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Teachers: Pay offer is too low



The Wayne-Westland teachers' union made it clear that a board of education offer of a 3-percent salary increase this year and 5 percent next year isn't enough. The union wants a one-year agreement with an 8-percent raise.

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

Wayne-Westland teacher representatives have flatly refused a contract offer that would give local teachers a 3-percent raise this school year and a 5-percent raise next year.

"It's unacceptable. It's not enough," said Robert Kowalczyk, executive director of the 900-member Wayne-Westland Education Association. Teacher leaders had sought a one-year salary increase of 8 percent.

Kowalczyk's comments came Tuesday, on the same day Superintendent Larry Thomas indicated he "could not in good conscience" recommend that the school board approve a higher salary increase.

"I think it's an extremely fair offer," Thomas said.

Teachers who have master's degrees and who are at the top of the salary schedule would earn \$52,755 this school year and \$55,395 next year under the latest proposal.

The proposal also contains a nine-

point educational improvement plan calling for smoke-free schools, elementary parent-teacher spring conferences and an additional work day for teachers in 1993-94, among other measures.

"There is no settlement without them," Thomas said.

The primary dispute, however, has centered on salary increases, and WWEA leaders have demanded that a mediator be brought in to try to break the stalemate between bargaining

teams for teachers and the school board.

Barring an unexpected breakthrough in negotiations, mediator Charles Jamerson, who's now trying to resolve the Detroit teachers' strike, is expected to come to Wayne-Westland in about two weeks. But any recommendation he makes would not be binding.

On Tuesday, Kowalczyk denied rumors that WWEA leaders will encour-

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Making offer public draws fire

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

Superintendent Larry Thomas has drawn criticism for publicly disclosing details of the Wayne-Westland school board's latest contract offer to teachers.

"We don't bargain in public, and that's what he's doing," said Robert Kowalczyk, executive director of the

900-member Wayne-Westland Education Association.

"Oakland County may bargain that way, but he had better face the fact that he's in Wayne-Westland," Kowalczyk added.

Thomas, a longtime Westland resident, had been an associate superintendent in Oakland County's West

Bloomfield district before assuming the helm of the Wayne-Westland district on July 1.

On Tuesday, Thomas defended his decision to announce details of the board's proposal when he met in his office Friday with several district parents

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New busing plan under way



JIM JAGIELLO/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Wrong bus: Transportation Supervisor Steven Woodworth picked up some of the wrong children. For more on the opening day of the new bus system, turn to the story on Page 13A.

Pregnant woman's ex-boyfriend sought for assault

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

A pregnant Westland woman told police her former boyfriend threatened to cut open her stomach, remove her baby and kill her, after he accused her of having sex with other men, police reports said.

Police on Tuesday were seeking a warrant from the Wayne County prosecutor's office, in hopes of charging the 29-year-old man with felonious assault.

The 20-year-old pregnant woman told police her former boyfriend made the threats after he broke into her residence

CRIME

The man had been evicted from the residence two days earlier.

However, the discussion escalated, and the man grabbed an 8-inch knife from the kitchen counter, pointed it at the woman's stomach and told her that he wouldn't allow her to have sex with other men while she was pregnant with his baby, police reports said.

The man then threatened to cut her open and take the baby, she told police. The report didn't indicate how far along the woman was in the pregnancy.

The ex-boyfriend also put the knife to

the woman's throat at one point and threatened to kill her, she said. But he finally left the residence without cutting her.

On Tuesday, police Sgt. Mark Stobbe said police were seeking a warrant from the county prosecutor's office to charge the ex-boyfriend with felonious assault. If the warrant is approved this week, police will try to make the arrest immediately, Stobbe said.

If tried and convicted, the man could face a maximum penalty of four years in prison, Stobbe said.

Police tighten procedures on car auctions

BY LEONARD POGER
EDITOR

The Westland Police Department tightened its procedures on used car auctions within the past year to avoid any appearance of impropriety by the officer who formerly handled the sales, top city officials said Thursday.

The statement was in response to published reports that the State Police investigated the problem two years ago.

Mayor Robert Thomas, in office for just over 2½ years, said he personally met with county prosecutor John O'Hair in late 1990 or early 1991 to urge him to prosecute so that the problem "would be

cleared up and that it wouldn't be hanging over our heads."

The prosecutor declined to prosecute because, according to published reports Thursday, there was insufficient evidence and two witnesses either failed to cooperate or denied knowledge of wrongdoing.

The focus of the Detroit Free Press article on the Westland car auctions, part of an ongoing series on police corruption, was police Lt. John Price, brother of police Chief Emery Price, who handled the car auctions. Since then, the auctions have been reassigned to police Sgt. Peter Brokas.

The state police report was initiated by com-

plaints received about John Price buying cars after the auction at far less than their value.

Thomas, in a telephone interview with the Observer Thursday morning, feels the problem involves a dispute with James Haverstick, who operates Service Towing, which has a contract with the city for towing disabled cars, and Worldwide Auto. But the mayor noted that Haverstick is not listed as owner of either firm although he represents both firms at public meetings.

Chief Emery Price said that Haverstick "felt it was his auction," although it was run by the police department.

Barr is Westland Rotary's 1st woman president

BY LEONARD PÓGER
Editor

Four years ago, women weren't allowed to join Rotary Clubs, one of the country's largest service groups which are made up of a community's business and professional men.

Drive for hurricane victims

Westland residents can help the hundreds of thousands of people left homeless by Hurricane Andrew, thanks to the Westland Rotary Club.

The club announced Friday that it will collect money and supplies for the people in Florida and Louisiana under a program in which Northwest Airlines will fly the materials to the southern

state without charge.

Rotary president Barbara Barr said checks may be made out to Westland Rotary. Money will be used to buy supplies for shipping to the south. Donations of supplies may be dropped at Abington Manor senior citizens' complex on Joy, west of Newburgh. Anyone interested may also call Barr at 451-1155 during business hours.

Barr, who is also active in the Westland Chamber of Commerce and Westland Business and Professional Women's Club, doesn't see her Rotary presidency as breaking any barriers for women in a previously-all male civic group.

The reason has to do with her professional duties as manager and vice president of Abington Manor, a four-year-old senior citizens' apartment complex.

She oversaw the just-completed \$1 million-plus addition of the complex on Joy west of Newburgh.

Barr, 45, isn't the first woman Rotary president or even the first to join the Westland chapter.

The first two, Janet Gillies and Sharon Scott, joined shortly after a U.S. Supreme Court ruling

prohibited clubs from prohibiting women members. Besides Barr, the women members now in the club are Vicki Welty, Margaret Harlow and Nancy Okray.

Since assuming the presidency July 1, Barr said she has several goals for the club.

One is to add 10 to 12 new members to the current membership of 31, promote more fellowship, be more involved in the community and have the public more aware of the club's functions and activities.

Barr, mother of two sons, 23 and 17, and a daughter, 16, grew up in Allen Park and was a licensed nursing home administrator before managing Abington Manor when it opened in the summer of 1988.



Heads Rotary: Barbara Barr, showing her Les Lenton plaque for Rotary service, is the club's first woman president.

Barr announces senior complex expansion

Abington Manor, a four-year-old senior citizens' complex, has a new \$1 million addition and a new activities director.

Barbara Barr, manager and vice president of the complex on Joy west of Newburgh, said the new apartments are larger than those in the existing building.

The new one-bedroom apartments are 720 and 900 square feet, much larger than the existing studio apartments of 400 square feet and 600-square-foot one-bedroom unit. The rentals for the new addition are \$1,190 and \$1,265, re-

■ The new one-bedroom apartments are 720 and 900 square feet, much larger than the existing studio apartments of 400 square feet and 600-square-foot one-bedroom unit.

spectively. Rentals for the existing apartments are \$840 and \$1,050.

She said the addition was built to meet the growing market for seniors' housing. The original building of 96 units has a 100 percent occupancy. The addition al-

ready has four occupants in the first week after it opened.

Barr also announced last week that Abington Manor has a new activities director, Carol Denton, who joined the staff as an assistant seven months ago.

Denton, who was promoted to

director after her predecessor left last month, worked in banks and as a legal secretary before becoming "a professional volunteer."

She returned to an income-producing position at Abington Manor in February, specializing in working with residents in arts and crafts.

In addition, she supervises residents' trips to places the Gem Theater in Detroit, Meadow Brook in Rochester Hills and a luncheon-cruise on the Detroit River.

A native of Allen Park and

graduate of St. Frances Cabrini High School, Denton and her husband chaired a benefit for the Academy of Sacred Heart in Bloomfield Hills.

Barr said she hired Denton seven months ago to supplement the activities director's position with someone with an arts and crafts background.

Denton will also develop a closer liaison of the Abington Manor residents and students at nearby Churchill High School who would be asked to help with trips and other activities.



New director: Carol Denton is the new activities director for Abington Manor senior citizens.

Free ride



Good golfing: James Dickie of Westland takes Ronald McDonald for a ride in the 1992 Capri convertible won for getting closest to the pin during a charity golf benefit recently. The golf event was held for the Ronald McDonald Children's Charities/Cecil Fielder hole-in-one shootout at Country Club Village in Northville. Dickie was one of the event's top 45 golfers who competed for a \$1 million prize for having the first hole-in-one of the event. On the final hole of the benefit, Dickie's shot fell just over 3 feet short of the pin on the 175-yard hole.

Top young women sought

Applications are available local high school seniors to enter the 26th annual Wayne-Westland Young Woman of the Year program, formerly known as the Junior Miss program.

Deadline for applications is Thursday, Sept. 17, said program spokesman Ed Turner.

Eligible contestants must be high school seniors, U.S. citizen, a Westland or Wayne resident or attend a high school in Westland or Wayne.

Applications are to be turned in at the contestant's

high school.

Winner of the program, held annual in early November, will receive \$2,000 in scholarships to the college of her choice without the trappings of a beauty contest, Turner said.

The sponsor of the program is Wayne-Westland Junior Miss, Inc.

Interested persons may contact Lisa Lehman, 721-8206, or their high school's student activities director.

Hospital will expand, open improved cardiology center

Cardiac patients will get more comprehensive diagnosis and treatment from a \$2 million Garden City Hospital expansion, to open Monday, Sept. 21.

The expanded cardiac catheterization lab and cardiology services department will offer the latest technology in diagnostic equipment.

The equipment will allow doctors and other hospital staffers to get more accurate, detailed information about cardiac patients, said Dr. William Back, co-director of cardiology.

Patients previously were given a stress exercise test or an ultrasound test, he said.

But that equipment didn't detect small details such as the arteries surrounding the patient's heart.

"The new equipment allows me to give a more detailed diagnosis and how to treat the problem," Back said.

Under the previous system, important data collected under the catheterization (which has small tubes connected to a patient's heart for diagnosis purposes) couldn't be saved.

Now the catheterization information can be stored and also sent to Potomac Hospital in Farmington Hills or University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor in case the

HEALTH

patient has to be switched to that facility.

In the new exercise room, patients are given supervised treatment with the use of exercise bikes.

"This allows patients to reduce their recuperation time (following cardiac distress) and gets them back to work sooner."

Following use of the hospital's facilities, cardiac patients and family members attended classes dealing with learning how to take a pulse, how to check cardiac warning signs and what to do if there is a cardiac problem.

Patients are also offered classes in life-style changes, such as stopping smoking and eating low-fat foods.

An open house is scheduled noon to 4 p.m. Wednesday to allow employees and visitors to get a close look at the expanded department.

A hospital official said Garden City Hospital has a reputation for having one of the most active and efficient emergency rooms in the region.

"The emergency room crew deals with many life-threatening situations often requiring the involvement of other departments, such as laboratory, pharmacy or radiology,"

said Mitchell Nimmoor, vice president for personnel/community relations.

"One of the most frequent emergency situations is the patient with a cardiac problem," he said, citing the hospital's handling of 4,000 to 5,000 non-surgical cardiac cases a year.

Cardiac patients require the skills and technology of the coronary care and/or intensive care units.

The hospital's efficiency in treating those patients will be improved when the expansion, planned for two years, opens, he said.

Patients and their families will find a color scheme on a monitor, accented by dramatic lighting concepts.

The sounds of the high-tech equipment will be muffled in part by custom cabinetry and paneling. Patients can also select music from a stereo sound system or TV watching to further reduce the sound.

Initially, the department will be open Monday-Friday, but physicians are geared to respond quickly to emergencies and patient needs, Nimmoor said.

When completed this month, the department will be a full-service cardiology unit offering treatment found in major medical centers and university-type facilities.

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BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW
STAFF WRITER

Oakland University's department of music, theater and dance has added a new major program, but had to wipe out a bunch of other majors in order to afford it.

The new major is a catch-all deal that combines studies in musical theater, regular theater and dance, said David Daniels, the department's chief advisor and spokesman. Students may still specialize in favorite study areas, but the new major lets them learn stuff in all the other areas, too.

Although eight graduate and undergraduate major programs were cut to make a hole for the new program, the current recession had little to do with it, Daniels said.

Conceived in the mid 1980s, this consolidation of curriculum was carried out partly in response to changing student demands and partly because reduced state aid was expected, Daniels said.

"We were very conscious that the next few years were going to be lean ones," he said. "It just looked like we needed to find a way to get leaner and meaner, as they say."

On the other hand, declining enrollment in the cancelled major programs convinced officials that continuing to offer them was a waste of time.

Although the new major program begins with the impending fall semester, the forsaken majors were axed two years ago.

Why the delay? Oakland's bureaucracy is mostly to blame, Daniels said. "It just takes forever for (new majors) to get through the hierarchy around here. We've been trying to get this major approved for years and years and years."

Also, over the last few years the department of music, theater and dance got a new chairman, the college of arts and sciences got a new dean, and the university hired a new president. Those changes likewise had much to do with the delay, according to David Downing, assistant dean of the college of arts and sciences.

While one might get the idea from all this that the department of music, theater and dance is shrinking, Downing said that's not true. "Enrollments have been strong and in fact growing," he said.

Daniels said there are about 100 undergraduate students in the department and 50 students, working on master's degrees.

The majors that were cut two years ago to make way for the new major are: bachelor's programs in organ performance, orchestral instruments performance, guitar performance, theory of music, jazz and commercial music, and master's programs in instrumental performance, jazz and Orff Pedagogy.

Madonna class offers tips on solving problems

Madonna University will offer two sections of "Conflict Resolution in the Classroom, at Home and on the Job" this fall.

Each section will take place on a weekend: Friday and Saturday, Sept. 25-26, and Friday and Saturday, Nov. 13-14. The workshop will meet from 6-10 p.m. on Fridays and from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Saturdays.

The goal of the workshop is to provide participants with knowl-

edge and skills in conflict resolution/management in the classroom, at home, and on the job. A theoretical framework rooted in non-violence is presented as well as a practical hands-on conflict resolution model based on the framework.

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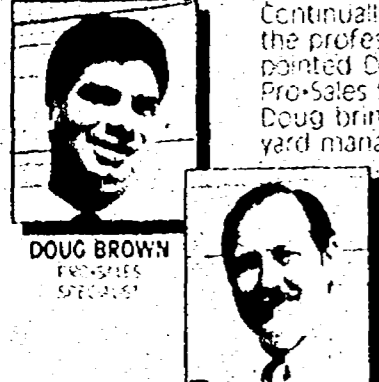
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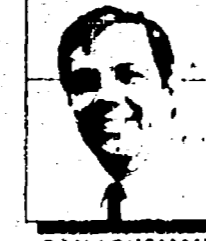
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Fund-raiser to benefit Senate candidate

BY WAYNE PEAL
STAFF WRITER

Carol Moseley Braun is running for the U.S. Senate — in Illinois. She'll be the beneficiary of a Thursday, Sept. 16 fund-raiser — in Detroit.

Anything unusual about that? "Not a thing," said event co-organizer Julia Pate of Bloomfield Hills. "Men have been doing it this way for years."

Braun herself may be the most unusual candidate in any race this year.

As a black woman, her election to the U.S. Senate would be precedent-setting.

Her Democratic primary victory

over two better-known, better-financed male candidates, including incumbent Al Dixon, already ranks as perhaps this year's biggest political upset.

"This is probably the most important race in the country and probably the most historic, too," said Ruth Broder of West Bloomfield.

Broder, an aide to Michigan Sen. Carl Levin, and fund-raising director of Levin's three Senate campaigns, is among the political pros brought on board for the Braun fund-raiser at the newly refurbished Gem Theater.

Resentment over the appointment of U.S. Supreme Court Justice

Clarence Thomas clearly helped Braun in the March primary. But insiders say she's now building a coalition of blacks, feminists and other liberal activists.

Braun, recorder of deeds for Chicago-area Cook County, faces little-known Republican Rich Williamson in November.

"I think she has an excellent chance of winning," said Lanie Pincus of Southfield, former owner of the London Chop House, and another of the recognizable area women backing the project.

Efforts started small.

"There were six of us who started and we decided that hundreds of others would probably like to help, too," Pate said.

A series of \$10 to \$100 contributions — some from men — has already produced \$9,000 for Braun's campaign.

But contributors aren't directly affiliated with EMILY's List, the nationwide fund-raising PAC for female, Democratic candidates.

Ironically, Braun's primary win shows money need not be the determining factor.

There she raised a mere \$87,805, compared with nearly \$350,000 for rival Albert Hofeld and an estimated \$1.5 million for Dixon.

This time, though, her backers are taking nothing for granted.

"This is the year of the woman," Pate said. "We want to help make it so."

Attorney to address local business women

Nancy Diehl, Wayne County assistant prosecuting attorney, will be the featured speaker at the Thursday, Sept. 17, meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Organization.

Diehl, an advocate for children during her seven years as director of the child abuse unit for the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office, will discuss

the community approach to child sexual abuse and empowering children in the criminal justice system.

A graduate of Wayne State University Law School, Diehl is a member of Gov. John Engler's Task Force on Children's Justice.

On the Board of Directors of the Out Wayne County Council on

Child Abuse and Neglect since 1987, she received that organization's Service to Children Award in 1990.

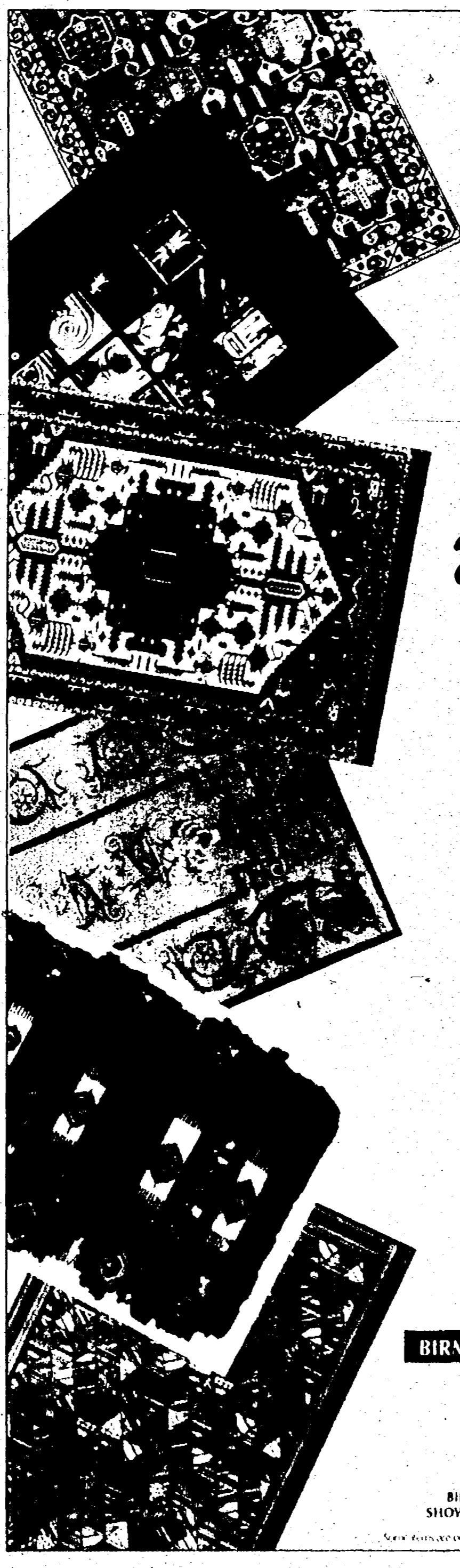
A social hour begins at 6 p.m. followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. and program at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia (southeast corner of

Schoolcraft and Levan roads off the Jeffries Freeway).

Cost is \$7 per person which includes dinner and program.

The public is welcome, however, space is limited.

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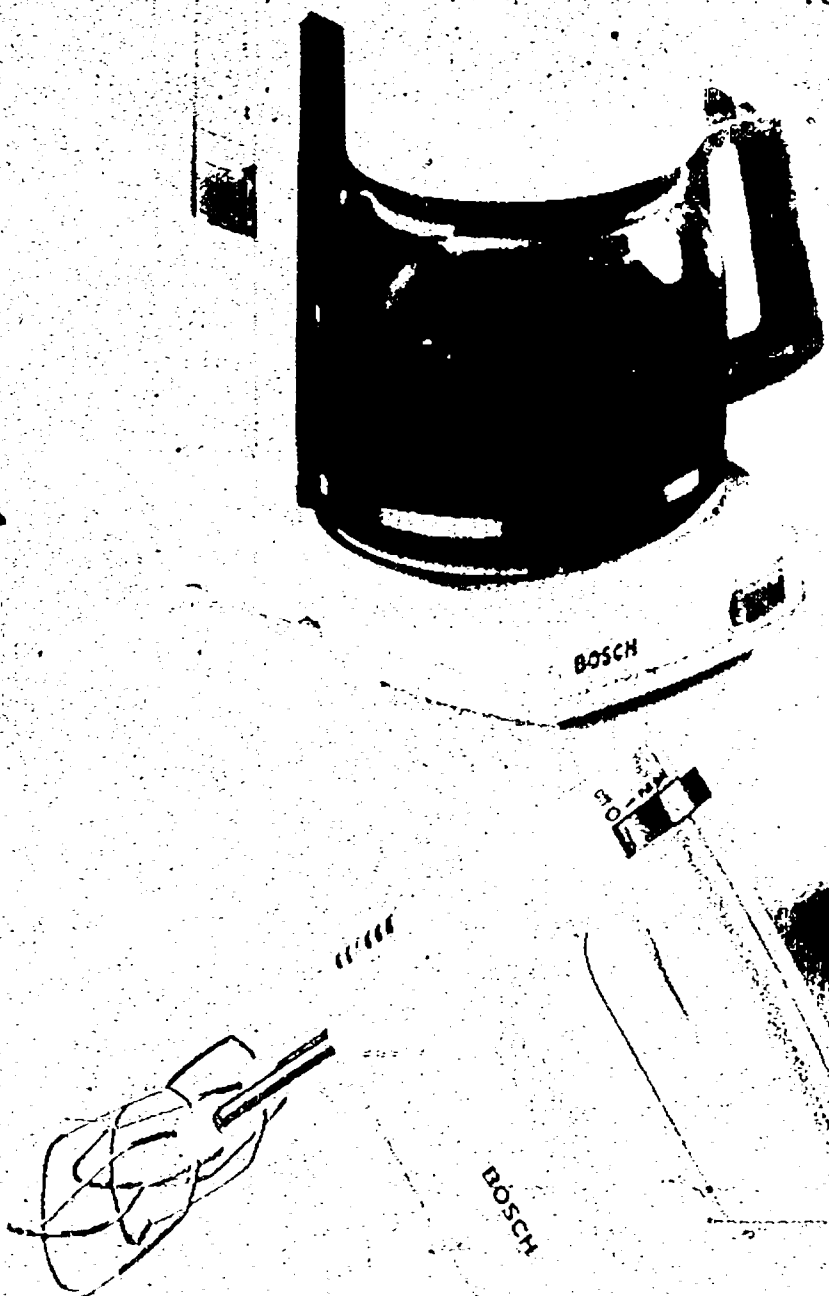
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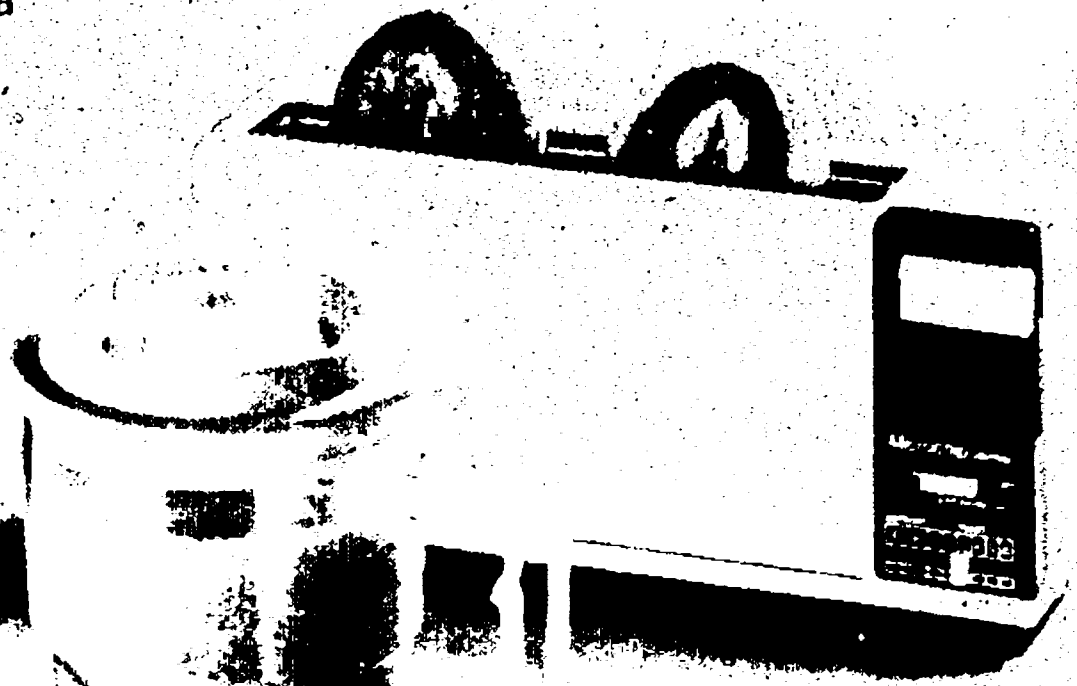


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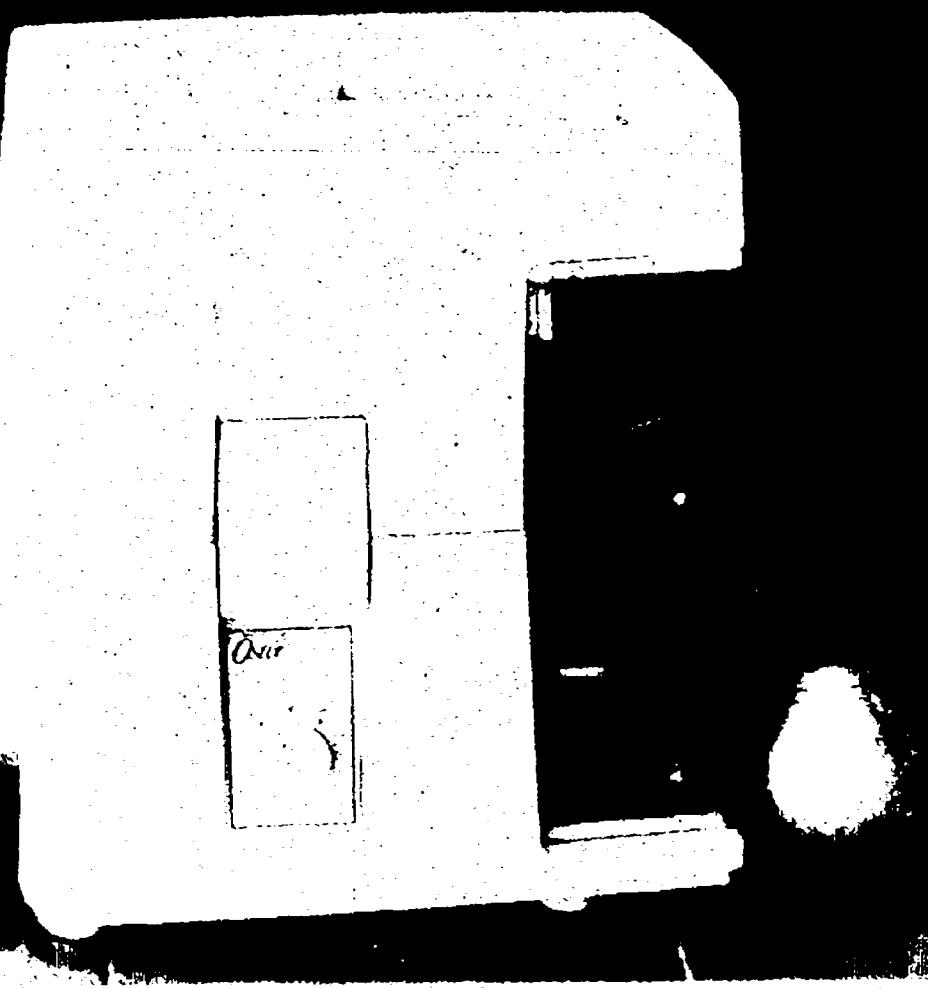
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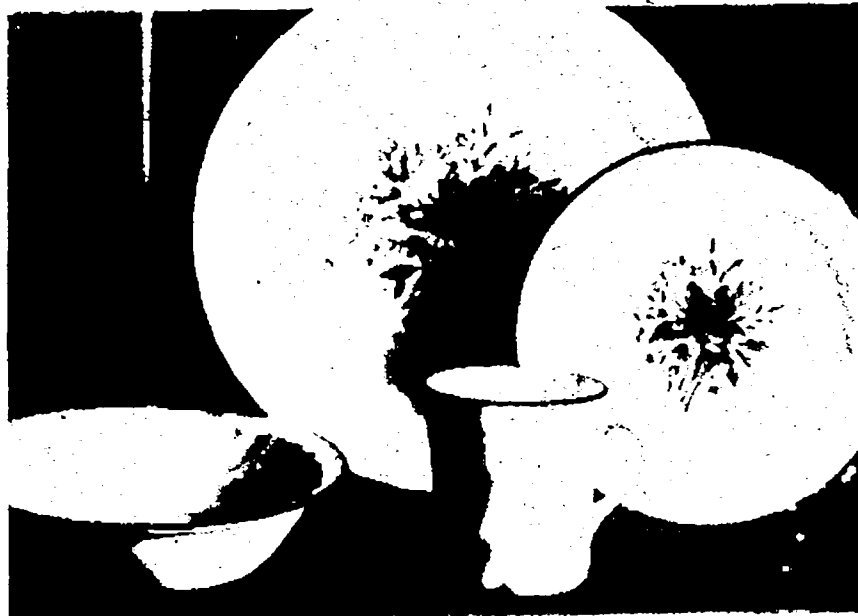
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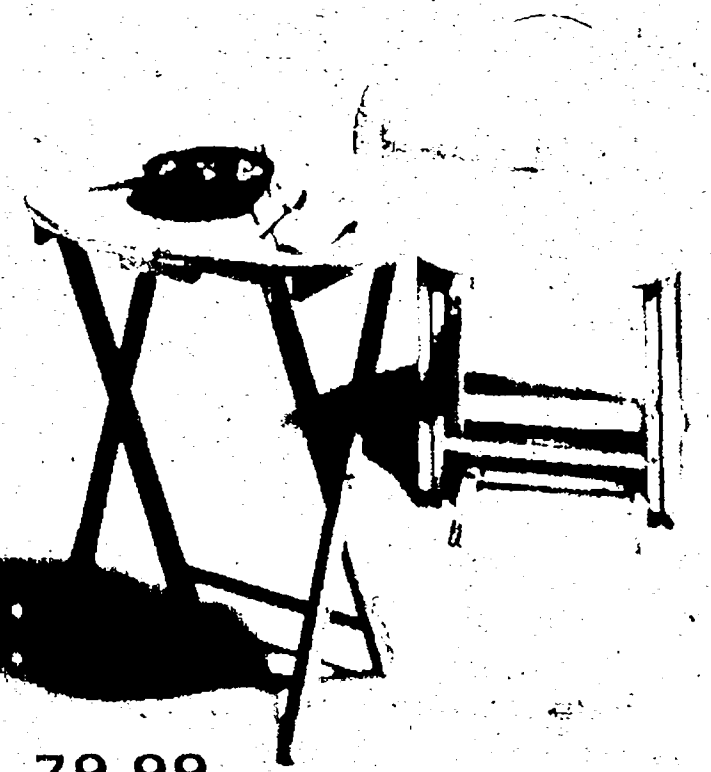
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American stress levels rise as recession goes on

Stress has always been with us, but researchers say it has doubled in the past six years. Lately, already high stress levels have been intensified by the emotional and financial strains associated with the recession.

