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Store employee Yvonne Jones packs groceries for early shopper Sheri Preffs of Westland.

## Early birds check out new Meijer

By **Tedd Schneider**  
staff writer

Who goes shopping at 6 a.m. anyway? In Westland Tuesday, there were more people than you might think. By 6:15 a.m., just as the sun was beginning to break over the horizon, more than 100 people had streamed through the doors of the new Meijer store at Newburgh and Warren Road. Store director Tom Michals ordered the doors unlocked 17 minutes ahead of the scheduled 6 a.m. grand opening. By that time, about 30 people, many with shopping carts, were lined up in the vestibule. "I love this place and I've never been to a grand opening before,"

said Betty Anne Knudson, one of the first shoppers to enter the store. The Westland resident said she had been "waiting with bated breath" since about 5:30 a.m. And yes, she had a shopping list. A blue pine tree advertised in the store circular was her top priority.

MARY WALLACE of Westland, another early arrival, said she came primarily because "my sister told me there were prizes." (Picture frames, carnations and gift certificates are among the opening-week giveaways, Michals said.) "Oh, and besides that, I need milk," Wallace said. Harry Carnahan of Wayne went shopping for work-related cleaning supplies. He was soon through the

cash register and on his way to clean awnings for area residents. Tom Eiden of Canton Township said he was going to work and thought he would stop in to check out the opening and maybe buy a game for his daughter. The video game department was bustling with activity moments after the doors opened. It also generated the first unofficial customer complaint — when shoppers learned the store was out of Super Mario Bros. III, a new Nintendo game cartridge. "I'm supposed to be at my job and I came in here just to get this game," said an angry Joyce Samarian of Livonia. Samarian became even more upset when she learned the game cartridges were in stock Mon-

day, but were sold out during a special, employees-only sale. STORE DIRECTOR Michals said he was a little nervous about handling the grand opening for the Grand Rapids-based retailer. "This is my fourth one but it never changes," he said. "I get the same butterflies, the same excitement." The 212,000-square foot superstore was announced in March 1988. Construction took some 15 months. The store will provide 900 to 1,000 full-time and part-time jobs, according to Michals. There were no dry runs for Tuesday's opening, Michals said. "With

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## Man to serve life in prison

By **Tedd Schneider**  
staff writer

A Westland man was sentenced to life in prison without parole Tuesday in the stabbing death of an 81-year-old neighbor at the victim's mobile home last October. James Vincent Ferrari, 27, received the mandatory sentence from Detroit Recorder's Court Judge Wendy M. Baxter. Moments after the sentencing, a May 4 trial date was set for Ferrari on a second set of charges stemming from the kidnapping and armed robbery of a Van Buren Township cab driver last July. Ferrari was convicted March 14 of the murder of Haskel Walworth following a 3½-day bench trial. Walworth was stabbed five times in the chest and back Oct. 5 at his home in the Mohawk Court Mobile Home Park on Joy, west of Inkster Road. Ferrari addressed the judge briefly during Tuesday's sentencing. "I'd like to say that I'm very sorry for what happened," he told the judge. "I did not plan or premeditate this. Obviously that was your decision and I have to live with it."

BAXTER EXPLAINED the difference between first-degree murder and a killing committed during the commission of a felony, which she said is not necessarily premeditated. But she reminded Ferrari that both crimes carry the same maximum penalty.

Before the hearing, defense attorney Dennis Shrewsbury said Ferrari would "probably" appeal his conviction. "I won't represent him because I don't think it's a good idea for the same attorney to represent a client" in an appeal, Shrewsbury said. Relatives of Ferrari and Walworth who had attended the trial skipped Tuesday's sentencing, which

*"I'd like to say that I'm very sorry for what happened. I did not plan or premeditate this. Obviously that was your decision and I have to live with it."*  
— James Vincent Ferrari

was originally scheduled for Monday but adjourned when a pre-sentencing report wasn't completed in time. Police testified Ferrari stabbed Walworth during a robbery at Walworth's home. Ferrari, who lived with his mother in the adjacent Big Trees Mobile Home Community, testified that he stabbed Walworth during an altercation in which his neighbor pushed him. Walworth became upset when he overheard a telephone conversation in which Ferrari arranged a drug deal, the defendant testified. Shrewsbury argued unsuccessfully that circumstances surrounding the stabbing, plus Ferrari's use of large amounts of alcohol and about ¼-gram of cocaine on the day of the murder, indicated his client should have been charged with second-degree murder.

THE MAXIMUM penalty for second-degree murder is life in prison with the chance of parole. Ferrari was arrested noon on Oct. 6 when police spotted Walworth's car in a field behind C.W. Best Junior High School in Dearborn Heights. Ferrari, who hiding in heavy shrubs nearby, had keys to the car in his pocket when he was found by a Wayne County Sheriff's Department tracking dog, police testified.

## Oscar special to area family

Winning Oscars for special effects seems to be a family tradition for the Skotaks. Dennis Skotak, 47, won the latest Oscar Monday night for his special effects for the film, "Abyss." Three years ago, brother Robert won an Oscar for the special effects for the film "Aliens."

The brothers own their own production company to do special effects for films. The brothers, whose father, John, still lives in the Ann Arbor Trail-Inkster Road area of Westland, attended local schools and graduated from Bentley High School in Livonia.

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## 350 wait all night at Holliday

By **Leonard Poger**  
editor

Forget the Oklahoma land rush of 1889. Remember the great Westland housing rush of 1990. More than 350 stayed up throughout the night Sunday to get the best spot in line for the re-opened Holliday Park Townhouses waiting list. The scene of persons huddled with blankets, sleeping bags, lawn chairs, music boxes, decks of cards, and coffee containers resembled teenagers lining up at a music store to buy tickets for a rock concert. But the people in line at Holliday Park Townhouses, on the east side of Wayne Road, south of Joy, had a much more serious goal in mind — moderate, maintenance free housing. Most of the people in line were older adults whose children are grown and feel that their single-family house is too much for just a couple. Others were younger couples or single persons who want affordable housing.



These are some of the 350 people who camped outside the Holliday Park Townhouses clubhouse Sunday and Monday to submit applications and get on a waiting list. They used blankets and sleeping bags to keep warm.

One, Gail Kennedy, who was number 37 in line, said she, her husband, and twin daughters, 6, live in a Westland apartment. They

want to move into Holliday Park because it provides more living space for a lower monthly carrying charge than rental apartments and

has several aspects of a condominium. Another "plus" was that the

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## Students protest reductions

By **Tedd Schneider**  
staff writer

Dozens of Wayne-Westland students Tuesday protested cuts in extracurricular activities next fall and urged the school board to put millage proposals before voters a second time. Meanwhile, a group of Franklin Junior High School students was planning a walkout and march to nearby Wayne Memorial High School at 10:30 a.m. today to protest plans to trim the junior high school schedule by one class period beginning in September. School officials Tuesday and Wednesday discouraged the walkout. "There are much better ways to protest this than walking out of school," Leo Schuster, Franklin principal said Wednesday. "We met with student representatives this morning and discussed it," Schuster said. Schuster said the walkout idea "filtered down" from "older brothers and sisters" at Wayne Memorial. Signs urging a student demonstration were put up by several students this week, he said.

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# Shoppers line up at Meijer opening

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an operation like this you just open the doors and go for it," he said.

The director said employees worked through the night following the "Associates Night" sale and party, at which store managers waited on hourly workers.

**MEIJER CORPORATE** chairman Fred Meijer told a gathering of city and community leaders at an opening-day reception that he wants the new store to be a good neighbor.

He cited the cooperation of city officials in preparing for the store's opening and thanked the Westland Historical Commission for providing photos of local scenes from the turn of the century. The enlarged photos are displayed in the store's cafeteria area.

Fourth-, fifth- and sixth-grade art enrichment students from adjacent Patchin Elementary School under the direction of teacher Pat Vartanian, hung a "Patchin Patriot Pride" banner from the school, welcoming the new business and its customers to the neighborhood.

**THE WESTLAND** Meijer, one of five new stores the company plans on opening this year, is a prototype Meijer Inc. operation for the 1990s, according to Michals. Both the exterior and the interior feature an updated look with lots of neon.

Boutiques for flowers and cosmetics and a pharmacy are spread throughout the store.

The store's produce section features fruits and vegetables grown without pesticides, a response to environmental concerns, Michals said.



ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Marie Tucker of Westland receives a carnation as she walks through the door from Ron James, store automotive manager.

## cop calls

**AN EMPLOYEE** at the A. L. Price drug store, Wayne and Warren roads, told police that someone attacked him late Saturday night, officers said.

The employee said he was gathering shopping carts in the parking lot when a car drove up to him with one of its occupants calling to him by name.

The occupant then struck him in the face and wrestled him to the ground.

The employee broke free and ran into the store where he called police.

When officers arrived, the assailants had fled, police said. Police said the employee had a swelling and red mark on his cheek.

**A WESTLAND** Medical Center security guard told police early Monday morning that he was struck by a man who had been arrested by Dearborn police and brought to the emergency room for treatment, the Westland police department reported.

The man escaped after being treated in the emergency room and before he was scheduled to be taken to the nearby Psychiatric Intervention Center, police said.

The defendant was found near Greg's Emergency Room Lounge, across the street from the hospital on Palmer east of Merriman.

**A WOMAN** told police early Sunday morning that she was struck by her husband while he was intoxicated. She left the house with her 5-year-old child, the woman told police.

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# Students protest plans to cut programs

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Superintendent Dennis O'Neill also said the walkout, if it occurred, would be "counterproductive" to the students' cause.

**ABOUT 130** people jammed into the school board offices during Tuesday's regular meeting to discuss the \$4 million in staff and program cuts approved by the board March 22 to help cope with a projected \$8 million

to \$7 million budget deficit.

District voters overwhelmingly rejected three tax proposals in a special election Feb. 8. The proposals were designed to eliminate the projected deficit, school officials said.

Several students said Tuesday they would "do anything that was needed" to get the proposals back on the ballot and work for their passage.

"Taking away our sports, this is

wrong," said Aaron Simpson, a Wayne Memorial High School student. "We just got new pits for the track team, had the track paved and had new padding put in for the goal posts."

"That stuff is just going to go to waste."

Christina Stanton of Inkster, also a Wayne Memorial student, told board members that extracurricular activities are "important for the school and the community in general as well."

"If you have kids with nothing to do after school you get an increase in the crime rate," she said.

In addition to eliminating extracurricular activities and reducing the junior high class day, cuts approved by the board would:

- Trim the elementary expressive arts program by two-thirds
- Reduce the supply and material budget by 20 percent
- Eliminate the senior citizens program
- Discontinue planned textbook purchases (not including texts purchased with 1988 bond issue funds).

The cuts will mean the layoff of 52 of the district's nearly 900 teachers and two of 21 learning consultants.

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## Bazaar coming

Ceramics to be part of the upcoming Dyer Center bazaar are admired by Ellen Milne (left) and instructor Donna Harrison as the center's senior citizens prepare for the April 3-5 event. The bazaar will have homemade ceramics, crafts, and a white elephant sale in the center on Marquette, between Wayne Road and Newburgh. A lunch will be served 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. with the sale scheduled 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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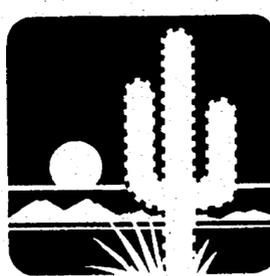
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Lee Jackson keeps warm with a blanket, muffler, and gloves while she reads a magazine. She is holding a spot in line for her son's mother-in-law who wants to move into the Westland townhouse development.



Holliday Park applicants huddled in the early morning chill Monday as the township development office was about to open and accept their membership applications.

## 350 line up to get on Holliday list

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development is in the Livonia school district.

Another was Elvera Dobozy who pays \$600 a month for her Northville apartment. She wants to move into Holliday Park so she could live across the street from her Hair Happenings beauty salon, on Wayne Road near Ann Arbor Trail. Another factor is that she wants to move into the townhouse complex when she retires.

Even if she has to wait four years to move in, "it would be worth it," said Dobozy, who was 76th in line.

THE DEVELOPMENT, which opened 25 years ago as a non-profit housing cooperative, has seven different units with a monthly carrying charge of \$162.50 for a one-bedroom townhouse to \$244.50 for the three-bedroom unit.

It was the first time since February, 1984, that cooperative opened its waiting list.

Currently, there are nearly 50 names on the list, but the turnover has been slow.

Gene Suchy, treasurer for the cooperative's board of directors, said there were 48 move-outs in 1989. If all 350 persons who submitted

applications Monday remain on the list, it would be seven years before all would move in.

There was a mini-traffic jam about 7:45 a.m. Monday when a Livonia school district bus couldn't get through because of other cars blocking Spring Valley, one of two major streets in the development.

Holding the "number one" spot in line was Andrea Zabkiewicz, who was holding the spot for her father, Fred, who lives in a Canton Township single-family house.

She took turns with her brothers and sisters in holding the first spot in line, which started at 8 a.m. Sunday.

A brother, Tom, came in from Chicago to spend some time in line, using his cellular phone to make calls while killing time.

Despite the relatively low monthly carrying charges, the minimum income requirements for the smallest one-bedroom townhouse is \$18,000 for employees. For non-workers, the minimum income is \$10,300, plus \$50,000 in securities. To qualify for the largest three-bedroom townhouse, the minimum income for workers is \$35,500. For non-workers, it is \$24,700 in income plus \$110,000 in securities.

## Resident among 15 sentenced in anti-abortion demonstration

By Joe Bauman  
staff writer

Fifteen pro-life activists, including a clergyman who lives in Westland, have been sentenced by a Livonia district judge for their participation in an anti-abortion demonstration in April 1989 at the women's health care clinic.

Those sentenced Friday are among a group of more than 40 people who were arrested and charged with disorderly conduct and/or interfering with a police officer during the April 29 demonstration at the Livonia clinic.

The last of the demonstrators are scheduled to be sentenced April 5.

SENTENCES HANDED down by Judge Robert Brzezinski against the 15 defendants ranged from jail sentences plus fines to one person having his guilty plea taken under advisement, which means the charge will be dropped if he has no further contact with the judicial system over the next six months.

Among those sentenced was the Rev. Michael Panich of Westland, who received a four-day jail term, six months probation, a \$100 fine and \$255 in costs after being found guilty of disorderly conduct after a jury trial.

Panich, who is the pastor of The Lord's House church on Ann Arbor Trail at Newburgh, also was found

guilty of interfering with a police officer and received a \$50 fine and \$55 in costs on the second charge.

Panich could remain jailed until April 21 if he refuses to pay his fine and court costs.

OTHERS SENTENCED Friday by Brzezinski were:

Stanley Sylvester Bowers, 57, of Howell, who received a \$50 fine and \$35 in costs on his disorderly conduct conviction, as well as four days in jail, a \$100 fine, six months probation and \$255 in costs for interfering with a police officer;

Christine Jones, 43, of Ann Arbor, four days jail, \$100 fine, six months probation and \$255 in costs for disorderly conduct and a \$50 fine and \$55 in costs for interfering with a police officer;

Donald McSween, 66, of Plymouth, who received a \$100 fine, six months probation and \$195 in costs for disorderly conduct;

Jean Fifield, 63, of Plymouth, for disorderly conduct. Fifield received 20 hours community service work, a \$100 fine, six months probation and \$195 costs;

Donald Fifield, 69, of Plymouth, a \$100 fine, \$195 in costs and 20 hours community service for disorderly conduct;

Aubrey Simons, 58, of Romulus, who was sentenced to six months probation, a \$100 fine and \$195 in costs.

Daniel Stravch, 41, of Brighton, who received a \$100 fine, six months probation and \$195 in costs for disorderly conduct, as did William Alan Garfield, 35, of Detroit and Jesus Garza, 29, of Flat Rock for similar charges of disorderly conduct.

Calvin Garfield, 32, of Detroit was the only defendant among the group to plead guilty to his charge of disorderly conduct and had his plea taken under advisement by Brzezinski.

He received no fine but was ordered to pay \$195 in court costs and was given six months probation.

The maximum penalty for a misdemeanor charge of disorderly conduct is 90 days in jail and a \$500 fine.

SOME OF the group failed to pay their fines and court costs, and were jailed where they will remain for a maximum of 15 days for the disorderly conduct charge and 10 days in jail for interfering with a police officer.

Some defendants received harsher sentences because of their previous involvement in similar protests, Brzezinski said.

"Some were second- and third-time offenders."

If any of the group are arrested in future protests during their probation period, Brzezinski said he has the authority to re-sentence the offender to up to the maximum allowable penalty.

## Students write away for contest with imagination as their guide

The third annual Wayne-Westland student writing contest is underway, with the deadline two weeks away.

The contest theme again is "Fantastic Fiction" with writers to let their imagination be the guide into the world of fantasy, said a contest spokeswoman.

The contest is open to all fourth through ninth grade students who live in Westland and is divided into three divisions: Junior (grades 4 and 5); Intermediate (grades 6 and 7); and Senior (grades 8 and 9).

Wayne-Westland Community Schools students may turn their manuscripts into their teachers. Livonia school district students living in Westland and students who attend private or parochial schools should call Jo Johnson, 522-3918 or

Mona Grigg, 728-7853 for information.

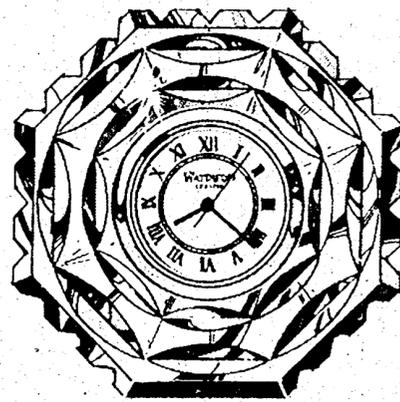
Entry deadline is Wednesday, April 11. Winners will be announced Monday, May 7. Length must not exceed 1,500 words. Manuscripts should be typed and double-spaced on plain 8½-by-11 inch paper or neatly printed and adequately spaced, with a one-inch left margin. Winning manuscripts will be bound in book form and distributed on Awards Night.

THE FIRST place winners in each division will receive a \$100 savings bond from a Westland branch of Manufacturer's Bank. Second place winners will receive a \$20 gift certificate to Harvard Book store in Westland and a hard-bound reference book. Honorable mentions in

each division will be listed in bound copies of the contest booklet, and all winners will receive framed certificates of merit.

Manuscripts will be judged this year by Rob Kantner, private-eye novelist and Shamus Award winner whose fifth novel, "Made in Detroit," will be published by Bantam in June, and by Sarah Wolf, whose novel about international intrigue, "The Harbinger Effect," was selected as a Mysterious Book Club Main Selection and Book of the Month Club alternate.

Awards will be presented at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 16, in the Bailey Recreation Center, on Ford between Wayne Road and Newburgh, behind City Hall. First and second place winners in each division will read their stories aloud. Refreshments will be served.



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## Community Corner

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We asked this question of Westland residents at the Big Boy Restaurant at Wayne Road and Hunter.



'Someone broke into my garage last year with about \$4,000 in tools and tires stolen.'

— Sherry Morris



'I didn't experience any crime problems last year. My last break-in was about five years ago.'

— Martha Gozowsky



'I didn't have any problems last year. About five years ago, there was a break-in at my home.'

— Laura Hull



'Personally, I haven't had any problems, but there have been several at the school (P.D. Graham) at which I am the principal.'

— Sigvard Dietrich



'I haven't had any problems last year or the time before. I've been lucky.'

— Steve McGowan



'I haven't experienced any problems in my nine years in Westland or the years before that in Detroit.'

— Joseph Moskwa

# Group taking novel approach with sale at library

### ● Book sale

Saturday, March 31 — The Friends of the Garden City Public Library will hold a used book sale 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the library 2012 Middlebelt, two blocks south of Ford.

### ● Rummage sale

Saturday, March 31 — Garden City United Methodist Church will hold a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., in the church, 6443 Merriman at Maplewood.

### ● Patriots

Monday, April 2 — Franklin High School Patriots Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Franklin High School north cafeteria, 31000 Joy at Merriman.

### ● Franklin music

Tuesday, April 3 — The Franklin High School Vocal Music Boosters

will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Franklin High School room 508, 31000 Joy at Merriman.

### ● Judo

Wednesday, April 4 — Judo classes will be 6-7:30 p.m. in Wayne-Westland YMCA, 827 S. Wayne Road. Class registration is \$20. For more information, call 721-7044.

### ● Card party

Friday, April 6 — Garden City Osteopathic Hospital will hold its annual card party at 7 p.m. in the lower level dining room. There will be door prizes, table prizes, raffle prizes and refreshments. Donation is \$4.50. Proceeds will go towards pediatrics.

### ● Vegas party

Friday-Saturday, April 6-7 — Northwestern Guidance Clinic will sponsor a Las Vegas party Friday 5 p.m. to 1 a.m. and Saturday 2 p.m. to

## community calendar

Non-profit groups should mail items for the calendar to the Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. The date, time and place of the event should be included, along with the name and phone number of someone who can be reached during business hours to clarify information.

1 a.m. in Warren Valley Country Club, on Warren Road, west of Beech Daly. There will be craps, roulette, black jack, cash bar and food. Maximum payout per person is \$500. For more information, call 425-7977.

### ● Bowling

Saturday, April 7 — The Westland Jaycees will host a "strike force" bowling tournament 1-5 p.m. in Oak Lanes, on Middlebelt south of Joy, Westland. Advance registration is required. Cost is \$6. Proceeds will

benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association. For information, call Bob Checchi at 295-1490 or Cheryl Boot-erbaugh at 729-5083.

### ● Road rally

Saturday, April 7 — Veterans for the Retarded will hold a road rally 6:30-11 p.m., starting in the Garden City High School parking lot. Tickets are \$10 per person. There is a limit of four people to a car. For information or tickets, call Liz Petty at 425-1298 or Otis Maddox at 425-4569.

### ● GED tests

Monday-Tuesday, April 9-10 — Livonia Public Schools will offer GED tests 5-10 p.m. at Bentley Center, 15100 Hubbard. For more information, call 523-9294.

### ● Tulip trip

Monday, April 9 — Garden City Public Schools will sponsor a field trip to the Holland Tulip Festival May 18. Registration deadline is April 9. For more information, call Joan Emrick in the adult/community education department at 422-7198.

### ● Puppet show

Tuesday, April 10 — Bill Siemers'

String Puppet Theatre Inc. will perform at 6 p.m. in Maplewood Community Center, 31735 Maplewood. Advance tickets may be bought for \$3.50 at Maplewood. For more information, call Val O'Rourke at 525-8847.

### ● AARP

Wednesday, April 11 — The Dearborn Heights-Westland Chapter 1642 of the American Association of Retired Persons will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the Berwyn Senior Center, 26155 Richardson. Irene Loss from the Senior Alliance in Wayne will speak.

### ● School group

Friday, April 13 — The Wayne-Westland Citizens For Education Committee will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Westland Arts Museum and Meeting House (The Rowe House), 37025 Marquette. For more information, call Dave Moranty at 729-1748.

### ● Dinners

Fridays, through April 12 — St. Raphael Catholic Church, on Merriman north of Ford, will serve fish fries and shrimp dinners 5-8 p.m. every Friday. Fish dinners are \$4.50 for adults, \$3.75 for senior citizens, and \$3 for children younger than 12. Shrimp dinners are \$5. All dinners include fries, cole slaw, rolls and beverages.

### ● Softball

Through Saturday, April 21 — The Dad's Athletic Club of Westland will be accepting softball registration for boys and girls ages 7-18 through April 21. For more information, call 728-7746, 595-4232 or 722-4323.

### ● Seniors meet

Wayne-Westland School District Senior Adults meet in the Dyer Center, on Marquette between Wayne Road and Newburgh. Their meetings and events for the month of March will be:

● Pinochle — Mondays 1:30 p.m., Tuesdays 6:30 p.m., Fridays 1 p.m.

● Wednesday — Bingo at 1 p.m.

● Tuesday, April 3 — The Tuesday Club will meet at 1 p.m. for its social hour with meeting at 2 p.m.

● Wednesday, April 4 — The Wednesday Club will meet at 1 p.m. for its social hour with meeting at 2 p.m.

● Tuesday-Thursday, April 3-5 — Spring and Easter Bazaar from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Items from hand-crafted ceramics, crafts and white elephant display. Home baked pastries and bread. Lunch available on Tuesday and Wednesday.

● Friday, April 6 — Fairland Manor tour. Buses will depart at 9:45 a.m. and return at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$15.

The Dyer Center is closed Friday, April 13, to Monday, April 23, at which time classes and events will resume.

### ● Tax help

Through April 12 — The Westland-Dearborn Heights Chapter 1642 of the American Association of Retired Persons will offer free income tax service to low income seniors on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in Maplewood Community Center, 31735 Maplewood, west of Merriman and north of Ford. For appointments, call 525-8848.

## 1 more day to submit Earth Day '90 essays

Students ages 13-18 are invited to participate in the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers' Earth Day 1990 writing contest.

Theme is "What Will the Earth Be Like 20 Years From Now?"

Those entering the contest should submit an original essay of no more than 500 words. Essays must be received in the O&E's Livonia headquarters no later than 5 p.m. Friday, March 30.

First, second and third place prizes will be awarded in two age categories — 13-15 and 16-18. First prize is a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond, second prize is a \$25 bond and third prize is \$15 cash. The top three winners will also receive an Earth Day beach ball.

The six winning essays will be published in the O&E on Thursday, April 19. A picture of the winners along with a short story about them



will appear along with the essays.

Essays should be mailed or delivered to: Earth-Day Writing Contest, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, Mich. 48150.

O&E reporters and editors will select the winners.

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## Garden City Hospital Appoints Andrea Sommers, D.O. To MedStop Staff

Garden City is pleased to announce the recent appointment of Andrea Sommers, D.O. to the physician staff of Livonia's MedStop clinic. Working primarily the evening hours, Dr. Sommers' appointment lends to the continuity of quality patient care.

A native of Florida, Dr. Sommers pursued her post-graduate medical education at Southeastern College of Osteopathic Medicine in North Miami Beach. She completed her medical training at Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital in Pontiac, Michigan. Prior to accepting the post at MedStop, Dr. Sommers practiced at the Milford Health Care Clinic as a staff physician.

Dr. Sommers is dedicated to the necessity of establishing an on-going professional relationship with each patient. This commitment to quality family medicine has sparked a particular interest in the area of women's health care.

Garden City Hospital is very pleased to introduce Andrea Sommers, D.O. and wishes to welcome her to the MedStop staff.

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# Area must put brakes on growth — report

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

There's "a change of attitude" toward urban sprawl among local officials in the region, said Milton Mack, chair of the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments.

"Members communities have been reluctant to face it, but there has been a waste of resources, environmental damage and a high cost in taxes," Mack said in response to last week's SEMCOG staff report. The report said public officials have lacked "the political will" to manage growth.

"Most officials looked at growth as a way to generate a larger tax base," said Mack, a Democratic Wayne County commissioner from the city of Wayne.

Thus local officials were surprised by "the stress on roads, the stress on sewers and the stress on lakes and streams. We've had a throwaway community society," Mack said in an interview.

A TOP OAKLAND County officials agreed.

"If it (the SEMCOG report) is not a self-indicting statement, what is?" asked Patrick Nowak, deputy county executive.

The 21-year-old SEMCOG — composed of 140 local governments in seven counties — is supposed to be engaged in planning of transportation, community and economic development, water and air quality, solid waste and land use.

Nowak's boss, Oakland Executive Daniel T. Murphy, has taken heat from local officials the last two years for urging preservation of older communities and a slowdown of development along two-lane roads in unsewered farmlands.

An Oakland County commissioner agreed SEMCOG leaders had worried little until the last year or two about sprawl.

"We've needed some of the new growth," said Marilyn Gosling, R-Bloomfield Hills. "But it takes a Lake Angelus protesting Auburn Mills (a megamall project in Auburn Hills north of Pontiac) to bring this (wetlands damage) to the attention

of SEMCOG and the Department of Natural Resources."

Gosling senses a change in attitude among other Oakland officials.

THE JARRING report came to SEMCOG's General Assembly last week from Edward J. Hustoles, deputy director in charge of planning.

Older cities, when abandoned, leave under-utilized "infrastructure" — a planner's word for roads, sewers, schools and utilities, he said.

"In the past decade, we've closed some 120 schools but built 212 new schools . . . with relatively little net gain of people and households — just a major rearranging of reshuffling of households, businesses and tax base.

"This is basically because, in a free enterprise system in major metropolitan regions, development decisions are in the hands of literally hundreds of governmental entities and thousands of private decision makers, each with their own agendas."

What is shocking public officials into changing their attitudes toward

unfettered growth, he said, is the upward pressure on taxes followed by a taxpayers' revolt. Traffic tieups and damage to the environment were other major factors.

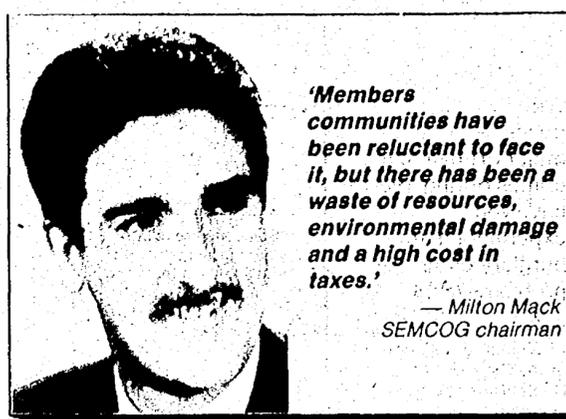
HUSTOLES SAID SEMCOG leaders should consider policies of "growth management."

This would mean "pacing development to coincide with the provision of infrastructure, thus preventing traffic problems such as are occurring in Southfield, Troy and other rapidly growing communities."

He said SEMCOG staff soon will present a work program aimed at measuring the infrastructure cost over the next 20 years.

Growth management will be difficult under Michigan law, which provides for township government, the proliferation of cities and little chance for annexation by cities, Hustoles said.

In California, a county may have only four or five incorporated cities, with county government controlling the remaining area, he said. In con-



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— Milton Mack  
SEMCOG chairman

trast, Oakland County has 60 units and St. Clair County 25.

"THIS KIND of individual growth management pits one community against the next," he said. "Generally, the business sector

will attack paced growth as an interference in the constitutional use of their property."

Hustoles concluded, "This is a real test of the elected officials' resolve to guide development in an orderly fashion."

## Young's no-show streak in tact

Detroit Mayor Coleman Young has started his 17th straight year as a no-show.

A delegate to the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments since his election, Young has yet to attend a meeting of either SEMCOG's General Assembly or Executive Committee.

He was absent last week for the quarterly general assembly meeting.

After his first election, Young in 1974 was scheduled to address SEMCOG on city-suburban cooperation but didn't show. His staff blamed a schedule mix-up.

Young usually sends an administrative aide.

Detroit also is represented by councilmember Clyde Cleveland, a vice chair of SEMCOG.

Among other elected leaders of major units, Oakland County Executive Daniel T. Murphy frequently attends or sends his top deputy, Patrick Nowak. Murphy served two years as SEMCOG chair.

Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara attended sessions after he took office in 1987 but later began sending aides.

## Senator hears from homeless

By Susan Buck  
staff writer

Homeless Vietnam veteran Charles Winter tried for three years to get Supplementary Security Income (SSI) benefits.

Because he is illiterate, Winter, 43, does not have the skills to pursue or follow up on his own application. And because he lives near a Lansing highway in a small tent bought with money he collected from cans and scrap metal, Winter never received any paperwork.

"The only time that I've ever been employed was back when I was 17 years old," said Winter. "At that time, I dropped out of school without knowing how to read or write. I took on some odd jobs at the grocery store and some factory work, but nothing ever lasted too long. After jumping from job to job, I enlisted in the Army and was sent to Vietnam. This is where my troubles began. When I was honorably discharged from the service, I was a full-blown alcoholic."

Winter's plight finally reached the attention of Sen. Donald Riegle, D-Flint, who is promoting introduction of the Homeless Outreach Bill of 1990.

IF ENACTED, the bill would require the Social Security Administration (SSA) to reach out to the blind, disabled and elderly in soup kitchens, shelters and day centers and teach them about benefits to which they are entitled, but may not know about.

**'Housing legislation is a top priority . . . this year.'**

— Sen. Donald Riegle  
D-Flint

"Under the Supplemental Security Income program (SSI), these people whose incomes are substantially below the federal poverty level, may receive benefits — up to \$386 per month for individuals," Riegle said. "It is estimated that among the homeless in this country about 25 percent suffer from mental disability, 10 percent are physically disabled and 20 percent are elderly."

Homelessness has been an issue in Wayne County, where officials recently authorized a county-sponsored shelter. It has also been an issue in Oakland County where church groups have held vigils for the homeless.

Winter was joined at the hearing by Sherry Brantley, a former homeless and physically abused wife with three daughters under age 7, and Thomas Rybinski of Detroit, a laid-off General Motors Detroit Hamtramck auto plant worker who got caught up in a bureaucratic maze of GM recall rights.

The three headed the agenda at a banking, housing and urban affairs committee hearing on homelessness

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## UM-D names dean

Benjamin Lev, professor of management and former department head at Worcester Polytech Institute, has been named dean of the University of Michigan-Dearborn School of Management.

Lev has taught at Temple University and Tel-Aviv University and has held academic appointments at The Wharton School, San Jose State University, Tianjin University and St. Joseph's University, Philadelphia.

Co-author of five books and nu-

merous articles, Lev is the associate editor of three journals.

He holds a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering and a master's in industrial engineering from Technion-Israel Institute of Technology and a doctorate in operations research from Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland.

He will assume the role of dean on Sept. 1. He will become a tenured professor of management July 1.

## Science contest set

The public is invited to watch more than 500 of Wayne County's finest math and science students compete in the 1990 regional Science Olympiad at Saturday, March 31 at Mercy College, Detroit.

The free event is sponsored by the Detroit Science Center.

Students answer questions in a game show-style format. More than 40 area secondary schools will participate. The top three will represent

Wayne County at the state Olympiad.

Competition begins 8 a.m. and concludes at 3 p.m. with an awards ceremony featuring former Detroit Lion star Lem Barney.

Mercy College is at 8200 W. Outer Drive, at the Southfield Freeway, between Six and Seven Mile roads.

Additional information is available by calling the science center, 677-8434.

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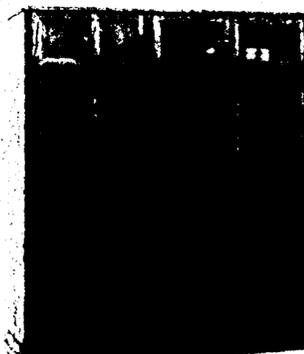
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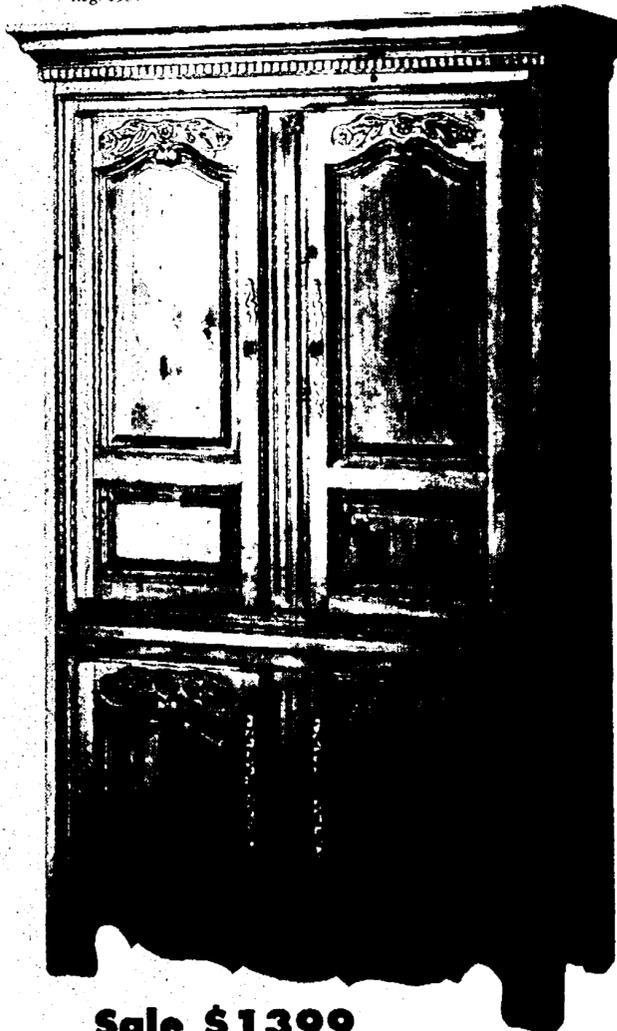
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# Past pain returns in new grieving obituaries

This is a continuation of a series drawing material from Karyn Pasquel's book in progress, entitled "Growing Through Grief." (All rights reserved.)



**Karyn Pasquel**

The experience of grief is an especially cruel one because it doesn't limit itself to the loss of a single loved one. When someone is grieving, the very process itself calls up numerous unresolved pains of the past to compound the devastation a person is already feeling. The more painful and unresolved one's past is, and/or the more loved ones he/she has lost without allowing grief its full work, the more difficult a griever's experience will be to bear.

It almost seems vicious and incredibly insensitive to delve into seemingly unrelated past or present hurts when counseling a griever. Yet there are times when the grief seems a little too hard or a little too long. Daring to discover deeper issues underlying and antagonizing a griever's present pain can be the beginning of a far greater healing of the whole individual.

However, this person is exceptionally fragile at this time and should carefully consider professional counseling to help him through this healing. Otherwise, confusion and increased hopelessness can ensue to further the griever's anguish.

**LET ME DESCRIBE** some of the most common experiences expressed to me during private grief counseling which cannot help but influence the griever's whole experience and his/her potential for total healing.

(1) A woman's ex-husband died one year after he divorced her. She did

not want the divorce and found herself now re-married to a man she did not love. She re-married in an effort to quench some of the pain of the unwanted divorce from the man she truly loved.

When people are hurting, it is very easy to attach themselves to anyone who brings some sense of relief from their pain. That's why I encourage people to wait at least two years after a death or divorce before they allow themselves to become involved in an exclusive relationship.

After they effectively work through their brokenness, the person who has been able to help them through the initial pains is no longer needed for comfort. That is when there must be more in that person's makeup for the healed griever to need and want of the relationship could suddenly seem far less than fulfilling. Grievers must work through their grief alone, although they need support from friends, family, and support groups.

But they still must work through their grief and heal the wounds so they can present a healthy, whole individual to others later on. This woman whose ex-husband died is grieving terribly for the man she feels she was inadequate to make happy. Her present husband cannot understand this behavior and is drawing away from this "mixed up"

woman. She likewise resents his invasion of her right to grieve.

(2) A man loses his father. He cannot believe how hard it is for him to get through the pain. He has a wife and children and, to the world, has everything a man could want. Yet he is in a deeper despair than he ever imagined possible. In delicate examination of past influences on his present pain, this tormented man exposed the deepest secret he and only his father had, that his father had sexually-abused him from the time he was a very young boy until he was in his early teens.

**ALL THROUGH** childhood and young adulthood, this poor man felt "different," "dirty," unworthy, and guilty. He has never forgiven himself for not fighting his father off. Yet, when one remembers that the sexual abuse began before he was old enough to reason, how would he have known — or had the courage — to stand up to his father? As every normal child, he looked up to his parents, for he had nothing to compare with until much later in life. How could he then continue a close relationship with his father after he was old enough to know?

Because he had already accepted a low concept of himself and his father accepted him even though he knew the worst. The son must come to terms with the reality of the past:

what was robbed from him as a child; where the true responsibilities were in the acts which took place over the years; be able to forgive his father's abuse after first acknowledging the wrongness of it and finally, and forgive himself wherever he may still hold himself accountable in order to fully resolve his father's death.

(3) A woman loses the second of the only two people in her life that she ever dared to truly love. Both deaths were bizarre and unusually tragic. This woman is terrified to let herself love anyone again for fear they will die. She has actually accepted a degree of responsibility for their deaths.

Why not? Everything she has ever truly cared about throughout her lifetime has been snatched out of her hands. This woman must find a way, through careful examination of past experiences, to see that she was not the cause of every pain in her loved one's lives.

There are many other examples, but the point I want to make is that grievers who are experiencing difficulty in dealing with their loss need to consider getting help to resolve the present and past issues which are prolonging and exacerbating their grieving process. The road to recovery is a frightening, painful one. But the joy of being whole is worth the struggle.

*Pasquel, therapist and director of Foundational Living, will begin an eight-week group therapy program on Mondays from 7-8:30 p.m., beginning May 21 (excluding Memorial Day, May 28) through July 16. Interested persons may contact Pasquel at 328-0354.*

## FREDERICK EVANS

Services for Mr. Evans, 71, of Garden City were held March 26 from the John Santelu and Son Funeral Home with Rev. David Russell of the First United Methodist Church officiating. Cremation was at Evergreen Cemetery, Detroit.

Mr. Evans died March 22 in Oakwood Hospital, Dearborn. A native of Cardiff, Wales, he was a master sergeant in the Michigan National Guard.

Survivors are his wife, Marjorie; son, Thomas C.; two daughters, Sally Sanner and Lorri Hanner; grandchildren, Rachel, Ryan, Leah, Melanie, Nicholas, Danielle, and Tasha; brother, Richard, and three sisters, Mabel Brenner, Rachel Pushman, and Hazel Wilks.

Memorials may be sent to the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

## WILLIAM MILES BAUER

Services for Mr. Bauer, 54, of Garden City were held March 23 from the R.G. and G.R. Harris Funeral Home, Garden City, with Rev. David Russell of the First United Methodist Church officiating. Burial in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West, Westland.

Mr. Bauer died March 21 in Garden City Osteopathic Hospital. He was a Navy veteran and a truck driver for Michigan Bakery Supply and Federal Yeast Co., retiring two years ago.

Survivors are his wife, Virginia; three daughters, Sheryl Curley, Teresa Bauer, and Nancy Harrison; two grandchildren, Crystal and Bradley, and parents Ester and Edward Nichle of Arizona, formerly of Farmington.

## TERRY GLYNN BONE

Services for Mr. Bone, 36, of Westland were held March 24 in Union City, Tenn., with Pastor Henry Callison of West Hellman Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Obion County Memorial Gardens, Tennessee.

Mr. Bone died unexpectedly in his home. A Westland area resident for most of his life, he was a 1971 graduate of Cherry Hill High School and dairy manager of a Farmer Jack Supermarket on Orchard Lake and Maple, West Bloomfield Township.

Surviving are his wife, Patricia; daughter, Becky; brother, Michael of Westland; sister, Judy Bruce of Sterling Heights; half-sister Sherry Schmidt; parents, Bobby and Edna Bone of Union City, Tenn., and grandparents in Tennessee and Kentucky.

Arrangements were by the R.G. and G.R. Harris Funeral Home, Garden City.

## ROBERT A. DROZDZEWSKI

Services for Mr. Drozdowski, 60, of Romulus, were held March 23 from the Leonard Turowski and Son Funeral Home, Livonia, and St. Barbara Catholic Church, Dearborn, with Fr. John Rakoczy officiating. Internment was in St. Hedwig Cemetery, Dearborn Heights.

Mr. Drozdowski died March 20 at home.

Survivors are his wife, Leona; two sons, Anthony Doran of California and Robert of Romulus; two daughters, Maureen Ruiz and Ann Davis, both of Romulus; brother, Frank of Westland, and three sisters, Jean Guarino of East Detroit, Virginia LaCombe of Livonia, and Irene Rolt of Roseville.

## military news

**CRAIG FORHAN** has completed the basic field artillery cannoner course at Fort Sill, Okla.

A 1989 graduate of Churchill High School, Forhan is the son of Mary-Ann Grubb of Westland.

**ROBERT GARDYNIK** has arrived for duty at Fort Knox, Ky. He is a cavalry scout with the 10th Cavalry.

Gardynik is the son of Edward and Gloria Gardynik of Westland and a 1988 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School.

**LISA KUNZ** has completed the electronic warfare signal

Intelligence Morse collector course at the Army Intelligence School, Fort Devens, Mass.

She is the daughter of Suzanne Bottoms of Westland and David Kunz of Canton. Kunz is a 1987 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School.

**ANTHONY SHEPPARD** has completed the Army personnel administration specialist course at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

A 1989 graduate of Melvindale High School, Sheppard is the son of Sharon Borrusch of Garden City and Toney Sheppard of Lincoln Park.

**SAMUEL CREEKMORE** has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

Jackson is the son of William Creekmore of Westland and Carolyn Graustein of Wayne.

**PAUL SEGUIN** has been promoted to Air Force technical sergeant. He is a fire protection supervisor with the 81st Civil Engineering Squadron in England.

