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Lincoln's 'ocean'

Lincoln Elementary School students completed their own Biosphere III last week, an educational project which took more than five months. Working on the last minute details of

the ocean segment are students Andrea Kordunes (left) and Anthony Romej. For more on the project, turn to Page 3A for the story and additional photos.

Board deadlocks on Headlee petition

Michigan voters will have to let the court decide whether they can vote on the Headlee 20-percent property tax cut initiative.

The state Board of Canvassers deadlocked 2-2 Wednesday on whether to accept the staff report that the petition drive was 7,000 signatures short.

Members are Republicans Jim Alexander, a Birmingham attorney and Oakland GOP chair, and Gail Torreano, a Senate staff member; and Democrats Mike Pyne, a UAW official from Lansing, and Bernice Shields of Detroit.

The two Democrats, Pyne and Shields, voted to accept the staff report and the two Republicans, Alexander and Torreano voted against accepting.

"The Democrats have disenfranchised thousands of voters. We'll be in the Court of Appeals

within two weeks," said Richard Headlee, chairman of Taxpayers United and a Farmington Hills resident.

He complained that Secretary of State Richard Austin's staff allowed the Michigan Education Association to prove people aren't voters.

"They won't let us prove people are voters," Headlee said.

He said the election staff would not allow TU to submit affidavits from city and township clerks verifying that signers were indeed registered voters.

"Taxpayers United took six months last year to collect 224,000 petition signatures for the Headlee tax cut initiative. But it took the Secretary of State and the four-member Board of State Canvassers eight months to certify them. The pro-

cess usually takes two months," publicist Bill McMaster said.

TU needed 191,728 signatures. The Secretary of State staff used a sampling method to determine that only 184,390 were valid.

Earlier Wednesday, the state Senate did not vote on this resolution urging the canvassers to place Headlee II on the ballot.

Gov. John Engler last week issued a statement urging the canvassers to "move swiftly" in certifying the proposal.

IF APPROVED by voters, the Headlee initiative would create a new state law that will:

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Playground above former dump site

By Mario Chestney
staff writer

Swing sets disappeared and fences appeared almost overnight this week at Westland's Cooper Elementary School which is grappling with the ramifications of having built a school on the site of a former municipal dump.

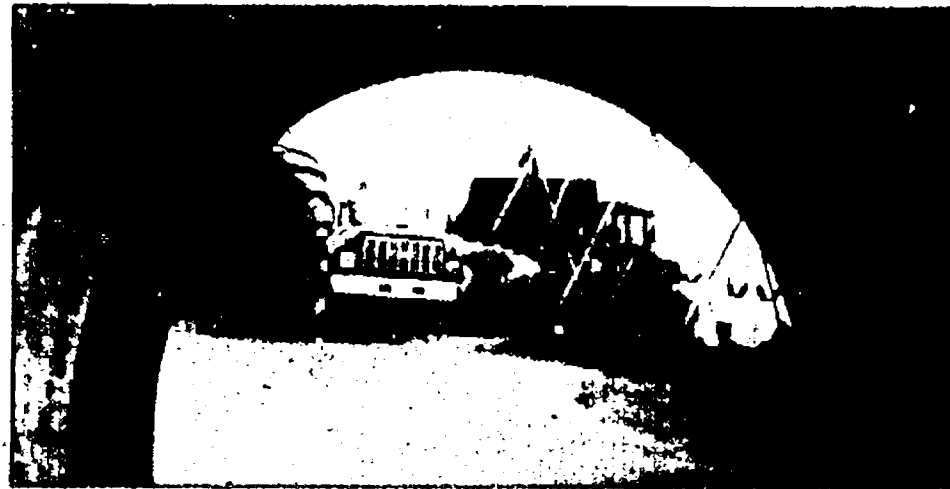
How long students will have to play within a fenced-in asphalt area depends on how soon the Livonia school district clears up any environmental hazards revealed in an investigation started last week by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

Angry parents attended an infor-

mational meeting at the school Tuesday night, expressing fears of their children's safety. Some said they would keep their children out of school or send them to another school until they are assured it is safe for the pupils to return.

DISTRICT OFFICIALS are hopeful that any environmental problems discovered on the 40-acre school site, on the south side of Ann Arbor Trail between Inkster Road and Middlebelt, can be solved by covering the land with an impermeable layer of clay.

The clay cap, which will be costly to the district, could range from 6 inches to 14 inches, depending on the



ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Workmen on Tuesday dismantled swings and other playground equipment at Cooper Elementary. The equipment won't go back up on the former site of a landfill until district officials know for sure the land is environmentally safe.

recommendation of the district's newly hired environmental consultant, Clayton Engineering of Farmington Hills, and DNR approval.

For years, the district has been cleaning up glass, pieces of metal

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Abuse went on in shroud of silence

By Darrell Clom
staff writer

An embattled Westland minister and his wife were suspected of abusing their children for at least six years before their arrest, and friends and associates who knew about it conceded this week that they didn't notify police.

"These children wouldn't have had to go through this if someone had come forward," Westland police Sgt. Laura Moore said.

Information about the couple unfolded this week as former friends and associates broke their silence and began speaking out against Michael Enersen, 36, minister of Westland Full Gospel Church, and his wife, Carol, 33. Both have admitted in court that they abused their children.

'These children wouldn't have had to go through this if someone had come forward.'

— Sgt. Laura Moore
Westland police

The Enersens have failed to respond to numerous telephone phone calls from The Observer.

AMONG THE latest developments, for which details are in accompanying story below:

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Friends fear for minister's kids

The Michael and Carol Enerson case continues to rock the Westland Full Gospel Church, on Palmer between Wildwood and Venoy, two weeks after the couple pleaded guilty in Detroit Recorder's Court to child abuse charges that stemmed from allegations the children had been bitten and severely beaten with a wooden paddle.

The Enersens remain free on a \$1,000 bond pending sentencing May 31.

Authorities also said one child, the 13-year-old boy, had suffered malnutrition and has gained 25 pounds since he was removed from

the Enersen home, next to the church.

Howard Drevitz, a former administrator of Dearborn's Fairlane Christian School, confirmed Thursday that friends of the Enersens voiced concerns to him about six years ago that the children had been abused.

The two oldest children, born to Michael Enersen during a previous marriage, attended Fairlane at the time. (Enersen's former wife, Cheryl, died of congestive heart failure in 1978 at age 19. He married Carol about a year later, and they had four children.)

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Grandmother seeks custody of children

By Darrell Clom
staff writer

A grandmother of two Westland teenagers abused by their stepmother and their father, a local minister, vowed Tuesday to try to win custody of the children she saw May 2 for the first time in 12 years.

Maternal grandmother Nancy Esparza of Detroit voiced outrage that her 16-year-old granddaughter, and her 13-year-old grandson had been severely beaten and bitten by their father, Michael Enersen, minister of Westland Full Gospel Church, and their stepmother, Carol.

"I want to give them a stable

home where they can be loved," the grandmother said Tuesday.

Esparza — whose daughter Cheryl was married to Michael Enersen when she died of congestive heart failure in 1978 at age 19 — had been forbidden to see her grandchildren after Enersen remarried about a year later, she said.

"It's been very hard for the last 12 years," Esparza said.

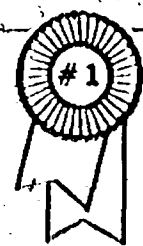
But the grandmother finally saw the two children May 2 when she visited them at a foster home, where they were placed March 11 after Westland police charged the Enersens with child abuse.

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Mayor wants new cable chief hired by July

By Darrell Clom
staff writer

Westland Mayor Robert Thomas, saying the controversy over the firing of local cable television director Dennis Fassett has subsided, hopes to hire Fassett's successor by July 1.

Thomas and city council members plan to discuss contract terms for the vacant post during a special session scheduled for Monday. The mayor said the city could begin advertising the job as early as Tuesday.

Fassett, amid criticism from the mayor, some city council members and the cable commission, was ousted in February as the city's cable TV community relations consultant. Since then, Fassett's former em-

ployees have kept the station operating under a temporary contract that expires June 30.

On Monday, Thomas and cable commission member Albert "Ed" Turner commended the cable station's workers.

"I think everything is running very, very smoothly," Turner said.

As Thomas prepares to hire Fassett's successor by July 1, several people already have contacted him and placed their names in the pool of candidates. More applicants are expected to seek the post after the city begins officially advertising it.

Among those who have applied for the position is Drew Ramsey, an award-winning city of Southfield cable specialist whom Thomas intro-

duced to the city council as his hand-picked choice after Fassett's firing.

THOUGH SOME city council members appeared impressed by Ramsey's qualifications, they balked at a plan to immediately hire him, telling the mayor they wanted Fassett's post advertised so they could attract a wider field of candidates.

Thomas had hoped to hire Ramsey, who is black, in part because the mayor has pledged to try to increase minority representation in local government.

"We need to hire some minorities in the city," and I was delighted to have a minority candidate come forward," Thomas said Monday. "And he was very qualified. There's no doubt about that."

However, Thomas said he would be willing to change his recommendation if a more qualified candidate applies for the cable post.

Thomas has authority to recommend a cable director, but the council must approve the contract.

Therefore, both the mayor and a majority of council members will have to agree on the next cable chief before the position will be filled and a contract signed.

Thomas held out hope that local cable programming will be dramatically improved once the issue is settled.

"By next year, I think we'll see some real improvements," he said.

Friends heard of, saw abuse, but didn't tell cops

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DREWITZ DID not notify police of the potential child abuse. Instead, he called the Enersens to his office for a conference.

"We felt from the viewpoint of the school that there were some problems," Drewitz said.

However, the Enersens denied they had abused the children, and Drewitz said school officials had no proof. Shortly after the conference with Drewitz, the Enersens removed their children from the school and began teaching them at home.

Laura Moore, Westland police sergeant, indicated that Drewitz, by law, should have notified authorities of the child abuse allegations.

In another development, child abuse prosecutor Maria Oxholm and a Department of Social Services official, who demanded she not be identified, confirmed that proceedings pending in probate court could result in the Enersens losing their remaining four children. The two oldest children were taken from their custody March 11.

FORMER ASSOCIATES appeared deeply concerned about the children still in the Enersens' custody.

Minister Anthony Story, Michael

Enersens' predecessor at Westland Full Gospel Church, said Enersens "is given to rages. I don't know what to say. I'm concerned about the kids, especially the young ones who are still in the home."

Story, now a minister in Houston, said he had told Enersens on one occasion to calm down as he disciplined his oldest son.

"I did see him grab (the son) by the throat and lift him up with his feet kicking and his face turning red," Story said. "I told him to put him down."

Story never notified authorities of the potential of child abuse.

"It's one of those things you don't want to believe," he said.

MEANWHILE, Barbara Kaczor, who knew the Enersens before they switched from the Brightmoor Tabernacle in Southfield to Westland Full Gospel Church about five years ago, confirmed that she and one of her friends had confronted the Enersens about the abuse and also had made it known to the Fairlane Christian School.

"I blame myself for not making a bigger stink then," Kaczor said. "But I figured they (school officials) would handle it."

Kaczor also has written to Bill Leach, leader of the Michigan Dis-

trict of the Assemblies of God, the denomination to which the Enersens belong. Kaczor wants to raise concerns about Enersens remaining at the pulpit, she said.

"If you can't take care of your own house, how are you going to take care of the house of God?" she asked.

Kaczor and several other Assemblies of God members have voiced concerns that Enersens could cast a shadow on the entire religious district.

IN OTHER developments, religious radio station WMUZ aired a program on Friday in which the Enersens case was discussed with panel members, including Sgt. Moore. The program prompted calls from supporters and critics of the Enersens, WMUZ announcer Al Kresta said.

Several church members appeared "very troubled" because "they think we're airing dirty linen," Kresta said.

But Kresta said the Enersens case warrants open discussion, especially in light of the minister's address to his congregation in which he said he admitted guilt only to avoid a protracted court battle and its accompanying legal fees.

"I think that's lousy in light of the evidence," Kresta said.

The Enersens could have sought a

public defender to avoid court costs, Kresta said.

THE ENERSENS are scheduled to appear in Detroit Recorder's Court

on May 31 for sentencing. The minister could face up to four years in prison for one count of second-degree child abuse. His wife could receive a two-year term for one

count of third-degree child abuse. However, attorneys on both sides have indicated that they will be placed on probation under a plea agreement.

Grandmother seeks custody

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The Enersens pleaded guilty April 25 in Detroit Recorder's Court to child abuse charges. They are scheduled for sentencing May 31.

Esparza said she and her granddaughter, who was 4 when they last met, wept and hugged during their reunion. She said her grandson, nearly 2 during their last meeting, shied away before he slowly warmed to her.

ESPARZA SAID she has talked to attorneys and officials at Wayne County Child Protective Services about her plans to seek custody of the two children. But she has been advised to wait until court proceedings in the child-abuse case have been completed.

Esparza, a widow of seven years, said she and her other family members "are all interested in getting (the Enersens children) here so they can finally meet the other side of

their family."

Esparza is not related to four other Enersens children — ages 8 months to 10 years — who were born after Michael Enersens remarried. Those four children remain in the Enersens home, under supervision of Wayne County Child Protective Services.

Esparza said she became distressed 12 years ago when Michael Enersens severed her ties to her grandchildren shortly after her daughter died.

"I was told that because Michael had remarried that the bloodline of the children had changed," she said.

Though Esparza described Enersens' discipline as strict, she still appeared shocked that he would abuse his children and allow his wife to do the same.

"I just could not believe that Michael could do such a thing to his children," she said. "He was always a strict parent, but he was a loving strict parent."

WESTLAND POLICE Sgt. Laura Moore, who investigated the case, said authorities found human bite marks and bruises on the children. The 16-year-old girl had been so severely beaten with a wooden paddle that her buttocks were seeping blood, police said.

The boy had suffered from malnutrition and has gained about 25 pounds since he was removed from the Enersens home, Moore and Esparza have said.

Despite his admission of guilt to child abuse, Michael Enersens has remained as minister at Westland Full Gospel Church on Palmer, between Wildwood and Venoy. Current congregation members have voiced widespread support for him and his wife, saying charges against them have been overblown.

The church, affiliated with the worldwide Assemblies of God, has some 700 members.

Friends knew about abuse

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• An administrator of a Christian school formerly attended by two of the Enersens' six children admitted being told six years ago about possible child abuse, but he never contacted police.

• Juvenile authorities confirmed that the Enersens, who have had a 16-year-old daughter and a 13-year-

old son removed from them and placed in foster care, could lose their four younger children, ages 8 months to 10 years, who remain at home.

• Former friends and church associates of the Enersens questioned whether Michael Enersens should remain at the pulpit, and one critic has taken her concerns to higher church authorities.

• Enersens, speaking to his 700-member congregation, has said he

pleaded guilty because he wanted to avoid an expensive court battle and attorney fees.

• A Detroit-area religious radio program was devoted to the Enersens case and prompted telephone calls from the Enersens' supporters and critics.

• The maternal grandmother of two Enersens children vowed to try to win custody of the children. (See related story.)

Westland man charged in fatal crash

A Westland man will face a May 14 preliminary examination in 16th District Court in connection with Friday's multi-car crash on the I-275 expressway that killed two people.

Arthur Joseph Bowes stood mute at his arraignment Friday and a not guilty plea was entered for him by 16th District Judge James R. McCann.

Bowes, 22, is charged with two counts of manslaughter, a 15-year felony.

McCann ordered Bowes to the Wayne County Jail in lieu of a \$5,000 cash bond. The judge also ordered a court-appointed defense attorney.

Killed in the 7 a.m. crash were Mrija Kalaj, 47, of Canton Township and Karl Jay Beebe, 34, of Shepherd, Mich.

Police said Bowes was weaving in and out of rush-hour traffic on the freeway's northbound lanes near Six Mile when his Toyota Celica clipped the left rear of a Ford Tempo driven by Kalaj.

Kalaj lost control of her car, crossed the grass center median, hit another car and then collided head-on with Beebe's full-sized Ford pickup truck.

Both victims were pronounced dead at the scene of the accident.

Bowes wasn't seriously injured, police said.

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World of discovery

Lincoln students build model Earth

Lincoln Elementary School students in Westland had their Biosphere III project expand from a building activity into one for which the rest of the school district was invited.

The project, based on a real-life development in Arizona, was geared to teaching fifth and sixth graders in the Norwayne school about the balance of nature on earth, which teachers said is Biosphere I.

But at the same time, the students improved their writing, reading, math, art, and other educational skills, said the teachers who had been planning the project since December.

"We wanted to introduce the students to worldwide problems, not just in the city," said teacher Elizabeth Bozyk.

"We also wanted a project in which all levels of pupils could participate."

Initially, the project which occupies the entire Lincoln School gym, was to be up for two days and one night last week to allow parents to observe the completed biosphere.

But school Superintendent Dennis O'Neill gave permission to let it remain intact through all of this week and arrange for students in other schools to visit Lincoln, said teacher Dolores Zonca.

VISITORS WALKING into the gym will see a miniature earth on display, including a desert, marsh, rainforest, ocean and polar region.

It is modeled after Biosphere II, described by the staff as a high-tech greenhouse covering about four acres and standing eight sto-

'We wanted to introduce the students to worldwide problems, not just in the city.'

— Elizabeth Bozyk

ries high. It is being constructed in Arizona with \$30 million in private funds.

Bozyk said the Lincoln School project has a much lower price tag: \$750 in two grants from the Wayne County Regional Educational Services Agency and Detroit Edison Co.

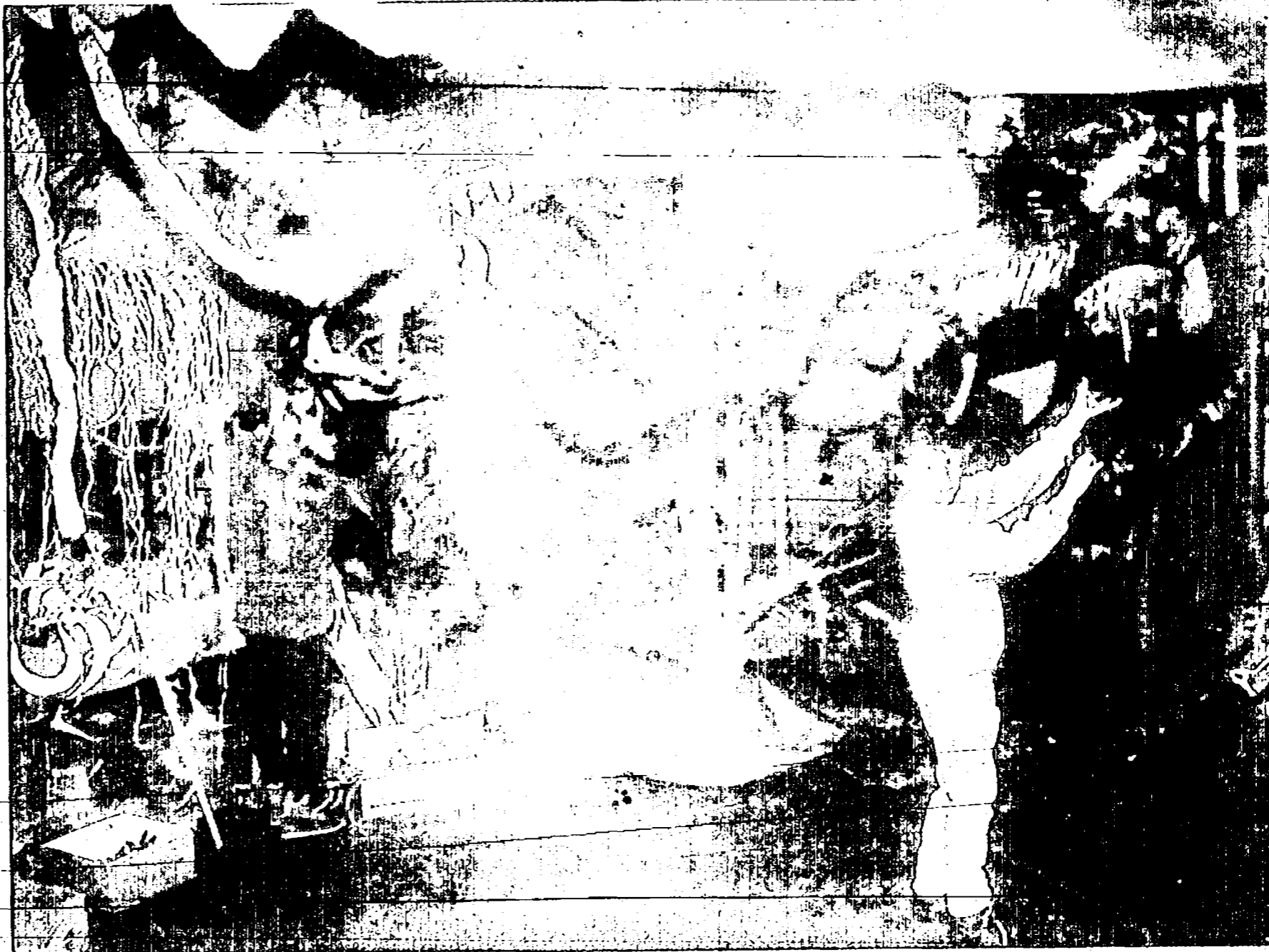
In a summary of the project, students said that the Biosphere III project "taught us all many wonderful things about this place we call home — the earth. We have discovered how it works, what keeps it working, why it is important to preserve it and many of the secrets it still has waiting to be discovered by the generations of tomorrow."

The pupils also listed scores of things they learned in the past five months while working on the project, such as how to organize information, which organizations to contact to obtain data, how to build ideas, making of puppets for plays, Latin, math ratios, biological systems, food chains and life cycles, nutrition, and how to operate equipment.

Other teachers taking part were Laura Williams, Kim Lepish and Ann Pace.



Students Stacy Ledmond (left), Jennifer Combs and Sambrina Aligner worked on the marshlands segment of the Lincoln School Biosphere III project.



photos by ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

A rain forest was part of the Lincoln School Biosphere III, which had Joleen Breeding one of the students working on details.

Schools optimistic about parental consent waiver

By Darrell Clem
staff writer

Wayne-Westland school officials appeared optimistic Friday that they will avoid being forced to tell young girls how to bypass the state's parental consent law and get a court waiver for an abortion.

The state Senate has decided school districts should not be forced to tell minors how to get the probate court waiver, and Wayne-Westland Superintendent Dennis O'Neill said he has heard strong indications that the state House will follow suit.

"I sure hope so," he said. "We've got enough to handle without being involved in that business. We're not supposed to be talking about the abortion business."

The controversial bill has drawn both praise and criticism from parents and school officials who have lined up on opposing sides in the abortion debate.

Some pro-choice advocates have said school districts should tell mi-

nors how to get a court waiver for an abortion because many teenagers do not feel comfortable talking with their parents about such issues.

Others, however, believe the sole decision on whether minors receive abortions should come from their parents.

JAMES PRATT, president of the Wayne-Westland Area PTA Council, has said he favors having minors taught about the probate court waiver because "young girls, like all women, should have the choice over what happens to their bodies."

The Wayne-Westland district has received several telephone calls from parents — some of whom support the parental consent measure and some of whom oppose it, O'Neill said.

Local school officials have been trying to decide how to comply with the portion of the bill that says districts must inform students in grades six through 12 about the parental consent legislation and,

specifically, how to get a probate court waiver to bypass it.

DISTRICTS WOULD be required to give students notices that list the address and telephone number of the probate court serving their communities. The notice requirement has been included as part of the Parental Rights Restoration Act.

The act demands parental consent for abortions on unemancipated minors defined as a person younger than 18 who either is not married, is not on active duty in the armed services, or has not been declared to have the rights and responsibilities of an adult by a court.

O'Neill commended the Senate's decision to remove the requirement that school districts tell minors how to seek a probate court waiver, and he held out hope the House will make a similar move.

O'Neill said he has heard indications that the House's public health committee will soon discuss the issue.

3 hurt in 3-vehicle collision

By Darrell Clem
staff writer

Three people were injured Tuesday morning after a pickup truck, speeding on northbound Wayne Road north of Ford, crossed the center line and smashed into two oncoming vehicles, Westland police said.

Police expect to charge a 21-year-old Wayne man who lost control of his pickup truck, which tipped on its side and skidded into two southbound Wayne Road vehicles about 8:36 a.m. Tuesday.

"I'm sure he was traveling over the speed limit," said investigating officer Thomas Hissong, who declined to identify the driver because of pending charges.

The posted speed limit in the area is 45 mph.

THE THREE-VEHICLE crash in-

jured 31-year-old Brenda Benton of Garden City, who was first taken to Annapolis Hospital and then flown to the University of Michigan Hospital, for injuries that included a broken leg, a broken foot and a broken arm. The woman remained in serious condition.

"They think she's going to recover," Hissong said.

Benton's vehicle was hit virtually head-on by the pickup truck, he said.

Hissong said he would not know what charges would be filed against the pickup truck driver until he learned whether Benton would survive the crash.

ANOTHER SOUTHBOUND Wayne Road motorist, 31-year-old Brad Jennings of Westland, also was struck by the truck driver, though Jennings apparently received only minor injuries and declined to receive treatment at a hospital.

The truck driver was injured and listed in fair condition at Garden City Hospital, Hissong said.

The crash disrupted traffic for about 45 minutes Tuesday morning, causing a temporary lane closing that prompted a traffic bottleneck during the morning rush hour.

THE PICKUP truck tipped over on its passenger side after the driver lost control and began skidding toward oncoming traffic, Hissong said.

Though the officer had not yet determined the truck driver's exact speed, he did say it was "excessive."

Alcohol was not thought to be a contributing factor in the crash, but Hissong said the truck driver apparently had been taking some type of medication.

"It appears to be prescribed medication," he said.

Crash results in diesel fuel spill

Livonia police and firefighters worked several hours Monday afternoon to clean up a diesel fuel spill following an accident between a tanker truck and a car on Ann Arbor Road west of Ann Arbor Trail.

Police said Skeen was exiting a McDonald's parking lot onto Ann Arbor Road when her 1989 Dodge was

stuck broadside by the gasoline tanker, driven eastbound by a Lincoln Park man.

The Dodge then careened into a 1989 Buick driven by a Canton Township man.

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'I'll probably be down in Ohio at Cedar Point.' — Clarence Partaka Westland



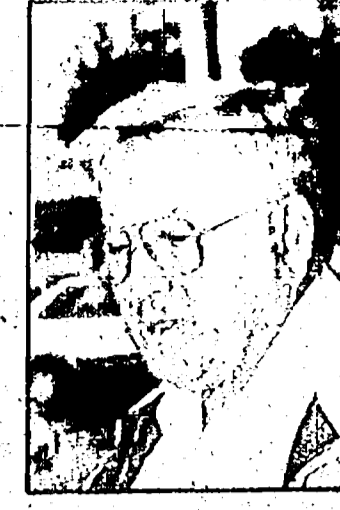
'Maybe, I don't know yet.' — Lillian Durham Westland



'I'm going to Minnesota to visit close friends.' — Cina Sanders Westland



'No, I'm not.' — Dennis Noonchester Westland



'No, I just lost my wife, so I won't be going anywhere.' — Joe Ezar Westland



'We'll be going up to our cottage (in Hale) for the summer.' — Cheryl Holcomb Westland

Parents Without Partners set 2 dances in weekend

RUMMAGE SALE
Thursday-Saturday, May 9-11 — A rummage sale will start at 8 a.m. at the Church of God of Prophecy, 28563 Pardo, corner of Hartel, Garden City. Good clean clothes for all ages, tools, furniture, odds and ends, baked goods and free coffee.

PWP DANCE
Friday, May 10 — Wayne-Westland Parents Without Partners Chapter 340 will hold its general meeting and dance from 8 p.m. to midnight in AmVets Hall, 1217 Merriman, between Cherry Hill and Palmer, Westland. For information, call 595-4126 or 595-7806.

422-5971, Mike Sheridan 427-6548, or Larry Plein 538-3777.

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Saturday, May 11 — The John Glenn High School Track Booster Club will have a pop can and bottle fund-raiser 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Track members will canvass neighborhoods on a door-to-door basis. Cans and bottles may also be dropped off at the school parking lot, on Marquette west of Wayne Road.

RUMMAGE SALE
Friday-Saturday, May 10-11 — The First United Methodist Church of Wayne will hold its rummage sale on Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. to noon at 3 Towne Square, across from the post office in downtown Wayne. Saturday will be a \$2.50 bag day.

MOTHER'S DAY DANCE
Saturday, May 11 — Parents

community calendar
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Without Partners Chapter No. 340 will hold its Mother's Day Metro Dance 8 p.m. to midnight in AmVets Hall, 1217 Merriman, between Cherry Hill and Palmer, Westland. For more information, call 595-4126 or 595-7806.

ART SHOW
Through Saturday, May 11 — Garden City Fine Arts Association will hold its annual spring art show in the Garden City Public Library, 2012 Middlebelt, two blocks south of Ford. Library hours are 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday; and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

BIRD BANDING
Saturdays, May 11, 18 — John Covert of Churchill High School will demonstrate the banding of migratory birds that pass through southeastern Michigan. Banding will be 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Koppernick entrance off Hix, between Warren Road and Joy. Follow the trail markers.

WILDFLOWER TOUR
Sunday, May 12 — A spring wildflower tour will begin at 10 a.m. in Holliday Nature Preserve, at the

Cowan Road entrance with visitors asked to park at the Service Merchandise store parking lot, on Nankin Blvd., just north of Warren Road. Phil Crookshank of the Sierra Club will lead the tour.

VOLUNTEER LUNCH
Tuesday, May 14 — Wayne-Westland School District Senior Adults volunteer luncheon will be 1 p.m. in the Dyer Center, 36745 Marquette between Wayne and Newburgh Road

BOWLING
Friday, May 10 — The Garden City Charity Weekend Committee's 9-pin no-tap bowling tournament will begin at 8 p.m. in Garden Lanes, 29145 Warren Road, Garden City. For information, call Charlie Sears

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Board deadlocks
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- Force the Legislature to make up lost revenue to all local units from the state general fund at an estimated second-year cost of \$1.5 billion.
- Allow any taxpayer to sue in circuit court to enforce the statute.

• Cut property assessments for all taxes a total of 20 percent — 10 percent retroactive to Dec. 31, 1990 and 10 percent more on Dec. 31, 1991.

No recess; playground sits on old dump

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and other debris that worked its way to the surface. At the same time, the site has worked its way up on the DNR's list of potentially hazardous sites in Michigan that need further investigation.

"In recent years, we've been cooperating with the Environmental Protection Agency and the DNR by periodically examining the property," said Superintendent Joseph Marinelli. "On April 19 we got a letter from the DNR, telling us to take additional precautions to safeguard people until the site is investigated."

said that a preliminary investigation of the site by the DNR showed that soil samples and deeper borings need to be taken.

The DNR will oversee the work done by the district's consultant, Clayton Engineering.

Soil is eroding on the site, and children playing on and around playground equipment are making the soil erode even more.

While no injuries have been reported, the erosion brings to the surface glass and metal objects buried when the land was used as a municipal landfill from the 1920s to 1952.

The Livonia school district bought the site in 1965 and the new Cooper school opened in 1966. It replaced an older building on the southeast corner of Middlebelt and Ann Arbor Trail, which has been vacant for most of the past 26 years.

CAPPING, IF required, may not be complete by September, when school reopens.

Students will continue to play on the asphalt in the fenced-in areas until capping, if needed, is complete, Scarpelli said.

"That's a pretty big move, putting kids in a fenced-in area," she said. "But it's a precautionary thing."

"Parents are concerned that the school might not open in the fall. I

don't foresee the school closing, but I can't rule it out. I don't think parents' concerns will be alleviated until the investigation is done in the next few weeks."

If the site is capped, the district must come up with a long-term plan for maintaining it, to take care of additional erosion, Scarpelli said.

"No matter what they do, over the years, they'll have erosion."

Representatives of the district, the DNR, the Michigan Department of Health, Clayton Engineering and the district's attorney walked the site last week.

Tests done on air and ground water quality at the site gave good readings, Marinelli said

NEW RULES regarding access to the Cooper grounds have been set. They include:

- Banning students, staff, parents and visitors from grassy areas.
- Limiting students to playing on asphalt, with the asphalt surrounded by a fence.
- The posting of "no trespassing" signs along the edges of the grassy areas.
- Banning students from using the well-worn footpaths to and from the school.

DNR investigator Lisa Scarpelli

THE DNR'S preliminary investigation also showed slightly elevated levels of such chemicals as the pesticide DDT, mercury and arsenic, Scarpelli said.

"The DDT levels are in the iffy range and we need to know more. But arsenic can be naturally high in soil. These were not extremely high levels."

Both problems — surfacing debris and buried chemicals — can be solved by an impermeable cap, she said.

If higher levels of chemicals are found in certain areas, those "hot" areas would have to be excavated, she said.

District officials don't know how much of the 40-acre site the landfill occupied. The landfill closed in the early 1950s, long before landfills became an environmental issue.

The DNR did not start compiling information on landfills until the 1960s. The DNR is asking Clayton Engineering to try to locate aerial photos of the former dump, Scarpelli said.

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Getting books to blind is her goal

By Janice Brunson
staff writer

What if a child loves to read but happens to be blind? Until recently, most were simply out of luck. Of the few children's books available in Braille, prohibitive costs of up to \$100 each made them financially out of reach to the majority.

But thanks to the creative brainstorm of a Livonia woman who founded a specialized non-profit publishing company, the situation has changed considerably.

In 1985, Debra Bonde launched Seedlings Braille Books for Children, the only company of its kind in the nation. The first year, she produced 215 books, priced at some \$10 each or half the cost of production. The difference was met by public contributions.

This year, 6,000 books will be distributed to readers throughout the United States and abroad, including

Bowling fund-raiser set

A fund-raising bowlingthon benefiting Seedlings Braille Books for Children, a non-profit organization, is scheduled Saturday, May 18, at

Merri-Bowl in Livonia. For more information or to pledge money on bowlers, call 427-8557.

such favorites as "Charlotte's Web," "Super Fudge," and "Ernie's Big Mess." Prices remain low, still \$10 or less per book, subsidized by fund-raising efforts of active volunteers.

"I have two sighted children who read voraciously. All children, sighted or not, should have the same opportunity," said Bonde, in explanation of Seedlings.

A single mother who describes herself as handicapped by severe shyness, the work fits Bonde perfectly. "I can't meet people face to face, but I have mechanical ability."

Her unique idea has touched the

lives of many.

"READING IS SUCH a gateway to knowledge, information, recreation, inspiration. It's something everyone should have access to. This is my way of dramatizing the value of reading," said Elaine Morse, a Seedlings volunteer who serves as president of the board.

An assistant manager for Borders Book Shop in Birmingham, Morse is also active with the Birmingham Library Board.

It's at libraries that another board member, Kathy Donagrandi of Farmington Hills, is most acutely aware of the shortage of books for sightless children. "When you see the choice of books for sighted children, it's very disappointing to see the limited number in braille."

A special education teacher for Livonia schools, Donagrandi said school texts are available in braille but there are few enrichment books. Yet pleasure reading is essential in teaching the visually impaired correct grammar, punctuation and spelling.

Jerry Welchordt of Livonia, an electrical engineer, is intimately familiar with the problem. An avid reader who is legally blind, he had great difficulty in finding reading

material as a youth. "Jerry volunteers because he knows the interest in reading starts as a child," said wife Mary Beth, who works for the Greater Detroit Society for the Blind.

ONCE BONDE LAUNCHED Seedlings, the first order of business was upgrading primitive printing equipment, according to Mary Cowper of Southfield, one of organization's earliest board members.

Working from the basement of her home, Bonde was using a computer printer adapted for Braille and built by her father.

"In the beginning, each page had to be transcribed by hand, one dot at a time, on a slate and stylus. One mistake, and you had to start the page over," said Cowper, who originally volunteered as a Braille transcriber.

In short order, she found herself raising funds essential in purchasing new computer equipment and, perhaps more important, to subsidize the cost of books.

"It's the affordability factor, keeping prices where children can afford them. They have nowhere else to buy books."

The success of Seedlings fund-raising, according to Troy accountant Mark Bosscher, can be measured by annual printings, up from 1,900 books in 1987 when he joined the board to 5,000 last year, including 125 different titles. Each book represents a contribution of at least \$10.

"This is obviously a very good cause," he said.

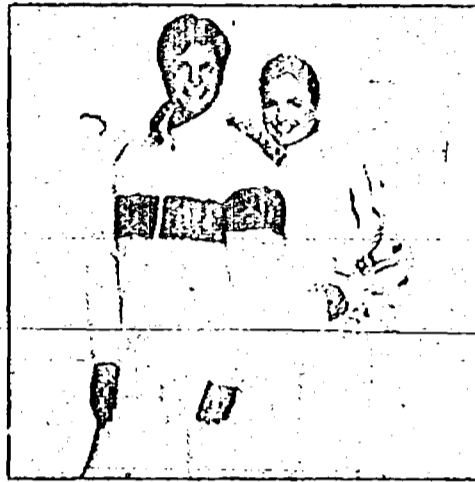
In March, Seedlings moved into a new office at the site of the former Bentley High School in Livonia.



ART EMANUELE/staff photographer

Debra Bonde of Livonia seeks to expand the number of books available to blind children. Her company, Seedlings Braille Books for Children, uses private donations to help keep the cost of books down.

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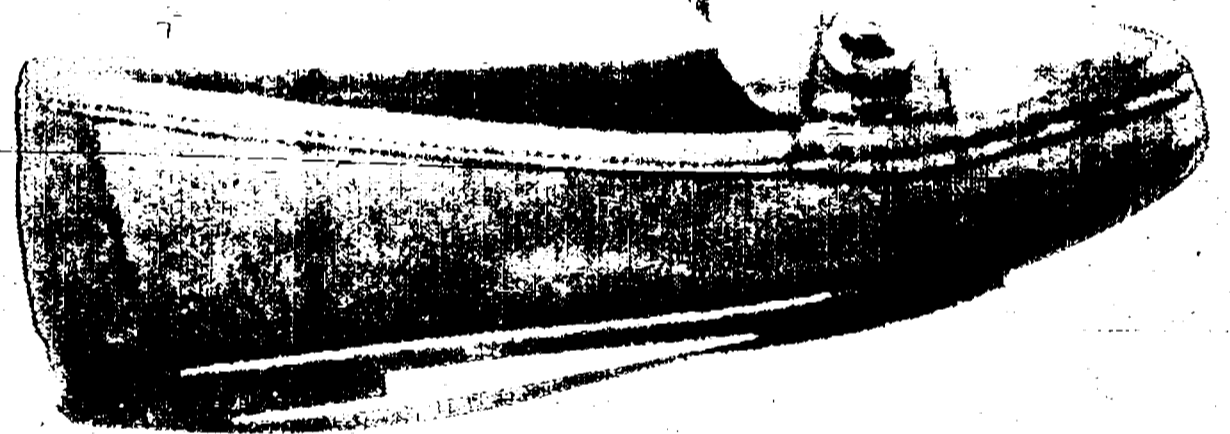
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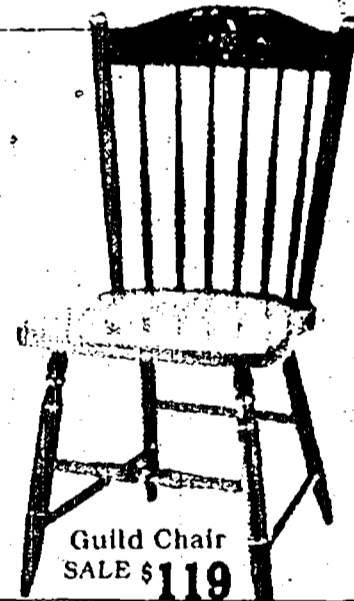
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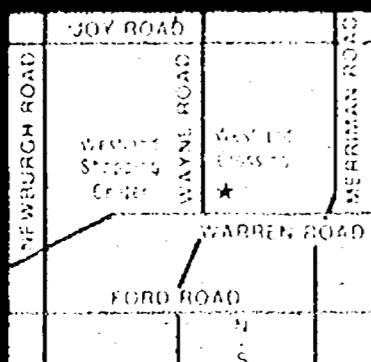
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'Schools of choice' bills advance in state Senate

By Tim Richard
staff writer

Two bills promoting "schools of choice" for families moved forward this week in the Michigan Senate, though mostly with Republican backing.

Test votes showed Democrats dislike the idea. The bills could be in trouble in the Democrat-run House.

"An entrenched educational establishment is opposing the bill. That's not reason (for senators) to oppose it. It's reason to support it," said Sen. Dan DeGrow, R-Fort Huron, GOP point man on educational money matters.

Countered Sen. Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills: "The basic, fundamental, bedrock Republicans in my district would leave this up to the people of the school district."

THE BILLS — advanced to third reading Tuesday — would promote parental choice of schools for children. They are:

- Senate Bill 158 — requiring local districts to establish schools of choice planning committees by Oct. 1. Parents, teachers and principals all would be involved. The plan would cover informing parents of their options and transporting children from low-income families. Students transferring for athletic reasons would be ineligible to compete in interscholastic sports for one year.

The Senate passed SB 158 on Wednesday on a 21-12 vote. Area senators voted along party lines, Republicans for, Democrats against. Faust and Hart had excused absences.

- SB 159 — allocating \$1 million for pilot programs in about six intermediate (county) school districts which apply. The Kent County ISD is known to be interested. Purpose would be to work toward cross-district choice within a county.

The first bill is sponsored by Senate majority leader Dick Posthumus of Alto, the second by DeGrow. Both are close to Gov. John Engler.

IN A KEY TEST vote, senators rejected an amendment by freshman Sen. Jim Berryman, D-Adrian, to make the program optional for local districts.

DeGrow argued it down: "By making it optional, you don't even need a bill."

Supporting Berryman in a roll call vote were Democrats Faxon, William Faust of Westland and George Z. Hart of Dearborn.

Opposed were Republicans Mat Dunaskiss of Lake Orion, Robert Geake of Northville and David Hongman of West Bloomfield.

Thirteen Democrats backed the Berryman amendment. Nineteen Republicans were joined by Democrat Debbie Slabenow of Lansing in rejecting it.

BERRYMAN TRIED a crippling

amendment in the ISD pilot plan bill, seeking to give any one school district in a county a veto power.

"All it does is say you cannot apply for a grant unless all the boards within your ISD support it," he said. That amendment was shouted down in a voice vote.

Sen. Joe Conroy, D-Flint, supporting the Berryman amendments, twitted Republicans on the busing issue.

