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## He's the man



JERRY ZOLYNSKY/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

**Everywhere you look:** President Bill Clinton was everywhere Wednesday — at least for Highland employee Sheldon Klein. Or was he? Some area residents eagerly tuned in to the president's video town hall meeting — broadcast from nearby Southfield — but others just as eagerly tuned out.

# Town hall

## President, metro area make a bit of history

President Bill Clinton's televised town meeting Wednesday was billed as a tete-a-tete with the American public.

So how did he do with local viewers?

Pretty well, at least in most of the barrooms and living rooms we checked.

"I think this is great," said Linda Ponke, who watched while on break from her waitressing duties at Mason's in Livonia. "It's kind of been all over the place, but I think he's

handled himself pretty well."

John Shroat, a fifth-grade teacher at Douglas Elementary School, Garden City, agreed the president acquitted himself well in the 60-minute broadcast from WXYZ-TV in Southfield.

"That's his medium," Shroat said. "He handled the questions with a personal touch."

Overnight ratings were unavailable, but it's safe to say Clinton pulled fewer viewers in staunchly Republican Plymouth.

There, Therese Gall waited instead for conservative commentator Rush Limbaugh, subject of a live broadcast from rival WJBK-TV.

"He's chubbier and his wife doesn't run things," Gall said, temporarily ignoring Limbaugh's bachelor status.

How many viewers Clinton did pull likely won't be known until today. But many viewers apparently preferred ignoring the president's visit.

At Mason's, Clinton was relegated to the small TVs, while the Pistons game held forth on the giant screen.

At the Leather Bottle Inn, a half dozen or so bar patrons also found more interesting topics of conversation.

"Maybe everyone's waiting for the Gloved One," joked Penny Parker of Livonia.

Michael Jackson's meeting with Oprah Winfrey was on next.

# Black parents: School racism up

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

A group of black parents has raised concerns that their children are being treated unfairly in Wayne-Westland schools because of their race.

Fearing an escalation of racial tensions, the parents addressed the school board Monday and cited specific incidents that they said have fueled a potentially explosive problem:

- Students in an American literature class at John Glenn High School were given a reading assignment that parents said contained numerous racial slurs.

- A black athlete was kicked off John Glenn's basketball team for reacting to a racial slur by hitting a white opponent. Black parents labeled the punishment too harsh.

- Racist insignias and slogans have been scrawled on school lockers and student notebooks. One student wrote "I hate n-----s" and "KKK" on a notebook that school administrators seized.

- Teaching materials promoting racial harmony were distributed to 16 elementary by a black parent who said many educators ignored the lessons. Boxes of materials weren't even opened at some schools.

- Racial slurs at some schools have been overlooked by teachers and administrators, the parents said.

"The (black) children are beginning to feel real uncomfortable about going to school," parent Kathy Green told the school board.

The district earlier formed a human relations task force to seek ways to promote racial tolerance.

### Group formed

Moreover, several black parents have formed a Coalition for Parental Support and said they plan to distribute anti-racist literature in the school district, amid hopes of easing racial tensions.

"We are trying to attack these problems and make a better tomorrow," parent Wanda Robinson said

Monday, adding later, "We want our children to walk away from school feeling good about themselves — not dehumanized."

Black parents criticized an American literature class at John Glenn in which a white teacher recently gave a reading assignment that parents said contained numerous racial slurs. Parents questioned why the teacher chose to have students read "The Man Who Was Almost A Man" by black author Richard Wright, instead of an alternate book that would've portrayed blacks in a less stereotypical manner.

"Hitler wrote a book, and I wouldn't take it to a Jewish classroom," said parent Jim Netter of Wayne.

Parents contacted the Michigan Department of Civil Rights, which responded in a letter that the book is "not in the community's best interests." The department asked to be kept abreast of the problem.

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# Board rejects 'choice'

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

Fearing students could be forced to change schools in mid-year, the Wayne-Westland school board has rejected a "schools of choice" plan for next fall.

The board has asked for assurance that students choosing a school outside of their attendance area wouldn't be bumped if the school becomes overcrowded by new students moving into the neighborhood.

The board has held a committee of parents and administrators to revise the schools of choice plan to ensure

See CHOICE, 4A

## Anniversary

Hamilton School Girl Scouts will mark their 30th anniversary with a tea and presentation Thursday night, March 4, in the school gym, 1031 Schuman. The presentation will express the group's appreciation to those who supported the scouts.

## Open house

The William Ford Voc-Tech Center will hold an open house Wednesday evening, Jan. 17, to show off its programs and equipment. The event will be 6:30-9 p.m. in the center, on Marquette between Wayne Road and Newburgh.

## PLACES & FACES

### New president

Joseph Benyo, Westland city council legislative liaison, is the new president of Keep Michigan Beautiful Inc., a private, non-profit organization which promotes historical preservation and environment programs. The organization was formed 30 years ago. Benyo, a longtime Westland fire official, has been on the KMB's board for many years. Taking part in the installation of new officers was U.S. Rep. William Ford, D-Taylor, whose district includes Westland.

## Safety rally

Westland firefighters will hold a public life safety rally from noon to 4 p.m., Saturday, March 6, at the Westland Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh near Marquette. Free adult cardiopulmonary resuscitation instruction will be offered. Admission is free.

## New wheels

Liberty Park, a senior citizens' apartment complex on Hunter near Central City Parkway, has new wheels. A new 15-passenger van was delivered recently to provide transportation to area shopping centers, medical offices, supermarkets and events.

# Man charged in robberies

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

A Westland man suspected in a string of five robberies in Westland, Garden City and Wayne was arraigned Wednesday on charges stemming from two armed robberies and one attempted robbery in Westland.

Andrew Mesarik, 27, was arraigned before 18th District Judge Gail McKnight on two counts of armed robbery and one count of attempted robbery. If convicted, he could face a maximum penalty of life in prison.

Mesarik remained in jail Wednesday on a \$50,000 cash bond. He has been scheduled for a preliminary examination next Thursday to determine if he should stand trial.

Mesarik, a worker at the Burger King distribution center in Romulus, was arrested early Tuesday following a hold-up at a Westland convenience store, police said.

Police in Garden City and Wayne also were seeking similar warrants for recent robberies in those cities, Westland Detective Sgt. Marc Stobbe said.

The latest robbery occurred

at 12:52 a.m. Tuesday when a man walked into the Westland Dairy Mart at Warren Road and Venoy, implied he had a gun in his pocket, demanded money and escaped with about \$150, Stobbe said.

The attendant notified Westland police of the robbery, and the man was stopped moments later in an alleged getaway vehicle at the intersection of Venoy and Cherry Hill roads, Stobbe said. Police recovered the money, he said.

"He walked in the Dairy Mart and said he wanted to buy some cigarettes, and then he told (the attendant) to put his hands above the cash register," Stobbe said. "He had his hand in his pocket, like he had a gun."

The man is also suspected in an attempted robbery at 2 a.m. Sunday at Taormina's Pizza on Cherry Hill, east of Venoy, and in the Jan. 20 robbery of a Mobil gas station at the Wayne Road-Palmer intersection, Stobbe said. Both businesses are in Westland.

No money was taken from Taormina's, but a suspect escaped with about \$500 from the Mobil station, an attendant told police.

# Racism from page 1A

School board president Leonard Posey — the only black ever to serve on the board — also said he's concerned that the book portrays blacks "as being ignorant." And he fears that the wrong message is being sent to students.

"If it was anti-Semitic, anti-gay or anti-Arab, I would feel the same way," he said Tuesday.

Parents also voiced concerns that black students may be held to a different standard than whites in disciplinary matters. They singled out the treatment of John Glenn basketball player Tariq Horne, who was kicked off the team for the entire season and

suspended from school for five days for hitting a white opponent.

Horne had contended he hit the opponent, a white Wyandotte boy, because of a racial slur used during a game in December. Parents said the Wyandotte player wasn't disciplined in his district.

Green told the board that kicking Horne off the team for the entire season was too harsh. "Justice was not done to this young man," she said.

## Standards questioned

Posey also said he's concerned that blacks may be held to a

"double-standard" in disciplinary matters.

Horne's father, James, an Inkster Police Department detective, has appealed the action to Superintendent Larry Thomas, who plans to review a video of the game and decide whether to reinstate the John Glenn player.

Horne has indicated that his son should have been punished for hitting an opponent, but that kicking him off the team was "too harsh."

In another controversy, parent Sandra Barrow told the board that she distributed teaching materials promoting racial harmony

to 16 elementaries — some of which ignored the materials that had been approved by the district's curriculum council.

"Some of the schools never even opened the boxes," she said.

Black parents — and even the board president — have said some educators and administrators don't appear sensitive to racial issues.

But school Superintendent Thomas asked Monday to be invited to a meeting of the parents' newly formed coalition and told them, "I want to make a difference. I want to make a change."

# City council to consider salary freeze

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

Westland City Council members may reject a 7-percent pay raise over two years and choose instead to freeze their salaries.

The move would come on the heels of a decision by Mayor Robert Thomas to continue a pay freeze on his salary, which has remained at \$68,310 since he took office in January 1990. He has lost about \$9,000 in income.

The 7-percent pay raises for the mayor and council members, the first in four years, were approved last month by the Local Officers Compensation Commission, which sets salaries for Westland's elected city officials.

The mayor, in the final year of a four-year term, immediately said he plans to continue his pay freeze, and Councilman Glenn Anderson has suggested the council follow suit.

The raises would automatically go into effect unless the council votes to reject them. In a letter to council President Charles Pickering, Anderson asked that the issue be placed on the council agenda next Tuesday.

Anderson told the Observer this week that he believes council members already receive enough compensation and that there's no reason to raise their salaries from \$10,051 to \$10,767 over the next two years.

Anderson noted that some 20 city appointees, ranging from budget director to assessor, made concessions in their retirement and pension benefits this year to help cut city costs.

"We've been asking for sacrifices," Anderson said, "and I think it should apply to us, too."

Many Westland residents also have faced job losses or pay cuts, he added, and "the climate is not right" for the council to accept salary increases.

Council members now receive \$10,051 a year. Another \$1,000 is added to the council president's pay, while \$500 is added to the council pro tem's salary.

The mayor has said the LOCC,

in setting new salaries, "did a good job and did its homework," but said he is bound by a 1989 campaign promise to freeze his salary while in office. He plans to seek a second term this fall.

Anderson indicated he opposes the way salary increases for council members go into effect automatically — unless the council formally rejects them.

"I think that's a cowardly way to get an increase," he said, adding that the council should have to justify any raises in a public meeting.

Anderson called the \$10,051 council salaries "very reasonable" and said he believes he can win enough support to keep them at that level.



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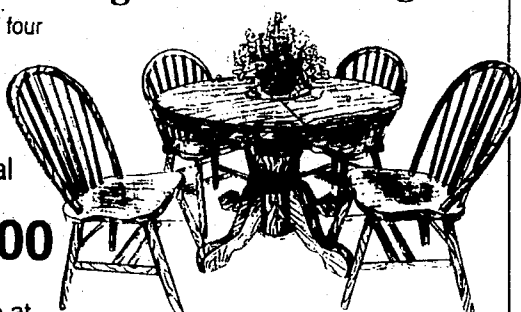
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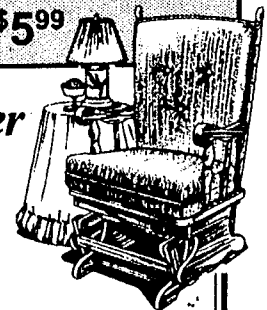
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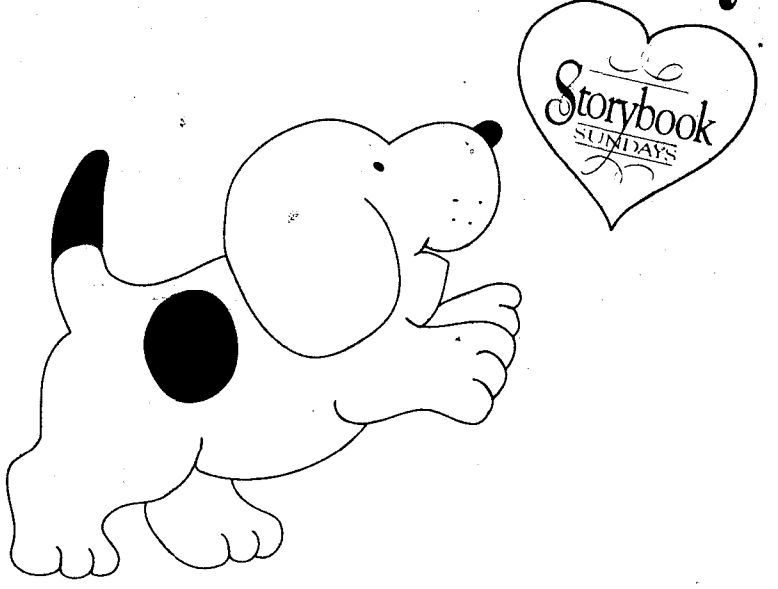
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**Coming clean:**  
Dental hygienist Sue Dapprich inspects the teeth of Jordan Anderson, 3, of Garden City.



## Youngsters brush up on dental health

**M**cKinley Cooperative Preschool youngsters took a different type of field trip Monday afternoon.

They visited the dental office of Dr. Ronald Paler, on Ann Arbor Trail near Hubbard in Westland, as part of his participation in National Children's Dental Health Month.

Paler is president of the Michigan Dental Society.

The youngsters, from Westland, Garden City and Livonia,

learned the proper brushing technique and were given a demonstration of some of the dental office's equipment.

They also learned what it's like to visit a dentist's office for the first time and experience the feel of the polisher.

Some 55 preschoolers visited the office over three days.

The cooperative is based in McKinley Elementary School, on Hillcrest, north of Joy, just east of Franklin High School.



**Brushing up:** Above, Dr. David Wheeler shows McKinley Cooperative Nursery youngsters the proper brushing technique. At left, youngsters get a close look at the dental inspection of a classmate by a hygienist.

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## Board OKs class to keep suspended kids off street

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

Amid hopes of keeping unruly youngsters off the streets, where they could get into more trouble, the Wayne-Westland school board has approved a new policy to keep suspended students in school.

The plan will be launched immediately at the district's two high schools, four junior highs and the Cherry Hill Alternative Center.

Instead of being forced out of school, students will come to a special class — separate from their regular classroom — where they will receive special supervision for four hours a day.

Students will no longer be tossed on the streets for infractions such as gambling, profanity, smoking, tardiness and truancy, among other offenses.

Instead, they will attend the special "in-house" suspension program for four hours a day, beginning at 11 a.m. at the junior highs and 10:30 a.m. at the high schools.

They will have to find their own transportation to school, but will be able to ride school buses home at the end of the day, said Bill Taylor, associate superintendent for employee services.

Taylor recommended the plan to the board for approval on Monday, and the board unanimously approved it.

Students participating in the program will be banned from extracurricular activities and from contact with classmates in regular classrooms.

If the students continue to be disruptive, they could still face suspension, Taylor said. Moreover, students with more serious behavior problems, such as bring-

ing weapons to school, will continue to be expelled.

School officials hope the program will let students keep up with their studies instead of falling behind, as they have in the past when suspended.

Officials also say the program could prevent students from getting into deeper trouble when they are not in class during school hours.

Substitute teachers will supervise the in-house suspension, and the estimated cost to the district will be about \$94,219 a year.

That includes a more in-depth program at Marshall Junior High School, which will offer in-house suspension for a full day instead of only four hours.

Officials plan to implement the full-day pilot project at Marshall because that school has already has a successful in-house suspension program.

## Doctor bound over on fondling charge

BY LEANNE ROGERS  
STAFF WRITER

A former Garden City Hospital physician was bound over for trial Monday after a woman testified that he fondled her during an emergency room visit.

Dr. Domian Kandah, 42, is scheduled for circuit court arraignment Feb. 22 on a charge of fourth-degree criminal sexual conduct. The charge alleges intentional touching for sexual purposes under the guise of medical treatment.

The complainant, a 22-year old Westland woman, testified during a preliminary examination in 21st District Court that she went to the hospital's emergency room suffering from neck pain at approximately 7 a.m. Sept. 30.

After taking a medical history and asking about her symptoms, the woman said, Kandah began massaging the painful area of her neck and back.

"He moved his hands and was rubbing the front of my neck. Then he stuck his hand down inside my bra and massaged my breast," the woman said. "It was

three to five minutes that he massaged my breast. I was very uncomfortable. I kept telling him it felt better and pulling my shoulder away. Then he stopped."

The woman said the physician, whom she had never met, was breathing heavily while this occurred.

Since she was uncertain about whether this was appropriate medical care, she visited her family physician later the same day. Following that examination, she filed a complaint with police.

Judge Richard Hammer Jr. stopped defense attorney Bruce Leitman from questioning the woman about her personal and medical history in an effort to challenge her credibility.

"That is too far afield and beyond the scope of a preliminary examination unless you have something specific," Hammer said.

The woman's family physician, Dr. John Cavell, testified that in his opinion and based on the testimony, touching a patient's breast would be unethical and medically unnecessary when the patient complains of neck pain.

Cavell, who is affiliated with the hospital and completed his residency there, seemed reluctant to take a firm position until questioned by Wayne County assistant prosecutor Curtis Smith.

"You seem to be hedging your bets," Smith said after Cavell confirmed he and Kandah had been acquainted for several years.

The woman's sister, 20, had driven the complainant to the hospital and was present during the examination. Called a hostile defense witness, she said her view was partially blocked but that she saw the doctor put his hand down the front of her sister's gown.

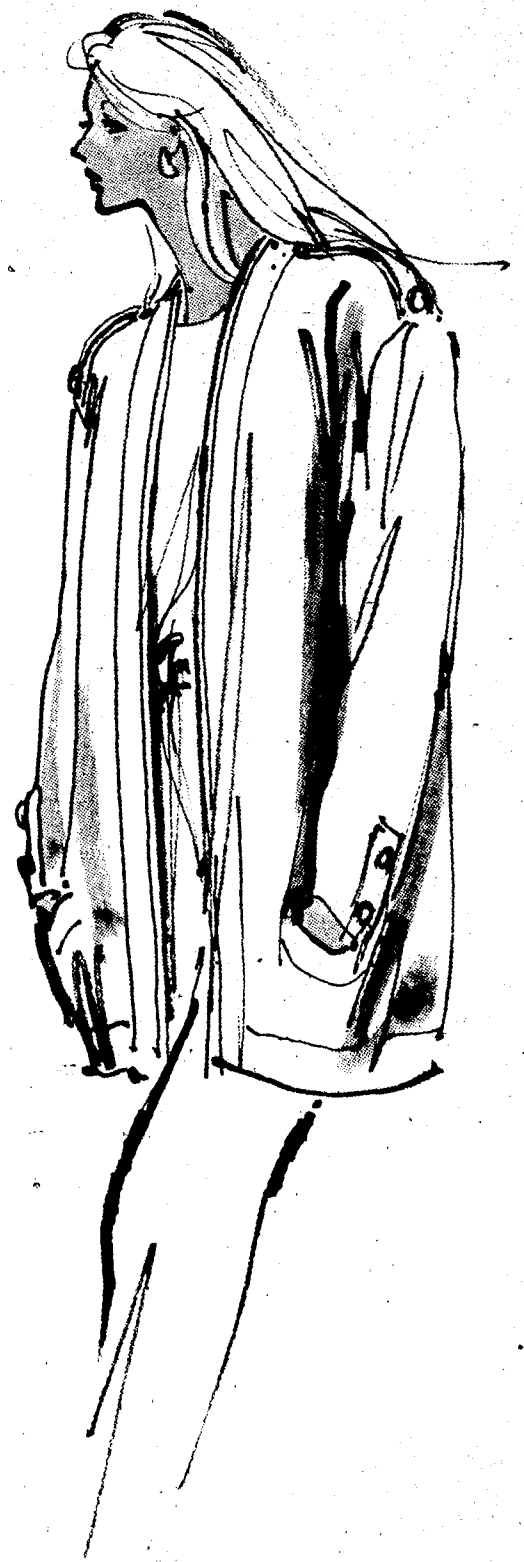
"As soon as he left the room, my sister wanted to leave. I said we had to wait," she said. "She wouldn't tell me what happened until we got into the car. Then she said he was rubbing her breasts and breathing funny in her ear."

Seeking a dismissal of the charge, Leitman unsuccessfully argued that there was no evidence that Kandah's examination was performed in an unethical or improper manner.

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# Choice

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# Willow Run ruling sparks mixed emotions

BY M.B. DILLON  
STAFF WRITER

"I couldn't believe it. I'm happy for me, the state of Michigan, and Ypsilanti Township," said Bob Harlow, president of UAW Local 1776 which represents workers at the Willow Run Assembly Plant.

Willow Run received a reprieve in Washtenaw Circuit Court Tuesday when Judge Donald Shelton issued an injunction ordering General Motors not to close the General Motors plant.

The Willow Run facility employs more than 2,000 workers, many from the area, who produce the Caprice and other vehicles.

GM planned to close the plant in July. Ypsilanti Township sued, claiming the closing was a violation of a tax abatement agreement with the automaker.

Scott Veldhuis, the city of Westland's economic development director, commented on the ruling that he doesn't expect the city to regain property tax revenues from companies which received local abatements and later moved out of the community.

"I've had contacts with the State Tax Commission and there is nothing in Public Act 198 (the state law which provides for the abatements) that allows for revoking of the abatements if the promised jobs aren't there," he said.

Veldhuis added that the city has had about four or five companies receiving tax breaks but either move out or go out of business.

He added that the abatement goes with the company, not the building if it is occupied by another business.

## UAW happy

On the Willow Run plant ruling, Harlow said:

"The announcement got us all clapping our hands. It's just unbelievable. Everyone just went wild. It's great news."

Optimism is guarded, though, he added. "GM attorneys say they are still going to close the plant this summer."

For the 300 Willow Run workers who've transferred to GM's Arlington plant in Texas, it's too little, too late.

"But, says Harlow, "if people down there want to come back, I say let's try to get them back. That's something we should be able to work out."

Millwright Al Hauck of Canton has mixed emotions because so many workers have already left Willow Run, described by many employees as not just a place to work, but a second family. "Contracts don't seem to be binding anymore. There always seems to be a way out," he said.

Also, said Hauck, "GM is a large corporation, and they will probably appeal. Most people are guardedly optimistic. We see it as a closing and have accepted it."

"It's a shame for the corporation," he added. "I feel bad for them right now. They have a lot of things going on with the gas tank deal. They're running low on money and everything else. They're in a bad situation."

A lot of GM's hardship "has been brought on by themselves," Hauck said. "They wouldn't listen to the common person. Some of their designs on their cars are not what the general public really wants."

## Slow seller

Many Willow Run workers suspected from the start that the Caprice wouldn't sell because of its design and large size, he said.

The quality of the Caprice is top-notch; but people like a car to look nice, too, Hauck said.

Hauck predicts GM will close the plant and pay whatever fines

the court imposes pending a lengthy appeal. "I wish everyone the best of luck on this deal; I just feel it's going to close by July. The fine would come out a lot cheaper than keeping it open."

Hauck says he has a good attitude. "There is work to be had. It won't necessarily be GM, and the money won't be as good, but you can always find something."

Micki Alpers attitude is 180 degrees from Hauck's. Her husband Mark Alpers, who worked at Willow Run, took his life after plant lay offs were announced.

Alpers is sorry the judge's ruling didn't come a year ago.

"It doesn't help anything right now," said the Canton resident. Alpers doubts the plant can remain open for long, as "GM has so much pull."

Cary Coleman is plant chaplain at Willow Run. He said employees were "yelling at the top of their lungs they were so delighted" at hearing the news.

"It's an exciting day for us. I'm just overjoyed, personally and professionally."

"Never in our wildest dreams could we have imagined such an announcement from the judge," said Coleman. "All along there were those who said something would happen. It looks like they were right."

## Appeal coming

"We know of course GM will take this to a higher court, and we can't know what that holds. But whether we win on appeal isn't as much the issue. At least for the time being, we have the won the battle. When I say we, I mean not just GM workers but the whole community as a collective body."

Ginnie Hauck said Tuesday she couldn't wait to get home. "This is wonderful news. I'll be real anxious to see my husband's face when I get home. He's been much more stressed over what other people would do than our own situation. To know he won't have to worry about that is a relief



BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Happy: Bob Harlow, president of UAW Local 1776, was all smiles on Tuesday after returning home to Livonia.

to a wife who worries about her husband.

"To offer hope in bleak times to that amount of people; what a great thing," she added. "Whether it's short-lived or long-lived, it's a

nice boost. It's like a shot of iron that's badly needed."

Contributing to the story was staff writer Leonard Poger.

that students couldn't be bumped after a certain date — such as the fifth or sixth Friday of the school year.

Board members fear that students could be severely disrupted if forced to change schools in mid-year — a concern shared by parents who helped the district's administration draft a schools of choice plan.

Some parents had been under the impression that the latest plan would protect students from being forced from a school once they have settled in. But the plan lacked specific language to that effect, sparking concerns at Monday's school board meeting.

"We lost ground here from the original plan," which gave protections to students, school board member Sharon Felan said.

The board has asked the committee to revise the plan and submit it to the board prior to a special meeting at 5 p.m. today (Thursday). The board could approve the revised plan at that time.

One board member, Richard LeBlanc, said he would have preferred to put the schools of choice proposal on an election ballot, so that district voters could say whether they support or reject it.

But a majority of board members indicated the schools of choice committee has worked hard to devise a plan and that their work should not be discarded.

Some schools already are crowded and could not accept many more students, sparking concern among some board members who said the latest plan falls short of being a true schools of choice proposal.

Some board members also oppose a continuing "grandfathering" practice that lets students automatically continue to attend schools outside of their attendance areas — if students have done so in past years.

However, the administration doesn't support efforts to end that practice immediately.



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# Area Dems are lining up for federal appointments

BY TIM RICHARD  
STAFF WRITER

You don't run for federal judge. But you do campaign for it. Ask Marvin Stempien.

"Gotta keep your name out there," said Stempien, a Wayne County circuit judge, as he circulated his biography in the labor caucus at last weekend's Democratic State Convention.

The president of the United States, Democrat Bill Clinton, appoints federal judges — for life. Republicans have been appointing the judiciary for 12 years. Stempien is seeking to place himself at the head of the line.

Now a Plymouth Township resident, Stempien represented Livonia for three terms as state representative in the 1960s and '70s before missing a bid for Congress. He did a lot of Wayne County legal work before Gov. James Blanchard appointed him to the circuit court 10 years ago.

"There's one federal vacancy," said Sheriff Robert Ficano, himself an attorney and resident of Livonia. "Bush nominated someone who was never confirmed."

Who decides who is recommended to Clinton?

"Riegle, Riegle, Riegle," said Ficano, referring to Michigan's senior (and Democratic) senator. "He has a screening committee. Leon Cohan (Edison attorney and former deputy state attorney general) heads it."

"There are two more federal judges seeking senior status (semi-retired) this year," added Michael Duggan, deputy Wayne County executive and also an attorney from Livonia. "At least a dozen potentials are out there. It's been 12 years. Practically the entire Wayne County circuit bench would like to move."

Stempien paid his party dues, running for the state Supreme Court in 1988. His reputation as the judge who decided the Dearborn parks segregation case, however, faded in a "name" contest, and he finished out of the money.



11th District

It started as a friendly contest between two hard-working, dedicated Democrats. It ended as a contest between the labor caucus and "others," including the Michigan Education Association, at last weekend's Democratic State Convention.

Vickie Barnett, a Farmington Hills homemaker and activist, emerged Saturday as chair of the 11th Congressional District Democratic organization, swept in by the labor ("Unity") slate. She replaces Walter Briggs IV, who chaired the group while running two unsuccessful races for Congress.

Barnett collected 136.3 votes to 100.7 for Marvin (Mickey) Meltzer, a Clinton campaigner from Birmingham. Meltzer was backed by Elizabeth Howe, 1992 candidate for Oakland County executive.

"Last week Mickey said we can have a friendly race between two nice people," said the winner.

Mary Ryan Taras, a former county chair from the MEA ranks, explained how the slates developed. "MEA has gotten skunked on education boards and the Democratic National Committee," Taras said, referring to the teachers union's losses at state conventions. "MEA endorsed Mickey. But I've worked

with Vicki. She's very solid, very competent." Only one of Meltzer's "MEA and others" slate won. Ann Malzberg, a Southfield MEA member, was elected recording secretary.

Michael Duggan  
deputy county executive

A conciliatory Meltzer moved that the rest of the Unity slate be elected by acclamation. Besides Barnett and Malzberg, new officers are:

Vice chair, Tom Lawton, Redford Township, a legislative aide; treasurer, Barbara Johnson, Livonia, Secretary of State employee; Jerry Buccilli, corresponding secretary; Oakland vice chair, Don Lindemier, Communications Workers of America; Wayne vice chair, Karl Burnett, UAW, Livonia.

Democratic State Central Committee members: Don Jackson, Mark Gaffney, Ken Koeppen, Roger Winkelman, Jim Shimoura, Al Holtz, Karla Swift, Darlene Berent, Maureen DeShetler, Selene McCoy and Cicely Brookover.

13th District  
"We were used to working with each other and helping (Congressman) Bill Ford," said Dick McKnight, Livonia school board member and Westland attorney who was elected chair of the 13th Congressional District organization.

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# Senate panel examines union members on elected boards

BY TIM RICHARD  
STAFF WRITER

A state Senate committee is taking a hard look at union bargainers who serve on the governing boards they bargain with.

Sen. David Honigman's Local Government Committee Tuesday approved a bill to prohibit a Macomb County commissioner from representing the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME) in negotiations.

"We got an attorney general's opinion that said there was no conflict, and that we needed a law," said the bill's sponsor, Sen. Gil DiNello, D-Clinton Township.

DiNello's SB 105 was sent to the Senate floor on a 4-1 vote. Supporting him were Honigman, R-West Bloomfield; Jon Cisky, R-Saginaw; and George Z. Hart, D-

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Dearborn. Opposed was Jim Bertryman, D-Adrian.

But before the vote, senators decided the problem was broader than DiNello's bill encompassed. Items:

■ A teachers' union president in Bloomfield Hills serving on the

board in Walled Lake — cited by Honigman.

■ A police union's attorney serving on the Dearborn school board, which was having a problem with the police department — cited by Hart.

■ A police officer serving on a township board which oversees

the police chief and determines the police budget — cited by Cisky.

"It's like the fox guarding the henhouse," said Cisky. As the most horrible example, Honigman cited Texas, where legislators also are paid lobbyists.

DiNello's bill couldn't be amended to cover the other cases because a separate bill is needed to amend those governing laws. The Senate passed the same bill in the last session, but it died in

the House.

Honigman said DiNello's bill applied only to a board member serving as a union negotiator, not to a rank and file union member.

In other business, the Labor Committee took no action on three bills by DiNello to allow large townships to have jurisdiction over county roads. DiNello's home of Clinton Township, largest in the state at 80,000, is seek-

ing to take control away from the Macomb County Road Commission.

Not since the Great Depression of the 1930s have townships controlled their own roads. County road commissions have jurisdiction.

Cities and villages, as incorporated municipalities, have jurisdiction over local streets.

## Newsletters focus on health

A series of newsletters are being distributed by the Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency as part of a statewide effort to help parents teach kids about health.

Topics in the newsletters include substance-abuse prevention, healthy eating for kids, preventing child sexual abuse, encouraging family fitness, child development, family activity ideas and recipes kids can help cook.

The newsletters have been sent to all Wayne County school districts, so if you want one, call your school district's main office.

## Nursing research day scheduled

Madonna University of Livonia and several local schools of nursing, hospitals and Sigma Theta Tau International chapters will sponsor the third annual Nursing Research Day on Friday, March 26.

A presentation of nursing administration and clinical research studies will be given, followed by discussion. The keynote speaker will be Jo Ellen Koerner, vice president of patient services at Sioux Valley Hospital.

The program will occur at the Hoyt Conference Center on the University of Detroit-Mercy campus in Detroit.

Call Bonnie Korn at 993-6140.

## Conservation workshop set

The Wayne County Soil & Water Conservation District is putting on a workshop about what you can do at home to provide for a cleaner environment at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, in the County Cooperative Extension office on Venoy in Wayne.

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# Quickly-passed law extends storage tank fund

BY TIM RICHARD  
STAFF WRITER

Acting Gov. Connie Binsfeld has signed a swiftly passed state law to extend the life of the Michigan Underground Storage Tank Financial Assurance Fund (MUSTFA).

The fund pays claims for damage from leaking petroleum tanks, but one dissenting lawmaker said there is too little money.

"This is smoke and mirrors.

This is voodoo economics," said Sen. Lana Pollack, D-Ann Arbor, when the Senate gave the measure 30 to 2 approval. "You should not make false promises that have no funding source."

"The extension of the fee (tax on petroleum products) until the year 2003 would fund around two years worth of claims. Therefore, the claims will need to be held (stopped) somewhere in 1995, as opposed to 1998, as stated in the

bill," said Pollack.

Sen. Jack Welborn, R-Kalamazoo, voted no for a different reason. "We're increasing taxes on the people to pay for another government mandate," he said. The bill imposes a surcharge of 0.875 cents per gallon of refined petroleum products.

All area senators supported it except William Faust, D-Westland, who had an excused absence. The House gave it 105 to 0

approval. The law, PA 1, took effect Monday, the day Binsfeld signed it in the absence of Gov. John Engler.

Freshman Rep. Jerry Vorva, R-Plymouth, voting on his first law, said the bill was rushed through to prevent the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency from revoking Michigan's program.

"Exorbitant cleanup costs are nearly bankrupting many local governments and storage tank

owners," said Vorva, a former Plymouth city commissioner. "This fund is one of only a few resources that can make cleanup efforts affordable," said Vorva, putting the average cleanup cost at \$100,000.

PA 1 will:

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Sen. Paul Wartner, R-Portage, the sponsor, said the Senate passed the extension last year, but it died in the House.

Since 1986, according to the Senate Fiscal Agency, 73,800 underground storage tanks have been registered with the State Police fire marshal. Currently, more than 42,500 tanks are registered, and 7,880 leaks have been identified.

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A federal law requires EPA to establish a regulatory program.

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## Women lawmakers at GOP forum

The Republican Women's Forum will hear from four Republican women in the state Legislature at its next meeting beginning 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 17, at the Botsford Inn of Farmington Hills.

Admission is \$20 for members, \$25 for others.

Giving their legislative updates will be:

■ Rep. Lyn Bankes, R-Livonia. Bankes was first elected to the House in 1984 and is beginning her fifth term.

■ Rep. Barbara Dobb, R-West Bloomfield. A certified public accountant by trade, Dobb is beginning her second term.

■ Rep. Jan Dolan, R-Farmington Hills. A former mayor and council member in Farmington Hills, Dolan is beginning her third term in the House.

■ Rep. Susan Grimes-Munsell, R-Howell. Currently the Republican Whip, Grimes-Munsell has served on the House standing committees of colleges and universities, education, public utilities and taxation.

Call 375-0269 for reservations or more information.

## OU to offer medical test prep workshop

The Oakland University division of continuing education is offering a new test preparation for the Medical College Aptitude Test, Feb. 13 through April 3.

Like its LSAT, GMAT, GRE and ACT-SAT preparation workshops, Oakland's MCAT workshop will be conducted weekly, ending just prior to the exam. The next exam is April 17.

Workshops will be from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Saturdays. Tuition is \$350.

For a brochure and to register, call 370-3120.

## S'craft hosts concert, crafts

The Schoolcraft College Women's Resource Center will host a free Valentine Concert and Crafts 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday in the Schoolcraft College Waterman Campus Center.

Gerri Green, music and movement specialist, will perform songs of love, self-esteem and laughter. Schoolcraft's honor society (Phi Theta Kappa) students will help participants make a valentine.

Reservations are required. Children, ages 2 to 13, must be accompanied by an adult.

The event is presented in cooperation with the Schoolcraft College Student Activities Office and the Out-Wayne County Council on Child Abuse and Neglect. Call the WRC at 462-4443.

# Soap opera star greets teen fans at Wonderland

An early Valentine gift was received by area residents at Wonderland Mall on Sunday afternoon when they received greetings and autographs from a popular soap opera star.

General Hospital actor Steve Burton, 22, who plays Jason Quartermaine, was at the mall at Plymouth and Middlebelt to meet his fans.

Pattie Sielski, 15, an Observer news carrier and a student at Marshall Junior High in Westland, presented a bouquet of red roses when she greeted Burton. About 299 other fans were on hand to meet Burton.

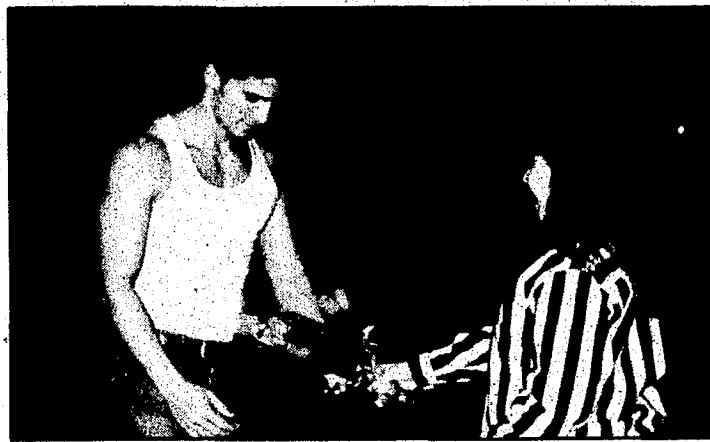
Burton started his acting career at age 16, taking acting classes out of high school. Some of his credits include the sitcom "Out of

This World," soap opera "Days of Our Lives," and even a long-running Pop-Tart commercial.

Although he enjoys his work on General Hospital, Burton says of his character: "Jason is a little too nice" at times.

Besides enjoying rap music, in

his spare time Burton likes to surf. At the suggestion of a female bystander, he took off his open flannel shirt to reveal a well-toned muscular physique under a sleeveless T-shirt which generated a loud response of whistles and cat calls.



Offers roses: Westland's Pattie Sielski, 15, presents a bouquet of roses to soap opera character hunk Jason Quartermaine, a.k.a. actor Steve Burton, at Wonderland Mall.

## OBITUARIES

### DIANE W. BALDWIN

Services for Mr. Baldwin, 64, a former 30-year Garden City resident, were held Feb. 9 from St. Aidan Catholic Church, Livonia, with burial in Rural Hill Cemetery, Northville. Fr. Gerald Flannery officiated.

Mr. Baldwin died Feb. 5 in Garden City Hospital from complications related to cancer.

Born Jan. 22, 1929, in Holt, Mich., he was an equipment operator for the Wayne County Road Commission and also served as a county dispatcher. He attended Redford High School and Southfield Trade School before serving in the Army during the Korean War.

He was a Northville resident at the time of his death.

Survivors are wife Beverly, sons Michael, Timothy, and William; daughters Sharon and Kathleen; parents Elmer and Antoinette Baldwin; and sister Leah Fisher.

### RALPH K. MOWERY

Services for Mr. Mowery, 79, of Westland were held Feb. 9 from the Uht Funeral Home, Westland, with interment in Cadillac Memorial Gardens West Cemetery. The Rev. Richard Mowery, a nephew, and the Rev. Clifford Batterbee officiated.

Mr. Mowery died Feb. 5.

Survivors are his wife, Harriett; son, David; daughters, Judith Meador and Nancy Gould; brother, Edward; and grandchildren, Shawn, David, Scott and Paul.

### ELMER W. KNIVILA

Services for Mr. Knivila, 76, of Canton Township were held Feb. 9 from the Vermeulen Memorial Trust Funeral Home, Westland, with interment in Commerce Cemetery, Commerce Township. The Rev. Raymond Rohlfis officiated.

Mr. Knivila died Feb. 5 in Livonia. Born Oct. 9, 1916, in Amasa, Mich., he was a tool and die employee in the manufacturing industry.

Survivors are daughter, Lois Brown of Okemos, Mich.; eight grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; and sister, Vernice Besonen of Westland.

Memorials may be donated to the American Cancer Society, Wayne County Unit, 6701 Harrison, Garden City 48135.

## Area church to take in homeless

The Alpha Baptist Church of Livonia is sponsoring an Operation Friendship program from Sunday, Feb. 14, through Sunday, Feb. 21.

The church will be providing meals, entertainment and a place to sleep (lights out at 11 p.m.) for 50 homeless people. A bus from the Drop-In Center in Detroit will bring the homeless to Alpha Baptist for the evening meal.

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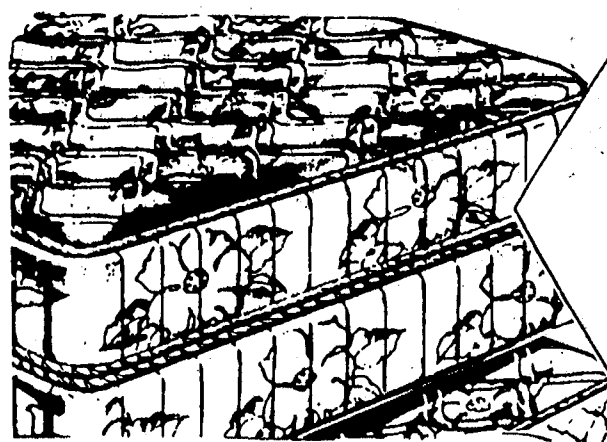
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# Area Dems rank gubernatorial hopefuls

BY TIM RICHARD  
STAFF WRITER

As surveys go, the 13th District Democrats have as good a handle on the 1994 gubernatorial sweepstakes as anyone.