In an economic downturn, growing numbers of people become unemployed or are in danger of losing their jobs. Many suffer from low self-esteem, family stress and burnout due to financial woes.

It's no wonder that almost half of the working population feels highly stressed and it makes one in four sick, according to a study by Northwestern National Life Insurance Company.

A buildup of negative stress can cause both physical and emotional problems. Exhaustion, headaches, hypertension, depression, anxiety, substance abuse and insomnia are just some of the symptoms of

stress-related illness. "Stress affects the entire family," said Susan Green, director of the adult program at The Psychiatric Center of Michigan Hospital. "If a parent loses his or her job, the change in financial circumstances and resulting family pressures can cause young children to react strongly and adolescents to act out of control."

One of the main causes of stress is a lack of control over life events. Employees facing possible layoffs are vulnerable as are those who want to find a new job but feel trapped because of the recession. People who are flexible and have a high self-esteem are better able to handle stress.

Why it happens

Stress occurs for many reasons — mounting pressures, shrinking time and worries about steering children

through the minefield of crack, AIDS and crime.

"In the free-wheeling '80s, we spent without thinking," said Green. "During the economic upheaval of the '90s, we're struggling for basic survival."

Depression is one reaction to high levels of stress and is by far the most common adult mental health problem. Nine million Americans suffer from depression each year, according to the American Psychiatric Association.

A depressed person will seem sad and withdrawn and may experience fatigue, loss of appetite, an inability to concentrate and insomnia.

If someone can't seem to get out of bed each morning, is unable to work or concentrate, and generally functions under a "black cloud," he or she should be evaluated by a professional, Green said.

Anxiety, an uncomfortable feeling

of dread characterized by nervousness, tension and apprehension, is one of the more commonly recognized symptoms of stress. They physical reactions to anxiety include headaches, dizziness, lack of energy, palpitations, nausea and tremors.

Some anxiety due to financial insecurity, job worries or family discord is unavoidable. However, if someone is afraid to leave the house or panics under what might be considered normal circumstances, the problem deserves a medical evaluation, Green said.

According to the APA, alcohol and drug abuse afflict an estimated 25.5 million Americans. Problems with alcohol and drugs often worsen when someone loses a job. The economy takes them down and drugs keep them there, Green said.

Substance abuse victims can't control their use and become intoxi-

cated on a regular basis.

When someone repeatedly tries to stop using drugs, but fails, even though drug use interferes with his or her ability to get or keep a job, it's time to seek professional help.

"You may not be able to change your life overnight, but you can change your perspective, reduce some of the stress points in your life so you can feel more relaxed and in control," Green said.

Easing stress

Green has a few tips on easing stress during pressure-filled times:

- Keep expectations reasonable; concentrate on smaller goals.
- Don't be too hard on yourself. Cut yourself some slack and learn to live with imperfection.
- Know when to say no. You'll feel stressed and resentful if you take on too much. Asking for help and admitting you have limitations

free you from potential negative stress.

• Take a time-out. Create time that's all your own. Go for a long walk, lunch with a friend or whatever makes you feel relaxed.

• Give your body a break. Eat sensibly, cut back on caffeine and nicotine and get enough sleep.

• Exercise. Walking and jogging can relieve mental strain and make you feel better.

• Reduce your rush hour. Set your alarm clock 15 minutes earlier to cut down on early morning stress.

• Organize. Make realistic to-do lists and prioritize.

• Don't take your anger out on the wrong person. A lot of family stress is actually generated outside the home. Talk over the problem with the person who upset you.

• Maintain a sense of humor. Laughter is often the best medicine.

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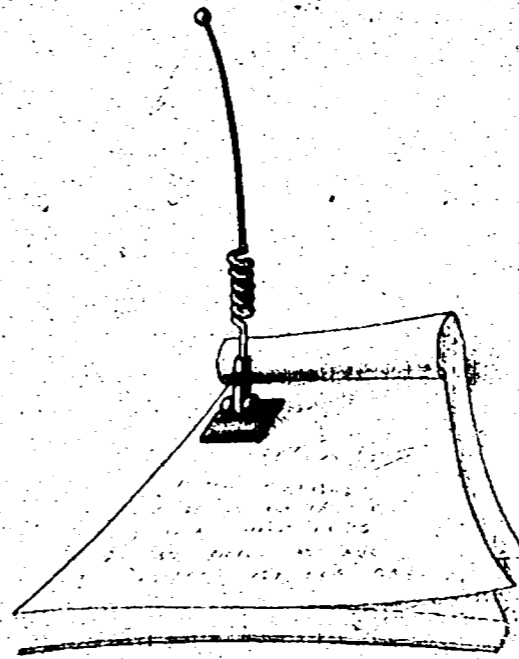
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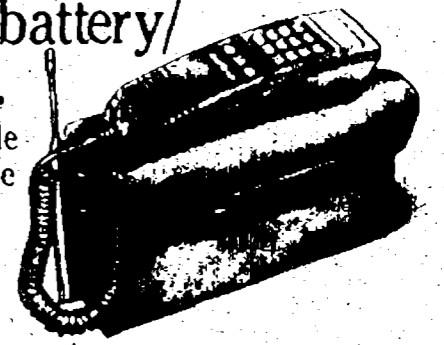
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GOP task force pushes school funding changes

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

The idea hit state Rep. Jan Dolan about the same time her Farmington school district lost \$5.75 million in state funds through "recapture."

"The suburbs are suffering from recapture," said the second-term Republican.

"Then we looked at Benton Harbor. We can't afford another Benton Harbor. It's only 4.5 square miles in area and has 12,500 people, but its zip code takes about \$37 million to \$40 million of the Department of Social Services budget. And that's just a holding pattern."

The conclusion: Suburban school districts from Rochester to Plym-

outh-Canton are being punished by withdrawal of state dollars that are re-shuffled into:

- Welfare just to keep people alive.
- Subsidies to school districts in cities that have awarded generous property tax abatements to business.

Led task force

So House Republican leader Paul Hillegonds named Dolan 14 months ago to head a GOP Task Force on Urban Strategy and Community Redevelopment.

Formerly a 14-year Farmington Hills councilwoman, Dolan led a team that studied a subject Republicans rarely talk about — crumbling cities, their heavy property taxes and redevelopment. Other members were from St. Joseph, Muskegon, Midland, and Howell.

into because it's a sound business," Dolan said as the task force recently unveiled a 33-point program.

Tax breaks hit

Key target is the property tax abatement — the state law under which cities give companies a 12-year 50 percent tax break in order to lure economic development. In Benton Harbor's case there is an even more generous "enterprise zone" of tax breaks.

"A lot of Detroit is tax-abated. It creates big inequities, and the people pick up the tab," Dolan said, pointing to the central city's 94-mill tax rate (versus 54 mills or less in the suburbs).

Under the task force plan, tax abatements wouldn't be outlawed, but they would be subject to performance contracts. If the company promised 500 jobs and hired only 400, it would lose one-fifth of its

abatement, under the GOP plan.

"Performance" contracts should establish specific goals and protect the interests of the community. If a business fails to make a good faith effort, the contract should be voided and taxes recalculated," Dolan said. "Taxpayers of Michigan don't benefit if businesses are granted tax abatements and then move on to other communities where better tax abatements are offered. In effect, the unabated companies are subsidizing the competition."

An Ypsilanti lawmaker told Dolan tax breaks weren't bad because "the state makes it up" to schools. Her counterpunch: "Ypsilanti's money came out of Livonia, Farmington and Birmingham schools."

Expertise needed

Small cities often lack fiscal expertise. "They can't hire a Bill Costick," Dolan said referring to her

city's manager.

So the task force recommended guidance and financial training by the state and a "fiscal early warning system" in the state Treasury Department. "This system could signal financial trouble and allow immediate intervention before a crisis erupts," she said.

Such cities also need workshops in how to use existing state and federal programs, the task force said. Their officials would be required to attend workshops before their cities are eligible for emergency loans.

Other key ideas:

• Community development — technical assistance by the state and volunteers in neighborhood revival.

• Human development — expand early childhood intervention; require welfare recipients to go to school or train for jobs, and find transportation and child care for

them; develop incentives for obtaining prenatal care.

• Housing development — ease cities' ability to demolish abandoned buildings; give tax breaks for new housing in targeted older cities; make tax-reverted property available to qualified community groups.

"These ideas are not all funded," said Dolan. But she argues that they set up priorities for the state to help its creatures, the cities, before and when they get into trouble.

The task force is one of a dozen House Republicans have set up under the guidance of Rep. Frank Fitzgerald of Grand Ledge.

While majority Democrats rarely accept the ideas hook, line and sinker, Fitzgerald said they help the GOP craft amendments and improvements to existing bills and make caucus members experts in their areas.

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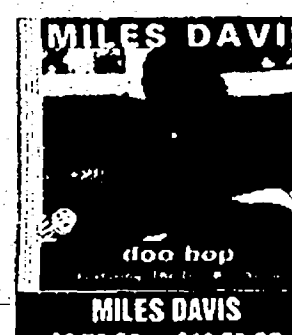
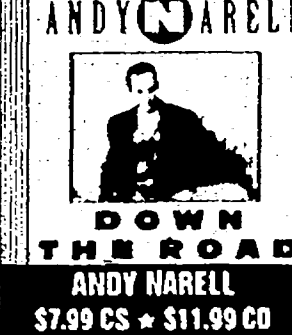
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Medical experts and national leaders in the field of women's healthcare will discuss the special health risks women face, the issues surrounding women's health and ways to reduce the risks.

U.S. Rep. Patricia Schroeder, a Democrat from Colorado, will be the featured speaker from 4:15-5 p.m.

In addition to the opening sessions, those attending the forum may attend two of 10 workshops offered. Workshop offerings include: "Breast, Cervical and

Ovarian Cancer," "Heart Disease and High Blood Pressure," "Women and AIDS," "Sexual Assault/Campus Safety," "Minority Women's Health Issues," "Health Insurance - Access to Health Care," "Nutrition, Weight Control and Eating Disorders," "Stress and Depression," "Reproductive and Maternal Health and Menopause," and "Women and the Aging Process."

Registration and refreshments are set from 11:30 a.m. to noon.

The free program is sponsored by U.S. Reps. William D. Ford and John Dingell.

Ford, a Democrat whose district includes Plymouth, Canton, Garden City, Westland and part of Livonia and Dingell, a Demo-

crat representing downriver areas will be joined by state Sen. Lana Pollack, D-Ann Arbor, in opening remarks from noon to 1 p.m.

To get to McKenny Union from I-94 take the Huron Street Exit (Exit 183) and head north on Huron. Turn left onto West Cross and go approximately 1/4 mile (there will be a large water tower on the left). McKenny is on the right across from the water tower.

From U.S. 23, take the Washtenaw Avenue East Exit. Go east on Washtenaw for approximately 2.5 miles. Take a left onto Oakwood; McKenny Union is on the right.

For more information on the forum, call 722-1411.

Panel seeks feedback from residents

Wayne County residents interested in sharing their opinions on health care, families, neighborhoods, basic human needs and poverty-related issues are invited to a community forum at 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 17, in the Wayne County Regional Educational Services Agency, Annex Building, 33500 Van Born Road, Wayne.

The forum is the first of five sessions scheduled throughout metro Detroit by the Community Needs Assessment Partnership, a newly formed coalition of 19 area organizations, said Ed Scribner, chairman of the partnership and president of the Metropolitan Detroit AFL-CIO Council. A forum for policymakers also is planned.

More than 12,000 people and organizations are being invited to attend the forums, according to Partnership Communications Commit-

■ The forums are part of a massive effort to determine the most pressing needs of the metro Detroit area.

tee Co-Chair Geneva J. Williams, president and chief executive officers, United Community Services of Metropolitan Detroit.

The forums will be convened by UCS.

Those interested should call 226-9395 by Sept. 14 to confirm attendance and get more information.

The forums are part of a massive effort to determine the most pressing needs of the metro Detroit area.

Information received will be used by service providers, funding source-

es and the community at large to establish programs, to work toward solving problems and to develop collaborative efforts and funding requests.

In addition to UCS, the partnership includes: Citizen Research Council of Michigan, city of Detroit mayor's office, Community Foundation for Southeastern Michigan, Detroit Economic Growth Council, Detroit Renaissance Inc., Greater Detroit Area Health Council, Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce, Hudson-Wehber Foundation, Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Detroit, W.K. Kellogg Foundation and the McGregor Fund, Metropolitan AFL-CIO Council, Michigan Department of Social Services-Wayne County, New Detroit Inc., United Way for Southeastern Michigan and Wayne State University-Center for Urban Studies.

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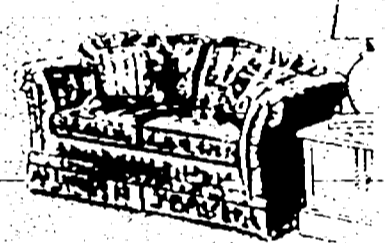


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Award winner

Mary Taylor has won the Westland Convalescent Center's exceptional service award for September. Taylor, afternoon nursing supervisor, has worked at the facility, on Warren Road near Central City Parkway, for 15 years. She was promoted to her current position in 1986. A Plymouth resident, Taylor is married and the mother of five.

Completes duty

Michael Sims of Westland has completed a tour of active military duty at Fort McCoy, Wis. Sims is a member of the 300th military police command Army reserves headquartered in Inkster.

Cheaper bus plan start 'smooth'

A Livonia school district administrator says the first day of the new transportation system went relatively smoothly. But a group of St. Michael School parents continue questioning the plan, intended to save the district money in the wake of state revenue cuts.

By BRIAN LYSAGHT
STAFF WRITER

Under gray skies and occasional drizzle Tuesday morning, yellow buses carrying hundreds of youngsters arrived at Frost Middle School, in the Livonia school district which serves northern Westland. There, the students changed buses and rode off to school.

It was the first day of the district's new bus system, which uses Frost, on Stark north of I-96, as a transfer area for 25 buses, most carrying private school students. One bus broke down and one new bus driver picked up some kids she wasn't supposed to.

But transportation chief Charles Ritter, who carried a two-way radio and criss-crossed the parking lot on foot, said the first day went relatively smoothly.



JIM JACDFELD/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Where's my bus?: Students try to find their buses Tuesday after Livonia Schools set up a new transfer center at Frost Middle School. Not all parents were pleased. All the students boarded the right bus and made it to school, however.

"Tomorrow it will get a little better and by the end of the week we'll be running a pretty tight ship," said Ritter, the district's assistant director of operations.

About two dozen parents watched the scene, and some disagreed with Ritter. They said they were concerned about kids' safety. Two parents used video cameras to record the scene.

"I don't want my kids getting hurt," said Westland resident Terry Czekaj, parent of a student at St. Michael Catholic School, on Hubbard south of Plymouth.

Under the new plan, students from six private schools and students enrolled in the district's gifted students' program ride their neighborhood bus to the transfer-point at Frost.

The new busing arrangement results from a \$130,000 cut in the district's transportation budget that followed state school funding reductions, Ritter said.

Of the 8,000 students riding Livonia district buses daily, 1,500 attend non-public schools in the district.

Some parents said the transportation cuts were unfair and were communicated poorly to parents by school officials.

"They're trying to hurt parents where they hurt the most — their kids," said Kathy Blaharski, another St. Michael's parent.

"It's scary," said Randy Webster, a St. Genevieve parent.

The parents also said the system lacks adequate adult supervision, and that changing buses in bad weather was unhealthy for kids. On Tuesday, youngsters waited outside for several minutes before boarding buses.

Ritter said the children will eventually stay on buses except for a brief walk outside to change. He said two adults were assigned to supervise the parking lot. More would be added if needed.

"The safety of these children is utmost in our minds," said Ritter.

Joe Slavin of Dearborn followed in his car the bus his two grandchildren rode to Frost. The bus passed their school, St. Edith, twice enroute to Frost.

"How can they be saving money on this?" Slavin asked.

Ritter said the plan uses seven fewer buses, and thus is cheaper.

Of the protesting parents, Ritter said: "These people have been snapping at my heels for the last two weeks. It's a group of five parents from St. Michael's."

Blaharski said she and other parents will continue to challenge the new plan. Ron Brutlag, St. Paul's Lutheran School principal, had no complaints as he stood in the parking lot ready to guide his pupils.

"It's worked out pretty good so far," Brutlag said. "I don't see any problems."



Kathy Blaharski: She is concerned about kids' safety under the new arrangement.

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St. Raphael Catholic Church will hold a benefit festival from Friday through Sunday, Sept. 18-20 on the church grounds, Merriman north of Fords. There will be free entertainment as well as games, dinners and children's rides. 422-5623 or 595-0300.

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St. Matthew Lutheran Church, on Venoy north of Ford, will hold its third annual hog roast picnic and friendship event at noon, Sunday, Sept. 13, with church and school groups to have display booths in the school gym.

CRAFTS
Good Shepherd Reformed Church, on Wayne Road at Hunter, Westland, will hold a craft sale from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 14, in the church. Crafters are needed for displays. Table rentals are \$25 each. 721-0304 or 728-0751 evenings.

FOR YOUTHS

CHEERLEADING
Spiritors Cheerleading Squad will sponsor registration for Youth Cheerleading (beginners ages 5-12) to be held through Sept. 13 in Garden City Maplewood Center. Classes start Tuesday, Sept. 22. 729-8417.

IRISH DANCING
The Irish Dancers' Booster Club is accepting new students for classes starting in

September. Classes are for boys and girls age 5 years and older. They offer opportunities for solo and group competitions and many shows throughout the year. 455-8348.

CLUB CALL

BIRD BANDING
The Holliday Park Preservation Association will hold a bird banding demonstration at 9 a.m. Saturday, at the Koppernick entrance to the nature preserve, south of Joy and west of Hix. 722-4446.

BPW MEETS
Nancy Diehl, Wayne County assistant prosecuting attorney, will be the featured speaker at the Thursday, Sept. 17, meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Organization. Diehl will discuss the community approach to child sexual abuse and empowering children in the criminal justice system. A social hour begins at 6 p.m. followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. and program at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia (southeast corner of I-96 and Levan). Cost is \$7 per person which includes dinner and program. The public is welcome, however, space is limited. Reservations must be made by noon Monday, Sept. 14 to Joyce Pappas of the Garden City BPW at 422-7030.

VETERANS
The Vietnam Veterans of America, Chapter 387, Westland, will host a POW-MIA recognition day dance at 8 p.m., Friday, Sept. 18, in the Bova VFW Hall, on Hix south of Warren Road. The theme will be based on the "China Beach" TV series. Admission is \$6. There will be prizes for the best costumes. Live music will be provided by the Basement Club. 728-3231.

XI ZETA
The Xi Zeta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 16, in the home of Ina Rettig, 8173 Donna, Westland. Jane Lupton will present a program on rape prevention. 464-6814.

WESTLAND JAYCEES
Westland Jaycees meet 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month in the Bova VFW Post, Hix Road south of Warren. Hotline 722-1630.

HOMELESS
Active Friends of the Homeless will meet 9:30-11:30 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 29, in the First United Methodist Church of Northville, Eight Mile and Taft Road. Ronaele 427-9063 or Carolann 349-2325.

CORVETTE CLUB
The Corvette Club of Michigan meets 8 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of each month in Les Stanford Chevrolet, Dearborn. Glenn Simms 675-5633 or Paul Jenkins 981-4254.

FUN-SEEKERS
Fun-Seekers, adults 21 years of age and older, meets the first and third Saturdays of each month for activities such as whirlyball, moonlight bowling, splatball, riverboat dinner cruise and theme parties, wallyball, volleyball, softball and pool league, camping trips, canoeing, rafting and Cedar Point. 522-2166.

HOT LIONS
Thursdays — The Westland Hot Lions Club meets 6:30 p.m. the second and fourth Thursdays of the month, in the Red Lobster Restaurant on Wayne Road, north of Ford.

CAMARO BUFFS
The new Eastern Michigan Camaro Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of each month at Gordon Chevrolet, on Ford west of Metri-man, and at 7:30 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month at Ramchargers, on Plymouth Road just west of Levan, Livonia. 326-5658.

TOASTMASTERS
The Advocates Toastmasters Speakers Club will present a demonstration meeting at 7 p.m., Monday, Sept. 14, in St. Matthews Lutheran Church, on Venoy north of Ford. The Advocates Toastmasters Speakers Club provides advanced technology in the art of training of speakers. The group meets at 6:30 p.m. Thursdays at the church. 728-4774 or 427-5585.

HOLY SMOKE MASTERS
Thursdays — The Holy Smoke Masters Toastmasters Club meet on Thursday at 6 p.m. in Denny's Restaurant, 7725 N. Wayne Road. 455-1639.

AMBASSADORS
Ambassador Junior Civitan is seeking young people ages 13-18 for community service activities. The club meets the first and third Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Westland Historical, Cultural and Community Meeting House, 36993 Marquette, east of Newburgh. 729-5409.

SCHOOL GROUP
The Wayne-Westland Citizens for Education Commit-

tee meets 7:30 p.m. the second Friday of each month in the Westland Historical, Cultural and Meeting House (formerly the Rowe House), 37025 Marquette. The group informs citizens of important issues regarding the community schools. 729-1748.

PURPLE HEART
The Military Order of Purple Heart meets 8 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month in the VFW Hall on Ford Road, west of Venoy. Meetings are open to combat-wounded vets.

HISTORY ON VIEW

QC HISTORY
The Garden City Historical Museum is open 1-4 p.m. Wednesdays in the Log Cabin, on Cherry Hill east of Merriman. Admission is free.

VOLUNTEERS

HOSPICE
Hospice Services of Western Wayne County Inc. is currently meets at 7:30 p.m. every Thursday in the Garden City Education Center (the former Harrison School), on Harrison, north of Maplewood. Call Delores Grenke at 427-8824.

WHY WEIGHT
Why Weight, a support group for adults in the process of losing or maintaining weight, meets at 7 p.m. every Monday, in Garden City Hospital, Room 3 in the basement, 6245 Inkster Road at Maplewood. 721-6624.

SENIOR CITIZENS
The Wayne-Westland school district's Dyer Senior Adult Center has activities Monday through Thursday at the center on Marquette between Wayne Road and Newburgh. Mondays, Senior Chorus at 1:30 p.m.; Tuesdays, arts, crafts and needlework at 9:30 a.m.; Wednesdays, Kitchen Band, 10 a.m., bingo at 1 p.m., and Thursdays, ceramics, arts, crafts at 9:30 a.m.

HAWAIIAN DANCE
A Hawaiian dance exercise class will be held at 1 p.m. every Wednesday in the Senior Resources Department

(Friendship Center), 1119 Newburgh Road, Hall A. Instructor is Kammo Oris. Sign up at the front desk or call 722-7632.

SUPPORT GROUPS

ENCORE
ENCORE, The National YWCA Postmastectomy Discussion, Exercise and Support Program for women meets 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. every Thursday at the Forum Health Club in Westland. Kim Wooster 561-4110.

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS
A new support group for families and friends of people with MS meets 7-9 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at the Inkster Recreation Complex, 2025 Middlebelt. Call Betty Priest, 852-6613.

CARDIAC GROUP
The Garden City Hospital Cardiac Support Group meets 7-9 p.m. on the first Monday of each month in Room 5 of the hospital's community and health education center on Harrison north of Maplewood. Reservations aren't required. 458-3248.

MENTAL ILLNESS
A support group for the families and friends of those with chronic mental illness meets 7-9 p.m. the first and third Thursday of every month in Annapolis Hospital-Westland Center Conference Room A, 2345 Merriman.

SMOKERS ANONYMOUS
A 12-step support group meets for those who have the desire to — or who have already — quit smoking. Meetings are at 7:15 p.m. Thursdays at Garden City Hospital Health and Education Center, Harrison north of Maplewood, classroom 5. Call 421-3300, Ext. 266.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT
Members of a support group for Alzheimer's Disease meet at 2 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month in the Westland Convalescent Center, 36137 Warren Road. 728-6100.

CHILDBIRTH
The Plymouth Childbirth Education Association offers

childbirth preparation classes at several locations. Morning and evening classes are available, as well as newborn care and Caesarean preparation classes. For more information, call 459-7477.

PARKINSON SUPPORT
Group for people with Parkinson's disease meets the second Tuesday of the month in Livonia. 459-0216 or 421-4208.

WEIGHT LOSS
The Beeliners, a self-help support group for weight loss meet at 11 a.m. every Saturday in Garden City Hospital's new medical office, Room 3, in the basement, 6245 Inkster Road near Maplewood. 261-4048.

SOCIAL SERVICES

YLC
Youth Living Centers, an agency serving abused and neglected children, needs volunteers to interact with children in group home, foster care and supervised independent living programs. 563-5005.

FOSTER CARE
Youth Living Centers needs people to open up their homes to young people ages 1-14 in foster care. Many support services are given to the foster parents to ensure the best possible experience for both child and new foster parents. 728-3400.

YOUTH ASSISTANCE
Garden City Youth Assistance provides free and confidential counseling services to youths ages 7-16 and their families. 525-8836.

JOBS
Part-time jobs are available for low-income men and women 55 and older through the Senior Community Service Employment Program. 722-2830.

TELE CARE
The Telephone Reassurance Program, city of Westland's Department On Aging, is reaching out to seniors who are shut-ins, lonely or sick. The Telcare women make 250 calls daily to seniors. 722-7660 or 722-2661.