"In this bill, you require mandatory use of buses. Just 15 or 20 years ago, the former prosecutor of Oakland County (L. Brooks Patterson) was talking about 'forced busing. Boy, how times change!'"

THE SENATE also shot down, 8 to 16, an amendment by conservative Doug Carl, R-Utica, to tie it to his proposed state constitutional amendment allowing government aid to non-public schools.

"It's inappropriate," objected DeGrow, to tie a constitutional amendment to a pilot program.

And Sen. Lana Pollack, D-Ann Arbor, said the Carl amendment "would kill a fundamental tenet... separation of church and state."

Maverick Democrat Gil DiNello of East Detroit leaped to Carl's defense. "I'm sick and tired of do-gooders telling us they're strict constructionists of the constitution. Why does government give money to private colleges? It's no different to give money to K-12 private education."

Scholarships available at Schoolcraft

Applications are being accepted for fall term scholarships at Schoolcraft College.

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Services for Mr. Adams, 62, of Garden City were April 30 from the R.G. and G.R. Harris Funeral Home, Garden City. The Rev. Kenneth Grief of Grace Baptist Church officiated. Interment was in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West Cemetery, Westland.

Mr. Adams died April 27 in Oakland General Hospital.

Born March 19, 1929, in Madisonville, Ky., he was an area resident for 38 years. He was a retired hi-lo driver for the Sears, Roebuck warehouse. He was a Sears employee for 42 years.

Survivors are his wife, Catherine; three sons, Johnny of Tipton, Mich.,

Gary of Dearborn Heights, and Jimmy; seven grandchildren; four great-grandchildren, and mother, Katherine.

VIRGINIA F. MARTIN

Services for Mrs. Martin, 75, of Westland were held May 6 from the John Santele and Son Funeral Home, Garden City. The Rev. Gary Damon of the First United Methodist Church officiated. Interment was in Parkview Memorial Cemetery, Livonia.

Mrs. Martin died May 3 in Westland.

Born Nov. 9, 1915, in Wyandotte, Mrs. Martin was a secretary in the auto industry.

Survivors are her husband, Leslie; daughters, Joyce Richardson and Leona Barati; six grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the Parkinson's Foundation.

DONALD S. ELLIOTT

Services for Donald S. Elliott, 63, of Westland were Saturday, May 4, at Schrader Funeral Home. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth.

Mr. Elliott is survived by his wife, Janet R. Elliott of Westland; one daughter, Karen Borgerding of Kalamazoo; three sons, Thomas Elliott of Westland, Donald Elliott of Holt and Jeffrey Elliott of Northville; two stepdaughters, Patricia Gooch of Garden City and Karen Herter of

Canton; three stepsons, Carl Herter of Okemos, Lawrence Herter of Roseville and William Herter of Ohio; 19 grandchildren and one sister, Doris Scholl of Georgetown, Ky.

Mr. Elliott was born July 25, 1927, in Lexington, Ky. She died Thursday, May 2, in Ann Arbor. He came to Westland in 1985 from Plymouth. He was a member of the Plymouth Elks. He was an accountant for Cadillac Motors for 35 years and a member of the Livonia American Legion. He served in the Korean War.

Mr. Sanford Burr officiated the service. Memorial contributions may be given to the Elk's Major Project or the Kidney Foundation.

RAYMOND L. SCHMALZRIED

Services for Raymond L.

Schmalzried, 64, of Plymouth were Saturday, May 4, at Schrader Funeral Home. Burial was in Dighton Memorial Cemetery, Dighton, Kan.

Mr. Schmalzried was born Aug. 4, 1926, in Dighton, Kan. He died Thursday, May 2, in Ann Arbor. He came to the Plymouth community in 1956 from Kansas. He retired from Unisys in 1984 after 32 years with the company. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, the Plymouth Elks B.P.O.E. No. 1780, Dighton Kansas Masonic Lodge, VFW and the American Legion. He served with the U.S. Navy in World War II. He received a master's degree in Business Administration from the University of Detroit and a bachelor's degree in Electrical Engineering from Kansas State University.

Mr. Schmalzried is survived by his wife, Georgia L. Schmalzried of Plymouth; two daughters, Brenda L. Schmalzried of Westland and Gretchen DiTullo of Southgate; parents, Carl and Marie Schmalzried of Dighton, Kan.; three brothers, Harold Schmalzried of Sharon Springs, Kan., Marvin Schmalzried of Darien, Conn. and Don Schmalzried of Chantilly, Va.; five sisters, Bernice Moore of Dighton, Kan., Dorothy Lewis of Sharon Springs, Kan., Luella Schmalzried of Pineville, La., Darlene Rogers of Jamestown, Ohio and Janetha Giroto of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

The Rev. Phillip Rodgers Magee officiated the service. Memorial contributions may be given to Hawthorn Association, First Presbyterian Church, or the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

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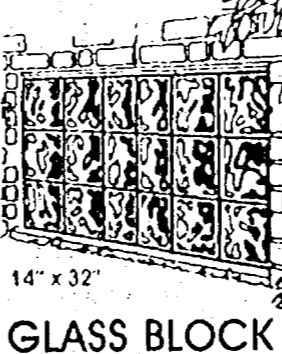
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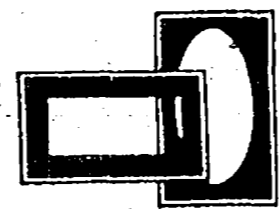
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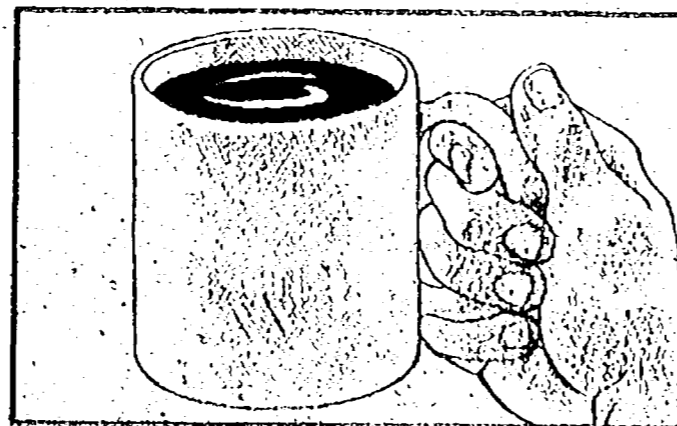
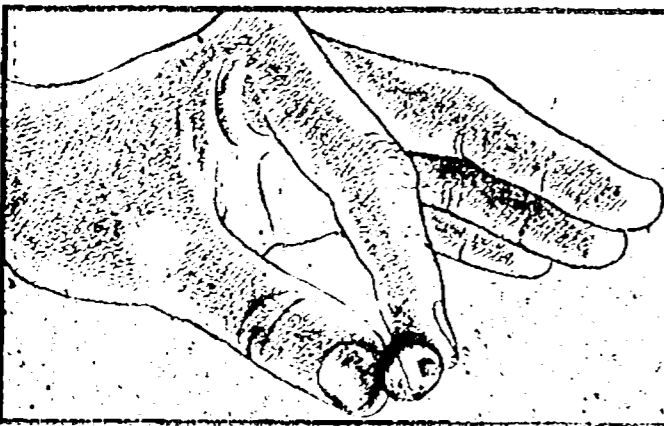


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Paula Blanchard has a few trappings in her Southfield office that remind her of life as Michigan's First Lady. But that — like politics — is all history, she says.

Ex-first lady is happy with life — sans politics

By Pat Murphy
staff writer

No. Definitely, no. Paula Blanchard says she is flattered when her name is mentioned occasionally as Democrats start musing about possible candidates in upcoming Oakland County elections. But Michigan's former First Lady says she is not interested. "My years in politics seem so far away," said Blanchard, who moved out of the governor's residence in June 1987, when her 21-year marriage to then-governor James Blanchard ended in divorce. "I just can't

imagine going back to that." Paula Blanchard was mentioned as a possible candidate last month by Oakland County Democratic Chairman Donald Tucker, a Southfield attorney who insists Democrats are surging in Oakland.

A POPULAR NAME like Paula Blanchard would have instant voter recognition, said Tucker, who be-

lieves she would be a strong contender for the Michigan Legislature or Oakland County Executive.

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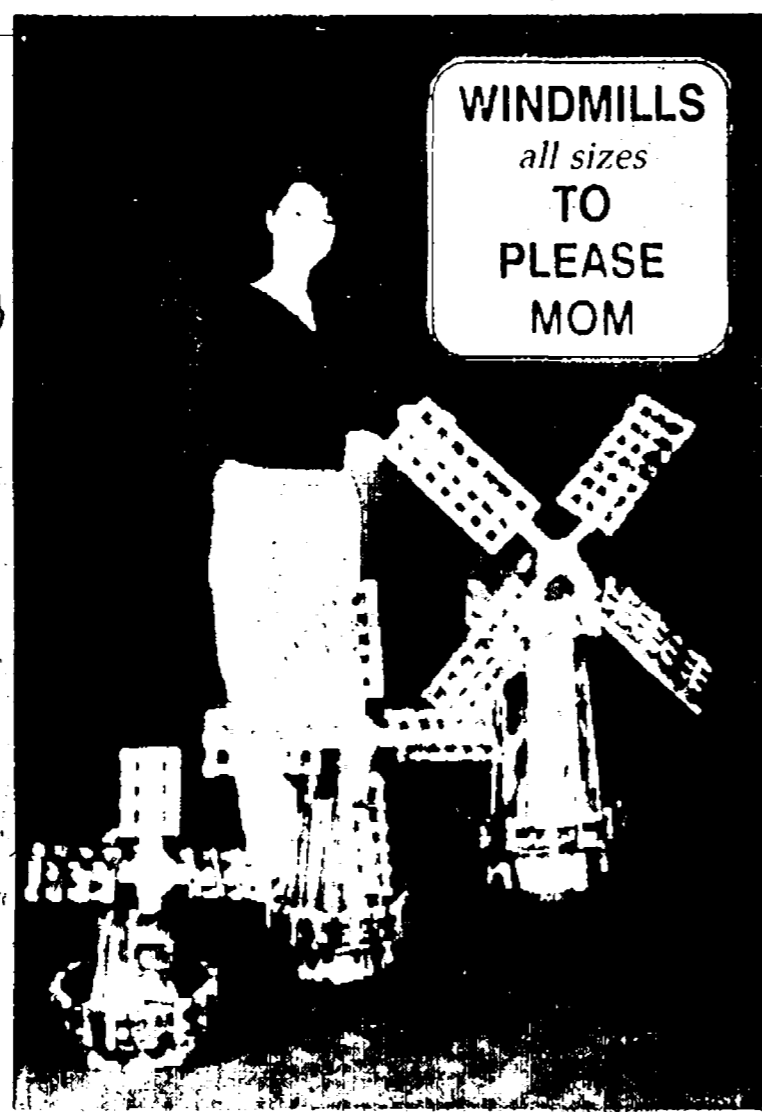
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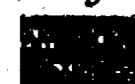
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Paula Blanchard likes her life — without politics

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doesn't want anything to do with politics.

"Public service is an admirable calling," said Blanchard. "But it's a very consuming lifestyle. There's no such thing as privacy."

Paula should know. She saw plenty of politics when she was Mrs. James Blanchard — wife of a U.S. representative who was in Congress for eight years before being elected governor for two terms.

She, too, was surprised when Jim Blanchard — then Mr. Democrat in Michigan — lost to Republican John Engler. "I thought he (Jim Blanchard) would be governor as long as he wanted," she said.

Those times in Washington and Lansing were indeed heady, Paula Blanchard recalled, hobnobbing with politicians and heads of state. "But I like my life the way it is now," she said. "It's very much focused on my career."

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"SOME PEOPLE THINK I got this job because I was the First Lady," Blanchard said. "That was certainly a plus. But my whole life has been involved in communicating."

Paula graduated from Michigan State University in 1966 after which she taught school in Minnesota and Lansing. While living in Washington, D.C., she spent about five years with the Animal Health Institute, a national-trade association for manufacturers of veterinary medicine products.

She has completed the coursework for a master's degree in telecommunications from MSU, although she has not completed the thesis.

"I love the company . . . and the professionals here," she said, referring to her 30 coworkers at Casey Communications. "I really like the challenge associated with my job."

With today's economic uncertainty, many companies — including her clients — are watching the bottom line, she said. "That means a bigger challenge . . . produce or else."

Blanchard has received one promotion with the firm, something she views as affirmation of her job performance and value to the company.

"The ultimate proof of my ability is performance," she said. "Not just (doing) a good job, but a great job. That's how I answer my critics."

Blanchard said she is well on her way toward establishing her own professional credentials and removing any public perception — if it's still there — that she is anything less than a hard-driving executive.

IN TWO YEARS, she expects to be with the same firm, although at a notch or two up the ladder. Over the next decade, however, her plans are more flexible.

"I'd like to own my own company," she said. But that depends on a number of factors, including some that are beyond her control. "I'd have to be ready — personally and professionally — and conditions would have to be right."

"I'm still learning . . . and I've got a ways to go," she said. "But I'm on my way. I've got control."

Control means keeping a balance between her professional and personal life, Blanchard said. That includes maintaining a close relationship with her son, Jay, now a student at MSU.

She and Jay went to London in 1988, when he graduated from high school, part of a concerted effort to keep close mother-son ties. They're still very close, she said, and do numerous things together.

Over the Easter holiday, for example, they went to a movie, "Guilty By Suspicion."

Reminded that "Guilty By Suspicion" dealt with politics — namely congressional inquiries into alleged

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— Paula Blanchard

Blanchard said her social life is progressing nicely, even though home repairs cut into her free time.

"Yes, I'm dating," she said. "I'm seeing a businessman who lives in Birmingham. He's a widower with teen-age daughters. We get along just fine."

Asked about the likelihood of remarrying, Blanchard said, "I don't need it. I've got my career, my family and social life. Why remarry?"

Paula Blanchard is no newcomer to Oakland County, of course. She was raised in Clarkston and spent what she considers quality time as a youngster in Birmingham.

"My dad, William Parker, managed a paint store on Woodward Avenue," she said. "On Friday nights we'd join him for supper."

While in college, the then Paula Parker was a student teacher at Pierce Elementary in Birmingham. In the early-1970s, when Jim ran for U.S. Representative in the 18th District, they lived in Pleasant Ridge.

"So I know the area," she said. "And I like it. This is my home."



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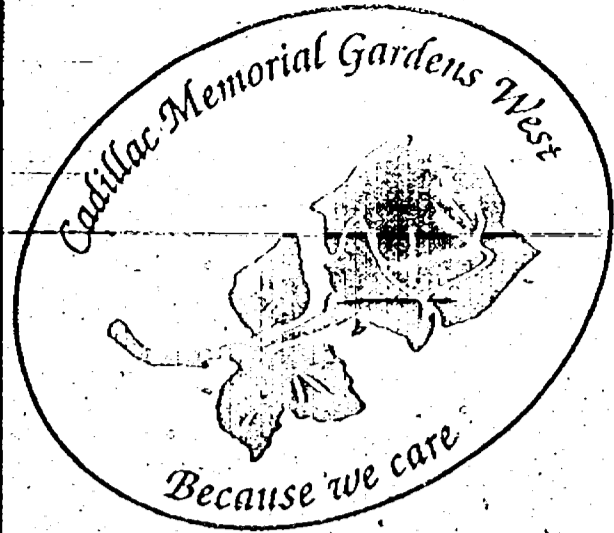
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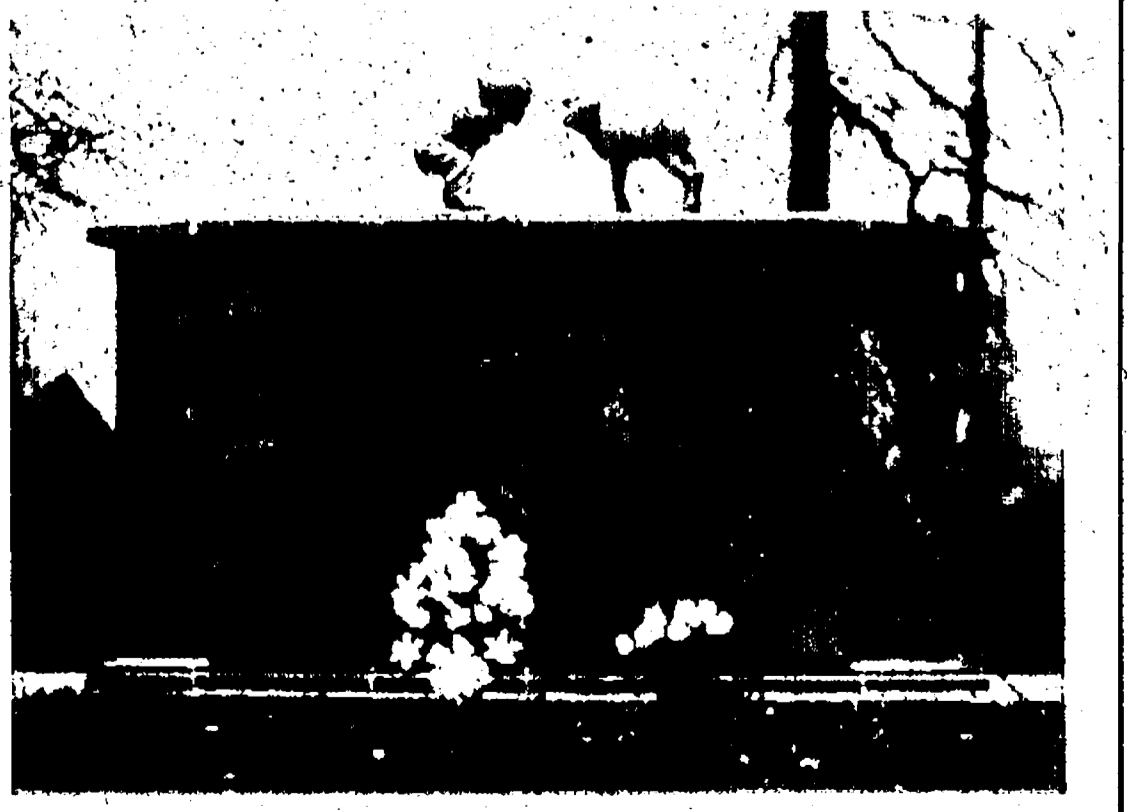
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Celebration

Larry Copeland, a student at the Burger Center for the Autistic, waves in jubilation after tying for first place in the high jump during the Wayne County Special Olympics Friday. For more on the event, turn to Page 1C of today's Observer.

Important letter

Varsity jacket policy leaves some kids cold

By Mario Chestney
staff writer

In high schools, the rules for wearing the big, bold school letter given either for scholastic excellence or participation in sports and other after-school activities vary from district to district.

In the Livonia school district, which serves the northern section of Westland, only athletes get to wear the school letter on the school's varsity jacket. Cheerleaders and other students who earn a letter must buy a different jacket on which to put it.

At John Glenn High, which serves most of Westland, there are no limits on who may buy or wear the school jackets. Many students buy the jackets and display their band or academic letters on them, a school administrator said.

THE LIVONIA district's varsity-sports-only jacket policy makes Livonia Stevenson 10th grader Amy Pachla wish the district would change it.

Amy recently earned a school letter for playing the violin two years in the district's All-City Orchestra.

But when she went to a local sporting goods store to buy a varsity jacket on which to put the letter, she was told she couldn't buy one.

"Now the letter sits in its package in her room," said Karen Pachla, Amy's mother.

"They told her she could put it on a windbreaker, but the varsity jacket looks good, has prestige and honor and is a status symbol. The windbreaker they recommended to us is too wimpy."

"The jacket has to have umph, too," said Amy, who said the letter's import-

ant. There's a message here that what she did is unimportant."

STUDENTS IN the district's three high schools who earn a letter for participating in after-school activities all have their own distinctive jackets, said Roger Frayer, Stevenson's athletic director.

Members of each school's marching band, cheerleading and pompon squads all have jackets with colors slightly different from the varsity jacket.

Frayer suggested students in the All-City Orchestra do the same and get their own jacket, also.

"They should be proud of their letter and want to wear it, but they should have their own jacket," Frayer said.

"It's not a difficult thing to do at all, getting their own jacket. And there are all kinds of stylish jackets in stock colors."

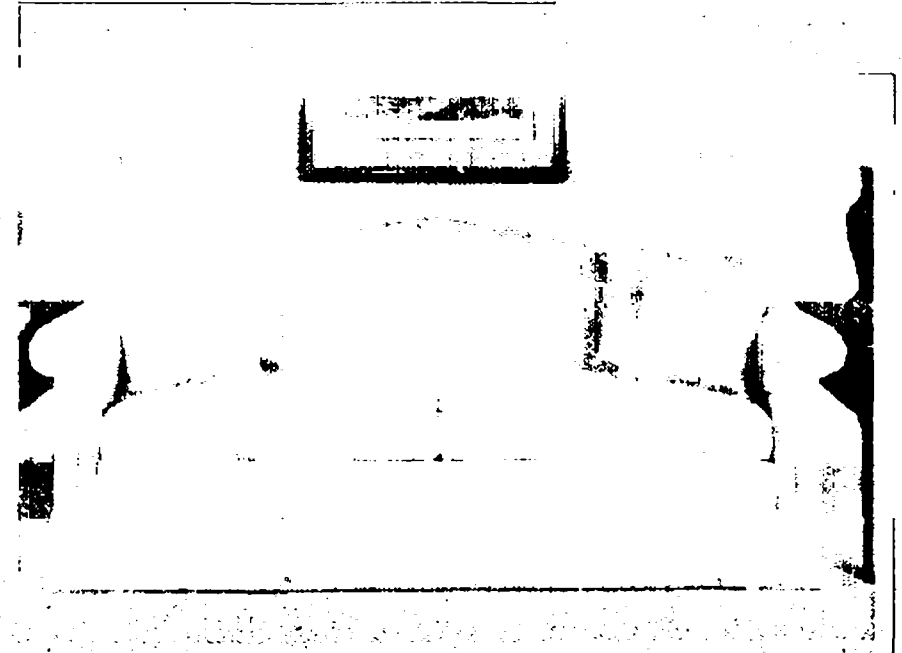
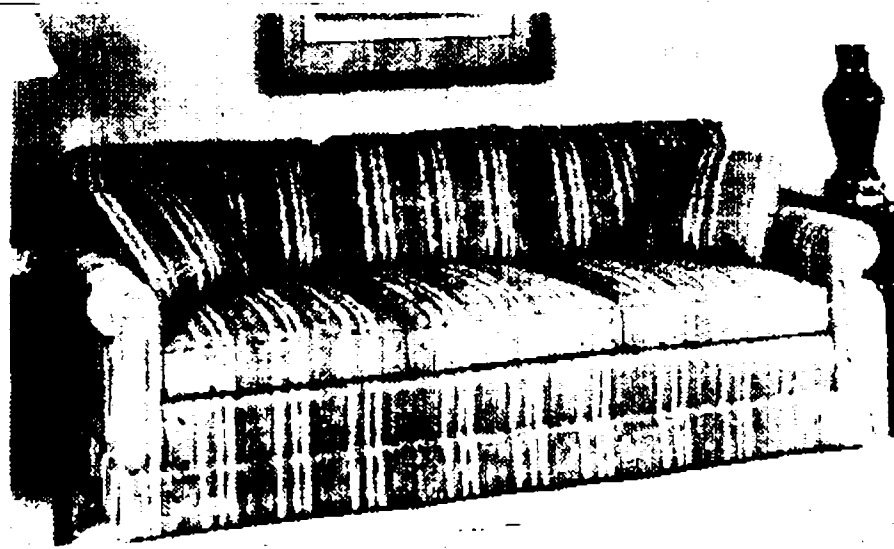
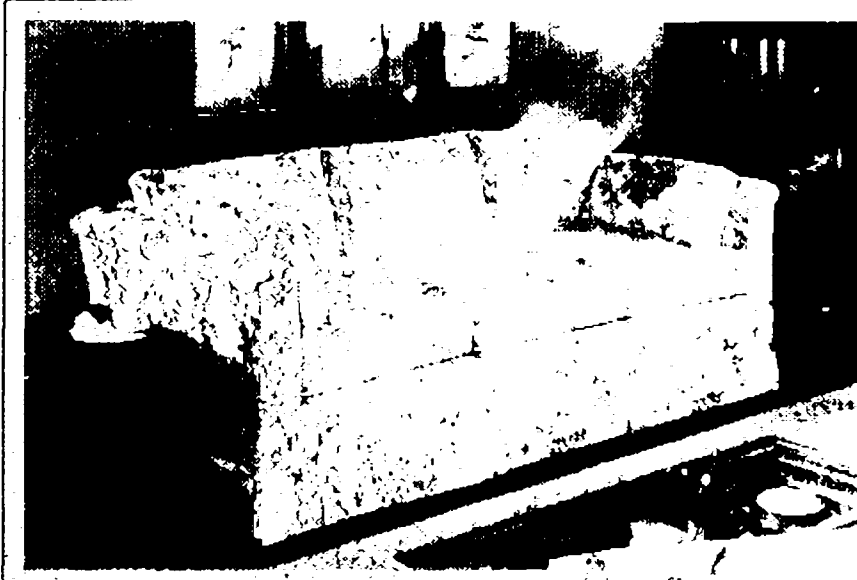


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In Livonia school district high schools, the letters put on varsity jackets are won strictly on the athletic field, while other school districts, such as Wayne-Westland, allow students to put all letters they earn on their varsity jacket. Here, Franklin High athletes Kevin Kube (left), Scott Voege and Jim Mattson wear their school jackets.

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Transplant needs high, but few organs available

By Darroll Prossloy
staff writer

Jackie Coleman was involved in a hit and run accident in 1984, which left her faced with having both legs amputated from the knee down.

However, innovative surgery which involved receiving a bone transplant from an donor, has enabled her to walk today.

Though Coleman is one of many success stories — there are more than 19,000 people in Michigan who are on a waiting list to receive donated organs — residents of Michigan are dying because of the lack of organ donors. Bone, skin and corneas are needed along with other solid organs and tissue, said Luanne Scheppleman, vice president of Hospital and Donor Services at the Michigan Tissue Bank in Lansing.

"There is a dramatic gap between supply and demand," said Scheppleman, who lives in Bloomfield Hills.

PEOPLE ARE now beginning to live longer, which leads to more people being placed on the waiting list, Scheppleman said.

Though it is important for people to become organ donors, it is equally important that the decision

to become a donor be discussed with the entire family, Scheppleman said.

After a donor card or tag on the back of the driver's license is signed, it then becomes the legal next of kin's responsibility to decide on the donation.

The wishes of a donor should be discussed, so when the time comes for an organ to be donated, "a family knows what to do," she said.

Described as a "decision of a lifetime," a single tissue donor can save the lives of 70 to 100 people. "Donating is the most beautiful, wonderful thing a person can do," Scheppleman said.

Scheppleman addressed several misconceptions about becoming an organ donor. There are no disfigurements which are a result of donations. And all religious denominations support donations.

PEOPLE CAN donate solid organs up to the age of 65. The average age of a solid organ is about 22 years old. People who are in their 50s or 60s can donate tissue, Scheppleman said.

In Lansing, the Michigan Tissue Bank provides human tissue allografts for medical and dental transplant applications which it receives

from cadaveric donors.

An extensive medical history of a potential donor is evaluated. Donors are screened to exclude those with diseases such as AIDS and hepatitis.

Autopsies are completed when approved by the next-of-kin or medical

examiner.

In 1989, there were 381 tissue donors. There were 420 tissue donors in 1990.

Many people become donors as a result of fatal car accidents, head trauma or accidental deaths.

When a person considers organ do-

ning, a person should think of all the winners who benefit from their gift, Scheppleman said.

A donor can help burn victims, or help someone walk again, or free someone from depending on a dialysis machine, she said.

"There are positive things that can

come out of a person's senseless death."

The Michigan Tissue Bank provides Donor Awareness kits along with other information on becoming a donor. For more information, call 1-800-468-2929.

SC counselor gets state post

Schoolcraft College counselor William Heise was recently named president of the Michigan Career Development Association.

The organization includes school counselors, counselor educators, adult education counselors, career

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Heise holds masters and education specialist degrees from the University of Michigan. He is an Ann Arbor resident.

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The Board of Trustees has the complete authority to establish that 2.27 mills be levied in 1991 from within its present authorized millage rate.

The maximum additional proposed millage rate would increase revenues for operating purposes from ad valorem property tax levies in 1991 otherwise permitted by Act 5, Public Acts of Michigan, 1982, by an estimated seven percent (7%).

The figure for increase in revenue for operating purposes is based on the latest estimate of state equalized valuation of property located within the College District. In the event that state equalized valuation as finalized is for any reason higher than the estimate used for this hearing, the Board of Trustees must hold another public hearing before levying millage on any higher valuation.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive testimony and discuss the levy of an additional millage rate. Not less than seven (7) days following the public hearing, the Board of Trustees may approve all or any portion of the proposed additional millage rate.

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Conference topics include: gifted students, including gifted girls, underachieving gifted students and handicapped gifted students, disadvantaged students, humor as a teaching tool and classroom presentation.

A banquet Thursday, May 16, will feature Renee Lerche, manager of education design and development for Ford Motor Co., who will present an overview of special student needs.

Thomas Switzer, dean of the College of Education at the University

of Northern Iowa, will discuss school restructuring and teacher education reform during brunch Saturday, May 18.

Conference registration is \$250, including materials, refreshments, lunch and the Thursday banquet. Additional information, including detailed information on overnight lodging, is available by calling Nancy Rampion at the University of Michigan-DeARBORN School of Education, 593-5090.

The conference is sponsored by the Michigan Colleges' Consortium for Faculty Development. The organization includes Schoolcraft College, Oakland Community College and the University of Michigan at DeARBORN, among other institutions.

Hearing postponed for drug trafficker

By Janice Brunson
staff writer

A hearing on whether to dismiss new drug charges against former Farmington Hills drug trafficker Arthur Abrams, whose testimony resulted in federal and state indictments of 59 dealers and users, has been postponed until late June.

Abrams, charged with conspiracy to deliver 225 to 649 grams of cocaine and facing an additional 20 to 30 years in jail, is currently serving time at the Western Wayne Correctional Facility in Plymouth after probation on lesser drug charges was revoked a year ago.

Abrams pled guilty in March 1988 to distributing 50 grams of cocaine after agreeing to work as an informant for the Oakland County prosecutor. He was sentenced to five years probation.

The new charges stem from allegations that Abrams continued to use and deal drugs after entering into the agreement, thereby voiding it and subjecting himself to original charges stemming from his arrest in December 1987.

Abrams maintains police knew he used drugs during the lengthy investigation following his arrest, but

waited until he had testified in federal and state court against 33 dealers and 26 users before revoking his probation and filing new charges.

"THESE GUYS are trying to bury me in here, after I did so much for them. It's wrong," said Abrams by phone from the prison in Plymouth where he is incarcerated.

Following his arrest, Abrams worked with officers from the Southeastern Michigan Conspiracy Organization (SEMCO) in Livonia, participating in sting operations and wearing a microphone to tape drug transactions with suppliers and dealers, and calling former customers by phone to sell them drugs.

During this period, Abrams said he was under severe stress and even attempted suicide on one occasion. "I told them (in May 1988) I had a severe drug problem (crack cocaine) and they looked the other way."

SEMCO prosecutor Eric Kaiser said, "I won't dispute that. Most informers used in drug cases are addicts. But it's their responsibility to correct that status. Being an addict doesn't mean you've used today or dealt today."

Kaiser said he and the officer in charge of Abrams, Sgt. Ray White

who is no longer with SEMCO, knew "at some point in time" that Abrams was continuing to abuse illicit drugs. He was tested once for drug use by the Oakland County Probation Department. Test results proved negative and SEMCO officials continued to utilize Abrams as an informant.

"Certainly he was using drugs," said Abrams' attorney, Michael Friedman of Birmingham. "He had a real bad habit. He had a girlfriend who had a real bad habit."

"But there is no hard and fast evidence he was dealing, not commercially dealing," Friedman added.

Oakland County assistant prosecutor Larry Bunting is convinced otherwise.

"MR. ABRAMS violated the law after agreeing to work with state police. There is testimony on record that he was still using and dealing drugs. He deserves to be prosecuted. We are entitled to prosecute him."

"In the future people must realize that when they make an agreement to cooperate, they have to follow the law," Bunting said.

The agreement, however, may be invalid, according to defense attorney Friedman.

"It was drafted in such a way, favoring the prosecutor and leaving my client subject to all kinds of charges, that it is not an enforceable contract. It is a violation of fundamental due process," Friedman said.

In addition, Abrams' legal counsel at the time of the contract was later charged with possession of illicit drugs, based on testimony provided by Abrams under terms of the agreement. The attorney, Steven Weiss of Oakland County, later pleaded guilty to the charges.

"This is a direct conflict of interest. My client could not have been properly advised, which voids the agreement," Friedman said.

SEMCO prosecutor Kaiser said "Abrams broke the law, after being provided protection under the umbrella of the law. He violated a trust. The integrity of the process breaks down if you don't enforce agreements like this."

During his phone call, Abrams said he fears for his life in prison. "There's over 50 people in here because of me. Word gets around."

The hearing for dismissal is scheduled June 26 before Oakland County circuit judge David Breck.

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Secession move School boundary rules needed

WAYNE COUNTY school officials were right on target in denying a request from Canton Township residents who wanted to secede from the financially-troubled Wayne-Westland school district to join Plymouth Canton schools.

The county regional educational services agency (formerly the intermediate school board) rejected last week the request from homeowners in the Greenbrook Village subdivision, in the Palmer-Lilley area, for many good reasons.

Another request has come from the River Park subdivision, near Palmer and Sheldon. That request will be heard by the county May 30.

We hope that proposal is also rejected. **ADMITTEDLY**, the oddly-shaped school districts have little relationship to the communities they serve — thanks to the boundaries of farm properties in the late 1800s which later became the basis of current district boundaries.

Ideally, the boundaries should be even with city or township boundaries so that new residents aren't confused about which school system their children would attend and there would be a sense of community unity.

At present, the Wayne-Westland district takes in small parts of Taylor and Romulus as well as

all of Wayne, most of Westland and Inkster and a small corner of Canton Township.

But the affected districts aren't dealing with a clean slate. Subdivisions and institutional political histories have developed over the decades.

Changing school boundaries just because some parents don't like the district they are in isn't a good enough reason.

There should be a logical and professional basis for changing boundaries.

Standards were developed 25 years ago by the county board of education in handling several requests which ultimately led to the dissolution of several school districts.

In those cases, there were overwhelming reasons for having large districts absorb smaller adjoining districts.

IN THE near future, the county should establish standards so that residents who want a change will know them in advance and be able to build a case for boundary changes.

While the recent request from Canton residents was rejected, there may be a need in the near future to straighten out boundaries to eliminate confusion and have municipal and school district limits coincide as much as possible.

New chief due

Police force changes coming

WESTLAND POLICE Chief Paul Schnarr is now enjoying the first week of his deserved retirement after 24½ years of service to the community.

He cleaned out his desk Friday after announcing a month ago that he would retire May 3.

In looking for a replacement, the city's civil service commission is midway through its promotional testing for a new chief. Under the

Michigan Civil Service Act, the only people eligible to test for the vacancy are police Inspectors Michael Frayer and Emery Price.

The written tests were given last week with the oral interviews to be held soon.

The commission, Mayor Robert Thomas as well as the community hope that the new police chief has a sense of public service and respect of the department's officers so he can represent the city's needs professionally and effectively.

New leaders Principals honor achievers

THEY'RE ENERGETIC, optimistic and so very bright. They are the 1991 Observer Newspapers Academic All-Stars.

In the next few weeks, the 16 members of this year's team will complete successful high school careers looking forward to studies in medicine, engineering and the liberal arts.

Over the past few years, parents have been bombarded with bad news about education. Improvements must be made, but these young men and women represent what is positive about education today.

THESE STUDENTS are more than just bright. Very likely they will be the leaders of tomorrow. These are the students who prove that through discipline, determination and a lot of hard work, achievement is possible.

They also have many kind words for their parents who offered encouragement and support and for teachers who played a major role in shaping these young minds.

In today's Observer, you will find a special insert highlighting the achievements of these students.

Selection was based on grade point averages in academic subjects and national college test scores. Tabulation of scores and selection was done by a committee of area high school principals.

Chairing the committee was Robert Schramke, principal of Redford Union High School, and the man who seven years ago came to this newspaper with the idea for an academic all-star team.

Other high school principals in the Schramke

on this year's selection committee were Geraldine Kiesel, Garden City High School; Dale Collier, Stevenson High School; Larry Boehms, Troy High School; Gary Faber, West Bloomfield High School; Clayton Graham, Harrison High School; Gerald Ostoin, Plymouth Salem High School; and Dennis Connolly, John Glenn High School.

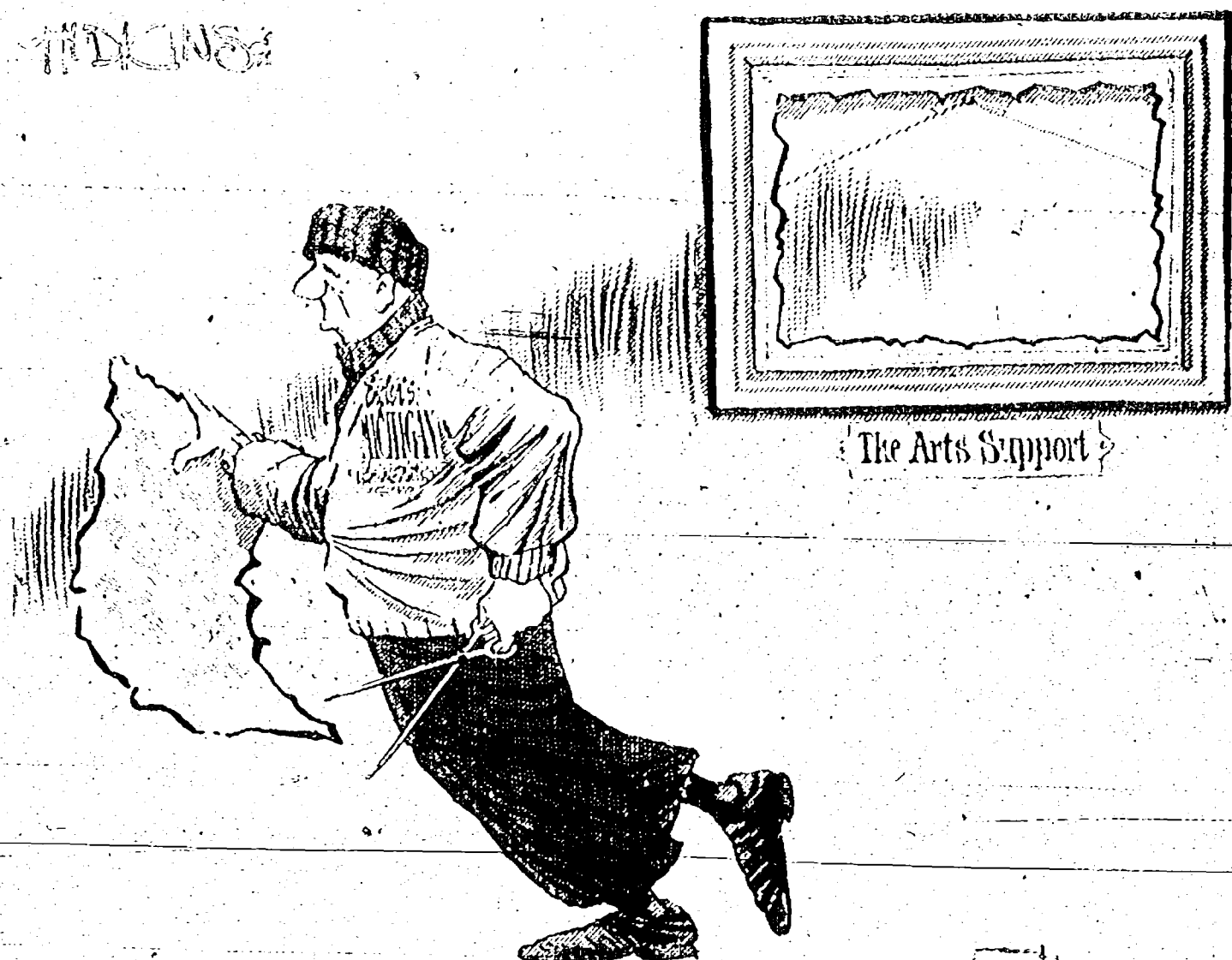
We thank them for their time and enthusiasm for this project.

In addition to being profiled in today's Observer, the 16 all stars will receive a dictionary embossed with their name and a special certificate of recognition.

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Engler flexes tactics with his new policies

I WROTE A column a month ago which tried to sort out whether Gov. John Engler was more like Ronald Reagan (passionate and committed ideologue) or Richard Nixon (hang the ideology; do what you must to get re-elected).

I concluded Engler was more like Reagan — only a flaming conservative ideologue would accept the flak he was taking and carry on with budget cutting.

Well, I was wrong. Just like Nixon and his celebrated conversions (remember the "New Nixon" or even the "Newer Nixon"?), Engler is showing signs of tactical flexibility. Nobody in the governor's office in Lansing is issuing press releases, but it's clear the new policy is: Do whatever has to be done.

MANY OF ENGLER'S friends think it's about time.

They worried as his overall conservative intent to shrink state spending got characterized as slashing-welfare payments to the poor, cutting property taxes to the rich and being generally callous about people in between. "Mean spirited" became the tag line.

They grew alarmed as Engler the ideologue seemed to develop true originality in angering nominally Republican constituencies.

Local governments — not just Detroit but solid suburban communities in Livingston, Oakland and western Wayne counties — were alarmed when the governor proposed to slash the property taxes that paid the lo-

cal bills without saying how the resulting shortfalls would be made up. Ditto for school boards.

The arts community got sore when state spending for the Detroit Institute of Arts and the Detroit Symphony were slashed. Environmentalists were alarmed at plans to break up the Department of Natural Resources and at a trial balloon about turning over management of four state parks to private business.

Talk about trouble! When the long hairs and the moose and goose folk start making common cause, it's time to get alarmed.

PART OF THE problem was Engler's staunch determination that his administration would be as unlike his predecessor's as possible.

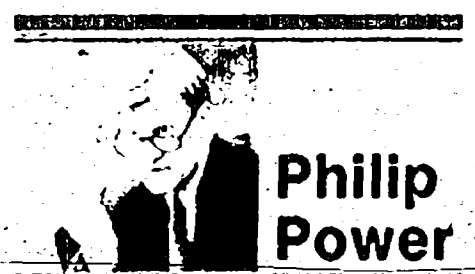
Image mongering, ribbon cutting and PR hoopla were out. But that, in turn, made Engler vulnerable to having his image defied by his acts (slash arts funding) and his opponents ("mean spirited").

