in conjunction with anticipated enrollment declines)."

Cotter also suggested the Board consider a millage increase for only part of the projected shortfall.

A millage proposal of 11/2 mills rather than

21/2 or 3 (which would be needed to preserve the system intact) would be more appropriate for the times, he said.

'I'd hate to see us fall flat on our faces." "...it's only fair that the teachers and administrators sacrifice some, as we are asking the taxpayers (to sacrifice).

Other members of the reaction committee stressed the importance of communicating to the public, not only the need for additional school support, but the effect of cost-cutting already accomplished in the district.

Superintendent Milford Mason defended the fiscal policy of his administration and, in turn, the administrative staff of the schools.

He cited measures which have reduced school maintenance costs in transportation, through the institution of "triple tripping" school buses, and in heating, where the district's gas bill has only now begun to rise back to 1975 levels when energy saving steps were taken.

"The savings in energy (since '75) could have more than paid the salary of Bill Dennis (administrative assistant in charge of the

school's physical plant)," Mason said.
"When people ask 'Are they making cuts already?' they should know we have."

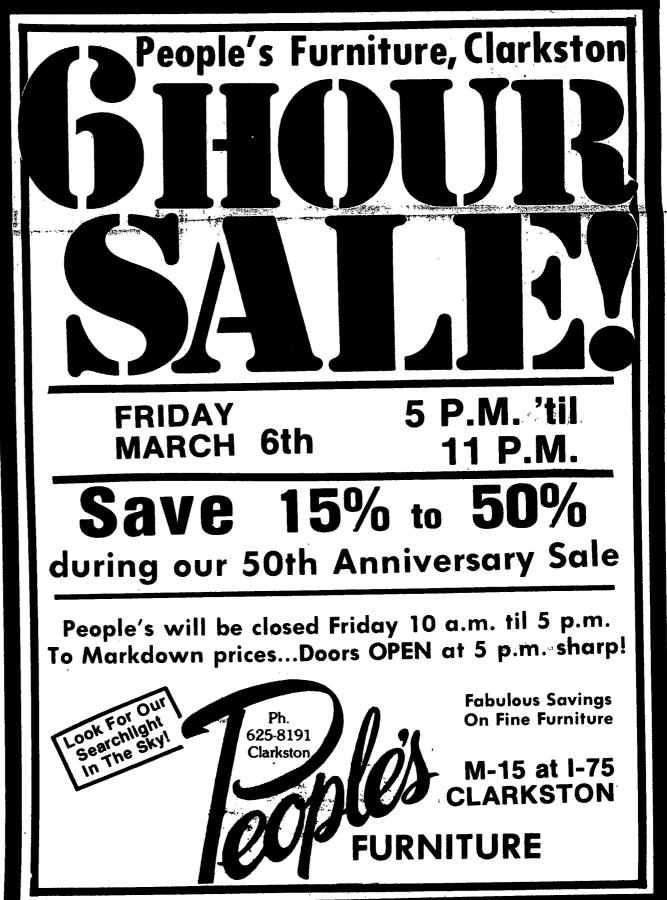
The public can expect an extensive educational effort coming their way too on the nature of the Headlee Tax Limitation Amendment and its effect on Clarkston's finances along with some attempt to underscore the increasing eligibility of troubled taxpayers for relief through the state's "circuit breaker" system.

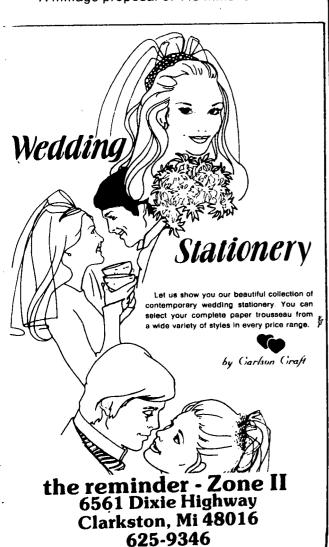
School Board President, Janet Thomas, said that with the circuit breaker, a tax increase "wouldn't cost (eligible seniors) anything".

However, "not everyone can use them," she said. "And the people that do sometimes don't know that they are."

Board member Mary Jane Chaustowich made the motion to seek additional millage and was supported unanimously.

The Board will continue with its discussion of school finances and provisional cost-cutting measures at the next regular meeting, March 9.





