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Blast guts 4 stores

By Leonard Poger
editor

A botched arson job resulted in an explosion that destroyed four of six businesses on Warren Road east of Middlebelt early Saturday morning and injured a 17-year-old, said Westland Fire Chief Lane.

The blast gutted a building housing Dominic's Pizzeria, Snoop Sisters Family Closet clothing business, Rima's Salon and Red Carpet Keim Real Estate on the Westland-Garden City boundary.

Lane said he and the Westland police department expect to charge three people Tuesday with arson.

The chief reported Sunday that the blast, which happened between 1:30 and 2 a.m. Saturday, resulted in substantial burns to a 17-year-old pizzeria employee who confessed to trying to set the business on fire. He implicated two others.

The youth also had gasoline on his clothing when interviewed in the Henry Ford Hospital room where he is recovering from his burns, the chief reported.

The pizzeria was closed at the time of the explosion.

Lane concluded that the explosion was probably caused when the youth was pouring the gasoline, with the fumes igniting a pilot light in the pizzeria.

THE TEEN, whom Lane declined to identify until he is formally charged, was burned on the front of his body from just below the knees to the top of his head, Lane said.

The chief said the fire department didn't know about the fire until Fairlane Clinic in Dearborn called to report the burn injury.

The teen was later transferred to Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, for treatment of his burns, Lane said.

The 7Q party store and an adjacent dry cleaners, which had a window damaged in the blast, were the only businesses remaining in the building on the north side of Warren Road between Haller and Garden, opposite the Eagle's Nest restaurant. The blast destroyed the interior and the roof.



ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Valentine royalty

Four people were crowned kings and queens at the Dyer Senior Center's annual valentine dinner-dance Wednesday. Representing the Tuesday Senior Club are Virginia Laremore and Frank Pontone (left), with Emily Kolesnik and Eddie Boron representing the Wednesday Club. For more on the event, please turn to Page 2A.

Voc/tech centers told to confront change

Ford Center chief says be prepared

By C. L. Rugenstein
staff writer

Keeping up with technology and changes in the job market is critical for the survival of vocational/technical schools, said Edwin N. Ferguson, principal of William D. Ford Vocational/Technical School.

But, however vital it is, change is also difficult, he noted.

"The only person who likes change is a wet baby," Ferguson told the center's advisory committee in his state-of-the-center speech Friday.

Success in educating young people and preparing them for the job market "depends on how well we manage change. If we don't manage it, it

will manage us," he said.

Ferguson outlined two planned programs, one of them the first of its kind in the state, that the center on Marquette near Carlson will implement next September to help students manage change.

One program is the business technologies cluster, combining programs in data processing, secretarial, accounting and computing and photo-typesetting (or desktop publishing) to meet the needs of the exploding information services industry.

Students in the program will "enroll in one program as a major but will study in all the others," Ferguson said. "That's why it's called a cluster." They will rotate through the different classes on an "as needed" schedule, he added.

THE PROGRAM isn't new to the state, but reflects future trends in the explosion of knowledge and the importance of the information services industry, he said.

It took 150 years for knowledge to

double, from 1750 to 1900, Ferguson explained. And with changing technology, it has doubled with increasing frequency.

"Futurists say that knowledge will double every 11 months by 1991," Ferguson said.

The automated manufacturing technologies program reflects the predicted growth of another service industry. It combines electronics, computer-aided manufacturing (CAM) and its other side, computer-aided drafting.

The stress is on service technology, Ferguson said. Students would learn how to operate and service hydraulic, pneumatic and electro-magnetic machinery for automated manufacturing. Planned equipment for the program even includes a seven-access programmable robot.

"It's part of the automated training," Ferguson explained. "It just transfers objects from one machine to another." Ferguson would like to get a computer-operated manufacturing (CIM) center going, to work with the robot, but "I'm not sure we

Suit weighed for 2 expelled in gun affair

By Todd Schneider
staff writer

An attorney representing two Wayne-Westland junior high school students expelled from the district after a gun incident last spring said Thursday a lawsuit would be filed seeking their reinstatement.

"We think a lawsuit is appropriate at this stage, that would be our next legal step," said Ann Arbor attorney Nancy Francis.

Francis said a December appeal on behalf of the students to the state Board of Education had become "bogged down" and apparently wasn't effective. "We had hoped they could be back (in Wayne-Westland) in time for the second semester, but that obviously hasn't happened," Francis said.

No deadline has been set for filing the lawsuit, but Francis said she hoped to file it "soon."

The suit would seek the reinstatement of former Franklin Junior High School students Tyson Morgan and Theodius Hawkins.

The Wayne-Westland school board voted 6-1 last August to expel the

One boy had brought an unloaded .22-caliber handgun to school, and a second had kept the gun and two bullets in his locker.

seventh graders. Parents of both boys had asked that they be allowed to transfer to another school in the district.

Dennis O'Neill, Wayne-Westland superintendent, said he hasn't had any contact with the state education department since the state first took the case two months ago.

The state asked if there was any room for negotiations, and the Wayne-Westland district stood by its original decision to expel the two boys, O'Neill said.

If there is a civil suit initiated, it would be turned over to the school board attorney. He declined to comment further on the issue since no

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— Edwin N. Ferguson
Ford principal

can afford it."

Ferguson said cost equipment and renovations for the new automated manufacturing programs would be about \$400,000. Money for the programs comes through a \$12.9 bond program approved by voters one year ago, and federal grants.

The business technology program will be getting some new IBM computers and a renovated classroom. Cost will be about \$130,000.

While the business technologies program is not new, except to the Ford Center, the automated manufacturing technologies program "is unique, and a first" for voc/tech centers in Michigan.

WESTLAND MAYOR Charles Griffin stressed the importance of the center and its role in turning around a potential economic disaster for the city when the GM Leaseway company moved out.

The center, which serves as a facility for the Wayne-Westland, North Allen Park, Melvindale, Crestwood and Northville school districts has a job training partnership program which provides training for "unemployed and underemployed people," Ferguson said.

And it was part of the reason Westland was able to attract a big new company, the Van Dresser Corp., to locate at the former GM Leaseway building on Newburgh north of Palmer.

"We have the unique capability to train a new workforce, and retrain those who've been displaced," said Griffin in his comments after Ferguson's talk.

In talking about how the staff had had to adjust to change, Ferguson

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Principal returns to an old subject: Fund-raising 101

By Leonard Poger
editor

Jamieson Hawley, former Garden City and Wayne-Westland school district elementary school principal, just can't stay away from school.

Although he retired 18 months ago, Hawley continues to return to handle a chore many of his counterparts and teachers shy away from — fund-raisers.

Hawley admitted he always liked student assemblies held to explain the fund-raisers when he was a building principal.

Now that he is on the other side, Hawley said he likes to continue building positive attitudes for kids.

He frequently tells students at the assemblies:

"You are going to be a sales manager," with the youngsters recruiting their relatives to sell candy or other items for them, Hawley said.

In that way, the kids avoid having to sell articles door-to-door, he said. Actually, sales presentations are nothing new for Hawley, who will be 60 next month.

people

"Sales is one of my loves," he said, noting that he began his sales career right out of college before changing directions and going into education.

He was with the Armour Corp.'s soap division in Dayton, Ohio, after getting his bachelor's degree from Olivet College and a master's from Eastern Michigan University.

A year later, Hawley switched careers and started teaching elementary school youngsters.

HE BEGAN his new career 31 years ago at the nearby new Memorial Elementary School in Garden City. Three years later, he was promoted to assistant principal and later principal at Vogel Junior High School.

Twenty years ago, Hawley moved three miles away when he became principal of Stottlemeyer Elementary

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Swingin' dancers

John Bullard and daughter Jaclyn, 6, get in the mood of the square dancing Wednesday night at the annual Daddy-Daughter Valentine Dance sponsored by the Westland Recreation Department. For more on the event, please turn to Page 3A.

Out of retirement, into fund raising

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School in the adjacent Wayne-Westland school district.

After 12 years, he was switched to Washington Elementary and then moved to Marshall Junior High as assistant principal before closing his career as a classroom teacher at Jefferson Elementary.

He returned to sales when he retired in mid-1987 and was looking for part-time work. Hawley contacted L&M F fund

raising, one of the fund-raising firms that came to Marshall Junior High several years before when he was an administrator.

"In my first year, a Cub Scout pack had its highest sales figure," Hawley said. "In another, P.D. Graham Elementary School in Westland raised about \$54,000."

In that benefit, 16 youngsters each had \$500 or more in sales, winning a color TV set or an entertainment center.

Another big benefit was the one held by the Marshall band in which eight won major prizes, Hawley said.

IN GARDEN City, Hawley helped organize a Santa Shop at Henry Ruff Elementary School.

That effort generated other side benefits for Hawley. He resumed contacts with some of his former colleagues, such as Gerald Gould and Phil Jameson, former school administrators now in the classroom.

He also returned to two of his former schools, Stottlemeyer and Marshall, for benefits.

In handling the fund-raisers, Hawley stresses to students that the first three letters in "fund" spell out "f-u-n."

Helping Hawley as a part-time assistant is another familiar school name — Marlene Wenner, former long-time Wayne-Westland school district secretary.

One thing that most parents and students remember about Hawley's days as a principal was his use of a movie camera for school projects —

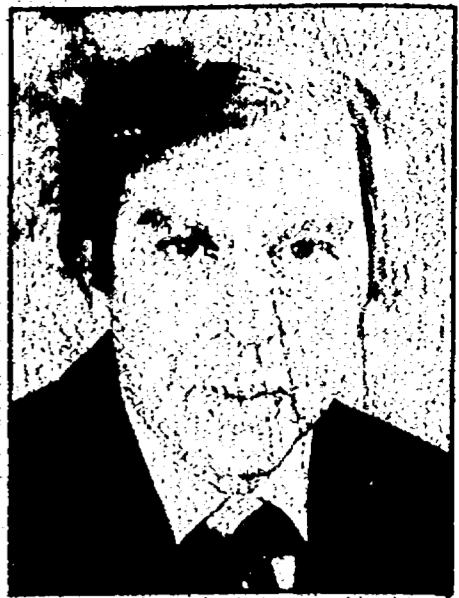
a forerunner of today's video camera.

HE NOW uses video cameras to tape his school presentations so he can evaluate them.

Tips he uses for the presentations are "keep it short and give out instant prizes" to get and keep kids' attention.

"Sometimes, I give out \$1 bills."

"My job is to make those kids happy," Hawley said, smiling — and he doesn't have any discipline problems to handle.



Jamieson Hawley returns to schools



Seniors enjoy Valentine's together

265 attend dinner-dance



At right, Frank and Fremar McRoberts enjoy a dance at the Dyer Senior Center. Above, toasting their valentine holiday are Clifford and Amella Slade.

An estimated 265 seniors enjoyed a Valentine dinner and dancing Wednesday afternoon at the Dyer Seniors Center.

The annual event concluded with the crowning of kings and queens from the Tuesday and Wednesday Senior Clubs, sponsored by the Wayne-Westland school district.

Representing the Tuesday club were royalty Virginia Laremore and Frank Pontone. King and queen of the Wednesday club were Ed Boron and Emily Kolesnik.

The Avalons band provided for the dancers while Jim Buckingham sang love songs for the audience.

About 15 to 20 persons who had birthdays in February were also honored at the event, said a Dyer Center spokeswoman.

The oldest person received a floral bouquet while the others each took home a flower and cupcake.

photos by ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Centers told to manage change

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mentioned that teachers had to get used to having adults in some of the daytime classes, as a result of the retraining program.

But, he said, "They rallied to the challenge and did very well with the change."

Also attending the event were Wayne-Westland school board president Andrew Spisak and district Superintendent Dennis O'Neill.

Suit weighed for 2 expelled

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suit has yet been filed. The boys are now attending classes at the Westland Attention Center, a program administered by the state Department of Social Services for wards of the state.

THE INCIDENT which led to the expulsion was the first involving a

handgun in the district, according to school officials.

Tyson had brought an unloaded .22-caliber handgun to school, and Theodius had kept the gun and two bullets in his locker.

The two boys were suspended from classes April 28.

The boys' educational environment is a big concern, Francis said. "This (the Attention Center) just isn't

really appropriate for these two kids," she said.

The parents of the boys tried but were unable to enroll them in another school district last fall, according to Francis.

Richard McHugh, a second attorney involved in the case, and Ruth Zwelfer, a representative from the Ann Arbor-based Student Advocacy Center, made appeals to the state board Dec. 13.

The center is a private, non-profit, organization which works to assure equity and excellence for all Michi-

gan public school students. It became involved in the case as part of its effort to promote outreach programs for expelled students under 16.

The board sent Zwelfer a letter last month indicating that it felt Tyson and Theodius were receiving an adequate education, according to Eugene Cain, state assistant superintendent for communications.

Cain said the state board will hear a presentation this week on the need for continued education for expelled public school students in Michigan.

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Dads, daughters delight in dance



Bob Allen pins a corsage on the dress of daughter Melissa, 8, while her sister, Sarah, 10, looks on.

IT WAS a big night for hundreds of Westland fathers and their daughters Wednesday and Friday nights. A record 127 people attended the Wednesday daddy-daughter dance, with at least 105 registered for Friday, said MaryBeth Jones, a recreation department supervisor who

coordinated the events. It was the first time that the department needed two nights for the valentine event, she said. Jones felt the increase in attendance was due to the improved publicity, which included fliers with a message inside a heart and printed in valentine red distributed

throughout all local schools. The youngest girl at the Wednesday night dance was Stacy Abraham, only 1 month old. One dad brought his three daughters while an uncle came with five nieces, Jones said. Square dance caller was Michael Brennan.



Calling it a night are Rick Walakonis and daughter Lisa, 8.



Stacey Abraham, 19 months, was the youngest daughter at the dance. She and dad Joe Abraham registered at the event, which was held in the Bailey Center.

Schools get \$160,000 for 9.2-acre land sale

By **Tedd Schneider**
staff writer

The Wayne-Westland Community Schools district will add \$160,000 to its coffers after selling 9.2 acres it has been acquiring in segments for more than two decades. The school board Monday unanimously approved an offer to purchase the land made by the Bell Construction Co. The developer plans to build a subdivision of 38-40 single-family homes. The vacant parcel is on the north side of Cherry Hill, east of Newburgh. It is adjacent to an apartment complex and other single-family homes. A competing developer, Arbor Farms Development, offered \$20,000 more for the parcel, but dis-

trict officials recommended the Bell bid based on its terms. Bell also will put up a non-refundable, \$35,000 deposit. "Based on the substantial deposit and the fact that the company has completed several past projects in the district we feel they would be in a better position to complete the deal," said Tom Svilkovich, associate superintendent for communications and finance. **THE TERMS** of the deal provide for a 21-day period in which to close the sale. The rejected offer from Arbor Farms included a 90-day closing period. Also, the sale would have been contingent on the developers receiving a zoning change from the city to permit construction.

Bell Construction would forfeit its deposit if it fails to obtain the zoning change. Money from the sale will be added to the district's surplus fund balance, now at about \$3.5 million, down nearly \$1.5 million from 18 months ago. Svilkovich said the land had been acquired by the district "in bits and pieces going back to the 1960s." Some lots were purchased outright by the district, some were purchased through tax forfeiture sales and some lots were donated, Svilkovich said. The final two parcels were transferred from the city to the district earlier this month. "We're sure the city will be glad to see the entire parcel back on the tax rolls," said Andrew Spisak, school board president.

cop calls

A DAIRY MART party store employee reported that an unarmed man robbed the store of \$48 in cash early Wednesday morning. The clerk at the store, 32915 Warren Road, told police that a white man, 5 feet 5 and thin, demanded that she "give me all your money. This is a holdup," he said. At first the clerk thought the man was joking. A moment later, the bandit said he "meant business" and grabbed \$48 from the cash register. The clerk said the man fled on foot toward a nearby apartment complex. **A CLARK** gas station at 542 N. Wayne Road was broken into early Thursday morning, with someone stealing 46 cartons of cigarettes. A station employee said quantities of anti-freeze and windshield washer fluid may have also been stolen. **A WOMAN** in the city's southeast corner received a surprise and some injuries when she returned home early Wednesday morning. She told police she found her boyfriend in the home with her girlfriend. An argument quickly ensued, with the man punching her several times in the face and knocking her down, hurting her back. Officers said the woman was taken to Westland Medical Center.

3 Stevenson juniors win in essay contest

Three Stevenson Junior High School students have been named local winners in the 20th annual America & Me Essay Contest. Melissa Thompson was named a first-place winner. Melissa's essay will be judged at the state competition this spring, from which the top 10 essays in Michigan will be selected. Kelly Hamrick and Erin Crilley were named second and third-place winners, respectively.

All three Stevenson students were awarded certificates for their achievement. Melissa's name will be engraved on a plaque for permanent display in the school. The annual contest, sponsored by the Farm Bureau Insurance Group, drew several thousand entries from eighth graders from 500 schools in Michigan. The topic for this year's contest was "My Dream for America and How I Will Help Make It Come True."

campus news

NINE WESTLAND residents were awarded degrees during winter commencement ceremonies at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Receiving master's degrees were George Chow (engineering), Hollis Bertram (social work), Lorraine Carless (social work) and Diane Kobylarz-Singer (public health). Receiving bachelor's degrees were Brian Dzlazko, Lowell Hildreth, Sandra Marchywka, Guy Mattias and Daniel Wickert. **TWO WESTLAND** residents were named to the dean's list at Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo. Russell Facione and Joelle Nault were cited for earning

grade point averages of 3.5 or better during the fall semester. **CYNTHIA** Hartsaw of Westland is the recipient of an Achievement Award from Madonna College's division of business and computer systems. Hartsaw was cited for earning the highest GPA of any full-time student in her computer systems major. **FOUR WESTLAND** students have been named to the dean's honor roll at Lawrence Technological University in Southfield. Cited for earning grade point averages of 3.5 or better during the fall term were Daniel Parker, Raymond Peterson, Kevin Riley and David Walligora.

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TAX SERVICE

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MORE TAX SERVICE

Through April 13 — Free income tax service will be offered to low-income seniors Tuesdays and Wednesdays 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Maplewood Center, on Maplewood west of Merriman, Garden City. For appointments, call 525-8648.

FISH FRIES

Fridays through March 24 — St. Raphael Catholic Church, Merriman north of Ford, will hold fish fry dinners 5-8 p.m. every Friday during Lent. Prices are \$3 for retirees, \$2.75 for children, and \$3.75 for adults. Hot dogs and fries will also be offered to children.

SOFTBALL LEAGUES

Wednesday, Feb. 22 — The Westland Summer Adult Softball Leagues will hold a managers meeting at the Melvin G. Bailey Recreation Center, 36651 Ford, Westland. Anyone interested in participating in this summer's league should attend this meeting. For more information, call 722-7620.

DEPRESSION

Wednesday, Feb. 22 — A program on recognizing and coping with depression will be sponsored by Westland Friendship Center and Saint Theodore's Over 50 Club at 11:15 a.m. in St. Theodore Church activity hall, 8200 N. Wayne Road. Sandra Plumer will be guest speaker.

RADCLIFF OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, Feb. 23 — Schoolcraft College-Radcliff Center will hold an open house for its new infant-toddler center 6-8 p.m., 1751 Radcliff St., Garden City. The center is south of Ford and east of Wildwood.

LEGAL AID

Thursdays, Feb. 23, March 9, 23 — Legal aid assistance will be provided in the Senior Friendship Center, 1119

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.

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9-PIN NO-TAP

Friday, Feb. 24 — The Garden City Jaycees will hold a 9-pin no-tap bowling tournament 9:30 p.m. at Fiesta Lanes, Ford Road and Hix, Westland. Entry fee is \$10 per person. Cash prizes will be awarded to top bowlers. Proceeds will go to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association. For more information, call Steve or Tim at 721-3544.

VEGAS NIGHT

Saturday, Feb. 25 — St. Richard Ushers Club will sponsor a Vegas Night 7 p.m. to midnight in the church social hall, 55637 Cherry Hill Road, two blocks west of Wayne Road. All proceeds will be used for church renovation. Admission is \$3. Beer and food will be available.

MARTIAL ARTS

Sunday, Feb. 26 — The Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Garden City will sponsor a Martial Arts Benefit Demonstration 2-5 p.m. at Garden City Junior High School, 1851 Radcliff, south of Ford Road north of Marquette. There will be a special presentation of Hapkido and self-defense by Master Tim McHugh of McHugh's Tae Kwon Do. Proceeds will go to Big Star Lake Youth Camp for underprivileged children in Baldwin. Advance donation is \$3 for adults and 50 cents for children under 12, or \$3.50 for adults at the door. For more information, call

522-3722 or 427-6710 on Wednesdays 8-10 p.m.

ALUMNI

Monday, Feb. 27 — Bishop Borgess Alumni Association will hold its first meeting at 7 p.m. at Bishop Borgess Catholic High School, 11685 Appleton, Redford. For more information, call Candy at 255-1100.

CARD PARTY

Tuesday, Feb. 28 — The Garden City Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Post 7575, Garden City, will hold a card party at noon in the hall on Ford and Venoy. Admission is \$3 per person and includes lunch, raffle prizes, and door prizes.

DEPRESSION DISCUSSION

Thursday, March 2 — The Westland Friendship Center and Gadabouts Club will sponsor a program focusing on "recognizing and coping with depression" at 12:45 p.m. Sandra Plumer, who has a master's degree in social work and counseling sociology, will be the guest speaker.

BIG BAND EXPRESS

Saturday, March 4 — A dinner/dance will be held at the UAW Hall, Van Born Road, west of Middlebelt. Admission is \$25 per person and will include a full-course buffet dinner and open bar. Music will be provided by the "Big Band Express." Make checks payable to "the Big Band Express" and mail to Richard Cywinski, 3506 McKittrich, Dearborn 48122.

KITELINE

Wednesday, March 8 — Kiteline

group will meet 9:30-11 a.m. in the principal's conference room, Franklin High School, 31000 Joy Road, Livonia. Kiteline is a parent/principal group that meets to discuss questions and concerns. There are no officers or formal agenda. For more information, call 523-9308.

DIABETES SUPPORT

A "Diabetes Support Group" for diabetics and their families will meet 7-8 p.m. the first Wednesday of every month at the Garden City Hospital Health and Education Center, 6701 Harrison. The Diabetes Outpatient Education Department will sponsor this program.

SOFTBALL

The Wayne-Westland YMCA, 827 South Wayne Road, is taking registrations for spring T-ball and softball leagues. T-ball is open to boys and girls, ages 5 through 8. Softball is open to boys and girls ages 9-13. For more information, call 721-7044.

FOOT CARE

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CITY OF GARDEN CITY NOTICE OF HEARING

March 20, 1989

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Mayor and Council of Garden City will hold a Public Hearing on March 20, 1989, at 7:10 P.M., in the Council Chambers, at the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan.

On soliciting Public comments on the Site Plan request by Pietro Olivio, 13847 Joy Road, Dearborn Heights, Michigan, to construct two buildings on the East side of Middlebelt Road between Block and Maplewood, in a Planned Development District. The legal description is the E. 100 feet of the West 187 feet of Lot 21, Assessor's Folkers Little Farms Subdivision.

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On soliciting Public comments on the use of the 1989 CDBG funds.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING GARDEN CITY PLANNING COMMISSION

March 9, 1989

This letter shall serve as your formal and official notification of a Public Hearing on March 9, 1989, at 7:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers of the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan.

On soliciting Public comments on amendments as it relates to the Restaurant Ordinance.
On soliciting Public comments on the Site Plan request by Pietro Olivio, 13847 Joy Road, Dearborn Heights, Michigan, to construct two buildings on the East side of Middlebelt Road between Block and Maplewood, in a Planned Development District. The legal description is the E. 260 feet of the West 187 feet of Lot 21, Assessor's Folkers Little Farms Subdivision.

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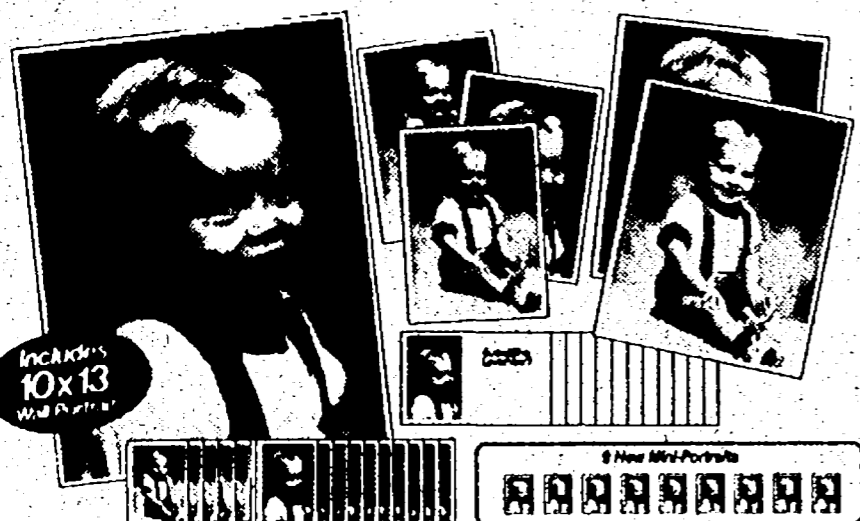
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U presidents: Inflation-plus bucks needed

By Tim Richard
Staff writer

Despite the public's anti-tax sentiment, state university presidents say Lansing needs to hike their appropriations 3-3.5 percent faster than the level of inflation.