Predictably, the governor's poll ratings tumbled: 39-41 percent unfavorable was the last number I saw. People started taking out recall petitions.

And when Engler started trying to fulfill a campaign pledge to visit all 83 Michigan counties each year (his scheduler will come to hate him for that), kids started asking him why he was such a nasty fellow.

IT HAD TO CHANGE.

I cite three pieces of evidence that change came in the last two weeks:



Philip Power

1. On April 30, Engler agreed with Michigan Council for the Arts chair Leon Cohan to hold a "summit meeting" to resolve differences over public funding for the arts.

2. Engler agreed to quit insisting on a property tax cut this year and bought into a freeze on assessment levels that was cooked up in the Legislature. With sighs of relief, legislators can claim they actually did something about the rise in property taxes. Engler then argued the freeze was really a cut because it "saved" \$400 million in taxes.

3. At the end of last week, big pictures of Engler in a press conference with lots of little kids were splashed all over the Detroit newspapers.

None of these things happened purely by chance. They represent a clear sign that John Engler is well aware of what insistence on strict ideology was doing to him and of his determination to change direction before it got too late. Smart man.

Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His award-winning column will appear periodically.

from our readers

Editorial is criticized

To the editor:

Your recent editorial condemning Wayne-Westland school board member Sylvia Kozorosky-Wiacek for her independent stance on the 7.75 millage proposal was way off base. You stated that Kozorosky-Wiacek's thinking was illogical and lacked an understanding of the political realities of the situation. In my estimation, nothing could be further from the truth.

Let's take a closer look at the political reality and the logic of this situation: First, the reality, political or otherwise, of the situation is really quite simple. Three times in the past year and a half this Board of Education has gone to the voters with similar millage proposals. Three times the voters have told them NO. That's the reality of this issue.

Second, let's analyze the logic employed by Kozorosky-Wiacek in making her decision. According to your front page article in the same issue as your editorial, she cited a survey, done by the State Board of Education last spring (1990), which indicated that some components of a "split issue" proposal may pass. In particular, that survey said that 54 percent of the voters contacted would pass a millage to keep their children in school a full day.

Your editorial asks the question what would happen if the smaller millages passed? What would happen... is that the district would receive \$4 million to \$6 million more (depending on millage rates passed — dollars they don't have now), students would be bused to school, and there would be sports, clubs, marching band, and other extracurricular activities. While not the ideal situation, that sounds like a pretty good deal compared to the all-or-nothing proposition we will be faced with on June 10. (I can't believe you don't give the people in our community more credit.) Your editorial suggests that they would vote for a smaller millage for extracurricular activities, etc., in place of academics. Who's not logical?

Finally, I believe that Kozorosky-Wiacek is listening to and following the wishes of the majority of the taxpayers of this district (the people the board is supposed to represent). All my neighbors and friends favor a split proposal. What the voters want is a choice — a say in determining where their tax dollars are spent, and Kozorosky-Wiacek's proposal is the logical way to give them that choice.

I will be voting on Monday, June 10, and one thing for sure — I will be voting for a change on our school board. I would encourage all taxpayers to consider a change on the board.

Linda Jones,
Westland

Tax freeze unproductive

To the editor:

Congratulations on your editorial of May 2, wherein you point out the difficulties that we at the local school board level face. The following points seem obvious to me.

• The electorate is demanding better schools.

• The electorate is demanding lower property taxes.

• State legislators address the issue by taking money from the quality schools in order to improve the schools that are in real difficulty. This allows for marginal improvement of poor schools but will certainly destroy the quality of the good schools.

• State legislators have always shown a willingness to cut taxes if the cuts affect local governments and school districts, but show little desire to address the state budget imbalance itself.

The one omission from your excellent editorial relates to your endorsement of reducing the percentage assessment of property taxes.

I look for additional perceptive editorials from your newspaper. Thanks for pointing out the fundamental problem that we in the trenches face every time we meet.

J. Richard Thorderson,
Livonia board of education member



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Robert Schramke, principal of Redford Union High School, discusses an academic all-star application with committee member Dennis Connolly, principal of John Glenn High School.

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Mayor upsets student

To the editor:
I'm an eighth grade student at Stevenson Junior High in Westland. I think that the position Mayor Robert Thomas has taken on the millage election is horrible.
Our mayor is supposed to benefit the community. His saying that he doesn't support the millage says that he doesn't care about education. He is hurting the children and teens of Westland by telling people they shouldn't vote for the millage increase.
Thomas is going with the majority, we've seen that in the previous millage elections, but the minorities, those students who can't vote, that are getting hurt by his decision. Thomas may win the next election, but he's making the students of our community lose out.
Once again, I think our mayor is wrong in saying he doesn't support a millage increase and I believe we should vote for the millage which will best benefit the children of our community.

Kelly Schopp,
Westland

Budget cuts to hurt pupils

To the editor:
Right now thousands of Wayne-Westland students' educations are being cut short because the school millage was not passed.
In my opinion, the students of Wayne-Westland aren't only being cut short of an education, they're being cut short of a life. Last March, the school millage renewal was turned down again. This set off a chain reaction because of budget cuts.
This last year many things happened. First, many good teachers throughout the district were laid off. Other teachers were placed in areas they either hadn't taught before or haven't taught in a long time. Then, pay to play started. That means that if someone wants to play a school sport or be in marching band, they have to pay. Most importantly, the

school day at the junior highs and the elementary were shortened. Even though many cuts took place this year, there are still many more cuts to come.
Some cuts for next year will make the schools even worse. First, there will be no buses next year, increasing the risk of an accident to students and drivers. More teachers will be laid off causing for many classes not to be offered.
The high schools' school day, like the junior highs, will be cut to five hours. Next year, there will be no sports, eliminating college scholarship opportunities for some students. These are just some of the cuts that will take place next year.
These things need to be stopped before it ruins thousands of people's lives. All that has to be done in order for this to happen is for people to vote yes on the next election and support our schools.

Anne Galbraith,
Wayne

Schools criticized

To the editor:
I did not vote in the last millage election feeling that I could not really make a difference. When it comes to fighting the bureaucracy in this district, people like me tend to shy away. But now I've learned that I just wasn't mad enough. Sometimes it takes a personal conflict to send a lukewarm voter to the polls.
I've heard a lot of talk about our district's poor MEAP scores. I've seen a steady decline in teaching techniques and teacher performance in the past two decades. I've seen mismanagement of time and money district-wide and have heard the administration blame the parents. Then one day it became personal, as someone tried to blame me.
A teacher at Vandenberg School said of my daughter's grades, "I'm not going to take responsibility for what belongs to an 11-year-old. There's no sense talking to you because you're trying to blame me. It boils down to your inadequacy as a parent."
After this conversation, I was amazed by her remark. I pondered over who should be responsible for a slipping grade — Answer: The student.

Who should be responsible for recognizing a slipping grade and communicating to the parents — Answer: The teacher. Who should take responsibility for correcting the problem?
The answer obviously is the parent, although this proves to be a very difficult task when the teachers shirk the responsibility to communicate with the parent.
This teacher seems to think that the responsibility of communication lies strictly on the shoulders of the parents. Evidently, the administration agrees, since they decided to cut out spring conferences.
What it really boils down to is they must be ashamed of poor MEAP scores reflecting poor educators and can't look us in the face. They won't accept responsibility and want parents to look inadequate. It's really rather humorous, since this "inadequate" parent graduated among the top five students in a class of 750 at Wayne High.
It really makes me wonder how many more "inadequate" parents were educated in this district by these inadequate educators.
Katherine Ruchala,
Wayne

School cuts are suggested

To the editor:
The bureaucracy of the Wayne-Westland school district has refused for more than six years to be accountable for its spending, honest in its dealings, upright in its character and credible in its statements. So much so that a majority of voters three times have rejected their impassioned pleas for more money to spend unwisely.
School personnel can blame TV, the movies, society and parents for the lack of quality education, but the argument loses its validity because non-government school children live in the same society, watch the same TV and movies, and have the same kind of parents.
The difference is that these non-government schools, such as the Catholic schools, the Baptist academies, the Lutheran highs, and other private institutions PRODUCE RESULTS in the educational lives of their students on less than one-third the money spent by the Wayne-West-

land school board.
In the past, the voters of the Wayne-Westland school district have been "the envy of the state" in their support of millage for their schools. But 13 months ago and three millages since, the same voters have said emphatically that the school administration must produce results with the money provided. No results — no more money.
Several pro-millage advocates have criticized the Wayne-Westland Citizens For Education Committee and its leadership for not suggesting a way out of the crisis. Many suggestions have been offered, but have been quickly discarded for another millage attempt. The only answer this bureaucracy has for any problem is "MORE MONEY."
Just for the record, here is a shopping list of suggestions which need to be considered to cut costs and reduce expenditures.
• Run the school district as a business with an ongoing cost reduction program in operation at all times; freeze all wages and re-open all contracts; move ninth grade classes to the high schools to facilitate building use, to combine athletics and to allow consolidation of elementaries; eliminate and/or reduce all overtime, using manpower more effectively; sell extraneous property and use the money for capital improvements; maximize utilization of buildings and facilities to achieve cost effectiveness, and eliminate courses which do not stress basic academic excellence; improve building utilization and improve scheduling to reduce transportation costs by combining routes, redirecting routes, and filling empty buses; provide a study to eliminate the duplication of services, unnecessary tasks and the waste of manpower thus reducing costs; eliminate the election room and rely on city services; explore the privatization of support services for cost effectiveness; reinstate sports and other non-academic programs on a "pay for play" basis (e.g. band, music, intramurals, clubs, etc.); split the millage to give the people a choice as a courageous Mayor Robert Thomas suggested earlier, and offer a temporary, two-year minimum millage which does not expire in 1995.

David Moranty
Chairman

Awards are unreasonable

To the editor:
I was pleased to read your editorial in the April 25 issue of the West Bloomfield Eccentric. "Who's at fault?"
We read and hear a great deal about the threat of foreign competition to the economic health of our country. We also are all aware of the runaway costs of health care and health care insurance. Unfortunately we do not hear very much about the cost to us, the consumers brought about by the proliferation of unreasonable product liability, medical malpractice and personal injury lawsuits.
We constantly hear and read the advertisements of personal injury attorneys who effectively encourage the idea that we can get someone else to pay for what is often our own carelessness. When I slip on the ice, as I sometimes do, I think that I've been careless. A personal injury attorney will say the ice shouldn't have been there and another law suit is added to the badly loaded court system.
An individual trespasses on someone's property and steps in a hole, another law suit.
A man is hurt because the tool with which he is working had the safety guard removed. The original manufacturer of the equipment is sued even though he had nothing to do with removing the guard.
A drunken driver goes off the road, hits a tree in the center island and sues the road commission because the tree was in the island.

THE UNREASONABLENESS of so many awards discourages innovation and the development of new products and even more significantly the cost of these awards is added to the price of the products we purchase.
In other words, we, the consumers, ultimately pay the price that is paid for every unreasonable award.
The legal fees for individuals or insurance companies is so high that it is often less expensive to settle a claim than pay the legal fees to defend a claim that is totally without merit.
The time has come to change the

laws to control unreasonable awards and to make the plaintiff pay all legal fees for grossly unreasonable claims.

Herman Frankel,
West Bloomfield

Cartoonist was off base

To the editor:
Arkie Hudkins cartoon in the May 2 edition is a needless affront to the President of the United States.
Bush has a popularity rating superior to that of any president in a long time. He had some very difficult decisions to make relative to the war in the Persian Gulf.
He made the right decisions. His leadership helped to bring the country a notable victory. John Engler has not accomplished anything to make him a superior choice of graduation day speaker.
Hudkins' opinion is certainly one held by a minority of the population. His cartoon on May 2 was a waste of valuable newspaper space.

Jack Thibean,
Farmington Hills

Column called adolescent

To the editor:
The article by Jack Gladden re: "Fetus police on patrol" trivializes the important issues of the unborn. This is a question of health and life for both mother and child and its appropriate protection. I do not believe a subject of this importance deserves the comic strip treatment, whatever your beliefs.
I wonder if Mr. Gladden would treat a subject of vital importance to men with the same adolescent superficiality.
Perhaps this quality of writing would be considered humorous at the high school level. Even there, however, I believe the teacher would point out the inappropriateness of the treatment of such a serious subject, not to mention the insensitivity of the writer to others pain.
I do not believe this type of writing is suitable to an enlightened suburban newspaper.

Rose M. Sutherland
Birmingham

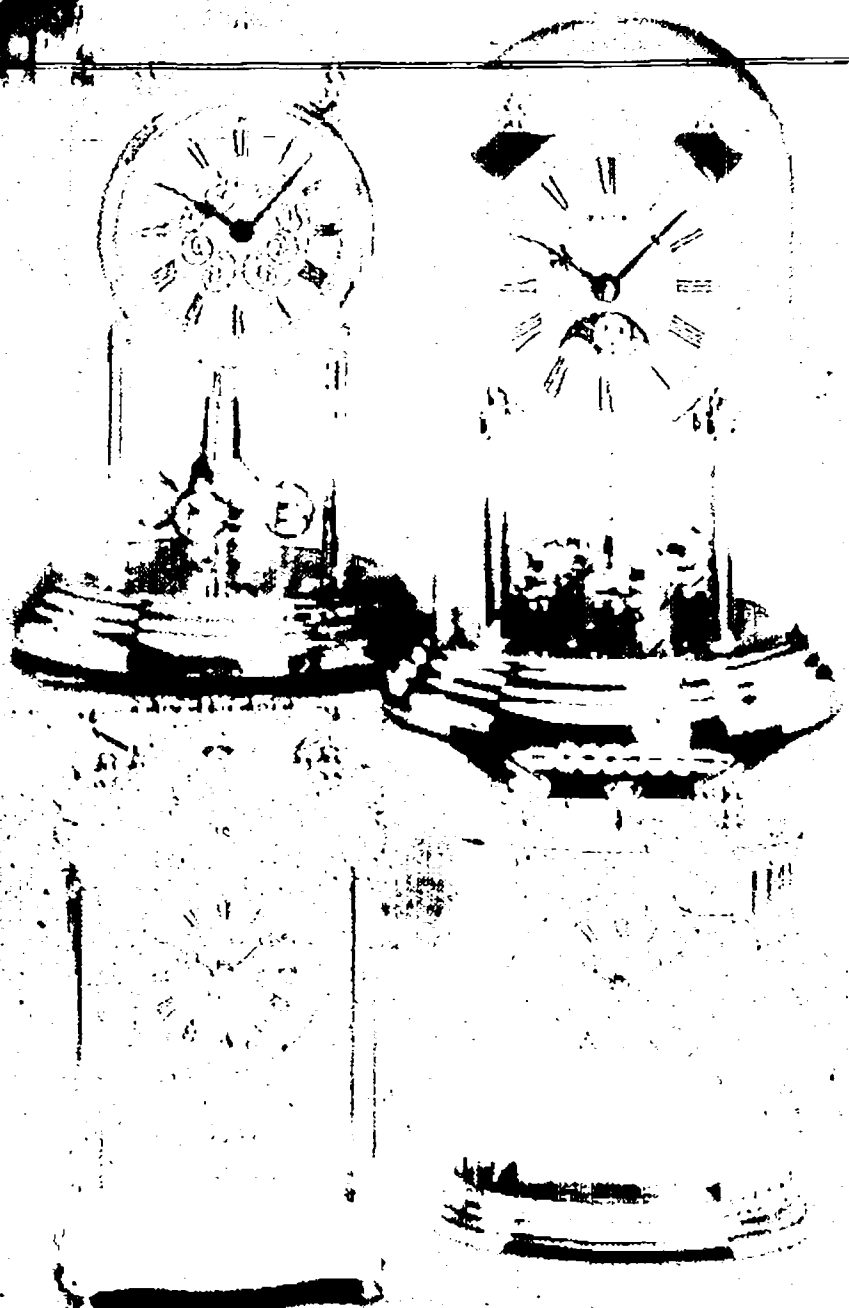


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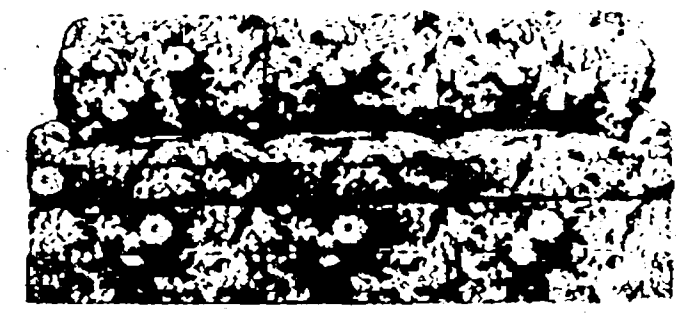


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Color tells a lot about stars

By Raymond E. Bullock
special writer

A star's color tells us a lot. A red star is like the red part of a gas flame; it isn't very hot. A red star is also very old, nearing the end of its life cycle. As stars age they cool down, swell up and become giants.

Betelgeuse is a supergiant among giants. It is so huge that, if placed where our sun is, it would extend out to the orbit of Jupiter.

The name Betelgeuse is roughly translated as the "arm of the giant." The giant in question is the mighty hunter Orion (oh RYE yan) and Betelgeuse marks the location of his right, "shoulder." This star is the 11th brightest in the sky and one of the best examples of a red giant type star.

Observe the moon drift through the gathering cluster of planets on the evenings of May 16-18. On the 16th the moon is three degrees below Venus. On the next evening the moon is located midway between Venus and Mars. On the 18th the moon is three degrees below Jupiter. Jupiter passes the southern edge of the "Beehive" star cluster in the constellation of Cancer the crab on the 18th.

This cluster looks like a swarm of bees when viewed through a pair of binoculars. It is one of the closest and brightest of the star clusters. Galileo, the first person to observe the cluster with a telescope (probably around the year 1610), counted 36 bright stars; observers with bet-

ter telescopes have counted over 350.

It is estimated that this cluster is 525 light years away from us. The light we see tonight left the Beehive in the year 1465, 145 years before Galileo recorded his own observations!

(Obviously the light that reached Galileo's telescope had left the cluster 525 years before his observations in 1610.) The Beehive cluster is a naked-eye object, but bright lights in metropolitan areas make seeing it difficult. Having bright Jupiter as a beacon makes locating the Beehive very easy.

The moon has passed Jupiter on the evening of the 19th and is four degrees to the left of the star Regulus (REG u lus) on the 20th. Regulus is the "heart" of Leo the lion. Regulus is about 85 light years away. That's much closer than Betelgeuse, but Regulus is not as bright. Regulus is only the 21st brightest star in the sky. It is a blue-white star and, like the blue part of a gas flame, much hotter than a red star. (Cooler Betelgeuse looks brighter because of its great size.)

SATURN begins retrograde (backward) motion on May 17. It has been drifting eastward through the stars of Capricornus all year, but will now appear to back up and move westward from night to night.

Retrograde motion is an optical illusion caused when the faster moving earth passes a slower moving planet as both orbit the sun.

Mars, Pollux and Castor form a straight line on the evening of the 21st. Also note the large triangle formed by Castor, Pollux and bright Venus. In two weeks Venus will be located where Mars is and Venus will form a line with Pollux and Castor.

The moon is approaching the star Spica (SPY ca) in Virgo on the evening of the 23rd. On the 24th the moon is three degrees directly below Spica. Spica, a blue-white star like Regulus, is the 16th brightest star in the sky. It is about 275 light years away from us. Since it's much farther than Regulus, but appears brighter, it must be a very hot and luminous star.

Jupiter, Mars and Venus are within 20 degrees of each other on the evening of the 25th. Just a little more than three weeks until their spectacular grouping!

The moon is approaching the star Antares on the evening of the 27th. Look toward the southeast about one hour after sunset. Antares is the 15th brightest star in the sky and is also a supergiant like Betelgeuse. It is also the same distance from us, about 520 light years. On the following evening the moon is past Antares.

Venus is four degrees to the left of Pollux on the evening of the 29th. Jupiter is still easy to identify above and to the left of Venus; Mars is still midway between the two, but the distance is closing. In fact, on the evening of the 30th, the three objects are within 15 degrees of each other.

Have a look at the moon on the evenings of the 30th and 31st. Once again it is in Sagittarius, close to the same position it had at the start of the month, but there is a big difference; at the start of the month Sagittarius was due south, now it is in the south-southwest. When the moon passes this way in another month, Sagittarius will be too close to the sun to be visible.

An excellent aid for learning constellations and keeping up to date with the sky is the monthly Sky Calendar. A one year subscription is \$6 and is available from Abrams Planetarium, Michigan State University, East Lansing 48824.

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Making space

Franklin shortstop Mike Geiger drifts over to catch the pop fly as third baseman Dan West avoids the collision during Monday's game against Walled Lake Western. See baseball roundup, 3B.

No guarantees

Mr. Coleman can't win son's battles

I WOULD BE REMISS if I didn't say something about the Mill Coleman situation at Michigan State.

Just because you throw for more than 7,000 yards, win two state high school titles and are a great student doesn't guarantee you anything when it comes to big-time college football. MSU has four quarterbacks competing for Dan Enos' job and it appears Coleman, a red-shirt freshman from Farmington Harrison, is behind Bret Johnson, the transfer from UCLA.

Coleman's father, Mill Sr., expressed concern earlier this month in an article in The Observer that his son is not getting a fair shot. He says the offensive scheme implemented in the recent spring game is not tailored to his son's talents, and that it's better suited for others (Johnson for one).

Ironically, in 1987 Coleman originally made his mark as a high school transfer student, coming to Harrison from Albion as a sophomore. I'm quite certain that Harrison coach John Herrington "tailored" or altered his offense to suit Coleman's talents, while those who had been groomed for the quarterback job suddenly were shifted to other spots and given reduced roles as back-ups.

I'M SURE THOSE people silently complained, but didn't air their gripes out in the press.

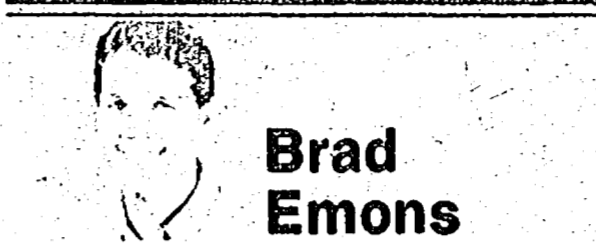
Mill Sr. won't be the first or the last parent of a recruit to feel a bit betrayed.

One of my old neighborhood acquaintances, Gary Forystek, slipped through the cracks at Notre Dame, even though he was one of the most heralded prep passers in America after playing for Bill McCartney at Dearborn Divine Child High.

Forystek was recruited by Ara Parseghian, but quickly fell out of favor after Dan Devine took over. When Forystek finally got his chance in a game against Pittsburgh, he was crunched on a blindsided hit by Hugh Green, suffering a serious shoulder injury. (He was playing behind Joe Montana, among others.)

Another great Observerland quarterback also comes to mind, Rich Hewlett. He ran the option as well as anybody I'd ever seen coming out of Plymouth Salem High.

Hewlett, who was heavily recruited by such schools as Tennessee and Alabama, chose Michi-



Brad Emons

gan (where he sat the bench much of his career). When Hewlett signed with U-M, he seemed to fit their mold perfectly as the "next Rick Leach."

But Hewlett had one problem. Star wide receiver named Anthony Carter wasn't getting the ball enough.

HEWLETT, however, was a surprise starter (as a true freshman) against Ohio State (1979). During that game, he moved the team effectively before going out with an injured ankle.

He opened the 1980 season as a starter, getting the call against Northwestern. Despite a driving rainstorm, that made it impossible for even Dan Marino to excel, loyal U-M fans got impatient with a lack of offense, booing Hewlett unmercifully every time he threw an incomplete pass. Carter's way.

John Wangler relieved Hewlett in that game (a 17-10 Michigan win) and again the next week in a 29-27 loss at Notre Dame.

Hewlett, because he was an option quarterback trying to make it as a passer, was relegated to the bench the rest of the season, while Wangler was leading the Wolverines to a Rose-Bowl triumph over Washington.

As the story goes, Hewlett red-shirted in 1981, converting to defensive back.

He earned a couple of starts his final two years, but did not become the "Next Charlie Waters" as one U-M assistant Rob Thornbladh predicted he'd become.

But the Hewlett story isn't a sad one. He has since earned a law degree and is a member for a big Detroit firm.

Another former Observerland quarterback, who I'd mention in the same breath with Coleman and Hewlett, was Livonia Stevenson's Dave Hall.

AS FAR AS football goes, Hall was in the

wrong place at the wrong time.

U-M went back to the option attack with Steve Smith, and the 6-foot-5 Hall became a backup.

Hall's career, however, wasn't wasted. Because he was such a good athlete, he ultimately earned letters in basketball and track at U-M, but languished on the bench in football. He had only one start and appeared in one Rose Bowl when Smith got hurt.)

But the story isn't a sad one. Hall went on to graduate school at the University of Texas to obtain his MBA and was invited to the Olympic Trials to compete in the decathlon, only to bow out because of sore knees.

Is Coleman situation's any different?

Hardly.

Let's face it, he's on his own now in the big city.

Bret Johnson, as I recall, is no slouch. The El Toro, Calif., native was mentioned in the same breath coming out of high school as Todd Marinovich, who recently quit Southern Cal to go to the NFL. (Despite his off-field troubles, Marinovich was a first-round pick of the LA Raiders.)

THIS IS BIG-TIME college football and if MSU coach George Perles was sold on Coleman, Jim Miller or even John Giesselman (the other contenders at QB), he wouldn't have allowed Johnson to transfer to East Lansing.

Yet another MSU quarterback recruit, Randy Vanderbush of Franklin, Ind., has made a successful switch to the defensive backfield. He was selected Defensive MVP for the spring game.

So what are Coleman's options?

He can stick it out for a year, patiently wait his turn, change positions, or most importantly keep working toward his degree (following the leads of Hall and Hewlett, who were in similar situations).

Coleman could also transfer to another school. (Eastern Michigan, I am told, could use a quarterback.)

But then again, I don't recall Coleman seriously considering EMU, Central Michigan or Western Michigan coming out of high school. I wonder what kind of reception he'd receive from those coaches if he decided to transfer. The Ivy League is an option.

But the important thing is that Mill Jr. only knows what is best for him.

Westland native sizes up Stanley

By Greg Heakes special writer

One of the first things Mike Modano and his Minnesota North Star teammates noticed when they arrived at Edmonton's Northlands Coliseum were the championship banners.

"There is a lot of tradition here," said Modano of the defending Stanley Cup champion Oilers. "But we didn't let Chicago winning the Presidents Trophy bother us. We just have to approach each game like we did in the last series."

Indeed, the North Stars amazing playoff run continues through the Campbell Conference finals as they attempt to win their first Stanley Cup in the club's 24-year history.

In the first two rounds they knocked off the league's No. 1 and No. 2 regular season teams, respectively. Nothing intimidates this bunch.

"Deep down we know we can do it," said the 20-year-old Westland native who attended Franklin High as a ninth grader.

IF MODANO is playing some of the best hockey of his young career, then it couldn't have come at a better time for the North Stars. "He's a bursting young talent," said North Star coach Bob Gainey of Modano. "He's the kind of inspiration I see when I look into the future of this team."

In 79 regular season games Modano had 28 goals and 64 points. He had an outstanding rookie season in 1989-90, finishing second overall in rookie scoring with 75 points in 80 games.

Last season Modano played forward on different lines with Shane Churla, Basil McEtee, and Gaetan Duchesne.

But make no mistake, the North Stars never entertained thoughts of making the NHL's first overall draft pick in 1988 into a defensive specialist.

That was just the club's way of allowing Modano to get the feel of the big.

"He's got a lot of talent but he has to use it within the confines of the team," said Minnesota GM Bobby



FILE PHOTO

Mike Modano of Westland has been the center of attention for the Minnesota North Stars in their quest of a Stanley Cup championship.

Clarke. "Gainey has got him using his body and checking more."

DURING THE PLAYOFFS Modano's linemates have been Brian Propp and Dave Gagner.

"It's been working out," Modano said. "They are both great skaters and they both like to open up the game."

Modano has come a long way since the beginning of the season when his poor play forced Gainey to bench him.

"I was struggling," he said. "When I sat out that game I tried to figure out what I was doing wrong."

"Bob (Gainey) is showing confidence in me now, but I have to come through for him," said Modano.

The North Stars always knew Modano could score goals. And he proved that in junior with the Prince Albert Raiders of the Western Hockey League. Modano missed the final

hockey

25 games of the 1988-89 season with a broken wrist, but still managed to finish first in team scoring with 105 points.

"It was a culture shock," said Modano of his three seasons in Prince Albert, Saskatchewan. "But I could do it all over again."

THE 6-FOOT-3, 188-pound Modano likes to use his large wing span to his advantage. Well, like a ... Bobby Smith.

"He's one of the most talented players I've seen come along in a long time," said Smith, a 14-year NHL veteran, who plays on the powerplay with Modano. "He can do what no one else can for us as far as picking the team up with a big rush."

Modano did just that Monday night, scoring the first goal on a breakaway in a 7-3 Minnesota victory.

Through the playoffs Modano has shown signs of being the No. 1 center on the North Stars. That distinction currently belongs to Neal Broten. But at 31, Broten is one of the older pivots in the league.

"I can see it down the road that Mike will be our No. 1 center," said North Star defenseman Nell Wilkinson. "I would go as far as to say that he will be one of the great centers in the league."

Modano already has one of the most underrated shots. More than one defenseman has wished he gotten out of the way sooner.

In Juniors, Modano once reached into his bag of tricks and scored a goal from the red line. He did it by fooling Medicine Hat Tiger goaltender Mark Fitzpatrick into thinking he was just dumping the puck into the other team's zone on a routine line change.

"It gives the team a lift when you get a surprise goal," said Modano.

Now it's the Oilers turn to be surprised.

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Opener to test Madonna

By C.J. Rlesk
staff writer

The challenge facing Madonna University's baseball team seemingly got tougher when the draw for the NAIA District 23 playoffs was made Monday.

Although they finished with the second-best record (in percentage) in the district, the Fighting Crusaders will have to play the first-place team first — Aquinas College. The two squads tangle at noon today at Mount Pleasant High School, while the tournament host — Northwood Institute — plays Spring Arbor College at Central Michigan University.

Tournament matchups were not determined by seeding. After the four qualifiers were decided, it was an open draw. And Madonna drew Aquinas.

The tough luck of the draw didn't bother Crusader coach Mike George, whose team was 11-6 in district play and 31-16-1 overall. One reason is that Madonna split its two games with Aquinas — which finished 15-5 in the district — this season; another is that the Crusaders bested the Saints 2-1 in a rain-shortened game Sunday.

"IN THE TWO games against them, we played well," said George. "And we just got done playing them Sunday, so it's fresh in our minds that we can beat them."

The pitcher Madonna beat, though, was Rod Rojas — not Tim Sullivan. The 6-foot-4 Sullivan was easily the best pitcher in the district this season, if not the best player. He posted a 10-0 record with a 1.45 earned run average. Aquinas' all-time leader in wins, he beat Madonna 5-3 April 28.

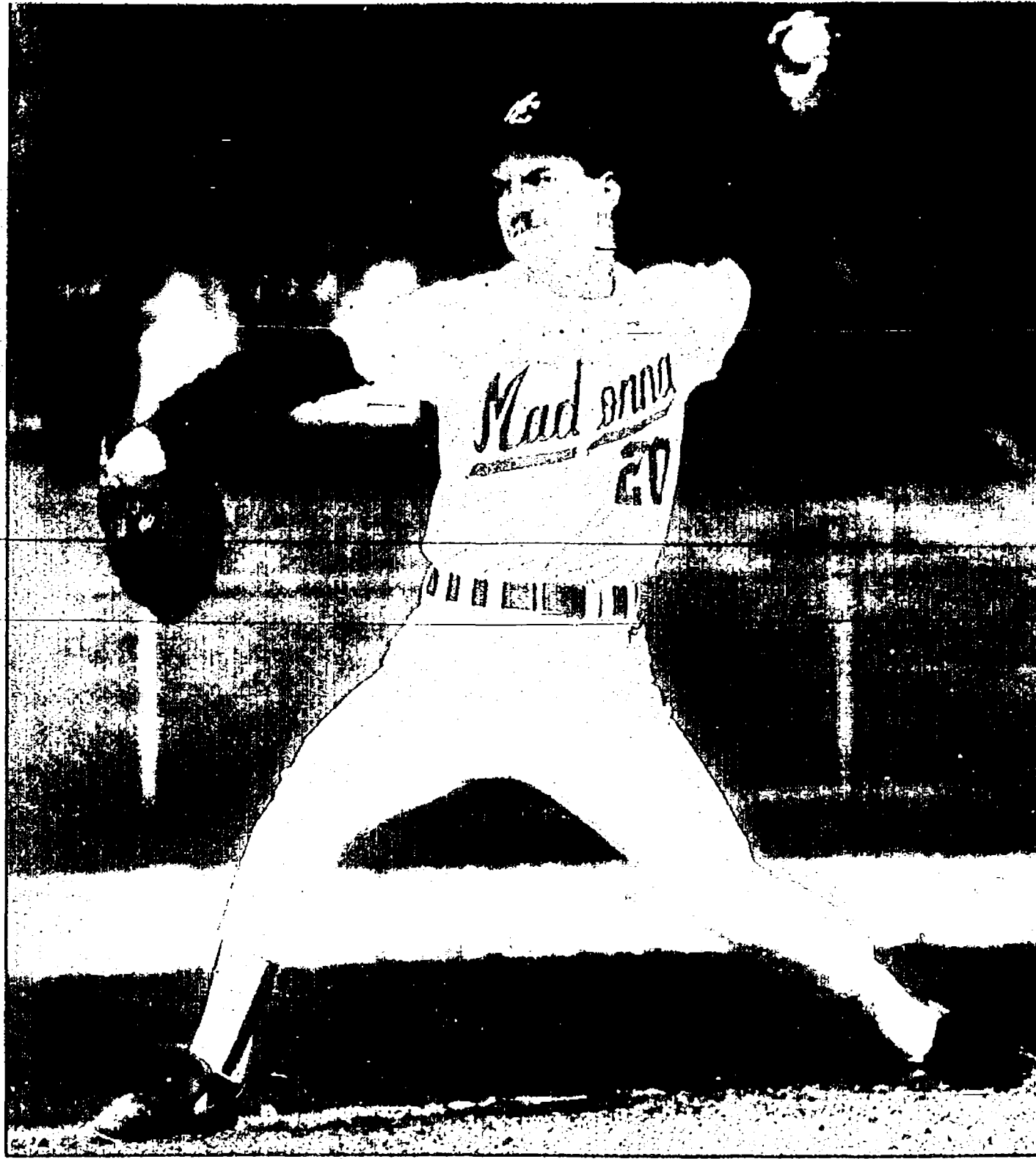
"They're going to throw Sullivan at us," agreed George. On the mound for the Crusaders will be Chris Kloc, who opposed Sullivan in that first meeting and lost. Kloc, from Redford Thurston HS, has also had a superb season, going 6-4 with a 2.13 ERA.

George has his rotation set. Following Kloc will be Jeremy Krol (Garden City HS), Mike Hocking (Redford Bishop Borgess) and Rich Roy (Livonia Clarenceville).

"I definitely have four guys I can go to anytime who can get the job done," said George.

IN A DOUBLE-ELIMINATION tournament, he may need to. After Thursday's noon openers, the first-round winners and first-round losers will meet at 3 p.m. One team will be eliminated; the two teams that are 1-1 after the first two rounds will play Friday's first game, with another team being eliminated.

Which will leave two teams. The tournament championship will be



GUY WARREN/staff photographer

Mike Hocking, a Redford Bishop Borgess graduate, will take his 5-2 season record to the NAIA District 23 playoffs in Mount Pleasant.

Friday or, if necessary, Saturday. At stake is a trip to the four-team NAIA regional championship in Illinois.

"We've got just as good a chance as anybody," said George. Perhaps, but, as George also said, "I think the first game is the most important. You lose it and right away you're in the loser's bracket — one more (loss) and you're going home. Plus there's the emotional factor — winning the first game is definitely a psychological advantage."

George is comfortable with his team's chances, based on their performance through the season — even though the Crusaders struggled down

the stretch, winning just five-of-13 games (prior to Wednesday's contest with Wayne State).

"I'M REALLY very confident when I take the field with this team," he said. His reason is his belief that pitching and defense will be the deciding factors. The Crusaders have both.

"We've corrected some defensive problems and improved immensely during the year," said George. Two changes made prior to the season have proved beneficial: Inserting Jeff Pendell (Livonia Churchill) at third base and John Bonham at

catcher.

"Their confidence level is higher," said George of his team. "They're playing in a more relaxed state. They know they won't get pulled if they make an error."

Madonna also struggled at the plate late in the season, but with first baseman Ernie Bowling — .388, 16 homers, 53 runs batted in, 48 runs scored — the Crusaders are always a threat.

"He's one guy who can turn a game around with his bat alone," said George.

And, in a tournament like this, one swing of the bat could be decisive.

Crusaders gain district playoffs

It was a bit of a struggle, but — true to form, according to coach Mike George — Madonna University's baseball team reached its season-long goal with three wins in its final five NAIA District 23 games.

Madonna will make its first-ever appearance in the four-team district playoffs Thursday when it meets Aquinas College at noon at Mount Pleasant High School. Spring Arbor College plays host Northwood Institute in the other first-round game of the double-elimination tournament.

The Fighting Crusaders had managed just two wins in eight games before sweeping a non-district doubleheader from Calvin College Friday.

That seemed to help them straighten their course somewhat; on Saturday, the Crusaders split a two-game set at district cellar-dweller Grand Rapids Baptist, winning 8-1 and losing 8-7, then beat first-place Aquinas in a rain-shortened game Sunday, 2-1 in five innings.

ON MONDAY, it was another split for Madonna against Siena Heights at Capitol Park in Redford. The Crusaders lost the opener 3-0, then won the nightcap 5-3.

The 3-2 finish in district play gave Madonna an 11-6 record. Aquinas took first in the final regular-season standings with a 15-5 mark; Spring Arbor was 11-7 and Northwood had a 12-9 mark.

Had Siena Heights managed to sweep Madonna Monday, the possibility was strong the Crusaders would not be in the playoffs. The second-game victory assured them they would.

"Our kids have responded well to pressure all year," said George.

Still, the Saints struck first in the pivotal game, getting two runs in the second. But Madonna came right back with three runs in the bottom half of the frame, with Kevin O'Connor's two-run double the key blow.

Siena Heights tied it with a run in the third, but the Crusaders took the lead for good in the bottom of the third without a hit. A ground out by Mike Wozniak, who had two hits in the game, scored the eventual game-winning run.

ERNE BOWLING'S solo home run leading off the sixth — his 16th of the season, and his 53rd run batted in — clinched the win for Rich Roy, who handcuffed the Saints on two hits. Roy gave up two earned runs, walking three and striking out six, to improve his record to 3-1. Starter Kevin Carleton absorbed

the loss for the Saints.

In Monday's opener, Siena Heights' hurler, Dennis Szczechowski stopped Madonna on four hits in outdueling Madonna's Mike Hocking, who fell to 5-2. Szczechowski walked four and fanned five; Hocking surrendered three runs on nine hits and three walks, striking out four. Jeff Pendell had two hits for the Crusaders.

Sunday's game at Aquinas was played in a driving rainstorm, but Madonna had to play to ensure it would get in the minimum number of games to qualify for the district playoffs.

Aquinas struck first on Jim Goerner's ground out in the first inning, but the Crusaders got three of their four hits in the fifth to score two runs and pull out the victory. Pendell doubled to start the rally; Bill Terski got another two-bagger to drive in Pendell, tying the game.

WITH TWO out, John Bonham battled pitcher Rod Rojas and sliced a single that brought in the winning run. Chris Kloc got the victory, raising his record to 6-4. Kloc gave up one unearned run on four hits and three walks, striking out four. Rojas took the loss.

Against Baptist Saturday, Lou McKaig had a no-hitter through 6½ innings in the opener before the Comets' Gary Hodgkiss dribbled an infield hit down the third-base line. Still, McKaig wasn't that sharp — he walked 10 and struck out 11 in, improving to 6-2. Mark St. John was the loser for Baptist.

O'Connor had three hits for Madonna, with Bonham and Bowling each getting two. Bonham also scored three runs, stole two bases and drove in a run.

In the second game, the Crusaders led 7-4 entering the bottom of the seventh and lost. With Mike Coleman on the mound in relief of starter T.C. Raptis, who left after taking a line drive off his pitching hand, the Comets rallied with a walk, stolen base and a run-scoring single by Allen Lindstrom.

Another single, a Pendell error and another walk loaded the bases and brought in reliever Rob Kowalski, who allowed an infield hit to Ryan Baker, scoring one run, and Matt Deja's two-run, game-winning single.

Bonham and Pendell each had two hits and an RBI for Madonna; Wozniak and Terski also had two hits apiece and both scored twice. Coleman took the loss; Lindstrom was the winning pitcher.

Madonna moved its overall record to 31-16-1.

college sports

The University of Detroit-Mercy baseball team collected a tournament triumph at the Wright State Invitational April 27-28 as it readied for its Midwest Collegiate Conference showdown with Notre Dame last weekend (U-D took two from the Irish Saturday).

In the Wright State Invitational win, the Titans won four of five games — including a 6-4 victory over the host Raiders in the championship game. Mike Heard, from Westland (Wayne Memorial HS), slugged a home run and had the game-winning hit in the seventh inning.

Heard and Lance Sullivan (Livonia Churchill HS) were two of five Titans named to the all-tournament team. In the last MCC statistical report, Heard ranked 14th in batting (.325), seventh in runs batted in (31, 0.79 per game), and ninth in both home runs (six) and doubles (nine, 0.23).

A few other Observerland athletes are among MCC league-leaders. Two are from U-D: Mike Stefanski (Redford Union HS) is 12th in batting (.328) and second in doubles (11, 0.29), and Rick Tavormina (Westland John Glenn HS) is ninth in RBI (30, 0.77) and third in triples (three, 0.08).

Evansville's Art George (Redford Thurston HS) ranks eighth in batting (.338), first in triples (four, 0.09) and third in stolen bases (21-of-25, 0.49).

SPEAKING OF outstanding performances, Eastern Michigan's Doug Martin (Redford Catholic Central) was co-recipient of the Mid-American Conference's pitcher of the week

honors last week.