Solid Waste Plan - Sweeping and Controversial

Oakland County's long awaited Solid Waste Management Plan (SWMP) was un-

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veiled last week by county executive Daniel T. Murphy -- but it opened to little applause.

The plan calls for five county owned landfills; two waste transfer stations and three resource recover facilities (incinerators).

The landfills would be located in Lyon Township (2), Oxford, Rose, Groveland. Two small incinerators are slated for Rochester and Wixom with a central, large incinerator at the county complex in Pontiac. The two transfer stations would be in Southfield and Pontiac.

Conspicuous in its absence from the plan was a landfill site in Independence Township which had been targeted previously by the

But the impact of the county's widesweeping changes in the methods of solid waste disposal will be significant here as

Perhaps most striking, from the Independence view, is the county's assumption that the township is a participant in the first

Independence officials had disassociated from the county plan in 1976 and elected to pursue their own system.

But as indicated by county officials last week, the success of the county plan is based to a large degree on a guarantee of "waste stream control". That is, the capital intensive resource recovery facilities must be able to guarantee an adequate supply of fuel (solid waste) to maintain operations at a constant level.

And, of five speakers Mr. Murphy brought to the lectern to outline the county's SWMP, two were attorneys who addressed the questions of plan implementation and specifically the powers of the plan's sponsor to force participation on recalcitrant municipal bodies within the plan area.

Independence Supervisor James Smith in seeking clarification of the county's position towards the township spoke with DPW head Milt Handorf following the meeting.

In essence, what he was told was that Independence could pursue its own plan under 641, but that it must too be approved by the . state DNR.

The deadline for approval is July 1, 1982, after which, according to Handorf no plan would be accepted which would compete with a plan already in place (i.e. the coun-

Mr. Smith said later that he expected participation or non-participation in the county plan to become a primary issue of consideration for a solid waste task force he had appointed in January.

Springfield Township Supervisor, Collin Walls, had fewer reservations.

"It's going to cost the residents a little more money to have their garbage hauled," he said. "And I see some problem with adopting ordinances telling (garbage haulers) how to run their business...but the problems are a whole lot less than if we didn't begin to deal with them."

Smith and Walls both said that it seemed unlikely that their township's methods of

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solid waste disposal would change very rauch under the county plan as now proposed.

Even though the ultimate objective of the SWMP is to process 37 percent of the county's waste through incineration, the closest facility would be in Pontiac and probably still less cost effective than direct landfilling at either Marlowe's in Rose Township or the new landfill proposed for Groveland.

The county plan itself is by no means finalized at this point, although Murphy in presenting it stressed the urgency of solid waste planning and said, "No one else is doing the research and planning we've just completed. This is it...this is what we've got to work with towards a final management

Nevertheless, the SWMP must still be reviewed and approved by the Solid Waste Planning Committee at the county level, undergo public hearing, sanction from the full Board of County Commissioners and then receive approval from two-thirds of the affected municipalities before being sent to the state.

Resistance, and in some cases stiff resistance, is expected to surface in the areas targeted for county SWMP sites. As Murphy noted, "No one wants a landfill in their backvard.'

There is also some contention over the possible inclusion of landfill sites not now a part of the county plan, especially one called the "Weber Landfill" in Orion Township, which might be forced on the county in the event they are licensed by the state. Any landfill licensed at the time the plan is adopted must be included in the plan.

In addition, the question of financing the not insignificant construction costs of new facilities will have to be answered.

Robert Aldrich, a financial consultant to the county, suggested several options that could be pursued, including the issuance of either general obligation or industrial revenue bonds.

The first would require electorate approval and sanction tax financing, the second would probably finance private operation of the resource recover plants.

Murphy said the whole plan would cost in the neighborhood of \$150 million, but that costs to individual residents of the county could be limited to only \$10 over present waste disposal costs.

Aldrich also stressed the need to guarantee "waste stream control" to the system (i.e. county-wide participation) as a factor in establishing financial feasibility of the coun-

That factor, along with time consuming engineering studies, the permitting process (state guidelines which govern the implementation of SWMPs are strict) and the lengthy review process combine to make certain one thing -- it may be the only plan available, but it will still take awhile to convince all the interested parties that it is the

Ted Thomson, left and Independence Supervisor Jim Smith listen to County Executive Dan Murphy explain his county-wide solid waste plan.