Chairman Dick McKnight said 20 delegates (40 percent) prefer state Sen. Debbie Stabenow of Lansing as their candidate for governor.

Another 17 (34 percent) favor former U.S. Rep. Howard Wolpe, also of Lansing. McKnight conducted the survey among delegates from western Wayne and Washtenaw counties attending last weekend's Democratic State Convention in Detroit.

Two delegates liked state Rep. Lyn Jondahl of Okemos. One delegate liked former U.S. Rep. William Brodhead of Southfield, though Brodhead says he's not interested. One vote apiece went to

U.S. Rep. Sander Levin of Southfield, former Commerce director Doug Ross and Michigan State University trustee Joel Ferguson. And eight delegates checked "none of the above."

## Stabenow: 'wrong'

Declaring their interest in challenging Republican Gov. John Engler, Stabenow and Wolpe both addressed the convention. Delegates' applause reflected the 13th District poll.

"I've been beating Republicans for 18 years, and I can beat John Engler," said Stabenow, in her first Senate term after service in the House and the Ingham County board.

Stabenow stuck to bread-and-butter state issues to declare Engler "wrong."

"When GM was closing the Yp-

silanti plant, John Engler didn't even pick up the phone. Gov. Anne Richards (of Texas) said she'd support me because she wants a little more competition for jobs."

Stabenow said Engler's proposed 20 percent property tax cut "will devastate our schools, creating a \$1.4 billion loss by the fourth year." She blistered mental health cuts and \$100 million in state fee increases.

Stabenow hit Engler's efforts at privatizing governmental functions. "They're rushing to make contracts with their friends. They believe government is inherently wrong, and that people don't deserve a living wage."

## Wolpe: 'manipulated'

Wolpe was a state representative and Kalamazoo city commis-

sioner before serving 14 years in Congress. He stressed President Bill Clinton's efforts to seek racial harmony.

"John Engler is a grand master of the George Bush school of divide and rule," Wolpe said, accusing Engler of trying to pit labor against business, environmentalists against industry, teachers against parents, Detroit versus outstate and the Upper Peninsula versus lower Michigan.

"People feel manipulated. John Engler, your days are numbered," Wolpe said.

Democrats decorated the hall with posters of Republican President Abraham Lincoln and the acronym "A.B.E." It stands for "Anybody but Engler."

That led one veteran Democrat to shake his head and say, "They're just advertising his name."

# Delegation is split on family leave bill

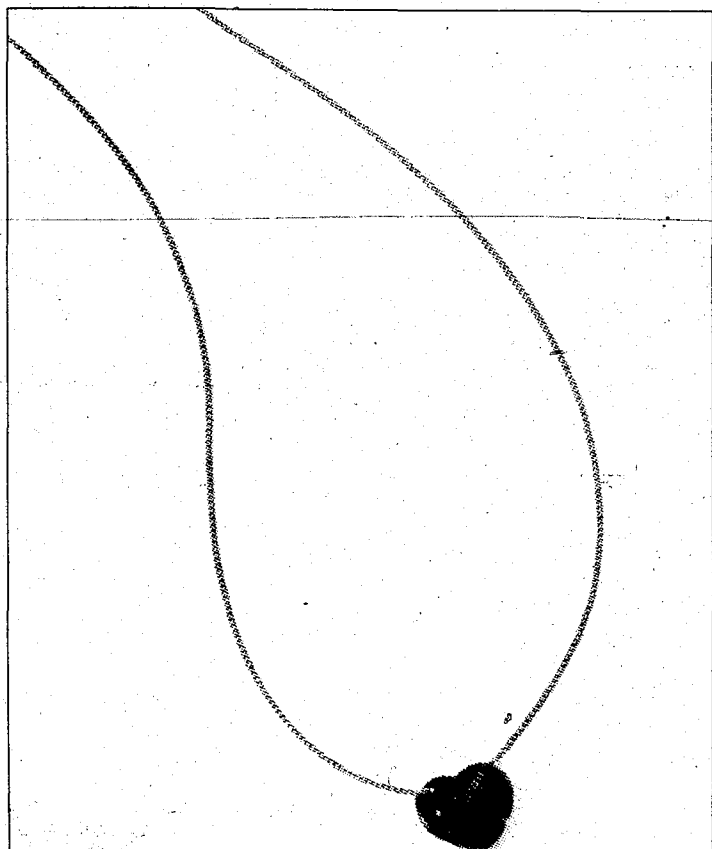
Here's how *Observer & Eccentric-area members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes in the week ending Feb. 5*

## HOUSE

To Approve Family Leave: By a vote of 247 for and 152 against, the House

sent to President Clinton a bill (HR 1) requiring employers of at least 50 workers to provide unpaid annual leave of up to 12 weeks for childbirth or other medical circumstances involving an employee or close family member. Those on leave would continue to receive benefits and be assured of returning to the same job or a comparable one.

See **FAMILY LEAVE, 18A**



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# New county clerk eyes satellite centers for suburbs



BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW  
STAFF WRITER

Anyone in search of an inspiring American success story would be hard pressed to find one to top that of Wayne County Clerk Teola Hunter.

Newly ensconced in the former office of James Killeen, who held the county clerk's job for 17 years, Hunter is now in charge of administering the county's vote-counting apparatus, handling the circuit court's paperwork and a host of other record-keeping tasks.

Currently a well-respected, well paid (\$78,000 a year) former state representative, Hunter wasn't always so seemingly blessed with good fortune.

Growing up in Detroit during the 1930s and '40s, Hunter lost her father to kidney disease when she was 5 years old, the youngest of Olivia Johnson Cranon's five children.

The family almost immediately went on public assistance, but Cranon stubbornly refused to let her children fall into the abyss of self-pity and blame placing.

"She sacrificed diligently for us," Hunter recalls. "I actually didn't realize we were poor until I was grown."

Although Hunter's mother had but a fifth-grade education, "she had a Ph.D. in life. She was very wise. So many things she told me

have helped to sustain me."

Hunter graduated from Cass Technical High School in 1949 and went on to college at the University of Detroit, getting a bachelor's degree in education. She later received a master's degree from Wayne State University.

A lifetime Detroit resident, Hunter taught school in that city for 14 years after her graduation from college.

In 1971 Hunter left the public schools behind to become a pioneer in the day care business. "I went into day care before it was popular to be in day care," she said.

By 1974 she had two day care centers called Buttons & Bows Nursery and Kindergarten, plus a private school that went to the third grade.


The next thing she knew, Hunter was involved in volunteer lobbyist work in Lansing on behalf of mothers on public assistance who needed day care for their children and skills training for themselves. This stimulated Hunter's interest in politics.

"I said to myself, 'I can do that and I can do it better,'" she said.

She lost a campaign for the Detroit City Council in 1978, but snared a state House of Representatives seat two years later.

See CLERK, 12A

**Success story:** Teola Hunter, Wayne County's new clerk, grew up poor but went on to be a college graduate, teacher, business owner, state representative and assistant director of the county's health and human services department. She credits her success largely to her mother.



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# Clerk from page 10A

As part of Hunter's work on the House's AIDS committee, she became very concerned about the plight of babies born with that disease. Privately, she established a non-profit organization called REACT to help these babies and their usually drug-addicted mothers.

Nate Shapiro, owner of Consulting Engineering Associates of Detroit, worked with Hunter on REACT. "I really got to know her on this committee, (and) as far as I'm concerned, she's the most dedicated person in my life I've ever run into," he said. "Whenever she said she was going to do something, she did it."

By 1990, having sold her day care business, Hunter had risen

to the rank of speaker pro-tem-pore in the state House, second only to the speaker.

"Anytime you can be black and female and elected to the second highest position in the House, it says a lot for your talents," said Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara.

She may have risen to speaker status had she stayed in the House, but Hunter said "it was about time for me to leave. I

thought I had done everything."

Besides, a job paying much more than the \$45,000-a-year House salary beckoned back home in Detroit.

McNamara hired Hunter in February 1992 to be the deputy director of the health and community services department.

She was there only 10 months, and a lot of her time was consumed in the campaign for clerk, but department director Bernard

Kilpatrick remembers Hunter fondly. "She was perfect for health and human services," he said. "She's smart and tough when she has to be. I wish she was still here."

Hunter's competence as an administrator, Kilpatrick said, was a "pleasant surprise" (because you get a lot of political types that aren't good administrators.)

As county clerk, Hunter said she hopes to establish satellite of-

ices in the suburbs so that the taxpayers don't have to drive downtown and pay a lot of money for parking just to get copies of their birth certificates or otherwise conduct business at the clerk's office.

It's a big job, though, because equipment, office space and perhaps people have to be acquired and hired. "It's not going to be an overnight procedure," she said.

Hunter also said Killeen left

her a pretty good operation ("With what they've had here they've done well"), but she will try to see how clerks in Oakland and Macomb counties are doing things better than the Wayne County clerk's office does, then try to immitate them.

"They have some good programs there," she said. "(But) I'm sure our problems are three or four fold when compared to Oakland or Macomb county."

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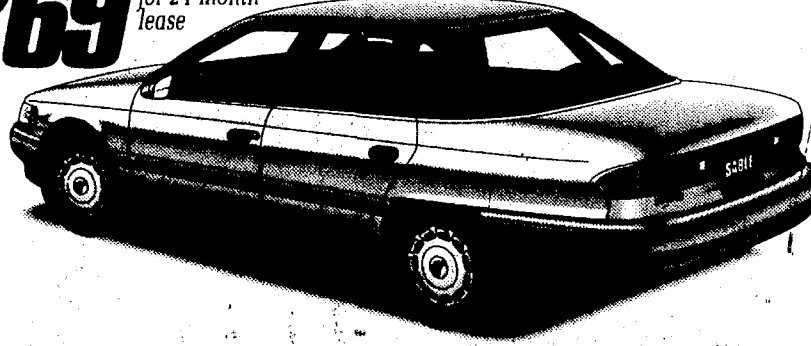
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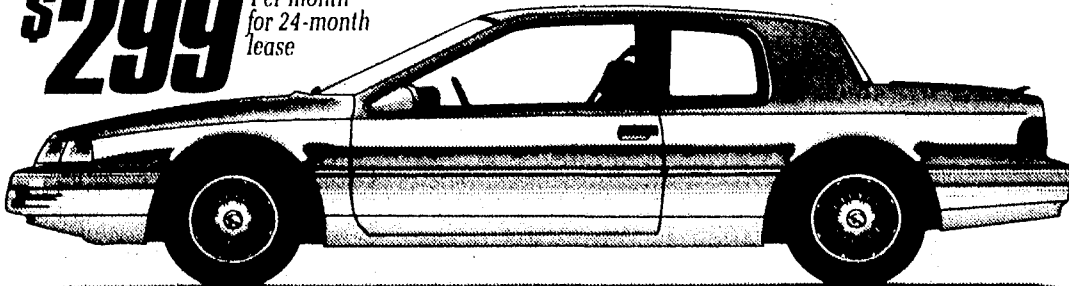


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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1993

AROUND  
WESTLAND

Valentine dance

A Valentine dance will be held Sunday night at Hawthorn Valley Country Club, on Meriman north of Warren Road. Music will be provided by Silver Sounds disc jockey. The dance is open to persons 21 and over with admission being \$6. There will be a dance contest, door prizes and a light show. The dance will start at 7:30 p.m. The dance is presented by Bassfield & Rowe Enterprises.

Student honored

Julie Hamrick of Westland has been named to the dean's list at Albion College. She is a junior and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Holbert Hamrick of Westland. Students must have a 3.5 or higher grade point average to be named to the dean's list.

Honors graduate

Lyndsey Horton, a Westland student attending Plymouth Christian High School, will graduate with honors this spring and in the fall attend the University of Michigan-Dearborn. Horton qualifies for the university's chancellor's scholarship. The senior has been on the school's honor roll since the fourth grade. Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Horton of Worchester Dr.

Top students

Twenty-five Stevenson Junior High School students earned 4.0 grade point averages, topping the list of more than 400 honor roll students for the second card marking. The 25 are Kelly Becker, Melanie Bucko, Tiffany Clemons, David Coole, Shannon Coultas, Deepak Dashairya, Alison Domzalski, Susan Finkbeiner, Jennifer Hinzman, Aaron James, Laura Jensen, Leeann Jones, Tricia King, Ingrid Knoff, Jennifer Lyons, Stephanie Mead, Latoi Messer, Boneva Needham, Magan Opalewski, Christopher Polack, Kevin Razor, Stephen Smith, John Springer, Christopher Trevarthen and Rebecca Wenzel.

Psychic fair

Westland psychic Elizabeth will sponsor a holistic health fair from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday at the Holiday Inn-Taylor, off of I-75 at Eureka. There will be free lectures and door prizes. Admission is \$5.

New shop loves Valentine's Day

A new Westland business appealing to lovers is gearing up for Valentine's Day.

BY DIANE GALE  
SPECIAL WRITER



Valentine's Day is to the new Lover's Lane business in Westland is what Christmas is to the toy industry.

The business at 2020 N. Wayne Road sells love and promotes long-lasting relationships, said manager Marilyn King. And the price ranges from 99 cents for inexpensive items like incense sticks to \$99.95 for a leather corselet.

Shoppers will see lingerie typical to stores such as Victoria's Secret and much more risqué items, like those found at Frederick's of Hollywood.

"We try to have everything to create a romantic evening," King said. "What we're trying to do is have a store for lovers and to promote long-lasting relationships."

King walks through the compact shop, passing signs on the wall with messages like: "Rekindle the passion with intimate fashions."

She points to teddies, bustiers, a wide range of stockings, massage books and other "how to" books, candles, silk sheets, woman's pajamas, adult box games, risqué novelties often seen at bachelorette and bachelor parties and greeting cards ranging from risqué to conservative.

During a 30-minute visit period last week, customers ranged from a man browsing to two couples and two women shopping together.

The steady stream of shoppers might be getting ready for the holiday — this Sunday.

King stressed, however, that



Holiday sales: Marilyn King, manager of Lover's Lane, shows off a gown in preparing for the upcoming Valentine Day sales.

treating your loved one right shouldn't be something you do because the calendar says it's time.

"The holiday, Valentine's Day, is a time when people remember to treat their loved one special," King said.

"The people at Lover's Lane believe in treating the someone in your

life special every day. Divorce is out. Staying together is in. We're trying to help people stay together."

"People often come in who are celebrating their anniversaries," King said, adding that the store has an even number of female and male customers. Once, she said, a man came in alone and said his wife was waiting in the car, because she

didn't believe they would have anything in her size. The woman changed her mind when he went out and told her that the store has a whole line of plus-sized lingerie.

Since the store opened in November, King said, the response from customers has been 99.9-percent positive. She quoted some customers as saying: "It's about time."

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YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND WESTLAND

## SINGLES

**WESTSIDE/FRIDAYS**  
Westside Singles hosts a dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Feb. 12 in Burton Manor, on Schoolcraft, west of Inkster Road, Livonia. Admission is \$5. 562-3160.

**WESTSIDE/SATURDAYS**  
Westside Singles will hold its Saturday night dance at 8 p.m. Feb. 13 in the Burton Manor, Schoolcraft Service Drive west of Inkster, Livonia. Admission is \$5. Ladies \$2. 277-4242.

**TRI-COUNTY**  
Tri-County-Singles will host a Valentine's Day Dance from 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 13, at Royce Hotel, I-94 and Merriman Road, exit 198, Romulus. Ages 21 and up. Admission \$4, Ladies \$2. Casual/dressy attire, no jeans. Cash bar. 842-7422.

**VALENTINES DANCE**  
A Valentine Dance will be 8 p.m. to midnight on Saturday, Feb. 13 in St. John Neumann's gym, Warren and Sheldon, Canton. Tickets are \$5/men and \$2/ladies. No jeans. You must be over 21. Margaret 326-8711 or Pat 277-6083.

**VALENTINES DANCE**  
The Catholic Alumni Club of Detroit will hold a Valentine Dance from 9 a.m. to 1 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 13 in St. Robert Bellarmine's gym, 27201 West Chicago, just off Inkster Road between Plymouth and Joy Road in Redford. Music by disk jockey Thomas & Thomas. Tickets are \$9, or \$8 and two cans of food for a homeless shelter. You must be 21 or older. Mary Ann 259-0829 or Carol 853-6693.

**VALENTINE DANCE**  
Bassfield & Rowe will hold its Valentine Dance 7:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. on Sunday, Feb. 14 in Hawthorne Valley Country Club, 7300 North Merriman near Warren, Westland. Ages 21 and over, proper attire. Admission is \$6. 937-3550 or 477-0579.

**SUNDAY DANCE**  
Sunday Suburban Singles will hold a dance from 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. on Sunday, Feb. 14, at the Burton Manor, I-96 and Inkster, exit 177, Livonia. Ages 21 and older, proper attire, no jeans. Cost is \$3. Arrive early for hot and cold hors d'oeuvres. 842-0443.

**SINGLE PLACE**  
Single Place Ministries presents An Opportunity for Growth Workshop: "Co-Dependency" with Ed Humenay on Sundays, Feb. 14, 21 and 28 at 7 p.m. Meet in the library/lounge of First Presbyterian Church, 200 East Main Street, Northville. Donation of \$27. Also a growth workshop, "Men and Women: Relating Together" with Nick Berar will meet at 7 p.m. on Sundays, Feb. 14, 21 and 28 in the Forum Room. A donation of \$24 is requested. 349-0911.

**U.S. SINGLETONS**  
Dinner Social at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 14, in Merrivether Restaurant, Telegraph Road between 10 and 11 Mile. Dinner at 3 p.m. Singles ages 45 and up wishing information, write to U.S. Singletons, P.O. Box 2175, Fort Dearborn Station, Dearborn, 48123.

**WEDNESDAY DANCE**  
Wednesday Suburban Singles will hold a dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 17, at Vladimirs, 28125 Grand River and Eight Mile Road, Farmington. Ages 21 and older, proper attire, no jeans. Social hour begins at 8 p.m., dancing at 9 p.m. Cost is \$3.842-0443.

**DIVORCE RECOVERY WORKSHOP**  
Single Point Ministries will hold a "Divorce Recovery Workshop" 7-9:30 p.m. on Thursdays, beginning Feb. 18, in Knox Hall at Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington Road at Six Mile. The workshop is led by Paul Clough, minister to single adults. Registration. 422-1854.

**BETHANY PLYMOUTH-CANTON**  
The Catholic support group meets every third Saturday in St. Kenneth's Church, Haggerty just south of Five Mile Road, Plymouth. Singles of all faiths welcome. The group is hosting guest speaker Paula Knight on the topic of positive interaction, at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 20. 261-9123 or 421-1639.

**ACTIVITIES GROUP**  
The Activities Group is single adults participating in a variety of activities on an organized year round basis. They are not affiliated with any self help group, religious, or political organization. Membership fee is \$25. 624-7777. Some future activities include:

Friday, Feb. 12 — Golf Clinic 7 p.m. in Oasis Indoor Golf Dome, 39500 Five Mile Road east of Haggerty, Plymouth. I-275 exit at Six Mile. Open golf practice at 7:30 p.m. and league sign-up at 9 p.m. 624-7777.

Saturday, Feb. 13 — Splatball 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at SplattBall City, 1580 East Brand Boulevard, parking on the roof. Bring a bag lunch and pop. Members \$31, non-members \$37. RSVP must by Feb. 11 at 624-7777.

**TALK IT OVER**  
TIO (Talk It Over), sponsored by Single Point Ministries, meets every second and fourth Friday of the month at 7:45 p.m. in Knox Hall of Ward Presbyterian Church at Six Mile and Farmington Road, Livonia. Interesting speakers address contemporary topics. No charge. Singles only please. Child care is provided. 422-1854.

**GRIEF SUPPORT**  
Grief Support, sponsored by Single Point Ministries, meets at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 18 in room A-15 at Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington and Six Mile Road, Livonia; and at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 24 in the Calvin Room at Ward. 422-1854.

**NEWBURG SINGLES**  
The Newburg Singles meet at 7 p.m. in Newburg United Methodist Church, on Ann Arbor Trail between Wayne Road and Newburgh, Livonia. The group meets the third Sunday of each month. Mike 425-5250 or Dave 663-0014.

**BOWLING**  
Newburg Singles meets the second Saturday every month at 3 p.m. in Westland Bowl. We need bowlers, beginners or experienced. Mike 425-5250.

**SQUARE DANCING**  
A beginners' square dance will be 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays in Burger Center, Garden City. Fee is \$3. The school is on Beechwood and Dillon, two blocks north of Ford and two blocks east of Merriman. Students must wear tennis shoes. 485-0918 or 422-6079.

**EXPLORERS**  
St. Edith Single Explorers will meet at 7:30 p.m. the first Friday of each month at St. Edith Church, on Newburgh south of Five Mile. Call 464-2027.

**DANCE CLASS**  
A beginners' ballroom dance class will be held by the Redford Township recreation department. Fee is

\$20. Classes will be held at the Jane Addams Elementary School, 14025 Berwyn, Redford. 471-4168.

**NEW START**  
New Start is a group of widowed persons who meet to support others who have lost a mate through death. Meetings are 7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month in the chapel at Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. Tuesday, Dec. 8 will be our Christmas party with Prime Time Singers and Single Point Players.

**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 464-1969.

Wayne-Westland Chapter 340 meets the second and fourth Fridays of the month in the Wayne Amvets 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.

**STARLITERS**  
Starliters 40 and Older Club holds dances 9 p.m. to midnight Fridays in the Northwest YWCA, 25940 W. Grand River, near Beech Daly. Price is \$3.75, including a band and refreshments. 776-9360.

**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.

**BRIDGE**  
Singles bridge group meets 7:30 p.m. Mondays in First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main. Lessons are offered 7:30 p.m. Thursdays. Call 349-9104 or 420-3177.

**SUNDAY NIGHT SINGLES**  
A dance/party is 8 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. every Sunday in Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill, at Venoy. Admission price is \$4. Cash bar and DJ entertainment. Dances are for singles age 21 and older. Dressy attire. For information, call 425-1430.

**CATHOLIC ALUMNI**  
Singles club is for Catholics who are college graduates and are free to marry in the Catholic Church. For information on other events, including dances, volleyball, tennis or softball, call Velma Zanardi at 647-7076.

## DAY CARE

**OPENINGS**  
The following facilities in the day care, nursery and preschool listings do not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, religion, or sexual preference.

**CALENDAR FORM**

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.

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Clarenceville Child Care Program in Botsford Elementary has limited openings for child care services. Both full- and part-time enrollments are an option in this licensed program. 473-8933.

Sweet Beginnings Nursery School in the Clarenceville United Methodist Church, 20300 Middlebelt, Livonia, is taking registrations for children ages 3-5. The material is of a Christian orientation. Classes meet Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. Aletha Kutschke, 474-3444.

## CO-OP NURSERIES

**OPENINGS**  
Following is a listing of openings and enrollment information for nursery cooperatives in the area:

Mother Hubbard Nursery School, housed in St. Andrew Church, 16360 Hubbard, Livonia, is accepting applications for its 1992-1993 school year. Classes for 3-year-olds are Tuesday and Thursday mornings, and classes for 4-year-olds are Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons. 421-8457.

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, 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 1993. Openings are available for the morning or afternoon classes for 3-year-olds and 4-year-olds. 421-7145

Garfield Cooperative Preschool in Washington Elementary, 9449 Hix at Ann Arbor Road, Livonia, is accepting registrations for the 1992-93 school year. Openings are available for 3- and 4-year-olds, and a special class for toddlers and parents. Mary Kay Kollin, 464-4381.

Suburban Children's Co-Op Nursing in Newburg United Methodist Church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia, has immediate openings in their afternoon class for 4-year-olds. The class is Tuesdays and Fridays noon to 2 p.m. Cherie 462-3687.

Bulman Co-op Nursery, in Hull Elementary at 34715 Lyndon, Livonia, has openings for 3- and 4-year-olds for the 1992-93 school season. 425-5801.

Henry Clay Preschool Cooperative, in Randolph Elementary School at Five Mile and Newburgh in Livonia, is accepting applications for the 1992-93 school year for 3- and 4-year-old classes for the fall. Diane, 471-2642.

Livonia Cooperative Nursery, a preschool at W. Chicago and Hubbard, has openings for 3- and 4-year-olds for the 1992-93 school year. The nursery has morning and afternoon sessions. Sue 421-6339.

Tiny Tots Nursery, in Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, 39020 Five Mile, has a few openings remaining in the 4-year-old afternoon and 3-year-old morning class. 464-0211.

## PRESCHOOL

**OPENINGS**  
Livonia Montessori Center in the St. Maurice Church school, 32765 Lyndon between Farmington and Merriman roads, is accepting applications for the 1992-1993 school year. Morning, afternoon and full-day classes are available for age 2½ through kindergarten. Call 427-8255.

Livonia Head Start at Bentley Center is accepting applications for enrollment. The child must be 3 or 4 years old before Dec. 1, 1992. To register, call 523-9356 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Christ Our Savior preschool and kindergarten, 14175 Farmington Road, Livonia, is accepting applications. Morning and afternoon classes are available for 3- and 4-year-olds and a morning kindergarten class for 5-year-olds. Extended care, beginning at 7 a.m., also is available. Judith Reese, 522-6830.

St. Paul Presbyterian Church Preschool, 27475 Five Mile, is accepting enrollment for 1993. Classes are offered for 3-year-olds and 4-year-olds. 422-1470.

Building Blocks Preschool in Faith Lutheran Church, 30000 Five Mile between Merriman and Middlebelt, Livonia, is now accepting registrations. Morning and afternoon sessions for both 3- and 4-year-olds are available. A Young Fives class meets 9:15-11:30 a.m. four days per week. A toddler class meets one morning per week for 2-year-olds. 421-7359.

St. Paul Lutheran Preschool, 17810 Farmington, Livonia, has openings in 4-year-olds in the Tuesday and Thursday morning and afternoon classes for the 1992-93 school year. 421-9022.

St. Paul Lutheran School, 20815 Middlebelt Road corner of Eight Mile has drop-in rates available for day care 3- and 4-year-olds. 474-2488.

## VALENTINE HAPPENINGS

**VALENTINE DANCE**  
Hawthorne Valley Country Club will host a Valentine's Day dance from 7:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, in the club on Merriman north of Warren Road. The event is open to persons 21 and older. Admission is \$6. The Silver Sounds will provide the music. Must be 21 or older. There will be door prizes, special lighting, laser effects and dance contest.

**OPEN HOUSE**  
McKinley Cooperative Preschool will hold its annual open house from 6:30-8 p.m., Wednesday, Feb. 17, in Room 29, McKinley Elementary School, on Hillcrest, east of Merriman, north of Joy. Classes are open for 2-, 3- and 4-year-olds. Children are encouraged to join their parents at the open house. 471-2607.

**SWEETHEART BINGO**  
The Men's Activities Club of St. Sabina Parish will sponsor a "Sweetheart" silver dollar bingo at 4 p.m., Sunday, Feb. 14, in the activities building, 25605 Ann Arbor Trail, between Telegraph and Beech Daly, Dearborn Heights.

## RECREATION

**SQUARE DANCING**  
Lou Watson offers "Square Dancing for First-Time Dancers" 8 p.m. Thursdays in the Knights of Columbus Hall, 30759 Ford, east of Merriman. 397-8119.

**OPEN SWIM**  
The Wayne-Westland YMCA has daily open swim available 7-8 p.m. Monday-Friday and 1-3 p.m. Saturday. Family swim is 8-8:45 p.m. Friday and 3-4 p.m. Saturday. The YMCA is at 827 S. Wayne Road, Westland. 721-7044.

**AEROBICS**  
Low-impact aerobics will be 6:15 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, and 11 a.m. Saturday during the month of February to be at St. Simon and Jude Hall, 32500 Palmer, Westland. Wear comfortable clothing and tennis shoes, and bring a mat, towel and small rug. Cost is \$2 per class or \$15 for the session. 721-7981 or 722-1343.

**ARTS & CRAFTS**  
Children 5 and older can participate in an arts and crafts program 3:30-5 p.m. Wednesdays in the Maplewood Center, 31735 Maplewood, Garden City. Price is \$1 per class. 525-8846.

## CRAFTS AND BAZAARS

**ARTS & CRAFTS**  
Crafters needed for Farmington School PTA, Arts and Craft Show, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, March 20, in Farmington School, 33411 Marquette, Garden City. Tables are \$10 or two/\$15. Anne Renas 421-6623 or Darla Fender 425-4439.

## SELF IMPROVEMENT EDUCATION

**TAXES**  
AARP Chapter No. 1642 will offer free income tax service to low income seniors at the following locations:  
Maplewood Community Center — Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. by appointment. The center is at 31735 Maplewood, west of Merri-

man and north of Ford Road, Garden City. Ervin Sepin, coordinator. 525-8848.

Friendship Community Center — Mondays and Thursdays 10-11:45 a.m. and 12:45-3 p.m. Walk in Service. The center is at 1119 N. Newburgh north of Marquette, Westland. John Groff, coordinator. 722-7628.

**SAFE BOATING**  
Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 12-05 Safe Boating Classes will begin at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 11, in Northville High School, Northville and 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 23 in Clarenceville High School, Livonia. Classes will run for eight weeks with an additional two weeks for those interested in piloting courses. Subjects covered will be boat construction, marine engines, handling, aids to navigation, sailing, navigation rules, legal, radio/telephone, piloting. 478-3177 or 348-2234.

**SKILLS AND SEAMANSHIP**  
Flotilla 12-15 of the Coast Guard Auxiliary is offering a boating skills and seamanship class to art Monday evening, Feb. 15, and run for six or 12 weeks in the VFW Hall Post 147 Hall, 27555 Grantland, Livonia. The class is for beginners or "old salts" who want to brush up on skills. Teenagers, 12-15 years old, can receive their Boating Safety Certificate. 533-0579.

## BENEFITS

**DANCE/RAFFLE**  
McKinley Co-Op Preschool will hold a fund-raiser dance and raffle 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 13, in Sokol Cultural Center, 23600 West Warren, Dearborn Heights. Must be 21 years of age. Tickets \$10 each. 261-9424.

**BOWLING FOR HEART**  
HEART (Heart Transplant Emergency Assistance Relief Team) will hold a bowling fund-raiser at 2 p.m., Sunday, Feb. 14, in Superbowl Bowling Lanes, 45100 Ford, west of I-275 (behind Burger King) Canton. Reservations 595-7645.

**BINGO**  
Westland Jaycees hold bingo games at 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday in Joy Manor, 28999 Joy Road, Westland. Three jackpots paying \$250, \$300 and \$300 progressive. 525-2962.

**BINGO**  
Garden City Lions hold bingo games at 6:30 p.m. every Sunday in Knights of Columbus, 35100 Van Born, Wayne.

## CLUBS

**DAR**  
John Sackett Chapter, National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at noon on Saturday, Feb. 13, in the home of Margaret Steward, Woodland Lane, Bloomfield Hills. Betty Tripp 422-4072.

**DAR**  
Colonel Joshua Howard Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 16, in McFadden Ross Museum, 915 Brady, Dearborn. Audrey 729-0139 or Ruth 277-4105.

**GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY**  
Western Wayne County Genealogical Society will meet 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 17, in the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile Road east of Farmington Road.

**BETA SIGMA PHI**  
Xi Zeta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 17, in the home of Pat Gromacki, 30937 Florence, Garden City.



# Caring

## Schoolcraft women's center 'House with a Heart'

The Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College is known as the "House with a Heart" for a lot of good reasons, says director Nancy K. Swanborg.

The WRC is in a cozy house on the Livonia campus and a lot of caring goes on, says Swanborg. And members of the community know when they come to the WRC, well-trained, empathetic volunteers will help them.

At a recent volunteer in-service retreat, Swanborg asked each participant to create a fabric heart depicting her interpretation of "What the Women's Resource Center Means to Me." The volunteers were given fabric paints to decorate the appliqued hearts.

One woman depicted a heart filled with the female symbol because to her the WRC is "women helping women." Another drew an ear because the WRC is a "place where you can be heard."

Swanborg says the most important lesson from their collective squares is that "it takes all of us to make the WRC work; and it takes all of us to tell our story."

Swanborg, without telling volunteers, took the completed squares to Neighborhood Artisans, a handwork training center, where the squares were sewn into a quilt overnight. At the in-service's closing session, Swan-

borg presented the completed quilt to the group.

There were two months of silence as the volunteers, at their beautiful work, chose the heart quiltivity because of the significance making has had in its history.

"For many women making was the only way to tell their stories, even if it was listening to them."

"We're all very aware that with the college's building due for groundbreak in this spring, the House will be here in two years and we're moving to the new site. I want to record this part of our story and keep the "House with a Heart" a part of us," said Swanborg.

The quilt will be in the WRC's new home.

The WRC will host a Valentine Concert and Call a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday in Schoolcraft College Water Campus Center. Reservations required. Children, ages 2 to 13, to be accompanied by an adult. Event is presented in cooperation with the Schoolcraft College Student Activities Office and the Wayne County Council on Child Abuse and Neglect. Call WRC at 462-4443.



BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Special quilt: Nancy K. Swanborg, director of the Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College, displays the quilt created as part of an in-service training for volunteers.

**CITY OF GARDEN CITY  
NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed proposals will be received at the Office of the City Clerk, in the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135, Telephone 313-522-8844, on or before Wednesday, February 24, 1993 at 3:00 P.M., for the purchase of the service of Lawn Maintenance, for the city's lawn.

Proposals must be submitted on forms furnished by the City Clerk, in a sealed envelope, endorsed, "Sealed Bid for Lawn Maintenance".

The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities when deemed in the best interest of the City.

R. J. WALTER,  
City Treasurer

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- Vitrified Clay Pipe, PVC Pipe and Mastic
- Polyethylene Sewer Pipe and Couplings
- Excess Dirt Hauling

Proposals must be submitted on forms available at the Purchasing Office, into at the above address, in a sealed envelope meeting the site plan requirements within three months. "Sealed Bid for Excess Dirt Hauling".

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D. SHOWALTER,  
City Clerk-Treasurer

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**CITY OF GARDEN CITY  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
January 4, 1993**

**PUBLIC HEARING at 7:15 P.M.**  
Present were Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Wlasek, Breen, Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas. Absent none.

Ordnance of comments on the Municipal Waste Flow Control Ordinance.

**REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING at 7:30 P.M.**  
Present were Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Wlasek, Breen, Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas. Absent none.

Also present were Interim City Manager Koczek, City Clerk-Treasurer Showalter, and City Attorney Mack.

Moved by Ryall, supported by Nunneley: RESOLVED: To approve the Minutes of the Special Council Meeting held December 21, 1992, as presented. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To approve the Acco. Payable, as listed. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Sobas: RESOLVED: To let the Planning Commission approval of the Special Use Permit requested by Bob Sheridan, Sheridan Square, 30092 Ford Rd, for a restaurant in a C-2 District stand without Council motion.

Moved by Nunneley, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To amend the ordinance No. 1-93-003 to be contingent upon the petitioner meeting the site plan requirements within three months.

**MOTION WITHDRAWN AFTER DISCUSSION**

YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To call a Public Hearing on February 1, 1993, at 7:15 p.m. on the zoning request for Gordon Chevrolet, 31850 Ford Road, rezoning lots 19, 20, 21, Highwood Park Subdivision from R-3 (Multiple Family Residential) to V-Vehicle Parking District. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To call a Public Hearing on January 18, 1993, at 7:15 p.m. on vacating the alley north of Ford Road between Merriman and other, Lots 1-29, 87-95, Highwood Park Subdivision and Acreage, Parcels U1a1, U1a2, U1a3, U1a4, U1a5, U1a6, U1a7, U1a8, U1a9, U1a10, U1a11, U1a12, U1a13, U1a14, U1a15, U1a16, U1a17, U1a18, U1a19, U1a20, U1a21, U1a22, U1a23, U1a24, U1a25, U1a26, U1a27, U1a28, U1a29, U1a30, U1a31, U1a32, U1a33, U1a34, U1a35, U1a36, U1a37, U1a38, U1a39, U1a40, U1a41, U1a42, U1a43, U1a44, U1a45, U1a46, U1a47, U1a48, U1a49, U1a50, U1a51, U1a52, U1a53, U1a54, U1a55, U1a56, U1a57, U1a58, U1a59, U1a60, U1a61, U1a62, U1a63, U1a64, U1a65, U1a66, U1a67, U1a68, U1a69, U1a70, U1a71, U1a72, U1a73, U1a74, U1a75, U1a76, U1a77, U1a78, U1a79, U1a80, U1a81, U1a82, U1a83, U1a84, U1a85, U1a86, U1a87, U1a88, U1a89, U1a90, U1a91, U1a92, U1a93, U1a94, U1a95, U1a96, U1a97, U1a98, U1a99, U1a100. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Nunneley: RESOLVED: To adopt the Resolution listing the Council Meeting and Workshops for 1993. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To approve the Municipal Waste Flow Control Ordinance recommended by the Administration. No. 93-001 YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To adopt the proposed Sidewalk Program V 493 Issue bond, Northwest Perrin 184,744 Issue bond; Midtown Dr. 520 Issue bond; North Mid Lathers Road Improvement 768,346 Issue bond; North Garden Road Improvements 886,744 Issue bond. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Wlasek, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To award the contract for carpeting for the 31st District Court offices to Jckwith-Evans, the lowest responsible bidder, in amount of \$2,168.28, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Wlasek: RESOLVED: To award the contract for the purchase of used vehicular equipment to the highest responsive bidder, as recommended by the Administration, as follows: '87 Chev. Caprice M-87 Av Paris, Frank Kossij \$1,306.00. '88 Chev. Malibu Bldg \$1,171.77. '81 Ford LTD Dneb1 Auto Inc. Ann bor. \$185.00. '88 Chev. Caprice M-87 Auto Paris, Fla. Kossij \$2,203.00. '86 Dodge Diplomat M-87 Antaria, Frank Kossij \$815.00. '88 Chev. Caprice M-87 Av Paris, Frank Kossij \$1,306.00. '84 Pontiac Bonanza Bon Glah \$837.00. Animal Cust. Box M-87 Auto Pa, Frank Kossij \$1.00. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To award the contract for (7) replacement chairs for the Fire Department to Walker & Besenbarg Furniture, the lowest responsible bidder, in amount of \$2,993.00, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Wlasek: RESOLVED: To go into Closed Session during with the City Attorney a negotiation process which negotiations leading to a contractual relationship with a proposed City Manager may begin. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To appoint a Committee of Mayor Plakas and City Attorney Mack to negotiate employment with the prospective City Manager. YEAS: Unanimous

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1993

## Board vote Where are school candidates?

In the past two years, Wayne-Westland school district voters have vented their frustration and anger at board of education members. They overwhelmingly defeated incumbents and elected challengers.

The issues were teachers' union salary increases, declining academic test scores, rising property taxes and — just recently — the fear that many high school students won't receive a state-endorsed diploma upon graduation.

In the past two years, six new faces have joined the seven-member board. In that time period, four incumbents seeking re-election were defeated. One decided not to seek re-election while the sixth resigned last summer.

This spring, two board seats will be on the June 14 ballot. For those who are interested in running, the deadline to file petitions for the June 14 board election is 4 p.m., Monday, April 12.

The district continues to experience financial problems and is faced with finding a strategy to improve academic test scores so high school seniors can obtain state-endorsed diplomas.

In the June election, candidates should focus on the issues of how to improve academic performances, as measured by a variety of tests, and school finances instead of trying to blame the problems on others.

### There's still room for school board candidates who feel they can make a difference.

There are plenty of good ideas that parents, teachers and school officials have offered on controlling expenses to balance the budget and refining the curriculum to make sure students are learning the subjects covered in the annual Michigan Education Assessment Program tests.

Serving on a school board can be a thankless job. The pay is lousy and sometimes more time is spent putting out brush fires than identifying problems and looking for solutions.

Ideally, the board of education will focus on the future direction of the district, identify problems for the administration to recommend solutions and get on with its business of providing the best education possible with available dollars.

These are difficult times for many Michigan school districts with the state telling them to do more with fewer financial resources.

Despite problems in public education, there is still room for board candidates who want to make a difference.

## Heart smart choices for '93

There are people and programs one can't help but love. And there are others we love to hate. As emotions run amok with the onset of Valentine's Day, here are our annual "Hearts and Darts."



A small heart goes to John Engler. The Michigan Department of Transportation is building a new train station in the New Center area, putting Detroit back into the picture, and is rejuvenating a commuter line from Pontiac to Detroit. Oakland County travelers soon will be able to park in Birmingham and hop the train to Chicago, rather than drive to Dearborn.

A big heart goes to the Wayne County Road Commission for doing a superb job of snow removal and salting — putting neighboring counties to shame.

We send our heartfelt thanks to day care providers. The recent national headlines about two attorney general candidates hiring illegal aliens as nannies doesn't shock working mothers as much as it does the general public. With dual income and single parent families in the majority, there is a need for good, affordable care for children whether in their homes or at one of the centers dotting the landscape from Garden City to Rochester.