Martin, a senior righthander, surrendered just three runs (only two earned) on 15 hits in 14 innings as he defeated Central Michigan 4-2 and Ohio University 5-1. The two wins gave Martin 29 for his career (tying the EMU record set by Bob Owchinko in 1973-76) and lifted him to 6-4 for the season, with a 3.33 earned run average. He has won his last six decisions.

SOME OTHER EMU players of note: Steve Waite (Plymouth Canton HS), who has helped both on the mound (3-3 record, with two saves and a 4.74 ERA) and at the plate (.304 average, seven doubles, three home runs, 19 RBI, nine stolen bases

in 10 tries and three game-winning RBIs); and Kevin Rogers (Redford CC), whose .355 batting average ranks 14th in the MAC. Rogers also has four doubles, 26 RBI and three game-winning RBIs.

THE GREAT LAKES Intercollegiate Athletic Conference all-academic at-large teams were announced, and some Observerland student-athletes were honored.

Camr Fituch (from Garden City HS), a senior tennis player at Wayne State, was chosen after receiving a 3.962 grade-point average with a major in biology. So was Kathleen Helmreich (Farmington Hills Mercy HS), a senior tennis player at Hillsdale, who compiled a 3.088 GPA in

elementary education.

THE BALL STATE women's tennis program has improved dramatically over the last three years, going from a 1-17 record in 1988 to 19-8

this year. Aiding that turnaround has been senior Lisa Belsky (Plymouth Salem HS), who filled in mostly at No. 5 singles where she was 14-5 (20-11 overall). In doubles, Belsky was 11-13 overall.

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Wayne's Wetmore handcuffs CC

The individual efforts of Wayne Memorial's Jason Wetmore could not be overlooked despite a runner-up finish Saturday in the Redford Union Invitational baseball tourney at Capitol Park.

Wetmore pitched a perfect game in a 5-0 first-round win over Redford Catholic Central. He then hurled three scoreless innings of relief in the semifinals, a 6-5 victory over Livonia Stevenson, putting Wayne into the finals against Plymouth Canton (a 3-1 loss in eight innings). (The first two rounds were played under a 3-2 count.)

The 5-foot-9 junior right-hander recorded four strikeouts, six groundouts and 11 popouts or flyouts en route to his perfect game, the first since 1987 when Ron Way, now in the Pittsburgh Pirates minor league chain, struck out 19 of 21 batters. Thirty-nine of Wetmore's 57 pitches were strikeouts.

"Jason's really an infielder, but he pitched last year a little," Wayne coach Jim Chronowski said. "He kept them off-balance and he knew a lot of the hitters because he's played against the CC kids."

CC starter Brett Walter suffered the defeat. Wayne collected six hits, two by Joe Coughlin. Doug Levensz's two-run double in the first proved to be the game-winning hit.

In the semifinals, Wetmore came on to put out the fire for starter Ron Hopkins, hurling three scoreless innings. Wetmore fanned three and struck out three to pick up his second win of the day.

Losing pitcher J.J. Rarog, who went the distance, suffered the loss.

Leverenz, Scott Goleniak and Mike Martin each collected two hits for Wayne. Brian Burgess added a key two-run single in the fourth.

Wayne tallied the game-winning run in the sixth when pinch-hitter Jeff Hargis brought home Wetmore from third on a sacrifice fly.

Stevenson, which jumped out to a 4-1 lead, got two hits and three RBI (including a double), from Jon Klebaitis. Todd Bacije added a two-run double in the fourth.

In the championship game, Canton edged the Zebras, 3-1, behind Jason Riggs' five-hitter. The senior struck out seven and walked three.

Canton broke the scoreless tie in the top of the eighth, spoiling the two-hit pitching of Coughlin, who struck out six and walked seven.

Coughlin, however, couldn't get out of the eighth, walking Chris James, Jason Riggs and designated Brian Tiell. The Chiefs then scored two runs on a Wayne infield error and added a third on Jason Crain's RBI single.

Wayne tried to rally in the bottom of the eighth when Wetmore walked and scored on Coughlin's double, but it was too little, too late.

CLARENCEVILLE 6, CRANBROOK 5: Livonia Clarenceville pitcher Ken Bazzy ran his record to 5-0 Tuesday in the visiting Trojans' Metro Conference victory over Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook (8-3 overall).

Bazzy, who did not walk a batter while scattering seven hits, outdueted the Cranes' Ken Maister, who allowed five hits and seven walks to go along with seven strikeouts.

Bazzy, who did not give up an earned run, won despite four errors behind him in the field.

Carl Holston and Kendrick Harrington each had two hits and an RBI for the Trojans, now 8-3 overall and 6-3 in the Metro.

Harrington knocked in Holston with the game-winning run in the top of the eighth.

LUTH. WESTLAND 5, S'FIELD CHRISTIAN 4: Lutheran High Westland won the showdown Tuesday in the National Division of the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference.

The host Warriors (9-5 overall and 5-1 in the MIAC) tallied the game-winner in the bottom of the seventh when winning pitcher Makoto Iwata lined single to center field, scoring Dan Hoelt, who opened the inning with a walk.

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The victors collected 12 hits, including a 3-for-4 effort and three RBI by Iwata, who pitched a seven-hitter, while fanning six in seven innings.

Eric Schilbe, Jason Zielinski, Jim Brasgall and Pat Olinger each added two hits for the winners.

Jon Schlabach took the loss for Southfield Christian (11-3, 4-1).

JOHN GLENN 18, FARMINGTON 4: On Monday, the Rockets (14-2, 6-1) unloaded for 21 hits in a Western Lakes Activities Association (Lakes Division) triumph over the host Falcons (0-7 in the division).

Lawrence Scheffer continued his Rob Deer-type power assault, going 4-for-5 with three RBI, including two homers, his eighth and ninth of the year.

John Ward added three hits and three RBI, including a homer. Andy Gagne also contributed a two-run shot.

"We hit the ball pretty well today," Glenn coach Norm Hoenes said. "If we keep it up, we'll be in pretty good shape."

Aaron Scheffer, the winning pitcher, worked five innings, allowing one earned run on three hits. The sophomore, who left with a stiff shoulder, was relieved by Chris Kirkey.

On Saturday, Glenn split a twinbill with Garden City, winning the opener, 7-5, before being edged in the second game, 7-6.

W.L. WESTERN 3, FRANKLIN 2: On Monday, host Walled Lake Western held off a Livonia Franklin rally in the top of the seventh to earn the WLA Western Division triumph.

The Warriors scored once in the fifth and twice in the sixth (a result of a Franklin outfield error) to run their divisional record to 6-1.

Dave Roman, who suffered the loss, struck out 10 over 4 1/2 innings. He also had a double, single and scored a run. (Jessie Gerwatowski and Mike Berry finished up.)

Franklin is 7-7 overall and 2-5 in the division.

CANTON 5, CHURCHILL 3: Bob Coppola's two-run homer wasn't enough Monday, as Plymouth Canton (13-4, 6-1) kept pace in the WLA Western Division race for first by beating host Livonia Churchill (3-4, 4-7).

Scott Kennedy, who pitched the final two innings of relief (five strikeouts) of starter Mike Stafford, earned the win.

Mark Rutherford, who went the distance for Churchill, took the loss.

Canton collected 12 hits, three by Jason Riggs and two by Frank Learned.

Learned delivered a key two-run single in the sixth to give Canton the victory.

SALEM 14, STEVENSON 7: In a WLA Western Division encounter on Monday, host Plymouth Salem (13-2, 6-1) turned back Livonia Stevenson (2-5 in the division) behind three hits and four RBI by junior shortstop Ed Gundry.

The Rocks scored eight times in the first, highlighted by Gundry's two-run homer off losing pitcher Rob Sudz.

Dan Hutchison also homered for the victorious Rocks. Sudz collected two doubles in a losing cause.

WYANDOTTE 5, WAYNE 1: Five errors led to Wayne Memorial's undoing Tuesday in a Wolverine A League encounter against the host Bears.

Steve Craig, the losing pitcher, deserved a better fate, allowing only four hits over seven innings. He struck out five and walked six. All five Wyandotte runs were unearned.

Keith Lakos, the winning pitcher, went the distance, scattering four hits and four walks. He fanned five.

Scott Haidy had two hits for the Bears (6-4 overall), including an RBI double.

Joe Coughlin knocked in Wayne's only run in the bottom of the seventh.

Wayne is now 6-9 overall and 2-6 in the league.

On Friday, the Zebras split a double-header at Trenton, losing the opener, 8-7, before rallying in the nightcap, 11-10.

Jeff Hargis' two-run triple tied it, and Joe Limotte's sacrifice fly won it for the Zebras. Hargis, the winning pitcher in relief of Craig, the starter, collected two hits along with Brian Burgess.

Chargers pull off upset

By Brad Emmons
staff writer

Coach Nick O'Shea served a spaghetti dinner Sunday night and his Livonia Churchill girls soccer team burned off plenty of carbohydrates the following day.

The result was a 2-0 upset victory Monday over Plymouth Salem, the state's top-ranked team in Class A.

"It (the spaghetti) gave us a power boost," said senior Kristy Thurston, who scored the Chargers' second goal with 21:55 left in the first half. "It's called 'team bonding.' It helps when you get everybody together. Everybody kind of laughed when he (O'Shea) stirred the spaghetti with a spatula."

O'Shea may not have enough cooking utensils in his kitchen, but his Chargers sure had the right recipe in beating Salem, a team that had won nine straight and allowed only one goal.

"It's the first time I've ever had the team out together beside a banquet," said the Churchill coach, a former professional player. "I did the cooking myself. It was an Irish spaghetti. Maybe I should have them over more often. The team was pumped up for sure. They were into more than they have been in the past."

THE CHARGERS were pressured from the opening bell, but refused to crack.

Dana Pososki tallied what proved to be the game-winner with 22:41 left in the opening half when she made a rush down the left side while fending off a Salem defender. Taking a pass from Michelle Brazin, Pososki pulled Salem goalie Jennifer Emmett out of position before nailing a pretty shot with her left foot.

"It was a good foot race to the ball and she (Pososki) made a beautiful shot," Salem coach Ken Johnson said.

Thurston then stunned the Salem secondary again, breaking behind the defense to score only 46 seconds later on a long, high-bounding pass from Lori Place.

"We had two great goals," O'Shea said, "even though they (Salem) had more of the play up until that point."

Salem coach Ken Johnson had nothing but praise for the 7-2-1 Chargers.

Churchill played the long ball very well," Johnson said. "They hit the shots when they needed them even though I thought we had a lot more chances. When we were attacking, they were doing a good job of packing it in."

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Johnson was referring to Churchill's tight defense, led by sweeper Stephanie Speen, along with Fran Priebe, Christina Garry and Marcy Woloch.

"WHEN THEY get ahead, they play good defense," Johnson said. "It seemed like we were down there and down there in their end, but their defense was good. They tee the ball well. The cover well and they're quick. They've always been good defensively with people like Speen and Priebe."

Salem's high-scoring frontline of high-scoring Erin Harvey, Mandy Drummond and Erin Bagozzi could not beat Churchill goaltender Monia Cervi, who played steady in the nets for 80 minutes.

Churchill was able to protect its two-goal cushion throughout the second-half despite a few anxious moments.

"I wasn't really worried that we'd lay back, I was worried that we might panic if Salem got one goal," O'Shea said. "But defensively we marked tight when it was 2-0. We were pushing up and it was good to see at that point."

"Defensively we usually play well."

Stevenson rolls, 10-0

Freshman Holly Kimble scored four times Monday, leading Livonia Stevenson to a 10-0 rout of visiting Farmington Harrison in a girls soccer match.

The state-ranked Spartans (10-0-1) led 4-0 at intermission.

Freshman Amy Marcoe added two goals and three assists; while sophomore Michelle Brach contributed two goals and two assists.

Other Stevenson goal scorers included juniors Shannon Wilkinson and Ragen Coyne, each tallying a goal and two assists.

Netminders Alicia Smith and Karen Groulx hardly worked up a sweat in combining for the shut-out.

Harrison did not have a shot on goal.

We controlled a lot of the play, but Salem plays hard because they're always running at you."

Salem's new-found perch atop the rankings seemed like a curse.

"Being No. 1 is the kiss of death," Johnson said. "It's a funny game. Maybe we out of sync finishing the plays, but we have no excuses. We didn't play bad, but maybe this is a Godsend for us with the (Livonia) Stevenson game coming up. Maybe we got a little too cocky and we need to be knocked down."

IN ALL PROBABILITY, the winner of Monday's Salem at Stevenson game (7 p.m.) will win the Lakes Division crown in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

Churchill, meanwhile, needs a win Monday at home against Northville to capture the WLA Western Division crown. (The divisional champs meet for the WLA title on Thursday, May 16.)

"It's a pretty good feeling," said Thurston of the non-divisional win. "We came in with the idea of being as intense as we could be."

It appears that the Chargers have been playing with more intensity since their 2-0 defeat on April 24 to city rival Stevenson.

Last Friday, the Chargers scored three times in the opening 20 minutes of play to beat host Livonia Franklin (2-5-2) by a 4-1 count.

Churchill led 3-0 at halftime on goals by Aimee Cousino (from Place), Pososki (from Melina Garrett) and Thurston (from Pososki).

Pososki tallied her second goal of the afternoon in the second half (from Cousino) to make it 4-0.

Sarah Bauer broke Cervi's shutout bid on a rebound shot late in the game. Lenay Truchan assisted on the goal.

Two days earlier (May 1), Churchill drilled visiting Farmington Harrison, 11-0, as Brazin scored the hat trick and had one assist.

Other Churchill players getting into the scoring act included: Erin Stacherski, two goals and one assist; Place, two goals; Thurston, one goal and two assists; Pososki, Garrett and Janice Tomaszewski, one goal each; and Cousino, two assists.

Also on Wednesday, Franklin and Farmington battled to a 2-2 draw as Truchan scored twice, assisted both times from Patty Shea.

On Monday, Pososki had two goals and one assist in a 5-1 Churchill triumph at North Farmington. Place added a goal and one assist; while Speen and Danielle Priebe also scored for the Chargers.

Ladywood golfers show no Mercy

Livonia Ladywood lived up to its latest state golf ranking by beating Farmington Hills Mercy in a Catholic League dual meet Monday at Idyl Wyld, 208-241.

Meghan Blake shot a 47 to take medalist honors for the Blazers, now 9-2 overall and rated No. 7 in Class A by the Michigan High School Golf Coaches Association.

Rounding out the Ladywood contingent was Michelle Gossett (50), Lauren Zimmerman (50) and Katie Pinkelman (61).

Kristyn Schulkins paced Mercy with a 54.

"We felt pretty good despite the horrible weather we played in," Ladywood coach Sharon Laskowski said. "We're elated about the state

ranking. It's still early in the season, but we got off to a good start on the second-half. We have four seniors playing and I think they re-dedicated themselves to the second half of the season. They're out to prove they can do it."

LIVONIA STEVENSON, behind Megan Johnson's 42, defeated Plymouth Salem Monday in a Western Lakes Activities Association match, 225-257, at Whispering Willows.

Other scorers for Stevenson (3-2 overall) include Kara Carlsen (55), Wendy Ayres (62) and Michelle Beatty (66).

Megan Andrews shot a 59 to lead Sa-

lem, followed by teammates Julie Larsen (61), Liz Koehl (65) and Melissa Solberg (71).

LIVONIA FRANKLIN ran its record to 6-5 overall with a 251-263 triumph over Walled Lake Western Monday at the Links of Pinewood.

Western's Tracy Gorton took medalist honors with a 55.

Three Franklin players each shot 59, including sophomores Nicky Meehan and Nancy Noebel, along with junior Colleen Hansen. Senior Jenny Mazurek added a 74.

Franklin is 3-2 in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

PLYMOUTH CANTON 6, LIVONIA STEVENSON 1

- Tuesday at Canton
- No. 1 singles: Brian Schmidt (Canton) defeated George Gaudy (Stevenson), 6-2, 6-2.
 - No. 2: Fred Jensen (Canton) def. Joel Erzsch (Stevenson), 6-7, 6-0, 6-2.
 - No. 3: Scott Jones (Canton) def. Rob Halmekangas, 6-1, 6-4.
 - No. 4: Shawn Hart (Canton) def. Chris Buck, 6-1, 6-1.
 - No. 1 doubles: David Arney-Kil Mastroberto (Stevenson) def. Adam Mawesh-Joe Bender, 2-6, 6-2, 6-3.
 - No. 2: Stu Levensz-Dan Buzago (Canton) def. Don McCormack-Damon Taylor, 2-6, 6-3, 6-4.
 - No. 3: Mike Dooker-Eric Bason (Canton) def. J.D. Derdarian-Brian O'Keefe, 6-2, 3-6, 6-1.
 - Records: Canton, 9-1 overall, 8-0 in Western Lakes Activities Association and 4-0 Western Division, Stevenson, 2-7 WLA.

LIVONIA STEVENSON 4, LIVONIA FRANKLIN 3

- Monday at Franklin
- No. 1 singles: George Gaudy (Stevenson) def. Mike McCormack, 6-1, 6-4.
 - No. 2: Joel Erzsch (Stevenson) def. Mel Lemanga,

PLYMOUTH SALEM 5, LIVONIA CHURCHILL 2

- Friday at Church
- No. 1 singles: Fred Stalen (Salem) def. Nathan Manolak, 6-0, 6-2.
 - No. 2: Jason Gurn (Salem) def. Matt Kroetz, 6-1, 7-6.
 - No. 3: KC Kispotnik (Salem) def. B.J. Sayed, 6-0, 6-4.
 - No. 4: Nady Khan (Church) def. Prakash Chandra, 4-6, 6-1, 6-4.
 - No. 1 doubles: Mike Madden-Jeff Peacock (Salem) def. Dan Chamberlain-Mike Machak, 6-1, 6-4.
 - No. 2: Todd Estes-Crus Machak (Church) def. Matt Mastry-Joe Feron, 6-4, 7-5.
 - No. 3: Javier Angulo-David Bos (Salem) def. Bob Goss-Mark Graber, 6-2, 6-1.
 - Church's dual meet record: 4-4 overall.

tennis

- 6-4, 6-3
- No. 3: Steve Tash (Franklin) def. Rob Halmekangas, 7-5, 6-2
- No. 4: Pat McCormack (Franklin) def. Greg Kendal, 6-2, 6-3
- No. 1 doubles: Bob LaFontaine-Brian O'Keefe (Stevenson) def. Steve Verabio-Tom Maszkas, 6-2, 7-5
- No. 2: Jon German-Juan Loza (Stevenson) def. Bob Webber-Steve Guran, 6-1, 6-2
- No. 3: Todd Freeman-Keen Mulcahy (Franklin) def. Bob Marozz-Ryan Schmidt, 7-5, 5-7, 7-6
- Western Lakes Activities Association records: Ste-

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Richmond nips Pats, Mayle in tourney, 1-0

Livonia Franklin ace hurler Jenny Mayle bounced back from her first loss of the season Saturday, as the Patriots rebounded for a 9-4 Western Lakes Activities Association (Western Division) softball win over visiting Walled Lake Western.

Mayle (13-1) struck out seven, walked three and allowed five hits as Franklin ran its overall mark to 13-2 and 7-0 in the division.

Dawn Warner and Wendy Rynkiewicz each had two hits and two RBI for the winners. Beth Hare added a two-run double in the opening inning off losing pitcher Jenny Gross of Western, who allowed six hits, nine walks and three hit-batsmen over six innings.

Dawn Godfrey collected a pair of hits and scored twice for the Warriors.

On Saturday, Franklin was eliminated by host Richmond in an invitational tournament, 1-0, as Beth Moore tossed a three-hitter and struck out 11, outdueling Mayle in a second round game.

The Class B Blue Devils went on to win the tourney, which included four state-ranked teams, defeating Romeo in the championship, 7-0.

Mayle allowed her only run of the game in the fifth when Richmond strung together a single and double. The senior right-hander allowed five hits, while fanning three. She did not walk a batter.

Mayle pitched a two-hitter and fanned seven in a 7-1 opening-round victory over St. Clair Shores Lakeview.

Jenny Mascarello led a six-hit Patriot attack, going 3-for-3 with an RBI triple.

JOHN GLENN 7, FARMINGTON 3: On Monday, visiting Westland John Glenn made its six straight victories with the WLA-Lakes Division triumph over the Falcons.

Winning pitcher Cathy Mruk scattered nine hits and three walks in going the distance. She outduelled Cory Wojcik, who gave up seven hits over seven innings.

Karen Olack and Carrie Rachwal

softball

contributed two hits and one RBI apiece for the Rockets, now 10-3 overall and 5-2 in the Lakes. Jenny Massey, also scored three times and tripled.

Glenn turned a pair of double plays. On Saturday, Glenn smashed visiting South Lyon in a double-header, 16-2 and 16-6. Both games were halted after five innings because of the 10-run mercy rule.

Rachwal, a junior shortstop, went 4-for-4 and knocked in two runs in the opener. Nikki Nagel and Olack each contributed two hits and three RBI. Olack belted a three-run homer, making things easy for Mruk, the winning pitcher.

The junior allowed three hits and two walks over five innings.

In the second game, Bridget Mussin singled twice, belted a two-run homer and had four RBI. Nikki Wojcik added three hits in three trips, while winning pitcher Jenni Walaszek collected four RBI and two hits, including a three-run triple.

SALEM 13, STEVENSON 1:

In a WLA-Lakes Division game Monday, visiting Plymouth Salem (4-12, 1-6) rolled to the win behind two doubles and four RBI by senior center fielder Missy Holmes.

Andrea Welling added two hits. Jenny Garvey, a sophomore, struck out seven in five innings to gain the win.

Niki Italla suffered the loss for Livonia Stevenson.

LUTH. WESTLAND 34, GREENHILLS 2:

Winning pitcher Christy Pydyn went 6-for-6, including a grand slam and seven RBI Monday, leading Lutheran High Westland (9-4 overall) to the rout against host Ann Arbor Greenhills (1-7).

Junior shortstop Kristen Strang contributed to the Warriors' 25-hit attack, going 5-for-5 with six RBI. Sophomore center fielder Leslie Turgeon added three hits and five RBI.

Greenhills pitchers issued 18 walks.

Lutheran Westland coach Ron Gentz cleared his bench early after his team scored 14 times in the opening inning.

No-hitter for Saunders

An error has been reported in Monday's Observer sports section.

In a 16-0 Livonia Clarenceville softball win Friday over host Hamtramck, senior pitcher Rhonda Saunders hurled a five-inning no-hitter.

Monday's edition incorrectly reported that Saunders had thrown a five-hitter.

Saunders (8-1) struck out seven and walked only two in gaining the win.

Photo finish Glenn nips Wayne as Arbour sets discus mark

David Arbour set a school record in the discus Tuesday, leading Westland John Glenn to a 65-63 boys track triumph over city rival Wayne.

The host Rockets (6-1) won three of four relays and five individual events.

Arbour's toss of 161 feet, 8 1/4 inches broke the mark of 159-4 held since 1980 by Bill Dye.

Other Glenn first-place finishers included Bill Griffiths, high jump (5-11); Randy Seach, 400-meter dash (51.33); and Jason Nowicki, 800 run (2:08.5).

Nowicki, Scott Henson, Jeff Tapper and Rob Lulek teamed up to win the 3,200 relay in 9:01.82.

Lamar Ellison, Brandon Buck, Brian Schultz and Ed Jeannin combined for a first in the 400 relay (45.5), while the foursome of Ellison, Jeannin, Juan Peters and Jim Woloskie added a first in the 800 relay (1:33.49).

Allen Buford and James Grady paced the upset-minded Zebras (3-3-1).

Buford captured the long jump (20-6 1/4), 100 dash (11.14) and 200 dash (23.18).

Grady swept the 110- and 300 hurdles in 11.14 and 23.18, respectively. He also teamed up with Joe Dumont, Michael Hooks and Phil Gibson for a first in the 1,600 relay (3:36.32).

Other Wayne winners included Joe Ramsey in the shot put (44-1 1/4), Matt Johnson in the 1,600

boys track

run (4:48.8) and Aaron Simpson in the 3,200 run (10:52.51).

"It was a battle," Wayne coach Floyd Carter said. "They (Glenn) beat us in both the speed relays, 400 and 800. They ran well."

LUTHERAN WESTLAND emerged the victor Tuesday in a five-school meet at Birmingham Country Day.

The Warriors scored a team-high 129 points to out-distance Southfield Christian (102), the host Yellow Jackets (70), Bloomfield Hills Roeper (29) and Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest (20).

Jason Leimbach figured in three firsts for Lutheran Westland, capturing the 110- and 300-meter hurdles in 16.4 and 43.9, respectively. He also teamed up with Pat Schaefer, Brian McCormick and Warren Provençal to win the 1,600 relay in 3:41.4.

Other individual first-place finishers for the Warriors included Bill Wargo, long jump (18-3 1/4); Matt Grams, high jump (5-10); and Provençal, 400 dash (53.5).

Dave Gielow, Jason Olson, Wargo and Grams captured the 400 relay in 47.1, while the quartet comprised of Mace Mattleson, Chris Duetemeyer, Provençal and McCormick took the 3,200 relay in 9:11.0.

REDFORD CATHOLIC CENTRAL evened its Catholic League Central Division mark at 2-2 with a 91-36 win over Redford Bishop Borgess in a dual meet Monday at Redford Thurston.

First place finishers for the Shamrocks included Joe Suhajda, shot put (40-2); Al Barbarich, discus (125-1); Mike Kasper, long jump (19-2); Jim Waldecker, 110-meter hurdles (16.6); Jim Stebbins, 300 hurdles (44.98); Mike Wakenell, 400 dash (57.3); Eric McKeon, 800 run (2:09.5); Steve Witek, 1,600 run (4:48.0); and Luke Dahl, 3,200 run (10:53.0).

CC went unopposed in winning the 1,600 and 3,200 relays.

Anthony Hood paced Borgess with victories in the 100- and 200 dashes in 11.8 and 24.7, respectively.

Hood, Anthony Dixon, Joel Erby and Sablin Duncan captured both the 400- and 800 relays in 47.71 and 1:40.4, respectively.

ReShawn Sumler added a first for Borgess (0-4) in the high jump (6 feet).

Spartans' Wroblewski breaks record

Livonia Stevenson's discus relay trio, led by Debble Wroblewski's toss of 128 feet, 7 inches, set a school record and new meet standard Saturday at the Stafford Relays in Walled Lake.

Wroblewski, Dina Sackleb and Dina Belleper combined for a first place total of 304-11.

The Spartans, who finished third in the meet behind champion Plymouth Canton and second place Milford, also captured the 3,200-meter relay as Carrie Creehan, A.J. Koritnik, Jennifer Pfander and Gail Grewe combined for a clocking of 10:21.4.

The same foursome gained a second in the 4-kilometer relay (23:15).

Stacy Prais, Grewe, Pfander and Creehan also placed second in the distance medley (13:38.0).

In the shuttle hurdle relay, Stevenson's quartet of Jennifer Nash, Karen Rosinski, Kelli Sonquist and Jennifer Turbiak took third in 1:12.5.

girls track

WESTLAND JOHN GLENN captured its seventh dual meet in eight tries Tuesday, an 80-48 triumph over city rival Wayne Memorial.

The Rockets won six individual events and a pair of relays.

Glenn's lone double-winner was Lisa Rankey in the shot put (31-6) and discus (98-10). Other firsts were recorded by Lynette Conner, long jump (14-5); Dana Nowicki, 800-meter run (2:34.0); Tina Honeycutt, 1,600 run (6:05.6); and Jennifer Caplis, 3,200 run (13:29.4).

Nowicki, Honeycutt, Stacey Dechert and Rebecca Berzel combined for a first in the 1,600 relay (4:31.5), while the foursome of Amy Work, Tina Letke, Suzanna Muirneue and King Springer captured the 3,200 relay (12:10.7).

Erika Beetz and Quinday Cooper paced the Zebras,

who fell to 4-3 overall.

Beetz, the German exchange student, won the high jump (4-10), 100 hurdles (16.1) and 300 hurdles (49.1).

Cooper swept the 100- and 200 dashes in 13.0 and 27.8, respectively.

Cooper, Loleta Cobbs, Brandy Caincross and Nicole Perry teamed up for a first in the 400 relay (54.3), while the quartet of Tranessa Burroughs, Cooper, Cobbs and Perry took the 800 relay (1:53.4).

Burroughs also added a first in the 400 run (1:05.5).

LUTHERAN WESTLAND out-pointed four other schools Tuesday in a meet at Birmingham Country Day.

The Warriors topped the five-team field with 115 points, followed by Southfield Christian (83), Country Day (59), Bloomfield Hills Roeper (29) and Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest (24).

Individual winners for the Warriors included Jennifer Billand in the shot put (26-9 1/4) and discus (90-2); Stephanie McGhee, 100-meter hurdles (20.5) and 300 hurdles (1:00.2); Lori Lapum, 100 dash (13.2); Sarah Pfeiffer, long jump (14-3 1/4); Lisa Shafer, 3,200 run (13:15.1); and Michelle Conklin, high jump (4-10).

sports roundup

JAMMERS WIN TITLE

The Livonia Jammers, an under-14 girls soccer team, took first place in their division and won the overall age-group title April 27-28 at the Warren Youth Soccer Tournament.

The Jammers, coached by Bob Nunn and Frank Baker, posted four straight shutouts against teams from Utica, Dearborn and Rochester.

Members of the Jammers include Stacy Baker, Kari Buzewski, Meghan Broderick, Jennifer Dulz, Cindy Fedder, Anne Hokett, Kristin Kammerer, Rola Khoury, Sarah Laidlaw, Kelly Landis, Lisa DeShano, Lindsay Murfey, Michele Nunn, Erin Sharp, Sheyl Wilkins, Lynn Potter, Elizabeth Centers and Angela Pfeiffer.

HOLE-IN-ONES

Tom Wietecha, 65, of Westland scored his first ace in 49 years Friday at the 194-yard No. 2 hole at

Warren Valley (East Course). Wietecha, who shot 37 for the round, used a 3-wood.

Wietecha's playing partner, Dave Addison, was also in a group only days earlier where another hole-in-one was carded.

Richard Hyduk of Livonia recently scored a hole-in-one March 10 at Sebring (Fla.) Golf Club (155-yard No. 16 hole) to gain entry into the 31st annual Drambuie Rusty Nail Sweepstakes.

KOUFAX BASEBALL

A Northville Koufax (13-14-year-olds) travel team in the Little Caesars Amateur Baseball League is seeking to fill its roster (by May 18) with a pitcher/catcher.

The Northville team will host the Koufax World Series later this summer.

For more information, call G. Surdu at 349-7665.

Factor in distractions

BOWLING IS VERY much a game of concentration and sometimes the least little distraction will ruin a shot for someone just when they need a strike or convert a difficult spare.

Sometimes a bowler will run up on the adjacent lane without consideration for the person who is already on the approach.

John Bryngelson, bowler in the Merri Bowl Senior House League in Livonia, needed a strike for an 800 series recently, and someone jumped up while he was about to take his first step. This distracted him enough that he had to sit down, regroup and start over. His shot wasn't quite there and neither was that edge of concentration.

There always seems to be some confusion regarding lane courtesy. The rule book extends courtesy only one lane away, with the first consideration to the bowler to the right.

How often have you seen the "Alphonse and Gaston" act where each bowler signals each other to go ahead. This can get rather funny, but it isn't because it makes the game go along slower than it should.

AT THE OTHER EXTREME, many of the "expert" bowlers will wait until there are six lanes clear on each side before they get up for their turn. To add to the problem, some bowlers will stand on the approach forever, aiming and re-aiming at the pins while everybody else waits in utter frustration.

And perhaps the worst distraction is the person in the back row of the alley area who let's go with "HEY AL!" just as I am in my delivery. He is usually calling out to his buddy, another guy named Al, to see if he wants another beer. Meanwhile my concentration is shot down.

It's called bowling etiquette and only common sense and courtesy determine how well it's handled.

Let's call it "Al's rules," to remove any confusion at the approaches. It is generally acceptable to give two clear lanes on each side to the active bowler, staying

10-pin alley



Al Harrison

completely off the approach until he or she has completed the delivery.

If more than one bowler is ready at the same time, the bowler on the left shall yield to the one of the right and acknowledge this with a nod or hand motion. If the bowler of the left is ready first, then go ahead without delay.

All bowlers should keep their voice down; don't shout, it could spoil the fun for the others.

I REMEMBER a few years ago when a youth league director made an announcement over the P.A. system without realizing that one of the kids was trying for his 12th strike and a perfect game. The announcement boomed out just as the young man was in the middle of his approach and he threw a bad ball — no 300 game.

Another distraction to be mentioned is running out the shot. This can really be distracting, because all it takes is to catch sight of something with just the corner of your eye. Just ask Bryngelson.

Has anybody found out about the pig farm yet? I'm still waiting to do this story. One of the local hospitals has a lab where they keep pigs and put old bowling balls in the pin. This is a very funny thing to watch as the pigs have more fun playing with that old ball than the previous owner one did. If you know where that farm is, please write me at the Observer & Eccentric.

As this column goes to press, Sandy and I are still on our honeymoon. The bowling scores and highlights will be back again next week as usual.

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boys track

This is the second installment of the best boys track times in Observeland. Livonia Churchill coach Fred Price will be available to take updates 7-10 p.m. Sundays through Thursdays, at 420-3059.

SHOT PUT	
Tony Shalek (Harrison)	51-1
Blazo Barcovich (Harrison)	50-8
Rob Casler (Salem)	50-3 1/2
Todd Pawlowski (N. Farmington)	45-10
Joe Ramsey (Wayne)	45-1 1/2
Leon Jefferson (Harrison)	44-11 1/2
Walter Hughes (Thurston)	44-11
Jason Key (John Glenn)	44-3
Larry Jones (Borgess)	43-6
Dan Gibbons (Stevenson)	43-1

DISCUS	
David Arbour (John Glenn)	161-8 1/2
Tony Shalek (Harrison)	155-7
Rob Casler (Salem)	150-0
Todd Pawlowski (N. Farmington)	147-7
Dean Benedick (Canton)	146-5
Jason Key (John Glenn)	144-4
Bill Trenkle (H. Farmington)	142-10
Al Barbach (Redford CC)	142-10
John Revets (Franklin)	141-7
Brian Schumacher (Salem)	140-5

HIGH JUMP	
Mike DeJarnett (Canton)	6-5
Jason Tucker (Farmington)	6-4
Matt Engott (W.L. Western)	6-3
Randy Kalkater (Churchill)	6-2
Bill Griffiths (John Glenn)	6-2
K.C. Kirkpatrick (Salem)	6-2
James Grady (Wayne)	6-0
Paul White (Franklin)	6-0
Carl Duszewski (Wayne)	6-0
Chil Lee (Salem)	6-0
Dan Doering (W.L. Western)	6-0
Chris Vanderburgh (John Glenn)	6-0
ReShawn Sumler (Borgess)	6-0

LONG JUMP	
Aleán Buford (Wayne)	21-8
Leon Hister (Salem)	21-3 1/2
Brandon Buck (John Glenn)	20-9
Mike Kasper (Redford CC)	20-5
Kad Wukle (Canton)	20-3 1/2
Jim Ramsay (Salem)	20-0
Dan Johnson (Salem)	19-10 1/2
Brian Schultz (John Glenn)	19-10
Jason Tucker (Farmington)	19-4
Rob Schulters (Stevenson)	19-3

POLE VAULT	
Al Barbach (Redford CC)	12-6
Tony Donnelly (John Glenn)	11-6
Chris Marling (Farmington)	11-6
Paul Rockwood (Stevenson)	11-0
B.J. Richardson (Farmington)	11-0
Jason Goetzner (Harrison)	11-0
Matt Gortych (Churchill)	10-6
Jim Stebbins (Redford CC)	10-6
John Fabickiewicz (Churchill)	10-0
Joe Sopko (John Glenn)	10-0
Mike McVicar (Franklin)	10-0
Ryan Adams (Farmington)	10-0

110-METER HURDLES	
James Grady (Wayne)	14.6
Joe Miller (Farmington)	14.9
Jim Ramsay (Salem)	15.1
Nate Looze (Churchill)	15.3
Mike DeJarnett (Canton)	15.7
Don Johnson (Salem)	15.9
Darren Muzo (Churchill)	16.1
Andrew Hodge (John Glenn)	16.2
Jeff Elinski (Franklin)	16.2
Jason Leimbach (Luth. Westland)	16.3
Mark Kaiser (John Glenn)	16.3

300 HURDLES	
James Grady (Wayne)	41.0
Joe Miller (Farmington)	41.3
Todd Jacobs (Garden City)	42.7
Jeff Brub (W.L. Western)	42.8
Nate Looze (Churchill)	42.8
Darren Muzo (Churchill)	42.9
Jason Leimbach (Luth. Westland)	43.4
Jeff Elinski (Franklin)	43.4
Todd Wright (Farmington)	43.7
Andrew Hodge (John Glenn)	43.8

100 DASH

Aleán Buford (Wayne)	10.7
Eric McKeon (Redford CC)	11.0
Shaun Ma'Azza (Wayne)	11.1
Roy Granger (Harrison)	11.1
Anthony Hood (Borgess)	11.2
Randy Seach (John Glenn)	11.2
Steve Clemmons (Franklin)	11.3
Lamar Ellison (John Glenn)	11.4
Matt Perron (Salem)	11.4
Walter Hughes (Thurston)	11.5
Ryan Kaluzny (N. Farmington)	11.5

200 DASH	
Aleán Buford (Wayne)	22.9
Eric McKeon (Redford CC)	22.9
Randy Seach (John Glenn)	23.3
Steve Clemmons (Franklin)	23.5
Andy Rojeski (Salem)	23.6
Rodney Westlake (Stevenson)	23.7
Brett Yongue (Garden City)	23.7
Roy Granger (Harrison)	23.7
Joe Dumont (Wayne)	23.7
Craig Miller (Canton)	23.7

400 DASH	
Eric McKeon (Redford CC)	50.7
Randy Seach (John Glenn)	51.4
Andy Rojeski (Salem)	51.7
Rodney Westlake (Stevenson)	51.8
Warren Provencal (Luth. Westland)	52.6
Aleán Buford (Wayne)	53.0
T.J. Kitchen (Redford CC)	53.0
Jason Nowicki (John Glenn)	53.1
Eric Henderson (Churchill)	53.4
Scott Henson (Churchill)	53.5

800 RUN	
Steve Witek (Redford CC)	2:02.3
John Thomas (Salem)	2:03.1
Mike Patterson (Salem)	2:04.0
Phi Gibson (Wayne)	2:04.0
Brian McCormick (Luth. Westland)	2:04.8
Dave Jenney (Stevenson)	2:05.2
Aaron Shephard (Redford CC)	2:05.6
Jason Nowicki (John Glenn)	2:05.9
Jeff Grosso (W.L. Western)	2:06.2
Rodney Westlake (Stevenson)	2:06.4

1,600 RUN	
Rodney Westlake (Stevenson)	4:30.7
Ken Podany (RU)	4:33.2
Bill Crosby (W.L. Western)	4:36.0
Eric Currow (Franklin)	4:36.4
Mike Ream (Canton)	4:37.3
Steve Boudreau (Salem)	4:39.9
Ben Goba (Farmington)	4:41.6
John Wiktor (Redford CC)	4:41.7
Jack Massarelo (Redford CC)	4:42.2
Eric Currow (Franklin)	4:42.2
John Wiktor (Redford CC)	4:42.7
Jell Woltschlag (Redford CC)	4:42.7
Don Johnson (Salem)	4:42.7

3,200 RUN	
Ben Goba (Farmington)	9:39.6
Bill Crosby (W.L. Western)	9:51.8
Jon Borke (Redford CC)	10:05.7
Jack Massarelo (Redford CC)	10:13.7
Eric Currow (Franklin)	10:21.9
John Wiktor (Redford CC)	10:23.4
Jell Woltschlag (Redford CC)	10:25.2
Matt Rowe (Stevenson)	10:33.0
Dave Yack (Canton)	10:36.4
Mike Ream (Canton)	10:38.0

400 RELAY	
Wayne Memorial	45.2
Westland John Glenn	45.5
Plymouth Salem	45.6
Redford Bishop Borgess	45.8
Plymouth Canton	46.1
Farmington	46.1

800 RELAY	
Wayne Memorial	1:31.2
Westland John Glenn	1:33.5
Plymouth Salem	1:33.9
Garden City	1:35.3
Livonia Franklin	1:36.0
Plymouth Canton	1:38.0

1,600 RELAY	
Plymouth Salem	3:30.6
Plymouth Canton	3:32.5
Westland John Glenn	3:33.2
Redford Catholic Central	3:33.9
Livonia Churchill	3:34.0

3,200 RELAY	
Plymouth Salem	8:23.1
Redford Catholic Central	8:24.9
Livonia Churchill	8:28.9
Plymouth Canton	8:34.1
Walled Lake Western	8:43.2

girls track

Following is the first listing of the best girls track times and field distances in Observeland. Livonia Churchill coach Kellie Grigham will compile the list each week, and coaches should call her with updates at 728-7502 from 7-9 p.m. Monday. Schools in Livonia, Redford, Garden City, Westland, Wayne, Plymouth, Canton, Farmington and Walled Lake are eligible.