The son of Paul R. Seguin of Garden City, the sergeant is a 1974 graduate of Garden City High School and a 1989 graduate of Southern Illinois University.

**PHILIP BARCLAY** has arrived for duty in Japan. Barclay is a tactical aircraft maintenance specialist with the 18th Aircraft Generation Squadron.

His wife, Ann, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gagnon of Garden City. Barclay is a 1985 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School.

**MARK MULLEN** provided support for the military personnel that were sent to Panama in operation "Just Cause." He is director of medical resource management with the 24th Medical Group in Panama.

His wife, Karen, is the daughter of Donald and Eunice Turnbull of Garden City.

**MATTHEW BRAGG** has arrived for duty at Wurtsmith Air Force Base, MI. He is a munitions systems specialist with the 379th Munitions Maintenance Squadron.

Bragg is the son of John and Coral Bragg of Westland and is a 1989 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School.

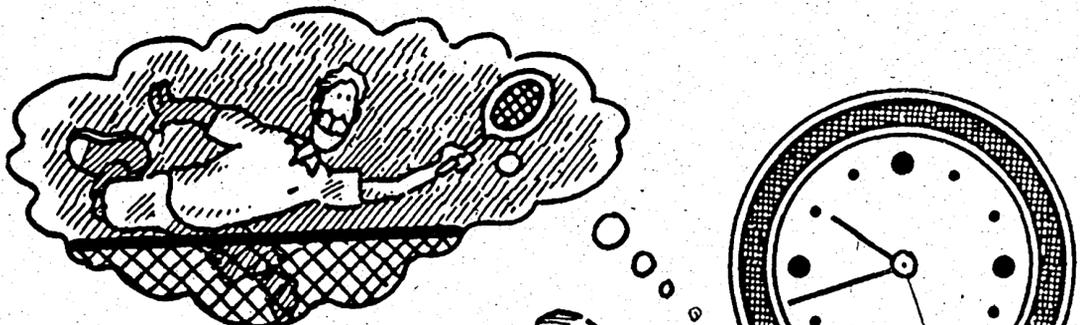
**SCOTT BROZEK** has been promoted in the Army to the rank of private first class and is a counterintelligence agent in

Japan with the 500th Military Intelligence Brigade.

Brozek is a 1988 Garden City High School graduate and son of William and Patricia Brozek of Garden City.

**JAMES RACHWAL** has been awarded an associate degree in applied science by the Community College of the Air Force. He is an engineering assistant specialist with the 81st Civil Engineering Squadron in England.

The staff sergeant is the son of James and Mary Rachwal of Westland.



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# Puzzle-solver puts Smithsonian show together

By Arlene Funke  
special writer

Call him a high-tech puzzle-solver. John Fitzpatrick, a former Westland resident, is in Washington, D.C., helping curators at the Smithsonian Institute put together a complicated exhibit on the history of communication.

"It's a very unique, wonderful assignment," said Fitzpatrick, 34, who is employed by EDS Corp. in Auburn Hills.

The exhibit, entitled "Information Age: People, Information and Technology," is scheduled to open Wednesday, May 9.

FOR THE past six months, Fitzpatrick, now living in Redford Township, has spent most of his time in the nation's capital working with technicians and Smithsonian curators.

The exhibit will occupy 14,000 square feet in the Smithsonian's National Museum of American History at 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW.

There will be more than 700 artifacts, including Samuel Morse's original telegraph, Alexander Graham Bell's original telephone and the Hollerith tabulating system used to compile results of the U.S. Census exactly 100 years ago.

"It's going to be fun for people to see it," said Fitzpatrick.

The exhibit is to run at least 10 years and is expected to attract 60 million visitors.

The exhibit is highly technical, with computerized interactive stations to demonstrate functions for visitors. EDS is contributing the know-how to make all the various computer equipment and software work together.

"Collectively putting it all together — it's the greatest challenge and the most enjoyable one," said Fitzpatrick.

EDS is a computer and telecommunications company. It doesn't manufacture computer hardware but organizes and ties together different computer systems into one unit.

The company, founded in Dallas in



ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

John Fitzpatrick sketches a portion of the exhibit area he is working on for EDS at the Smithsonian National Museum of American History in Washington, D.C.

1962, became a subsidiary of General Motors in 1984.

THE SMITHSONIAN went to the larger computer companies seeking donations of equipment, services and cash for the exhibit, said Fitzpatrick. EDS contributed \$1 million in funding. In addition, about 50 EDS employees have worked on the project.

Technical people worked with the curators.

"The curator fleshes it out and creates a story line. It's very much like making a movie. The result is a physical thing."

Visitors may stop at 14 video stations and 24 computer-driven work stations in the exhibit for hands-on use of computers and sophisticated interactive equipment.

"It isn't a show, strictly speaking, about how fast computers run. There is some of that, but that isn't the message people are trying to convey."

where he majored in Great Books. "It's an uplifting type of education. It's an in-depth study of western thinking and culture, theology and science."

He began his career in 1979 as a programmer and analyst for General Motors and transferred to EDS when the two companies merged. His job title is business planning specialist.

In previous assignments Fitzpatrick was the project leader for technical studies on behalf of Eastman Kodak and the U.S. Department of Defense.

Fitzpatrick is pleased that the Smithsonian project has remained on schedule. He has been invited to a black-tie reception Sunday, May 6, to celebrate the opening of the exhibit. Then, with his work completed, he'll wait for his next assignment.

Fitzpatrick acknowledges his frequent business traveling puts a burden on wife Susan, a teacher at a Montessori school in Dearborn, and on the couple's three children.

"It's difficult on the family. I talk to them daily. If I were single I wouldn't mind at all."

When Fitzpatrick comes home on

weekends his focus is on family and church. Sons Thomas, 12, and Paul, 10, attend St. Valentine School in Redford while daughter Julia, 5, is a kindergartner at her mom's school.

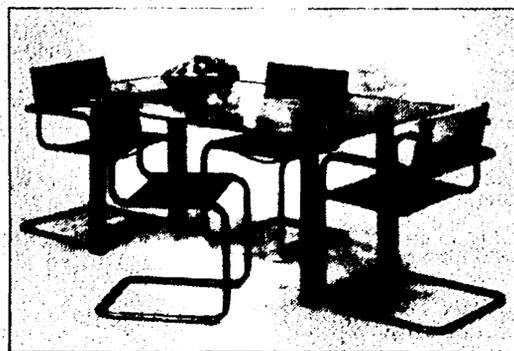
Fitzpatrick is president of the St. Valentine Catholic Church men's club which sponsors youth soccer, basketball and softball. He enjoys reading history books.

When the Fitzpatricks moved to Redford four years ago, they were looking for a "small town flavor."

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### For the record

Speaker of the House Thomas Foley, D-Wash., left, presided over recent ceremonies unveiling the official portrait of U.S. Rep. William Ford, D-Taylor. Ford, a 25-year congressman, was recognized for his chairmanship of the House Committee on Post Office and Civil Service. Also shown is the congressman's daughter, Margaret Van Vleet Ford, and the artist, Joseph Manicelo of Detroit. Ford's district includes southern Livonia, Westland, Garden City and Canton.

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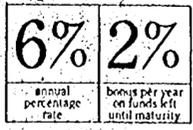
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# Homeless people say help often hard to find

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chaired by Riegle March 26 at Mercy College in Detroit.

It is estimated that as many as 90,000 people in Michigan are homeless — 15,000 are children. The fastest growing segment of the homeless population are women and children, according to those who provide services to the homeless. There are more than 100 homeless shelters in Michigan.

According to Riegle, the state of Michigan provided \$500,000 for homeless assistance in 1989. Michigan has quadrupled its funding level this year by appropriating \$2 million in homeless assistance for fiscal year 1990.

"AS WE continue the search for ways to address the issue of homelessness, as well as the need for affordable housing, I feel it is important to hear from those who are most directly affected by the enactment of such legislation," Riegle said.

Sara Snyder, 39, executive direc-

tor of Grateful Home, a center for chemically dependent indigent women in Detroit, also testified. She was a homeless alcoholic in 1974, now recovered.

"I remember people walking past me and not being seen, somehow invisible," Snyder said. "I remember speaking to people and having them ignore me as if my voice made no sound. I remember standing outside homes after darkness came and watching people move about in those lighted rooms and wishing I could go in and be with them, and yet knowing there was not one door that would open for me. I felt unseen, unheard, unwanted and unimportant."

Last August, Riegle formed a special homelessness task force to help evaluate how effectively the issue of homelessness is being addressed. The task force conducted meetings in 26 communities throughout the State to seek the input of 400 local citizens to see how the federal government is responding to needs. The

Senate Housing Committee has jurisdiction over many of the housing programs authorized under the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act of 1987 which was a key step in the effort by Congress to address the needs of homeless people. In 1988, the Act was re-authorized by Congress. More than \$14.5 million of federal homeless assistance was provided to Michigan in 1989 through the McKinney Homeless Assistance Act.

In addition to the McKinney Act, there are approximately 60 other federal programs that provide a small amount of homeless assistance.

"Housing legislation is a top priority of the committee this year," Riegle said. "In fact, we are scheduled to mark-up the National Affordable Housing Act in our committee on May 2. The National Affordable Housing Act will modify and strengthen the McKinney programs and increase housing assistance for homeless people."



JIM JAGDFELD/staff photographer

## Helping youth

Carol Hillard, center, a Livonia Schools program specialist, admires the award she received for participating in area youth assistance programs as Julie Myers, left, also of Livonia Schools and state Rep. Lyn

Bankes look on. Hillard was among the area youth assistance program volunteers were honored during a breakfast meeting Monday in Livonia.

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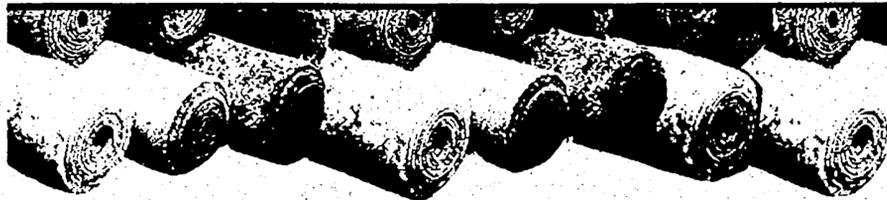
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## Effective mix Lesson learned not in books

**L**AST YEAR there was a great deal of concern among a group of parents in Livonia Public Schools, which includes the northern section of Westland, because of boundary changes shifting students from one building to another.

There were a lot of fears expressed about what school life would be in the new school, and disappointment that students would have to leave a school building where they felt comfortable.

Those fears are nothing new to Wayne-Westland school district parents and students when the school went through a series of controversial school closings. More recently, there were parents and students protesting the transfer of Wayne Memorial High School teachers to John Glenn High because of enrollment changes.

In the Livonia district, one change which created the greatest stir was the move of gifted students from Cass Elementary to Webster Center. The objections really were twofold.

**MANY PARENTS** were upset about gifted students moving from Cass because they believed that a magnet center was the best approach to educate students who were coping with social and academic problems because of their giftedness.

Other parents were upset because students were moving to Webster, a center for the Trainable Mentally Impaired which serves developmentally disabled students from Livonia and other districts in western Wayne County. These parents felt it was wrong to combine gifted and mentally impaired in the same building.

The Wayne County Intermediate School District had urged Livonia and other districts to place secondary TMI students out of Webster to middle schools and high schools in their home districts.

This change also created concerns among parents of these students who had fears about how the impaired students would be accepted by other students and whether this shift was in their best interest.

Of all the boundary shifts last year the one which probably generated the most intense feeling was closing the Cass magnet center and

moving gifted students to Webster. And so the Livonia Observer decided to check on life at Webster six months into the school year to see how the remaining elementary level TMI and the gifted students were getting along.

**FIRST, THE** school formed a new PTA organization to represent both student groups.

This was a new experience for parents of disabled students who were more accustomed to membership in special education support groups and parent advisory councils. Initially, "we-they" attitudes existed among parents, but eventually that line was erased and parents working together created an "us" atmosphere.

Parents began to key in on how their students were alike, rather than how they were different. As one parent observed: "There's a tremendous similarity, even though they're on opposite ends of the spectrum. Neither group of students fits into the normal academic program. Both need special programs."

When we visited Webster we also were impressed with the free interaction of both sets of students. Science lab, art and music rooms, and the instructional materials center are shared. During lunch hour and recess the students are found together. And the names of all 326 students (230 gifted and 96 impaired aged 3-14) appear on the school T-shirt. And we found examples of gifted students helping the impaired, in a tutoring, assisting way.

There was not any talk of students being "harmed" or "held back." While it is true that parents still harbor some concern, almost all the attitudes and comments heard were positive. We found that this "grand experiment" is working well and that both sets of students are benefiting from this intermingling of different yet similar young people.

We applaud the students, parents, and staff at Webster Center for creating such a positive learning atmosphere in which two different groups of students are learning how much alike they really are and are benefiting from their co-existence. This first six months, a lot has been learned — not only by students.

## Earth Day Cleanup must begin at home

**E**ARTH DAY is coming. That means we will be reading and hearing plenty about such environmental issues as preservation of the Brazilian rain forest, elimination of chloro-fluorocarbons (CFCs) and prevention of environment-ravaging oil spills. All of these are issues of global importance.

What must be remembered, however, is that cleaning the world also means cleaning our own back yard.

We, in southeast Michigan, are no different from other Americans — or from other citizens from other nations. For too long, we've paid too little attention to the world around us. That must change.

**IN MANY** ways, change is already evident. But nagging environmental problems persist:

- It's encouraging that individuals from many southeastern Michigan communities contribute their time each year to cleaning the heavily polluted Rouge River.

- But it's discouraging many of the communities themselves are involved in a lawsuit to protect their outmoded sewers — the primary source of Rouge pollution.

- It's encouraging that many communities have begun recycling programs.

- But it's discouraging that so few markets have been found, to this point, for recycled goods — especially recycled newsprint.

- It's encouraging that many area stores have begun marketing "environmentally conscious" products, often on specially marked shelves.

- But it's discouraging that, in many stores, shoppers can take their goods home in non-recyclable plastic bags.

- Likewise, it's discouraging many stores continue to stamp the label "biodegradable" on products, even though environmentalists say that even biodegradable products will deteriorate too slowly to play any role in easing our landfill crisis.

The original Earth Day, 20 years ago, represented a grass-roots approach, bringing individual citizens together to make their opinion known to government and industry.

Earth Day 20, Sunday, April 22, should provide a similar forum. If there's a difference it's that we now have the understanding that individual responsibility is also important.

**IT'S DIFFICULT** to equate our individual responsibility with that of the government of Brazil, or, for that matter, the Exxon Valdez.

Nonetheless, we can do much, as consumers



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and citizens, to influence government and industry.

As consumers, we should pledge our allegiance to goods in environmentally safe packaging — as well as to products that have already been recycled.

Returning to cloth diapers and building a backyard compost pile, for yard waste, are other steps each of us could take to help the environment.

Producers won't move toward recycling until they believe a market exists among consumers.

**AT THE** same time, we should let our local government know that we're willing to pay the cost necessary to eliminate outmoded sewers, as well as to begin local or regional recycling programs — including ones for tires and car batteries, a pair of particular environmental problems. These suggestions are neither easy nor cheap, but all are necessary.

Landfill space is decreasing. We urge the state Department of Natural Resources to hold off on licensing any new landfills until the communities they would serve have recycling plans up and operating.

Landfills, with their potential for air and water pollution, are yesterday's waste disposal solution. While some additional landfills might well be necessary, every landfill licensed under the present setup is a setback to recycling and other more responsible approaches.

There was a time when we could throw waste materials away, without worrying about where they were headed. Today, that is a luxury we can no longer afford.

There's no mistaking the environmental importance of the rain forests, or the ozone layer. But Earth Day must begin at home.



## There's a difference between free speech and intimidation

**IT WAS** a familiar scene.

There were these Right-to-Lifers, parading up and down the sidewalks, carrying their usual baggage — signs that said "Stop Abortion," "No More Baby Killing" and, their favorite, a fully formed fetus splattered on an American Flag with the words "America's Holocaust — Abortion" prominently displayed.

It was a familiar scene — played out every week in front of clinics around the area. Another week, another clinic.

But this time it was different. They weren't in front of the clinics. They were in the residential neighborhoods where the doctors lived — on the streets of West Bloomfield, Bloomfield Hills, Bloomfield Township and Orchard Lake. And not all of the doctors whose homes were being picketed ran so-called abortion clinics. Some were simply legitimate obstetricians and gynecologists with private practices.

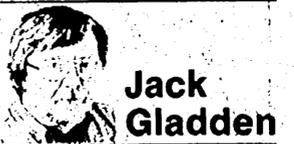
That didn't matter to the Lifers. In their eyes, they were all abortionists. The whole affair, conducted a couple of weekends ago, was clearly an attempt to intimidate and harass people who didn't share their particular vision of the world.

**NOT SO**, said Lynn Mills, a Livonia resident and the unofficial mouthpiece for the demonstrators.

"We're out here to mourn the children and educate the neighbors," she said. "I know that if an abortionist were my neighbor I would want to know."

Christine Jones, another Lifer

**The notion that if you are not ashamed of what you do then you won't mind pickets marching in front of your house 'educating' your neighbors is sheer nonsense.**



**Jack Gladden**

Maybe it wouldn't bother her, but the notion that if you are not ashamed of what you do then you won't mind pickets marching in front of your house "educating" your neighbors is sheer nonsense.

The line between legitimate demonstrations and harassment is often a fuzzy one. Legitimate protests are protected; harassment is not. When the Lifers — or any other group of protesters — take their crusades into residential neighborhoods they have, as far as I am concerned, crossed the line.

**AND THAT'S** too bad because now Big Brother is starting to get involved.

Bloomfield Hills has just enacted an ordinance making protests in residential neighborhoods illegal. Whether the ordinance would pass a court test or not is anybody's guess. It is based on a similar, but not identical, law passed by a Wisconsin city that has been upheld by the U.S. Supreme Court.

I don't like laws like that. They tamper with free speech.

But we are going to see more of them as long as these radical groups continue to confuse "free speech" with "intimidation."

from Ann Arbor, echoed the sanctimonious nature of their cause.

"We're not hindering anybody in their privacy or their lifestyle," she said. "We're just making it known that these people kill children."

Is that all? Gosh, I guess I misjudged these homespun educators. They were just performing a public service.

If they had been parading in front of your house carrying signs that said "A Jew lives here" or "A Christian lives here" or "A Republican lives here" would that have bothered you?

It shouldn't, according to the logic of Mills and the marchers.

"If being an abortionist is credible," she said, "if it's an honorable profession, then they won't be upset."

Would Mills be upset if a motley group of people started parading in front of her house carrying signs that said "A person who wants to impose her views on everybody else lives here"?

### from our readers

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### Autism program is debated

To the editor:

I want to comment about the March 19 story on the Burger Center for autistic students.

Garden City school board member Tyszkiewicz does indeed see the situation clearly. By deciding to operate the autistic program in the Burger building for another year, progress was put off yet again. The majority of autistic students in Wayne County will remain in a dilapidated, asbestos-filled building.

In addition, while the fate of the center program floats in limbo, individual districts remain reluctant to create classroom options for those students who might benefit from something other than the totally segregated environment which Burger currently provides.

May I point out that educational options for autistic students are not a black and white issue as you presented, i.e., either a segregated school like Burger or the placement of autistic students in regular classrooms?

Classrooms for autistic students,

with trained and certified teachers, small class size and all other necessary services, may be placed in an age appropriate regular education building. In these settings, various degrees of mainstreaming in academic, non-academic and social activities may be encouraged.

As for the quote from Temple Grandin, "Younger children at the center do need contact with other children . . . Higher functioning older children can succeed outside the center . . ." Was Ms. Grandin made aware that the Burger program provides for no contact with non-handicapped peers whatsoever? Was she made aware of the limited efforts being made to prepare older students for life after Burger?

In all of Ms. Grandin's published writings she has stressed the importance of a normalized environment to an autistic person's development. It appears that she was praising the Burger program as it should be rather than as it presently exists.

I am the parent of a 6-year-old son with autism. With no small difficulty, we were able to make a place for him in Webster School in Livonia. His placement there is tenuous, however. Whether one considers the narrower issue of building safety, or the larger issue of program options for autistic students in Wayne County it

is clear that tarring the roof of Burger Center does little to address our real problems.

Kristine Copeland,  
Livonia

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# Police quick to abuse powers

POLICE HAVE enormous powers. Police can tow away someone's car. Police can arrest a person. Police can even kill a human.

Worse, police can effectively hide the name of the officer who did the killing for months. They can't do it legally, but they can do it effectively. (Evening News Assn. v. Troy, 417 Mich. 481.)

Even when police investigate their own mistakes, a police review board can black out three-quarters of the report and hide it for many months. (Post-Newsweek Stations v. Detroit Police Department, Michigan Appeals Court, 1989.)

In Monroe, police wouldn't reveal who was locked up in the city jail — shades of South Africa or the Spanish Civil Guard.

In many suburbs, police use up half the local governmental budget. Even if they never have had a major shootout, they want sophisticated new firearms to keep up with the drug dealers.

THAT IS WHY it's so necessary for citizens and reporters — who are just citizens with notebooks — to scrutinize police activities.

The most notorious case is the missing million-dollar drug fund in



Tim Richard

the possession of the Detroit Police Department. So secretive are the police and mayor about it that even Wayne County Prosecutor John O'Hair has to go to court, using the Freedom of Information Act, to get the files.

Detroit isn't the only offender. Pontiac police arrested David J. Mack for kidnapping, armed robbery and possession of a firearm in commission of a felony.

The Pontiac police refused to release the report of its investigation, saying it was "departmental policy not to release records to outside individuals when a police matter was pending" — long after Mack was in prison. The quote is from the 1989 state Court of Appeals ruling against that police department.

Against this backdrop, some professional colleagues and I, operating as the Michigan Freedom of Infor-

mation Committee Inc., put together a forum last week called "Blanks in the Blotter: Police Contest the Sunshine Laws."

This is not to suggest that all police departments shut down all news all the time. But when it comes to internal stuff, police have a bad habit of slamming shut the door.

ATTORNEY DAWN Phillips, whose office is in Bloomfield Hills and is legal counsel for the Michigan Press Association, was the source of the Monroe story.

In the Monroe case, she said, "an assistant prosecutor told me that someone from the Wayne County prosecutor's office told them they could be sued because prisoners have a bad habit about lying about their names." Her point: Even legal counsel for police departments don't know the FOI law.

Phillips went on to cite a letter from a lawyer to the Canton Police Department suggesting stronger scrutiny of what is made public: "If, for example, information is released in violation of one of the exemptions to the Freedom of Information Act created by statute, the information, if sensitive, could result in liability to the township."

The police lawyer had it backwards:

• One can't violate the FOIA by releasing information. I read a lot of appellate court decisions, and I've yet to see one where police were held liable for releasing information.

• Police can be sued for hiding information — as in the Evening News, Post-Newsweek and Mack cases.

WHAT'S BEHIND the increasing secretiveness of police?

Stephen Cain of the Ann Arbor News may have put his finger on it when he said that police there were "responding to prominent people in the community" who didn't like seeing their names, or the names of their kids, in print.

The Greeks had a word for it: plutocracy, government by the rich.

Usually the code word is "right to privacy." But that's just a code word. The issue is secrecy.

And police have too much power for Americans to let them operate in secret.

Tim Richard heads the news service of the Suburban Communications Corp., parent company of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

## points of view

# Judge fumbles ball from bench

FOR MY money, Oakland Circuit Judge Jessica Cooper behaved like a petulant child last week when she chastized a lawyer and his client for questioning the judge's objectivity.

At issue is Cooper's handling of the case involving Karl Blomquist, a Farmington-area engineer who sued a Troy auto components company claiming wrongful discharge.

Details are always important, but for the sake of brevity, I will focus on those pertaining to how Judge Cooper handled this case, rather than the relative merits of each side. That's before the Michigan Court of Appeals anyway.

To shorten a long story, Cooper last June dismissed the suit by Blomquist and assessed him \$1,000.

She did so, however, without advising Blomquist's lawyer that 18 months earlier she hired the firm that defended the Troy company to represent her in an unrelated civil matter.

NOR DID Cooper disclose she was dating a member of that firm, although he appeared to have no direct involvement in the Blomquist case.

It would have been a simple thing for Cooper to disclose those circumstances. She could have done so quietly, in the privacy of her chambers. Blomquist and his lawyer, Ronald J. Prebenda, would then have the option of asking that the case be reassigned.

For my money, Cooper had an obligation to advise Blomquist and his lawyer. Not doing so was simply bad judgment.

What is inexcusable, in my opinion, is the childish manner in which Cooper behaved when Blomquist did what the legal system gives him the right to do — complain to the Michigan Judicial Tenure Commission.

Blomquist complained to the commission claiming Cooper's personal

## Pat Murphy

and professional involvement with members of the law firm may have compromised the judge's objectivity.

LOOK AT it from Blomquist's view. First, he's fired for what he believes are invalid reasons. Then, when he takes the matter to court, Blomquist draws a judge who has ties with the firm representing the people he claimed fired him improperly.

No wonder he objected. I believe Cooper reacted badly in court when she chastized Blomquist and Prebenda. Blomquist was exercising his right and Prebenda, regardless of what he told him, had a duty to advise his client of the undisclosed relationship AND what he could do about it.

Yet in Cooper's courtroom, the judge accused Blomquist, Prebenda or both of attempting to "embarrass and harass this court by calling into question its previous decision granting summary disposition in favor of defendants."

Cooper referred to Blomquist's action as an unwarranted and "personal attack which (sic) has culminated into an ongoing vendetta fueled by scurrilous and unfounded accusations."

Those are pretty strong words to use against somebody exercising an option granted under our legal system.

Pat Murphy reports on Oakland County for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

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# World history texts need changes

Q: My son's social studies world history textbook looks about the same as the one I had 20 years ago. There has been some updating to the '80s, but most of the chapters are basically the same. I enjoyed world history, but it seems more is going on in the world today than is being presented in my son's world history textbook. Do you know what I mean?



Doc Doyle

A: Yes, I know what you mean. More is going on in the world today than is presented in the present world history textbooks. Remember, however, that change has occurred so rapidly in the last few years it will take time to catch up. Nevertheless, world history textbooks have always tended to focus on the ancient Middle East (the Egyptian) and the European contributions to our own culture. For years, I've watched book companies make token gestures to include some "non-Western" cultures beyond Europe and America in their world history textbooks but nothing of any real substance.

Don Johnson, a professor at N.Y.U., says world history, as presently taught in high schools, centers around European history and its impact on the United States. He sees the major focus as the march for human freedom from the ancient

Middle East, the Egyptian times, to Europe and then on to America.

China, India, Africa do appear briefly in some world history textbooks. However, they are primarily viewed as countries which became colonies under the control of the Europeans, as opposed to having any impact upon world civilization. Indeed, textbooks tend to view European history as the important world history and China, Africa, India, the modern Middle Eastern countries and even native American Indians simply as cultures to be discussed. This frame of mind borders on being an American western elitist mentality.

THEREFORE, I agree with you that what appears in today's world history textbooks does not entirely reflect what has occurred in the "larger" world since man's existence. There is an urgent need for

world history textbooks — or at least local school districts' social studies curriculums — to include Hispanics, Asians, blacks, and the modern Middle East whose people will make up the majority of United States citizens in the next century.

It has been well researched that Hispanics, blacks and Asians are having more children than whites; whites will be the minority race in the 21st Century. This factor, alone, for better understanding of each other, should be sufficient encouragement to change our world history textbook format.

But change takes time, especially in education. Many of today's world history teachers are teaching what they were taught in college 15 to 25 years ago. The new breed coming out of the universities have had much more exposure to the multicultural world history approach. I'm sure today's social studies teachers would address this issue more thoroughly given an opportunity for curriculum input, in-service training

and, or course, appropriate materials. I am not sure that has happened in most school districts yet.

All this notwithstanding, we need a more expansive and integrated world history textbook. A world history textbook which treats all civilizations and their beliefs with dignity, not just some isolated cultures for some cursory attention. Frankly, I want a world history that acknowledges the multicultural world in which my grandchildren will live.

MANY SCHOOL districts are beginning to deal with this issue on their own. However, the textbook companies will continue to put out basically the same social studies world history textbook you had 20 years ago until their marketing department believes local school districts will support and purchase a more multicultural oriented world history textbook. Knowing how the change process operates in education this will probably take about 10 years.

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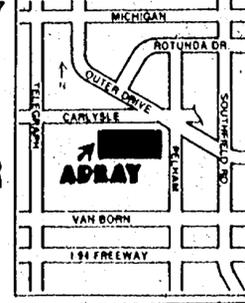
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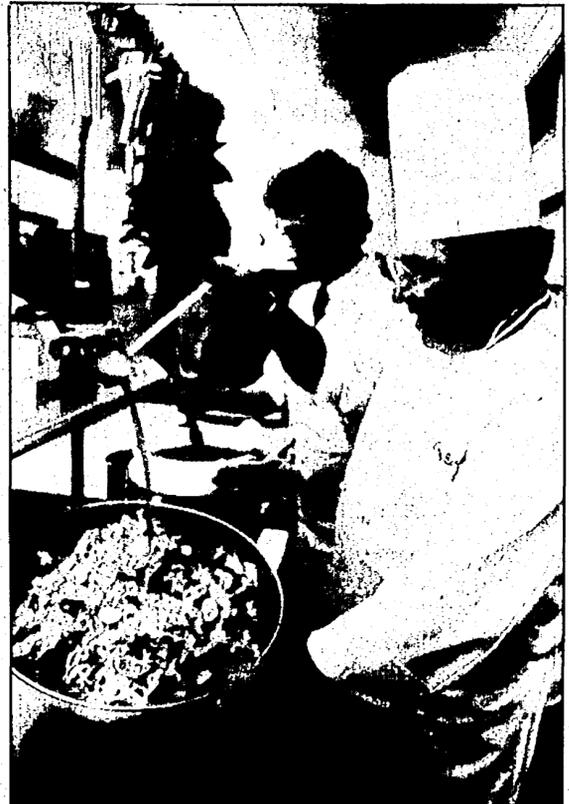
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## A resourceful repast



Nancy Swaborg (at left), director of Schoolcraft College's Women's Resource Center, talks with guest speaker Deb Nairne before dining on a spaghetti dinner, prepared by Chef Richard Benson and Chris Misiak, assistant director of the food program at the college.

## Schoolcraft's WRC savors successful fund-raiser

By Sue Mason  
staff writer

**I**T TOOK 85 pounds of spaghetti noodles and 50 gallons of sauce to feed the crowd, and what a crowd it was.

The size brought smiles to the face of Nancy Swaborg. Some 400 people turned out for the Schoolcraft College Women's Resource Center spaghetti dinner last week, one of the largest turnouts ever for the fund-raiser.

"I've been in hard labor since Friday, but it's been a wonderful delivery," said Swaborg of the benefit. She is the director of the resource center.

WRC has been serving up plenty of spaghetti, salad and garlic bread for eight years to raise money for the center which provides counseling and financial assistance to women who want to continue their education but lack the financial resources to do so.

One woman, who has been helped by the resource center, is Deb Nairne, a scholarship recipient who spoke at the dinner. A single parent, she has earned 107 credit hours and maintained a 3.985 grade point average while at Schoolcraft. She will be transferring to Lawrence Technological University in the fall to continue her studies in marketing and management.

Nairne began her college career at Schoolcraft in 1976 — "It wasn't exactly a whim. I was in retailing and wanted to know more about my job. I discovered I was good at school and got a lot of valuable information."

SHE DROPPED out in 1979 when her eight-



The youngest party-goer was Andrew Close, 6½ months, who preferred his pacifier to the spaghetti his parents, Tom and Susan Close of Northville, dined on. Resource Center staffer Ursula Buckanes Henry (below) was all smiles as she checked the ticket of Sue Siradas of Livonia. And working their way through the buffet dinner line were Therese Gall of Plymouth and Vilma Janisse of Livonia.



month-old daughter contracted spinal meningitis and became hearing impaired. Eventually, she returned to school and continued taking classes, but her dream of a degree appeared threatened when she was divorced and joined the "ranks of the single poor."

"I found a job, but by the time I paid the bills, there wasn't much left for anything let alone college," she said.

Nairne was able to continue her schooling with the help of a grant, but the requirements were such that she ended up working full time and carrying 11 college credit hours at night.

"I figured it out that I had 13 minutes of sleep a night," she said. "I was ready to either give up the kids or my goal for a degree when I met the people at the Women's Resource Center."

With the help of a scholarship, she was able to shave back her credit hours to three or four a semester. And armed with the knowledge she has gained, she has been promoted to a national position with the company she is employed by and is being courted to move to New York to handle an international position.

"All the opportunities that opened up for me were made possible by what I learned here and by the Women's Resource Center," Nairne said. "I've grown to love Schoolcraft College. I've found that it's the loveliest campus in the state, and I've had some terrific experiences here."

INTEREST IN the center has been increasing, according to Swaborg. Walk-in clients in the last seven months totaled 1,192, while phone contacts totaled 4,514.

"That's a six phone calls a day increase over the same period last year," she said.

Her excitement about the center's work and the turnout was shared by many of the people in attendance.

Chef Richard Benson and Chris Misiak, assistant director of the college's food program, were cheerful even though they were up to their elbows in noodles and buckets of sauce. And Cass Kershaw and faculty member Dick Tomalty had plenty of smiles, while serving wine to the guests.

"I've had lots of practice," Kershaw said with a chuckle. "This is my fourth year doing this."

WRC staffer Ursula Buckanes Henry was all smiles as she collected tickets and directed arriving dinner goers to their tables.

"I had to audition for this," she said with a laugh. "It was the smile that got me the job."

Buckanes Henry has been with the resource center for about a year and got involved because she felt she had something to contribute and enjoys helping people.

"Seeing that I'm helping something makes me happy," she said. "Even if I'm having a bad day and help someone who leaves the center with a smile on their face, then I feel good."

Tom and Susan Close of Northville made the fund raiser a family affair, bringing along son Andrew, the youngest party goer at 6½ months.

"We're here to support the college," Susan said.



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# Athletes show off their personalities in autographs

**Dear Friends,**  
Today, I'm going to depart from my regular routine to share some autographs with you that I collected on our recent vacation in Florida.

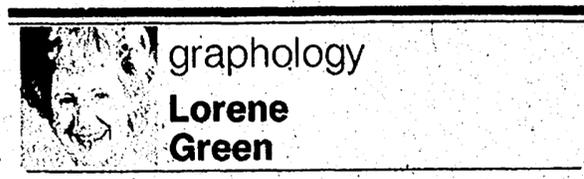
When we booked our cruise on the beautiful SS Norway, I had no idea we were going to have 23 NFL football players and their wives on the ship as part of the entertainment.

On the second day at sea, a serene and peaceful feeling came over me when they announced there was going to

be an autograph/photograph session with all the players.

Most of the passengers were busy getting celebrities to sign the pennants which were provided for the various teams. But not Lorene! I was armed with stationery and pens to get signatures that I could use in my newspaper columns and magazine articles.

Several of the autographs fascinated me, but I think my favorite is that of Bubba Paris of the Super



**Lorene Green**

Bowl champion San Francisco 49ers. Although formidable on the field, he was just a big, lovable teddy bear on the cruise ship, signing autographs and posing for pictures the entire week.

**BUBBA PLAYED** for the University of Michigan during his college career, so is dear to our hearts.

His large signature can be compared to the size of his 300-pound plus body. Just in case you are having difficulty, it reads: "To Lorene, Big Bubba Paris." Beneath the signature is Acts 2:38 and underneath that is 49ers.

Currently, he is serving as a motivational speaker for both charitable and business events. He lives in San Jose, Calif., with his wife and six children.

The second signature is that of Bubba's teammate, Pierce Holt. Notice the large size capital letter in his given name as compared to the family name. When this is coupled with the optimism of his upstated lines, we know he has pride and confidence in his own abilities. Pierce is an aggressive lineman who can play both tackle and end.

On another day, Irv Cross, former Philadelphia Eagles star, was the announcer for a live radio broadcast, featuring Hall of famers Chuck Bednarik, Art Donovan and Ray Nitschke (signatures 3-8). The Hall of Famers were so humorous, they kept the entire audience, including Irv, convulsed in laughter. They shared copious anecdotes from the early days of their football careers.

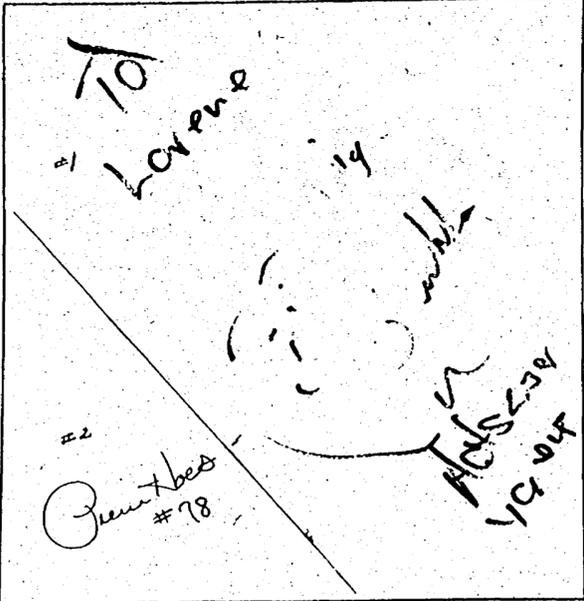
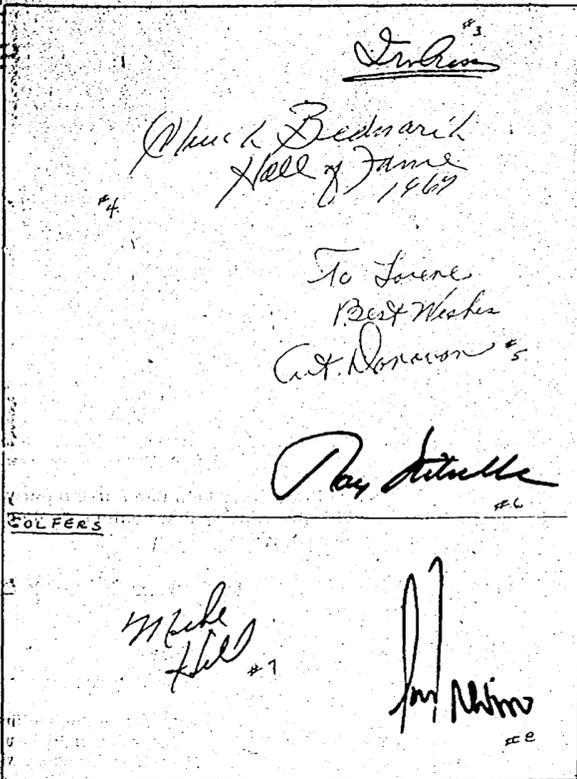
**ON THE DAY** following day our return to Miami, we drove over to Tampa Palms to enjoy the senior pros play golf. Once again, Bernice Mutch and I were busy collecting signatures while our husbands followed the pros trying to pick up golf tips.

You may remember Mike Hill was the mega bucks winner that day with Lee Trevino following close behind (signatures 7-8).

Incidentally, have you heard that golf is a game where you lie in the sun?

Fondly,  
Lorene C. Green

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# Miss America '88 talks about title and her tomorrows at Town Hall

By Pat Schulte  
staff writer

Many young women dream of it. Some 80,000 a year have a chance at it. But, only one can wear the crown of Miss America. Kaye Lani Rae Rafko-Wilson was one of the lucky few.

The former Miss America spoke at Livonia Town Hall at a benefit for First Step, western Wayne County's shelter for the victims of domestic violence.

From the start, the woman with the longest name in the history of the Miss America pageant (and that's before she was married), put to rest the stereotypical "Barbie Doll" label that seems to be synonymous with beauty pageant winners.

With wit and deep feeling, Rafko flowed through a speech that had the audience chuckling and nodding their heads, and at times, crying.

"They put you on this pedestal and I'm telling you I was shaking like a leaf and sweating like a hog, honey," said Rafko, who hails from Monroe.

"In the 25 years that I remember the pageant, it's really changed," said Jeane Enright of Livonia. "You don't see the cutesy, la la girls any more. These girls are really talented."

In 1988, the city of Monroe threw Rafko a giant party before she left for the Miss America pageant in Atlantic City. Rafko was riding on a float and turned to a friend and asked her "What if I win?" Her

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— Kaye Lani Rae Rafko-Wilson

friend responded: "Give me a break... why do you think we're throwing this party now?"

RAFKO WAS following in her mother's footsteps, so to speak. Her mother at one time was Miss Dairy Queen. Before being crowned Miss America, Rafko had entered 14 beauty contests. The first contest she won was Miss Monroe County at age 17. In 1987, she was the Miss Michigan runner-up.

Then it happened. Rafko, decked out in a \$1,200 dress donated by a Grand Rapids bridal shop, standing with the other finalists in their \$10,000 to \$20,000 gowns, all hoping to be crowned Miss America.

Rafko's most memorable moment as her reign as Miss America?

"It was coming home," said Rafko, the oldest of four children. "About 20,000 of the 30,000 residents of Monroe greeted me and threw a huge parade. Heck, I was the only float."

At 5 feet, 10 inches, Rafko has since plopped her crown atop the

head of another in a long series of Miss America winners. She got married last summer to Chuck Wilson, whom she had dated for six years and has taken her noble act on the road.

Nursing, the care for people and their families, is Rafko's career quest in life. It has been for some time. And along with her "Just Say No" speeches to kids and her fund raising for the American Cancer Society and AIDS research, Rafko also acts as the spokeswoman for the American Nurses Association.

When she finishes her nursing promotional tour, Rafko can expect her old job back, 12-hour shifts, nights and weekends, at St. Vincent Medical Center in Monroe, the same hospital where one of her younger male patients used to say "Guess what you guys... Miss America gives me my shots."

"NURSING IS not a profession, it's personal," said Rafko, the 67th Miss America. "I am much prouder of my RN (registered nurse) title than I am of my Miss America title."

In fact, it was one of Rafko's "very special" patients, a woman with leukemia, who convinced Rafko to stick with her Tahitian dance in the talent portion of the Miss America contest. Several contest judges had been trying to convince her to drop it.

Rafko went as far as to dress-up in full Tahitian regalia, complete with grass skirt and massive headdress, and put on a show for the woman... as well as some curious interns.

"She smiled for the first time in months," said Rafko. "You should never give up something that you love, you'll make a wonderful Miss America some day; but, never give up nursing," the woman said.

Around five hours after Rafko was crowned Miss America, the woman died.

The story dropped heads and brought on the sniffles from those in attendance. Rafko switched to a lighter subject — her appearance on "The David Letterman Show."

"They wanted me to do CPR on Letterman," said Rafko. "I told them that I want a pillow on the set. 'Why?' they asked. Because I have to make sure he's (Letterman) not breathing."

When Rafko's finished with her promotional tour, she intends to get back to her nursing career and raise a family. She's shunned the modeling, movie, and television to do something that she feels so strongly about — nursing. In time, she wants to open a hospice.



JIM JAGDFELD/staff photographer

In 1988, the city of Monroe threw Kaye Lani Rae Rafko a party before she left for Atlantic City, a party that continued when she returned as the new Miss America.



photos by JIM JAGDFELD/staff photographer

Small hats. Picture hats. Hats with feathers. Hats with veils. Hats with bows. Hats of all shapes and sizes are in this year and can set a

mood from casual to formal depending on the style.

## Gamma Alpha swings into spring



Primitive and wild jungle prints are popular this season and can be found in the dresses, blouses and pants of Crowley's Carol Little Collection.

IF THERE IS ONE thing that can be said about spring and summer fashions, it would be color.

That's what members of the Gamma Alpha Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, the society of women educators, and their guests found out at the chapter's biennial fashion show, Swing into Spring, recently.

Once again a sell-out crowd was on hand to see fashions for day and evening wear, provided by Crowley's of Livonia Mall, Casual Corner of Wonderland Mall and Caren Charles of Fairlane Towne Center.

Emceeding the show was Marlene Saponic of the Feminine Modeling Agency and Finishing School, who told the audience that 1990 means "color, color, color, and it's very vivid indeed."

"The American woman is smart and sophisticated," Saponic said, "her dressing for the '90s is more relaxed. American women are more secure in their work and personal life and they want clothes that are effortless."

In addition to Feminine models, the show featured Gamma Alpha members Marie Canzoneri, Dorothy Chomicz, Joan Fredericks, Joanne Hughes, Pat Komula, Joan Payzant, Shawn Regan, Lynn Ross, chapter president Fran Saenz and Ozeania Ward.

The chapter holds the dinner and fashion show every other year for the benefit of its scholarship fund. It alternates with seminars which focus on issues relevant to women.

The chapter provides scholarships to women who are pursuing degrees in education. Gamma Alpha was able to offer two scholarships after a successful fashion show benefit in 1988, Saenz said.