Their goal is to restore universities' losses of the 1979-83 recession. "We're fairly pleased with the priority Gov. Blanchard gave higher education in his proposed 1990 budget," said Joseph E. Champagne, president of Oakland University.

"There were rumors we might get a negative appropriation. Many of us made budget cuts in preparation.

But he proposed an increase of 4.8 percent — a little over 3 percent for operations and 1.8 for capital."



'We're fairly pleased with the priority Gov. Blanchard gave higher education in his proposed 1990 budget.'

—Joseph E. Champagne, president OU



'I do not believe costs are out of line.'

— James Duderstadt, president, U-M



Business needs to appreciate 'the pursuit of science, not just the pursuit of technology.'

— John DiBiaggio, president, MSU

CHAMPAGNE WAS interviewed after presiding last week at the Economic Club of Detroit's annual panel of three university presidents.

Everyone's theme was the same: Michigan needs to increase its "investment" in state universities not just at the rate of inflation, but several percentage points higher.

"The Presidents Council proposed that, to achieve a rating of 15th in the nation (in terms of state appropriations per student), it would take inflation plus 3.5 percent more a year for five years," Champagne said. "It would start this year with 5.5 percent and then inflation plus 3.5 percent in the future.

"We're quite pleased he came out at 4.8 percent for the first year. He couldn't give all of it, but he certainly seemed to respond."

AREND LUBBERS, for 20 years president of Grand Valley State University, told the business audience that the buying power of universities is actually down 4.5 percent in the last decade.

"Currently we rank 31st among

the states in appropriations for public universities as a percent of tax revenue.

"And we rank 26th per student enrolled in public institutions of higher education.

"This is not where Michigan used to be," said Lubbers, who announced the goal of raising Michigan to 15th in five years.

ONE AUDIENCE questioner challenged the notion that university costs had to rise faster than the rate of consumer price inflation.

But University of Michigan presi-

dent James Duderstadt said, "I do not believe costs are out of line." He said higher education costs have increased at the same rate as personal income in the United States — a rate that would include consumer price inflation plus improved productivity.

Michigan State University President John DiBiaggio added, "There was a time when class assignments were heavier."

But he said universities ask more of faculty today — research ... public service ... knowledge ... exploded. The average faculty mem-

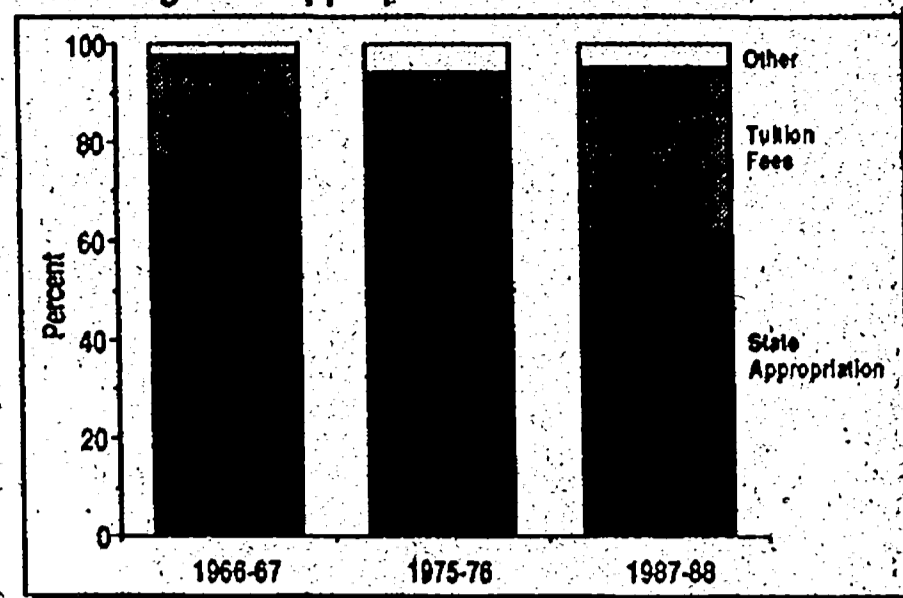
ber puts in 55-60 hours a week in teaching, preparation, grading papers, public service and research."

DUDERSTADT HIT hardest at public attitudes, saying the enemy is "in the mirror."

"Who's to blame? ... Our own personal priorities ... not our elected public officials," he said, citing their "Herculean efforts" to be the "education governor, the education party or the education president."

But the former engineering professor who has been at U-M's helm since mid-1988 said public officials

Declining state appropriations



Blanchard's '90 budget

Here is what Gov. James J. Blanchard has recommended in state appropriations for public universities for the 1990 fiscal year beginning Oct. 1:

- All 15 higher education institutions — \$1.1 billion, up 3.6 percent.
- Oakland University — \$33 million, up 4.4 percent.

• University of Michigan-Deerborn — \$16 million, up 3.1 percent.

• U-M-Ann Arbor — \$241 million, up 3.9 percent.

• Michigan State University, \$243 million, up 3.4 percent.

• Wayne State University — \$166 million, up 3.1 percent.

face "formidable constraints: the voters' desire for less crime, more prisons, no cuts in national defense, no cuts in welfare and no more taxes.

"Numerous studies, commissioned by state government and people throughout the state, have suggested that Michigan is seriously underinvesting in its knowledge infrastructure by as much as 30-40 percent relative to other states," Duderstadt said.

But the U-M chief finds the public "paralyzed" in coming to grips with school finance reform.

DIBIAGGIO, a former dentist who has been at MSU's helm since 1985, said business needs to appreciate "the pursuit of science, not just the pursuit of technology."

He quoted former MSU President Walter Adams, an economist, as finding that one effect of a corporate leveraged buyout is that "research and development budgets soon get cut."

"That can be the policy of a given corporation needing instant infusion of technology, but it must not be public science policy."

WSU's Adamany: state budget good

Wayne State University president David Adamany said budget proposals of Gov. James Blanchard will strengthen research and improve Michigan's universities.

"Gov. Blanchard's 1990 budget once again gives a high priority to

higher education, and it will help Michigan to maintain one of the leading university systems in America.

"Some tuition increase will be required by all of our universities next year, but the governor's overall

budget proposal will help avoid tuition increases that are excessive," Adamany said.

He said special provisions in the budget would help research programs and campus physical facilities.

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Jail control not primary issue for area police

By Wayne Peal
staff writer

Area police say they don't care who runs the Wayne County Jail as long as there is enough jail space for the criminals they catch.

Within one month, the jail could be under new management. Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara was appointed jail receiver Thursday. McNamara will assume control of the jail March 16, unless an appeal by Sheriff Robert Ficano is upheld.

Wrangling over jail control, however, doesn't bother area police as much as lack of space at the county facility.

McNamara was appointed jail receiver in a ruling announced Thursday afternoon by Chief Wayne County Circuit Judge Richard Kaufman. In the 92-page ruling, Kaufman said McNamara's appointment would be the final step toward bringing the jail in compliance with provisions of a 1971 lawsuit filed by county inmates. (For details on the issue's long history, see related story.)

According to the judge, McNamara was chosen because he was familiar with the jail and already held review power over Ficano's jail budget.

"The appointment of Mr. McNamara will merge most of the fiscal and operational control of the jail," Kaufman wrote.

Because of those circumstances, Kaufman wrote, McNamara appeared more likely to force rapid improvements than would previously-appointed jail monitor Vincent Nathan. Nathan, a Toledo-based jail management expert, was the only other candidate considered for the post.

Though designed to answer why a monitor was appointed and why McNamara was chosen monitor, the Kaufman's ruling also heavily criticized Ficano.

"The sheriff's mismanagement or



Judge Richard Kaufman took county jail supervision from the sheriff Thursday and gave it to the county executive.



County executive Edward McNamara will assume control of the jail March 16 under Kaufman's order.



Sheriff Robert Ficano has vowed to fight the jail control ruling in the state appeals court.



Canton Public Safety Director John Santomauro said area police chiefs were more concerned with jail space than who was operating the jail.

Relations between Kaufman and Ficano were strained even before Thursday's ruling. The sheriff sought to have Kaufman and all other county judges removed from the case last year. At the time, he alleged comments Kaufman made in chambers showed the judge had decided to appoint a monitor without fully hearing evidence in the long-running court battle. The state appeals court subsequently denied that motion.

Kaufman later held Ficano in contempt, charging the sheriff was deliberately withholding information from court-appointed monitor Nathan. The judge, however, later withdrew the contempt citation. Ficano said his withdrawal proved his department had been fully cooperating with the jail monitor.

Ficano seeks an immediate stay of execution from the appeals court, blocking McNamara's appointment as receiver. "We want them to stop this action, then take time to review the case," he said.

In contrast, Kaufman and McNamara have enjoyed a more cordial relationship. Both men made a joint appearance at Observer-Newspress offices in Livonia last summer to drum up support for the county's new 1-mill jail tax. Voters approved the jail tax during the August primary.

The county is now in the process of building a new jail. Ficano said he was unsure whether Thursday's ruling would eliminate him from the jail-building process.

"We don't know what that effect would be," he said.

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lack of management, has prevented substantial compliance," Kaufman wrote.

"The sheriff has chosen what he considers to be good politics over good government," Kaufman continued. "The result has been substantial and continuous mismanagement of the jail."

The judge declined to take reporters' questions on the ruling.

A visibly angry Ficano promised he would "immediately" appeal the ruling.

"There is no mismanagement at the jail. He (Kaufman) has never set foot inside the jail," the sheriff said, addressing reporters inside the jail's

exercise room. "There is no precedent for this ruling."

Ficano pointed to new exercise equipment as one sign jail conditions had improved. The sheriff, who has led reporters on tours of the jail, also cited elimination of triple-bunking and new stainless steel toilet facilities as evidence inmates were receiving more humane treatment.

Other changes, the sheriff said, include a declining inmate suicide rate and improved mental health coun-

selling.

The judge, however, said both the old and new county jail buildings were "plagued by inadequate maintenance and poor sanitation". In addition, he said the old jail was poorly lighted and featured inadequate heat, ventilation and plumbing and was infested with cockroaches.

Mental health care continues to be inadequate, Kaufman ruled, with inmates requiring psychiatric counseling frequently locked in their cells

round the clock and denied visits from family members.

Kaufman also found fault with standard medical care provided inmates, as well as a far-reaching number of other items ranging from laundering of inmate uniforms and bedding to deficiencies in the way inmates are assigned to certain sections of the jail.

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Jail dispute weaves long history

The Wayne County Jail controversy weaved a long, troubled path through the county court system and is expected to now move on to the Michigan Court of Appeals.

The crux of the matter: the county court believes improvements ordered as far back as 1971 still haven't been made.

Chief Wayne County Circuit Judge Richard Kaufman included a history of the long-running controversy in Thursday's opinion on the jail. Here are the highlights:

- January 1971 — A class action suit was filed on behalf of six Wayne County Jail inmates alleging their civil rights were violated due to crowded and unsanitary conditions as well as inadequate medical care and absence of protection from attacks by fellow inmates.
- May 1971 — A three-judge panel ruled in favor of inmates and ordered the county to adopt a correction plan within 30 days.
- Aug. 4, 1971 — The Wayne

County Circuit Court appointed a jail monitor to supervise changes. Wayne County Commission, then the chief agency responsible for the jail budget, challenged its loss of control, but the original ruling was ultimately upheld by the Michigan Supreme Court in 1974.

- 1975-76 — Hearings on jail's suicide prevention plans concluded deputies lacked proper training and the jail lacked adequate mental health care staff and programs. The court blocked commissioners' attempt to eliminate 20 jail workers, including three directly related to providing remedies for past problems. Sheriff William Lucas was found in civil contempt as inadequate health care and personal hygiene among prisoners continued to be found at the jail.
- 1980 — Wayne County adopted a new charter, calling for an elected county CEO. Among the executive's duties: reviewing the jail budget.
- 1983 — Robert Ficano was ap-

pointed sheriff, elected one year later and re-elected in 1988.

- 1985 — The county opened a new jail in downtown Detroit in an attempt to ease overcrowding but Oct. 13, inmates filed another motion alleging jail abuses were continuing. Nov. 7, now-County Executive William Lucas claimed in a court filing the problems are caused by mismanagement on the part of his successor — Ficano.
- 1988 — Edward McNamara was elected Wayne County's second executive, replacing Lucas.
- April 9, 1987 — By now, the lawsuit had passed to Kaufman. He became the seventh county judge to hear the case. Kaufman issued a "final judgment" on jail, appointing Toledo-based jail expert Vincent Nathan jail monitor — over McNamara's objection.
- July 10, 1987 — In a preliminary report, Nathan found prisoners lacking adequate recreation. Weight machines, video games were subse-

quently provided.

- Oct. 5, 1987 — Kaufman issued remedial orders for the jail.
- Feb. 16, 1988 — Contempt charges were sought against both McNamara and Ficano by inmates who alleged they weren't moving to implement court-ordered remedies. The issue was subsequently resolved when all parties agreed to a timetable for improvements.
- March 1988 — Nathan's final report on jail found "widespread non-compliance" with Kaufman's April 1987 final judgment.
- Aug. 16, 1988 — Arguing he could do a better job than Ficano, McNamara filed to be appointed jail administrator.
- Sept. 1, 1988 — Inmates filed for a receiver. McNamara withdrew his motion 12 days later.
- Feb. 16, 1989 — Kaufman ruled in favor of inmates and appointed McNamara jail receiver. Ficano immediately announced he would appeal the ruling.

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Petitions must be returned to the secretary of the Schoolcraft Community College District, 18800 Haggerty Road, Room A-190, Livonia, by 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 25.

Sheriff vows appeal on jail's loss

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As receiver, McNamara will assume control for all jail operations, supervise all jail staff and exercise other jail duties currently carried

out by the sheriff. McNamara will receive one year to bring jail into compliance. He must provide Kaufman with quarterly progress reports.

The move doesn't eliminate the need for a sheriff, Kaufman ruled. "The appointment of a receiver would not 'remove' the sheriff from office (because) the jail is not the sheriff's sole function," the judge said.

In March 1990, Kaufman will review inmate conditions at the existing jail. At that time, he could return the jail system to Ficano's jurisdiction, retain McNamara as receiver

or appoint another receiver. Charging Ficano wasn't doing enough to improve jail conditions, attorneys representing jail inmates filed for a receiver on Sept. 1. McNamara had earlier filed to be appointed jail administrator but withdrew after the inmates' motion.

The executive continues to seek a county corrections department, assigned to his office, to operate the county jail system.

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BY LAURIE KIPP

A lot of readers wrote for more details on the "Fame & Fortune" instant game and weekly TV show. This column answers some of those questions.

Q. If my name, address and phone number don't fit on the TV entry ticket, can they be attached on a separate sheet of paper?

A. Do your best to fit them in the designated spaces on the ticket. But also print them clearly as a return address on the mailing envelope. These are kept to assure accuracy.

Q. If you can't make the taping or prefer not to appear, can someone else play for you?

A. Yes, you can designate a stand-in. This also is a choice for anyone with a physical disability that might make an appearance difficult.

Q. Once new contestants and home partners are drawn, are remaining entries held for later drawings?

A. No. Each drawing includes only the entries received in the preceding week.

Q. What are the odds of having your entry drawn?

A. The odds for scratching off a "TV entry" ticket are 1 in 50. The odds for being drawn as a contestant or home partner vary with the number of entries received each week. There were about 27,000 of these for the first drawing.

Q. How long will "Fame & Fortune" be sold?

A. Unlike previous instant games which lasted only eight or nine weeks, "Fame & Fortune" will remain on sale indefinitely.

Q. If the two parts of the ticket become separated, will sending in one half serve as an entry?

A. Only if it is the half showing the three TV symbols with your name, address and phone number clearly written on the back.

Q. Do contestants really ride in a limo?

A. On the morning of the taping, they are picked up at the Omni International Hotel by a VIP limousine. This is used for their travels throughout the day, including a visit to The Whitney restaurant for a special luncheon.

Q. How does the Lottery contact winners to give them instructions for being on the show?

A. Soon after the drawing, a Lottery representative calls the number printed on the entry until contact is made. An Express Mail package containing full details also is mailed on Friday evening to each new contestant.

For submitting the first question leading to this column, Joe Ventura of Redford Township is receiving 60 "Fame & Fortune" instant game tickets.

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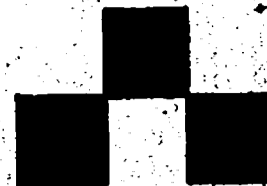
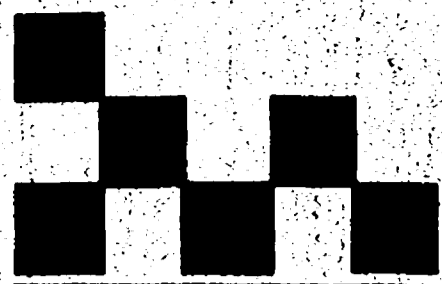
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Already, he dotes on oats

Pick up just about any journal of medicine or health-style magazine nowadays and you will undoubtedly notice much is being touted about the benefit of oats.

New cereals are "sprouting" (excuse the pun) weekly on supermarket shelves, telling the consumers these are toasted, crackled, puffed, flaked, and all really taste great.

Give me a break.
Oats are oats (and dole doats...)

There isn't much out there, barring the use of tons of sugar, honey and assorted nuts that will make me respect oats anymore.

As far as I'm concerned, oats as in oatmeal is one of those breakfasts you eat on a sub-zero morning when you finally realize you promised to take the kids tobogganing. In all fairness, I must admit that I use oats in other circumstances that really taste good. It's what I mix with them that makes them taste so good.

SUCH AS MY recipe for Corny Banana Oat Muffins. Include in that list meatloaf. (I love meatloaf, especially cold on a sandwich, and when you raid the fridge at 2 a.m. for a sandwich, isn't it great knowing you're eating something healthy?)

In 1980, more than three billion bushels of oats were produced in the world. That's a lot of oats. Oats belong to the grass family. They have a fibrous root and stalk that can grow from two to five feet. At the top of the stalk, there's something called a panicle which contains about 10 to 75 little things called groats (oat kernels).

Interestingly enough, almost 50 percent of the worldwide oat crop is used not for grain but for straw and/or pasture. Now if life wasn't confusing enough, were you aware there are more than six different types of oats? There are common oats, common wild oats, cultivated red oats, large naked oats (hullless), side oats and wild red oats. Remember this at your next trivia convention. Like wheat, common oats (those most produced in North America) are broadly classified into spring and winter types.

The oat kernel itself has a very fibrous hull, which is inedible to humans. The goal in milling oats is to remove the outer hull and any extraneous matter that might affect the flavor in processing. First, when milling, the oat kernels are cleaned, then they are dried and roasted. This process develops flavor, improves quality and facilitates the separation of the hull from the groat.

After roasting, they are cooled before the hulling procedure begins. The hulling machine separates the groat kernel from the hull. The groats, flour and unhulled oats are separated by air aspiration and screening. The choicest and plumpest groats are then used to make packaged rolled oats while the less choice groats make bulk or feed oats. All broken kernels are used for livestock feed.

AFTER THE HULLING process, the groats are then cut which produces uniform granules. After the cut, the granules are then flaked between large steel rollers to produce simple dried oatmeal.

I guess the main reason folks like oatmeal is that it is palatable, can be quite filling and is generally low in calories (it's the brown sugar and honey that make it a killer calorie-laden breakfast) with only about 150 calories per cup. Oats are also loaded with

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Comfortable eating

4 winners give soothing recipes

By Ethel Simmons
staff writer

COMFORT FOODS — those foods that remind you of warm childhood memories and/or soothe you when you're down — inspired a lot of readers of the Taste pages.

Nearly 100 recipes were submitted to our contest for readers' favorite comfort foods, after an article by Larry Janes appeared in Taste, describing his own choices in comfort foods.

The panel of judges decided that because of the great variety of recipes offered, a winner would be chosen in each of four categories: soup, main course, vegetable and dessert. The four winners will be awarded \$20 gift certificates to Kitchen Glamor.

You probably won't want to eat all these comfort foods at the same meal because, if you did, you might not feel too comfortable. But each recipe should tempt you when you, your family and friends need a little pampering. Comfort foods are especially good for these cold winter days when you might be suffering from the midwinter doldrums, otherwise known as the February blahs.

Entries came from the 12 readership areas of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. These were the recipes chosen for prizes: Italian Sausage Soup, from Rae Bruder of Redford; Mom's Meat Loaf, from Robin L. Womack of Farmington Hills; Scalloped Potatoes from Katherine M. Pokorny of Plymouth; and the Best Rice Pudding from Marian Bliznik of Farmington Hills.

ALTHOUGH THE readers' comments weren't taken into account in the judging, many of the writers seemed to take great pleasure in recalling early memories, or describing reasons they favor particular comfort foods.

One of the winners, Robin Womack, wrote, "After reading your article on comfort food, I thought of my mom's meat loaf. As a child it seemed as though we had it for dinner about every week. My sister Su-



JIM JAGDFELD/staff photographer

Rae Bruder of Redford with Italian Sausage Soup.

san and I sort of made it a family joke.

"When I married many moons ago, I swore to my husband I would never make meat loaf. But, a couple of years ago, with two little girls of my own now, I figured what the heck, I'll make some meat loaf for dinner.

"I was so tired of making all the 'latest' trendy foods. It was a hit. And it tasted so good. It brought back a lot of memories... Thank you, Mom!"

Reached by phone, Womack said of the meat loaf, "I had it quite often as a youngster growing up — that and tuna casserole." She hastened to add, "My mom's a good cook. She didn't always make meat loaf."

Womack herself is "a full-time mom." She said she used to teach home economics and that the family moved to the Farmington Hills area from Chicago 2½ years ago.

HUSBAND RICK is a district sales manager for Tektronix in Farmington Hills. Their children are Caroline, 6½, who attends Gill School, and Kelly, 2½, whom she takes to Mom and Tot class at Alameda children's center.

More than one reader submitted a recipe for rice pudding, but the judges and a tasting panel decided that Marian Bliznik's the Best Rice Pudding was indeed the best.

Bliznik wrote that her recipe "is soothing and reminds me of times past. It takes a little bit of nurturing to make — feels good going down and afterwards. Satisfying and comforting!"

Bliznik teaches third grade elementary school in Milford. Husband Richard is a real estate broker who owns a Century 21 office in downtown Farmington.

Informed she was a winner, Bliznik said by phone, "I love to cook. I cook a lot. I have a wonderful collection of cookbooks. It's a real creative outlet for me."

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Katherine M. Pokorny of Plymouth and daughter Vanessa, 5, with scalloped potatoes, one of the four recipes that was awarded a prize in the comfort foods contest.

ITALIAN SAUSAGE SOUP

- 1 1/2 pounds mild Italian sausage
- 2 cloves garlic
- 2 large onions, chopped
- 1 large can tomatoes
- 1 1/2 cups burgundy
- 1/2 teaspoon basil
- 3 tablespoons parsley
- 1 green pepper, chopped
- 2 or 3 small zucchini
- 5 cups beef broth
- 2 cups uncooked bow-tie or other wide noodles
- Parmesan cheese
- 2 teaspoons sugar

Slice sausage into 1/2 inch slices and cook. Pour off the fat. Add the onions and garlic and saute till wilted. Add tomatoes, wine broth, basil and parsley. Simmer uncovered for 30 minutes. Slice the zucchini into 1/4 inch slices. Add the zucchini and the rest of the ingredients and simmer covered for 30 minutes. Add 2 teaspoons sugar. Salt and pepper to taste. Sprinkle Parmesan cheese on each serving.
-Rae Bruder, Redford

MOM'S MEAT LOAF

- 1 1/2 pounds ground round
- 1/2 medium green pepper, chopped
- 1 medium potato skinned and cubed (small cubes)
- 1/4 medium yellow onion, diced
- 1 large egg
- 10 unsalted soda crackers (crumbled)
- 1/2 teaspoon salt (optional)
- 1 16 ounce can stewed tomatoes
- 1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper
- 8 ounces water

Pre-heat oven to 350 degrees. Work all ingredients together and shape into a loaf. Place loaf in a 9x12 inch covered casserole. Pour stewed tomatoes on top. Sprinkle ground pepper over the tomatoes. Pour the water around the loaf. Microwave on high for 8 minutes. Bake in conventional oven for 1 1/4 hours.
-Robin L. Womack, Farmington Hills

SCALLOPED POTATOES

- 8 medium potatoes
- 1 large onion
- 8 green onions
- 1 pint cream
- 8 ounces fresh Parmesan cheese
- 8 ounces Gouda cheese
- 12 ounces bacon
- 1/2 cup salted butter
- salt and pepper to taste

Chop the onion and the green onions. Grate the Parmesan and Gouda cheeses. Cut butter stick into thin pats. In oblong baking dish, layer potato slices, sprinkle with bacon onion, green onion, and grated cheeses. Place 6-8 butter pats and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Repeat for layers 2 and 3. Pour the cream over entire baking dish. Bake 1 hour.
-Katherine M. Pokorny, Plymouth

THE BEST RICE PUDDING

- 1 quart half and half
- 1 quart water
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 cup long grain rice
- 1/2 stick butter or margarine
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
- cinnamon
- 1/2 to 3/4 cup raisins

Mix the first 6 ingredients together in a 4 quart kettle. Bring to a boil, then simmer, stirring frequently for 40 minutes. Add raisins and remove from heat. Beat the 2 eggs with enough water to make 1 cup. Add to rice mixture and beat in quickly with a spoon. Add the vanilla. Return to the stove and bring to a boil. Refrigerate. Top with cinnamon before serving.
-Marian Bliznik, Farmington Hills



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Robin L. Womack (left) of Farmington Hills with Mom's Meat Loaf. Marian Bliznik of Farmington Hills with the Best Rice Pudding.