HIGH JUMP	
Rebecca Wiley (Ladywood)	5-7
Stephanie Gray (Canton)	5-3
Ndu Okwumabua (Canton)	5-2
Amy Finley (John Glenn)	5-2
Erika Beetz (Wayne)	5-1
Janel Hermine (Ladywood)	5-0
Karen Deschaine (John Glenn)	5-0
Shelli Gaul (Farmington)	4-10
Sarah Percy (RU)	4-10
Aimee Lanzon (Canton)	4-9

LONG JUMP	
Akua Hammons (Wayne)	16-1 1/2
Cathy Bacile (Stevenson)	15-10 1/2
Florence Pugh (Borgess)	15-9
Lynette Conner (John Glenn)	15-5 1/2
Heather Pastor (Canton)	15-4
Shannon Capstick (W.L. Central)	15-4
Wendy Malecki (RU)	15-3
Tracey Livermore (Harrison)	15-3
Colleen Herzmann (Salem)	15-2 1/2
Dana Driscoll (Salem)	15-1 1/2

SHOT PUT	
Teresa Carter (Stevenson)	37-4 1/2
Aleah Sollen (Canton)	37-1 1/2
Laure DeMatta (Mercy)	35-1
Rebecca Wiley (Ladywood)	34-9
Becky Washnock (Farmington)	34-1
Danielle Simon (Franklin)	34-1
Ke'Sha Watkins (RU)	34-0
Keri Owczarzak (Farmington)	33-9
Patricia Rich (St. Agatha)	33-3 1/2
Kim Morrow (Wayne)	33-2 1/2

DISCUS	
Debbie Wroblewski (Stevenson)	128-7
Teresa Sarno (Stevenson)	121-1
Danielle Simon (Franklin)	110-6
Ke'Sha Watkins (RU)	109-5
Ifeoma Okwumabua (Canton)	106-9
Deanna Curcio (Farmington)	104-5
Selena Bastine (Canton)	100-3
Keri Owczarzak (Farmington)	99-5 1/2
Lisa Rankley (John Glenn)	96-8
Rebecca Wiley (Ladywood)	96-8
Laure DeMatta (Mercy)	96-8

100 HURDLES	
Shelli Gaul (Farmington)	15.4
Sarah Percy (RU)	16.1
Erika Beetz (Wayne)	16.2
Amy Finley (John Glenn)	16.3
Coleen Herzmann (Harrison)	16.5
Tracey Livermore (Harrison)	16.5
Angela Kipela (Canton)	16.7
Karina Kipela (Canton)	16.7
Stacy Dechert (John Glenn)	16.8
Susan Davidson (Farmington)	16.9

300 HURDLES	
Sarah Percy (RU)	48.5
Erika Beetz (Wayne)	48.6
Shelli Gaul (Farmington)	49.4
Ndu Okwumabua (Canton)	49.5
Kristi Cornwell (Harrison)	50.6
Amy Finley (John Glenn)	50.8
Kelley Kobane (Churchill)	50.8
Theresa Giachello (Salem)	51.0
Angela Fountain (Canton)	51.3
Florence Pugh (Borgess)	52.2

100 DASH	
Andrea Putti (Ladywood)	12.7
Ndu Okwumabua (Canton)	12.8
Quinday Cooper (Wayne)	12.9
Kristen Lewis (Mercy)	13.1
Florence Pugh (Borgess)	13.1
Kay Rodgers (Farmington)	13.2
Andrea Kinnelly (Salem)	13.2
Dawn DiPonio (Mercy)	13.2
Jarenda Foster (Farmington)	13.2
Heather Conley (Harrison)	13.3
Kinshasha Hughes (Borgess)	13.3
Vaire Jones (Mercy)	13.3

200 DASH

Akua Hammons (Wayne)	27.4
Shannon Capstick (W.L. Central)	27.4
Quinday Cooper (Wayne)	27.6
Ndu Okwumabua (Canton)	27.7
Kristin Lewis (Mercy)	27.9
Dawn DiPonio (Mercy)	28.1
Andrea Kinnelly (Salem)	28.2
Lynette Conner (John Glenn)	28.3
Heather Armistead (N. Farmington)	28.4
Melissa Husted (John Glenn)	28.4

400 DASH	
Tonya Wheeler (Salem)	1:02.4
Janel Hermine (Ladywood)	1:02.9
Shannon Capstick (W.L. Central)	1:03.0
Dawn DiPonio (Mercy)	1:03.2
Akua Hammons (Wayne)	1:04.0
Kelley Gustafson (Franklin)	1:04.0
Kim Gudeth (Canton)	1:04.4
Debbie Brysz (Franklin)	1:05.0
Stacy Prats (Stevenson)	1:05.5
Tranessa Burroughs (Wayne)	1:05.5

800 RUN	
Dawn DiPonio (Mercy)	2:25.2
Tabitha Belcher (W.L. Central)	2:28.5
Dana Nowicki (John Glenn)	2:29.6
Kim Gudeth (Canton)	2:30.4
Stephanie Locke (Lutheran West)	2:30.4
Janel Hermine (Ladywood)	2:32.2
Jennifer Pfander (Stevenson)	2:32.3
Karyn Nagy (Ladywood)	2:33.6
Laura Whelan (W.L. Central)	2:33.0
Jenny Weh (N. Farmington)	2:33.8

1,600 RUN	
Maiba Dixon (Ladywood)	5:30.0
Tabitha Belcher (W.L. Central)	5:33.3
Emily Shively (N. Farmington)	5:34.8
Amy Smith (Canton)	5:40.3
Lana Boroditsch (Canton)	5:44.0
Jennifer Gerlach (Lutheran West)	5:44.5
Heather Noll (Mercy)	5:47.3
Jill Barnes (Canton)	5:48.3
Charlie Creehan (Stevenson)	5:49.5
Michele Daraban (RU)	5:50.0

3,200 RUN	
Emily Shively (N. Farmington)	11:53.8
Tabitha Belcher (W.L. Central)	11:57.0
Maiba Dixon (Ladywood)	12:00.0
Heather Noll (Mercy)	12:10.0
Holly Noll (Canton)	12:11.0
Amy Smith (Canton)	12:14.1
Sharmila Prasad (Stevenson)	12:19.8
Carrie Creehan (Mercy)	12:30.0
Emily Farrell (Salem)	12:31.3
Lana Boroditsch (Canton)	12:31.4

400 RELAY	
Plymouth Canton	52.9
Farmington Hills Harrison	53.0
Farmington	53.3
Livonia Stevenson	53.6
Plymouth Salem	54.0

800 RELAY	
Plymouth Canton	1:53.4
Wayne Memorial	1:53.4
Plymouth Canton	1:53.7
Farmington	1:53.7
Livonia Stevenson	1:54.0
Farmington Hills Harrison	1:54.0

1,600 RELAY	
Livonia Stevenson	4:19.8
Plymouth Canton	4:22.9
Redford Union	4:24.0
Plymouth Salem	4:26.0
Farmington Hills Mercy	4:27.2

3,200 RELAY	
Farmington Hills Mercy	10:15.6
Plymouth Canton	10:21.2
Livonia Stevenson	10:21.4
North Farmington	10:22.1
Walled Lake Central	10:35.0

rankings

These unscientific rankings are compiled weekly by the Observer sports staff. Schools eligible for the rankings must come from the following cities: Plymouth-Canton, Farmington, Livonia, Westland, Redford, Garden City and Walled Lake.

BASEBALL	
1. Westland John Glenn	
2. Plymouth Salem	
3. Plymouth Canton	
4. Garden City	
5. Redford Catholic Central	

GIRLS SOFTBALL	
1. Livonia Franklin	
2. Garden City	
3. Plymouth Canton	
4. Farmington Hills Mercy	
5. North Farmington	

BOYS TRACK	
1. Plymouth Salem	
2. Westland John Glenn	
3. Wayne Memorial	
4. Redford Catholic Central	
5. Farmington	

GIRLS GOLF	
1. Livonia Ladywood	
2. Plymouth Canton	
3. Livonia Stevenson	
4. Farmington Hills Mercy	
5. Livonia Stevenson	

GIRLS TRACK	
1. Plymouth Canton	
2. Livonia Stevenson	
3. Plymouth Salem	
4. Redford Union	
5. Westland John Glenn	

BASEBALL	
1. Westland John Glenn	
2. Plymouth Salem	
3. Plymouth Canton	
4. Garden City	
5. Redford Catholic Central	

GIRLS SOFTBALL	
1. Livonia Franklin	
2. Garden City	
3. Plymouth Canton	
4. Farmington Hills Mercy	
5. North Farmington	

BOYS TRACK	
1. Plymouth Salem	
2. Westland John Glenn	
3. Wayne Memorial	
4. Redford Catholic Central	
5. Farmington	

GIRLS GOLF	
1. Livonia Ladywood	
2. Plymouth Canton	
3. Livonia Stevenson	
4. Farmington Hills Mercy	
5. Livonia Stevenson	

Tell us about your event

Faced with the prospect of writing your first press release in the near future? Don't despair. Don't disparage your fellow club members for giving you the task. Arm yourself with a paper and pen or typewriter and answer the following questions. You'll be well on your way to providing us with the necessary information.

- What is the event?
 - Who's sponsoring it?
 - Who are the participants?
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 - Where is it occurring?
 - At what time is the event scheduled?
 - Why is this event taking place?
 - Where can people buy tickets?
 - How much is admission?
 - Who can the public call for further information?
- Please provide The Observer with the name and telephone number of a person with whom we can verify the information. If you are submitting a photo for our consideration, please keep in mind that black and white pictures reproduce the best. Snapshots of large groups don't reproduce well and aren't considered suitable for publication. As a rule we don't publish photographs depicting the presentation of checks or plaques. If you want us to return a photograph, please indicate this on the back of the picture. Identify people in the photograph from left to right and by their first names and surnames as well as by the towns in which they live. Send the information to The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

Affirmative action coordinator sets stage for change

Judith Nakhdimen, executive director of a suburban community theater group, has won the 1991 Women's Recognition Award sponsored by Henry Ford Community College.

Nakhdimen has been a member of the Redford-Livonia Theatre Guild for 27 years and on its board of directors for 24 years.

As executive director, Nakhdimen has encouraged women to excel in positions that are traditionally filled by men. She took on the set construction position for the guild's production of "1776" and had to learn from scratch how to use lumber and tools to create sets.

"I am very careful to see that we present at least one show a season that deals with women's issues," Nakhdimen said. "In the past, we have presented 'Steel Magnolias,' 'Nuts' and 'The Club,' which is a feminist musical."

Nakhdimen created the set decoration for the guild's production of "It's Only A Play" by Terrance McNally, which will be presented tomorrow and Saturday at the Theatre Guild of Redford-Livonia.

THE AWARD, sponsored by the college's Focus on Women program, was presented to Nakhdimen at a special luncheon during Women's Resource Week at Henry Ford Community College.

Nakhdimen works as personnel/payroll and affirmative action coordinator at HFCC on Evergreen in Dearborn.

"Because Judy focuses on fair treatment for everyone, her work has benefited women at the college and the community," said Grace Stewart, director of HFCC's Focus on Women program.

"Judy is a role model for those

who wish to achieve professional and personal success. We are happy that she has received the recognition she deserves."

AN AFFIRMATIVE action coordinator, Nakhdimen developed the college's affirmative action plan in cooperation with its affirmative action committee. The plan was implemented in spring 1990. Since then, the college has made improvements in its employee selection procedures, Nakhdimen said.

"HFCC has made significant progress in increasing the number of jobs for women and minorities in the area of administration, faculty and support staff," Nakhdimen said.

Community colleges across the state are required to have affirmative action plans by the 1989 Michigan Community College Appropriations Act. In accordance with the act, HFCC's affirmative action plan was approved by the Michigan Civil Rights Commission and is on file in Lansing.

"HFCC's affirmative action plan ensures campuswide equal opportunity," Nakhdimen said.

NAKDIMEN, WHO has worked at HFCC for 26 years, became affirmative action coordinator in January 1989. The major focus of her work recently has been on the college's new discrimination and harassment complaint procedure.

Nakhdimen developed this procedure in cooperation with the affirmative action committee and the professional problems committee at HFCC. She has presented it to the HFCC Board of Trustees for review and certification.

"Affirmative action is one of the most difficult positions at any institution because it is a very sensitive issue," Nakhdimen said. "The viewpoints on affirmative action are varied so it is difficult to please everyone."

Although her first year as affirmative action coordinator has been challenging, Nakhdimen was for-

tunate to have encouragement from college employees, she said.

"I HAVE RECEIVED a great deal of support and assistance from the women and men on campus. My job has been easier due to the strong motivation of the members of the affirmative action committee and selection committees."

Nakhdimen also tries to provide positive encouragement to students.

"I have tried very hard to be a mentor for students who have worked for me over the years. It has been a real reward to see these students graduate, get a stable job and improve their lives."

NAKDIMEN HAS four children. Her oldest daughter, Davin Torre, is the principal violist with the Flint Symphony and the conductor of the Flint Youth Symphony.

Her daughter, Melissa Pierson, is a violinist with the Jacksonville Symphony.



Judith Nakhdimen
One, Eric Pierson, works as a labor organizer in New York. Another son, Matthew Pierson, is in charge of promotion, artists and repertoire for Blue Note Records in New York.

WAYNE COUNTY REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE AGENCY

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency Board of Education will hold a public hearing on a proposed property transfer of Riverpark Subdivisions 1, 2, and 3 Township of Canton, Michigan from the Wayne-Westland School District and attach this same territory to the Plymouth-Canton School District. The hearing is scheduled for Thursday, May 30, 1991 at 7 p.m. at the Wayne County RESA Education Center Annex Auditorium, 5454 Venoy, Wayne, Michigan 48184. Note: Contact may be made with Dr. Mary Kauper, 467-1446.

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CITY OF GARDEN CITY MICHIGAN

INVITATION TO BID PURCHASE OF SUPER VHS EDITING SYSTEM WITH MONITORS

The City of Garden City is requesting proposals for the purchase of a Super VHS Editing System with monitors for the City's municipal access cable channel. Sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the City Clerk, in the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135 (tel. 313-515-4811) on or before Wednesday, May 22, 1991 at 1:00 p.m. Proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope marked "Sealed Bid for Super VHS Editing System." The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids in whole or in part, and to waive any informalities when deemed in the best interest of the City. Interested bidders with questions should contact Benjamin I. Myers, Assistant to the City Manager, at 515-8330 during normal business hours.

*Addendum date.

R. D. SHOWALTER, City Clerk-Treasurer

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

May 20, 1991

CITY OF GARDEN CITY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Mayor and Council of Garden City will hold a Public Hearing on May 20, 1991, at 6:30 P.M., in the Council Chambers, at the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan.

- 6:30 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on amending the Ordinance concerning water and sewer rates.
- 6:30 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on the Resolution of Necessity for District IV of the Sidewalk Repair Program.
- 6:50 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on the proposal to raise taxes by levying the same amount as last year plus the rise in the Consumer Price Index (Truth-In-Taxation).
- 6:55 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on the Tax Levy for the 1991-92 Fiscal Year.
- 7:00 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on the Five Year Capital Improvements Plan.
- 7:05 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on the Proposed Budget for the 1991-92 Fiscal Year.
- 7:10 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on the Ordinance conveying property from the City to the Municipal Building Authority.
- 7:15 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on amending the Ordinance concerning parking on lawn easements and medians.
- 7:20 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on the request by Robert Ramey for approval of a Site Plan for 6278 Middlebelt, in a P-D (Planned Development District).
- 7:25 P.M.—On solicitation of Public comments on the request by John Roehleto to rezone the vacant lot at 31844 Pardo from a R-1 (Single Family Residential) Zoning District to a R-2 (Two-Family Residential) Zoned District.

RONALD D. SHOWALTER, City Clerk-Treasurer

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SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

APRIL 30, 1991

Present were Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Schildberg, Majka, Breen, McDonell, and Keith. Absent and excused was Councilmember Nunneley. Also present were City Manager Austin, City Clerk-Treasurer Showalter, and City Attorney Mack. It was moved by Schildberg, supported by Majka, RESOLVED: To award the Worker's Compensation Insurance, in the amount of \$70,874, to Employers' Insurance Corporation, as recommended by the Administration YEAS: Unanimous.

RONALD D. SHOWALTER, City Clerk-Treasurer

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LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS SCHOOL DISTRICT WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the annual school election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 10, 1991.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1991, IS MONDAY, MAY 13, 1991. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, MAY 13, 1991, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the board of education.

CAROL M. STROM, Secretary, Board of Education

ADDENDUM

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Regular Biennial Election of Schoolcraft Community College, Michigan, will be held in conjunction with the Annual School Election.

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CITY OF GARDEN CITY

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

April 15, 1991

PUBLIC HEARING at 7:05 P.M.
Present were Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Schildberg, Nunneley, Majka, Breen, and Keith. Absent and excused was Councilmember McDonell.
On solicitation of Public comments on the request by Marathon Oil to vacate the alley located north of 2210 Arcola and south of Ford Road.

PUBLIC HEARING at 7:15 P.M.
Present were Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Schildberg, Nunneley, Majka, Breen, and Keith. Absent and excused was Councilmember McDonell.
On solicitation of Public comments on the request by Marathon Oil to vacate a portion of 2210 Arcola and the vacant lots at 2210 Inckerd Road from R-1 (Single Family Residential) and P-O (Professional Office) to C-3 (General Commercial) District.

PUBLIC HEARING at 7:35 P.M.
Present were Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Schildberg, Nunneley, Majka, Breen, and Keith. Absent and excused was Councilmember McDonell.
On solicitation of Public comments on amending the salary ordinance concerning the P.O.A.M. Clerk-Dispatch Unit.

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING at 7:30 P.M.
Present were Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Schildberg, Nunneley, Majka, Breen, and Keith. Absent and excused was Councilmember McDonell.
Also present were City Manager Austin, City Clerk-Treasurer Showalter, City Attorney Mack, Police Analyst Sundstrom, Officer Lisa Hale, and Dept. of Public Services Director Lacz, Supervisor Breen, and Assistant to the City Manager Myers.

It was moved by Breen, supported by Nunneley, RESOLVED: To approve the Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of April 11, 1991, as presented YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Keith, supported by Majka, RESOLVED: To approve the Accounts Payable, as listed YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Schildberg, supported by Keith, RESOLVED: To approve the following Consent Agenda: (a) To approve the Proclamation designating April 23, 1991, as "Arbor Day." (b) To confirm the Mayor's appointment of Robert Corwell to the Civil Service Commission to fill the unexpired term of Jim Dobbie, through December 31, 1991. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Schildberg, supported by Majka, RESOLVED: To approve the request by Marathon Oil to vacate the alley located north of 2210 Arcola and south of Ford Road, as recommended by the Planning Commission and with the same conditions attached. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Keith, supported by Majka, RESOLVED: To approve the request by Marathon Oil to split a Platted Lot at 2210 Arcola, legally described as Lot 1899, Folker's Garden City Acres Subdivision No. 11. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Majka, supported by Breen, RESOLVED: To approve the request by Marathon Oil to vacate a portion of 2210 Inckerd Road, Lots 1812A and 1812B, Folker's Garden City Acres No. 11 Subdivision from P-O (Professional Office District) to C-3 (General Commercial District) and the north 20 feet of 2210 Arcola, (Lot 1813, Folker's Garden City Acres No. 11 Subdivision) from R-1 (Single Family Residential District) to C-3 (General Commercial District), as recommended by the Planning Commission. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Schildberg, supported by Majka, RESOLVED: To adopt the amended Salary Ordinance concerning the P.O.A.M. Clerk-Dispatch Unit. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Nunneley, supported by Keith, RESOLVED: To call a Public Hearing on May 8, 1991, at 7:35 P.M., to solicit comments on amending the ordinance concerning vegetation control. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Breen, supported by Schildberg, RESOLVED: To approve the transfer of ownership of a 1970 SBU-SDM licensed business at 32669 Warren from Bittles and Strif, Ltd. to Mamama's Bittles and Strif, Inc. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Majka, supported by Breen, RESOLVED: To award the contract for Vehicle Towing and Impound to Bittles and Strif Towing, Incorporated, as the lowest responsible bidder, for the respective cost on the bid tabulation, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Nunneley, supported by Majka, RESOLVED: To award the contract for the Youth Bureau Computer to Quality Computer System, the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of \$13,327.61, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Schildberg, supported by Nunneley, RESOLVED: To reject all bids for the purchase of Mobile Radio for the Police Patrol Vehicle, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Majka, supported by Breen, RESOLVED: To award the contract for One-Ton Dump Truck to Red Holman GMC, the lowest responsible bidder, for a 1991 GMC chassis with the Jerrick Body, at a cost of \$21,410.00, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Breen, supported by Schildberg, RESOLVED: To award the contract for one Five-yard Dump Truck to Red Holman GMC, the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of \$15,453.13, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Schildberg, supported by Nunneley, RESOLVED: To approve the City Council Travel Policy. (SEE ATTACHED). YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Keith, supported by Schildberg, RESOLVED: To authorize the City Manager to sign the Engagement Letter for Plakas & Moran to perform accounting services for the City's Biennial Official Statements, in an amount not to exceed \$1,000.00, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Breen, supported by Schildberg, RESOLVED: To authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to sign an agreement and addendum with the Garden City Public Schools relative to payments for the North Garden Drain and Street Improvement Project, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Schildberg, supported by Breen, RESOLVED: To approve Special Assessment Retention Number 4 for District 4183, confirming the Special Assessment Roll for the North Garden Street Improvement Project, as recommended by the Administration. (SEE ATTACHED). YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Schildberg, supported by Majka, RESOLVED: To authorize the firm of Berry, Hojop, Francis, March and Selinger to represent the City in the case of Malloy vs. State of Michigan and City of Garden City, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Breen, supported by Nunneley, RESOLVED: To approve the Bond Authorizing Resolution for the Act 310 Wastewater Treatment System Bonds, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

It was moved by Schildberg, supported by Breen, RESOLVED: To approve the Bond Authorizing Resolution for the Special Assessment/City Share Bonds, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous.

RONALD D. SHOWALTER, City Clerk-Treasurer

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CITY OF GARDEN CITY ORDINANCE NO. 5-91-002

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTIONS 92.21 AND 92.22 OF CHAPTER 52, TITLE IX, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF GARDEN CITY.

THE CITY OF GARDEN CITY HEREBY ORDAINS That Sections 92.21 and 92.22 of Chapter 52 of Title IX of the Code of the City of Garden City be amended to read as follows:

GARDEN CITY PUBLIC SERVICE BY OCCUPANT OR OWNER.

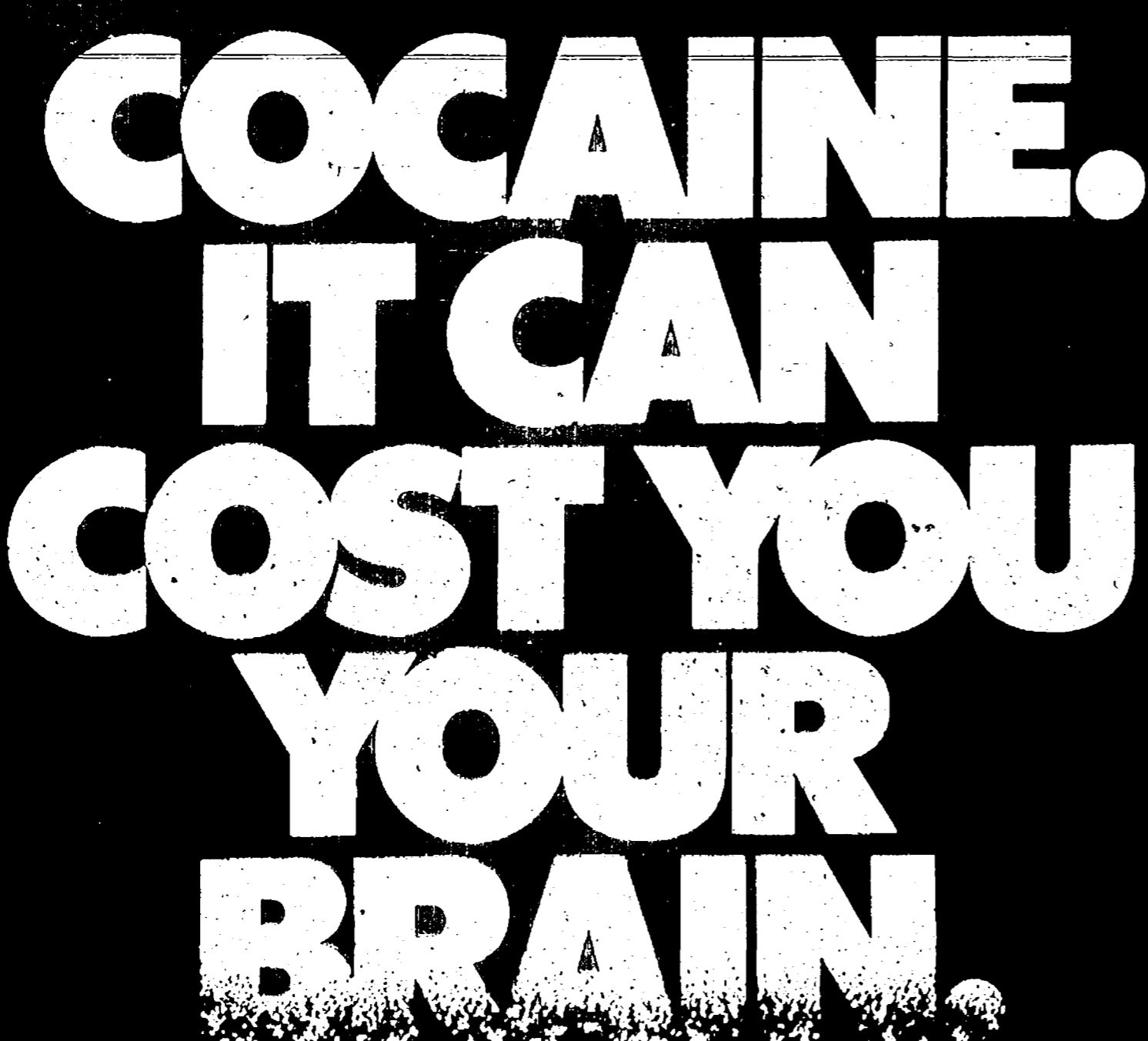
§ 92.21 RESPONSIBILITIES AND COMPLIANCE. It shall be the duty of the occupant of every premises and the owner of unoccupied premises within the City, to cut and remove or destroy by lawful means, all such weeds, grass, or undesirable pelousous or harmful vegetation as often as may be necessary to comply with the provisions stated in S 92.20. Cutting, removing or destroying of such weeds, grass, and vegetation at least three times in each year, once before May 1, once again before July 1, and once again before September 1, or as often as necessary, when such weeds, grass and vegetation has reached a height of twelve (12) inches, shall be deemed in compliance with the requirements of this chapter.

§ 92.22 CONTROL AND MAINTENANCE BY CITY.

If the provisions of S 92.20 or 92.21 are not complied with, the Director of Public Services, or his duly authorized representatives, shall notify the occupant or owner of unoccupied premises to comply with the provisions within a time to be specified in the notice. The notice shall be given in accordance with S 10.09 of this code. The notice shall require compliance within five days after service of such notice, and if such notice is not complied with within the time limit, the Director shall cause the weeds, grass, and other vegetation to be removed or destroyed, together with any grading necessary to allow the removal of the vegetation. The cost of such cutting, removal, grading or destruction shall be as follows: \$0.01 per square foot of cutting area. The charge shall become a debt to the City from the persons to whom they are assessed together with all charges thereon, and shall on July 1 become a lien on the property assessed of the same character and effect as the lien created by general law for state and county taxes, until paid. Except as herein modified, said ordinance shall remain in full force and effect. This amendatory ordinance is declared to be effective upon publication as required by law.

JIM A. PLAKAS, Mayor
RONALD D. SHOWALTER, City Clerk-Treasurer

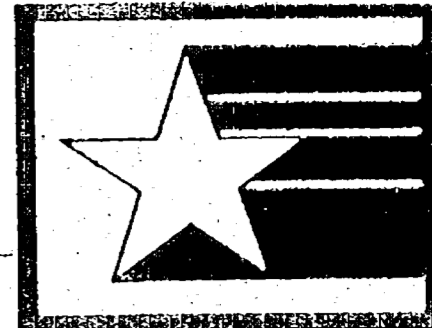
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Old houses, rural women in 'fictional documentary'

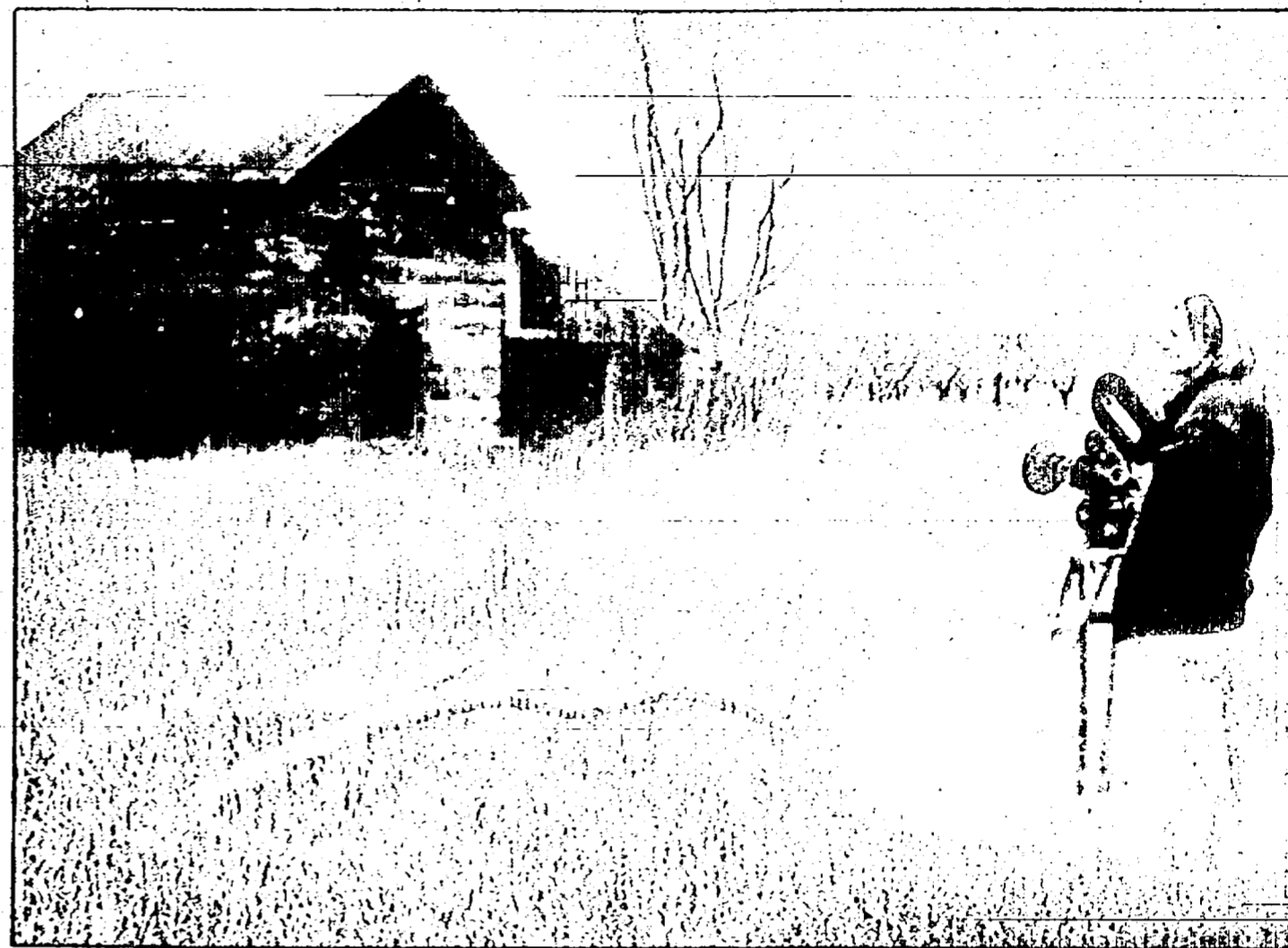
By Cathie Breidenbach
special writer

BLOOMFIELD HILLS filmmaker Cynthia Greig is finishing up production on her experimental film with the working title, "Her Story."

She plans to release the 20-minute film in December and show it at independent theaters, local libraries and schools, as well as to historical societies and women's groups.

Her fictional documentary — a seeming contradiction in terms — uses authentic and historical elements in a fictional combination. The film will juxtapose readings from the journals of rural women with film footage of five old, abandoned houses on Michigan's Leelanau Peninsula. Greig will season images of the houses with a few still photographs of women, using mostly old tintypes she found in flea markets.

"Image and text will interact," Greig explains, of her experimental format, but scenes from the weather-worn, now-silent houses won't necessarily illustrate events described in the journals or have any historical ties to the anonymous women whose photos will bring human faces to the readings. When she mixes film of the houses, sepia-tinted photographs and journal readings, she hopes to illuminate truths about women's lives through fiction.



Director Cynthia Greig of Bloomfield Hills sets up shot for "Her Story" on location in Northern Michigan.

THE HOUSES haunted with memories of their now-gone families are real. The women who wrote about their lives are real, as are their stories of rural isolation, poverty, hardships and long days filled with physical work. The overlaying of journals and unrelated images will create an evocative, celluloid poetry, presenting houses as metaphors for women's lives.

"Throughout history, women have been the primary caretakers of the home and family," Greig said, and the recurrent themes of houses and making homes in them run like warp threads through the more than 100 journals she read to select the 15 she will use in the film. All the journals were written between the mid 1800s and the late 1930s. She considered using narratives but rejected them because they "looked at lives as history and tended to sum it all up." Diaries, in contrast, have a present quality that appealed to her. "They are evolving stories."

From the journals, she says, "I saw women played a big role, as wives, mothers and income earners for the family. They raised chickens and geese. They were responsible for the family garden and helped in the fields. Many did mending, made but-

ter or sold seed corn to raise money."

"It's important to include texts to show that women played a larger role than we traditionally see," Greig said. In her film, the 31-year-old filmmaker aims to give voices to the ordinary women whose stories history often ignores.

With a fine arts degree in printmaking from Washington University and a master's degree in art history from the University of Iowa, the Kingswood graduate began her career as a visual artist. She did an internship at a museum in Worcester, Mass., and worked as curator for Arttrain before going for her master's at the University of Iowa. There she took her first film class when she needed to escape from the preoccupation of writing her master's thesis on Dada performances in Paris.

AS A PRINTMAKER she was frustrated because in visual art she couldn't use her considerable language talents. In film, she found a composite art form that demands "a connection between text and image." She says, "Film is the perfect medium for me."

As testimony to her verbal talents

'I chose to shoot when colors were muted and silent, when the leaves has burned to softer hues.'

— Cynthia Greig

film." In the flamboyant autumn, she says, "I chose to shoot when colors were muted and silent, when the leaves has burned to softer hues."

This month, Cynthia Greig will return to northern Michigan to audition women who will read the journal entries in the film. To get volunteer readers, Greig ran a press release in a publication that goes to almost every house in Leelanau County.

The mail brought interest from numerous women. Some loved old houses; some wanted to add their voices to a work telling women's stories; others spoke of personal, family experiences that gave them empathy they felt could add to the readings.

Greig conducted preliminary auditions over the phone. She was searching for varied voices, 12 to 15, but they all needed to express a genuine quality. She wanted voices with "distinctive meters," but most of all, Greig was listening for voices that she described as "having escaped from time."



These performers are part of the musical troupe Amigo, performing Saturday, May 11, at Detroit Youtheatre at the Detroit Institute of Arts.

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FOLK DANCE

Celebrating its 16th year, the PRCUA Syrena Polish Folk Dance ensemble presents "Polska Zabawa" (a Polish Party) at 2 p.m. Sunday, May 19, at the Clarenceville High School Auditorium in Livonia. A tribute to the troops will be presented. For tickets, call 565-9865.

DOWNTOWN HOEDOWN

For the ninth consecutive year, the Budweiser Downtown Hoedown will kick off the 1991 Detroit summer festival season with country music talent performing free Friday, May 10, through Sunday, May 12, at Hart Plaza in downtown Detroit. Entertainment begins each day at noon and continues into the evening. Just a few of the stars are Kathy Mattea, the Charlie Daniels Band and Tammy Wynette.

ATTIC THEATRE

"Three Ways Home," a play dealing with true-to-life problems faced by youths and families today, previews Thursday-Sunday, May 16-19,

at the Attic Theatre in Detroit. The production opens Wednesday, May 22, and runs through Sunday, June 16. Performances are 7 p.m. Wednesdays, 8 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays, 5 and 9 p.m. Saturdays and 2 and 7 p.m. Sundays. For ticket information contact the Attic Theatre box office at 875-8284.

IRISH MUSIC

Cherish the Ladies, an ensemble of Irish-American performers, will appear in concert at 8:30 p.m. Friday, May 10, at the Gaelic League, 2068 Michigan Ave., Detroit. Tickets are \$15. The event celebrates the 10th anniversary of the Metro Detroit Chapter of the Irish American Cultural Institute.

YANNI PERFORMS

Composer/musician Yanni is best known for romantic ballads, signature anthems and live symphony orchestra concerts. One of the top-selling artists in the genre of New Age jazz, Yanni will appear 8 p.m.

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Wednesday, May 15, at the Fox Theatre in Detroit. Tickets at \$22.50 are on sale at the Fox Theatre box office, Joe Louis and Cobo Arena Box offices and all Ticketmaster outlets. To charge by phone call 645-6666.

'SOCIAL SECURITY'

Rosedale Community Players presents the comedy "Social Security" by Andres Bergman, continuing Friday-Sunday, May 10-12, and Friday-Saturday, May 17-18, at the Upstage in Detroit. All performances are at 8 p.m., except for Sunday, May 12, at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$7 per person and all seats are reserved. Group, senior citizen and student rates are available. For further information call the Upstage at 532-4010 anytime.

SINGERS NEEDED

The Novi-Hilton's Whispers Lounge is looking for a few good singers. Karaoke-assisted auditions will be held Friday and Saturday evenings. Singers are asked to reserve performance times by calling 349-4000.

BURT REYNOLDS

The Fisher Theatre in Detroit presents "An evening With Burt Reynolds — the Laughs, the Loves, the Lies, the Legends, The Lies (Not Necessarily in That Order)" at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 19. Tickets are on sale at all Ticketmaster outlets and

the Fisher Theatre box office. To charge tickets by phone call 645-6666.

IN CONCERT

"Kaleidoscope: A Choralaires Collage," annual spring concert, of the Novi Choralaires, will be held at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 11, at Novi High School's Fuerst Auditorium. Tickets at \$4 for adults; \$3, seniors and students; and \$12 for a family ticket are available from Novi Choralaire members, the Novi Department of Parks and Recreation, the Giftfinder in Northville, or at the door on concert night.

'HUNTING COCKROACHES'

Plowshares Theatre presents the second play of its inaugural season, "Hunting Cockroaches" by Polish author Janusz Glowacki, translated by Jadwiga Kosicka, through Sunday, May 19. Performances are 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday and 2 and 7 p.m. Sunday at the 1515 Broadway performance space in Detroit. Tickets are available from 1515 Broadway (965-1515) or through Ticketmaster outlets (645-6666). Tickets are \$10, or \$12.50 at the door.

DETROIT YOUTHEATRE

Amigo, one of Mexico City's young



The Farmington Players production of "Murders of 1940" by John Bishop continues through Saturday, May 18, at the Farmington Players Barn in Farmington Hills. For ticket information call 553-2955.

musical companies, will appear at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Saturday, May 11, at the Detroit Institute of Arts' Detroit Youththeatre. Tickets for performances in the DIA Auditorium are \$5 per seat and can be purchased,

through the DIA Ticket Office, at the door or by calling 833-2323.

THEATER TOUR

The Preservation Wayne Theater Tour on Saturday, May 11, is a walk-

ing excursion of six historic movie theaters. The tour is \$10 for members of Preservation Wayne and the Art Deco Society of Detroit and \$15 for non-members. The tour begins at 10 a.m. in the lobby of Clubland, one block south of the Fox Theatre on Woodward Avenue. For more details call William Colburn of Preservation Wayne at 577-3559.

TASTEFEST VOLUNTEERS

Michigan Tastefest at Detroit's New Center is seeking volunteers to work at the third annual Memorial Day Weekend summer feast of city fun, Friday-Monday, May 24-27, on W. Grand Boulevard between Woodward and the Lodge Freeway. One thousand volunteers are needed to help run the show, where 40 Michigan restaurants, wineries and breweries serve tastes of their specialties and local and national entertainers perform. Prospective volunteers may call Jean Gerdes at 872-0188. She will mail an information packet and registration form immediately.

MATINEE SERIES

"African-American Independent Cinema," the Detroit Film Theatre's current matinee series, concludes in

May after presenting three feature-length and two short films. Each week, at 1 p.m. Thursday-Sunday, a different program is shown in the Detroit Institute of Arts recital hall. General admission is \$3.50 at the door. For a detailed "History Of The Moving Image" schedule, group or advance ticket information, call the DIA ticket office during regular business hours: 833-2323. May's films include "Miracle in Harlem," May 9-12 (1948, Jack Kemp, director) and "Souls of Sin," May 16-19 (1949, Powell Lindsay, director).

AWARENESS DAY

The Michigan Conclerge Association will hold its first Conclerge Awareness Day 1-6 p.m. Sunday, May 19, at the Dearborn Inn. The event, open to the public including families, features caricaturists, psychics, magician, a fashion show, continuous musical entertainment and vendor exhibits.

EARTH CONCERT

Rhythms of the world will be celebrated at WDET's 12th annual Music Festival noon to 8 p.m. Sunday, June 2, at the Meadow Brook Music Festival site in Rochester Hills. Earth

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Good voices blend in a musical fairy tale

Performances of the Plymouth Theatre Guild production of "Once Upon a Mattress" continue through Saturday, May 18, at the Water Tower Theatre on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital. Interpreters for the hearing impaired will be provided Friday, May 17. For ticket information call 349-7110.

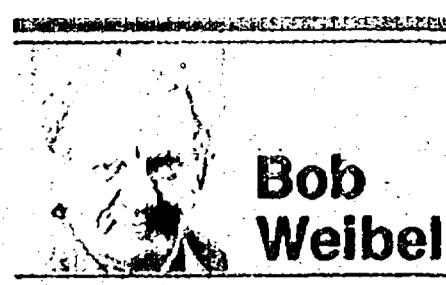
By Bob Weibel
special writer

Colorful costumes, a strong-voiced cast of 30 and dandy leads combine for a joyous evening of musical comedy in Plymouth Theatre Guild's "Once Upon a Mattress."

The show is loosely based on Hans Christian Anderson's "The Princess and the Pea." As in all good fairy tales, the plot is capricious, yet somehow elegant.

It's about an imperious queen who is most possessive of her son. He longs to be married. Alas, she only will approve of a princess with "true royal blood." Her tests, of course, are so demanding that all the young ladies-in-waiting fail.

When Princess Winnifred (they call me "Fred") appears, the queen has her sleep on 20 mattresses, into which she has put a pea. Only a blue blood would remain awake because of the pea, she reasons. All's fair in rigged tests, so members of the



Bob Weibel

court conspire to make sure the princess passes the sensitivity test. You see, they cannot be married until the prince says, "I do."

LINDA PICCOLI brings equal measures of comic timing, stage presence and a fine voice to her role as the domineering, hyponchondriac queen. Michael Shulman, is

most amusing as her, muted king, who covets, chasing young damsels and doing pantomime and charades in lieu of talking.