"The international organization

was founded in 1929 by a professor at the University of Texas who felt women educators needed a support group to get ahead," Saenz said.

"And they did."

Gamma Alpha has 50 "very active" members who either work in the Livonia or Wayne-Westland school districts or live in the area



Leather is making a fashion statement this spring with short leather jackets paired up with a knee-length leather skirts.

## singles connection

### ● Bethany West

Bethany West, a support group for separated and divorced people, will have its monthly meeting at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 7, at the St. Robert Bellarmine Church, west Chicago at Inkster, Livonia. Ed Roberge, a counselor at the University of Detroit, will speak on communication skills. Admission is \$3. For more information, call Sally at 355-4668./1

### ● Ballroom dancing

Ann Arbor Singles has ballroom dancing 8:30-11:30 p.m. Tuesdays at the Grotto Club, 2070 W. Stadium. For information, call 930-6055 or 971-4480.

### ● Westside Saturday

Westside Saturday Night Singles will have a dance party 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, April 7, at Roma's of Livonia, Schoolcraft west of Inkster Road, Livonia. Admission is \$4. For more information, call the hotline at 277-4242.

### ● Westside Singles

Westside Singles will have a dance party 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Friday, March 30, at Roma's of Livonia, Schoolcraft west of Inkster Road, Livonia. Dressy attire required. For more information, call the hotline at 562-3160.

### ● Voyagers

Voyagers Singles, a group for those 45 years and older, will meet at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, April 7, at St. Paul Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia, to carpool to Ann Arbor's Flower and Garden Show. Dinner will be a Heidi's in Ypsilanti. Cost is \$6. For more information, call 464-3654 or 591-1350.

### ● St. Genevieve

St. Genevieve Catholic Singles, a group for Catholic Singles ages 18-35, meets 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Sundays of the month at 29015 Jamison, south of Five Mile, east of Middlebelt. For information, call 261-6379 or 427-7868.

### ● Sunday Night

Sunday Night Singles hold dance parties 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Sundays at Roma's of Garden City, Cherry Hill at Venoy Road, Garden City. Admission is \$3. For more information, call 425-1430.

### ● Detroit Lutheran Fellowship

Detroit Lutheran Fellowship, an organization for the retired or about to retire singles, will play pinochle at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 7, at the homes of Charlotte Tipton (eastside) and Helen Demby (westside). For more information, call Florence Kears at 278-3579.

### ● Starliters

Starliters 40 and up club has a dance 9 p.m. to midnight Fridays at the Northwest YWCA, 25940 W Grand River, near Beech Daly, Redford. Admission is \$3.75 and includes a live band and refreshments. For information, call 776-9390.

### ● Tri-County

Tri-County Singles will have a dance 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday, March 31, at the Airport Hilton Inn, 1-94 and Merriman Road, Romulus. For more information, call the hotline at 842-7422.

### ● By Myself

By Myself Singles, a Plymouth

based group, meets 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month at Plymouth Library, Main Street. The group will play wallyball at Raquette on Plymouth Road in Livonia at 8:30 p.m. Thursday, March 29. For information, call 680-7765.

### ● Singles bridge

A singles bridge group meets at 7:30 p.m. Mondays at First Presbyterian Church in Northville. Lessons are at 7:30 p.m. Thursdays. For information, call 349-9104 or 420-3177.

### ● Never Married

The Never Married auxiliary of Single Point Ministries meets the third Tuesday of each month at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, on the corner of Six Mile Road, Livonia. For information, call 422-1854.

### ● Parents Without Partners

Wayne/Westland Chapter of Parents Without Partners, a single-parent support group, meets at 8 p.m. the second and fourth Friday of each month at AmVets Post 171, Merriman, Cherry Hill east of Vegy. There will be a speaker at 8:30 p.m., followed by a dance at 9:30 p.m. For information, call 421-7075.

The Livonia/Redford Chapter No. 130 has its general meetings and dances at 8 p.m. the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at Mama Mia's Restaurant, Plymouth Road between Inkster and Middlebelt roads, Livonia. For information, call 464-1969.

Novi/Northville Chapter No. 731 meets at 8:15 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at the Monaghan Knights of Columbus Hall, 19801 Farmington Road, between Seven and Eight Mile, Livonia. For information, call 624-5540.

Downriver Chapter of Parents Without Partners meets 8:30 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays at the Taylor Moose Hall, 9981 S. Telegraph. The chapter also sponsors dances for its members after each meeting and 9 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month. Orientations held for prospective members are held 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays. For information, call 928-4411.

### ● Super Singles

Friday Super Singles will have a blue jeans dance party 7:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Friday, March 30, at the Troy Hilton Inn, Maple Road at 1-75, Troy. Admission is \$3. For information, call 649-4184.

### ● Super BBT

Super BBT Singles will hold a meeting and after glow 6:30-11 p.m. Sunday, April 8, at the Northfield Hilton Hotel, Crooks Road north of Long Lake Road, Troy. Admission is \$3. For more information, call the hotline at 643-6464.

### ● Birmingham-Bloomfield

Birmingham-Bloomfield-Troy Singles and Uptown Singles have a dance 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Fridays at Roma's of Bloomfield, 2181 S. Telegraph, north of Square Lake Road. Admission is \$4. For information, call 322-9227.

### ● Bloomfield-Redwood

Bloomfield-Redwood Singles will have a dance 6-11 p.m. Sunday, March 25, at Northfield Hilton Hotel in Troy. Admission is \$3. For information, call 642-3004.

## clubs in action

Clubs in Action appears on Thursdays. Deadline for items is noon the previous Friday.

### Handcrafters show

The Handcrafters will present an arts and crafts show 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, April 6, and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, April 7, at the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W. Main, Northville. The show will feature the works of more than 65 artists. Admission is \$1.50. For more information, call Sue Smelt at 397-1650 or 459-0628.

### Auto swap

Competition Specialists Auto Club will sponsor an indoor auto swap meet 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, April 8, at the State Fair Grounds, Eight Mile at Woodward, Detroit. Antique, classic and hot rod parts will be featured, along with a large selection of cars. Admission is \$3. For more information, call Dave Lester at 465-9848.

### Widow's Organization

The deadline for the deposit on the Widow's Organization trip to St. Louis is Thursday, April 5. The \$50

check should be made payable to the Widow's Organization and sent to 7129 Jonathon Ave., Dearborn 48126. For more information, call 582-3792.

### Newcomers and Neighbors

The Livonia Newcomers and Neighbors will present a fashion show, "Visions of the '90s," 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, at the Novi Hilton. Dinner starts at 7 p.m. Call Priscilla at 591-0256 for more information.

### Friends of Library

The Redford Township Friends of the Library will hold their spring luncheon at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 3, at Mountain Jack's, Warren Road in Dearborn Heights. Phyllis Woodhouse of Woodhouse Associates will discuss "Long-Term Health Care and What You Need to Know About It." Reservations must be made by Friday, March 30, by calling Ruth Winter at 538-8769.

### XI Zeta

The XI Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, at the home of Joan Smith, 31790 Madison, Wayne. For

more information, call Jane Lupton at 464-6814.

### Walking club

A walking club is looking for people interested in walking in small groups at a slow or moderate pace at 8:30 a.m. in Livonia area malls and parks. Optional restaurant visits will take place for weekly discussions, mutual encouragement and to monitor progress. For information, call 261-4048.

### Toastmasters

Toastmasters International meets 6:30 p.m. Thursdays at Denny's, 7725 N. Wayne Road, Westland. For information, call 455-1635.

### P.E.O. Sisterhood

Many local area members of the P.E.O. Sisterhood will have its annual Founder's Day Celebration Saturday, March 31, at the Hawthorne Valley Club in Westland. A musical program will be presented by Hee-eun Chang from Seoul, Korea. Hee-eun is a P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship student at Michigan State University. P.E.O. was founded as a college sorority at Iowa Wesleyan College, Mount Pleasant, Iowa, in 1869. Today, it is an international organization with 5,530 local chapters.

### Country crafts

Craft Gallery will have a show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 1, at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill, between Merriman and Venoy. Admission is \$2. More than 65 displays of country folk art and seasonal crafts. For information, call 274-7076.

### Embroiderer's Guild

The Livonia Chapter of Embroiderer's Guild of America meets at 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Hubbard, between Five Mile and Six Mile roads, Livonia. For information, call 422-5986.

### Tibetan Buddhism

The Detroit Area Karma Kagyu Study Group offers meditation and discussion of the Buddha's teaching Fridays at Stuckey Elementary School, 26000 Fargo, three blocks west of Eight Mile Road, two blocks south of Beech Daly, Redford Township. For information, call 538-1559.

### Childbirth Association

Plymouth Childbirth Education Association offers a prepared childbirth series starting Monday, April 2, at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Livonia. A Cesarean film strip will be shown at 7 p.m. Saturday, April 2, at Newburg Methodist Church in Livonia. For information, call 459-7477.

### Fashion show

The Association for Retarded Citizens/Northwest Communities will present its 1990 "Spring into Summer" dinner and fashion show at 6 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, at Vladimirs Inc., 28125 Grand River, at the corner of Eight Mile Road. Tickets are \$20 a person. For information, call 937-2360.

### Medical assistants

The Garden City Medical Assistants Association meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month in

Classroom A of Garden City Osteopathic Hospital, Inkster Road north of Ford Road, Garden City.

### TOPS

TOPS, No. 53, meets at 6 p.m. Wednesdays at St. John Episcopal Church, 555 S. Wayne Road, Westland. For information, call 728-0299.

### Family Service

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### Computer club

The Radio Shack color computer owners group, a computer hobby club, meets at 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at the VFW Livonia Post 3941, 29155 W. Seven Mile, east of Middlebelt in Livonia. Free admission and open to the public. For details, call 283-2474.

### Starliters

The Starliters 40 and Up Club has a dance 9-12 p.m. Fridays at the Northwest YWCA, 25940 W. Grand River, at Beech Daly. Cost is \$3.75 and includes a live band and refreshments. For information, call 776-9360.

### Information Center

The Information Center has volunteer opportunities available in information and assistance, care management and Home Share. For information, call 282-7171 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays.

### Weight loss

A weight loss support group that meets Saturdays in Garden City is seeking new members who have a need to deal with overeating as an addiction. Weight is monitored weekly. Emphasis is on behavioral change and finding a lifetime pattern of healthy eating. Registration is limited. Donations for expenses will be accepted. For information, call 261-4048.

### LIVE

A lay support group for adult survivors of child (sexual) abuse meets 7-9 p.m. Mondays at Schoolcraft College, Newman Center, Haggerty Road, north of Six Mile, Livonia.

### Speakers Club

The Advocates Speakers Club meets at 6:30 p.m. Thursdays at St. John's Episcopal Church meeting hall, 555 S. Wayne Road, north of Cherry Hill, Westland. For information, call 427-5005.

### Figurines

The Figurines Diet Club is a non-profit support group that meets at 7 p.m. Mondays at St. Paul Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, at the corner of Inkster Road, Livonia. For information, call 522-9266 or 464-7551.

## BPW scholarship applicants sought

The Garden City Business and Professional Women's Organization will award a \$750 scholarship to a qualified applicant/applicants in May.

The scholarship is available to any woman who is interested in furthering her education and training in order to enter or re-enter the work force. Financial need will be considered.

Applications are available by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Susan Rosiek, Assistant Managing Editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

Completed applications are due

no later than May 1. The application should be typewritten or printed and may include letters of support.

The BPW scholarship is named in honor of Rose Schillawski, a charter member and former president of the Garden City BPW. Schillawski was active in BPW until her death in 1984.

The scholarship recipient will be honored at the club's May meeting.

The Garden City BPW is a local chapter of the state and national federations of BPW/USA, an organization of women and men dedicated to advancing the status of all working women.



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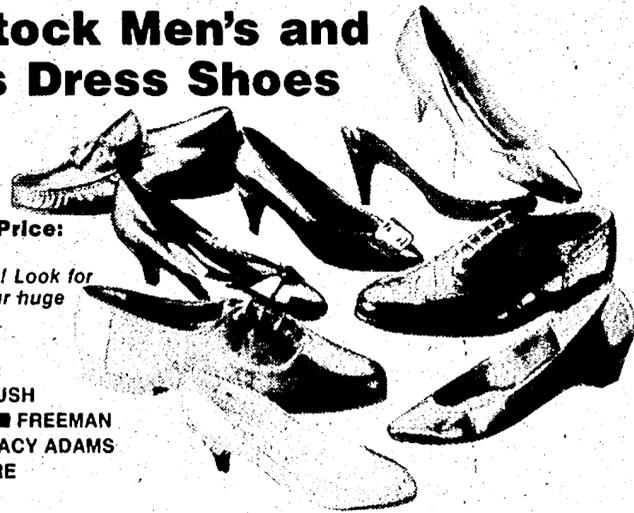
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# Friendship endures time, distance

It's a friendship that's withstood the test of time... and distance.

Bea Grimes of Long Beach, Calif., and Mary Gaglead of Livonia have been friends since 1968, when they met at a Take Off Pounds Sensibly meeting. They had a lot in common. They shared the same birth month — March — and celebrated wedding anniversaries in June. They even share the same religion.

"Seems like there was something about us, we just hit it off right away," Gaglead said.

Like other friendships, the two women shared many joys and tears, but the one thrill that cemented their friendship came in 1979, a thrill marked with more than one coincidence.

At Eastertide that year, the two women exchanged good news. Gaglead's daughter was expecting her first child. Grimes' son and his wife were expecting their second child.

Both grandchildren were due in December, but the women couldn't believe it when the youngsters, both boys, were born by Cesarean section on Dec. 18.

The coincidences didn't end there. Both children were both named Bryan, with both sets of parents opting for the unusual spelling.

**BRYAN SHERMAN** Grimes was born at 7:59 a.m. that day in Torrance, Calif. Bryan David Collett was born at 10:59 a.m. at Sinai Hospital in Detroit. Allowing for the time difference between the two cities, the two Bryans were born at the same minute on the same day.

The two proud grandmothers have gotten the two Bryans together from time to time, the latest was late last year.

You would think that with all those coincidences at birth, the similarities would continue. They do to some extent. Both Bryans enjoy collecting baseball cards and teasing their sisters. But while Bryan Collett is tall and lanky, Bryan Grimes is short and chunky, Gaglead said.

"When they met last year, they got together like they had known each



A scaled down Gaglead-Grimes family portrait includes Bryan Collett (left), his mother Virginia, Mary Gaglead, Bea Grimes, Lisa Grimes and her son Bryan.

other for the longest time," Gaglead said.

Grimes and her husband moved to Long Beach, Calif., in 1981, but the distance hasn't strained the friendship. The two women write each other and have visited each other

from periodically.

Gaglead headed west last March, so the twosome could celebrate their birthdays together. And Grimes headed for Mesa, Ariz., last month to see Gaglead while the later was there visiting her son and his family.

"There's something about the two of us, we just can't let go," Gaglead said. "Usually, the friendship falls by the wayside when you're so far apart, but we've kept in touch. To think we're still friends and still keep in touch..."

## medical briefs/helpline

### Health-O-Rama

Project Health-O-Rama will be at St. Mary Hospital, 36475 Five Mile, Livonia 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, March 31. Free health screenings (blood pressure, vision, glaucoma, pulmonary function, skin cancer and others) will be available as well as optional blood tests and a colorectal cancer tests for \$10 and \$3 respectively. For more information, call 591-2913.

Other Project Health-O-Rama sites are:

- Livonia Mall, Middlebelt at Seven Mile, Livonia, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday, March 26, through Thursday, March 29.

- Wonderland Mall, Plymouth at Middlebelt roads, Livonia, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, April 9-11. The Michigan Cancer Foundation needs volunteers to assist with cancer risk assessments at the site. To volunteer, call 336-4112.

- American Family Care Center, 19900 Haggerty Road, Livonia, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, April 7, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 8. In addition to the aforementioned tests, the center will offer oral dental, podiatry, hearing, skin care mammography (\$50) and body composition (\$2) tests. For information, call 462-1990.

- ADDA — Ch.A.D.D. The Attention Deficit Disorder Association — Ch.A.D.D. of Wayne/Oakland counties is sponsoring a workshop on adolescent issues with ADD children at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 5 at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile Road, Livonia. The workshop by Art Robin, is open to the public, however there is \$5 for non-members. For more information, call 464-8233.

- Leukemia support The Children's Leukemia Foundation will sponsor an adult support group meeting 7-8:30 p.m. Monday, April 2, at the CLF office, 19022 W. 10 Mile Road, Southfield. The group is designed to provide support and effective coping strategies for those battling leukemia, lymphoma and other cancer-related disorders. For more information, call CLF at 353-8222.

- Blood pressure Botsford General Hospital will offer a blood pressure education class 2-3:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 3, in the administration and education center. There is a \$25 program fee. To register, call the Health Development Network at 471-8090. The hospital is at 28050 Grand River, Farmington Hills.

### CLF benefit

The Children's Leukemia Foundation will sponsor a theater benefit at 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 3, for "Wait Until Dark" at the Birmingham Theater. An after-glow will be at the Machus Sly Fox Restaurant in Birmingham. Tickets cost \$25 for the performance (\$50 for patrons, \$100 for benefactors and \$1,000 for sponsors). For information, call the CLF at 353-8222.

### Culinary Hearts

Botsford General Hospital will sponsor Culinary Hearts Kitchen, a five-week course covering the basics of nutrition, food selection and preparation, ways to modify recipes, menu planning at home and eating out and entertaining, being Thursday, April 5. The classes will be 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the hospital, 28050 Grand River, Farmington Hills. There is a \$50 registration fee. For more information, call the Health Development Network at 471-8090.

### AM I

The Alliance for the Mentally III meets at 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays at Suburban West Community Center, 11677 Beech Daly at Plymouth Road, Redford. For more information, call 937-9500.

### Pregnancy classes

Planned Parenthood of Mid-Michigan will offer a three-session early pregnancy class, beginning later this month. The class will focus on the first six months of gestation and is to help pregnant women remain comfortable and healthy. Body image changes, good nutrition, relaxation techniques, pregnancy-specific exercises and the importance of pre-natal care will be discussed. For more information, call 973-0710.

## new voices

**KENNETH MORSE** and **IRENE TSENG** announce the birth of **KATHERINE YA-HSIANG MOISE** Feb. 21 at Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. Grandparents are Katherine Morse of Rochester, Joy Ya-Hsiang Wang of Livonia, George Tseng of Farmington Hills and Eric Morse of Escondido, Calif.

**KEVIN** and **MARY PAGE** of Canton Township announce the birth of **RACHEL NICOLE** Feb. 20 at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn. She has three "big" sisters — Natalie, 13, Elizabeth, 7, and Laura, 6 — and a

"big" brother — Jared, 10. Grandparents are Edward and Helen Kubik of Garden City and Gene and Lois Page of Tennessee.

**KEVIN** and **JO ANNE BROWN** of Livonia announce the birth of **KELLY GRACE** Jan. 30 at Annopolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Ross and Shirley Hulet of Livonia and Kevin and Sarah Brown of Redford Township. Great-grandparents are Mary Grace of Scotland and Florence Brown of Livonia.

**ERIC** and **CAROL THOMAS** of

Livonia announce the birth of **Erik Robert Mark** Jan. 9 at Sinai Hospital. Grandparents are Bob and Mary Lou Lefebvre and Dorothy Thomas, all of Dearborn Heights. Great-grandmother is Lucille Can Corp, also of Dearborn Heights.

**KEVIN** and **KATHLEEN GREEN** of Pacific Palisades, Calif., announce the birth of **MEGAN MARGARET** Dec. 28. Grandparents are Ron and May Pfeiffer of Livonia and Norman and Lorene Green of Fairfield Glade.

**STEVE** and **AMBER DES-TRAMPE** of Wayne announce the birth of **MATTHEW STEVEN** Feb. 19. Grandparents are Richard and

Doris Simmons of Wayne and Walter and Rita Destrampe of Westland. Great-grandparents are Georgia Mounts and Catherine Simmons, both of Wayne, Chuck Simmons of Mount Clemens and Stanley and Genevieve Gibala of Romulus.

**STEVEN** and **KIMBERLY BENSON** of Livonia announce the birth of **COURTNEY MICHELLE** Feb. 6 at Huron Valley Hospital. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Mira and Mr. and Mrs. David Rohde, all of Livonia. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mira of Detroit, Leslie Taylor of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Niznik of Dearborn Heights and Eleanor Belson -



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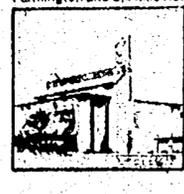
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# Churches spread the word on census

By Julie Brown  
staff writer

U.S. Census Bureau officials, working to get the word out on the 1990 census, have enlisted the help of religious leaders.

This Sunday, April 1, has been declared Census Day, and some area pastors plan to remind worshippers of the importance of filling out census forms.

"Our divisional headquarters actually has inundated us with all kinds of information," said Lt. Jeffrey Brachum, commanding officer of the Plymouth Salvation Army. That office in Southfield has forwarded booklets, bulletin inserts, posters and sample letters to the Plymouth Salvation Army, which serves residents of Plymouth, Canton and Northville.

Beauchamp doesn't have any problem with helping to get the word out about the census. He hasn't found there's much of a need to convince people to fill out the forms.

"It's Scripturally accounted where there were censuses taken. There's nothing non-biblical about it. I'm sure the government needs to know for tax purposes and for management services," he said.

AT SUNDAY services at the Plymouth Salvation Army, a bulletin notice and verbal announcement will

remind worshippers about the census.

Bulletin announcements about the census are also being used at Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Livonia.

"We do plan to work on it, encourage our people to take part," said Kelly Sharkey, communications coordinator for the church. Census reminders will also be given through publications used for individual classes at the church.

Ward Presbyterian Church staffers got lots of material from the U.S. Census Bureau.

"So it makes it pretty easy to pick it up and use it," Sharkey said. "They know what they're doing."

She agreed it's helpful for church officials to work with the U.S. Census Bureau to make people aware of the census.

"We are in a position where we are working with the community in a lot of ways," Sharkey said. Worshippers come to Ward not just from Livonia and the surrounding area but also from Rochester, Ann Arbor and other more distant communities.

A SERMON based on the 1990 census isn't planned at Ward.

"There's more of an Easter emphasis this time of year. The census could be mentioned in church classes," Sharkey said, and talked about as part of the lesson.

Archdiocese of Detroit officials are encouraging people to complete census forms. The archdiocese newspaper, The Michigan Catholic, has been used to spread the word, as has a newsletter sent to parishes from the archdiocese's Catholic Community Services Office.

"Sometimes, it's not looked at as a very important thing," said Brenda Marshall, assistant director of communications for the archdiocese. Parishioners are being encouraged to complete their own census forms and, in some cases, to volunteer or work for the Census Bureau.

Archdiocese officials have emphasized that census data will affect the quality of human services provided for low-income people and others. Filling out the form isn't time-consuming, Marshall said.

"For most people, it will only be a short amount of time." Decisions about promoting the census are left up to individual parishes.

NO CENSUS material arrived at Risen Christ Lutheran Church in Plymouth Township, according to the Rev. K.M. Mehrl, the pastor. He doesn't plan to make any announcements about the census.

"I've been too busy really with other things to pay too much attention to it." He agreed it's fine for churches to spread the word about the census.

"I think certainly the church could be used as a resource for doing something like that," Mehrl said. "Cer-

tainly, the church serves the community."

The Rev. Kenneth Gruebel, pastor at Geneva Presbyterian Church in Canton, received information on the 1990 census.

"They sent us a booklet. I assume most of the churches got a booklet," Gruebel said. "We're not going to do anything major."

A bulletin notice and an announcement at Sunday services will remind worshippers at Geneva to fill out census forms.

"It seems like a small civic responsibility," Gruebel said. "I don't really have any problems with it."

Church officials agreed encouraging people to fill out census forms helps guarantee fair political representation and adequate state and federal funding.

The Salvation Army works with some low-income people; it's important that those people be counted in the census, Beauchamp said.

"We might come in contact with people no one else does. We do say it's very important."

"I want Canton Township to be counted," Gruebel said.

For information on completing the 1990 census questionnaire, call 1-800-999-1990. Telephone assistance is also available in other languages, including Spanish, Cambodian, Chinese, Korean, Laotian, Thai and Vietnamese.

## church bulletin

The church bulletin is published every Thursday in The Observer. Information must be received in the Livonia office by noon the Monday prior to publication.

### Family focus

A James Dobson "Focus on the Family" film will be shown at 7:15 p.m. Friday, March 30, at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial. The film is entitled "Molder of Dreams." In the film, Guy Doud, 1986 National Teacher of the Year, demonstrates how parents mold children's dreams, vision of the future and feelings. For information, call 453-5280.

### Chili cookoff

Chili will be on the menu 6-8:30 p.m. Friday, March 30, at Good Shepherd Reformed Church, 6500 N. Wayne, Westland. Recipes from six of the best cooks at the church will be featured. Donation is \$3 for adults, \$2 for senior citizens, \$1 for children younger than 12. Salad, corn bread and beverages will also be served. Proceeds will support the church's vacation Bible school. For information, call 326-5220.

### Jazz Ensemble

An evening of contemporary jazz will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, March 31, at the St. Aidan Activity Center, 17500 Farmington Road, Livonia. Wayne State University Professor Dennis Tini's Jazz Ensemble will perform. He will perform at the piano, with George Benson on sax, Don Mayberry on bass and Tom Brown on drums. Donation is \$5, and tickets will be available at the door. The concert will be presented by the St. Aidan Cultural Society. For information, call 471-5158.

### Oratorio Society

The Plymouth Oratorio Society

will perform J.S. Bach's "The Passion According to St. John" at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 1. The performance will be in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial. Admission will be free of charge, and a freewill offering will be taken. This is the fourth season for the Plymouth Oratorio Society, a group formed to perform a major choral work each spring. The ecumenical chorus draws 80 singers from 14 communities and 26 churches. The public may attend the performance.

### Unity

Former astronaut Brian O'Leary will speak on "Inner and Outer Space: A Scientist's Perspective on Personal and Planetary Transformation." The program will be from 2-4 p.m. Sunday, April 1, at Unity of Livonia. For information, call 421-1760.

### Easter musical

Temple Baptist Church and Alleluia Orchestra will present "Easter Celebration," a dramatic musical based on the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, 7 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, April 7-8, at the church, West Chicago at Telegraph, Redford. For information, call 255-3333.

### Benefit concert

The Warrendale Community Church, 19700 Ford, will present their minister of music, Ruth Priest, in a benefit concert for the church's radio ministry on WMUZ, at 7 p.m. Friday, March 30. The Warrendale Choir will also sing. For information, call Ruth Priest, 357-2178.

### Choir auditions

Auditions for the Archdiocesan Choir will be from 3-6 p.m. Friday, March 30, and 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, March 31, at the Blessed Sacrament Cathedral in Detroit. In addition

to choral duties, there are also solo and cantoring opportunities. For an appointment, call the Detroit Catholic Archdiocese office, 237-5932.

### St. Genevieve

Wayne State University Department of Music will present "Vesperae Solennes de Confessore," a Mozart piece, performed by University Chorus and Orchestra, at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, April 1, at St. Genevieve Catholic Church, Jamison east of Middlebelt, Livonia. A freewill donation is requested. For information, call 427-5220.

### Assembly of God

Several teens will give testimonials on how God has helped them with drug and alcohol problems at the 11 a.m. worship service, Sunday, April 1, at the Livonia Assembly of God Church, 33015 W. Seven Mile, Livonia.

### Ward Presbyterian

The Teen Choir of Ward Presbyterian Church will present the contemporary musical "People Need The Lord" at 7 p.m. Sunday, April 1. Admission is free. Call 422-1150 for information.

### God's House Cathedral

God's House Cathedral is now sharing facilities with the Wesleyan Church Group, 14560 Merriman at Lyndon, Livonia. Worship is at 3 p.m. Sundays and Sunday School at 2 p.m. For information, call 437-1890.

### Bible speaker

Speaker Marilyn Ganskow will discuss "Growing in Prayer" at a Thursday, April 5, program at the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 W. Church. The program will be from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. She will also discuss the New Life Bible Series, an interdenominational Bible

study program. Babysitting will be available, and reservations must be made for babysitting. For reservations, call 349-6873. For information on the program, call Debbie Stein, 348-1111.

### 'Hallelujah'

The Sanctuary Choir of Detroit First Church of the Nazarene will present "Hallelujah! Hallelujah!" by Phil and Lynne Brower at 4 and 6 p.m. Sunday, April 8, at the church, 21260 Haggerty, north of Eight Mile, Farmington Hills. For information, call 348-7600.

### Lenten retreat

Madonna College, 36600 Schoolcraft, Livonia, will have a Lenten breakfast 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, April 7, in the campus residence hall and chapel. The Rev. John Sajdak will be the presenter. Price is \$8 and will include lunch. Registration will take place at 8 a.m. and Mass at 4:30 p.m. For information, call 591-5126.

### Ward Church

Easter Week at Ward Presbyterian Church will begin with Palm Sunday worship services at 8, 9:15 and 10:45 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. Sunday, April 8. "The Life of Christ," a dramatic musical pageant, will be presented at 7 p.m. that evening and at 7:30 p.m. Monday-Tuesday, April 9-10.

### Solo Flight

Solo Flight, a non-profit organization operating under Single Point Ministries, will present nationally known author and speaker Jim Smoke in a seminar on "Growing Strong at the Broken Places," 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, April 7, in Knor Hall at Ward Presbyterian Church, Six Mile and Farmington roads, Livonia. For information, call Jan Carlton, 422-1854.

### Musical/drama

The Redford Baptist Church, Grand River at Seven Mile, will present the musical/drama "Lamb of Glory" at 7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, April 6-7. Admission is free of charge.

### Leadership workshop

Dr. James F. Engle, a professor at Wheaton College, will conduct a leadership workshop 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, April 7, at Ward Presbyterian Church, Six Mile and Farmington roads, Livonia. There is no charge for the workshop, but a freewill offering will be taken. Call 422-1875 by Thursday, April 5, to register.

### White Breakfast

A "White Breakfast" will be at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 11, at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial, west of Sheldon in Plymouth Township. The breakfast, which will feature a gospel singing program, is sponsored by the United Methodist Women. Tickets are available at the church office. For information, call 453-5280.

### Good Friday

A Good Friday service will be from noon to 1 p.m. Friday, April 13, at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, 39020 Five Mile, Livonia. The inter-

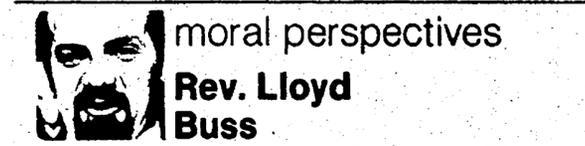
church service will include a number of Livonia congregations: Church of the Savior, Reformed; Grand River Baptist; Holy Trinity Lutheran; Nativity United Church of Christ; Riverside Park Church of God; Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian; St. Edith Catholic Church; St. Matthew's United Methodist; and St. Timothy Presbyterian Church. An interchurch choir will perform during the service.

### Life Care Ministries

People who have a problem and need someone to talk to can call a Christian telephone listening service operated by Life Care Ministries. The service is operated noon to 11 p.m. Monday through Saturday. The phone number is 427-LIFE.

### A.C.T.I.O.N. ministries

A.C.T.I.O.N. Ministries is an auxiliary of Single Point Ministries, a Single Adult Ministry of Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. The group is open to all single adults. It provides educational and support services to meet the needs of individuals during career transitions. The group meets at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month in the Lighthouse of Ward Church. For information, call 422-1854.



moral perspectives

Rev. Lloyd Buss

## We must show desire to help

"What your congregation should know about the 1990 census." Vintage U.S. government printing. A stark brochure with a stark message. Be counted and count (which is to say... exercise the power you are).

The 1990 census will affect our representation in local, state and federal government. Federal aid to our communities and region is based on census information. Local planning for services and schools is based on census results.

For those who fear unwelcome consequences to census information, the brochure assures census confidentiality. The IRS, Immigration, Welfare Services and others will not be allowed to see our answers for 72 years. In 2062, our answers will no longer be a threat. Until then, only the Census Bureau knows how we have responded to their questions.

II Samuel 24 is vintage Scripture. King David determines to count the people of Israel and Judah and assigns the task to Joab and the army.

JOAB DARES to ask why, and he is instructed to count, not question. Nine months and 20 days later, Joab reports the figure to King David, who immediately recognizes the entire project as a monumental mistake.

It might be an understatement to observe that the explanation for this mistake is not exactly clear. King David's census, however, ends in the loss of many lives before the whole matter is resolved.

There is a marked difference between power and service, and some would suggest that King David was only interested in counting the men available for military conscription. Nations have risen and fallen on the numbers of soldiers engaged in battle.

There are exceptions, but the rule

of thumb that numbers dominate has been accepted as a principle of warfare, and learning the strength (number) of the opposition has always been a strategy of war. Perhaps King David was doing what every other nation was doing.

Wanting to count the people should not be cause for complaint... unless the count is meant for the wrong purpose. Nowhere has it been suggested that the 1990 census will help us count the people available for military service.

BUT THE brochure mailed to the congregation I serve as pastor implies the purpose of the count to be the exercise of power in local, state and federal government, and in the returning of money to schools, senior citizens centers, job training and other programs in our community.

The open hand, extended to help, can be quickly closed or left open, as the person may decide. It depends on motive. The open hand can be extended to serve, or it can be extended to wield power.

Food and clothing, shelter and employment can be offered to develop loyalty and can be withheld for betrayal of cause and party.

The 1990 census will affect representation in all levels of government, and the flow of funds for services and schools, but our primary concern should not be the power of number but the service of need.

Feeding the hungry, clothing the naked, sheltering the homeless — all depend on our knowing who they are and where they might be. Understanding our care and concern for them is something more important than just making sure we're counted so that we count.

The Rev. Lloyd Buss is pastor of the Abingdon Lutheran Church in Rochester Hills.

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# Flag issue loses steam in House

WASHINGTON — Here's how area members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes in the week ending March 23.

## HOUSE

**TO FUND COMMITTEES** By a vote of 349 for and 71 against, the House approved a partial committee budget for 1990 of \$56.8 million, up 4.8 percent over the comparable 1989 authorization and 10.5 percent over actual spending last year. The measure (H Res 346) will fund about half the cost of the Houses approximately 180 committees and subcommittees and subcommittees, with the remainder supplied by separate legislation.

Members voting yes supported the committee funding.

Area members who voted yes were: Dennis Hertel, D-Harper Woods; William Ford, D-Taylor; Sander Levin, D-Southfield; and William Broomfield, R-Lake Orion.

Carl Pursell, R-Plymouth, voted no.

## Roll Call Report

**RURAL DEVELOPMENT** By a vote of 360 for and 45 against, the House sent to the Senate a bill (HR 3581) delivering federal aid to depressed rural areas. At an estimated cost of more than \$2 billion over five years, the bill starts new programs, realigns current ones and gives states more voice in funding decisions. It shifts certain programs from the Farmers Home Administration to a new Rural Development Administration.

Members voting yes in support of the bill were: Hertel, Ford, Levin and Broomfield.

Pursell voted no.

**FLAG ISSUE** The House voted 309 for and 101 against to withdraw from the U.S. Supreme Court its be-

lief for the 1989 law making it a crime to desecrate the American flag. This vote on (H Res 362) was a victory for Republicans who would rather protect the flag by constitutional amendment. They objected that the Democratic-approved brief asked the court to rule on the flag last in the term beginning in October. They saw this as a delaying tactic by Democrats who want to preserve the statute.

Area members who voted yes to withdraw the flag brief from the Supreme Court were: Pursell, Hertel, Levin, and Broomfield.

Ford voted no.

## SENATE

**CLEAN AIR BILL** By a vote of 62 for and 46 against, the Senate tabled

(killed) an amendment to put tougher, more costly controls on automobile emissions. The measure went beyond tailpipe controls negotiated into a pending clean-air bill (S 1630) by the White House and Senate Democrats. For example, it sought to require catalytic converters that will last 100,000 rather than 50,000 miles, a mandatory second round of tailpipe restrictions and more rapid introduction of cleaner-burning fuels.

Both Michigan Senators Donald Riegle-D and Carl Levin-D voted yes to kill the amendment.

**TO SUPPORT LITHUANIA** By a vote of 36 for and 59 against, the Senate rejected an amendment to S 1630 (above) urging President Bush to formally recognize Lithuania's assertion of independence from the Soviet Union.

Riegle and Levin voted yes in support of U.S. recognition of Lithuania.

## Congressional delegation rated

	ADA	AFL-CIO	CCUS	ACU
<b>U.S. Representatives</b>	(20)	(12)	(10)	(25)
Carl Pursell, R-Plymouth	30	8	100	57
Dennis Hertel, D-East Detroit	90	100	30	12
William Ford, D-Taylor	95	91	40	0
John Dingell, D-Dearborn	75	82	20	8
Sander Levin, D-Southfield	95	100	20	0
William Broomfield, R-Lake Orion	20	9	100	88
<b>U.S. Senators</b>	(20)	(10)	(8)	(24)
Carl Levin, D	80	100	25	14
Don Riegle, D	85	100	38	12

Ratings are the percentage of a legislator's votes in accordance with an organization's position on selected issues. (Number of issues considered for rating purposes is in parenthesis)

ADA - Americans for Democratic Action  
 AFL/CIO - American Federation of Labor / Congress of Industrial Organizations  
 CCUS - Chamber of Congress of the United States  
 ACU - American Conservative Union

Source: Congressional Quarterly

# S'craft spreads its poetry honors around Comedy on tap at SC

Poets from near and far were judged winners in the 1990 Schoolcraft College Poet Hunt.

First place honors went to Amalia Gldhart of East Lansing. Other winners included Joe Dionne, Grawn, second place, and Robert

McDonald, Southfield, third place. Honorable mention went to Sophia Rivkin, Southfield; Dan Featherston, Riverview; and Josie K earns, Flint.

Roughly 800 entries were submitted in the statewide competition, sponsored by Schoolcraft, the De-

troit Council of the Arts and the Michigan Council for the Arts.

Awards will be presented 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 23, by poet Alice Fulton, this year's contest judge, in ceremonies at the college Liberal Arts Theater. The ceremony is free

and open to the public.

Winning works will also appear in the 1990 issue of "The MacGuffin," the college literary magazine.

Schoolcraft is at 18800 Haggerty, between Six and Seven Mile roads, Livonia.

Schoolcraft College's Theater Department continues its winter season with performances of the Neil Simon comedy "Plaza Suite."

The Schoolcraft production debuts Sunday, April 1. Repeat performances will be given Friday, April 6, and

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# Get ready: Earth Day coming

Celebrating the 20th anniversary of Earth Day this year can be accomplished in many ways.

People can participate in several events around southeastern Michigan to learn more about the environment. Several groups involved with the environment will be providing information on how to live more environmentally conscious.

Teachers can use the Earth Day ideas a forum from which they can teach many disciplines.

That is one of the nice things about the natural world. It integrates everything.

**MATH TEACHERS** can talk about calculating the concentrations of chemicals in water, or measuring the size of oak trees in the area and calculating the number of squirrels they may sustain.

Chemistry teachers can use Earth

Day to talk about how simple household chemicals may be toxic if disposed of improperly. They could even talk about the most important chemical reaction that maintains life on Earth — photosynthesis.

Biology teachers have many avenues of study — endangered species, habitat specificity, genetic diversity and any number of other topics.

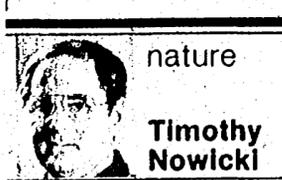
It is obvious that the sciences can be well represented when using Earth Day as a focus of discussion.

**BUT LET us not forget** the arts and humanities.

Art teachers can take their classes to a natural area and have them sketch, paint or sculpt natural subjects.

If at all possible, go to the natural site. Do not bring in a simple sampling of a subject.

In order to really represent a sub-



nature

Timothy Nowicki

ject well, the artist must "feel" the subject. One cannot really get to know the subject unless it is in context with everything else.

Students would not get to experience the elements that shape the life of their subjects, if they only used specimens in a studio.

**THE SAME** is true of English class.

Reading the classics typically represented in a humanities class is one way of exposing students to the

natural world that the poets often used as inspiration.

But take them out in the fields and let them "feel" those things for themselves and write their own thoughts down.

Teachers could also include the writings of some classic nature writers, like Muir, Burroughs, Olson and Leopold. They incorporated many of the literary techniques that need to be taught, and students would also be learning about the natural world.

Exposing students to the natural world and experiencing it through numerous disciplines will really inculcate the purpose behind Earth Day.

Tim Nowicki is a naturalist at Independence-Oaks County Park in Oakland County. He lives in Livonia.



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## Pets of the week

Wally, a standard poodle, and Dude a calico kitten, need homes. Wally (Control No. 276797) is house broken, friendly and good with children. Dude (Control No. 269863) is a litter-trained female, who is also good with children. To adopt these pets or others, or to check for lost pets, call the Westland Kindness Center of the Michigan Humane Society, 721-7300. The center is at 37255 Marquette, Westland.

# Measles-like disease causing concern

Wayne County Health officials are warning parents to be on the lookout for "fifth disease" a new, measles-like ailment also known as Hungarian measles.

County health officials have notified schools and day care centers about the virus, which isn't considered as serious a health risk as measles itself.

"It's not the same as measles, in fact it's a much milder disease," said Dr. Donald Lawrenchuk, county medical director.

A rash, characterized by a "slapped cheek" appearance that randomly comes and goes, fifth disease isn't considered a serious health risk.

Those with the ailment don't have to be quarantined. However, parents

are urged to take their child to a doctor as soon as possible if the symptoms appear.

Return to school can occur as soon as the child feels better. "As long as they feel OK they can return to school," Lawrenchuk said.

Pregnant women are alerted to be on the watch for the disease — especially if they are teachers or others

who come into contact with a large number of children.

"There is a small, theoretical risk to pregnant women," Lawrenchuk said.

Thus far, 264 cases have been reported statewide. As of last week, only one had been reported in Wayne County.

"The report we had was from a

Ferris State College student who is now at home with parents in Dearborn Heights," Lawrenchuk said.

Formally known as erythema infectiosum, it is called fifth disease because it was the fifth such virus so identified.

Like measles it is transmitted through respiratory droplets passed by coughs and sneezes.

# Spine care tips offered

A one-day seminar on spinal health care will be offered by the Schoolcraft College continuing education services division 7-9 p.m. Thursday, April 12.

The seminar offers tips on early detection of spinal disease and home

maneuvers for spinal disease prevention.

Call 462-4448 for information. Schoolcraft is at 18600 Haggerty, between Six and Seven Mile roads, Livonia.

## Kite safety is in focus

With kite flying season on the way, Consumers Power is offering safety tips to youngsters and their parents.

Kites should be flown in an open field, away from power lines, said John Robbins, Consumers Power west district manager.

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## business people

Kevin McRae of Livonia was appointed manager, marketing services at Kolon, Bittker and Desmond Inc. in Troy. Before joining KB&D, McRae was the marketing director and sales manager for Lason Systems Inc.

Robert E. Wisniewski of Canton Township was named director, production services, at Automated Tracking Systems Inc. in Hudson, Ohio. Wisniewski had been manager, collateral protection insurance at the American Road Insurance Co. in Dearborn, a subsidiary of the Ford Motor Co.

Scott D. Williams of Redford Township was appointed installment loan officer with Comerica Bank-Detroit, the principal subsidiary of Comerica Inc. Williams joined the company in 1988 as an assistant product manager. He received a bachelor of arts degree in 1975 from Michigan State University and a master of business administration degree in 1987 from the University of Michigan.

Gordon W. St. John of Livonia was elected chief executive officer and treasurer of Bosquet & Co., a Detroit independent insurance agency. St. John joined the company in 1970. Most recently, he was treasurer and executive vice president. He is on the traffic commission for the city of Livonia and was president of the University Club.

David J. Yankovich of Livonia joined the Southfield office of First of Michigan Corp. as a registered representative. Yankovich was previously with Dean Witter Reynolds.

Bryan Van Doornik, office manager at Livonia Mazda, earned membership in the Mazda Office Managers' Guild for 1989.

Kelly Szabo of Redford Township was promoted to media buyer from junior media buyer with Campbell-Mithun-Esty Advertising in Southfield.

James T. Pappas of Livonia was elected a vice president and stockholding partner of Fusco, Shaffer & Pappas Inc. architects in Southfield.



McRae



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Williams



St. John

Pappas has been with the firm since 1984. He graduated from Lawrence Technological University in 1981. He is responsible for overall architectural/engineering services.

Dr. Bohdan Z. Danysh joined the Oakwood Hospital medical staff in Dearborn. He is a specialist in obstetrics and gynecology.