TRAVEL

TRAVEL GROUP
Fridays — The Travel Group meets 12:45 p.m. every Friday in the Westland Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh, unless a trip or special program is planned. Program includes speakers, films, celebration of birthdays and weekly door prizes. There is a \$3 membership fee for residents; \$12.50 for non-residents. 722-7632.

DYER CLUB
The Dyer Seniors' Center Travel Club meets the first and third Thursday of each month in the Wayne-Westland school board office, on Marquette between Wayne Road and Newburgh.

KIDS ONLY

GYMNASTICS CLASSES
Gymnastics classes for children 3 and older will begin the week of Sept. 14 in the Livonia YMCA. Children will progress from forward rolls to double twists. All instructors certified. 261-2161.

MEN'S BARBERSHOP
The Renaissance Chorus needs men who enjoy singing barbershop harmony. An ability to carry a tune is all that's necessary. Rehearsals are at 7:30 p.m. every Tuesday in Newburg United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail east of Newburgh in Livonia. Ken Casey, 591-1362. Walter Wolosiewicz, 421-6935.

SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE

NORTH LIVONIA CO-OP
Open House will be 6:30-8 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 11, in North Livonia Co-op Preschool. New location is Timothy Lutheran Church, 8820 Wayne Road at Joy. Sandy 421-7145.

CO-OP NURSERIES

OPENINGS
Following is a listing of openings and enrollment information for nursery co-ops in Livonia.

• McKinley Cooperative Preschool Inc., 9101 Hillcrest east of Merriman and north of Joy in Livonia, has openings for the parent and tot program and 3-year-old classes. Cathy, Linda 421-6391 or Lori, 522-7372.

• McKinley Cooperative Preschool, 9101 Hillcrest east of Merriman and north of Joy in Livonia, has openings available for 3- and 4-year-olds for the 1992-93 school year. Three-year-olds meet Monday and Wednesday afternoons, Tuesday and Thursday mornings. Four-year-olds meet Monday and Wednesday mornings, Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Fridays, Parent and Tot in the morning. Tammy (4-year-old) 471-2607; Lori (3-year-old) 522-7372; Linda (tots) 421-6391.

• Mt. Hope Co-op Nursery, 30330 Schoolcraft, has openings available for 3- and 4-year-olds for the 1992-93 school year. Three-year-olds meet 9:15-11:15 a.m. Tuesdays-Thursdays and four-year-olds 9:15-11:15 a.m. Mondays-Wednesdays. Linda, 462-3644

• North Livonia Co-op Preschool in Timothy Lutheran Church, 8820 Wayne Road, Livonia, is accepting applications for the 1992-93 school year. Openings are available for the morning or afternoon classes for 3-year-olds and 4-year-olds. 421-7145

C A L E N D A R F O R M

The Observer Newspapers welcome Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Westland Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI. 48150, or by fax to 313-591-7279. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper. Call 953-2107 if you have any questions.

Event: _____

Date and Time: _____

Location: _____

Telephone: _____

Additional info: _____

Use additional sheet if necessary

SINGLES CONNECTION

SINGLES

GROWTH WORKSHOP
Single Point of the First United Methodist Church of Northville will sponsor an "opportunity for growth" workshop for three consecutive Thursdays, Sept. 17 and 24 and Oct. 1 at the church, 200 E. Main, Northville. A donation of \$26 is asked. Bettina Edwards will direct the workshop, entitled "People Who Love Too Much." 349-0911

DINNER
U.S. Singletons will hold a dinner social at 7 p.m., Friday, Sept. 11, at Angelo's Restaurant, 33530 Ford, between Venoy and Wildwood, Westland. Cocktails will start at 6 p.m. The group is for singles for 45 and older. For other activities, write U.S. Singletons, P.O. Box 2175, Fort Dearborn Station, Dearborn 48123.

DIVORCE RECOVERY
Single Point of the First United Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main, will

sponsor a divorce recovery workshop for six consecutive Thursdays, from Sept. 10 through Oct. 22, in the church. There will be a \$30 fee for the series. 349-0911.

SATURDAY DANCE
Tri-County Singles will hold a "ladies' choice" dance at 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 12, at the Airport Ramada Inn, Merriman near I-94. Admission is \$4 for men and \$2 for women. Dressy attire is required. Hotline: 842-7422, 849-5276.

DANCE
Sunday Suburban Singles hold a dance at 8:30 p.m. Sunday at Royce Hotel's new location, on Merriman at I-94, Romulus. Proper attire is required. Fee is \$3 before 8:30 p.m., \$4 afterwards. 842-0443.

DIVORCE RECOVERY
Single Point Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church, Six Mile and Farmington Road in Livonia, will hold a divorce recovery workshop on Thursday nights, concluding with a dinner Oct. 15. Dona-

tion is \$25 for materials and a book. Child care will be provided for elementary school-aged youngsters. 422-1854.

BETHANY
The group is for divorced, widowed, separated and single people over age 21. Bethany Farmington also sponsors a support group for newly separated and divorced people. Meetings are Sunday afternoons at Our Lady of Sorrows School in Farmington. Call 471-2708.

PWP
The Livonia-Redford Chapter 130 of PWP meets the first and third Thursdays of the month at its new location, the Embassy Suites Hotel, just east of I-275 between Six Mile and Seven Mile. Orientation is 8 p.m., the general meeting 8:30 p.m., followed by dancing. Call Diane at 461-1969.

Wayne-Westland Chapter 340 meets the second and fourth Fridays of the month in the Wayne Armvets Hall, 1217 Merriman, Westland. Meeting

is 8-8:30. Dance is set for 8:30 to midnight. Admission is \$4 before 9 p.m., \$5 after 9 p.m. New members welcome. For information, call Sue at 525-6937.

BOWLING
Voyagers Singles of St. Paul Presbyterian Church, Livonia, needs bowlers for their mixed league. Singles 30 and older may join as a regular or substitute. The league bowls at 2:30 p.m. every Sunday at Merri-Bowl Lanes, Five Mile and Merriman. 591-1350 or 421-3123.

Harvest Moon begins floating across horizon tonight



RAYMOND E. BULLOCK

SKY WATCH
Full Moon is at 10:17 p.m. on Sept. 11. This full moon is a very special one; it's called the Harvest Moon.

We have full moons every month through out the year, so what makes this one so special? Because the moon is in orbit around the earth, it appears in different parts of the sky from night to night.

Generally the moon will rise about one hour later each night. But in autumn the full moon is located at the part of its orbit that has the least tilt with respect to Earth's horizon line. The moon seems to skim along the horizon, rising at about the same time each evening, in about the same part of the sky. In fact, for the four evenings starting with the 9th, each moon rise occurs within 23 minutes of the previous night's!

The light scattered by the full moon was a help to farmers, allowing them to continue their harvesting after sunset, hence it was called the Harvest Moon. The full moon that follows the Harvest Moon was said to be a help to hunters; you can probably figure out what that full moon is called.

People occasionally wonder if the phase of the moon has an effect on humans. It really shouldn't be expected to have any effect at all! We see different phases of the moon de-

pending on what part is being illuminated by the sun. Because the moon is always somewhere near the earth, any effect it could have should be a constant one, and not dependant on how much of the moon is being illuminated.

Mercury is at superior conjunction on the 15th. It is located behind the sun and is not visible. It becomes an evening object in October, but will not be well placed for observing.

Spica and Venus are two degrees above the horizon on the evening of the 15th. While this is nearly twice the altitude they had at the beginning of the month (and twice nothing is still nothing), they remain difficult objects to see. Try using binoculars and look 45 minutes after sunset, midway between the west and west southwest horizon.

Jupiter is in conjunction with the sun on Sept. 17, two days after Mercury's conjunction. Like Mercury, Jupiter is located behind the sun and is not visible. Don't worry about a collision occurring between Mercury and Jupiter; they're both 'behind' the sun, but they are millions of kilometers apart.

Jupiter becomes a morning object in October.

The moon is approaching the Pleiades star cluster just before dawn on the 17th. The moon is three degrees below and to the right of that star cluster. On the next morning the moon is nine degrees to the left of the Pleiades. The red star below the moon is Aldebaran.

Last quarter moon is at 3:53 p.m. on the 19th. The moon is beginning the last quarter of its orbit, around

the earth. Mars is two degrees above the moon on the morning of the 20th. The Mars-color red star 15 degrees to the right of the moon is Betelgeuse ("Beetle-juice"). This star marks the right shoulder of Orion the hunter. (The name actually means "armpit of the mighty one.")

Autumn officially begins for the northern hemisphere at 2:43 p.m. on Sept. 22. But what is it that determines that precise moment? It's a combination of the earth's orbit and its tilt.

Earth is divided into a northern hemisphere and a southern hemisphere by an imaginary line called the equator. If this equator is extended out into space it cuts the sky into a northern and southern hemisphere, but now the imaginary line is called the celestial equator.

Because our earth is tilted 23.5 degrees, the sun can appear to be 23.5 degrees above the celestial equator or 23.5 degrees below it. When the sun is at its highest point in the sky north of the celestial equator, in June when the days are long and warm, we have summer. When the sun is at its lowest, in December when the days are short and cold, we have winter.

Obviously there are two points where the sun must cross over the celestial equator. Once when going from above the equator to below, and another going from below to above.

The precise moment of the crossover, going from north to south, is when autumn officially begins for the northern hemisphere. A person standing on Earth's equator at local

noon would see the sun directly overhead on the celestial equator.

The sun will rise due east and set due west. The length of the day and length of night are about equal, so this is called the equinox.

Although we may be facing the start of autumn, people below the equator can look forward to the start of spring.

The moon is approaching the star Regulus, in Leo, on the morning of the 23rd. On the following morning

it has passed that star.

New Moon occurs at 6:40 a.m. on Sept. 26. The moon is located between the earth and the sun and is not visible. Two nights later, on the 28th, the waxing (growing) crescent moon is seven degrees to the left of Venus. Both objects will be difficult to see because they are only three degrees above the horizon.

On the evening of the 30th the moon is two degrees to the right of

Antares. Recall that on the 3rd the moon was three degrees to the left of Antares, so we have gone full circle.

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 the Abrams Planetarium, Michigan State University, East Lansing, 48824.

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School feud

Union should accept board offer

Wayne-Westland teachers union labor disputes are, unfortunately, becoming part of an ongoing saga of the community. While hard-nosed collective bargaining is good, there seems to be a pattern that things have to get nasty before there is a settlement.

The current hassle has to do with — what else — salary raises.

The union wants a one-year contract with an 8 percent boost. The board of education is offering a two-year agreement with 3 percent in the current fiscal year, beyond the 2 percent hike for the first semester, and 5 percent the next.

There are other educational improvement proposals made by the board and administration. But let's face it, teachers and parents don't get excited about an extra school day or changes in teacher certification.

What turns residents and teachers on — or off — is money.

Homeowners are complaining about property taxes rising faster than their family incomes. Teachers complain about falling behind their peers in other school districts.

Our betting is on the homeowners.

Some are getting wise to the Michigan Education Association's strategy of whipsawing local school boards in insisting that the local faculty has to be in the "middle" of salaries in that county.

In Wayne County, the argument doesn't hold water.

Let's use some simple math.

First, it's impossible for all districts to be in the middle third. With 34 districts in the coun-

ty, that means that about 11 districts have to be in the top third, 11 in the middle and 11 in the bottom third.

What happens in real life is that a local union will argue that its members are in the bottom third and that's a rotten shame. "We don't want to be in the top third, but let's settle for the middle third."

What is sometimes lost is that there is usually little difference between the top salary in the bottom third and the lowest salary in the middle third.

Many times, the board goes along with the union argument and that's where the problem starts.

The board raises salaries for local teachers on Monday, putting them in the middle third of Wayne County school districts.

A few days later, District B approves a similar raise and District C does the same downriver. By Friday, the local union is back in the bottom third again.

Ideally, raises should be based on the rate of inflation, what a competitive wage is based on the market place and the employer's ability to pay the raises.

In the Wayne-Westland district, none of those factors warrant an 8 percent raise, not counting the 2 percent hike for this semester.

If the union is smart, it should hold out for a brief period and then accept the board's offer.

If not, voters will take out their revenge at the millage renewal election next June. If that tax issue is defeated, there will be big problems for everyone — teachers, homeowners and students.

Property tax plan unequitable

**CUT & CAP
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Neighbors could be at each other's throats some day and banging Town Hall's doors, if voters approve Proposal C, the "cut & cap" property tax plan on the Nov. 3 ballot. There's a fishhook in the plan that gets bigger and sharper over the years.

Let's start with two houses that are identical — easy, in suburban subdivisions — and worth \$100,000 apiece in today's market. They are assessed for half of true value, or \$50,000.

Under "cut & cap," assessment increases would be limited by law to 3 percent a year. So the assessments could be \$51,500 the first year, \$53,045 the second, and so on until the 10th year when they are \$67,196.

Meanwhile, let's be conservative and assume values rise 8 percent annually, compounded, over 10 years.

Without "cut & cap," the assessment would rise to nearly \$108,000, or 61 percent more than with a 3-percent cap.

The fishhook is that if one neighbor sells, his house is immediately reassessed at half the true market value, or \$108,000.

So the newcomer to the neighborhood finds

his family paying 61 percent more than the family living there 10 years.

That's patently unfair.

A similar proposal did pass constitutional muster in California. That case should not obscure the basic unfairness of sending wildly different tax bills to neighbors in nearly identical houses a few years down the road.

Indeed, it may not pass muster under the Michigan Constitution, whose first section says, "Government is instituted for their equal benefit, security and protection."

As social policy, a cap is inherently discriminatory against young couples buying an existing house.

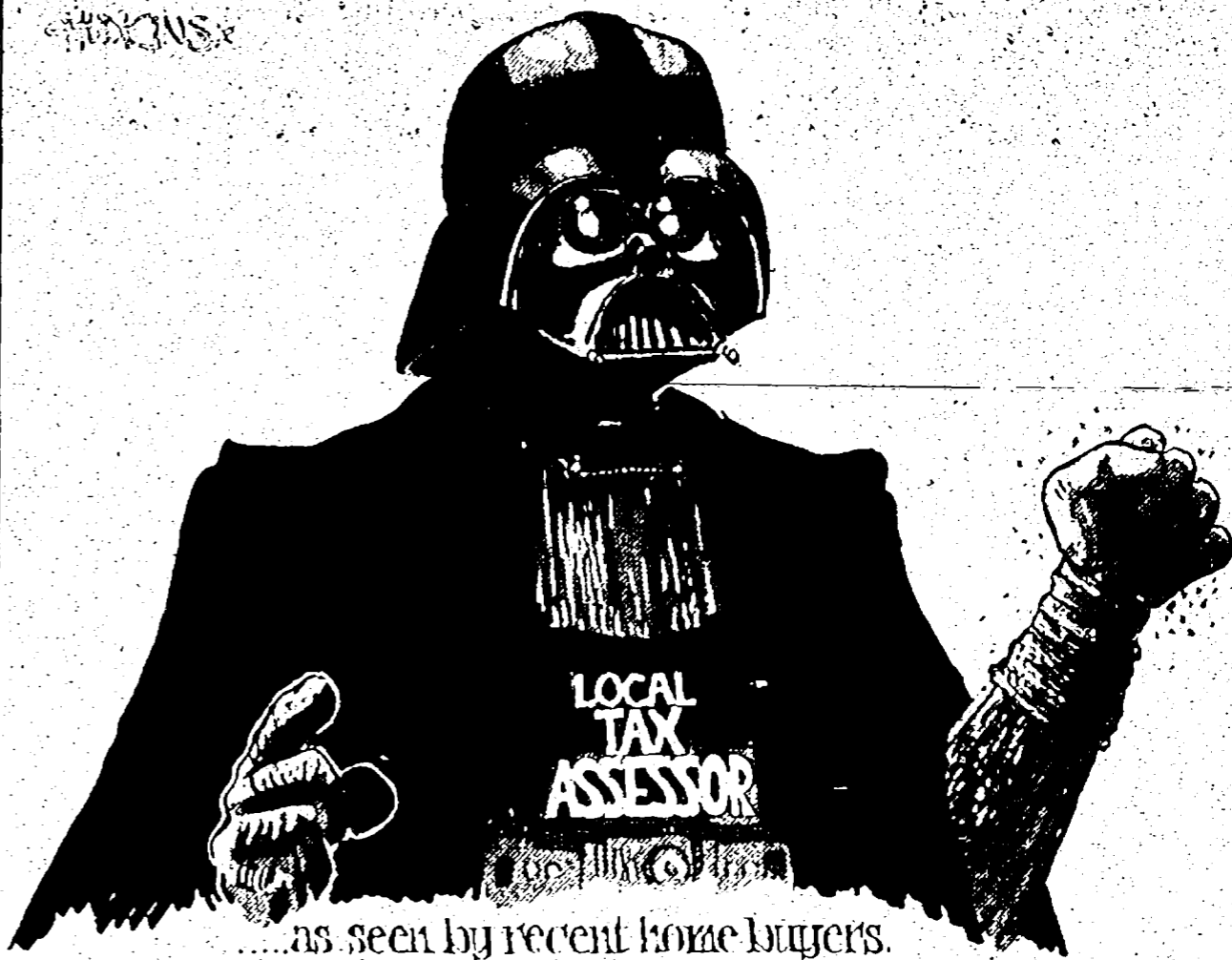
A job-seeker would be less inclined to move to a new opportunity if one were punished by the property tax system.

Indeed, it's astounding that the Michigan Realtors Association would support a proposal so inimical to its own hopes for high property turnover.

You will not, of course, hear the bad effect of "cut and cap" advertised by the anti-government people like chambers of commerce. You may not hear that point mentioned by pro-government groups like the teachers unions.

This is the first in a periodic series of editorials on the "cut and cap" proposal.

ARKIE HUDKINS



LETTERS

Mayor knocked

I read with some irony the letter by Laura Heim of Canton praising Westland Mayor Robert Thomas and (senior resources director) Sylvia Kozorosky-Wiacek.

I concede that the mayor's handling of our city probably looks better from Canton. It would look even better from Canton, Ohio. Just like my old car, the farther away you get, the better it will look.

Unfortunately, when you live and pay taxes in Westland, things do not look that good. When you live here you are forced to ask yourself questions like; why does our mayor allow his department heads to spend everything in their budgets at the end of our fiscal year as opposed to returning these funds to decrease future tax obligations; or why he is attempting to take control of the Municipal Service Bureau when the bureau is able to operate the sports arena and golf course at a profit when the mayor's office never could.

I especially liked the connection between praising Mayor Thomas and Sylvia Kozorosky-Wiacek in the same two paragraph letter. Now

tell me — does Sylvia play politics? You bet she does.

Yes, Laura, voters will remember. We will remember that instead of telling his department heads to conserve our tax dollars he was out saving trees from Detroit Edison in yet another attempt to obtain favorable press.

I wonder how much the lawsuit will go for when the first Thomas protected tree pulls a power line down into a swimming pool or on a child, or my Great Aunt, who has emphysema, loses her electrically powered respirator. This is but one example of this man acting before he thinks.

What we need is a mayor who thinks first, and yes we will remember that on election day.

David Cox, Westland

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Hard right rejects modernization

Anybody who didn't catch Tim Richard's piece on "Conservative groups may force a state Con-Con" in last week's paper missed a significant and original work of political analysis.

Richard, who writes on the local implications of state and regional news, covered last month's state Republican convention in Grand Rapids. There he picked up word that the same fundamentalist wing of the Michigan GOP that gave Gov. John Engler such fits at the convention is thinking of pushing for a state constitutional convention when the issue comes on the ballot in 1994.

What would they like to do?

According to Richard, they are backing something called "full choice," i.e. a state voucher that parents could take to any school — public, private, proprietary or parochial. "They praised McGuffey's Readers, Latin and parochial schools. Away from the microphones, I heard mutterings about creationism," he said.

Richard concluded that, "They are on a holy crusade to take back our culture."

This is pretty strong stuff. But don't underestimate the moral fervor or political power that's coming together here.

My Republican friends confirm Richard's guess that the hard right, including Michigan Right to Life, had something like 45 percent of the delegates at the GOP convention. This is the same group that nearly put the party into the Pat Robertson camp in 1986-88 and which put together the grass roots organization that nominated half the Republican candidates for the U.S. Congress in last month's primaries.

It's the Michigan version of the same people who took over the platform committee and rammed the most conservative manifesto in modern times through the Republican national convention in Houston.

What's really going on here?

As I read this group, they really do believe that important elements of today's world are fundamentally odious to enduring American cultural values.

The moral breakdown of America has encour-



PHILIP POWER

aged homosexuality, provoked AIDS, tolerated abortion and destroyed the traditional family. The public schools have failed to educate, displaced religious and ethical standards, indoctrinated children with left-leaning ideas and enforced a coercive liberal intellectual orthodoxy. The media are run by cultural elitists who propagate the same orthodoxy.

The political system does nothing but pander to special interest groups and must be cleansed by people of strong convictions and true values.

Upon reflection, I am persuaded that the same dynamics that created the Islamic fundamentalist movement now shaking the Arab world are driving the hard Republican right.

Both groups reject the consequences of modernization as blaspheming traditional values. Both look with anger and sadness at the deterioration of old-fashioned virtue and social institutions such as the family. Both feel that the intellectual advances of the 20th century, far from bringing clarity and hope, have led to confusion, error and lockstep orthodoxy enforced by the repressive apparatus of the government.

It's a view of the world that says the results of the passage of modern history are not "progress" but, in fact, regression.

Many may disagree with this interpretation, but it's hard to argue with the emotional power that it expresses.

Philip Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper.

COMMUNITY VOICE

QUESTION:

What room of your house do you most dread cleaning?

We asked this question of Garden City residents at Kmart.



"My bedroom. It's too messy. I help clean the rest of the house, but my room is the messiest."
Heather Smith



"Probably the bathroom. It's cleaning all the mirrors and the streaks. I can't do mirrors."
Kelly Jaamor



"The basement. It's a junk collection."
Pat Sleep



"The kitchen. There is always a lot to do in there, dishes."
Bill Schroeder

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POINTS OF VIEW

Educational reform continues into 1990s

Teacher strikes aren't the big news of this school year. Although hard on all parties, by and by they'll be settled. Salaries are upward bound — the median salary for the tri-county area is \$47,335 — but at least the Michigan Education Association is finally easing up on procedures for getting rid of poor teachers. The real news this fall is the array of new programs grown out of new philosophies about how kids learn set against a backdrop of Schools of Choice. They're starting up all over metropolitan Detroit, city and suburbs — some more easily than others. West Bloomfield Superintendent Seymour Gretchko says schools throughout the nation are in the third wave of educational reform begun in the mid '80s. The first evolved from the Commis-

sion on Excellence and called for educational mandates to solve "the rising tide of mediocrity." The second, begun in 1986, emphasized restructuring local schools from the bottom up. That continues, says Gretchko, but now the focus is on what is taught and how it is taught, geared to the individual community served. "It's moving so fast — I've never seen education move so fast," confirmed Judith White, assistant superintendent for curriculum and staff development in the Farmington Public Schools. That district is piloting:
 • A year-round elementary school.
 • A "zero-hour" starting before the regular class day at North Farmington High for students who want to take an additional academic subject.



JUDITH DONER BERNE

• A linking of related subjects for incoming ninth graders at Harrison High School and for all middle school students to try to break through the traditional fragmented approach to learning. This fall, Southfield joins the short list of districts which offer alternative

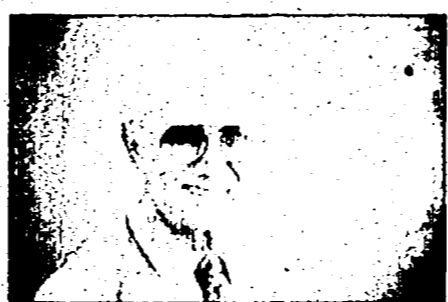
high schools for "at risk" students and students who may not learn as well in a traditional classroom setting. Detroit Schools are also trying to determine what will work for students. Last year, it was, as it turned out, primarily male academies as they sought to establish a curriculum to stem the tide of black male dropouts. This year, the much-publicized Malcolm X School is designed to see if young black children can learn more readily in an African-centered curriculum. They must wade through a hostile, white enclave to do it. Many of these changes are tied to choice — parents and students choosing schools and programs to more closely suit the way they learn — and where they think they'll feel more comfortable. Which brings us to Bloomfield Hills,

where students have a choice among three high schools: Andover, Lahser as well as a Model High School, emphasizing non-traditional different. A recent study brought out what teachers and students already knew — Andover is more ethnically diverse than Lahser and more competitive. And some students (or their parents) feel more comfortable in one atmosphere or the other — sometimes based on prejudice. Change in education, this year is spelled C-H-O-I-C-E. And it's not just the children who will be learning from the choices which are made. Judith Doner Berne is assistant managing editor for the Oakland County editions of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

School innovation includes search for new money

It's nice that some suburban school districts are planning "innovative" programs for the kids who started the new school year within the past few days. In the old days, innovative programs were limited to those districts that had the money to be innovative. Generally, those were categorized as out-of-formula districts, those that had so much property tax wealth behind each student that it didn't qualify for state dollars. The districts that depended on state dollars, referred to as in-formula districts, were innovative only in the sense of trying to find money to sustain a "stand still" budget. But in the past two years, even the wealthy districts have been complaining about the financial shell games played by state politicians in Lansing. The out-of-formula districts used to have it easy before the summer of 1991.

When a shopping center or Ford plant built an addition, the local school system would get 100 percent of the additional property tax revenue generated by the property improvement. The school boards also realized a pile of new money when the local property assessments went up as much as 15 percent as a result of a booming real estate market. In sharp contrast were the in-formula districts, which took the money from new developments or the annual increases in property assessments, but had to give back part according to the state aid formula. The less-wealthy districts were forced to generate "innovative" programs that had nothing directly to do with students, but rather involved marketing special programs and finding new sources of money. One good example was the Wayne-



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■ The districts that depended on state dollars, referred to as in-formula districts, were innovative only in the sense of trying to find money to sustain a "stand still" budget.

Westland school district's effort to aggressively promote its adult education program, a move that backfired on it in the mid-1980s. At the time, the state was generous in funding adult education programs and gave local schools money based on an enrollment formula. But later the education department claimed that the district was too aggressive and had fudged on its enrollment figures. Ultimately, there was a compromise and the district agreed to give back some of the money through future state aid payments. When former Gov. James Blanchard and the Legislature implemented the "Robin Hood" concept in the summer of 1990, they took money from wealthy districts, laundered it and returned some of it to poor districts. That raised a howl from the wealthy districts, forcing them to be "innova-

tive" and come up with new ways to pay for existing programs and services. Some merely used the old approach, asking voters for a property tax increase. Most were rejected. Then they tried to convince voters that they should be "innovative" and pay only for the extracurricular programs their children actually use. That was called the "pay-to-play" policy with parents paying a flat fee for each after-school, non-credit program their son or daughter participated in. When some wealthy districts talk about innovation, they refer to unique educational programs. But the reality for most district is that "innovation" now means "how to find money to pay for teachers' salary increases." Leonard Poger is editor of the Westland and Garden City Observer newspapers.

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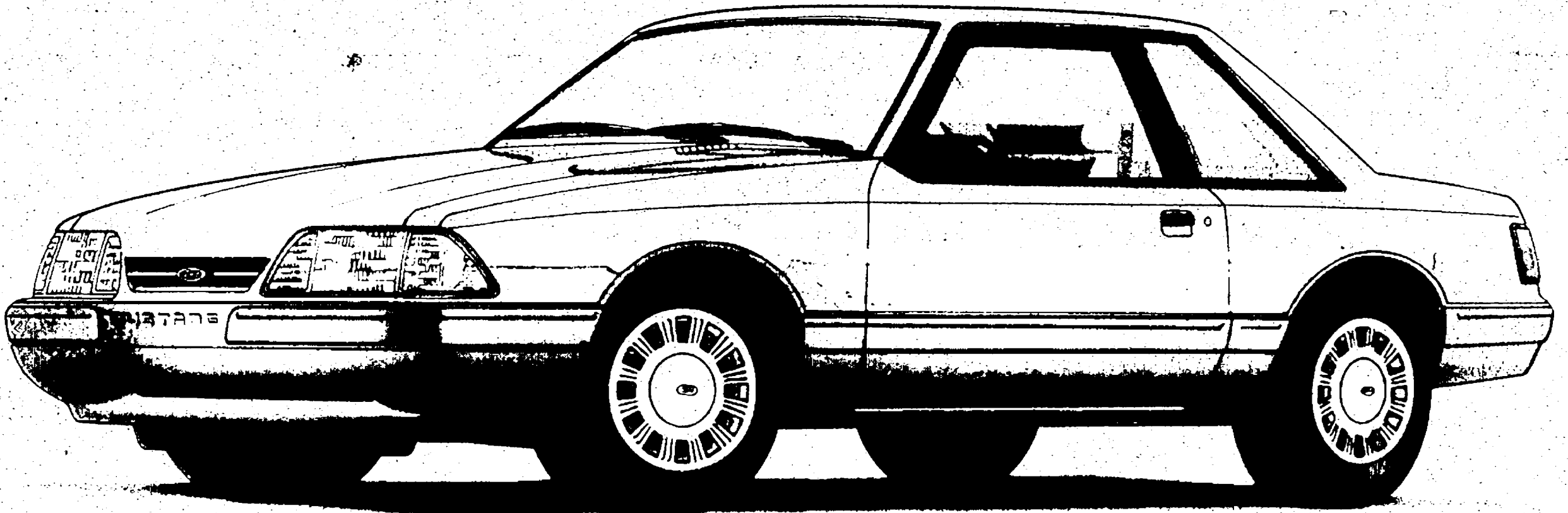
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Simpson focused vs. world's best

BY DAN O'NEARA
STAFF WRITER

For most world-class athletes, the Olympics were last month. For Shari Simpson of Livonia, they're this weekend.