A musical heart goes to Karen Nixon, who conducts Group du jour, the Farmington Hills-based symphony orchestra. She brings the clas-

sics to the 'burbs with grace and style.

A dart goes to one proposal for a "dog patrol" of the Livonia golf courses. Someone in Livonia city government, who has no love for animals or has a shred of humanity, suggested letting loose packs of dogs to roam the courses to limit the geese population on the greens.



A dart to State Sen. Michael Bouchard, R-Birmingham. His first vote on the Senate Finance Committee went with the way of Gov. Engler, rather than following the wishes of his constituents, by taking a new school financing plan out of committee and placing it before the full Legislature. Keeping it in committee would have benefitted many of our communities in the Wayne-Oakland area because they are "out of formula" districts that will be injured by the newest plan to bring equitable school financing to Michigan.

Sadly, Jack Kevorkian needs more than a dart to stop his assisted suicides that are continuing in the face of an April 1 ban. Three in one week leads one to wonder whether the haste to beat the deadline is somehow short-changing the counseling process.

An arrow shot from a compound bow goes to the City of Troy for instituting a \$10 administrative fee for weddings performed by its new mayor, the first of which is being performed on — you guessed it — Valentine's Day.

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# HOME ALONE II



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### All should take a bow

I would like to take this opportunity to comment on your article regarding MEAP (Michigan Education Assessment Program) scores printed in the Observer.

As a Livonia school district teacher for over 30 years, I am very upset and angry that only five of our schools should "take a bow."

MEAP scores are not the only measurement of student success and performance. I believe there is much too much emphasis placed on these scores. They do not reflect the success we teachers may have with students from year to year watching them increase their learning abilities as well as their emotional and social growth.

In my teacher training, I was taught to treat each child as a whole human being made up of emotions, physical attributes and learning ability — not as a MEAP test taker.

Therefore, I think all of our schools need to "take a bow" for meeting the variety of needs of our students.

Marie Canzoneri, Hayes Elementary

### Patrons thanked

Now that everyone has taken down their holiday decorations and life has pretty

much returned to normal, I would like to thank the thousands of local postal customers who helped make this holiday season a success by mailing early and wrapping their packages with care.

I also would like to thank our employees for putting forth extra effort under demanding circumstances to make this a happy holiday for all our customers.

Many employees worked overtime when they would rather have been home with their families or loved ones — helping you mail your last-minute packages during our extended window hours and even working on Sundays. On Christmas, our employees lifted many people's spirits by delivering 11 express and literally hundreds of parcels picked up at the airport Christmas morning.

Florence Richardson, Westland/Wayne/Canton Post Office Officer in Charge

Opinions are to be shared: We welcome your ideas as do your neighbors. That's why we offer this page on a weekly basis for opinions in your own words. We will help by editing for clarity. To assure authenticity, we ask that you sign your letter and provide a contact telephone number.

Letters should be mailed to: Editor, The Westland Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

## School officials rap MEAP

It has been three weeks since the Michigan Education Assessment Program (MEAP) test results were released. While it's easy to argue that one test is not a fair indicator of what kids learn, publishing scores has focused a lot of public attention on school performance.

Attitudes expressed by school officials seem to fall into three rough categories:

"Let's blame somebody else and hunker down."

Southfield school officials believe that the heavy number of recent immigrants who do not speak English fluently — some 1,000 students or 11 percent of the student body — skewed the scores downward.

According to trustee Ken Timmons, Livonia recently adopted a new reading program called "whole language" which isn't consistent with the MEAP assumptions. Furthermore, why so much emphasis on tests? "In the real world, the graduates will apply real skills, not test taking skills," according to trustee Pat Sari.

Bloomfield Hills assistant superintendent Gary Doyle says some of the MEAP questions were poorly worded. He adds that students were not used to the test format and therefore performed poorly.

"Teach to the test."

Garden City officials believe that MEAP is a method the state uses to mandate curriculum changes. They are modifying classes in algebra, geometry and calculus.

Disturbed by last year's MEAP result, Wayne-Westland schools have bought new textbooks and instructional materials. A plan to replace "outdated" school materials is in place.

Merele Bartley, director of programming for Rochester schools, says districts are "teaching the skills and concepts being tested" so students become more comfortable with the MEAP test.

The Plymouth-Canton district is taking a novel approach in concentrating on bringing p



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ath and science scores for girls, traditionally lower than boys. The district is hosting a seminar entitled "Girls Excel in Math and Science" (EMS) to do just that.

"Don't teach to the test."

Walled Lake school board president David Hamner says: "We're real concerned with sticking to our curriculum. You can't look at that indicator (MEAP) alone. It's just one part of what a kid does in school every day. They do a lot of things that aren't reflected by MEAP."

His concerns are echoed by West Bloomfield trustee Bruce Tobin: "I'm not sure (MEAP) is a good indicator of how well a student will perform in college or the world."

While there may be a mixture of good and bad things about MEAP and Michigan's plan to deny a state-endorsed diploma to kids who don't pass the tests, one thing is clear: For the first time I can remember, a lot of people are very concerned about what the schools are actually teaching and what kids are actually learning.

That's enormous change for the better. Philip Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His telephone voice mail number is (313) 953-2047 Ext. 1880.

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# Survivor Riegle gets labor backing as Dem

**W**eldon Yeager, the retired Republican pol, used to tell a great Don Riegle story.

Yeager was a Constitutional Convention delegate, state representative, state GOP secretary, nominee for secretary of state and even a township trustee, in areas ranging from northwest Detroit to Redford, Livonia and West Bloomfield, with a stopover in Gov. George Romney's administration over the last 32 years.

Yeager told of the time in 1966 when Riegle, a 28-year-old IBM type out of Harvard Business School, was running as a Republican for Congress up in Flint.

Riegle bought a ticket to a UAW picnic (Republicans never are invited) and sat down to eat. A burly union guy took the stump of a smelly cigar out of his mouth and stuffed the butt in the middle of Riegle's mashed potatoes.

"What do you do?" Yeager asked. Riegle didn't dare start a fight, but he

couldn't wimpishly take the insult.

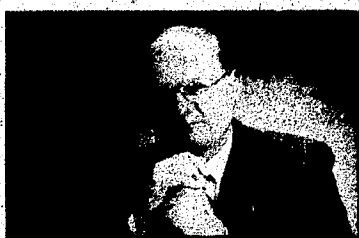
"So he ate right around the cigar butt, leaving it standing in a small mound of potatoes. That," Yeager concluded, "is real class."

Riegle upset incumbent Democrat John Mackie and went to Congress as a member of Gov. Romney's "Class of '66."

All the other class members are gone from Congress: Sen. Bob Griffin, Reps. Jack McDonald of Redford, Marv Esch of Ann Arbor, Garry Brown of Kalamazoo, Jim Harvey of Saginaw and Phil Ruppe of Houghton. Only Riegle is still on Capitol Hill.

In the '60s Riegle was "close friends" with Rep. George Bush, R-Texas. They spoke at each other's fund-raisers. (See Riegle's *O Congress*, pp. 214-215.)

In 1973 Riegle turned Democrat and then won three terms in the U.S. Senate. He was tainted by the "Prince Don" mud in 1976 and severely damaged by the Keating Five mess over



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savings and loans. Riegle has a bad reputation for wanting to appear only at functions where there are TV cameras, in sharp contrast to junior Sen. Carl Levin.

But Riegle is out there, at the comparatively young age of 55, seeking term No. 4. And at last week's Democratic state convention, he was getting his strongest support from (of all places) the labor caucus, where nominations usually are determined.

"I picked up some scar tissue," Riegle acknowledged. "Nixon's gone. Agnew's gone. Bush is gone. Reagan's gone. I'm still here. Stay with me."

Riegle never runs against the Republican candidate. It's hard to remember the Republicans whom he defeated but easy to remember what he ran against: in 1982, the religious right; in '88, the Japanese.

This year Riegle is running against Mexico — cheap labor, lack of union protections, weak environmental rules — and the evil free trade pact negotiated by his former pal Bush and Carla Hills. "The government has to speak out against unfair trade practices and cheating," he shouted above the union leaders' cheering.

Now, many of these union leaders wear business suits, white shirts and stylish ties. But Riegle took off his coat and rolled up his sleeves — a la George Romney in his prime — to speak. He punched the air with a series of right

hooks, then with a series of left hooks.

Riegle talked of the Hispanics, blacks and women in President Clinton's administration. "That Cabinet room looks like this room. It includes everybody, like the labor movement," he said to cheers. (Riegle omitted homosexuals. Practitioners of unnatural sex still aren't popular in union halls.)

AFL-CIO president Frank Garrison introduced other Democratic hopefuls for high office, but ignored Macomb prosecutor Carl Marlinga, who intends to challenge Riegle in the 1994 primary. "This movement is going to make damn sure Don Riegle is re-elected," Garrison said, without bothering to poll those present.

No more cigar butts in Don Riegle's mashed potatoes.

Tim Richard reports regularly on the local implications of state and regional events. His office number is (313) 349-1700.

# Forgive and move on after pols pay their dues

It's time to stop holding those who seek public office to standards the public itself could not meet.

That maxim stretches from the front door of local city and township councils to the front gate of The White House. Perhaps maxim is the wrong term, for this idea is yet to be an expression of general truth or principle. Hypothesis and corollary, our friendly twins from geometry, might better serve:

**Hypothesis:** If we continue denying cabinet level government service to eminently qualified individuals with a scarred past, then we are rapidly approaching a point where none will be deemed fit to govern.

**Corollary:** Women are the easiest targets.

Zoe Baird screwed up by hiring illegal aliens. She admitted it and has been punished. Some say that makes no difference. One then wonders why we, as a society, so willingly accept the

proffered atonement of any prisoner who has served time and, by our laws, is now entitled to rejoin the rest of us on equal terms — their sin paid for, their record cleansed.

We hold up ex-drug-dealers-turned-talk-show-hosts as examples of amazing societal reversals. We deify, and encourage our children to be proud of, hockey players who cross international borders with cocaine stuffed in their underwear, violate parole and almost get permanently tossed out of the country.

Them, we forgive. Baird, we pillory. Bating second, Judge Kimba Wood, who courageously withstood all the high-priced pressure Wall Street could mount and shipped Michael Milken's ass to jail for a decade. Milken is the man who, while we weren't looking, replaced our economy with the junk bond, a little feat of monetary legerdemain we'll be paying off for at least the rest of this decade.



PHILIP SHERMAN

**Does anyone out there have a past so sandblasted and buffed that it will withstand the scrutiny of a neighbor? After all, Baird and Wood are your neighbors.**

But never mind that. Wood's fiery pass through the atmosphere ended when it became apparent she could be assailed for something she didn't do. Rather than defend his choice of a brave, intelligent woman who took on the powerful and won — admirable qualities to have in an attorney general, if you ask me — Clinton abandoned her for fear of public reprisal over Wood's alleged improprieties.

Well. Does anyone out there have a past so sandblasted and buffed that it will withstand the scrutiny of a neighbor? After all, Baird and Wood are your neighbors. We elect the same people every year to local school boards, city councils, township boards, city management and the office of the mayor.

The only difference is that the folks on the local level can get away with a lot more because they aren't in the national spotlight.

And as for the corollary: Ross Perot said a bunch of idiotic things and hun-

dreds of thousands of people loved him all the more for it. Jesse Jackson called New Yorkers "hymies" and New York "hymietown," yet his kingmaker status is secure.

Richard Nixon . . . well, we all know what Tricky Dick did, yet today he enjoys the status of elder statesman. There are lots of other examples, but the point is that men tend to get away with it. Name a woman who can say the same.

So instead of worrying about a person's past, we should gauge what they can do for us in the present, and weigh that against the sin gone by. Otherwise, we might as well go back to that old test to see who's a witch: Toss her in the water. If she floats, she's a witch. But if she sinks, well, there goes an honest individual.

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# Haunting tale catapults sports hero memories

**S**ix-foot, nine-inch Spencer Haywood was the world's best teenage basketball player in 1966 when he picked up a 12-pound shot in his huge hand, casually pitched it 50 feet overhand like a baseball and promptly became my star shot putter at Pershing High.

In those days I had champion track teams and a quick-learning contemplative assistant coach named Wayne Dyer, whom I had coached and counseled, and who had since become my best friend and one of Spencer's two major mentors. The other was Will Robinson, Pershing's tough and tempestuous basketball coach, now a Detroit Pistons administrator.

I was also credentialed as an All-American quarter-miler with an undefeated international record, a best-selling book on the event and the confirmed coach's credo that I and the young people I guided would always produce peak performance on and off the field.

When Spencer dropped over to my house recently to reminisce, my time-tested credo was still intact. While some members of my teams had died in Vietnam or on the streets of Detroit, many more had attained the pinnacles of accomplishment. Spencer had earned millions playing basketball, socialized with royalty, married and divorced the Somalian model Iman and overcome drug addiction to establish a stable family life and the Spencer Haywood Foundation.

I had reached executive rank as an educator, won some heavily publicized pro-multicultural wars, and ultimately retired to write, lecture and serve on several boards.

Wayne had become history's greatest self-help guru and had just written the foreword to "Spencer Haywood: The Rise, the Fall, the Recovery." This gripping story, told by Spencer with Scott Ostler, is only incidentally about basketball (although local readers will note some familiar Detroit-area sport and entertainment scenes and people.)

Its true topics are life, death and redemption. The initial chapters examine the first two topics from the backdrop of Spencer's early years, picking cotton with his nine brothers and sisters beside the Yazoo River in racism-infested Mississippi, where his father died before he was born. It was there that a hurricane blew away his house from over his head; he thrilled to the mournful jazz notes of the legendary John Lee Hooker; and the back of his first man's suit was ventilated with bullet holes and decorated with bloodstains.

He found it in a garbage dump. His description of his later years electrifying high school, collegiate and Olympic basketball, and as the sport's first "hardship case," — which paved the way for Magic Johnson, Isiah



JOHN TELFORD

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Thomas and others to turn pro before completing eight college semesters — continue to fascinate as it reveals how his rebelliously activist philosophy formed.

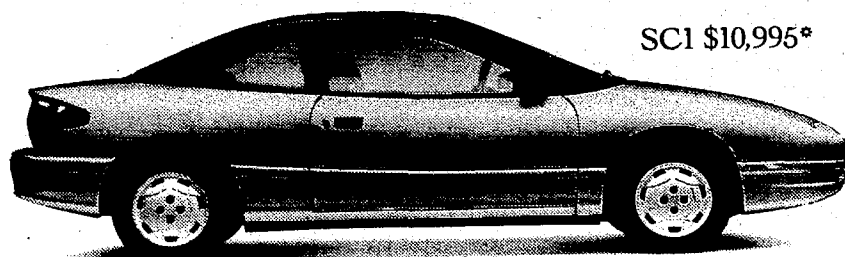
With poignant honesty, he describes the breakup of his marriage to Iman, their custody fights for their daughter and his nightmarish descent into cocaine addiction which cost him his chance to contribute in his victorious LA Laker's NBA playoff games.

Finally, he recounts how he was redeemed by the 12-step process of Narcotics Anonymous and his recognition that if you don't stand for something, you fall for anything.

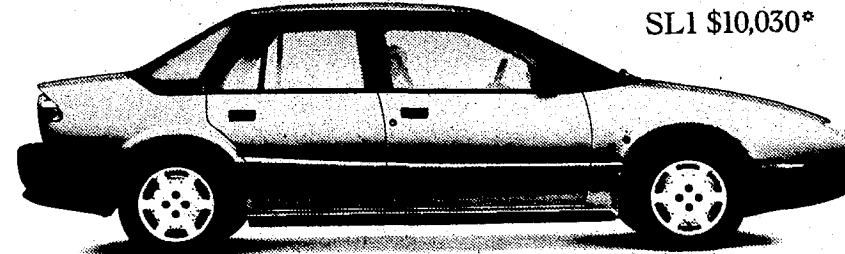
Thus he now fosters his anti-drug foundation, develops affordable real estate for Detroit families and supports the Oakland County Center for Open Housing and MOSAIC — the Michigan organization for social advocacy and intercultural cooperation. Spencer tells it all hauntingly, from the heart. If you pick up his inspiring book, it will pitch you 50 feet through the air like a jolting jumpshot — and you won't be able to put it down.

John Telford, a Rochester Hills resident, most recently was an assistant superintendent in the Rochester School District. He previously was executive director for secondary education in the Plymouth Canton district.

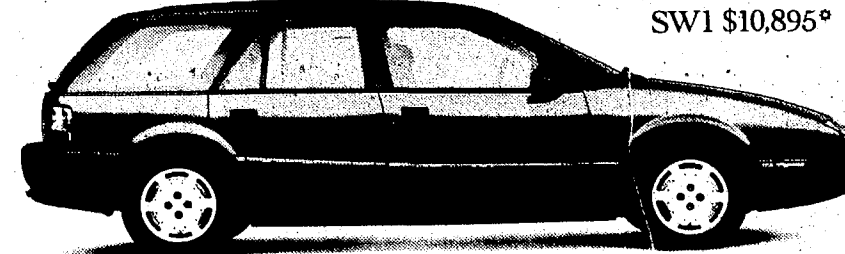
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# Family leave from page 9A

The bill applies to federal, state and local employees as well as the private sector, but only partially covers Congress's own staff (see next issue.)

A yes vote was to pass the bill. **Area representatives voting yes were:** Dale Kildee, D-Flint, Sander Levin, D-Southfield and William Ford, D-Ypsilanti. **Voting no were:** Bob Carr, D-Pontiac and Joseph Knollenberg, R-Birmingham.

**Family Leave Issue:** By a vote of 175 for and 253 against, the House refused to fully apply the family leave measure (above) to members of Congress.

The vote preserved language that insulates members against lawsuits by disgruntled employees, in contrast to the treatment of other government and private sector employers, who can be sued in federal court under the new law. In place of court review of House and Senate leave policies, the bill provides for self-enforcement through in-house units.

Harris Fawell, R-Ill., urged members to "vote to make it clear we will no longer exempt Congress through special privi-

lege" from the laws they pass for constituents.

A yes vote was to subject members of Congress to full reach of the new family leave law. **Area representatives voting yes were:** Knollenberg. **Voting no were:** Carr, Kildee, Levin and Ford.

**Key Employees:** The House rejected, 185 for and 238 against, a GOP-drafted amendment giving employers more flexibility under the family and medical leave measure (above). The amendment allowed employers to deny leave to workers at any pay level whose absence would cause substantial economic harm to the company or pose a safety risk to co-workers. It went beyond language in the bill exempting only a company's highest-paid workers.

Sponsor William Goodling, R-Pa., said "Clearly an employer could use this exception only in cases of true circumstances which are true, dire emergencies."

Opponent William Ford, D-Mich., said the amendment would "totally destroy the availability of the basic right of the bill," which is to help workers

cope with emergencies at home.

A yes vote supported the amendment. **Area representatives voting yes were:** Carr, Knollenberg. **Voting no:** Kildee, Levin and Ford.

**Voter Registration:** By a vote of 259 for and 160 against, the House sent the Senate a "motor voter" bill (HR 2) requiring states to make voter registration a voluntary part of applying for a driver's license and certain other public certificates, and to allow registration by mail.

Supporter Al Swift, D-Wash., called it "scare talk" that the measure will lead to voting by non-citizens. "The language in this bill says that no aliens, legal or illegal, can vote."

A yes vote was to pass the bill. **Area representatives voting yes were:** Carr, Kildee, Levin, Ford. **Voting no was:** Knollenberg.

### SENATE

**Family and Medical Leave:** The Senate passed, 71 for and 27 against, a bill (S 1)

mandating that employers of at least 50 workers provide employees with up to 12 weeks of unpaid leave annually to deal with childbirth and other medical conditions involving themselves or a close family member.

Sent to the House and then enacted as the first law of the Clinton administration, the measure is expected to cover about half of the nation's workforce. It is supported by the AFL-CIO and American Association of Retired Persons, and opposed by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and the National Association of Manufacturers.

A yes vote was to pass the bill. **Michigan Sens. Carl Levin and Donald Riegle both voted yes.**

**Gays in the Military:** By a vote of 62 for and 37 against, the Senate tabled (killed) an amendment giving force of law to the military services' policy of excluding homosexuals because of their sexual orientation. The GOP-drafted amendment was in response to President Clinton's efforts to phase-out the policy.

A yes vote opposed writing into law the Pentagon ban on homosexuals. **Carl Levin and Don Riegle voted yes.**

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## WMU signs Gunn

Liz Gunn, a 5-foot-10 outside hitter from Livonia Ladywood High, signed a national letter-of-intent last week to play volleyball at Western Michigan University.

Gunn, an All-Observer pick last year as a junior, was first noticed by WMU coach Rob Buck during last year's Schoolcraft Invitational.

"He's a good coach and he'll be able to develop the program from the start even though they're rebuilding," Gunn said. "I visited there (Kalamazoo) when they played against Central Michigan and everybody was nice."

Gunn will join Walled Lake Central standout Bridgette Norris, who also signed last week with the Broncos.

Sporting a 3.2 grade-point average, Gunn plans to major in Occupational, Health and Therapy.

She also excels as a tennis player. Last fall, Gunn qualified for the state Class A tournament after finishing second in the regional at No. 1 singles. Gunn was also Catholic League champion.

## Livonia boxing show

Top amateur boxers from Detroit, Flint and Owosso will converge Saturday on the new Livonia Boxing Club for a 10-bout card. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. with the card beginning at 8 p.m.

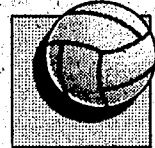
Admission is \$5 per person. The gym is located off Middlebelt, just north of Plymouth Road (adjacent to McDonald's). Concessions will be available.

The host Livonia Boxing Club will feature Garden City natives Scott Mattson (156 pounds) and Steve Bond (165); Livonians Randy (95) and Jason (112) Anderson; Westland's Matthew Davis (165) and Redford's Jay Morris (185).

"Our new gym is all finished and it really looks great," said LBC director Paul Soucy. "We're completely out of our old gym and now we're getting a lot of interest."

For more information, call Soucy at 525-1387.

# Blazers, Spartans bumped at SC



East Kentwood captured its third Schoolcraft Invitational title by beating a pair of Livonia schools in the semifinals and championship match. The Falcons won the state title in 1990.

BY BRAD EMONS  
STAFF WRITER

East Kentwood treated its trip Saturday to the 20th-annual Schoolcraft Volleyball Invitational like a convention weekend.

The Falcons mixed business with pleasure, knocking off a pair of talented Livonia teams, Ladywood (15-7, 10-15, 16-14) and Stevenson (15-13, 15-10) en route to their third Schoolcraft title.

"It's always fun to come here," said East Kentwood coach Bud Cole, who guided his Falcons to SC crowns in 1989 and '90. "But when it's show-time, I tell them, 'Let's get it on.'"

"I can't compare groups, but this bunch can play outstanding volleyball. We got good blocking and good defense behind our blocking. The kids stroked the ball well today."

In the opening game of the championship match, East Kentwood caught Ladywood flat-footed with some timely serves.

The Blazers, however, evened the match behind the hitting of Liz Gunn and the passing of Mary Jo Kelly.

In the final game, East Kentwood jumped out to a 10-4 advantage, but Ladywood came storming back behind the hitting of junior Tara Overaitis (six kills) to win the second game.

The telling tale, however, was East Kentwood's balance, led by 5-foot-10 senior Crystal Puckett, the tournament MVP; 6-1 junior lefty Corie Richard, and senior outside hitter Sarah Smith, along with setter Karrie Finch.

"East Kentwood will be an impact team in the state tournament," Ladywood coach Tom Teeters said. "They're a good, hard-hitting over the block."

"I think we learned a lot. 'Heart' is the word that comes to mind, but the

key is to remember it.

"Effort-wise we were much better today than we've been in other tournaments. The intensity was much greater."

Ladywood reached the finals by eliminating Monroe St. Mary's (15-8, 15-9) and Temperance-Bedford (15-7, 15-2).

"We made a lot of improvement today," Teeters said. "Both Tara (Overaitis) and Andrea Putti scored well. We were able to hit the corners. In key situations they came through. And we got great defense from Val Adzima. And Kristy Walker did a good job serving, but that's not to take anything away from Mary Jo (Kelly) and Liz (Gunn)."

State-ranked Stevenson and Ladywood split in their first meeting of the season in pool play.

Ladywood won the first game, 15-7, but Stevenson took the second, 15-8.

The two teams then fell into opposite brackets of the eight-team elimination round.

Stevenson squeaked past Class C power Burton-Atherton in its quarterfinal match, 15-7, 9-15-15-13, as junior Rachel Clark came up with a key dig on match point.

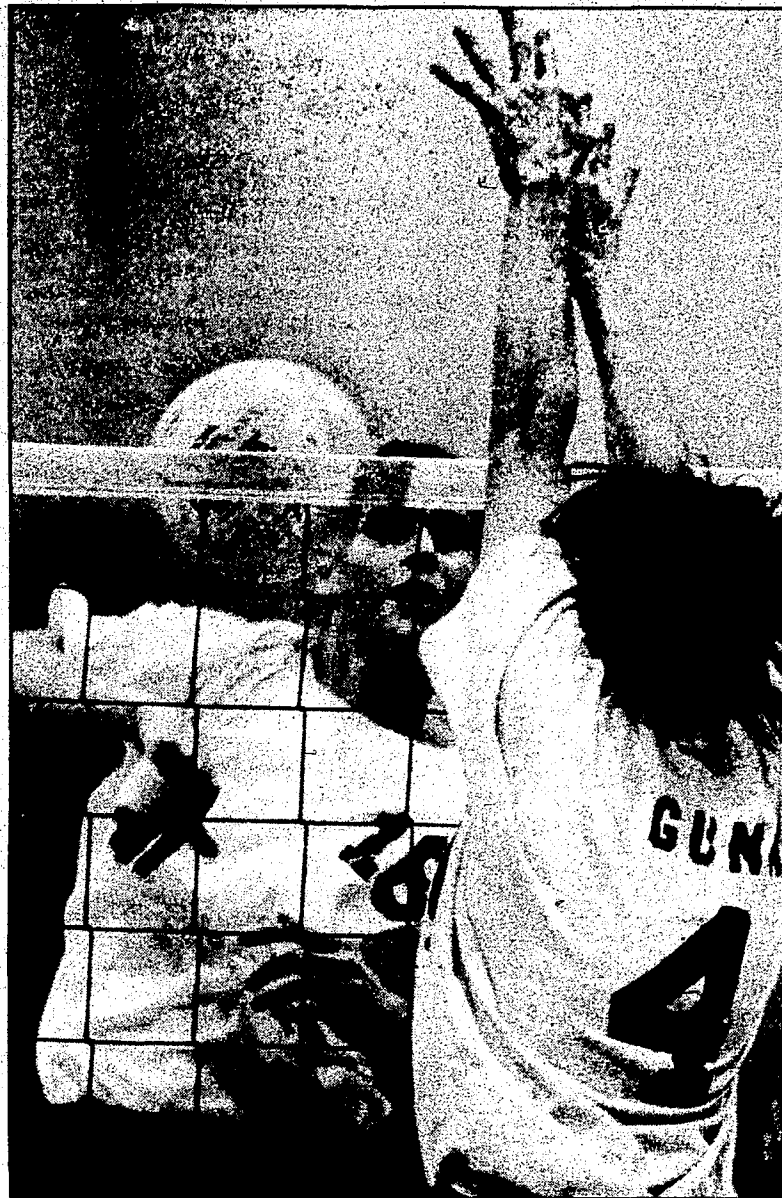
But the Spartans could not get past East Kentwood in the semifinals.

"It was probably our weakest Saturday of the season," Stevenson coach Lee Cagle said. "We never played as a unit throughout the day. Our passing was average, especially our free ball passing the last match."

Julie Martin, a 6-1 senior, led Stevenson with 60 kills on the day, while 5-11 setter Patty Diamond contributed 103 assists.

"Patty did an excellent job of chasing down the bad passing," Cagle said. "She really had to scramble."

See INVITATIONAL, 3B



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Block party: Julie Martin (left) of Livonia Stevenson finds Liz Gunn of Livonia Ladywood in the way during Saturday's pool play match at the Schoolcraft Invitational.

# Mr. Volleyball

## Cagle embarks on final season



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For Livonia Stevenson coach Lee Cagle, there's a lot of volleyball left to be played this season.

The only problem is that Cagle won't be at home any more. They've turned the lights out in

Stevenson's gym for the time being.

The Spartans are on the road the remainder of the season, including the state tournament, which gets underway March 6.

Cagle coached his final home match Monday night and the outcome was all too familiar. The state-ranked Spartans scored a 15-12, 15-4, 15-11 victory over Walled Lake Western to go 31-5-1 for the season.

The match, however, was secondary to the events surrounding the evening.

It was Cagle's night and he received a well-deserved generous and hearty applause. After 15 seasons, Cagle was retiring. He feels it's time to take a step back.

### Other avenues

"I think I've put stress on myself," he said. "And because I've been so passionate about coaching, it hasn't allowed me to grow in other areas."

"I've like to take some classes in photography. It's been a hobby, and I'd like to do more traveling. I'd also like the opportunity to read and more and grow. I have to think about the future after teaching. I need to open doors and prepare for whatever I may pursue after I retire from teaching."

Former players, parents and supporters of Stevenson volleyball turned out in force to pay tribute to one of the state's most successful and respected coaches.

There were gifts, a cake and a giant greeting card to commemo-

rate the occasion afterwards.

And despite all his successes throughout the years — an overall record of 540-146-27, an unprecedented four Schoolcraft Invitational crowns in a row, seven district titles, three regional crowns and three trips to the state's final four — Cagle got more out of his coaching job than just winning.

"He's been consistent over a long period of time and that makes him special," said long-time friend and AAU coaching colleague Jerry Abraham, the head coach at Madonna University. "He's certainly one of the frontier coaches in the area and the state. His longevity speaks for itself."

"But he has a genuine concern for the players and athletes. He's concerned about what they do after high school."

### Developing the individual

Lisa Bokovoy, a former Stevenson All-Stater who led the Spartans to the 1984 championship game against Flint Kearsley, was in the bleachers and at the reception following Monday night's match.

She recalls how Cagle brought out the best in her abilities.

"Outside of my parents, he was one of the biggest influences in my life off the court," said Bokovoy. "When I first met him, he pulled me aside after basketball practice one day and he said he saw much potential in me."

"He prodded me at the beginning, even though I was always the first to leave practice. I didn't see the value of it all at first."

Bokovoy went on to gain All-America honors at the University of Kentucky and is now a certified public accountant, working for the firm of DeLoitte and Touche, while studying for a masters degree in finance.

Over the years, Cagle produced a slew of other college standouts, including Karen Kelley, who

See CAGLE, 3B



Final season: Lee Cagle of Livonia Stevenson has earned respect on and off the volleyball courts during his 15 years of coaching.

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COLLEGE SPORTS

# Hillsdale 3-pointers baffle SC

Call them the Hillsdale College stranglers.

The Schoolcraft College men's basketball team fell victim to 16 three-pointers Monday, as the visiting Chargers' JV squad posted an 89-80 victory.

Roger Seymore led Hillsdale with 24 points. Eric Trout and Brett Barey chipped in with 22 and 16, respectively. The trio combined for 12 triples.

Jarvis Murray, a 6-foot-6 sophomore from Detroit Cody, led the Ocelots, who trailed by only two at intermission, 45-43, with 22 points and 12 rebounds.

Steve Whitlow (Redford Catholic Central) and Mo Abdrabboh (Dearborn High) each contributed 21.

Abdrabboh, a 6-4 sophomore, also grabbed 10 rebounds and had seven assists.

Point-guard Vince Turner (Detroit Renaissance) dished out eight assists for Schoolcraft, which dropped to 6-17 overall.

The host Ocelots shot only 52.9 percent from the free throw line (nine of 17) and 44.5 percent from the field (33 of 74).

Hillsdale made only 42.6 percent from the field (29 of 68), but the Chargers more than made up for that by nailing 16 triples.

# Crusaders top Siena Heights

The Madonna University women's basketball team kept alive their playoff hopes in NAIA District 23 with Saturday's 67-55 win over visiting Siena Heights.

The Crusaders are 5-6 and tied for fourth place, the final playoff berth, in District 23 with the University of Michigan-Dearborn. Madonna is 11-15 overall.

Siena Heights fell to 2-8 in-District 23, 4-22 overall.

Madonna coach Bill Potter said the Crusaders must win at least two of their last three regular-season games to have a chance at the playoffs. Madonna hosts Tri-State University tonight and plays at 1 p.m. Saturday at U-M Dearborn. The regular-season finale is Feb. 16 at home against Grand Rapids Baptist.

"If we win all three we should make it," Potter said.

The Crusaders were led on Saturday by senior guard Stephanie Niebauer, who scored 17 points. Senior center Cheri Sangregorio scored 12 points with 11 rebounds and junior forward Jill Burt also scored 12 points. Sophomore forward Stephanie Creley scored 10 points.

Madonna's practice sessions in the second semester have included guard Shawn Bannon, a transfer from Central Michigan University. Bannon, a junior from Livonia, will have two years of eligibility starting in the 1993-94 season.

Bannon graduated in 1990 from Dearborn Divine Child where she was runnerup for the Miss Basketball voting her senior year. She was a two-year starter at CMU.

"Without a doubt she'll be the best guard in our conference next year," Potter said.

# OCC cagers share 1st place

The Oakland Community College men's basketball team find themselves in a three-way tie for first place in the Eastern Conference after Saturday's 111-84 victory over host St. Clair Community College.

The Raiders are 13-9 overall and tied atop the Eastern Conference with Flint Mott and Macomb at 9-3. The Raiders can attribute part of their standing to upset victories last Wednesday by Schoolcraft over Mott and St. Clair over Macomb, respectively.

In Saturday's win over St. Clair, freshman guard Craig Martin scored 19 of his game-high 22 points in the first half to put OCC ahead 51-32 at halftime.

Troy Coleman added 21 points, Willie Payne had 18, Bill Thurston 17 and Bill Knight 10.

Point guard Kevin Woodmore scored eight points with 10 assists and five steals.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

Items for the Sports Roundup must be submitted by noon Tuesday (for Thursday issue) and noon Friday (for the Monday issue). Items run once only.

JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL

The Crusader Junior Olympic AAU volleyball program will hold registration and tryouts Sunday, March 21, at Madonna University in Livonia.

Girls 12s and 14s will meet from 7-8 p.m.; 16s, 8-9 p.m.; and 18s, 8:30-9:30 p.m.

The program begins in March and continues through the end of June. Practice days are Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays, with tournaments on Saturdays.

Expenses, covering AAU registration, uniforms, facility rental, equipment, travel, over-

night and tourney entry fees, are \$100 (12s), \$150 (14s) and \$250 (16s and 18s). The \$250 fee covers elite players' costs for AAU state and national championships.

Madonna summer camps will be July 5-8 (elite and general players), July 12-15 (setters and youth), and July 19-22 (hitters camp I and II morning and afternoon).

For more information, call directors Jerry Abraham (478-7107) or Brian McClain (525-0547).

SOFTBALL LEAGUES

The City of Wayne Department of Parks and Recreation will hold an organizational meeting for new and returning softball teams — 6 p.m. (coed and women's), 6:30 p.m. (men's over 40) and 7:30 p.m. (men's

division I and II) — Thursday, Feb. 25, at the Wayne Community Center, 4635 Howe Road. All interested teams should have a representative in attendance. For more information, call Larry Quartuccio (522-1505) or the Wayne Community Center (721-7400).

Crackerbox Sports in Farmington Hills is organizing men's, women's and coed softball and volleyball leagues. For information call Michael Callahan at 474-6175.

WESTERN NEEDS COACH

Walled Lake Western High School is seeking a head varsity girls soccer coach for the 1993 spring season.

For more information, call athletic director Robert Atkins at 960-8373.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

SUBURBAN HIGH SCHOOL HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS (as of Monday)										MICHIGAN METRO HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS (as of Feb. 1)									
WEST DIVISION					EAST DIVISION					WEST DIVISION					EAST DIVISION				
W	L	T	P	GF	GA	W	L	T	P	GF	GA	W	L	T	P	GF	GA		
Stevenson	10	0	1	21	115	16						Trenton	5	0	2	18	55	21	
Churchill	10	0	1	21	101	20						Brother Rice	7	4	0	14	50	24	
Wyandotte	9	2	0	18	85	30						A.A. Pioneer	5	4	3	13	51	34	
Franklin	4	6	2	10	57	56						Redford C.C.	4	3	2	10	31	23	
Birmingham	4	5	1	9	44	52						A.A. Huron	1	11	0	2	18	99	
Lahser	4	8	0	8	43	98													
Andover	2	10	1	5	45	98													
S'field-Lathrup	0	11	0	0	9	138													

LEADING SCORERS										
G	A	P	G	A	P					
Ryan Gusick (Steve)	20	25	45	A.P. Cabrini	6	4	1	13	32	29
Todd Siedlecki (Church)	21	19	40	G.P. South	6	2	0	12	39	22
Scott Worthen (Steve)	15	19	34	Southgate	5	2	0	10	27	17
Brian Jakowicz (Church)	14	19	33	G.P. North	2	8	0	4	27	31
Shane Hastings (Frank)	10	23	33	Rv. Richard	1	9	0	3	17	
Corey Swider (Church)	17	15	32							
Mark Palessandra (Wyag)	20	12	31	Richard Pathman (Pioneer)	10	8				
Jeremy Kosowski (Frank)	15	16	31	Joey Chappelle (Trenton)	7	8				
Tony Czumano (Wyan)	16	14	30	Sean Seylerth (Pioneer)	7	6				
Mark Peterson (Steve)	14	18	30	Frank Novock (CC)	8	7				
Dan Nacinovich (Lahser)	18	11	29	Marchel Chagnon (South)	3	11				
Scott Johnson (Steve)	11	22	28	Brian Quinn (North)	7	6				
Doug Givau (Steve)	7	22	28	Joe Sucher (North)	8	7				
Mike Nakala (Wyan)	13	9	22	Pat Dashi (Rice)	6	7				
Bruce Coventry (Lahser)	9	12	21	Kevin Watt (South)	5	7				
Janie Schroeder (B'ham)	8	11	20	Jamie Favior (S'gate)	5	8				
Matt Hamgren (Church)	8	12	20	Andy Watson (Trenton)	4	9				
Steve Grom (Church)	8	12	20	Andy Clavier (Pioneer)	6	6				
				Dele Rominski (Rice)	6	8				
				Jon Heady (CC)	4	8				
				Tom Ralt (South)	4	8				
				Keith Knelding (Trenton)	1	11				

GOALIE RECORDS									
GP	GA	GAA	GP	GA	AVE.				
Daryl Chamberlain (Steve)	8.7	10	1.2	Andy Brewer (South)	1.86				
Dave Watson (Church)	6.9	14	1.6	Ed Pich (Trenton)	2.12				
Joe Peterson (Wyan)	8.0	19	3.2	Kris Arthur (Rice)	2.22				
Dan Schemanski (Frank)	11.2	48	4.3	Ray Aho (Cabrini)	2.70				
Chris Joppie (B'ham)	8.6	47	5.5	Jamie Ronayne (CC)	2.71				
Ryan Zemmin (Lahser)	10.2	64	6.3						

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played at the University of Georgia. She is the head volleyball coach at the University of Toledo.

## Produced college talent

Several others, who prepped under Cagle, have made their marks in collegiate volleyball including Kristine Bailey and Sue Zatorski, Michigan State; Pam Griffin, Michigan; Teresa Sarno, Virginia; Renea Bonser, Central Michigan; Noreen Kelly (Cagle's assistant coach) and Kim Relyea, Eastern Michigan; Joan Fryinger, Northwood Institute; Jenny Sladewski and Sue Bell, Madonna University; and Rocky Cibor, Kalamazoo College.

Two members of his current squad, Patty Diamond (Florida State) and Julie Martin (Madonna), will also receive volleyball scholarships next fall.

"Lee's intense and an excellent teacher of the game," said Brian McClain, longtime friend and coaching associate. "He's a tactician-type coach. He makes the kids play at a higher level. He's one of the premier high school coaches in this state."

Cagle grew up in Taylor, graduating from Center High in 1963. He was introduced to the game of volleyball in high school and later played on a church team.

"The 1964 Olympics, where the Japanese took the game new heights, spurred my interest," Cagle said.

He graduated from University of Michigan-Dearborn and began teaching in the Livonia Public Schools in 1969. He also earned a masters in education from Michigan.

For five years, Cagle coached the girls at Bryant Junior High before getting his break at Stevenson.

## Going to Stevenson

"Joe Jandasek decided to move over to Franklin (High)," Cagle recalls. "He was a great individual and a great coach. Those were big shoes to fill."

Despite some reservations, Cagle became a quick study as a head coach.

"We saw a lot of change in girls volleyball, from a finesse to a high-powered game," said Abraham. "And Lee was instrumental, both in our area and in the state, as far as raising the quality of volleyball."

Cagle, however, said his success would not have been possible without the backing of the Stevenson administration and parents.

"Roger Frayer, my athletic director, was always encouraging," Cagle said. "He helped me build the program up where I was able to go to a lot of tournaments in order to be competitive."

"And I was lucky with parents. They were very supportive. I was able to coach motivated individuals who already had high expectations."

## Future plans unveiled

Despite his retirement from Stevenson, Cagle plans to stay involved in the Crusader Junior Volleyball program at Madonna.