Kevin R. Groth of Livonia was named Employee of the Quarter with Keith Stevens Co. Groth is a management consultant with the Minnesota firm.

Todd R. Seroka of Canton Township was appointed a manager in Andersen Consulting's Detroit office. Seroka specialized in Foundation

tools and CASE tools applications. A 1984 graduate of Eastern Michigan, he received a master of science degree in management from Colorado State University.

Beth Trujillo, a hair stylist and technical trainer in the Shears at Sears salon in Livonia, received the International Employee of the Year award from Glemby International, a hair care and beauty com-

pany. Trujillo joined Shears at Sears 13 years ago as a stylist.

Scott E. McKelvey of Plymouth joined the First of America Bank-Ann Arbor as an assistant vice president and trust officer. McKelvey had worked seven years at another Michigan bank, including three as a trust officer. He has a bachelor of business administration degree from Eastern Michigan University as well as a degree from the American Banker's Association's National Trust School at Northwestern University.

Craig Martin of Livonia joined the Ritz-Carlton of Dearborn as food and beverage director. Before taking the position, Martin was food and beverage director of Houston's Warwick Hotel and also director of restaurants at the Opryland Hotel in Nashville, Tenn.

## Index shows economy is improving in Detroit

Detroit's economy advanced in the 1989 fourth quarter to its highest point in five years, according to an economic measure issued today by Grant Thornton, a national accounting and management consulting firm with offices here.

The index, a quarterly composite of seven equally weighted economic indicators collected for 24 major U.S. metropolitan areas for the past five years, climbed 0.98 points in Detroit, to 110.6 in the fourth quarter, from a revised value of 109.7 in the third quarter.

This is the second consecutive quarter in which the index for Detroit has increased. On average, the index of all two dozen cities rose 0.87 points in the fourth quarter, to 109.5. For the year, the index increased 1.05 points in Detroit and an average of 0.75 points among all cities studied.

IMPROVEMENT IN factory hours and business failures offset

weakness in retail sales to contribute to the increase in the Grant Thornton Index for Detroit in the fourth quarter, said Russell F. Agosta of Grant Thornton's Detroit office.

Detroit's improvement in factory hours — a measure of future economic activity — was greater in the fourth quarter than that of all metropolitan areas studied except Chicago, Miami and Atlanta. In addition, only Los Angeles, Minneapolis and Chicago registered more of a quarterly improvement in business failures than did Detroit.

AT THE same time, Detroit's quarterly retail sales were weaker than those of more than two-thirds of the metropolitan areas tracked. Around the country, the index increased in all metropolitan areas studied in the fourth quarter, except Seattle. For the year, the index rose in all cities except Boston, Phoenix, Ariz., and Cleveland.

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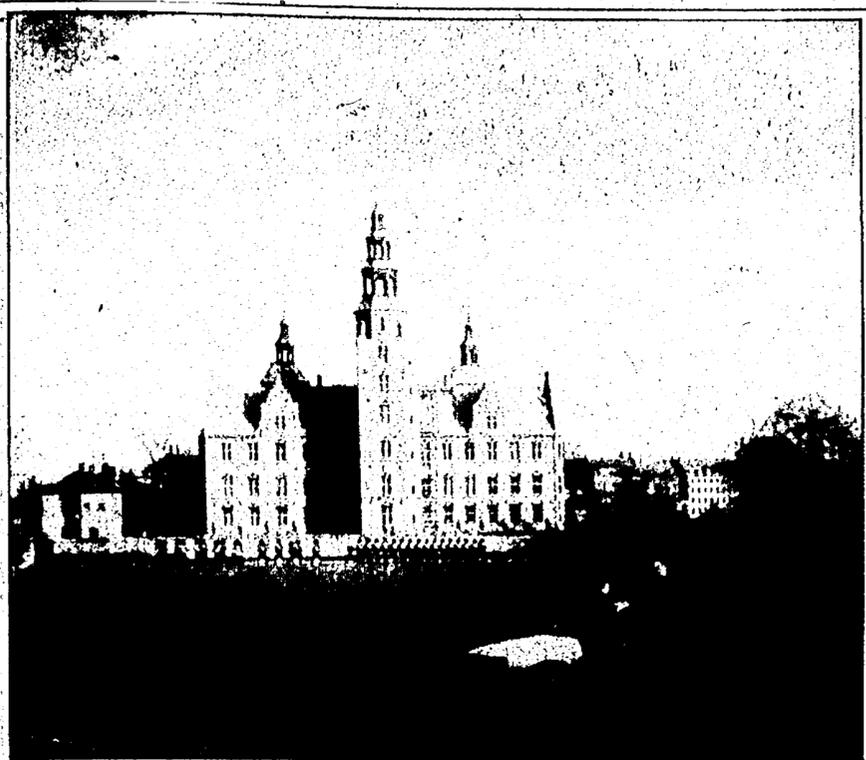
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## Cobblestone streets are filled with evening revelers

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**BACK ON THE** mainland, the big tourist attraction in Copenhagen, Tivoli, is a happy amusement park with carnival atmosphere located in the center of town. Tivoli is well known for its roller coaster, but the ride is really overrated so don't expect much. During the evening, Tivoli grounds are romantically lit with concerts, shows and fireworks that shoot regularly on Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday.

If you're into castle enchantment, you will be dazzled by the Rosenborg Castle. The crown jewels are contained in the castle which is located off Solvgade, in the Botanical Gardens.

• **When to go:** Copenhagen is most active in July and August, but the town is notably vibrant all year round. Temperatures stay in the 60s and 70s throughout summer and during winter months settle near 40 degrees.

• **Tourist information:**  
In Copenhagen: Danmarks Turistrad, H.C. Andersen Blvd. (tel. 11 13 25) Pick up copies of "Copenhagen This Week" and "After Midnight" a night life guide.  
In Detroit: The Royal Danish Consulate, 4113 North Woodward Ave., Royal Oak, 48072, (313)549-3666.

• **Airline information:**  
Northwest and TWA fly to Copenhagen from Detroit Metro Airport. Or contact Scandinavian Air-

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• **Traveling through Europe:**  
If you are traveling to or from Copenhagen, touring other European cities, the best way to go is by rail.

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filled with artifacts from the Ice Age to the Vikings and up to the 20th Century. Or head over to Ny Carlsberg Glyptotek for a peek at French Impressionist work and 19th Century Danish art.

**THERE ARE** many hotels and pensions in Copenhagen, but they fill quickly during the summer months so make reservations.

Nyhavn 71, although very expensive, is said to be well worth it with a view of the canal and harbor and big enchanting rooms.

The Savoy hotel, near Tavoli on Vesterbrogade, is part of the Best Western group and known for its central location in the city.

For a cheap yet charming place, stay at Skovshoved Hotel on Strandvejen. This place is situated in a peaceful fishermen's village with good bus connections to the city center.

Copenhagen is a great starting point for European travels. We toured on by rail to Hamburg, Germany. A train leaves daily at Central Station for Hamburg and the ride is a magnificent trip. After about two hours on board, the train will lodge itself onto a ferry which carries the railcars across the waters with a great view of the Baltic Sea.

Passengers are allowed to get out of the railcars on the ship and take in some fresh air on deck or dine in the ships cafeteria. When the ferry lands in Germany, passengers take their place back in the railcars and travel on to Hamburg. It was a peaceful way to leave the delightful city of Copenhagen.

## Smoking restrictions set

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— Everywhere except a portion of the lounge on other trains requiring reservations.

— Coach cars of reserved-seat double-decker Superliners west of Chicago. Currently, Amtrak allows smoking in the last four rows of Superliner coaches. The new policy will limit Superliner smoking to the lower level of the lounge car, she said.

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— Stations smaller than 1,100 square feet.

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On all trains currently, Amtrak designates certain cars as smoking cars, or certain areas in a car as smoking areas.

**THE NEW** three-car restriction

"will affect a number of trains in the East, some in the Midwest and one in the Northwest," she said. "Seventeen routes will have some trains that at least on some days have no smoking at all."

Amtrak's ultimate goal is to separate the 25 percent of its passengers who smoke from the 75 percent who do not, Ms. Martin said. Toward that end, Amtrak will begin locating its smoking cars at the front or rear of unreserved trains so non-smokers need not walk through smoking areas to reach their seats.

Amtrak is not banning smoking altogether because "it simply doesn't make good business sense," Ms. Martin said.

The Amtrak policy was criticized by the Tobacco Institute, the smoking industry lobby.

"Once again we're seeing unneces-

sary regulation above and beyond what is necessary," said spokesman Thomas Lauria.

"Train travelers have accommodated each other, smokers and non-smokers alike, ever since we've had trains," Lauria said. "Obviously this is an attempt to put smokers in the back of the bus once again."

Lauria said he expected resistance from smokers to the ban on smoking in small stations.

Lautenberg and Durbin, a member of the House transportation appropriations panel, said after the Feb. 25 beginning of their airline smoking ban that they would turn their attention to railroads.

"It is my hope that eventually non-smokers will be able to ride smoke-free on all forms of public transportation," Durbin said.

## Scandinavian straits on tour

Members of the Wayne State University Alumni Association are looking for travelers to join them July 14-28, in a 15-day tour of the scenic shores of Scandinavia.

The group will be touring Denmark, Sweden and Norway, with main stops in Copenhagen, Stockholm and Oslo.

In Copenhagen, tourists will see the sights of the Little Mermaid, Tivoli Gardens, the Royal Palace and the Nyhavn Harbor. Time will also be designated to roam the Danish cobblestone streets.

After three days in Copenhagen, participants will board a cruise ship for an overnight sail to Oslo, which includes a Scandinavian smorgasbord buffet.

The six stops in Norway are: Oslo, Ulvik, Bergen, Balestrand, Standa and Lillehammer. The magnificent

fiords, valleys and waterfalls of the Norwegian countryside will give tourists a close look at sights such as Steinfossen Waterfall, Vika Mountain and Boya Glacier.

The group will pass Lom and the grand Gudbrandsdalen Valley to arrive in Lillehammer, the host of the 1994 Winter Olympics.

The Norwegian tour will include shopping time in Oslo and a peak at some of the newest additions to the city center. Also in Norway, participants will explore the home of composer Edvard Grieg and the Fantoft Stave Church along with a lot of Hanseatic architecture.

A train ride from Oslo will carry participants to Stockholm, Sweden's capital. Visits to the Royal Palace, the 13th Century Gamla Stan and City Hall will fill a day in Stockholm. The remainder of the trip will

be spent shopping in and catching up on unscheduled sights.

A Farewell Dinner Party will be presented for the last evening in Scandinavia, celebrated at the Sergei Plaza Hotel in Stockholm.

The tour package includes round-trip airfare, 12 nights accommodations, scenic cruise and train passages, daily breakfast and two Scandinavian dinner parties. As a WSUAA guest, the tour price is \$2,399 based on double occupancy.

For more information on the Scandinavian holiday, please contact Chuck Randolph Travel & Tours at (313)645-5050.

### Travelers write in

If you're an avid traveler or just a once a year vacationer, the Observer & Eccentric wants you to share your travel stories. We are eager to take a peek at your travel diary and let our readers follow your advice on where to go and what to do.

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## Ode to a travel agent

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**I WON'T** tell you all the byways that Janet followed, but she stayed on the phone with another determined soul called Monica, a ticket agent for Southwest Airlines, until she found a flight to Phoenix and a morning flight the following day from Phoenix to L.A.

The return was more complicated, because my companion could only get the special rate if he flew at certain hours. Jan put us on the same

flight L.A. to Phoenix and on two separate flights from Phoenix to Detroit. The total cost for the two sets of tickets was \$490.41, almost \$400 less than it had been when I sat down less than an hour before.

Not all travelers are willing and able to bend their travel schedules to save those dollars and not every travel agent is like Janet Kern. But I've got \$400 in my pocket to prove that a really dedicated travel agent can definitely save you money.

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## crossroads

### Ode to a travel agent

By Iris Sanderson Jones  
contributing travel editor

Today, Iris Jones begins a new travel column, Crossroads, as an addition to the travel section. The column will appear weekly offering tips and tales about adventures around the world.

Have you ever wondered if a travel agent can save you money?

You should have been sitting on my shoulder when I sat across from Janet Kerns in the Lathrup Village Office of the American Automobile Association(AAA). I gave her an impossible task: find two low-priced airline tickets from Detroit to Los Angeles on a week's notice. She performed a miracle and saved me several hundred dollars.

Like many of you, I buy my airline tickets as inexpensively as possible. I could have bought Detroit-LA tickets for under \$200 during any of the Great Ticket Spectaculars of the last six months.



Iris Jones

They seem to give tickets away in August, in October, even in January. One airline would slash prices and the rest would follow.

Unfortunately, there were no spectaculars in sight when I needed tickets to LA. It was too late to purchase 14 day, 21 day or 30 day advance tickets — the prices go down as the number of days goes up. I had one week and would have to pay for the tickets that day.

I signed in at the AAA office at 4:40 p.m.; they close at 5:30 p.m.

I'm a member of the Automobile Club of Michigan and have always been a fan, but you don't need to be a member to buy airline tickets or book other travel from them. AAA is the biggest travel agent in the state.

I SIGNED in, waited my turn, and was led to a desk by a cheerful blonde in a navy blue suit. I didn't know her, she didn't know me, but the sign on the wall at the back of her cubicle read "Janet Kerns, Travel Counselor."

"Can you find me any low-priced tickets to Los Angeles next Wednesday," I said.

"Seven day advance tickets," she said as she put on her telephone earphones and started tapping on the computer. "They are going for about \$435. How many tickets?"

"Two. That's nearly \$900 for two tickets. Any chance of getting them for less than that?"

Janet clicked away, talking to me as the numbers came up. American, United, Continental. "Continental's just under \$400, that's the best so far."

"I didn't want to give you all the bad news at once," I said, "but we need to be in L.A. before noon!"

"Too bad we can't get you on Southwest, they have good fares, but they extended their coupon offer and everything's booked going west. You never know, let's look."

She called Southwest but the only flight that got in before noon was fully booked in Q-class. That's what they call the low-cost fare, Q-fare.

Most travel agents would have stopped there but Janet is a determined soul. "Is your travel companion a child by any chance?"

"No, he's over 60."

"AHA!" and she started typing furiously again. "American gives 10 percent off to anyone who is a member of AARP." That's the American Association of Retired Persons. Other airlines have retiree rates too, but none of them could get us into Los Angeles before noon Wednesday.

"Can you go a day ahead and stay overnight?"

"Not in L.A., but I wouldn't mind an overnight in Phoenix, does that work?"

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# Copenhagen

## a free-spirited Danish adventure

By Noreen Flack  
staff writer

When touring Europe this summer, be sure to fit Copenhagen into your plans.

This charming, yet often overlooked city is sure to surprise you with its ancient cobblestone streets and free-spirited Danish culture.

Copenhagen, Denmark's capital, lies on the Danish island of Zealand and is the biggest and liveliest of the Scandinavian cities.

The streets in town are filled with young and "young at heart" folks, out and about, eating and drinking in outdoor cafes and listening to music in the center square. You'll get the same European charm other large cities offer, without the intense cultural mishmash.

The pedestrian drag, Stroget, is a wide-open cobblestone street filled with wonderful Scandinavian clothing stores and shops. The walk seems endless with each store bringing on a new European-style in shoes, scarves and hats. The end of the drag opens up to the city center with peddlers offering great bargains on jewelry, trinkets and food.

DURING MY TRAVELS, my friends and I became regular explorers of the beautiful canals near the harbor, our favorite area in the city. Nyhavn, a canal lined with boats and seaside cafes, was once a strip filled with sailors and rowdy bar room brawlers.

The place is pretty mellow now and offers a peaceful stroll down by the docks between pubs. Most of these places are pretty cheap, and the friendly people who run these small joints enjoy practicing their English.

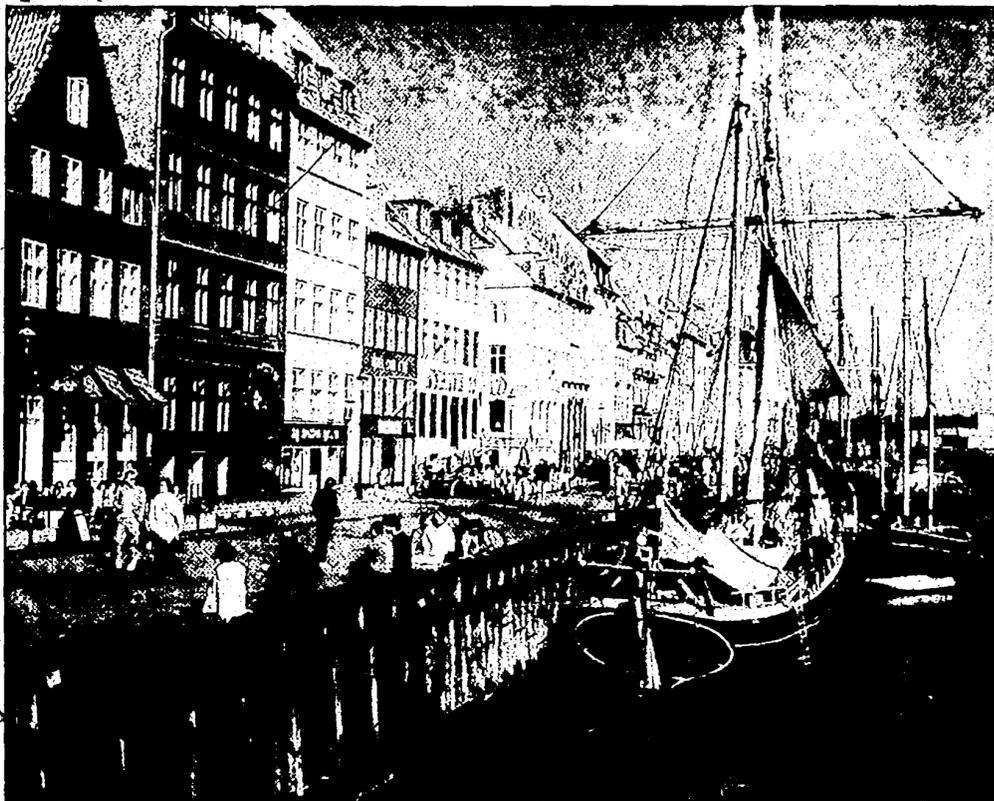
There is so much to do for nightlife in Copenhagen, the days seem endless. We were surprised that many of the bars and restaurants don't close until 5 a.m. and by that time the early-morning cafes are opening to serve a hearty breakfast. So try not to run yourself down during the day; you'll regret missing some of the best jazz in the world.

The Jazzhaus was a hard club to find, hidden away down the pedestrian street Norregade, but that place was well worth the adventure. If you go, search it out. Jazzhaus brings in internationally known artists along with excellent local bands.

If you want to dance to some traditional jazz music, go to the Foyer Scenen on Magsstraede.

TIVOLI GARDENS is a central place lined with bars such as Sluketter and Faergekroen with contemporary folk music to traditional jazz. We found ourselves joining in the sing-alongs even though our Danish was pretty weak.

We agreed that the best music in



Nyhavn, the harbor area, is a great meeting place and always active in Copenhagen

town was played at the Irish Pub. There is really nothing Irish about the place which is filled with long-haired, blond Danish men singing the blues. These guys would give some of the greatest New Orleans bands a run for their money.

I missed the world famous Copenhagen Jazz Festival which is celebrated in July—if you plan to go make reservations, the town will be bursting with tourists.

Like other Scandinavian countries, Denmark enjoys a very high standard of living. High quality porcelain and silverware have become popular products imported to the U.S.

DON'T BE MISLED by Danish currency, the kroner. Although you may receive approximately 6kr to the dollar, kroner go fast when you pay 150kr, or \$25, for a reasonable dinner.

Copenhagen has a great bus and train system but the city is best seen on foot, so wear your walking shoes; there's a lot to do. If you're out late and miss the last train back to your hotel, flag down a taxi. Most drivers will pull up in a Mercedes Benz and

are very polite, unlike most of our New York City cab drivers.

When you arrive in Copenhagen, orient yourself in the Radhusplads or Town Hall Square. You'll receive much help from the tour guides and you'll actually be sitting in the center of Copenhagen.

THE DANES are some of the friendliest people you'll ever meet, and most of them speak English very well. So don't hesitate to ask for help.

For a good view of the city, try the endless spiral stairs of Freslers Kirkes Tårn which leads to a twisted tower in Town Hall Square. The tour guides to the tower make the exhausting trip up the stairs at least five times a day, so don't try to keep up with them.

LIVING UP TO its free-spirited reputation, Denmark is the only country where you will find a place like Christiania, a tax-exempt experimental living project. This "free society" with limited or no laws, is a 10-minute bus ride from Central Station, on an island isolated from the

city. The society was founded in 1971 by youthful squatters and continues to be a controversial issue in Europe.

During World War II, the island of Christiania was used as a concentration camp while Denmark was occupied by Nazi Germany.

Today, a trip to Christiania will give you flashbacks filled with '60s counter culture and hippie regalia. The place is mainly occupied by harmless junkies and freaky free-love folks who run shack-like work-shops and houses.

Loppen, a bar just through the entrance of Christiania, is a pretty heavy scene that features hard rock, jazz and funk music. Expect it all, from legal drug use to dog's laying on the counter. How these people actually survive is a question not worth pursuing. And as harmless as they may be, the shock of their lifestyle may scare you. But if you're a brave traveler looking for new adventures to blunder into, go for it. You'll never forget it and there is no place like it on the planet.

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## Celebrate spring Japanese style

Thousands of winter weary people will take to the streets of San Francisco, Japanese style, for two weekends, April 20-22 and April 27-29, for the annual Cherry Blossom Festival.

The Japan Center at Post and Buchanan streets will be filled with revelers who gather to pay homage to spring and celebrate the arts and culture of Japan.

The Japanese festival, the Sakura Matsuri, is celebrated as respect for beauty and transience of cherry blossoms, or sakura, the national symbol of Japan. Cherry blossoms bloom in unison for a moment before spring breezes carry them away.

Marital arts experts will demonstrate judo, aikido and karate. Masters in the gentler arts will teach

such traditional skills as ikebana, flower arranging; bonsai, tree dwarfing; and origami, paper folding.

Women and children will wear brightly colored wahaha, the formal dress of imperial Japan. They will perform classical dances of the homeland and play traditional instruments such as the harp-like koto and the banjo-like shamisen.

The festival's food bazaar will give festival goers a chance to taste Japanese cuisine such as grilled teriyaki, yakitori and sushi.

A children's village will be set up for children to participate in activities such as Japanese folktales, magic shows, block printing and clay sculpting.



The San Francisco Cherry Blossom Festival celebrates the beauty and transience of Japan's national flower by honoring children. Symbolic of youth, the sakura, or cherry blossoms, bloom before spring breezes carry them away.

## Amtrak makes tougher smoking laws on board

AP — Two lawmakers who succeeded in snuffing out cigarettes on most domestic flights announced March 21 that Amtrak is about to make it tougher to light up on trains.

Sen. Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., and Rep. Richard Durbin, D-Ill., said Amtrak's new policy will take effect April 1.

"These new rules are another victory for health and common sense," said Lautenberg, chairman of the Senate Transportation Appropriations Subcommittee. "It's further acknowledgement that non-smokers should not be forced to breathe other people's smoke."

Lautenberg and Durbin jumped the gun on Amtrak's own announcement of the new policy, which had been scheduled for March 22.

The new policy will continue to permit passengers to smoke in sleeping compartments.

But otherwise, according to Amtrak spokeswoman Sue Martin, smoking will be banned in:

— First-class cars on all trains in the Northeast Corridor that don't require reservations. Reserved-seat Metroliners will carry smoking cars and will set aside smoking areas in first-class cars.

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Dennis Bozyk, history professor, collects homework assignments as class begins at the Michigan Bell center in Southfield.

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## College comes to workplace

By R.J. King  
staff writer

Faced with the prospect of fighting — and losing — the traffic battle, overcoming fatigue and meeting family obligations, daytime workers who take nighttime classes have never had it easy.

But without a college education, getting ahead at the office can be tough, if not impossible.

IN RESPONSE to the growing corporate need for management-level employees, especially those trained to see the world in black and red, a handful of area business schools are beginning to teach management courses at the office.

The latest is a business administration degree program offered to Michigan Bell employees at the phone company's technical and office center in Southfield. Classes are taught by professors from Madonna College in Livonia.

With more than 300 students signing on for the first term in November, hitting the books in company conference rooms by night has become de rigueur, as Ma Bell picks up most of the bill to enhance its employees' decision-making abilities, boost morale and strengthen its competitiveness.

"I was starting out fresh and at first I thought what does psychology have to do with business administration?" said Carol Ventimiglia, a methods analyst at the Southfield center and a Livonia resident.

"But it really helped me to understand different personalities and work better with people."

For Ventimiglia, who is married with two children, trying to find extra time in the past for college was next to impossible but she said attending a three-hour class one night a week in her building couldn't be easier.

"If I take one course every term, it will take me eight years to earn a degree," she said. "But I know Madonna offers some courses on Saturdays at their main campus, so I can go over there and hopefully graduate sooner."

"The classes also are compressed into 10-week terms, which makes it difficult but I really enjoy the opportunity to advance my career, especially with the cutback the company has gone through in years past."

So successful is the Madonna program that an additional 120 Michigan Bell employees have signed on for the second term which began the last week in February.

"The response has been extraordi-

nary and we really feel very strongly that the more knowledge employees have, the better able they are to perform in the work environment," said Eileen Dixon, a company spokeswoman.

"OUR INDUSTRY is growing more competitive every day and one way we feel we can stay a step ahead is through education. Not only are our employees learning new skills but they're also keeping the old ones fresh."

While some employees attended Madonna in the past and have since switched to office classrooms, Dixon said the program has encouraged more workers to take on course

work now that the trip involves hallways instead of highways.

In addition to the Madonna program, 50 employees are pursuing a master's degree in business administration offered by Wayne State University at Bell's Southfield center. Macomb Community College also offers undergraduate business classes

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JERRY ZOLYNSKY/staff photographer

The history class begins at 7 p.m. and Carol Ventimiglia of Livonia takes notes during the one-hour course. Earlier in the day, she serves as a methods analyst for Michigan Bell.

## Full education menu offered

By R.J. King  
staff writer

At a time when most 17-year-olds cannot read well enough to understand a newspaper editorial, leaving parents and corporations to wonder if America's schools are worth it, the Troy educational system is striking back.

Drawing on collectivism to achieve today's goal of rigorous continuing education, Michigan State University, Oakland Community College, the Troy School District and Walsh College have banded together under the philosophy that more is better.

Under a partnership called Troy ETC, which stands for educating, training and consulting, the four institutions are marketing themselves as one to better showcase to the business community everything from

computer training to wellness programs.

"It may sound strange to people that these institutions are joining together," said Robert Stromayer, Troy ETC director. "But we feel by becoming a one-stop shopping service for education, the business community will be more apt to participate."

Stromayer explained that Troy ETC will work much like a clearinghouse. For instance, a company may wish to train some of its employees on computers, while at the same time offer other workers a chance to earn a high school diploma, but be at a loss as to how to proceed.

"In the past, that company would have had to investigate several different schools on a separate basis, a very time-consuming process," Stromayer said. "We're saying, give us a call. We know who offers what, what

the best programs are, prices, everything.

"WE ALSO have a wealth of information on obtaining government training funds from the Michigan Department of Labor, grants and tax credit assistance to assure that participating businesses are drawing on every possible resource."

Under the right circumstances, Stromayer said, Troy ETC hopes to boost attendance, keep drop out rates down, increase a company's productivity and create a genuine enthusiasm for teaching and learning.

At the heart of Troy ETC is the opportunity to take advantage of the expertise in the area.

"We have all these areas of expertise and quality training programs in our own backyard," said

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## Sales pitches for cellular phones fixed

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

Seven cellular telephone retailers — including Fretter Inc. of Livonia and Cellular One of Farmington Hills — have agreed to stop sales practices that allegedly violate antitrust laws, state Attorney General Frank Kelley said Tuesday.

All have agreed to change their ads and to inform people that they may buy telephones without having to buy six months of service from a particular supplier of cellular air time, Kelley said.

In addition, Ameritech, which had tripled air rates on some of the mandated six-month contracts after cellular telephones were bought, has agreed to honor original contract terms, the attorney general said.

"I AM PLEASED that these merchants came forward in response to my request and agreed to change their advertising and practices," Kelley said.

Customers now will have the option to pay more for the cellular telephone and not be bound to a particular service provider for six months.

"Those who signed up with Ameritech only because it was a requirement of purchase should not be made to pay higher and higher rates," Kelley said.

"Now, with the cooperation of Ameritech, those customers will receive the benefit of what they thought and were told was a good deal at the time," Kelley said.

A state investigation confirmed complaints that some cellular telephones for sale required linkage with a particular service pro-

vider, an illegal tie-in, said Chris DeWitt, spokesman for Kelley.

The attorney general ordered the retailers and service providers to change their practices earlier this month.

"ALL OF THESE retailers and the service providers responded promptly when they realized there was a problem," Kelley said. "They have shown a willingness to admit and resolve the problems, and I commend them for that attitude."

The attorney general's office also is investigating whether cellular telephone retailers owe the state treasury sales tax on money received from service providers to promote tie-ins, DeWitt said.

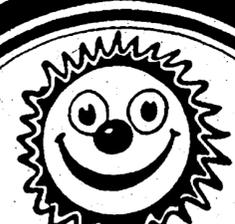
Katherine A. Cappelli, vice president of marketing and sales for Cellular One, issued a statement Tuesday after Kelley's announcement.

"Cellular One is pleased to have been able to address the attorney general's concerns regarding the advertising of retail pricing on cellular telephone equipment."

"We are also very pleased that our practices as a service provider have not required any corrective action as a result of the attorney general's investigation," Cappelli said.

Ameritech had been reviewing customer inquiries on case-by-case basis prior to the attorney general's involvement in the situation, said Sue Marceau, manager of public relations.

Customers under contract to an Ameritech distributor were allowed to extend the old rate, she said.



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# Schools offer broader education

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Dorothy Kilts, coordinator of the continuing professional education program at Walsh College in Troy. "But I don't think everyone, especially new businesses, know about them."

Founded in 1922, Walsh College offers bachelor and master degree programs in several business disciplines, but Kilts said most businesses aren't aware the college also offers seminars on taxation and accounting, as well as microcomputer training.

"By joining together as Troy ETC and marketing ourselves as such, we hope to create more awareness and open up new markets where we might not have been able to by ourselves," she said.

TROY ETC has just begun marketing itself through direct mail to Troy-based companies and will begin to market in the greater Detroit area soon.

A shopping mall of education, Troy ETC also will access the train-

ing needs of a particular business and recommend or tailor-fit any required needs at no charge, in addition to providing accredited business degree programs.

For instance, while one company may want to access robotics technology or inventory planning for its employees, another company may want to improve interpersonal skills or provide some workers with foreign language instruction.

"I think by having everyone working together as a team, we can really help companies with quality control or improve productivity," said Marsha Dailey, marketing manager for the MSU management education center in Troy.

"We can also offer help on how to write a better business letter or how to test and evaluate advertising. By working through Troy ETC, a company really finds a clearinghouse where their needs will find a solution."

While Troy ETC has received several inquiries since opening last month, the partnership would like to

see itself service such corporations as Troy Engineering, which currently utilizes the Troy School District and Oakland Community College for computer and blueprint reading classes.

"I WISH I could have accessed Troy ETC before," said Debbie Monterosso, manager of human resources and training for the company, which has 410 employees providing design and engineering services to several automakers and suppliers.

"Right now we have associations with 10 different schools and each of those relationships had to be built up slowly," she said. "We feel you can never have enough education, especially on computers, and an organization like Troy ETC sounds like something we'll be exploring further."

Though it is difficult to predict how successful Troy ETC will be, Carol Stencil, dean of the business and professional institute at Oakland Community College in Bloomfield Hills, is optimistic.

"Although we haven't yet begun to

feel the impact yet, I think it's a wonderful resource for smaller and mid-size companies that might now have the economies of scale to undertake education programs by themselves.

"I also think more and more we're seeing a trend toward teamwork — even between competing companies — and the harsh company approach no longer is a viable option. It just means you're not fully utilizing all available resources."

Not limited to business and human resource classes, participating companies can utilize Troy ETC for state licensing qualification programs in such fields as accounting, building, criminal justice and real estate.

Businesses can draw on other resources.

"Collectively, we have training space ranging from small, intimate meeting rooms to large auditoriums," Stromayer said. "Plus, we have a full range of equipment, including satellite uplinks and downlinks, computer hardware and software and audio/visual equipment."

## business people

Robert H. Gillikin of Canton Township was named general manager of Sinai Health Services Credit Union in Detroit. Before joining the Sinai credit union, he was an executive loan officer for Dearborn-based Co-op Services Credit Union. He is a graduate of Eastern Michigan University, where he earned a bachelor of business administration in accounting.



Gillikin Rybka

Robert W. Rybka of Redford Township joined the staff of Comerica Bank-Detroit as vice president of the trust division. He is in charge of equity trading. Rybka is a member of the Securities Traders Association.

Joyce Larsen, a real estate agent with Coldwell Banker's Plymouth/Canton office, was recognized as being a \$1 Million Dollar Producer in the Detroit region. The award is based on a combination of top buyer controlled sale volume and sold listing volume.

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# Colleges giving classes at the workplace

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at Bell offices in Troy and Mount Clemens. More than 30 employees participate at the two locations.

FOR MADONNA and other institutions of higher learning, off-site classrooms frees up campus space for other classes and inhibits the need for expensive expansion projects to some extent. It also serves as a lasting marketing tool for drawing future students.

"We really feel this is the wave of the future," said Charlotte Neuhauser, Madonna's dean of business.

"With the rise of dual-career families and the press for time, education has to be made more convenient and the Michigan Bell program is one way we can do that.

"We're also starting to use computers, where appropriate, in teach-

ing classes. Students communicate with instructors by electronic mail and actually we're finding the process generates more discussion from students who might have felt inhibited in classroom setting."

Neuhauser said it would be some time before Madonna expands off-site classrooms, as the program is still being evaluated. Of the college's 4,000 students, 15 percent attend classes away from campus.

But if college away from campus is to be successful, Gail Todd, area manager for Central Michigan University, said schools have to guard against complacency. CMU has several area locations, including sites in Birmingham, Livonia, Southfield and Troy.

"WE'VE RUN company-located programs in the past for the auto-

makers and the U.S. Postal Service, and we found initially there was a good population, but as the programs continued, the student body diminished," she said.

"We've been out for about a year now, and we plan to start back up soon, but this time we plan to market ourselves over the long haul and have students sign up for a series of classes instead of just one at a time."

In addition to Madonna and CMU, Walsh College in Troy and Oakland University in Rochester are exploring off-site degree programs in busi-

ness, finance and nursing.

These specific vocations, they say, lend themselves to larger corporations in the area, which often have hundreds of employees and deep pockets to finance such programs.

For Walsh, the emphasis will be on offering master's degrees in management and finance. The college plans to approach area businesses, especially banks.

At Oakland University, working with area hospitals offers promising opportunities, especially in the field of nursing.

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# Not all heroes drive fast cars

The Navy recruiters in the lobby of movies showing "The Hunt for Red October" — sent there to sign up teenagers still enthralled by this latest techno-thriller — bring to mind whether the auto business could use a similar dose of Hollywood adrenaline.

Maybe a plot where a Russian engineer steals a top-secret Lada from a plant near Moscow, making a break for the border. . . . Then again, maybe not. Still, the question remains: Is there the stuff of a good thriller in the auto business?

For the most part, the role of the car in Hollywood has been to crash, chase or be chased — preferably all three at the same time. Once in a while some memorable image emerges, such as Steve McQueen bounding down the hills of San Francisco in a dark green Mustang, or the crushing of the brand-new Lincoln with the body in the trunk in Goldfinger, when the automobile emerges in the role of some kind of metaphor about the basic transiency of life in these United States.

BUT THE business itself has inspired just a few feeble efforts, such as Harold Robbins' "The Betsy." There has been nothing with the efforts at drama inspired by the oil business, the airplane business or the nuclear reactor business — all of which have had their day in the sun.

Some of this is understandable, particularly after you look at the fun events calendar at the Society of Automotive Engineers annual convention, which leans heavily on items like a tour of the Lake Orion assembly plant. You might get the idea that these are not a bunch of wild and crazy guys.

Then again, there is always John DeLorean, who would have been a movie a long time ago, except nobody could figure out whether he was a good guy or a bad guy, and then nobody cared anymore.

There are few genuine characters of epic proportions that sort of hang around, mainly in racing circles, who could carry a miniseries or two. Carroll Shelby and Cousin Denise, who raced against each other in Europe in the 1950s, quickly come to mind.

Executive intrigue is something else again. Mainly, the auto business is staffed by men who get up early, work late and lean toward TV dinners — unless they work in styling departments, which improves their wardrobes and gives them the incentive to learn how to identify at least five California wines.

THERE WAS, in fact, one Elmore Leonard book about an automotive supplier in Detroit who got involved in a blackmail plot. Unfortunately, by the time the book was made into a movie, the guy had been moved to Los Angeles and recast as someone who vaguely owned a company of no discernible purpose — more in keeping with the Hollywood view of industry.

I do remember an effort to smuggle a set of machine tools to the Russians out of a shop in Farmington a few years ago. The tools were intercepted somewhere in France. It was an incident that had the makings of a neat European spy thriller, but then Gorbachev made it tough to tell the good guys from the bad guys. Just like DeLorean.

Recently, a friend of mine, who has spent the past 10 years or so building up a manufacturing plant that produces custom rubber moldings, thought back on the struggle, which resulted in a livelihood not only for himself but on about a hundred or so families that take their wages from the enterprises.

"You know, I've thought about writing a book about it," he said.

Which got me wondering once again, just what is the stuff that dreams are made of, anyway?

# Save big: Cut mortgage interest

By **Ted Bugenski**  
guest writer

First of 11 parts

Say you have a \$80,000, 30-year mortgage with a fixed mortgage rate of 10 percent. Your payments are \$703 per month. You just learned that only \$23 of your monthly payment goes toward the repayment of the principal. The rest (\$680) is all interest payment. You are also shocked to learn that over the life of this mortgage, you will pay \$172,150 in interest — more than twice the original mortgage.

You wish there was a way to reduce the interest payment. But since it is a fixed mortgage there is no way out. Right? Wrong.

In a two-part article we will explore three ways of significantly reducing your interest payments.

**STRATEGY 1: Accelerate payments** — In order to appreciate the value of this strategy, it is important

## 10% 30-year fixed mortgage

year	payment	principal	interest
1	\$703	\$ 23	\$680
5	703	59	644
10	703	97	606
20	703	262	441
30	703	641	61

whereas that amount drops to just \$61 during the last (30th) year of the loan.

Once the nature of the declining interest payments is recognized, the strategy of accelerated payments takes on a new meaning.

If you make additional payments specifically to reduce the principal, then you will not be charged interest on the amount. Here is an example to illustrate this point.

Suppose you decide to make 13 — instead of 12 — payments a year. In that case, the life of the mortgage would be reduced from 30 to 22 years. Put differently, by paying an additional \$703 each year, you will save \$61,504 in interest charges — not an insignificant amount of savings by any means.

Next week: More on savings on mortgage interest.

Sid Mitra is a professor of finance, school of business at Oakland University and owner of Coordinated Financial Planning.

to understand the way interest payments decrease and the principal payments increase as the mortgage matures (see accompanying table).

Since the interest is calculated on the unpaid mortgage balance, the less you owe, the smaller the interest payment is. However, since the

monthly payments (\$703) remain unchanged, as the loan balance decreases, a larger portion of the payment can be used to pay off the principal.

It is easy to see why during the first year \$680 out of every payment represents the interest payment,

## marketplace

Prescribed Oxygen Specialists Inc. of Plymouth received accreditation by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations. Prescribed Oxygen Specialists provides respiratory services. It received the accreditation after a January inspection.

Cherry Hill Animal Clinic, 30414 Cherry Hill, Garden City, was bought by Dr. Debra L. Zarish in February. The practice includes dentistry, diagnostics, preventative health care, geriatric medicine and a full range of surgery. The telephone number is 425-4422.

AlphaGraphics Printshop opened at 33221 Plymouth Road in Livonia. AlphaGraphics is part of a 280-member franchise operation and handles copying, high-speed duplication, collating, fax, one- or two-color printing, soft- or hard-cover binding and other printing services. It can print with the Apple Macintosh computer and also convert IBM documents to Macintosh. The telephone number is 261-0960.

Johnson Stamping Co. of Plymouth received the Ford Motor Q1 Preferred Quality Award. Johnson Stamping makes parts for Ford's transmission and chassis division.

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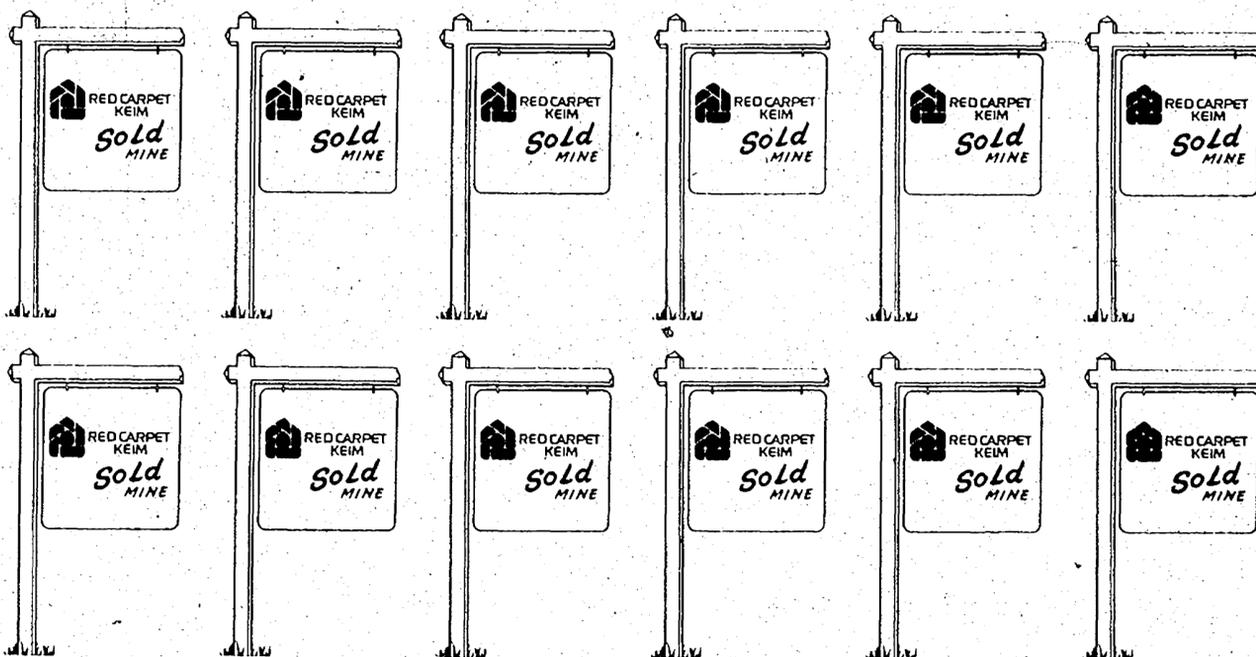
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# Decide what you want before you begin networking

By Mary DiPaolo  
special writer

Readers who have business-related questions or event announcements for this column's monthly "Reader's Forum" may contact *MarketTrends* at 474-1149 or submit their requests in writing to: "Focus: Small Business," Reader's Forum, 33411 Grand River, Farmington MI 48024.

On April 18-19, the Farmington

## datebook

### • Tax help

Thursday, March 29 — Free IRS tax-help session offered 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile, Livonia. Information: Linda Morrow, 421-7338 Ext. 618. Sponsor: Livonia Public Library.

### • Export workshop

Thursday, March 29 — Free workshop, "Structuring International Transactions," 7-9 p.m. at Kresge Hall of Madonna College, 36600 Schoolcraft, Livonia. Information: 591-5117. Sponsor: Division of business and computer systems of Madonna College.

### • Paying for college

Tuesday, April 3 — "Dollars for Future Scholars" offered 7-9:30 p.m. at Stevenson High School, Livonia. Information: 459-2402. Sponsor: Wordhouse & Associates Inc.

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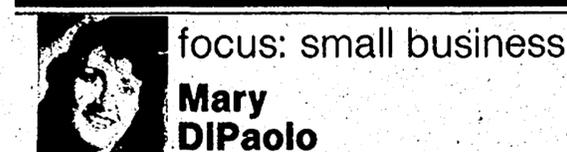
Tuesday, April 10 — Business Marketing Association meets at 11:30 p.m. at the Fairlane Club, 5000 Fairlane Woods Drive, Dearborn. Fee: \$15. Information: Chris Sevony, 624-0431.

and Farmington Hills Chamber of Commerce is hosting its first annual "Networking '90" business show and exposition at the Mercy Conference Center, 28600 11 Mile, Farmington Hills.