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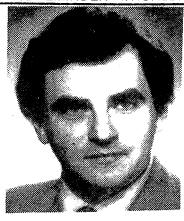
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Firu, a 21-year employee General Motors, graduated from Imperial Valley College (El Centro, California) with a degree in Business Management. Prior to joining General Motors, Firu worked for the Birmingham Eccentric News as a graphic arts illustrator/reporter (Sports Section).



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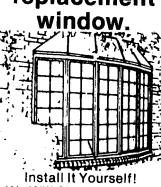
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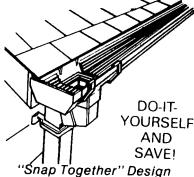
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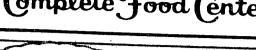
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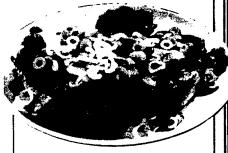
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Independence Township is in line for \$101,777 in Federal Revenue Sharing funds, but if a new regulation requiring all public meetings of FRA recipients be accesible to the handicapped, the money may never

Much of the township's business is conducted on the second floor of the town hall on Main Street.

There is no elevator there and, hence, no

The regulation is on hold right now, but Independence Clerk, Chris Rose, thinks it may soon take effect.

Maybe for that reason the request agenda at the first of two public hearings on FRS funds held February 17 was uncharacteristically short.

It is not uncommon for the township to receive funding requests double that of the total monies available. But this time, even if the largest to three requesting departments is handed out in full, the township would still have an unspent \$6,000.

At the hearing Independence Fire Chief, Tink Ronk, requested an allocation of \$40,000 to supplement \$20,000 in FRS from 1980 to make up the major portion of the cost for a new tanker, between \$60,000 and \$75,000 Ronk guessed.

Army Private Tracy L. Mayo, son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Mayo, Jr., of 6872 Bluegrass, Clarkston, is attending basic training at Fort Knox, Kentucky

During the training, students receive instruction in drill and ceremonies. weapons, map reading, tactics, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Librarian James Hibler also put in for \$22,000 broken down three ways: \$7,200 for services rendered by the Wayne-Oakland Library Federation; \$6,600 for books; and \$8,200 to help offset the cost of plugging in to W-OLF computer system.

The final request came from Tim Doyle, head of Parks and Recreation. Doyle wants \$23,000 for a new boat dock and launch at the township's Deer Lake Beach.



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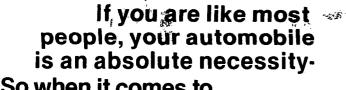
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The "airlock" is only one of a dozen or more energy saving features Futrell has incorporated into his "super-insulated house" on Almond Lane in Clarkston.

The result, he says, is a home of 1,840 sq. ft. that can be heated thru an entire Michigan winter for around \$200.00 And that's without firing up the air-tight wood stove in the family room even once.

You could say that the home was eighteen years in the making, the eighteen years that Futrell has been in the business and slowly working toward what he says is "the future of the industry whether we like it or not".

Over that time Futrell has investigated the possibilities for energy savings in active and passive solar systems, studied designs which cut down on heat loss, and attended

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Clarkston Chiropractor Celebrates First Business Week



The Clarkston Chiropractic Life Center opened its doors last week, Dr. Alan Bush presiding.

The new center, located at 7180 Dixie Highway, marks a return to the country for Dr. Bush, who was raised in Illinois and attended Life Chiropractic College in Marietta, Georgia.

Dr. Bush practiced for a year in Muskegon before coming to Clarkston. And he says the area reminds him of "the scenic rolling terrain down South'

He chose the Dixie Highway location after traveling through towns all southeastern Michigan and shortly thereafter also took up home residency in Springfield Township.

Now it's just a matter of establishing the practice.

All in all Dr. Bush says, "I'm really happy with the whole arrangement."

Vertebral Sublaxations beware.

Futrell increased sidewall insulation to R-32 by creating a "double wall" with studs on both sides of 2"X8" plates. He also sealed the walls with plastic and caulked places usually associated with drafts, like electrical boxes and baseboards.

The result is a virtually airtight home, where the air exchange rate has been reduced from one or two complete changes per hour to something like .10 or .125.

In fact, one of Futrell's biggest problems in designing a super-insulated home was in finding an effective way to keep the home free of stagnating air without losing heat.