Daryl Ziegelman plays their son, Prince Dauntless the Drab, with a delightful naivete. The object of his affection, Princess Winnifred the Woebegone, is charming, earthy and

benumbed in the capable hands of Karen Groves. She wisely doesn't try to imitate the yuks of a Carol Burnett (who did the role on Broadway).

Tani Ann Mough (Lady Larkin) and Steve Walker (Sir Studley) make a fine pair in a more conventional romance. Adam Doti scores as the Court Jester. And Jeff Hammonds keeps the story rolling along as a minstrel.

Director/choreographer Rob James Morisi has fashioned a fairly well-paced show. Longish scene changes, however, tend to rob the show of momentum from time to time.

The set itself is well conceived and includes a proscenium mask that ef-

fectively frames the set. More detailing, however, would have given it an even better castle look.

PTG has installed a new sound system in the Water Tower Theatre, which seems to have helped the echo situation. Performers who speak quickly and don't enunciate clearly, however, still can be a problem. Sitting down front is recommended. "Once Upon a Mattress" is blessed with many fine voices, however. When they join together in a cast number, they fill the whole theater.

Bob Weibel of Westland is a free-lance writer, who has spent more than 25 years in community theater, as a director, designer and performer.

St. Bede's 'Iolanthe' is top-flight G&S production

Performances of the St. Bede Players production of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Iolanthe" continue through Saturday, May 11, at the Southfield High School Auditorium in Southfield. For ticket information, call 557-8527 or 557-7245.

By Mary Jane Doerr
special writer

The great-granddaddy of modern stage directing, W.S. Gilbert, may have done us a disservice with his stage books outlining the staging of Gilbert and Sullivan operettas. It has provided many companies with the classical staging for each show, sometimes eliminating the need for inventiveness.

St. Bede Players have a stunning

production of probably the most elegant score of the Savoy opera masters, "Iolanthe" (pronounced I-o-lan-the). Costumer Ruthann Logsdon Zaroff has an eye for color. Her bright costumes enhance two striking sets by John W. LaCroix Jr., and provide a brilliant setting for some quality voices, under the fine leadership of musical director-conductor Joseph Gamache.

In the lead as Phyllis, Jenny Lee Head, now a student at the University of Michigan, is not only elegantly costumed in a fabulous green velvet dress, but her voice is wonderful to listen to. She plays the role straight, which is how it should be done, with enough egotism to add some humor.

Her counterpart Strehon is tenor Mitch Gillett, another lovely voice. Together their duet "None Shall Part

Us from Each Other" is beautiful, like all the love duets in the G&S repertoire.

"IOLANTHE" is a satire of the fairies and the peers, another Fairyland and the English Parliament, who meet in Arcadia. Iolanthe (Ruthann Logsdon Zaroff) married a mortal 25 years before the story begins and has been banished to live with the frogs in a stream by the Fairy Queen (Sara Zivian Zwicki). These thunder-and-lightning stage effects make the queen a cross between Queen of the Night ("The Magic Flute") and Brunnhilde ("The Ring.")

Her son, Strehon, is a half breed — half fairy and half mortal — a situation that has certain complications. When he disappears, only half of him disappears. He loves Phyllis

who is a ward of the court of Chancery.

G&S veteran of "patter" song George Bloomfield is the Lord Chancellor, more loveable each time he takes on a role. Certainly no one can sing faster, and in this role he has three songs to deliver. His "Love, Unrequited, Robs Me of Me Rest" was the fastest yet.

Gilbert's libretto in "Iolanthe" is satirical about the House of Lords

and the political situation of 1882 when the operetta was premiered. The targets of the lines, especially those of the Fairy Queen's, have long since been forgotten. The humor then has to be in the way the lines are delivered and expounded upon in the stage antics.

Sometimes the Sullivan melodies and Gilbert's caustic lyric work off of each other. Thomas Petiet captures this humor in the "patriotic"

song "When Britian Really Ruled the Waves" with its biting words. David Reynolds as Lord Tolloiler and Douglas Ruge as Private Willis provide some lovely singing as well as more moments of humor.

Mary Jane Doerr of Troy is a full-time teacher and freelance writer who specializes in opera and musical theater.

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To accommodate young children and their grandparents, the Clarkston Cafe makes Mother's Day the only day for which it accepts reservations. Hours are noon to 6 p.m. Chef Gary Gzywacz plans a special Mother's Day menu. Children's portions are available. A pianist will play easy listening music. For reservations call 625-5660.

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Dinner theater

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upcoming things to do

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Senate bill would prohibit residency rules

By Tim Filchard
staff writer

State Sen. David Honigman is challenging some political Goliaths — Detroit, rural townships and unions — with a bill prohibiting residency rules for governmental employees.

His Senate Bill 271 moved forward in the state Senate this week, though with little prospect of House passage.

"What private employer would require residency in a certain city? Only government would be so stupid!" said Honigman, R-West Bloomfield.

With nearly party-line support from Republicans, Honigman fought down crippling amendments Tuesday.

ABOUT ONE-FOURTH of cities, townships and villages in Michigan require employees to live within the local boundaries, he said.

Detroit even requires applicants to be city residents. Sen. Virgil Smith, D-Detroit, said a residency requirement "allows local units to have some ability to have some response time."

Sen. Jack Welborn, R-Kalamazoo, a former rural township supervisor and a 30-year volunteer fireman, also fought the bill. He offered an amendment allowing local units to impose a "response time requirement" on employees, without regard to whether they live in or out of a community.

Honigman called the amendment unnecessary because the bill exempts volunteer fire departments, and most local units have mutual aid pacts for major fire and police emergencies.

Welborn's amendment lost, 13 yes to 15 no, in a hasty, unrecorded vote.

"GOVERNMENT should not tell people where to live," said Honigman, who produced the bill in the Labor Committee he chairs. "We have dozens of Berlin Walls in Michigan."

He said residency requirements are "oppressive, offensive" and an assault on personal liberty. His examples:

- A female police officer and a male firefighter can't marry because they work for different cities with residency rules.

Parents employed in cities with residency rules can't send their children to schools of their choice because they can't move into the district.

Husbands and wives can't sleep together because residency rules say one employed in a particular city must spend the night in that city before going on duty next day.

Residency rules enable black-run cities to exclude whites from employment, and white-run cities to exclude blacks.

SEN. CHRIS Dingell, D-Trenton, sought an amendment to allow unions to bargain collectively for residency rules.

Honigman called it "even worse, more oppressive and offensive" than a city-imposed rule. "It (union contract) could require them to live in certain neighborhoods," he said.

The Dingell amendment lost, 10 to 16, in another unrecorded vote.

Honigman's predecessor from the western Oakland district, Republican Rick Fessler, offered much the same bill two years ago but got nowhere with it.

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I have been most often approached about the planning and implementation of non-traditional promotional activities to attract more customers to a store and retain them on a regular basis. To do this I need to know:


- What specific product or ser-

vices are most often bought from your store and when (evenings? weekends? holidays? summer?)

- Why customers are buying from you instead of a competitor.
- How customers make the decision to buy from you (impulsively? based on customer recommendation?)

- Where customers go to buy similar products.

- Who are the key customer groups who regularly patronize your business (lifestyles? reason they like doing business with you? demographics?)



focus: small business
Mary DiPaolo

Gathering this information as a first step is crucial to the planning of any successful promotional program. This represents one aspect of the market planning process that retailers may agree is somewhat im-

portant to, usually do not focus on in ways that are meaningful when planning their promotions. Once these key customer habits and their related buying habits are understood, the goal is to select promo-

tional strategies that will best reach and persuade them. These same principles apply to any business when planning future promotional activities.

I heard there is a list available of the hottest new businesses for 1991. Are you aware of it?

Entrepreneur magazine prints a list of hot business ventures at the beginning of each year. For 1991, the businesses named include: event planning, cruises only travel, gift baskets, chicken wings, specialty

personnel, senior day care, mail order, exercise wear, food delivery, desktop publishing, summer camps, exporting, computer consulting, children's learning centers, building "doctors," recycling consultants, Mexican food, gourmet takeout, educational books and toys for children, healthy desserts and bicycle shops.

Mary DiPaolo is the owner of MarkeTrends, a Northville business consulting firm. She is also producer and host of the cable television series, "Chamber Perspectives."

business people

George B. Ayers of Garden City retired from the Detroit Diesel Allison division of General Motors. He had been with GM for more than 25 years. Ayers started working when he was 17 with Aircraft Precision. In 1952, he transferred to the Detroit Transmission Plant, where he worked as a machine operator. In 1953 Ayers went with Gray Marine Motors as a job-setter, supplying parts for GM. In 1964, he was hired by Chevrolet Motor Division in Warren as a machine operator. In 1969, Ayers transferred to Detroit Diesel Allison, where he worked for 22 years until his retirement at the end of April.



Nowatzke **Holzworth**
Tom Nowatzke of Nowatzke Great Dane in Canton Township received the Great Dane Presidents award for sales in 1990. This is the 10th time Nowatzke Great Dane received the

award.
Dr. David G. Holzworth, an ear, nose and throat specialist, will address the upcoming conference of the Michigan Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, in Dearborn. Holzworth is a clinical trainer and lecturer for interns and externs at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital.

Vincent J. Radzik of Plymouth will retire as vice president for special products financing of Ford Motor Credit Co. He has worked with Ford 28 years. Radzik joined Ford Credit in 1963 as a credit coordina-

tor in the company's Hempstead, N.Y., branch. He held numerous senior positions, including regional manager of the company's northeastern, southwestern and north central regions. In 1985, Radzik was appointed vice president for eastern U.S. and Canadian operations. In 1990, he was named vice president for special products financing.

David Johnson, a delivery driver for United Parcel Service in Livonia, was recognized by the company for completing five years driving without an accident.

Joseph R. Rosenberg, James A.

Sollis and Mark K. Woods were named associate directors of Cushman & Wakefield of Michigan Inc.

Stan Lapa was promoted to manager at Meyer Jewelers' Laurel Park store in Livonia. Lapa had been assistant manager at the Laurel Park store.

Erich Vogel was appointed manager at Meyer Jewelers' Wonderland Mall store in Livonia. Vogel has been in the jewelry business for eight years, most recently as a store manager in Columbia, S.C., for a jewelry store chain.

Please submit black-and-white

photographs, if possible, for inclusion in the business people column. While we value the receipt of photographs, we are unable to use every photograph submitted. If you want your photograph returned, please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Indicate in a margin on the front of the photograph that you want it returned. We will do our best to comply with your request. Send information to: Business Editor, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Please include city of residence and a daytime telephone number where information can be verified.

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PRODUCTIVITY EXPO
Thursday, May 9 - Detroit '91 Advanced productivity exposition in Detroit. Information: Robert Klan, 271-0777. Sponsor: Society of Manufacturing Engineers.

NETWORKING
Thursday, May 9 - Dearborn chapter of Leads Club meets at 7:30 a.m. at the Marriott Residence Inn, 5777 Southfield Service Drive, Dearborn. For information: call Ed Jarvis, 277-0300.

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS
Thursday-Friday, May 9-10 -

"The Fundamentals of Employee Benefits" in Livonia. Information: Personnel Management Program Service, (517) 355-9591. Sponsor: Michigan State University.

PROFESSIONAL COMMUNICATION
Saturday, May 11 - "Professional Communications in the '90s: Strategies for Success" presented all day at the Holiday Inn-Livonia West, 1-275 and Six Mile, in Livonia. Non-member fee: \$75. Information: Debbie Eisenberg, 1-313-663-1071. Sponsor: Society for Technical Communication.

INTERVIEWING SKILLS
Tuesday-Wednesday, May 14-15 - "Effective Interviewing Skills" in Livonia. Information: Personnel Management Program Service, (517) 355-9591. Sponsor: Michigan State University.

PURCHASING MANAGEMENT
Thursday, May 16 - Installation of officers of the National Association of Purchasing Management - Metro Detroit and mini-seminar by Rick Inatome of Inacom Computer Centers. "Keys Issues in Public Purchasing" at the Detroit Yacht Club.

Information: 1-773-3737.
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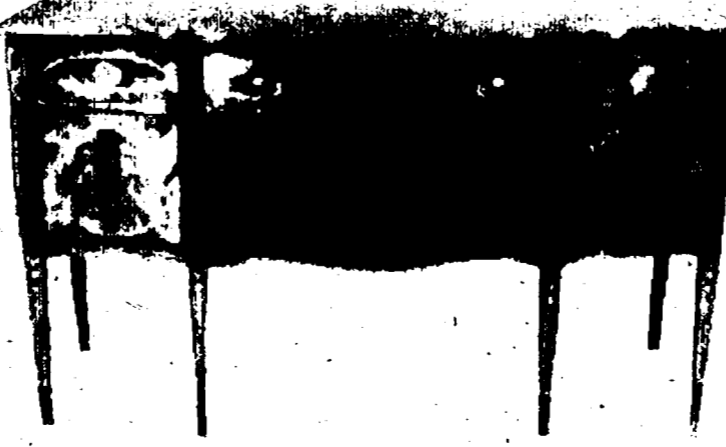
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Dora Wheeler, (American 1857-1940), oil on board, 25" x 21", ex. coll. Wm. Merritt Chase, Sun. #2003.

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Computers are creating an automotive wonderland

As jaded as I have become about the marvels of computers, I was more or less flabbergasted a few months ago when I was invited to look at a new computer system bought by a guy whose interest was in designing a better rowboat.

What startled me was recognizing the system as being pretty much the same as one developed about eight years ago from scratch to win back the America's Cup. That first system set back Chrysler, among others, \$10 million in paid and donated research to develop, and here it was, sitting on the guy's dining room table, at a retail price of about \$7,000.

OK, so it's just another story about how cheap these things are getting. But it also illustrates how quickly an

extremely sophisticated design process today can end up in the hands of about anybody who takes an interest in it. If you are wondering about cars, a month or so ago I talked to a hobbyist-engineer type who already is saving to buy a similar system to design his own sports car. He has to buy new drapes for his wife first, though.

Both computer systems are derivatives of something called computer-aided design (CAD), which has had a profound effect on how cars are designed in the past several decades.

Essentially, CAD systems store all the elements of information needed to design a component, or even an entire automobile, in a data base that feeds individual terminals. A



auto talk
Dan McCosh

designer sits at a terminal, and can actually sketch out a drawing on his screen. Then, the dimensions and even the physical characteristics of what has been drawn come to life, and the computer can actually carve a full-scale model, or even a set of production molds, using the picture on the screen.

More and more, the data and computer systems operated by the

world's auto companies are becoming the essence of what a car is all about. The data bases store everything, from new designs to repair parts. They interact on a worldwide scale, so that a designer in Germany can quickly tap into the thoughts of a guy in Dearborn.

IN A curious way, the reliance on these data bases to produce cars is

changing the role of the corporations themselves. The huge pool of capital formerly represented by the investment in machine tools and stamping presses is being supplanted by the experience stored in these computers.

A few days ago, Ford put on a truly amazing demonstration of what these systems are capable of today. A few sketches from an artist quickly was transformed into a three-dimensional computer image that then could actually be crash-tested on the tube. You could even watch the air-bag deploy.

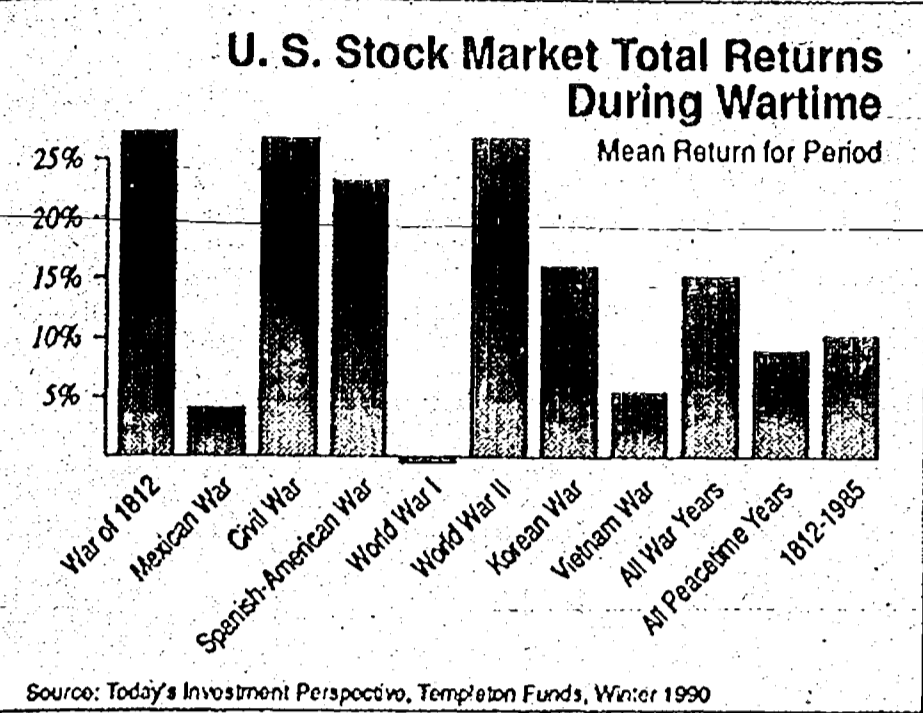
It was, of course, a multi-billion dollar effort that took years to develop. Ford is in a race with all the

other major auto companies in increasing its use of these systems to speed products to market. Ultimately, the winner is the one that will dominate the world auto business.

Then I remembered the guy at his kitchen table. I figure it's about three years before some other guy, maybe in his living room, will be able to duplicate what Ford is doing today with computer design — the intellectual equivalent of having your own assembly line in your garage.

I truly don't know where all this is headed.

Dan McCosh is automotive editor for Popular Science magazine.



Wartime is a good time to invest

One of the greatest fears Americans have relates to the ramifications of fighting the war in the Gulf region.

Even by conservative estimates, the war is going to cost in excess of \$60 billion, not counting the cost of humanitarian aid given to various countries and rebuilding the economies affected by the war.

Such a large expenditure in one year could ruin the U.S. economy and play havoc in the investment world.

There is nothing new in this line of thinking. The market reacts negatively to all wars and other types of crises. Consequently, most investors



finances and you
Sid Mittra

believe that it's better to liquidate all investments and sit tight on liquid cash until the economy has recovered from the war blues.

While the above argument appears logical and therefore the conclusion seems reasonable, the histor-

ic data does not support the argument.

The accompanying chart, which goes all the way back to the War of 1812, demonstrated that wars, and crises brought on by wars, caused share profits to rise after the initial surprise and fear.

So my advice to you is to use a cautious but positive strategy to play the stock market.

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Sid Mittra is a professor of finance, school of business at Oakland University and owner of Coordinated Financial Planning.

marketplace

Holcroft of Livonia established a new European office in Gelnhausen, Germany. Holcroft supplies the heat-treating industry.

Salem Lumber in Livonia received a bronze plaque as an award-winning account of Bertch Cabinet Manufacturing Inc.

The Kroger Co. in Livonia has in-

creased its rebate on reused bags to five cents.

Bruce Campbell Dodge Inc. in Redford Township earn Chrysler Corp.'s highest dealership honor, the "Award for Excellence."

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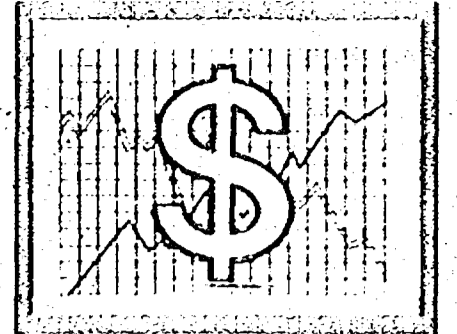
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Awrey pastry to disappear from local stores

By Doug Funke
staff writer

Cookies, cakes and other sweets produced by Awrey Bakery will be available in only one retail location — the company's thrift store in Livonia — after Saturday.

Plans announced by Awrey in March to freeze pastry as it came off the line, then wholesale to an independent distributor for delivery to 800 retail outlets in Michigan never materialized.

"In exploring the economics of the whole program, it wasn't feasible for the distributor, retailer or us," said Rick Padi, Awrey president.

No additional job losses beyond the 95 announced in March will result from plans to cease retail operations, said Betty Jean Awrey, spokeswoman for the family-owned company. More than 400 will continue to work at the bakery.

Upwards of 80 percent of Awrey's sales in recent years has been to national chains in the hospitality in-

dustry. Major customers include Marriott Foodservice Management Corp. and American Airlines.

AWREY HAS been looking for ways to streamline its production process and better incorporate its local business into an expanding national line. A distribution change was a big part of that strategy.

"Our primary objective was to merge production systems," Padi said. "It's a bittersweet decision. Obviously, it is difficult to leave behind our retail tradition, but the market has changed."

"Our national foodservice and contract manufacturing businesses have evolved to the point where they represent a majority of our overall business. We are now ready to focus all of our efforts and resources on these areas," he said.

Only products Awrey bakes for foodservice clients will be available in the thrift store. The keepers include Long John Coffee Cake and Date Nut Bars. Sugar cookies, oatmeal cookies and fruit coffee cakes will be discontinued.

AWREY IS checking into the possibility of selling its most popular products in in-store sections of retailers' stores.

Padi declined to comment on specifics under consideration.

Gilbert Borman, spokesman for A&P/Farmer Jack, said that while displaying Awrey brands in-store wouldn't be consistent with that company's practice of baking from scratch internally, he wouldn't speculate on what the future might hold.

"I know there's a demand for Awrey products. It's a good name in the marketplace," Borman said. "We've only done business with them for 60 years. There's a strong relationship there."

Veri-Best of Ferndale has been producing, marketing and distributing bread and bun products with the Awrey label since November after acquiring licensing rights.

"The company is profitable, and has been for 15 or 20 years and today (Monday) as we speak," Padi said. He declined to reveal sales or income figures, but Crain's Detroit Business reported 1989 sales of \$53 million.

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— Rick Padi
Awrey president

Aim for quality as total package, expert maintains

By Doug Funke
staff writer

Quality is more than the sum of the parts.

That's the philosophy of John J. Knappenberger, a Birmingham resident who's president of the American Society for Quality Control.

"Quality used to be defined in most peoples' minds as form, fit and function — meeting the customer's expectation," he said. "The whole idea now is total quality management, focusing on a total company approach — everybody — not only satisfying customers but delighting them."

Quality involves first establishing a mind set, then a process, Knappenberger said.

"It's a strategic issue. Everybody in a company is an external and internal customer. We're all customers and suppliers. Quality is an enabler for a company. To be very good at what you do, you shouldn't be able to dissect it (quality) out."

That's why Knappenberger prefers the word quality to the term quality control.

HE ILLUSTRATES some of his points with stories.

"Take a restaurant dinner. If you're satisfied and pay a fair price, by the old definition, it was good quality. By the new definition, it must not only satisfy you, but you must go out and tell your friends."

"The whole issue in quality is not to just satisfy the customer, but take it one, two or three steps beyond to delight. That's the best sales market to future business."

He offered an example involving the baking of bread. Some manufacturers anxious to stand out from the pack, may get the idea that icing the product is the way to go. So quality control and marketing efforts are geared toward the end part of the process.

All wrong, Knappenberger said. "It looks good, but when you cut it,

it's the same old stuff. Good quality companies today are defining quality as yeast. You know it's there in the bread, but you can't really taste it."

Then there are the sports metaphors that apply across the board. "Baseball teams are buying superstars, but whatever sport, you need total team involvement to win," he said.

Empowering workers at all levels to solve problems rather than mandating procedures from on high is the best way to get everyone on the quality bandwagon, Knappenberger said. An experience of the ASQC illustrates his point.

Phone operators not only suggested working hours to accommodate clients on both coasts, but also received permission to devise a staffing schedule that would please everyone.

"People don't understand how actions way upstream can affect customers," he said of pronouncements. Words used in dealing with people

reflect a mind set and probably behavior patterns as well, Knappenberger said. He was stunned — and delighted — recently to hear himself referred to as a customer rather than a passenger on an airline flight.

On another occasion, he suggested that a public official would enjoy better relations with his constituents by referring to them as customers rather than taxpayers.

"THE WAY we treat people is what we can expect from people. That's part of quality," he said.

Knappenberger, 44, until recently was vice president of quality for TRW automotive operations. He learned about the ASQC in the mid-1970s when directed to join by his boss and became active several years later as he progressed through management training.

"The more I looked at it, the more I saw quality touched everything," he said.

The ASQC was founded in 1946 to bring standards required by the war



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effort to general industry, Knappenberger said. The professional, non-profit organization serves some 80,000 individual and 700 corporate members from its headquarters in Milwaukee.

Customers like these dealers

By Darrell Pressley
staff writer

Two area car dealerships recently won top honors for sales, service and customer satisfaction — Bob Jeannotte Pontiac and Fox Hills Chrysler Plymouth, both of Plymouth.

Bob Jeannotte Pontiac received a No. 1 rating in March for 1990 by the Pontiac Division.

The rating, which is based on customer responses, is a combination of service, sales and overall dealership satisfaction, said Russ Baltazar, sales manager for Jeannotte Pontiac.

The Customer Satisfaction Index is a questionnaire customers fill out after buying a new car. Jeannotte Pontiac, a Master Level One dealership, scored 92.4 percent by customer response in 1990 among Pontiac dealers in Michigan.

One of the main factors in the rating is customer satisfaction, said

Reg Harris, manager of media relations for Pontiac Division.

"If the customer isn't satisfied he won't come back to the dealership. And may not buy a Pontiac."

The rating gives the dealership a gauge of how it is treating customers, Baltazar said.

At one time, the foreign car industry and consumers felt American car dealers could not compete with them. Foreign cars were so much better, their packaging was so much better, Baltazar said.

"We got basically tired of hearing that," he said.

So Jeannotte went on a mission two years ago to change that perception by starting from the ground floor — meeting and greeting people, Baltazar said.

After the customer buys the car, the salesperson makes a follow-up call, and the customer later receives a second call from Bob Jeannotte's personal secretary, Baltazar said.

"It's a team concept — it starts

with our cashier all the way up to Mr. Jeannotte."

FOX HILLS Chrysler Plymouth won an Award of Excellence for sales, service, facility, customer relations and community involvement among the 5,000 dealerships nationally, said Tom Jakobowski, a Chrysler Corp. spokesman.

"This award is earned by the top 10 percent of dealerships nationally," Jakobowski said. In its nine-year existence, Fox Hills Plymouth has received this award seven times.

Jim Schebil, owner of Fox Hills Chrysler, said while he is proud of the award, taking care of the customers' transportation needs is what really is important.

Providing a customer with a car, making sure that parts are available and that any problems with the car are fixed quickly are just a few keys to their success, Schebil said.

"Awards are nice, but customers are better," he said.

Major buy demands close look

By Gerald Frawley
staff writer

There's only thing worse than buying a car and finding out you're stuck with a \$15,000 lemon.

Buying a house and finding out you're stuck with a \$150,000 lemon.

Home buyers should always remember the first rule of consumers: caveat emptor — let the buyer beware. Or more appropriately, perhaps, let the buyer be aware.

Home inspection companies and real estate attorneys are hesitant about labeling homes as lemons — they don't tell people to buy or not buy a house. Home inspectors say anything made by man can be fixed by man — it's just a question of how much money you're willing to spend to fix the problem.

Janet Compo of Americomp Home Inspectors Inc. in Farmington Hills said it is penny wise and dollar foolish to not hire a home inspector when purchasing a home.

A home inspection cost is negligible when compared to the overall investment in a home.

Compo said complex problems are beyond the scope of most home buyers, but there are still certain things homeowners can look for in the initial stages of house hunting to help trim the possibilities.

"One of the most obvious things to

look for is the conditions in the basement," Compo said.

DAMP SPOTS, a musty odor or standing water — particularly near the base of basement walls — may not necessarily be expensive to repair, she said, but home buyers should be aware of them. Some water seepage problems may require light interior work or regrading outside, which is also relatively inexpensive, she said, but severe seepage may require extensive digging and foundation work.

Home buyers should also view the grading around the home, she said. Grading that directs water toward the home should be altered to avoid future problems.

The roof also warrants buyer attention, Compo said.

"If it has three layers of shingles, the next time the roof needs repairing will mean removing the existing layers," she said. Also check areas around roof pipes, chimneys and roof flashing sealed.

Homeowners should also check wiring — are plugs three-pronged and polarized? — and plumbing — old galvanized piping should be replaced with copper or high grade plastic.

GROSSE POINTE real estate attorney Ronald Barrows said home-

owners should never assume the obvious. "Many disputes can be avoided if home buyers ask themselves the right questions before buying."

Barrows said too often people buy homes without considering the obvious and sign purchase agreements thinking that any problems can be resolved before the home closing. "That's not the case."

Barrows said it is wise to retain an attorney before the purchase agreement is signed. "By statute, (real estate agents) are employed by the seller."

Barrows said real estate agents are not out to cheat home buyers — problems arise out of lack of knowledge. "There's no intent to do anything wrong, they just don't know and don't know they don't know."

One of the problems he encounters most often, Barrows said, is a home location relative to potential headaches that may not be immediately evident. "Is the property located near an airport, sanitation facility (landfill or wastewater treatment plant) or near a gas station?"

Environmental issues like these, as well as standing pools or large areas of plant life, could indicate expensive cleanup or health problems later, he said.



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Special feeling

Everyone wins in these games

By Larry O'Connor
staff writer

Wayne County Special Olympics Summer Games usually start with a spark, a blaring trumpet, a rousing cheer and a loud bang. And, as always, the annual event finishes with a big hug.

On Friday, Gene Cowger of Wayne-Westland contingent provided the spark as the Special Olympics torch lighter; the Livonia Franklin Marching Band furnished the trumpet, along with a few other musical instruments; a cheer was supplied by parents, teachers and volunteers and the bang came from the guy holding the starter's pistol.

The hugs? Well, those come from everyone involved.

Some 1,100 athletes who are mentally impaired participated in the track and field and swimming events at Livonia Franklin High School. Gymnastics, walking and weight lifting events took place April 27 at the school with 400 athletes participating.

Friday's opening ceremonies included David Hatty of Redford Union receiving an award as "1991-Wayne County Special Olympics Inspirational Athlete."

Sometimes a hug didn't take the form of an embrace. Perhaps it was just a few words of encouragement from a volunteer such as Aaron Ingold.

"Are you ready?" Ingold turns to ask one Special Olympian as they walk out onto the track at Franklin High. "Did you stretch out?"

The athlete looks a bit pensive and confides in Ingold that he's afraid he's going to fall down while running the 50 meters. The Ingold assures him everything will be fine.

AS THE runners approach the starting line, the athlete turns his head back to Ingold once again. He looks pensive.

"You're not going to fall," Ingold tells him. "You're going to do all right."

A starter's gun crackles in the mid-morning air to interrupt the moment. The athlete gallantly runs the 50-meter dash and finishes sixth. He didn't fall down.

At this moment, the Special Olympian Oath of "Let me win. But if I cannot win. Let me

be brave in the attempt" rings particularly true.

Not that raw competitiveness is devoid from these events, especially in the high jump where the Burger Center in Garden City fields an excellent team. Volunteers lift the bar an inch at a time, making each jump more difficult.

But Special Olympians Larry Copeland and Shawn McAllister are fearless. Both clear the bar at 4-feet, 6-inches. The suspense mounts as volunteers began to clap as both compete to clear 4-feet-7.

McAllister hurdles over the obstacle, drawing a rousing applause. Then Copeland misses his first and second attempt.

Burger Center teacher Suzan Samaan takes Copeland aside for a brief pep talk. On his third try, Copeland clears the bar. Both receive first-place medals.

As people run up to congratulate Copeland and McAllister, Bonnie Bacon, 27, from Redford Union is a solitary figure before the standing jump event at the other end of the field.

BACON HAS the hood of her blue sweat shirt drawn tightly over her head. All that can be seen are her bright blue eyes and a grin that runs ear-to-ear.

She waits patiently as several other Special Olympians complete their jump, fumbling with a Popsicle stick.

Finally, Bacon's turn comes. She leaps and volunteers promptly mark off 172 centimeters with a golf tee, good enough for second place.

"Have you been practicing?," a volunteer asks.

Bacon shakes her head yes with even a wider smile.

In terms of enthusiasm, though, Thomas Watt from ARC Northwest is tough to beat. Half-way through his run in the 50 meters, Watt thrusts his arms outward in victory and jumps right into the arms of volunteer Sarah Deminski at the finish line.

"I was so surprised, I forgot to mark down what place he finished in," Deminski says.

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Photos by JIM JAGDFELD/staff photographer

Bonnie Bacon from Redford Union lifts her arms in jubilation in the Special Olympic Summer Games Friday at Livonia Franklin where everyone was a winner.



Larry Copeland from the Burger Center in Garden City dives over in the high jump.



Tricia Lee from Roosevelt-McGrath receives a medal from Laurie Puccio in the ball throw event.

Abortion rights still top NOW's agenda

By Barbara S. Cassani
special writer

One of the major issues that Michigan NOW continues to address is that of reproductive freedom and personal choice in the escalating battle over abortion rights. Keeping abortion safe, legal and available to women of all ages has been an on-going vigil for the organization.

The MINOW Conference took place this past weekend at the Van Dyke Place Hotel in Warren.

"We want to stress that NOW is an organization of women, but not just for women," said Jo Isgro of Livonia and president of Western Wayne County MINOW chapter. "NOW works on many issues that involve the rights of women, men, children, animals and the environment."

"We're not just focused on 'women's' issues — it's more a matter of 'do the right thing' — fighting for and preserving basic human rights."

Keeping abortion safe, legal and available consumes a big part of the organization's efforts. This campaign has gained more momentum since the Parental Consent Law recently went into effect on April 1. The Parental Consent Law governs a minor's access to abortion and states that she must have at least one parent's consent in order to petition the court, in what is termed "judicial bypass," for a waiver. This new legislation compounds, MINOW feels, the on-going problem of teenage pregnancy which has risen substantially in recent years.

Indeed, the Michigan Department of Health statistics cites 53.2 percent of teenagers in the 15-19 year age group, in 1991, who engage in sexual activity. This is a 6.1 percent rise from the 47.1 percent figure cited in 1982.

And, even though the threat of AIDS and other STDs (sexually transmitted diseases) pose a significant health threat to all age groups, the use of contraceptives, in this 15-19 year old age group, has decreased a dramatic

17.1 percent in 1991, down significantly from the 52.1 percent usage in 1982.

While childbearing in the teenage years was once a common part of life, marking the transition from adolescence to adulthood, in a technologically advanced society such as exists today in the U.S. teenage parents, specifically single teenage mothers, suffer significant economic and social setbacks. They are unlikely to continue their education and frequently drop out of high school.

AND, VOCATIONAL training may no longer be adequate to supply them with the advanced skills needed to secure a job that will pay enough to support their family, especially young women who decide to bear and raise their child alone out-of-wedlock. For this reason, vocational training programs and their relation to young women's economic status, some of whom are pregnant teenagers and/or

teenage mothers, have also become a concern for MINOW.

Rita Stark, president of Oakland County's MINOW chapter explains their interest in the vocational educational programs implemented by the Department of Education:

"These training programs channel young women into low paying job which them poor — things like cosmetology, child care, office work and health care assisting — jobs that typically employ a high percentage of young female and generally pay little more than minimum wage."

The connection between the lack of higher education and/or a lack of adequate vocational training, and the unavailability of well-paying jobs becomes a crucial issue in a teenage pregnancy and the decision to become a teenage mother.

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Writer shows signs of restlessness

singles connection

WESTSIDE

Westside Singles will have a dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, May 10, at Roma's of Livonia, 27777 Schoolcraft Road, west of Inkster Road. Dressy attire is required. For information, call 562-3160.

TRI-COUNTY

Tri-County will have a dance 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday, May 11, at AlrporLHilton, I-94 and Merriman Road, Romulus. Admission is \$4; \$2 for women. For information, call 842-7422.

SATURDAY WESTSIDE

Saturday Night Singles Westside will have a dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, May 11, at Warren Valley Country Club, Warren Road, west of Beech Day, Dearborn Heights. For information, call 277-4242.

SHRINE

Shrine Singles will have a dance 8:30 p.m. Saturday, May 11, at the Shrine Grade School, 12 Mile and Woodward, Royal Oak. Admission is \$4 for members; \$5 for non-members.

SINGLE PLACE

Single Place will present "What Women Wished Men Knew," with Steven Baum, plus a panel discussion 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 15, at First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main. For information, call 349-0911.

MICHIGAN SINGLES

Michigan Singles Club will have a dance 7:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Fridays at the Barnstormer, 9411 E. Nine Mile Road, just one mile west of US-23. Admission is \$5; \$4 for women. For information, call 277-8077.

BETHANY NORTHWEST

Bethany Northwest will have a "Don't Worry, Be Happy" dance 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, May 10, at Our Lady of Sorrows Social Hall, 23615 Powers Road, Farmington. Admission is \$6. For information, call 471-2708 or 478-0533.

VOYAGERS

Voyagers Singles, a group for people 45 and older, will meet 7:30 p.m. Friday, May 10, at St. Paul Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia. Bruno's Academy of Beauty

will give a demonstration of make-up, hair styles and coloring. The meeting is open to the public. For information, call 591-1350.

FATHERS FOR EQUAL RIGHTS

Fathers for Equal Rights meets 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 15, at Oak Park Community Center, 14300 Oak Park Blvd., one block west of Coolidge. For information, call 354-3080.

US SINGLETONS

US Singletons will have a dinner social 7 p.m. Friday, May 10, at the Botsford Inn, 2800 Grand River, Farmington Hills. For information, write to: US Singletons, Fort Dearborn Station, P.O. Box 275, Dearborn 48124.

WALLYBALL

Single Friends will have wallyball 7-9 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays in Westland. Admission is \$3. For information, call 531-2756.

WEDNESDAY SINGLES

Wednesday Suburban Singles will have a dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Wednesdays at Bonnie Brook Country Club, Telegraph Road, south of Eight Mile, Detroit. Admission is \$3. For information, call 842-0443.

SINGLES STATION

Singles Station will have a dance party 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Tuesdays at Character's Night Club, 32501 Van Dyke, between 13 Mile and 14 Mile, Warren. Admission is \$3. For information, call 680-7778 and 842-0443.

CHERRY HILL SINGLES

Cherry Hill Singles have moved their Wednesday suppers to Big Boy's Banquet Room, Ford Road, west of Southfield. The meetings are 6-7:30 p.m.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS

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

Dear Ms. Green,

I am a 54-year-old right-handed female who enjoys your column weekly. It is very interesting to me on how you analyze people's handwriting.

Could you be so kind as to tell me what you see in my writing? Thank you so much.

A.C.

Dear A.C.,

In this sample of your handwriting I see a restless, searching woman. Your orientation is toward lots of activity, material success and pleasure. You appear to have a fleeting interest in too many things.

In your interpersonal relationships you can be quite friendly. At other times, however, you are less friendly. This has a way of confusing others as to where they stand with you.

Rarely are you at a loss for words. A vivid imagination and a sense of drama probably furnish the ability to be scintillating at times. I can almost visualize you entertaining others with your stories.

Sometimes you may distort what you observe and hear without realizing it. You tend to interpret what

happens from the viewpoint of your own values and attitudes. You want to accomplish things on a grand scale to call attention to yourself and make you feel more important.

It appears that someone in the position of authority made you feel inferior in the past. Your need to be ever-busy may be your way of trying to free yourself of this situation or person.

Feelings run deep with you. A long memory for hurts does not make it easy for you to forgive and forget.

You are vulnerable to ridicule or criticism and thrive on recognition. Anything less than praise implies a lack of appreciation or approval in your estimation.

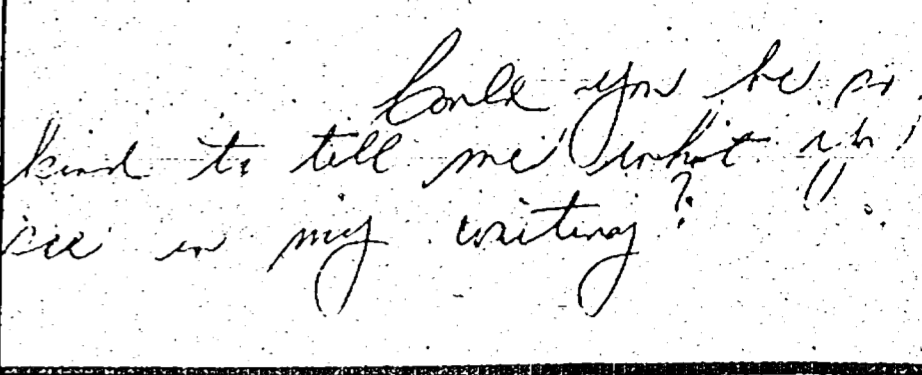
In your desire to impress others you often come on strong, possibly somewhat authoritarian. Seemingly, you also have a need to control others.

Your feelings of self-worth appear to vacillate. When you feel secure you are expansive, out-going, enthusiastic and sure of self. However, when doubt takes over, as it sometimes does, you experience difficulty pursuing your goals. You become unsure of yourself and the accept-



graphology

Lorene Green



ance of others. Your outward behavior is overly dependent on the attitudes of other people and your own mood at the time.

If you would like to have your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C.

Green, a certified graphologist, at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Please use a full sheet of white, unlined paper, writing in the first person singular. Age, handedness and full signature are all helpful and objective feedback is always welcome.

new voices

DAVID and BARBARA GRACE of Garden City announce the birth of JUSTIN MATTHEW March 4 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has two "big" brothers, David and Erik. Grandparents are Ronald and Alene Howard of Westland and Wayne and Sarah Grace of Garden City.

MICHAEL and DONNA BIEK of Redford announce the birth of KENDALL ELIZABETH Feb. 5 at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn. Grandparents are Jim and Rita Biek and Joseph and Dorothy Serrico, all of Dearborn Heights. Great-grandparents are Stuart and Katherine Biek of South Bend, Ind.

DAVID and LISA DIEBEL of Westland announce the birth of JARED MICHAEL March 28 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has a "big" sister, Hannah Lynne. Grandparents are Ted and Nita Diebel of Hesperia and Carl and Darlene Furmanek of Manistique. Great-grandparents are Tom and Lillian Levandowski of Milford, Peter and Laura Furmanek of Lewiston and Stella Richey of Hesperia.

KENNETH and CRYSTAL MARLETT of Westland announce the birth of KENNETH JUSTIN March 17 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Bobby and Martha Tomlinson of Prtland, Tenn., and Chester and Sylvia Marlett of Dearborn Heights.

MR. and MRS. BRUCE JOHNSON of Conway announce the birth of BRUCE TYLER March 11. She is the former Anna Marie Usceawicz of Westland.