Business owners and management professionals are invited to take advantage of several unique opportunities to "network for success" over the two-day conference period.

To begin, a preview cocktail reception will be held 5:30-8 p.m. Tuesday, April 17, at the Center. Sponsored by the Embassy Suites Hotel of Livonia, the reception is designed to "introduce" key business leaders from Oakland and Wayne counties to one another for networking purposes.

Members of the chamber's "Ambassador's Club" will be on hand to direct individuals seeking information or contacts from a particular



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Mary DiPaolo

business or industry.

On April 18, Larry Meyer, former president of the Michigan Retailers' Association and the featured keynote luncheon speaker, will discuss the topic of "Michigan Business in the 1990s: Setting a Course for Success."

Conference participants also may register to attend four special-interest seminars offered on April 19. Seminar topics include "Conducting a Company Physical: Your Rx for Success," "What the Banker Knows About Your Business," "Promotion is NOT Just Advertising: The Power

of Publicity and Public Relations" and "Image Management for the Woman of the '90s and Beyond."

Interested individuals may register for the reception, luncheon and any two seminars by contacting Jody Soronen, chamber executive director, at 474-3440.

For exhibitor information and/or to check on remaining space availability, readers also may call Carolyn Skinner at 478-3187.

Q. What tips do you offer to business people who want to make the

most of networking?

A. First, it is crucial to identify what it is you want your networking efforts to accomplish at each and every event you attend or participate. Without a specific purpose, you will be diluting the potential benefits of cultivating mutually satisfying relationships with others.

Next, remember that it isn't how many people you exchange business cards with that determines networking success. Leaving a function with 20 cards means very little if you are unable to follow through with a phone call or letter directed at your contact within a reasonable time frame.

It is equally important to see yourself as a "host" rather than a guest at group events or meetings. Rather than waiting for someone else to make the first move, you stand to

gain much more by being open, friendly and helpful.

Lastly, do not make the mistake of limiting your interactions to individuals you already know or have established relationships with. This behavior is very common among individuals who either are "new" to the networking process or who are often sought after by others interested in meeting them.

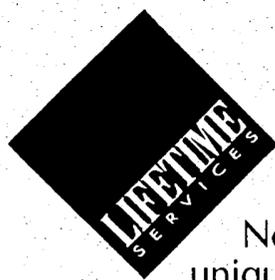
Since everyone stands to benefit by the networking lifestyle, this practice can represent the difference between capitalizing on a great opportunity and one that has slipped right through your fingers.

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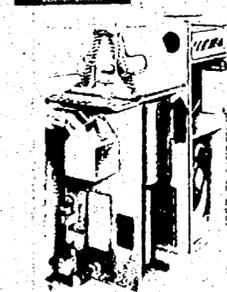
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# business people

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Jennifer J. Scrutton of Livonia was named account coordinator at Ray D. Eisbrenner & Co. of Troy. Her new responsibilities will be in media relations, special events and account administration. Scrutton is working toward a master's degree in public relations and organizational communication from Wayne State University.

Robert A. Vannatter was promoted to sales manager in the Garden City district office of American General Life and Accident Insurance Co. in Garden City. Vannatter began his career with the company as an agent in 1988.

Edward Barry was appointed executive vice president, sales & marketing for the seals & molded products group of Freudenberg-NOK, Plymouth. Barry had been vice president and general manager of TRW Cam Gears, Bristol, England. He was employed by TRW in various sales and marketing positions, both in the United States and Europe.

Edward DeNemie of Westland was recognized recently by United Parcel Service in Livonia for completing 15 years of driving without an accident. DeNemie is a delivery driver and provides delivery service to the Livonia area.

Scott J. Adams of Livonia joined Plante & Moran accounts as a member of the audit staff. He received a bachelor of business administration degree in accounting from the University of Michigan-Dearborn in 1989.

Kenneth L. Clark of Livonia was promoted to vice president finance with Talon Inc. of Roseville, Mich.



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Since 1988, Clark had served as director of finance. He joined the company in 1980.

Michael Donner of Canton Township joined Farm Bureau Insurance as an agent in Wayne. Donner had been a life insurance agent with Metropolitan Life. He recently attended Michigan State University's Institute on Property/Casualty Insurance, followed by two weeks of training at the Farm Bureau Insurance home office in Lansing.

Ray Stockwell of Westland was appointed director of purchasing for AIN Plastics of Michigan. He is responsible for purchasing activities and maintaining and managing inventory at the firm's Southfield operation. Stockwell joined AIN Plastics in 1981. Before joining AIN, he worked in bearings, bronze and ornamental iron businesses.

L. Jack Townsend of Plymouth joined Signature Associates in Southfield as a real estate broker. Before joining Signature, Townsend was a specialist in product design and engineering management for 17 years with Ford Motor Co., handling projects at company facilities in Japan, England and Germany.

Ken O. McBride was appointed

president of Don Blackburn & Co., a Livonia distributor of electronic, electrical and mechanical equipment. McBride, a 45-year employee, was vice president of purchasing for several years before his appointment as president.

Roxie Bryan, a real estate agent with Coldwell Banker's Plymouth/Canton office, was recognized as being a \$1 Million Dollar Producer in the Detroit region. The award is based on a combination of top buyer controlled sale volume and sold listing volume.

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Dr. Norman A. Simpson, president of the American Osteopathic College of Ophthalmology and Otorhinolaryngology, will chair the regional meeting of the continuing office of medical education subsection. Dr. Simpson is an ear, nose and throat specialist with offices in Garden City. He is affiliated with Garden City Osteopathic Hospital.

Wesley H. Krause Jr. of Livonia earned the title of fraternal insurance counselor by completing the Fraternal Field Managers Association fraternal sales training program with Aid Association for Lutherans. Krause is an associate of the Merl L. Terry Agency of Aid Association for Lutherans in Livonia.

Richard W. Dane of Canton Township, a district manager for Aid As-

sociation for Lutherans, was honored for business performance during 1989. Dane ranked first among all district representatives in the Merl L. Terry Agency of Aid Association for Lutherans in Livonia.

Phil Sattler of Livonia, vice president of information systems for Melody Foods Inc. of Livonia, completed the examination for certified systems professional in November.

Dr. Samuel Scheinfeld received the honorary degree of Fellow of the

American College of General Practice. Dr. Scheinfeld, who received his doctor of Osteopathy degree from the Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine, is on staff at Garden City Hospital and Botsford General Hospital, where he has served as co-director of the general practice residency program. Dr. Scheinfeld practices in Westland.

Lols Wolfe-Morgan of Plymouth has released a new book entitled "Build Your Own Road."

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 2777 Schoolcraft Road  
 Livonia, MI  
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 Join us, Tuesday, May 15, from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. as we kick-off the first of three great days of EXPO 275 with a fabulous cocktail reception featuring hors d'oeuvres from over 18 of the finest restaurants and caterers in the West Suburban area!  
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CARPENTER - With 28 yrs. experience would like some work. Commercial and residential. 553-2563

CORPORATION ACCOUNTANT - Available for Corporation Income Tax Returns only. 22 years experience. College graduate. 882-6860

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**515 Child Care**

TEACHERS AIDS positions available. Full and part time. Great benefits. Apply in person. Childrens World Learning Center, 29200 Shawwassee, Farmington, 9 Mile & Middlebelt. 478-8100

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**357-3650**

Professional Health Care Personnel

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BEVERLY HILLS - CHILD CARE CENTER - Has openings for children, Boys & girls, 3-5 yrs. Open 7am - 6pm. Serving nutritious meals, offers Pre-School program. Birmingham location. Non-Profit. 644-5787

**515 Child Care**

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**518 Education & Instruction**

LOOKING FOR Gloria Stiner who had Guy Cochran Printer for sale. Call Paul, 9am-5pm. 350-3030

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Experienced Computer Services My Plymouth home or your office. Call Pam or leave message. 453-9473

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**602 Lost & Found**

FOUND DOG: Black mixed lab, male, white markings. Found on Woodward/9th. 477-1577

FOUND: Large gray cat. Very quiet & scared. 9 Mile/Evergreen area. Please call. 356-8407

FOUND - male Rottweiler dog, call Westland Humane Society 721-7300

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Found Oct. 1989 white, black, brown, neutered male cat. 14 lbs. 11 months old. Call 453-3832

LOST: Black and white male cat. Ann Arbor Rd. & Ridge area. March 19. Reward. 455-1118

LOST CAT - AR black with half a tail. 11 Mile/Franklin Rd. Southfield. Reward 353-5875 or 628-1800

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LOST COLLIE, male, answers to name of Shawn. Varsity Farmington Hills. Reward. 681-8225

LOST - large black & gray lab mixed breed, neutered male. 10th March 23 at Alta Loma & Iyonia, shy cat, answers to Hobie. Reward if found. 478-9212

LOST - 15th. Black female dog, 8 mos. old. Wide nose, no tail. Inster/Warren area. 427-4734

LOST - Older dog, small built colored, 1 eye, deaf. Unk-Schnauer mix. Peachtree Lane/Orion Rd. Reward. 852-5974

**602 Lost & Found**

LOST OR FOUND A PET - BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP - Animal Shelter - 4200 Telegraph - Monday thru Friday, 8am-4pm - 433-7757 - Also nice pets for adoption

LOST: Siberian Husky Black & white Redford Township, 5 MI/Telegraph. 427-1817

LOST: Small shaggy Poodle, black w/rose gray. Answers to "Fifi". Potomac Green Sub. W.B. 851-6205

LOST - Sterling silver braided bracelet, lost on Fri. March 18, Plymouth area. Sentimental value. 431-2038

LOST - Woodward & 14 Mile. Belg shepherd mix. 10 yrs. old. Bo-Bo. Reward. 528-2593

REWARD \$750 for return of 1 box aircraft parts (#2-803-135-05). Lost 3/10/90 between 22 & Van Dyke. Approx. 2 1/2 x 2. Carton from ACR Ind. M. Climens, going to Textron, Stratford CT. Please call. 778-4550

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BOOKCASE, 7 ft. bottom cup and love seat, 4 press back chairs, wrought iron patio set with umbrella, heavy duty 26" fan on 5 ft. stand. Misc. items: W. of Farmington Rd. N. of 13 Ravenscroft, 2610 Old Bedford Hill, I-5, Sat. 9-5. 661-0403

708 Household Goods Oakland County
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ESTATE SALE Tours Fri. Sat. March 29-30-31, 9-4 29652 Middlefield, JUST N. of 13 Mile, (Woodcrest Condoms) beautiful quality sale includes solid cherry king size bedroom set, blue couch & chairs, Stuffed lamps, nearly new country dining room set (beautifully Baracoutage recliner, queen sofa bed, 3 bronze statues by Russell & Remington, large oil painting from 1920's, Johnson Bros. dishes, 12 Royal Doulton figurines, Wedgewood, Nipon, nice microwave, beautiful cherry end tables, lots of ladies clothing & costume jewelry-jewelry & MORE! Estate jewelry, FROM THIS ESTATE includes large diamond brooch, small diamond brooch, Deco diamond & sapphire bracelets, heavy gold bracelet watch, diamond earrings & MORE. Our numbers at 8:15. See you there!

708 Household Goods Oakland County
FURNITURE-loveseat with 2 high back chairs, rust. brown & gold, in excellent condition. 477-3181 HUTCH, fruitwood color, custom made \$139. 313-349-2555 LARGE smoked glass wall unit \$1200, bedroom suite, table/4 chairs, \$800, misc. offer. 626-5109 LIVING ROOM- Quality Davenport sofa, 2 chairs, bought separately or in total. 553-8978 LOVESEAT Flaxseed Neutral color, like new, \$185. 647-4038 MOVING- Large sectional sofa \$1200. Two year old contemporary master bedroom \$1500. Other misc. furniture. 647-4038

709 Household Goods Wayne County
BEAUTIFUL Dining room set, table & set, dining chairs, buffet, china, 6 chairs. Bedroom, living room, kitchen, furniture, tables, lamps, etc. SHIRLEY FR. Sat. 313-349-2555 BEDROOM SET 15 piece, queen size headboard, triple dresser, framed mirror, 2 matching night tables, antique hony color, excellent condition. \$400. 473-2943 FREE POOL- If you remove 18ft. circular, above ground, Walk in line in good shape. Some accessories. No filter. 484-1260 GATE 10 ft., Posts, Top Rail, Fittings, Mens & Ladies bikes, custom, excellent After 5pm. 533-2086 HAULING steel constructed trailer, 8X17 ft., also used lawn mower for sale. Call 421-0827 LOMART POOL, 18 ft., in accessories, \$500 or best offer. 1-693-8227 or 1-693-6316 MISC. SALE! Many items, Singer sewing machine, gold wood bed, bedroom set, misc. dump trucks, dozer & back hoe. 17170 Bentler, Detroit. 981-1985

711 Misc. For Sale Wayne County
CHURCH PEWS, solid oak. Free of scratches, good 20th. per \$200. Some shorter, \$10 per ft. St. Kenneths Church, Plymouth 420-0288 DELUXE Call letter box. Totally covered & Deluxe Carrying Case. Both new. 644-4040 FREE POOL- If you remove 18ft. circular, above ground, Walk in line in good shape. Some accessories. No filter. 484-1260 GATE 10 ft., Posts, Top Rail, Fittings, Mens & Ladies bikes, custom, excellent After 5pm. 533-2086 HAULING steel constructed trailer, 8X17 ft., also used lawn mower for sale. Call 421-0827 LOMART POOL, 18 ft., in accessories, \$500 or best offer. 1-693-8227 or 1-693-6316 MISC. SALE! Many items, Singer sewing machine, gold wood bed, bedroom set, misc. dump trucks, dozer & back hoe. 17170 Bentler, Detroit. 981-1985

715 Computers
TANDY 1200 10 Meg H.D. Monitor, graphics, NLO printer, software etc. \$525. After 6pm 420-2612 WANTED - IBM PC XT's, Model #5180, in excellent condition, monitor, hard disk unit & keyboard, 400k 5 1/4 disk drive, 512-640K, 20MB, 286 microprocessor. Call Joanna de Jesus 644-4040 ZENITH 386 desk top, 80 Meg. VGA, removable disk cartridge, extra disk. \$6875. 477-7025

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ABSOLUTELY beautiful ladies 12ct sol diamond ring with 6ct baguette diamonds. Includes appraisal certificate \$4000 or best offer. 981-6819 WANTED Rolex - Cosmograph Daytona, \$2000 & up, Patek Philippe, Movado, Vacheron, Omega, Audemars, LeCoultre, wrist or pocket. In any condition. Back to Time, Birmingham. 540-4646

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ROLAND KEYBOARD case, stand, & Laney amplifier. Excellent condition. \$1200 or best offer. 648-1627 SPINET PIANOS (2) - Great condition, 1 French, 1 contemporary, both black. Your choice \$995 includes delivery. 471-1717 VIOLIN- excellent condition, wood-on-bow & case. Good student. \$350. 981-0525 WEBER WF44, vertical spinet type piano. Mint - never used. Cherry wood finish. Price new, \$3700. Well serviced. \$2395. 473-1075 YAMAHA KEYBOARD PS55-Piano and organ. Like new. Fully equipped with stand. \$400 or best. 427-2537

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ESTATE - MOVING SALES Conducted by HEILMANN O'BARA PROMOTION 20 yrs. experience. Extensive mailing lists. References. Receipt inventory. 464-2449 363-9736

ESTATE SALE SAT. March 31, 10-5 SUN. April 1, 12-4 5108 Lake Bluff Rd. (3 1/2 mi. W. Farmington Rd. N. of Walnut Lake Rd. Take Hauser Way to Watergate to Lake Bluff) Traditional & contemporary furniture, all good quality, all in good condition. Drexel game table & chairs, Drexel bar cabinet, Baker end table, Frederick Cooper & Marlow lamps, original art, signed oils, Pioneer stereo system, gilt mirrors, Wedgwood blue & white, beautiful Thomastone oval cabinet, 2 oil painting by Stein, plate glass cocktail table, king size master bedroom, color TV, custom area rug, fur, bamboo breakfast table & end table, GE washer & dryer, plus much more household & personal misc. See You There! EDMUND FRANK & CO. LIQUIDATORS & APPRAISERS 869-5555 NUMBERS AT 9AM

MOVING SALE- Household furniture, related items. Must be sold cannot take with. Call 353-7620 between 9am-5pm, sat. 10am-5pm. 626-0281 MOVING SALE- March 31, Apr. 1, 10am-4pm. Washer & dryer, couch, table & chairs, children's toys. 18771 George Washington, Southfield W of Southfield, S of 10 Mile Rd. 626-0281

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716 Commercial Industrial Equip. AIRLESS PAINT Sprayer - Titan Epic 440 2.800 PSI. Less than 1 yr. old \$500/best offer 5pm 538-3944 CASH PAID for lock lifts, trucks, machinery & etc. Running or not. Call T. G. 544-7504 or 616-879-7225 CONSTRUCTION OFFICE trailer, misc. dump trucks, dozer & back hoe. 981-1985

717 Lawn - Garden Farm-Snow Equip. CRAFTSMAN 3 1/2 HP CRT 1 1/2 in. Rear Tine Tiller with counter rotating Tines. Excellent condition. \$400. Best Call 1pm-8pm 422-5423 EXCEPTIONAL lawn & garden tractor, Simplicity 11hp, hydro transmission, 36" mowing deck/catcher, excellent condition. \$1475. 477-9766 RIDING LAWNMOWER, less than 1 year old, 4 ft. high, 2 yrs. Excellent, attached grass catcher, electric start, runs & looks like new. \$895. 641-1479 TRACTOR, Massey Ferguson, Hydro-drive, 48 in. mower deck, snowblower, chains, lights. \$5500. Repairs 427-7321. 941-6063 WANTED, 3 point hitch tractor, small to medium size, even if broken, repairs 427-7321. 941-6063 YARDMAN 1974, 8 hp tractor mower, good running condition, \$150, or best offer. 362-1469

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**860 Chevrolet**  
CAVALIER 1984 - 2 door, hardtop, automatic, 35 MPG, Tyme goes it again! Shop our price and compare it! \$1,525 takes. 458-5668

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CAVALIER 1985, 224, white/blue, excellent condition, loaded, sunroof, 4 speed, w/leather. \$6,195. After 6pm 459-9871

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CHARGER, 1983, 21 model, 5 speed, runs good, needs minor body repair. \$900/best. 537-5051

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CHARGER 2.2 1984, Burgundy, 5 speed, with air. \$2,995

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COLT 1984, needs work. \$600. Days 355-5123. Eve 453-1378

CONVERTIBLE 1988 ES TURBO, Loaded, 34,000 miles. Excellent condition. After 6pm. 444-3292

DAYTONA, 1985, Turbo 5 speed, loaded, Good condition. \$3,400 negotiable. Sharp Call. 591-2258

DAYTONA, 1985, Automatic, air, power steering/brakes, cruise, clear. \$4,000. 556-6417

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DAYTONA 1986-Good, automatic, air conditioning. Good condition. 669-6923

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DODGE 600-1984, automatic, cruise, good condition. \$8,800/best. \$2,200 or best. 458-6105

LANCER 1985, loaded, sunroof, silver/grey leather interior, 55,000. Days 334-8830. Eve 634-6208

OMNI 1979 - Excellent, good condition, new parts & tires. \$750. 535-8157

OMNI 1981 4 speed, runs good. \$700. Call days 459-2607

OMNI 1983 - runs very well. \$1300 or best offer. Joe after 5:30pm. 484-1308

SHADOW, 1987 - 2 door - sunroof, excellent condition. 50,000 miles. \$4,400. \$4,000/best. Eve 752-4152

SHADOW - 1990 Black cherry, automatic, air, extras. Must see. Assume lease/buyout (\$1,900). Call (24 hours) ask for Tom. 274-4179

SHELBY Charger 1988, black/silver, sun & sound package. \$4,000/best. Days 311-8630. Eve 534-6208

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EXP. 1982, Good body, bad motor. Complete, whole. Best offer. Leave message. 537-5051

EXP 1987, automatic, 43,000 mi. clean. \$3,500. 347-4871

EXP 1988 1/2, white, like new, loaded, low miles, sunroof. \$660.00. Call Tom. 427-5451

**866 Ford**  
ESCORT 1989 - LX, air, automatic, am-fm stereo, stereo, cruise. \$6,595. 522-4121

ESCORT 1989 LX, Automatic, air, 16,000 miles. \$4,950. North Brothers Ford. 421-1376

EXP. 1982 Fully loaded, automatic, air, sunroof, clean. Excellent condition. \$1,500/best. 421-6148

FAIRMONT 1979, 4 door, excellent condition, new tires, brakes, shocks, struts, etc. 478-6943

FAIRMONT-1981, Wagon, 6 cylinder, air, new tires. Clean. \$995. Call after 5pm. 535-1061

FIESTA, 1988, 72,000 miles. Air, runs good. \$500. Call after 5pm. 851-3054

FIESTA 1988 - L, 4 speed, am/fm stereo, defroster, cloth seats, tinted windows. New tires. Excellent condition. \$1,800. 459-2335

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MUSTANG, 1988 GT, Automatic, North Brothers Ford. 421-1376

MUSTANG-1988, LX, 5 speed, loaded, 21,000 miles. \$7,200 or best. Leave message. 261-2822

MUSTANG, 1988 LX 2.3L, 5 speed, auto, premium sound, cassette, power windows, cruise, sunroof, 15,700 miles. \$7,995. 459-4931

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PROBE 1989, GT, 5 speed, black w/gray interior, loaded, 17,000 miles. Asking \$12,000. Call 778-9495

PROBE 1989 LX Loaded - 10,000 miles. \$10,500 firm. 464-3533

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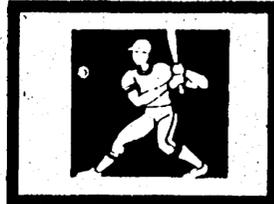
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## Coaches favor expanded format

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

The decision to expand the high school football playoffs is being applauded by Observerland coaches who say it will create added incentive and interest in the tournament.

"I think it's great," North Farmington's Jim O'Leary said. "It gets more teams involved, and it separates the teams that are closer in terms of enrollment and competition."

North, being a smaller Class A school, is one of the area schools that should benefit from the new system, which creates four new classes and doubles the number of teams making the playoffs from 64 to 128.

The last of several proposals to change the playoff format effectively splits each of the four existing classes in two, dividing Class A into AA and A. The same applies to Classes B, C and D, too.

The four championship games in the single-letter classes will be played the Friday of Thanksgiving weekend and the other four on Saturday, all at the Pontiac Silverdome.

"IT DOES water down the playoffs some," Farmington Hills Harrison coach John Herrington said, "but we'll get used to it, I guess. If you want to expand, it's the best way to do it."

The original proposal, by Macomb County athletic directors, called for dividing the state into six classes, which would have required creating a new point system to determine who qualifies.

Jack Roberts, executive director of the Michigan High School Athletic Association, proposed a seven-class plan, splitting all but Class D in half based on enrollment figures. Class D schools objected, and the proposal that was accepted calls for eight

### football

#### FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS REVISED FORMAT

The following list indicates where Observerland high schools will be classified in the new football playoff system based on enrollments for the 1989-90 academic year:

CLASS AA (1400-3142): Redford Catholic Central (2006), Plymouth Salem (2119), Plymouth Canton (2053), Westland John Glenn (2516), Livonia Franklin (1431), Livonia Churchill (1651), Livonia Stevenson (1852), Wayne Memorial (1988) and Garden City (1468).

CLASS A (984-1381): North Farmington (1145), Farmington (1042), Walled Lake Western (1283), Walled Lake Central (1237) and Redford Union (1147).

CLASS BB (684-961): Farmington Hills Harrison (905) and Redford Thurston (853).

CLASS B (504-683): Livonia Clarenceville (509) and Redford Bishop Borgess (512).

CLASS C (256-361): Redford St. Agatha (288) and Lutheran Westland (300).

The Class CC limits are 352 to 503, and Class D schools are those falling below 255 in enrollment.

classes, in football only.

"Nothing changes, that's why everyone was in favor of it," Herrington said. "The integrity of the class system and bonus points are maintained."

Teams will continue to receive 80 points whether they beat a Class AA or Class A opponent, 64 for BB/B, 48 for CC/C and 32 for DD/D. Harrison, which plays an all-Class AA/A schedule, will become a Class BB school with an enrollment of 905 and maintain the proportionate advantage the strength of its schedule offers.

Class A schools such as North Farmington, Walled Lake Western and Central and Redford Union in

Class A, Livonia Clarenceville in Class B and Redford St. Agatha in Class C will clearly benefit, because they'll be grouped with smaller A, B and C schools their own size.

"I CALLED Joe D'Angelo at Country Day and told him I don't have to worry about him anymore," St. Agatha coach John Goddard said.

The Aggies have been forced to compete annually for a playoff berth in the same Class C region with such perennial powers as Country Day, Detroit DePorres, Erie Mason and Elkton-Pigeon-Bay Port, all of which won state titles in the past decade.

Now those schools, with higher enrollments, will be grouped in Class CC and St. Agatha in Class C with 288 students, barely above the 255 cutoff point between C and D.

"The state champion has come from our region eight of the last nine years," Goddard said. "Personally, I wish they would have done it two years ago, because we had good teams."

"We were 14-4 the last two years and were not even close. If they had done it any other way, we'd have been in and, with the teams we had, done very well, I think."

"It's great because we just can't compete with DePorres and Country Day," he added. "DePorres is a Class A high school, with the talent it has, playing a Class C schedule."

Plymouth Salem is an example of a Class AA school that would have benefited in reverse fashion last fall.

THE ROCKS were 8-1 and just missed qualifying, losing out to Ann Arbor Pioneer, which had a 7-2 record but played a stronger schedule based on the number of bonus points received.

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### All-Area gymnast

Chris Prough of Westland John Glenn, shown here competing on the uneven parallel bars, is one of 13 first-team performers

selected to this year's All-Observer gymnastics squad. For an in-depth look at the team, turn to page 4D.

## Badger bonus

### Livonian Tancill here for NAAs

By Brad Emons  
staff writer

"The Tanker" is planning to dock at Joe Louis Arena Friday night.

"The Tanker" is Livonian-Chris Tancill, a senior right winger for the University of Wisconsin, a team only two wins away from the coveted NCAA hockey title.

The Badgers (34-9-1) meet Boston College (27-12-1) in the second game of a double-header Friday at JLA. The first game, at 5 p.m., pits Boston University (25-16-2), upset winners last weekend over Michigan State, against Colgate (30-5-1). The championship will be played at 2 p.m. Sunday.

When pressed about the nickname "The Tanker," a secretary in the University of Wisconsin hockey office offered this explanation, "I don't really know, but I guess it's because he's built like a tank."

Tancill, a compact 5-foot-10, 185-pound senior, is one of the big reasons why Wisconsin could be rolling toward its first NCAA crown since 1983.

"It's going to exciting, a dream come true and I just hope it's a storybook ending," said the 1986 Stevenson High grad. "Winning it all would be the culmination of all the hard work we've put in this season. And for me, coming home makes it even more special."

IN THE BEST-of-three quarterfinal series last weekend against Maine, the Badgers swept the visiting Black Bears 7-3 and 4-3.

Tancill assisted on Tom Sagissor's game-winning goal to wrap up the series. He finished with a goal and two assists for the two games.

But his season totals are even more impressive: 36 goals and 32 assists in 46 games. His four-year totals (171 games played) is 78 goals and 92 assists for 170 points.

"The thing that sticks out about Chris is his dependability," said Wisconsin coach Jeff Sauer. "He's played in every game for four straight years. That says a lot."

"And Chris is probably our most natural goal scorer. If there was a guy to take a penalty shot, he'd be the guy."

Tancill, who will graduate from Wisconsin by the end of the year with a degree in Consumer Science, is an All-Academic pick in the Western Collegiate Hockey Association.

"He's very, very mature both on and off the ice," Sauer said. "As a senior, his leadership ability has been a key. He's meant a lot to this program."

TANCILL IS ONE seven seniors on the Badgers' roster.

"We've had the same crew all along and great thing about going to the Final Four is that we've been building up to this," said Tancill. "I think it's something like 1,000 games that have been played between the seven of us."

Senior Gary Shuchuk of Edmonton, Alberta centers the line. The left winger, Sagissor, hails from Hastings, Minn. He is also a senior.

"Shuchuk is the MVP of the league, and I thought he got robbed when he wasn't up for the Hobey Baker

### hockey

Award (college hockey's equivalent of the Helmsman Trophy)," Tancill said. "Shuchuk has been the catalyst and Sagissor has really come around. Sagissor is 5-11, 200 pounds and as tough as nails. He's our policeman in effect. We've really clicked all season."

Wisconsin beat Boston College earlier this year, 6-3, in a holiday tournament in Madison, but the Badgers have not played either Boston U. or Colgate. Tancill, in fact, was shocked to learn that top-ranked Michigan State had been eliminated.

"I fully expected to meet up with them somewhere along the line," he said.

IRONICALLY, the last time MSU and Wisconsin met was in December 1987 at JLA in the Great Lakes Invitational.

Tancill scored the game-winning goal in a 4-3 championship victory.

"We're 2-0 in that building and I just hope it continues," Tancill said. "For three years we've been to the NCAA quarters. Every year we've had a taste, but not taken that next step. Now we've taken that big step."

Wisconsin, ranked in the top 10 all season, has been mowing down opponents en route to the finals. The Badgers won their first WCHA title since 1977 and added the WCHA playoff crown.

"I'm sure we'll have 4,000 to 5,000 fans there," said Tancill of the upcoming finals. "Our hockey office had a flood of calls today (Monday) from MSU people who were trying to unload their tickets. Basically Wisconsin loves a winner. They're happy to have a winner and we (the players) have been having fun with it, especially after winning the league and the playoffs."

Tancill, who as a high schooler played in Detroit's top midget and junior leagues, is glad he went the college route.

"I think I would have been happy anywhere, but I'm glad I chose Wisconsin," said the right winger. "There's pros and cons to everything, but looking back, I'm getting an education, establishing friendships with 20 to 30 people that I'll have for life, and playing hockey at a good school to boot."

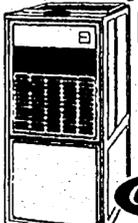
TANCILL'S MOTHER Diane, a member of the Livonia School Board, is preparing a large brunch for the Badger team at her home Saturday morning.

"I'd tell anybody if they had a choice between Junior A and college, you should choose college because you should never miss the experience," she said. "It's just been a wonderful experience for Chris and it's such a thrill to have him playing here. I'm really proud of the boys. The nice thing about them is that they never give up. They've had to come from behind in a lot of their games, but it's been tough on spectators, especially mothers."

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# 'B' kings relieved

By Marty Budner  
staff writer

Right from the beginning, Detroit Country Day was favored — no, expected — to win the Class B boys state championship basketball tournament.

The Yellow Jackets won Class C last year and school administrators allowed the team to move up and test uncharted, although very swimmable, waters in Class B. And Chris Webber, Iyapo Montgomery, Kevin Colson, Myron Potter and Ryan Ringold and other members of Country Day's talented cage squad proved they were more than ready for the cruise.

Country Day secured its second straight state championship Saturday at The Palace of Auburn Hills with a 59-53 victory over Saginaw Buena Vista before some 19,000 fans in what turned out to be the best and closest of four championships decided that day.

Buena Vista — the defending Class B champions — supplied DCD with the toughest of its eight tournament games.

An exhausted Kurt Keener, DCD's veteran coach, sat back on Monday and talked proudly of his team's historic accomplishments en route to the school's second straight state title.

"IT WAS A totally different emotional feeling winning it this year," said Keener. "Last year it was an exhilarating feeling of realizing a lifelong dream. It was like a dash to the state title."

"But this year it was like running a marathon, especially the last week. I felt like I hit the wall," he said. "It was a long, hard struggle. You're satisfied with winning and realizing a goal, but I was just so weary afterwards."

Keener explained part of that exhaustion was due, at least in part, to the demands of entering as the pre-tournament favorite.

"I didn't sense the pressure day by day, but as I look back on it, there was more of a subtle pressure," he said. "The reality of (being the favorite) was always there. The pressure probably took its toll more than I thought."

"But even when you're favored to win and you have all those expectations, you still have to work hard to achieve them," he said.

And Keener was ecstatic with DCD's work ethic this season.

"A year ago I was worried the kids would become complacent after winning (the Class C title)," he said. "But just the opposite happened."

"Because they had that taste of success in Class C, the kids worked harder than ever," he said. "They worked hard over the summer and made even more of a commitment this year."

THE YELLOW Jackets played a tough schedule which included Detroit Pershing, Toledo Scott, this year's Class C state champion Saginaw Nouvel Catholic Central and Saginaw Buena Vista in the season opener. Country Day fashioned a formidable 17-2 regular-season mark despite the rigid competition.

Keener's kids opened post-season action with three easy district games, reaching the century mark against both Madison and Oak Park high schools. DCD then thwarted Mt. Clemens Clintondale and Redford Bishop Borgess for its third regional crown over the past four years.

In the quarterfinals, DCD tipped Tecumseh, 69-56, behind a sterling 26-point, 15-rebound effort from Webber. Country Day stung Grand Rapids Northview in the semifinals Friday at Crisler Arena in Ann Arbor, 70-50. Webber had 25 points and 15 rebounds in that game.

Webber followed those impressive performances with his best effort of the tournament — 30 points, including a 14-16 showing from the free-throw line, and 14 rebounds — against Buena Vista.

The triumph allowed DCD to become the first team in state history to win back-to-back state titles after voluntarily moving up a class the following season.

"When you achieve what you set out to do it's a wonderful feeling," said Keener. "But this team worked very hard for the success it achieved."

# Can Hartman take Division II program beyond?

PAUL HARTMAN sat quietly, watching, appraising the team he helped put on the floor at Cal Poly Pomona.

Oakland University's Lady Pioneers were in the process of getting thumped by the host team in a meaningless game. The real challenge for OU had come the previous evening; Bentley College had taught the Lady Pioneers a lesson in playing under tournament pressure Friday, handing the rookies of the NCAA Division II women's basketball Final Four a four-point loss.

Now OU was trying to salvage something from its trip to California, trying to prove it belonged among the top NCAA II teams in the country. Saturday's 19-point loss to Cal Poly Pomona didn't accomplish that.

AFTER ALL, coach Bob Taylor had spent the week prior to the Final Four tournament saying this team's group of seniors was the best in school history.

Fine. But now Hartman, OU's athletic director for the past seven years, was watching that same team be dismantled in the final eight minutes of the first half (during a 23-3 Pomona run) and wondering how to help guide it to the next level.

The Lady Pioneers have proven to be a league and regional powerhouse; now how do they move up a notch, to become a national contender on an annual basis?

Not an easy step. But when Hartman arrived on campus, most of OU's varsity teams, women's basketball included, were struggling.

Now they rank with the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference's elite, every year. The women's basketball team has reached the NCAA II playoffs the last two years, something it had not accomplished in more than a decade prior to Taylor's arrival.

But the five seniors Taylor boasted of, all starters, will be gone next season.

"I THINK next year's team could be as good as this year's," said Hartman, even as the current Lady Pioneers were falling apart.

That certainly sounds like conceit, which seems contrary to Hartman's nature. He is a quiet, soft-spoken man, someone likely to be overlooked at a Final Four tournament.



C.J. Risak

His ego can't be compared with a couple of other college ADs in the state, like Schembechler and Perles.

But the success of OU's teams since Hartman's arrival is extraordinary. Nearly every one has reached new heights, except perhaps men's swimming, which has always rated as an NCAA II power.

All kinds of reasons can be given for OU's surge. It would be hard, though, not to put Hartman's leadership at the forefront.

To be sure, administrative support has helped. OU is at the scholarship limit in men's and women's basketball, and close to it in men's swimming and soccer. Money makes a team a power in Division II, where intercollegiate athletics are usually a losing proposition in financial terms.

"Our president (Dr. Joseph Champagne) has done all he can to get us the money we needed," Hartman said. "I think, in the sense he wants all facets of the university to excel, he's been very supportive."

Hartman will present other reasons, none featuring him. Like: "We've got good coaches in our sports now. We made some wrong choices at first, but now they're all doing well."

BUT OU's athletic budget has been bolstered with outside support, sources which were never cultivated prior to Hartman's arrival. Fund-raising projects, such as the Gus Macker three-on-three basketball tournament that debuted at OU last summer, have supplemented the department.

The increased budget has helped put OU on the national map, a necessary component for a program wishing to be recognized by NCAA II tournament officials.

The women's basketball team played two

games in Arizona in each of the last two seasons; the volleyball team will travel to Colorado Springs for a tournament this fall. The soccer team has been to Los Angeles (so have both swim teams) and Seattle, while the remainder of OU's teams have made stops everywhere in between. "We've really been getting more national each year," said Hartman. He doesn't appreciate it really; he endures it.

"THE TRAVEL is made possible by the budget, but we're also forced to (travel) by the NCAA," he said. "You've got to travel to play the best teams."

And playing the best teams is the only way to gain notoriety. As Hartman explained, even if you lose, playing well against a good NCAA II team will earn you a respectable reputation.

"I think you should be able to stay in your region and qualify for the NCAAs," he said.

But that won't happen, and he knows it.

If OU is to make the jump to national prominence, and stay there, the athletic program will need help in other areas. Lepley Sports Center is not much more than a high school gym. It can't compare with the arenas at Central Missouri State (8,000 capacity) or Cal Poly Pomona (5,000).

Different proposals are under consideration, including a plan by the YMCA to build on campus, with money raised by that project helping pay for a new, or renovated, arena.

AND DESPITE their past successes in swimming, OU's men have been second in the NCAA II four-straight years, and the women won the NCAA II title this season the Pioneers' facilities are lacking. A swimming powerhouse, which OU has proven to be, needs a top-notch pool to draw the best talent.

The same holds true for basketball. "It's getting closer," Hartman said of a possible new sports complex. "I don't know how long it will take. We're looking at different ways to fund it."

"We feel our (present) facility keeps people away."

# Mercy's Noll on fast indoor track

Heather Noll won the mile and two-mile races Friday, highlighting Farmington Hills Mercy's performance at the Oakland County Indoor Track Championships at Macomb Community College.

Noll finished the mile in 5:45 and ran a 12:23 two-mile race in the 13-team invitational.

Brigitte Dery also excelled, placing third in the mile (5:51) and second in the two mile (12:27). Laure

DeMattia's shot put of 33 feet, 4 inches earned her second place in that event.

Taking third was Mary Beth Strand in the 60-yard hurdles (10.2), and the two-mile relay team of Heather Sullivan, Judy Rosowski, Megan Lombardi and Lauren Hood also was third (11:08.9).

Stephanie Miller took fourth in the 60-yard hurdles (10.4). Sixth place

finishes were garnered by Jeanette Turner, shot put (31-8); Lombardi, long jump (13-3/4); and Hood, high hurdles (4-6).

The mile relay of Sullivan, Dawn DiPonio, Lombardi and Hood was fourth (4:32), and Kim Cook, Strand, Ayanna Allen and Kath Cook were fourth in the 800 (2:00.4). Sullivan, Hood, Lombardi and Walton scored in the distance medley with a 14:11 time.

In the Huron Relays at Eastern Michigan University on St. Patrick's Day, Dery took third in the 3,200 race (12:19) and anchored the distance medley relay team that took third (13:47). Hood, Sullivan and Noll teamed with Dery on the relay.

Noll had a fourth-place finish in the 1,600 (5:51), while Carrie Walton took fifth (5:58) and sixth in the 3,200 (13:01).

# Coaches applaud expanded playoffs

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Had the new system been in place, Salem would have qualified, because one of the four ahead of it, Portage Central with 1,120 students, would have been in Class A.

"I'm in favor of anything that gets more teams involved," Salem coach Tom Moshimer said. "It only affects us in that we would have been one of the four."

"We're still going to compete with the big schools in the state. The ones that feel good about it are the Northville and Walled Lake Westerns. They won't have to compete against the big As."

For some it's a matter of indifference.

Big schools such as Salem, Plymouth Canton, Redford Catholic Central and Westland John Glenn won't be affected. They'll merely be classified as AA instead of A.

"Historically, as I look back at the teams we played in the playoffs, we ended up playing the bigger As," CC coach Tom Mach said. "The smaller As will be competing against themselves."

"IT'S GREAT incentive instead of half way through the season knowing it's going to end on the ninth date. The more you include the better."

Glenn's indifference is more pronounced.

In light of the recent millage defeat, the Rockets, a Class A playoff team the last two years and three of the last four, are more concerned

with having a sports program next fall than making the football playoffs.

"It'll be nice for other teams," Glenn coach Chuck Gordon said. "Right now we're out of business."

"Football is the only sport in which every team doesn't have an opportunity to get into the tournament. From that standpoint, it's good."

Mach added it should reduce complaints from smaller schools in each class, but doubling the number of playoff qualifiers also increases the number of teams that will be close to qualifying and not make it.

Furthermore, Class A schools like Livonia Franklin (1,431) and Garden City (1,468) will be in Class AA and competing against schools with 2,000 or more students. The starting point for AA is 1,400.

"THERE'S STILL a great disparity among some A schools," Herring-

ton said. "Some AAs are still a lot bigger than some As, but you can't bring it down too much."

A potential stumbling block is finding enough quality sites for the increased number of games once the tournament reaches the semifinal stage in late November.

"Now we can play all day at Atwood," Herrington said.

Harrison played East Grand Rapids in a Class B semifinal at slippery, ice-covered Flint Atwood Stadium last year. The footing called more for ice skates than cleats.

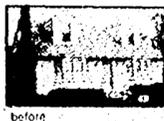
"I think they're going to have a real problem solving that," Herrington said. "I think they'll have to play a lot more games at one site. We may have to play at Jackson (on the artificial turf in Withington Stadium) in the morning and play on through."

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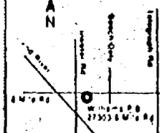
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# Glenn coach quits after 3 years

By Brad Emons  
staff writer

Bob Killingbeck has stepped down as boys basketball coach at Westland John Glenn High after three seasons.

He notified Glenn athletic director Gerald Szukaitis and principal Dr. James Myers of his decision during the season and officially submitted his resignation near the end of the regular season.

"Basically coaching a Class A basketball team had become a 12-month job and now I'll be able to spend more time with my family, whereas before I'd often put those things aside," said Killingbeck, whose record was 37-30 during his three-year stint. "Basketball, it seemed, consumed me too much. I was thinking and talking basketball all the time. Now I can relax and do other things."

Killingbeck served three years as Glenn's JV coach before he succeeded Gordie Davis in 1987.

His best season occurred in 1987-88 when the Rockets posted a 15-9 record and won a district title before being ousted by Redford Catholic Central in the regional.

IN 1988-89, the Rockets went 11-10 and last

## basketball

season 11-11.

"Bob was pretty sure of his intentions in early December," said Szukaitis. "He told me he wanted to spend more time with his family and I think he got tired of some of the pressures, maybe from the parents, the typical types of things coaches face."

"He told me he wants to do other things." Killingbeck, an employee of the Wayne-Westland Schools for 21 years, is an industrial arts instructor at Marshall Junior High.

Among the projects he plans to tackle during his post-coaching days are to build a house.

"I have three acres and I plan to build it next to my house," he said.

Szukaitis said he is "not going to rush it" in terms of hiring a new coach.

Athletic programs in the Wayne-Westland Schools could be on the bubble because the district is faced with severe financial problems following a pair of millage election defeats.

"All of our coaching positions are automatical-

ly re-posted in the spring," Szukaitis said. "Right now I don't know what is going to happen. We may not know even before summer basketball starts."

KILLINGBECK SAID the district's financial woes was not a factor in his decision.

"It all came about after I resigned," he said. "But looking at it from that view, it might be a wise decision on my part. We're in an unusual situation now and we could really be in trouble."

The outgoing coach, however, said he has no regrets about his coaching days at Glenn.

"It was real enjoyable for the most part," Killingbeck said. "The six years I was there was well worth the experience. You always have your ups and downs like any coach, but I enjoyed my six years at Glenn."

Among the possible successors to Killingbeck?

One name that has come up is Schoolcraft College men's basketball coach Dave Bogataj, who interviewed for the position three years ago and is a teacher in the Wayne-Westland Schools. Another name is junior varsity coach Brad Jennings, possibly Wayne Memorial assistant basketball coach Wayne Woodard. Jack Furlong, Wayne High girls coach, has also come up.



STAFF PHOTO

Bob Killingbeck resigned after posting a 37-30 record and one district boys basketball title at Westland John Glenn High.

## sports roundup

### GIRLS SOCCER OPENS

Cherise Gable scored twice Tuesday, leading host Redford Thurston to a season-opening 3-1 girls soccer win over Dearborn Heights Fairlane Christian.