"I just won't be as intense," he said. "I'll be developing skills instead of worrying about wins and losses."

Cagle doesn't rule out the possibility of returning to coaching if the Michigan High School Athletic Association decides to institute boys volleyball as a sanctioned sport.

"I think it's coming in two years and I'd like the opportunity and challenge to start at boys team," he said.

There are many practices and matches, however, left in this season, not to mention a shot at getting to another state final.

"I'm extremely proud of this team," said Cagle, an English and Social Studies teacher at Emerson Middle School. "We have good chemistry. They're fun to coach."

Maybe the lights have dimmed only slightly inside the Stevenson gym.

# VOLLEYBALL

## SCHOOLCRAFT INVITATIONAL VOLLEYBALL RESULTS

Championship final: East Kentwood defeated Livonia Ladywood, 15-7, 10-15, 18-14. Semifinals: East Kentwood def. Livonia Stevenson, 15-13, 15-10; Livonia Ladywood def. Temperance-Bedford, 18-14, 15-8. Quarterfinals: East Kentwood def. Dearborn, 15-2, 15-10; Livonia Ladywood def. Monroe St. Mary's, 15-8, 15-9; Livonia Stevenson def. Burton-Atherton, 15-7, 9-15, 15-13; Temperance-Bedford def. Birmingham Marian, 15-7, 15-2.

POOL PLAY RECORDS (top 2 teams advance)  
Pool (A): 1. East Kentwood, 8-0; 2. Temperance-Bedford, 5-3; 3. Farmington Hills Mercy, 5-3 (lost tiebreaker); 4. Westland John Glenn, 2-6; 5. Grand Blanc, 0-8.  
Pool (B): 1. Livonia Ladywood, 7-1; 2. Livonia Stevenson (lost tiebreaker); 3. Livonia Clarenceville, 3-5; 4. Farmington, 3-5; 5. Groesse, 0-8.

Pool (C): 1. Birmingham Marian, 9-1; 2. Dearborn, 6-4; 3. Fenton, 5-5; 4. Grand Rapids Forest Hills Northern, 5-5; 5. Livonia Churchill, 3-7; 6. Wayne Memorial, 2-8.  
Pool (D): 1. Burton-Atherton, 10-0; 2. Monroe St. Mary's, 7-3; 3. Harper Woods Regina, 6-4; 4. Flint Powers, 3-7; 5. Livonia Franklin, 2-8; 6. Garden City, 2-8.

ALL-TOURNEY TEAM  
East Kentwood: Crystal Puckett (MVP), Sarah Smith, Karie Finch; Livonia Ladywood: Liz Gunn, Mary Jo Kelly; Livonia Stevenson: Julie Martin, Patty Diamond; Burton-Atherton: Stephanie Saseck, Meg Paris; Birmingham Marian: Stephanie Storen; Temperance-Bedford: Leigh Waganfeld; Monroe St. Mary: Jenny Palmer.

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"The only thing we had going was the hitting of Karen Groulx (42 total kills). If we had won the tourney, she would have been MVP."

"Martin had an off day as a hitter and blocker. Her (dislocated) finger hampered her ability to hit hard."

East Kentwood, rated one spot (No. 4) behind Stevenson last week in the statewide Class A polls, raised its overall record to 38-8-2.

"This is great to start peaking right now," Cole said. "This is the best we've played by far."

"It was good to get some good competition in pool play. Teams like Bedford and Mercy (Farmington Hills) are good quality. And Stevenson is a great team. They have a lot of good weapons. And Ladywood is also one of the better teams in the state."

Mercy nearly made it out of pool play, tying Bedford with a 5-3 record, but losing the tie-breaker on total points.

Birmingham Marian won Pool C with a 9-1 record, but suffered a severe blow when setter Stephanie Storen, who recently signed with the University of Louisville, bowed out of a quarterfinal match with Bedford because of a sprained ankle.

Marian was ousted in two straight, 15-7, 15-2.

# Catholic Central icers struggle in downriver trip

Redford Catholic Central's hockey team capped a busy stretch of play Tuesday with a 4-2 loss at Trenton.

The Shamrocks, playing their fourth game in five nights, led 2-1 after two periods before allowing Trenton to rally with three goals in the third period.

Trenton outshot CC 32-24. Jason Bellinger scored both CC goals. Bellinger's first came on a breakaway in the first period as he converted a pass from Mike Kasper.

After Trenton tied the score in the second period, CC took a 2-1 lead on Bellinger's second goal, assisted by Jeff LaChapelle. The loss was CC's third

straight and dropped the Shamrocks to 10-5-3 overall, 4-4 in the Michigan Metro Hockey League.

CC's busy weekend included single games on Saturday and Sunday, following a 3-0 victory last Friday over Birmingham Brother Rice.

The Shamrocks on Saturday lost to Windsor Brennan Catholic, 6-5, at Redford Arena.

CC blew a 4-0 lead midway through the second period. CC goalie Jason Hubenschmidt endured the loss despite making 20

# Ladywood wins division

Livonia Ladywood wrapped up another Catholic League Central Division volleyball title Monday with a 15-10, 15-3 triumph over host Birmingham Marian.

The Blazers, now 8-0 in division play and 23-6-2 overall, were led by seniors Liz Gunn (nine kills) and Mary Jo Kelly (seven kills, 14 assists and three ace serves).

Tara Overaitis and Andrea Putti combined for nine kills, while Kristy Walker and Val Adzima each collected six digs.

Andrea Greer led with 25 digs. Glenn, paced by the spiking of juniors Lynn Little, Amy Salata and Christi Wrybowski, is 6-18 overall and 1-6 in the league.

Glenn coach Greg Boliard was pleased with the serving of juniors Jamie Cook and Heidi Socia, along with the defense of senior back-row player Pam Kolonowski.

## Churchill spikes North

Livonia Churchill, led by Kristin Sanders' seven kills, gained a 15-9, 15-2, 9-15, 15-5 WLAA victory Monday at North Farmington.

The Chargers are now 16-10 overall and 6-1 in the WLAA. In the second game, Churchill's Sarah Fabirkiewicz served 10 consecutive points.

Coach Mike Hughes was also pleased with the setting and hitting of Patti Maldonado, the passing of Heather Boni and the defense of Renee Tomlinson.

## Stevenson whips Western

Livonia Stevenson rolled Monday to a 15-12, 15-4, 15-11 Western Lakes Activities Association victory over visiting Walléd Lake Western.

The win improves Stevenson's overall record to 31-5-1. The Spartans are 7-1 in WLAA action. Julie Martin (11 kills) and Kristen Drabicki (three aces and five kills) paced the Spartans.

## Franklin stops Glenn

On Monday, host Livonia Franklin outlasted Westland John Glenn in a WLAA encounter, 15-11, 6-15, 15-9, 10-15, 15-1.

Franklin is now 10-15-7 overall and 3-4 in the conference.

Lenay Truchan led Franklin with 25 kills and a .327 hitting percentage and also had 16 assists. Senior Becca Bloch had 10 kills and three aces, while Sonja Hluschenko contributed 23 as-

## Lutheran Westland wins

Lutheran High Westland ran its overall record to 14-7-1 with a 15-5, 15-8 win over visiting Grosse Pointe University-Liggett.

Both teams are 4-2 in the Metro Conference.

Senior Mindy Hardy led Lutheran Westland with 10 kills and junior Erin Cicero added seven kills.

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# Hawks swoop by cold-shooting Glenn

BY BRAD EMONS  
STAFF WRITER

Coach Mike Teachman said our defense "kind of sloughed off," but Farmington Harrison was anything but soft Tuesday.

The Hawks played hard and proved tough in the clutch, snapping Westland John Glenn's 11-game basketball winning streak with an eye-opening 55-52 Western Lakes Activities Association triumph, spoiling Parents Night for the host Rockets.

Harrison's sagging man-to-man defensive scheme, daring Glenn to shoot from the perimeter, proved to be effective. The Rockets shot only 17 of 58 from the field for a paltry 29 percent.

"We encouraged them to shoot the jumper," said the Harrison coach. "But we also wanted all five guys to block out on the boards. We didn't care about tempo. They (Glenn) really established the tempo when they didn't take the first shot we gave them. They still wanted to take it inside."

It was the Hawks' sixth straight victory and the seventh in their last eight games. They are 7-7 overall after an 0-6 start.

Glenn, meanwhile, is 11-2 overall. Both teams are now 7-1 in the WLAA, one game behind leader Walled Lake Central.

"It's become a 'we thing,'" said Teachman, explaining the team's sudden mid-season turnaround,

## BASKETBALL

which included a 95-94 upset win last month over state-ranked Plymouth Salem. "We're playing as a team and we're getting senior leadership. They're maturing as players.

"As many inexperienced players as we had coming into the season, and with the killer schedule we had at the beginning, most teams would have folded after going 0-6."

Senior point-guard Keye Smith led Harrison in scoring with a team-high 17 points, but more importantly played a smart floor game on both ends.

"We wanted movement on offense," Teachman said. "It was hard because we had guys coming off some sickness and Keye was forced to play a lot of minutes."

Senior forward Don Bryant chipped in with 15 points. His two free throws with 3:51 remaining, breaking a 42-all tie, gave Harrison the lead for keeps.

The Hawks put it away when Jeremy Teachman and Smith combined to make five straight free throws with under a minute to go.

"Harrison matched up well with us athletically," Glenn coach Mike Schuette said. "In the past our athleticism would get us over the hump."

"The kids wanted it bad and practiced hard. We had our best practice of the year just the day

before. Maybe we were over-pumped up."

The Rockets had designs in getting ball inside to 6-foot-6 senior Ken Taylor, 6-4 junior jumping jack Tony Goins and 6-9 sophomore reserve center Guy Rucker.

The strategy worked to a certain extent as the Rockets led 14-9 after one quarter.

But Taylor, who finished with 11 points, was held to just one field goal during the second half. Goins was limited to eight points, while Rucker score two.

Point-guard Kevin Claypool picked up the scoring slack with a game-high 19. But no other Rocket, including one who shall remain anonymous after a two-for-19 performance from the floor, could get anything going.

"When the ball didn't start falling we pressed a bit and started doubting ourselves," Schuette said. "As we missed more and more outside shots, they (Harrison) realized they didn't have to come out there and guard us."

Harrison didn't exactly shoot the lights out either.

The Hawks made only 18 of 59 from the floor for 30 percent, but they more than held their own on the glass, thanks to the efforts of 6-6 junior Calvin Pruitt, 6-3 senior Rich Ruffini and 6-2 sophomore Nick Williams.

"All ten guys did the thing," Teachman said. "We had a lot of people contributing to the cause."

# Franklin wins 1st in WLAA

The Livonia Franklin boys basketball team won its first game in the Western Lakes Activities Association on Tuesday, 57-47, over host Farmington High.

The Patriots improved to 4-9 overall, 1-7 in the WLAA. Farmington fell to 6-8 overall, 3-5 in the WLAA.

Clemente Herrera led Franklin with 15 points, Greg Maple scored 12 and Paul Kruschka added 11.

Farmington's only double figure scorer was Stanley Lewis, who finished with 13 points.

Franklin led 16-11 after one quarter and 26-21 at halftime. Franklin led 39-34 after three quarters and put the game away with an 18-13 fourth-quarter advantage.

**REDFORD CC 82, NOTRE DAME 59:** Redford Catholic Central assured a spot in the Catholic League boys basketball playoffs with Tuesday's 82-59 victory over visiting Harper Woods Notre Dame.

The Shamrocks are 8-7 overall and in second place in the Catholic League Central Division at 6-3 with one regular-season game remaining. CC's playoff seeding won't be decided until after Friday's game at Warren DeLaSalle, a 52-48 upset winner Tuesday over Redford Bishop Borgess.

DeLaSalle and Borgess are tied for third in the Central Division at 6-4.

Brian Paluk led CC with 25 points, including four shots from three-point range. Junior guard Andy Slankster

played his best offensive game with 19 points, including three triples.

**CLARENCEVILLE 64, HAMTRAMCK 52:** Junior forward Mark Kalaj led four players in double figures with 29 points Tuesday as Livonia Clarenceville rolled over host Hamtramck.

The win improved Clarenceville to 8-5 overall, 5-3 in the Metro Conference.

Junior guard John Kalaj added 15 points and juniors Mark Skrelja and Mario Ivezaj scored 10 points each.

**CANTON 73, STEVENSON 52:** Plymouth Canton led Livonia Stevenson 17-11 after one quarter, 32-17 at halftime and coasted in the second half Tuesday at Stevenson.

Canton improved to 6-8 overall, 5-3 in the WLAA. Stevenson fell to 5-8 overall, 2-6 in the WLAA.

Bryan Whittle scored a game-high 19 points for Canton. Tadarus Rachal had 13 points, including three shots from three-point range, and Tim Moritz scored all his 12 points on four triples.

John Brown led Stevenson with 11 points. Teammate Adam Roy added 10.

**W.L. CENTRAL 77, CHURCHILL 54:** Walled Lake Central made a believer out of Livonia Churchill coach Tom Lang with its domination Tuesday at home.

The Vikings, 13-0 overall, outscored Churchill 25-12 in the second quarter for a 42-28 lead. They enjoyed a 23-12 advantage in the third quarter to open up a 65-40 lead. Nine players scored for Central, led

by senior center Chris McFarlane's 16 points.

"They aren't huge but they play 12 kids and all of them can shoot," Lang said. "Nine different kids scored and they're good."

Senior forward Drew Jurcain led Churchill with 12 points. Senior forward Mark Rutherford contributed 10 points.

**LUTHERAN EAST 78, LUTHERAN WESTLAND 34:** Lutheran Westland made only 1 of its first 13 shots Tuesday and trailed 20-4 after one quarter. The Warriors were outscored 22-9 in the second quarter and 25-8 in the third to fall behind host Harper Woods Lutheran East, 67-21.

Enough said. The loss dropped Lutheran Westland to 0-8 in the Metro Conference, 2-12 overall. Lutheran East is 7-0 in the Metro, 10-3 overall.

Mike Patterson led Lutheran Westland with seven points.

**OAK CHRISTIAN 75, HURON VALLEY 38:** Melton Stoudemire scored 17 points with 14 rebounds Tuesday night but there wasn't much else worth highlighting for host Westland Huron Valley.

Oakland Christian outscored Huron Valley in every quarter and moved to 13-1 overall, 8-0 in the league.

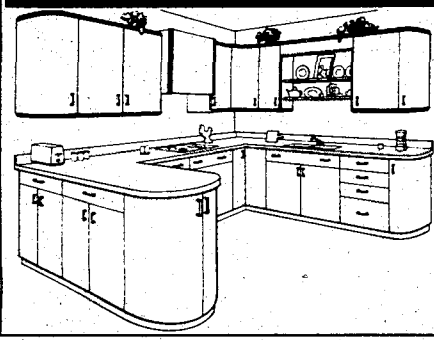
Huron Valley fell to 7-7 overall, 3-4 in the league.

Things looked encouraging early for Huron Valley before Oakland Christian scored the last six points of the first half for a 27-15 halftime lead. Oakland Christian pulled away in the third quarter, 32-14, to enjoy a 59-29 lead.

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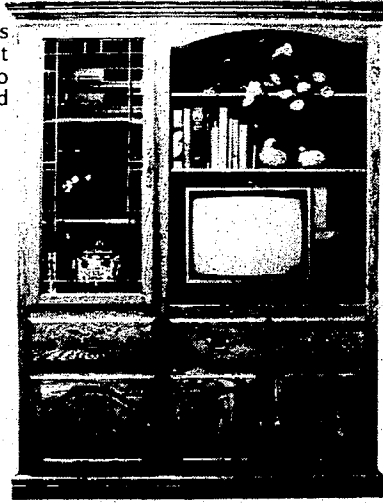
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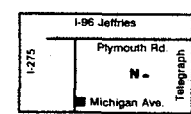
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# Sports Stats

## GYMNASTICS

### OBSERVERLAND BEST GYMNASTICS SCORES

**TEAM TOTALS**

1. Plymouth Salem	145.75
2. Plymouth Canton	137.85
3. North Farmington	130.75
4. Westland John Glenn	130.80
5. Farmington	109.45
6. Clarencville	104.50

### VAULT

Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.15
Melissa Hopson (Salem)	9.10
Alysa Sofios (Salem)	9.05
Arnie Jud (N.Farmington)	9.00
Kim Miller (Salem)	9.00
Kim Lewke (Canton)	9.00
Sarah Makins (Salem)	8.90
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	8.90
Jenny Tedesco (Canton)	8.80
Michelle Tsai (N.Farmington)	8.70

### UNEVEN BARS

Alysa Sofios (Salem)	9.50
Kim Miller (Salem)	9.45
Sarah Makins (Salem)	9.25
Melissa Hopson (Salem)	9.15
Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.10
Michelle Tsai (N.Farmington)	9.05
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	9.05
Jenni Japenga (N.Farmington)	8.45
Marissa Maybouer (Glenn)	8.40

### BALANCE BEAM

Kim Miller (Salem)	9.65
Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	8.45
Melissa Hopson (Salem)	9.15
Kim Lewke (Canton)	9.05
Alysa Sofios (Salem)	9.05
Jenny Tedesco (Canton)	9.00
Sarah Makins (Salem)	8.95
Stefanie Angiulo (Salem)	8.85
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	8.85
Marissa Maybouer (Glenn)	8.85

### FLOOR EXERCISE

Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.80
Alysa Sofios (Salem)	9.50
Sarah Makins (Salem)	9.40
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	9.35
Kim Miller (Salem)	9.25
Michelle Tsai (N.Farmington)	9.25
Stefanie Angiulo (Salem)	9.15
Melissa Hopson (Salem)	9.20
Kim Nowak (Canton)	9.10
Jenny Tedesco (Canton)	9.05

### ALL-AROUND

Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	36.95
Melissa Hopson (Salem)	36.60
Alysa Sofios (Salem)	36.50
Kim Miller (Salem)	36.40
Jenny Tedesco (Canton)	36.00
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	35.90
Michelle Tsai (N.Farmington)	35.45
Kim Lewke (Canton)	35.40
Jenni Japenga (N.Farmington)	33.20
Kim Nowak (Canton)	33.20

### HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASTICS PLYMOUTH INVITATIONAL (Saturday at Plymouth Canton)

**TEAM SCORES**

Plymouth Salem	145.75
Westland Hills Lahser	138.15
East Lansing	137.85
East Lansing	137.00
Westland Adams	135.50
Hartland	129.15
Jackson County Western	126.75
North Farmington	126.45
Tracy Flak	125.15
Walled Lake	123.85
Westland John Glenn	122.15
Farmington	109.45
Clarencville	104.50
Vassar	103.45

### ALL-AROUND

Division I: 1. Courtney Gonyea (Salem), 36.95; 2. Melissa Hopson (Salem), 36.60; 3. Alysa Sofios (Salem), 36.50; 4. Stacey Kamar (Athens), 36.45; 5. Kim Rennolds (Canton), 35.90; 6. Sara Makins (Salem), 35.45; 7. Sara Kelly (Freeland), 35.15; 8. Susie Muzbeck (Walled Lake), 34.45; 9. Lara Smithbauer (Lahser), 33.95; 10. Sara Kato (Northville), 33.85; 11. Tracy Flak (Adams), 33.30; 12. Jenni Japenga (North), 33.20; 13. Marissa Maybouer (Glenn), 32.85; 14. Michelle Mouis (Rochester), 32.45; 15. Kaja Parikh (Northville), 29.55.

Division II: 1. Deanna Pierce (Lahser), 35.8; 2. (tie) Becky Smekar (Freeland) and Angela Draglich (Vassar), 35.65; 4. Rachel Cotter (East Lansing), 35.5; 5. Michelle Tsai (North), 35.4; 6. Lara Smithbauer (Lahser), 35.3; 7. Kim Searforce (East Lansing), 34.75; 8. Heather Cicero (Rochester), 34.6; 9. Kristen Kankson (Rochester), 34.55; 10. (tie) Tracy Flak (Adams) and Christa Pannel (Holt), 34.5; 12. Sara Short (Hartland), 34.45; 13. Stacey Mackowiak (Walled Lake), 34.05; 14. Leslie Pederson (Rochester), 34.0; 15. Alison Sanford (East Lansing), 33.9; 16. Kim Lewke (Canton), 33.8.

### VAULT

Division I: 1. Stacey Kamar (Athens), 9.25; 2. Courtney Gonyea (Salem), 9.15; 3. Melissa Hopson (Salem), 9.1; 4. Alysa Sofios (Salem), 9.05; 5. Sara Kelly (Freeland), 8.95.

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### UNEVEN BARS

Division I: 1. Alysa Sofios (Salem), 9.5; 2. Stacey Kamar (Athens), 9.35; 3. Melissa Hopson (Salem), 9.15; 4. Sara Makins (Salem), 9.1; 5. Courtney Gonyea (Salem), 8.95; 6. Kim Rennolds (Canton) and Andi Morrison (Lahser), 8.8; 8. Sara Kato (Adams) and Sara Kelly (Freeland), 8.6; 10. Sara Kolb (Northville), 8.5.

Division II: 1. Rachel Cotter (East Lansing), 9.2; 2. Kim Searforce (East Lansing) and Sara Short (Hartland), 9.1; 4. Michelle Tsai (North), Becky Smekar (Freeland) and Jenny Tedesco (Canton), 9.05; 7. Leslie Pederson (Rochester) and Sara Kelly (Freeland), 8.2.

### BALANCE BEAM

Division I: 1. Courtney Gonyea (Salem), 9.25; 2. Melissa Hopson (Salem), 9.15; 3. Kim Rennolds (Canton) and Stacey Kamar (Athens), 8.85; 5. Sara Makins (Salem), 8.8; 6. Susie Muzbeck (Walled Lake), 8.7; 7. Alysa Sofios (Salem), 8.55; 8. Lara Smithbauer (Lahser), 8.4; 9. Tracy Flak (Adams), Amy Letka (Adams) and Sara Kelly (Freeland), 8.2.

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Plymouth Salem	1:42.80
North Farmington	1:43.11
Plymouth Canton	1:43.53
Farmington	1:45.22

### 200 FREESTYLE

Matt Martin (John Glenn)	1:45.99
Jon Carlson (Churchill)	1:48.41
Jon Kershaw (N.Farmington)	1:48.70
Mike Orris (Canton)	1:48.82
James Leslie (Redford CC)	1:49.21
Mark Campbell (Churchill)	1:49.42
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	1:50.27
Jon Reed (Farmington)	1:51.15
Steve Reinke (Redford CC)	1:52.28
Ryan Freeborn (Stevenson)	1:52.74

### 200 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY

Matt Martin (John Glenn)	1:57.58
Karl Kozicki (N.Farmington)	2:01.61
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	2:03.18
Alex Goecke (Stevenson)	2:03.83
Ryan Freeborn (Stevenson)	2:03.95
James Leslie (Redford CC)	2:04.46
Steve Reinke (Redford CC)	2:05.18
Jon Reed (Farmington)	2:08.77
Chris Teeters (Stevenson)	2:09.56
Matt Erickson (Salem)	2:10.79

### 50 FREESTYLE

Matt Martin (John Glenn)	22.60
Alex Goecke (Stevenson)	22.64
Jeff Clark (Canton)	22.77
Craig Steshetz (Canton)	22.91
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	22.94
Fred Locke (Salem)	22.98

### 100 BUTTERFLY

Matt Martin (John Glenn)	52.82
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	54.54
Mark Campbell (Churchill)	55.18
Mike Gravina (Stevenson)	56.57
Matt Erickson (Salem)	57.73
James Leslie (Redford CC)	58.22
Chris Lynn (Salem)	58.29
Joe Foster (Canton)	58.62
Jeff Danner (Churchill)	58.68
Jeff Clark (Canton)	59.03

### 100 FREESTYLE

Matt Martin (John Glenn)	48.74
Jon Kershaw (N.Farmington)	49.74
Adam Kammer (N.Farmington)	49.84
Alex Goecke (Stevenson)	50.36
Jeff Clark (Canton)	50.47
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	50.72
Don Boyer (Farmington)	50.97
Jon Carlson (Churchill)	51.05
Mike Orris (Canton)	51.09
Fred Locke (Salem)	51.29

### 500 FREESTYLE

Matt Martin (John Glenn)	4:49.12
James Leslie (Redford CC)	4:49.45
Karl Kozicki (N.Farmington)	4:52.84

### 200 FREESTYLE RELAY

Livonia Stevenson	1:31.51
North Farmington	1:32.76
Plymouth Salem	1:33.32
Plymouth Canton	1:33.77
Catholic Central	1:36.98

### 100 BACKSTROKE

Matt Martin (John Glenn)	51.31
James Leslie (Redford CC)	55.87
Ryan Freeborn (Stevenson)	56.25
Scott Brown (Farmington)	56.86
Mike Orris (Canton)	57.06
Steve Reinke (Redford CC)	57.57
Don Barnett (Wayne)	58.64
Mark Campbell (Churchill)	59.44
Cliff Bellner (John Glenn)	59.58
Chris Lynn (Salem)	1:00.13

### 100 BREASTSTROKE

Alex Goecke (Stevenson)	1:00.38
Matt Martin (John Glenn)	1:03.10
Craig Steshetz (Canton)	1:04.19
Adam Kammer (N.Farmington)	1:04.65
Ryan Blair (Wayne)	1:04.65
Jeff Danner (Churchill)	1:04.73
Dan Barnett (Wayne)	1:05.29
Kevin Yoder (Farmington)	1:05.72
Eric Peterson (Stevenson)	1:06.14
Phil Hoffmeyer (Salem)	1:06.63

### 400 FREESTYLE RELAY

Livonia Stevenson	3:25.52
Plymouth Salem	3:25.95
Plymouth Canton	3:27.08
Farmington	3:27.22
North Farmington	3:27.50

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### BOYS BASKETBALL Thursday, Feb. 11

W.L. Central at Farmington, 7:30 p.m.  
Liv. Stevenson at N. Farmington, 7:30 p.m.  
Friday, Feb. 12

Lutheran N'west at Luth. Westland, 7 p.m.  
Lutheran West at Clarencville, 7 p.m.  
Red. Thurston at Taylor Center, 7 p.m.  
Liv. Churchill at Liv. Franklin, 7:30 p.m.  
Westland Glenn at Ply. Salem, 7:30 p.m.  
Ply. Canton at Northville, 7:30 p.m.  
Farm. Harrison at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.  
Woodhaven at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.  
Edsel Ford at Redford Union, 7:30 p.m.  
Wayne Memorial at Lincoln Park, 7:30 p.m.

### Saturday, Feb. 13

Borgess at Birm. Bro. Rice, 7:30 p.m.  
Redford CC at Warren DeLaSalle, 7:30 p.m.  
Wyan. Mt. Carmel at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.  
Ply. Christian vs. Huron Valley at Lowell Middle School, 7:45 p.m.

### MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL Saturday, Feb. 13

Schoolcraft at Macomb CC, 7:30 p.m.  
Oakland CC at Flint Mott, 7:30 p.m.

### WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL Thursday, Feb. 11

Tri-State (Ind.) at Madonna, 7 p.m.

### PREP HOCKEY Thursday, Feb. 11

Liv. Churchill vs. Bloomfield Lahser at Detroit Skating Club, 6:30 p.m.

### Friday, Feb. 12

Liv. Franklin vs. Hartland, Liv. Churchill vs. Milford at Livonia's Edgar Arena, 4 & 6 p.m.

### Saturday, Feb. 13

Redford CC vs. Ann Arbor Huron at Redford Ice Arena, 8 p.m.

## RANKINGS

These unscientific rankings are compiled weekly by the Observer sports staff. School eligible to be rated must be located in Plymouth-Canton, Livonia, Westland, Wayne, Farmington, Redford and Garden City.

### BOYS BASKETBALL

- Wayne Memorial.
- Redford Bishop Borgess.

### BOYS HOCKEY

- Redford Catholic Central.
- Livonia Stevenson.
- Livonia Churchill.
- Livonia Franklin.

### GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

- Livonia Ladywood.
- Livonia Stevenson.
- Plymouth Salem.
- Redford Thurston.
- Farmington Harrison.

### BOYS WRESTLING

- Redford Catholic Central.
- Westland John Glenn.
- Livonia Stevenson.
- Plymouth Salem.
- Garden City.

### GIRLS GYMNASTICS

- Plymouth Salem.
- Plymouth Canton.
- North Farmington.
- Westland John Glenn.
- Farmington.

## BASKETBALL STANDINGS

### 1992-93 HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL STANDINGS

#### CATHOLIC LEAGUE Central Division

W	L	W	L	
U-D Jesuit	8	1	11	2
Bishop Borgess	5	4	9	5
Catholic Central	5	4	8	7
De La Salle	5	4	9	8
Brother Rice	3	6	6	8
Notre Dame	0	9	4	10

#### C Section

W	L	W	L	
St. Florian	9	0	13	2
M.C. Mooney	7	2	8	6
St. Agatha	4	5	4	9
Oakland Catholic	3	6	3	13
Mount Carmel	3	6	3	10
Immac. Concept	1	8	2	13

#### METRO CONFERENCE West Division

W	L	W	L	
Lutheran N'west	5	2	8	4
Clarencville	5	3	8	5
Cranbrook	5	3	8	6
Lutheran West	4	4	6	5
Lutheran Westland	0	8	2	12

#### WESTERN LAKES Western Division

W	L	W	L	
Harrison	7	1	7	7
Ply. Canton	5	3	6	8
Northville	3	5	5	9
W.L. Western	2	5	8	6
Liv. Franklin	1	7	3	10
Liv. Churchill	1	7	2	11

#### Lakes Division

W	L	W	L	
W.L. Central	8	0	14	0
John Glenn	7	1	11	2
Ply. Salem	6	2	12	2
North Farmington	3	5	6	8
Liv. Stevenson	2	6	5	8

#### NORTHWEST SUBURBAN

W	L	W	L	
Woodhaven	5	0	11	3
Dearborn	3	1	11	2
Edsel Ford	2	3	6	9
Redford Union	1	4	1	11
Garden City	0	4	1	13

#### TRI-RIVER

W	L	W	L	
Allen Park	10	0	14	0
Taylor Kennedy	6	3	9	

ON THE MARQUEE

Meadow Brook

Neil Simon's comedy "Plaza Suite" opens 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 11, for a four-week run at the Meadow Brook Theatre on the campus of Oakland University in Rochester Hills. For times and tickets, call 377-3300, or Ticketmaster, 645-6666.

Village Players

Birmingham Village Players present "The Price" by Arthur Miller, Feb. 11, 12 and 13 at the playhouse on the corner of Chestnut and Hunter in Birmingham. Call 644-2075 for ticket information.

Plymouth Symphony

Plymouth Symphony concert featuring the premiere of "Concerto for Organ and Orchestra," by Thomas Peelen, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12 at the Novi High School Auditorium, 24062 Taft Road (at 10 Mile). After glow at the Novi Hilton. For ticket information, call 451-2112. Tickets available at the auditorium 30 minutes before the concert.

Dinner dance

Farmington Community Band's annual Valentine Dinner Dance will be 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13 at Vladimir's of Farmington Hills. Tickets are \$27 per person. Call 476-5014 or 489-3412 for tickets and information.

Valentine concert

Schoolcraft College's Women's Resource Center will host a free Valentine Concert and Crafts for parents and children, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13, in the college's Waterman Campus Center. Reservations required; children ages 2 to 13; must be accompanied by an adult. For information, call 462-4443.

BBSO benefit concert

Birmingham-Bloomfield Symphony Orchestra Sweetheart at their benefit concert 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14 at Handleman Hall in Temple Beth El, 14 Mile and Telegraph roads. Lite supper created by Mark of Excellence will be served at 5:30 p.m., Valentine Pops Concert follows at 7:30 p.m. Tickets range from \$75 to \$50 for supper and concert to \$15 for concert only. Call 645-BBSO for ticket information.

Dinner theater

Dinner Theater package featuring "Love, Sex and the IRS," a comedy by Ronald Otulakowski Productions, begins Saturday, Feb. 13 and runs through May 29 at the Kingsley Inn, 1475 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. Full-course dinner served at 7:30 p.m., followed by show. Tickets \$23.95 per person, plus tax and gratuity. For reservations, call 642-0100.

Captivating cast in hostage-taking drama

Performances of the Theatre Guild production of "Two Rooms" continues through Feb. 20 at the Theatre Guild playhouse in Redford. For ticket information call the box office at 538-5678.



BOB WEIBEL

If you doubt that we live in a global village, then you should see the Theatre Guild's engrossing production of "Two Rooms." Playwright Lee Blessing gives us four riveting characters caught up in that odious phenomenon of recent years: hostage taking.

Director, Rebecca Smith's staging on essentially a bare playing area, together with LaDonna Long's lighting design create an intertwining mood of reality and illusion. Stripped of all humanizing amenities, at times we see a cell in Beirut, Lebanon. At other times, it's the home of a wife in the United States who has removed everything from the room to empathize with her husband's plight.

As if through verbal letters to each other, we learn what it means to suddenly lose your freedom and your privacy. And to become little more than a pawn in a game of international politics and other people's agendas.

Charles Van Hoose is excellent as

the teacher (Michael Wells) in Beirut, who learns from his captors. We see why powerless people with longstanding grievances are capable of the most heinous crimes. Perhaps his best moments, however, are recalling the simple pleasures of touching, feeling, seeing and experiencing life's many joys — especially the love for his wife.

Jennifer Jones is equally impressive as his wife, (Lainie) who never gives up hope for his safe return. Her first instinct is to seal herself away from the outside world. Soon, however, she is having to decide who can best help to free her husband: a zealous reporter, or a bureaucrat from the state department. Jones gives a strong, consistent performance of a woman determined to do whatever it takes to free her husband.

David Rago is a bit frenzied at times as the reporter, (Walker Harris) but he does epitomize those in the press with limitless distrust of government, and boundless desire to get the story — no matter the pain and suffering to those involved. In this case, he wants to create a media event to bring pressure on the government to make a deal for Michael Wells' release.

P.J. Jenkinson does a nice job as, Ellen Van Oss, the always in-control state department official. She argues that Lainie Wells shouldn't make any statements which could upset negotiations — That Lainie Wells should



Moving drama: Charles Van Hoose and Jennifer Jones star in "Two Rooms," Lee Blessing's drama of hostages and hope weekends at the Theatre Guild through Feb. 20.

keep the faith — That according to government calculations, time is on her side.

But what if there is a miscalculation. On our part. Or theirs. What if hope is really illusion. What are ordinary citizens to do when caught up in global events beyond their control. There are no easy answers, but the

Theatre Guild's "Two Rooms" gives a human dimension to what otherwise pass for headlines or lead stories on the evening news.

Bob Weibel of Westland is a freelance writer, who has spent more than 25 years in community theater as a director, designer and performer.

Zany musical habit forming

"Nunsense II... the Second Coming" opens Feb. 9, and runs through March 14, at the Birmingham Theatre. For ticket information call the box office at 644-3533.



BARBARA MICHALS

For playwright Dan Goggin, "Nunsense" is indeed habit-forming. Goggin began with a line of greeting cards featuring nuns, which led to the creation of "Nunsense," the highly successful musical comedy that is still going strong. Now "Nunsense II," subtitled "The Second Coming," will

have its world premiere at the Birmingham Theatre Feb. 9 to March 14.

In a recent interview, Goggin explained that "Nunsense II" is more a continuation than a sequel. The same five wacky Little Sisters of Hoboken are giving a "thank you" show six weeks after their previous fund-raising variety show. This time the nuns see themselves as more sophisticated,

"full of show business savvy now that they've been bitten by the 'theater flea'."

Goggin said viewers will enjoy the new show even if they didn't see the original "Nunsense."

Both productions use a variety show format. "Some numbers could even be switched between shows," Goggin said.

So why more of the same, given the traditional poor success of theater sequels?

"Some theaters request to bring 'Nunsense' back year after year," he said. "We have a formula that works. It was easy to write because I already knew the characters so well, and all of the actresses in the new show have already played their characters in earlier productions."

A native of Alma, Mich., Goggin said Nunsense II is premiering at the Birmingham Theatre because the original had two very successful runs there, and the theater was willing to book the sequel before it was even finished. Goggin will be directing the production, which has had rave reviews in sneak previews.

With the original "Nunsense" continuing an eight-year run in New York, seven-and-a-half years in Philadelphia, and seven in Boston, plus multiple national and international touring companies, Goggin has some definite ideas on the show's continued popularity.

First is the enormous appeal of the nuns interacting with their audiences. "In this TV age, 'Nunsense' helps people realize that live theater is different," Goggin said. "There is no laugh track. The audience is part of the whole performance, and the more they participate the more fun it is."

Goggin feels that another plus is that the show features an atmosphere of "real time." "TV has lost all spontaneity except for things like live sports broadcasts. In a play like 'Nunsense' anything that happens can be incorporated into the show. If a set falls down or an actress spills something we can instantly make that part of the script; there is no such thing as a catastrophe that we can't turn into a laugh."



New production: Dan Goggin author of "Nunsense," and the sequel, will direct the show which is having its World Premiere at the Birmingham Theatre.

Barbara Michals is a retired Southfield English teacher. A theater critic for the last 19 years, she is an inveterate playgoer who regularly catches up on all the New York productions.

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**AUDITIONS**

**MIDWEST DANCE THEATRE**  
Auditions Saturday, Feb. 13 at 1160 Welch Road, Walled Lake. Junior Company, ages 10 to 12, 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.; senior company, ages 13 and up, 11 a.m. to noon. Female dances ages 13 and up must bring pointe shoes. For information, call 669-9444 or 437-5434.

**FARMINGTON PLAYERS**  
Casting for Cole Porter's musical "Anything Goes," 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 22 and 23 at 32322 West Twelve Mile Road, Farmington Hills. Show dates are April 30 through May 22. Call 553-2955 for information.

**CLASSICAL**

**RACKHAM STRING QUARTET**  
Schoolcraft College Music Club presents the Rackham String Quartet noon to 1 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 17 in the College's Forum Building Recital Hall, P530. The recital is free and open to the public. The college is at 18600 Haggerty, Livonia.

**AMERICAN ARTISTS SERIES**  
World premiere of "Wonderglass, a new opera by Susan Botti which re-interprets the Lewis Carroll "Alice" stories 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 21 in Kingswood Auditorium on the Cranbrook Campus, West Bloomfield. Call 851-5044 for tickets.

**LIVONIA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**  
Guitarist, James Lentini in concert with the Livonia Symphony will perform "Concerto for Guitar and Strings," 8 p.m. Friday, Feb.

19 in the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile Road. Call 421-1111 for tickets.

**BRUNCH WITH CLASSICS**  
Brunch with Classics, 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14 at the Somerset Collection, 2801 Big Beaver Road, Troy presents the Michigan Opera Trio. Call 643-6360 or 355-1051 for information.

**HANDBELL CONCERT**  
Detroit Ensemble will perform 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14 at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, 14175 Farmington Road, Livonia. Donation \$5. For information, call 835-3309 or 271-8946.

**ORGAN CONCERT**  
The First United Methodist Church of Plymouth will host an organ concert by Mark Brampton, former church organist, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 26. The church is at 45201 North Territorial in Plymouth.

**THEATER**

**JEWISH ENSEMBLE**  
February Festival of New Plays, four works in progress 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays through Feb. 24, Aaron DeRoy Theatre, Jewish Community Center, 6600 West Maple, West Bloomfield. Tickets, \$5 at the door, 788-2900.

**TRINITY HOUSE**  
"Quilters" opens 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 26 at Trinity House Theatre, 38840 West Six Mile, and runs through March 27. For ticket information, call 464-6302.

**FARMINGTON PLAYERS**  
"Play On" continues through Feb. 20 at the Farmington Players

Barn, 32332 Twelve Mile Road. For tickets, call 553-2955.

**WEST END PRODUCTIONS**  
Neil Simon's "The Gingerbread Lady," 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 26 weekends through March 7 at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile, Livonia. Sunday shows 2 p.m. Tickets \$8 and \$7, for reservations, call 544-4079.

**SPECIAL EVENTS**

**MUSICAL REVUE**  
Corey Skaggs will be featured in the new musical revue "Broadway Baby," presented by Oakland University's Department of Music, Theatre and Dance 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12, Thursdays, Saturdays and 2 p.m. Sundays through Feb. 21 in the Varner Studio Theatre on the campus of Oakland University in Rochester Hills. Tickets \$10 general, \$8 senior, \$3 student. Call 370-3013.

**ISAAC HAYES**  
Isaac Hayes will be performing in the Plaza Hotel in Southfield, across from Northland 4:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14. Tickets \$22.50 in advance, \$25 at the door. His hits include "By the Time I Get To Phoenix," "Shaft" and "I Stand Accused." Call 559-6500 for reservations

**DINNER AND AUCTION**  
The Rochester Symphony Guild will hold a gala dinner and auction to benefit the Rochester Symphony Orchestra at Great Oaks Country Club, 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 26. Dinner to follow at 8 p.m. For more information, reservations, call 651-2608.

**FAMILY LUNCHEON**  
The Jewish Community Center with Tedd E. Bear Productions is offering a family luncheon theater

featuring a performance of "Beauty & The Beast," 2 p.m. Sundays, Feb. 14, 21, and 28, and March 14 at the center in West Bloomfield. The cost is \$12.50 per person. For information, call 661-1000, Ext. 335.