BILL and MARLO WIMER of Canton Township announce the birth of JONATHAN JOSEPH Feb. 23 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has two "big" brothers - Larry, 17, and Jason, 16 - and a "big" sister - Ashley, 3. Grandparents are Richard and Nilda Gonte of Westland and Earl Wimer of Redford.

DOUGLAS and DAWN WELTON of Livonia announce the birth of BETHANY JUNE March 16 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She has a "big" brother, Benjamin Dale, 3. Grandparents are Dale and Doris Welton and June Stetter, all of Plymouth, and Dean Stetter of Lawrenceburg, Ky.

STEVE and KATHY KALIK of South Lyon announce the birth of EVAN ROSS Feb. 10 at Providence Hospital in Southfield. He has a "big" brother, Adam Jameson, 3. Grandparents are Don and Roberta Kokko of Brighton, formerly of Redford, and John and Mary Jane Kalik

of Redford. Great-grandmother is Katherine Kokko of Redford.

CHRIS and SHARA MYERS of Wayne announce the birth of AMANDA ELISE March 19 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. She has a "big" brother, Brandon, 5, and a "big" sister, Lindsay, 3. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nelson of Westland and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Myers of Garden City.

CLAY and JENNIFER SHATTLEROE of Garden City announce the birth of KATELYN MARIE March 9 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. Dundas of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. W. Chobot of Belleille.

DOUGLAS and LYNNE SCHERBARTH of Hampstead, Md., announce the birth of ERIC DOUGLAS March 17 at Sinai Hospital in Baltimore, Md. He has three "big" sisters - Bethany, 7, Kristin, 3, and Heidi, 3. Grandparents are Clint and Aileen Stroebel of Plymouth and Earl and Sue Scherbarth of Livonia. Great-grandfather is Lee Hillis of Livonia.

DENNIS and PATRICIA BURKLOW of Livonia announce the birth of ERIN GRACE Feb. 8. She has a

brother, Ryan Michael, 15 months. Grandparents are Tom and Grace Carey of Livonia and Jim and Karen Burklow of Garden City. Great-grandparents are Chuck and Donna Dawson of Hamburg, Mich.

KARL and KELLY EBERLY of Redford announce the birth of KELSEY MARIE March 5 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She has a "big" brother, Daniel. Grandparents are Ann Kernohan and Lois Eberly. Great-grandmother is Catherine Quinn.

DON and WENDY KING of Garden City announce the birth of JUSTIN KYLE March 6 at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. Grandparents are Bill and Ruth Hoover of Custer, Mich., and Don and Nancy King of Garden City. Great-grandparents are Rachel Sharp of Westland and Sue Drobnich of Garden City.

JERRY and KATHY OLINIK of Livonia announce the birth of KASSIE ERIN Feb. 8. Grandparents are Mary Barbara Stanley of Livonia and Mr. and Mrs. John Olinik of Redford. Great-grandparents are Elizabeth Yorick of Livonia and Anastia Orlecki of Redford.

Special Olympics: More than games

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Watt, in the throws of euphoria, turns to the spectators along the fence and begins giving out "high-fives."

Such elation in the faces of athletes, though, help bring out volunteers for Special Olympics. For Friday's event, there were 400 such people.

One of the most recognizable is John McHugh, who is area director for Wayne County Special Olympics. The Canton resident got involved seven years ago as a coach with his son, John Jr., 22, who's a Special Olympic athlete.

The facial expressions McHugh sees are one of things that make Special Olympics a memorable occasion.

"The feelings they must get standing up there receiving a medal or a ribbon," McHugh says. "They're always elated."



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Consent law major concern for state NOW

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These socio-economic factors also provide the link to burgeoning Aid to Families with Dependent Children budgets as studies conducted recently showed that more than half of AFDC's budgets were expended on families in which the mother was a teenager.

But teenage pregnancy costs more than taxpayers dollars — there are severe health risks that take their toll on both teenage mother and infant alike.

PREGNANT TEENAGERS risk more pre-natal and delivery complications and suffer a higher infant mortality rate than women aged 19-35. Nationwide, teenagers account for at least 18 percent of all low-birth weight babies who suffer a higher incidence of handicaps, including mental retardation, birth defects, hearing and visual impairment, autism, cerebral palsy, epilepsy, learning disabilities, lung problems and speech impediments, according to the National Center for Health Statistics.

Also, children born to teenage

mothers are at greater risk of hospitalization by age 5 because of a gastrointestinal infection or accident. With these type of risks, the ensuing costs to provide adequate care to these children also rises, making the cost of social services and other community support systems a major financial drain on state and local aid systems.

And, with the recent cuts in all social-services, notably the AFDC programs, recently enacted by the Engler administration, the management of teenage pregnancy becomes more than just a moral question, it becomes a complicated, intricately woven social and economic question that increasingly becomes harder to answer.

Since the Parental Consent Law went into effect, local MINOW chapters have stepped up their efforts in advocating it. The parental consent law necessitates communication between a young woman and her parents, in the issue of teenage pregnancy, but this is something many opponents of the law feel cannot be mandated by law. They disagree with the forced discourse that this



Jo Isgro
president
Wayne County MINOW

law invokes as it places some teens in very real danger of physical abuse or being kicked out of their homes.

AS ISGRO relates, "The law pun-



Rita Stark
president
Oakland County MINOW

ishes the girl who doesn't have good communication with her parents, or simply is afraid to hurt them with the news of her pregnancy."

Isgro goes on to relate the story of

Becky Bell, the Indiana teenager who, because of Indiana's parental consent law, sought an illegal abortion and died of the infection that resulted.

"We have circulated 'Becky Bell' bracelets throughout our chapters and have asked members to wear them until the parental consent laws are rescinded," Isgro said. "We have written to the Bell's and have invited them to speak, which they did at U-M earlier this year in a candlelight ceremony in memory of Becky. We've also written to 'Sixty Minutes' and thanked them, on behalf of MINOW, for running Becky's story."

Since then, the Bells have been speaking throughout the country against parental consent laws. Stark remembers that it was the issue of restricting abortion rights with the Supreme Court's Webster decision in 1989 that re-involved her in feminist issues.

At that time, Stark accompanied

her own teenage daughter to the march on Washington D.C. to rally for Pro-Choice.

"That trip with my daughter was very inspirational to me — it made me realize that I had to do something — I had to get active on this issue. We had come to take this right (reproductive choice) for granted and now it's being taken away — it's a non-negotiable woman's right that has to be protected."

MINOW chapters are also fighting the Parental Consent Law in another way by developing a group of volunteers called PAALS (Patient Advocates and Liaisons): A pregnant teenager may request a PAALS volunteer who will go through the entire judicial bypass process with her. PAALS also serve as liaisons between a teenager and her attorney.

For information on PAALS, call 827-4556 or contact a local chapter of MINOW.

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LET'S TALK

Mary MacGregor of Angela Hospice Homecare will be the guest speaker for "Let's Talk" CareLink senior lecture series, 1 p.m. Thursday, May 9. The lecture will be at St. Mary Hospital, Levan and Five Mile, Livonia. For information, call 464-4800, Ext. 2433.

HEART CLUB

The Heart Club, a support group for all seniors who have a coronary bypass, will meet at 10 a.m. Thursday, May 9, at the Livonia Civic Park Senior Center, 15218 Farmington Road, Livonia. For information, call 522-2710.

JUST BETWEEN US

Just Between Us, the American Cancer Society post-mastectomy support group, will have a Cameo lingerie party at 7 p.m. Thursday, May 9, at the society's office, 6701 Harrison, Garden City. The fundraiser will benefit the support group. For more information, call Geri Soelz at 464-8906.

NURSES COUNCIL

The Wayne County Professional Nurses Council will celebrate Nurses Week at 7 p.m. Friday, May 10, at Mountain Jack's Restaurant, 26207 W. Warren, Dearborn Heights. Judge Wendy Cooley will speak on "Winning Ways and Attitudes of Success." For more information, call P. (Jean) Jackson at 467-3319.

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The Livonia Civic Chorus will present "Meet Me in the Park," a musical variety spectacular, at 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, May 10-11, at the Clarenceville High School Auditorium, 20155 Middlebelt, Livonia. Tickets cost \$5 for adults and \$3 for students and senior citizens. They are available at the door or in advance at the Livonia Parks and Recreation Office.

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WAVES will meet at noon Saturday, May 11, at the Georgian Inn, 31327 Gratiot, Roseville. The organization is for women who have served in the U.S. Navy, Coast Guard or Marines. For information, call Irene at 294-7285 or Genevieve at 893-8175.

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The John Sackett Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at noon Saturday, May 11, at the home of Linda Latta. The program will feature a look at the 100th Continental Congress, annual reports of officers and committee chairs, election of delegates to the state convention and installation of new members.

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Power of prayer: source of strength

By Julie Brown
staff writer

WHEN IT comes to the power of prayer, Bruce Dishnow is a believer. "We need to become signers of the declaration of dependence, dependence on God," said Dishnow, director of Campus Crusade for Christ at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

"The first step is to humble ourselves and pray." Dishnow lives in Ann Arbor with his wife and four children. He spoke during the Canton-Plymouth prayer breakfast Thursday, May 2, at Fel-lows Creek Golf Club in Canton. The get-together was held to recognize National Day of Prayer.

Dishnow told a story of his daughter who came home from grade

school one day and described her teacher's reluctance to mention God in the classroom. He spoke with the teacher, and discovered she and her colleagues were under pressure to refrain from discussing God. "I felt more sorry for her."

IN THE LAST 30 to 50 years, the "slippery slope" has led downhill, he said. The quality of family life has deteriorated, and many young people don't know of the nation's religious heritage.

"There we go again, signing the declaration of independence from God. We are paying for that," Dishnow said. For many, religion is no longer recognized as a positive force in everyday life.

In 1940 or thereabouts, major problems in school included talking, gum chewing, running in halls, littering and wearing inappropriate clothing. In 1991, drug and alcohol abuse, pregnancy, teen suicide, rape, robbery and assault have replaced those as major problems.

"One generation in time," Dishnow said. "That's where the slippery slope is taking us."

The situation's grim but not hopeless. It's essential to become a mature, informed activist, he said. One grand illusion "is the myth of human self-sufficiency."

Praying — for marriage, children, work, government leaders and an eternal relationship with God — is important. Prayer's vital and yet can be difficult.

"It's because it goes against our inner foolishness of pride. God is opposed to pride."

Bruce Dishnow of Campus Crusade for Christ chats with Tom Yack, Canton Township supervisor, during the breakfast.



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The National Day of Prayer observance attracted many people from the Canton-Plymouth community.

HE NOTICED an increased interest in prayer during the recent Persian Gulf war. "Prayer became a national pastime. We don't see that during other times."

It's important to think about what it takes to enter heaven, he said. A lifetime of accomplishments isn't what matters most to God.

"Heaven is a gift to be accepted, because of what Jesus Christ has done. We have great hope, great hope, because we've got a great God who has given us great promises."

About 115 people came to the breakfast, the first such National Day of Prayer observance in the Canton-Plymouth community. The morning included a musical performance by the Geneva Ensemble of Geneva Presbyterian Church in Canton.

Representatives from a number of area churches participated: The Rev. George Charnley, pastor of St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton, gave the invocation. The Rev. Dr. Jerry Yarnell, pastor of St. Michael Lutheran Church in Canton, gave the benediction and led the extended prayer time after the breakfast.

The national observance has been held for 40 years. In 1988, following congressional action, President Ronald Reagan signed a bill designating the first Thursday of every May as National Day of Prayer.

The idea for the local observance originated with Claudia Garrett of Canton, a St. Michael Lutheran Church member.

"I thought we needed to educate our people," Garrett said. She was pleased with the turnout, and hopes the event will be held each year, alternating between a Canton site and a Plymouth one.

Garrett enjoyed Dishnow's speech.

"I thought he was excellent. He hit a lot of nails on the head."

The National Day of Prayer program provides an opportunity to draw people from all walks of life and different denominations, she said. Church representatives helped with planning, with Canton Community Foundation leaders helping to coordinate the event.

People often need such a reminder of the power of prayer in daily life, Garrett said.

"Oh, definitely. That's why I think this helps make us mindful of where we've come from and where we're going."



The Geneva Ensemble performs during the prayer breakfast.

Illusions

Honest reporting: It's what we need

Our recent war highlighted a number of lessons that apply to life in general as well as the battlefield in particular. One such lesson was reiterated in the wake of another recent battle.

This one was fought with golf clubs rather than war machines. The arena was the sandtrap land of the Masters Tournament in Augusta, rather than the sands of the Middle East.

The lesson that came from the golf in Augusta was, however, akin to the one that came from the Gulf in Arabia: If one would like the public to cheer, then paint the picture in sanitary terms.

A major selling point of the war was the sanitization of it all. Smart bombs, Patriots and lights flashing in the night sky all did well to cover over the horror on the ground. Sor-tees sounded so much more acceptable than bombing runs. Collateral

moral perspectives



Rev. Robert Schaden

damage softened the reality of dead bodies, torn limbs and crying children.

APPARENTLY ONE newsman did not study the lesson. When Mitch Albom (Detroit Free Press) reported on the Masters Tournament, he raised the issue of racism in the sands of Augusta. It did not go well with some readers who believed that such reporting tainted the august tournament. One reader suggested that Augusta remains sacred ground. When life is diminished, in other

parts of the world we are quick to come to the rescue of the victims. It fills our hearts with a sense of righteousness.

Recognizing the diminishment of life in our own back yard, however, is not always as rewarding — at least in the short run.

TREATING OTHER people as objects is as wrong on a golf course as it is in a desert. Both aggression, the likes of Saddam Hussein and racism, do just that. They cause people to be treated as objects. Ask Isiah Thomas about his recent shopping trip.

Places are not sacred. Neither are traditions. The people whose lives revolve around events, and places, and traditions bring the sacredness with them. When it is denied them, regardless of the arena, something inhuman is happening.

Some suggested that this sort of thing does not belong in a sports column. Perhaps that is part of the reason why various forms of man's inhumanity to man are allowed and helped to continue. We divide life into neat compartments. We have sports perspectives and economic perspectives. We consider social perspectives and war perspectives.

WE ALSO are willing to discuss, at least sometimes, moral perspectives. But in doing so we often forget that life loses something when we insist on leaving the moral perspectives out of those areas of life where their discussion may cause discomfort.

If moral perspectives do not belong in our reflections of sports, then sports is little more than an escape from the responsibility we all have to make this world a more humane place, be it in a desert or on a golf course.

Sanitary reporting is not reporting at all. It is the creation of an illusion, the kind of which numbs us to the realization that all is not well in those corners of the world we would like to think it is.

It is hoped a lot more reporters will fail to learn the lesson that life must be sanitary to sell. Comfortable people are seldom moved to change things for the better. Maybe we need more reporters to disturb us.

The Rev. Robert Schaden is with the Newman House campus ministries at Schoolcraft College in Livonia.

religion calendar

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday the week prior to publication.

● COPING WITH DEATH

Michael Meyer will present the third session in the "Living With Death Issues" series at 8:30 p.m. Thursday, May 9, at St. Genevieve Activity Center, 28933 Jamison, Livonia. His topic will be "Coping with Life's Losses." Meyer is director of religious education at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth. For information, call 261-5920.

● MURK FAMILY

The Murk Family Trio will perform at 6 p.m. Sunday, May 12, at Covenant Community Church, 25800 Student, one block north of Five Mile at Beech Daly, Redford. Their program includes vocal, violin and piano presentations by Jim and Donna Murk and their oldest daughter, Beverly. For information, call 535-3100.

● WORKSHOP

Dennis DeLeo will lead a workshop providing ways to maintain life-long skills and talents to the job 7-9 p.m. Thursdays, May 9, 16 and 23, at Unity Church, 28660 Five Mile, between Inkster and Middlebelt roads, Livonia. Price is \$24 for all three sessions. For information, call 421-1760.

● CONCERT

Jim and Denise Beyer will perform in concert at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, May 12, at United Assembly of God, 46500 N. Territorial, Plymouth. She is a former Miss Michigan and was in the Miss America Pageant in 1984. For information, call 453-4530.

● MUSICAL PROGRAM

Members of Village Presbyterian Church in Redford for a musical program presented by the West Bloomfield Harbor Chorale and the Harbor Bells. The program is directed by Carolyn Thibideau, choir director at Village Presbyterian Church. This program will begin at 7 p.m. Monday, May 13, in the Dunkleberger Building in Presbyterian Village.

● MOTHER'S DAY

Mothers will be featured in all four worship services 8, 9:15 and 10:45 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. Sunday, May 12, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington, Livonia. The Fifth Season, an ensemble, will provide music at all daytime services. The 12:05 p.m. worship service will include infant baptism. For information, call 422-1150.

● STEPPING STONES

Stepping Stones will perform Sunday-Wednesday, May 12-15, at Livonia Pentecostal Church of God, 11663 Arcola, one block west of Plymouth and Inkster roads. Sunday services will be at 6 p.m., 7 p.m. Monday-Wednesday. Admission is free. For information, call 425-6360.

● CONCERT

Pete Carlson will perform at 6 p.m. Sunday, May 12, at Detroit First Church of the Nazarene, 21260 Haggerty, north of Eight Mile, Farmington Hills. For information, call 348-7600.

● DISCUSSION

Village Presbyterian Church, 25350 W. Six Mile, Redford, will have a member of Shema Yisrael discuss "Jesus and the Jewish Holidays" 7 p.m. Thursday, May 9. The program is free and open to the public. Price is \$2 for the 6:15 p.m. Thursday fellowship dinner. (Reservations required.) For information, call 534-7730.

● PRAYER BREAKFAST

Rock Campbell, director of Michigan Association of Christian Athletes, will speak at the Ward Presbyterian Church men's prayer breakfast 8:30 a.m. Saturday, May 11. Admission is free. For information, call 422-1826. The church is at Six Mile and Farmington roads in Livonia.

● GRIEF SUPPORT

At 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 14, Debbie Crimmins will speak at the New Start support group for the widowed in the chapel of Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. Grief Support Groups will continue 7:30 p.m. the first, third and fifth Thursday as well as 10:30 a.m. the second and fourth Wednesday. Groups are sponsored by Single Point Ministries. For information, call 422-1854.

● RUMMAGE SALE

St. Matthew Lutheran Church, 5885 Venoy, just north of Ford, Westland, will have a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday, May 23, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday, May 24, and 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, May 25. Bag day is Saturday. For information, call 425-0260.

● PASTOR HONORED

Members of Newburg United Methodist Church in Livonia are honoring the Rev. Roy Forsyth, associate pastor, who plans to retire in June. A dinner and "roasting" will be 6-9 p.m. Thursday, May 16, at the church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. An open church reception will be 3-5 p.m. Sunday, May 19, to honor the Forsyth family. For information, call 422-0149.

● CHRISTIAN FORUM

A Women's Christian Forum dinner meeting will be 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 16, at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main. The speaker, Marj Carpenter, will discuss challenges of the 1990s. Carpenter is national news director for the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). Price is \$15 and tickets are available at the church office. Seating is limited. For reservations or information, call 349-0911.

● PRAYER BREAKFAST

The Plymouth Kiwanis Clubs will

sponsor a non-denominational prayer breakfast 8 a.m. Saturday, May 18, at the Plymouth Elks Lodge, 41700 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. The speaker will be the Rev. Robert H. Crilley, pastor of Fort Street Presbyterian Church in Detroit. Price is \$7. For information, call Dick Seaman, 455-9741 (days) or 453-6964 (evenings and weekends).

● DAY CAMP

A Village Day Camp fund-raiser will take place 4-7 p.m. Saturday, May 18, at Village Presbyterian Church, on Six Mile in Redford. There will be a spaghetti dinner 4-7 p.m. and a 7:30 p.m. auction. Price is \$4.50 for adults, \$2.50 for children. For information, call 534-7730.

● LIVING ROSARY

St. Richard 50-Plus Club will sponsor a "Living Rosary" at 7 p.m. Sunday, May 19, at St. Richard Catholic Church, Cherry Hill, west of Wayne Road in Westland. For information, call Mildred Cook, 721-4749.

● HOMECOMING

"The Homecoming," a celebration of God's love, will be presented at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, May 19, at the Kenwood Church of Christ, 20200 Merriman, Livonia. The Kenwood Adult Choir will present the program. Admission is free. For information, call 476-8222.

● ICE CREAM SOCIAL

An ice cream social will be 3-8:30 p.m. Sunday, May 19, at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial. The day will include games, fellowship and music.

● RETIREMENT

Fred Howell, a Livonia psychologist, will discuss the emotional issues of retirement 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 21, at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 9300 Farmington Road, Livonia. A free-will offering will be taken.

● CHANGES

On four consecutive Thursdays, starting May 23 and running through June 13, Single Point Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church will sponsor "A Journey to Love and Serenity." Four speakers will address co-dependency and related issues. The workshop will take place in the Chapel of Ward Presbyterian Church, Six Mile and Farmington roads, Livonia. Donation is \$12. Advance registration is requested. For information, call 422-1854.

● LAESTADIAN

Detroit Laestadian Lutheran Congregation of Plymouth will host services at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 28, at the Finnish Church Association, 35200 W. Eight, Farmington Hills. The speaker will be Eino Kumpulmaki of Oulunsalo, Finland. Kumpulmaki has made many visits to the area. He is the executive secretary of the Suomen Rauhanyhdistys, or the Finnish Central Association of Peace. For information, call 471-1316.

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Non-sexual love affairs can develop, experts say

THE VAST CHASM between men and women, believed by some to be bridged only when a sexual relationship develops, may not be so wide after all.

Men and women can develop "non-sexual love affairs" on the job and that these associations usually benefit both the couple and the organization, according to a team of University of Michigan School of Business Administration researchers.

Twenty-two percent of the 1,000 managers surveyed reported involvement in non-sexual love relationships, four times more than the 5 percent who reported sexual involvement.

The research team defined two types of male-female relationships, both deeper emotionally than a platonic affair, a traditional friendship or a mentorship.

In both types, an intense emotional bond develops, characterized by "mutual respect, support, open communication and the feeling that the two form a couple," said project

leader Robert Quinn, assistant professor of organizational behavior and human resource management.

What the U-M researchers called an *agape* (pronounced aw-GAW-pee) or altruistic relationship is more like a deep friendship not defined by gender. The *agape* couple deeply trust each other; are not bored together; respect each other's strengths, abilities, beliefs and values; and communicate freely.

A **STRONG** sexual energy distinguishes the "eros relationship" from *agape*. Men and women in eros relationships "have all the feelings of a romance," Quinn said.

"They feel excitement, infatuation and hear all the bells and whistles of lovers," he said.

Yet in neither relationship do participants engage in sexual activity. *Agape* couples refrain from sexual intimacy because of moral commitments — to their marriages, for example, or to a sense of ethics. Eros couples, Quinn said, stay away from sex because of fear — fear of rejection or ruining the relationship or fear of company policies.

Individuals involved in both kinds of relationships experience greater personal payoffs in terms of their job than they would from a casual friendship, said Sharon Lobel, visiting assistant professor at the U-M Business School.

"They are more creative, more motivated; feel more competent, find work is more fun and are more secure," Lobel said. "They help each other reach their work goals, help advance each other's career, offer each other new ideas and balance each other's weaknesses."

The benefits spill over into the organization, resulting in greater productivity and a better product. However, the eros partnership can generate tension and rumors among the couple's co-workers, Quinn noted.

"WHEN CO-WORKERS perceive an intimate relationship, they assume the couple is involved sexually. This can cause reactions because others believe the rewards of the relationship are distributed unevenly — pillow talk, secrets, constant support at staff meetings — and the others can't compete with the currency being exchanged."

Quinn suspects a turning point in close male-female relationships occurs if the couple discuss their mutual attraction.



Microwave magic

Livonia residents Donna Parch and her daughter Marianne have a basketball to treasure after getting Detroit Piston Vinnie "The Microwave" Johnson to autograph

their round ball. Johnson was the center of attention during a recent appearance at Wonderland Mall in Livonia.

Fashion Panel picked for Laurel Park Place

The votes have been counted and the results are in: Sixteen youths have landed spots on the Laurel Park Place's 1991-92 Fashion Panel.

The members, ranging in age from 16 to 21, were selected following an audition, including a two-minute talent segment. They are Tammy Allen and Sue Sundberg of Farmington Hills; Jennifer Saroffian and Elaine Felts of Redford; Cassandra Gut, Sarah Nunez and Harther Coyle of Plymouth; Christy Hicks of Southfield; Dayna Gignac of Taylor; Larissa Barna, Elaine Felts, Lana Marie and Pam Corrazallah of Livonia; Jill

Jenkins of Novi; Carol Ann Dunning of Garden City and Nneka Davis of Detroit.

The Livonia mall's Fashion Panel program introduces the young adults to retail fashions and promotions. They members attend monthly meetings that introduce them to various retail professionals in the areas of management, visual merchandising and modeling.

Panel members also participate in merchandising events, such as fashion shows and informal modeling exhibitions, at the mall.

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THE OBSERVER ACADEMIC ALL-STARS 1991

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These students – 14 of 16 members of the Observer's 1991 Academic All-Star Team – are looking in the right direction based on their high school performances. Pictured are *back row*: RAYMOND ADAMSKI, KEVIN HOLMES, *second to last from left*, KELVIN CHOU, NICOLE KNAPP, JOYCE WONG, JEFFERY SUNG, DAVID WINEBRENER, *second row from left*, MAYA MANIAN, LANA ACKROYD, JOHN RICHARDS, LAWRENCE FRANCE, LYNN BIBERDORF, *front left* MARK BAKER AND DANIEL CHAMBERLAIN. Staff photo by Sharon LeMieux.

Top scholars win academic honors

They tackle it all — a tough academic schedule, sports, volunteer work and part-time jobs — and do it with flying colors.

The Observer Academic All-Stars, Class of 1991, are the best and the brightest of local public and parochial schools.

The Observer thanks the schools who nominated students. A note of special thanks to the committee of secondary school principals who selected the students.

Chairing the committee was Robert Schramke, principal at Redford Union High School. Other committee members were Dale Coller, Stevenson High School; Geraldine Kiessel, Garden City High School; Larry Boehms, Troy High School; Gary Faber, West Bloomfield High School; Clayton Graham, Harrison High School; Gerald Ostoin, Plymouth Salem High School and Dennis Connolly, John Glenn High School.

The students are selected based on high school grade point average combined with national test scores.



John A. Richards

JOHN A. RICHARDS
Catholic Central High School

John A. Richards is a senior at Catholic Central High School, where he maintains a 4.0 grade point average. This is the second year he has been named to the Observer All-Star team.

The son of John and Marilyn Richards of Clairview Drive in Dearborn Heights, he plans to attend Massachusetts Institute of Technology and pursue a career in engineering.

He is co-captain of the Quiz Bowl team at CC and participated in the Michigan Math Competition. He belongs to the computer club and National Honor Society.

His academic honors include the Gabriel Richard Honor Roll and National Merit Scholarship Finalist.

Richards' parents have influenced his academic career by their encouragement and example, he said.

Richards believes everyone owes it to society to use his/her talents and abilities.

"If I, as a human being, can truthfully say that I have used my innate abilities to their highest potential, then I can say that I have fulfilled my obligation to society," Richards wrote.



David Winebrener

DAVID WINEBRENER
Churchill High School

David Winebrener has accepted an appointment to the U.S. Air Force Academy where he'll major in aeronautical engineering.

"For several years, my goal has been to be a pilot," writes Winebrener, a senior at Churchill High School.

Winebrener says he's looking forward to the academic competition, the small class size, the military and leadership training and discipline at the academy.

He was nominated to the Air Force Academy by U.S. Sen. Donald Riegle. His nominations to Annapolis came from Vice President Dan Quayle and U.S. Rep. William D. Ford.

He also has been accepted to the University of Michigan engineering college.

He recently was named a finalist in the National Merit Scholarship Program and received the Rensselaer Polytechnical Institute Award for Mathematics and Science.

While in high school, Winebrener has spent four years on the tennis team, two years on the cross country team and one year on the wrestling team. He's been active in his church youth group, teen choir and teen musical. He's a member of the Spanish Club, Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD) Students Against Smoking Committee, Quiz Bowl team, debate club and varsity debate team.

His academic honors include class scholar, Michigan Math Prize Competition and Michigan High School Math Exam.

He says his parents, James and Jean Winebrener, have influenced his academic career the most because "they have always supported me."



Maya Manian

MAYA MANIAN
Mercy High School

Maya Manian is the daughter of Venkat and Janaki Manian of Farmington Hills.

An honor student at the all-girls school in Farmington Hills, Manian plans to attend a major university and major in English. She also plans to pursue a master's degree.

At Mercy, Manian is a member of the French Honor Society, National Honor Society, ski club, Tamil Sangam and science club. She is co-chair of the emergency committee, a math tutor and a member of the school pastoral team.

Her academic honors include a USAA All-American Scholar Award and a finalist in the National Merit Scholarship Program. She also received an International Foreign Language Award and qualified for a Michigan Competitive Scholarship.

Manian credits her mother for having the most influence in her academic career because she "encouraged me to do my best academically and otherwise."



Lynn Biberdorf

LYNN BIBERDORF
Plymouth Christian Academy

Lynn Biberdorf of Plymouth has been named to the Observer all-star team for the second year.

A senior at Plymouth Christian Academy in Canton Township, she will attend Northeast Missouri State University and study biology/pre-med. Afterwards it's medical school and more studies in foreign languages and eventually a career in medical missions.

She was co-captain of the varsity volleyball team at Plymouth Christian where she won the sportsmanship award and was named second team all-conference. She also belongs to the student council, National Honor Society, choir, church youth choir and year-book staff. She plays the piano and is involved in drama.

The daughter of Donald and Janet Biberdorf of Plymouth, Biberdorf has won numerous awards in German at the University of Michigan Festival.

She also has collected honors in math, business, science, English, drama and history. She is a finalist in the National Merit Scholarship program and a semifinalist in the U.S. Presidential Scholar program. She also is a member of the Academic All-State Team.

She credits her German teacher Linda Marlow as having the most influence on her academic career because "she never allowed me to do any less than my best."



Anne V. Liu

ANNE V. LIU
Stevenson High School

Anne V. Liu plans to major in chemistry at Harvard. Her undergraduate work will provide a foundation for graduate work in environmental sciences.

She is a senior at Stevenson High School in Livonia where she maintains a 4.0 grade point average.

A member of the academic games club and varsity quiz bowl team, Liu also is a member of Students Against

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Driving Drunk (SADD) and vice president of the National Honor Society.

Her academic honors include a National Merit Scholarship Finalist, Presidential Scholar Finalist, Radcliffe National Scholar, Michigan Mathematics Prize Competition (she was a silver medalist in 1991 and among the top 100 in 1990). She took third place in the state in the 1990 Michigan Mathematics League.

She credits her parents, Ting Hua and Elizabeth Stacey, for influencing her academic career.

"My parents had the greatest influence upon my academic career due to the emphasis they have always placed on the importance of education.



Joyce S. Wong

JOYCE S. WONG
Stevenson High School

Joyce S. Wong plans to attend the University of Michigan's seven-year pre-med and med program, Inteflex, to become a pediatrician.

A 4.0 student at Stevenson High School, Wong is the daughter of Robert and Christine Wong of Whitby Street in Livonia.

She is a member of the varsity swim team, treasurer of the French club, Quiz Bowl, National Honor Society and Academic Games Club. She plays the piano, tutors, does hospital volunteer work and is a member of her church Bible study group. She also is a Sunday school teacher.

Her academic honors include finalist in the National Merit Scholar Program, finalist in Michigan Mathematics Prize Competition, honorable mention in Sigma Math Competition, Ford Technological Summer Internship and Association of Chinese Americans High School Achievement Award. She was also on the team that won first place at teams competition.

"All the teachers who have taught me during the course of my schooling have influenced me to want to learn and to do well in school by presenting the material in an interesting manner, by encouraging me and by becoming personally interested in my academic and personal affairs," she said.



Raymond J. Adamski

RAYMOND J. ADAMSKI
Plymouth Canton High School

Raymond J. Adamski plans to attend the University of Michigan and study mechanical or aerospace engineering.

A member of the National Honor Society, Adamski also has been a staff reporter, artist and editor of the CEP Perspective, the student newspaper at Plymouth Canton High School.

His other activities during his high school career have included track and field, cross country, ski club and Model United Nations University of Michigan.

His academic honors include finalist in the National Merit Scholarship Program, Regents Alumni Scholars Merit Award from the U-M, high honor roll and U.S. Air Force Academy summer scientific seminar.

Adamski also works part time during the summer.

He credits his parents and teachers as having the most influence in his academic career.

"They (my parents) taught me to read and then provided some of the books I read to start learning. In elementary school, I had one teacher, Susan Moore for three years, who taught everything, and gave me the knowledge to build on in high school."



Kevin Holmes

KEVIN HOLMES
Plymouth Canton High School

Kevin Holmes is headed for the University of Michigan to major in actuarial mathematics.

A senior at Plymouth Canton High School, Holmes is a member of the National Honor Society and varsity golf and basketball teams. He was captain and most valuable player of the 1991 basketball and golf teams at Plymouth Canton. He also is a member of the computer team, and Social Studies Quiz Bowl.

His academic honors include a Rensselaer Polytechnical Medal for Outstanding Math, Tandy Technology Scholar for Outstanding Math; Computer and Science Student and National Merit Commended Student. He was a four-year finalist in the Michigan Math Prize Competition and among the top 100 in the 1991 Michigan Math Prize Competition.

In addition, he was awarded the scholar athlete award by the Michigan High School Athletic Association and a Regents Alumni Scholar Award by the U-M.

His parents — Robert and Karen Holmes of Parkside in Canton Township — have influenced his academic career because they "stressed a balance between academics and athletics."



Daniel Chamberlain

DANIEL CHAMBERLAIN
Churchill High School

Daniel Chamberlain will attend the University of Michigan and major in business next fall.

In addition to maintaining a 4.0 grade point average, Chamberlain has been a member of the varsity tennis team, ski club, Spanish club, debate club, Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD), treasurer of the National Honor Society, Students Against Smoking and public relations director for Livonia Safe Rides and chairman of the varsity debate team.

His academic honors include being selected as Michigan Youth Congress representative in his junior and senior years, highest honors for grade point in the ninth through 12th grades and a bronze medal in the National Sigma Algebra Contest.

His parents — David and Lila Chamberlain of Curtis Street in Livonia — have been the biggest influence in his academic career because "they always encouraged me and helped me when I needed it."



Nicole Knapp

NICOLE KNAPP
Ladywood High School

Nicole Knapp of Livonia will attend Lawrence Technological University next fall.

A senior at Ladywood High School, Knapp's parents have been the biggest influence on her academic career because "they always encouraged me to challenge myself," she said.

A 4.0 student at the all-girls school in Livonia, Knapp was a member of the French club, music club, jazz band, drama club and treasurer of the National Honor Society.

She is valedictorian of the Ladywood High School class of 1991 and is a gold cord recipient because she has been on the honor roll every quarter.

She is the daughter of John and Sharon Knapp of Livonia.



Jeffrey C. Sung

JEFFREY C. SUNG
North Farmington High School

Jeffrey C. Sung will attend the honors program in medical education at Northwestern University in the fall.

While in high school, Sung was a busy student. He was president of the National Honor Society, secretary of the student council, secretary of the German Club and trumpet section leader of the marching band. He was also a member of the marching and jazz bands, school orchestra, German

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Left: Mr. and Mrs. William T. Phillips (Bridget), Nolo Sanders and Nolo's mother, Sandra Romsay (right).

- Phillips Scholarship awardee

Archbishop Adam J. Roda congratulated Ivette Gonzalez during his pastoral visit to the Madonna campus. Gonzalez received the Archdiocesan Catholic Minority Scholarship

- DeSorrano Educational Foundation awardee

Four Madonna students received the Chrysler Minority Student Scholarship. Pictured with Madonna University President Sister M. Francilene are (left) Ivette Gonzales, Elena Quezada, Doreen Osel-Tulu, and Anloine Allen.

Joanne Bowen (center) and Terry Spence (right), recipients of Livonia Heart Fund Scholarships, are congratulated by Betty Jean Awray of Awray Bakeries and Livonia Heart Fund Trustee.

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Club, math league, Science Olympiad, Chinese Lion Dance Club and Odyssey of the Mind.

In addition he was a volunteer for the March of Dimes and American Cancer Society.

He has won numerous awards and honors for marching and symphony bands and in the solo and ensemble festival. He is a National Merit Scholarship finalist and received the English department award as a sophomore and junior and the social studies department award as a sophomore. He was selected to Boy's State in his junior year and has won several awards in competition of the Science Olympiad.

He took first place in extemporaneous speaking and first place commercial as a senior at the University of Michigan German Day.

He credits his parents — Benjamin and Pei-Luen of Farmington Hills — as the biggest influence in his academic career because "they taught me to work hard."



Kelvin L. Chou

KELVIN L. CHOU
North Farmington High School

Kelvin L. Chou plans to attend the University of Michigan Integrated Premedical-Medical Program (Inteflex) next fall. His goal is to become a physician specializing in pediatrics.

A 4.0 student at North Farmington, Chou is vice president of the student council and secretary of the National Honor Society. He is team captain and founder of the Michigan Math League at North Farmington. He also is team captain of the Science Olympiad and served as vice president of the German Club in his junior year.

In addition, Chou has participated in Quiz Bowl, orchestra, track and debate. He has participated in several drama productions at North.

He also plays piano and is a member of the Wayne County Chinese Lion Dance Team and Northern Lites Chorus.

His academic honors include the 1990 American Chinese Association Achievement Award for Leadership and Academic Excellence and the 1991 Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen Award.

"My parents have definitely influenced me the most in my academic career," Chou said. "They are the ones

who taught me the importance of education, and they inspired me to do my best."

He is the son of Clifford and Chu-Hwei Chou of Farmington Hills.



Mark E. Baker

MARK E. BAKER
John Glenn High School

Mark E. Baker plans to attend the U.S. Military Academy at West Point and major in economics.

The son of Lyman and Marylynn Baker of Westland, Baker maintains a 4.0 grade point average at John Glenn High School in the Wayne-Westland School District.

While at Glenn, Baker has been active on the varsity golf and track teams. He was captain of the varsity basketball team and treasurer of the National Honor Society. He tutored other students and was president of the French club in his freshman year. He also served as president of DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education).

His academic honors include National Honor Society, a science certificate of recognition for outstanding achievement on the MEAP (Michigan Educational Assessment Program) test and a Presidential Academic Fitness Award. He was also awarded an academic varsity letter for two years and a 1991 academic athletic award for varsity basketball.

"My parents have influenced me most in my academic career," Baker said.



Lana Ackroyd

LANA ACKROYD
Farmington High School

Lana Ackroyd plans to attend Brigham Young University next fall to study psychology.

Ackroyd decided on BYU because of its high academic standards and its religious affiliation.

"My religious preference is Latter-day Saint and I feel most comfortable among students who share my basic belief system."

A 4.0 student at Farmington High School, Ackroyd earned an academic varsity letter and was named to the Academic Hall of Fame at Farmington for maintaining a 4.0 grade point average for four years. She also is a member of the National Honor Society.

Her extracurricular activities include Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD), Spanish club, marching band, symphony band, Spanish club representative, orchestra, recycling committee, the high school literary magazine, art and horseback riding.

She has also been active in the substance abuse team at Farmington High School and participated in the Summer Institute of Arts and Sciences at Olivet College.

Ackroyd also has been active in the Latter-day Saints Youth Group, and served as a counselor at her church and secretary in seminary. She also plays the clarinet and has taken private lessons.

Ackroyd's father has influenced her academic career, she said.

"My father is intelligent, successful and continuously learning. I have tried to follow his example."

She is the daughter of Alan and Loretta A. Ackroyd of Farmington.



Lawrence M. France

LAWRENCE M. FRANCE
Franklin High School

Lawrence M. France will attend the honors college at Michigan State University to study chemical engineering in the fall.

A senior at Franklin High School in Livonia, France is a member of the National Honor Society, captain of the Metro Computer League team and a varsity swimmer.

His academic honors include National Merit Scholarship Program finalist and silver medalist in the Michi-

gan Mathematics Prize Competition. He also received a Phi Beta Kappa award for outstanding academic achievement at the Franklin High School honors convocation.

France is enrolled in the Livonia Public School math, science and computer program that is specifically designed for the academically talented student. The content is taught at a faster pace and in greater depth.

He credits his parents, Lawrence and Cherril of Livonia, for having the biggest influence on his academic career.

"My parents strongly encouraged my academic interests and gave me opportunities to further my abilities," France said.



Pranav P. Kothari

PRANAV P. KOTHARI
Redford Union High School

Pranav P. Kothari plans to enroll in the Inteflex medical program at the University of Michigan.

Kothari, the son of Pravin and Mridu Kothari of Redford Township, maintains a 4.0 grade point average.

He is president of the RU Student Council and founder of the Interscholar Ecology Club. He also is founder and president of the New Student Ambassador Program and president of the senior class.

He also belongs to the German club and is captain of the school's Quiz Bowl team. He earned a varsity letter in tennis and was co-captain of the tennis team in the ninth, 10th and 11th grades.

He also works on the Drug Abuse Resistance Education (DARE) program and is a member of Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD) and Students Against Smoking (SAS).

His academic honors include Michigan Mathematics Prize Competition, U.S. Mathematics Prize Award and National Merit Scholarship Program. This is Kothari's second time as an Observer Academic All-Star.

His other honors include the Voice of Democracy speech contest and winner of the tri-county U.S. Youth Senate Award.

Kothari credits his family for influencing his academic career. "My family has provided the ideal background of persistence, determination and desire."

Runners-up boast top grades too

Students who received honorable mention in the Observer Academic All-Star competition are:

Michael Jacobs, a senior at Harrison High School in Farmington Hills, plans to attend the University of Michigan and study engineering.

He is a member of the varsity tennis and soccer teams, a youth group leader, volunteer for the Children's Leukemia Foundation and Sunday school teaching assistant. His academic honors include National Honor Society and Phi Beta Kappa.

Amy Sullivan is a senior at Plymouth Salem High School. She plans to study international relations and foreign culture and pursue a career in international law. Her major academic interests are German and political science.

Her other interests include classical piano, painting and sculpture.

She is a member of the National Honor Society, National Art Honor Society and International Thespian Honor Society. She also is activities director of the German club and a youth representative on the missions board of First Baptist Church of Plymouth.

Jonathan Blatt, a senior at Harrison High School in Farmington Hills, plans to attend the University of Michigan honors program and study medicine.

He was a member of the jazz band, track and football teams, vice president of the National Honor Society and Quiz Bowl team.