Sophomore forward Joy Hazinski opened the scoring for Thurston with a goal at 11:10 of the first half. Senior midfielder Sandy Herman drew the assist.

Gable, a senior forward, then scored a pair of second-half goals, the first coming at 11:50 from Christine Crosky and the second from Hazinski at 16:20.

Thurston outshot the Lions, 26-12. (Eagle freshman goalie Andrea Maurer made 11 saves.)

"We need to do some fine tuning," said Thurston coach Ron Predmesky. "We hustled a lot, but we need to work on our skills."

Livonia Ladywood opened its season Monday with a 1-1 tie at Dearborn Edsel Ford.

The host Thunderbirds gained the point on a goal by Kim Nelson with less than a minute to play.

Cassie Ozog scored in the first half for Ladywood.

### MEN'S SOCCER FINALS

The Michigan Soccer Association will stage its annual state indoor tournament from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Sunday at Total Soccer in Southfield, located at the Beech Woods complex on Beech Daly Road, four blocks south of Nine Mile.

Livonia Paragon, Great Lakes Men's Indoor League champions, will take on the Hamtrack White Eagles at 11 a.m.

At 10 a.m., the runner-up Redford Marauders face Croatia. At 3 p.m., the third place Birmingham Cobras tackle the Capital Kickers.

Winners advance to the semifinals Saturday, April 7 with the championship set for Sunday, April 8.

Admission is \$1 for the entire day.

Also at 3 p.m. Sunday, Paragon and the Marauders will meet in a quarterfinal round (outdoor) match of the U.S. National Amateur Cup at the Pearson Adult Community Education Center. The game will help determine Michigan's representative

for the June regionals in Indianapolis. (Pearson is off Beech Daly between Eight Mile and Grand River.) Admission is free.

### SOCCER TRYOUTS

Tryouts for the Livonia Wolves Soccer Club (Great Lakes Men's Division) will be at 6 p.m. Thursday, April 5 at the Whitman Center, on W. Chicago between Farmington and Merriman roads.

For more information, call 525-8744.

### SPIKER OMITTED

Julie Wilson of Livonia Ladywood was omitted Monday in the list for honorable mention All-Area volleyball.

Wilson was a starter for the Blazers, who reached the state Class A final before losing to East Kentwood.

The Observer regrets the mistake.

### ALL-AROUND GYMNASTS

Three area competitors from Livonia's All-Around Gymnastics Center placed fourth, fifth and 10th overall during the annual Courtland Classic last weekend at the Genesee Valley Gymnastics Center near Flint.

The two-day USGF-sanctioned meet attracted 100 athletes from such states as Texas, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio and Michigan.

Canton's Doug Stibel, competing in the Class II (ages 13-15) division, placed fourth overall in the compulsory competition with 50.4 points. Coached by Kevin Watson, the nationally-ranked Stibel took third on pommel horse (8.1), fourth on parallel bars (8.4), fifth on high bar (8.85) and ninth still rings (8.05).

In Class IV compulsory (ages 7-9), John Jones of Novi took fifth overall (48.4). He was first in vault (9.3), third on still rings (8.7), fifth on pommel horse (7.9) and sixth on both parallel bars and floor exercise (8.3 each).

West Bloomfield's Jamie Hertz, competing in the same age division, was 10th overall (45.9). He finished seventh pommel horse (7.6).

For more information on Livonia's All-Around Center (pre-schoolers through teens), call 462-1707.

### PEE WEE FLYERS 1ST

The Livonia Flyers Pee Wee B hockey club, sponsored by Select Air Systems of Plymouth, finished their season on a winning note by defeating the Livonia Hawks, 9-5, as part of Livonia's Hockey Day at Eddie Edgar Arena.

The Flyers finished the year with a 19-2 overall record.

Dan McNutt paced the victorious Flyers with five goals. Tom Simo added two, while Leo Lamsen contributed three assists.

### HAWLEY PRESIDES

Wayne Memorial High Athletic

Director Bill Hawley was installed March 19 as president of the Michigan Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association during its annual mid-winter convention held at Grand Traverse Resort in Traverse City.

Hawley, active in the state association the past 15 years, will lead the MIAAA for a year and will represent state athletic directors at regional and national conventions.

Hawley has been employed for the Wayne-Westland Schools for the past 28 years.

### BASEBALL TRYOUTS

Travel league tryouts for the Westland Federation Baseball Club (ages 10-12) will be 3:30 p.m. Saturday at Voss Park, at the corner of

Henry Ruff and Palmer roads.

For more information, call Mr. Ayers at 326-4556.

### UMPIRES CLINIC

An umpires clinic, sponsored by the Dearborn Heights Crestwood Little League, will be from 9 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. Saturday at 1801 N. Beech Daly Road. The cost is \$10.

For more information, call the hotline at 277-7008.

### SOFTBALL LEAGUES

Girls ages 16-18 interested in playing slow-pitch softball this summer should call Larry Bowerman at 453-6610 (days) or 459-0077 (evenings). The team will compete in league play and tournaments.

Sign up for the Suburban Senior Softball League (55 years and up) will be 1 p.m. Saturday, April 17, at the Livonia Senior Center, Farmington and Five Mile roads. (Practice begins in April, league play begins in May.)

A new 65 and over league has also been formed.

For more information, call Mike Palizzi at 788-2820.

### AAU VOLLEYBALL

Tryouts for the Crusader Volleyball Association girls program will be Sunday at Madonna College.

Tryout times are 1-3 p.m. (14 and under), 3-5 p.m. (16 and under) and 6-7 p.m. (18 and under).

For more information, call Jerry Abraham (478-7107), Lee Cagle (42-3378) or Brian McClain (471-6233).



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Kim Miller  
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# Gymnastics squad earns high plaudits

## All-around state champ leads way

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

**T**HIS YEAR'S ALL-AREA gymnastics team looks very much like an all-state team.

Observerland teams made a strong showing in the state finals March 17 at Saginaw Valley State University, and many of the top performers in that meet are members of the 1990 all-area squad.

The leader is Plymouth Salem freshman Kim Miller, who won the all-around state championship and helped the Rocks to a third-place showing in state competition.

Miller scored 36.30 in the all-around competition to earn the title won by Westland John Glenn's Wendy Minch a year ago. Miller also was the individual winner on bars with an 18.25 total in the two-day competition.

North Farmington won a regional championship and was fourth in the state and is represented by Heather Kahn and Kym Heller on the all-area team, which once again was determined by area coaches.

Plymouth Canton also was a regional winner and finished fifth at state. Canton's Dawn Clifford, Johanna Anderson and Heather Murphy are all-area repeaters as are Heller, Kahn and Westland John Glenn's Christine Prough.

Kathi Kinsella, who led Salem to its first Western Lakes Activities Association title and the best showing among area schools in state competition, was named coach of the year.

that next year. There was never a meet when she let the pressure get to her."

Dawn Clifford, sophomore, Canton: Clifford had high scores of 9.0 on vault, 8.85 on bars, 9.1 on beam, 8.5 on floor exercise and 35.00 in the all-around. She also has All-American averages of 8.84 on vault, 8.69 on bars, 8.93 on beam and 33.98 in the all-around.

Clifford was sixth in the state on beam (17.70) and was third in the Rockford Invitational in that event. In the WLAA meet, she was fifth in the all-around (35.00) and fourth on beam (9.10) and bars (8.85). Clifford also was the Western Division champion on beam.

"In a year hampered by slow rehabilitation from a broken ankle, Dawn made me proud by adding an extra All-American award (a total of four this year) and Canton's highest (individual) finish in the state," coach John Cunningham said.

Heather Murphy, junior, Canton: Murphy holds the school record on beam with a 9.45. She was eighth in the state and fourth in the Plymouth Invitational in that event, and she has been an All-American on beam since her freshman year.

Murphy was ninth in WLAA in the all-around (34.30) and sixth on beam (8.85).

"Heather finished the year very strongly, setting a school record on beam and qualifying for the individual finals at state," Cunningham said. "She will be a great asset to next year's team."

Kim Rennolds, freshman, Canton: Rennolds set school records on vault (9.30), bars (9.15), floor (9.35) and all-around (36.15) in her first year of high school competition. Her high score on beam is 9.30.

She also has All-American averages of 9.17 on vault, 8.70 on bars, 8.85 on beam, 9.10 on floor and 35.29 in the all-around.

Rennolds was 22nd in the state in the all-around (33.80) and qualified for state in every event except beam.

"Kim was a pleasant surprise as a freshman performer," Cunningham said. "She is very graceful and talented. Kim's exceptional gymnastics is just beginning."

Kim Miller, freshman, Salem: Miller had high scores of 9.35 on vault, 9.45 on bars, 9.50 on beam, 9.40 on floor and 37.45 in the all-around. Her average scores were 9.0 on vault and bars, 9.15 on beam and 9.25 on floor.

Miller, an All-American in all events, was the only gymnast to qualify for the individual state finals in every event, finishing first on bars, ninth on vault, fifth on beam and second on floor.

In the regional meet, Miller was first on beam and in the all-around and second in every other event. She also won the all-around title at the Midland Dow Invitational and was second at Freeland.

"Kim is definitely the strongest and most talented gymnast to come out of the Plymouth schools," coach Kathi Kinsella

### all-area gymnastics

1990 ALL-AREA GYMNASTICS TEAM		SECOND TEAM	
<b>FIRST TEAM</b>		Autumn Burch	Salem
Heather Kahn	N. Farmington	Kristin Szutarski	N. Farmington
Kym Heller	N. Farmington	Jameelah Gater	N. Farmington
Dawn Clifford	Canton	Elizabeth Schuch	John Glenn
Heather Murphy	Canton	Crissi Croxton	Wayne
Kim Rennolds	Canton	<b>HONORABLE MENTIONS</b>	
Johanna Anderson	Canton	Salem: Jenny Wong, Amieo Wong, Jenny	
Kim Miller	Canton	Skytako: Sue Farmer, Stefania Angulo,	
Courtney Gonyea	Salem	Theresa Giachero, Wayne: Shannon	
Christine Prough	John Glenn	Reidel: Jennifer Laskey, Teresa Griffin,	
Jennifer Kaipio	Clarenceville	Farmington: Nicole Gerwaatowski, Michelle	
Jenny Tedesco	Canton	Fenner, Stenl Yitolo, John Glenn: Gina	
Kelly Jacobs	Wayne	Marlin, Amy Finley, Nichelle Coombs, Can-	
Danielle Mirto	Canton	ton: Sandi Sherman, Jana Shocking, Laura	
		Anderson, N. Farmington: Cara Pool, Kathy	
		Williams, Ellen Kidder, Harrison: Amy	
		Solomon, Michelle Davis, Colleen	
		Heinzmann, Walled Lake Western: Julie	
		Deble, Amber Baker, Clarenceville, Robert	
		Wiggle, Erin Maguire	
<b>COACH OF THE YEAR</b>			
Kathi Kinsella	Salem		

said. "She is also very much into the team philosophy. We are looking forward to the next three years."

Courtney Gonyea, freshman, Salem: Gonyea was fourth in the state in the all-around with a 35.75 total. She also tied for second on beam and was eighth on vault.

Gonyea had high scores of 9.35 on vault, 9.00 on bars, 9.25 on beam, 9.35 on floor and 36.15 in the all-around. Her average scores were 8.95 on vault, 8.70 on bars, 9.00 on beam and 9.15 on floor.

She was the WLAA champion on floor exercise (9.35), and she placed third on beam and in the all-around (36.15).

"She is the most graceful gymnast I have had the opportunity to work with in my 10 years of coaching," Kinsella said. "She has impeccable execution -- very clean, no mistakes. Hopefully, next year she will be injury-free."

Johanna Anderson, junior, Canton: Anderson was sixth in the all-around (34.70) at the WLAA meet and finished fourth on floor and seventh on vault. In regional competition, she was third on vault and eighth on floor.

Anderson scored season highs of 9.20 on vault and 9.30 on floor, and she was division champ in the latter. Anderson has received All-American ratings on vault, beam and floor in the past.

"JoJo had the best season ever," Cunningham said. "I'm very proud of her high scores in every event. She had very consistent performances and helped us to our 11-0 season."

Christine Prough, junior, Glenn: Prough had average scores of 8.20 on vault, 7.40 on bars, 8.60 on beam and floor and 32.50 in the all-around this year.

Prough, an All-American on beam and floor, has career-high scores of 9.00 and 8.80 in those events, respectively. Her best in the all-around is 33.90.

In floor exercise, she was 10th in the WLAA, eighth in the regional and 25th in the state. She was 13th in the all-around at the regional. At the Eastern Michigan Invitational, Prough was fourth on beam, floor and all-around.

"Christine is a real trooper, very enthusiastic and dedicated," coach Pam Yockeysaid.

Jennifer Kaipio, senior, Clarenceville: Kaipio was named the most valuable

gymnast and scholar-athlete award winner on her team.

She achieved high scores of 8.30 on vault, 8.40 on bars, 8.90 on beam, 8.80 on floor and 33.05 in the all-around. Her average scores were 8.11 on vault, 7.86 on bars, 8.35 on beam, 8.57 on floor and 32.31 in the all-around.

Kaipio was a three-year regional qualifier and this year qualified in every event.

"If hard work, attitude and total commitment make a gymnast an athlete, Jennifer is a super gymnast and athlete," coach Chuck Thompson said. "In my 27 years of coaching gymnastics, she stands out as one of my best."

Kelly Jacobs, Wayne Memorial: In the Great Lakes Eight meet, Jacobs tied for seventh on vault (8.60), placed fourth on bars (8.00), took third place on beam (8.65), was second on floor (8.75) and finished fourth in the all-around with a 34.00 total.

Jenny Tedesco, freshman, Canton: Tedesco earned All-American recognition on bars and beam. She had her highest bars score of 9.05 in the regional meet where she finished fifth.

Tedesco was seventh on beam (8.65) at the same meet and had a 34.05 score in the all-around to finish 11th. In the WLAA meet, she tied for ninth on bars (8.50) and was 14th on beam (8.05) and 16th in the all-around (32.00).

"Jenny was our most consistent bars performer, holding the best bars average for the year," Cunningham said. "She is one of Canton's secret weapons for next year, since she is on the verge of breaking into high scores in every event."

Danielle Mirto, junior, Canton: Mirto had a high score of 9.2 on floor -- her specialty -- and 9.0 on beam at the Plymouth Invitational. She had one of her best meets at the regional when she took fifth place on floor and eighth in the all-around.

In the WLAA meet, Mirto was 11th in the all-around (33.95), seventh on beam (8.5) and tied for seventh on floor (8.95). She has received All-American mention on floor, beam and in the all-around.

"Danielle is our most graceful floor exercise performer with leaps and amplitude that have gotten 'wow' comments from judges," Cunningham said. "Next year we will see her contending for state honors."



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# Hartman spoils Wings' season

By Steve Kowalski  
staff writer

Wearing an ice pack on his ankle and a shiner on his face, Mike Hartman looked every bit like the tough guy he is for the Buffalo Sabres hockey team.

And yet, pain wasn't all Hartman experienced as he sat in the Buffalo locker room Tuesday, shortly after the Sabres' 6-5 win over the Detroit Red Wings at Joe Louis Arena. One look at the statistic sheet, which revealed he had three assists, brought a smile to the face of Hartman, a 22-year-old forward from West Bloomfield.

"I do a lot of work in the corners, and the puck just bounced for me tonight," said Hartman, who missed 20 games this season because of ligament damage to his ankle. "My job is not to fight anymore. If a fight occurs, that's just what happened."

Hartman will be the first to admit his rugged style helped land him a job in the National Hockey League after being selected in the seventh round of the 1986 draft. But Hartman, now in his fourth year, and his second straight full season with the parent club, has made great strides as a player.

Hartman, who led the Sabres with 317 minutes in penalties last year, has amassed only 211 minutes this year. He has scored 11 goals and his three assists Tuesday gives him 10 for the year and 21 points.

HE'S ONE OF the players of the future for playoff-bound Buffalo, which has 92 points and will likely finish in second place behind Boston in the Adams Division.

"Harty is a great little player," said Rick Dudley, the Sabres' first-year coach. "He's becoming an all-around player. He's kind of like our (Bob) Probert. Although he's not as big and as frightening, people don't like going up against him. He's a

character guy for us in the locker room and on the ice."

Of Hartman's three assists, the second was the prettiest. Skating down the right side of the ice, the left-handed Hartman passed the puck under the Wings' Rick Zombo to Dave Andreychuk, who scored the first of his three goals at 5:39 of the first period.

Andreychuk, who completed his hat trick before the first period ended, praised Hartman for his continued improvement. Andreychuk (38 goals), Hartman and center Pierre Turgeon (38 goals) give the Sabres a versatile second line.

"Hartman's a hard-working guy, every game, every practice," said Andreychuk. "And you can't teach that. Tonight he proved he can set up goals. He sets up a lot of goal-scoring chances and is the kind of guy you like on your team."

HARTMAN HAD plenty of support in the crowd, including his parents John and Cheri. John is the Red Wings' team photographer but when his son comes to town all he uses are his own two eyes to watch Mike.

"When I play, he just sits and enjoys the game," said Mike. "There were a lot of people here tonight but I put that behind me because this is my job and I love it."

An Oak Park native, Hartman spends his summers in West Bloomfield, but would like to spend the rest of his career in Buffalo. He is in the final year of a three-year deal and plans to sign a multi-year contract with the Sabres when the season is over.

"It's great to play for a guy like Dudley," Hartman said. "He has confidence in me and I love Buffalo. I don't want to be anywhere else. I want to get through this year and will sign when they want me to sign. We're a hungry club and we'll shoot for the top of the ladder."

# O'Leary Hawks win title Women's champs eye nationals

Livonia's O'Leary Hawks, coached by Andrea Layman, captured state honors earlier this month (March 9-11) by defeating the Metro Jets, 3-2, in the 1990 championship game of the Michigan Women's Senior B hockey finals at Wyandotte's Yack Arena.

The Hawks and the Jets advance to the U.S. National Senior B Tournament (ages 20 and up) on April 5-8 at the municipal ice arenas in Wayne and Wyandotte.

Carrie Sirola, a Livonia Bentley High product, scored twice in the final, helping the Hawks rally from a 2-0 deficit in the final eight minutes.

She scored the game-winner from Allen Park's Vicki Foley.

Le Ann Wood and Debbie Albano each scored goals to stake the Jets to a 2-0 lead after two periods.

But the Hawks roared back in the third to tie it on a goal by Sirola, followed by Plymouth Salem product Laurie Lough. (Livonia Churchill product Missy Donahue assisted on the goal).

Ironically, the Hawks and the Jets battled to a 2-2 tie in the tourney opener.

THE HAWKS scored twice early in the period — Kim Hellar-Stover from Karen Stryzowski-Mollanen, and Sirola from defenseman Chris Shurin (ex-Livonia Stevenson).

The Jets came back on goals by Wood and Rhonda Dolin, both assisted by Renee Stone.

In the other first-round game, the Michigan Falcons and the Garden City Renegades also battled to a 2-2 draw.

Fran Erickson and Cheryl Buch staked the Falcons to a 2-0 lead, but GC roared back on goals by Susan Block and Cindy Bleyle.

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In round No. 2, the Hawks outgunned Trenton, 7-3, on a hat trick by Sirola, while Donahue added two. Marlee Walker (ex-Salem) and Jennifer Dzakowski (ex-Churchill) added one each.

Vicki Rondeau, Deb Williams and Angie Santoro scored for Trenton.

The Falcons then returned to the ice to rout Marquette's Northern Lites, 10-3, as the Ericksons, Kara and Fran, both tallied hat tricks, combining for seven of the team's goals.

Patty Schwemin scored twice in a losing cause. Beth Giddings added a third goal.

IN GAME NO. 5, the Metro Jets drilled Trenton, 6-0, behind goaltender Jackie Haggerty's shutout performance.

Offensively for the Jets, Dolin scored twice with Albano, Beth Willman, Wood and Karin Wisuski notching one apiece.

Meanwhile, Garden City bumped out the Northern Lites, 5-3, behind Block's hat trick. Blyele, the playmaker, assisted on four of the five GC goals.

Schwemin paced the Lites with a pair of goals. In the semifinals, the Jets blanked the Renegades, 5-0, as Albano scored twice and assisted on another. Wasuski picked up three assists.

In the other semifinal, Sirola picked up two goals and two assists in a 7-0 triumph over the Falcons. Czajowski also had two goals and an assist.

Hawk goalies Karla Baker (ex-Bentley) and Robin Demarest combined on the shutout, setting up the championship game won by the sponsor Joe O'Leary's team, which also includes: Kelli Nagy (ex-Bentley), Marcia Hanan Szarek (Redford), Judy Velasco (Garden City), Shelle Mullen (ex-Plymouth Canton), Missy Donahue (ex-Churchill) and Linda Bart (ex-Garden City East).

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Action begins at noon Thursday at both Wayne and Yack. Play continues, beginning at 8 a.m. (through 5:20 p.m.) Friday, and at 8 a.m. (through 8 p.m.) Saturday, at both rinks.

The four championship games on Sunday — all at Wyandotte — are slated for 11 a.m. (Pee Wee), 1 p.m. (Midget), 3:30 p.m. (Senior B) and 4:30 p.m. (Senior A).

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# Wisconsin winger back at Joe Louis

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Tancill, an all-WCHA honorable mention choice, is currently property of the Hartford Whalers of the National Hockey League. He was taken by the Whalers last year in the NHL's supplemental draft.

"You're only young and stupid once and I'd like to give it a shot as long as I'm able," said Tancill. "I re-

alize the end is near (at Wisconsin) and it's going to be scary to skate off the ice for the last time."

"The Tanker," however, hopes to be as sturdy as a barge during Friday's semifinal against BC.

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By Brad Emons  
staff writer

**I**T WAS A QUICK ending for both the Detroit Red Wings and area prep hockey teams this season, but despite the abbreviated seasons some outstanding Steve Yzerman-like individual performances were recorded.

Observerland's four area teams — Livonia Stevenson (16-6-5), Redford Catholic Central (12-7-3), Livonia Churchill (12-9-2) and Livonia Franklin (4-18-1) — all failed to make it out of regional play.

But Stevenson, behind first-year coach Paul Ferguson, came away with another Suburban Prep Hockey League crown, the fourth straight for the Spartans.

Ferguson, selected Observerland Coach of the Year, returned to the bench after a five-year layoff.

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Paul Pirronello, forward, Redford CC: The 5-11, 170-pound right winger was just a shade behind linemate Bozyk in the scoring department with 31 goals and 39 assists for 70 points.

Pirronello also made the Michigan High School Hockey Coaches Association Class A All-State squad. He also earned All-Metro and West Division MVP honors.

"He's a tough kid with a good shot," Gumbleton said. "He also moved the puck around."

Matt Cichy, forward, Liv. Stevenson: The senior was a major point-producer for the Spartans with 22 goals and 21 assists for 43 points.

"Matt is a strong skater with speed to burn," said the Stevenson coach. "He had a knack for putting the puck in the net. He anticipates well and usually was in the right place at the right time."

Cichy was also voted All-Suburban Prep League and honorable mention All-State.

Kevin Brady, goalie, Liv. Stevenson: At 6-4, the junior netminder was tough to get the puck past.

During league play, Brady posted a goals-against average of 1.32, overall he had a 2.66.

"Kevin was one of the main reasons we set the fewest goals-against record for the league at 15 (total) this season," said the Stevenson coach. "He's strong and has good size, and he is very quick. He controls the puck and doesn't give up many second chances... excellent hand-eye coordination with great anticipation."

Brady was also an All-League and honorable mention All-Stater.

Collin Gallagher, defenseman, Liv. Churchill: The 5-10, 160-pound junior was called a "Bobby Orr-type" by coach Rudy Varvari.

"He's got skills, an all-around player," said the Churchill coach. "He was the quarterback on our power-play. He was a valuable asset because he could play forward."

The All-SPHL pick scored a pair of goals against state runner-up Trenton in the regional.

He was also voted the team's MVP defenseman.

Joe Cyrek, defenseman, Redford CC: The 6-2, 187-pound alternate captain was called "a steady influence on our team" by coach Jack Gumbleton.

The senior, labeled "a defensive defenseman," still managed to score four goals and added 14 assists.

He played in the Michigan All-Stater Game and was a first-team All-State pick by the Coaches Association.

Cyrek also took second-team All-Metro (West Division) honors.

Jesse Hubenschmidt, forward, Redford CC: The 5-8, 158-pound junior centered one of the state's most potent lines.

He ranked third in the team in scoring with 28 goals and 38 assists for 66 points.

"Jesse is a crafty playmaker with a lot of skills," said the CC coach.

Hubenschmidt was also second-team All-West Division in the Metro.



GUY WARREN/staff photographer

Joe Cyrek, a defenseman for Redford Catholic Central, was selected to the second-team All-Observer hockey team.

John Fenech, forward, Liv. Stevenson: The senior All-Leaguer tallied 19 goals and 30 assists this season for 49 points to pace the Spartans.

"John is a very smart hockey player and an excellent playmaker," said the Stevenson coach. "He was voted MVP by his teammates. He has good command of the ice surface."

Fenech was also honorable mention All-State.

Matt Sharkey, forward, Liv. Franklin: A shining light in an otherwise dismal season for the Patriots, the 5-11, 150-pound senior center was "Mr. Everything," according to coach Terry Jobbitt.

"He was very coachable, a joy to be with and a real asset," Jobbitt said. "He won 71 percent of his faceoffs and was only one of four players on our team with a plus (six) rating."

The senior captain led Franklin in scoring with 11 goals and 29 assists. He was ninth in the league in scoring and made first-team All-State.

During his career, Sharkey notched 111 points on 35 goals and 76 assists.

### Top coach



Paul Ferguson  
Stevenson coach

### 1st team selections



Matt Fennelly  
Redford CC



B.J. Eglinton  
Stevenson



John Brodhun  
Stevenson



Keith Bozyk  
Redford CC



Paul Pirronello  
Redford CC



Matt Cichy  
Stevenson

### 2nd team selections



Kevin Brady  
Stevenson



Joe Cyrek  
Redford CC



Collin Gallagher  
Churchill



Jesse Hubenschmidt  
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Many of the nation's hottest fishing personalities will also be on hand to conduct 58 separate seminars covering topics such as "Understanding Walleye," "Plastic Wormin for Bass," "Jigging and Rigging for More Fish" and "Fact vs. Fiction on Eating Michigan Fish."

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guides will be present at the show along with a streamside wildlife exhibit, Michigan's record gamefish display, a 65-pound muskie and a 50-foot-long aquarium on wheels.

Crowded aisles were a big distraction at last year's show, but the problem should be alleviated this year as the managers have created wider aisles on the main floor and reconstructed the layout of the exhibitor's booths on the concourse level.

The show begins today at 4 p.m. and runs through Sunday. Hours are 4-10 today, 2-10 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday, and 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday. Admission is \$6 adults and \$3.50 for children 6-12 years old. Children under six will be admitted free.

Following is the seminar schedule.

Thursday, March 29  
4:45 p.m. — Larry Richter and the Hawg Trough

## outdoors

5 p.m. — Babe Winkelman on "Understanding Walleye."  
5:30 p.m. — Doug Strange on "Trends and Tactics for More Muskie."  
6 p.m. — John Hesse from the Michigan Dept. of Public Health on "Facts vs. Fiction on Eating Michigan Fish."  
6:30 p.m. — Larry Nixon on "Plastic Wormin' for Bass."  
7 p.m. — Doug Stange on "Sure Fire Tips for Catfish."  
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8:30 p.m. — Sea Grant specialists Steve Stewart and Fred Snyder present a symposium on the threat of zebra mussels.

## Friday, March 30

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12 p.m. — Tommy Martin on "Crankbait Fishing for Bass."  
12 p.m. — Dave Richey on "Stream Fishing for Steelhead."  
12:45 p.m. — Spence Petros on "Jigging and Rigging for More Fish."  
1 p.m. — Al Lesh on "River Drift Boat Fishing."  
1:30 p.m. — Tom Huggler on "Saginaw Bay Walleye Fishing Patterns."  
2 p.m. — Rob Helzer on "Lake Huron Fishing for Lake Trout."  
12:15 p.m. — Dave Richey on "Stream Fishing for Steelhead."  
3 p.m. — Peter Ruboyanes on "Great Lakes Competition Fishing."  
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5 p.m. — In-Fisherman Magazine's Camp Fish Youth Clinic.  
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12 p.m. — Mike McClelland on "Walleye Basics."  
1 p.m. — Al Lesh on "River Drift Boat Fishing."

## outdoors calendar

### IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS

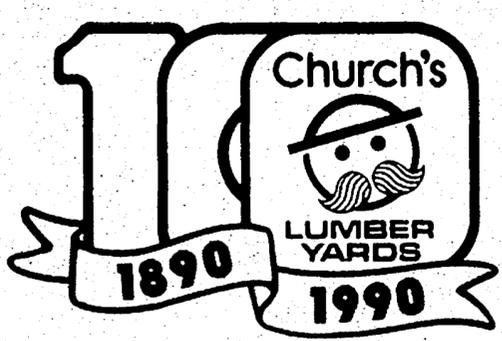
- March 31 — 1989 Michigan fishing licenses expire.
- March 31 — Rabbit season closes statewide.
- April 1 — Trout season opens on streams with extended trout and salmon fishing. Check the 1990 Michigan Fishing Guide for specific details.
- April 8 — The Black Powder Committee of the Western Wayne County Conservation Association will sponsor a turkey shoot from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the club's shooting range in Plymouth Twp. Only firearms using black powder with cloth-patched round balls will be used. Fee is \$5 for non-members. Call 453-9843 between 10 a.m. and 5:45 p.m. for more information.
- April 21 — River Crab Salmon Stakes fishing tournament, with an additional walleye division this year, will be held in St. Clair. Proceeds from the sale of \$10 raffle/entry tickets will be used to benefit child abuse and neglect programs statewide. Tickets are available at the Northwest Guidance Clinic, 6012 Merriman Rd., Garden City; The Sanctuary Inc., 1232 S. Washington, Royal Oak or by calling the River Crab at 329-2216.
- April 22 — Riverbend Sport Shop, 29229 Northwestern Hwy., Southfield, will conduct a fly fishing class. Course fee is \$90 and includes equipment and lunch. Additional classes will be held on April 29, May 6 and 20, June 3 and 10 and July 15 and 22. Each class is limited to 12 students. Call 350-8484 for more information.
- April 27 — Trout season opens on designated trout streams and trout lakes.
- April 29 — The Western Wayne County Conservatin Association will hold a 3-D archery shoot at its walk-through range in Plymouth. The shoot is open to the public and archers may use their own equipment or arrangements with the WCCA staff to try out a bow. Call 453-9843 during business hours or 525-1368 evenings for more information.

### METROPARKS

- April Fool's Walk, an opportunity to try to guess if the park naturalist is telling fact of fiction during a one-hour hike through the park, will be offered at 1 p.m. Sunday, April 1, at Stony Creek.
- Most Metropark programs are free but all require advanced registration and a vehicle entry permit. For more information call the Metroparks at the new toll-free number, 1-800-47-PARKS.

### OAKLAND COUNTY PARKS

- Faces and Feet, a nature program in which children ages 6 to 8 will examine animal faces and feet through activities and crafts, will be offered at 10 a.m. Saturday at Independence Oaks.
- Easter Egg-stravaganza, an afternoon of family fun including a unique animal egg hunt, egg games, face painting and live animals, will be offered at 1 p.m. Sunday, April 8, at Independence Oaks.
- Earth Fair, a nature program to celebrate the 20th anniversary of Earth Day will be held at 9 a.m. Friday, April 20, at Independence Oaks. The program, which runs to 3 p.m., includes activities for children, entertainment for all, guided hikes, videos, demonstrations and natural gifts.
- Most Oakland County Parks programs require advanced registration. Call the Independence Oaks Nature Center at 625-6473 for more information.



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# Entertainment

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O&F Thursday, March 29, 1990

## His family story is now a movie

By Ethel Simmons  
staff writer

**A** STORY THAT was told at every family gathering has become a motion picture, "Coupe de Ville." Mike Binder, originally from Birmingham, is the guy who wrote the screenplay and co-produced the film comedy.

Alan Arkin portrays the father, the character who in real life is Binder's late grandfather. The three sons in the movie from Universal Studios are based on three brothers, one of whom is Binder's father, Burt, called Buddy.

Interviewed in his suite at the Radisson Hotel in Southfield, Binder was getting ready to pack and leave. The personable writer and performer was in town on a publicity tour, and had attended the Detroit premiere of "Coupe de Ville" the night before, at the Old Orchard in Farmington Hills.

The movie had its world premiere at the Museum of Modern Art in New York. "I took my dad to it, and he loved it," Binder said. His father, Burt, now lives in Florida. His mother, Judy Trumbull, makes her home in Newport Beach, Calif.

**OTHER RELATIVES** still living in the Detroit area include cousins, and Uncle Bobby (one of the brothers, played by Patrick Dempsey), who lives in Birmingham. "He saw the movie last night for the first time," Binder said last week.

"Coupe de Ville" also had premieres a few weeks ago at a Los Angeles celebrity gala and in Toronto.

"Audiences honestly love this movie," Binder said. "Time magazine loved it." He said some critics have complained that the story is not new, that it's a foregone conclusion the young brothers who take their dad's car to Florida are going to smash it up along the way.

Binder declared, "It's a very sweet little fable. This story has been told a million times. My father and his brothers took this trip to Florida and smashed up the car."

"They told this story for 30 years. I realized it was a point in their life when they left like three siblings, and there was a moment when three brothers share something."

**BINDER SAID** he has put six years of his life into turning the sto-



JOHN STORMZANO

Mike Binder, who went to high school in Birmingham, talks about the film "Coupe de Ville," which tells about an experience shared by his father and his father's two brothers.

ry into a movie. Making the film has been enormously satisfying. "I'm only going to work on things I think are meaningful," he said.

Although he has been in show business for many years, Binder is just 31 years old. He started doing comedy at 17 in Ann Arbor, went to California at 18 and worked as a stand-up comic and actor. He was in Detroit in 1984 to produce the Detroit

Comedy Jam.

His screenplay for "Coupe de Ville" originally was sold to Paramount. "It sat on a shelf." Then, Universal picked it up. In the beginning, Binder went to the producers for Woody Allen. He chose them because, "Woody Allen was my high school idol. I always wanted to make movies for his company."

Joe Roth, who was with another



Binder describes what it was like working on the movie. As scriptwriter and co-producer for



"Coupe de Ville," he was on the set every day during filming

company, wanted to direct the movie. Binder recalled, "At the first meeting, Roth said, 'If this movie works people will go out of the theater and call their brothers and sisters.'" Those were the same sentiments Binder always had about the movie.

Binder said the first 20 minutes of "Coupe de Ville" are set in Detroit. You see a sign that says, Detroit, and the scene has a Midwestern feel, but actually was shot on location in the South.

**THE MOTOR CITY** is where Binder grew up. He moved to Birmingham in junior high school and was graduated from Seaholm High School. "California didn't dilute me," he said of his scripts. "The characters I write are very Midwestern."

Binder's next film is "Northern Lights." He said, "It's a Fox film about a summer camp, Tamakwa, I went to in northern Canada with a bunch of Detroit kids. There's a big Tamakwa family (of campers) in the Detroit area."

"Northern Lights" will start filming in September. "We're now working on a cast. I play Bob Handleman, one of the head counselors, who's been there for 15 years. It's exciting," he said.

Although his home is on the West Coast now, Binder said he doesn't have a Hollywood lifestyle. His only close friend in show business is comic Dave Coulier. "He's a friend of mine and an old roommate. He's

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In scene from "Coupe de Ville," mechanic and brothers deal with the damage to the family car. The movie sets the story in the '60s instead of the '50s when the events of "the Cadillac story" actually occurred.

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**Dance party**

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**'Plaza Suite'**

More playdates have been announced for "Plaza Suite" presented by the Schoolcraft College Theatre Department. Performances continue Friday-Saturday, March 30-31, and Sunday, April 1, and Friday-Saturday, April 6-7, on campus in Livonia. All performances are at 8 p.m. except Sunday, April 1, at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$5.50. For ticket information call 462-4409.

**Attic Theatre**

Performances of "Hamlet" continue through Sunday, April 8, at the

Attic Theatre at the New Center in Detroit. Tickets range from \$10-\$20. For more information call the box office at 875-8284. The theater also is seeking contributions to help raise \$550,000 within the next few months, or close its doors. Contributions may be sent to the Attic Theatre, P.O. Box 02457, Detroit 48202. For more information call 875-8285.

**University chorale**

John Rutter's "The Reluctant Dragon," an allegorical tale about prejudice and reconciliation, will be presented at 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 28, by the Oakland University Chorale in Varner Recital Hall on campus in Rochester Hills. Susan Acton, assistant music director of Michigan Opera Theatre, is guest director. Michael Gillespie, associate professor of theater, will narrate. Performers include Daphne Briggs of Canton as

Boy and Joel Frederiksen of Rochester as St. George. Assistant conductors are students Amy Schulz of Rochester Hills and Robert Lappa of St. Clair Shores. Tickets at \$3 general admission and \$2 for senior citizens are available from the Center for the Arts box office at 370-3013.

**Bunny tales**

Children can hear an hour of hare-raising tales every Saturday morning at Twelve Oaks in Novi with some of Detroit's favorite radio personalities. The Story Hour will be held in the center court from 11 a.m. to noon Saturday, March 31, with Liz Somerville of WOMC; Saturday, April 7, with Michael Walte of WKQI, and Saturday, April 14, with Jack Goggin of WQRS.

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**His family story is now a movie**

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from this area. We've been friends for 15 years."

Binder has been married for the last three years. His wife, Diane, is not in the entertainment field. "She runs a bank," Binder said.

DESPITE WHAT some may think about wild Hollywood types, "I've found that people in film are more centered," he said. "In nightclubs, there are a lot of sleazy people, staying up nights." He laughed, "I was one of them."

Contrasting his film career with clubs, he continued, "It's a much more grounded lifestyle, a bigger responsibility."

As scriptwriter for "Coupe de Ville," Binder also worked on script changes during filming, resulting in "economy of scenes and clarification of story points." Of the final screenplay, he said, "It has a snapper feel to it than the script did."

Throughout the filming, "I was involved in casting, location, scouting and music selection. I was on the set every single day, for every scene."

Binder said that one of the bad experiences on location was when director Joe Roth got sun poisoning one day. But all's well that ends well. "When we got back, Joe took over as head of 20th Century-Fox. He's the first movie director to run a major studio."

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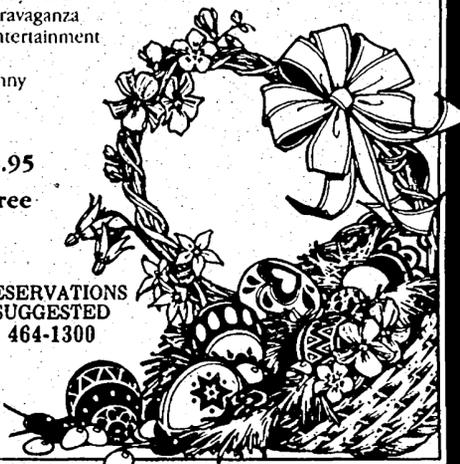
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**Olympic team**

Michael D. Russell, executive chef of the Skyline Club, a private club in Southfield, leaves for Singapore on Friday, as a member of the United States National Team to compete in the Salon Culinare International against 36 countries. Russell quali-



Denise De Marco as Laura Bush (left), Connie Cragel as Elaine Flowers and Helen Rimer as Nina Craft fix their makeup and hair, looking in the school's restroom mirror, in "Junior High,"

opening Friday, March 30, at Trinity House Theatre in Livonia. For more information call 464-6302.

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● **Musical revue**  
The Actor's Trunk Company presents the musical "The Wizard of Oz Revue" at 1:30 and 3:30 p.m. Sunday, April 1, at Holy Name High School Auditorium in Windsor, Ont. For ticket information call 569-7677 in the Detroit area.

● **Summer festival**  
Soul superstar Aretha Franklin will make a rare concert appearance at the Ann Arbor Summer Festival's second annual winter warm-up event at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 31, in Hill Auditorium. Franklin, a resident of Bloomfield Hills, seldom performs outside the Detroit area. Tickets at \$27.50, \$22.50 and \$17.50 may be purchased at any Ticketmaster outlet including Hudson's and Harmony House locations or by calling 645-6666. In Ann Arbor, tickets may be purchased at the Michigan Union Ticket Office or by calling 763-TKTS.

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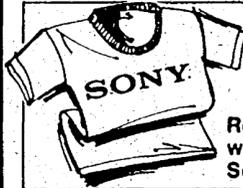
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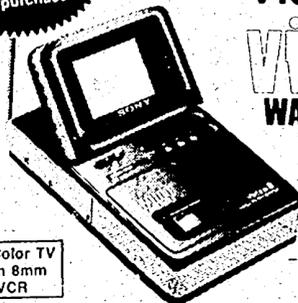
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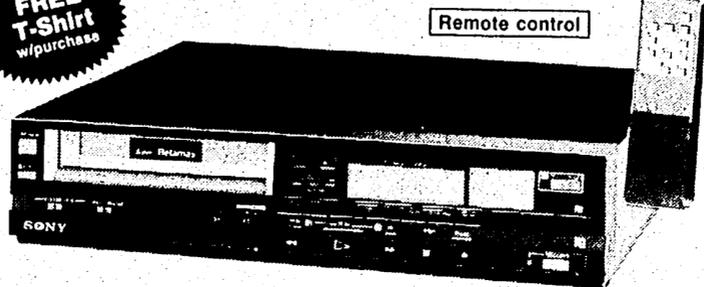
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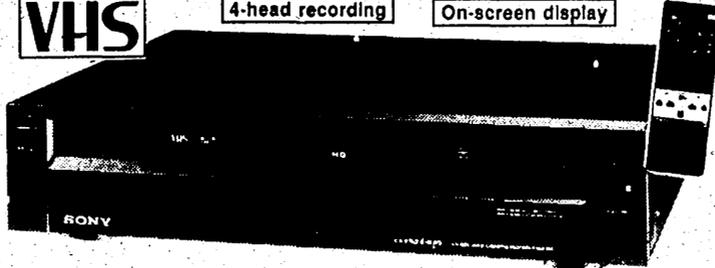
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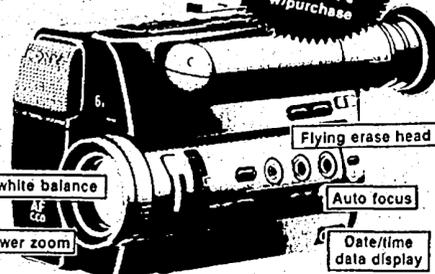
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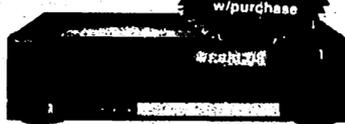


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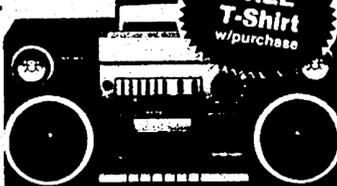


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By Isabelle A. Smith  
special writer

Pavlina Dokovska, the highly acclaimed Bulgarian pianist who recently made her Birmingham debut for the Cranbrook Music Guild, lists Sofia, Bulgaria, as her address but considers the world her home.

"Wherever there is music, musicians and music lovers, I am at home," said the petite, raven-haired artist, who performs up to 80 concerts a year throughout Europe, North America and Asia (even Mongolia).

In Birmingham-Bloomfield, "home" is the abode of her good friend and fellow Bulgarian, Ginka Gerova-Ortega, who is also an internationally recognized concert artist. Other friends with whom she feels at home throughout the world include Met stars Mirella Freni and Nicolai Ghilarov, cellist Nathanael Rosen and composer Gian-Carlo Menotti. Because Freni's birthday fell on the date of Dokovska's Birmingham performance, the pianist dedicated the concert to her. "If I had thought harder, I would have had the concert taped and sent to her (Freni)," Dokovska mused, "but I got so busy practicing, that I forgot. I am sending her an inscribed program, though. That will be her birthday card."

A believer in the uniqueness of each person, Dokovska thinks that our modern, high-tech era is "robotizing" humanity and said the arts (and artists) are a vital ingredient in retaining "the individuality and creative uniqueness both of persons and of nations."

"Real education — the education of values, morality and culture, as opposed to facts or technical formulae — begins at home and from birth. It is individuals," she said, "which imparts values, the aesthetic, cultural and spiritual knowledge of humankind. Machines can do wonders, but not this. The role of the artist (as of the parent and teacher) is to pass on the accumulated cultural knowledge of each era to the next generation. It is an awesome, but wonderful responsibility."

"CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS and master classes are my favorite forms of music making," the multilingual (she speaks Russian, Bulgarian, English and French) artist said, "because it is a way for musicians to share with each other as well as an audience."