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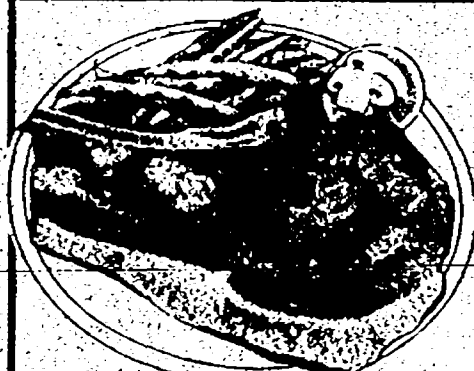
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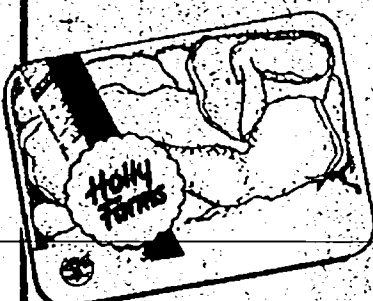
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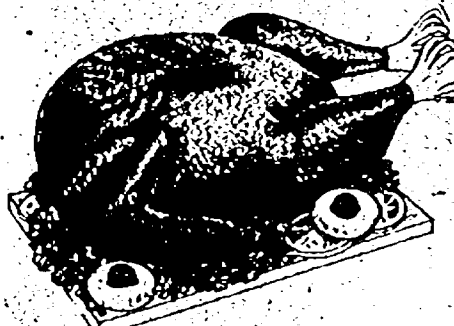
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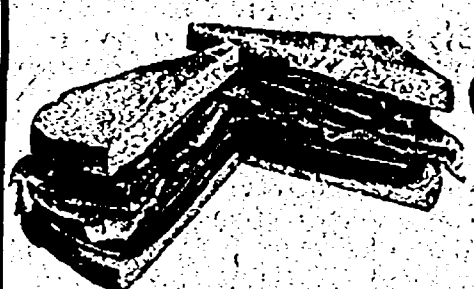
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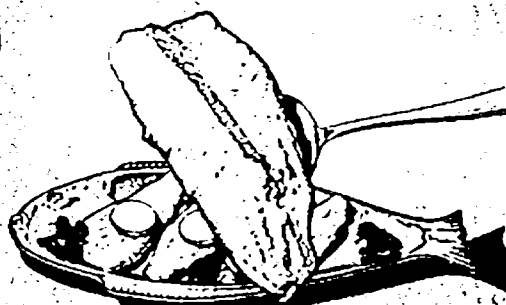
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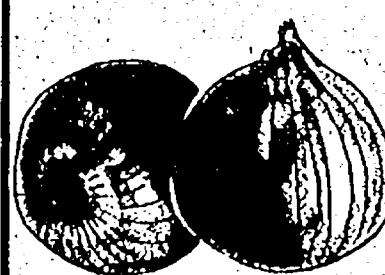
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She said she likes to entertain at theme parties and small dinner parties. Bliznik has taken a lot of cooking classes, at Kitchen Glamor, and at the Farmington Community Center where she studied Chinese cooking and ethnic cooking. "I had a paelia night with sangria," she said.

Bliznik got the rice pudding recipe from her mother "who got it on one of her travels. Bliznik passed the recipe on, and everyone that I've given the recipe to really likes it."

CHEF LARRY Janes, who made the recipe for the judges' sampling, said that he would cut the amount of water given in the recipe, because it was too soupy. However, Bliznik said hers never comes out soupy. "Maybe I cook it a little longer."

Katharine Pokorny wrote of her winning recipe for Scalloped Potatoes, "Talk about yummy — this one, in particular, will make even the gloomiest of days glisten. As you will note, I (and suggestions from a friend who spends equal time in the kitchen) took the basic scalloped potato ingredients, then added some of my favorite ones."

"I am certain your readers will get enjoyment from just a glance at the mouth-watering ingredients. Guaranteed to warm the soul."

She generously declared, "However, if my recipe isn't selected to be published in Taste, feel free to save for your own friends and family (tell

'It is a good hearty soup. People usually like soup when it's cold (outside).'

— Rae Bruder

them it's your own concoction)."

Pokorny, who is divorced, has a daughter Vanessa, 5, in kindergarten at Roosevelt Elementary School in Redford. She works full time as a secretary at Casco Products Corp., a sales office in Southfield.

"To me cooking is like therapy," she said on the phone. "It's real soothing and it's quiet. I'm real creative. I usually pull a recipe out and convert to something gourmet. I usually do desserts. Chocolate are my favorites. I also do cheesecakes and tortes."

"FOR MY BROTHER'S wedding in June, I did a dessert table. I took two days off work and just went to town in my kitchen. My dream is someday to open a bakery and make chocolate desserts."

Rae Bruder, who is a homemaker, let her recipe for Italian Sausage Soup speak for itself. Her husband, Albert, is retired from Fruehauf in downtown Detroit.

"My husband lost 63 pounds last spring," Bruder said. She explained he blamed his overweight on her

"He said, 'If you weren't such a good cook...'"

The couple enjoys camping trips, where they exchange recipes with friends. "Food is the bane of our existence," she said. "I like the goodie stuff. I've a sweet tooth."

Bruder said the sausage soup recipe was brought back by her mother, when she visited her sister in California. "Once I made it, that old recipe sure has traveled. I give my sister full credit. It is a good hearty soup. People usually like soup when it's cold (outside)."

Bruder and her husband belong to the Family Motor Coach Association, a motor home group that is international (the United States and Canada). The Michigan chapter put out a cookbook of quickie recipes for cooking on the road.

"I do things ahead of time that are simple," Bruder said. Recently, she baked ahead crescent rolls. She also mixed ahead, for cocktail time, a spread combining a cheese mixture and chopped raw vegetables. "It's called Veggie Wedgies. That was a success," she said.

Already, he dotes on oats

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thiamin and Vitamin E. And if that wasn't enough, the back of the old round box (that still makes a great rattle and drum for little kids) says that there are no additives, also it's high in fiber, low in sodium, has no cholesterol, is 100 percent natural with no sugar added and, last but not least, is considered a wholegrain.

Of course, all these benefits are questioned when you make a batch of Momma's homemade oatmeal cookies that contain sugar, eggs, salt and butter.

In all honesty, I love 'em. Sure, they're great as an occasional sweet treat when made into cookies, but when they're sneaked into meatloaf, most of you would never know the difference. These incredible Midwestern mornings and wind chills certainly deserve something as nurturing and nutritious as good old-fashioned oatmeal. Bon Appetit!

MOMMA'S OATMEAL COOKIES
 1 1/4 cups butter/margarine
 1 cup brown sugar
 1/2 cup sugar
 1 egg
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 1 1/2 cups flour
 1 teaspoon baking soda
 dash salt
 1 teaspoon cinnamon
 1/2 teaspoon fresh grated nutmeg
 1/2 teaspoon cardamom
 3 cups oatmeal (regular or quick)

Beat butter with both sugars until light and fluffy. Beat in egg and vanilla. Set aside. Beat together all the dry ingredients except the oats. Add to margarine mixture and mix well. Stir in oats. Drop by rounded tablespoonfuls on an ungreased cookie sheet and bake at 350 degrees for about 10 minutes. Store in a tightly covered container for a chewy cookie.

CORNY BANANA OAT MUFFINS
 4 medium ripe bananas, mashed
 1/2 cup vegetable oil
 1/2 cup honey

2 eggs
 1 cup oatmeal
 1 cup whole wheat flour
 1/2 cup cornmeal
 1/2 cup wheat germ
 dash salt
 1 teaspoon baking powder
 1 teaspoon baking soda
 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
 1/2 teaspoon fresh gried nutmeg
 Combine all ingredients and mix well. Pour into muffin cups and bake at 350 degrees for 30-35 minutes.

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2 pounds ground turkey
 1 cup tomato juice
 1 cup oatmeal
 2 eggs, beaten
 1/2 cup finely chopped onion
 salt and pepper to taste

Combine all ingredients and mix well. Press into a loaf pan and bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour. Allow to stand for 10 minutes or so before slicing.

Hearty muffins healthful

Here's a recipe from an article, "The Weekend House Party Survival Guide," in the February issue of Bon Appetit.

Using electric mixer, beat bran cereal mixture until thick. Beat in pear and jam.

POWER PEAR-OAT MUFFINS

Breakfast for the '80s: satisfying fruits and packed with whole grains, fruits and high-fiber yams. The muffins freeze beautifully. Serve with scrambled eggs. Have whole grain cereals, assorted fruit juice and fresh fruit on hand, too.
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3/4 cup whole wheat flour
 1/2 cup plus 2 tablespoons firmly packed dark brown sugar
 1/2 cup finely chopped pitted dates
 1/4 cup raisins
 1/4 cup rolled oats
 1/4 cup sunflower seeds (unsalted), toasted
 3 tablespoons oat bran (available at natural foods stores. Rolled oats can be substituted.)

3 tablespoons toasted wheat germ
 1 teaspoon baking soda
 1 teaspoon ground all spice
 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger
 1/2 cup shredded oil
 1/2 cup bran cereal (such as All-Bran)
 2 eggs
 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
 1 large pear, peeled, cored and finely chopped
 1 cup grated peeled yam or sweet potato (about 4 ounces)

first 13 ingredients in medium bowl. Combine oil, bran, cereal, eggs and vanilla in large bowl. Let stand until bran absorbs liquid, about 3 minutes. Using electric mixer, beat bran cereal mixture until thick. Beat in pear and yam. Fold in dry ingredients; do not overmix (batter will be thick and lumpy).

Divide batter among prepared muffin cups. Bake until tester inserted in centers comes out clean, about 25 minutes. Serve warm. (Can be prepared ahead. Cool completely on rack. Wrap tightly and refrigerate 3 days, or freezeup to 1 month. Rewarm in 350 degree oven.)

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Recipes for relaxing relationship Polenta offered with vegetables

Recently, I received the following letter in the mail:
 Dear Gundella,
 You keep giving out recipes to seduce men, and put them into a romantic or sexy mood. I don't need any aphrodisiacs. I don't have any trouble getting all the lovemaking I want.
 What I need is something to make him spend time with me doing other things, like just watching TV together, or playing Scrabble, or working a jigsaw puzzle.
 I want a little friendship, and a relaxed relationship when we aren't making love.
 How about some recipes to make him comfortable, and content just to hang around when there's nothing exciting going on? Do you have any of these?



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Gundella

Well, dear reader, it just so happens that I do.
 Don't ask me why, but desserts made with breakfast cereals will do the trick.
 Here are several recipes for cookies, cakes and pies using both hot and cold cereals.
 The Cream of Wheat cake, the oatmeal cake and the apple crisp pie are my favorites. They really work.
 Caution to mothers: These are great to feed your children and teenagers, and to keep them happy at home. But don't serve them any after they are 18 years of age, or they will never leave and get out on their own.

OATMEAL CAKE
 1/2 cup boiling water
 1/2 cup brown sugar
 1/4 cup shortening (I use butter-flavored Crisco)
 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
 1/4 teaspoon allspice
 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
 1 teaspoon baking soda
 2 teaspoons vanilla
 1 cup quick Quaker oats
 1 cup white sugar
 2 eggs
 1/2 cup flour
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1/4 cup raisins

Pour boiling water over the oatmeal, and let it stand one-half hour. Add brown sugar, white sugar, shortening, eggs, spices and vanilla. Cream together well. Do this by hand. Do not use an electric beater.
 Add soda, salt, flour and raisins, and mix together well. Do not use beater.
 Pour into a 9-by-13-inch pan that has been greased and dusted with flour. Bake at 350 degrees for 30-40 minutes, or until done.

Frosting
 (I think this cake is great without frosting, but if you want to frost it, use this recipe.)
 1 cup brown sugar
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 1 1/2 to 2 cups powdered sugar
 1/4 cup milk
 2 tablespoons solid shortening

Boil milk and brown sugar together until syrupy. Cool thoroughly, and add vanilla and shortening. Stir in powdered sugar until spreading consistency. Spread on cake after it has cooled.

FLAKE-NUT COOKIES
 1/4 cup shortening
 1 egg
 3/4 cup flour
 1/4 teaspoon salt
 2 cups Wheaties, corn flakes or other flaked cereal
 1/2 cup brown sugar
 2 teaspoon vanilla
 3/4 teaspoon baking powder
 1/2 cup coarsely chopped nut meats

Mix ingredients together in order, and drop by spoonfuls on a lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for approximately 10 minutes.

BREAKFAST COOKIES
 (This recipe makes approximately 100 cookies)

1 cup sugar
 1 cup solid shortening
 1 egg
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 1 teaspoon salt
 1 1/2 cup nut meats
 1 cup Rice Krispies, corn flakes or other crisp cereal
 1 cup chopped dates or raisins (optional)
 1 cup brown sugar
 1 cup vegetable oil
 1 teaspoon baking soda
 1 teaspoon cream of tartar
 3 1/2 cup flour
 1 cup coconut (flaked or shredded)
 1 cup quick oatmeal (uncooked)

Blend sugar, shortening, oil and egg. Beat well. Add remaining ingredients. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake at 350 degrees for 10-15 minutes.

CREAM OF WHEAT CAKE
 (This cake contains no shortening and no flour)

1 cup Cream of Wheat
 1/2 cup sugar
 2 teaspoon vanilla
 4 cups milk
 4 eggs
 bread crumbs

Cook Cream of Wheat and milk together until well thickened (approximately 20 minutes). Add sugar. Beat eggs, and add them to the Cream of Wheat mixture, blending well. Add vanilla.

Grease a cake pan (9-by-13), and line it with fresh, soft bread crumbs. I use about two slices of white bread, and crumb them in the blender.
 Bake at 350 degrees until a knife inserted in the center comes out clean. Cool and cut into squares. This cake may be eaten as is, or served with a hot or cold applesauce or lemon topping.

APPLE CRISP PIE

1 unbaked bottom pie crust
 2 tablespoons lemon juice
 1 teaspoon cinnamon
 1/4 teaspoon ground cardamom (optional)
 sliced apples (enough to fill the pie shell)
 1/2 cup white sugar
 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
 2 tablespoon flour

Toss apples with lemon juice, sugar, flour and spices until all slices are lightly coated. Place in unbaked pie shell, and cover with topping mixture.

TOPPING FOR APPLE PIE CRISP

1/2 cup quick oats
 1/2 cup flour
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 1/4 cup brown sugar
 1 teaspoon cinnamon
 1/2 cup butter, margarine or butter-flavored shortening

Combine dry ingredients, cut in butter, margarine or shortening, and add vanilla. Sprinkle this mixture over the apples, and bake the pie in a 350-degree oven 45 minutes, or until done. Serve hot or cold, with ice cream or milk.

If you have any questions about these, or any other recipes, call Gundella direct at 427-1072 or write her at Box 434, Garden City 48135.

This recipe is from an article "A Cross-Country Skiing Weekend" in the February issue of Gourmet magazine.

CREAMY POLENTA WITH GRILLED VEGETABLES

4 cups chicken broth
 3/4 teaspoon salt
 1 cup yellow cornmeal
 3 tablespoons unsalted butter, cut into pieces
 1/2 cup freshly grated Parmesan
 12 baby carrots, blanched for 2 minutes, drained, and patted dry
 12 baby eggplants, halved lengthwise
 18 scallions, trimmed
 olive oil for brushing the vegetables and the grill pan

In a large heavy saucepan bring the broth and 2 cups water to a boil, add the salt and the cornmeal in a

slow stream, whisking constantly, and cook the mixture over moderately low heat, whisking constantly, for 15 minutes. Stir in the butter, the Parmesan and salt and pepper to taste and, if necessary, whisk in enough water to thin the polenta so that it will just fall from a spoon in a continuous stream.
 Keep the polenta warm, its surface covered with a round of wax paper. Brush the carrots, the eggplants, and the scallions with the oil and season the vegetables with salt and pepper. Heat a well-seasoned large, ridged grill pan or cast-iron skillet over moderately high heat, brush it with the oil, and in it grill the vegetables, covered, in batches for 5 to 7 minutes, or until they are crisp-tender, transferring them as they are grilled to a plate. Divide the polenta among 6 plates and arrange the vegetables on top of it. Serves 6.

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Bus ridership up in suburbs

More people are riding commuter buses since SEMTA became SMART.

Average weekday bus ridership increased 4.4 percent and weekend ridership a combined 14 percent over the same period one year ago, according to figures recently released by the Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation.

SMART, serving Wayne, Oakland and Macomb Counties, replaced the former Southeast Michigan Transportation Authority last month.

The highest gains were reported in Oakland County, with Wayne County second. Routes to Northland and Oakland Mall set monthly records for the number of passengers served.

"Weekend service climbed partially because of favorable weather, which made our service to shopping malls very popular," SMART General Manager Albert Martin said. "Also, in the past year, we have continued to shift our service to better meet rider's needs, particularly in the suburbs where employment has increased."

Music club plays benefit concert

The Schoolcraft College Music Club will present "An Evening of Light Classics" 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 24, in Livonia City Hall.

The concert is the music club's second annual fund-raiser.

Featured performers are scheduled to include marimba player Laurence Kaptain, coronet player Jean Moorhead and pianist Michele Cooker.

Kaptain has appeared in concert with orchestras and symphonic organizations throughout the world. He is a member of the music faculty at Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, Texas.

Moorehead, a faculty member at the Oberlin (Ohio) Conservatory of Music, has been principal trumpet with the Singapore Symphony Orchestra.

Cooker has performed at chamber music concerts through the country. She is a faculty member at the Institute of Music and Dance, Detroit.

General admission is \$8. Admission is \$4 for seniors and children. The Livonia City Hall auditorium is at 33000 Civic Center Drive, northeast of the Five Mile/Farmington intersection. Additional information is available by calling 462-4400, Ext. 5045.

Canton woman joins SC nursing staff

Deborah Vendittelli, a Canton Township resident, has joined the nursing staff at Schoolcraft College, Livonia.

Vendittelli holds a master's degree in critical care nursing and administration from the University of Texas and a bachelor's degree in

nursing from Lake Superior State College.

She has been an instructor of nursing and emergency medical technicians at Madonna College and Lake Superior State.

Vendittelli has also been nurse manager of the Sinai Hospital emer-

gency room, head nurse of the emergency center, endoscopy and intravenous therapy departments of Memorial Northwest Hospital, Houston, nursing outreach program director, M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute, Houston and charge nurse of the general surgical unit St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor.

S'craft foundation awards grants.

Schoolcraft College's biology, electronic and robotic, purchasing and plant departments and Radcliff and Women's Resource centers will all benefit from recently announced Schoolcraft College Foundation grants.

Foundation trustees recently awarded nearly \$35,000 in grants to college programs.

The biology department will receive a microvideo system to allow microscopic images to be displayed before large groups of students.

The Radcliff center community room is scheduled to receive a lectern with built-in amplifiers.

Electronic laboratory equipment will be given to the college's electronic and robotic department.

Tuition grants will be awarded to Women's Resource Center volunteers.

The career planning and placement center will receive a portable VCR unit.

The purchasing and physical plant departments will receive information boards to provide information to students and the general public.

Workshop focuses on aging parents

Coping with aging parents is the focus of a workshop program sponsored by Adult Well-Being Services, Detroit.

Six two-hour workshop sessions will be held 10 a.m. to noon Mondays, beginning March 6, in Crowell Recreation Center, 16630 Lahser,

Detroit.

Workshops are designed to help adults cope with guilt, anger and resentment prompted by their parents' growing physical and emotional needs. The sessions offer a supportive, non-judgmental environment to discuss feelings and aging-related

topics.

A follow-up support group is also available. There is no participation fee, though agency workers said voluntary contributions would be appreciated.

AWB Services is a Torch Drive agency.

Applicants sought for S'craft scholarship

Applications are being accepted for the Maureen O'Callaghan Scholarship, a \$500 grant awarded through the Schoolcraft College Foundation.

The scholarship is awarded each year to a Schoolcraft student who

transfers to a four-year college or university. O'Callaghan, a Northville resident, is a community college graduate. She credits the community college experience with helping her prepare for future education and employment.

The application deadline is Saturday, April 1. Applications are available in the college financial aid office, counseling office, women's resource center and institutional advancement office. Additional information is available call 462-4417.

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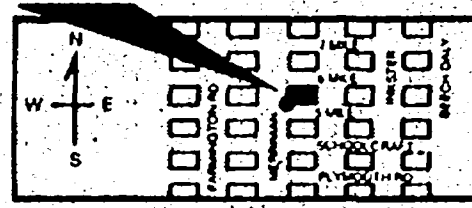
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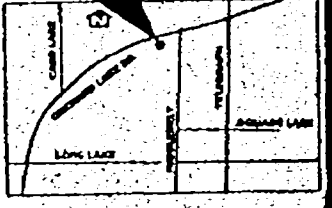
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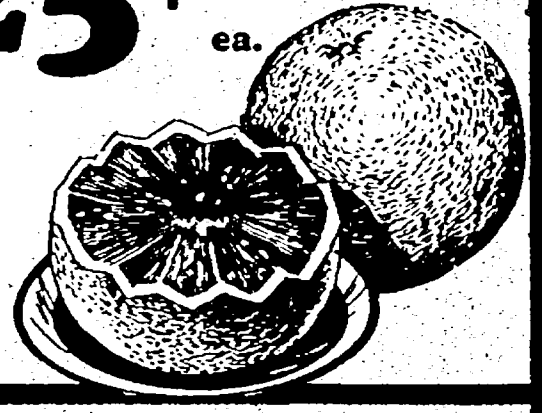


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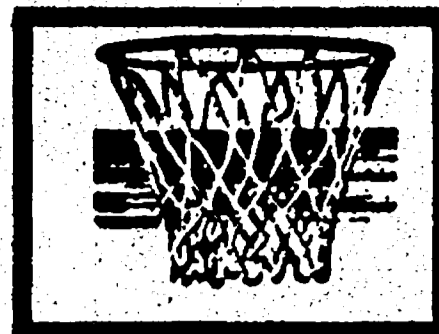
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CC sets date with Southwestern

By Brad Emons
staff writer

Bernie Holowicki wants to savor the moment as long as he can.

The Redford Catholic Central coach won his sixth Catholic League basketball title Sunday, as his Shamrocks downed Bishop Borgess of the A-B Division title Sunday at the University of Detroit's Callhan Hall, 65-56.

All five CC starters scored in double figures, led by senior center Ray Richards' 16 points.

But, now awaiting Holowicki and his 12-7 team is Detroit Public School League champion Detroit

Southwestern (17-1). The two teams will meet in Friday's Operation-Friendship final at 7 p.m. Borgess (11-8) will meet PSL runnerup Detroit Cooley (17-1) in first game of the doubleheader at 5 p.m. (Both games are at Callhan.)

"I'm trying not to think about it (the next game), I want to think about this one," said the CC coach. "But Southwestern is a really good defensive team. They go to the boards with six people. It's every man for himself. They (the PSL) are in another world. They're athletic and talented."

CC SHOWED some athleticism of its own, particularly in the third quarter when they outscored the

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—Bernie Holowicki
Catholic Central coach

Spartans 20-8 to take a commanding 48-31 lead.

Borgess then made a fourth-quarter run, cutting the deficit to six, 51-45, on a three-pointer by Shawn

Respert. (The junior guard led all scorers with 23 points.)