His academic honors include Boys' State, All-State Honors Orchestra, Michigan Summer Institute for the Arts and Sciences, Phi Beta Kappa, Part II of the Michigan Math Test and U-M Regents Alumni Scholarship.

So Young Park of Garden City High School is headed for college in the fall. In high school, she has been active in the concert and marching bands and played the flute in the church choir.

Her academic honors include a Xerox Award from the University of Rochester. She was a runner-up in the Observer Academic All-Star competition last year.

Angela Morrison of Garden City High School will attend the University of Michigan-Dearborn next fall and major in accounting.

A senior, she is a member of Students Against Driving Drunk, Garden City Singers, the National Honor Society, the International Thespian Society and New Concepts Theater. She served as treasurer of the theater group for two years.

Her academic honors include the Madame Curie Award for excellence in math and science.

Andrea Toupin of Wayne Memorial High School will major in business and Wayne State University.

A senior, she has been active in the German club, student senate and reading. Her academic honors include the

math, social science and physical science department awards.

Sandra Dengel of Huron Valley Lutheran High School plans to attend college and major in psychology.

A junior at the Westland school, Dengel is a member of the basketball, volleyball and softball teams. She also belongs to the camera-video and drama clubs, activities board and is a copy editor for the school yearbook.

Her academic honors include the honor roll and a 4.0 medal.

Kay Seelow of Huron Valley Lutheran High School will attend college and major in communications and broadcasting.

A Plymouth resident, Seelow is secretary-treasurer of the senior class. While in high school she has been active in small group choir, chorus, softball, drama, play and the camera-video club.

She has been on the honor roll throughout her high school career and is valedictorian of the Class of 1991.

Randi S. Herdman of Franklin High School plans to study English in college and teach at the college level. Her future plans also include seeing Africa.

While at Franklin, she was treasurer of the junior and senior class, a member of National Honor Society, co-captain of the swim team, a Special Olympics volunteer and member of the ski club.

Her academic honors include third place in the 1990 Chemistry Olympics.

Heather Thomson, a junior at Lutheran High School Westland, plans to attend Concordia University River Forest. She will study elementary education and hopes to teach in a Lutheran school.

At Westland, she is a member of the symphonic band, varsity track team, drama club, church youth group, handbell choir and Highland Dancing.

Her honors include honor roll and Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Amy Sarkkinen is a senior at Lutheran High School Westland. She plans to attend Concordia College in Ann Arbor and major in history.

While in high school she served on the yearbook staff for two years (one year as editor) and National Honor Society.

Her academic honors include the Valparaiso Academic Award and salutatorian.

Arlene P. Olivero, a senior at Bishop Borgess High School in Redford Township, will attend the University of Michigan and hopes to pursue a career in math or science.

In high school she has been a member of the National Honor Society (co-president in 1990-1991) and sophomore class secretary. She also is a member of the French and art clubs, jazz band and varsity soccer.

She is a member of the Model United

Nations and Michigan Math League.

Her academic honors include the National Honor Society, Bausch Lomb Medal, Society of Women Engineers Madame Curie Medal.

Jennifer Day of Thurston High School in Redford Township plans to attend Eastern Michigan University and major in education.

In high school she was active in Students Against Driving Drunk, National Honor Society, school plays, Science Olympiad, marching and pep bands and choir/jazz swing. She has worked as a tutor and high school office worker.

Her honors include social studies outstanding achievement award, biology merit award, leadership merit award, departmental awards in math, English, science and social studies and tutoring award.

Daniel Ronayne of Clarenceville High School will attend Lawrence Technological University and study mechanical engineering. He was awarded a four-year, full-tuition scholarship to LTU.

He is active in the marching and symphony bands, National Honor Society, yearbook business manager and DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education). He also holds a part-time job at Sears.

His academic honors include an academic letter for three years from Clarenceville and a Wayne State University Merit Scholarship.

Mary Thorrez of Ladywood High School in Livonia will attend the honors college at Michigan State University next fall and study business.

A 4.0 student at the all-girls school, Thorrez has been active in the National Honor Society and French club. She was a student council representative 1989-1990 and is active in her church youth group.

Her academic honors include National Merit Commended Scholar and gold ribbon for third place in botany at the 1989 Metro Detroit Science and Engineering Fair.

Brian Afflerbaugh of Farmington High School plans to study engineering in college.

A junior, Afflerbaugh is active on the varsity soccer, basketball and baseball teams. He is an Eagle Scout and member of Students Against Driving Drunk. His academic honors include National Honor Society, varsity letter in academics, honor roll, Academic Hall of Fame and top 10 percent of the Michigan Math Prize Test.

Erlin V. Smith of Mercy High School in Farmington Hills plans to major in international business or international politics.

A senior at Mercy, she has received a four-year, tuition scholarship to the University of Michigan.

At Mercy, she was vice president of the science club, chair of the pastoral

team outreach committee, student director and a math and French tutor.

She also was a member of the musical chorus for three years, Model United Nations, the German and National Honor societies, the Young Democrats and the Co-Ette Club.

Her academic honors include National Merit Scholarship Finalist, Michigan Competitive Scholarship Finalist, Catherine Repucci Scholarship finalist, Award of Excellence in Communications and an honorable mention in FORTRAN from Michigan State University's Summer Engineering Program.

Joseph Velez is a senior at Redford Union High School. He plans to attend the University of Michigan.

He is an officer in Youth of Unity, Livonia, a member of his school's honor roll and recipient of a U-M scholarship.

William VanErp is a senior at Clarenceville High School. He plans on a career in engineering or commercial art after attending a four-year university.

He is a member of the National Honor Society, as well as his school's football team, track team and varsity club.

His academic honors include summa cum laude and academic letter (two years). He has also received the school art department honor.

Matthew Morrison is a junior at Detroit Catholic Central High School, Redford. He plans to become a high school history teacher after attending college.

A member of his school's Quiz Bowl Team, he is also a member of the Gabriel Richard academic honor club and has won national honors in French language competition.

Teresa L. Ambrose is a junior at Redford Thurston High School. She plans to major in science or chemistry at a four-year college or university.

She is a member of her school's Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD) executive board, the National Honor Society and is active in drama and music. She earned a varsity letter in drama. She has been editor in chief of the school newspaper. She also tutors in Fisher Elementary School.

Julie Ardena Hamrick is a senior at John Glenn High School, Westland. She plans to work in Washington, D.C. after majoring in international relations at Hillsdale College or Albion College.

She has been her school's yearbook editor, president of Students Against Driving Drunk, Honor Society vice president, Junior Civitan Board of Directors and a varsity cheerleader.

She has received Westland's Junior Miss scholastic award, been on the school honor roll, earned academic letters as well as scholarships to Hillsdale and Albion.

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• DSO CONCERTS

Music director Neema Jarvi will lead the Detroit Symphony Orchestra in the final subscription concert of its 1990-91 season in a program that includes the Rousset Symphony No. 3.

Guitar virtuoso Christopher Parkening will perform Rodrigo's *Concierto de Aranjuez*. Also on the program is American composer Walter Piston's *Suite for the Incredible Flutist*.

The concerts will take place at 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday, May 9 and 10, and at 8:30 p.m. Saturday, May 11, at Orchestra Hall.

Soprano Jessye Norman will come to Detroit for a rare recital appearance at 5 p.m. Sunday, May 12, at Orchestra Hall.

Pianist Geoffrey Parsons will assist Norman in a program that includes both classical songs and arias as well as gospel and spiritual selections.

Classical works will include Handel's "Art Thou Troubled?" Gospel selections will include "Deep River" and "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands."

For DSO tickets, call 833-3700.

• MUSICA VIVA

1991 Musica Viva! Buick International Concerts, co-sponsored by the Performing Arts Department of the Detroit Institute of Arts, will present "An Evening of Flute Extravaganza" at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 11.

Featured will be Spanish flutist Claudí Arimany, Bulgarian-born flutist Ginka Gerova-Ortega, Japanese pianist Katsuraki Mikami.

The program will feature Mozart, Telemann, Kuhlau, Kohler, Doppler and Schubert.

Tickets are \$15 and include an afterglow in Kresge Court to meet the artists.

For reservations, call 833-2323.

• FIBERARTS GUILD

Ann Arbor Fiberarts Guild will host its annual spring sale 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, May 11-12, at Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro, Ann Arbor.

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• CRAFT SHOW

The Craft Gallery Mother's Day Show will be Sunday, May 12, at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill, between Merriman and Venoy. Hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Sixty displays will feature country folk art, Victorian crafts, early Americana, French country look and Southwest art.

Local exhibitors include:

From Livonia — Cheryl Young (country fabric hearts), Tina Adams (silk floral arrangements), Linda Dietrich (wood shelves and fabric hanging accents), Donna Squire (baskets).

From Westland — Pam Kovarik (vintage Victorian), Jeanne Schmidt (soft sculpture).

From Redford Township — Kay Vincent (country cross stitch).

From Canton Township — Gene Busse (oak clocks).

Each event will offer a different lineup of Michigan talent.

Admission is \$2. Children younger than 12 are admitted free. Lunches and refreshments will be available. No strollers or cameras are allowed.

• MOT BOOSTERS

Michigan Opera Theatre has a new outreach group, dubbed the Bacchantes, announced David DiChiera, general director.

The group's objectives are both to educate and attract younger audiences and help them feel

comfortable with the notion of attending and supporting opera.

The group is "innovative, full of exciting, fun ideas to introduce people to opera and provide them with the information to fully enjoy MOT productions," said Sharon Giola, who chairs the Alliance of Volunteers of Michigan Opera Theatre.

The name Bacchantes is based on the mythological tale about the followers of Bacchus, the Greek god of wine and revelry, who is often associated with theater.

"The intention is to bring the young professional types to the opera and to make them both comfortable with and excited by the prospect," said Rick Carmody, who is co-chairing the "Madama Butterfly" reception and is a steering committee member for the new volunteer group.

"Some people have an impression that opera is stuffy and inaccessible. That is just not true."

The group's first major event has been scheduled in conjunction with the upcoming MOT production of "Madama Butterfly."

This event provides the Bacchantes with preferred seating for the Friday, May 17, presentation at the Masonic Temple Theatre and includes a pre-performance reception at the Detroit Artists Market.

The reception begins at 5:30 p.m. and the performance is at 8 p.m. The performance is sung in Italian with projected English subtitles.

In keeping with the Oriental theme of the popular opera, Japanese foods and music will set the stage for the event, which will also serve to familiarize patrons with the story and music of Puccini's "Madama Butterfly."

For tickets, call Kurt Howard at 874-7850 weekdays.

• ART AUCTION

The Scarab Club annual art auction will be Sunday, May 19.

The silent auction will be 5-7 p.m. The live auction will start at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$25 per person (a \$10 rebate may be applied to any art purchase). Contributions to the auction will be accepted 1-6 p.m. now through Thursday, May 16, or by special arrangement.

The Scarab Club, at 217 Farnsworth in Detroit's Cultural Center, was founded in 1910 as a fellowship of the arts. It receives no government financing. The annual art auction is the primary fundraiser.

Sales generated by contributions to this auction will be used to support ongoing programs and continuing restoration of the historic clubhouse. Call Darlene Carroll, executive director, 831-1250.

• VISUAL VOICES

The Wayne County Council for the Arts is showing Visual Voices, a collection of works from 15 local artists, through June 16 in the Third Floor Conference Room of the Wayne County Building, 600 Randolph, Detroit.

Featured are paintings, sculpture and photography. Painter and art professor Gilda Snowden curated the exhibition. Works from Wayne County Youth Home residents are shown.

• ANTIQUE SHOW

A Spring Antique Show and Sale will take place at Universal Mall at Dequindre and 12 Mile in Warren Thursday-Sunday, May 23-26. Show hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday through Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Admission is free.

Area residents exhibiting at the show include Ruth Heremann, Mary Haggerty and Gloria Siegert, all of Livonia, and Barbara Rudes of Redford. Among the items offered will be tea leaf ironstone (a popular kitchenware from the 1880s), Depression-era collectibles, early 20th century Michigan postcards, and oak furniture once sold through early mail-order catalogs.

• POEM FOR PEACE

The International Society of Poets is accepting poems for its "World's Largest Poem for Peace."

The document is expected to be longer than several football fields. It will be presented to the Secretary General of the United Nations after the

society's Aug. 16-18 National Poetry Symposium in Washington.

The society also will donate 10 cents to the United Nations' International Children's Education Fund on behalf of everyone who shows support for world peace by submitting a poem.

Send one original poem (20 lines or less) to: World's Largest Poem for Peace, P.O. Box 627, Owings Mills, Md. 21117.

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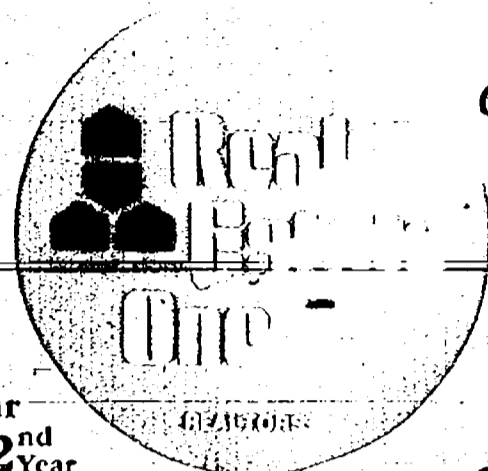
M. Hubert & Co. Antiques has opened in Westchester Square on Forest Avenue in downtown Plymouth.

Its eclectic selection consists of American, English and European furniture and accessories; art glass, pottery and metal; paintings, sculptures, silver, jewelry, rugs and chandeliers.

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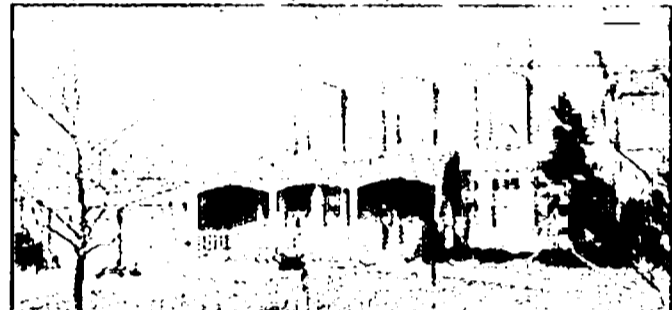
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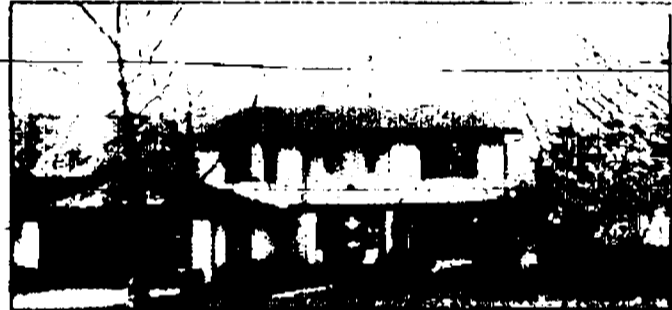
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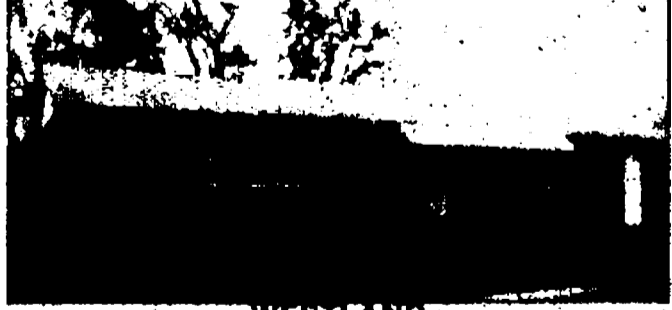
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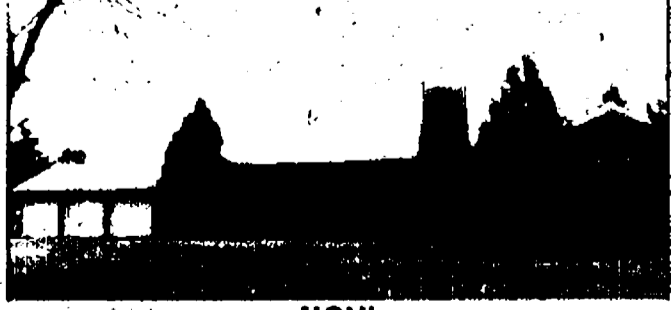
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For Mother's Day

A garden patch of gift ideas

Sunday is Mother's Day. When I lecture, I find a book or a plant is more "wished for" than something fattening!

Other items, which will help Mother in the garden, will make her think about the giver as she uses them. So, for a memorable gift, here are some suggestions:

• A set of four small Flower Fairies books, by Cicely Mary Barker, first published in the 1920s (Warne, \$5.95 each) will provide quiet moments for reflection.

The illustrations of the plants include a fairy representing each one. Accompanying each Flower Fairy is a poem relating to the plant.

Also available is a set of Flower Fairies postcards, lovely enough to be framed (Warne, 30 cards, \$7.95).

• One of the prettiest books for recordkeeping, "An Island Garden Daybook," (Houghton Mifflin, \$9.95), includes Cella Thaxter's writings while she gardened on Appledore in New England. The paintings by Childe Hassam are exquisite.

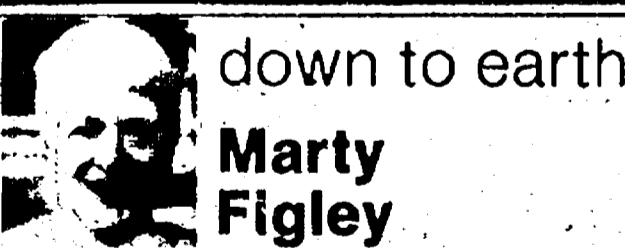
• "The Unicorn Alphabet" (Dall, \$14.95) was inspired by the medieval Unicorn Tapestries. Marlanna Mayer has translated the symbolism, lore and mystery of this animal from A to Z, while the pictures by Michael Hauge illustrate the stories splendidly.

ON TO garden helpers:

A 6-foot snake suspended in a tree is sure to frighten birds from the ripening fruit. An owl may deter rodents. (\$5.99 each). Perhaps a lifelike, handpainted housecat will do the trick and make a cute ornament, too. (\$15.99)

Dalen Products Inc. makes these and other scarecrow devices, as well as the Trellis Plus, made of heavy-duty nylon netting, which can be positioned for climbing flowers or vegetables so the vines will be supported as they grow. A good idea if space is limited.

A hose-end sprayer to water and feed the lawn



down to earth

Marty Figley

and flowers (hanging baskets are sometimes difficult) would be a welcome gift.

One that you might consider, by Miracle-Gro, is called the No-Clog-2 Garden and Lawn Feeder. (\$11.95, which includes a pound of plant food).

What about Ortho Whirlybird? This lightweight gadget will scatter seeds, fertilizer, etc. in an even pattern throughout the garden (\$9.99).

OF COURSE, a big bouquet of flowers will please. What about packages of seeds (and the promise to help plant them) to provide enjoyment as the months roll by? A living plant for the house or garden will bring a smile.

In that regard, Cranbrook Garden Auxiliary is having its 19th annual spring plant sale 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 15, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thursday, May 16.

Michigan wildflowers, greenhouse plants, perennials, herbs, geraniums, sculpture and special painted containers will be available.

Cranbrook Greenhouse is at 380 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills. Park at Christ Church parking lot and take the shuttle.

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Marty Figley is a certified master gardener, based in Birmingham. Her column runs the first, second and fourth Thursdays of each month.

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REAL ESTATE NEWS

Build up a nest egg for after-purchase expenses

By Doug Funke staff writer

This is a continuing series of buying and selling real estate. You decide that you want to live the great American dream of home ownership. Before embarking on the quest, know that there's more to buying than coming up with the monthly payment.

Louise apply for a mortgage. Application and processing fees vary among institutions. First Federal of Michigan, for instance, charges a non-refundable application fee of \$250 and a reservation/commitment fee of \$300 when ownership transfers at closing.

Because the couple is making a down payment of less than 30 percent, First Federal of Michigan requires an escrow account at closing to ensure payment of property taxes and homeowners insurance.

That's a shade more than \$18,000 and doesn't include extras like a home inspection, strongly advised for buyers. Figure on a couple of hundred dollars for that.

To save everyone a lot of time and disappointment, know what you can afford and have the cash to nail down a deal.

charges shouldn't exceed 36 percent of monthly income, he added. Another general rule of thumb according to Marshall — buyers should zero in on houses which don't exceed 2 1/2 times annual household income.

Common elements defined in condominium master deed

I am a member of the board of directors. Recently several of our co-owners have had problems not specifically addressed in our bylaws. In one instance, an exhaust fan in the bathroom was dripping condensation back into the room. The fan is not vented outside but extends into the attic.

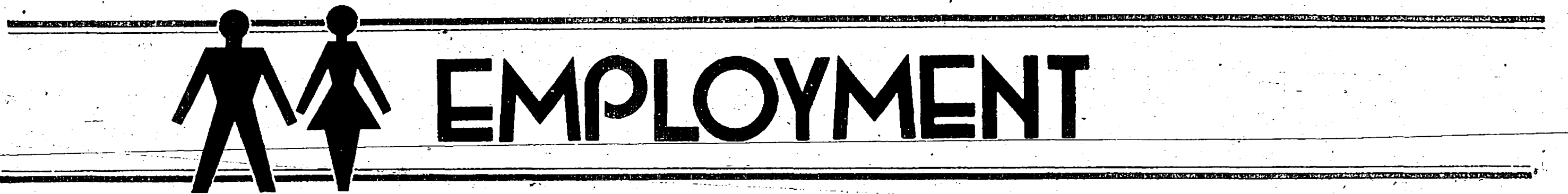
this — the association or the co-owner? The co-owner replaced the smoke alarm with a battery-operated smoke alarm and then informed the association. We want to get the best protection for the complete building. Should we get the electrical smoke alarm fixed and pay for it?

condo queries Robert M. Meisner

erating properly to the extent that they affect the entire building. They should not rely on a co-owner to maintain these smoke alarms to the extent that it is within the purview of the responsibility of the association.

condominium can be the social interaction between the members of the association. Many condominium associations have social committees. In some communities, additional activities are often set up for senior citizens. I am even aware of a condominium where there is a condominium chorus comprised of senior citizens.

Robert M. Meisner is a Birmingham attorney specializing in condominiums, real estate and corporate law. You are invited to submit topics about condominiums that you would like to see discussed in this column by writing Robert M. Meisner at 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Birmingham 48010. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.



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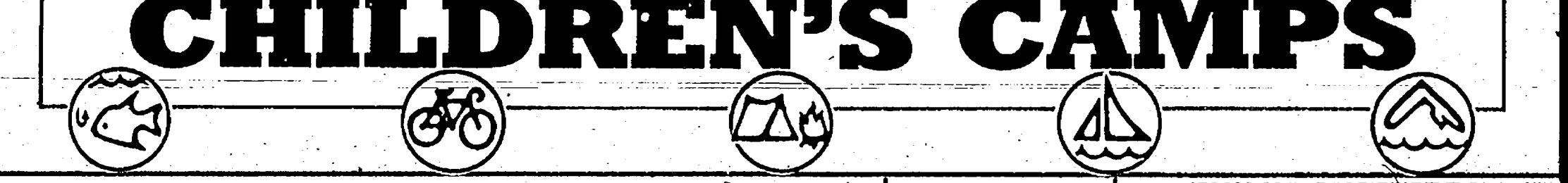
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ROYAL OAK moving sale 45 yrs worth, all priced to sell. Fri, Sat, 9-4. 2924 Bostwick, 921 of 13, between Woodward & Crooks.

ROYAL OAK 2nd family May 10 & 11, 9:30-3

ROYAL OAK - 3 family accumulation of antique household items clothing and accessories, size 8 thru 14. Must sacrifice. 354-0129

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CANTON Garage Sale - Sat. only 9-5. 42635 Addison, S. of Ford, W. of Lily. Everything must go.

CANTON moving sale. May 10, 11th, 10-5

CANTON - Thurs, Thurs Sat, 9-5. 6315 Courtland, N. of Ford, E. of 13th. Kids clothes, toys, misc.

CANTON - Toys, clothes, books, household items. 2 family sale. May 9 & 10, 9am-4pm. 44134 Hanford

CANTON Big Sale Thurs, Fri, Sat. 9-5. 39804 Scituate, S. of Chery Hill, between Hill & Lovers.

CANTON, Thurs thru Sat, 9-4pm

DELROIT moving sale. 18949 Woodbine, between 7 Mile/Grand River, 1 block W. of Telegraph. Fri-Sat, Sun, May 10-12, 9-5.

GARDEN CITY - Basement Sale

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GARDEN CITY - Moving sale. 31974 Barton, corner Oak/Craig. Thurs, Fri, Sat, 9-5. 2918 Woodland, between 12 and Webster off Greenfield.

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PLYMOUTH - May 9-11, 9-4 only

Furniture, clothes, books, puzzles, Avon bottles, crochets, quilts, & more! 1419 Carol St. near Sheldon & Ann Arbor Trail.

PLYMOUTH - May 9, 10 & 11, 9am-5pm

43417 Pineridge, Haggerty & Arden. Misc. furniture, household items, much misc.

PLYMOUTH-MOVING-Burn Sale

Furniture, tools & yard goods. Sat. 10am-5pm. 8226 McDumpha, W. of Grandview, S. of Ann Arbor Rd.

PLYMOUTH-Multi-Family, Baby clothes & furniture

PLYMOUTH - Retirement sale. Treasures to trash, priced to go. May 9-11, 9-5. 14524 Oregon Trail off Sheldon between Joy & Ann Arbor Rd. Lot of small furniture pieces.

PLYMOUTH - Sat. May 11, 8am to 2pm

1408 Penniman. Antiques, dining room set, microwave, dining room furniture, ham radio antenna.

PLYMOUTH - Thurs, Thu, Sat, May 9, 10, 11, 10-4

11180 Butler, N. 1/2, W. of I-275 off Terry St. between Ann Arbor Rd. & Ann Arbor Trail. Misc. furniture items & toys.

PLYMOUTH - Thurs, May 10-11, 9am-5pm

10468 Trailwood, W. of Sheldon off Brookside; household items, baby clothes, electric range, etc.

PLYMOUTH - Waverly Subdivision sale

May 10 & 11, 9-5. South of Grandview, off I-275. 45500

PLYMOUTH - 5 family sale

Furniture, tools, toys. Fri, May 9 & 10, 10-3. Children's clothes & toys.

REDFORD - Big garage sale

Misc. items. May 9, 10 & 11, 10-5. Olympia, 7 Mile & Booth Day.

REDFORD - Four Seasons Fishing Club

40+ families, May 11, 10-5. 14500, between 12 Mile & 6 Mile, E. of Beach Day. Lots of good stuff! No early birds.

REDFORD - Kitchen items, clothes, furniture, misc.

Fri, Sat, Sun, 9-4. 1555 Maple, between 12 Mile & 6 Mile, 6 blocks passed Inxter.

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REDFORD - YARD/CRAFT SALE

Thurs-Sat, 10-4. 20498 Wakenodon, 3 blocks W. of Booth, 1 block S. of 8th.

REDFORD - Multi sale

708 Household Goods Oakland County

2 ESTATE SALES #1 WEISMEYER Fri, May 10, 10-5

1233 Vinita Blvd, Royal Oak (E. of Woodward, S. of 12 Mile) Mahogany dresser & mirror, bamboo porch set, Venetian glass lamps, mahogany secretary desk, Chickering console piano & bench, king waterbed, oak Victorian dresser w/ attached mirror, antique white French Provincial style desk, chair, lingerie chest, king headboard night stand, small painted secretary, white damask sofa, Bush computer desk hutch & printer stand, oak-on-a-bench, stained glass, recliner, custom Marbelle table, picnic table & benches, assorted lamps & misc.

#2 ELLISON SAT, May 11, 10-5

3202 Ravenna, Royal Oak W. of Woodward, S. of Normandy (12 1/2 mi) Entire contents - antiques, collectibles, etc. featuring Victorian marble-top tables, antique white chairs, iron stand, corner what-not, crystal, china, Milton 'Chilton', Japanese tea set & enameled brass, Rosalind, jardiniere, china cups & saucers, vanity lamps, Morisette, 'Gone with the Wind' lamp, Empire style desk, Victorian mirror, 'Wagon Wheel' Hampton, Royal Doulton cat, dinette set, modern style bed room furniture, bat & claw gold stool, wash pitcher & Royal brass fireplace items, pictures, frames, neoclassic foot stool, marbled Seth Thomas mantle clock, gold sofa, lamps, pool table furniture in the rough, English style 20' dining room set, table, chairs, washboard, dryer, many knick-knacks & much misc.

ANTIQUE SHOP Banyan Meath, C.A.

ANTIQUE GRAND Italian clock, early 1800's, wooden works operated w/; Hammond Spinnet organ, 8 ft. Baker sofa & chair; ping pong table; misc. furniture items. 145-0190

BEAUTIFUL like new wood Marbu wood, matching dresser & changing table \$700.

BANQUET CHIPPENDALE mahogany dining room table with rope edge & 8 carved Chippendale dining room chairs. Queen size mahogany bed room set, 9 piece mahogany living room set, 9 piece mahogany dining room set, 9 piece mahogany bedroom set, 9 piece mahogany bathroom set, 9 piece mahogany kitchen set, 9 piece mahogany living room set, 9 piece mahogany dining room set, 9 piece mahogany bedroom set, 9 piece mahogany bathroom set, 9 piece mahogany kitchen set.

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708 Household Goods Oakland County

ANOTHER ESTATE SALE BY IRIS Fri & Sat, May 10-11, 10-4pm at 5553 SHALE, TROY (Lake Long Lake for background, go on background 2 blocks to Quasar, go E on Quasar to Shale)

BEAUTIFUL RESTORED (8) Duvet, chair & table, solid mahogany, walnut oak \$150 & up. 774-1687

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MARKET PLACE

708 Household Goods Oakland County MOVING, queen size bedroom, dining table, kitchen set, desk, new furniture & accessories. Days: 358-5421 Eves: 651-9334	709 Household Goods Wayne County ESTATE SALE BY BAYNARD May 10th & 11th, 10-4pm. (Take of Florida on Telegraph, between Plymouth & Schoolcraft) Antiques, great collectibles, quality furniture galore, loaded with good stuff. 661-2681	710 Misc. For Sale Oakland County CHAINSAW - HOMELITE, C-72, 30 in. bar, excellent condition. \$500. Troy. 362-2001 ELECTRONIC SCALE - digital pricing scale, 25 lb capacity, \$700. After 5pm. 375-2062 FOR SALE - 3 double pane windows \$150/ea. framed. \$75. 59x49 glass only \$50. 36x35 1/2 glass w/screen \$50. Call 477-1791 FREE FIREWOOD - 3674 Burford, Troy. 649-8401	711 Misc. For Sale Wayne County SCAFFOLDING 6 sections, \$150 per section. 500 amp Lincoln, 3 phase transformer w/box \$450. 843-4263 TENS UNIT & supply of disposable pads. \$600. 532-5118 ALL APPLIANCES Best prices, best warranty. No delivery. Call after 5pm. 545-4578 CALORIC self-cleaning, almond color or range, like new, great condition. \$250. Call after 6pm. 348-7859 CHEST FREEZER - 15cu ft. good condition. \$100 or best offer. 348-7859 CORNING flat top stove, double hot, 1/2 hp. \$175. 608-1141 ELECTRIC TOASTMASTER GRILL '36". Use one unit at a time or all 3. \$100. Bob Ray. 453-5264 ELECTRIC water heater, 50 gallons (A.O. Smith) excellent condition. 645-4962 FREEZER 16 cu ft. upright, with lock, white. \$125. Call after 6pm. 368-6460 FRIGIDAIRE refrigerator/freezer, 18 cu ft. \$300. Excellent condition. 336-5486 KENMORE stove, cooking top, self-cleaning oven, lime bake, good working condition. \$125. 484-2386 KENMORE washer and Hotpoint dryer, both heavy duty. \$170 for both. Must see. Message. 453-5264 KENMORE WASHER/DRYER 24" apt. size, 3 speed, like new. \$150 each \$275 for set. 588-0351 REFRIGERATOR, avocado, \$300. Avocado oven, \$75. Heavy duty & gas, \$100. Electric dryer, \$100. Gas dryer, \$150. Portable dishwasher, \$175. All clean, good running condition. 482-8951 REBUILT refrigerators, freezers, stoves, microwaves, TV's available. Delivered. Also buy re-usable units. Call for prices. 2620 Southfield - 599-2001 8666 Greenfield - 559-2900	714 Business & Office Equipment COMPLETE COMMUNICATION package available. Southeastern Bell System, 3 Master Stations and K-8 U Make offer. Call between 8 & 10. 646-6000 IBM Electric Typewriter, Model D with manual, extras, good condition. 476-5738 OFFICE CLEARANCE Typing stand from \$79 Room divider from \$29 Terminal printer stands from \$109 Desk (30 x 60) from \$289 CORT RESALE CENTER Southfield 28279 Northwestern 358-4303 Troy - 3921 Rochester Rd. 524-1022 OFFICE Executive Chair, burgundy, 1200 with matching chair, 1000 purchased. Must see. 561-1858 OFFICE HAS 4 computer desks, 1 printer stand, 1 executive desk. All brand new. All desk and oak wood. One executive office chair, 1 matching desk chair. Will deliver if necessary. No reasonable offer refused. All less than 2 months old. Please call for pricing. 453-4499 SANTO Cash register, Point of Sale capable, 99 departments, excellent condition. \$1200 new. \$425 for used. 476-5738 RAILROAD TIES Well-maintained, ready to use & delivered. Available. Any quantity. 6pm to 6pm. 313-283-5688 RIDING LAWN TRACTOR - Craftsman, 11 HP. Very Drive. Well maintained. 28 cu ft. \$500. 336-4666 RIDING MOWER, Sears, 12hp, 38 inch deck, 5 times bagger, 10 cu ft. cart & snowblower included. Call any time. 11100. 453-3833 SEARS Riding lawn mower, 8HP, 30 in. cut, \$275. 569-2904 SNAPPER riding mower, like new, 11HP, 33" cut, electric start with Bag-N-Wagon. \$190. 449-2219	717 Lawn, Garden, Farm, Snow Equip. ARRES - 7 hp. riding mower in good condition. \$385. 242-7453 USED MOWERS, Toro, Snapper & others. Rear baggers, mulchers, lawns. From \$395 and up. 15070 W. 150th Rd., Redford. 532-8400 CRAFTSMAN 12 HP, 38" cut riding mower with rear bagger, used one season, \$395. Case M-90 40 cu ft. drop cap, local box. 569-1993 GRAVELY 2 wheel tractor, 30 hp. 38" deck, 5 times bagger, 10 cu ft. cart. \$1115. 348-7468 JOHN DEER 5 speed, 48" walk behind mower & Ryan Leap Air lift aerator, with trailer for both. \$1200. 591-2116 LAWSON MOWER - 4 hp. Craftsman, self-propelled, rear bagger, 28" cut. Almost new. Used. 459-2361 LAWN TRACTOR - Simplicity, 10 hp, 42 inch mower, vacuum leaf mulcher, covered wagon, 10 cu ft. cart. \$1200. \$900. 644-2331 riding mower, \$900. 644-2331	721 Hospital-Medical Equipment ELECTRIC CART, 10" wheels, dual battery, \$200. Used 2 months. 477-4628 WHEELCHAIR - leather, medium adult size, removable arms & foot rest. \$350. 247-1056 722 Hobbies COINS & STAMPS LIONEL TRAINS - Full sized, old time & many accessories. Individual collectors please. Birmingham. 851-5314 723 Jewelry A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY See sport rings in the Business Opportunity Section. (Form No. 365)	730 Sporting Goods ANTIQUE Valley Lizard table, 85" long, very good condition. Call Tom. 477-4568 AVITA 500, rowing machine, 2 1/2 years old, \$195. List, \$395. 543-9150 BRUNSWICK, 6H pool table, \$600. After 5pm. 573-3183 CLOSING THIS STORE 25-60% Off. Everything must go. guns, ammo & shooters supplies. Gun Training Post, 66 E. Coors Rd., Ypsilanti, Dearborn Welcome. 485-7210 EXPERIENCED GOLF BALLS! 339,000 \$4 A Dozen Over 200 Used Golf Sets \$25 & Up 4555 River Rd. Blain Jay & Ann Arbor Tr., Livonia After 5pm. 221-2644 TOP \$35 Paid for Used Golf Sets FOOTBALL TABLE, very good condition. Professional style. \$215 or best offer. 221-9162 FULL SET MacGregor Ladies Golf Clubs & bag. Good condition. \$100. 647-7698 GOLF CLUBS - New 1991 Hogan Edge, 5 clubs, graphite shafted \$600/bag. 506-0304 GOLF SALE - golf club set, woods & irons. 476-7165 DACHSHUND HOME RAISED puppies, and adults. AKC varieties. Champion stud show quality. Terms Bob Arnold. 522-9550 DOG KENNEL, portable 6x6x12 ft. 2 years old. Only \$125. 681-8193 \$200 Excellent condition. 420-6030 GERMAN SHEPHERD PUPPY - champion stud, good lines & temperament. Sold males & bitches. Shaded showrooms. Walkers. 476-2777 \$400. 476-2777 GERMAN SHEPHERDS, AKC, established, show homes. Champion bred. 425-7419 GREAT DANES, 18 mo old, pure bred. Wappers. Black & white, finished. Spayed. In good home. 471-0667 HIMALAYAN, male, 1 year old, cream. \$150/bag. \$100/bag. Offer. Ask for Tracy. 592-3411 HIMALAYAN, PERIAN, Exotic. Short hairs. CFA. many colors. Spots & marbles. 699-0318 NEESHOND PUPPS - AKC. Blue, fawn, black, champagne, and show quality. wonderful. Shots, wormed, 7 weeks. 681-8212 KITTENS - Black, well-mannered. Lots to good home. Call after 5pm. 594-1041 KITTENS - Tiger & yellow. \$250. 569-6264 KITTENS to good home. Litter trained. 7 weeks old. 681-1189 LABRADOR RETRIEVER PUPS, AKC, champion bloodline. Black & white. \$300-\$350. 313-727-2819 LHASA APSO PUPS, AKC, shots, champion pedigree, health guaranteed. \$185/bag. \$100/bag. 663-4926 MACAW (PARROT) - Blue/gold, 8 yrs. old, hand trained, perch & cage included. \$1200/bag. 756-6126 MALE SPANIEL MIX, 50 pounds, good personality, shots & Veterinary checked. Call. 855-4131 OLD ENGLISH SHEPHERD, champion bloodline, show quality, wonderful companion, 3 years old. 451-5698 PARROT - Double yellow head, great talk. 664-6688 PERSIAN KITTENS - CFA, well-bred, shots. 634-3739 POMERANIAN AKC, 10 weeks, all supplies, allergic - must see! \$250. 563-3322 POODLES, Adult/Pups, Minis, Toy, Tees, Standard, 16 weeks, health guaranteed. 665-7262 PUREBRED ENGLISH Springer Spaniel - Black/White, 4 1/2 yr. old female. Registered, spayed, housebroken. \$1200. 682-0380 SCHNAUZER MINIATURE, AKC, 6 weeks old, 2 males, 1 female. Black, black & silver. \$225. Eves. 288-5111 SHARPEI TERRIER MIX - 3 yr. old. Male, neutered. Good personality. 855-4136 SHIH-TZU PUPPIES, AKC, shots, housebroken, happy. 579-7024 SHIH-TZU puppy, snappy little dog! Tiny type. 471-7311 SIAMESE CAT - Seaborne, adorable, female, 6 months, de-clawed. \$120. 614-2733 SIBERIAN HUSKY Club - Rescue for good homes for Siberians. 588-7343 SINGING CANARIES - Many colors, imported, \$65 ea. 852-2844 SOFT-COATED Wheaten Terrier. \$250. 349-1687 SOFT-COATED Wheaten Terrier puppy, non-shed. Health guaranteed. AKC. Picking deposits \$133-\$133. 333-3333 A BETTER TRAINED DOG Dog obedience classes, conformation classes, 3 locations. 532-6783 or 726-3561 DOG HOUSES, \$50. Call after 5pm. 928-4250 MACKENZIE Rue Valley Dog Beds \$25.00. 614-2733 REGISTERED APPENZINER Quarter Horse, 16 weeks, 16 weeks, 5 yrs. old, rides western & english. Great Dressage possibility. Green. Shots, wormed, \$1200. \$1200. Form. Call after 5pm. 517-65-5332 LENNON HORSE, (LIVESTOCK) Equipment REGISTERED APPENZINER Quarter Horse, 16 weeks, 16 weeks, 5 yrs. old, rides western & english. Great Dressage possibility. Green. Shots, wormed, \$1200. \$1200. Form. Call after 5pm. 517-65-5332 HONDA ODYSSEY, 350 cc, excellent condition. \$1,700. 855-5653 BOAT SLIP 30' for sale or lease. Call after 5pm. 313-727-2819 SUMMER BOAT DOCKAGE on chain of lakes located 1 hour from west central suburbs. Private store, full camping, beautiful beach. \$1000. Call after 5pm. 313-727-2819 YOUNG'S Marina (313)888-2494 AEROLASER 14' 1990, 40HP Mercury 5 year warranty, easy traveling. \$2995 or best. 643-7951 ALUMINUM 14 ft boat trailer, 9'6" long. \$100. Call after 6pm. 592-9909 ALUMINUM 14 ft. Jon boat, 6 hp Johnson, 1987 trailer. \$500. 546-6554 ARAVA 1989 - 20 ft, bow rider, 230hp outboard, excellent condition. \$1200. Call after 5pm. 615-25-27 BAJA 1985, 160 Suzuki, 60kw, 23HP motor, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$2500. 253-9341 BASS BOAT 1987 - Ranger, excellent condition, 17.5HP motor, custom interior, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$1200. Call after 5pm. 517-515-5255 BAYLINER, 1988, excellent condition, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$1200. Call after 5pm. 517-515-5255 BAYLINER, 1989, Cuddy Cabin, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$1200. Call after 5pm. 517-515-5255 BAYLINER, 1990, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$1200. Call after 5pm. 517-515-5255 BAYLINER, 1991, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$1200. Call after 5pm. 517-515-5255 BAYLINER, 1992, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$1200. Call after 5pm. 517-515-5255 BAYLINER, 1993, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$1200. Call after 5pm. 517-515-5255 BAYLINER, 1994, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$1200. Call after 5pm. 517-515-5255 BAYLINER, 1995, 16' long, 16' wide, 16' high. \$1200. 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