She added that she "enjoys whatever program I'm working on" best and that, although she has had her share of tour horror stories — canceled or missed connections, inferior pianos, scheduling mix ups and acoustically terrible halls — those

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problems are always tempered by fond memories of kind and helpful people or by funny incidents that put the troubles into perspective.

One of her fondest and most recent memories is of a concert she gave in Ulan Bator, Mongolia. "Everyone was so eager to hear good music . . . they were so full of warmth and love, it was a 'special' experience. I especially liked the fact that I played to mixed-age groups — children, teenagers, adults, the elderly." She has already been asked to return, she said, "and I can hardly wait. I felt at home there. Music really is a language that transcends all barriers — even in places as little known to most of us as Mongolia. I think that I am particularly lucky to live and work in the world of music."

As for concert careers, Dokovska said, "Successful music careers today are very strange — it is often now (too often) more a matter of publicity and promotion than of artistry." She acknowledged that winning the Debussy Competition and a Fulbright to Juilliard (to study with Beveridge Webster) in 1980 gave her a great advantage. "There are so many truly fine pianists who never really have a chance (for a career)," Dokovska mused.

A believer in fitness (she walks and is careful about her diet), Dokovska feels that "dedication, stamina and a sense of humor" are the necessary adjuncts to talent and the good fortune she has in sustaining her career.

SHE ALSO WORKS on new music constantly, even as she continues to polish her current repertoire, to expand her repertoire and to keep it from getting stale.

Before she puts together a program though, Dokovska studies the music and researches the composers and eras.

"Only then am I ready to begin to make a composition part of my repertoire. It is a lengthy but satisfying process," she said, "because I then feel that I am beginning to know the music — and the composer's intentions for it. Most repertoire takes one or two years to develop. It is a continuous ever-changing process."

"Being a concert artist is a little like sitting on the topmost branch of a tree," she said. "The view is lovely — if the branch doesn't break."

So far, Pavlina Dokovska is sitting pretty.



## American legacy . . .

The Manoogian Collection of American paintings at Detroit Institute of Arts through May 27 is a work of art in itself.

Richard Manoogian of Grosse Pointe Farms has a fine eye and deep appreciation for that wondrous period of American art, 1839 to 1910, in which artists excelled in depicting the natural wonders of the still new country and the diverse people who populated the land.

From the quietly, beautiful women in the paintings of John Singer Sargent and William Merritt Chase to the convivial group of riverboat workers in George Caleb Bingham's magnificent painting "The Jolly Flatboatmen" (above), the scenes are somehow familiar but

at the same time exciting.

Few are more interesting than "The Changes of Time" at left by John Haberle, a triumph of trompe l'oeil.

Manoogian said it was his involvement with the DIA and meeting other local collectors that stimulated him to begin his own collection. He has been a trustee of the museum since the early 1970s.

The collection is displayed in lovely, intimate room settings which make it much more enjoyable than many done on a more grandiose scale. The collection was shown in Washington, D.C., San Francisco and New York. This is the final stop. This special exhibition is open 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday.

## Musicians orchestrate their lives for family, teaching, performing

By Carolyn Barnett-Goldstein  
special writer

Linda Snedden-Smith and Bruce Smith of Farmington Hills, violinists, are one of several married couples in the Detroit Symphony Orchestra. Their lives revolve around performing, practicing, parenting and teaching.

As they talked about their family and professional lives, they were seated on an extended curving couch in the living room. She, a tall, slim blond, was dressed in comfortable slacks and top and he was wearing jeans and sweater. Across the room a baby grand was set up for practicing and teaching. Neither looks much older than their four teenage children, Erik, 19, Marlan, 18, Cameron, 16 and Andrea, 13.

It was easy to tell it was 3 p.m. In the background there was laughter, telephones ringing and doorbells buzzing as the children and their friends were in and out. The dog was barking and a chorus of clocks, which Bruce makes, chimed each half hour.

Linda Snedden-Smith and Bruce Smith meet in the hallway of their Farmington Hills home to talk about what each will be doing during the day. They both are violinists with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, but each has individual commitments as well.

Like many couples, they periodically speak simultaneously and interject comments. She said her mother is a musician, so music lessons began at 4 and she later studied at Cleveland Institute of Music, Eastman School of Music in Rochester, N.Y. and at Juilliard.

HE SAID he began violin at 6 and by 9 was studying with Misha Mishakoff, concertmaster of the NBC Orchestra under Toscanini. Later he completed a bachelor's and master's in violin and education at Eastman. When he was 19 and at Interlochen Music Camp one summer, he met a young German instrument maker who taught him a craft he still enjoys, restoring instruments.

Even though they were Cleveland, Ohio, natives, the Smiths met at Eastman. They married right after graduation in 1965 and moved to New York where she studied under the legendary Ivan Galamian and he taught high school in Westchester.

She said of Galamian, "He could play anything, any little passage beautifully, and he could nail your problem on the head — any problem. He was terribly demanding, yet, very soft-spoken. He instilled in me a desire to work and to play."

The couple came to Detroit in 1987 so she could join the Detroit Symphony. He, in turn, pursued his doctorate in musicology, cataloging 2,200 instruments of the Stearn Collection of Musical Instruments at the University of Michigan.

As to how they manage two demanding careers, a home and a family, she said, "When the children were young, it was hard, but everybody chipped in. Bruce was finishing his PhD, so his schedule was more flexible than mine . . . Bruce helped a lot. We shared responsibility and Bruce's father was living with us."

Saying he joined the Detroit Symphony in 1974, he said, "It's nice to be able to work together with Linda." Because their schedules coincide, they can perform chamber music, travel and "do things that involve the children."

She is concertmaster of the Birmingham Bloomfield Symphony Orchestra, a member of the American Artists Series chamber players and performs with other suburban orchestras and chamber groups.

In winter they said they like to trade their bows for ski poles and ski at Lake Placid and northern Michigan. In the summer they like to camp anywhere from the Great Smokies to Oregon. They also take the children to Europe, and host foreign students, and their children make exchange visits abroad.

She said, "I'm enjoying the children while I have them," adding that instead of going out after a concert they would rather "come home and be with them." Many times, she said the children go to the concerts.

THEIR CHILDREN BEGAN music lessons when they were 4. Cameron just won second prize (piano) in the Jewish Community Center com-

petition. "He's very pleased," his mother said, "but I don't think he'll go into music."

Bruce added, "Maybe he'll minor in it, but now he plays parties and picks up some extra money."

Andrea is trying the violin again while Erik is at the Art Institute in Chicago studying illustration. Marlin likes music but isn't currently studying.

Their father said, "They got all their talent from Linda." When she protested, he added, "Well, most of it."

They talked about when to introduce a child to an instrument and she said, "I guess you just try them. It's hard to know which instrument to give them, too. I think the piano is excellent. I notice with my students that those who have some piano background seem to catch on a lot quicker. . . ."

She said the ideal thing is for one parent to supervise practice at home when the child is small, because it's hard for little ones to remember everything that's said during a lesson and they could practice something wrong for a whole week.

They agreed that if practice becomes an all-out battle, it's worthless.

The doorbell rang again. This time it was a mother and her children coming for lessons.

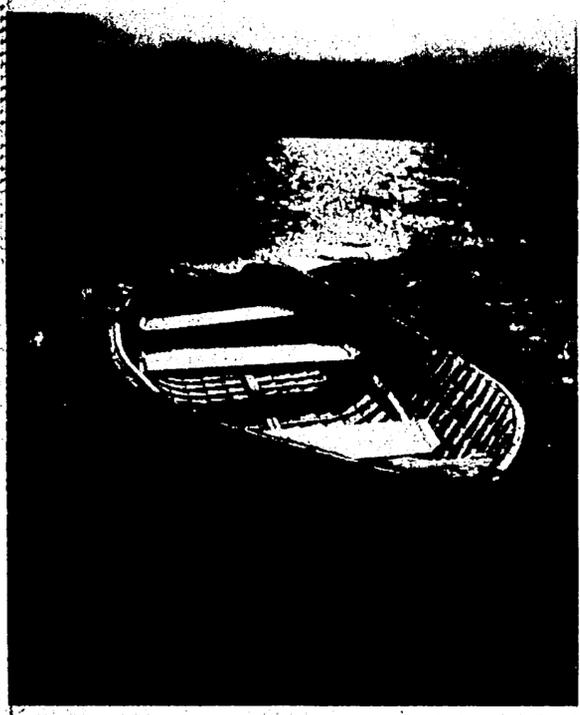
As she said goodbye, Linda looked out at her son shooting baskets in the drive and called, "Come in and get a jacket on."



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Monte Nagler



Monte's off to China

Slow boat to China? Not hardly. Monte Nagler made a fast plane trip to China, courtesy of the Chinese government where he is taking pictures and meeting with photographers from there to exchange ideas on his favorite subject. The image pictured was taken on Ontario's Manitoulin Island.

Revelation in everyday events

"Look at that whisker!" I whispered to myself. While peering into the mirror and grooming my chin with simian grace, I thought, "Wow, I have an albino hair in my beard — pure white!" Plucking it out with the tweezers, I again, through tearing eyes, admired how pure white this whisker was and how out of place it looked in the darkness of my beard.

Well, a few days later, you wouldn't believe it, that same whisker grew back pure white — or maybe it wasn't the same whisker. Oh no. The thought sent a chill down my spine, as I began frantically pawing and separating my beard. Behold, the revelation; there were many white whiskers. In a few minutes I, aged several years.

Everyday offers us revelations. Either by circumstances or by learning, we become aware of things that were formerly unknown to us. I feel that artists not only happen onto revelation, but they seek them out. Every time an artist attempts to draw something, he or she searches for the lines, shapes and colors that were most likely unknown to them.

THE WORD "REVELATION" means to become aware of the previously unknown, so artists not only happen upon revelations, they look for them. Even people as close to you as your own family members, offer fantastic revelation as you attempt to draw them. The subtle little bump that a three-year-old has for a nose, the strength in your father's furrowed brow or maybe you never noticed the beauty and look of con-

'Revelation will come to as you look and study the lines, shapes and colors of all you attempt to draw.'

cern in your mother's eyes. How blue is your parakeet? What shade of green is your umbrella plant? How fascinating it is to be an artist.

Some need to fly to far away places to find beauty. But the watchful eye of an artist finds beauty in the common place. Such as, the folded and cracked leather of a high top work boot — the free flowing lines of the untied laces and the shiny brass of the worn eyelets.

Some need to "get away from it all" and the artist seeks to understand what was always there. To do so is to look at your surroundings wherever you are. Revelation will come to you as you look and study the lines, shapes and colors of all you attempt to draw.

So instead of getting "away from" it all, try getting "into" it all. Find revelation in the common place. Along with exotic animals and faraway scenes, look for the beauty of those things available and often overlooked.

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# Threading her way

## Seamstress creates own brand of magic

**'I have never done anything quite like this before. But I like challenges.'**

— Linda Sharron 'Aladdin' costumer

By Marie McGee  
staff writer

In her quest to bring quality children's entertainment to the area, theater owner Inga Zaytl often gets help from unexpected sources.

Take, for instance, her current production of "Aladdin," a live stage production now going on at her quaint and charming — not to mention historic — Marquis Theater in downtown Northville.

For this show, Zaytl accidentally acquired the volunteer services of an area businesswoman who just happens to be a talented seamstress who "signed on" to do the costumes for the show.

"I HAVE NEVER done anything quite like this before," admitted Linda Sharron, who is the owner of two area bridal shops, one in Livonia and one in Novi. "But I like challenges."

"I happened to see the children's holiday show presented at the Marquis and was impressed with what Inga was trying to do," Sharron said.

Because the bridal business is traditionally slow in the beginning of a new year, Sharron said she decided to contact Zaytl to see if she could get involved in costuming future shows. The timing was right, Sharron said.

"Aladdin" was in the casting stage so she was included in the planning at its earliest stages by other technicians who were going about the business of set design, music and lighting.

Born in Detroit, Sharron learned to sew at her mother's knee, so to speak.

"My mother and dad owned the Allure Bridal Shop for many years, first in Detroit and then moving to Livonia. My three sisters and I learned the business from them."

THREE OF THE four sisters are still somewhat involved in the bridal business, which now includes a shop on Meadowbrook Road in Novi as well as the store on Plymouth Road in Livonia.

However, only two of them are seamstresses — and even that has changed over the years, Sharron said. Because the shop does a lot of custom work, she is involved in designing, particularly in the prom dress line. Another sister works mainly with bridal headpieces. A third sister is involved in a cake decorating business.

Their mother, Sid, retired from the business several years ago, but was pressed back into service when Sharron "became a little nervous about meeting the dress rehearsal deadline."

"It was a wonderful experience," said Sharron. As her mentor, "Inga was a wonderful teacher, pointing out many things like how lighting affects color and how it changes on stage. I learned so much from her."

What has resulted is a set of stunning costumes for the "Aladdin" cast. But more than that, Zaytl has a new disciple in her efforts to bring good children's entertainment to the area at affordable prices in an authentic theater setting.

Remaining "Aladdin" performances are at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m., Saturdays, March 31 and April 7; and 2 p.m. Sundays, April 1 and 8. Tickets are \$6.50 for adults; \$5.50 for children under 12 (no children under three). Tickets may be purchased by phone or at the door or from Marquis Boutique, 135 E. Main, Northville. Box office phone: 349-8110.



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Meredith Jones, who plays a handmaiden in the production of "Aladdin," rests a bit between performances.



LEE A. EKSTROM/staff photographer

Linda Sharron (center) took on costuming of "Aladdin" as a challenge and wound up enjoying it. Shown wearing her handiwork is Chris Berube (left) as the Genie; Joseph French as the Mean Magician; Meredith Jones as the handmaiden. French normally is in the role of the director — that's his position with the Greenfield Village Theater. But once in awhile, he yearns to hit the boards himself. Hence, his role in the Marquis production.

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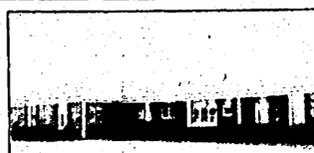
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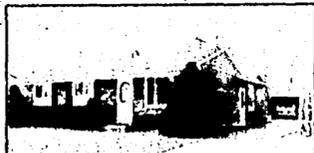
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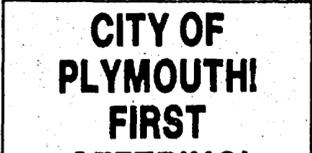
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## Try seed-guessing game

Many years ago, I read about a game played by a gardening family. The objective was to see who came closest to guessing how many seeds there were in a watermelon.

This particular watermelon weighed about 19 pounds, so guests were also invited to help with the eating as well as the counting.

How many seeds do you think there are in a big watermelon? Of course, the number would vary from watermelon to watermelon. And, since the days of that particular

## weeder's guide

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game, new varieties of watermelons have been developed with fewer seeds. But, any melon will do for the game if you are going to open it, eat it and count the seeds.

However, you don't have to use a watermelon. How about kernels on

an ear of corn, or seeds in a squash or cucumber? Or, make it easy — use an apple.

What's your guess about watermelon seeds: fewer than 100; 100 to 500; 500 to 1,000; or over 1,000?

LET'S TAKE A 9-inch ear of sweet golden bantam corn. Are there fewer than 300 kernels; 300 to 400; or more than 500? Butter and a bit of salt add another dimension to the game: Who makes the corn disappear fastest?

How many seeds in a summer squash: fewer than 300; 300 to 500; or 500 to 700?

Would a table cucumber, about 8

inches long, have fewer than 250 seeds; 250 to 500; 500 to 750; or more than 750?

And finally, a good-sized apple: fewer than 10; 10 to 20; 20 to 30; or more than 30?

The results of the game played long ago appear at the end of the column.

**NEW DOGWOODS:** Two new dogwood varieties — Cherokee Sunset and Cherokee Daybreak — have been introduced by Commercial Nursery Co., of Decherd, Tenn.

Sunset, with green and yellow variegated leaves and deep red blooms, was voted Outstanding New Plant

Introduction for 1987 by the American Association of Nurserymen. Daybreak has green and white variegated leaves and white blooms.

Hubert A. Nicholson, president of Commercial Nursery, reported that "both vigorous varieties take on bright hues of purple, red, orange and pink with cooler fall weather. Their colorful summer foliage plus bright fall colors make them distinctly different from other dogwood varieties and offers the homeowner the opportunity of a much wider range of color. They will thrive wherever the native dogwood grows."

### SEED QUIZ ANSWERS:

Watermelon, 561 seeds; corn, 540 kernels; squash, 294 seeds; cucumber, 659; apple, 11. Of course, the numbers will vary considerably depending on size, variety and other factors.

Earl Aronson is the Associated Press garden writer. For a copy of his "AP Guide to House Plants," send \$1.50 to: House Plants, AP Newsfeatures, 50 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, NY 10020. Gardening questions must be accompanied by a stamped, self-addressed envelope.)

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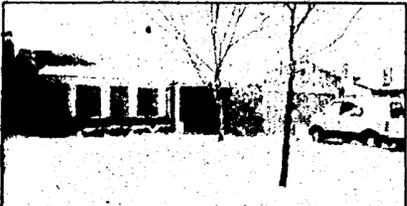
**NORTHVILLE** great value for this 6 bedroom home in prime location on ½ acre lot. Formal dining room, living room/family room with fireplace, 1st floor master bedroom suite, 2½ baths, spacious and offers much more. \$153,900 (P35GRA) 453-6800.



**GIVE YOURSELF THE GIFT OF TIME.** This maintenance free condo is perfect for the professional couple. A stunning 2 bedroom, 2 bath ranch that offers the luxury of a private home. You'll love its elegant marble fireplace and Italian ceramic tile baths. \$119,000 (P73UNI) 453-6800.



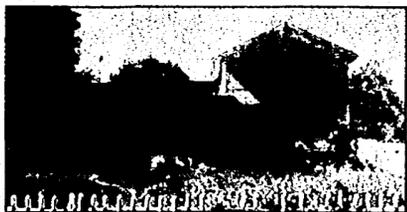
**DO IT NOW!** Call to see this attractive, nicely updated 3 bedroom Colonial. Charming, comfortable and cozy. Family room with fireplace, oak cabinets in kitchen, newer windows, finished basement, 2 car garage. \$107,000 (P41SEL) 453-6800.



**SUPER CLEAN RANCH** 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, move in condition. Sunken dining/living room L, nice family area. North Canton Sub. Bring all offer! \$108,500 (P65STO) 453-6800.



**SPEND RELAXING EVENINGS** listening to the crickets and watching T.V. in an outdoor living room. Attractive 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial offers a cheerful eat-in kitchen and library 2 car attached. \$178,900 (P01DEN) 453-6800.



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**PLYMOUTH.** On ¾ acre, this three bedroom, two bath Ranch offers the mechanics dream - a 4+ car garage. Only \$92,500. (N57ECK) 349-1515.



### OPEN SUNDAY 1-4

**21094 Boulder Circle, N. of Eight Mile, E. of Taft**  
**NORTHVILLE.** Only the very best! This executive Condo offers many upgrades including double decks, a ceiling fan in the great room and all neutral decor with two bedrooms and 2½ baths with an attached two car garage. \$147,900 (N94BOU) 349-1515.



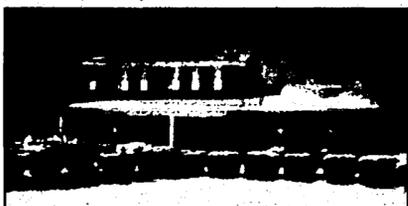
**NOVI.** Charming four bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial. Ideal location, custom deck, central air, neutral decor, first floor master bedroom, first floor laundry, 14' x 13' loft, and sprinkler system \$209,900 (N52MID) 349-1515.



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**NOVI - ELEGANT** 4 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial, loaded with upgrades. Magnificent walk-out lot. Backs to woodland with stream. Professional neutral decor. Cathedral ceiling master suite, overlooking woods, has 20' x 12' bath with whirlpool tub. Deck, patio. (L28ROU) 522-5333.



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**36718 Angeline Circle, N. of Ann Arbor Tr., E. of Newburgh**  
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## briefly speaking

### Antique show

Westland Center will host its annual antique show and sale through Sunday. The show will feature antiques and collectibles from 25 dealers through the metro Detroit area, Ohio and Indiana.

Featured at this year's show will be the services of a professional furniture refinisher and a booth that specializes in replacement hardware. Visitors can also take advantage of a free verbal antique appraisal 1-3 p.m. each day of the show.

### April Fool humor

Madonna College's student recital will express April Fool humor by featuring works that are lighter in theme or humorous in text. To be held at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, April 8, in Kresge Hall, the recital will also include some traditional pieces. Works by Bizet, Rossini, Joplin, Mozart and

others will be performed by flute, piano, guitar and voice. The recital is open to the public and free of charge.

### Basic gardening

A seminar, "Gardening in the '90s" focusing on new techniques for basic gardening, will be offered by the Master Gardener Association of Wayne County from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Wayne County Extension and Education Center, 5454 Venoy Road, Wayne.

Some of the topics that will be covered are garden design, lawn

care, flowers, vegetables, container gardening, pest management, basic flower arrangement, roses.

All classes are taught by certified master gardeners. Registration fee is \$15. To register, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and a check payable to Master Gardener Association of Wayne County to: Gardening in the '90s, Wayne County Extension Center, 640 Temple, Detroit. A registration confirmation and class schedule will be sent by return mail.

### Trail walk

At 2 p.m. Sunday, docents of

Matthaei Botanical Gardens will lead a trail walk to explore the sights, sounds, smells and textures one encounters along the banks of Fleming Creek on the gardens property. Participants should meet on the steps of the main building. Dress for the weather and wear waterproof footwear. The gardens are at 1800 N. Dixboro, Ann Arbor, half-mile south of the Plymouth Road intersection.

### People Dancing

The Michigan Theater will present the People Dancing troupe in Char-

lotte: Life or Theater? at 8 p.m. Friday. Tickets are \$12.50, and \$10.50 for Michigan Theater members. Tickets will be available at the door.

### Deco Movie night

The Detroit Area Art Deco Society will sponsor a "Deco Movie Night" featuring the rare musical comedy "Fashions of 1934" starring Bette Davis and William Powell and choreographed by Busby Berkeley at 7 p.m. Friday, April 6, in the Royal Oak Music Theater. Tickets are \$10. For more information, call 545-3851 or 258-6848.

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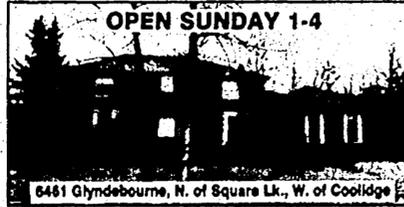
**SHELBY TWP. IT'S NEW. IT HAS PRIVACY.** 4 bedroom Tudor backs to park with lake access. Located on half acre lot in cul-de-sac. Features master bedroom suite, 3 car garage. \$169,900. (R51BEL) 651-1040.



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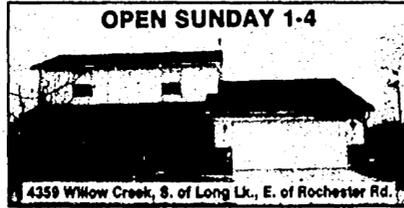
**WELL LOCATED CONDO** in Bloomfield fronting to courtyard. Balcony off dining room, dressing area in bedroom, private basement area. \$52,900. (B00HIC) 647-1900.



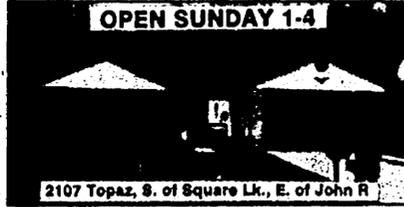
**OPEN SUNDAY 1-4**  
**6481 Glyndebourne, N. of Square Lk., W. of Coolidge**  
**TROY. SPACIOUS CHARNWOOD COLONIAL** on cul-de-sac backs to woods. Beautiful landscaping with decks, patio, brick walks, sprinkler system, outside lighting, gas grill. Finished rec room. \$307,500 (B61GLY) 647-1900.



**BLOOMFIELD** three bedroom, 2 1/2 bath sprawling ranch on nearly an acre, treed lot. Cream kitchen, gorgeous hardwood floors and 2 brick fireplace walls. Fenced yard. Excellent location. \$224,900 (B24ROB) 647-1900.



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**TROY. BACKYARD PRIVACY.** Charming 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath ranch in Stoneridge Sub. Backs to woods. Large kitchen adjoins family room with brick fireplace. Full basement. \$129,900 (T07TOP) 689-3300.



**EXCELLENT HOME** in lovely West Beverly Hills features 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, dining and family rooms, newer kitchen, appliances, central air, furnace and roof. Basement has rec room, dark room. \$147,000 (Z55NIX) 646-1900.



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**ROCHESTER LOCATION.** First floor, all electric condo offers two bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, walk-in closets. Nicely decorated. Living room overlooks courtyard. Storage and laundry in basement. \$57,900 (R25UNI) 681-1940.



**HOMESTEAD SHORES** features this executive home with beach and boat privileges on Lower Straits Lake. Nestled on a professionally landscaped and private wooded site. Great room. \$319,000 (W87PAR) 683-1122.



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**TROY. GREAT FLOOR PLAN** for entertaining and family living. Arched brick fireplace and wet bar highlight the super family room. Large eat-in kitchen, formal dining room, spacious bedrooms and bow window. \$127,900. (B02CRE) 647-1900.



**TROY. FAMILY HOME.** Add your own decor and special touches to this four bedroom, 2 1/2 bath Troy Colonial in Stone Ridge Sub. Wind up, with not only a great home, but a good investment. \$122,499 (R06HIG) 651-1040.



**ROCHESTER HILLS. CHARMING RANCH.** Lovely finished contemporary basement. Features family room with fireplace, master bath, alarm system, large deck, circle drive, 2 1/2 car garage with 220 electric. Corner lot. \$142,900 (R30OR) 641-1040.



**BLOOMFIELD HILLS. MANOR IN THE HILLS.** Spacious upper unit features wet bar in third bedroom, breakfast nook and pantry, master bath with tub and stall shower, neutral carpeting. Lower level has your washer/dryer \$182,900 (T45TV) 689-3300.



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**BEAUTIFULLY TREED LOT** with privileges on private lake. Newly decorated home features 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, central air, hardwood floors throughout except family room. Alarm system. \$279,900 (Z45SHD) 646-1900.



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# Light touch to symphony's cabaret concert



"Fat Bob" Taylor cabaret soloist



Becky Jones teams with Taylor

Appearances by the young 18th century musical genius Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart and his famed adversary Antonio Salleri will highlight the upcoming Livonia, Symphony Orchestra's cabaret concert.

The two will confront one another at the annual LSO musical offering at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 7 at Madonna College.

Young Mozart, 10-year-old Joseph Marsano of Sterling Heights, will play music from "his" Sonata No. 545 with accompaniment arranged by LSO conductor Francesco DiBlasi, who will portray Salleri. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Marsano, Joseph is a student of Wesley Fishwick at the Roeper School in Birmingham.

"Fat Bob" Taylor will act as master of ceremonies and solo as baritone in "Ol' Man River" from Jerome Kern's "Showboat."

RESERVATIONS FOR tables of eight and 10, at \$10 per ticket, can be made with Betty Jean Awrey at 522-1100. Refreshments and a cash bar will be available from 7 p.m.

"Fat Bob" will join with guest soprano Becky Jones for a medley from Richard Rodgers and

Oscar Hammerstein II's "Oklahoma." Jones also will sing "I Dreamed a Dream" from "Les Miserables" by Schonberg.

LSO executive board members will join the orchestra in Leroy Anderson's "Sandpaper Ballet" as a sandpaper-playing ensemble.

Can-Can dancers from Miss Bunny's School of Dance in Livonia will perform to music of Jacques Offenbach's "Gaité Parisienne" with Sister Francilene, president of Madonna College, directing.

a frequent guest conductor with the LSO, Ernest Jones, will lead in a reading of DeRose's "Deep Purple" and in Morton Gould's "Ameri-

can Salute."

The evening will begin with DiBlasi conducting Rossini's Overture to "The Barber of Seville" and "The Blue Danube Waltz" by Strauss.

Other orchestra numbers will include Richard Rodgers' dramatic music for the television series "Victory at Sea" as arranged by Robert Russell Bennett and "Dance of the Comedians" by Bedrich Smetana.

The Sousa march, "Stars and Stripes Forever," will be guest conducted by one of the evening's raffle winners.

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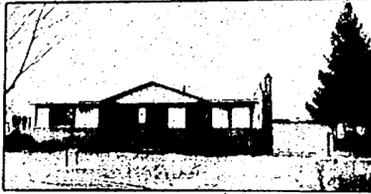
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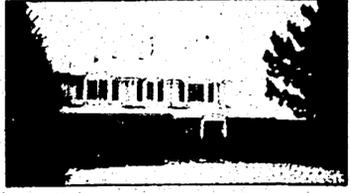
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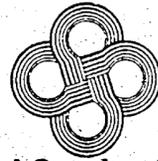


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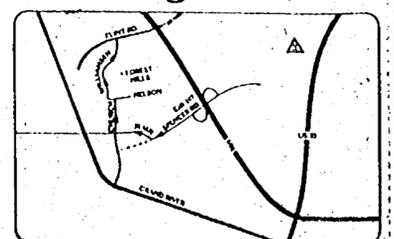
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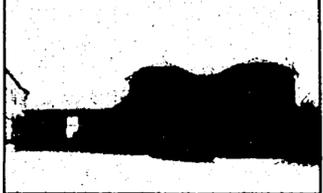
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# 'Save Planet' author offers practical advice

By Jeffrey Kahan special writer

"You can change the world," said author Diane MacEachern in her new book, "Save Our Planet." MacEachern was in Novi Friday signing copies of her book which provides readers with 750 ways to improve the environment. Recommendations are often as simple as recycling newspapers, installing water flow devices on faucets, or buying organic produce.

MacEachern was born in Detroit, grew up in Taylor and attended the University of Michigan where she received a master's degree in natural resources in 1977. The author now lives near Washington, D. C., where she owns a consulting firm specializing in environmental communications. A mother of one, she has grown increasingly concerned about the environmental condition of the planet. "I've been working on these issues for a long time but having a child really changes your per-

spective about the future."

THE AUTHOR, WHO is currently on a national promotional tour of her book, believes that the United States is faced with severe environmental problems. "The contamination of the Great Lakes, widespread use of artificial pesticides, groundwater contamination, air pollution and burgeoning landfills," are all ecological concerns that MacEachern feels need to be addressed.

She felt compelled to provide Americans with an easy-to-read handbook on how to help clean up the earth. "People are craving this information, and have more environmental awareness than they've ever had before," said the author. The 201-page book provides useful

tips on how people can change their habits at home, in the office, school and supermarket. The book also offers brief explanations as to why change is necessary. "Enough aluminum is discarded to rebuild the entire commercial fleet every three months," writes MacEachern. "SAVE OUR PLANET" also includes lists of energy efficient appliances and cars, dangerous lawn chemicals and "safe" pesticides, as well as directions for planting a tree, starting a compost pile, disposing household hazardous waste and weatherizing homes.

A number of area residents attended the book-signing to chat with the author. Rachel Simanek of Novi was the first person in line to have

her book signed. "I'm really concerned about the environment and am doing everything I can to help clean it up," she later said. Carol Kronberg of Dearborn wanted two books signed because she planned on donating one to the Redford Public Library.

Daren Otis, volunteer coordinator of the Livonia Recycling Center, was also on hand to meet the author. "People call everyday with questions about recycling and other environmentally related concerns," she said. Otis, who has 75 "Save Our Planet" books on order, said that "People are hungry...starved for information."

MacEachern suggested 10 simple ways that area residents could help

clean up the earth both at home and at the office

- AT HOME:**
- Turn off lights when not in use
  - Improve insulation
  - Install water saving devices
  - Don't buy rain forest wood (teak, mahogany)
  - Buy energy efficient light bulbs and appliances.

- OFFICE:**
- Bring your own coffee cup
  - Use pencils instead of pens
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**One Way Realty**  
MOTIVATED SELLER  
3 bedroom brick ranch, 1800 sq. ft. with attached garage, living room, country kitchen, large family room with fireplace, central air, never turface, lots of extras, court lot, extra insulation, low heat bills. \$114,700

**SELLERS ANXIOUS**  
4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial, family room with fireplace, formal living dining room, country kitchen, backs to park, attached garage. \$129,900.

**COUNTRY LIVING**  
w/icy conveniences, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath ranch, full basement, formal living and dining room, family room with fireplace, country kitchen, 1st floor laundry, new central air, attached garage, 3/4 acre, out buildings for horse, seller has never purchased new home, asking \$209,900.

**OPEN HOUSE SAT. & SUN. 12-5**  
1635 54th St. Pulte \$144,900. 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, family room, living room, dining room, fireplace, 2 car garage, deck. Must see. By owner. 390-2984 or 681-5177

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N. Canton 3 bedroom, formal living, attached garage, family room w/fireplace, 2 baths. \$114,900 454-4372

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4207 GREENWOOD  
(N. of Ford Rd. E. of Livonia)  
Large brick/vinyl colonial, 2334 sq. ft., 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room, fireplace, fenced yard, freshly painted. \$124,900.  
D & H PROPERTIES 737-4002

**OPEN SUN. 2-5pm**  
45413 Embury Ct. W. of Warren, W. of Canton Center, 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial in Sunflower Sub. First floor laundry, kitchen with granite top, 2,400 sq. ft. of everything you could want, plus cul-de-sac location. \$139,900.

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3 bedroom home with first floor laundry, family room & 2 full baths, 2 car garage, completely remodeled. \$109,900.

**Century 21 SUBURBAN 455-6880 464-0205**  
OPEN SUN 2-5  
1348 Longfield, S. of Ford, W. of Shiloh, 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, double oak kitchen and 1/2 bath, 2 car garage, walk to elementary schools. \$129,900. Call today. 455-6880

**OPEN SUN 1-5, 6:30 Brookshire**  
Pickwick Village, "Super Clean" 1700 sq. ft. colonial, 3 bedroom, beautiful decor. \$115,900

**OWNERS ARE MOTIVATED - Moving**  
Europe. Sunflower Village, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, circular driveway, in-ground pool, \$143,000.

**THIS IMMACULATE CONTEMPORARY HOME**  
features: 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, central air, dock, backs up to park, spacious floor plan, \$133,400.

**WONDERLAND AREA - By Owner**  
Open Sun. 1-4, 3 bedroom ranch, 2 1/2 baths, remodeled kitchen, finished basement, extras \$78,000.

**20204 Deering \$53,900**  
New furnace, double car garage, central air, maintenance free. Motivated sellers. Open Sunday 1-4.

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AFFORDABLE HOUSES. New construction, 4 bedroom colonial w/1st floor master, 1 1/2 bath, 2 car garage. Great room, dining room, full basement. Plymouth school district. \$135,900. Additional information: 261-1955

**ATtractive 3 bedroom ranch**  
OPEN SUN. 2-5  
Haggerty & Cherry Hill area  
1555 Stafford, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, full basement, attached 2 car garage with remote, great room/terrace, priced to sell at \$85,900. Call: 349-3355 Homeowners Choice or owner 397-0985

**Budget Delight**  
1977 brick ranch, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, family room with fireplace, basement, 2 car garage and central air. Mrs. Clean residences here. \$98,700

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**RENAISSANCE RANCH**  
Spacious ranch featuring a private master suite with full bath. Large brick foyer, family room with natural fireplace. Updated kitchen with modern appliances & new cabinets, a partly finished basement & 2 car attached garage. \$114,500.

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SALUTE TO SPRING  
Real life 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial. Family room, natural fireplace, 2 car attached garage. This home backs up to a park - great setting. \$138,900.

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This beautiful 4 bedroom colonial in lovely Livonia, 2 1/2 baths, formal living room with trees, family room, natural fireplace, finished room, brick air, 2 car attached garage. \$174,900.

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A charming 4 bedroom Cape Cod with 2 full baths and a great in-law location. This exceptionally clean home has central air, remodeled kitchen, a partially finished basement and many extras. The exterior is brick - all 4 sides and has a 2 1/2 car garage, and an extra large lot. Priced at \$143,000. This one won't last!  
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3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, on 1 1/2 acres \$144,900. Call... SHAWN BELL

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 3 custom model homes professionally designed, decorated & landscaped. Custom features include:  
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 3 bedroom Bungalow, newly remodeled w/brick fireplace, new kitchen, neutral decor, finished basement w/ceramic tiled floor. Professionally landscaped yard. Garage & more. \$109,500.

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 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath contemporary home, securely situated on a beautiful private 1 acre lot, built in 1980. Wow! What a home! \$228,500

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 Excellent location. Home boasts of 2,900 sq ft with endless possibilities for entertaining. Large master bedroom. Sharp! \$228,000.

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 Fabulous executive home, 3,000 sq ft & all the amenities you could ask for. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, & brick adjoining bedroom wing. \$249,900

**LIVE IN NORTHVILLE**  
 Walking distance to town in this 5 bedroom colonial, on 3.7 acres with horse barn! Fenced, private & lovely. Haven! Ask \$299,500.

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 Stunning Tudor in prestigious Orchard Ridge Estates. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, den, enjoy your summer with beautiful in-ground pool and custom deck. Call for your private showing. \$258,900

**315 Northville-Nowi**  
 DREAM RANCH - 3,400 sq. ft. site 2 1/2 acres, recreation room, 2 bath, 2 fireplaces. \$227,000. High-End! Sell Real Estate 454-9535

**NEW CUSTOM BUILT**  
 2,700 sq ft. cape cod, 4 bedrooms, first floor main level, bedroom, den, great room, 2 1/2 bath, whirlpool tub, natural fireplace, built-in appliances, oak deck, 2 1/2 car garage. Immediate occupancy. \$229,900. Call 474-7658

**NORTHVILLE - Last chance to live in fabulous Pheasant Hills - Over \$300,000. Hurry - 4 sites left.**  
 The only limitation is your imagination! Total custom design by noted estate builder, Robert Novak. 3200 sq ft, 2 story walk-out on treed cul-de-sac in Pheasant Hills. \$475,000.

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 3 bedroom, 2 bath aluminum home with large family room, fireplace, country kitchen with dining space, deck and 2 1/2 car garage with 2 (best) NO HEAT BILLS! FREE GAS! \$175,900. Call 453-3521

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 TWO MODEL HOMES  
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 Beautifully landscaped 39 x 16 acre lot with 2000 sq ft home. Includes 20 minutes from Twelve Oaks, all appliances included. Ready for move in \$200,000

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 Sprawling cedar ranch on 1 acre setting. Large bedrooms, great room, fireplace, finished basement, 2 1/2 car attached garage. \$148,900.

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 Provides the immediate availability of this Nov 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial. 1984 built Tudor features a large finished basement with family room and central air. 1st offering. \$175,000.

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 2378 Hickory Grove Lane, Orchard Ridge. Wooded lot, 2 1/2 acres, 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, huge master bedroom, formal dining, family room, open floor plan, large deck, professional landscaping, much more. \$196,000. 348-7173

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 NORTHVILLE - CONDO  
 638 East 1st \$159,900  
 648 East 1st \$124,900

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 349-4550

**316 Westland Garden City**  
 BRICK RANCH  
 Large 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, open floor plan, finished basement and garage. \$74,900. Unlona schools. GARDEN CITY - remodeled 3 bedroom ranch, new kitchen, full basement, central air, 2 car garage. Asking \$62,900.

**COUNTRY LOVERS**  
 Take note of this charming 3 bedroom colonial in Westland's most up and coming area. Features include: oak deck, wood floors, formal dining room, den, totally remodeled bath and kitchen, wrap around wood deck, 2 1/2 car garage, full basement and more. Nestled on 2 acres, once you see it, you'll love it! Don't wait \$104,900. Call 453-3521

**EXECUTIVE HIDEAWAY**  
 Fantastic executive paradise. Brick ranch, fireplace glow, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, fenced, 2 car garage, family room, hardwood floors. \$114,900.

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 Perfect starter home. 3 bedrooms, garage, fireplace. Call for list at \$45,900.

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**FLORIAN WOODS**  
 (Wayne & Cherry Hill Rd. area)  
 Super 3 bed 2 bath brick ranch with great room, large country kitchen & 2 1/2 car garage. Only \$64,900. Call 453-3521

**GARDEN CITY BEAUTIFUL!!!**  
 This 3 bedroom brick ranch in prime area of Garden City is the one for you. 2 baths, neutral decor, large country kitchen with downstart & 2 car garage. Cozy family room in finished basement with gas fireplace. Just listed at \$41,900.

**WON'T LAST**  
 Absolutely spotless 3 bedroom brick & aluminum ranch. Don't miss this one! Large living room & kitchen with built in dishwasher, ample amount of cupboards, central air, new furnace & hot water tank. Finished basement with gas fireplace & full bath. 2 car garage. Home Warranty \$67,000.

**QUICK! BEFORE IT'S GONE**  
 Custom brick home just for you with special touches everywhere. Living room with fireplace, finished basement, 2 car garage. Call 453-3521

**Century 21**  
 J. Scott, Inc.  
 522-3200

**GARDEN CITY - Open Sun. 11-5**  
 649H Helen, 2 1/2 city, country kitchen, new furnace, finished basement, 2 car garage. \$122,900. Call 453-3521

**GARDEN CITY - 2 bedroom Ranch, new furnace, hot water tank, roof, 2 1/2 car attached garage. Large fenced lot. Really nice. Don't miss this! \$54,900. Open Sat. & Sun. 12 to 5, or appointment. 425-0040**

**GARDEN CITY - 3 bedroom brick ranch, 1 1/2 baths, country kitchen, finished basement, new bath, 2 1/2 car garage, move-in condition. \$72,000. Call 349-7439**

**GOOD VALUE**  
 Lots of options in this 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath ranch. Remodeled kitchen, central air, Franklin stove, recreation room. 2 car garage. \$57,900.

**PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP**  
 You will enjoy this 3 bedroom bungalow located on a double lot. Updated bath, enclosed patio of garage and much more. \$59,900.

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**HOME WARRANTY**  
 3 bedroom ranch, study, fireplace in living room, freshly painted, large lot, 2 car garage. Only \$38,000.

**LYNVA PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
 4 bedroom home in Westland on 5 lots \$85,000. Call 421-7524

**OPEN APRIL 1 - 1-5. Westland Tr level, 32847 Comanche, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage, remodeled kitchen & bath. \$81-1915**

**OPEN SUNDAY 1-4**  
 6623 Mansted, S. of Warren, E. of Henry Hill, Garden City gorgeous & airy clean, original owners, brick ranch on 3 acres, finished basement with fireplace, bar & bath, kitchen, new central air, new windows, newly redecorated, plus much more. \$129,000.

**RED CARPET KEIM PLUS**  
 277-7777

**316 Westland Garden City**  
 OPEN SUN 2-5  
 Extremely well kept 3 bedroom ranch near Covan & Vandy. Recently remodeled kitchen including tile cabinets & floor covering. New Anderson windows, new furnace & central air, finished basement, 2 car garage, new roof. \$129,900. CENTURY 21-TAYLOR & ASSOC. 451-9415

**Spacious and Roomy**  
 Garden City move in condition bungalow on a large 80 x 137 foot lot. Maintenance free exterior, 3 bedroom with basement, family room with natural fireplace, new furnace and central air & 2 1/2 car garage. \$80,900.

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**TWO NEW LISTINGS**  
 10161 S. 3 bedroom brick ranch with spacious family room, newer windows & shutters. \$64,900

**THREE - bedroom brick ranch with basement & garage, fresh paint, immediate occupancy. Unlona schools. \$73,900.**

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 COMMUNITY  
 728-8000

**WESTLAND**  
 Spacious 3 bedroom brick ranch in desirable Surrey Heights Sub. Finished basement, with 1 1/2 bath, 2 1/2 car garage. \$119,900. Call 453-3521

**\$516/MO \$3000 DOWN**  
 33612 Iron, Brand new 3 bedroom brick front ranch, paint & tile for park appearance & cleanliness. Call Ross Realty 453-3521

**27522 ANN ARBOR TRAIL AT LAST... YOUR OWN HOME**  
 Because one chance of a life time, seller might help you get in four down payment gets 3 bedroom brick ranch, full basement, 1 1/2 car garage, 1 full bath, country kitchen, living room, with dining L plus view of the park. CALL DON OR DORIS MAYFAIR 522-8000

**317 Redford**  
 ABSOLUTELY  
 Gorgeous, built in 1979, sprawling 3 bedroom brick ranch, finished basement, country kitchen, remodeled bath, new carpet, h/w pool, 2 car garage. Only \$59,900.

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**AFFORDABLE**  
 SOUTH REDFORD 3 bedroom brick ranch with formal dining room, finished basement, 2 full baths, garage & more. Only \$69,900.