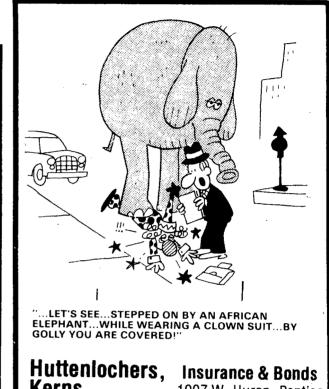
The answer he found is in a series of small "air-exchangers", which transfer the heat from exiting to incoming air in interlocking chambers.

With so many heat retention features added to the design. Futrell was able to cut down in another area-the size of the furnace.

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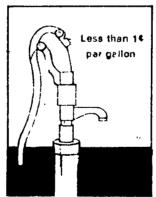
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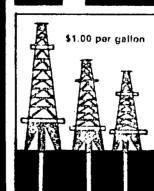
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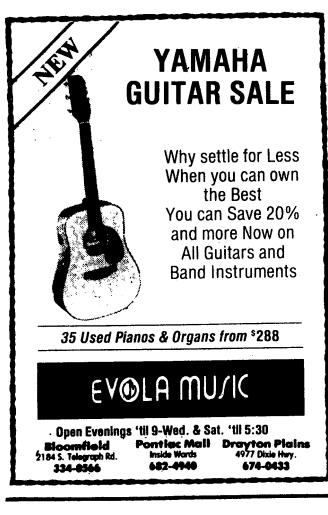
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Wolves League Champs Again

Make that four in a row.

Four league championships, that is, for Clarkston High School's Basketball Wolves under Gary Nustad.

The Wolves clinched their share of the title last Friday night at home in beating Rochester 52-34. And for Nustad this one might be the best so far.

"This is as satisfying a league title as the rest of them," he said. "We weren't expected to do it."

And, as it turned out, they almost didn't.

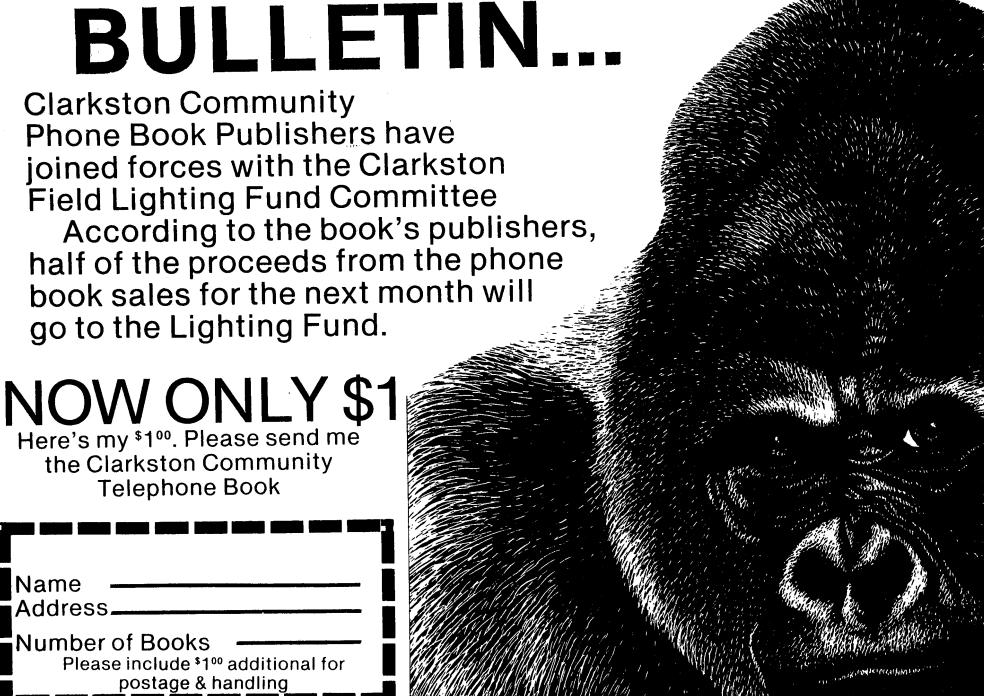
After starting the league season strong and establishing themselves as the team to beat, the Wolves stumbled in mid-season,



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losing two straight.

But none of that mattered Friday when they went into the game knowing a win would insure a tie for the title with West Bloomfield, a team they had beaten twice.

And win they did with, as usual, senior forward Scott McKoin leading the way. McKoin, who is averaging just under 20 points per game on the year had an even 20 Friday along with 18 rebounds.