Simpson hopes to finish among the top 10 women in the 20-24 age group Saturday at the Triathlon World Championships in Muskoka, Ontario.

"I think that's a realistic goal," she said, adding she will compete against 250 others in what is billed as "the Olympics for triathletes."

The triathlon consists of three events: swimming, bicycling and running. Athletes swim a mile, bike nearly 25 miles and run 6.2 miles — all in consecutive order.

The 22-year-old Simpson, a graduate of Northville High School and Eastern Michigan University, was fifth at the U.S. Amateur Championships in Cleveland last month. The top 10 in each age group were invited to the world championships.

Her overall time was two hours, seven minutes, 20 seconds. She did the swimming in 20:30, biking in 1:03:36 and running in 41:22.

"This is only her second year of racing, but she has come a long way this year," coach Adam Krause said. "As far as winning it, she's probably a longshot, but I think she'll fare well."

"The U.S. usually sends a pretty competitive team. If you do well at the U.S. Championships, you're setting yourself up to do well at the world championships."

TRIATHLON

The woman who won the 20-24 age division at the U.S. meet was only three minutes ahead of Simpson, Krause said.

Of the three events, swimming is Simpson's best. She was a scholarship swimmer at EMU. She also has a background in track from her high school days.

"It's a real advantage to be a swimmer in triathlon," Simpson said, adding she is usually first out of the water. Her strength in that area has allowed her to spend more time on biking this year.

"Even if you're first out of the water, when you're biking 24.3 miles (the other competitors) can make up a lot of ground."

"I can still be first out of the water, not swim much and use that time to bike and run. You can be a great runner and not have to run as much as me. I always work on my weaknesses. At the same time, I'm making myself stronger and becoming a better swimmer."

COLLEGE SPORTS

Mountain high

Madonna wins Colorado tournament title

By C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

Two years ago, Madonna University's volleyball team got nothing out of its season-opening trip to Colorado except a few lessons on what it would take to reach national prominence.

Last week, it was the Lady Crusaders doing the teaching.

Madonna swept through the Colorado Classic, hosted by Mesa State College in Grand Junction, with five wins in six matches to finish first. Both Madonna and Mesa State had 5-1 records, but the Crusaders were declared the winners by virtue of total points scored in the two matches against each other.

Madonna opened the tournament Friday with straight-set victories over University of Mary Hardin-Baylor, Tex. (15-11, 15-11, 15-6) and Fort Lewis, Colo. (13-9, 15-6, 15-9).

'It was an outstanding way for us to start the season.'

Jerry Abraham
Madonna coach

Then came the test — Mesa State, highly regarded in the NCAA's Division II. It took four games, but Madonna persevered 17-15, 15-8, 10-15, 15-6.

On Saturday, the Crusaders opened play against Mesa State and this time lost, 15-8, 6-15, 15-11, 15-12. But they rallied to win their next two, defeating Mary Hardin (15-10, 13-15, 15-8, 15-8) and Fort Lewis (15-3, 13-15, 15-1, 15-9).

"They played super," said Madonna coach Jerry Abraham. "They very easily could have gone 6-0."

VOLLEYBALL

Which was a far cry from previous performances in Grand Junction. After going 0-for-6 in their first trip (1990), the Crusaders bounced back last year against an extremely challenging field (which included eventual NAIA champ Brigham Young-Hawaii) to go 3-5.

"It was an outstanding way for us to start the season," Abraham said of the team's '92 performance. "Our defense was very strong, our offense was consistent, and we played well together as a team."

"I think we picked up where we left off last year."

That was as NAIA District 23 regular-season champion, just a few points shy of a berth in the NAIA Tournament.

Dana Finley topped the Crusaders with 86 kills (a .228 kill

average), 12 solo blocks and 91 digs in the tournament. Elena Oparka added 83 kills (.258), while Tunia Smith had 52 kills (.250) and a team-high 128 digs. Setter Mazie Pilut collected 201 assists-to-kills (9.14 per game) and 25 kills (.297).

All four were named to the seven-member all-tournament team.

Maureen Paulin added 23 kills (.220), 89 digs and a team-high .976 passing percentage on serve reception.

Though the Crusaders played well most of the tournament, their team kill percentage (.213) will have to improve. "There are some things we need to work on," said Abraham.

Still, a 5-1 record with a tournament title already in tow isn't too shabby a start. The Crusaders travel Friday to the two-day Indiana-Purdue University at Indianapolis Tourney.

Lady Ocelot soccer team receives mixed reviews

How deceiving first games can be. Schoolcraft College's women's soccer team opened its season Saturday at the Monroe Community College Tournament in Rochester, N.Y., against Orange County CC (from Long Island, N.Y.). The final score: 7-0, SC.

So simple, right? Not so fast.

On Sunday, the Lady Ocelots went up against what SC coach Nick O'Shea called "one of the best junior college teams I've seen" — host team Monroe. The result: a 6-1 loss.

Combined with Tuesday's disappointing play against Calvin College, which ended up with SC absorbing a 4-1 loss, at SC, the confidence gained from the opener has quickly dissipated.

Teamwork, said O'Shea, is the key to success for SC. "We don't have anybody with blazing speed. We're going to have to move the ball quickly. They're smart players with good skill, but they're not playing at a fast enough pace."

In the win over Orange County, SC got a lot of shooting practice. It was 3-0 by halftime, on goals by Kelly Greaves, Kara Kramer and Shelly Archibald. Jamie Alex, who set up the goals by Greaves and Archibald, scored two consecutive

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goals in the second half, on assists from Kramer and Greaves.

Archibald followed with her second goal, with Greaves getting her second assist, and Dec Lorenz closed out the scoring with a goal on an assist from keeper Kim Owczarzak. Owczarzak and Julie Brake combined in the net for the shutout.

Against Monroe, the Ocelots trailed 6-0 before finally getting a goal on a penalty kick by Lorenz. The kick was awarded after Archibald was knocked down in the penalty area.

"The positive thing was the girls worked the entire game and never gave up," said O'Shea. He heaped more praise on Monroe: "They have a lot of speed and are awesome everywhere. There are no weak spots."

The loss to Calvin was not as easy to take. "They looked really tired and played like they were really tired," was how O'Shea described his team. The match was tied 1-1 at the half, with Amy Krajewski scoring for SC on an assist from Archibald. But Calvin owned the second half.

"We've got to combine our efforts if we're going to win," said O'Shea.

THE WEEK AHEAD

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Jamboree challenges area bowhunters

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The fall hunting seasons can't be far away when the Detroit Archers hold their annual Bowhunter's Jamboree. For the past 50 years or so, Detroit Archers — the oldest archery club in Michigan — has held a bow hunter extravaganza in September just prior to the October 1 opening of the Michigan archery deer season. This year will be no exception as the Bowhunter's Jamboree begins at 9 a.m. Saturday and Sunday at the club's facilities in West Bloomfield.

"I think we have been holding the Jamboree pretty much since the club opened. It used to be a little bigger back in the 80's, but it's growing again now," said Detroit Archers board member Andy Munro. "We had about 500 people here last year and we're hoping for about 600 this year. We get people from all over Michigan, Ohio and southern Ontario, and we get people of all skill levels from professionals to people who have only shot a bow once or twice."

Bowhunters who have procrastinated this season are running out of time to sharpen their shooting skills. The Jamboree provides the opportunity featuring a 42 target 3D course using lifelike McKenzie deer, bear, antelope, elk, javelina, turkey and boar targets.

The course winds through a 32-acre wooded parcel of land at 5795 Drake Rd. (north of Maple). Archers follow a path to designated stations. Targets are set up in natural situations challenging archers to make a good shot. Most shots simulate hunting from the ground blind but there are also a few raised platforms that simulate shots from a tree blind.

"You get to shoot at targets in as real a condition as we can provide," Muoro said. "The shots are from varied distances, up hill, down hill, through brush and from elevated platforms. It's a fairly realistic way

to prepare for hunting game." For the adventurous archers, there will also be novelty shoots including a running deer and spinning clay pigeons.

Hundreds of prizes, including a Bear bow, will be raffled off or given away as door prizes. Entry fees are \$10 adult, \$25 family and \$5 for youths 17 and under.

Outdoor weekend arrives

Unlike other hunting and fishing shows which take place during the winter, the Woods-N-Water News Outdoor Weekend takes place Friday through Sunday in Imlay City (51 miles north of Detroit).

Held annually just prior to the start of the fall hunting seasons, the show started out show six years ago and has evolved into a huge weekend event.

"The feeling was that as the temperatures cool everybody gets that hunting urge," said show director Tom Campbell. "If we could provide deals on equipment and some good speakers and seminars the feeling was that people would come out."

Last year's 12,000-plus attendance is a good indication that the people are showing up.

The highlight of this year's show will be the appearance of Pat McManus. The popular humorist and best-selling author who writes "The Last Laugh" column for Outdoor Life magazine will be on hand all three days of the show. McManus will be available to speak with the public and autograph copies of his eighth book, *The Good Samaritan Strikes Again*, which will be released for the first time at the show.

The 120 exhibitor booths available at the Eastern Michigan Fair Grounds are sold out for the show which means there will be plenty of hunting and fishing gear for shoppers. Thirty continuous seminars will be held, featuring some of the state's top outdoor experts including Tom Huggler, Denny Geurink, Howard Shelley, Bob Garner and Eric Sharp. There will also be lumberjack shows, a chili cooking competition, deer and turkey calling

contests, archery novelty shoots, camouflage bow painting, arrow speed testing and a trophy deer contest.

Admission is \$5 and children under 12 will be admitted free. The Eastern Michigan Fair Grounds are located a half-mile north of I-69 on M-53 (Van Dyke).

Hunter's education class

Last but certainly not least on this list of weekend events in the free Michigan Hunter Education Clinic, the successor to the Detroit News Young Hunter Safety Clinics.

Hunters born on or after January 1, 1960 are required by law to present a Hunter Safety Certificate to purchase a hunting license and this clinic is a perfect opportunity for kids to earn that certificate. It is also a good chance for adults to freshen up on the guidelines of safe, ethical and successful hunting. Adults are encouraged to attend the clinic.

The clinic stresses firearm safety, but all aspects of hunting are touched upon from hunting heritage and history, hunter responsibility, wildlife conservation and management, wildlife identification, game care and specialty hunting (muzzle-loading, handguns and bowhunting) to survival and first aid and water safety.

Certified instructors from area outdoor clubs — including members of the Western Wayne County Conservation Association and the Multi-Lakes Conservation Association — pass participants through a series of stations throughout the two-day clinic. Registration begins Saturday at 6:45 a.m. The clinic starts promptly at 7:30 each day. Participants must attend all sessions during both days to pass the course. Call 827-3203 for more information.

(Hunters and anglers are urged to report their success. Questions and comments are also encouraged. Send information to: Outdoors, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, Mi. 48009, or call Bill Parker Monday evenings at 644-1101, ext. 241.)

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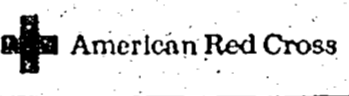
- SEPTEMBER'S HARVEST MOON**
A naturalist-led discussion followed by an evening hike through the park, begins at 7:30 p.m. Friday at Stony Creek.
- FUN WITH INK AND NATURE**
A chance for kids ages 6-10 to explore their artistic talents and create an ink masterpiece, begins at 10 a.m. Saturday at Stony Creek.
- OUTDOOR EQUIPMENT SHOW**
A display by local businessmen of outdoor recreation equipment including mountain and racing bikes, stunt kites, running gear,
- Participants should bring binoculars and a picnic lunch.
- WALL WILDFLOWERS**
A nature hike to explore the fields for wildflowers, begins at 2 p.m. Sunday at Kensington.
- METROPARK REQUIREMENTS**
Most Metropark programs are free, while some require a nominal charge. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required, 1-800-47-PARKS.
- radio controlled airplanes and helicopters, bird feeders, canoes and kayaks, camping gear and fly fishing equipment, begins at 10 a.m. Saturday at Indian Springs.
- FULL MOON WALK**
A naturalist-led walk by the light of the full moon, begins at 8 p.m. Friday at Kensington.
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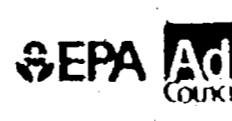
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Village Players

Birmingham Village Players will hold auditions for the musical "South Pacific" 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 15, at the Village Players playhouse, Chestnut Street and Hunter, (two blocks south of Maple) in Birmingham. Come prepared to sing and dance. For information, call 258-6996. The 1992-93 season opens Sept. 25 with a mystery thriller, "Sherlock's Last Case," by Charles Matowitz. For tickets, call 644-2075.

Madrigal Chorale

The 50-member Madrigal Chorale of Southfield is holding auditions for men only, 4-7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 15 at Southfield-Lathrup High School. Call Pat Duensing, 253-0072 to schedule an audition.

Steinway Society

The Steinway Society of Michigan, a non-profit organization devoted to fine piano music and its performance, is hosting a festive evening of music, fun and food with a 1920s theme, Friday, Sept. 18 at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in Dearborn. Cocktails 6:30 p.m., dinner 7:45 p.m., program 8:45 p.m. The third annual Dinner Musicale will honor Mischa Kottler with a Steinway Lifetime Achievement Award. Special guest pianist, William Albright performing "Ragtime and All That Jazz." The Steinway Society meets monthly. For ticket information, call 1-800-666-0040 by Sept. 14. Steinway Society membership is \$25 or \$40 for dual membership. For information, write to: The Steinway Society of Michigan, c/o Hammell Music, Inc. 15630 Middlebelt, Livonia, MI 48154.

Plymouth Theatre Guild

Plymouth Theatre Guild opens its season with "Veronica's Room," a thriller by Ira Levin, author of "Death Trap," 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 18 at the Water Tower Theatre, on the campus of the Northville Regional Hospital, 41001 West Seven Mile Road. Shows Fridays and Saturdays through Sept. 27. For tickets, call 349-7110.

"Overtures"

Detroit Symphony Orchestra Hall "Overtures," a group of metro-Detroit professionals organized to support the development of younger audiences for Detroit Symphony Orchestra concerts, will hold its first event with the 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 18 DSO concert at Orchestra Hall in Detroit. After the concert at 10:30 p.m. "Overtures" will go to one of Detroit's hottest new nightspots, Legends for hors d'oeuvres and desserts. Tickets \$35 each including DSO concert and reception. For tickets, call 833-3700.

St. Bede Players

St. Bede Players will be performing "The Messiah" on Dec. 11-12. Rehearsals will 2 p.m. Sundays beginning Sept. 20. All voices needed, including some soloists. For information, call 557-6527 or 557-7245.

Midtown Cafe offers more low fat entrees

BY KEELY WYGONIK
STAFF WRITER



Trendy Midtown Cafe in Birmingham is offering more low fat, low cholesterol items on their menu, and lower priced entrees too. "We used to have a spa area on our menu that contained heart healthy items. Now it's integrated into the whole menu," said owner Bruce Cameron of Orchard Lake.

"We've also brought the menu into a realm of casualness as well as price offerings. We know the recession is affecting many people, and we don't want to discourage them from eating out."

Midtown Cafe, which opened in 1976, is an open, airy restaurant with wide open windows that face Woodward. The interior was designed by Aleksis Lahti of An Arbor and his contemporary paintings hang on the walls.

"It's like a European cafe," said Cameron. "The upstairs balcony overlooks the dining area downstairs. People aren't hidden in booths."

Responding to requests for more low fat, low cholesterol items, Cameron, a vegetarian, made some changes on the menu. In every category — appetizers and pizzas, soups, sandwiches, salads and fruits, pastas, seafood, meats and poultry, items are marked with an asterisk to indicate that they are heart healthy. The wine list was also changed to feature more lighter Italian wines like Soave.

Many people are cutting the fat not only in their diets, but budgets too, and Cameron responded by offering more lower priced entrees at Midtown Cafe.

"We're trying to keep the dinner entrees at around \$13," he said. "They used to be \$16 to \$18. For lunch we're trying to keep it around \$7.50, it used to be \$8 to \$10."

Expect the unexpected at Midtown Cafe. You never know what will be featured in the different categories because it changes daily to include as many in season fruits and vegetables as possible.

For example, the Thursday, Sept. 3 dinner menu featured many dishes with Michigan zucchini, eggplant, and tomatoes. There was a pizza with Michigan

Midtown Cafe
139 S. Woodward,
Birmingham, 842-1133
Hours: Restaurant open 11:30 a.m. to 2 a.m. daily. Lunch served 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; dinner 5-10 p.m.; after theater menu 10 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.
Menu: Soups, sandwiches, salads, pasta, seafood, meat.
Highlights: Low fat, low cholesterol items. Prices: Lunch entrees range from \$3.95 for an omelet to \$8.95 for grilled salmon. Dinner entrees range from \$5.50 for a hamburger to \$14.95 for New York Strip steak with oyster bourbon-brown sauce.
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tomatoes, mushrooms, garlic, basil and feta cheese, and a heart healthy fresh Marinara sauce of tomatoes, basil, garlic, sweet onions, red wine simmered and topped with sauteed fresh tomatoes served over pasta.

Fish is also purchased fresh daily. On Sept. 3, the dinner offerings included pickerel, plate salmon, whitefish, Norwegian salmon, Mahi Mahi, and lake perch.

Whether you're hungry for something light like soup and salad, or heartier like chicken, you'll find it at Midtown Cafe.

"We stay open and serve food until 1:30 a.m. because sometimes an occasion arises when you want to get something to eat late at night like after the theater. You can get anything from a snack, dessert to a meal here," said Cameron.

The vegetarian grill sandwich — eggplant, zucchini, summer squash, tomatoes and mozzarella with Balsamic vinaigrette is a popular item and offered on both the lunch and dinner menu.

Salad offerings for dinner on Sept. 3 included grilled salmon served over mixed greens with fresh-Michigan tomatoes, green beans, and herb vinaigrette, and Caesar salad with chicken. For lunch on Sept. 4 there was Salade Escoffier served with sauteed chicken and scallops with an herb vinaigrette and fresh seasonal-fruit with cream cheese sauce.



STEPHEN CASTRELL/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

New menu: Chef Donald Tiderington presents some of the new items on the menu at Midtown Cafe in Birmingham, turkey chili, fruit and cheese appetizer, and Salade Escoffier with salmon.

Stage set for Trinity House Theatre's 12th season

Trinity House Theatre in Livonia opens its 12th season Friday, Oct. 2 with "The Shunning," by Patrick Friesen. Season tickets \$32 each. The Trinity House Theatre is at 38840 W. Six Mile Road in Livonia. For tickets, call 464-6302.

Set in a Mennonite farming community, "The Shunning" details Peter Neufeld's struggle with issues of faith and his subsequent isolation as he is ostracized by family and friends. The show runs through Oct. 31. Meet Father Damien DeVeuster who

gave his heart and life in service to the victims of a leprosy epidemic that broke out 100 years ago in the Hawaiian Islands in "Damien" by Aldyth Morris. Opening Nov. 27, this historical drama chronicles the dedication of a Belgian priest to the people who needed him.

Show runs through Dec. 27. Like a beautifully crafted patchwork, "Quilters," a musical by Barbara Damashek and Molly Newman, pieces together the tales of a pioneer woman and her six daughters Feb. 26 to April 3.

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Face the music at Comfy Concert Series



Dynamic duet: Father and daughter duet Carl and Alisa Visconti will open the first of a series of Paint Creek Folklore Society Comfy Concerts on Sunday, Sept. 20, in Rochester Hills.

Pat Donohue, the Minnesota-born 1983 National Finger Picking Champion, will perform 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 20 at a Paint Creek Folklore Society Comfy Concert in the Rochester Hills home of Phil and Althea Doolittle.

Seating for the evening is limited. To attend, call 375-2513 for reservations. Tickets are \$8. The Doolittles will send a map and directions to the house concert.

Opening the evening will be Carl and Alisa Visconti, a father and daughter duet that has been playing music together for many years.

Carl, a member of the Paint Creek Folklore Society since its origin, has been a member of the Olde Michigan Ruffwater Stringband for its 14 years — and has performed at festivals, concerts, fairs and other events playing guitar, mandolin, bass, banjo and fiddle.

Alisa, 14, has been exposed to music all of her life sharing Suzuki violin lessons with her dad at age six and performing at Paint Creek meetings soon after.

Donohue's dazzling guitar stylings, provocative song writing and engaging sense of humor, make him a compelling performer. A self-described "folk-jazz" guitarist, he began playing at age 10.

Self-taught, he learned to play by listening to records and asking

questions of local performers at concerts and clubs in St. Paul, Minn. He was a frequent guest on Garrison Keillor's radio show, "A Prairie Home Companion."

Other concerts in the Comfy Concert Series include Cathy Winter from New York on Oct. 25; Sue Stolz from Fairbanks, Ala. on March 28, and many more.

A house concert is an event that takes place in someone's living

room. Because amplification is not usually required, there are no microphones, darkened stage areas or speakers separating the performers from the audience.

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Area woman wonders why butterflies are scarce in '92



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She had planted several species of flowers, which are nectar sources for butterflies of our area, but only a handful were spotted at them. Even when she traveled to nearby Windsor she observed just a few butterflies at a garden there.

This has been a bad summer for butterflies, animals and plants in general. It started with the cold freezing temperatures we had in early spring. Flowers from fruit trees and bushes, like apples and blueberries, were killed. This in turn lowered the yield of mature fruits in fall.

Young wildlife were in nests about the time we had some freezing nights in May. Tree swallow young were very vulnerable to the cold temperatures. For the adults, it was a real catch 22. Cold weather meant they had to brood their

young and keep them warm, but when they did they were unable to catch insects in which to feed them.

When they did get out to feed, what insects were around were too cold and did not fly, thus making it very difficult for the adults to find adequate food. Ultimately many young nestlings died.

Cold temperatures also curtail the development of insects such as butterflies and moths. They may remain in the egg or pupa (chrysalis, or cocoon) stage until conditions are right for their development. In July there were a few warm days with some rain which allowed some butterflies to emerge but they were few and later than normal.

A butterfly count, conducted by the Farmington Area Naturalists at Heritage Park in Farmington Hills, yielded 100 fewer individuals than the previous count at the same time last year.

Last summer was a good time for the beautiful orange and black monarch butterfly. Cold temperatures in the mountains of Mexico, where they overwinter, killed an estimated 50 percent of them. That meant there were fewer individuals returning to the United States this summer to lay eggs and produce individuals for us to see.



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Butterflies: Unusually cold weather this year has adversely affected a lot of things, including the number of butterflies.

Plant and animal populations are adapted to normal conditions within a certain tolerable range. However, when situations become extreme, like the temperatures we experienced this year, their production and or populations will decline.

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Trade from BACK PAGE

The idea behind the trade mission is to match executives from small- and medium-sized corporations with their counterparts in the rapidly privatizing states.

Previously, the approach to getting North American businesses involved in the emerging countries of the former Soviet Union was to hold large seminars, Pyatenko said.

"Having someone talk at you is a waste of time. In order to succeed, there is a formula to follow — friendship, then trust, then the deal," he said. "You can't circumvent this."

Trade mission participants will deal directly with his or her potential partners. "We want to accelerate friendship through personal bridges."

Interpreters and essential business needs, including document preparation, consulting, and analysis by representatives from the law firm and accounting firm will be available as needed.

'Having someone talk at you is a waste of time. In order to succeed, there is a formula to follow — friendship, then trust, then the deal. You can't circumvent this. We want to accelerate friendship through personal bridges.'

Eugene W. Pyatenko
Miller Canfield Paddock Stone

"As a result of the March mission, two participants are already involved in extensive negotiations," Pyatenko said. Eight participants were involved in the first trade mission; sponsors are limiting the number to 30 for the second trip.

Don Wilson of Deloitte Touche, Detroit, said opportunities exist in almost every business sector. Insurance, banking, transportation, communications, manufacturing, commercial and infrastructure.

Quite naturally, Wilson said he expects most participants from this area will be from manufacturing

and auto-related fields.

Wilson said not every participant will develop a partnership on the first visit; that's not what the trade mission is about. "It's about establishing contacts."

"I don't expect some tool and die company in Warren to go over there, spend \$10 million and set up a plant," he said. Starting a business in a country with different customs, people and laws is not easy.

Wilson said he envisions true partnerships between North American and the former Soviet Union. Both sides bring something

to the relationship.

"They bring a skilled workforce, desire, a consumer base, and raw materials; we bring management skills, marketing know-how, technology, engineering."

"I think if we wait too long, it's going to be a missed opportunity," Wilson continued. "As a general rule, the Western investor is being short-sighted."

Pyatenko said many reasons are given for not going, not the least of which is the question over the convertibility of funds, the political instability of the region, and the inadequate infrastructure. Pyatenko contends that is exactly why now is the time to go.

To inquire about the trade mission, call Eugene W. Pyatenko at the law offices of Miller, Canfield Paddock and Stone in Detroit at 963-6420, or Don Wilson of Deloitte Touche, Detroit, at 396-3000.

Agreement from BACK PAGE

Management opportunities

But while most agree the pact will lead to layoffs, those with college degrees stand to fare better than those with high school diplomas. There's no shortage of Mexican workers who would work for \$5 a day, but trained management personnel are scarce. Bilingual skills will also be at a premium.

The agreement would lead to other benefits as well. Elaine Acevedo, director of government affairs for the Florist Transworld Delivery Association (FTD), which is headquartered in Southfield, said florist members would likely hold the costs on flowers rather than drop prices.

"We may see a sizable impact on the flow of imported flowers into this country, but at this point I don't know how big of an impact it will be," Acevedo said. "We would

also likely expand our presence in Mexico."

Meanwhile, with an emerging middle class, many predict the call for consumer items like cosmetics and prepared food will increase as the standard of living rises.

"U.S. goods have a cachet about them in Mexico, and are viewed there as higher in quality than items from Japan or Germany," Victor said. "The middle class is also growing, which should provide plenty of opportunities for U.S. firms who do their homework."

"My advice to companies researching a move into Mexico is to hire a consulting firm with knowledge of the country. Even though Mexico is our neighbor, they have different laws and regulations, and it would be risky to venture out on your own."

MARKETPLACE

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Lucy Runde Canady M.D., family practitioner, has recently joined the staff of St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. Canady will practice out of the St. Mary Health Care Center in Northville.

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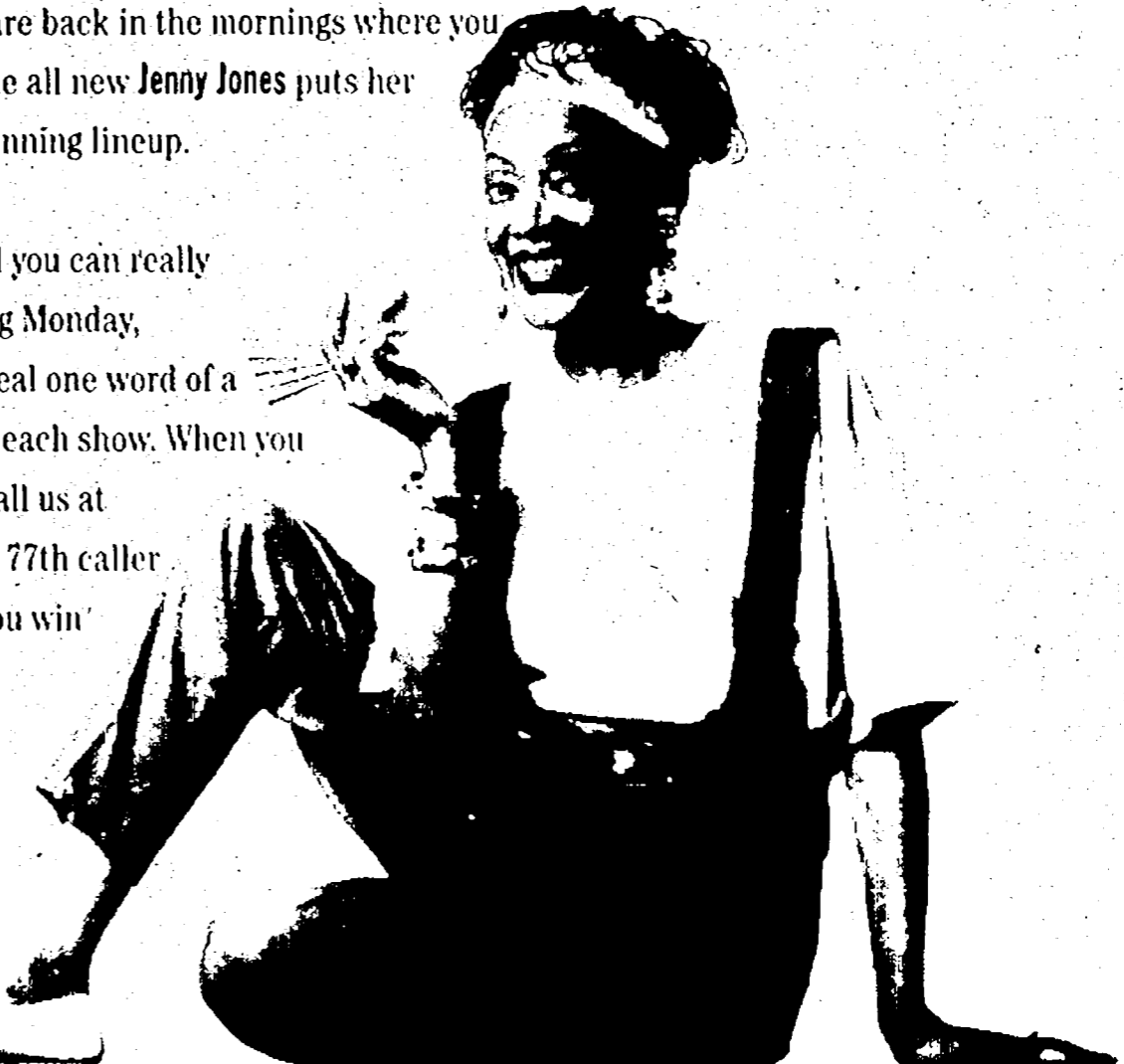
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Kleinbrook

Campbell-Mithun-Esty Advertising has restructured, consolidating all traffic functions under one department to better service its Chrysler Jeep and Eagle accounts. Advertising veteran Jane Mendenhall of Redford will head that new department, joining CME in the newly created position of vice president, director of traffic.