**FOLK**

**BLACK HISTORY MONTH**  
Safiya Teekani presents the culture of West Africa through music, dance and stories, 1:30-2:15 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13 in Room 115 of the Southfield Parks and Recreation Building, 26000 Evergreen. For information, call 354-4717.

**AFRICAN DRUMMERS**  
Omowale African Dancers and Drummers will appear in Southfield's Concert in the Garden Series 11 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 14 at the Plaza Hotel, 16400 J.L. Hudson Drive, Southfield. Tickets \$7.50 for concert and continental breakfast or \$4 for concert and coffee. Call 354-4717.

**LA CASA**  
Lynn Miles, 8:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 19 at the Birmingham Unitarian Church, 651 N. Woodward in Bloomfield Hills. Call 646-4950 for tickets.

**JOSH WHITE, JR.**  
Folk and blue singer Josh White

Jr. will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 20, at Schoolcraft College in the Waterman Campus Center. Call 462-4417 for ticket information. Schoolcraft College is at 18600 Haggerty, Livonia.

**KIDS SERIES**  
Folklorist and children's recording artist Ella Jenkins will appear as part of the "Saturday Fun for Kids" series 11 a.m. Feb. 27 at Oakland University's Meadow Brook Theatre in Rochester Hills. Seating is reserved, tickets \$6 each, call 377-3300.

**JAZZ**

**JAZZY BENEFIT**  
"An Evening of Rhythm and Blues," featuring Alexander Zonujic, Larry Nozero, Ursula

Walker and Buddy Budson, George Benson and Marcus Belgrave, 7 p.m. Thursday, Mary 4 at the Southfield Civic Center. Concert to benefit the Oakland County Center for Open Housing. Tickets \$13 in advance, \$15 at the door, and are tax-deductible. Call 647-0575 or 354-4854.

**DINNER THEATER**

**TROY MARRIOTT**  
Actor's Company presents "Nunsense" 7:30 p.m. dinner, 8:30 p.m. show Friday, Feb. 12, 19 and March 4; Saturday, Feb. 13, 20, March 5 and Sunday, March 6. Cost \$31.50 per person. Special Valentine's Day brunch and show, 12:30 p.m. reception, Sunday, Feb. 14, 1 p.m. brunch, 2 p.m. show. Cost \$26.95 per person. For tickets call 285-7408.

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# 'Six Degrees of Separation' provokes audience

Performances of "Six Degrees of Separation," at the George Burns Theatre for the Performing Arts in Livonia continue through Feb. 14. For ticket information, call 800-589-8000 or Ticketmaster, 313-645-6666.



KEELY WYGONIK

"Trashy, obscene, disgusting, pornographic" — these are words my audience — Observer & Eccentric readers, used to describe "Six Degrees of Separation," starring Marlo Thomas and Ned Schmidtke.

Our Livonia office was flooded with calls last Thursday and Friday from people who were angry, embarrassed and shocked after seeing the show opening night, Wednesday, Feb. 3.

"Why didn't you mention anything about the simulated homosexual sex scene, the naked man running around stage, and profanity in your story?" they demanded to know. The truth is I wrote the story before seeing the play, after a telephone interview with Marlo Thomas, and I was just as surprised as they were.

Lots of people left before the show ended. The theater got calls, and added "for mature audiences

only," to the marquee last Thursday.

It was obvious — many went expecting to see Marlo Thomas, you know "That Girl," and she wasn't there.

"Six Degrees of Separation," written by John Guare, tells the story of a young black man Paul (Mark Daniel Cade) who assumes the guise of Sidney Poitier's son as he invades the lives of some of Manhattan's prominent residents, including Ouissa (Marlo Thomas) and her art dealer husband, Flanders Kittredge (Ned Schmidtke).

There were children in the audience, some as young as 7, some in their teens. Outraged parents

wanted to know why theater isn't rated like movies. Outraged adults said they felt like they'd been duped.

Theater management should, in the future, warn ticket buyers if a show contains mature subject matter. Let parents, who might not be familiar with the play, then decide if it is something they want their children to see.

In this case, it would have taken away the shock — an important part of the play's message. "Six Degrees of Separation" shakes people up. The sexual issues are a very small part of this 90-minute drama.

The play is funny and serious. It forces the audience to consider

different ways they are separated from each other — by race, economic background, age, sexual preference and occupation. It is about how people are different, yet the same.

If you go to the show, go with an open mind, listen to what the characters are saying to each other. Seeing "Six Degrees of Separation" is an experience.

Like the abstract, two-sided painting by Wassily Kandinsky that hangs over stage, it is a re-

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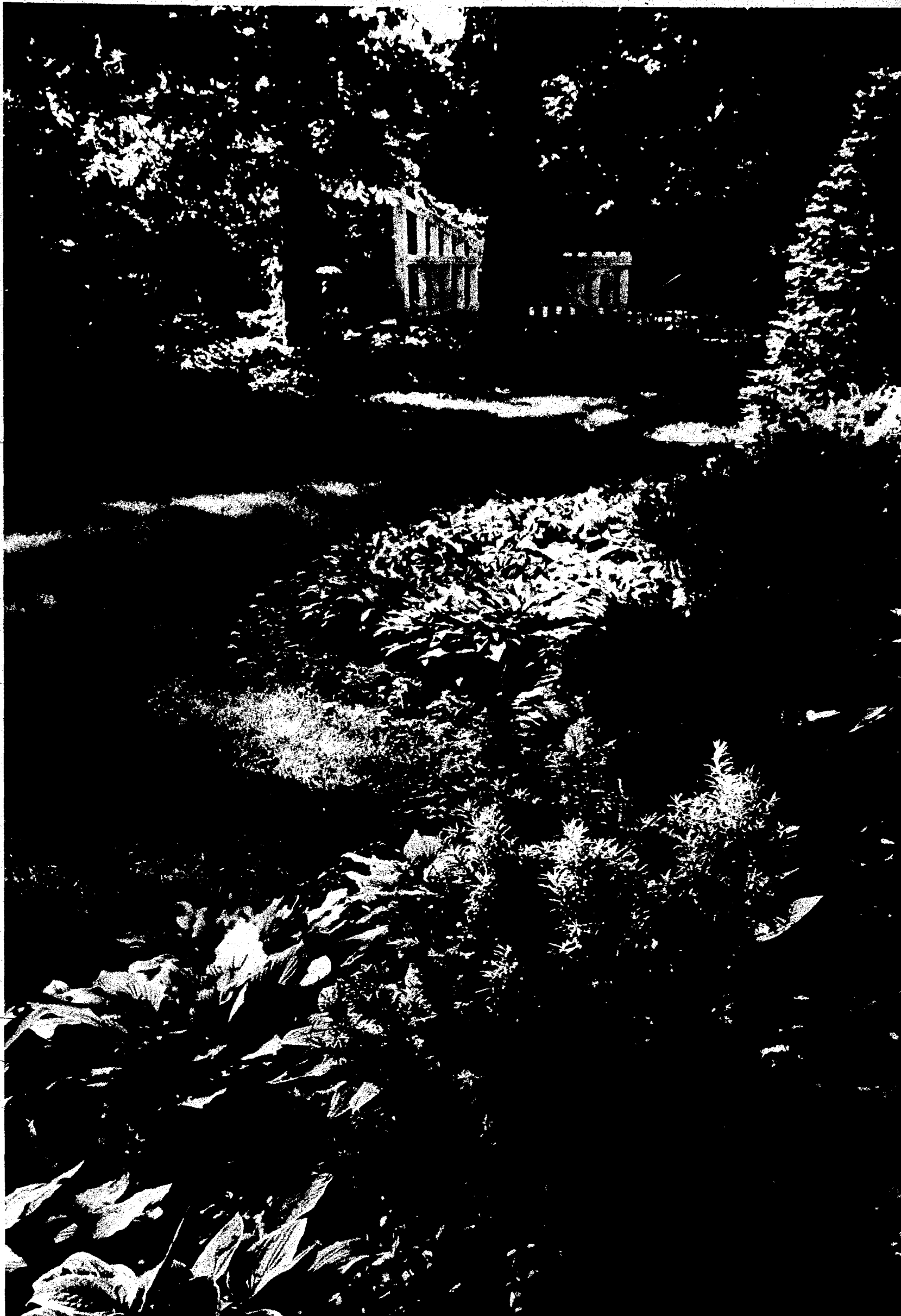
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# GM, NBC resolution leaves questions

## AUTO TALK



DAN MCCOSH

If Steven Spielberg did an investigative news show, he might have come up with something like the NBC "Dateline" piece that ran late last year, portraying an old GM pickup bursting into flames after being hit in the side by a car.

NBC retracted the story Wednesday, after GM filed an unprecedented lawsuit based on its own investigation that revealed the Dateline crew had wired small radio-controlled rocket motors — actually small gunpowder charges — to the truck, to ensure that it would burst into flames if gasoline spilled in the impact.

GM Vice President and General Counsel Harry J. Pearce did a passable stand-in of Raymond Burr as Perry Mason when he detailed how GM had dug the trucks

out of junkyard and reconstructed the scene — a tale that had GM engineers picking up pieces of the trucks and finding the charges taped on the frame.

As outrageous as NBC's staged event appears on the surface, it drifts off into the realm of National Lampoon Does the News when you realize that even with the truck wired to go off and rockets blazing:

- The gas tank survived the first hit in the side, spilling a few quarts of gas out the filler pipe when an apparently defective gas cap popped off.
- The grass fire that started up didn't look good enough on camera, so the NBC crew tried again, at roughly 50 mph, and still nothing happened.

By this time the crew and their "consultants" — who were actually the paid consultants to the group suing GM charging the gas tank is defective — had hit the truck so hard it was bent about a foot out of line, and the tank was still solid.

You could almost hear Bob Seger singing "Like a Rock" in the background.

The central issue — that the tank properly should be inside the frame rail — was hopeless, since the frame was now bent so far it would have crushed the tank regardless of what side it was on. But the tank was still intact.

None of this detracts from the TV show's concluding that the fuel tanks are dangerous, thus supporting the plaintiff's side of the case against GM, which a couple of months later would end in a \$105 million award against the automaker. That award is now under appeal.

All this tends to confirm the public's worst suspicions about how slanted and biased news coverage can get. Frankly, I don't know which is worse — wiring up the trucks, hiring the plaintiffs' consultants, or ignoring all the evidence even this outrageous demonstration compiled.

NBC and GM quickly settled out of court, with a complete re-

traction the likes of which I have never seen before.

This may have the unfortunate effect of cutting off debate on a larger issue: Exactly why is network news so quick to get in bed with the trial lawyers and their consultants that are filing liability cases? At one point, NBC producers were even claiming they had made these "consultants" part of their own news crew.

The laws governing product liability are particularly important to the competitiveness of U.S. manufacturing — they deserve, at minimum, an objective and open public forum, something they have not been getting up to now.

Dan McCosh is automotive editor of *Popular Science* magazine. If you have a comment, question or suggestion concerning *Auto Talk*, write to him at *The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers*, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or you can call McCosh directly by dialing 953-2047, mail box number 1870, on a touch-tone telephone.

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## Phone number cut

A telephone number for Ann G. Abrams of Bloomfield Hills, Family Entertainment Consultant for Music For Little People, was accidentally cut from the story "Opting out of the toy tangle" in the Thursday, Feb. 4, issue.

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Abrams can be reached at 626-8339.

## DATEBOOK

**MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTANTS.** The Detroit chapter of the Institute of Management Accountants will hear a presentation of Testing Global Measures at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, at the Livonia Marriott at I-275 and Six Mile. Call Marla Dunn, 596-7889, for more information.

**WAGE/SALARY ADMINISTRATION** The American Society of Employers is presenting a seminar on "Wage And Salary Administration: An Overview," Tuesday, Feb. 23 at 9 a.m. at 23851 Northwestern highway. Speaker: Mark Pittel, Sullivan, Cotter and Associates, Inc. Call 353-4500 for more information.

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**BEHAVIORAL STYLES** The American Society of Employers is presenting a seminar on "Understanding Behavioral Styles," Monday, Feb. 22 at 9 a.m.

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**PUBLICATION AWARDS** The Spitzjean Michigan chapter of the Society for Technical Communication will hold its annual Publications and Art Competition Awards Banquet at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 26, at the Sheraton Oaks in Novi. Price: \$30. Information: Dave Havens, 248-1803.

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# Confidence from page 12B

"He understands the other side," he said. "He's been a salesperson before and can relate to them; he's been a sales manager."

"A lot of sales managers," he added, "haven't been in the trenches."

The key to Boyle's training was bringing the customer and salesperson together. "He knows how to relate to the customer."

"Too many people in sales think it's the price that sells a car; price doesn't sell anything."

Swanson said it's like the customer looking for a good price on a mini-van. "OK, you want a mini-van, I've got a whole lot of them. Which one? That's the difference between a successful and unsuccessful salesman; the salesman knows how to find out which one's right for the buyer."

That's what Boyle teaches, Swanson said.

Boyle said there are 11 basic steps or skills needed by the professional automobile salesperson ranging from the welcome to tele-

phone techniques.

"Never underestimate the importance of a welcome," he said. Like in everything, first impressions mean a lot; a poor welcome eliminates any chance of a sale.

Good salesmanship is critical in a highly competitive automotive market, Boyle added. To put it in another way, if there are 250 dealers in metro Detroit, and 30 of them are Chevy dealers, how does the automobile salesperson get the customer to buy from a specific dealer?

"(Good salesmanship) is what separates you from the other guy," he said.

"In too many dealerships, you get in there and they throw you up against the wall. Finalizing the sale means being treated like a human being."

Don't think the sale ends as the keys are passed over. Boyle said the 10th step is to prospect. Find out if other people the buyer knows are looking to buy a car. "And make followup calls."

# Expansion from page 12B

Lujan developed design expertise by taking classes at Oakland Community College, Wayne State University and the University of Michigan.

"Everything I do is artistic," she said. "I'm an artistic person. I love furniture. I love history. I read every decorating and design magazine. I'm obsessed by it."

Lujan's business experience at the get-go left a lot to be desired, but she took the challenge very seriously.

"One thing I did before I opened the first store was hire a bookkeeper and accountant," she said. "When you have someone to present figures to you in an organized fashion I can understand, I can make decisions."

Generations carries country furniture and accessory lines. Profits there enabled her to open Hepplewhite's, a more upscale, design-oriented furniture/accessories store, in 1988.

Lujan always wanted both retail operations under one roof. When the library building became available, she plunged right in. Sort of.

"I'm scared to death," she said. "We had to mortgage everything except the kids. We're on a limb for this."

But risk presents opportunity. "I know it will pay off," she added. "How could it not? It's still unique, pretty different than most furniture stores. Vignettes (sales nooks) will have a lot of personality. It's like Disneyland."

Lujan's total retail space will more than double with the move to the 25,000-square-foot building next month.

"Our two biggest markets are yuppies, young people, and empty nesters whose kids are gone and they're going to decorate for themselves now," Lujan said. Bargains can be available for shrewd shoppers.

"Most large manufacturers publish an inflated retail price," she said. "It has gotten just like cars. You don't pay sticker price. Not here, not anywhere. We all discount."

Everyone talks service nowadays, Lujan included.

"I personally go into people's homes if there's a problem. We give decorative advice — let me see your fabrics, let me see the wallpaper. We advise on schemes. It's not we'll just give you \$10 off on this sofa."

Lujan, a high achiever with a quiet disposition, said she always knew that her first store wouldn't be her last even when she was a business neophyte.

"You always have an eye on the future. I started in a basement. That's all I could afford. I knew I wasn't staying there."

"The trick is, I think, I can make quick decisions and I can see when a trend is dead and you have to catch on to something else. I think a dictatorship works. I've been on a lot of boards and it seems to take forever to make decisions."

"After you're comfortable, there's enough bread on the table, you're doing it for your ego. Then there's the competition. I'm competitive. I don't think I could stand to fail."

# Law from page 12B

Union, PPG Industries, William Beaumont Hospital and the Troy School District.

"I'm very excited about the family leave act. It was a favorable first step. We have definitely messed with the psyche of America," said Wendy Shepherd Bates, program coordinator for Family Works of Troy.

"There's a trend nationally for companies to become more family responsive. It's great to see businesses and human services working together."

The Livonia Chamber of Commerce doesn't take an official stand on the family leave bill, according to new director Duane Marsh.

"Seventy-six percent of our members have less than 50 employees and won't be affected," said Marsh, a licensed funeral director. "Personally, I can see both good and bad points in the bill. Time will tell how it will all work out."

Some Livonia businesses are

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Wendy Shepherd Bates

proud of their records on family leave.

Andrea Nodge, a spokeswoman for Livonia's Madonna University, which employs 600 workers, says the bill won't have much ef-

fect because "we have always offered extended leave."

"Madonna is extremely cooperative with employee circumstances, understanding the need for balance between work and family."

At Schoolcraft College, with 340 employees, family leave has been a longstanding policy.

"Our staff has one year maternity or paternity leave available, or can take that time to care for an ill family member," said spokeswoman Sandra Florek. "The worker is guaranteed their old job back."

She cited two mothers of young children who shared a computer job, one working mornings, the other afternoons. Florek herself created a part-time job for a new mother who decided against full-time work after her maternity leave expired.

"This is really a wonderful place to work," she said.

One business that will be affected by the federal mandate is William Beaumont Hospital, which currently offers 10 weeks unpaid family leave to employees.

"We'll have to add an additional two weeks leave. I don't know what impact it will have," said Carol Roncelli, a customer affairs worker. Beaumont Corp. has 9,000 employees.

Critics charge the bill will incur additional costs for businesses. Family leave supporters don't think it goes far enough. Many part-timers are excluded. And 60 percent of the country's work force is employed by firms with less than 50 employees, thus excluded from coverage.

# BUSINESS PEOPLE

Dr. David H. Janda, director of the Institute for Preventive Sports Medicine and Associate of Orthopedic Surgery Associates based at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor has been appointed to serve a four-year term on the board of directors of the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control. Dr. Janda and his colleagues on the board will develop policies, strategies, objectives and priorities in reference to the development of a national plan for injury prevention and control.

Patricia Wedhorn of Wayne, a self-employed video producer, has been voted in as president elect of the Detroit Producers Association. She begins her one year term in June 1993.

The Detroit Producers Association is made up of artist, anima-

tors, audio-video directors, producers, educators, equipment and material suppliers and all other elements of the professional media production community.

Kathy Moulton of Dow Corning Corp. was the winner of two round trip airline tickets to any Northwest Airline destination at the Mayflower Hotel Secretary party in Plymouth last month.

The party is held each year to reward and honor secretaries from local corporations that make hotel and banquet arrangements at the Mayflower Hotel.

Tony Camilleri has been named to the position of manager at the Westland office of Real Estate One.

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# BUSINESS

## SUBURBAN BUSINESS LEADERS

Mark Bealafeld of Plymouth was appointed director of internal auditing with the Taubman Co. in Bloomfield Hills. Bealafeld had been corporate controller with the Taubman Co. He joined the company in 1988. Bealafeld is a native of Pittsburgh, Pa.



Mark Bealafeld

Mark R. Thomas of Livonia will specialize in financial reporting, forecasting and analysis for real estate development with the newly formed Premise Associates Inc. Premise Associates is a subsidiary of the Smith Group. Thomas is a member of the Institute of Certified Public Accountants and teaches courses on accounting.



Mark R. Thomas

Bob Sramek was appointed regional sales manager with Air Gage Co. in Livonia. He is responsible for overseeing representatives and marketing to accounts of Air Gage's product line. Before joining Air Gage, Sramek spent more than 11 years with the Dearborn Gage Co., where he held several management positions, including vice president of sales.



Bob Sramek

Jay Reiter joined J.S. Alberici Construction Co. Inc. as director of healthcare business development. Reiter is now responsible for new business among healthcare institutions and existing business in the Livonia office and the St. Louis, Mo., office.



Jay Reiter

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Mary Lujan says she's spending nearly \$2 million to acquire and remodel a library to consolidate her furniture/accessories stores.

## Steady growth fuels big expansion

■ By keeping an eye on the future, Mary Lujan has been able to parlay her interest in crafts into a business with sales of some \$2 million.

BY DOUG FUNKE  
STAFF WRITER

Mary Lujan admits that she started a furniture and home accessories business in 1984 mainly for diversion, to get out of the house, something to do.

It's gone well beyond that now. Lujan is spending almost \$2 million to acquire and renovate the for-

mer Rochester Hills Library to consolidate her two successful Main Street operations, Generations and Hepplewhite's.

She recently expanded her work force to 26 from 14 and anticipates boosting sales this year to \$3 million from \$2 million. She said her profit margin is in the range of 7 to 11 percent.

"When I first started, I had a lot of energy and I needed to channel that," said Lujan, 50, an Oakland Township resident. "I still do."

The new store, Generations/Hepplewhite's, will feature some 30 individual sales nooks from which to display stock.

"We're basically a special-order store," Lujan said. "We will sell off the floor, but when you get into design furniture, people want to special order. We'll sell accessories off the floor."

Counting on special orders for big ticket items also enables her to keep costly inventory down.

Lujan jumped into the business with a \$20,000 loan from her husband, Joseph, a lawyer.

"That went to renting the building, buying inventories," she said. "We started making money right away. I did craft items I made myself, painted little houses in back of the store. I paid him back. It took four years."

See EXPANSION, 11B

## Leave law prompts firms to examine current policy

BY MARY RODRIQUE  
STAFF WRITER

For some local businesses, the new family leave bill passed by Congress last week has raised questions about implementation. But many suburban businesses say they already offer more than the new federal legislation will mandate.

It's worth noting, however, that while many companies provide time off, it's often without paid benefits.

The Family and Medical Leave Act will provide up to 12 weeks of unpaid leave to care for a newborn or adopted baby, or to care for a family member who is seriously ill. Under the bill, employees will continue to get health care coverage and are guaranteed their job or a comparable one upon return. Companies with fewer than 50 employees are exempted. The law takes effect in six months.

"We're waiting for an official version to come down," said Linda Bayly, personnel manager for the Budd Co., an auto parts supplier in Troy with 10,000 workers in the Midwest, Eastern states and Canada.

"The question I have is how

many will take advantage of it if no pay is involved? I'm also wondering about how it will affect the organization if many are gone at the same time."

She conceded many production jobs at Budd are interchangeable.

"Our policy is that we offer up to four months leave after the birth of a baby. In our UAW plants, there is a year leave available," Bayly said. "I think most large companies are willing to work with an employee who needs personal leave."

Kathy Ortiz, manager of administrative services for SOC Credit Union in Troy, is also waiting to see how the new legislation will affect her company.

"We have approximately 30 full-time and 30 part-time employees," she said. "I don't know if part-timers are included in the count. We've always had a leave policy, but we're small. We can handle those things on a one-to-one basis."

"Everyone is trying to keep costs down, to run business effectively and efficiently. But it's not my position to make a statement on behalf of the credit union."

Gayla Hauser, president of the

Troy Chamber of Commerce, says her organization opposes the measure.

"Looking at the big picture, the Troy Chamber of Commerce is not in favor of anything that is mandated for business, anything that adds to the cost of operation."

Hauser says Troy businesses banded together a few years ago to create Family Works of Troy, which provides employers with assistance in meeting the dependent care needs of their employees.

Services include information and referral for elder and child care, workplace bulletin boards and seminars, community outreach programs, and assistance to employers in planning for dependent care.

"This is an outstanding private sector initiative," said Hauser of the program which has already won several state awards.

It is supported by many of the city's larger employers, like the Budd Co., Dana Corp., DuPont, Entech Services, Handleman Company, Kmart, Kelly Services, Saturn Corp., the SOC Credit

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## Confidence key to auto sales, consultant-trainer maintains

BY GERALD FRAWLEY  
STAFF WRITER

Ever think that the worst part about buying a car is dealing with the salesperson?

According to James P. Boyle, president of the new automotive sales training company Boyle & Associates in Rochester Hills, that's a fairly common sentiment.

"It doesn't have to be that way," he said. Too many salespeople make a poor impression because they've never really had any training.

"Good salespeople are not born; of course, some people have more talent than others," he said.

"The key to being a good

salesperson is to sell yourself," he said. "Selling cars is almost an afterthought."

"Of course, selling the cars is the point, but you can't do that unless you have faith in yourself," Boyle said. "You have to sell the auto with all the confidence and enthusiasm that you have in yourself."

"I try to build a foundation so salespeople can be confident in themselves."

Boyle, a 25-year veteran in retail automobile sales, said automobile dealerships have a salespeople turnover of more than 100 percent. Too often, a new person is hired and shown quickly

around the showroom, given a desk, and told to go to it, he said.

John Swanson, a salesman with Roseville Chrysler Plymouth, said he already had a solid foundation when he first met Boyle. Boyle was a sales manager for Roseville Chrysler Plymouth.

Even a salesman with a good foundation can use a little help now and then, he added.

"He has tremendous patience," Swanson said. When coupled with his vast experience as a salesperson and manager, his patience is invaluable when it comes to training new salespeople.

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## Show in Livonia turns spotlight on antiques

If you're into antiques, you're in for a treat. Metro Productions' third annual midwinter antique, collectibles and toy show will take place 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, in the Livonia Holiday Inn at Laurel Park Place, Six Mile and Newburgh. Admission is \$2 for adults and free for children. Parking is free.

"We strive to offer high-quality antiques and collectibles at reasonable prices," said Barbara Framke, co-chairing the event with show founder and fellow Livonian Cindy Oakes.

Fifty dealers from Michigan, Ohio and Indiana will offer small furniture, figurines, jewelry, model cars and planes, depression glass, posters, dolls and toys. Their price range: \$1 to \$700.

One Ohio dealer "brings lots of movie western memorabilia, including posters and collages. And we always have lots of nice jewelry from the '50s, '40s and earlier," Framke said.

There's also lots of toys: from rocking horses, train sets, wagons and lead soldiers to Madame Alexander dolls, Barbies and GI Joes.

In past years, 19th Century antiques have included a cigar store Indian, Oriental ivory, German bisque dolls, fossils and photo jewelry.

Other Observerland dealers who'll show their wares at the Livonia Holiday Inn include Margaret Randall of Livonia (dolls and jewelry) and Nicolette Craig of Canton (dolls), Al Temple of Livonia (antiques and paper collectibles) and Mary Wallace of Livonia (jewelry and glassware). Mary Lou Larson of Livonia and Joy McCoy of Redford Township both will offer general antiques.

Metro Productions' annual fall show in November drew 75 dealers and 500 visitors, both record numbers.

### Favors animal collectibles

Framke has specialized in animal collectibles for seven years. "I sell collector plates, figurines, sometimes art, paintings, cookie jars, tea sets — just anything associated with animals, whatever I have on hand."

The animal lover has collected horse figurines since she was 10. "As the years went by, I branched out and got interested in other animal-related artwork, figurines and other collectibles. I've done a lot of research."

Both Framke and Oakes now make about 30 stops a year on the southeast Michigan collectibles show circuit.

Framke has a thriving mail-order service and publishes a client newsletter. "It takes a little longer to build a clientele when you operate from your home because people don't have a place to come and view your merchandise. I really need shows to meet people and generate sales."

### Oriental ivory to GI Joe

Oakes specializes in Hummel plates and figurines from the '40s, baby dolls from the '40s, Shirley Temple dolls from the '30s and later, turn-of-the-century bisque dolls, composition dolls from the '20s and Oriental ivory dating as far back as the 1880s. She also serves up memorabilia spotlighting GI Joe, Barbie, the Beatles, the Monkees, Star Wars and Star Trek.

Oakes became a dealer 12 years ago, after her Hummel yule plate collection that her husband, George, helped her assemble grew too large for their house. She entered her first antique show at Roma Hall of Livonia.

Soon after, her interest in collectibles widened and she started buying other things. But after taking part in dozens of monthly shows at Roma, that promoter moved on to Dearborn in the mid '80s. So Oakes enlisted Framke's support to help stage a show closer to home.

"Livonia's such a good area for shows," Oakes said. "I really missed having one here for convenience, and I felt a lot of other people did, too. I guess I was right because we've had wonderful turnouts."

Al Temple will soon retire from the Plymouth manufacturing firm he founded 25 years ago. Aboard their motor home, he and his wife, Doris, plan to travel the national antique show circuit.

The Livonia show will mark their first stop: "I'll be testing the waters, seeing what sells and what doesn't. I want to be more unique than competitive. What I have is unusual, something many people haven't seen."

His Holiday Inn sampler will include 1890s postcards, turn-of-the-century sheet music, Civil War letters, military buttons, police badges, tokens, antique clocks, logging-era relics, Barber coins, World War II ration coupons, and 1920s Christmas Seals stickers and football game tickets.

He inherited some of older finds from his father. But as a Michigan Treasure Hunters past president, he has dragged the earth with a metal detector, prospected for gold and silver and tapped his own curiosity.

Selling collectibles will be something different but, as he put it, "something I ought to really enjoy."

Bob Sklar is assistant managing editor for special projects. To leave a message, call 953-2113.



PHOTO BY WILLIAM HANSEN

## Passion colors painter's work



Gregory Aylesworth's artistic integrity draws the viewer into his work by use of dramatic impact. Obvious in his one-man show at Livonia City Hall is his mastery of materials, excellent draftsmanship and love for painting.

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN  
SPECIAL WRITER

From the pen and ink pointillism of an endangered African elephant to an impressionistic oil of greyhounds racing at breakneck speed, artist Gregory Aylesworth strives to create a dramatic impact on the viewer's emotions.

The Livonia Arts Commission presents more than 40 oil, gouache, watercolor, pastel and mixed media artworks by the Royal Oak artist in a one-man show, "Utilitarian Art," in the Livonia City Hall lobby, Farmington Road and Five Mile.

A meet-the-artist session with

**Dramatic:** Above, Gregory Aylesworth works on "Racing Dogs." Right, his "Stalking Leopard." Both are oils.



Aylesworth is scheduled 3-4 p.m. Friday, Feb. 26, the day the show ends.

"When I paint, I try to go for an extreme of emotion. I try to bring out the things you don't usually see," Aylesworth said in an interview at his Oakland County home. "A painting should be a break from reality, a doorway to the mind. Otherwise, you might as well take a photograph."

A drawing and illustration instructor in the graphic design department at the Center for Creative Studies in Detroit, Aylesworth believes there is more emotion involved with representational art than in non-objective abstract or photorealist work, allowing more of an opportunity to connect with the viewer.

"I'd rather go for a personable approach instead of photorealism. I like to see the brush strokes. I like it to be something, to mean something to the viewer," Aylesworth said.

"Racing Dogs," an oil on canvas, exposes the tragic underside of dog racing. Abstract geometric shapes and slashing brush strokes accen-

See AYLESWORTH, 3D

## Gardens

### Polish your green thumb at seminar

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN  
SPECIAL WRITER

Challenge your artistic abilities. Create a painting in your garden, or landscape with the help of experts, at the third annual "Gardening From the Ground Up" conference Saturday, March 13, at Schoolcraft College in Livonia.

Hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you have questions like how important is watering, or which color of flowers attract songbirds, the forum, presented by Schoolcraft's Continuing Education Services and the garden and landscape design company Perennial Favorites, has the answer. Cost to attend is \$65.

Ten sessions, ranging from design and color theory to creating water gardens and attracting the living color of hummingbirds, butterflies and songbirds to your yard, offer instruction and advice tailored specifically for the southeast Michigan homeowner.

Gardeners choose from one of three workshops held simultaneously during each of three morning and afternoon sessions. Registrations received by March 1 will receive priority in choice of workshops.

"The purpose of the conference is so gardeners can spend their time and money more wisely," said Perennial Favorites owner Janet Macunovich of Waterford.

Author of the book "Easy Garden Design," Macunovich began the conferences three years ago. She teaches a variety of horticultural topics at Schoolcraft College, Oakland Community College and community education centers throughout the Detroit area.

"I'm trying to offer gardeners of various levels the classes I've had to travel extensively to attend," she said.

Macunovich will present the topics "Raise Your Sights to Lower Maintenance" and "Landscape Renovation: A Jungle Out There" in separate morning sessions. One of the areas she'll cover is watering.

"Watering is really important to do. If you do nothing else, you'll want to make sure the plants have enough water. Watering in the spring does more for the plants than at any other time of the year," Macunovich said.

"In the earlier part of the year, all of the starches that were stored in the roots the previous year need water. The roots don't get fed at all because all the water is going into leaf formation. Each cell in the leaf has to fill out with water and nutrients. Later in summer, say mid-July, the leaves have already formed but by then it's too late for the roots."

Landscape designer Sue Grubba of Rochester Hills will discuss color theory, harmonious shape and texture as well as the three design principles — scale, balance, and repetition — in Session A, "Simply Done: Focus on Design."

"I'll talk about the cool colors (blue, green, violet), what feeling they give you. It's more of a tranquil feeling," Grubba said.

"Warm colors give an element of surprise (red, yellow, orange). The reds, you don't see a lot of them, but when you do, they pop right out."

Grubba also will cover unifying the whole design. "You want enough variety to stimulate the eye to keep it moving, yet you want enough repetition so you can be comfortable with it," she said.

See GARDENING, 3D

**Artbeat features vignettes from the suburban arts scene. Write: Artbeat, Creative Living, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.**

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### ART GRANTS

The Arts Foundation of Michigan, in partnership with the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs, offers financial support to artists through the creative artist grant.

Grants of up to \$7,000 are available to professional Michigan artists. Grants for significant, original new work are awarded in all artistic disciplines.

The independent funding organization strives to spur corporations, foundations and individuals to participate and invest in the arts statewide.

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Requests for the Letter of Intent application, guidelines and budget forms can be made by calling the foundation at 313-964-2244 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays or by writing: Arts Foundation of Michigan, 645 Griswold, Suite 2164, Detroit, MI 48226. The deadline to apply is April 21.

### GARDEN WORKS

The dramatic and varied leaf print colorful watercolors of Joan Bonnette, whose work is included in the art collection of the Livonia Civic Cen-

ter Library, are on exhibit in the lobby at Matthaei Botanical Gardens of the University of Michigan through Feb. 28.

She's an art reviewer for the Michigan Council for the Arts and a member of the Michigan Watercolor Society Board.

Lobby hours are 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily. The gardens are at 1800 N. Dixboro, Ann Arbor.

### VAAL TO MEET

Farmington Hills artist Jerrine Habsburg will demonstrate oil painting when the Visual Arts Association of Livonia meets at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18 at Jefferson Center, Room 24, 9501 Henry Ruff, Livonia. There's no admission fee.

The VAAL instructor will show the process of starting a still life in oils and will describe the principles of working with oils, said VAAL president Eileen Bibby of Livonia.

# Learn how African art fueled art revolution

Warren Robbins, founder and director emeritus of the National Museum of African Art in Washington, D.C., will give a slide presentation, "Unmasking Picasso: How the Traditional Art of Africa

Fueled the 20th Century Revolution in Art," Monday, Feb. 15, in DeSalle Auditorium at the Cranbrook Art Museum, 500 Lone Pine, Bloomfield Hills. The 1:30 p.m. lecture will ex-

plore the role of African sculpture in 20th Century art movements such as cubism, fauvism, German expressionism and surrealism. In a fast-paced, triple-slide presentation, Robbins will show how the

pioneer artists of the 20th Century — Picasso, Matisse, Brancusi, Klee and others — drew directly from the forms and ideas of traditional African sculpture. The lecture at Cranbrook is in-

cluded with museum admission: \$3 for adults, \$2 for senior citizens and full-time students, free for museum members and children younger than 7. Normally closed on Monday, the museum will open at 1 p.m. and close one hour after the lecture ends. For more information, call 645-3312.

Robbins, a former teacher, writer and editor, established the first museum in the United States devoted exclusively to the rich, creative heritage of Africa. In 1979, Congress voted by unanimous consent to make this museum the National Museum of African Art, on the Federal Mall in Washington, D.C., a bureau of the Smithsonian Institution.

Robbins has lectured at hundreds of universities and museums throughout the United States, Europe and Africa. He is the author of many articles on art, science and culture, as well as the two-volume "African Art in American Collections" (1966, 1989). Robbins received a master of arts degree in history from the University of Michigan.

The Cranbrook Academy of Art Museum is open to the public for general viewing 1-5 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday. The museum bookstore offers an outstanding selection of books on art, architecture and design, plus children's books, cards, posters and exhibition catalogues. For more bookstore information, call 645-3325.

The Cranbrook Academy of Art, with its contemporary art museum, is a division of the Cranbrook Educational Community, which also includes the Cranbrook Institute of Science and Cranbrook Schools. Museum activities are supported in part by the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs.

## Schools may host African dance sessions

In celebration of Black History Month, Center for Creative Studies will offer complimentary workshops in African dance to area schools and hold open jazz ensemble rehearsals.

The workshops will challenge students with active participation in a one-hour dance experience. No previous dance training is necessary.

Faculty members Ali Abdullah and Kofi Egbo will lead the workshops, accompanied by African

drummers. Abdullah, former dance director and choreographer for the National Senegalese Ballet of West Africa, has researched tribal dances of Nigeria, Haiti and Senegal.

Egbo's credentials range from a doctorate in instructional technology from Michigan State University to a Bachelor of Arts in theater arts and cultural studies from the University of Lbadan, Nigeria. Former curator of education at Detroit's Museum of Afri-

can American History, he teaches anthropology at Wayne State University.

The CCS jazz ensemble, led by John Paxton, will hold open rehearsals 6-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays in the CCS annex, 84 Ferry, Detroit. Paxton's approach to jazz studies includes exposure to a spectrum of styles, with emphasis on historical perspective.

Elementary, middle and high schools interested in participating in the dance workshops may call

Julie Borik, CCS admissions and marketing director: 313-872-3118, ext. 631. There's no cost. Days and times will be arranged with individual schools. On-site workshops may be arranged with schools without access to transportation.

No prior arrangements are necessary for those interested in observing the jazz ensemble rehearsals. For general information and directions to CCS, call 313-872-3118 ext. 607.

## Forum focus — collecting contemporary art

In conjunction with the current exhibition at the Cranbrook Academy of Art Museum in Bloomfield Hills, "The Fine Art of Patronage: Contemporary Painting and Sculpture from Local Collections," a group of dealers and collectors will gather in a symposium to discuss with the audience aspects of collecting contemporary art.

The symposium will take place 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, in the deSalle Auditorium at the museum, 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. A reception will follow. Call 645-3323 for more information.

The discussion will start with an introduction by museum director Roy Slade. Presentations will be given by collector Andrew Camden, on collecting from a private point of

view, and Gregory Wittkopp, curator of collections at Cranbrook, on collecting from the perspective of the museum.

After the presentations, Gilbert Silverman, a well-known collector and chairman of the Museum Committee of the Cranbrook Academy of Art Board of Governors, will moderate a panel of dealers who have been involved with the exhibition. The dealers represent a broad group of galleries within the community and include Ray Fleming, Susanne Hilberry, Tim Hill, Stephen Morris, George N'Namdi, Mary Preston and Linda Ross.

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# Aylesworth from page 1D

tuate dog racing's throat-cutting nature.

The artist's intimate look at the dogs not only reveals the suffering that pervades the sport, but nails the conditioned responses of hostile aggressiveness and raving in the animals, creating a strong statement against racing.

"I hate dog racing, what the dogs go through — the cruelty, starvation and beatings," Aylesworth said.

"Through my work, I (hope to) try to bring an awareness to nature, endangered animals, abused animals, animals that are threatened by violent conditions."

In choosing subject matter for a painting, Aylesworth strives to show what otherwise would remain unseen.

"I try to pick those views that people would like to see. With the dogs, I wanted something dynamic that no one could get to see — on the race course, like you're about to be run down by a bunch of hounds," Aylesworth said.

"That's bigger than life. That's

the dramatic impact."

A thoroughbred in the field of art, Aylesworth studied illustration at the Center for Creative Studies, three out of four years on scholarship. His art has been exhibited at the Scarab Club, CCS faculty shows, and at the "Our Town" exhibition in Birmingham.

Aylesworth has worked in advertising art 15 years, 11 of them as founder and senior partner of the design firm Buffalo Brothers Studios East in Detroit. From concept through print, Buffalo Brothers provides full-service advertising art and packaging design. Now expanded to offices in Santa Barbara and Las Vegas, its clients include Detroit Monthly, Shedd's, FTD Florists, Chrysler, General Motors, Lamborghini, Advertising Age, Autoweek, Meadow Brook Theatre in Rochester Hills and the Fox Theatre in Detroit.

Aylesworth has served on the Scarab Club board of directors four years. For the last three, he

has chaired the annual spring Advertising Art & Design Exhibition. It's one of the largest advertising art shows in North America.

He jokingly says he first became involved with art because he couldn't do anything else, but it's more likely his late father heavily influenced this decision.

"My father liked to paint a lot, so we took classes at Cranbrook before I even left high school," Aylesworth said.

Impressionism squeezed straight from the tube characterizes the "Stalking-Leopard," an oil on canvas. The portrait's highly textured surface adds a bristling roughness to the act and animal. Violet, yellow, orange and blue color this cat on the prowl dangerous.

"I usually choose two colors. There's an undertone most of my pieces have, a color scheme," Aylesworth said. "I try not to use the colors that seem blatant. I ex-

pand on them, make them more chromatic so they're more realistic. They're usually complementary colors."