But the Shamrocks repelled the charge with six unanswered points to gain their first A-B crown since 1983.

"We stressed all week that we wanted to weather their challenge, because we knew at some point in the game they would do that," said Holowicki, who has never lost a Catholic League final. "Our four seniors played 'senior ball.' They played smart."

Senior point-guard Terry Boykin, who has come on of late, added 12 points, as did captain Scott Haunch-

er and Jeff Schaner. Sophomore forward Steve Whitlow contributed 11.

THE SPARTANS trailed by only five at the half, 28-23, but something was missing.

Forward Randy White, a 6-4 senior and the team's best defender, sat out the game with a possible fractured foot suffered a week earlier in a game against UD-Jesuit. (Rashawn Sumler, a 6-5 sophomore, started in his place, scoring six points.)

"I don't want to blame it on that (White's absence)," said Borgess coach Mike Resmer. "For the first three quarters I didn't think we had any organization on the floor. We were playing with five guards a lot

of the time and they just didn't mesh right.

"They (CC) looked big and intimidating inside. We made a good effort to get the ball into Rashawn and Carl (Woods), but we just couldn't do it."

Artie Brown, who got hot down the stretch, added 12 points for the Spartans. Charles North chipped in with 10, but was not quite himself with his long-range shooting.

"We're just happy to get here," Fusco said.

And as for Cooley?
"That's going to be a tough one," said the Borgess coach. "They were No. 1 in the state (Class A) for how long?"

Mistake by Hedwig gives Aggies crown

By C.J. Risak
staff writer

The game Redford St. Agatha had pointed toward all season was decided before the Aggies even set foot in Callhan Hall Sunday.

History will indicate that St. Agatha won its first-ever Catholic League C-D Division championship by a lopsided 60-23 margin over Detroit St. Hedwig. What won't be recorded was that the Knights had to play the game with a mostly junior varsity lineup of only five players.

The Aggies, who split two games with St. Hedwig during the regular season, were assured of victory when the Knights played a meaningless, non-league game against Detroit Caldwell Friday. They beat Caldwell, but in so doing violated a Michigan High School Athletic Association rule that limits schools to playing two games from Monday to Monday.

ST. HEDWIG coach Donald Didlake misinterpreted the rule, thinking it was from Sunday to Saturday. Sunday's championship game, combined with their win over Hamtramck St. Florian last Monday in the C-D semifinals and Friday's game against Caldwell, put the Knights over the limit.

"I felt terrible," said Didlake, who is also Hedwig's athletic director. Throughout the game he was under fire from St. Hedwig fans seated behind his bench. "All season they cheer you, and then they do that."

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The mistake certainly hurt the St. Hedwig players more than St. Agatha's. But there was no recourse; according to the MHSAA's Fred Sible, there would have been "long-term ramifications" if a waiver had been granted.

'I'm glad we won but not real happy about the whole thing. These kids deserve better.'

—Jim Murphy
Aggies coach

As for delaying the game for a day, that option was ruled out.

"We had a hard time keeping our kids up for Sunday, going a whole week without a game," said Aggies coach Jim Murphy. "They were bored to death in practice. Asking them to wait another day wouldn't have been fair to them. We followed the rules. Why should we be punished for their mistake?"

"I feel sorry for their coach. He must be feeling some pain. I really feel for them."

He wasn't the only one who felt terrible. "That's a helluva way to

win," said Murphy, whose team improved to 16-2. "I don't think (my players) are real happy. We won, but not the way we wanted to win. We were really looking forward to playing them."

"I don't even feel happy. I'm glad we won but not real happy about the whole thing. These kids deserve better."

TO LOOK at the Aggies after the game, it would be hard to tell they were the winners. "We practiced all week to play their varsity," said senior guard Matt Haran, who played almost two quarters, the most of any starter. "It's a shame it had to come to that, but rules are rules."

The Knights JV (only John Appling was on the varsity roster) was, not surprisingly, overmatched, even though Murphy substituted freely and used everybody on his bench. No one played more than two quarters and the Aggies did not press on defense. They made one-of-nine first-quarter shots and two-of-11 in the second. St. Agatha had a 13-2 lead after one and was up 30-10 at the half.

For the game, St. Hedwig made nine-of-44 shots (21 percent). St. Agatha was 25-of-60 (41.7 percent).

Ed Haran and Matt Haran led the Aggies with 12 points apiece. Keith Straughter's nine points topped St. Hedwig, which slipped to 15-5.

Murphy summed up the travesty by saying, "We'll never know who the real champion is."



RANDY BORST/staff photographer

Gateway to state

Erik Meyer of Redford Catholic Central finished eighth in the slalom event at the boys ski regional last week at Mount Brighton. Meyer has qualified for the state meet Monday, Feb. 27, at Nubs Knob near Harper

Springs along with teammate Jeff Turnas, who finished seventh in the giant slalom. CC finished third in the regional team standings behind first place Brighton and Milford Lakeland.

Lady Ocelots gain slice of league pie

The Schoolcraft College women's basketball team clinched first place in the Eastern Conference Wednesday, beating Flint Mott, 65-58 at home.

The Lady Ocelots (11-3 in the league, 22-3 overall) overcame a 23 percent first-half shooting and a 34-27 halftime deficit. Schoolcraft has been champion or co-champion of the Eastern Conference of the Michigan Community College Athletic Association five of the last six years.

"Because we had seven freshman, I'm very pleased the way it worked out," SC coach Jack Gre-

nan said. "This team has worked hard for six months."

Schoolcraft, which got a game-high 20 points from Barb Krug, shot 63 percent from the field in the second half. Four others scored in double figures for Schoolcraft, led by Lisa DePlanche's 15 points.

Michelle Dykinski had 14 points, nine rebounds and four assists, while Darlene Bazner scored 10 points and dished out five assists.

Krug, Dykinski and DePlanche combined for 32 of Schoolcraft's 38 second-half points.

Shannon Loesal led Mott with 16 points.

Madonna outshoots St. Mary's

By C.J. Risak
staff writer

It was about time. At least that's what Glen Donahue argued.

All about time. Madonna College's mens basketball team, which hosted Donahue's St. Mary's College team Thursday, had all sorts of clock problems, and that took the luster off a very big 101-94 win for the Fighting Crusaders.

"We lost the game ourselves, but we'd like to play a full 40-minute game," said Donahue, whose team dipped to 14-16. Madonna is 13-14 and was still alive in the race for an NAIA District 23 playoff berth.

Three times the clock malfunctioned during the game, and each incident sent Donahue rampaging. The first mishap occurred at the end of the first half, when the shot clock sounded when it shouldn't even have been on.

Then the clock operator apparently started the clock too soon with St. Mary's down 95-92 and 45 left. The game clock started before anyone in-



Madonna had touched the ball, wasting approximately a half-dozen seconds. The same thing happened again with :01 left.

CONFUSION REIGNED throughout the final 2:00, so much so that Madonna's Brian Daniel took just one of two free throws allotted him with :01 left. Too bad, because Daniel — and perhaps the timer — had been the difference in the game.

The 6-foot-2 senior forward was unstoppable in the pivot. He came off the bench to score 31 points and — more importantly — helped put three Eagles (Mike Moroney, James Lakes and Kevin Nicefeld) on the bench after fouling out trying to guard him. A fourth, Jerome Washburn, finished with four fouls.

"We're not playing well right now," conceded

Donahue, whose team (now 14-16) has lost six of its last seven games, all on the road. "Madonna played well because our defense let them play well. We did not play well on Daniel in the post."

St. Mary's, which trailed 48-40 at the half, rallied in the second half behind James Curtis. The 6-1 senior scored 12 points in a 26-8 run that took the Eagles from a 53-46 deficit with 17:14 left to a 72-61 lead seven minutes later. He finished with 24, 20 in the second half.

But it took the Crusaders just three minutes to even the score at 76, with Daniel netting 12 points in a 17-8 run. The game was close the rest of the way, until Madonna's 12-5 scoring spurt in the final 2:00.

"We wanted to beat them fair and square, not because the clock screwed up," said Madonna coach Bob Whitlow. "This kind of clouds the win."

Terrance Bell had 22 points, and Anthony Strickland and Shaun Hayward netted 21 each for Madonna, now 13-14 overall. Lakes led St. Mary's with 26. Washburn added 12.

Franklin pulls surprise in playoffs

By Brad Emons
staff writer

Livonia Stevenson had city rival Franklin's number until Thursday night when the Patriots pulled off a mild upset in the first round of the Western Lakes Activities Association basketball playoffs, winning 73-67 in overtime.

The Spartans were at home again after beating the Patriots only two days earlier in their own gym, 59-58.

But senior guard Roy Hall (29 points) keyed the Franklin victory with some clutch baskets down the stretch, including the final six at the end of regulation and six of eight in the overtime.

"Roy is one of our key players and one of our most experienced," said Franklin coach Rod Hanna, whose team will take an 11-7 record at home Tuesday against Lakes Division champ Plymouth Salem. "Good players shine in pressure time. Most every team has a guy like an (Jeff) Elliott from Salem."

Hall's three-pointer with only 1:20 left tied the game at 65-all.

The Patriots then forced a Stevenson turnover with 1:02 left and played for the last shot, but failed to convert.

THE PATRIOTS got rolling in OT when Hall stole the ball and fed Craig Overalls (14 points), who was fouled going to the basket.

The junior guard converted a pair of free throws and Hall scored the next six, including four straight from the free throw line. Meanwhile, Stevenson managed only one basket in overtime by 6-8 junior Glenn Seeman.

Franklin's John Shea, a 6-2, 148-pound swingman, also contributed heavily to the win, scoring 11 points to go along with 10 rebounds and seven assists.

Forward Mark Donehue added eight points and 12 rebounds.

But it was free throw shooting that proved to be a decisive factor.

The Patriots made 23 of 30, while the Spartans were only 11 of 16.

"We had to get to the free throw line because on Tuesday we made only four of seven, but tonight we were able to penetrate and get the ball in," Hanna said. "And the other thing is that we stopped their transition game. Stevenson is well-trained to get out on the break and score some easy baskets. They're talented and they have some good athletes."

NOTHING CAME EASY for the Spartans on this night.

They trailed 35-25 at the half before rallying in the third quarter, outscoring the Patriots 24-15 as senior forward Chris Naselli got untracked, tallying 13 of his team-high 19 points.

The Spartans then took the lead with exactly five minutes to play, 57-55, on a basket by Scott Kosikowski (15 points), but they couldn't stand prosper, even with a three-point lead with 1:48 remaining after a hoop by Eric Schwedt (13 points).

Stevenson coach Jim McIntyre knew going it that it would be tough to beat the Patriots for a third time.

"It took us until halftime to get our kids to relax,"

said the Stevenson coach, whose team is 12-6 overall. "In the third quarter we came out relaxed and cut into that 10-point lead."

"I think the kids wanted to win as much as Tuesday, but you weigh this differently because it's do-or-die when you should just think of it as another ballgame."

McINTYRE CITED a couple of causes which led to his team's undoing.

"They (Franklin) went right through our first press," said the Stevenson coach. "We didn't press on Tuesday because we wanted to give them a different look. We had been successful with it (the press) against Salem and Farmington (both wins)."

"Our guard didn't rotate back on the defensive transition. And our guards were not taking the shots they normally take."

The playoffs, meanwhile, may have sparked the Patriots to a higher level of play. They have to be considered a Cinderella team.

"This is something to shoot for," Hanna said. "We've worked hard to be where we are."

Future holding new vision

What will bowling be like in the year 2000?

Imagine all of the possibilities that lie ahead with the high-technology era upon us! Perhaps a part of it already is here with the advent of the new Brunswick system. Even though there is only one unit in operation, there are plans to expand slowly into other markets.

The product is called BowlerVision, the wave of the future. You will have to go to Woodridge, Ill., to try it out, but it soon will be introduced to other sites around the country. The BowlerVision has a console with two videos, one for the game scoring and one to advise the bowlers of the speed of the ball, the angle at impact, and the ball's position at various spots down the lane.

It also will show the odds on making a spare based upon that bowler's average. This is to show the participant exactly what their ball is doing, and may indicate why they are not getting strikes more frequently.

It will give the bowler a chance to make adjustments based on precise information. These machines will work in conjunction with the new plastic coated lanes, another indication of things to come about in the 21st century.

The pins were flying and the scores soaring this past week at Woodland Lanes on Plymouth Road in Livonia. In the Friday night Strikers League, Ken Kubit led the way with a 254 game and 264 series and John Lalik had a 670 total. The Kings and Queens (Friday mixed) featured Mark Cumbo with 244-258-673, Ed Dobrick 625, Howard Clark, 620 and Walt Smith, 677.

In the West Chicago League, Kubit again performed well, rolling a 676 series. In the very active Bators Bar League action with 18 teams competing, 16 hot shooters were Don Deptula (258-648), Larry Hreben (246-669), Ed Winkowski (248), Jeep Newton (614), Ruddy Smith (604), Ed Dobrick (620), Mark Cumbo (610), Jeff Wolber (605) and Paul Pelachyk (241-810).

In the junior house league, Dave Myers rolled a 270 score with a series of 683. In the Delco Tuesday men's league, Ted Kowalski wound up 187 pins over average with a 658 series. In the Kings & Queens League, Howard Clark Sr. pitched a 288 game and 728 series. Lou Pirroello rolled a 269 game in the Family Four-some league. In the Saturday Youth League, 15-year-old Tom "Klyde" Hill registered a 653 series. Scores in the Men's Trio League: Joe Gumbis (268-716), Bobby Thompson (686), Ed Barnett (695), and Ery Watson (877). The Senior House League saw 35 different 600 series per-

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performances, led by Bob Adamczyk's 698 and Dave Myers' total of 691.

Some of the ladies were bowling well at Oak Lanes on Middlebelt Road, as shown by the 239 score from Jeri Toer and a 230 from the arm of Cindy Lang in the Monday night ladies league. Cindy has the season's high series with a 601.

At Mayflower Lanes in Redford Township, the Night Owls League, bowling on Wednesday nights, Cheryl Wolfe finished with a 210 game, her first 200 game ever. Anne Shields came through with a nice 192 game for the second high score of the night. Earlier in the day, the Swinging Seniors took to the lanes, and Wayne Wirick rolled a 616 series on games of 169, 201 and 246.

Merrit-Bowl in Livonia is well-known for the high scores and last week was no exception as Larry Haag turned in a 704 series and Chris Elliott rolled a 247 game in the Sav-Mor men's League Monday. In the Wednesday men's senior house, Ken Nikkila bowled a 223, 259, 299 for a 780 series, Randy Smith a 734; Gary Krause, 279; and Ron Fron, 278.

The K of C State Tournament is going strong at Cloverlanes in Livonia with a recent 299 game from the arm of Steve Gorham, of Ionia. His series was a nice 750. This tournament runs every Saturday and Sunday through April 2.

Westland Bowl on Wayne Road was the scene of some fine scores, including a 289 game from Dan Kingsbury in the Tuesday Night League. In the Westside Senior House League, Terry Tesars rolled a 278 game and 733, while Dave Kalszewski duplicated the scores. Some of the scores in the senior house league: Paul Myers, 288; Fred Page, 277; Dave Kowalszewski, 289; and Don Haase, Jr., 278.

In the Sunday Sleepers, a 300 game was rolled by Frank Briscoe, while Craig Mezegec scored 279 and Tony Cilia Jr., a 277. Steve Fedulchak came in with a 276 game while Mark Konopatchki turned a 723 series, Douglas Walls, 716, and Bobby Williams, 705. Westland Bowl will host the Coca Cola Open Team Tournament on Sunday, March 19 at 1:30 p.m. There are

still openings. First place is worth a \$1,500 team prize, and the entry fee is \$100 per team. Call Chuck or Gordy at 722-7500 for details.

Beech Lanes on Beech Daly near Five Mile Road has started up a new "Bumper Bowling" program for children ages 3-5. They bowl Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday afternoons. Last Wednesday, 4-year-old Tiffany Rose and 5-year-old Jeffy Plasencia each bowled 101 games, and this was the first outing ever for each. In the Regular Kid Stuff League, 9-year-old Chris Beal cranked out a 154 game. This league still has some openings, as does the Bumper Bowl program. For more information, call Beech Lanes at 531-3800 and ask for Valerie.

Tip of the week: The word this week is practice. If you are serious about improving your game, find a bowling center with some open bowling available for you and get in some meaningful practice. By meaningful, try different shots, experiment to see what works best for you, and also shoot at the spares that give you the most trouble. If you find something that seems to work well, repeat it over and over so it will become natural to do. When you practice, do not worry about your score, just try to improve the delivery and your scores will get better as a result.

Ladywood beats Mercy for Catholic League title

Livonia Ladywood will wear the Catholic League A-B Division volleyball crown for another year.

The Blazers (34-4) captured their second straight title Wednesday with a 16-14, 15-6 victory over Central Division rival Farmington Hills Mercy in the finals at Riverview Gabriel Richard High School.

The win qualifies the Blazers for the Operation-Friendship championship match at 7 tonight against Public School League champion Detroit Henry Ford. (The match will be played at Harper Woods Bishop Gallagher.)

With the score tied at 14-all in the first game against Mercy, Stacey Gjrard recorded a dink and spike to give Ladywood the victory.

In the second game, Dana Domanski served the first 11 points to give the Blazers a commanding lead before coasting home.

Sarah Adzima was Ladywood's top hitter with 13 kills. Domanski and Peggy Knittel combined for 13 digs,

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while Kari Domanski served three aces and had 22 assist kills in 45 sets. Sophomore Rebecca Willey added two solo blocks and four block assists.

"Our key was that we had a good amount of teamwork," said Ladywood coach Tom Teeters. "Our rotation is starting to settle in. The strength of this team is serving."

GARDEN CITY lost a four-game match Wednesday to Northwest Suburban League foe Dearborn Edsel Ford, 15-5, 15-10, 14-16, 15-11.

Despite the loss, the visiting Cougars boasted four girls with outstanding kill shot ratios including Tina Emory (50 percent), Tracy Thompson (45), Doreen Malone and Diane Allison (44 each).

Carolyn Shanks was the team's top server with five aces.

LIVONIA CLARENCEVILLE locked up second place in the Metro Conference Wednesday with a 15-10, 4-15, 15-12 triumph over visiting Harper Woods Lutheran East.

Clarenceville is 8-6 overall and 5-2 in the Metro. Mount Clemens Lutheran North leads the Metro at 6-1.

Joann Zebari served the final three points against East to gain the victory.

Angle Stevens was the team's most consistent server, while Tara Riedl added some timely sets.

Clarenceville returns to action Wednesday at home against Dearborn Heights Crestwood, followed by the Metro Conference journey on Saturday (site to be announced).

LIVONIA CHURCHILL remained unbeaten in Western Lakes action Wednesday with a 15-11, 15-7 Western Division victory over visiting Walled Lake Western.

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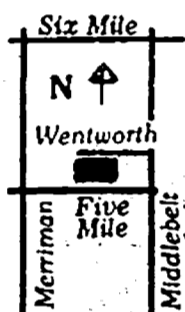
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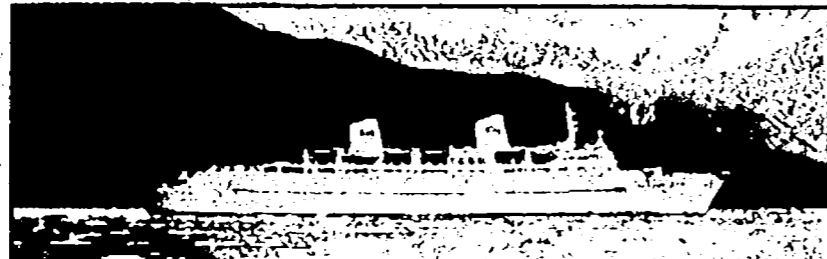
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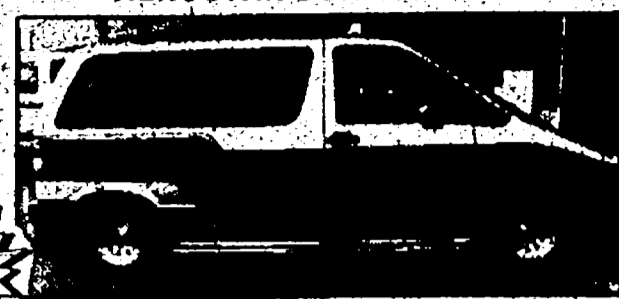
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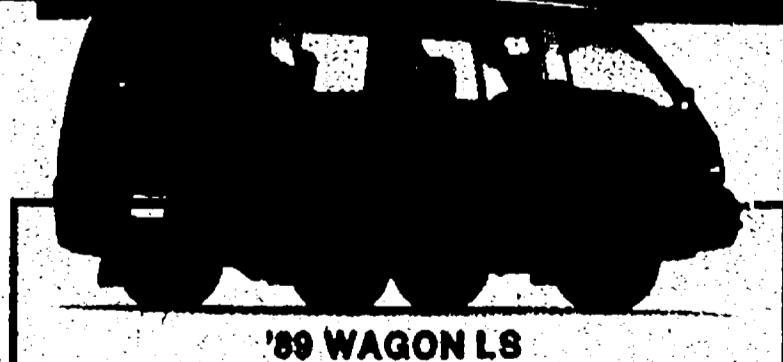
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ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

The Ghoul, who is Ron Sweed, 40, was the self-declared king of Detroit Saturday night television for more than 10 years.

The Ghoul and other things that go bump?

By Larry O'Connor
staff writer

In most cities, a guy with a fright wig, wearing a pair of sunglasses with one lens poked out and a blue lab coat would draw stares.

In Cleveland, they ask for an autograph. "How about a 'Stay Sick,'" said the man in the get-up, dutifully signing his name for a teenager on Euclid Avenue. "All right, overday."

A crowd swells around the person known as The Ghoul. He has been off the air in his hometown of Cleveland for two years and since 1983 in Detroit.

Yet in his heyday, The Ghoul was synonymous with Saturday night television in Detroit. In the 1970s and early 1980s, he was a horror movie host on UHF stations WKBD-TV Channel 50, WXON-TV Channel 20 and WGPR-TV Channel 62.

His show was pure madcap slapstick. There was no script. His zaniness often stretched the boundaries of acceptable standard television like gooey taffy.

Busting watermelons with a sledgehammer? The Ghoul was blowing up pumpkins (not to mention model cars) with M-80 firecrackers before Gallagher's hairline went south.

And David Letterman's stunts as a human bowl of Rice Krispees? The Ghoul once was a human hamburger — covered with ketchup and mustard (actually red and yellow paint) along with onions — when Letterman was probably still a weatherman in Indianapolis.

AND THAT Mr. Bill character on "Saturday Night Live"? The Ghoul was terrorizing a toy frog named "Froggie" before Chase, Belushi and Ackroyd were making it big on TV.

"Does Johnny Carson grab a bottle of Cheez Whiz and put gobs of it under his arms?" asked Dave Ivey of Ferndale, an art director on The Ghoul's show. "You don't see that everyday on TV."

The Ghoul's stunts reaped in the ratings, but didn't endear him to station managers along the way. He said one station had the show removed after two letters complained he was making fun of Polish people and the mentally retarded.

In light of today's trash TV, Ron Sweed can only laugh at the irony of it all.

Sweed, 40, is a Ghoul without a show. He attends Cleveland State University, finishing his degree in English, TV and film. He does occasional personal appearances and writes a column for an alternative newspaper in Cleveland.

Sweed is busily trying to get The Ghoul back on the air. There is talk of him returning to Cleveland TV by the fall. He hasn't pitched the show in Detroit for awhile.

Even he appears to have some doubts. And this is a person who, during his height in popularity, received three and four bags of mail a day and sold 400 to 500 Ghoul T-shirts and sweat shirts in one week in Detroit alone.

"IT'S BEEN awhile," said Sweed, gluing on his phony beard near a stairwell in a Cleveland shopping arcade. "Many people don't remember."

Apparently, they do. As The Ghoul poses for some photos, shoppers walk by and point to him and whisper to one another. A few people call out his name. A man who looked in his 30s shouts, "Still crazy after all these years."

Please turn to Page 4

Warp Factor

Karlos Barney



A stickler for authenticity, Zeke the farm dog captures the true spirit of Beethoven's Pastoral Symphony.

Cleveland: More than Cheez Whiz, architecture

By Larry O'Connor
staff writer

Cleveland in February? Surely, you jest.

But, hey, would we pull your leg? Don't let that post-Depression architecture fool you. Behind those cold, gray buildings is a happening city.

When we asked The Ghoul to be our Cleveland tour guide, we thought he'd take us to the Cheez Whiz factory.

Then he led us inside The Arcade. Outside it appears to be just another old building. But inside it is an ornate masterpiece of brass and copper, not to mention shops and restaurants.