Mendenhall

Deborah Stralko of Livonia has achieved the position of independent sales director for Mary Kay Cosmetics Inc. As sales director, Stralko will provide training, guidance, leadership and motivation to other Mary Kay independent beauty consultants.



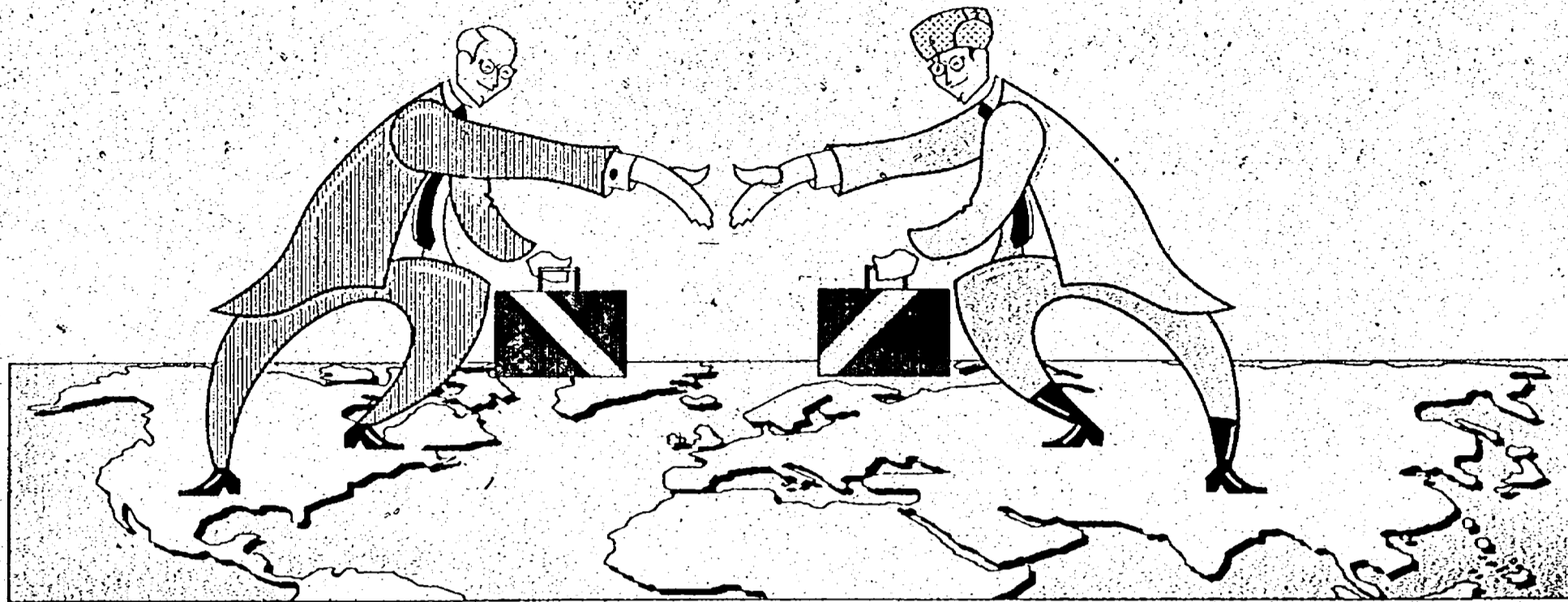
Stralko

Willis Corroon Corporation of Michigan in Livonia has announced the promotion of Melanie G. Watts from account representative to account manager. Watts has a CPSR designation and is currently working towards a CIC designation. She joined Willis Corroon in 1981.



Watts

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TAMMIE GRAYSON/ARTIST

Trade mission: getting to know you

The U.S. lags behind Europe when it comes to taking advantage of opportunities to export goods to the former Soviet Union. But some area businesses are getting their feet wet, laying the foundation for future deals.

Progressive Tool & Industries Co., Southfield-based automation, welding and assembly systems designer and manufacturer, knew it was the right time to go to the former Soviet Union.

In March, company representatives went on a trade mission to the cities of Moscow and Minsk. Today, Progressive Tool and Industries Co. has several projects in the discussion stages and looks forward to a prosperous partnership.

BY GERALD FRAWLEY
STAFF WRITER

With a capitalist version of the Marshall Plan in mind, North American business people are descending on the countries of the former Soviet Union with privatization in their hearts, but an eye firmly planted on the bottom line.

Anthony Vulman, who heads the engineering division at Progressive Tool & Industries Co. said his company saw an

opportunity after the breakup of the Soviet Union.

The question is: Will businesses from the West take advantage of the opportunity?

"American businesses are like the country itself — they're very conservative," Vulman said. While he was there, he said he noticed numerous representatives from German, Japanese and Korean businesses.

"We have to start getting our feet wet over there," he said.

Vulman said he found the people to be very accommodating to North American businesses. If given a choice, he believes they would choose North American business as partners.

"It's from history and tradition," he

said. Despite the difference between the East and West, the people there have long admired our way of life, he said.

The law offices of Miller, Canfield Paddock and Stone in Detroit and the accounting firm of Deloitte & Touche, along with the travel group Travel Key/U.S. Exchanges are sponsoring a trade mission to Moscow in Russia, and Minsk in Byelorussia Oct. 10-21.

Eugene W. Pyatenko, a partner at Miller, Canfield Paddock and Stone said there are more than 300 million consumers in need of practically everything in the republics of the former Soviet Union.

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Trade agreement to spur new ways of doing business

BY R.J. KING
SPECIAL WRITER

Lower food prices, a reduction of transportation costs and increased trade are the most telling benefits of the recently announced North American Free Trade Agreement between the United States, Canada and Mexico.

"Once the free-trade pact is ratified, it will eliminate most tariffs now imposed on goods and services between the three countries, leading to a net gain for the U.S.," said David Victor, president of the Human Resources Advisory Council, an international management and consulting firm in Bloomfield Hills.

Victor, who also is an associate professor of international management at the Gary Owens School of Business at Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti, recently spent two months in Mexico scouting business opportunities.

"As tariffs fall, Mexican companies looking to expand will be hiring U.S. service firms — in management, insurance, law, accounting and labor relations — to help them along. But there will also be a displacement of jobs, especially for lower-level manufacturing jobs like line workers."

The pact, which must be ratified by all three governments, would bring together 360 million consumers in a \$6-trillion market, creating the largest and richest trading bloc in the world. The treaty, if ratified, would take effect on Jan. 1, 1994.

Important for Michigan

Since 1987, exports of Michigan-made products south of the border have increased 51 percent, positioning the state as the third-largest exporter of goods to Mexico, behind California and Texas, respectively.

Victor said Mexico is already dotted with American-owned factories that pay workers \$5 a day. At that rate, Michigan manufacturers will likely open new plants in Mexico to supply emerging markets, largely filling labor ranks with local resi-

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David Victor
Human Resources Advisory Council

dents and management positions with U.S. personnel.

The net effect will be promotions within U.S. companies leading to more management jobs at home. Already, the U.S. automakers have

sizable operations along the northern border of Mexico, as do large auto suppliers like Lear Seating Corp. in Southfield and Douglas & Lomason in Farmington Hills, both of which produce car seats for the Big Three.

"If the treaty is ratified, we'll begin to see middle- and smaller-level automotive suppliers open factories in Mexico, but it will depend on the product and whether it's feasible," said James Harbour, president of Harbour Associates, an automotive consulting firm in Troy.

"If your company makes transmissions, you're going to need a lot of capital to get something going, but for someone in the seating business, setting up a number of sewing machines isn't going to be that expensive. My best advice is to have all your bases covered before you make a move."

But area unions, especially the United Auto Workers, worry lower labor costs south of the border will be so enticing to American manufacturers that Mexican plants will soon supply U.S. markets, leading to a loss of jobs at home.

"This deal in its present form will vaporize thousands and thousands of more good-paying U.S. jobs," said Owen Bieher, president of the UAW, in a prepared statement released after the free trade pact agreement was announced.

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Two writing styles reveal woman's versatility

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LORENE GREEN

Dear Lorene:
I am a 64-year-old left-handed woman who writes in two different styles.

In the early grades at school, I was forced to write right-handed. The teacher would change the position of the paper and place the pencil in my right hand. I guess it was difficult for me as I would "sneak" the pencil back in my left hand but leave paper in right-handed position. Thus I developed this "bent-hand-over-the-top" style.

But when I went to college, I found it difficult to write in notebooks and lap desks and

switched to this backward style. This enabled me to keep my hand on the paper and see what I was writing.

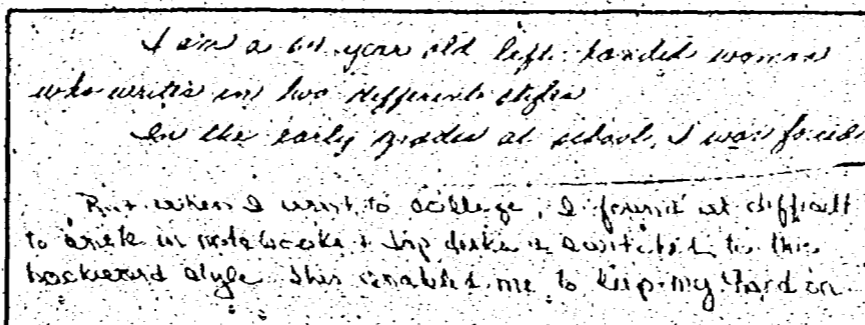
Today, I write in either style and feel very comfortable. Why I select one over the other, I do not know. I just do what feels right at the time.

I would be very interested in having my handwriting analyzed and to see if the different styles reflect my mood or personality.

B.H., Plymouth

The handwriting samples today are a classic example of why a graphologist needs to have samples of all styles of handwriting done by the person to be analyzed.

This woman's two styles are diverse and interesting. No. 1 is very much like the copybook style taught in school at the time she learned her penmanship skills. No.



2 is quite original and more sophisticated. So we know she is quite a versatile woman. However, if the analyst does not see both styles, she would miss many important aspects of the person's personality.

Those people who have a need to be independent and express their individuality will often break away from the copybook standard and develop a style more in tune with their personality.

Her shift from right slant to a

mixture of vertical and backhand suggests changing moods. The right slant wants to reach out to others spontaneously, while the vertical slant is controlled and somewhat cautious.

There are several similarities in the two samples. The outstanding one is her good spacing, which is a very positive sign.

I have chosen to use the vertical handwriting as the basis of my analysis as I feel it is more typical

of her than the copybook with its strong tie to security and tradition. Still, we need to keep in mind the ambivalent feelings she experiences at times. They have a way of causing her to vacillate when faced with making decisions.

Several traits support her intellectual efficiency. She knows how to eliminate unnecessary steps and wastes little time getting right down to the bottom line. This strengthens her intellectual productivity.

Her intuitive side is much in evidence. When a new solution to an old problem is needed, she is a person capable of finding it.

Her ability to articulate, express ideas and make interesting conversation cannot be denied. A nice sense of humor helps her laugh at herself as well as the antics of others. It is also a trait which endears her to others.

An appreciation of cultural ex-

pression is also noted. She appears to be interested in music as well as literature, perhaps even expressing herself in these fields.

Some anxiety, however, in regard to herself is suggested. It seems quite possible she may be concealing her true nature and doing a little "role playing." She is inclined to tell people what they wish to hear.

Her need for security and tradition are still with her and can be a source of conflict at times.

Note: If you would like to have your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist, at 36261 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Please use a full sheet of white, unlined paper, writing in the first person singular. Please include your age, handedness, full signature and samples of different handwriting styles if you use them.

Bidding gimmicks could come in handy

There are a number of fancy bidding gimmicks that we keep in seclusion for a seldom but oh-so-essential specific use. When such a monumental bid is necessary, in the description of one's 13 pasteboards, it's a blessing to have such a gadget in your bidding bag.

One of the most difficult hands to describe over partners one no trump is the two suiter of at least five cards in each. Years ago Ira Rubin and Phil Feldesman conquered this problem by limiting all three bids by responder to particularize just such a holding.

Stayman's search for a four-card-major fit, and Jacoby transfers were used at the two level to ask or tell about most of the common holdings and Lebensohl if there was intervention, but three bids by responder were sanctimoniously reserved to portray two suiters. Ira never got involved with any artificial bid that he didn't complicate the issue, but in its simplest form, here's how it works.

Three clubs and diamonds promised at least five-five in the minors. Clubs was invitational and diamonds forcing to game with slam search implications. Three hearts and spades promised at least five-five in the majors. Hearts was invitational and spades forcing to game with the same slam implications.

If the no trump opener rebid three no trump, he denied holding either four cards in one of the stipulated suits or less than seven cards in the major or minor shown by the responder. Any other bid had forcing intentions and showed top side of no trump values.

Four clubs by either partner was gerber and suggested the only doubt about the hand was number of controls. No trump bidder could pass three clubs or three hearts with minimal opener and no fit.

All bids by opener at four level (other than gerber call) promised length and forward going interest. Five clubs over three clubs or three diamonds showed fit, but no slam interest with some unstipulated defect in no trump hand (possibly worthless doubleton that defense might run against three no trump).

The bid is on my convention card when playing with some of my favorites, even though its use is naturally limited. Today, I write about it as on two occasions this summer it came in handy and landed us on top — once in Grosse Pointe with Jack Danaher and more recently with one of my favorite Oakland partners, Dave Buskirk.

Try it for size and see if you like it.

A word about the bidding. Three diamonds was forcing showing minors. Three hearts acknowledge minors and showed heart control. Three spades showed control. Four clubs was gerber, and five clubs was no ace and useable void that must be spades because of preceding bid.

North now knew his cards were working and bid the slam in his best minor. It was a lay-down in either minor and a top for Dave and this columnist, but three no trump played by the field farud badly. Those in the minor game had the second-best match point score. Bidding gimmicks have their glorious moments!

NEW VOICES

STEVE and MARY CASEY of Redford Township announce the birth of COLIN FITZGERALD May 5. Grandparents are Ray and Simone Wirth of Boynton Beach, Fla. Colin has three sisters, Shannon, Natalie and Nicole.

PATRICK and STEPHEN MCGRATH and LEIGH MARA LAX of Westland announce the birth of ANDREW STEPHEN Aug. 18 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Terry and Stephanie McGrath of Westland and Jo Lax of Westland.

JOHN and NICOLE PETERSON of Westland announce the birth of AUTUMN ELAINE-MAE Aug. 25 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Edward and Patsy Rollins of Plymouth and Bill and Sharon Peterson of Canton. Autumn's siblings are Keith Alan; Arron Michael and Shane Gray.

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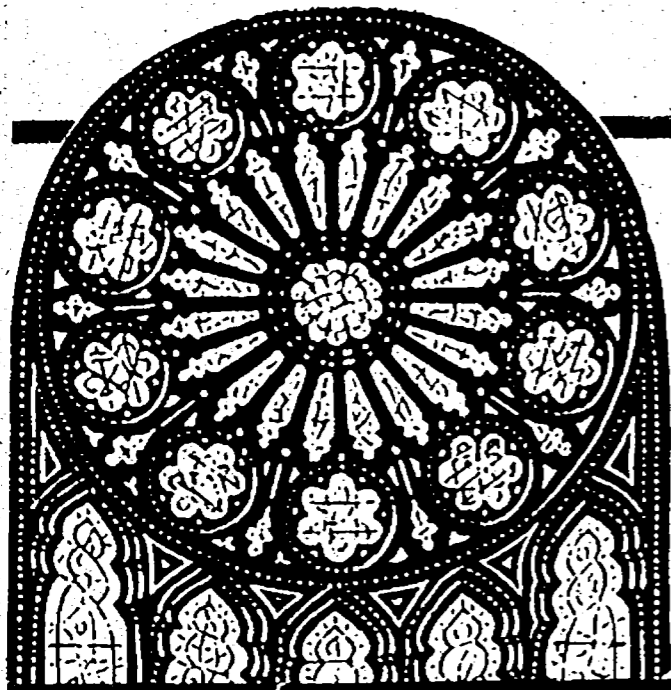
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Organizer: The Rev. Leland Seese Jr. of the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth is coordinating this year's Plymouth-Canton CROP walk. "Personally, one of the most satisfying parts of doing this is just getting people to come together and serve," said Seese, who is working with the Rev. Kevin Miles of the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth.



PHOTO BY JULIE BROWN

Leading the way: The previous Plymouth-Canton CROP walk included (left to right) Karen Sockolosky, Julie Roe, Melissa Lenzner and Amy Sullivan.

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Seese doesn't have a problem with people choosing to make financial contributions. "To me, that's fulfilling the gospel of having two coats and giving one to the person who has none."

The Plymouth Salvation Army will receive 13 percent of the money raised, and 12 percent will go to the Capuchin soup kitchen in Detroit, Seese said. The balance will go to Church World Service, a multi-denominational international relief organization.

CWS provides emergency ser-

vices, but concentrates on helping "to really give the people in whatever area the means to be self-sufficient. I think that's an important difference," Seese said.

Livonia walk organizers have also designated two local charities to receive a portion of the proceeds: the Christian Communication Council of Detroit, which provides meals for shut-ins, primarily in the Cass Corridor, and the St. Vincent de Paul food depot in Westland.

Both Seese and Spilos will walk in the Oct. 4 events. "I like to get

out right away and, if I can, sort of lead the pack," Spilos said.

"They've found the walks are a great way to bring people from different denominations and congregations together. As we do this, we recognize it's a common service we're participating in," Spilos said. "We look forward to being together to do this together."

Family time

Families with young children or teens have participated in the past,

he said. "That's a great way to spend the day together. I've done that with my own family." Senior citizens are also more than welcome, Spilos said.

Participants will raise pledges of so much per mile. Donors also can give a set amount. Walks will be 10 kilometers, 6.2 miles. There's no pressure to finish in record time, and walkers will take to the streets rain or shine.

"In eight years, we've always had great days for walking," Spilos said.

"So we're pretty confident." Livonia walk participants have only had rain one year, and didn't let that stop them.

The CROP walks are a way of "remembering that most of the people who will receive help have to walk literally 10 or 20 miles a day for water and things we take for granted," Seese said. Walking regardless of weather's part of the commitment.

"But we'll hope it's sunny," he added with a smile.

For more information, contact the Rev. Leland Seese Jr., 463-6464; (Plymouth-Canton walk), or the Rev. James Spilos, 464-0211 (Livonia walk). Those unable to participate have the option of sending a check, payable to Church World Service, c/o the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, 701 Church, Plymouth 48170, or Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, 39020 Five Mile, Livonia 48154. Contributions are tax-deductible. Pledge forms for walkers are available at participating churches.

Diversity provides energy, vitality for our society

MORAL PERSPECTIVES



REV. DAVID STRONG

It is increasingly clear that we must sustain a diversity of plants and animals upon this planet earth.

Scientists cannot predict what the consequences will be if the diversity of life is lost forever. Evidence abounds that a variety of life is necessary for our planet to survive.

When it comes to the importance of a diversity of human beings, however, the same conclusion is not so clear. Yet I believe that it is necessary and it is God's purpose for a diversity of races, cultures and spiritual perceptions of life to exist. The alternative is terrible to contemplate. We know about animal and plant diversity. It is not clear yet whether we realize that the challenge of our human diversity threat-

ens to either make or break our life on earth.

For years, people from many major racial and cultural identities have come to America. The ancestors of our Native American people came to this continent 20,000 years or more earlier. Many believe that the energy and vitality of our nation has come largely from this mix of peoples.

Diversity nourishes the greatness of this nation. Will this experiment work? Will human diversity leave a positive impact upon our common life? Will it lead instead to destruction? The answer will come when many people, and many institutions commit themselves to the highest, most sacred value of diversity.

Diversity is under attack. Economic opportunity, education and housing are so separate and so unequal in many parts of our nation. The tragedy of racial violence is fresh in our memory.

Our national leadership does not address the problems which derive from our differences. We do not hear about the positive challenge of our differences. Those who work for cooperation, who affirm the gifts and graces of diversity are seldom supported or recognized.

The very fact that we are constantly faced by so many choices works against us as well as for diversity. Choice in America must not mean that we go our private way. Choice in America must not be driven more by economic facts than by truth. The tides still move against those who would work towards a better life for all.

I know of people who have given up working for diversity in community and religious organizations. They have moved away. They have chosen their own private life. They are tired of the battle.

Cultural and spiritual teaching must work for a diversity that will thrive. The spiritual basis for a vi-

tal, life-giving diversity comes from trust in God's creative and redemptive action. Religion does not begin nor does it end with the saving of one soul. God calls us to peace, to community, to the larger whole. God's creative and God's redemption is for all the universe.

We must believe in and work for the dynamics of diversity. We must believe that the variety of peoples, religions and cultures is simply the will of God. We must be very clear in our thinking that God does not intend everyone to be exactly the same. No one group shall seek to make everyone else in their own image.

Second, we must develop a practice of "mix and match." We need times and places to match ourselves to our heritage, our own race, our familiar form of worship. We need to have other times to mix.

We need places and times to celebrate our human diversity with respect and appreciation of the gifts

and graces of all. For some this already takes place at the workplace. Yet, it must happen in community organizations and in religious settings.

My denomination, the United Methodist Church, has retreated from this commitment to sustain diversity in congregations. We have retreated in too many instances from the cities where this is most possible. We lack leaders who make diversity a priority. We seem to be fixated upon survival. We lack the insight into how to make a dynamic diversity a reality within our denomination. Minorities have been placed in positions of leadership, yet the local, community and church-based diversity is lacking.

We need to follow the theme of mix and match. This requires that we strengthen our grasp of the wonder and the importance of diversity in both theological and practical terms. Mix and match means a creative tension between elements

within our identity.

For example, when we baptize a person we tell them that they are baptized into the worldwide church. This is the family of God. In this ritual, the individual is initiated into a mix of many and diverse people as well as into this local congregation and denomination.

Protestants need to realize they are baptized into the Catholic church. Catholics need to know that their baptism initiates them into a church which includes Protestants. Whites need to learn about African-centered culture and Oriental culture. The possibilities are endless.

Our differences are most challenging. Will we rise to this challenge or will we drown in the tides of separatism, prejudice and violence which are sweeping our world and our nation? This is a critical spiritual question for our time. It well can be a question of survival in this coming time.

RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday the week prior to publication.

LIFE CARE

Life Care Ministries, a Christian crisis phone line, is seeking committed, caring volunteers to become telephone listeners. A 12-week training class will meet 7-9 p.m. Monday, beginning Sept. 14, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, at Six Mile in Livonia. For more information, call 427-1155 between 11 a.m. and 11 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

SINGLE PLACE

Single Place Adult Ministries will offer a seven-week divorce recovery workshop beginning 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 10, at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main. Donation is \$30, and scholarships are available. For more information, call 349-0911.

BECOMING CATHOLIC

Inquiry sessions will be held 7:30-9:30 p.m. Thursdays in the school library at Our Lady of Good Counsel, 1160 Penniman, Plymouth. Sessions are designed for non-Catholics and for Catholics seeking a faith update. The first will be held Thursday, Sept. 10. The school library is behind the church building. Sessions will be informal. For more information, call 455-1999.

RUMMAGE SALE

Faith Community Church, 14560 Merriman, at Lyndon in Livonia, will hold its annual rummage sale 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 11-12. There will also be food, baked goods and homemade Amlegh egg noodles.

PRAYER BREAKFAST

A men's prayer breakfast will be held 8:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 12, at Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington and Six Mile roads in Livonia. There will be a speaker from Youth for Christ. There is no charge. For more information, call 422-1826.

AFRICAN DINNER

An African dinner/marketplace will be held 6-9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 12, at Central United Methodist Church, 23 E. Adams, corner of Adams and Woodward in Detroit. The fund-raising event is sponsored by the Southern Africa Committee of the Michigan Coalition for Human Rights. Proceeds will be used to send delegates to South Africa. Tickets are \$5 in advance, \$7 at the door. For more information, call (313) 831-0258.

CHILDREN'S CENTER

A children's worship center will open this fall at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia. It is designed for children ages 4-7. Children will be able to register Sunday, Sept. 13 or 20. The first session will be 9:45 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 20. Parents are asked to attend the first session with their children. For more information, call 422-1470.

An "Opportunity Fair" will be held 9:45 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 13, at the church. Information will be provided on opportunities for children, youths and adults. Choirs, fellowship groups and educational programs will be highlighted. A continental breakfast will be provided.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church, 32430 Ann Arbor Trail in

Westland, will begin its yearlong Christian education emphasis with the theme "Let the Children Come" (Mark 10:13-14). The annual Sunday school "Rally Day" begins with a Christian education festival planned for 10 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 13. Education staffers will be commissioned, and children will participate in the service. Sunday school is offered for children age 3 through eighth grade, along with youth and adult studies during the Sunday school hour. Sunday school begins 9 a.m. The church will also hold adult information classes for those interested in learning about the Christian faith and Lutheran church 7-8:45 p.m. Mondays, beginning Sept. 14, at the church. For more information, call 422-5550.

BIBLE STUDY

Bible study will be held beginning Tuesday, Sept. 15, at Detroit First Church of the Nazarene, 21260 Haggerty, north of Eight Mile in Northville. Sessions will be 9:15-11:15 a.m. and 7-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays in fellowship hall. Child care will be available during morning sessions. Coffee and tea will be provided. Sessions are open to non-members. For more information, call 348-7600.

ADULT INFORMATION

Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church will hold adult information classes for those interested in learning more about the Christian faith and the Lutheran Church 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays, beginning Sept. 16, at the church, 14175 Farmington Road, Livonia. For more information, call 522-6830.

NEW HOURS

Beginning Sunday, Sept. 13, new

hours of worship will begin at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, west of Inkster in Livonia. The first service will be 8:45 a.m. An enrichment hour at 9:45-10:45 a.m. will feature adult forums, senior high and mid-high Sunday school, a worship center for children ages 4-8, and electives (bells, dance, skits, crafts, etc.) for children in third through fifth grades. The second service will be 11 a.m. Sunday, and will include Sunday school for children age 3 through the fifth grade at 11:30 a.m. For more information, call 422-1470.

CHURCH PICNIC

Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church of Canton will hold its annual picnic 1:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 13, on the church grounds, 42690 Cherry Hill. The potluck picnic will have the theme "Keep the Flame Burning." Those attending should bring a main dish and another dish to pass, along with their own table service. Games will be included. For more information, call 981-0286.

FILM SHOW

The Billy Graham film "Eye of the Storm" will be shown 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 13, at Ward Presbyterian Church, Six Mile and Farmington roads in Livonia. The film tells the story of an award-winning television reporter and his teenage daughter. He must deal with the death of his wife and help his daughter cope, but instead immerses himself in his work. Admission is free. For more information, call 422-1150.

GUEST PASTOR

Dr. Robert Norris of Fourth Presbyterian Church in Bethesda, Md.,

will preach Sunday, Sept. 13, as guest pastor at Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington and Six Mile roads in Livonia. He will preach 8, 9:15 and 10:45 a.m. and 12:05 p.m. For more information, call 422-1150.

BLOOD DRIVE

A blood drive will be held 2-8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 14, in the youth room at the First Baptist Church of Canton, Sheldon and Cherry Hill. The event is sponsored by Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church of Canton and the First Baptist Church of Canton. Donors are needed. For more information, call 981-6460 or 981-0286.