Brad Beattie turned in another strong performance offensively as well, finishing with 14 points.

Nustad also cited senior guards Ric Schebor and Greg Lane for their contributions Friday and all season long.

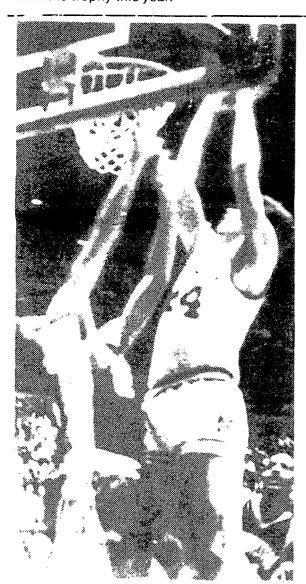
Against Rochester, Clarkston had obviously come ready to play and jumped off to a 12-6 first quarter lead.

But the Falcons hung on throughout the first half and Clarkston led by only three at intermission.

The third quarter was the difference as the Wolves scored the first ten points and opened up a comfortable lead that was to last them the rest of the way.

Clarkston finished league play at 7-3 and is 11-8 overall.

The post-season starts this Wednesday at Pontiac Central where they face the winner of the PCH-PNH Monday game. Clarkston is the defending district champion, but it will take a whole lot more than that to walk out with the trophy this year.



Wolves Lose at Lahser

Clarkston lost its last non-league encounter of the season last Tuesday on a visit to Bloomfield Hills Lahser, 49-44.

Lahser was only 5-12 on the year and not expected to match up with the Wolves.

But the visitors found themselves in foul trouble and spent much of the fourth quarter watching the Knights walk up to the line.

Lahser shot 25 free throws on the night to Clarkston's 12.

The Wolves had plenty of trouble at their own end as well. Scott McKoin was Clarkston's only scorer in double figures

Clarkston 52 Rochester 34

Rochester -- Brian Miller 3 2-3 8; Ron Jenkins 3 2-4 8; Bob Hurst 1 0-4 2; Jerry Denttinger 3 3-3 9; Jeff LaPorte 1 0-0 2; Eric Ott 0 1-2 1; Henry Dombroski 0 2-2 2; Dave Dankovich 1 0-0 2. Totals 12 10-18 34.

Clarkston -- Ric Schebor 2 0-0 4; Brad Sheldon 1 0-0 2; Greg Lane 1 2-2 4; Gene Wilson 1 0-0 2; Brad Beattle 6 2-2 14; Craig Schnabel 1 0-0 2; Scott McKoin 8 4-5 20; Duane Cahill 0 4-4 4. Totals - 20 12-13 52.

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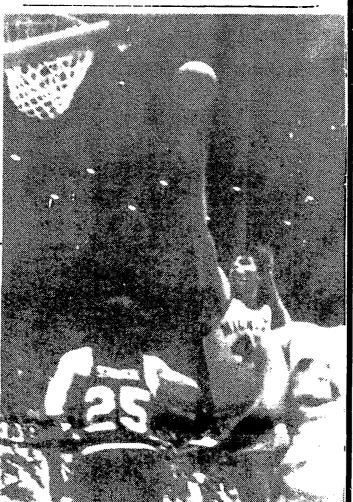
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While the Clarkston Wolves were winning another GOAL championship, the U of M Wolverines with ace freshman Tim

McCormick of Clarkston, have been struggling in the Big 10. Reminder editor Mike Wilcox traveled to Ann Arbor to catch the U of M -Northwestern match and to see how McCormick has progressed since the beginning of the year. Although U of M lost, Mc-Cormick turned in his best performance of the year scoring 10 points and grabbing several rebounds. Both photos show McCormick scoring in two separate occasions. something he hasn't done as often as he used to when he starred for Clarkston

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So the idea of forming a local savings and loan association through the issuance of stock is not a startling innovation.

It is, though, new to the Clarkston-Waterford area and eleven area investors who have formed Sterling Savings and Loan think the impressive track record of stock savings and loans will carry over into the new territory.

The premise upon which Sterling and other stock savings and loans are based is a fairly simple one.

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Then, in effect, the savings and loan is ready to open its doors.

The site of Sterling Savings and Loan will be at Clintonville and Walton Boulevard, Waterford Township, in a remodeled Mobil service station.