The Arcade was built in the 1870s and looks as sharp now as it probably did then. Which sums up



MARK SCHWARTZ/Cleveland Convention Bureau

The Flats, a development of 30 riverfront restaurants and lounges in Cleveland, provides the backdrop for rowers along the Cuyahoga River.

present-day Cleveland, making the old look new again.

And this stuff about Cleveland being a mistake on the lake. Well, somebody must've had a big eraser.

"That's ancient history," said Bob Ulas, communications director for the Convention and Visitors

Bureau of Greater Cleveland. "People are shocked when they come here for this first time."

ONE OF the main stops is The Flats, a development area near the Cuyahoga River with 30 riverfront restaurants and lounges. Warehouses have been trans-

formed into a slew of hot nightspots, including the rock and roll venue of Peabody's.

Hey, need a place to eat? Well, The Ghoul himself took us into one of his favorite haunts, Shorty's.

Shorty's is a nostalgia trip. A vintage Coca-Cola machine sits in the corner, a black and white TV broadcasts shows from the 1950s, and the waitresses dress in high school sock hop garb and dance on the tables to the hits of that era. The food, your basic fare of ham burgers and fries, is quite reasonable.

Across the way is Nautica, featuring even more clubs on the west bank (of the Cuyahoga River), such as Shooters, Club Coconuts, Nautica Stage and the Boardwalk.

BUT THE Cleveland agenda is not all eat and drink. This city has culture, 500 square miles of it, in fact. University Circle features both the Cleveland Museum of Art and the Cleveland Museum of Natural History, both highly rated in the country for their exhibits.

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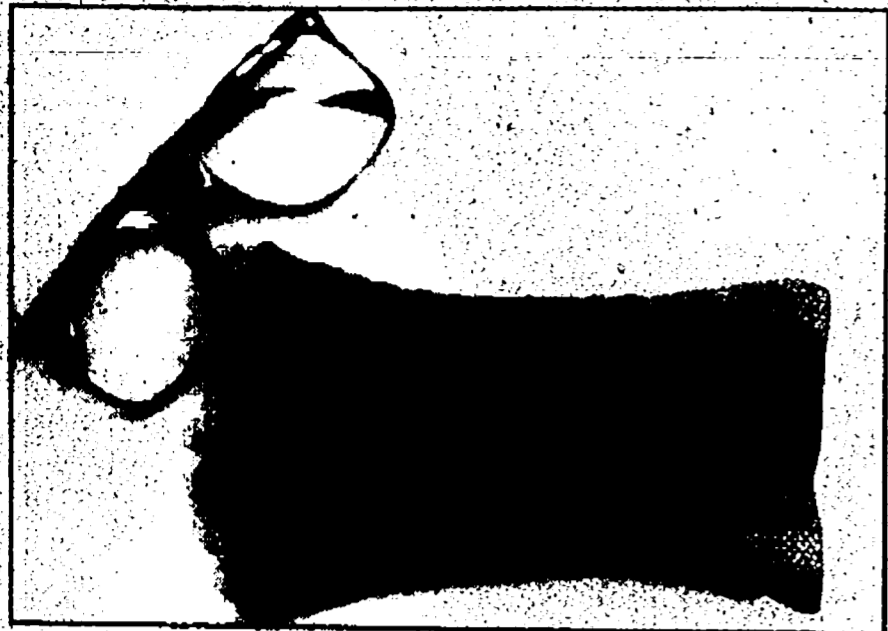
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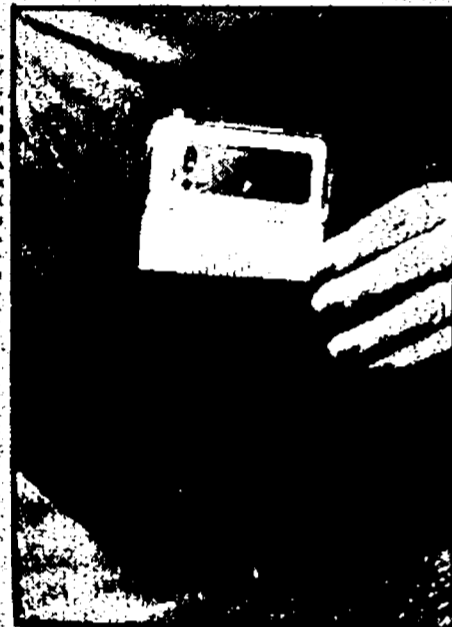
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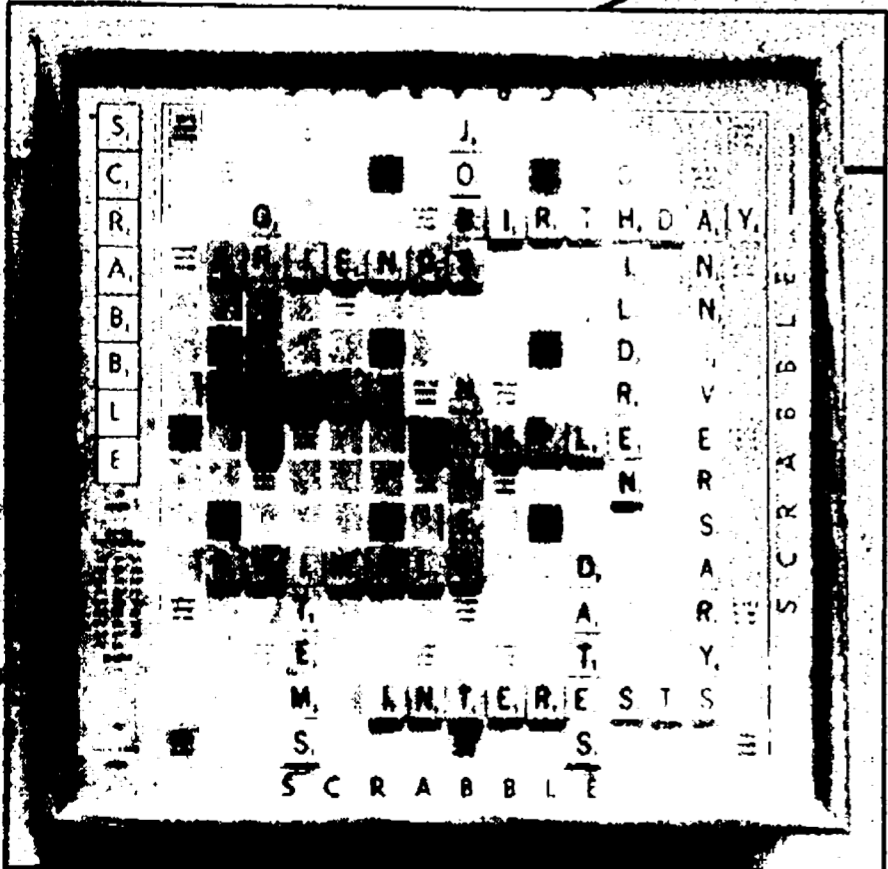
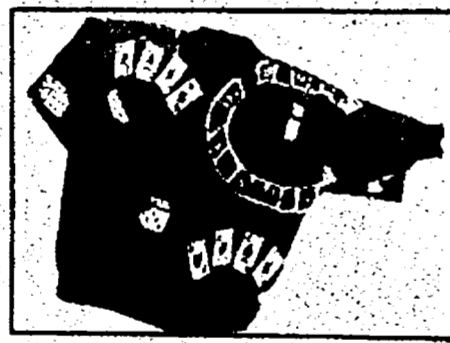
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Concerned in Birmingham

Dear Concerned in Birmingham,

How true. The quest for "thin, thin, thin bodies" has become a teenage obsession. However, while it seems that teenagers with eating disorders are solely troubled by an obsession with thinness, that is generally not the case. It may begin that way, but for both bulimics and anorexics, their preoccupation becomes their only method of dealing with emotions and conflict.

Bulimia is a syndrome in which the person eats (usually large quantities of food) and then purges herself

of the calories by vomiting and/or using laxatives or diuretics. Bulimics may also use excessive exercise and fasting to keep their weight at a normal level.

Anorexics starve themselves (sometimes to death) in the pursuit of thinness. Because anorexia is a state of starvation, anorexics often binge and purge. However, they won't eat in between and therefore their bodies are not maintained at a normal weight.

Anorexia is generally easier to spot than bulimia. You'll be able to see the inappropriate loss of weight, coupled with the obsession with weight and food. An anorexic often thinks of nothing else. In some cases there is a concurrent avoidance of maturation into womanhood.

The weight loss aids in the goal of keeping the young woman looking like a little girl, arresting her reproductive faculties and retarding breast development.

AN ANOREXIC sometimes takes to wearing baggy clothing and to taking part in strange eating rituals,



Barbara Schiff

such as eating only alone or cutting the food into tiny pieces.

Bulimia is more difficult to detect. Bulimics are usually of normal weight and they carry out behavior in secret, so unless the physical symptoms become serious, they can hide it.

If your daughter is running to the bathroom after every meal, you've reason to worry. Other signs that should cause concern are rising grocery bills and food that disappears from the cupboard. Finding emetics, diuretics or laxatives in your daughter's room are more warning signs.

Bulimics can seem very successful in their daily pursuits, but they suffer excessive guilt especially about their bulimia, which leaves little energy for continuing emotional maturation. Many have difficulty with impulse control and are intensely preoccupied with their appearance.

Sometimes there is teeth deterioration and/or swelling of the salivary glands, which creates a "moon" face.

I hope this information helps you with your daughter.

Barbara

If you have a question for Barbara Schiff, an experienced counselor and therapist, send them to Street Sense, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

Comebacks: They don't come easy

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The Ghoul raises a triumphant fist and said, "You got that right. (Believing like Fat Albert) Hey, hey, hey!" When he jumps down from the pole, he rips his jeans.

From there, The Ghoul leads the entourage out into the blustery January air. He's only wearing his thin lab coat, but the recognition from passersby makes him immuned from the chill.

A group of teenagers asks for autographs. He soon runs out of pictures and begins using a reporter's notebook.

A woman pulls her two small children up to The Ghoul. "Plunk your magic what?," said the mother, puzzled by this character, but nonetheless doesn't want her kids to be left out.

"Do you know who The Ghoul is?" he asked the kid too young to remember him as the 1970s anti-hero of late night TV. "Well, hold onto this because someday soon it's going to be worth something."

A LOT OF Ron Sweed is in The Ghoul.

Sweed as a youth started a rumor in his neighborhood in Euclid, Ohio, that the Beatles' Ringo Starr was going to visit. He bought a Beatle wig and hired a chauffeur.

"The whole neighborhood was lined up because they were so gullible," said Sweed in amazement. "They believed Ringo was actually coming."

Another childhood stunt indirectly led him to TV. Sweed wore a stolen gorilla suit to an appearance by Cleveland horror movie host, Ghoulardi.

Ernie Anderson, who was Ghoulardi, was so impressed by Sweed's moxie he hired the teenager to work as his gofer. Before long, Sweed was Anderson's understudy.

Enough so that Sweed asked the management at WKBF-TV Channel 61, if he could do his own show. In 1971, "The Ghoul" premiered.

In the beginning, Sweed did an exact imitation of Ghoulardi. (He asked Anderson to return, but Anderson, an announcer for ABC-TV, declined). Then Sweed began putting his own touches on the show.

He would cut into the movies and provide sound effects. For instance, if a couple were kissing, he would slip in a heart-resounding belch.

He also held high regard for the films he hosted. "Boy, this movie is really stinkeroo," he would say, spraying air freshener.

THE GHOUL was as kind to the concerned mothers who wrote in complaining about his antics. "Hey madam, why don't you put your false teeth on backwards and bite your throat."

People ate it up. Ratings soared instantly. Soon, The Ghoul was syndicated to other Kaiser Broadcasting affiliates in Boston, San Francisco, Chicago and Philadelphia.

Along with Cleveland, the height of The Ghoul's popularity reached epidemic proportions in Detroit. He recalls being mobbed at an appearance during halftime of a Harlem Globetrotters game at Cobo Arena.

Then things took a nose dive into, as The Ghoul would say, the porcelain receptacle.

Sweed said The Ghoul was set to move to CKLW-TV Channel 9 (now CBET-TV), but Kaiser Broadcasting said it owned the rights to The Ghoul character. A bitter lawsuit ensued that took 1 1/2 years to settle.

After returning to Channel 50 for awhile, The Ghoul started channel hopping. He went to Channel 20. He went to Channel 62 and then back on Channel 20.

Ratings, compared to the cost of producing the show, are some reasons The Ghoul was eventually dropped from the WXON-TV lineup, according to vice-president and general manager Doug Johnson.

"The Ghoul was a following for a certain group of people," Johnson said. "We had him hosting a movie. A couple of times when we just had

the movie, there was no significant slippage in the ratings. So that told me most people just wanted to watch the movie."

MANAGEMENT didn't understand The Ghoul, Sweed said. But he admits he had a role in it.

"I became really arrogant for awhile," Sweed said. "I burned a lot of bridges. I'd say 'Screw you

I'm The Ghoul. I'll be on forever.' Well, you find out, No. 1, you're not on forever and just because you made a lot of money then doesn't mean you're going to be making it later."

Sweed still thinks The Ghoul could fly today, if given the chance.

He still has a number of fans in the Detroit area, receiving letters from them. Recently, there was a "Bring Back the Ghoul" exhibit at a

science fiction convention at the Southfield Hilton.

Selling the concept of The Ghoul isn't easy, though. Sweed is paying the price for his rebellion.

"Why do it?," he said. "I've always been rebellious. If some station said, 'We'll put you on as The Ghoul,' but it was a total whitewash where I was a shadow of myself. I could not sell myself out like that."

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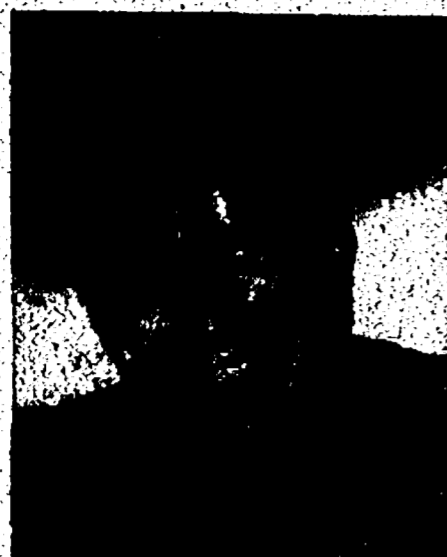
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STREET CRACKS

Elstner clowns his way to top

By Larry O'Connor
staff writer



Chas Elstner can boast of being a real clown. He attended Ringling Brothers and Barnum Bailey's Clown School for three months in Venice, Fla., and even toured with the circus for awhile.

or fourth time he's tried out for the show. But, he added, some of today's better known jesters needed seven or eight tryouts before they were discovered on what is the comedic equivalent to the corner drugstore.

Elstner, 30, refuses to quit. That's not to say he hasn't thought about it. But there's always been someone there to give him a push. "In this business you're always

asking, 'Why am I doing this to myself?'" said Elstner, who lives in Los Angeles. "This is so hard. Not so much being on stage, but the business of it."

Frequently, Elstner would give himself a month. If things didn't get better, he'd give up comedy.

Then after one show, a person came up to him and told him to stick with it. The person was George Carlin.

Again three years ago, when Elstner was about to call it quits, he received a phone call. Apparently, some hotshot comedian was going to be a regular on "Saturday Night Live." The Improv in Los Angeles asked Elstner to replace Dana ("The Church Lady") Carvey, who left for "Saturday Night Live."

Since then, Elstner hasn't looked back.

DOUBTS HAVE been replaced by determination. He's following through on a goal he's had from the first time he walked into The Improv in New York.

Instead of learning other comedians' styles, Elstner studied the profession. He found that Bill Cosby learned psychology, Steve Martin delved into philosophy and Charlie Chaplin practiced ballet.

Elstner took courses in those subjects at the University of Hawaii and a business class for good measure.

"I noticed most of them make it between the age of 30 and 32," said Elstner, who is at that age. "At 18, I said I have a lot of time to learn and to make mistakes."

Chas Elstner will perform on Wednesday through Saturday, Feb. 22-25, at Joey's Comedy Club, 36071 Plymouth, Livonia. For information, call 261-0555.

Belzer joins media in sizing up Bush

By Larry O'Connor
staff writer

A presidential honeymoon period observed by comedians? Sure, especially if you're Richard Belzer.

And the politically observant humorist, somewhat like the media and Congress, is sizing up the Bush presidency in its infancy to see what it will bring in terms of material. As a source of laughs, President Bush has a tough act to follow.

"I think Reagan was easier to do jokes about than Bush will be," said Belzer, who will perform Wednesday through Saturday at Chaplin's in Fraser. "Everything is in limbo right now. Every one is trying to be nice and not face up to the reality of the mess Reagan left the country in."

"Quayle is one of the funniest creations in God's creation. He's a big, slow moving target."

"Bush is a hard one to figure out. He's gone through so many personality changes. He went from being a wimp to Superman. I was hard on him during the campaign. I guess people have short memories."

What's that saying on never talking about politics and religion? Belzer violates that with regularity. Those who make news are targets for his barbs — political, religious or otherwise.

The headliner's material is what he gleans from the headlines. Belzer reads five newspapers a day, including the New York Times, Washington Post and USA Today ("Not for intellectual stimulation," he said of the latter.)

"I'm still alive," he said.

Nonetheless, he's patented a sarcastic brand of humor that has earned him accolades from the top comedians of our time. Said the late John Belushi, "The best I've ever seen working directly with an audience." Added Robin Williams, "Wonderful when he's on the edge. The Marquis de Sade as a gameshow host."

Part of the Belzer success is said to be his spontaneity. He's been noted as one of the few comedians whose routine changes night to night.

Often preferring the quaint setting of small clubs, audiences have been known to become involved. Sometimes Belzer is considered harsh, although reports lately have him mellowing a bit.

"I've been accused of being easier on the audience, but I think that's not necessarily true," Belzer said. "Perhaps I haven't been concentrating on the audience as much because I've had more on my mind. I still talk to



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the audience quite a bit."

COMEDY IS not Belzer's only vice. He's also an actor, appearing in such films as "The Groove Tube," "Author, Author," "Fame," "Night Shift" and "Scarface."

COMEDY CLUBS

Here are some listings of comedy clubs in our area. To let us know who is appearing at your club, send us the information: Comedy Listings, Observer & Eccentric, 38251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

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The 'King': His memory lives on . . .

By Carolyn DeMarco
staff writer

Elvis may have "left the building," but the fans weren't leaving their seats.

Judging from the numbers who visited "Elvis: A Musical Celebration" last month at the Fox Theatre, "Elvis Lives!" or at least the legend of the King lives on, perpetuated by Kalamazoo sightings and Graceland birthday parties.

Mingling with the opening night hordes at the Fox were people costumed in everything from sequined cocktail dresses and tuxedos to jeans and flannel shirts. They arrived in stretch limousines, luxury cars, pickup trucks and the city of Taylor senior citizen bus. More than one over-the-hill Elvis impersonator were among the faithful.

We asked a handful of them, "What qualifies you as a true blue, radical, fanatical Elvis follower?" and got varied responses.

JUDY ROCK and her 23-year-old daughter, Jodee Riley, came with two less fanatical friends. Rock had seen Elvis in person nine or 10 times, the last time at Olympia Arena in April 1977 just months before his death. She caught the traditional thrown scarf.

"How did he look then?" we asked.

"Fat," both friends answered.

"A little heavy," Rock contradicted, "but he was precious."

RILEY RECALLED the time she was 9 and a novice Elvis fan.

"My mother dragged me with her to Los Angeles to his home."

"Imagine," her mother said, "I was hanging on the gate waiting for him to come out. His car started coming and Aunt Jan said get out the way, he's not going to stop, but I knew he would."

"He tried to get Jodee to come to the car and I said, 'How about me?' but he wanted the little girl. She went up and touched his hand, but she wouldn't kiss him. I jumped on the hood of the car and got a picture of his chest and the gold chains."

That picture and dozens of others photos, plaques, plates and other memorabilia are on display in the Rock home in Warren.

Riley, newly married, said husband Steve won't let her bring it to their home.

"He's kind of jealous."

SKIP CHAMPAGNE, 38, of Inkster was accompanied by her husband, Bill. Skip, whose brother "gives tributes" (not impersonations) of Elvis, was dressed in a pink satin jacket with burgundy letters that spelled out "Elvis."

"I've got to be part of this," Skip said. "I went to Graceland on his 50th birthday."

While her 50th husband, Tom, shook his head, Jane Smithson of Troy was one of the few interviewed who admitted she owned a blue velvet painting of the King. Tom accompanied her and his sister, Mary Denmark, who first saw the Elvis movie "Love Me Tender" at the Fox Theatre in 1956.

Francis Wolaitis of Detroit sported a pompadour and sideburns in the manner of his hero. He went all the way to Las Vegas to see the Elvismania show, but it was sold out. When tickets went on sale for the Detroit show, he was in line early.

"Elvis is all he talks about," his stepson and brother-in-law said.

POLICE OFFICER Erich Laubert of St. Clair Shores likes Elvis so much, "he imitates him every year at our spring dance in a rented costume," his wife said.

"He does the whole bit with the '2001' opening and the scarves."

"The women screamed," Erich said, a grin on his face.

Jeff Dombrowski of Dearborn has 20 hours of news tapes of the day Elvis died.

"I would have had the whole 24 hours, but I ran out of reel," he said.

Two months after Elvis' death, Dombrowski went to Graceland "to stop by and take a look at the real radicals, the ones crying at the fence," he said.

"Am I a fan?" superfan Carol Campanella repeated. "When Elvis died I got sympathy cards. My boss gave me a day off to attend the funeral, but my boyfriend took my credit card. I only got as far as Woodhaven."

"I LIVE FOR Elvis and he lives for me," said Tanya Church, 25, of Royal Oak.

She went to Kalamazoo when she heard he was sighted at a fast food restaurant, "but I lived in Battle Creek at the time," she said. "It wasn't much of a trip."

Pat Nowasielski, 57, has dedicated one room of her Dearborn home to Elvis, but the memorabilia have spilled over into other rooms, including the bathroom in which a portrait of E.P. dominates. Friends have given her scarves, books, pictures and clocks.

A makeup artist, she saw Elvis at Olympia in '77 and at least 40 impersonators since. She does the makeup for many of them.

Sylvan Lake's John Dent, 26, has an Elvis record collection in the 1957 Wurlitzer jukebox he keeps in the kitchen.

"I try to emulate Elvis," the tall, handsome copywriter said, "especially when I dance. Except Elvis sneered and I like to smile."

NOT ALL members of the audience were pro-Elvis. Jill McCoy, 11, and sister Julie, 10, of Livonia were there with their mother and her best friend. The friend brought her daughters, Jodi and Amy Schwab of Milford.

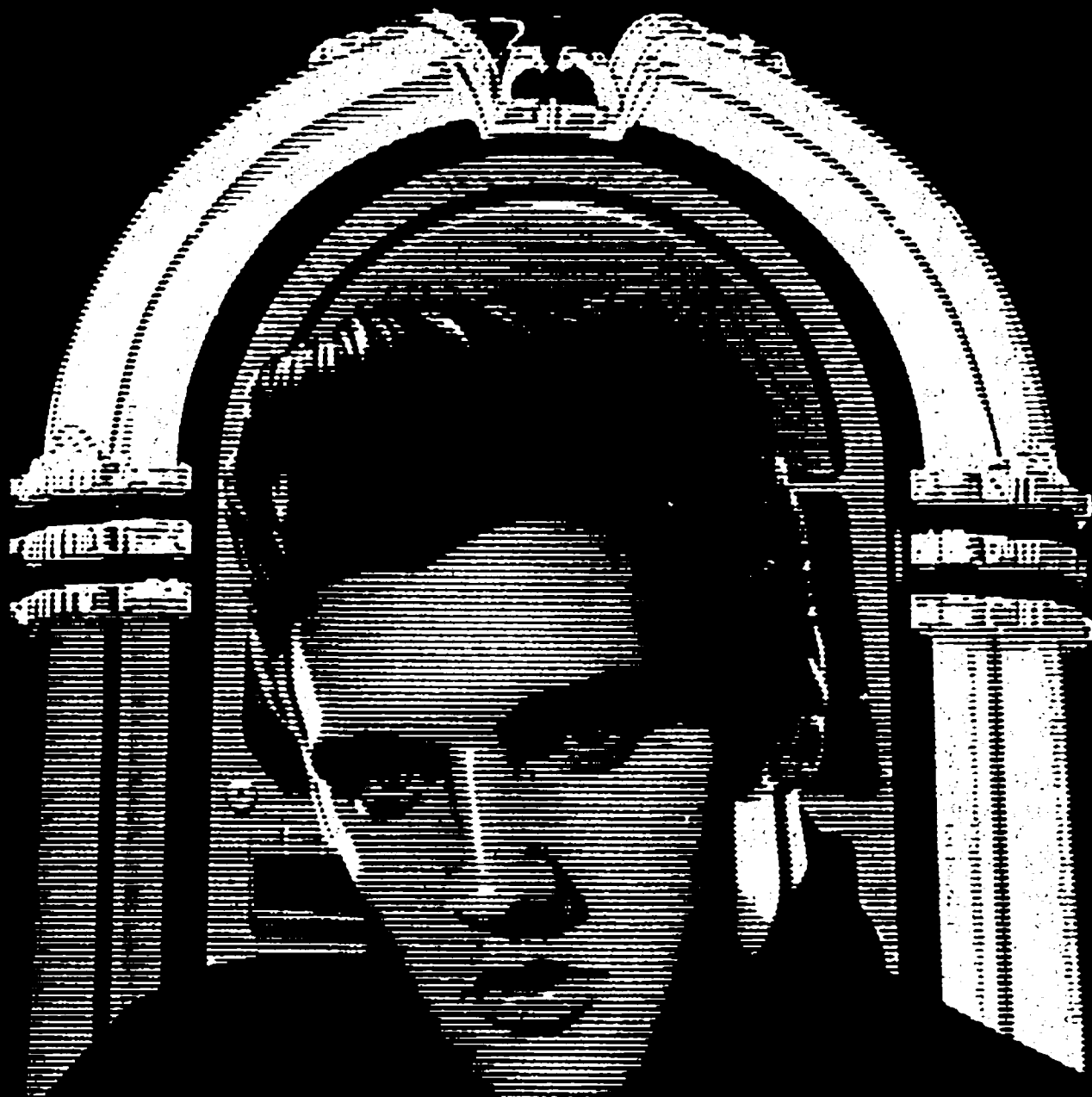
"Our mothers wanted us to see what they did in the '60s," Amy said. "But we'd rather be at a hockey game."