ACTION

ACTION Ministry, which provides support and practical help for people who are unemployed or changing careers, meets at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Monday of each month at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. Meeting topics for September include "Marketing and Networking" with Barbara Ellman on Sept. 14 and "Time Management" with Dr. Vernon Hoffner on Sept. 28. For more information, call 422-1826.

INFORMATION CLASS

An adult information class will be offered beginning 7-9 p.m. Monday, Sept. 14, at St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 1343 Penniman, Plymouth. The course, offered free of charge, will provide an overview of basic Christian beliefs and will include reading of three books of the Bible — Genesis, Mark and Romans. All course materials are provided. For more information, call 453-3393.

SINGLE PLACE

Single Place will meet the evening of Wednesday, Sept. 16, at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main. William Greenman, Ph.D., will speak. Donation is \$4. Child care is provided. For more information, call 349-0911. Single Place is also planning a "Games People Play" fall retreat Sept. 18-20 with Andy Morgan at Camp Ohivessa, along with a workshop on "People Who Love Too Much" presented by Bettina Edwards 7:30 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 17, 24 and Oct. 1. Donation for the workshop is \$26. For more information, call 349-0911.

SPACE FOR GOD

A group is being formed at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church of Livonia to read and discuss "Space for God" by Don Postema, a book about developing a relationship with God and nurturing an attitude of faith in life. The group will meet 8:30-11 a.m. the third Saturday of the month, beginning Sept. 19 and continuing through May 1993. The church is at 27475 Five Mile, Livonia. For more information, call 422-1470.

NEW START

New Start, a group for widowed people, meets 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays in the chapel of Ward Presbyterian Church in Livonia. The group provides emotional and spiritual support for those who have lost loved ones. Grief support groups will also meet at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 23, and 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 17. For more information, call 422-1854.

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BOB SKLAR

Monotypes command exhibition spotlight

Monotypes created with oil-based printing ink date back to Rembrandt. Impressionists Degas and Gauguin also created them at the turn of the century.

But monotypes made from watercolor-based printing ink gained popularity only within the past 15 years. A monotype is a single print created by transferring to paper an image painted on a plate.

Says Visual Arts Association of Livonia watercolor monotype instructor Lily Dudgeon: "I'm hooked because you get such a different look — such a unique result. Once you get into it, you just love it. You're addicted."

That addiction prompted Dudgeon, who also teaches at the Birmingham-Bloomfield Art Association and in Garden City adult education classes, to organize a very special fine art show: a watercolor monotype exhibit.

The free show will feature the monotypes of 25 of her students from Sept. 9 to Oct. 23 in the Rotunda at Henry Ford Centennial Library, 16301 Michigan Ave., between Southfield and Greenfield roads, Dearborn. Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday.

Observerland artists taking part are Mary Mull, Marge Masek, Audrey Harkins and Marlene Kutz of Livonia and Connie Lucas of Canton. A meet-the-artists reception will be 2-4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 12.

What's a monotype?

To produce a monotype, an artist first creates a scene on an acrylic plate using watercolor paints, crayons or pencils, sometimes putting a sketch beneath the clear plate as a guide. Damp rag paper then is put on top of the plate. Two wool blankets are laid over the paper to act as a cushion. The plate is put on the press bed and run through the press. The pressure of the press pulls up the dry pigment from the plate and imprints it on the damp paper. The process leaves an embossed edge around the artwork.

"You get fine detail. And it's considered original art because it's only one of a kind," said Dudgeon, a spry 72-year-old artist who discovered the wacky world of monotypes in 1981 at Oxbow, an art colony near Saugatuck. She later honed her skill at Wayne State University.

A monotype is a hybrid "with one foot in the print world and one foot in the art world," said Dudgeon, a working artist for 17 years. "Many museums didn't know what to do with monotypes because of that so they didn't give them a lot of weight until the late '60s and '70s."

The painterly textures and surface effects of watercolor monotypes carry no guarantees. Colors on the paper can be lighter than those applied on the plate. Or colors can be so deep, they penetrate the paper.

Sometimes, you get edges on certain areas of the artwork but not others, depending on the painting technique used. Sometimes, artists reach for a brush, crayon or pencil, even pastel, to fine-tune monotypes.

Monotype images produced by hand press don't offer the same high fidelity and look more impressionistic than those produced by electric press. With either method, however, "you never know how it's going to turn out," Dudgeon said. "That's the mystery of monotypes."

A surprising encounter

Unpredictability is one of the art form's lures. Says Livonia artist Marge Masek, "The element of surprise is the fun part."

Since branching out to watercolor monotypes three years ago, the artist has sold more than a dozen pieces at \$85 or more at shows hosted by VAAL, the Livonia Artists Club and the Farmington Artists Club.

A student of Dudgeon's since 1989, Masek said her instructor not only is a master at monotypes but also at critiquing. "She's excellent at picking out what you need to do to make your work better."

Canton artist Connie Lucas, a professional artist for 30 years, studied monotypes under Dudgeon in August and has fashioned nine autobiographical and landscape pieces.

Most of Lucas' work is in watercolor and mixed media. She's best known for her "Violence In Society" abstracted realism series and her "Woman's Work" abstract series.

Lucas calls Dudgeon "a sort of pioneer locally in watercolor monotypes. She really developed the art form around here and is quite well respected."

A Plymouth-Canton leisure adult education watercolor instructor, Lucas says monotypes are more than a passing fancy for her. "When you put a painting on a plate, you can never really be sure what'll happen when you run it through the press. The spontaneity — that's what's exciting."

Bob Sklar is assistant managing editor for special projects.

Color them painterly — two team up

Artists and Craftsmen Show this weekend, 2D

Quality and diversity are key to work showcased in the Plymouth Community Arts Council's 20th annual Artists and Craftsmen Show this weekend. The arts celebration is the primary council fund-raiser; proceeds go toward grants and scholarships for art students and teachers.

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
SPECIAL WRITER



Artist Hugh Burley and his wife, Liz, have exhibited at art shows, entertaining crowds with his oil painting demonstrations for 30 of the 45 years they've been married.

The delightful duo, known for their colorful paintings of flowers and birds, will display dozens of new works at the Plymouth Community Art Council's 20th annual Artists and Craftsmen Show Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 12-13, at Central Middle School, Church and Main, Plymouth.

"The art is something we can do together as a team," Liz said. "We get satisfaction out of the painting for each other. It's satisfying to me for him to be doing what he enjoys."

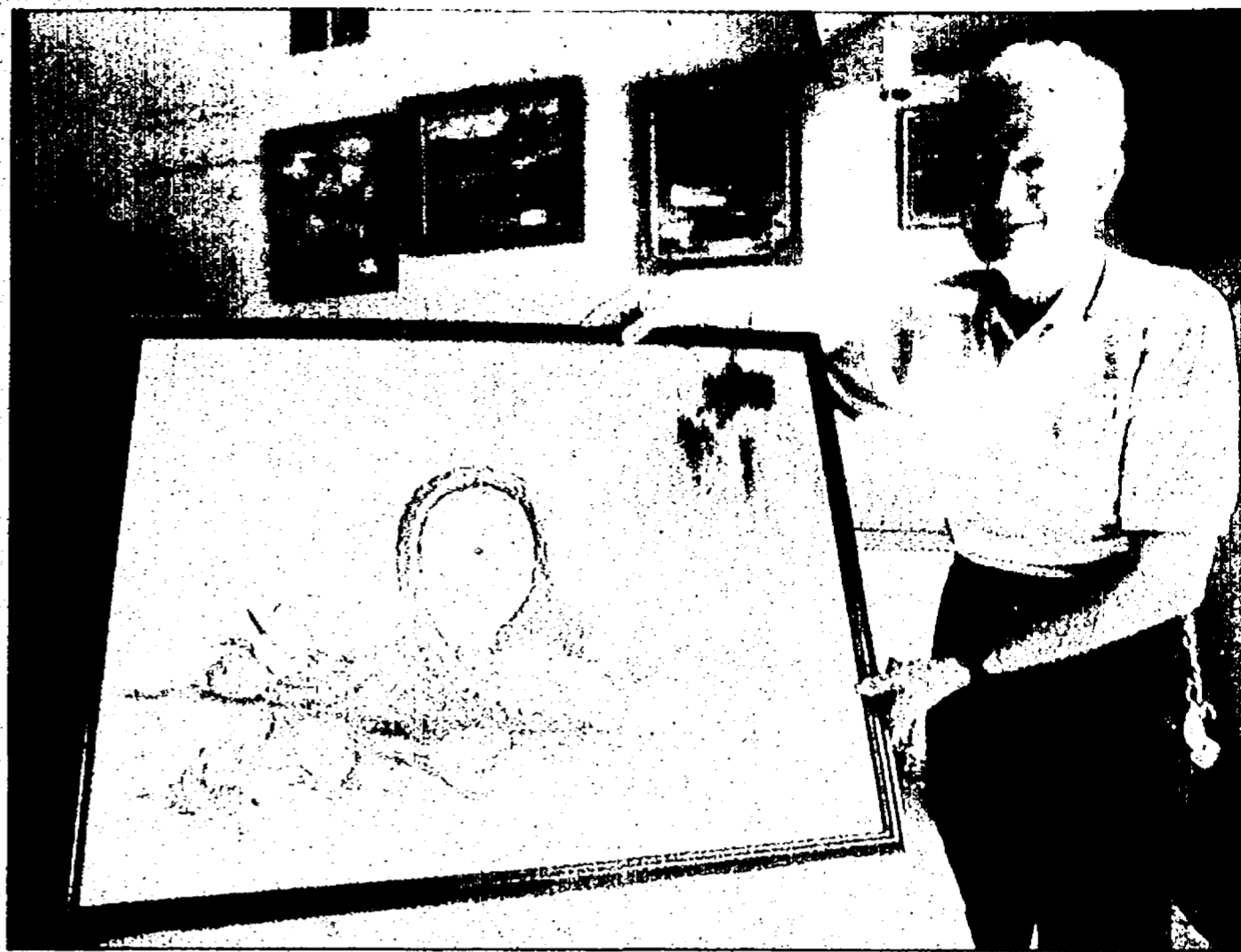
Burley does all the painting, Liz all the framing, selling and paperwork. At art shows, he paints for hours while she tends to patrons. "It takes the two of us to do it," Liz said.

The Burleys' devotion to one another and to painting is legendary in the art community of Plymouth, where Hugh exhibits oils at D & M Studios and Gallery in Old Village.

Along with the Artists and Craftsmen's Show, the Burleys are regular exhibitors at Plymouth's Art in the Park, Canton's Liberty Fest Fine Arts Show and Ann Arbor's Summer Art Fair. They also exhibit with the Dexter Historical Society.

"I only use three colors: red, yellow and blue," Burley said. "I mix it right on the board."

Burley shows a visitor to D & M an oil of two elegant peonies that bloomed in his garden this spring. "I did the imasto techniques with a brush," he said. "I built up the edges



STAFF PHOTOS BY BILL BRESLER

Prolific painter: For close to 70 years, Plymouth artist Hugh Burley has painted in oil using techniques of the masters. In July, he and his wife/business partner, Liz, exhibited 74 floral and bird paintings at the Ann Arbor Summer Art Fair, selling 67 by the time the four-day show ended.

like on a rose. Michelangelo did it that way."

Born in 1914 in Peck, a small northern Michigan town, Burley has painted nearly all his life, acquiring the longing to create oils early on.

"I went up to my father's layout in 1917 after he died. I wanted to see what he was doing," Burley said. "My father was a pharmacist. He painted on glass (decorative) curlicues and borders."

Burley picked up the oils and brushes from his father's layout, never to lay them down.

"I painted pictures all through grammar school," he said. "I went to summer school because there was nothing to do in summer and started painting landscapes in oil."

Burley and his family moved to Detroit, where environmental forces sealed his destiny as a painter and humorist.

"When I used to live on Cass Avenue," he said, "I used to put my paintings up on a clothesline in Grand Circus Park."

See **TEAMWORK**, 2D



In Flight: For the 10th year, Hugh Burley will exhibit florals and birds like this Canada Goose at the Artists and Craftsmen Show.

Challenge yourself, or just relax, via art

LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Observerland art classes offer a broad range of creative outlets, from traditional fine arts like painting, drawing, pottery and out-of-the-ordinary media like airbrushing, cartooning and experimental watercolor to the crafts of basketweaving and quiltmaking.

In the last few weeks, arts organizations, studios, businesses, high school/college adult education programs, parks and recreation departments and art clubs in the area have flooded mailboxes with fliers and brochures listing visual arts classes.

Along with a smorgasbord of art media, they feature scheduling to fit any lifestyle plus options like workshops and ongoing classes.

New this fall, students taking life drawing or anatomy classes with a live model will hone three-dimensional fig-

'There's so much stress in our everyday lives, it's nice to lose yourself in this type of creative environment.'

Sharon Dillenbeck
Plymouth artist

ure drawing skills.

With the holidays around the corner, why not make a quilt or basket for someone special? Arts and craft classes serve a multitude of purposes providing growth, creative expression, a means to relax and outright fun.

"There's so much stress in our everyday lives, it's nice to lose yourself in this type of creative environment," said Sharon Dillenbeck, owner of D & M Art Studio and Gallery in Plymouth.

Dillenbeck teaches art through the

Plymouth and Canton recreation departments and at D & M. "When your brain flips to the right side, it's like being in another world and you can end up with a great painting or a creative expression," she said.

Decorative crafts like basketweaving, taught by Lorraine Justice through Plymouth-Canton Community Education at Plymouth-Canton High School and Wayne County Community College at the Canton Senior Center, produce accent pieces for the home while relieving stress.

"I just love beautiful baskets," Justice said. "It's very relaxing and real rewarding if you have coordination in your hands. It's not very expensive. They make great gifts."

If you're not ready to commit yourself to 10 weeks of oil painting, ongoing classes or a workshop can help determine your level of interest. Not every-

one enjoys drawing the family's Irish Wolfhound.

Instead, a fun class offered by Schoolcraft College's Continuing Education Services focusing on experimental watercolor using salt and sand techniques could bring out the creativity in you.

"Some people come in and it doesn't work, other people come in and it clicks. They're doing something that makes them happy," said Donna Enders, wildlife artist and oil painting instructor at The Art Store in Canton Township.

Enders, who said she leans toward teaching impressionism, considers art classes a form of therapy for people from all walks of life, including stressed-out professionals, senior citizens and the disabled.

See **CLASSES**, 3D

Artbeat features vignettes from the suburban arts scene. Write: Artbeat, Creative Living, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. For details and reviews of musical performances, please turn to the Entertainment section.

ANTIQUE BENEFIT

Plymouth Symphony League volunteers host their fall antique show, a Plymouth Symphony fund-raiser, Thursday-Saturday, Sept. 10-12, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer.

The 30th annual show features 25 dealers specializing in Victorian, classic and English country, primitives, jewelry, silver, linens, maps, English brass/copper, and European antiques.

From 7:30-10 p.m. tonight, a preview reception hosted by the league will feature 19th and early

Art Beat

20th century treasures before the show officially opens Friday. Admission is \$15 per person and includes hors d'oeuvres and refreshments plus admission to the show Friday and Saturday.

General admission Friday and Saturday is \$3 each day.

A mini deli run by Penniman Deli offers sandwiches, salads and desserts Friday and Saturday.

A handpiced and handquilted calico on muslin Michigan quilt, with a pinwheel/star-like pattern, will be offered in a drawing. The quilt dates back to the 1930s. Drawing tickets are \$1.

All event proceeds go to the Plymouth Symphony Society to support the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra.

BALLET BOOSTERS

Bruce and Kim McElhane of McElhane Photography volunteered their photographic services on behalf of the Livonia Civic Ballet Company.

In need of publicity photos, ballet company members were photographed at McElhane Photography in the Laurel Park Place Office Building.

The McElhanes specialize in fine portraiture. The studio serves families, individuals, couples and weddings and does passport and I.D. work.

Portraits are presented not only in the studio but also on location in homes, banquet halls, and park settings.

EXHIBITIONS

Send calendar items about Oakland County art gallery exhibitions to The Eccentric, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009. Send items about Wayne County exhibitions to The Observer, 3625 I Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Attention: Creative Living editor.

LIVONIA CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY

Continuing — The Livonia Arts Commission and Friends of the Library present an exhibit by the Michigan Friends of Photography to Sept. 26 in the art gallery on the second floor of the Livonia Civic Center Library, Farmington Road at Five Mile. Livonia photographer Carlos Diaz displays a powerful montage of nine images: "Artifacts of the Working Class." Exhibit hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday.

LIVONIA CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY

Continuing — Plymouth artist Sharon Bida will exhibit works in clay and silver through Sept. 28 in the Livonia Arts Commission's showcases on the second floor of the library, Farmington Road and Five Mile. After many years as a sculpture of welded and cast works, Bida began sculpting jewelry out of clay four years ago. Out of her most recent works evolved what Bida refers to as her "neckties." The pieces are made from a lightweight clay and can be worn as a pin or necklace. She incorporates antique stones and gems into several of the fashionable pieces. Also exhibited are large sculpture like silver rings. Bida creates the rings using the lost wax method. Hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday.

ATRIUM GALLERY

Continuing — Danguole Jurgutis of Farmington Hills presents a new mixed media series. She boasts a strong style and sense of color. Also showing: Laura Whitesides of Birmingham, contemporary watercolors; Tom Hoffman of Waterford, fine furniture and clocks; Andrea DeZell of Plymouth, contemporary oils on paper. Through September. 109 N. Center, Northville.

LIVONIA CITY HALL

Continuing — Livonia Arts Commission hosts watercolors by Shirley Bishop of Livonia through Sept. 30 in the lobby of city hall, Farmington Road and Five Mile. "Retrospective in Color," features 34 florals, still life, and architectural landscapes spanning a period of 15 years. Bishop studied with Edee Joppich, Marie Tuthill and Anne Dase Loveland. She has exhibited work with Visual Arts Association of Livonia, Farmington Artists Club, the Farmington Community Library and Joppich's Bay Street Gallery in Northport. Bishop refers to her style of painting as abstract realism. She said it's influenced by the natural beauty surrounding her. Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

CASA DE UNIDAD

Continuing — "Through Their Eyes," the first works from Casa de Unidad's Barrio Youth Photography Workshops, continues through Oct. 9 at the Hispanic organization's Cultural Arts and Media Center, 1920 Scotten Detroit. The

23-piece exhibition is the culmination of photographs taken in Southwest Detroit by 20 multicultural students during a 10-week workshop led by Livonia photographer Carlos Diaz, an associate professor at Center for Creative Studies in Detroit. In the show's program, Diaz states, "they are images no one but these children could make of this community — their home. Each photograph possesses directness with the subject and unlike images made by visitors (pedestrians or professional), these are attached to the life of the place." The project was a success, thanks to support from Arts Midwest in partnership with National Endowment for the Arts, Casa de Unidad Cultural Arts and Media Center, Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs, Detroit Council of the Arts, Sister Martinez of Madonna University-Livonia, Michigan Education Opportunity Fund, Sister Elizabeth and Till O'Brien of Holy Redeemer-Detroit, Dr. Rosa Williams and Stephen Black of Earhart Middle School-Detroit, Neighborhood Opportunity Fund, Canon, Fuji, Ilford and Diaz.

MATRIX GALLERY

Friday, Sept. 11 — "Polaroid Paintings, Collages and Constructions with Special References to Columbus and Nicaragua by George Manupelli" continues through Oct. 23 at the gallery, 212 Miller, 1/4 blocks west of Main, Ann Arbor. A reception for the artist will be 5-9 p.m. Friday. Manupelli, founder of the Ann Arbor 16 mm Film Festival, taught film at the University of Michigan in the early 1960s. Manupelli's collages include found objects. "Once while working, I accidentally cut off my fingertip, which I included in the collage. Art was not only at my fingertip, it was my fingertip," he said. Manupelli's Polaroid paintings came about when he dropped a Polaroid camera one year ago. After taking a picture, he noticed an abstract image resulted from chemicals being spread over the film without exposure to light. After manipulating the images, Manupelli places them in rows like comics. A 40-panel work, "The Open Veins of Latin America," traces the Creation, the arrival of Columbus in Sandino, Nicaragua and the Sandinista National Liberation Front's victory over Nicaraguan dictator, Somoza. Another work is titled "The First to Sight Columbus were the Birds." Matrix Gallery specializes in new, emerging and experimental art. Call 663-7775.

A.C.T. GALLERY

Friday, Sept. 11 — From 7-10 p.m., opening reception for a two-person show of paintings by members Deborah Sukenic and Karen Lewis. Sukenic's paintings explore the idea of interiors and the objects contained in them. Lewis deals with Adam and Eve, focusing on their relationship and on Eve's experiences of pregnancy and birthing. To Oct. 10. Hours: noon to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday. 29 E. Grand River, Detroit.

ATRIUM GALLERY

To Sept. 12 — Livonia artist Barb Demgen presents a new series, "Reflections," reflective painting in watercolors, acrylics and oils. Included in gallery works are mixed media pieces by Audrey DiMarco, West Bloomfield; Lena Massara and

Jeanne Ozmont, Farmington Hills; Marilyn Blinder, Southfield; Adrian Astrakhan, Westland. To Aug. 30. 109 N. Center, Northville. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, to 7 p.m. Thursday.

CENTRAL MIDDLE SCHOOL

Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 12-13 — Plymouth Community Arts Council hosts its annual Artists and Craftsmen Show, a primary fund-raiser. Admission is \$1 for adults, \$1 seniors and students, children younger than 12 free. The show features works by more than 100 artists and crafters, including watercolor, acrylic and oil paintings, jewelry, clay, textiles, tin and wood. Church and Main, Plymouth. Hours: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN HOSPITAL LOBBY

To Sept. 13 — Watercolor paintings by Johnnie Crosby of Northville. Among the haunts she illustrates are exotic locales in Arizona, Florida, Greece and Hawaii. Floor One, 1500 E. Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor. Hours: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily.

PARK WEST GALLERY

To Sept. 15 — The love of nature will be the theme with an exhibition by Harold Altman, one of America's premier printmakers. The collection, inspired by nature, will feature 50 lithographs and etchings spanning 20 years of the artist's career as well as new works. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, 29469 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, 354-2343.

WENTWORTH GALLERY

Saturday, Sept. 19 — Impressionist, John Zacheo presents an exhibition of original works and limited

edition serigraphs through Sept. 29. The public is invited to attend an opening reception to meet the artist from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 19 at the gallery, in Laurel Park Place Mall, Six Mile and Newburgh, Livonia. Zacheo uses a palette knife to create lush landscapes of Mediterranean ports and seascapes, paradises ripe for escape. Travels to 36 countries, from the South Sea Islands to the upper Amazon River, have influenced his palette. After earning a bachelor of arts degree and studying at the Art Student League in New York, Zacheo continued studies in Europe and Japan. He has work in the collections of former President Jimmy Carter, the estate of Anwar Sadat, former Prime Minister Menachim Begin and former Vice President Nelson Rockefeller.

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To Sept. 20 — Student Summer Show 1992, including work by graduates of the departments of architecture, ceramics, design, fiber, metalsmithing, painting, photography, printmaking and sculpture. 500 Lone Pine, Bloomfield Hills. Call 645-3323.

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To Sept. 26 — Photography by Dafydd Jones. The gallery show will emphasize his photographs of prominent society women at social gatherings in the United States and Europe. Included are provocative images of Leona Helmsley, Ivana Trump, Brooke Astor and Queen Elizabeth II. Also, paintings by Paul Bridge are exhibited to Sept. 5 as part of the gallery's Michigan invitational. Bridge's paintings are a bold array of geometric shapes and primary colors. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and by ap-

pointment, 430 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 433-3700.

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To Sept. 26 — Contemplative ceramic vessels by Paul Kotula of Huntington Woods, an instructor at the Center for Creative Studies in Detroit, and Tony Marsh. Reception for the artists 6-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 11. Kotula's utilitarian dinnerware and Marsh's vessels, filled with abstracted three-dimensional images, reflect on the spiritual and human aspects of our time. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and by appointment, 308 W. Fourth, Royal Oak, 542-4880.

THE ARTISTS' GALLERY

To Sept. 26 — "Alternative Spaces," a show featuring Barbara R. Nigro's series "Ancient Pleasures" and the photojournalism of Linda Solomon. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, in Applegate Square on Northwestern Highway between 12 and 13 Mile, Southfield, 353-4707.

SCARAB CLUB

To Sept. 27 — The Junior Leagues of Michigan "Focus on Michigan Families" art exhibition/advocacy project. Opening reception 1-5 p.m. Sept. 13. The art work chosen by Detroit Focus Gallery director Mary Denison represents various social problems that the Junior Leagues are advocating for increased awareness and reform. One of the nine Junior Leagues in Michigan is in Birmingham. Hours: noon to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, 217 Farnsworth, adjacent to the Detroit Institute of Arts. For more information on the project, call the Junior League of Detroit at 881-0040.

HILL GALLERY

To Sept. 29 — Paintings by Ed Fraga. The gallery is at 163 Townsend, Birmingham. Call 540-9288.

FEIGENSON/PRESTON GALLERY

To Sept. 30 — New paintings by Chicago artist James Stephens. Stephens' paintings embody geometric shapes and landscapes with a sense of decay and mystery. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 796 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 644-3955.