It is a kind of grass roots operation.

The eleven investors, who must buy stock in the association at the same purchase price as is offered publicly, are allowed to recoup their organizational costs, but not until the savings and loan opens.

Some, like Ray Husic a general contractor who also holds a real estate broker's license, have helped out by donating time and services to the effort.

And all the while they are beating the bushes, looking for prospective investors.

Husic says, "It's not a fast buck scheme, but the history has been fantastic."

"The reason we think that we are going to be successful is that we're going into the marketplace when the rates are at an all time high."

That sounds a little strange, until Husic explains, "Established savings and loans have a lot of money out at 5 and 6 percent on mortages with a long way to go."

"We'll be in a better position to offer money (at competitive interest rates) without having to look over our shoulders."

Husic also cites the advantage of having a large number of public stockholders who will, in principle, be telling their neighbors to deposit at Sterling because they own part of

That is, of course, once they open. Right now the big job is selling the stock.

Presently, Husic says he is getting calls everyday from all over the county, professionals and plumbers, lawyers and line workers.

"We're getting people coming out of the woodwork," he says.

And, up to 270 anyway, the more the merrier.

Husic's fellow organizers are Alvin L. Levin, Southfield; James T. Long, Clarkston; Richard T. McDonald, Waterford; Donald H. Arsen, Waterford; Gilbert S. Ham, Waterford; Janet Killian, Drayton Plains; Richard A. Logan, Clarkston; Delwin B. Richardson, Pontiac; Helen Weil, educator, and Charles Perkins, sales manager, Waterford.

Lighting Fund Drive Schedules Series of Benefits

by Dawson Bell

Supporters of the Clarkston School's Football Field Lighting Fund drive are nothing if not persistent.

Despite critical school financing problems, that are nothing short of promotions that have suffered from badtiming and bad luck and "disappointing" response from the community, they have managed to eke out contributions in time, labor, materials and cash totaling half of the \$60,000 goal.

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Christopher L. Rose, Clerk Independence Township

"The money is still coming in daily and with all the promotions we have lined up, by March 31st we hope we'll be almost there, he says.

Bruce knows that the lighting fund drive will be seen by many people as a secondary

He says, "We're not blinded to what the board is facing, but we're committed...We can't be so shortsighted in our planning to stop the project to see if we're going to have athletics or not.'

The elimination of all school sports has been a well-publicized possibility in the effort to reduce a projected school budget deficit of \$1 million for 1981-82.

But Bruce also hastens to point out that the lighting fund drive is not just a "school" project anyway - "It's mostly community people involved -- it doesn't effect the budget at all.'

Contributions have not been pouring in, but they have come from all over the district and in a variety of forms.

Through the effort of area building contractors, many of the expenses the committee expected to incur initially have been

And a funding drive headed up by the Business Association of Independence (B.A.I.T.) has proven quite successful.

And March promises to be the biggest month so far for fund raising promotions with a possible dinner dance scheduled, a second try at hamburger money (25° per 1/4 pounder sold) from McDonalds--March 15, the football team's liftathon-March 21 and a charity basketball game between the high school faculty and the Oakland County

Sheriff's Department scheduled for March 27.

In addition, the VFW parade of May 3rd in the Village of Clarkston will provide lighting supporters with another vehicle as they pass the "hat" (mutatis mutandis) and get together afterwards at the football field where the Athletic Boosters will be giving away free hot dogs to prospective donors.



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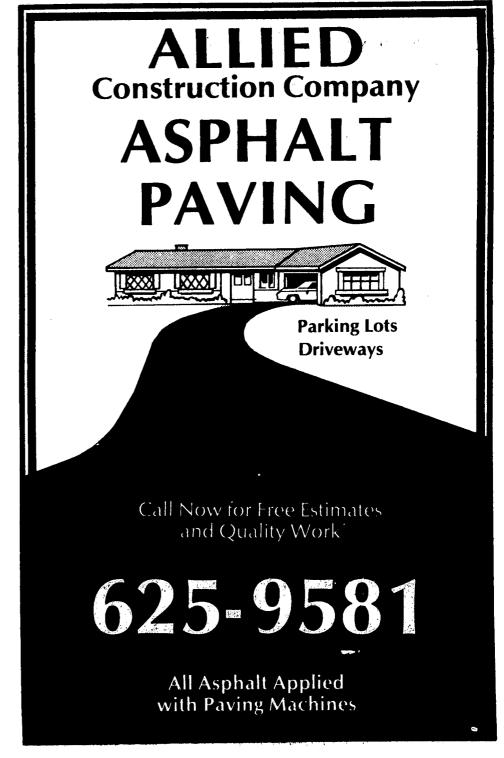
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by Mike Morrow

Something so weird and bizarre has happened to me that at first I couldn't believe it was true. What happened was, I made a budget and stuck to it.