Reference files line the walls of his working space. No less than three drawing boards stand at the ready. Aylesworth does no sketching beforehand unless it's for a client. Instead, he sketches a brief outline right on the board.

Many of the pieces in the show were used in commercial editorials or advertising.

"Bandits," an eerie pastel by Aylesworth, won several awards after it accompanied an excerpt from an Elmore Leonard novel of the same name featured in Detroit Monthly. Dark and mysterious, the work focuses on an old Cadillac hearse and its seemingly alive contents.

"John Coltrane," an expressionistic portrait rendered in gouache and dyes, served as a poster for the 1988 Black American Music Awards.

"I'd rather not work in one style. I like experimenting with mediums to heighten my abilities. It exercises my creativity, which is hard because everything's been done before," Aylesworth said.

Other artwork not to be missed includes pastel portraits of Marilyn Monroe and Lucille Ball that show off Aylesworth's ability to successfully manipulate the medium.

"Pastel gives a softer feel. With pastels, you can work into them a lot. I like to do people because they're hard to do. It shows a lot of skill," said the multitiered artist.

Aylesworth estimates he produced 250 pieces of artwork last year.

"Art adds another dimension to life, an aspect of creativity. Creativity is a doorway to invention."

Show hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Friday.



WILLIAM HANSEN

**Lifelike Lucy:** Pastels render this portrait of Lucille Ball softly. Wide-open green eyes and velvety textured cream-colored skin bring to life the late comedian's dynamic personality.

# Gardening from page 1D

"Eye movement is very important. You lead the viewer to a focal point. They pause, then go on to the next focal point. It's like a pleasant sequence. You enjoy the whole landscape."

Creative Scapes, Grubba's design firm, has created landscapes and gardens for commercial and residential properties all over the tri-county area in the past nine years.

Grubba also leads an afternoon workshop, "On the Cutting Edge," which will teach gardening enthusiasts what to prune, when and how to take those spring cuts.

Other sessions offered include: "Annuals: A Break from the Routine" with landscape manager for the city of Maumee, Jim Query; "Pest Peeves" with Comerica headquarters' landscape manager, Tom Steiger; "In Living Color: Butterflies, Songbirds and Hummingbirds" with advanced master gardener Diane Hoagland, who designed and maintained the Detroit Zoo butterfly garden for five years; and "Shade in the Spotlight" and "Speaking of Perennials" with George Papadellis, owner of the Troy nursery, Telly's. Papadellis is an adviser and major supplier for flowering plants used at Cranbrook Gardens.

Scott Bates, who with his parents runs the Grass Roots Nursery in New Boston, will present "Reflections on Water in the Gar-

**'Eye movement is very important. You lead the viewer to a focal point. They pause, then go on to the next focal point. It's like a pleasant sequence. You enjoy the whole landscape.'**

Sue Grubba  
Rochester Hills

den." If you plan to add a pond, fountain or stream to your garden this year, you will want to include this how-to. In more than a dozen ponds at the nursery, the Bates' grow more than 100 types of hardy water lilies and 50 other species of hardy water plants.

"One area people are getting into more and more are water gardens," Macunovich said. "It goes hand in hand with the birds in the back yards because you have to have running water because the birds have to drink."

There will be a display area set up with informational material, books, plants and bulbs. Experts from local garden and landscape businesses will be on hand to answer questions. A box lunch will be available.

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<p><b>Plymouth</b> A WORLD OF SECLUSION Can be yours in this spacious detached condo. Two story great room with fireplace, kitchen with plenty of cherry cabinets, rear deck which overlooks a private setting. \$324,900 (OE-N-17AR) 347-3050</p> <p><b>WALK TO DOWNTOWN PLYMOUTH</b> Charming Colonial in walking distance to downtown Plymouth. Large lot, new deck and freshly painted. \$133,000 (OE-N-28UN) 347-3050</p> <p><b>ATTRACTIVE BUNGALOW</b> Walking distance from town. Hardwood floors, deck and many upgrades include siding, new furnace, windows and bath and a finished basement. \$99,900 (OE-N-97HAR) 347-3050</p> <p><b>CONDO SHOWS LIKE A MODEL</b> Fabulous entry level ranch unit, backing to a wooded secluded area. Offers many features. Sparkling clean and priced to sell. \$98,900 (OE-N-515YC) 347-3050</p> <p><b>OWNER SAYS SELL</b> Location plus charm plus value. This cozy Plymouth home has so much to offer, corner lot, 18 x 12 loft overlooking living room, hardwood floors, 2 car garage. \$84,000 (OE-N-92FAR) 347-3050</p> <p><b>Livonia</b> <b>LIVONIA IN THE PINES</b> 3 bedroom, 2 full bath brick ranch with attached 3 car garage. Newer carpeting, fireplace in living room, cover rear porch with poured footings - ideal for expansion or enclosure. \$123,500 (OE-N-41MYR) 347-3050</p> <p><b>LIVONIA</b> Charming brick home in move-in condition offering 3 bedrooms, finished basement, hardwood floors, new furnace, and updated kitchen. Hurry on this one. Call now only \$84,900 (OE-N-31CAR) 347-3050</p> <p><b>ABSOLUTELY ADORABLE</b> Stop paying rent and buy this cute Livonia home. From starter home to retirement, this could be the one for you. \$48,400 (OE-N-88CAM) 347-3050</p>	<p><b>NOTTINGHAM WOODS WEST</b> 2,383 sq. ft. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath Colonial offers spectacular finished basement with wet bar, central air, family room with fireplace, bay windows. Super deck overlooks park-like yard. \$196,900 (OE-N-32BEN) 347-3050</p> <p><b>COMMUTERS DREAM</b> Close to X-rays and shopping, premium 1/2 acre lot in quiet family sub, 4 bedroom, all brick Colonial, 2 1/2 bath, and library. \$194,900 (OE-N-40MOR) 347-3050</p> <p><b>BEST BUY IN FRANCAVILLA!</b> This beautiful home offers 4 spacious bedrooms, 15x22 family room includes bar and large fireplace, formal dining room and library. Spacious and open floor plan. \$174,900 (OE-N-07VAR) 347-3050</p> <p><b>AFFORDABLE</b> 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch. Bring your decorative ideas to this spacious home in great subdivision. Family room has fireplace and doorwalk to patio, full basement, attached 2 car garage. \$149,900 (OE-N-86MEE) 347-3050</p> <p><b>LIVONIA</b> 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, full basement. Florida room with ceiling fan, fireplace and central air. \$149,900 (OE-N-49CUR) 347-3050</p> <p><b>COUNTRY LOT IN THE CITY</b> Beautiful 2 yr old custom ranch is the focal point of this setting. 3 bedrooms and space galore. Quality abounds. Don't miss this one. \$132,400 (OE-N-36JOY) 347-3050</p> <p><b>Redford</b> <b>A DOLL HOUSE</b> The perfect home for the growing family. Newer thermal windows, gas furnace, air conditioning, roof, a double lot and 2 car garage. \$82,500 (OE-N-99LEV) 347-3050</p> <p><b>JUST LISTED</b> You'll love this home, remodeled kitchen, stained woodwork, tiled and partitioned basement, 2 car garage. Central air, newer furnace and maintenance free exterior. \$91,900 (OE-N-30WOR) 347-3050</p>	<p><b>Brighton</b> <b>STUNNING COLONIAL!</b> Shows like a model! Top of the line Kohler fixtures thru-out. Purified water system, 4600 sq. ft., Jacuzzi tub, 1 acre homestead, more. \$385,000 (OE-N-45URB) 347-3050</p> <p><b>Salem</b> <b>A WORK OF ART</b> Gorgeous country style complete with 10 acres, without basement, stream and trees, extensive decking. \$320,000 (OE-N-44AB) 347-3050</p> <p><b>Canton</b> <b>THERE'S NOTHING LIKE A NEW HOME</b> A custom home you don't want to miss. 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, master bedroom, 2 fireplaces, formal dining, study, extras. Still time to make choices... 60 day occupancy. \$265,000 (OE-N-395TON) 347-3050</p> <p><b>THE PERFECT PARADISE</b> Backs to a private wooded area, almost new home has finished basement, 2 full baths and 2 lavatories, and a 450-foot deck for entertaining. \$144,900 (OE-N-14BRO) 347-3050</p> <p><b>AFFORDABLE</b> Ranch priced to sell now! 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CENTURY 21 Suburban 455-5880.</p> <p><b>A QUAD BEAUTY.</b> What a house. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, central air, dining room, family room w/ fireplace, finished basement and more. \$129,900. CENTURY 21 John Cole 937-2300.</p>	<p><b>CANTON</b> <b>CUSTOM BUILT RANCH</b> on 2 acres features neutral decor, generous room sizes, Florida room, 2 car attached garage. Zoning offers other possibilities. \$220,000. CENTURY 21 Suburban 455-5880.</p> <p><b>HISTORIC 1904 FARM HOUSE</b> on 1.28 acres with over 3000 sq. ft. Includes 6 bedrooms, 2 baths, unfinished walkout basement. \$259,900. CENTURY 21 Suburban 455-5880.</p> <p><b>TASTEFULLY DECORATED 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath</b> brick ranch offers central air, fireplace, patio, finished basement and many updates! \$108,900. CENTURY 21 Suburban 455-5880.</p> <p><b>CENTURY 21 GOLD HOUSE</b> Specializes in selling used homes. Huge multiple listing inventory. All types and prices. 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CENTURY 21 Suburban 464-0205.</p> <p><b>FARMINGTON HILLS</b> <b>BRIAR HILL.</b> A great home for the growing family, 4 bedrooms, family room, heated Inground pool w/patio &amp; large yard. Home Warranty. \$129,900. CENTURY 21 MJL Corporate Transferee Service 851-6700.</p> <p><b>GRAND CONTEMPORARY!</b> Oak entry, master suite on main floor, large rooms, natural fireplace, beamed accents, first floor laundry, lot w/acres of commons. \$200,000. CENTURY 21 MJL Corporate Transferee Service 851-6700.</p>	<p><b>FARMINGTON HILLS</b> <b>4 BEDROOM TUDOR.</b> 2.5 bath/2 1/2 lav Ranch has living room, finished basement, Colonial, spiral staircase, some new carpeting, ceramic floor in kitchen, neutral decor, 2 car attached garage. Home Warranty. \$104,900. CENTURY 21 Hartford South, Inc. 464-6400.</p> <p><b>OVER 1/2 ACRE 4 bedroom</b> Colonial, spiral staircase, full basement, 2 car attached garage. Rural area for the kids to roam. CENTURY 21 Chalet 477-1800.</p> <p><b>3 BEDROOM RANCH</b> w/attractive landscaping. Finished basement, bar &amp; gas fireplace, lot 60 x 220, 1 1/2 car garage. \$87,500. CENTURY 21 525-9600.</p> <p><b>PLYMOUTH</b> <b>MOTHER-IN-LAW QUARTERS</b> in this brick bi-level with 2 oak kitchens, 5 bedrooms, newer carpet, 2 fireplaces, HOME PROTECTION PLAN. \$142,500. CENTURY 21 Suburban 455-5880.</p> <p><b>YOU'RE JUST RUN OUT OF REASONS TO RENT!</b> 2 bedroom, 1 bath Plymouth condo reasonably priced for immediate occupancy. \$67,750. CENTURY 21 Suburban 455-5880.</p> <p><b>REDFORD</b> <b>BEAUTIFUL BRICK HOME</b> 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, basement, garage. Unfinished upstairs could be used for large 4th bedroom. \$81,900. CENTURY 21 Cook &amp; Associates 326-2600.</p>	<p><b>LIVONIA</b> <b>IMMACULATE!</b> 4 bedroom, 1 bath/2 lav Ranch has living room, finished basement, dining room, thermo windows, doorwalk to deck, reduced for quick sale. \$67,500. CENTURY 21 John Cole 937-2300.</p> <p><b>BRICK BEAUTY.</b> Lovely 3 bedroom bungalow, 2 baths, dining room, thermo windows, doorwalk to deck, reduced for quick sale. \$67,500. CENTURY 21 John Cole 937-2300.</p> <p><b>BRICK CHARMER.</b> Move in condition! 3 bedroom ranch, central air, 2 full baths, finished basement, library/den, and 2 1/2 car garage. \$84,900. CENTURY 21 John Cole 937-2300.</p> <p><b>REDFORD HOME W/DORMER.</b> 3 bedrooms, hardwood floors, copper plumbing, private deck. Home Warranty. \$59,959. CENTURY 21 Hartford North, Inc. 525-9600.</p> <p><b>SHOW &amp; SELL.</b> Great starter home with dining room, basement, newer furnace and carpet, neutral decor, 1 1/2 car garage w/opener. \$57,900. CENTURY 21 John Cole 937-2300.</p> <p><b>SOUTHFIELD</b> <b>THIS IS IT!</b> Sharp 4 bedroom Southfield colonial, hardwood floors, many extras. Call today for an appointment. \$119,900. CENTURY 21 MJL Corporate Transferee Service 851-6700.</p>	<p><b>REDFORD</b> <b>BEAUTIFUL BRICK RANCH</b> in desirable Redford sub. Large kitchen and living room, finished basement, 2 car detached garage. Newer carpet, hot water tank and more. \$77,500. CENTURY 21 Cook &amp; Associates 326-2600.</p> <p><b>WHITE CONTEMPORARY KITCHEN</b> is outstanding in this red brick ranch w/many updates including basement lavatory, you must see this home. Home Warranty. \$65,900. CENTURY 21 MJL Corporate Transferee Service 851-6700.</p> <p><b>WATERFORD</b> <b>SYLVAN LAKE PRIVILEGES.</b> For builder or to re-do present ranch with 2 bedrooms &amp; basement. 3 lots. \$110,000 (WYM) CENTURY 21 Country Hills 540-3050.</p> <p><b>WATERFRONT LOTS.</b> Sewer &amp; water. Main lakefront, wooded lots. \$82,500-\$92,500. (Evac.) CENTURY 21 At The Lakes 363-1200.</p> <p><b>WEST BLOOMFIELD</b> <b>OPEN SUN. 1-4.</b> Cass Lake canal front with fireplace, dry sauna, ceramic, executive retreat. \$235,000. N. of Gree, E. of Hiller to 4812 Linwood. CENTURY 21 At The Lakes 363-1200.</p> <p><b>CUSTOM Middle Straits lakefront.</b> Fantastic view, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, lakeside master suite. \$375,500. (E7853) CENTURY 21 At The Lakes 363-1200.</p>	<p><b>WEST BLOOMFIELD</b> <b>BEST BUY!</b> 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath spacious home situated on a picturesque acre lot. Neutrally decorated and well maintained. 2 car attached garage. \$126,900. CENTURY 21 Suburban 349-1212.</p> <p><b>CHARMING, WARM &amp; INVITING</b> tri-level 3 bedrooms, huge kitchen w/extra cabinetry, private patio &amp; Florida room, neutral decor, light &amp; airy, tree lot. \$150,000. CENTURY 21 MJL Corporate Transferee Service 851-6700.</p> <p><b>EXECUTIVE RETREAT.</b> Perfect for entertaining, deck, hot tub, Florida room, walk-out family room, on 1/4 acre wooded lot near schools. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. \$219,000. CENTURY 21 MJL Corporate Transferee Service 851-6700.</p> <p><b>GREEN LAKEFRONT.</b> Ready to fall in love? This 3 bedroom, 2 bath home w/walkout will do it! Over 2500 sq. ft. \$299,900. (C6460) CENTURY 21 At The Lakes 363-1200.</p> <p><b>PANORAMIC VIEW.</b> Cass Lake frontage, 3 bedroom ranch w/walkout basement, area of million \$ homes, boat dock in yard, warranted home. \$349,900. CENTURY 21 MJL Corporate Transferee Service 851-6700.</p> <p><b>3 BEDROOM, 2 1/2 bath</b> contemporary, built 1990. Great room, view of lake. \$249,900. (REC) CENTURY 21 Country Hills 540-3050.</p>	<p><b>UNION LAKEFRONT.</b> 2-story master piece, wrap around deck, southern exposure, 5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. \$276,900. CENTURY 21 At The Lakes 363-1200. (L 7619) UPDATED TO CONTEMPORARY West Bloomfield, Potomac Green Sub, 4 bedrooms, 2 story w/new white formica kitchen, new carpeting throughout, new roof. \$169,900. CENTURY 21 MJL Corporate Transferee Service 851-6700.</p> <p><b>WESTLAND</b> <b>5 BEDROOM COLONIAL</b> 3 1/2 baths, family room/fireplace, possible in-law quarters, 2 car attached garage, 2 1/2 acres. Livonia Schools. \$199,000. CENTURY 21 Hartford North, Inc. 525-9600.</p> <p><b>GREAT INVESTMENT PROPERTY</b> Zoned CB-3 General Business in fast growing airport expansion area. 1.64 acres, just \$60,000. CENTURY 21 Suburban 464-0205.</p> <p><b>HOMEOWNER SAYS SELL!</b> Great family sub, home needs a little TLC. Bring all offers. \$67,500. CENTURY 21 Suburban 261-1823.</p> <p><b>VACANT LIGHT INDUSTRIAL.</b> Prime 3 plus acres on Newburgh Rd. Development has many possibilities. CENTURY 21 Suburban 464-0205.</p> <p><b>WHITE LAKE</b> <b>LAKE NEVA Waterfront lot.</b> Walk-out site. Land contract terms. IN area of \$200,000+ homes. \$69,900. (lvac.) CENTURY 21 At The Lakes 363-1200.</p>
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\*Source: 1991 National Survey of Homeowners. This survey included 1500 telephone interviews with a random sample of homeowners from throughout the USA and was conducted during January 5-9, 1991 by The Wirthlin Group, a leading survey research organization. The results from this survey have a 95% confidence interval of +/- 2.5%. EACH OFFICE IS INDEPENDENTLY OWNED AND OPERATED.

# Magic moments

## Don't get stumped photographing trees

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MONTE NAGLER

I have always loved photographing in the forest. No better place exists to get truly lost in your photography than among the splendor of trees and woods.

Forests have personalities all their own that can change quickly and dramatically. Fog and mist will produce a mood in your pictures quite different from that of a bright, sunny day.

The same stand of trees will obviously convey different feelings when etched by a blanket of snow or enveloped in a rainbow of fallen leaves.

Trees and forests are ever changing, and you and your camera have tremendous opportunities to record these magic moments on film.

Here are some tips to help you make better photographs in the forest:

For good composition, concentrate in one of two areas: patterns or a dominant point.

I have found that patterns of trees work well in a picture, such as an even row of aspens contrasted against the dark interior of the forest. A dominant point of interest can be an unusually shaped tree, a predominant tree trunk in the foreground, framing trees behind, or a cluster of foliage on an individual branch. Remember to keep things simple and try to add impact to your shots.

As always, pay close attention to depth-of-field. Most likely, you'll want everything sharp from front to back, so be sure to use a small aperture and your depth-of-field scale on the lens barrel. And because it's usually darker in the woods, using a small aperture (necessitating a longer shutter speed for correct exposure) will likely require a tripod.

Forests provide many other photo opportunities. Look closely for that pattern of moss on a fallen log, a bouquet of intimate wildflowers or a patch of fallen leaves. Or how about that delicate stream winding through the forest, tumbling over rocks, making miniature waterfalls?

Try looking straight up at a grouping of towering trees through a wide angle lens. The trees will appear to converge, producing a truly striking picture.

You've heard the expression, "You can't see the forest for the trees." In your photography, you'll easily see the forest



**Branching out:** The tremendous contrast range and the bare diagonal trunk combined to attract Monte Nagler's eye for this forest photograph he made in Washington's Olympic National Park.

**The same stand of trees will obviously convey different feelings when etched by a blanket of snow or enveloped in a rainbow of fallen leaves.**

through the trees . . . and capture it all on film, too.

Monte Nagler is a fine art photographer based in Farmington Hills. You can leave a message by dialing 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, then his mailbox number, 1873.

## Antique shop benefit to aid heart research

Northville's La Belle Provence will host a reception to benefit the American Heart Association of Michigan on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 12 and 13.

Fourteen percent of all purchases on those days will benefit the charity, in conjunction with American Heart Month.

LaBelle Provence specializes in European antiques and interior design, say owners Leslie Benser Luciani and Jennifer Tobias-Turner.

The benefit reception runs from 5-8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13. The shop is at 119 N. Center.

American Heart Association of Michigan representatives will be there to answer questions. The nonprofit health organization is dedicated to reducing disability and death from cardiovascular disease and stroke.

The fund-raiser will mark arrival of a shipment of European Country antiques and one-of-a-kind armoires from France, Germany and Austria. In honor of St. Valentine's Day, a wedding armoire from Normandy, France (circa 1860) will make its debut. The piece is adorned with romantic kissing doves, bouquets of Provencal flowers, wheat and sheathed arrows.

University of Michigan School of Music flute performance major Carrie Wheadon will perform Baroque music as the featured entertainer. Birmingham-based baker Lucette's will provide French pastries. Caffe Bravo of Northville will offer hot chocolate and specialty coffee. Michigan artist Judy Bishop-Riviere, recently of Nice, France, will sketch pencil and charcoal line drawings of guests and be available to do colored chalk drawings.

## Music award auditions slated for Birmingham

The Michigan Federation of Music Clubs announces auditions for the \$400 Elizabeth Gardner Vocal Award.

Application deadline is Monday, Feb. 15. For application forms, call 375-9534. The auditions will take place 1 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 28, at the First Baptist Church in Birmingham.

Applicants must be between the ages of 17 and 23 on Feb. 28, 1993. For the audition, one selection from each of these four categories must be performed: opera or oratorio, Old Italian (before the 19th century), Romantic (French or German), and 20th century American or British in English. All selections, except the oratorio, must be memorized. A letter of recommendation from a voice teacher is also required.

The entrance fee is \$6, plus \$7.50 for student membership of the MFMC. Exceptions are students of the Interlochen Center for the Arts, Michigan State University, Oakland University, Olivet College, Spring Arbor College and Western Michigan University.



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**1291 LINDEN, CITY OF PLYMOUTH!** Surprisingly spacious and wonderfully updated, this HOUGH PARK home features 3 or 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, a formal dining room, a large family room with a fireplace, a newer enclosed summer room, finished/carpeted basement, an award-winning patio, etc. BE SURE AND VISIT ON SUNDAY! \$219,500 (453-8200)

**13775 RIDGEWOOD DR., PLYMOUTH!** West of Sheldon and North off N. Territorial. A beautiful 2.28 ACRE SETTING with over 50 trees. 3 or 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, formal dining room, a new RAY STELLA island counter kitchen and breakfast room, 3 fireplaces, full basement, aluminum trim, attached 2½ car garage, etc. \$255,000 (453-8200)

**12014 AMHERST COURT, PLYMOUTH!** WEST OFF BECK JUST SOUTH OF N. TERRITORIAL. A beautiful 1 ACRE SETTING with public sewer and water. There are 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, formal dining room, fireplaces (2) in the living and family rooms, 1st floor laundry, and side entrance 2½ car garage. BE SURE AND VISIT! \$214,900 (453-8200)

**CITY OF PLYMOUTH!** Be the first to occupy this newly renovated two story. The charm of yesterday has been retained but with entirely new bathrooms and a handsome new kitchen. There are 3 bedrooms, formal dining room, a study, 1½ baths, a new roof, a maintenance free exterior, basement, and two car garage. \$119,900 (453-8200)

**DECIDEDLY CUSTOM AND LUXURIOUS RANCH IN BEACON HILL.** A showcase interior with 4 bedrooms, 3 full baths, designer flooring and window coverings, family room, a gorgeous kitchen with Corian counters, a large living room overlooking a large and private rear yard, fireplace, formal dining, 1st floor laundry, finished/carpeted basement, etc. \$289,900 (453-8200)

**PLYMOUTH! A DISTINGUISHED ADDRESS ON NORTHAMPTON.** Architecturally designed expressing drama, quality, and livability. 4 or 5 bedrooms, 3½ baths, a study, formal dining room, vaulted ceilings, solarium, walk-out finished lower level, fireplace, Security system, mirrored exercise room, 3½ car garage, etc. \$349,900 (453-8200)

**PLYMOUTH! Substantive quality and pride of ownership** is expressed in this brick ranch just West of Sheldon. There are 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, a glorious rear yard (120 X 240), an efficient kitchen with many updates, finished basement with a fireplace, family room, 2 outbuildings, new roof, 2½ car garage, etc. \$139,900 (453-8200)

**PLYMOUTH!** The perfect location off N. Territorial, this stately brick Colonial boasts endless updates and special features. 4 or 5 bedrooms, 3½ baths, wood flooring, year-around Garden room, formal dining room, family room with a fireplace, finished/carpeted basement, a study, 1st floor laundry, etc. \$257,900 (453-8200)

**PLYMOUTH!** Beautifully appointed English Tudor in the heart of RIDGEWOOD HILLS. There are 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, formal dining room, a lovely wood foyer floor and staircase, family room with a cathedral ceiling and fireplace, a study, 1st floor laundry, full basement, sprinklers, and Central Air. \$218,900 (453-8200)

**PLYMOUTH!** A very custom one-of-a-kind brick ranch with 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, formal dining room, 3-way fireplace, family room, newer sun room and side entrance 2½ car garage. A newer roof, aluminum trim, new kitchen countertops, new garage door, etc. A BEAUTIFUL PRIVATE REAR YARD! \$124,900 (453-8200)

**PLYMOUTH!** "QUAIL HOLLOW"... a highly desirable neighborhood presents a well landscaped ENGLISH TUDOR with 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, formal dining room, family room with a fireplace, a study, 1st floor laundry, a herringbone oak foyer floor, an inviting deck, sprinklers, Central Air, and side entrance 2½ car garage. \$188,900 (453-8200)

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Continuing — Livonia Arts Commission presents a one-woman show by mixed-media artist Lena Masasa of Farmington Hills through Feb. 20 in the Art Gallery at the Livonia Civic Center Library. The 30-piece exhibition consists of acrylic, watercolor, pastel, collage, assemblage and mixed media artwork. Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Farmington Road and Five Mile.

The third exhibit of "Women of Artistry" runs through Feb. 28 in the first-floor showcase area of the library. Observerland artists Susan Argroff, Sharon Lee Dillenbeck, Julie Giordano, Carol Lynn McCreedy and Norma McQueen are showcasing watercolors, acrylics, oils, charcoals and marbling.

#### ■ LIVONIA CITY HALL

Continuing — A one-man show by Royal Oak artist Greg Aylesworth hosted by the Livonia Arts Commission continues through Feb. 26 in the lobby of Livonia City Hall. An instructor in the graphic design department at Center for Creative Studies in Detroit since 1988, Aylesworth works in pastel, watercolor and oil. Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Farmington Road and Five Mile.

#### ■ SWORDS INTO PLOWSHARES PEACE CENTER ART GALLERY

Continuing — "Imaging Alternatives: War of Peace" Michigan and Ontario artists, including Conni Lucas of Canton. Sculptures in wood, stone, metal, oils and watercolors, sketches, calligraphy, photography and montages. To March 11. 33 E. Adamson Grand Circus Park, Detroit. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.

#### ■ LEMERG GALLERY

Continuing — Royal Oak printmaker Douglas Semiva, an assistant art professor at Madonna University in Livonia, takes part in a group exhibition along with the likes of Louise Nevelson, Jim Dine, David Salle, Bruce Houston, Douglas Bulka, Peter Ldato and Steven Sorman through Feb. 28. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Friday and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday. 538 North Woodward, Birmingham.

#### ■ URBANPARK

Friday, Feb. 12 — New exhibits featuring paintings by Jim Sack, sculpture and paintings by Center for Creative Studies graduates Matthew Hanna and Jim Boyk; photography by Karl Fitzpatrick and Dan Santni, and Zuhair Sha'ouni, and drawings by Frank Farrell will continue through March 8. Opening 6 p.m. Friday. Slack, a Downriver artist, presents a show of paintings exploring the theme of Irish-American mythology. Hanna's steel and mixed-media shrines and altar pieces are explorations into religion and its implications. Boyk's acrylic paintings on canvas and paper explore the layering of culture evoking the imagery of archaeological digs. Fitzpatrick's work is often figurative,

introducing printmaking and painterly techniques. Santoni uses light and staging, producing lush color prints. Sha'ouni's photos document his recent travels in his homeland of Iraq. Hours: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. Friday-Saturday, noon to 7 p.m. Sunday, 608 Monroe, third floor, Detroit, 963-5445.

#### ■ THE SYBARIS GALLERY

Friday, Feb. 12 — A solo exhibition of ceramics and paintings on tile and canvas by New York artist Jeff Perrone will continue to March 13. Opening reception for the artist 6-8 p.m. Friday. Perrone takes what is familiar to Western eyes — household objects, Cubist construction, Matisian color — and reinterprets it in such a way that the viewer becomes aware of the relationship to visual traditions of other cultures. For example, with his decorative surfaces, he combines non-Western sources such as Persian and Indian miniatures, Japanese kimonos and Mimbres pottery with Western images from floral dress prints of the '50s, wallpaper, linoleum and Matisian motifs for the purpose of translating them into "foreign" media. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday or by appointment, 301 W. Fourth, Royal Oak, 544-3388.

#### ■ THE ANDY SHARKEY GALLERY

Friday, Feb. 12 — Royal Oak's new art gallery offers an unusual collection of Michigan artists featuring painted furniture, pottery, glass, jewelry, a Kids' Corner, custom painting and more. "Valentine's Show," with dolls, masks, frogs and dogs, 6-9 p.m. Friday. The gallery is at 204 W. Fifth. Call 546-6770.

#### ■ MICHIGAN COUNCIL FOR ARTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS GALLERY

Friday, Feb. 12 — "Native American Masters," an exhibit of the works of basketmakers, quill workers, beadworkers and finger weavers, continues through April 16. Public reception 4-6 p.m. Friday. The exhibit celebrates those custodians of traditions who have been recognized by their peers and the larger community for their mastery of knowledge and the role they have played in passing their skills on to the next generation. Hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 1200 Sixth, 11th floor, Detroit.

#### ■ T'MARRA GALLERY

To Feb. 15 — Watercolors by Louis Redstone and pastels by Joan Rosenblum. Redstone is an accomplished architect, writer and painter who has been exhibiting his work for more than 50 years. Hours: 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday-Friday, by appointment Monday-Wednesday, 111 N. First, Ann Arbor, 769-3223.

#### ■ ARTISTS COOPERATIVE

Friday, Feb. 19 — "In Your Own Image," a group exhibit of self-portraits. Opening reception 7-10 p.m. 29 E. Grand River, Detroit. To March 13. Gallery hours: noon to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday.

#### ■ LAWRENCE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

To Feb. 19 — A retrospective exhibition by Ken Graning, showing 25 years of advertising and editorial illustration, plus personal paintings and graphics, in the gallery in the School of Architecture and Design. Hours: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., 21000 W. 10 Mile, Southfield.

#### ■ MATRIX GALLERY

To Feb. 21 — 39 Steps, an exhibition of digital and traditional images by Ann Arbor photographer Bern Pedit. The images of the Columbia River Gorge in the Pacific Northwest and Kilauea Volcano in Hawaii cover a nine-year span are taken from his portfolio, "Conversations with Pels," the Hawaiian goddess of fire (both areas are volcanic). 212 Miller, Ann Arbor. Call 663-7775. Hours: 5-9 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

#### ■ WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY ARTS GALLERY

To Feb. 22 — "Professing Art," the 1993 WSU faculty art exhibition. A closing concert by WSU's music department will feature the Essex Music Trio performing James Lentini's "Montage" at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 22, in the gallery. Acrylics, paintings, sculptures, computer videos, raku, drawings, mixed media and photographs are included in the exhibition, sponsored by WSU's art and art history department. Participating faculty are department chairman Jeffrey Abt, Olga Constantine, Pamela DeLaura, Phillip Fike, Tom Paul Fitzgerald, John Hegarty, Urban Jupena, Brian Kritzman, Robert Martin, John Marusich, Jim Nawara, Thomas Parish, Mel Rosas, Jim Raymo, Stanley Rosenthal, Peter Williams, Robert Wilbert, Joe Zodiac and Marilyn Zimmerman. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, on Cass at Kirby in Detroit, 577-2324.

#### ■ PEWABIC POTTERY

To Feb. 27 — A group exhibition of work by James Tanner of Minnesota and Jerome Ferretti and John Murphy of Detroit, and a solo exhibition by Peggy Steinway of Connecticut. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 10125 E. Jefferson, Detroit, 822-0954.

#### ■ CAROL HOOBERMAN GALLERY

To Feb. 27 — "English Crafts." Featured are hand-crafted ceramics, blown glass and turned wooden bowls by British craftspeople Mary Rose Young, Jane Willingdale, Karen Atherly, Robyn Wilkinson, Mike Levy, Victoria Glass and Anthony Bryant. Hours: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, 124 S. Woodward, Suite 12, Birmingham, 647-3666.

#### ■ O.K. HARRIS/DAVID KLEIN GALLERY

To Feb. 27 — New laser-cut steel sculpture by famous pop artist Tom Wesselmann, including nudes, still lifes and landscapes. Hours: 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 430 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 433-3700.

#### ■ BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART ASSOCIATION

To Feb. 27 — An exhibit continues of paintings by Marilyn Blinder and Bill Horning. The works were based on their travel experiences in southern France last summer while on a painting class expedition conducted by Leslie Masters of the BBAA. Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 1516 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham, 644-0866.

#### ■ HABATAT GALLERIES

To Feb. 27 — "Games," an installation by Emily Brock, and the architectonic glass sculpture of Cissy McCaa. Brock's installation is a new direction in her sculptured environmental studies. The gallery

is in the Triatria Building at 32256 Northwestern Highway in Farmington Hills. Call 851-9090.

#### ■ HABATAT/SHAW GALLERY

To Feb. 27 — Two one-person exhibits highlighting the work of Tom Phardel and Brian Fiorentino. Phardel chairs ceramics in the College of Art and Design at the Center for Creative Studies. He combines materials such as bronze, copper, steel, glass and stone with clay to form his sculpture. Fiorentino received a master of fine arts degree from the Cranbrook Academy of Art. His meticulously crafted sculpture combines seemingly random-placed disparate shapes, both hard- and soft-edged, into highly ordered and complex compositions. Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 32255 Northwestern Highway, Farmington Hills, 851-8767.

#### ■ ATRIUM GALLERY

To Feb. 28 — Jeanne Ozment of Farmington exhibits 18 new realistic and abstract watercolor, acrylic, collage, and mixed media artworks. Northville artist Charles Aimone's 36- by 48-inch acrylics on canvas offer an exciting representation of the prehistoric drawings from the Lascaux caves. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. 109 N. Center at Main, Northville.

#### ■ MESA ARTS

To Feb. 28 — "Pottery of Culture," an exhibit of ancient and contemporary American Indian and Southwestern pottery, of the Pueblo Indians of New Mexico and Arizona. The Acoma, Hopi and Santa Clara tribes have developed highly refined motifs and techniques. Some are finely textured, others are burnished to a glassy shine. Historic and contemporary designs are incorporated, honed and elaborated upon by contemporary artists. Each piece evokes the spirit of the Southwest. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 32800 Franklin Road, Franklin, 851-9949.

#### ■ ARTSPACE

To Feb. 28 — Paintings and drawings by Charles Culver are exhibited. Opening 5:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 4, 534 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 258-1540.

#### ■ ATRIUM GALLERY

To Feb. 28 — Farmington artist Jeanne Ozment with 18 new watercolors, acrylics, mixed media pictures and collages. Also featured: Northville artist Charles Aimone, offering a representation of prehistoric drawings from the Lascaux Caves (acrylics on canvas). Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday.

#### ■ THE ARTISTS' GALLERY

To Feb. 28 — The work of Andrea Tama of Farmington Hills, designer of the new gallery, will be featured. The gallery is a co-op featuring the work of artists from local communities, including Birmingham, West Bloomfield, Franklin, Southfield, Bloomfield Hills, Farmington, Farmington Hills, Royal Oak and Livonia. Orchard Place Mall at 30905 Orchard Lake Road in Farmington Hills. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Wednesday and Friday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, 855-8832.



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## REAL ESTATE NEWS

### Big name realty firms trade on credibility issue

Last week, we took a look at Fortune Properties Inc., formerly Century 21 Northwestern, in West Bloomfield to see why a successful real estate company would consider leaving the confines of a comfortable affiliation. This week, we look Century 21 Gold House in Canton and find out why its new broker/owner wanted in.

become an affiliate of Century 21 (or some other large real estate broker).

Those are the sentiments of Joe Kollins who started Century 21 Gold House in Canton last October.

Kollins, a real estate veteran with more than 17 years in the business, said affiliating with Century 21 gives a new firm like his instant credibility. "It's like the Golden arches; it's a highly recognized name."

When starting a company, the

easiest thing to do is buy a building and equipment. A building and a nice desk doesn't bring in one customer. Reputation does.

An affiliation instantly conveys training, dependability, trustworthiness and competency, he said: "That's what I get by being part of Century 21."

Of course, a name isn't everything. Century 21's name may get him in the door, but it is and his staff's own efforts that get the house sold.

Borrowing from his own experi-

ence, he has developed a training manual for his employees that augments Century 21's own training program. "So it's not like we depend totally on Century 21 for everything. The broker/trainer plays a significant part in his office's success."

Kollins said he isn't really surprised when brokers end their relationship with a firm like Century 21. There are, after all, membership fees to pay and rules to follow that might rub an independent-minded broker the wrong

way. But independence isn't always all it's cracked up to be.

"I've seen other real estate firms go out, become independent and then return," he said. Kollins said an affiliation with a large real estate brokerage is no guarantee of success — some company's succeed without it — but it does distinguish the real estate broker for the home buyers and sellers.

Century 21's name, uniforms (the gold coat) and signage are in-

stantly recognizable and internationally known, he said. "I think you need that to survive in this business."

"Those are the kinds of things money can't buy," Kollins said. Training programs for employees, assistance on administrative and office, a nationwide referral network are added pluses. "If I was an independent, I wouldn't get that."

A name like Century 21 also helps a real estate firm recruit employees, Kollins said.

By GERALD FRAWLEY  
STAFF WRITER

You'd have to be crazy not to

### Refusal to inspect should have been hint

#### CONDO QUERIES



ROBERT M. MEISNER

We discovered that the seller covered up a basement leak in the house we bought. He knew about the leaks but refused to allow us to have the house inspected. The purchase agreement says nothing about the basement leaks. What can we do?

You should have been on notice that when the seller was not willing to let you to inspect the premises that something was wrong. Depending on the terms of your

purchase agreement, you may be out of luck. If you signed a purchase agreement that says the house is being sold as is but you were not given an opportunity to inspect the premises and the seller intentionally misrepresented the condition of the premises, you may still have recourse.

Your best advice is to determine the extent of your damages, hire an attorney and sue the seller for misrepresentation and breach of contract if your attorney cannot reach an amicable resolution.

As president of our board, I am continuously saddled with the burden of trying to convince other directors that you basically get what you pay for when you hire professionals.

They always want to hire the cheapest contractor, lawyer, accountant or the like. I am specifically concerned about hiring the cheapest lawyer because we have some serious legal problems facing us.

In a recent article on the hiring of attorneys, Ed Parks, the managing partner of Plante & Moran, the CPA firm, was quoted as saying that lawyer fees should be about last on the list of concerns. He also said that a good lawyer is expensive but a bad one is even more so.

I believe this statement is applicable not only to the hiring of lawyers but to any personnel the association needs. Keep in mind that the directors are not compensated for their responsibilities but

can still incur substantial liability. It is hard to understand why your directors would want to stick their necks out, making penny wise decisions either in terms of management or other personnel hired to assist them. Simply put, you get what you pay for in most instances.

Robert M. Meisner is a Birmingham attorney concentrating his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate and corporate law. You are invited to submit topics you would like to see discussed in this column by writing Robert M. Meisner at 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Birmingham Farms 48025. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.

### House sales rebound

(AP) — Buyers rushed to purchase existing homes in December and helped push sales to their highest level in more than 13 years, according to the National Association of Realtors.

The flurry of activity helped boost sales of existing homes for the year by 8.7 percent, to 3.5 million units.

It was the largest annual increase since a 10.8 percent advance in 1985, and the highest level since 3.51 million homes were sold in 1988.

Sales in December were up 5 percent to 4.02 million units at a seasonally adjusted annual rate, the largest number since a 4.09 million rate in May 1979, the

Realtors said. The monthly increase followed a 5.2 percent gain in November.

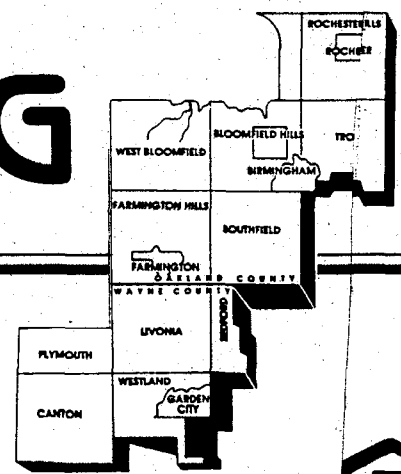
Every region of the country registered gains in 1992, and all but the South, where sales were unchanged, shared in the December advance.

Mark Obrinsky, an economist with the Federal National Mortgage Association, said low mortgage rates played a role in the sales activity, but placed greater emphasis on the consumer's state of mind.