Pat Patterson of Redford and a dozen other members of the Friends for Elvis Fan Club were at the Fox opening night. The newly formed sanctioned fan club generally meets on the 16th of the month at the Metro Hall, Plymouth and Beech Daly roads in Redford, to hear music and talk about their idol.

They recently held a party for Elvis' birthday (Jan. 8) and hired a local impersonator. Their next big event is a country-western night.

They welcome new followers. If you own a blue velvet picture, can sing all the words to "Kentucky Rain," know which radio station hosts the Sunday morning "Elvis Hour" and can spell Elvis' middle name, write Friends for Elvis, P.O. Box 19554, Detroit 48219.

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It's Europe 'a la mode' or doing it your way

By Iris Sanderson Jones
contributing travel editor

Q: We've already done a group tour to Europe. This time we want to go on our own. Please give us some tips on getting around and tell us how you meet local people.

B.C.,
West Bloomfield

A: In France, it was a school teacher who invited us to tour her father's vineyard in the Loire Valley. In Italy, it was the signora who fed us garlic shrimp and wine in the coastal village of Manarola. In Spain, it was the housewife who invited us into her home, where we got a magnificent view of the 17th century bridge in Ronda. In Germany, it was the postal worker who invited us to sit down at his table in an oompapa bar.

None of these small travel experiences were on our itinerary, but they are among our most treasured souvenirs of Europe. In each case we got off the beaten track to meet the ordinary people of an area. We traveled "a la mode." No, that doesn't mean "ice cream," it means having things your own way.

In some cases, we were traveling independently in a rental car. In others, we were on a tour and either defected for a day or stayed on after the tour was over. We have had great fun traveling in groups, but that fun is usually associated with other American travelers rather than the Europeans we came to "visit."

If you too treasure the small travel adventures that occur when you step off the main tourist track in Europe, you should follow some basic travel rules. Plan ahead, but wing it as much as you can after you get there. Go where the Europeans travel. Find out about special events, in case you are in the area when they happen. Learn a few words of a foreign language, but don't worry too much if you speak only English. You will do fine in Europe.

IF YOU plan to rent a car, do your

homework in the U.S. Rental prices differ dramatically from country to country because of tax rates. France charges 28 percent tax. Your regular car insurance may include collision insurance on a rental car in North America, but it probably won't cover you overseas.

Collision insurance can add 50 to 75 percent to your rental bill, but there is an alternative. Some credit card companies, especially those that offer "gold" cards, provide free rental car collision insurance overseas to travelers who pay for their

the rental car with their credit card. It takes time to qualify so apply early.

If you are looking for the sun, consider southern Europe, especially the destinations that Europeans choose for their annual vacations. You will find the English, German and other European tourists, but practically no Americans, on the southern coast of Portugal and Spain, and in the Balearic Islands of Mallorca and Ibiza.

The only winter "snow" in the Balearic Islands is created by blizzards of almond blossoms; you can see them as early as January, but the group tour season booms in spring and fall. Most Europeans pick up a hotel or apartment for a week or two and do day trips around the islands.

If you are visiting Spain mid-summer, and you like crowds, the Running of the Bulls takes place in Pamplona July 7. It is part of the Festival of San Fermin. Barcelona is the site of the 1992 Olympics, but you won't see any sign of that yet. You will, however, find great summer music festivals in Santander, Granada and San Sebastian.

AS THE sun moves north into Germany, you can celebrate the 800th anniversary of the Port of Hamburg and the 1,000th anniversary of Bonn this year. The anniversary play at Oertramergau is not scheduled until 1990, but it is not too soon to start planning ahead for that!

Once you have chosen your itinerary, either on a tour or on your own, start digging through guide books

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and travel magazines in your local library for those wonderful off-road treasures. That's how we discovered the top-rated country restaurant Auberge de L'ill in Illhaeusern, in Alsace a few miles north of Colmar on the French side of the Rhine River. The wonderful meal we had there would have cost us hundreds of dollars in Paris.

You should also explore your in-Europe transportation. Air fares are high, but trains are both reasonable and comfortable. French National Railroads launched its new fast Atlantic TGV train to Nantes in January. In the fall, it will start service to Brittany and in June 1990 to Tours, Bordeaux and the Spanish border. They should be just as good as the fast TGV trains that already run from Paris to Lyon and south.

French National Railways offer a rail-car package. Air France offers air-rail-rental car packages. Air France, like several of the international airlines, are good sources of information for the countries they represent. Check the Automobile Club of Michigan or call the travel department of the Detroit Public

Library for tourist office addresses. That will give you the hard facts. For the real travel experiences, take time to wander around, get lost and meet the people who live there.

WE MET the French school teacher because we stopped her on the street to ask a question in halting high school French. It was an unscheduled train trip into an unknown Italian village that led us to the signora. In Ronda, we stayed overnight instead of taking a day tour. After the tourists had gone, it was easy to slow down and talk to a lady tending her garden.

In Germany, where we wandered into a small bar after dinner, the tables were all occupied, but we were delighted to accept an invitation to join a German group. Just last week we got another post card from Adie, the postal worker, we met there. He doesn't speak a word of English and it doesn't matter a bit!

If you have travel questions, send them to Iris Sanderson Jones, Observer 7 Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.



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More on mildew

Q: Help! I live in a small cottage in a marshy area with wood paneled closets. Mold, mildew or a sour smell descends on my clothes in my closets if they aren't in zippered plastic bags. Egads, what can I do?

A: It sounds as if a dehumidifier would also be a nice addition to your cottage. Placed close to your closet, it should dry out the air noticeably. Louvered closet doors will allow air circulation, so your clothes won't feel so damp and cold when you put them on.

Finally, silica gels or calcium chloride granules are quite effective in retarding mold and mildew growth. Found in hardware and other stores under various brand names, they have an amazing ability to rid the air of that mildewy smell. Use them in basements in damp spring weather when furnaces no longer dry out the air; cottages, which are closed up for a period of time; or even in your home while you are gone on vacation. Follow instructions carefully.

After some of the above precautions have been taken, wash or have cleaned every article of clothing in your closet and keep only clean items there. Put non-cleanables like shoes in a bright, toasty warm place to air out completely.

When replacing items, make sure they are thoroughly dry and don't pack your clothes too tightly in your closet, so the air can circulate between them. Also remember that synthetic blends tend to retain mildew more than cotton.

By adding dry air and light, you can avoid cold starts in the mornings and your clothes will have a bright future.

Q: Can you help me cut my shopping time? An example: In the middle of other work I'll remember I need a greeting card and when I run out to get it, I end up browsing for other things.

A: Since shopping is usually more fun than work, many people use errands as an excuse to get out of other tasks.

First, consolidate your shopping. This takes planning. Schedule one time to buy all the greeting cards you'll need each month, keeping a few extra cards on hand to avoid emergency trips. If you are young and receive many wedding, baby and shower notices, invest more heavily in those cards. Sad but true, older folks should retain more get well and sympathy cards.

Do weekly meal planning and go to the grocery store only once a week. If you need something in between, add it to your list and adjust your menu, if necessary, instead of making another trip to the store.

Make only a few major clothes shopping trips per year, either when each season's clothes first arrive (when you'll pay premium prices) or during peak sales periods. For odds and ends, shop for specific items but cut browsing time.

One woman used to feel guilty during Christmas shopping forays because she would buy almost as much for herself as for others. Then she realized Fall was her busy period, affording little shopping time. Now she purposely saves winter clothes buying for December without guilt. She found Christmas shopping more fun this year and her time was well utilized by "killing two birds with one stone." Lots of attractive clothes are on sale then, too.

Another shopping tip: Organize your trips by direction. Keep a list of errands, then chose which you will do on a given day according to location. Chart your journey either in a circle or in a straight line. For the straight line, take an expressway to the farthest point, if possible, then work your way back on slower routes. If you run out of time, the unfinished errands will be closest to home.

Finally, schedule errands/shopping for certain days, i.e. always make your trips on Tuesday afternoons and Saturday mornings. When and how much time will vary with individuals, but such a plan will save time and family members will begin to respect that is when, and only when, you will run their errands.

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Builders' show spreads out at new Cobo

The newly expanded Cobo Hall will be the site of the 1989 International Builders Home, Flower and Furniture Show, March 18-26, the largest show of its kind in the United States.

There will be more than 800 exhibition booths in the show, spanning 600,000 square feet — the entire top level of Cobo Hall. The show's nine-day run is expected to attract over a half million people.

This is the first year that the 71-year-old annual show takes on an international flavor, with exhibitors from around the world participating in the event.

Experts in every conceivable area of residential construction, heating and cooling, design, finance and remodeling will be on hand to demonstrate their wares and answer questions from the public.

THE LATEST TRENDS in home furnishings and construction will be exhibited. There will be actual demonstrations on many aspects of home remodeling, sure to be of interest to the do-it-yourself handyman.

The 1989 show will feature more actual model homes than ever. Manufactured homes, custom built modular homes, timber frame homes and homes made from logs will all be on display at the show!

Of course, it wouldn't be the popular "Builders Show" without the thousands of flowers, shrubs and greenery that will transform Cobo into a "breath of spring." An area more than the size of six football fields will be adorned with various landscaped gardens complete with gazebos, fountains, flowers, trees and lots of areas where visitors can sit and enjoy the sights and smells of spring. The

flowering plants have been "tricked" into blooming early just in time for the show, using horticultural magic that rivals Mother Nature.

New to the show this year is a traveling pictorial exhibit from the Smithsonian Institute of Washington, D. C.

BACK THIS YEAR by popular demand are an elaborate arts and crafts display, the "House of Nails" contest where the winner gets \$20,000, daily Treasure Chest drawing with prizes for the winners, as well as remote broadcasts from several of Detroit's best known radio stations.

Floral arrangements by Allied and FTD florists will adorn the show, and will be auctioned off on the closing day, with proceeds benefiting the March of Dimes.

For more information on the event, contact the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan, 737-4477.

Condo auction rules

Q: I read about an auction on condominiums that is taking place in a "conversion." Are there any legal problems that you can think of regarding the "auction"?

A: Having just attended one of these condominium auctions, I can tell you that the developer requires that a successful bidder sign a purchase agreement immediately as the auction is completed and further requests that the purchaser waive the nine-business-day cooling off period which the condominium statutes gives a purchaser when buying a unit from a developer.

In most situations, the purchaser is best advised not to waive the cooling off period so as to be given an opportunity to thoroughly review the condominium documents, the purchase agreement, the disclosure statement, and to otherwise consult with legal counsel.

In the case of an auction, perhaps, you can review the condominium documents and consult with counsel before the auction if you are serious about bidding on a unit.

Another revelation that was gleaned from the auction was that the purchase price ended up not being significantly lower than the asking price for the condominiums which were being offered by the developer before the auction. This was due, in part, to the marketing skills of the auctioneer in enticing people to come to the auction and bidding in at the auction.

The same problems which are attendant with any purchase of a condominium are applicable at an auction with the additional caveat that the purchaser is presumably under increased pressure because of the auction setting and the lack of an opportunity to have the condominium documents reviewed by legal counsel in order to make an informed decision.



condo
queries
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Keep in mind that an auction is generally a marketing device by the developer to liquidate a significant number of units in the condominium project.

Q: I am a prospective purchaser of a "site condominium" and don't understand really what it is all about. I have talked to a so-called condominium specialist who tells me he doesn't know very much about it either. I thought I would go to the authority and hope you can give me some direction.

A: Site condominiums are a hot item which are being promoted by various attorneys in this community on behalf of their developer clients. The idea is to sell either land or a cubical of space, as defined in the condominium documents, to a purchaser even though no improvements are actually sold by the developer to the purchaser, i.e., what the purchaser is really getting is land and air space.

The purchaser then contracts with his own building contractor for the construction of a unit on the "space" which he has purchased from the condominium developer. Obviously, limitations should be placed upon the type of structure that can be constructed by the purchaser.

The problem with the concept is that various municipalities believe it is a subterfuge for getting around the Subdivision Control Act. Currently, the attorney general is in the process of writing an opinion concerning the propriety of site condos.

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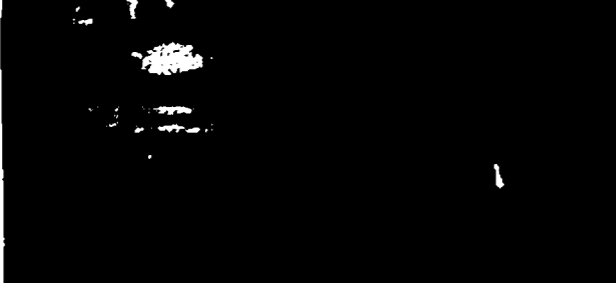
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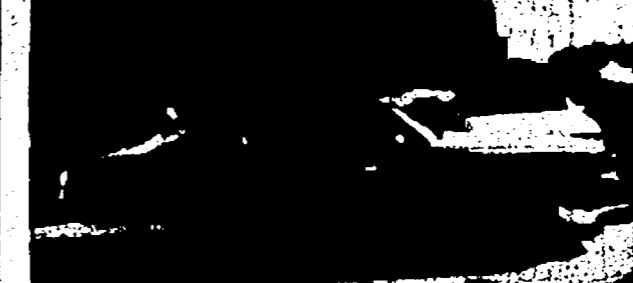
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GET THE JOB YOU WANT!
PERSONALLY PREPARED RESUMES...

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BE STRONGER, Muscular, Defined.
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(Electrolysis) Taking appointments beginning Tues. Feb. 14...

603 Health - Nutrition
Weight Loss
HERBALIFE
Independent distributor
For product call...

700 Auction Sales
STORAGE UNIT - B-22 rented by Kenneth Shoner at America's Budget Storage...

703 Crafts
RESERVE Home Craft Shows in your home. For arrangements & weekly displays...

708 Household Goods
SINGER
DIAL-A-MATIC zig zag sewing machine...

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190 Bowrider, 130 H.P. Merc. I.O. top, stereo, built-in swim platform, full gauges. BOATSHOW SPECIAL!

608 Transportation & Travel
AIRLINE ticket (1) round trip to Orlando, March 30-Apr. 2, \$250. Eyes 455-9700

700 Auction Sales
THE FOLLOWING and assorted other vehicles will be auctioned by bid on Friday, February 24, 1989...

SOUTHFIELD PAVILION ANTIQUES EXPOSITION
Feb. 24-25-26
12-9 Fri-Sat. 12-6 Sun. FREE PARKING...

707 Garage Sales: Wayne
EARLY AMERICAN Kincaid ping kitchen set, round table with 12 chairs...

708 Household Goods
APPROXIMATELY 500 yds. of new Depot Stainmaster, Earthtone color, Will chris. Wholesale dealer...

BIG GARAGE SALE
Save 30-70% On Quality Used Furniture
Sofas \$99, Loveseats \$129, Upholstered chairs \$69...

2 DAY ANTIQUE AUCTION
Fri. & Sat. Night, Feb. 24 & 25, 6pm both nights...

703 Crafts
ARTS AND CRAFTS EXHIBITORS WANTED
Craft shows March 10, 11, & 12 and November 23, 24 & 25...

703 Crafts
DOLL REPAIR
We've been repairing Michigan Dolls for over 40 years. Free estimates on doll restoration...

703 Crafts
ROCHESTER Antique Crafts & Arms Show. Guns, trade silver, pottery, glass/milware, Indian quillwork...

710 Misc. For Sale
ART FOR SALE - Yamagata & Erie prints. 851-5437

711 Misc. For Sale
Wayne County
CHAIN BINDERS, pulleys, construction wrenches, C-clamps, clevis chain hooks...

715 Computers
A-COMPUTER consultant to help you determine your computer needs. Computer training also available...

716 Commercial Industrial Equip.
12 1/2 hp Kawasaki commercial unit with 52 cu. ft. \$1855/best. Shop \$2200/best. Toro commercial...

717 Lawn & Garden Farm-Snow Equip.
JOHN DEER Snowblower, 8 horse, 3 tractor, 26" blades, double throw, 10" tires with chains...

721 Hospital-Medical Equipment
GERIATRIC Chair, 3 position. Rust color. Hercules recliner with power lift seat...

722 Hobbies Coins & Stamps
COLLECTOR SELLING Silver Dollar Collection as low as \$8. Extra coin investment, Larry 489-1125

723 Jewelry
COUNTERFEIT DIAMONDS mounted in 14K gold settings. They defy comparison. Catalog by request...

724 Cameras-Slides
CANON EF Super 8 movie camera. 900 Polaroid. Old 3A Kodak Junior. After 6pm 981-3934

726 Musical Instruments
BALDWIN Acrosonic Piano - excellent condition. \$1,299 or best offer. 651-1049

710 Misc. For Sale
Oakland County
ART FOR SALE - Yamagata & Erie prints. 851-5437

711 Misc. For Sale
Wayne County
CHAIN BINDERS, pulleys, construction wrenches, C-clamps, clevis chain hooks...

712 Appliances
AMANA REFRIGERATOR & STOVE
Whirlpool washer & dryer. Guaranteed & delivered available. \$69.95 & up. 928-1180

713 Bicycles - Sales & Repair
LADY'S 3 speed touring bike, 9 months old, \$100. Call Rochester Hills 656-9723

714 Business & Office Equipment
DISPLAY CABINETS, movable office partitions, shelving, and clothing racks. Call 421-0470

726 Musical Instruments
BALDWIN Acrosonic Piano - excellent condition. \$1,299 or best offer. 651-1049

727 Cellar Phones
MIDLAND CB at cellular base station. With cable, \$119. Brand new in box. 981-6871

730 Sporting Goods
EXERCISE BIKE, Schwinn Airway, \$350. FIREARMS INSTRUCTION- Personalized, friendly program. Recorders, 1989 TV, VCR, stereo, 2 speakers. Great condition. 937-8904

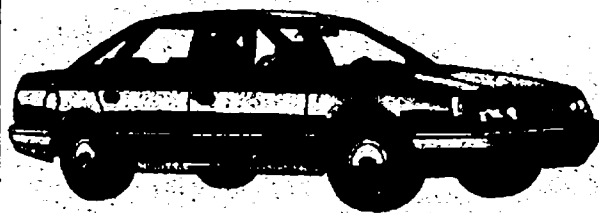
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SUNBIRD BOATS
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SPL 170 B/R w/88 H.P. Johnson and Custom Trailer \$8499
EUROSPORT I B/R w/175 H.P. OMC and Custom Trailer \$11,904
208 CUDDY w/130 H.P. OMC and Custom Trailer \$13,199
CORSICA 195 B/R w/130 H.P. OMC and Custom Trailer \$10,249
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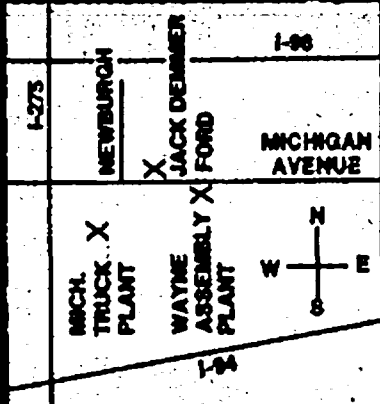
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 1989 F-150 XL Speed control, tilt wheel, stereo, auxiliary fuel tank, styled wheels, light group, headliner, tie group, chrome grille, power coast mirrors, convenience group. Stock #1488. WAS: \$13,207 NOW: \$9695*	 1989 ESCORT LX AIR Stereo, light group, power windows, interior wheel, rear defogger, digital clock, dual mirror, stock #1901. WAS: \$8687 NOW: \$7395* \$500 REBATE
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1989 RANGER 4x2 PICKUP
XLT trim, deluxe two-tone paint, XLT equipment group, headliner, deluxe wheel trim, 2.3 liter EFI engine, 5 speed manual overdrive transmission, P215 steel outlined white lettered all season tires, clearcoat paint, silver metallic accent. Stock #8758.
**WAS \$11,255
YOUR PRICE \$8294***

1989 TEMPO GL 2 DOOR
Air conditioning, power lock group, dual electric control mirrors, tilt wheel, rear window defogger, light group, 2.3 liter EFI engine, 5 speed manual transaxle, P185/70R14 white sidewall tires, speed control. Stock #2797.
**WAS \$11,195
YOUR PRICE \$7990***

NEW 1988 ESCORT
1.9 liter EFI 4 cylinder engine, P175/70R14 black sidewall tires, defogger, AM radio with 2 speakers. Stock #0914.
**WAS \$7255
YOUR PRICE \$5885***

1989 BRONCO XLT
Handling package, XLT trim, privacy glass, tachometer, light group, power door locks & windows, cloth captains chairs, air, P235/70R15 raised white lettered tires, AM/FM stereo cassette/clock, deluxe argon styled steel wheels, floor console, auto locking hubs, trailer towing package, deep shadow blue roof, rear window defogger, medium silver accent, two tone paint. Stock #8585.
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1989 F-150 4x2 PICKUP XLT
XLT letter trim, bright low mount swing away mirrors, convenience group, auxiliary fuel tank, headliner/nauton package, light group, AM/FM stereo/clock, speed control, tilt wheel, air, handling package, tachometer, sliding rear window, argon styled steel wheels, P235/70R15 XL black sidewall all season tires, chrome rear step bumper, 4.9 liter EFI engine, 5 speed manual overdrive transmission. Stock #7540.
**WAS \$14,394
YOUR PRICE \$9989***

1989 MUSTANG
Power lock group, AM/FM stereo cassette, speed control, styled road wheels, dual electric remote mirrors, power side windows, 2.3 liter EFI engine, 5 speed manual overdrive transmission, P185/70R14 black sidewall tires, tilt wheel, defogger, air conditioning. Stock #5831.
**WAS \$11,907
YOUR PRICE \$9295***

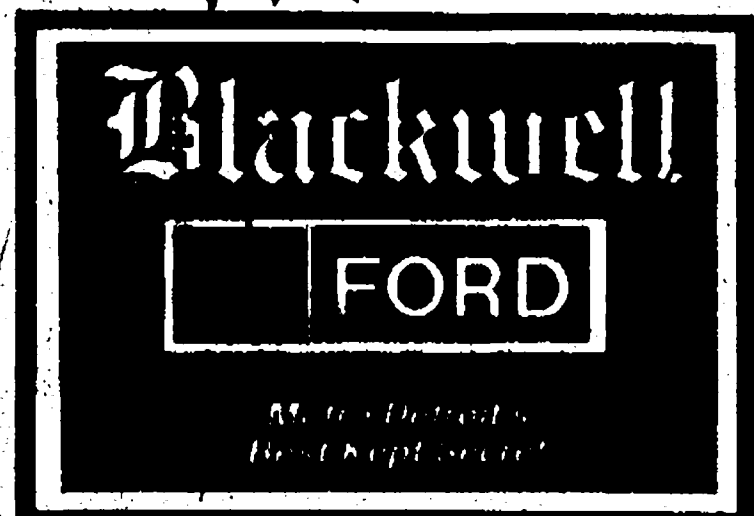
1989 TAURUS L 4 DOOR
3.0 liter EFI V-6 engine, automatic overdrive transmission, P205/70R14 black sidewall tires, rear window defogger, air conditioning, fitted wheel covers, power door locks. Stock #1987.
**WAS \$14,093
YOUR PRICE \$11,983***

1989 AEROSTAR
Dual captains chairs, 7 passenger, air, privacy glass, rear window washer/wiper, speed control, tilt wheel, 3.0 liter engine, automatic overdrive transmission, P215/70R-14SL black sidewall all season tires, rear window defogger. Stock #8906.
**WAS \$15,487
YOUR PRICE \$12,141***

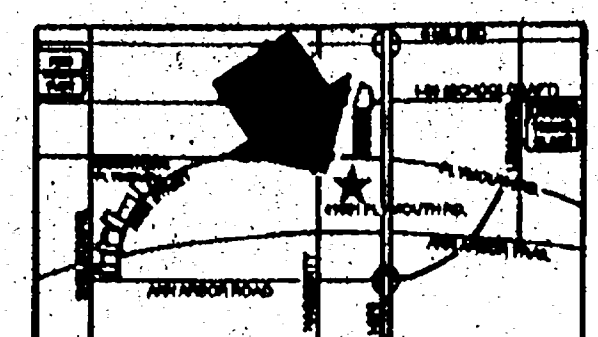
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S U B U R B A N L I F E ' S
MONTHLY ALBUM

Monday February 20, 1989

Just for brides

The Monthly Album is published the third Monday of each month for the announcements of engagements and weddings.