It took a couple of tries to come up with a workable budget. At first I was to lenient. After expenses and spending money I had 26 cents a week left over for the bank. Then I swung too far the other way and cut expenses to the bone. Being realistic I figured the only way I could stick to that budget was if I was in a coma. Settling somewhere in between I came up with a workable budget.

At the end of the first week when I realized I had stuck to the budget I thought it was just a fluke. At the end of the second week I found I even had five extra dollars left over. The realization made me weak. Not only had I stuck faithfully to my budget but I'd even beat it. For a person whose motto is, "If you've got it, spend it, if not, then borrow" sticking to a budget is pretty amazing stuff.

I wasn't the only one who was amazed. Word quickly spread through the bank a deal with that not only had my savings account topped the ten dollar mark but it had also been over two weeks since I had made a withdrawl. Several tellers were so shocked they had to leave their booths to sit down. One even had to put her head between her knees to keep from fainting.

Where money was concerned I became a different person. No longer did I feel like a failure if I hadn't spent my entire paycheck the first day I got it. Gone were the weekends where I partied till every penny was spent. Instead I comparison shopped, never buying anything unless I was sure I couldn't get it cheaper somewhere else. I pouted for hours every time I had to spend a dollar.

Very quickly I saved up more money than ever before. I also had turned into the stingiest, most boring person I knew. I can't keep this up I thought, I'm losing all my friends, not to mention my mind. The final straw snapped when, after finding out the price of chewing gum was going up I cried until I got a headache.

I decided to take the cure and give up saving. Slowly I started back on the path to deficit spending. I knew I was completely cured when I awoke one morning and looked in my wallet. All that was left was the stub from my paycheck and a damp cocktail

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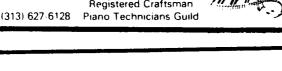


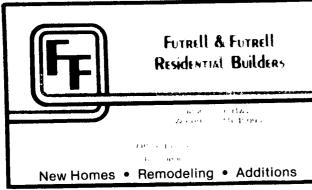
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Elected to the Church Council for 3 year terms were Don Berg, Joyce Butler, Bruce Campbell and

Obituaries

Bills, Timothy A.; age 32 of

February 23; husband of

Susan M.; father of Maria;

parents -- Carl and Alla

Bills of Pontiac; surviving

grandparents -- Mrs.

Glenia Chiappelli and Carl

L. Bills, Sr.; 5 brothers and sisters -- Carl Bills III,

Waterford Township, Mrs.

Steven (Arlene) Smiley, Davisburg, Brian Bills,

White Lake Township, Mrs.

Peter (Carol Vandermeer,

Waterford, Mrs. Kevin

(Anita) Turnbull, Pontiac.

Mr. Bills owned and

operated the Barber I Styling Salon in Waterford

with his wife Susan. He was a member of Our Lady

of the Lakes Catholic Church. Funeral arrangements, Lewis E. Wint Funeral

Home, Clarkston, Burial,

All Saints Cemetery,

Friday, February 27. Con-

tributions to Timothy A.

Winegar, Myrtle I.; 611 Warfield, Davisburg; age 90; February 22. Funeral

services held Dryer Funeral

Home, Holly, Rev. Otto Flachsmann officiating. Burial in Heavenly Rest

Cemetery in Kawkawlin.

Mrs. Winegar was born in

Bay County on September 30, 1890 the daughter of

John and Abigail Evans. She was a member of the

United Methodist Church of

Club Davisburg Joggers

and the Friendly Neighbors Club. Surviving are two

daughters Mrs. Gerald (Harriett) Noe of Holly and Mrs. Norris (Pauline) Walls

of Davisburg; five gran-

dchildren; eight great-grandchildren; niece Mrs.

William (Virginia) Allen of

Bay City. Family suggests

memorials be made to

Methodist Church or the

Michigan Cancer Foun-

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Davisburg,

Davisburg

dation.