"I think the strengthening economy and improving consumer confidence have more to do for sales than mortgage rates," he said.

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 Open Sun. 1-4. 11324 Berkwick, S. of Plymouth, W. of Merriman, 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath colonial. Double lot. Completely updated. 2000 sq. ft. Hardwood floors, Cathedral ceilings. Central air, fireplace, large deck. By owner. \$144,000. 525-0114

**LIVONIA - OPEN SUN. 1-4**  
 Completely updated Ranch on large wooded lot backing to Bell Creek. Nature lover's dream. Reduced to \$222,000. 18734 Stanmore. Ask for:  
**LARRY VAN ZANDT**  
**473-6200**  
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**LIVONIA, OPEN SUN. 1-4**  
 10271 Farmington Rd., S. of Plymouth, W. of Farmington. Country atmosphere surrounds this 3 bedroom brick ranch, set on almost 1/2 acre lot. Updated bath, Florida room, 2 1/2 car garage. Just reduced. \$84,900.  
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**464-7111**

**OPEN SUNDAY 1-4**  
 9215 Winfield  
 S. of 2 Mile, E. of Meadowbrook 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial in move-in condition. Large Florida room, central air, fireplace, 2 car garage. Popular Novi sub. \$146,800.  
 Call Jeff Kwartler:  
 347-3050  
**COLDWELL BANKER**  
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## 301 Open Houses

**LATHRUP VILLAGE**  
**OPEN SUN. 1-4**  
 18755 LACROSS, S. of 12 Mile, W. of Southfield. Spacious 3 bedroom, 3 bath brick ranch. Pella and Anderson windows and doorways. Basement rec room with fireplace, quiet occupancy. \$139,900. 642-2400  
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**Schwitzer Real Estate**

**LIVONIA - Brand new 2-story, 3300 sq. ft. home, 3 bedrooms, 3 full baths, two 1/2 baths, great room, dining room, library, covered patio, 2 1/2 car garage. \$375,000. OPEN SUNDAY, 1-5pm. 19016 Gary Lane, 7 mile, W. of Farmington. 522-8437 or 591-8573**

**LIVONIA**  
**OPEN SAT. SUN. 12-3**  
 29822 Robert, affordable ranch in nice neighborhood, lots of updates including new kitchen, windows & roof, must see. S. of Plymouth Rd. W. off Middlebelt. \$299,900.  
 Call: 422-6273

**LIVONIA - OPEN SUN. 1-4**  
 30650 Rayburn, N. of E. of Merriman, immaculate 3 bedroom colonial on 100 x 300 lot, 2 baths, living room with fireplace, first floor, attached garage. \$119,900.  
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**464-7111**

**Livonia**  
**OPEN SUNDAY 1-4**  
 35232 Bennett  
 N. of 6 Mile, W. of Farmington. Fantastic 2,383 sq. ft. colonial in Nottingham Wood West offers finished basement with wet bar, family room with bow window and natural fireplace, French door in kitchen, oak cabinets & neutral colors throughout. 2600 sq. ft., many extras. 7522 Greenfield Rd., W. Bloomfield, N. of 14, E. of Haggerty. \$142,500. 788-1643  
**COLDWELL BANKER**  
**Schwitzer Real Estate**

**Southfield, Open Sun. 1-4**  
 23491 Plumbrook, W. of Evergreen, N. of 9. Simply gorgeous 4 bedroom quad, remodeled kitchen w/built-ins, finished basement, spacious family room w/natural fireplace, central air, new window treatments thru-out, newer roof, large walkout closet off master bedroom, motivated seller. Asking \$115,000.

**MCGLAUN**  
**559-0990**

**South Lyon. CHEAP CHEAP CHEAP**  
 Lowest prices home in downtown South Lyon. 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch, zoned multiple. Open House Sun. Feb. 14, 1-4pm. Ask for Mark. Red Carpet Keim Carol of Mason, Inc. 344-1800 or 473-1562

**TROY CONDO**  
**COURTYARD VILLA**  
**OPEN SUNDAY 1-4**  
 877 Kirts Blvd.  
 Lots of updates including kitchen cabinets, counters, faucets, flooring, dishwasher, carpeting, paint. Two bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 2 ceiling fans, built-ins, IS. of Big Beaver & E. of Crooks. \$89,900. 8-89048  
**HANNETT, INC.**  
**REALTORS**  
**646-8200**

## 301 Open Houses

**REDFORD - OPEN SUN. 12-3**  
 Adorable & affordable, 17134 Garfield, N. of 5 Mile, \$3600 move-in.  
**CALL BARB MARTIN**  
 Realty Professionals 476-3300

**ROYAL OAK**  
**OPEN SATURDAY 12-2**  
 4028 Hillside, S. of Normandy, W. of Woodward.  
**PRICE REDUCED - Owner says sell now! Act fast and you can enjoy a unique 4 bedroom cape cod in Royal Oak Beverly Hills. New central air, deck and more. \$144,900 Call Dan LaFont (H404) 5061025**  
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**BREATHTAKING**  
 Quality & luxury only as you have dreamed. 3 1/2 bedroom contemporary in serene golf community setting. Prepare to be impressed. Open House Sun & Sun 1-4. 973-2900  
**HELP-SELL OF NNSI** 948-6006

**SOUTHFIELD BY OWNER**  
**25630 Catalina**  
**OPEN SUNDAY, 2-5p.m.**  
 W. of Southfield, N. of 10 Mile 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial, family room, finished basement, contemporary decor, new vinyl windows, central air & deck. Many updates! \$122,500. Call 557-4708

**SOUTH LYON - OPEN SUN. 1-4**  
 4292 West Nine Mile Road  
 Stunning 3 bedroom home, 1st floor master suite w/jacuzzi, marble fireplace. Private location. \$172,500  
**HELP-SELL OF NNSI** 948-6006

**TROY - OPEN SUN. 1-4**  
 2570 Havertford, Hickory Heights North, N. of Long, W. of Beach. Just listed, delightful colonial, over 3,000 sq. ft., 4 bedrooms, den, sunroom, family room, finished rec room, Bloomfield Hills schools. \$279,900.  
**SALLY LYNN RALPH MANUEL**  
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**VALENTINE'S DAY SPECIAL -**  
 Open Sun. 1-5pm. Large end ranch condo unit, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, open finished living room, level oak cabinets & neutral colors throughout. 2600 sq. ft., many extras. 7522 Greenfield Rd., W. Bloomfield, N. of 14, E. of Haggerty. \$142,500. 788-1643  
**COLDWELL BANKER**  
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**WESTLAND - Sun. 1-4, 37838 Jermaine.**  
 '87 Colonial, 3 bedroom, finished basement, air, extra. Livable schools. No brokers. 451-1585

**WHAT'S BUGGING YOU?**  
 If it's the high rent you're paying, you need to drive this. 2 bedrooms, 2 bath, 1150 sq. ft. PLUS garage and full basement in N.W. Farmington Hills. \$105,900. OPEN SUNDAY 1-4pm. Call: TRACY. CENTURY 21 HARTFORD 478-6000

**W. BLOOMFIELD - Virginia colonial,**  
 1 acre wooded lot, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, 2816 sq. ft., finished rec room, great condition. Lake privileges, walk to nature preserve. Open 2/13 & 2/14, 1-4pm. \$279,900. 682-7739

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## 301 Open Houses

**WESTLAND**  
**OPEN SAT. 2-5**  
 CUTE AS A BUG! Delightful central air conditioned 3 bedroom aluminum starter. Newer furnace, carpet, roof & vinyl windows, modern dream kitchen, oak bath, finished basement with bar. 2 1/2 car garage. JUST REDUCED \$89,900.

**OPEN SUN. - Noon-3pm**  
**LIVONIA SCHOOLS!** Start packing! You'll love this spectacular, beautifully upgraded 3 bedroom brick ranch, new carpeting, natural marble fireplace, finished basement, 2 1/2 car garage & more. NEWLY LISTED. \$82,900.  
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**W. BLOOMFIELD Open Sun. 1-5pm**  
 7207 Crestmore 363-4827  
 S. of Richardson, W. of Green Lake Rd. Sunny, clean, newly remodeled ranch, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, lg corner lot, 2 1/2 garage, newer appliances, home warranty, Upper Stratts Lake privileges. \$83,000

**ADAMS SQUARE - Hilltop Georgian**  
 colonial, new furnace, air, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, ceramic foyer, newer kitchen, large deck, built-ins. \$199,900. 647-4480. REA 737-5184

**WALLACE FROST, classic 4 bedroom**  
 home on Pilgrim in Birmingham. \$498,000. Dave Beatty, Re/Max Associates. 647-9999 or 647-7100

**BIRMINGHAM HOME FOR SALE**  
 by owner, \$50,000. Land contract terms available. Call Cathy 647-9181 or 557-3000

**BIRMINGHAM - 175 Adams**  
 English Tudor, 4 bedrooms, walk to groceries. \$157,000. Immediate Owner Sale. 642-9700

**BLOOMFIELD HILLS - Birmingham**  
 Schools, newly renovated 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch on 1.5 acre glass. \$249,900. Call: BLOOMFIELD BY OWNER \$189,900. 851-1685

**BLOOMFIELD HILLS, 4 bedroom,**  
 2 1/2 bath colonial, wooded lot, built 1980. Birmingham schools. Was \$219,000. Now \$199,000. 504-3654

**BLOOMFIELD**  
 OPEN SUN. 1-4pm  
 326 Vallwood - N. off Hickory Grove  
 Reducing Chestnut Run! Classic floor plan Soaring living room called! Just \$65,000.  
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**BRAND NEW HOME in Bertley**  
 Under construction. 2 story Colonial. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, full basement, 2 car garage, hardwood floors, you choose paint, carpeting, etc. Call. 642-2775

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**COLONIAL - Four bedrooms, White**  
 Merlot kitchen. Hurry before it's gone. \$189,000.

**COLONIAL - Four bedrooms, Secluded lot. Pool. Mrs. Clean lives here.**  
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**RANCH - Three bedrooms, Two**  
 baths, family room. Wing Lake Privileges. \$184,900.

**RANCH - 2,000 sq. ft. One acre.**  
 Waiting for your touch! \$134,900.  
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## 302 Birmingham

**Bloomfield**  
**OPEN SUN. 1-4pm**  
 120 VORLANE  
 Value in Bloomfield Village area! 4 bedrooms, hardwood floors, covered ceiling, walk-out Country Day and shopping. \$212,000. Ask for:  
**Judith Forrest**  
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**644-4700**

**BLOOMFIELD HILLS**  
 Take advantage of this opportunity to live in a 4.5 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath, den, family room home on a private wooded acre plus lot in the city. \$400,000.  
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**BLOOMFIELD - Quanton & Lahser**  
 area. Exciting, fabulous Tudor with an open, luxurious, and contemporary interior. Step into 2-story foyer and see the 23' x 23' great room, the huge dining room with glass wall, and the big, cozy den. Newer white Woodmode gourmet kitchen with beechwood floor, finished basement schools. \$545,000.

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**COLE STREET in Birmingham - 3**  
 homes all with 3 bedrooms, all about \$50 sq. ft. \$87,000-\$90,000. Aluminum sided, excellent neighborhood, good condition.  
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**COND0 ALTERNATIVE - Great location!**  
 2 bedroom, finished basement, new kitchen, in-law unit. Owner moving out of state! \$89,900.  
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 3 bedroom, 2 car garage, newer furniture, some appliances. \$89,900.  
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**GREAT 646-583 REALTY**

**FOR ACTIVE LIVING - Large family room,**  
 living room, dining room, kitchen & breakfast. All open. Natural fireplace, 3 plus bedrooms. Library. \$44,000. Finished basement with bar & 1/2 bath, 2455 sq. ft. Quick occupancy. \$229,000. Call Keena Cattaneo (6704) 335-0050  
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**FOR THE EXECUTIVE**  
 Classic elegance with generosity of space is what you will find in this 4 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath, 3000 sq. ft. home. Whether relaxing by the fireplace or enjoying the solar room with hot tub, this dynamic home has all the amenities such as central air, security system, circular drive, 3 car garage plus more. Bloomfield beautiful lot. \$238,500.  
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**NEWLY LISTED**  
 An acre in the heart of town. High on a hill overlooking the city. A picture book home full of nooks and crannies. 3 fireplaces (1 in the master), 3 car garage, and much more. \$189,900.  
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 This wonderful ranch with full walk-out lower level has gorgeous view of nature from every room. 2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, 2816 sq. ft., finished rec room, places, soft contemporary decor. Fresh and youthful. \$219,000. (W/O) RED CARPET KEIM 855-9100

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 Bloomfield Village. Lovely ranch with over one acre of land. Great location. Completely updated, with 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, family room, library, Florida room. \$89,000.  
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**City of Bloomfield Hills - Stunning**  
 Colonial with attention to detail throughout. Five bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, library, family room and rec. garage. \$1,060,000. EC-H-90MAR  
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**NOTHING MORE**  
**CHARMING THIS**  
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**BLOOMFIELD VILLAGE - Elegance**  
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 Professionally decorated. Move-in condition. 3 bedroom, 4th den in den, family room, 2 1/2 bath, 2 fireplaces. Finished basement. \$409,000 firm. Call. 647-1563

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**UPDATED FAMILY COLONIAL**  
 Cde-sac setting. Huge great room with brick wall fireplace. Doorwall to patio and large treed backyard. Formal dining room. Many updates: roof shingles, carpet, paint, blinds and more. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, central air, \$187,000  
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**DREAMS COME TRUE**  
 Brick Colonial with finished front on cut-back, with deck overlooking nature preserve with stream. Two fireplaces, crown moldings, beams, sauna, central air, 3 1/2 baths and decorated in seashore. All in mint condition. \$219,500.  
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 Custom built home in move in condition. Loaded with extras, set back approx 400' from road. Land contract possible. Super investment with room for everything. \$325,000. W-51FOU

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 A lovely pond, ducks, beaver, Blue Heron & fish a jump in what you'll see, come spring, from your newly finished pegged floor dining room, off white Euro style kitchen the great room with designer fireplace, and the full length deck, there are 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, 1st floor laundry, 2 1/2 car attached side entry garage, unfinished walk-out basement with over-sized natural fireplace, another bath & doorway to a brick patio also overlooking this grand specimen of nature. There is new Stainmaster carpet too!  
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**FARMINGTON HILLS - For sale by owner. 4 bedroom quad-level, central air, many upgrades, Farmington Green Subdivision, 12 Mile & Drake. Owner transferred. \$199,000. Call Mon.-Fri. 9:30-5:30. 429-5886**

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 Great room with fireplace. Attached garage. Circle drive. \$399,900.  
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**FARMINGTON HILLS - First home buyer special. Put your taste in and create value. Land contract terms. Easy to see. \$74,900**  
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 Spacious 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial on large corner lot offers flexible comfort, living room, 1st floor laundry, Buyer Protection Plan and more! \$149,900. Call 477-1245  
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**NORTHWESTERN & MIDDLEBELT Area - Beautiful updated ranch. Country living within city. 2 acres, 3 bedrooms, much more. \$259,900. App: 852-2611. Agent selected.**

**OPEN SUN. 1-4PM**  
 Farmington Hills - 34587 Valley Forge, N. of 12 Mile, W. of Farmington. Sharp 3 bedroom Colonial with many updates, 2 sliding doorways, 2 large decks & hot tub. Family room, fireplace, beautiful lot backing to woods. \$190,000. Ask for: BETTY or GEORGE Chamberlain, REALTORS 851-4400

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**IMMACULATE - 4 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath Tudor backing to park. Large family room with cathedral ceiling & wet bar. Finished basement with full bath, cedar closet, entertainment area with wet bar, 2790 sq. ft. Transfers area. Farmington Hills Schools. \$242,900. BA-37.**

**FANTASTIC - walk-out ranch on cul-de-sac. Approximately 4400 sq. ft. of living space. 3 full & 1 half bath. Nice ASKING \$229,900. HE-28**

**VERY CONTEMPORARY - In upbeat style. Nest & clean. Many custom features. 2 added custom fireplaces in spacious living room, finished basement, Florida room. Call today for more information. \$129,900. CA-35.**

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**ROLLING OAKS**  
 Hard to find 4 bedroom beautiful corner lot. Extensive use of wood, ceramic and marble floor covering. White formica kitchen, many extras. Property adjacent to commons area. \$199,900. W-06HIG

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**Trees Trees Trees! And More Trees!**  
 This luxurious home featuring over 2000 sq. ft. backs to a lovely wooded commons and offers circular staircase, crown & neck moldings, central air, wet bar, library, soaring ceilings. Built in 1989 with a move-in condition. \$289,900.  
 CALL RANDY GOODSON  
 THE PRUDENTIAL  
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**304 Farmington Farmington Hills**  
**LOW TAXES \$73,900**  
 Make this 3 bedroom home affordable. You won't have to spend any extra money upon moving in because everything has been done already. There is a new kitchen, new bath, new carpet new siding, and many new windows. 474-5700

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 Of living space in this colonial located on almost an acre of property. 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 2 car garage & more. \$89,900. F-208U-FH. Call 474-3303.

**ERA COUNTRY RIDGE REALTY**

**RANCH-3 bedroom, 2 1/2 car garage. Beautifully situated on large private lot near excellent schools, affordably priced at \$108,900. 553-2377 (CO6504)**

**VERY AFFORDABLE**  
 3 bedrooms, mechanics dream garage/fenced lot, gas furnace & water heater. Cash, conventional, FHA, good starter/retire home. \$51,900. Ask for BILL.

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 New construction. Unique Executive Victorian home on 1/4 acre. 3600 sq. ft. plus walk-out. 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, 2 fireplaces, 3 1/2 car garage. \$375,000. (313) 220-0301  
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**BRIGHTON: Spacious beauty, 2,800 sq. ft. brick & stone home, first floor master bedroom suite, great room with vaulted ceilings, skylights, & fireplace all on a 2 acre lot with a natural setting. \$245,000. (CO6504)**

**HOWELL: Nice family colonial of brick & aluminum. 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, family room, deck, basement & 2 car garage. \$109,900. (CO6500)**

**COLDWELL BANKER BRIGHTON TOWN & COUNTRY 227-1111**

**HOWELL - brick cedar ranch on 2 scenic acres, built in 1991, 1600 sq. ft. Andersen windows with 10 ft. bow, Merlot cabinets, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, full basement, on private paved cul de sac road. Leaving state - must sell. \$135,000. 517-548-2827**

**306 Southfield-Lathrup**  
 Lovely 4 Bedroom Quad finished basement, carpet thru-out, lots of closet space, remodeled kitchen with built-ins, central air, motivated seller. Open Sun. 1-4. Can be seen any day by calling.  
**MCGLAUN 559-0990**  
**312 Livonia**

**306 Southfield-Lathrup**  
**GRANBROOK VILLAGE SUB**  
 Marvellous updated colonial in Southfield offers 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, hardwood floors, partially finished basement and 2 car attached garage. \$114,900 (F286).  
 CHERYL KILBASKI  
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**CUSTOM BUILT**  
 Great ranch with finished walk-out. 30x12 - screened porch. Finished basement. Birmingham schools. \$129,900. EC-11-818A  
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**307 South Lyon Milford-Highland**  
 Colonial, 3 bedroom, finished basement, neutral decor, 1st floor laundry, sprinklers, many extras. \$142,900  
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**SMASHING BRICK RANCH**  
 Family room with downslat leading to patio & beautifully landscaped extra large fenced backyard. Newly painted interior/exterior, hardwood floors, finished basement, and more! \$89,900. (20ea)

**LOVELY & ELEGANT**  
 Completely updated, brick ranch with 1 1/2 baths. Formica kitchen with fireplace & built-in breakfast table, ceramic foyer. Must see to appreciate! \$79,900 (24gr)

**626-8800 CENTURY 21 Premiere**

**MUST SEE INSIDE! Appearances are deceiving - totally modern 3 bedroom cape cod. \$69,900**  
 Land Contract terms. 2 bedroom cape cod. Updated. Call today! \$49,900  
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**306 Southfield-Lathrup**  
**GREAT LOCATION!**  
 This 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath ranch is on a pretty boulevard close to shopping & expressways. Family room with fireplace. French doors leading to landscaped deck. 2 car garage & proceeds see. \$78,500.  
**REALTY AMERICA 347-2990**

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**GREEN OAK TWP.**  
 On the sharp new 1800 sq. ft. colonial, 1/2 acre in country sub. Priced for quick sale. \$117,000.  
**CALL LINDA ROBERTS THE MICHIGAN GROUP REALTORS INC., 227-4800 Ext 258**

**HIGHLAND - gorgeous 4 bedroom Dutch colonial, 3 minutes from downtown Milford, 10 acres, backs up to Highland State recreation area, horse barn with 6 box stalls, water & electricity, new furnace, decks, roof & inground pool. Master suite & natural stone fireplace, owner transferred. No land contract. \$245,000. 313-555-8901**

**ICE SPECTACULAR OPEN HOUSE**  
 Fri. 12th, 9-7 Sat. 13th, 9-7, Sun. 14th, 10-4  
 Nice quad in Village. \$114,000. 345 W. Liberty. Call 684-2129 for more information & directions. Brokers welcome.

**LYON TOWNSHIP - Cape Cod, 1/2 acre, 1545 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, deck, \$119,900. Open house, Feb. 14, 1-4PM or call: 437-2536**

**307 South Lyon Milford-Highland**  
**JUST LISTED!** Country living at its best. Sharp updated 2 ranch on 1/2 acres with woods and stream. New oversized garage, new air, whirlpool bath, neutral decor, full basement and your horse! \$136,900. Ask for JERRY MOONS.

**Remerica Village Square 349-5600**

**MILFORD HEIGHTS - Grand Opening soon of the 2175 sq. ft. colonial at \$199,900. 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, living room, dining room, den & family room. 685-9908**

**NEW CONSTRUCTION. Contemporary 1 1/2 story custom brick home, 2,317 sq. ft. Open floor plan, great room w/vaulted ceiling & fireplace, large kitchen w/island, nook in dining area, w/brgy/cenr, 2 1/2 baths, 1st floor master suite, 2 person whirlpool tub, GE appliances, central vac system, alarm, intercom/radio system, attached 2 1/2 car garage, half acre lot, spacious sub w/paved streets. Asking \$192,900. 437-7841**

**Picturesque view of pond, woods huge deck, 2435 sq. ft. Colonial, built 1990, 2.42 acres, \$230,000  
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**LIVONIA - Just Like New. This special 1983 built 3 bedroom ranch is decorated to perfection. Features a lovely great room with natural fireplace, great size kitchen and 3 lovely bedrooms, basement, 2 car attached garage, deck, and private court setting. Hurry on this one. Only \$112,900. Call Ken.**

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**SOUTH LYON Brand New Condominiums**  
 Take a stroll through *The Village at Eagle Heights*, an affordable luxury condominium community. You'll find homes as stunning as the scenery and shopping, restaurants, and freeways nearby!  
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 Set your sights on the ultimate in condominium living: *Woodridge Hills*, in the nearby town of Brighton. These elegant condominiums are in a park-like setting close to US-23 and I-96.  
**from \$115,500**  
**DIRECTIONS: I-96 west to US-23 south, Exit 58 (Brighton), go west to Rickett, right to Oakridge Drive, left to Woodridge Hills Dr., turn left to models. Open Daily 12-6, Closed Thursday (313) 229-6776**

**GREEN OAK TOWNSHIP Custom Single Family Homes**  
 Lake Nichwagh provides a picturesque setting for *Eagle Cove*, with abundant wildlife and mature trees. And I-96 and US-23 are minutes away from this new custom home community.  
**from \$165,000**  
**DIRECTIONS: US-23 to Nine Mile Road East (Exit 54). Follow Nine Mile Road approximately 3 miles. Just past Rushton on the north side of Nine Mile. Open Saturday and Sunday 12-6 (313) 486-5792**

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**REDFORD "Country Feeling" \$64,900**

**NOVI "Completely Remodeled" \$154,900**

**NOVI "Excellent Location" \$212,500**

**WESTLAND "Mint Condition" \$83,500**

**WESTLAND "Family Living" \$79,900**

**LIVONIA "Rosedale Gardens" \$101,500**

**LIVONIA "Super Value" \$112,800**

**CANTON "Cape Cod" \$135,000**



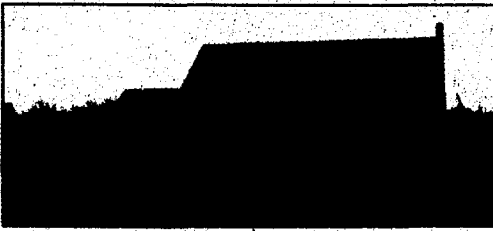


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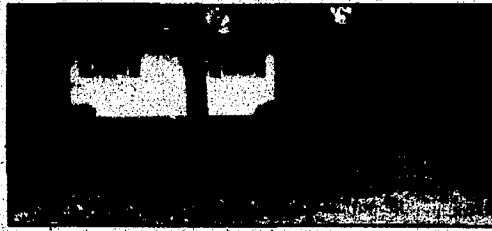
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**EXPERIENCE PRIVATE LUXURY LIVING** at its finest. Elegantly landscaped executive home. Breathtaking panoramic views. 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths. Master bedroom on separate level for total privacy.  
**\$379,900** (23B-46963) **455-7000**



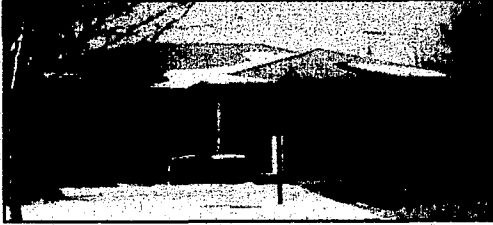
**CANTON**  
**SHARP CONDO IN CANTON.** Move in condition. Large master bedroom with walk-in closet. Neutral decor throughout. Newer carpet and kitchen floor. Basement floor tiled. Don't miss this one.  
**\$70,000** (10K) **326-2000**



**CANTON**  
**THREE WISHES** - Quality, convenience and comfort. One of a kind home, located on 1 acre of beautiful wooded grounds. Four bedrooms, hardwood floors, Florida room. Amenities galore.  
**\$185,000** (23S-41811) **455-7000**



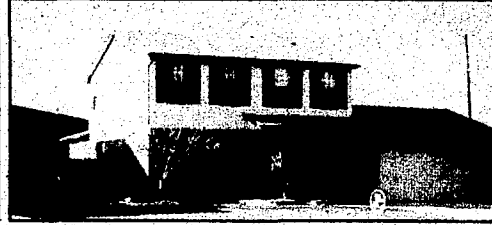
**LIVONIA**  
**WONDERFUL UPDATED HOME** - Kitchen, bathroom, lots of clever storage areas including shed attached to house that's drywalled, furnace, blinds and newer garage with 220 power.  
**\$72,900** (D1823) **261-0700**



**CANTON**  
**SHARP CANTON RANCH** Spotless energy efficient 3 bedroom ranch. Fully room with natural fireplace, newer kitchen floor, 1½ bath. Maintenance free, all brick with vinyl trim. 2 car attached garage.  
**\$109,900** (23B-00348) **455-7000**



**REDFORD**  
**LOCATION, LOCATION.** Three bedroom brick bungalow with basement and garage, dining room with wood cabinets, freshly painted, Florida room, large front porch. Home Warranty.  
**\$68,000** **326-2000**



**CANTON**  
**DELIGHTFULLY NICE** - Charming 3 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial. Neutral decor. Large kitchen opens to family room with fireplace insert. First floor laundry. Partially finished basement. Deck and patio. Fenced lot. HURRY!  
**\$138,900** (23W-08109) **455-7000**



**REDFORD**  
**SPACIOUS CONTEMPORARY** - Four bedrooms, 3½ baths, family room with fireplace, formal dining, finished basement, 2½ car garage, double lot. What more could you ask for? Home Warranty.  
**\$93,000** (L15520) **261-0700**



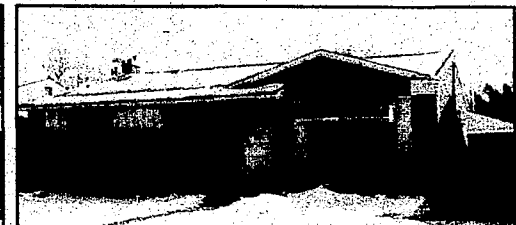
**CANTON**  
**THIS PRICE WILL MOVE YOU!** Four bedroom Colonial features nicely finished basement, hardwood floors and an over size garage. Located in north Canton. Call now!  
**\$116,500** (23I-07223) **455-7000**



**WESTLAND**  
**SUPERB SMALL CAPE COD.** Three bedroom, brand new bath with oak accents, newer furnace, city work completed. Nice 90 foot lot.  
**\$52,900** **326-2000**



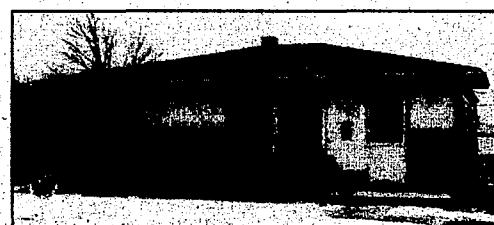
**NORTHVILLE**  
**EXECUTIVE DREAM HOME** features 3 bedrooms, 3½ baths, great room, dining room, and library. Walkout basement provides additional 2100 sq. ft. of living space. Home reflects class and elegance!  
**\$239,000** (M17300) **261-0700**



**REDFORD**  
**PRIME SOUTH REDFORD!** Brick ranch, three bedrooms, huge living room with dining area, beautiful newly finished rec room (possible fourth bedroom), 2½ car garage, and newer roof. Motivated sellers!  
**\$81,900** (L9042) **261-0700**



**PLYMOUTH**  
**PRICED TO PLEASE.** Lovely 3 bedroom home in Plymouth. This home has many updates. Don't miss out on this exceptional value with basement, double pane windows and MUCH MORE!  
**\$84,900** (23I-00859) **455-7000**



**WESTLAND**  
**LOTS OF UPDATES HERE!** Roof, furnace, and windows have all been replaced with in the past 7 years. Finished basement with bar and ½ bath. Hardwood floors and formal dining room. Close to schools.  
**\$59,900** **326-2000**



**GARDEN CITY**  
**THIS IS IT - SEE & BUY!** Perfect and precious! Your money couldn't buy more. Updated bath, kitchen, new driveway, newer roof, and completely painted. Low taxes, great schools, and in an excellent area.  
**\$64,500** (B28561) **261-0700**



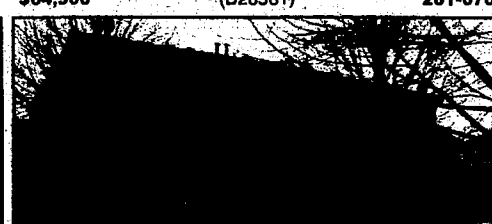
**SOUTH LYON**  
**THIS ONE WON'T LAST!** Super sharp ranch in great location. Recent upgrades include windows, kitchen, bath, deck, carpet, driveway, newer office in basement. Hurry!  
**\$92,400** (LYO) **348-6430**



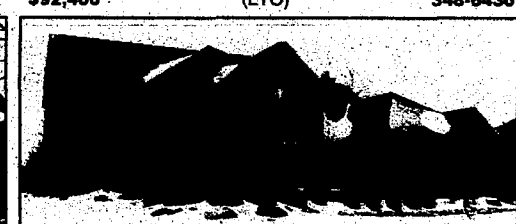
**PLYMOUTH**  
**ANXIOUS OWNER WANTS OFFERS!** 3 bedroom Plymouth Colony ranch on large lot. French doors, fireplace, huge laundry/mud room, updated baths, clean. Decor allow. Home warranty. REAL MOTIVATED!  
**\$122,900** (23J-44444) **455-7000**



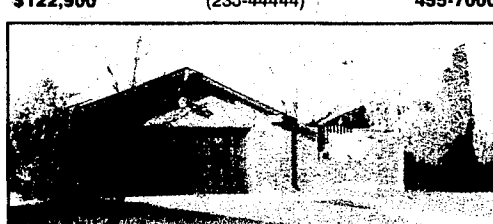
**WESTLAND**  
**IMMACULATE COLONIAL.** 3 bedroom beauty is outstanding from its partially finished basement to the maintenance free kitchen with oak cabinets, china cabinet, built in dishwasher. Huge deck. Attached garage.  
**\$64,900** (10K) **326-2000**



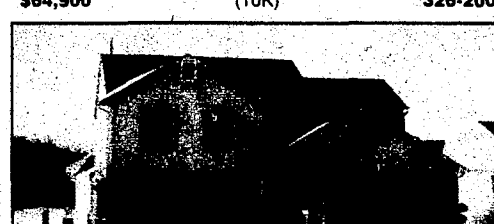
**WESTLAND**  
**POOL & LIVONIA SCHOOLS!** Westland Townhouse Condo features: pool, clubhouse, private garage and basement. Seller offering land contract to save on closing costs. Why rent?  
**\$74,500** (C37691) **261-0700**



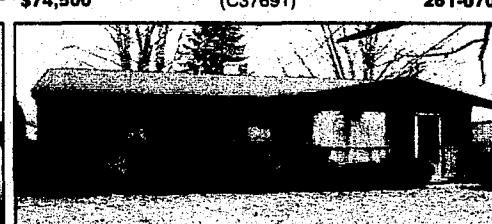
**NORTHVILLE**  
**PHEASANT HILLS.** Multi-level deck, custom built Fran Baus executive home has Woodmode cabinetry, full wall brick fireplace in great room, cathedral ceilings, impressive master suite. Home Warranty.  
**\$409,900** (COL) **348-6430**



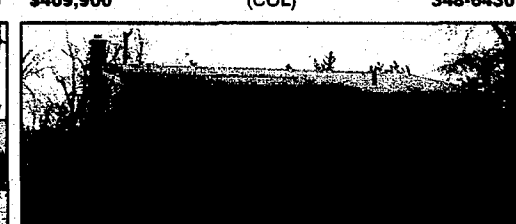
**PLYMOUTH**  
**EXCEPTIONAL VALUE.** Custom built home with vaulted ceilings, hardwood floors. Florida room, finished basement, 3 baths, inground pool and basketball court. Almost an acre. HURRY!  
**\$203,900** (23L-45560) **455-7000**



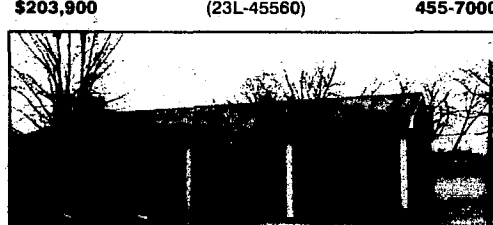
**CANTON**  
**OPEN & AIRY.** A transferee's dream. Two year old 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Canton Colonial with fireplace, 6 panel doors, first floor laundry, deck, generous bedrooms, and professionally landscaped lot.  
**\$154,900** (23P-00430) **455-7000**



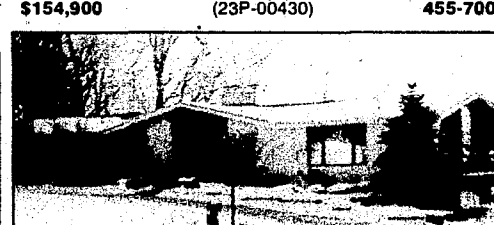
**WESTLAND**  
**IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY** in a great Westland location! Three bedroom brick ranch with spacious floor plan and snack bar in breakfast room. Priced to sell at  
**\$60,900** (W629) **261-0700**



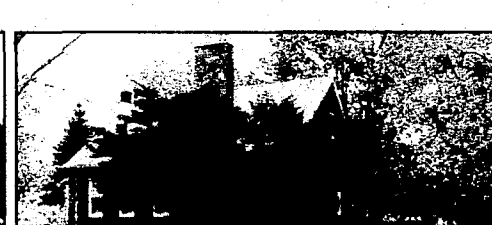
**REDFORD**  
**GREAT STARTER HOME.** Three bedrooms brick ranch with living room, kitchen, 2 baths, finished basement and 2 car garage. Also a new roof and all appliances. Must see! Won't last!  
**\$69,500** (INK) **477-1111**



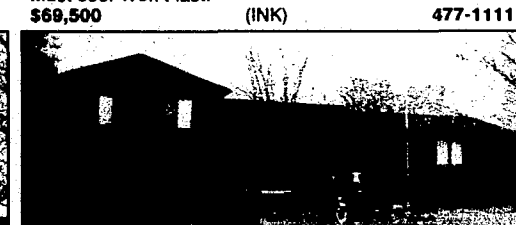
**WESTLAND**  
**LIVONIA SCHOOLS.** Outstanding 4 bedroom brick ranch in north Westland. Finished basement, living room and natural fireplace in family room, central air, new deck, a buyer's delight.  
**\$109,500** (HEN) **477-1111**



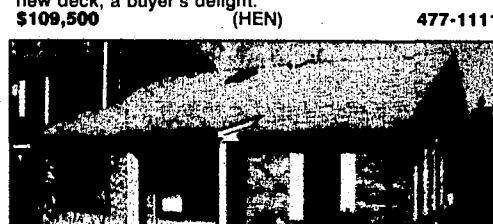
**FARMINGTON HILLS**  
**PRESTIGIOUS MEADOWBROOK HILLS** contemporary ranch. Finished walk-out on premium lot with stream. Open and airy. 5 bedrooms and 3 baths. Super master suite with bath (skylight and whirlpool). Super views.  
**\$259,000** (23R-37819) **455-7000**



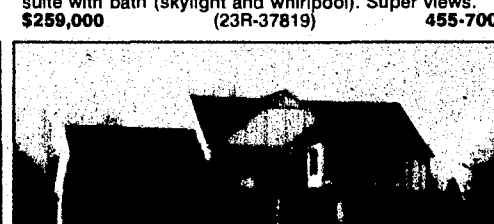
**REDFORD**  
**CAPE COD** - Hardwood floors, wet plaster, great fireplace, a sitting room off master bedroom, walk-out basement, new windows, roof, furnace, water heater, and carpeting. VA, FHA terms. On ½ acre lot.  
**\$84,900** (W23610) **261-0700**



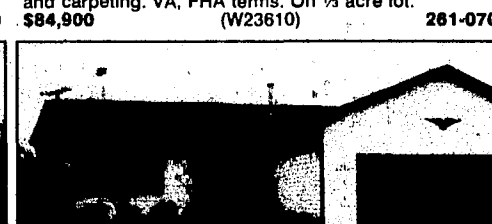
**LIVONIA**  
**QUALITY QUAD.** 13 years new! Private park-like lot backing to ravine and woods. 24 ft. family with fireplace, formal dining, finished basement with 2 extra rooms, 2 baths, central air, 2 car attached garage and more!  
**\$139,900** (RAV) **477-1111**



**CANTON**  
**EASY LIVING** in an end unit ranch condo. Spacious 2 bedroom with fireplace, cathedral ceiling, skylight. Full basement, all windows replaced, patio. Built in 1987 and very well priced.  
**\$76,500** (SOU) **477-1111**



**PLYMOUTH**  
**PEACEFUL ELEGANCE** - Elegant style defines this luxurious 4 bedroom Tudor. Dramatic, spacious open floor plan with amenities galore. Plymouth Schools on 4.4 acres. Backs to creek. Easy access to M-14.  
**\$289,900** (23S-10842) **455-7000**



**WESTLAND**  
**DETACHED CONDO** - Absolutely stunning. Executive builder model with extras galore! Spacious, open great room, three bedroom, 2 full baths, master suite, first floor laundry, huge decking, 24c22 attached garage.  
**\$116,850** (C7876) **261-0700**



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### 307 South Lyon Midford-Highland

**NEO-VICTORIAN**  
New Model w/Lake Access  
Heavy tread 1.89 acres. 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, jacuzzi, formal dining room, large kitchen, oak cabinets, central air, 2 car attached garage. Many features not listed. 1 mile from downtown South Lyon. Realtors Welcome!  
\$172,900. Call Steve Wilkerson Country Concepts 313-437-3667

S. LYON - 571 Covington Rd. 3 bedroom ranch, 1 bath, attached garage, deck, fenced, stone & refrigerator, new carpet, well maintained, \$93,000. For appl. (313) 437-4215

**WHY BUILD?**  
Cracking fireplace, stucco, finished basement, and general out lot highlight this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with attached garage. Hurry! Only \$115,000.  
FIRST AMERICAN 887-6900

### 308 Rochester-Troy

**A Valentine Special**  
We love our home! Call us today. 2400 sq. ft. Troy ranch, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, fireplace & more. Two car home with quality work. \$181,000.  
HAWTHORN SUB - 3000 SQ. FT. 4 bedroom plus den, 2 1/2 baths, large island kitchen, sauna, rockers, large schools, \$229,000. 652-8240

### IMMACULATE NEW CONSTRUCTION

3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, great room with natural fireplace, library with wainscot cathedral ceiling, "Pearl" whirlpool in master bath with separate shower and marble floors and granite. Quality throughout. \$239,500. (OETZSCH) 879-3400

### COLDWELL BANKER Schweitzer Real Estate

### JUST LISTED - TROY

Updated and charming describes this spacious and open flowing 3 bedroom Colonial, nicely located in Rainier Sub.  
\$180,000. EC-H-23HAR MAX BROCK, INC. 646-1400

### OPEN SUNDAY 1 to 5

HALF ACRE LOT 13 3 bedroom ranch, 1 1/2 baths, Full Basement, garage, 2890 Wisconsin.