Engagement announcements will be accepted no later than 45 days prior to the wedding. Wedding announcements must be submitted with 60 days following the wedding. All announcements are run on a space available, first-come, first-served basis.

Photos submitted should be black and white glossy, preferably 5-by-7 inches in size. Color photos can be submitted, and will be accepted, but they do not reproduce as well.

Due to the volume of photographs handled, the newspaper will not be responsi-

ble for any that may get lost or damaged. Photos can be picked up in the office where the information was submitted after publication. Or, if a self-addressed, sufficiently stamped envelope is received with the photo, it will be returned.

Engagement and wedding announcements pertinent to Livonia, Redford, Garden City and Westland are to be addressed to Sue Mason, Livonia Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

Engagement and wedding announcements pertinent to Farmington and Farmington Hills are to be addressed to Loraine McClish, Farmington Observer, 33203 Grand River, Farmington 48024.

Mason can be reached by calling 691-2300. McClish can be reached by calling 477-5450.



On the cover. . .

Milene Alestra and Douglas Plisko were married by the Rev. John Esper in Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church in Farmington. She is the daughter of Marlene and Michael Alestra Jr. of Farmington Hills and he is the son of Marion and Thomas Plisko of Farmington Hills.

The wedding photo on the cover was taken by Michele Jakacki, of Focal Point Studio, after the ceremony and before the couple received guests in Fairlane Manor, on the grounds of Farmington Historical Museum in downtown Farmington.

The bride and groom are both graduates of Farmington High School. She holds a cosmetology degree and is employed as a

nail technician. He is an electrician with Rollinger Electric in Southfield. They are making their home in Novi.

The walls of Focal Point Studio, at 33431 Grand River in downtown Farmington, are lined with award-winning photographs and their accompanying blue ribbons, many of them taken for wedding albums.

Jakacki said she is always on the lookout for beauty spots around the home, the church or synagogue, where the reception takes place, or even coming or going from those sites, to give the bride and groom the most attractive of backgrounds for their keepsake photographs.

Ewald-Manley

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Ewald of Farmington Hills announce the engagement of their daughter, Ann Margret, to Michael Patrick Manley, son of Dr. Frank J. Manley of Laguna Niguel, Calif., and Rosina T. Manley of Flint.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Mercy High School and Aquinas College, in Grand Rapids, and is now an elementary school teacher in Milford. Her fiancé is a graduate of Flint Powers Catholic High School and Aquinas College where he was an All-American baseball player. He is a student at the University of Detroit School of Law.

A July wedding is planned in St. Fabian Catholic Church, Farmington Hills.



Altenberger-Vogt

Amy Carole Altenberger of Dublin, Ohio, and Richard Daniel Vogt of Washington, D.C., were recently married at St. Edith Catholic Church in Livonia.

She is the daughter of George and Carole Altenberger of Livonia. He is the son of Heinrich and Sigrid Vogt of Grand Blanc, Mich.

The bride is a 1983 graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School and a 1987 graduate of Michigan State University. She is employed by Honda of America in Marysville, Ohio.

The groom is a 1981 graduate of Fenton High School and a 1985 graduate of Michigan State University. He is currently a graduate student at Ohio State University in Columbus.

The couple are making their home in Dublin.



Uscinowicz-Johnson

Anna Marie Uscinowicz of Conway, S.C., and Bruce Calvin Johnson, also of Conway, are planning a spring wedding at St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Myrtle Beach, S.C.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Uscinowicz of Westland. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rivers Johnson of McBee, S.C.

The bride-to-be is a 1981 graduate of

Eastern Michigan University and is employed as a clinical dietitian by HPI Healthcare Services at Loris Community Hospital in Loris, S.C.

Her fiancé received his bachelor of science degree in 1979 and master of science degree in 1987 from Clemson University. He is employed as a county agent through Clemson's Cooperative Extension Agency.

Cowsert-Plater

Colleen Marie Cowsert of Livonia and Robert Plater of Union Lake are planning a late April wedding at Our Lady of the Shrine Chapel in Orchard Lake.

She is the daughter of Larry and Carolyn Cowsert of Livonia. He is the son of Robert and Rosemary Plater of Union Lake.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Livonia Bentley High School and Control Data Institute.

Her fiancé is a graduate of the University of Detroit High School and Control Data Institute.



Mantyla-Mertz

Julia Mantyla of Farmington and Karl Mantyla of Grosse Pointe Farms announce the engagement of their daughter Andrea to James M. Mertz, son of Dr. and Mrs. Donald Mertz of Frankenmuth.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Farmington High School and University of Michigan-Dearborn. Her fiancé is a graduate of Frankenmuth High School and Albion College. Both are working toward their doctoral degrees in University of Michigan School of Dentistry.

An August wedding is planned in St. Lorenz Lutheran Church, Frankenmuth.



Lim-Arena

Deborah Lee Lim of Farmington Hills and Anthony Paul (Nino) Arena of Marietta, Ga., plan a March wedding at the Chinese Community Church.

She is the daughter of Patricia Carroll of Detroit and Willia Quan Lim of San Francisco, Calif. He is the son of Andrew and Mildred Arena of Garden City.

The bride-to-be is a professional model and owner/designer for La Shong Designer Wear. She also has studied criminal justice at Schoolcraft Community College.

Her fiancé is an intern at the Life Chiropractic College in Marietta.



Drda-Klein

Monica Drda of Wray, Colo., and Raymond Klein of Aurora, Colo., are planning a summer wedding.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Drda of Avon, Ohio. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Klein of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a 1982 graduate of Lorain (Ohio) Catholic High School and Walsh College in Canton, Ohio, where she received her bachelor of arts degree in

education. She is employed as a teacher by the Yuma Schools in Idalia, Colo.

Her fiancé is a 1979 graduate of Bentley High School and a 1984 graduate of Michigan Technological University, where he received his mechanical engineering degree. He received his master's degree in mechanical engineering in 1987 from the University of Washington. He is employed by OEA Inc. in Denver, Colo.

Ryzinski

Stan and Helen Ryzinski of Livonia recently observed their 40th wedding anniversary.

The couple have lived in Livonia for 33 years. They exchanged their wedding vows on Sept. 21, 1938.

The Ryzinskis have four children — Carol of Livonia, Gay Corey and her husband, Bob, of Royal Oak, Stan Jr. of Houston, Texas, and Jeff of Los Angeles, Calif. They have one grandson, Nicholas Corey.

He is a six-year retiree of Bordon's. The couple enjoy traveling in their van and dancing.

Randall-Inman

Paula Marie Inman and Richard Duane Randall were married by the Rev. Edward Belczak in Mercy Chapel. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Inman of Farmington Hills and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Randall of West Bloomfield.

The bride's white satin gown was fashioned with cathedral train, trimmed with crystals and pearls.

Tracey Krajenke served as matron of honor with bridesmaids Kathleen Murphy, Shanna Sanford, Mary Lowamn, Shannon Staseon and Cindy Chavez.

Michael Randall served as best man with groomsmen John Miller, Thomas Mungons, Paul Inman, Jeff Vezina and Steve Krajenke.

The bride is a graduate of Mercy High School and is self-employed. The groom is a graduate of West Bloomfield High School and now serving in the U.S. Army Signal Corps.

The couple received guests in Plum Hollow Golf Club before leaving on a Caribbean cruise. They are making their home in Scottsdale, Ariz.



Mindick

Ralph and Dorothy Mindick of Livonia were the guests of honor at a 40th wedding anniversary party held at the Hyatt Regency in Dearborn.

Seventeen-year-residents of Livonia, the couple exchanged wedding vows on Sept. 24, 1948, in Cleveland, Ohio.

The couple have three children — Carol Jain of Ann Arbor, Richard of Westland and Ronald of Redford — and three grandchildren.

He is a retiree of General Motors' Detroit Diesel Allison. The couple are active in the ELKS and DAV and St. Aidan's Catholic Church.

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Thiede-Sulek

Mary Elizabeth Thiede and William C. Thiede, both of Colorado Springs, Colo., announce the engagement of their daughter Michelle Marie to Michael Sulek, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Sulek of Farmington Hills.

The bride-to-be is a student at University of Northern Colorado in Greeley. Her fiancé is a graduate of the Air Force Academy and is a 2nd lieutenant stationed at Onizuka Air Force Base, Calif.

An August wedding is planned in the Air Force Academy Chapel.



McNamara-Kennedy

Erin Susan McNamara of Livonia and Robert Wallace Kennedy III of Farmington are planning a late April wedding at St. Genevieve Catholic Church in Livonia.

She is the daughter of Thomas and Nancy McNamara of Livonia. He is the son of Robert and Ann Kennedy Jr. of Redford Township.

The bride-to-be received her bachelor of business administration degree from Walsh College of Accounting in 1988. She is employed as a staff accountant at Federal APD in Farmington Hills.

Her fiancé received his bachelor of business administration degree from Eastern Michigan University in 1985. He is employed as a real estate agent by ERA - Orchard Hills in Farmington Hills.



Katlein-Millyard

Irv and Pat Katlein of Livonia announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Michelle Leigh, to Robert James Millyard, the son of Al and Maggie Millyard of Westland.

The couple will exchange vows at Westland Free Methodist Church.

The bride-to-be is a 1985 graduate of Livonia Franklin High School. She is employed by Giffels Associates Inc.

Her fiancé is a 1985 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School. He is employed by Art's Courtesy Industrial Catering.



Shear-Schwartz

Christopher and Dee Hartman of Wayne and Herbert Shear of Wyoming, Mich., announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Michelle Lee, to James Charles Schwartz of Plymouth.

The couple will exchange vows at the Livonia Assembly of God.

The bride-to-be is a 1988 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. She is employed by Harland in Livonia.

Her fiancé is a 1987 Plymouth Canton High School graduate and is employed by Card Support System in Taylor.



Klinec-Reid

Robin Lynn Klinec of Dearborn and Christopher Scott Reid of Redford are planning a mid-April wedding at Faith Lutheran Church in Livonia.

She is the daughter of Ronald and Patty Klinec of Livonia. He is the son of Wayne and Laurel Reid of Linden, Mich.

The bride is a 1983 graduate of Livonia Bentley High School and a 1987 graduate of Central Michigan University. She is employed at William H. McGee and Co. in Detroit.

Her fiancé is a 1984 graduate of Lutheran High School West. He currently is attending Henry Ford Community College and is employed at FTD world headquarters in Southfield.



Dristy-Alestra

Mr. and Mrs. Ross O. Dristy of Pontiac announce the engagement of their daughter Madeline Renee to Mark Michael Alestra, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Alestra Jr. of Farmington Hills.

The bride-to-be is employed with Ford Motor Credit Co. Her fiancé is a graduate of Lawrence Institute of Technology, employed with PMH Carramanning in West Bloomfield.

A May wedding is planned.



Grafton-Pinak

Mary Patricia Grafton of Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., and Ronald George Pinak, also of Palm Beach Gardens, were married at St. Francis of Assisi Church in Riviera Beach, Fla. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grafton of Palm Beach Gardens. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pinak of Redford Township.

The bride is a 1977 graduate of Cardinal Newman High School and a 1981 graduate of Florida State University. She is employed as membership director by Great Bear Lakes Country Club.

The groom is a 1976 graduate of Thurston High School and a 1979 graduate of Henry Ford Community College. He is employed as a product designer by Pratt and Whitney Aircraft Corp.



Gunnell-Adams

The Word of Life Christian Center in Akron, Ohio, was the setting for the marriage of Dori Rosina Gunnells of Akron and Kevin Douglas Adams of Westland. The bride is the daughter of Huey and Naomi Gunnells of Akron. The groom is the son of Velma Adams of Westland and the late David J. Adams.

The bride is a graduate of Coventry High School. She is employed as a flight attendant with Northwest Airlines.

The groom is a graduate of John Glenn High School and works in ground services for Northwest Airlines.

The couple lives in Westland.



Harris-Magaddino

Diane Magaddino and Ronald C. Harris were married in Peace Lutheran Church in Waterford. She is the daughter of Margaret Magaddino of Farmington Hills and the late Sam Magaddino. He is the son of Edgar and Mary Harris of Farmington Hills.

The bride and groom are both graduates of North Farmington High School. She is now a student at Eastern Michigan University. He is a graduate of Michigan Career Institute and is employed with a local Ford dealership.



Paulus-Reams

Leann Renee Reams of Canton and Michael Lloyd Paulus of Farmington Hills were married Jan. 7 at the Brightmoor Tabernacle in Southfield. The Rev. Greg Horvath and the Rev. Lindsey Smith performed the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Perrell of Greensboro, N.C., Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Reams of Canton and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Paulus of Saginaw.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Michigan-Dearborn, where she studied industrial and systems engineering.

Her husband is a graduate of Saginaw Valley State University. He is employed as a systems engineer with EDS People Systems Division in Southfield.

Sister of the bride Lori Reams was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Miha Bodea, Laurie Tutag and sisters of the bride Shelli Pintore and Sherri Pintore.

Brother of the bridegroom John Paulus was the best man. The groomsmen were Lavan Smith, Bradley Minar, David Frownfeller and Timothy Theisen.

For her wedding, the bride wore a white organza gown with a cathedral train with



satin roses and a hand-beaded bodice. Her bouquet was made of white carnations and soft pink roses with ivy and baby's breath.

A reception was held at the Brightmoor Tabernacle.

Following a wedding trip to the Poconos in Pennsylvania, the newlyweds are making their home in Farmington Hills.

Farmer-Harmon

Lisa Ann Farmer and Alan Glenn Harmon, both of Livonia, are planning an April wedding at St. Priscilla's Catholic Church.

She is the daughter of Dennis and Susanne Farmer of Livonia. He is the son of Jack and Sidney Harmon, also of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a 1984 graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School and a 1988 graduate of Schoolcraft Community College. She is employed by the Gasser & Bush Sales Agency in Livonia.

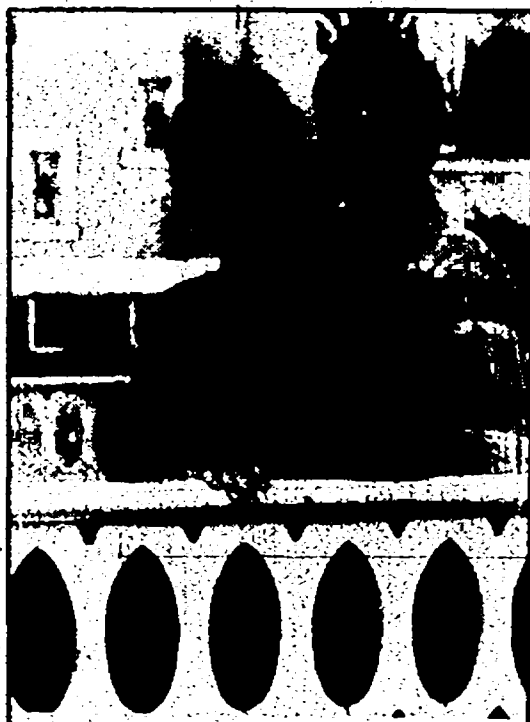
Her fiance is a 1983 Stevenson High graduate. He received his emergency medical technician license from Madonna College and is currently studying fire science at the college. He is employed by the W.E.R. Engle Co.



Cooper-Warkoczeski

Kelly Mary Cooper and Michael Alan Warkoczeski, both of Farmington Hills, plan an April wedding in Church of the Holy Family, Novi. She is the daughter of Harvey Cooper of Daytona Beach and the late Barbara Cooper. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Warkoczeski of Grand Rapids.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of the University of Illinois and is employed with BDO Seidman. Her fiancé is a graduate of Aquinas College and is a systems engineer for EDS Corp.



Urbonas-Johnson

Julie Urbonas and Christopher Johnson were married at Grace Lutheran Church in Redford. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Urbonas of Livonia. The groom is the son of Mrs. Rae Johnson of St. Johns and the late Kenneth L. Johnson.

The bride received her bachelor of business administration degree from the University of Michigan. She is employed by Unysys.

The groom also received his bachelor of business administration degree from the University of Michigan. He is employed by ITT Commercial Finance Corp.

They are living in Atlanta, Ga.



Fetter-Baron

Jill Marie Fetter of Livonia and Richard Mark Baron of Westland were recently married at St. Theodore Catholic Church in Westland. The bride is the daughter of Roy and Sharon Fetter of Livonia. The groom is the son of Frank and Pat Baron.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Michigan-Dearborn and is employed by Molmec Corp.

The groom is a graduate of Henry Ford College and is employed by AMC Chrysler.



Capen-Bucholz

Kimberly Lane Capen married John Bucholz at Holy Cross Evangelical Lutheran Church in Livonia. The bride is the daughter of Thomas and Gloria St. Germain of Westland. The groom is the son of Barry and Stella Bucholz, also of Westland.

The bride is a 1984 graduate of John Glenn High School and is studying elementary education at Lansing Community College.

Her husband also is a 1984 John Glenn High School graduate and is employed as service department manager at Advanced Media Services in Livonia. He also is a licensed real estate agent.

The couple is living in St. Johns, Mich.



Carpenter-Polidori

Deddy E. Carpenter of Dexter and David Polidori of Redford Township were married at the West Side United Methodist Church in Ann Arbor. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carpenter of Dexter. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carlo Polidori of Redford Township.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Detroit Law School. The groom received his bachelor's degree from Eastern Michigan University.



Richards-Anstett

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Richards of Wyandotte announce the engagement of their daughter Monica Lynn to Paul Andrew Anstett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Anstett of Farmington Hills.

The bride-to-be graduated from Theodore Roosevelt High School in Wyandotte, attended Michigan State University and graduated from Henry Ford Community College. She is employed by Guaranty Federal Savings Bank. Her fiancé graduated from Detroit Catholic Central High School and Michigan State University. He is employed by Highland Superstores in Novi.

A September wedding is planned in St. Stephen Episcopal Church, Wyandotte.



Little-Borbi

Sybil L. Little of Lake Orion and Donald L. Little of Pontiac announce the engagement of their daughter Mary Rea to Matthew John Borbi, son of John J. Borbi of Farmington and Catherine E. O'Connor of Stuart, Fla.

A May wedding is planned in Fort Street Presbyterian Church.



Dluski-Bitterman

Marilyn Patricia Dluski of Livonia and Mark Anthony Bitterman of Sterling Heights recently were wed at St. Martha's Episcopal Church in Detroit. Revs. Emery F. Gravelle and Wayne E. Boyd officiated.

She is the daughter of John and Dorothy Dluski of Livonia.

The bride holds an associate's degree from Schoolcraft Community College and is a commercial art student at Madonna College. She is employed in the advertising department of First Federal of Michigan.

The groom, a graduate of Detroit Pershing High School, is employed by The Detroit Free Press.

The couple now lives in Sterling Heights.



Eggenberger-Hoots

Carolyn Anne Hoots of Farmington Hills and Dr. Eric R. Eggenberger of Birmingham were married at Mercy Chapel, Farmington Hills. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Hoots of Farmington Hills. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eggenberger of Birmingham.

The bride is a graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School, Michigan State University and Central Michigan University.

The groom is a graduate of Andover High School, Michigan State University and the Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine.

They are making their home in Wheaton, Ill.



Birmingham-Marshall

Patricia Ann Birmingham of Westland and Brian Dale Marshall, also of Westland, were wed recently at Martha Mary Chapel in Greenfield Village. Dennis Powers officiated.

She is the daughter of Marion L. Birmingham of Westland and the late Charles C. Birmingham. He is the son of Elizabeth R. Marshall of Utica.

The bride is a 1978 graduate of Schoolcraft Community College. She is employed as a registered nurse at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

The groom is employed by the Ford Motor Co. and is attending Madonna College in Livonia.



Clemm-Ketko

Sharon Jean Clemm and Lt. Lance McGregor Ketko were married Dec. 3 at the First Presbyterian Church in Del Rio, Texas. The Rev. George Stewart officiated.

She is the daughter of Wayne and Barbara Clemm of San Antonio, Texas. He is the son of Ronald and Nancy Ketko of Livonia.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Maryland in Munich, Germany. She currently works with children who have learning disabilities.

The groom attended Livonia Bentley High School and graduated from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University and the U.S. Air Force Officers School. He presently is a T-38 instructor pilot.



Bibik-Berger

Maxine and Daniel Bibik of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter Katherine to Robert D. Berger, son of Maxine Berger of Detroit.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Clarenceville High School, employed with CIGNA Insurance Company in Southfield. Her fiancé is a graduate of Redford Union High School and is employed with Lakewood Landscaping in Detroit.

A June wedding is planned in Redford Lutheran Church, Detroit.



Smith-Lindberg

Joe Smith of Muskegon and Joyce Smith of Redford announce the engagement of their daughter Michele to Craig Lindberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lindberg of Farmington Hills.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of the University of Michigan. Her fiancé is a graduate of Harrison High School and the University of Michigan, employed with Motorola in Phoenix, Ariz.

A July wedding is planned in Faith Covenant Church, Farmington Hills.



Guziatek-Trojniak

Lynette Marie Guziatek of Redford and Brian Arthur Trojniak of Dearborn are planning an April wedding at St. Francis D'Assisi Catholic Church.

She is the daughter of Richard and Lorraine Guziatek of Redford. He is the son of Edward and Barbara Trojniak of Mount Clemens.

The bride-to-be received her bachelor of science degree in nursing from Wayne State University and is pursuing her master of science degree in nursing from that same university. She is employed as assistant administrative manager in the oncology nursing department at Harper Hospital in Detroit.

Her fiancé received a bachelor of science degree from Michigan State University and a bachelor of science degree in medical science from the University of Iowa. A graduate student pursuing a master of business administration degree at Wayne State University, he is employed as a physician assistant in the department of medicine at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit.



Johnson-Scheff

Kelly L. Johnson of Oxnard, Calif., and Timothy Scheff, also of Oxnard, were recently married at St. Paul of the Cross Church.

The bride is the daughter of Bob and Judi Johnson of Livonia. The groom is the son of Larry and Jan Scheff of Adrian.

The bride is employed as a HMO insurance coordinator with Peterson Medical Clinic. The groom is employed by Digital Electronic Automation Inc.



O'Shaughnessy-Corbell

Vivien O'Shaughnessy and Frank E. Corbell, both of Westland, were married at the First United Methodist Church of Garden City. The bride is the daughter of Dennis and Gertrude O'Shaughnessy of Westland. The groom is the son of Frank and Joyce Corbell of Westland.

The bride is a 1982 graduate of Livonia Franklin High School and is employed at St. Jude's Convalescent Center in Livonia.

The groom is a 1972 graduate of John Glenn High School and is employed by Kirk Enterprises.



Walden-Miller

Wendi Marie Walden and John Arnett Miller, both of Dexter, were married at the Dexter United Methodist Church. The bride is the daughter of Stanley and Ann Walden of Dexter, formerly of Livonia. The groom is the son of John and Julie Miller of Dexter.

The bride is a 1981 graduate of Dexter High School and a 1985 graduate of Michigan State University, where she received her bachelor of arts degree in psychology. She is employed by Arbor Foods Inc. in West Bloomfield.

The groom is a 1981 graduate of Dexter High School and is attending Eastern Michigan University. He is employed by Kelsey-Hayes in Romulus.



Nye-Petretich

Michelle L. Nye and Robert Petretich were married at St. Edith Catholic Church in Livonia. The bride is the daughter of Paul and Mary Nye of Livonia. The groom is the son of Maria Petretich of Flushing, N.Y., and the late Mario Petretich.

The bride is a 1985 graduate of Churchill High School and attended Eastern Michigan University. She is employed as a sales consultant for a computer firm in San Diego, Calif.