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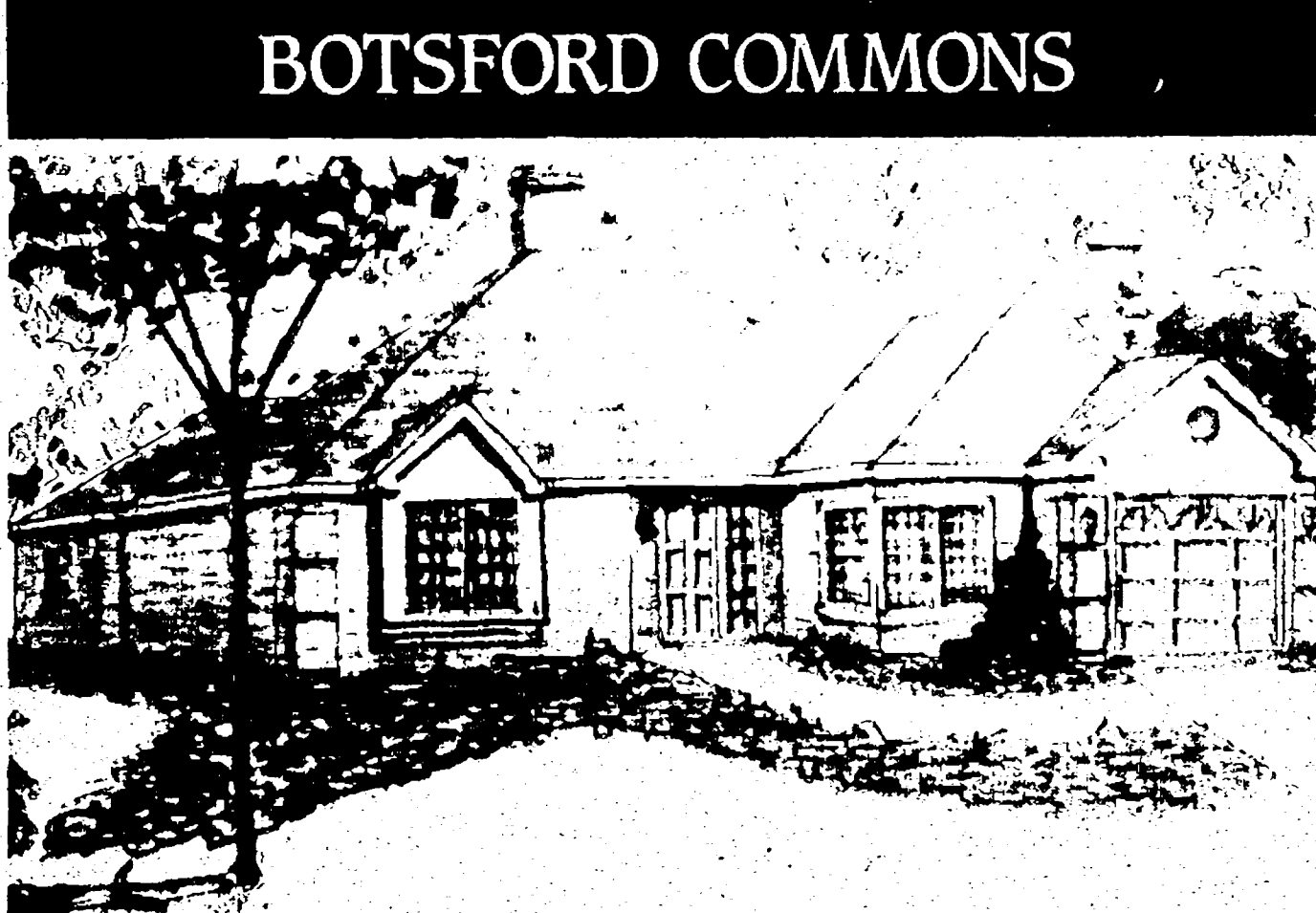
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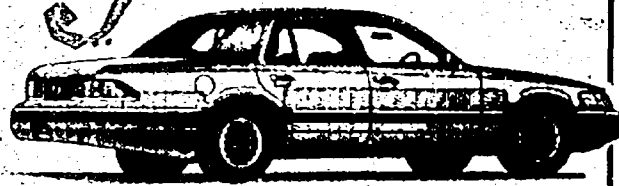
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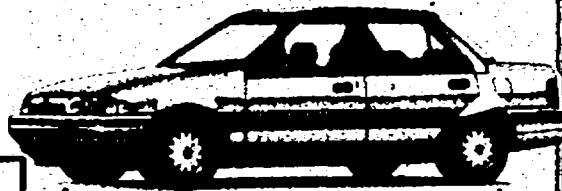
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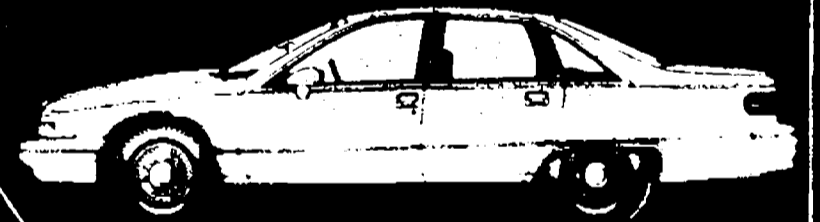
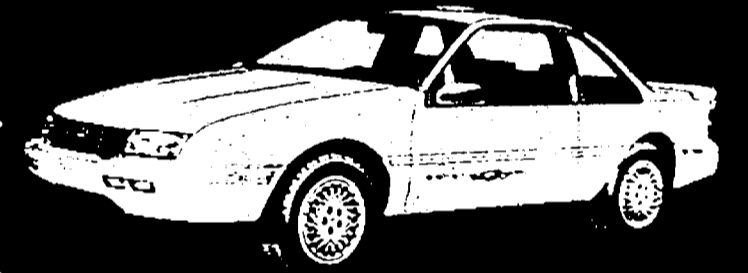
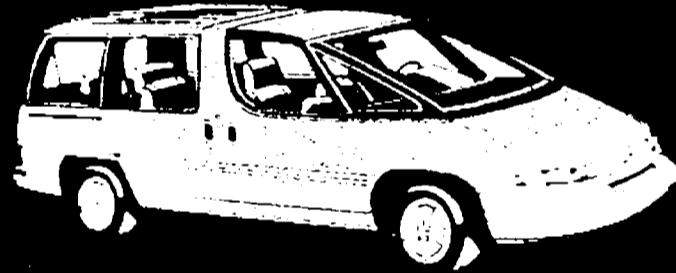
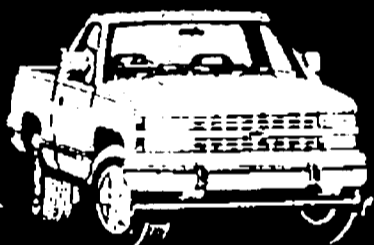
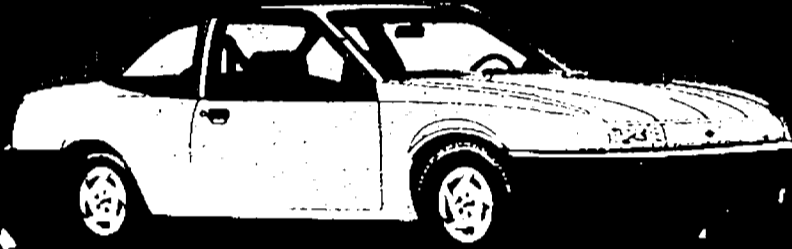
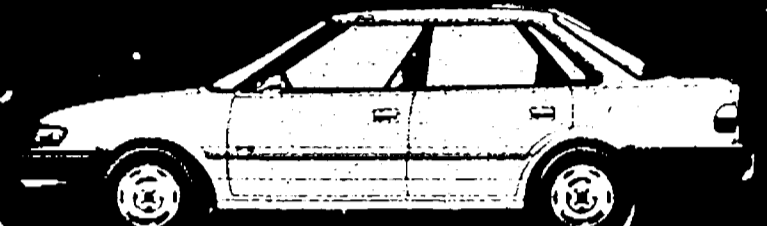
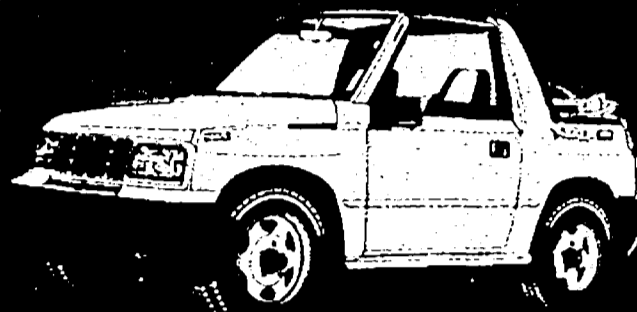
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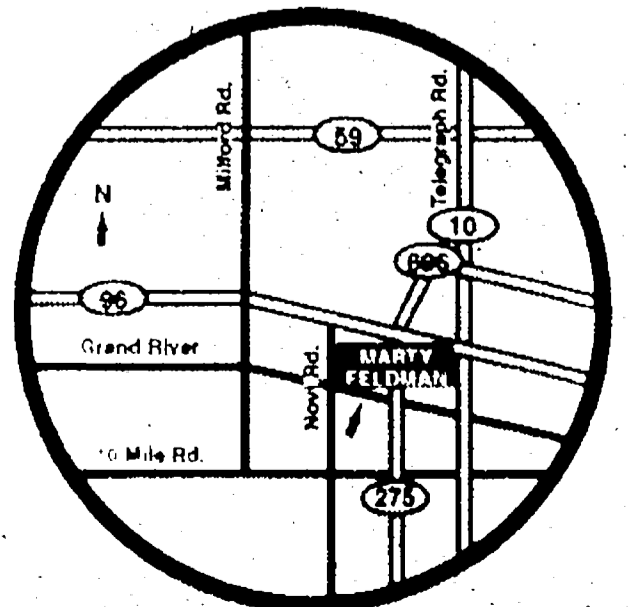


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Four hour minimum of Rochester. Must have 2 years experience.

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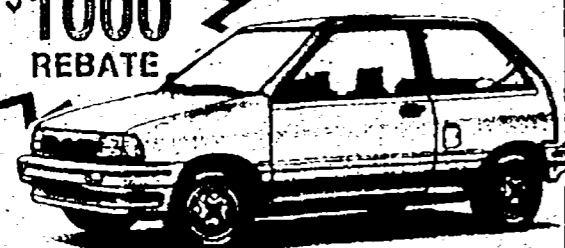
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WAS \$8150
IS **\$6770***

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IS **\$8606***

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IS **\$13,814***

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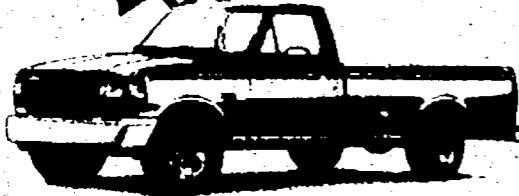
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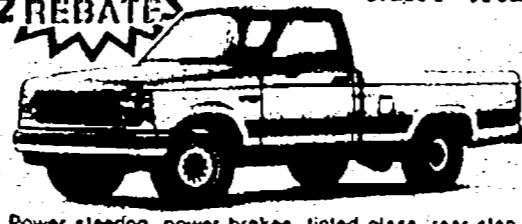


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WAS \$16,293
IS **\$12,814***

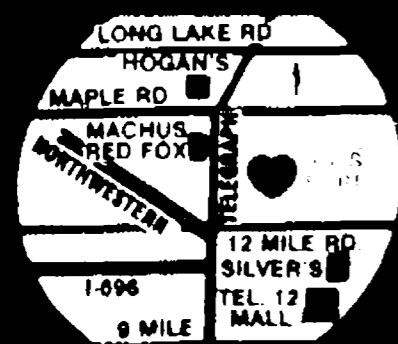
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TMP Associates of Bloomfield Hills programmed and designed the building; Barton-Malow Co. of Southfield was the construction manager; and the architect was Sims-Verner & Associates of Detroit in association with TMP Associates.

Cash flow problems

Construction Coalition of Michigan will offer a series of programs on cash flow and payment problems in the construction industry beginning with a luncheon meeting at noon Monday, Sept. 21, at the Marjon Oaks Golf Club in Howell.

Speakers will be Paul Ellis, senior vice president of Comerica and Construction Association of Michigan board director; Harry Ellman, president of Fidelity Title Co.; and Marty Burnstein, attorney with Seyburn, Kahn, Ginn, Bess & Howard.

The presentations are designed to help construction professionals understand the payment process for each segment of the industry — from the owner to the smallest supplier. The program is open to all members of the construction industry. Reservations at \$10 are required by Sept. 14 by calling Lynn Briggs at 517-669-5050.

CCM is comprised of 27 construction associations from around the state. It was formed in 1991 to provide a forum in which construction groups might exchange ideas and explore ways to solve common problems.

Economic forecast

David Littman, first vice president and senior economist of Comerica will discuss his 1993 economic forecast for the Greater Detroit Chapter of the Construction Financial Management Association when it holds its dinner meeting beginning at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 23, at the Detroit Club.

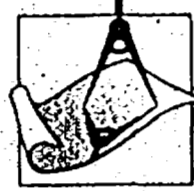
For reservations, at \$30, call CFMA at 262-1947, ext. 570.

The Construction Financial Management Association is made up of those having financial responsibilities in the construction industry.



Market-wise

1st-time buyers know what they want



The single-family housing market is divided into quadrants, with builders targeting customers as first-time buyers, move-up buyers, luxury buyers or empty nesters. In the first of a four-part series, the Observer & Eccentric profiles the first-time buyer.

BY GERALD FRAWLEY
STAFF WRITER

First-time, new home buyers are NOT a fickle lot.

Unlike the buyer of 20 years ago who was happy to have four walls and a roof, today's first-time buyers are more educated and know what they want.

Bernard Gleiberman, president of Crosswinds Communities, said one reason first-time, new home buyers are significantly more sophisticated is they've bought homes before — albeit previously owned.

Gleiberman, the builder/developer of Millpointe, a Westland project with houses starting at \$76,900, said buyers

once went straight from apartments to new homes.

Chief among today's first-time, new home buyer's needs is more space, Gleiberman said.

Often, they've moved from older homes they have outgrown, he said. Many are starting a family.

Gleiberman said the today's first-time home buyer is a little older than the buyer of several years ago. "It fits the pattern of marriage."

First-time new buyers are in their mid-20s to early 30s and, depending on their circumstances, will pay from \$75,000 to \$150,000 for a house — the low end generally purchasing from existing stock, the upper end buying new-

ly built houses with the equity from a previous sale.

"What they're looking for in a house is what they don't have in an apartment (or old home) — and that's really not that hard," Gleiberman said. Features like a one- or two-car garage, a family room, and extra storage top the bill.

A new home also provides privacy and the value and pride of ownership.

"People want to know they're not just paying someone rent, they want something to show for their money."

"We live in a town where a majority of people have always owned homes."

Rob Stano, a sales representative for Kime Brothers Inc. in Southfield, agrees space is the driving motivator for the first-time new home buyer.

Kime Brothers projects targeting first-time new home buyers include Millwood Village and Overbrook in Westland. "They want living rooms, family rooms, formal dining rooms,

Who they are: First-time buyers

	First-time buyers	All new-home buyers
Average age	33	40
Household income	\$54,000	\$72,000
• One income	41%	37%
• Multiple incomes	59%	63%
Household types		
• Singles	44%	25%
• Couples w/ children	25%	46%
• Couples w/o children	31%	30%
Number in household		
• One	18%	10%
• Two	56%	42%
• Three	12%	19%
• Four	9%	20%
• Five or more	3%	5%

Source: National Association of Home Builders

See MARKET-WISE, 3G

Taking a peek at housing's future

BY R.J. KING
SPECIAL WRITER

Residential subdivisions of the future will be designed with master plans reminiscent of small towns and include such amenities as golf courses, swimming pools and fitness centers as a way to entice time-starved professionals and families who place a premium on diversity.

That's the word from local builders who echo the findings of a recent National Association of Home Builders report entitled: "The Future of HomeBuilding: 1992-1994 and Beyond."

The subdivision as playground will become more prevalent as married couples with children, the largest segment of the single-family housing market, steadily lose ground to single professionals, widowed seniors and one-parent families.

"Ten years ago, married couples with children bought over 95 percent of the new homes placed on the market, but today their share is somewhere in the 80s, and it will continue to move downward," said Robert Halso, president of Pul-

■ **'We've saved all the wetlands and wooded areas we can in the last five years, but even working around nature doesn't open up a lot of new opportunities for us. We're running out of land.'**

Sam Blumenstein
Classic Construction

Homes of Michigan, a subsidiary of PHM Corp. in Bloomfield Hills, one of the nation's largest home builders.

"Subdivisions with golf courses and other amenities is something we see more of across the country than in metro Detroit, but they're starting to become more prevalent here. It's really changing the way we market our product today; we have to appeal to many more segments than we did before."

While developments with pools and parks add more to the price of a home, Halso said people are willing to pay for such amenities as they easily translate wooded areas and wetlands to better quality of life. What's more, such master-plan

projects, and other forces within the residential construction industry, will put even more pressure on medium-sized developers to raise capital to finance such projects.

The Robertson Brothers Co. in Bloomfield Hills will break ground in the fall on The Crossings, a 286-home development in Oakland Township.

"The Crossings will be a traditional family subdivision but with a swim club, community gardens, baseball and soccer fields and tennis courts," said Paul Robertson, president of The Robertson Brothers Co. "Our research shows people like things close to home, especially for the children."

Building's players

The survival of the building industry's players was also examined in the NAHB report. In the last two years, the banking industry has curtailed financing considerably, even for companies with successful track records.

"Traditionally, big developers pick up market share when money becomes tight, and then the numbers go back down again, but I don't know if we're going to see that pattern this time around," said Michael Carliner, an economist with the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB).

"The credit markets are very tight right now, and there's no indication they'll let up in the years to come. We're also seeing government play an expanding role in regulating land use, which means greater fees and other responsibilities which are costs passed on to the consumer."

The NAHB report also predicted one of the biggest headaches for developers in coming years will be

See FUTURE, 3G

Lecture series provides forum for architects

BY DOUG FUNKER
STAFF WRITER

You don't have to be a student of architecture or a working professional to attend the ArchiLECTURE series sponsored by Lawrence Technological University in Southfield and American Institute of Architects-Detroit.

Anyone with an interest in building design and related issues can attend the lectures offered monthly on campus by nationally renowned specialists. All at no charge.

Robert Marquis, a San Francisco-based designer, will lead off the 19th ArchiLECTURE season Thursday, Sept. 17. His address is titled, "Our World and the Ideas That Have Shaped It: Architecture as a Social Art in the Service of Users."

Marquis' talk — as well as all others in the series — will begin at

7:30 p.m. in the College of Architecture and Design Auditorium. Reservations aren't necessary, but attendees are advised to arrive when the doors open at 7 p.m. to get a seat.

"The reason we produce the programs is to support excellence in the academic curriculum and provide a vehicle for architectural awareness to people in Michigan," said Gary Kecskes, director of continuing education and professional development at LTU.

"Most speakers gear to a mixed audience consisting of students, alumni, practicing professionals and the lay public interested in design," he added.

The rest of the series lineup:

• Oct. 22 — Karen Van Lengen, owner of a small studio in New York City, who recently won a de-

sign contest for the American Memorial Library to be built in Berlin.

A former disciple of I.M. Pei, Van Lengen will speak about "Connection Versus Fragmentation."

• Nov. 5 — George Papageorge, a principal in the Chicago firm of Papageorge & Haymes Ltd., who has designed contemporary houses along Lake Michigan as well as traditional renovations to commercial buildings in the Windy City.

• Dec. 3 — William Lacey, an architect and owner of a design business in New York City, he recently authored a book, "100 Contemporary Architects."

• Jan. 14 — David Childs, chief executive officer of Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, the largest architectural firm in the country. Skyscraper work is its specialty.

• Feb. 4 — Robert E. Simon, a retired developer and land planner,

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Sienna wins popular vote

A colonial with an elevated library on the first floor was voted the most popular model last weekend by people who attended the fall Homearama in Sterling Heights.

The showcase of idea homes and condominiums, sponsored by the Builder's Association of Southeastern Michigan consists of 13 models.

The Sienna, built by M.J.C. Sterling of Macomb Township, has a living room, library, family room, kitchen/breakfast nook and dining room on the first floor and four bedrooms upstairs. It is priced at \$229,900.

The 3,100-square-foot house features a two-story entrance foyer, a bonus room beneath the elevated library, and a country kitchen between a breakfast room and first floor laundry.

The house has shake shingles, radius topped windows, a three-car garage, a covered rear porch and a

basement.

But it was the library and bonus room designed as a children's play area that drew accolades from showgoers.

"We wanted to build something that was saleable — appealing yet unique," said Frank Munaco, sales manager for M.J.C. "We had a raised or elevated library. It makes for a real appealing foyer."

"Below the library is an optional bonus room. It can be used as a computer room, study area. Our (interior) designer (Pearlmutter and Freiwald of Franklin) made it into a playroom."

"Everyone with young kids who walked through the house looked at it and said, 'Great idea,'" Munaco said.

The view from the premium lot overlooking the lake also drew raves.

Lubin Tringali Associates of

Bloomfield Hills was architect on The Sienna, Great Oaks Landscape Associates of West Bloomfield, the landscape consultant.

"This particular plan was designed specifically for Homearama," Munaco said. "We want to make it a generic available in Rochester, Troy and Oakland Township. We're getting a lot of calls from people who saw it at Homearama who want it duplicated."

The Beverly Ann, a 2,500-square-foot ranch with three bedrooms and three bathrooms by Dynacraft Custom Home Builders of Mount Clemens, placed second in voting for the People's Choice Award.

The Lakeside Lifestyle, 3,018-square-foot with four bedrooms and 2½ baths on two floors built by Sorrentino Builders of Clinton Township, was third.

Homearama continues daily through Sept. 27.

Recordkeeping lowers tax bill

You may not think of your home primarily as a financial investment, but the Internal Revenue Service does. For that reason, every dollar spent on remodeling today could save you money on taxes in the future — if you keep accurate records of your improvements.

As with any investment, explains Remodeling Ideas magazine, if you make money on your home when you sell, the gain is taxable. You

can defer capital gains taxes, however, by buying a home of comparable or greater value within 24 months. In addition, homeowners over 55 qualify for a one-time, one-per-household exemption from taxes on capital gains up to \$125,000. If neither of these circumstances apply, you could owe the IRS a chunk of your sales proceeds.

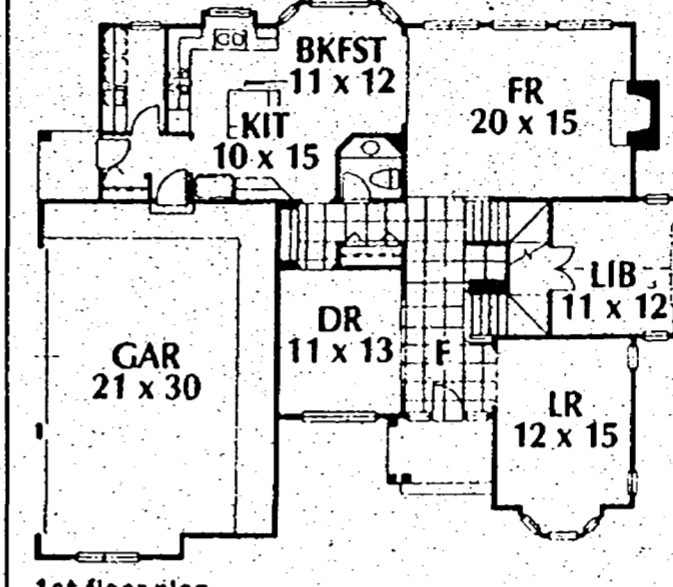
If you've improved your home while you've owned it, however,

those upgrades will help offset your capital gains. For example: If you buy a house for \$100,000 and sell it for \$200,000, you might realize roughly a \$100,000 capital gain. If you've made \$60,000 of capital improvements along the way, however, your taxable gain would be only \$40,000.

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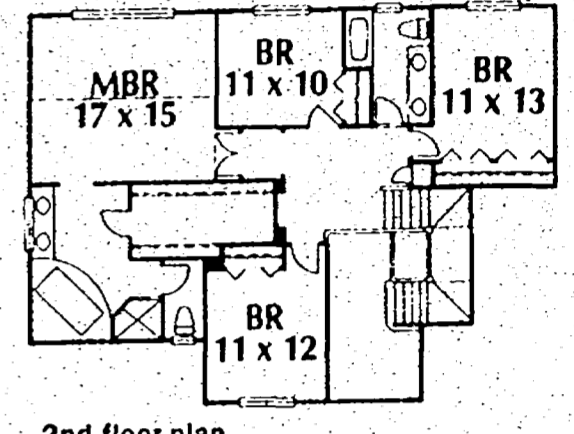


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wooded lots and attached garages," Stano said. Additional bedrooms and bathrooms are also important.

When it comes to extras, first-time, new home buyers have modest expectations, but they are adamant when it comes to certain features.

"Seventy-five percent wanted fireplaces in the family rooms and walk-in closets, and linen closets were also high on their lists."

Also, buyers are cognizant about what a few modifications can accomplish. In the past, few first-time new home buyers asked for changes.

"Now they don't think about asking to move a wall or a window," he said. "I'd say 25 percent of the buyers are very involved in making decisions over how the work is done — that's a big difference."

Second among their concerns is value for the dollar, Stano said.

The first-time, new home buyer has expectations, but they are — for the most part — realistic ones. "He knows what he's getting and when he sees value, he knows it."

Most buyers temper their desires to better suit their pocketbooks, but they also want to feel they're getting

something for their dollar, he said. For most first-time new home buyers, that works out to be a moderately equipped, sensible 1,400-square-foot home — in the \$90,000 price range.

Location remains important, but in his experience, 75 percent of buyers move from within a 10-mile radius. Location is often established before buying a new home.

Third among their concerns is investment possibilities. First-time new home buyers are not fools; they expect the house is not going to be the one they live in for the rest of their lives. They want something that will build equity and act as a tax shelter so they can move up to bigger homes as needs change.

Rex Rosenhaus, vice president of Uniland Corp. in Farmington Hills, said space is important — but it's really usable space buyers are after.

Uniland Corp. targets first-time, new home buyers with its single-family homes in developments like Coachlight Square in Woodhaven and Riverpark in Canton, and condominium units like Silver Creek in Woodhaven.

"I think people tend to look at new homes over old homes because of the changes in design."

Even those moving from larger, older homes discover square footage seems to increase in a better designed home, he said.

"They want not just larger, but more functional kitchens," he said. That applies to the rest of the home.

Home design has improved substantially from just a decade as well, Rosenhaus said. "Today's living space has better flow."

"About the only other thing different from the past," he said, "is many receive (cash) gifts from parents to help with down payments."

Next week: the move-up buyer.

Features first-time buyers want

Here's the features first-time buyers want and the percentage who think they should be standard.

Feature	Percent
High ceilings	86%
Bay windows	82%
Refrigerator	75%
Fireplace in family room	74%
Ceiling fan in kitchen	72%
Separate laundry room	70%
Built-in microwave oven	69%
Ceramic tile in master bath	68%
Stainless steel kitchen sink	67%
Single oven	66%
Separate tub and shower	65%
Walk-in closets	63%
Walk-in pantry	54%

Source: National Association of Home Builders

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finding reasonably affordable, open land to build their projects.

"We've saved all the wetlands and wooded areas we can in the last five years, but even working around nature doesn't open up a lot of new opportunities for us. We're running out of land," said Sam Blumenstein, president of the Classic Construction Corp. in West Bloomfield.

"The banks are also making it difficult for developers to build on spec. Where before banks required 10 or 20 percent down, now they're asking for 35 percent. The big builders like us and small, niche players will do all right, but the middle players will find things more difficult."

Responding to buyers

The report predicted small-volume builders will plenty of work as they can easily respond to individual trade-up buyer prefer-

ences. Such builders often specialize in high-quality, labor-intensive homes with features reflecting individual personalities.

For example, Woodlyne Estates in Bingham Farms, a 12-home development with residences designed by New York architect Robert Stern, includes the use of elevators, rooms designed to reflect particular passions, such as travel rooms with port windows and curved ceilings, and detached garages with recreation rooms on the second floor.

Other report highlights:

- Builders can expect some federal pressure to provide greater consumer protection against structural problems in homes.

- Plastic products as substitutes for other materials in pipes, roofs, siding, doors, built-in cabinetry, plumbing fixtures and design embellishment will become more prevalent.

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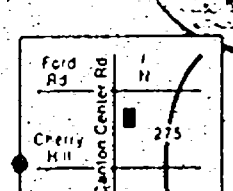
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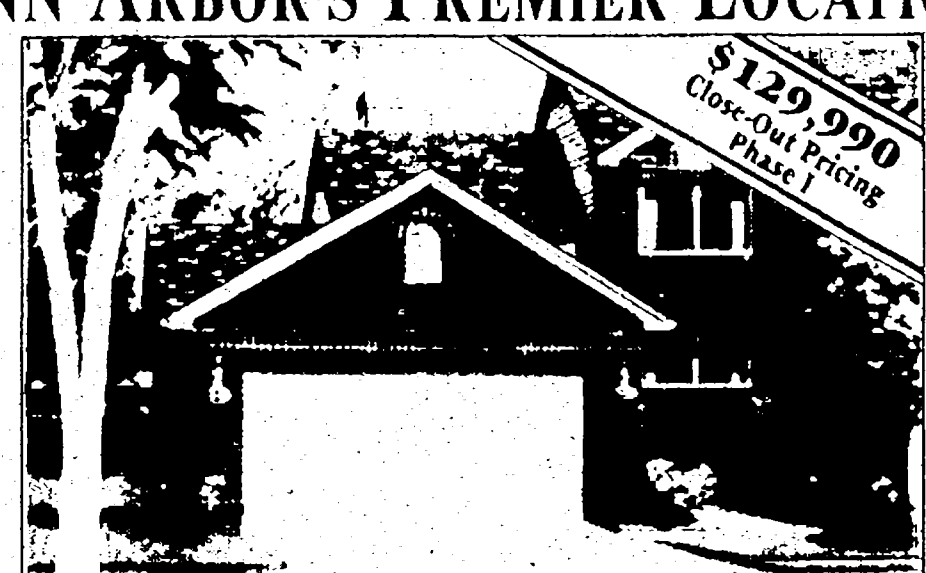


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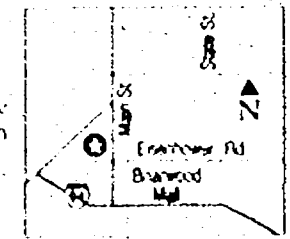
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FARMINGTON - Empowering atic & basement, some art supplies. 30555 Highway, N of 13 Mile, Orchard Lake/Farmingdale. Sat. 9-5.
FARMINGTON HILLS - 3 Family Sale. Tools, beer cans, toys, computer stuff. 35260 Fend. 474-1115.
FARMINGTON HILLS - 31132 Bycroft, 14 & Drake, Thurs-Sat, 9-5. Lots of kids clothes & more.
FARMINGTON HILLS - 3 Family Sale. Fri only, 8-5, 30069 Dr. Or, Drake, 13 Mile.
FARMINGTON HILLS - Fri, 9am. Toys, Fisher-Price, Little Tykes, video, Household, microwave 24449 El Marco 10 Mi., W. of Kildee.
FARMINGTON HILLS: 28572 Wood Trail, 10 Mile Rd. 1/4 mile E of Middlebelt, Woodbine Sub. Fri & Sat, 10-5pm.
FARMINGTON HILLS - Furniture, household, toys, sports equipment, stereo, clothes, Sept 10-11, 2-9-5. 30505 Highway 9, 13 Mile, enter Mayfair, W. of Farmington Rd.
FARMINGTON HILLS - Absolutely huge 3-family Monday Only. Sept 14, 9-5. 25883 Chapelwood, S. of 11 between Middlebelt & Inghilter, Lake Kirtree to Chapelwood.
FARMINGTON HILLS - clothes, household goods, toys, pictures, typewriters, etc. Between 13-14 Mile off Farmington Rd. Enter Old Timber Rd. 34294 Gouster Ct. Thu-Fri Sat.