**ANXIOUS**  
 Just listed spacious 4 bedroom brick colonial with family room, dining room, finished basement and attached garage. Only \$59,900.

**CENTURY 21**  
 Today 538-2000

**EXCELLENT STARTER HOME**  
 Is this clean 3 bedroom aluminum ranch, many updated features including newer vinyl windows? 2 car garage. \$60,900. Ask for: DICK RUFFNER

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 ROW 464-7111

**FAMILY ROOM/FIREPLACE**  
 OPEN SUN. 1-4  
 18435 Brady, Real sharp brick home on double lot with 2245 sq. ft. family room with double leading to patio, central air, 2 car garage & more. CALL JOE MARCHESOTTI Realty Professionals 478-5300

**FOR BUSY PEOPLE**  
 Maintenance free 3 bedroom ranch in perfect condition inside and out. Better than apartment living, you can own equity too! Steps away from school, shopping, laundry, work-free small fenced yard perfect for entertaining. \$46,900. CALL JIM OR BRIAN DUGGAN 261-1400

**GET READY FOR SUMMER**  
 Immaculate 3 bedroom maintenance free ranch with Central Air, new carpet, new windows, finished basement, 2 car garage. Asking \$77,500.

**YOUR FIRST HOME**  
 Attractive 3 bedroom ranch with remodeled kitchen, rec room and 2 car garage. Located near schools. Just waiting for your viewing. Asking \$64,900.

**COST CONSCIOUS?**  
 How about a 3 bedroom brick ranch with Country Kitchen, full basement, and garage for \$81,900? Close to Birm. Schools. Call 425-7300

**CLARK & FRON**  
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**317 Redford**  
 NEED MORE ROOM?  
 This 6 bedroom home can accommodate your needs. Large eat in kitchen, oak cabinets, built in bookcases in living room, plenty of storage, schools within walking distance. \$82,000. Open Sun. 2-5. 11322-18th Ave.

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 REAL ESTATE ONE  
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**OPEN 11-2 SUNDAY**  
 ATTENTION FIRST TIME BUYERS  
 S. of Mile, E. of Beach 16820 Brady  
 If you've been dreaming about a home of your own, come see this bedroom brick and aluminum trim ranch with family room and 2 car attached garage, situated on a large lot. Call for more information. \$119,900. Call 453-3521

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 Realty Professionals  
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**REDFORD - OLD REDFORD**  
 W. of Telegraph, E. of Five Points 16630 Penn  
 \$2500 MOVE YOU IN!  
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**REDFORD - TRANSFER FORCES**  
 the sale of this exceptional 3 bedroom ranch, completed & redecorated in neutral tones, kitchen remodeled 4 months ago, 2 updated baths, 1 yr. old efficient furnace, finished basement, full bath, Florida room, wrap with door opener. A terrific at \$69,900. Call CAROL MAINLINE 522-8000

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 ROW 464-7111

**THREE BEDROOM, 2 bath brick ranch, attached garage, large wood lot. Remodeled kitchen, finished basement, new windows. \$37-1666**

**107 REDFORD'S FINEST AREAS**  
 2 bedroom brick ranch with attached garage. Natural fireplace in living room, finished basement with family room, 2 car garage. New. Priced at only \$74,900.

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 Gold Key 255-2100

**15878 Loda Drive**  
 BEAUTIFUL 3 1/2 VINEY PARK SETTING Super starter home with 3 bedrooms. Clean as a white and decorated to a "T" finished basement. Very attractive. \$65,900. For your summer enjoyment! Just listed at \$44,900.

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**318 Dearborn Dearborn Heights**  
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 3 bedroom with garage, window air conditioning, central air, all appliances. FHA VA possible. \$45,000.

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**Dearborn Heights**  
 Super Starter. This 3 bedroom ranch with push new carpet and skylights, a completely remodeled kitchen, a backyard deck, and a full basement. Very attractive! \$51,900.

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**DEARBORN - Nice brick and aluminum 3 bedroom bungalow in West Dearborn. Newer furnace and water heater, new roof, attached 2 car garage. Large 2 car garage with full Florida room, \$78,900.**

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**GRACIOUS**  
 Gracious Colonial Le Estates home with 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 and 2 1/2 bath. Hardwood floors, new kitchen, 2 car garage. \$149,000. Call JANETTE ENGELHARDT 644-8700

**MAX BROOK, INC., REALTORS**  
 BIRMINGHAM - Open Sun. 2-5. 638 Shirley, 2 1/2 bath colonial, \$134,400. Open Sun. 12-5. 647-3977

**BIRMINGHAM - Large second floor bedroom with full bath, 2 bedrooms down w/ full bath, 2 car garage. Birm. Schools. \$109,000. 645-5815**

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**302 Birmingham Bloomfield**  
 ACADEMY AWARD WINNER  
 Immaculate 4 bedroom colonial, 3 1/2 baths, rec room, country decor, finished basement, 2 car garage. \$159,900. Realty World. Call Intra Assoc. 642-7747

**A REAL CHARMER**  
 OPEN SUNDAY 1-4  
 1332 Stanley, Birmingham (S. of Lincoln & W. of Pierce)  
 Premium Birmingham location for this lovely home. A gardener's delight with heated Florida room plus attached 2 car garage. \$129,900. Call large master with full wall of closets. Fenced yard. Fireplace. Plan to see. \$148,500. H-60202

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 With this three bedroom cape cod, freshly decorated, super location in wonderful neighborhood. Only \$97,900. WVE

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**BEVERLY HILLS - 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace, hardwood floors, Florida room, finished basement, 2 car garage. Birmingham schools. \$125,500. 642-5631**

**BEVERLY HILLS - brick ranch, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, hardwood floors, fireplace in living room, new kitchen, finished basement, Birmingham schools. \$129,900. Terry McKeown Realty 642-5100**

**BEVERLY HILLS - BY OWNER**  
 1992 WILSHIRE BLVD.  
 OPEN SAT. - SUN. 2-5PM  
 Immaculate newly decorated 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial, new carpeting, parquet floors, new large deck, new furnace, central air, security system, 2 fireplaces. \$219,000. Also shown by appointment. 642-9435

**BEVERLY HILLS**  
 SPACIOUS 2,500 square foot ranch on a one acre lot, 4 bedrooms with 2 1/2 baths, 2 car garage, plus jacuzzi, 1 1/2 baths, new kitchen, beautiful tree lot. \$154,900. 851-6700

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**BEVERLY HILLS - OPEN SUN. 1-5PM**  
 1999 Beverly - Charming colonial corner wooded lot, Birmingham schools, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, spa, pool, finished basement, 2 car garage. \$182,900. Call 453-3521

**BIRMINGHAM FARMS - Large, beautiful country home, 5 bedrooms, 5 1/2 baths, 2 car garage, 2 car garage, \$550,000. 540-0150**

**OWNERS ARE SELLING... WE ARE MARKETING**  
 3055 Stellamar, \$139,900  
 Open Sun. 2-5. 4 bedroom ranch with family room, Birmingham schools. \$129,900. Call 453-3521

**3023 Embassy**  
 Beverly Hills, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room, formal dining room, den, basement, Birmingham schools. Owner. \$149,000. Call 453-3521

**20180 CORVELL**  
 Contemporary ranch with family room, marble windows, European roof, heated Florida room, Birmingham schools. Owner. \$44-9037

**SALES CONNECTION**  
 258-0852

**BIRMINGHAM brick ranch, just advertised. Hard wood floors, built in bookshelves, new kitchen with European cabinets, granite, Thermador built in microwave/oven, Thermador dishwasher. New bath/room, blinds, security system, in-law suite. Open Sat. & Sun., 12-4 or call for appt. 17111 Bayview. 644-3604**

**BIRMINGHAM - Daring 3 bedroom, 2 bath bungalow, 2 1/2 car garage, finished basement, 2 car garage, 2 car garage, 2 car garage. \$119,900. Call 453-3521**

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ON ROUTE RIVER-WALK to downtown... 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, breakfast room, family room, walk-out lower level, 2 fireplaces, finished garage, large glassed and screened sun porch overlooks river, deck and waterfall. Large walk-out patio, circular driveway, underground sprinkler system, intercom, \$335,000. 642-8334

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4 BLOOMFIELD
3731 PEABODY
Approximately 2600 square foot home on lovely lot for sale with possible lease back. Spacious living and dining rooms with kitchen, library, family room, 3 car attached garage. \$235,000. 648-1800

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WAKE GOLF COURSE
Smashing picture perfect contemporary walk-out lower level, 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bathrooms, granite master bedroom, 5,000 sq. ft. \$499,000. 1852 Gold Ridge, Ask for Lena Oskowski, 624-9000

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Excellent condition, light airy home, done in neutrals. Good size lot with nice privacy, lovely view. Investment property. \$1,100,000. 642-6000

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Contemporary decor, 3 bedroom/2 bath ranch, features great room with parquet floor, verticals, recessed track lighting, wood accents, kitchen - Jennair, Sub Zero refrigerator & microwave. Don't miss this one! Call for more info. \$1,100,000. 7143 Cottonwood Knoll, 1 1/2 miles W. of Middlebelt to Briarcliff, N. to Cottonwood Knoll. Call for more info. 628-6363

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2550 Highmeadow, S of 13, W. of Middlebelt, 3 bedroom, library, 2 1/2 bath, extra large wood lot with a pond. \$169,900. Ask for: Chris Shevock REAL ESTATE ONE 681-5700 788-2669

307 South Lyon Milford-Highland
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COMMERCIAL TOWNSHIP
1,800 sq. ft. cape cod 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace, carpeted, stained wood work, large lot, full basement. \$142,900. 310, E. Main St. W. of Carrol Lk. S. of Day Occupancy. 681-5700

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ROCHESTER HILLS - 1803 Rapids
New construction, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, colonial, master bedroom on 1st floor, walk-out with fireplace, 2 full & 1/2 baths, professionally landscaped. Sprinkler, alarm and security systems. Central air, and many extras. \$339,900. 13500 John Hopkin for appointment 375-2455 or 540-7177

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OPEN SUN. 2-5 2121 Cumberland, immaculate 4 yr. old Tudor, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, professional landscaping, sprinkler, tiered deck, central air, cathedral ceilings with skylights, fireplace, library, hardwood floors, crown moldings & MUCH MORE. \$156,900. 651-1008

308 Rochester-Troy
TROY COLONIAL - cut-de-sac location. New construction, 3 bedrooms, formal dining, central air, basement, 2 car garage with car opener. \$117,000. 681-5700

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TROY - Exclusive Northeast Area Contemporary ranch, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 2 decks, wood frontage, circular driveway. Excellent condition. Many, many features. \$150,000. Call Steve Yopp, 624-9000

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TROY - NORTH BRIDGE PARK
New construction, 3 bedrooms, approximately 2,600 sq. ft., 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, library, by windows, full basement - partially finished, full kitchen, central air, sprinkler system, alarm system, beautifully landscaped. \$215,000. 828-7872

308 Rochester-Troy
TROY - OPEN SUN. 12-5pm
By owner - custom ranch, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, air, 1800sqft, mint condition. \$135,900. 681-5700

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TROY - OPEN SUN. 1-4pm
14 Windmill Ranch, 2502 Waltham, 4 bedroom ranch, new kitchen, 2 bath, finished basement. \$127,900. 528-2593

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LAKE PRIVILEGES--
OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
5450 Sunnycrest, West Bloomfield (N. of Quarters & W. of Inxart)
Walk one block to the lake from this delightful newer contemporary. Double lot and Birmingham area. Large walk-out lower level, stone fireplace. First floor master plus library. All kitchen appliances stay. Price to sell. \$219,900. 628-8700

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5822 Shoun, S. of Walnut Lake, W. of Orchard Lake. West Bloomfield. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bathrooms including finished master bath. Completely remodeled. Ceramic tile throughout. New kitchen. \$144,900. Call Marge Secotino. 628-8700

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OPEN SUN. 2-5
4294 Fox Pointe, S. of Lone Pine, W. of Orchard Lake. Best buy in complete. Large bedrooms, finished basement, full decor, overlooks woods. Move in condition. 3 bedrooms, 2 full & 1/2 bath. \$179,000. 628-8700

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LOVELY - 4 bedroom colonial, 2 1/2 baths, dining, family living and large game room. Open Sun. 2-5pm. Call: Kenneth Sub. \$139,900. 535-9318

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Exciting in-level in new condition. Custom built. Custom dock overlooks spacious yard. Custom kitchen, new furnace, central air, glorious family room with bar, attached garage. \$199,000. 681-5700

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Hard to find, magnificent & affordable in great Farmington Hills location. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, full basement, 2 car garage. Pick your colors. \$134,900.

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FARMINGTON HILLS
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"Almost New" contemporary in Farmington Hills. Most desirable area. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, great room with sunken conversation/entertainment area. Beautifully landscaped. \$144,900.

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For That Extra Privacy
You'll love this custom 2 acre that surrounds this custom 4 bedroom home with 1st floor master suite and walk-out lower level. This home has spacious rooms, 3 full baths and 2 1/2 bath, and is perfect for entertaining. \$238,900.

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ROLLING OAK - Beauty boasts this better than new 4 bedroom, den, family room with custom built-in. Updates are oak railing staircase, powder room, carpeting, finished basement, private backyard with 7 yr. old pool & hot tub, decking, all backed up to common. See and buy. \$259,900.

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LOVELY - 4 bedroom colonial, 2 1/2 baths, dining, family living and large game room. Open Sun. 2-5pm. Call: Kenneth Sub. \$139,900. 535-9318

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Privacy aplenty on 5 acres adds to this cedar ranch. Firestone golf, fencing, swimming, hot tub, great landscaping. \$139,900.

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3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, by owner. Central air, updated bath & kitchen, large family room w/ fireplace, many extras. 2,000 Laurelwood. Open Sun. 12-5, 1118.800.477-9191

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LAKE CHEMUNG - 200 ft. of prime waterfront on all sports lake plus 2200 sq. ft. home with 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, stone fireplace, large deck, pool, hot tub, all for details. Reduced to \$182,900.

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ROCHESTER HILLS - 1803 Rapids
New construction, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, colonial, master bedroom on 1st floor, walk-out with fireplace, 2 full & 1/2 baths, professionally landscaped. Sprinkler, alarm and security systems. Central air, and many extras. \$339,900. 13500 John Hopkin for appointment 375-2455 or 540-7177

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TROY COLONIAL - cut-de-sac location. New construction, 3 bedrooms, formal dining, central air, basement, 2 car garage with car opener. \$117,000. 681-5700

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New construction, 3 bedrooms, approximately 2,600 sq. ft., 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, library, by windows, full basement - partially finished, full kitchen, central air, sprinkler system, alarm system, beautifully landscaped. \$215,000. 828-7872

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326 Condos OPEN SUN. 2-5 Farmington Hills Townhouse Dramatic oak staircase, 2 bright, light wood burning fireplace, 2 bedrooms with studio ceilings, pool and tennis as just some great features. \$55,900-39955 Country Circle, 1/2 mile S. of Haggerty, S. of 14 Mile. Ask for PHYLIS TUNIS

326 Condos WEST BLOOMFIELD GREENHILLS LISTING Open Sun. 2-5PM 7294 Westchester Drive. Magnificent townhouse decorator designed. 2 bedrooms, 2 full baths, fireplace, built-in stereo system, light oak paneling, central air. Lots of extras. \$28,500. By owner. 476-0872

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339 Lots and Acreage For Sale NORTHVILLE - Must sell! 100 acre country lot. Northville mailing. \$59,900. ASK FOR Nancy Melinger The Michigan Group 591-9200

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NORTHVILLE - RARE FIND 3 story townhouse, great room with fireplace, large walk-in 2 1/2 baths, garage. 8 Mile & Meadowbrook area. Low price for last sale. Asking \$111,900, call 477-SELL (477-7355) or 473-5500

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FARMINGTON HILLS - Spacious 4 rooms and bath. Many extras. 1st floor corner. \$63,500. Low down (and contract). 648-8093 or 553-6178

FARMINGTON HILLS - 124 Orchard Lake, Orchard Square. Super sharp. 1 bedroom, carpet, patio, central air. Won't last! \$38,900. 399-3066

NOVI - OPEN SUN. 1-4PM OLD ORCHARD CONDOS 2604 Old Orchard off of 10 Mile W. of Haggerty. Attractive 3 bed, private entry, all appliances, a full basement. Other unit has 2 bedrooms. Both offer quick occupancy and priced low starting at \$69,900. HERITAGE PROPERTIES 348-1300

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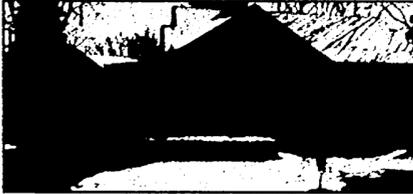
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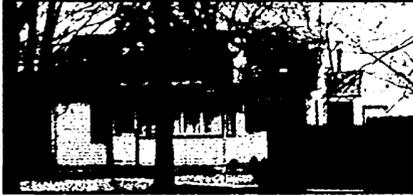
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**GARDEN CITY**  
**COZY CAPE COD** - Charming 3 bedroom, set back from the road. Large living room. Makes a great starter home.  
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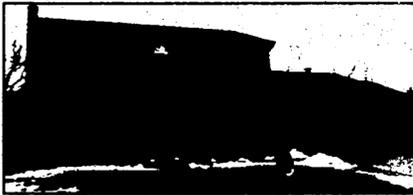
**WESTLAND**  
**TONQUISH TRI** - 3 bedroom brick with vinyl trim 1 1/2 baths, new windows, roof. 2 car garage and central air, family room, nicely landscaped cedar closet.  
 \$91,900 328-2000



**PLYMOUTH**  
**CUSTOM 3 YEAR OLD RANCH** - 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, Pella windows, wood floor in great room and formal dining room, ceramic foyer and kitchen. Walkout lower level, covered porch and 3 car garage.  
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**NOVI**  
**LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION** - A lovely tri-level with a beautiful Florida room, Novi schools, lake access to Walled Lake, and close to freeway. Priced to sell. Must see!  
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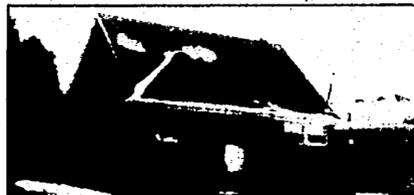
**PLYMOUTH**  
**ELEGANT COLONIAL IN WOODLORE** - 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room/fireplace, central air. Beautiful wood floor in family and den. Home on wooded lot on private cul-de-sac. Home protection plan offered.  
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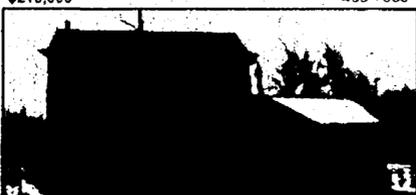
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**HOME WITH 1/2 ACRE** - Clean, neat and well-maintained 2 bedroom home on approximately .5 acre. One car attached garage, fireplace in living room, newer roof, furnace, and hot water tank.  
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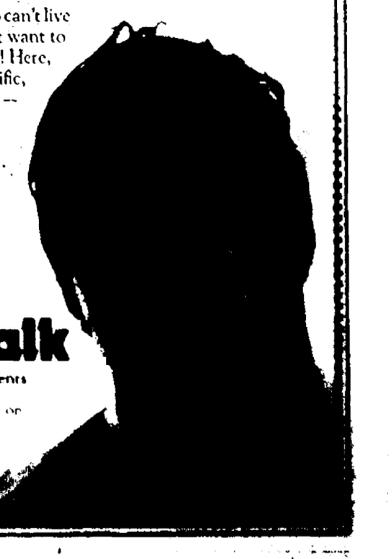
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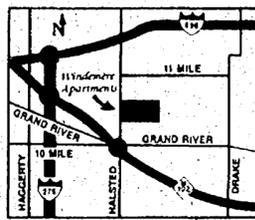
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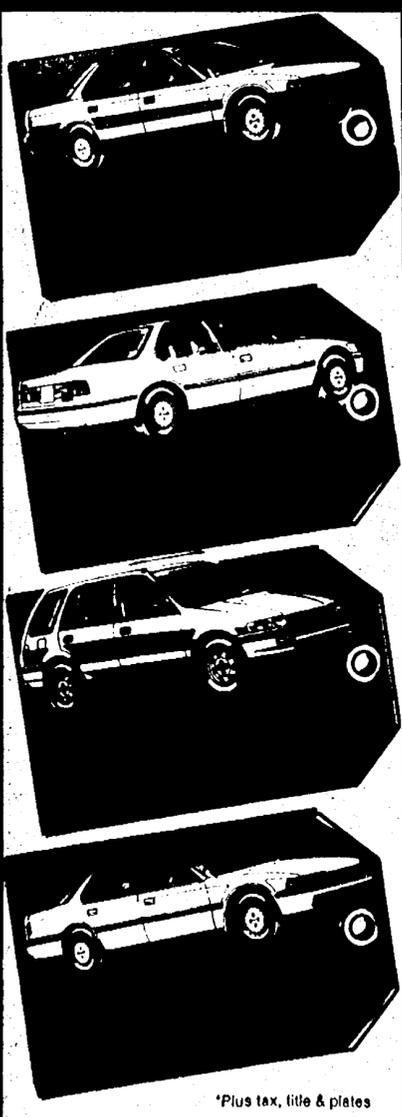
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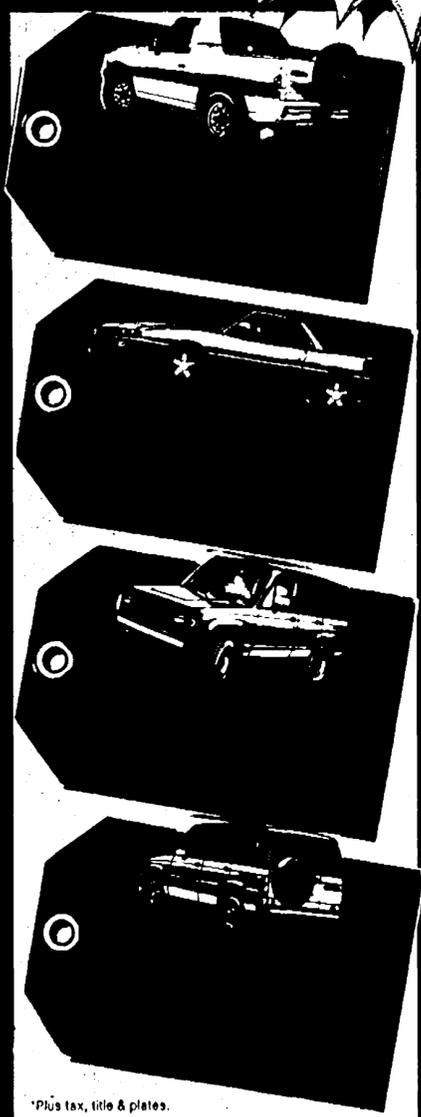
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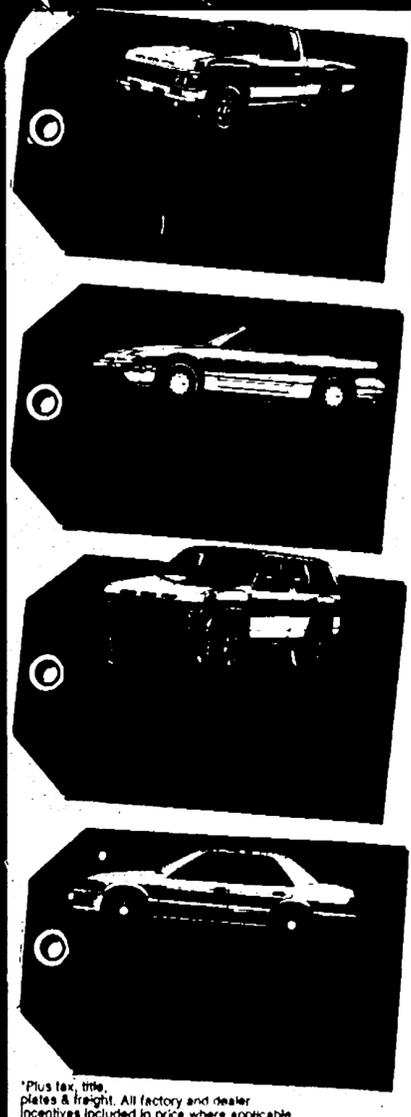
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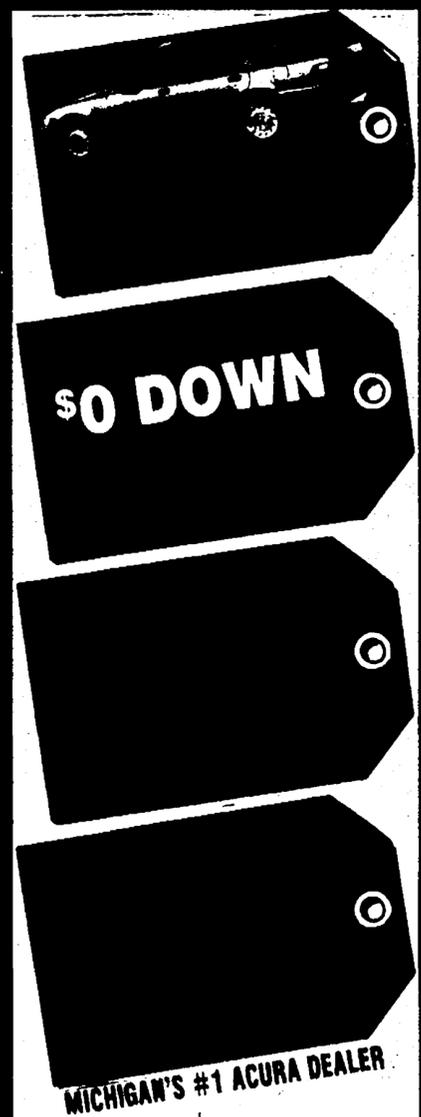
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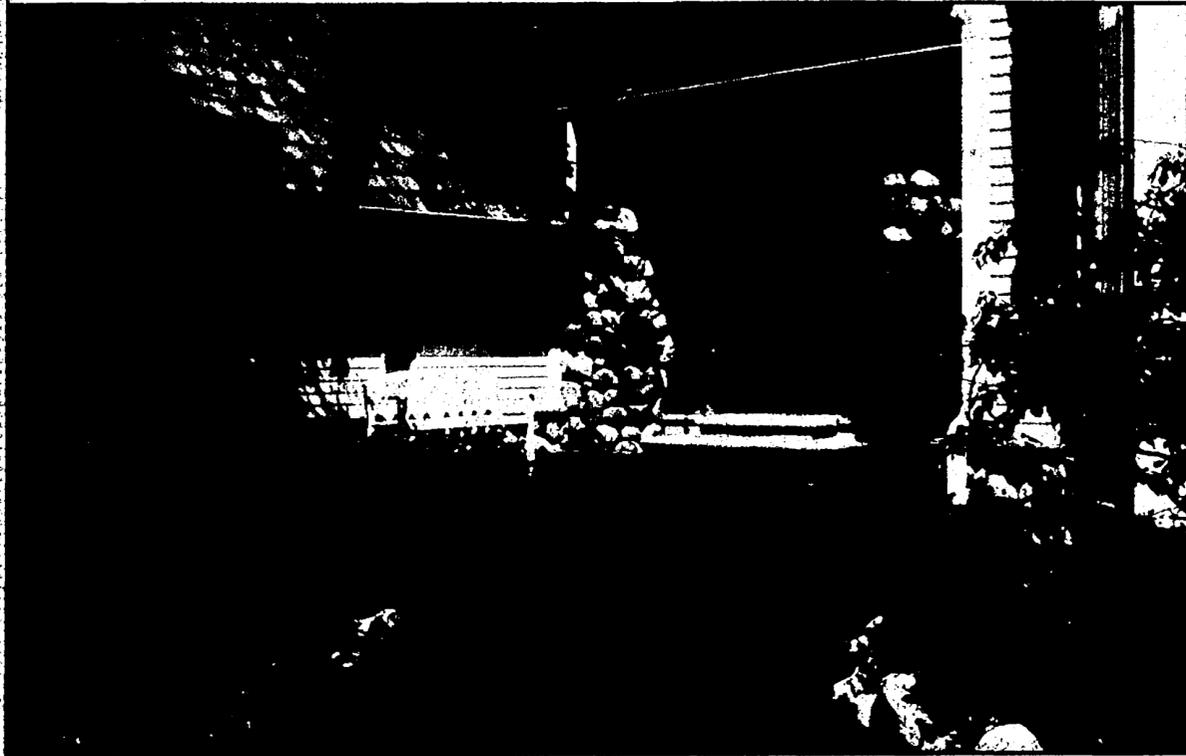
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A stone facade at this Birmingham house's entryway and along the structure's lower level plus the rocks used as a border along the shrubbery present a complete theme.

## Environment used as home design theme

By Dale Northup  
special writer

The topography in the Midwest generally conjures up in one's mind flat terrain — the prairie.

However, about 10,000 years ago the retreating glaciers left in their path not only flat land but sculptured pockets — hilly terrain and inland lakes.

Southeastern Michigan is a product of that glacial wake, particularly in Oakland County.

Having a variety of both flat and hilly alluvial landscapes provided an ideal setting for agriculture in the 19th century. One hundred years later the country's burgeoning population has supplanted agriculture with architecture — the built environment satisfying humanity's basic need for shelter.

The variety of building sites in the county provides a challenge for the enterprising individual who seeks to

build on an in-town lot or lake lot. Topography plays a tantamount role in determining the type of architectural structure that will be compatible with its surroundings.

With a sensitive architect and understanding client cognizant of their needs, a sense of place can be sought which ultimately will make for good architecture that will last a very, very long time.

"In-town" provides the greatest challenge. Vacant lots fast are being coming extinct in more densely populated, desirable areas but they can be found.

ONE EXAMPLE is a lot on South Washington in Roy Oak, now site of a two-unit townhouse designed by the architectural firm of Stucky & Vitale. Located in an older neighborhood, the style of architecture seemed to warrant something contextual, in this case a Victorian style, which is eclectic in nature.

Please turn to Page 2



Extensive use of glass and white brick that blends into the surrounding habitat are used to make this Oakland County

house complement its surroundings. The theme is carried through in the house's interior (see photo at right).



A panoramic view of trees and an inland lake are enhanced by using glass panes instead of bricks to form an outer wall for this Oakland County home. To insure that nothing blocks the view, the fireplace also is encased in glass.

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# Environment affects design of lake, city homes

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The developer had seen an article featuring this style and said "why not?" The two-story arrangement of these units has a sense of scale with the surrounding buildings.

The variety of ornamental details also helps to make it compatible. The garage is located in a raised basement accessible from the rear.

Another in-town dwelling is in Birmingham, where a new structure supplanted an older one.

The house, designed by architect David Sellards, is capped by three gables facing the street, which re-

lates well to the domestic genre of the neighborhood.

The longitudinal axis of the house follows the lot lines with the living room overlooking the yard in the back. The room has full view, with a 14 foot ceiling.

The exterior facing will be Dryvit, which is an aggregate finish with an acrylic binder. This material fast is becoming a popular material in the domestic market.

A GATE marks the entrance, which is on the side of the house necessitated by the garages which are on the front.

Sellards also has decided a house

representative of lake living in Bloomfield Township.

It has all the accoutrements of a country farmhouse, once indigenous to the area: stone, clapboard siding and cedar shake shingles. The brick sidewalk leading to the front entrance adds to the variety of textures which makes an impression upon first viewing.

The two story structure is carved into the slope of the site affording views of the lake behind.

Another lake house, also in Bloomfield Township, is the design of architect Jack Brown.

The shallowness of the site dictat-

ed placing the house closer to the water. Constructed of steel framing, which is clad in Dryvit, the facade steps up and out, lending a dramatic view of the lake.

A cantilevered deck attempts to touch the water. The living room is a pavilion-like projection which takes further advance of the lake view.

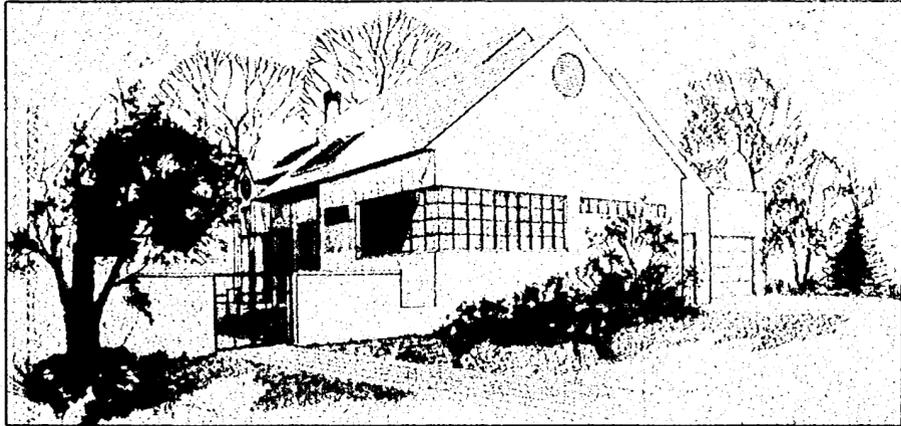
The fireplace, which often is awkwardly placed in the middle of the viewing wall of many lake houses, here is resolved by being made out of glass so as not to interrupt the vista.

Southeastern Michigan has geological roots which have helped form a variety of living styles. In Oakland County, in-town and lake living can provide a feast for the eyes and a challenge to the mind for the right individual and the right house which is integral with its site.

(Dale Northrup is a college professor and architectural historian.)



A Royal Oak duplex features a design that captures the history of the area.



One design for a quasi-city setting includes stark white features, block glass windows and a red front gate for color.

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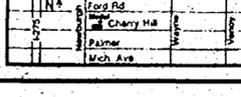


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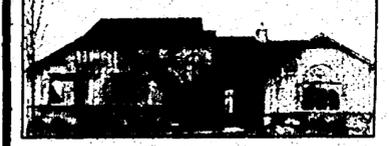


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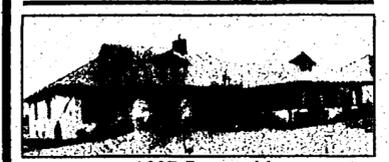
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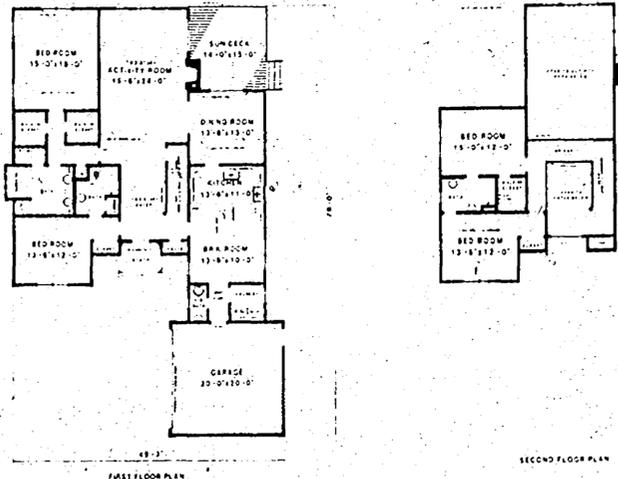
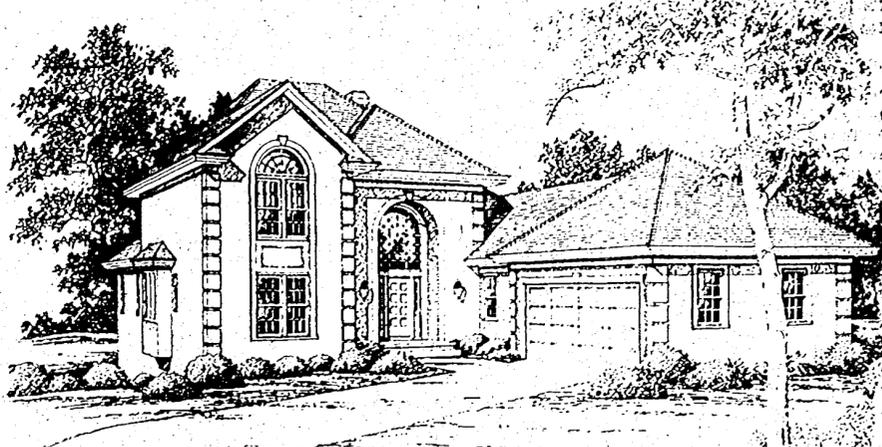
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# Kitchen counters are durable yet decorative

By Barbara Mayer  
AP Newsfeatures

Good performance in kitchen counters is crucial to safety, efficiency and comfort. Since you'll be living with the counter for a long time, give weight to durability as well as fashion and cost when shopping.

While no single material meets everyone's needs or decorating preferences, the best counters are sanitary, retain good looks over a long period and are easy to maintain, said kitchen designer James Kregel of St. Paul, Minn.

When pennies count, plastic laminate is usually a good choice. It is economical and available in a wide variety of colors, textures and patterns.

However, Kregel said, it is difficult

to repair, the joints are visible and moisture could eventually do damage in those joints.

The high-end customer is choosing what the trade calls solid surfacing tops — synthetics such as Corian, Surrall 2000X, Avonite and Fountainhead — which have nearly invisible seaming.

TODAY'S MOST fashionable and most expensive kitchen counters are of natural stone, especially granite. Although it is extremely durable and maintains its shine, granite imparts an unemotional, formal look, according to designer Kevin Walz of New York. And, like plastic laminates, the seams are quite visible.

He said marble is a softer, friendlier material, even though marble counters will stain and eventually lose their shine. To Walz, the signs of wear have their own beauty. If that's

not acceptable, said Kregel, some of the stain can be eliminated by using a penetrating sealer.

Granite has been limited in laminates and solid surfacing materials, so those on a lower budget can have the granite look.

Solid surfacing materials are Kregel's favorites because they are durable, easy to work with and available in a wide range of textures and colors.

They are made in a variety of synthetics. Corian, for example, is an acrylic, Avonite is a polyester and Fountainhead is a blend of acrylic and polyester.

Some have the advantage of taking a bright sheen; others offer a good surface for dough preparation and still others come with matching sinks.

Other materials to consider for countertops include butcher block and stainless steel.

"Butcher block gets softer and warmer as it ages. When ordered in

the 1 1/4-inch thickness, you can cut into it for two or three decades without getting anywhere near to pitting it," said Walz.

HE ADVISED stripping off stains with steel wool and refinishing with a nontoxic oil every year or so.

Butcher block is being used less in home kitchens, according to Kregel, because it is not considered as sanitary as other counter materials and should be carefully scoured to kill any bacteria — a problem main-

ly when cutting raw meat or chicken.

An advantage is that interesting edge treatments can be devised. While maple butcher block is the most common, other woods can be used with attractive results.

Walz is known for his imaginative use of materials in kitchens, including stainless steel as a countertop. It is durable, ideal for the high tech look and as a nonporous material, it is sanitary.

While stainless steel does show water marks and fingerprints, the

signs of use are part of an attractive patina it acquires as it ages.

Furthermore, stainless over plywood is one of the least expensive counters. It is available in most areas through commercial restaurant suppliers, said Walz.

Among materials he does not advise for counters is ceramic tile, which he said is better for backsplashes, walls and floors, where the many patterns and colors can be used to create interest, and brittleness and unevenness are not drawbacks.

## Put together an efficient workshop

By Reader's Digest  
For AP Newsfeatures

If you dream of an efficient, functional place to work on projects and store tools, here are some hints to help you get started on your ideal home workshop.

**Planning**  
A workbench is the heart of a workshop. A sturdy 2 by 4 frame topped by a double layer of 3/4-inch plywood will serve as an excellent, easy-to-make workbench.

If a full-sized bench takes up more space than you have, you can build a fold-down unit. Use a solid core door for the benchtop; fasten it to a wall, using a piano hinge. Support the front edge with 2 by 4 legs attached with hinges and folding leg brackets that lock open.

For most people, the correct height for a workbench is 34 to 36 inches.

Because concrete is hard on the feet and damages tools that are dropped accidentally, cushion the workshop floor with plywood or an old carpet.

**Storing Tools**  
Here are some tips for expanding storage space:

- A back of the door tool rack is great for storing small tools and supplies.

- You can store tools on wall hooks or on a peg board. Paint the outline of each tool on the surface to remind you and others where to replace it.

To make a handy rack for screwdrivers and other small tools, drill a series of 1/2 to 2 inch holes through a 1 by 3. Mount the rack on the wall with L brackets.

A good way to organize washers and nuts is to hang them according to size on large safety pins or on wire coat hangers whose necks have been untwisted.

Jars with screw tops are ideal for storing small items such as nails, screws, nuts and bolts. You can double your shelf capacity by screwing some of the jar lids to the undersides of the shelves. Place a lock washer under the head of the screw so that the lid won't turn when you unscrew the jar. Or attach the lid with two screws.

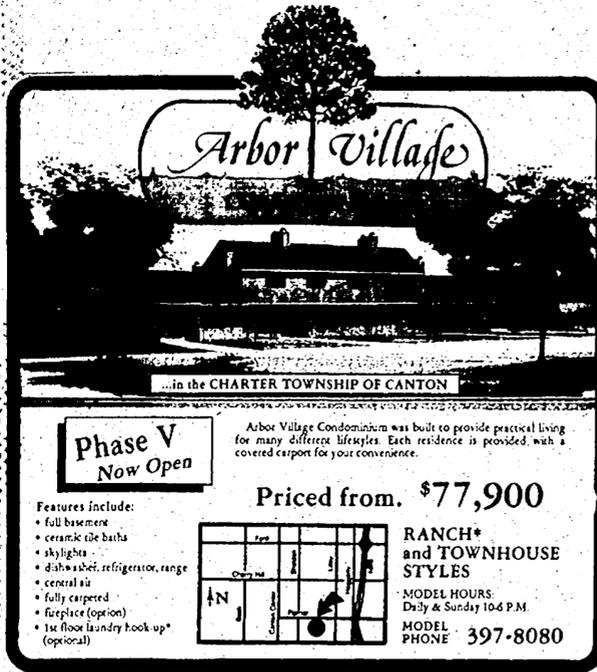
If you need a rack to store abrasive sanding discs, cut off 1/2 to 1/2 of an aluminum pie plate and fasten it to the wall, bottom side out.

**Safety Precautions**  
When working with any power tool use only a heavy-duty, grounded (three-prong) extension cord that is 14-gauge or larger.

To keep power tool cords out of the way as you work, hook the slack on a long spring screwed into the ceiling above your workbench.

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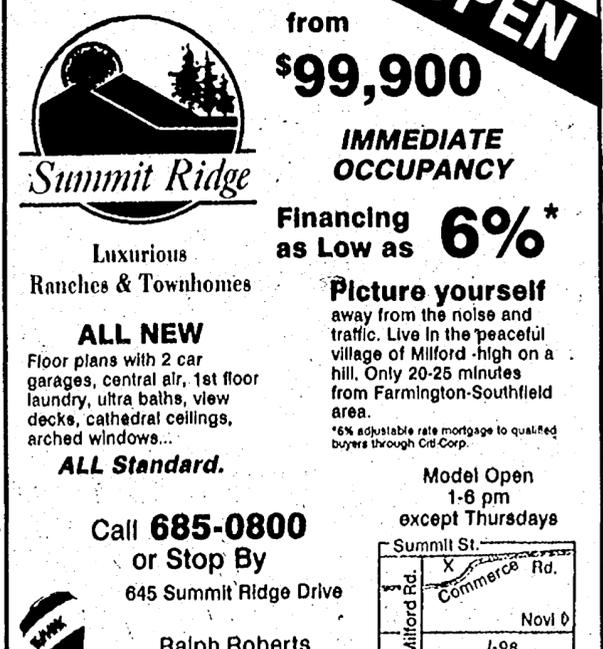
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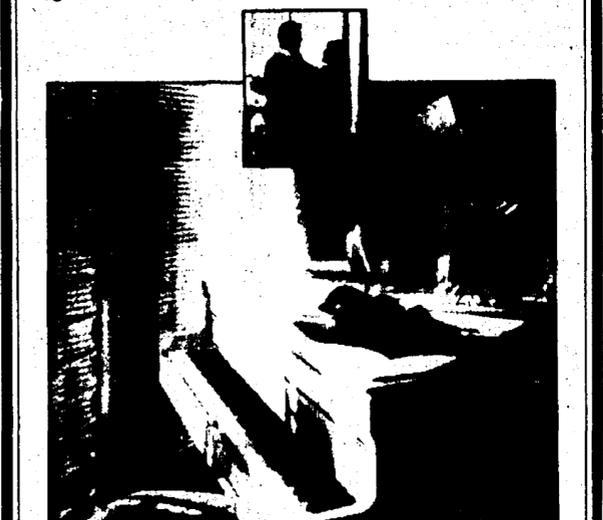
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