The groom is a 1979 graduate of Jamaica High School and Queensboro City College. He is serving in the U.S. Navy and is stationed in San Diego.

They are making their home in that southern California community.



Abela-Pelkie

Patricia Anne Abela of Livonia and Ronald Keith Pelkie of Lansing were married at St. Timothy Presbyterian Church. The bride is the daughter of Joseph and Patricia Abela of Livonia. The groom is the son of James and Marilyn Ryan of Gwinn, Mich.

The bride is a 1988 graduate of Michigan State University and is employed by the MSU Credit Union in Lansing.

Her husband is also a Michigan State graduate and is employed by Quality Dairy in Lansing.



Walker-Tarter

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Walker of Garden City announce the marriage of their daughter, Robin Lynn, to Dr. S. Keith Tarter, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Tarter of St. Louis, Mo. The ceremony was held at the First United Methodist Church of Franklin, Tenn.

The couple now live in Franklin, Tenn.



West-Koch

Deborah Ann West of Redford and John Michael Koch of Detroit were recently married at Hosanna-Tabor Lutheran Church in Redford. The bride is the daughter of Raymond and Donna West of Redford.

A reception for the newlyweds was held at the Bonnie Brook Country Club. It preceded a honeymoon trip to the Bahamas.



Hamilton-Marks

Cathy Ann Hamilton of Ann Arbor and Kurt William Marks of Gregory were married at St. Paul's Church of Christ in Chelsea. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamilton Jr. of Chelsea. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marks Jr. of Livonia.

The bride is a graduate of Chelsea High School and holds a master's degree in business administration from Eastern Michigan University. She is employed by the Travis Pointe Country Club in Ann Arbor.

The groom is a graduate of Churchill High School and is employed by Raycon Corp. in Ann Arbor.



Curtis-Crowder

Diane Marie Curtis of Canton Township and Thomas Warren Crowder of Westland were married at St. John Neumann Catholic Church. The bride is the daughter of David and Ronni Curtis of Canton Township. The groom is the son of Thomas and Phyllis Crowder of Plymouth.

The bride is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and Oakland Community College. She is employed as a sales consultant for Master Lighting in Canton Township.

The groom, a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School, is working on a business degree at Eastern Michigan University. He is employed as a brand manager for Action Distributing in Livonia.



Fladby-Wahrman

Ann Valerie Wahrman and Kenneth Fladby were married in Edgewood Country Club, Lake Tahoe, Nev. She is the daughter of Donald and Lynn Wahrman of Farmington Hills and he is the son of Kaare and Leila Fladby of San Luis Obispo, Calif.

The couple were attended by Sara Wahrman, Derrick Jeldirks, Glen Wahrman and Paul Wahrman.

The bride is a graduate of North Farmington High School and Broward College in Fort Lauderdale, Fla. She is employed with Sheraton Corp. The groom is a graduate of California Polytechnic Institute.

The couple received guests in the country club after the ceremony before leaving on a trip to Tahiti. They are making their home in Mission Viejo, Calif.



Akerman-Weaver

Community Church of God in Westland was the setting for the recent marriage of Debi Akerman and Dennis Weaver, both of Westland.

The bride is the daughter of Mary Saunders of Lake Orion. The groom is the son of Curtis and Lettie Weaver of Detroit.



Marriott-Dziadzio

Jacqueline Ann Marriott and Douglas Gerard Dziadzio plan an April wedding at St. Francis Church in Ann Arbor.

She is the daughter of Wallace and Catherine Marriott of DeWitt. He is the son of Ronald and Rita Dziadzio of Westland.

The bride-to-be is a 1982 graduate of DeWitt High School and a 1986 graduate of the University of Michigan. She is employed as a telecommunications specialist with Electronic Data Systems in Southfield.

Her fiancé is a 1981 graduate of Dearborn Divine Child High School and a 1986 graduate of the U-M. He is employed as chief controls engineer for the Ann Arbor Machine Co.



Weldon-Kurgan

Michelle Diane Weldon of Westland and Michael David Kurgan of Garden City are planning a mid-June wedding.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Schear of Southgate and Tom Weldon of Westland. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Kurgan of Garden City.

The bride-to-be is a 1985 graduate of Southgate High School. She is employed by North Brothers Ford in Westland.

Her fiancé is a 1985 graduate of Garden City West High School. He is employed as a welder by BMC Manufacturing in Plymouth.



Greenfield-Werts

Mary Margaret Greenfield and Scott David Werts, both of Westland, are planning a May 1989 wedding at Mercy Center Chapel in Farmington Hills.

She is the daughter of Henry and Mariah Greenfield of Westland. He is the son of Marlene Werts, also of Westland.

The bride-to-be is a 1985 John Glenn High School graduate. She is employed as a flight attendant by Northwest Airlines.

Her fiancé is a 1983 John Glenn High School graduate and a 1988 graduate of the Detroit Institute of Aeronautics. He holds Federal Aviation Administration licenses in aircraft airframe and power plant. He is employed at Piedmont and Zantop Airlines.



Weaver-Donohue

Jill Suzanne Weaver of Livonia and James William Donohue Jr. of Dearborn are planning an April wedding at Ward Presbyterian Church in Livonia.

She is the daughter of Robert and MaryLou Weaver of Livonia. He is the son of James and Joanne Donohue of Dearborn.

The bride-to-be is a 1982 graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School and a 1986 graduate of Central Michigan University, where she received a bachelor of science degree in business administration. She is employed as a claims adjuster with Amerisure Insurance Co.

Her fiancé is a 1981 graduate of Dearborn High School and a 1986 graduate of Central Michigan University, where he received a bachelor of science degree in business administration. He is employed as an account executive for the food brokerage firm of Paul Inman and Associates.



Collins-Lemanski

Brenda Ellenn Collins of Lansing and Gregory Michael Lemanski of East Lansing plan an April wedding at the People's Church in East Lansing.

She is the daughter of Emmitt and Eileen Collins of Pinconning. He is the son of Leonard and Barbara Lemanski of Farmington.

The bride-to-be is a 1986 graduate of Central Michigan University, where she received a bachelor of applied arts in public relations and journalism. She is employed with Pitney Bowes in Lansing.

Her fiancé is a 1984 graduate of Albion College with a bachelor of arts degree in economics and communications. He owns a State Farm Insurance agency in Lansing.



Bokovoy-Gries

Lisa Ann Bokovoy of Livonia and J. Raymond Gries III, also of Livonia, are planning a July wedding at St. Colette Catholic Church, Livonia.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Bokovoy of Livonia. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Gries Jr. of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a 1985 graduate of Stevenson High School and will graduate in May from the University of Kentucky with a degree in accounting. She will work for the firm of Deloitte, Haskins & Sells of Detroit, beginning in June.

Her fiancé is a 1982 graduate of Redford Catholic Central High School and a 1986 graduate of Lake Superior State University, where he majored in accounting. He is the manager of financial services at DDB Needham Worldwide in Detroit.



Starr-Recker

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Starr of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne Victoria, to James Matthew Recker, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter E. Recker of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a 1980 graduate of Stevenson High School and a 1985 graduate of Ferris State University. She is employed as a dental hygienist in Dearborn Heights.

Her fiancé is a 1980 graduate of Stevenson High School and a 1987 graduate of the University of Michigan Law School. He is a practicing attorney with the Chicago law firm of Sidley and Austin.

The couple will wed in May at St. Colette Catholic Church, Livonia.



Underwood-Crynick

Dean and Sandra Underwood of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Dena Kay, to George Michael Crynick, the son of George and Carol Crynick, also of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a 1988 graduate of Stevenson High School.

Her fiancé is a 1986 Stevenson High School graduate. He is employed by the Ford Motor Co.

No wedding date has been set.



Shaw-Schulte

Mary Patricia Shaw of Livonia and David Kenneth Schulte of Royal Oak plan an April wedding at St. Gemma Church.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shaw of Livonia. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Schulte of Roseville.

The bride-to-be is a management employee at the First of America Bank in Birmingham.

Her fiancé is employed as an investment consultant for Pension Portfolio Advisors.



McMillan-Hurst

Katherine McMillan and Daniel T. Hurst, both formerly of Westland, are planning a May wedding at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Remus, Mich.

Their engagement was announced by their respective children, CICI, Mark and Kay.

The bride-to-be recently completed work on a bachelor of science degree in criminal justice at Ferris State College and is completing requirements for a bachelor of social work degree.

Her fiancé is a retiree of Electrical Workers Union Local 58. He currently is involved in numerous building projects.



Seyuin-Marchione

Christine Marie Seyuin of Redford and Jay Adam Marchione of Livonia are planning a mid-July wedding at St. Paul Presbyterian Church.

She is the daughter of Mary Seyuin of Redford and Jay Seyuin of Westland. He is the son of Frank and June Marchione of Redford.

The bride-to-be is a 1984 graduate of Redford Union High School. She is employed by John Laffrey's of Detroit.

Her fiancé is a 1982 Redford Union High School graduate. He is employed by Blackwell Ford in Plymouth.



DiDomenieo-Romans

Vince and Maria DiDomenieo of Dearborn Heights announce the engagement of their daughter, Lucia L., to John M. Romans Jr., the son of John and Natalie Romans Sr. of Livonia.

The couple is planning a 1990 wedding. The bride-to-be is a graduate of Crestwood High School. She is employed as a hair stylist at Bruno's.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School and is attending the University of Michigan-Dearborn. He owns his own vending company.



Ministrelli-D'Agostino

Ginnelle Marie Ministrelli of Novi and Joseph Mario D'Agostino of Livonia are planning an August 1990 wedding at Sts. Peter and Paul Cathedral in Detroit.

She is the daughter of Lewis Ministrelli of Novi and Jeannie Ministrelli of Redford. He is the son of John and Giovanna D'Agostino of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a 1984 graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School. She is employed by Highland Management in Southfield.

Her fiancé is a 1986 Livonia Stevenson High School graduate. He is employed by Jon Carlo Inc.



Iavasile-Carpenter

Christa Marie Iavasile of Livonia and Larry Eldon Carpenter of Wells, Maine, are planning an October wedding at St. Theodore Catholic Church in Westland.

She is the daughter of Sebastian and Barbara Iavasile of Livonia. He is the son of Larry and Andrea Carpenter of Grand Blanc, Mich.

The bride-to-be is a 1984 graduate of Livonia Bentley High School and a 1988 graduate of Central Michigan University. She currently is pursuing a master's degree in audiology at Wayne State University in Detroit.

Her fiancé is a 1983 graduate of Grand Blanc High School and a 1988 graduate of Central Michigan University. He is employed at the Shawmutt Inn in Kennebunkport, Maine.



Woodrum-Mann

Lynette Marie Woodrum of Westland and Randolph Vern Mann, also of Westland, are planning a late June wedding at the First Church of the Nazarene in Farmington.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Woodrum of Westland. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mann of Highland, Mich.

The bride-to-be earned an associates degree in secretarial science from Central College in McPherson, Kan. She is employed at World Wide Growers Inc. in Farmington Hills.

Her fiancé holds a bachelor of arts degree in biology from Olivet Nazarene University. He is employed by Wayne State University in Detroit.



Norton-Lee

L.C. Greenwood-Norton of Redford and Dr. Jeffrey K. Lee of Howell are planning a mid-June wedding at the Fox Hills Country Club.

She is the daughter of Raymond and Margaret Norton of Redford.

The bride-to-be is a 1985 communications graduate of Creative Concepts. She is employed by the McDonalds Corp.

Her fiancé is a 1988 graduate of the National College of Chiropractic. He is in practice with Dr. Timothy Robinson in Redford.



Festerman

Former Redford Township residents Howard and Virginia Festerman gathered with family and friends recently at the Botsford Inn to celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary.

The reception was held Sept. 3 for the Festermans, who now live in Roscommon, Mich.

They have a son and daughter and two grandsons.

Schrader

Roy and Gertrude Schrader of Livonia recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

since 1951, were married in Detroit on Nov. 21, 1938.

The couple, who have lived in Livonia

They have two sons, Robert and Ronald.

Pietryka-Gase

Deborah Ann Pietryka of Garden City and Michael Gerald Gase of Dearborn Heights are planning a May wedding at St. Dunstan Catholic Church in Garden City.

She is the daughter of Ron and Bonnie Pietryka of Garden City. He is the son of Ed and Valerie Sinnamon of Dearborn Heights.

The bride-to-be is a 1983 graduate of Garden City High School and a 1987 graduate of Mercy College of Detroit. She is employed as a registered nurse by Children's Hospital of Michigan.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Fordson High School. He is employed by the C.J. Tower Customs brokerage firm in Detroit.



Andrews

Edward and Lillian Andrews of Livonia celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Jan. 7.

The couple were wed on Jan. 7, 1939. She is the former Lillian Embury.

The couple have two children — Dennis Sr. of Milford and Andrea Hawker of Westland — and four grandchildren.

He is a retiree of the Burroughs Corp., where he worked for 31 years. She is a retiree of the Livonia Public Schools, where she was employed as a secretary for 23 years.



Ryan-Urbanski

Renee Marie Ryan of Dearborn and Steven Jerome Urbanski of Ann Arbor are planning a mid-June wedding at the Greenfield Congregational Church in Dearborn.

She is the daughter of Henry and Patricia Ryan of Dearborn. He is the son of Rose Urbanski of Livonia and the late Jerome Urbanski.

The bride-to-be is a 1981 graduate of Edsel Ford High School in Dearborn.

Her fiancé is a 1976 graduate of Livonia Franklin High School and a 1982 graduate of the University of Michigan, where he received his bachelor of science degree. He is employed at GSE in Farmington Hills.



Lubig

Joseph and Irene Lubig of Redford recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

The couple exchanged their wedding vows on Oct. 8, 1938, at St. Monica's Church in Detroit.

The Lubigs were the guests of honor at a dinner reception at the Crabble Joe's Restaurant in Dearborn. The party was given by their children — Joseph and Irene Lubig, John and Connie Ferranti; Chris and Donna Stuber — Peter Zurow and their 10 grandchildren.

The Lubigs have lived in Redford Township for 48 years. Both retirees, he enjoys building things and helping others. Her hobbies include bowling, golfing and volunteer work.



Kromer-Vidusic

Amanda S. Kromer of Riverview and Ralph G. Vidusic of Livonia plan an October wedding at St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Trenton.

She is the daughter of Dr. Charles and Janet Kromer of Riverview. He is the son of George and Frances Vidusic of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a 1982 graduate of Riverview High School and a 1986 graduate of the University of Michigan. She currently is a candidate for a master of business administration degree at Wayne State University and is employed as a loss reserve analyst for the Automobile Club of Michigan.

Her fiancé is a 1980 graduate of Livonia Franklin High School and a 1984 graduate of the University of Michigan. He is an investment adviser and partner with Mutual Service Corp.



Frommert

Marvin and Eleanor Frommert of Livonia recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a dinner reception for 85 people held at the Regency West in Redford.

The celebration was given by their daughter and son-in-law, Marilyn and Del Wilbert.

Natives of Detroit, the couple was married on Nov. 26, 1938. They have been residents of Livonia for 26 years.

He is a retiree of American Motors Corp., where he worked as an accountant. He also was an organist for St. James Lutheran Church in Detroit for 30 years. He is active in the Lions Club.

The couple are members of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Livonia.

The Frommerts have three grandchildren — David, Susan and Mark Wilbert of Livonia.



Hurst-Wolf

Mary Elizabeth Hurst and Michael John Wolf exchanged wedding vows Jan. 21 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Dexter. The Rev. David Howell officiated.

She is the daughter of Charles Hurst of North Lake, Mich. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wolf of Livonia.

The couple live in Livonia, following a honeymoon trip to Jamaica.



McKillop-Branch

Kathryn McKillop of Livonia and Jim Branch of Lansing are planning a mid-August wedding.

She is the daughter of David and Gail McKillop of Livonia. He is the son of Robert and Leslie Branch of East Grand Rapids.

The bride-to-be is a 1985 graduate of Livonia Churchill High School and currently is a senior, majoring in early child development, at Michigan State University.

Her fiancé is a 1984 graduate of East Grand Rapids' East High School and a 1988 graduate of Michigan State University, where he majored in engineering arts. He is employed as an account processing specialist by NCR Corp. in Lansing.



Bell-Roop

Kathy Marie Bell of Wayne and Alan Stephen Roop are planning a June wedding at Westland Full Gospel Assembly of God.

She is the daughter of Shirley A. Bell of Wayne and the late Charles E. Bell. He is the son of John and Florence Roop of Westland.

The bride-to-be is a 1980 graduate of Westland John Glenn High School. She is attending Schoolcraft Community College, where she is majoring in education. She is employed by Enhance Inc. as a program director at the Corwall Respite Center.

Her fiancé is a 1979 John Glenn graduate and a graduate of Lee Bible College, where he majored in music education. He is employed as an account executive by Baby World & Teens.

The couple will attend Berean Bible College in January.



Cudnik-Stonerock

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cudnik of Ypsilanti announce the engagement of their daughter, Dawn Marie, to Mark Robert Stonerock of Ypsilanti, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stonerock of Westland.

The bride-to-be is a 1986 graduate of Lincoln High School in Ypsilanti. She is attending Washtenaw Community College and plans to transfer to Eastern Michigan University to study business administration. She is employed as a medical secretary at the Center for Sports Medicine and Fitness.

Her fiancé is a 1981 graduate of John Glenn High School. He attended Michigan State University and graduated from Central Michigan University in 1987. He is employed as a certified athletic trainer and emergency medical technician at the Center for Sports Medicine and Fitness and as a trainer at Pinckney High School in Pinckney.

A November wedding is planned.



Sowder-Tingle

Melissa D. Sowder of Charlotte, N.C., and Randall A. Tingle of Livonia are planning a September wedding at Nardin Park United Methodist Church in Farmington Hills.

She is the daughter of Donna Sowder of Belleville and Don Sowder of Speedwell, Tenn. He is the son of Jack and Shirley Tingle of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a 1988 graduate of Central Michigan University. She is employed by Amerisure in Charlotte, N.C.

Her fiancé will graduate from Central Michigan this year. He currently is serving a commercial recreation internship in Fort Myers, Fla.



Wyborski-Naccash

The Rev. and Mrs. Nicholas Wyborski of Fairfax, Va., formerly of the Wayne-Westland area, announce the engagement of their daughter, Johanna Marie, to James Louis Naccash, the son Dr. and Mrs. Edmund Naccash of Virginia.

The bride-to-be attended St. Mary School in Wayne and St. John's Ukrainian School in Detroit. She is a 1988 graduate of the College of William and Mary, where she received the bachelor of business administration degree in accounting. She is employed by a tax accountant with Arthur Anderson and Co. in Washington, D.C.

Her fiancé is a 1978 graduate of Blue Ridge School in Dyke, Va., and attended Christendom College in Front Royal, Va. He is owner of Lord and Louis Services in Fairfax.

A late July wedding is planned.



Polak-Martin

Kathryn Anne Polak of Westland and Stephen Laurence Martin of Livonia are planning a September wedding at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Trenton.

She is the daughter of Andrew and Joan Polak of Trenton. He is the son of Robert and Ina Mae Matzo of Livonia and Laurence and Ruth Martin of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Trenton High School and the University of Michigan-Dearborn. She is employed as a senior assistant manager by the National Bank of Detroit.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and the University of Michigan-Dearborn. He is employed as a residential loan officer by Mayflower Mortgage Corp.



Efemenko-Zigman

Teresa Ann Efemenko and Thomas Gerard Zigman, both of Garden City, plan a June wedding at St. Mel's Catholic Church in Dearborn Heights.

She is the daughter of John Efemenko Jr. He is the son of Paul and Terese Zigman.

The bride-to-be is a 1988 graduate of the University of Michigan-Dearborn. She is employed by Plante & Moran, CPA, in Southfield.

Her fiancé is employed by Pareagon Restaurant Group as head chef at the Mountain Jacks Restaurant in Dearborn Heights.



Calcaterra-Chartrand

Kimberly Ann Calcaterra of Livonia and James A. Chartrand, also of Livonia, plan a mid-November wedding at St. Genevieve Catholic Church in Livonia.

She is the daughter of Ambrose and Shirley Calcaterra of Livonia. He is the son of Donald and Ina Chartrand.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Michigan State University. She is employed as an administrative assistant for a commodity broker in Southfield.

Her fiancé is employed as a maintenance worker by the Livonia Public Schools.



Kashian-Doenges

Kristine Ann Kashian of Redford Township and Scott William Doenges of Fruitport plan a mid-August wedding at Grace Lutheran Church in Redford Township.

She is the daughter of George and Donna Kashian of Redford Township. He is the son of Ellen David of Fruitport and Tom Doenges of Muskegon.

The bride-to-be is a 1982 graduate of Redford Union High School and a 1987 graduate of Eastern Michigan University, where she received a bachelor of science degree in special education. She is employed by the Monroe County Intermediate School District as a teacher of emotionally impaired students.

Her fiancé is a 1981 graduate of Grand Haven High School and a 1988 graduate of Eastern Michigan University, where he received a bachelor of science degree in computer aided design. He is employed as a design engineer by Prince in Holland, Mich.



Thomson-Bates

Megan Elizabeth Thomson of Livonia and Bryan Keith Bates, also of Livonia, plan a July wedding at St. Collette Catholic Church in Livonia.

She is the daughter of John and Carolyn Thomson of Livonia. He is the son of Gary and Margo Bates of Westport, Conn., formerly of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is 1984 graduate of Our Lady of Mercy High School and attended Central Michigan University. She is employed as a manager by Meijer Thrifty Acres.

Her fiancé is a 1983 graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School and attended Central Michigan University. He is employed by the Ford Motor Co.



Valli-Russell

Jill Christine Valli of Canton Township and David Alan Russell of Westland plan a September wedding at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth.

She is the daughter of Sandra Kent-Valli of Canton Township and Ronald Valli of Northville. He is the son of Judge and Mrs. Michael T. Russell of Allen Park.

The bride-to-be is a 1988 graduate of Eastern Michigan University, where she received a bachelor of science degree. She is employed as a customer support representative by Computers Diversified Inc. in Southfield.

Her fiancé is a 1986 graduate of Lake Superior State University, where he received a bachelor of science degree. He is employed as an engineer by L&W Engineering in Belleville.



Fica

A gala party Dec. 11 helped Ted and Katie Fica of Livonia celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary.

The couple exchanged their wedding vows on Dec. 11, 1948, in Detroit. They have six children — Vivian Elcher of Canton Township, Ted Jr. of Milford, David of Milford, Kristine of Westland, Tony of Livonia and Doug of Livonia — and nine grandchildren.

Recently retired from QSP, the Ficas have lived in Livonia for 24 years.



Zinner

Harry and Ardath Zinner of Livonia recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

The couple exchanged wedding vows on Dec. 22, 1938. She is the former Ardath Fellow.

The Zinners have one son, Ron, of Livonia.



Adams

Walter and Florence Adams are wintering in Florida after celebrating their 34th wedding anniversary.

The couple exchanged wedding vows on Oct. 23, 1954, at the Westminster Presbyterian Church in Detroit.

Twenty-five-year residents of Livonia, they have three children — daughters Cynthia Scherboty of Tampa, Fla., and Cheryl Magulski and son Wesbrook — and three grandchildren.

He retired in 1984 after suffering a stroke. She retired recently at 14 years with Metropolitan West Hospital in Westland.



Witkowski

Chester and Sophie Witkowski of Redford Township observed their 40th wedding anniversary Sept. 4 by renewing their vows before family and friends at St. Valentine Catholic Church.

The couple also were the guests of honor at a brunch at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth following the service.

Witkowski is a retiree of the Ford Motor Co., where he worked as a designer. His wife, a native of Fall River, Mass., is a retiree of Sears Roebuck and Co. She worked in cosmetics at the Grand River and Fairlane stores.

The Witkowskis have two children — Paul and Nancy — and one grandchild — Amy Frances.

Tuite

Robert and Betty Tuite of Livonia were the guests of honor at a family dinner Oct. 16.

Held at the West Bloomfield home of Tuite's sister and brother-in-law, Patricia and Joseph Leddy, the Tuites were observing their 40th wedding anniversary.

They exchanged vows at St. Vincent DePaul Church in Detroit in 1948. Ten-year residents of Livonia, they have one son, Robert, of Canton Township. He and his wife, Diane, have five daughters — Heather, Mandi, Cori, Ashley and Melissa.

Hamilton-Lynch

Sherri Lynn Hamilton of Livonia and Patrick Michael Lynch of Lincoln Park are planning a late April wedding at St. Genevieve Catholic Church in Livonia.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hamilton of Livonia. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lynch of Lincoln Park.

The bride-to-be is a 1983 graduate of Livonia Bentley High School and is employed by Great Lakes Plastics.

Her fiancé is a 1981 graduate of Lincoln Park High School and is employed by Copy Duplicating Products.

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