Bills Memorial Fund.

Brandon

Township;

Bill Haase. Outgoing Council mem-

bers are Pat Dolven, youth ministry, and volun-Dorothy Haase, Dick Mawhinney and Ned Par-

A major congregational decision was made to call a Walters.

parish Deaconess to work in Christian Education,

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Written and oral comments, and questions will be accepted on the Federal Revenue Sharing budget and its relationship with the Township's entire budget.

(I) A summary of previously approved Federal Revenue Sharing funds still remaining are:

 Road Maintenance 	\$6,461.25
2. Lighting	2,038.25
3. Drainage	135.23
4. Sidewalks	19,000.00
5. Dust Control	4,874.82
6. Fire Department	20,000.00
7. Road Projects	24,500.00
8. Safety Paths	20,000.00
9. Microfilming	1,159.12
10. Community Center	10,000.00
11. Library	5,284.46
•	\$113,453.13
(II) A summary of the propos	

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the new Federal Revenue Sharing	funds.
1. Library	\$22,000
2. Park Improvements	24,000
3. Township Hall	34,777
4. Dust Control	20,000
	\$100,777
Other suggested uses were:	
1. Sidewalks	\$19,000
2. Fire Departments	40,000

budgets: 1. General Fund \$1,205,000 2. Fire Fund 440,000 3. Police Fund 240,000 122,000 4. Water Fund 5. Sewer Fund 392,000 6. Library Fund 100,000

(III) A summary of the proposed Township

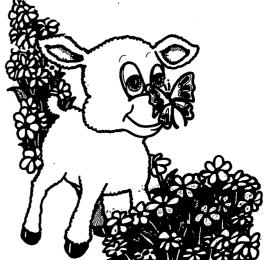
For additional information on the foregoing, or to make written comments on the proposed Federal Revenue Sharing budget, contact the Township Clerk's Office. 90 N. Main Street, P.O. Box 69, Clarkston, Michigan 48016. ALL CITIZENS ARE EN-COURAGED TO ATTEND THE FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING BUDGET MEETING.

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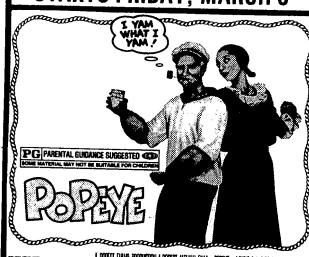
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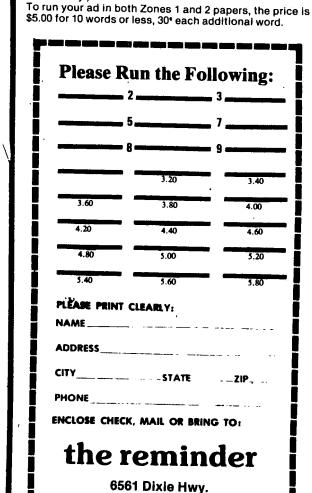
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Chiropractic explores all areas and dimensions of health in order to give you not merely the absence of disease and infirmities, but the best possible total health you can achieve. The next step is, "how can you achieve total health?" Webster's dictionary tells you how. Webster states that health is a condition of wholeness in which all of the organs are functioning 100% all of the time. There is nothing that chiropractic can do about the parts that you may be missing, except to allow those parts that you now have to function as close to 100% as possible.

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Chiropractic is also a way of living. It is a philosophy of life and of health that is presently concerned with the relationship of the human species with its environment and its position within the framework of natural

Health is:

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Gray's: The purpose of the brain and nerve system is to control and coordinate the function of all the tissues, organs and systems in the body and to adapt the organism to its environment

Vertebral Subluxations: An interference to function causing a lack of health



Chiropractic is:

Science: of locating vertebral subluxations

Art: of eliminating vertebral subluxations allowing a return of function and better health

Philosophy: of life and health concerned with the relationship of the human species with its environment and its position within the framework of natural

Dr. Paul C. Rumph

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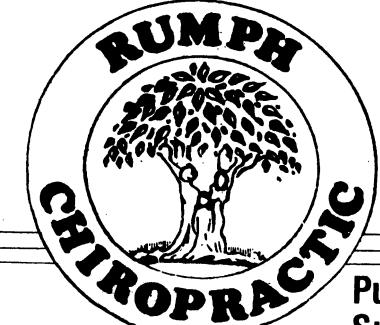
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