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FARMINGTON HILLS Sept 10-12. W of Orchard Lake, S of 13, 28930 Markham, 3 families. Twin & bunk beds, tables, sinks, pool filter, & lots of clothes, baby equipment & toys.
FARMINGTON HILLS - 2 homes 5 families, Fri, Sept 11, 9-3-30pm, 35312 Lana, 22845 Fox Creek, Farmington Square Sub, N of 8 Mile W of Halsted. Toy samples, baby items, childrens clothes, furniture.
FARMINGTON - Early American table, 6 chairs, 3 leaves, silverplate service for 12, lamps, china, etc. 28516 Lakeside, Kitch Knocks glass fish, quinnas, etc. 28411 Rochester, N. of 12 Mile, betw. Orchard Lake & Middlebelt, Sept 10-11-12, 9-4.
FARMINGTON - 27418 Hawthorne, N. of Grand River, W. of 9 Mile. Thurs-Sat, 9-5. Antiques, china, books, toys, interior architectural items doors, banisters, etc. etc.
FRANKLIN, Sun. Sept 13, 9-3, 32825 Brandingham, betw. 13174 Killebrew and 13174 Woodbine, 10 Mile & Highway, 478-9066.
HUNTINGTON WOODS, Sat., 9-5, 9-6, 10775 Talbot, betw. Woodward & Coodood & 10 & 11.
HUNTINGTON WOODS - Sept. 12, 9-4, 10405 Borgman, 1/4 Mi. S. of 11 off Woodward, corner of Meadowcreek.
KEEOG HARBOR - Sept 10-12, 10-12. 6001 Cass Lake Front, off Cass Lake Rd.
LATHRUP VILLAGE - Garage Sale Sept 11-12 10-6pm. 19050 Dolores, off Sania Barbara.
LATHRUP VILLAGE 28230 Lathrup Blvd., S. of 12 E. of Southfield. Fri, 9-5, Sat, 9-3. Kids clothes, etc.

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FARMINGTON - 2324 Liberty, S of Grand River, W of Farmington Rd. 4 families. Small appliances, furniture, crockery, dishes, loads of good clothes, books, antiques, some tools. Thurs & Fri 9-5, Sat 9-2.

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MADISON HTS. - Estate/Garage Sale. Furniture, large size clothes, exercise equipment. Sat. Sept 12, 9am-4pm. 29078 Fournier, N. of 12 E. of Campbell off Sherry.
NOVI moving to Arizona, lot length fur coat, King waterbed, entertainment units, pictures, kitchenware, misc. Sept 13, 10-4 23474 Danbury, 10 Mile & Highway, 478-9066.
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OAK PARK - Sat. & Sun, 22101 Markow, 5 Mile E. of Greenfield, S. of 19 Mile Farm, lunch, misc.
OAK PARK - Sept 12-13, 9am-5pm, 14461 Labete, S. of 11 Mile, W. of Coodood.
ROCHESTER downtown - 624 Millar street, Sept 11-12 9-4pm. Furniture, kids clothes, shoes, toys, misc.

706 Garage Sales:
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ROCHESTER - Antiques, unusual spinning wheel, desk, trunk, wicker rocker, armchair, farmhouse table, porch, lots of misc. & household items. Fri, 9-4, 628 Buell E, 5 1/2 miles N. of downtown Rochester.
ROCHESTER - Community wide yard sale. Rochester Estates Sat. Sun, 9-5pm, 700 W. LeGrand, at the basketball court. North off Avon Rd. Between John R and Dequindre.
ROCHESTER HILLS, Thurs-Fri 9-4. Malernity, baby items, clothing, toys, misc. 1154 Whispering Knoll, W of Livernois, N of Tenken.
ROCHESTER HILLS - Sept 12-13, 9-3pm. Furniture odds & ends, 2003 Fairfiled, E. of Brewster N of Ierkem.
ROCHESTER HILLS - Yard Sale! Sept 10-12 3134 Eastwood, Adams & Auburn. Lots of everything.
ROCHESTER HILLS: Mega Moving Sale! Sun, 9-4, 1281 Oakwood Ct, off Great Oaks Blvd. Be there!
ROCHESTER HILLS - Multi sale. Stratford Manor condos off Walton between Adams & Old Perci. Sept 11-12, 9-5pm. See signs.
ROCHESTER HILLS - Furniture & misc. Sept 10-12, 10am to 4pm, 612 Essex, Edgemoor Sub, N. of Hamlin, E. of Rochester.
ROCHESTER HILLS - multi-family, 1 day only, Sat, Sept 12, 9am-6pm, Brookdale Woods, 1/4 mile N. of Walton, off Adams Rd, Toys, furniture, kids clothes, misc.
ROCHESTER HILLS - Sunday, Sept 13, 12-5pm. Wide screen TV, wicker and glass kitchen set, and misc. - 713 Sugar Pine Rd, 4 houses South of Walton.

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ORCHARD LAKE Sat., Sept 12, 8am-10pm. Household misc, lamps, colonial style typewriter desk, odds, toys, clothing, all priced to sell. 5933 South Center LaPlaya Pub. off Old Orchard Trail, approx. 1/4 mile S. of Miller & Commerce.
ROCHESTER HILLS - Sat 9-3-5pm. Star Wars & some GI Joe toys, dolls, & other misc. 1190 Hickory Hill Dr. No pre-sales.
ROCHESTER, Sat 9/12, 8-30pm. baby items, home furnishings, clothing, appliances & misc. 420 Meadowdale, Rochester/University.
ROYAL OAK moving sale. Furniture, small appliances, clothing 4419 Arlington, 5 blocks S. of 14th. Greenfield, Sept 11-12, 9-4.
ROYAL OAK - yard sale Misc. household & furniture. Sept 10-13, 10am to 5pm, 3124 Woodland, S. off 13 between Coodood & Coodood.
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ROCHESTER 336 Glendale, stop by on way to Axis in Apple. Corner of Grand, 1 Street S. of Tenken, W off Rochester Rd. 7 N. couch, drafting table, keyboard, organ with bench, other pieces. Also clothes, books, purses, etc. 7am-11am, Sat & Sun.
SOUTHFIELD - Big Garage Sale. Baby items, like new women's & mens clothing, bike, tools, Sony speakers plus lots of misc. Fri, Sat & Sun, 9-6pm, 2534 Grove Dr. off 10 Mile between Evergreen & Lahser.
SOUTHFIELD: Sat. 9-5. Sun, 10-5. 30820 Northgate Dr., W. of Southfield, E. of 13 Mile Misc. items.
SOUTHFIELD - Sat. only, Sept 12, 9-5pm. King size brass bed, antiques, music items & clothes, 21165 Bedford Dr. between 11 & 12 Mile Rd. W of Lahser, E. of Telegraph off of Bell Rd.
SOUTHFIELD - Thurs-Sun, 9-5. 28065 Pierce St., S. of 12, W. of Greenfield. Lots of baby clothes, etc.
SOUTHFIELD - Toys, clothing, bikes, furniture, etc. 13421 Cherry Hill, N. of 12, E. off Evergreen, Sept 11-13.
SOUTHFIELD - Clothing, furniture, etc. Sept 12-13, 10-4. 28675 Streamwood, 12 Mile Misc. items.
SOUTHFIELD Fri, Sat, 10-6. Sun, 10-2. Huge sale. 20620 Wayland, 11 Mile E. Evergreen & Lahser, right on Harvard, 3 lots right on Wayland.
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SOUTHFIELD - 9-5pm Fri, Sat, 8-9-5pm, 2234 Berg Rd, between 8 & 9 Mile Rd, East of Telegraph.

706 Garage Sales:
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SOUTHFIELD - 3 day Moving Sale. Furniture, appliances, dishes, clothes, bar mirrors, pickup cap, lots of misc. Sept 11, 11am-7pm, Sept 12 & 13 10am-4pm, 8838 Hilltop, W. of Southfield, N. of 10 Mile.
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TROY - Garage Sale. Antique oak lacquer, clothing lots of misc. 10:30-3pm, Sat, Sept 12, 2681 Brookbrook, E. of Adams, S. of Warren.
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TROY - Moving Sale. Leather sofa, hardwood desk, bassinet, chairs, toys & more. Sept 11-12, 11am-5pm, 2901 Townsh Rd. off Eastman, S. of Coodood.
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TROY - Rainfree Sub. garage sale between 10-17 Mile & Rochester/John R. Saturday, 9-12-92, 9-5pm. Look for signs. Huge sale!
TROY - Sat 9-5. 6871 Woodlark, S. of South Blvd. between Rochester & Livernois. Infants, size 8, toys, furniture, misc.
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TROY - 2 families, Sept 11-12, 9-4. Lots of household items, furniture, toys, books, clothing, curtains 4278 Cambridge Crescent, off Warren, between John R. & Dequindre.
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Sincerely only. @ 44348</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE white Christian male seeks never married white female, 32-44, slender, attractive, non-smoker. I'm 5'10", 170, easy going, romantic, 40's looks 30's @ 44347</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE white male, 34, 6'2", 155 lbs. Sense of humor, caring, romantic, & responsible. Looking for single white female, 25-34, who wishes to be with @ 44372</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE white MALE, 45, non-smoker, non-drinker, humorous, seeks a similar female for occasional, no strings, discreet, fun-loving relationship @ 44334</p> <p>CLASSY E. 11 30 year old professional. Financially secure. Seeks 20-30 year old for unforgettable fantasy times. Discreet & exciting @ 44379</p> <p>CREATVE, Affectionate, white, attractive male 40, 5'11", 165 lbs, seeks sim. petite female 18-45 for special moments. Possible long term @ 44382</p>	<p>620 Men Seeking Women</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE - lonely single white male, 37 yrs, young, physically fit, active, motivated looking for honest, caring, understanding single white or black female, 25-34 to share love happiness with. @ 44224</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE, white male 61, 5'9", 190 lbs, honest, sincere, fun loving, single, never married, traditional values, never smokes. Seeking a single woman, 25-35, for a meaningful relationship. @ 44411</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE, white male, 27, 6'2", 180 lbs, very handsome, fun, athletic, romantic for fun loving relationship @ 44414</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE, 38 year old, white, male, sincere loving family man, many interests. Looking for attractive female who would like to become friends/maybe more @ 44370</p> <p>DIVORCED black male seeks black female with an open heart. Believe in the value of love, love is the essential & wants to make things happen. AS-SALAAAM ALAIKUM @ 44358</p> <p>DIVORCED white male, 5'8", tall, blue eyes, 150 lbs. Interests: movies, sports, hiking, boating, fishing, for single/divorced white female, 5'6" or shorter, slim to average weight. Will answer all! @ 44310</p> <p>Divorced white male 46 factory worker, secure, honest, like a worshipping type, tender, attractive female for companionship, romance 28-35, kids, smoker, social drinker OK @ 44392</p> <p>DIVORCED, 49, white male, interests: travel, sports, theatre, dining, music, outdoors, musical, children. Seeks companion with similar interest. Prefer 30-62 @ 44369</p> <p>DOMINANT, SENSUAL, passionate white male 39, tall, dark, handsome, secure, honest. Seeking an active, intelligent, fun, & beautiful woman 20-30, with similar background & interests @ 44353</p> <p>FUN, Professional active white male 28, 6'3", 175 lbs who is adventurous & easy-going seeks fun, health-oriented black female (25-35) for friendship and possible relationship. All calls answered @ 44306</p> <p>GOOD LOOKING white male, 5'9", 155 lbs, 36, likes nature, bicycling, most sports & movies, music, the Arts. Sincere, honest. Seeks 20-30, with similar interests @ 44233</p> <p>HANDSOME ASIAN, 21, 5'6", honest, caring, likes music, seeking physically fit female for real love. "I'm a virgin, but nobody is perfect" so you go to make some changes @ 44171</p> <p>HANDSOME, professional white male 42, 5'10", 170 body building. Very successful, good looking, easy going, fun, seeks a physically fit, body building female for friendship leading to relationship @ 44175</p>	<p>620 Men Seeking Women</p> <p>FRIEND wanted to show recently moved when 13174 Killebrew and 13174 Woodbine, 10 Mile & Highway, 478-9066.</p> <p>GOOD looking, charming, generous, unhappy married executive, 38, seeks unmarried/married female for unforgettable companionship. Must be fun-loving, discrete, mature @ 44254</p> <p>GOOD LOOKING, rugged yet gentle, outdoors man, sandy hair, blue eyes, 5'11" from 178 lbs. Successful, single, no smoker, traditional values, 20's. Would appreciate a sweet girlfriend. @ 44293</p> <p>GOOD LOOKING single white male 170 lbs., 6' 11", brown eyes. Likes movies, dining out, long walks. Sincere, seeks lady 30-40 yrs old with same interest. @ 44367</p> <p>GOOD LOOKING WHITE male, 50, 5'4", 230, honest, intelligent, seeking attractive lady to be a friend & lover. Married or single. Must be healthy @ 44403</p> <p>Handsome 6' muscular 175, 32, white, non-smoker, traditional values, never married. Likes exercise, conversation & petite woman 22-35 for permanent relationship @ 44345</p> <p>HONEST Affectionate caring, white, 42 yr, divorced, financially secure, single, seeking unattached, pretty woman, 24-30, with weight in proportion to height. Looking for someone to care for @ 44362</p> <p>HONEST AFFECTIONATE 30 yr old single man, handsome, financially stable, seeks unattached, pretty woman, 24-30, with weight in proportion to height. Looking for someone to care for @ 44362</p> <p>HONEST SINGLE white male, 33 yrs old, slim build, intelligent, active, likes outdoors, music, children. Seeks female for friendship and good times @ 44155</p> <p>HOPELESSLY intelligent, brown hair, blue eyes, Asian, 22, 5'7", caring, likes music, art, living alone, seeking petite 18-28 for real love, who see & lasting relationship @ 44247</p> <p>HUMOROUS, witty, intelligent, 6'1, 190 lb, athletic, white male seeks fun, health-oriented woman for friendship & laughs @ 44365</p> <p>JUST MOVED HERE! 47, black male, 25, 6', educated, employed & humorous. You? Black female, 21-44, sim, educated & fun. 157 Good times, friendship & laughs @ 44407</p> <p>LOOKING FOR GOOD LOOKING Woman to attend social gatherings with charming 45 year old gentleman @ 44333</p> <p>MILD MANNERED, shy, single white male, 45, clean, slender, attractive, eager to please seeks assertive, take-charge female who knows what she deserves @ 44361</p> <p>MILD MANNERED (shy) black male 60+, 40's looks 50's. Female seeks attractive, 45/55 female who knows what she deserves @ 44451</p> <p>PROFESSIONAL white male, 46, 5'9", 150 pounds, from Livorno area seeks tender, professional female for friendship/relationship @ 44410</p> <p>SINGLE BLACK, Christian Male 37, with wide variety of interests, seeks Christian single unattached female for fun & friendship @ 44078</p>	<p>620 Men Seeking Women</p> <p>NICE LOOKING single white male, 25, blue eyes, intelligent, good father, children, good, bowling. Would like to meet attractive, caring female to enjoy life with. @ 44363</p> <p>PASSION LEFT YOUR Relationship? Met One Cute, tender, sensual white male seeks a similar female for occasional discreet exciting times. @ 44337</p> <p>ROMANTIC, Single white male mid 20's, employed, exercises daily, looking for a spontaneous, genuine attractive female for friendship @ 44323</p> <p>SINGLE Jewish Male professional early 60's, 5'8", 163 lbs, (open to meet others) Seeking to meet lovely lady for friendship/relationship @ 44461</p> <p>Single white male, 39 going on 29, educator, environmentalist, 5'8", trim-muscular 140. Needs petite non-smoker gal to share nature, music & friendships @ 44254</p> <p>SINGLE WHITE male, 32, 5'10", 165 lbs, blue eyes, meet this attractive woman 25-35 for companionship/relationship. Call by box number for more @ 44360</p> <p>SINGLE white male 27, 5'10", 160, likes music, sports, movies, working out, romance long ways & affection. Seeks a single woman for relationship @ 44397</p> <p>SINGLE WHITE male, sensitive, financially secure 38 yr old movie buff. Looking for 25-40 single white female. Let's do out, go a movie, discuss life @ 44441</p> <p>SINGLE WHITE MALE, 37, seeks single white female 27-40 who enjoys movies, dining out, quiet times at home cooking together, video @ 44217</p> <p>SINGLE WHITE MALE, 36, attractive, honest & fun to be with has many interests - wishes to meet single white female for possible relationship @ 44378</p> <p>SUBMISSIVE, ATTRACTIVE, single, clean, tender, sensual white male, 45, seeks dominant female for satisfying discreet relationship @ 44338</p> <p>SUCCESSFUL, good looking, tall, white, 37, good taste, many interests. Seeks very attractive, slender young lady 35-45. Communication, chemistry important @ 44220</p> <p>SUNMER is coming to an end, and this handsome 35, single, white, male is looking for an attractive, slender, buttom, 22-40, single/divorced white female to spend time with @ 44308</p> <p>VERY HANDSOME, professional, single, 27, good looking, outgoing, looking to meet sim. attractive woman between 25-40, any race, for fun times & sincere relationship @ 44429</p> <p>WHITE MALE - early 50's, tall, slim, blue eyes, tall health. Seeks attractive tall female 45-60 married or single. Must be healthy @ 44331</p> <p>WHITE MALE - 35 yrs old, single, never married, no children, catholic & P.O.S.D. Looking for female who enjoys weekends together, possibly for friendship @ 44329</p>	<p>620 Men Seeking Women</p> <p>WHITE MALE 35, 6', 155lbs, brown hair & eyes, divorced, easy going, sense of humor, HIV negative, bisexual, caring. Wants loving female S of 10 mile @ 44354</p> <p>WIDOWED, White 53 yr old, works weekends, nice looking, Westerner, 5'7", 150 lbs. Enjoy my job, golf, movies, books, dining out. Seeking an attractive, slim, 45-50 yr. old, I am a romantic looking for a lasting relationship @ 44251</p> <p>33 yr old christian, never married, tall, dark, intelligent, active, sports & having fun. Seeks never married white female, 25-38 for friendship & dating @ 44251</p> <p>89X LISTENER, 28, 5'11", tall, intelligent, fun figured, outgoing, anything fun. Seeks tall female, 6'0X tall, similarly active, 23-33, nonsmoker, monogamous, humorous, cool @ 44420</p>	<p>621 Women Seeking Men</p> <p>AFFECTIONATE, giving, good, loving, fit figured, active, wants a special man. He should be between 45-65 & able to accept a lot of attention @ 44319</p> <p>A PERMANENT MAN WANTED! If there is 1 man who is ready to settle down, please contact me. I am blonde/black/indian, professional model, living in Oakland County @ 44319</p> <p>A SINGLE - white female, 32, 5'6", 165 lbs., Auburn hair, blue eyes. Honest, enjoys WRFL, hockey, nature. Seeks single white male under 38, for friendship @ 44326</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE Christian female, 32, enjoys the arts, outdoors, intelligent conversation, & dining out. Seeks a single man with attractive Christian, 25-35 @ 44207</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE health-conscious, active black female, 33, seeks attractive, tall, 5'9", health-conscious male, 30-45, friendship, companionship. Race not important @ 44376</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE, petite, fun loving blonde, black female, 27, 41, 48389 honest, male, 5'10", tall, 44-54, that loves fun & a variety of things @ 44356</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE, spiritual, black female, 27, 5'7", 120 lbs. Seeking a friendship with professional, 45-58 who loves life, God and people. All races considered beautiful @ 44100</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE white single mother of infant son, 5'7", 130 lbs seeking a white gentleman, 27 to 35, 5'11" and over; average weight for companionship. Please call @ 44419</p> <p>BEAUTIFUL, BLACK, full bodied, single female, 33, seeking a big man who enjoys life, movies, parks, theater, and travel @ 44391</p> <p>BUXOM, bubbly, divorced white female, 48, seeks Teddy Bear, 5'10" for companionship. Interests include movies, books, plays, Scrabble, reading, nature, music. Share mine. Teach me yours @ 44423</p> <p>CORPORATE, executive, recent transfer. Flamboyant, urbane, slender. Intelligent, active yet cerebral. outgoing. Seeking sensual, fun, successful, accomplished, male, 40 @ 44431</p>	<p>621 Women Seeking Men</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE, single black female, 25, professional, honest, easy going, rich and quality lifestyle. Race no barrier @ 44366</p> <p>BEAUTIFUL & gorgeous, divorced, white, christian lady, late 40's would like to meet a financially secure divorced white christian male @ 44355</p> <p>CUTE Strawberry blonde Petite, 27, white professional, seeks attractive white professional, 27-33. Mutual respect, mutual enjoyment, sports, movies, music & laughing @ 44439</p> <p>DELIGHTFUL pretty, slim, brown eye blond 40's 5'7", looking for non-smoker, light drinker, romantic, affectionate, numerous professional male with an easy spirit @ 44393</p> <p>DIVORCED White Female wants to meet same male 45-55. Degree, Millard area. High energy, likes dancing, all outdoor, movies & camping. Respond to 44413</p> <p>DIVORCED White Female, age 47, with many interests. Wants to meet a male, 50-60, sincere, kind. This is you! for long term relationship @ 44316</p> <p>DYNAMIC, attractive, 34, blond professional. Divorced white female. Limes & quiet evenings. Seeking non-smoking attractive (financially secure) professional @ 44312</p> <p>EXCEPTIONAL attractive single black female seeking decent looking single white male professional who enjoys fun figured women, romantic & affectionate. 38-48 @ 44390</p> <p>FIESTY, bubbly, petite blonde 50's, widowed white female, seeks single white male, 40-45, who is sincere, sensitive & funny, 50-60, for friendship & dating @ 44240</p> <p>FUN-LOVING white full figured lady, 50+, loves all sports, movies, traveling. Seeks companion with similar interests. No strings @ 44404</p> <p>GENTLE spirited giving spontaneous non-smoker, single, white 27, 5'3", likes fishing outdoors, variety seeking warm, playful, available. Seeking body, white 41-48389 @ 44389</p> <p>HE SHOOTS, He Shoots! Tall, shapely blonde hockey fan seeks 32 year old must be single, 32-43 handsome bright and energetic @ 44409</p> <p>HOW DO The Elite Meet? Trim, beautiful blonde seeks her out with a handsome, fit, refined gentleman. 47ish, degree, cultured, world traveler. Golf & eats @ 44087</p> <p>LIKE LOOKING FOR A Sincere white male, catholic, 18-24 years old. Ideally, wisdom, goals, and fun are a must! @ 44370</p> <p>INTERESTING, very attractive, divorced, tall, white woman with eclectic taste & passions. Seeking educated, successful gentleman, 40 to mid-50 who wants a friend, not a relationship @ 44425</p> <p>ITALIAN STALLION take me away. Having 5'3", 114lb. 23 long athletic hair. Your life will never be the same! @ 44371</p> <p>PASSIONATE, caring, single, white female, 35, wants to love 5'8" guy. Next door type, looking for a nice guy. Honest @ 44357</p>	<p>621 Women Seeking Men</p> <p>LOOKING FOR sincere, attractive, catholic, white male between the ages of 18-24, no older please, with traditional family values. Goals, compassionate, wisdom & humor are important @ 44421</p> <p>LOVELY, single white female, 41, professional, enjoys classic antiques, foreign films, conversation outdoors, adventure, kind & affectionate with sense of humor @ 44395</p> <p>PASSIONATE, Sensual, white, 28. The body isn't small but neither is appetite for love & fun. Likes rock music, movies & much more. Race open @ 44415</p> <p>PRETTY WOMAN, early 50's, tall, slim, blue eyed reddish hair, healthy. Seeks attractive tall male 45-60, married or single. Must be healthy @ 44350</p> <p>PROFESSIONALLY employed, 37, white, female, looking for family-oriented, honest, sensitive, male who enjoys reading, sports, a variety of things @ 44359</p> <p>QUINTESSENTIAL LIBRA, tall, red-headed, size 16, seeks white male companion. Prefers single, no kids (runner child OK), bearded, over 35 @ 44346</p> <p>Reader, Writer, Friend And Love! Attractive, divorced white female, mid-forties, 5'4", 135 lbs, seeks bright, funny male counterpart for friendship and more. Tell it tall @ 44325</p> <p>SINCERE blonde, single white female, 37, seeks kind white male friend with similar values and interests. honest, empathetic, spontaneous, love of nature and outdoors @ 44400</p> <p>SINGLE WHITE female, mother of 2, 36, 5'5", slightly overweight. Enjoys bowling, dancing, movies. Seeks single white male, 35-40, similar interests, non-smoker @ 44256</p> <p>SINGLE WHITE female, enjoys dining out, dancing, movies & travel. Seeks white male over 60, outgoing & loyal with same interests @ 44364</p> <p>SINGLE WHITE Female, 29, overnight, seeks white christian male, non-smoker 25-40 who enjoys movies, theater, children, walks, cooking, good conversation & friendship @ 44381</p> <p>SINGLE WHITE female 43, 5'8", 130 lbs. likes humor, movies, travel & science fiction. Ready to part with friends & family. Wishes to meet educated single white male who likes golf, dancing, hiking, etc. Must have the balance to be a good partner. Prefer man with children @ 44404</p> <p>VERY PRETTY, sensuous, classy & exciting single white female, 53, tall, from Birmingham, seeks a bright fun loving man 50-60 for friendship & romance @ 44041</p> <p>VIBRANT, great looking, 54, white lady, caring, sincere, loves walks, theatre, sailing, water parks, reptiles. 10-40 minutes! Seeking Christian non-smoker to enjoy life @ 44358</p> <p>WOMAN OF COLOR, 5'8", 46, well packaged in slender form, desires to meet kind, great male of substance for fun, love and friendship @ 44011</p>	<p>622 Sports Interests</p> <p>LADY SEEKING male partner for country western dance lessons, workshops, dances. Dependability a must! Have fun, make new friends, keep till Addicks East side @ 44399</p> <p>SINGLE WHITE MALE, 37, wants to go fishing with female this winter in Michigan's Western USA. Have fun & enjoy winter @ 44374</p>	<p>622 Seniors</p> <p>A TRIM healthy, happy, ordinary lady with a "touch of class" 50 something would like to meet a kind, honest, educated christian gentleman @ 44377</p> <p>ATTRACTIVE, sincere lady seeks companion, Sr., 65-70, fun, loving, intelligent, 5'5", 145, brunette. Travel, music, theater, white reading man makes. All responses answered @ 44112</p> <p>ENERGETIC LADY 65, 5'5", 140lbs, attractive, sincere,</p>
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MARKET PLACE

706 Garage Sales: Oakland

TROY Sub Garage Sale, Charming Place 10's & Rochester Rd. Fri-Sat, Sept 11-12, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

707 Garage Sales: Wayne

GARDEN CITY - Garage & yard sale, 1661 Farmington Rd. starting Sept 8.

707 Garage Sales: Wayne

LIVONIA - 2nd annual sub sale, 51 Meigs Estates, Sept 10-11 & 12, 10am to 5pm.

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REDFORD - Student Street annual yard sale, 1633 E. Huron, Sept 10-11 & 12, 10am to 5pm.

708 Household Goods: Oakland County

A GIANTIC WAREHOUSE SALE BY EVERYTHING GOES, 973 ORCHARD LAKE RD. (at E. corner of Orchard Lake & Telegraph).

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DESIGNER Sectional with dual reclining chairs and European wall unit, \$1,979 for both, with set.

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QAKWOOD Interior, queen water bed, red metal bunk bed set, Homecrest patio table/chairs, black leather chair, all new, 845-7991.

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MAHOGANY 4 drawer bedroom dresser with matching mirror, 65" x 20" mahogany high top dresser, good condition, both \$200.

711 Misc. For Sale: Wayne County

WOOD shed \$170, \$350, 10x12 wood shed \$400, wood burning stove with thermostat \$300, over-head propane heater with thermostat, \$100 to tank \$150.

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CANTON - Children's clothes, toys, household, Sept 12-13, 9-5, 6600 Montclair, near Warren/Sheldon.

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BASSETT contemporary solid oak bedroom set, main condition, light beige, chest, nightstand, bed with headboard \$449 or best offer.

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ESTATE SALE - FRANK H. BOOS GALLERY, 1005 Orchard Lake Rd., 13 pieces, bedroom suite with mahogany & hand carved sofa, chairs, lamps, mahogany and table, dining set, drop leaf sofa with down cushions, telephone table, desk, open bookcase, TV, kitchen set, dishes, kitchen chairs, picture costume jewelry.

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BEAUTIFUL SOLO CHERRY Victorian chaise set, includes table, sofa, chair, ottoman, set back ORIGINAL OAK dining table, 2 Duncan Phyfe drum tables, \$1000 each.

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ALMOND dishwasher, \$100. Sewing machine, \$100, \$125, 15" iron, \$20. Fisher Hich, \$35, \$39, \$277.

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BURGANDY sectional - traditional style, 4 months old, asking \$1600, 363-4179.

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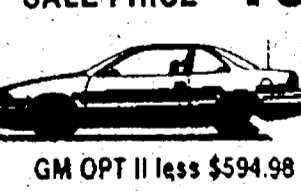
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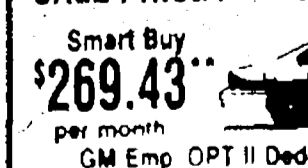
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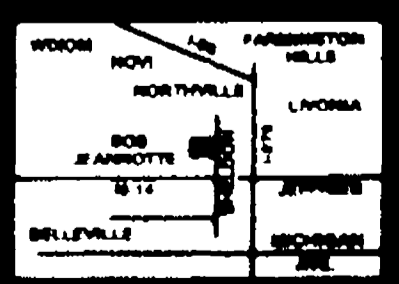
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