### LIKE NEW! No maintenance brick ranch with 1,200 sq. ft. Deck. Built 1982. 4 bedrooms, etc. 441 Clair Hill off Old Perch.

HELP-U-SELL of South Oakland 541-0700

### OPEN SUNDAY 1-4

Beautiful Colonial completely updated with designer touches, custom woodwork, 4 bedrooms, etc. 441 Clair Hill off Old Perch.

### QUALITY BUILT TUDOR

In Northwest Troy on private cul-de-sac. Circular staircase, crown moldings, heavy landscaping, traditional dining family room with fireplace, library, dining room, 1st floor laundry, numerous amenities, \$248,000.

### WEIR, MANUEL, SNYDER & RANKE

ROCHESTER HILLS: House for sale! 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. House is built with extra high quality. \$148,000. Call, 313-652-3568

### ROCHESTER HILLS - brick bungalow on nearly 1/4 acre. 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths. By owner. 658-6961

ROCHESTER HILLS - Beautiful 3 bedroom ranch with fireplace, oak woods, 3 baths, central air, 3 car garage, finished basement. \$174,900. 658-2782

### ROCHESTER HILLS - storkyork tudor. Custom built brick 2 story colonial. 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths. \$207,900. (288)517P

SO COZY & COMFY - Fenced brick/walk quad level on double lot. Just one owner, close to all amenities. 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, \$65,000. CALL BILLY BROWN 893-7770

### ROCHESTER HILLS - 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, 91 brick colonial, air, private park, sidewalks in York Town Commons, \$188,000. 658-8054

### ROCHESTER HILLS CLASSIC TUDOR

NEARLY NEW  
Beautiful soft contemporary with first floor master suite. Spacious with high ceilings, walls of glass at kitchen, breakfast room, dining room, library, walk-out basement, decking, brick patio. Must see. \$249,900. CALL BILLY BROWN 893-7770

### FORTUNE PROPERTIES Realtors

### TROY - PICTURE PERFECT CLASSIC TUDOR

From the moment you walk thru the double entry beamed glass doors into the pristine foyer with circular oak staircase and gleaming oak floors, you'll love this home. Richly decorated with hardwood floors, rich bay window library with Judge's paneling. Custom design kitchen, spacious & open to dining casual dining area, plus huge formal dining room. Dramatic 20' r.c. ceiling in family room, sunny & bright with walls of glass, warmed by floor to ceiling brick fireplace and rich, melow oak. Dream master suite. Decking, lushly landscaped for privacy. Wonderful family sub. Troy's finest schools. \$349,900. CALL BEV OR SHIRLEY FORTUNE PROPERTIES Realtors 626-8000

### TROY 2593 Valleyview N. of Long Lake and W. of Beach Brick colonial 3,000 sq. ft. with the amenities expected plus a full finished basement with day windows. Immediate possession. \$229,900

### TROY 6214 Malvern N. of Square Lake an OE. of Adams Brick ranch 3 bedrooms over 1 acre with built in pool. \$333,900 Call Pete Mirk RE/MAX Executive 841-5300 or 589-2280

### TROY - 4 bedroom colonial. 2 1/2 baths, finished basement, inground pool & jacuzzi, and more. 841-1406 Buyers only.

### 309 Royal Oak-Oak Park Huntington Woods

**HANDY TO DOWNTOWN**  
Royal Oak 4 bedroom bungalow with hardwood floors on 1st floor, carpeting on 2nd. Fireplace. Formal dining room. Central air. Updated garage. \$84,900.  
WEIR, MANUEL, SNYDER & RANKE 658-7300

### 300 Royal Oak-Oak Park Huntington Woods

**HUNTINGTON WOODS** - 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath brick colonial with master bath, finished basement. Brand new roof, furnace & central air. Hardwood floors throughout. \$114,900. No Brokers. 590-0441

**HUNTINGWOODS: COLONIAL** 2 1/2 bedroom, hardwood floors, fireplace, 2 story solarium with jacuzzi, by owner \$139,900. Call, 559-4880

**ROYAL OAK - 3-4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, new kitchen, family room, hardwood floors, extra deck, 2718 Shenandoah, \$125,000 549-2907**

**ROYAL OAK - 5 bedroom house, 2 1/2 baths central air, fireplace, also Carriage House & large detached 4 car garage. \$249,500. 545-3242**

### 310 Wixom-Commerce Lakes Area

**CANAL FRONT**  
All sports Commerce Lake, private beach & local privileges. Brick ranch w/half walk-out basement, 2 fireplaces, drive-thru garage, \$157,500. Call Bob SEXTON 426-3400

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**FIRST SHOWING \$178,900**  
Commerce Township 3,500 square foot custom cape cod. 2 1/2 baths, 1st floor master suite, skylight central air, sprinklers and more. 421-1550

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### UNION LAKE-Custom, 2 story, 3,000 sq. ft., air, 8 car

13132 Union Lake Rd. 1925 sq. ft. colonial plus 500 sq. ft. walk-out basement \$149,900. 682-3408

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### 311 Homes Oakland County

### FORECLOSURE

3 Bedroom, new roof, 1+ acres. Waterford Area. Great starter/investment. Principals only. 932-8398

### OAKLAND TWP. Open Sun. 2-5

Beautiful 4 bedroom brick ranch w/neutral decor, walkout basement, backyard runs into wooded park. \$179,900. 693-7241

### ORTONVILLE - newer 2 story, 2 1/2 baths, first floor master suite, day-to-day maintenance, 1/2 acre lot, traditional outside, contemporary inside, \$155,900. 627-9107

### WATERFORD

684 WOODINGHAM - aluminum/cedar 3 bedroom contemporary tri-level with large room, eat-in kitchen, appliances included - \$87,900. Call 349-4550

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### 312 Livonia

**A COUNTRY SETTING** \$87,900 with a % acre lot isn't the only thing you'll love about this home. It's a home in a fantastic location. Add important updates such as furnace, landscaping and central air and you've got a real value. 462-1680

### BRICK FOR BRICK \$94,900

North Livonia - 1971 built, 1,820 square feet brick ranch is a great buy. Finished basement, 3 bedrooms, family room, fireplace, remodeled kitchen, 2 car garage, central air and newer windows. 421-5880

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1 acre lot with towering trees and a pond. Spacious 3 bedroom home with extensive updating and is near to a pin. If you like wide open spaces in and out, then this place is for you. 462-1680

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In Livonia. This 15 year old colonial has everything you could want. 2 1/2 baths, 3 bedrooms, finished basement, 3 1/2 baths, finished basement, 3 fireplaces, dining room, central air, 421-5880

### YOUR DREAM HOME \$196,500

Is a possibility with this interesting and fun home. This home will be built in this large colonial with 2 1/2 baths in one of Livonia's most desirable areas and has fantastic landscaping and a multi-tiered deck. 474-5700

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Will love this impressive family home with all the right features including 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, 1st floor laundry, and everything else you would expect. Call today to make it yours! 462-1680

### EXECUTIVE RANCH \$210,000

This custom built home was thoughtfully designed with every detail finished to perfection. All the extras are included such as 2 fireplaces, beveled glass windows, large walk in pantry, and even a walk in cedar closet in the master bedroom. If you want it all then this one is for you. 462-1680

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Sharp 3 bedroom brick ranch, load-bearing warm brick, 2 1/2 baths. UPDATED kitchen, bath, windows & central air. Basement, garage, many extras. Great family neighborhood. Quick occupancy, motivated sellers have bought another home. A really great buy at \$91,900.

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**A BARGAIN**  
Well maintained 3 bedroom brick ranch on a wooded tree lined street. Aluminum trim, updated hardwood floors, oak kitchen, full basement, 2 car garage. By owner. No brokers. \$96,900. 464-0254

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### EXPIRED - REAL ESTATE

Originally listed at \$124,900, raised to \$140,000. 2,040 sq. ft., 4 bedroom tri-level, central air, updated kitchen, attached heated garage. Call 9am-11pm: 421-4310

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Updates galore - move right into this beautifully decorated 3 bedroom with new windows, family room, kitchen, bath, carpet (hardwood underneath) extra garage in back only 1 yr. old. 2 1/2 + 2 1/2 car attached garage. You'll love the serene 100x300 setting with lovely mature evergreen trees.

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**LIVONIA - IMMACULATE!** 4 Bedroom, 1 bath, 2 lavs, Ranch. Living Room, finished basement, sprinklers, 1st floor laundry, eat-in kitchen, neutral decor, 2 car attached garage and home warranty. \$104,900.

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5 Bedroom, 3 bath brick/aluminum Ranch located 4 blocks from the Westland Golf Course. Finished basement with fireplace and separate laundry area. \$78,900.

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Overlaid 1,900 sq. ft. on 1/2 acre. Golf Course. Full dining room, extra large bedrooms, all hardwood floors. Mint condition. \$67,500.

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4 bedroom colonial, 2 1/2 baths, library, full basement, oversized rooms and closets. 2 cedar decks, sprinklers and professionally landscaped 1/2 acre lot overlooking the stream. Walk to BI-Centennial and library. Best location. \$129,900. Showing at this price and its gone.

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EXCELLENT BUYING OPPORTUNITY
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NEW 16 x 70 Skyline Vinyl sided/shingled roof. G.E. kitchen appliances, island stove, 20 cubic ft. side by side refrigerator, 2 large bedrooms, 2 full baths, door/walk in kitchen. Guaranteed. \$299 per month. Call Joanne for 474-0320 or 474-0333

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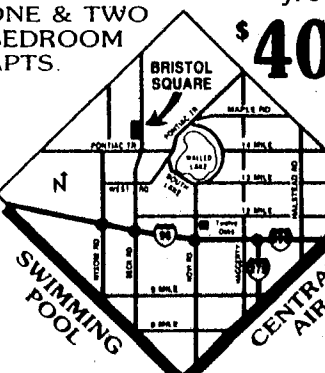
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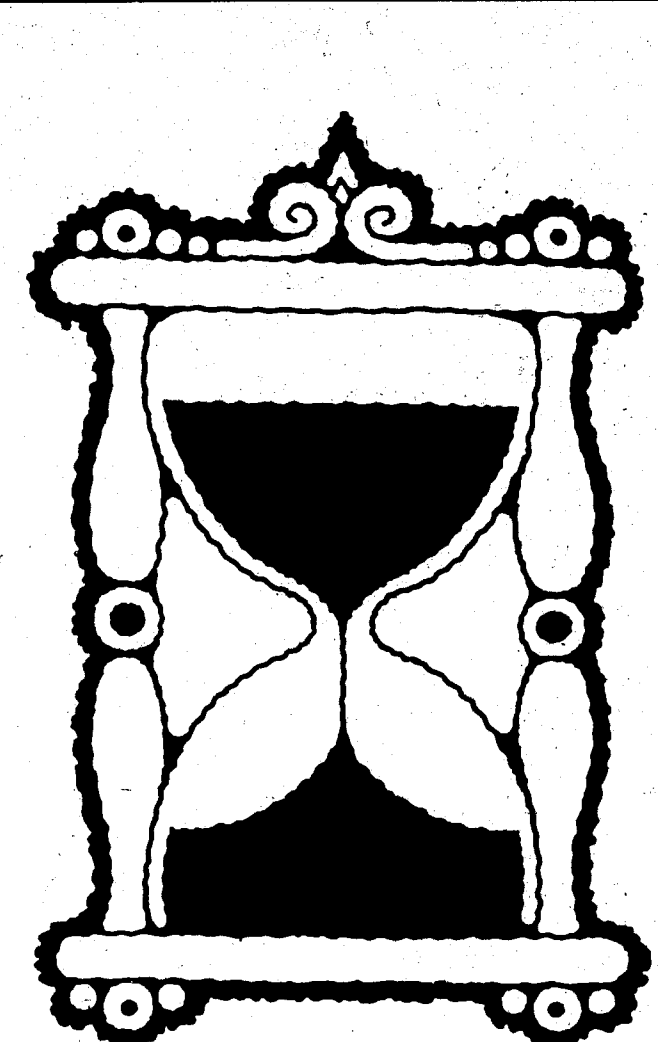
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Assertive, detail-oriented accounting clerk to handle entry-level position within billing dept. Duties include: Data entry & filing. Minimum requirements: high school diploma with data entry & 10-key adding machine experience. Interested applicants, please send resume to: AR Supervisor, 30100 Telegraph Rd., Suite 200, Bingham Farms, MI 48025-4516  
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**ALL AROUND PERSON**  
Light maintenance, floor care and general aide for senior apartment building in Westland. 451-1155

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**APARTMENT MAINTENANCE**  
Live on site position for 70 unit north suburb apt. complex. Experience should include light plumbing, electrical, carpentry & general maintenance. Must possess common sense. 334-1878

**APARTMENT MANAGERS**  
Experienced required. Experience in HUD & MSDA programs a plus. Please send resume with salary requirements to: Department H-10, 29777 Telegraph Road, Ste. 2100, Southfield, MI 48034-7651.

**APARTMENT MANAGER**  
Company has position in general maintenance, grounds & apartment prep. Properties are located in Royal Oak and Troy - reliable transportation a must! You must be hard working, self starting and able to produce good quantity and quality. We are an established company and offer a competitive salary package including 401K. Must be able to produce good quantity and quality. References & solid background required. Apply in person at 30250 Grand River, Farmington Hills. 474-0500

**LIVONIA CHRYSLER-PLYMOUTH**  
In need of body shop porter full time; service porter part time (afternoon); parts counter person, min. 2 years experience. Apply within: 30777 Plymouth Rd. 825-5000.

**AUTO DETAIL - RECONDITIONER,** painter & technicians needed. Must be experienced in high speed buffing or interior shampooing. Six Detail Centers - 300-77-8500

**AUTO & LIGHT TRUCK Mechanic**  
Must be experienced in all areas of mechanical repair. Certification a must. Only top performers & highly motivated individuals need apply. Top commission & benefits. Apply in person: Novi Motive, 21530 Novi Rd. Between 8-9 Mile Rds.

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Sorting/stocking inventory in large retail setting. Prior retail/stocking experience a plus. Long term opportunity. 1-193

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**BRANCH MANAGER TRAINEE - \$600/WEEK**  
International company is opening new locations throughout S.E. Michigan & needs managers immediately. \$600/wk. salary when placed. \$1500/mo. while in training. Some previous experience in company training preferred. Excellent benefits. Livonia, 422-2498  
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\$50-\$2000 week. Benefits. Certified, with experience. Must be able to start now. 356-8565

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**BICYCLE TECHNICIAN** needed to service major retail accounts. No experience necessary, will train. Benefits available. Must have car. Call for interview. 1-313-457-1195

**BLANCHARD GRINDER OPERATORS**  
BORING MILL OPERATORS  
BRIDGEPORT OPERATORS  
Day & Night shift  
Applications accepted at 6835 Monroe, Taylor. 291-8800

**BODY PERSON - Must be experienced** with own tools & state certified. Good benefits & vacation. Apply at 7405 Greenfield.

**BORING MILL OPERATOR**  
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**BRIDGEPORT OPERATOR**  
Toolroom work, min. 5 yrs. experience. 474-0500

**SURFACE GRINDER HAND**  
Experienced in grinding of steel, 5 yrs. Min. experience. 427-2930

**BRIDGEPORT OPERATOR**  
Must be experienced, also set-up or CNC operator. Spinal Tool - 455-1800

**BRIGHT, ARTICULATE, aggressive,** clever, pushy, stubborn, impatient person to deliver legal papers. Must have dependable car. Great earnings. Permanent Independent Contractor status. Assured Process Service. You find us after 5pm.

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**CARPENTERS - EXPERIENCED**  
In house training. ALSO HELPERS. Call after 6pm: 517-468-3540

**CARPET CLEANING Helper** needed full-time in Rochester Hills area. Start \$5.50/hr. Call Mon.-Fri. between 9 & 4. 852-6687

**CASHER - FULL & PART TIME**  
Apply in person: Kiddie Land, 37025 Grand River, Farmington, MI 477-9671

**CASHER & LIGHT STOCK**  
Mornings/evenings. Apply in person, Westland Drugs, 31225 Ann Arbor Trail, corner of Merriman.

**CASHIER**  
Roz & Sherm has a position open for part-time cashier, 2 to 3 days a week, no evenings or Sundays. Good salary, liberal discount. Successful candidate will be flexible, like people, have good communication skills & outgoing personality with an above average math aptitude. Perfect job for homemaker or part-time college student. Call Bobbie: 855-8855

**ROZ & SHERM**  
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**SOUTHFIELD** 352-1300  
**AUBURN HILLS** 373-7500

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**CERTIFIED MECHANIC**  
Experienced person for full service shop. Start immediately. 313-427-8010

**CHILD CARE ASSISTANT**  
For day care home, experienced or willing to learn. Full or part time. W. Bloomfield. 855-4933

**CHILD CARE: Center, Westland.**  
Now interviewing for part time teacher aides, am & pm hrs. Child care experience required. 458-2050

**CHILD CAREGIVERS NEEDED**  
Full & part time for Christian day-care center. Experience preferred. Start immediately. Rita. 643-7850

**CHILD CARE TEACHER**  
Needed at the Community House Early Childhood Center in downtown Birmingham. 644-6154

**CHIMNEY SWEEP**  
\$400/700/week. Must have truck & ladder. No experience. Will train. Contact Mr. Cagle, at 418-1860

**CHUCKER SET-UP**  
Automotive supplier looking for a Set-Up Person. Experienced in ACME-GRIDEY CHUCKERS & (or) SCORP MAJOR SECRETARIAL skills. Competitive wage & benefit packages. Qualified applicants apply to: Vico Products Company, 41555 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, 453-3777

**CLEAN HOMES** in Novi with The Old Maid Service. Personalized cleaning with homes selected to your ability. (313) 478-3240

**CLEANING PERSON - needed** part time for apartment complex, Farmington Hills area. Call Tues. thru Fri. 478-0322

**CLEANING PERSON**  
Mature individual interested in supplementing their present income. No evenings or Saturdays. Call Gary: 313-363-0802

**CLEANING PERSON NEEDED**  
for a major motor area apartment complex. Full time. Experience 10 yrs. Call 588-1855 ext 10

**CLEANING PERSON, experienced,** needed in beauty salon, Sylvan Lake area. Full time days. Please call: 681-7979

**CLERICAL FOR CARPET STORE**  
Alert, reliable person needed to handle general office duties. Full time position, flexible hours. Pleasant working conditions. Apply in person: 1850 S. Rochester Rd., Rochester 477-9671

**IF YOU HAVE CLERICAL SKILLS KELLY NEEDS YOU!**  
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Recent experience with Word For Windows and Excel Software  
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**COMPUTER OPERATOR**  
PART TIME to run back-ups from 4-10 PM, Mon.-Fri. Keyboarding skills needed, computer knowledge desirable. This hourly position pays \$7. We will train a mature, dependable candidate.  
CM MANAGEMENT SERVICES INC. 30333 Southfield Rd. Southfield, MI, 48076  
Send resume to above address or FAX to: 847-6710.  
Attn: Human Resources.

**COMPUTER PROGRAMMER - a national** company in the insurance industry is looking for an entry level programmer/some programming experience. Must have knowledge of Clipper, UNIX & Networks. Salary commensurate/experience, good benefits. Call Jerry at 354-8400

**CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISOR**  
Local construction company looking for construction supervisors. May require periodic traveling. Pay & benefits based on experience. Send resume to: Box 238, Observer & Eclectic Newspapers, 38251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, MI 48150

**CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTOR**  
Seeks carpentry subs. Send letter & references to: C.B.S., 19581 Silver Spring, Southfield, MI, 48076

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**CNC Boring Mill Operator**  
Full time position with benefits available for experienced CNC Operator, to include set-up and operation of CNC machine. \$18.50 per hour. **EXPRESS SERVICES** 643-8550  
Not an Agency Never a Fee  
**CNC MANAGER - Detroit area** free space manufacturing firm is looking for an experienced CNC department manager. Minimum of 10 yrs. experience utilizing CAD/CAM, 10 manufacturing complex parts on 4-axis, machining centers and CNC lathes. Expertise required on CAD/CAM set-ups, programming and job processing. Excellent wages & benefits including 401K plan. Please apply to: CNC Technician, P.O. Box 653, Troy MI 48063.

**COLLECTIONS - Are you a home** maker interested in re-entering the workforce? Detroit area firm needs you for automotive collections. Resumes to: Attn: Jack Anton, P.O. Box 1942, Detroit, MI, 48221.

**COMMUNICATIONS REP - \$75/wk**  
Training salary & benefits. Full time. Apply at: 37025 Grand River, Farmington Hills, MI 48333  
Personnel Data Report Agency

**COMPUTER PROGRAMMER**  
We are looking for a detail oriented individual with 2 years experience with the following:  
• CICS • COBOL  
• VSAM • IBM  
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This full time position offers a competitive salary and benefit package. Please send your resume with salary requirements to:  
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Attn: Personnel/Programmer  
25505 W. 12 Mile Rd.  
Southfield, MI 48034-1846

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**CONTROL**  
Position opening for \$14 unit, HUD/Market Rate Housing for the elderly. Must have excellent interpersonal/organizational skills, degree and a minimum of 5-8 years accounting experience. Computer knowledge essential. Excellent salary and benefits. Send resume by mail to: Federal Housing Administration, Personnel Dept., 15100 W. 10 Mile Rd., Oak Park, MI, 48237.  
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**COSMETIC SALES PART-TIME**  
Crowley's a major retail department store chain, has part-time positions available in its cosmetic department at our Westland location. We offer a good starting salary plus commission along with excellent benefits including paid vacations & merchandise discount. Qualified applicants are invited to apply in person at our Human Resources Office.  
**Crowley's**  
23303 Michigan Avenue  
Dearborn, MI, 48124

**COUNTER HELP - A mature person** is needed for a Saturday only counter help position in dry cleaners. Retail package and transportation a must. Competitive pay. If interested, call 471-1747

**COUNTER HELP - A mature person** is needed for a full-time position, in a retail package store located in Livonia. Reliability and transportation an absolute must. Competitive pay. If interested, call 471-1747

**COUNTER PERSON - mature,** full time eyes, for bowling center. Apply in person to: Plaza Lanes, 42001 Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth 48150

**COURIER, PART-TIME**  
Needed area user company vehicles. Must have a chauffeur license with valid driver's license. Submit resume to:  
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AJ ETKIN Construction Co.  
P.O. Box 9061  
Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9061  
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**COURIER - Positions available** for full-time and part-time couriers in the Dearborn/Westland area. Apply in person: DRCL, 2345 Merriman, Suite 1321, Westland.

**CREDIT INVESTIGATOR**  
Leading company looking for energetic person for entry level credit investigation. Finance related background and experience helpful. Send resume to: Credit, P.O. Box 8066, Farmington Hills, MI 48333.

**CUSTODIAL maintenance** needed full-time, midnights. Experience helpful, but not necessary. Transportation a must. Immediate openings. Call Julie at 855-3831

**CUSTOMER SERVICE**  
Company located in Detroit suburb has an opening in it's customer service department. Applicant must have both automotive supplier customer service and computer experience. Good starting salary and fringe benefits. Send resume to: Box 240, Observer & Eclectic Newspapers, 38251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, MI 48150

**CUSTOMER SERVICE**  
Publisher of church newsletters seeks customer service training coordinator. Applicants should be capable of developing written training material as well as personally training one-on-one. Experience in church setting a plus. Full time position, salary + benefits. Send resume with salary requirements to: C. Clickard, Parish Publications, 32401 Industrial Drive, Madison Hts., MI 48071

**CUTTER/GRINDER**  
Experienced only. Days, part time. Livonia area. 425-3920

**DANCERS NEEDED**  
Will train, excellent salary + commissions. 865-0615

**DAY-CARE home assistant,** part-time 9am-2:30pm. Start immediately. 377-2075

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**Customer Service Rep**  
Rapidly growing mortgage company seeking friendly customer service rep. Must have MORTGAGE servicing/customer service experience. Salary commensurate with experience. Qualified individuals please send resume to: Republic Bancard Mortgage Inc., P.O. Box 3098, Farmington Hills, MI 48333  
Attn: K. Meitz  
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**DIRECT CARE STAFF**  
For group home located in Wayne & Oakland County. For more information call: Bob Farmington: 477-6851  
Pat, Northville: 348-3843  
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Kim, Wayne: 727-2845  
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**DIRECT CARE STAFF**  
Part & full-time available. M.O.R.C. Training preferred but will train the right person. Ask for Aaron or Ben. 665-8216

**DIRECT CARE WORKERS**  
Needed for homes in Plymouth/Canton area. Afternoon & midnight shifts available. Training & experience preferred, but not necessary. Contact Agency: 454-6773

**DISPENSING OPTICIAN**  
Independent practice wants part time help, knowledge of optician insurance. Knowledge of optician not necessary for the right individual. Call Carol, Mon.-Sat., 9am-1pm. 427-2750

**A NOVI based company** is seeking to hire a customer service rep. day night shifts available. Send resume to: 40600 Grand River, Novi, MI 48375, Attn: Transportation Dept.

**DRIVER - chauffeur's license** necessary. Knowledge of Novi area. Full time. Apply at: 37025 Grand River, Farmington Hills, MI 48333

**DRIVER - full time.** Accepting applications only. Competitive wages & excellent benefits. Excellent driving record required. Individuals with 2 or more points need not apply. 30975 W. 8 Mile Rd., E. of Merriman in Livonia

**DRIVER/PART TIME**  
Must have good driving record. Apply in person: Detroit Bio-Medical Lab, 23955 Freeway Park Dr., Farmington Hills, MI 48333. Grand River-Freeway Industrial Park

**DRIVERS**  
Drive cars provided by our clients on a special route. No deliveries. Day/afternoon shifts in Livonia. Record in driving. MUST be 25 years of age or older, have EXCELLENT DRIVING RECORD FOR LAST FIVE YEARS. Police accident record. Must pass drug testing. Pay \$5.25 per hour. Call 9am-3pm Mon-Fri. for interview.

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Temporary Personnel Services  
425-8388  
569-88700

**DRIVER - Semi driver** needed for small distribution company, neat appearance necessary. Clean driving record. 591-7200

**DRIVERS NEEDED** for auto parts store in Dearborn/Berkeley. Full part time available. Apply in person: 2188 Coolidge Highway, Berkeley

**DRIVERS WANTED** to pull company tandem tractors. Primarily in MI, Michigan & Excelsior. Full time. Send resume to: Logistic Services, 38280 Capital, Livonia, MI 48150. FAX: 427-2452

**Drivers Wanted**  
Distributor has 4 to 5 openings. Must have good driving record. Current license. \$5000.00 per week. Company vehicle provided. Call after 10am. 471-5698

**DRIVERS WANTED, day & night.** Apply within at: 5912 N. Sheldon, Canton. 453-4500

**DRIVERS/WAREHOUSE**  
Must have valid CDL. Warehouse work & local delivery driver. In person: 35301 Schoolcraft, Livonia.

**DRIVER - with van** needed for package & freight delivery. Late model 1 ton cargo van needed. Paid percentage. Call now, 459-4215

**EARN WHILE YOU EARN**  
Our importing distribution company is now looking for ambitious, hard working & quick on their feet individuals with all area of our business.

**Rapid Advancement Available**  
Call Vanessa at: 299-8981

**LICENSED JOURNEY Electrician,** Commercial & I.R. alarm experience necessary. Northville based company. 349-3534

**Electronics Technician FULL TIME**  
Highland Superstores, Inc. has a full time Certified Technician position available at its Corporate office in Plymouth. We are seeking an individual with two years experience repairing consumer electronics in a high volume store, a certificate in electronics or an associates degree and repair of CD Players a plus.

We offer a competitive salary and an excellent benefits package including: medical/dental, vision discount, life/disability, profit sharing, 401(k) and a generous employee discount. Please apply in person or send resume to:  
Highland Superstores, Inc.  
HUMAN RESOURCES-CD  
909 N. SHELDON RD.  
PLYMOUTH, MI 48187

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**ELECTRONIC TECH - Seeking** individual to support a major communications network consisting of decoders, circuits & multi-plexers. Also must have the ability to trouble shoot circuit boards to component level with some understanding of PC's. Send resume to:  
REALTRON CORPORATION  
Redford, MI 48239. Attn: Mr. Keller

**ERGONOMICS TECHNICIAN**  
Established Birmingham area firm needs part-time people to install ergonomic products in an office environment. Must have excellent interpersonal skills, professional appearance & reliable transportation. Call Scott Augustine at (313)258-8740

**Engineer**

**PACKAGING ENGINEER**  
We have an immediate opening for an individual with 3+ years of packaging and material handling experience with a THERMOFORMING background. The successful candidate will have a degree in Packaging or Industrial/Manufacturing Engineering and working knowledge of returnable container systems: SPC, JET, MRP a plus.  
Please send resume and salary requirements in confidence to:  
Attn: N. Delaney

**MASCO STAMPING Technologies, Inc**  
39800 Orchard Hill Place  
P.O. Box 8037  
Novi, MI 48375-8032  
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**DELHI HELP**  
For fast paced cheese dept. Experience in deli or cheese required. Experience in pre-packaging for display a plus. Full time, benefits include medical with dental & vacation. Apply in person only 9am-5pm. 313-549-5330

**DAYS or NIGHTS** Lakepointe Yacht Club. Must be a member. Come work with the best looking girls in town!! Call: 591-1868, Ask for Jennifer

**DESK CLERK - MIDNIGHTS.**  
Mature person. Apply at: Suburban Home Motel, 16920 Telegraph.

**DIE REPAIR - night shift.** Experienced in repair & trouble shooting of die casting machinery. Full time ability to set up and operate tool room machinery. Wages depend upon experience. Applications accepted by mail. Send resume to: Personnel Dept., 315 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth. 483-1515

**DIE SETTER - Progressive** company line dies. 5 yrs. minimum experience. Day shift. Top pay, good benefits for those who qualify. Q1 shop. Apply in person at: Greenfield Die Manufacturing, 5501 Florida Dr., Canton, No. Ohio calls.

**DIRECT CARE PLUS**  
(weekend some overnights)  
• On call (some overnights)  
• DCW (full time afternoons)  
• Residential specialists (with med or program coordinator experience).  
\$5.25 - \$6.25 per hour based on position & background. Excellent benefits, including medical/dental, tuition reimbursement, & more. Growing agency. Apply to: JARC, 28366 Franklin Rd., Dearborn, MI 48124  
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**DIRECT CARE STAFF**  
Previous experience with developmentally disabled preferred. Excellent benefits package. Full time training provided for those who qualify \$5.25 to \$5.85 to start. For further information call between 11am & 7pm.  
Livonia Group Home  
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## BUILDING SCENE'S NAMES & PLACES

### Trerice Tosto positions

Three local men have been named to positions in Trerice Tosto's appraisal and consulting services division.

L. Richard Parker of Farmington Hills was named senior appraiser. He will be responsible for real estate appraisal and consulting with an emphasis on major apartment complexes.

Before joining Trerice Tosto, Parker was a senior appraiser for Cushman & Wakefield. He has more than 20 years of experience in real estate as a broker, construction superintendent and property manager.

The company also appointed Eugene Szkilnyk of Troy to appraiser/consultant. He will be responsible for the appraisal of commercial real estate, including shopping centers.

Szkilnyk formerly was a commercial appraiser for the Lambrecht Co. He has experience as an urban planner and real estate syndicator.

Daniel Tomlinson of Bloomfield Hills was appointed appraiser of commercial and industrial properties and vacant land.

Before joining the company, Tomlinson was employed by Omni Appraisal.

Trerice Tosto, Birmingham, is a real estate brokerage firm active in industrial, commercial and investment brokerage, property and construction management and consulting.



Szkilnyk



Tomlinson



Parker

### DeMattia activities

R.A. DeMattia Co. has announced three business transactions.

The company has signed a cooperative management development agreement with Moran Stanley — Mitsubishi Development to operate and market Huron Center business park in Ypsilanti Township.

It has completed a 4,000-square-foot expansion of Engineering Development Systems/Engineering Systems in Plymouth Oaks Industrial Park, owned and developed by DeMattia.

## Split personality for funeral homes

Architects must draw on their talents for designing both residential and commercial buildings when it comes to funeral homes.

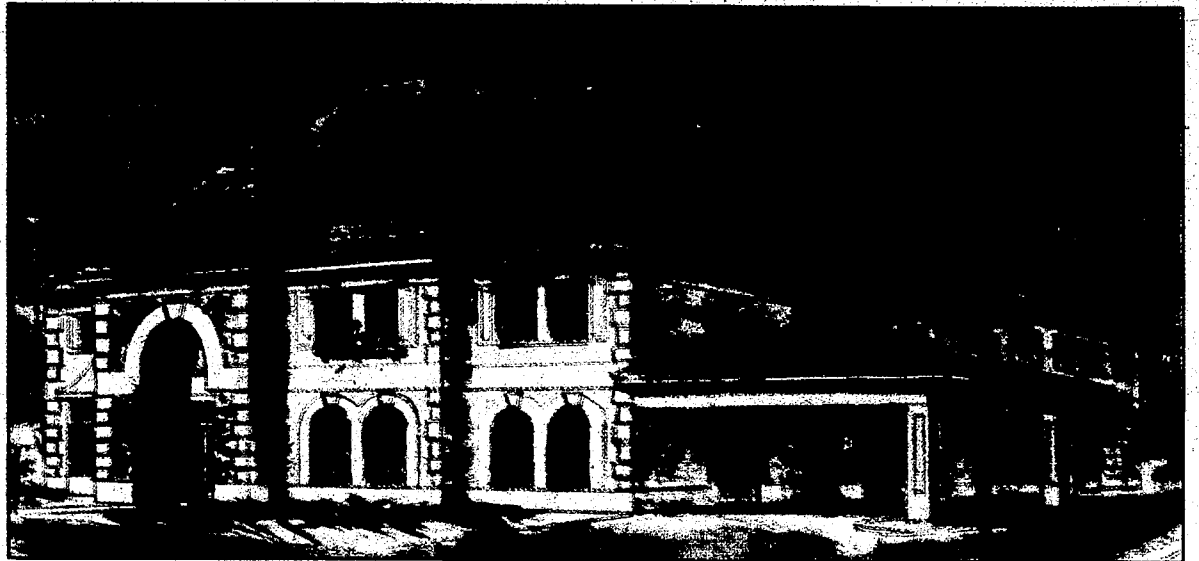
BY DOUG FUNKE  
STAFF WRITER

The accent is on home when it comes to funeral home design and architecture.

"It needs to be residential in feeling," said Donald T. Root. "That's why it's called a funeral home. You want it warm and friendly."

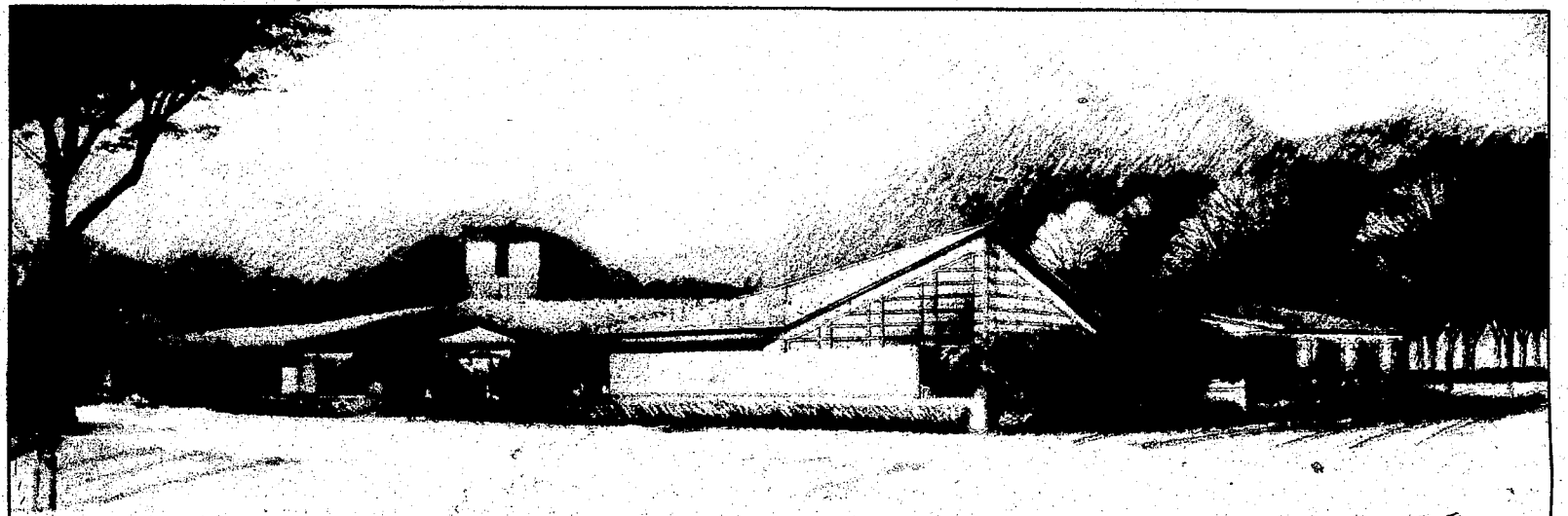
Root, an architect with the Southfield firm of Harley Ellington Pierce Yee Associates, has designed a new building for L.J. Griffin Funeral Home to be built in Canton.

L. David McCabe, a Farmington Hills funeral director whose family has been in the business 100 years, also is expanding into Canton.



McCabe look: The new McCabe Funeral Home in Canton, a two-story structure with a high roof pitch and an exterior featuring Dryvit and manufactured stone, will present a Tudor appearance.

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Griffin look: The new L.J. Griffin Funeral Home in Canton will be a single-story building with a brick exterior and will feature a chapel with a peak 22 feet high.

## Renovation seen as answer to construction slump woes

BY DOUG FUNKE  
STAFF WRITER

Renovations rather than new projects will account for much work — maybe even a majority in some cases — for contractors, architects and specifiers this year.

"That's where we concentrate now," said Ray Rieger, outgoing president of the Construction Association of Michigan and a Farmington Hills supplier.

"The trend today is not to build new office buildings but renovate what you have," he said. "Owners have a tendency to take care of buildings now. They don't want the roof to

leak, windows to leak, the foundation to leak."

Stephen Vogel, president of the American Institute of Architects Michigan with a practice in Detroit, picked up on the renovation theme.

"I believe we have to stop constructing way out," he said. "At some point, we have to leapfrog back. I believe there's tremendous opportunity . . . to rebuild."

Not only in Detroit, but older suburban communities like Redford, Dearborn and Warren, Vogel said.

"In this slow period, we've done a lot more renovations," said Larry T. Raymond, president of the Construc-

tion Specifications Institute, an architect and a Bloomfield Township resident.

The three were interviewed last week during the Design and Construction Expo at Cobo Center.

As the economy improves and companies recall employees, workplaces may have to be adapted, said John M. Harlan, president of an electric company in Southfield and incoming CAM chairman.

"There's been discussion about GM selling plants to another automaker," Harlan said. "That would be an ideal situation to remodel."

The Birmingham School District is looking at the condition of its buildings, Raymond said, raising the prospect of renovations and construction jobs.

Some in the building industry also figure that the Clinton Administration will propose federal projects to stimulate the economy.

"There's certainly an agenda for urban reconstruction, housing," Vogel said. "Hopefully you will see that coming down, but with the deficit, I don't know."

Infrastructure projects go beyond the commonly perceived roads and bridges, said Curt E. Hacias, CAM president. "Infrastructure really includes a lot of public buildings, schools, hospitals," he said.

He forecast an increase in business on the order of 3 percent for state contractors this year.

"I hear banks might become more liberalized in lending," Rieger said. "As the new administration develops programs, eases money, gives public confidence, we'll see more work that actually starts."

But it can take up to 18 months from beginning a project to turning a profit, Harlan said.

"It's going to be a very competitive year for our industry," he said. "Detroit's been down. The thing about difficult times is it challenges you to become lean, more efficient, work with people, become more productive."

"With a lot of good times comes sloppiness and inefficiency. Sometimes, you need down times to shape up."



Construction forecasters: Curt E. Hacias, left, president of the Construction Association of Michigan, and Larry T. Raymond, president of the Construction Specifications Institute, both expect more activity in the building industry here this year.

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"Architecturally, what we're building is a big house, a big home, a funeral home," he said. "You want friendly, warm, open-heartedness."

## Different tacks

While Griffin's and McCabe's plans share many elements, they take slightly different approaches.

Griffin's single-story structure will contain three viewing rooms which can be expanded or contracted, a chapel, lounge, offices and restrooms over 11,000 square feet.

The chapel, which will seat 150, rises 22 feet above ground level and has some stained-glass windows.

The body preparation room and casket storage will be in the basement.

Unlike Griffin's first funeral home in Detroit and his current operation in Westland, there will be no residential living space above the business.

"I can't afford the extra \$175,000," said Larry Griffin, who pegged construction costs of the new Canton home at \$1.5 million.

McCabe plans a two-story structure of 12,000 square feet with living quarters upstairs at a cost of \$1.4 million.

Two large viewing rooms that can be subdivided, a lounge, and the preparation room will be on the first floor. An apartment, plus arrangement room and casket display, will be upstairs.

There is no basement. "A basement is so costly," McCabe said. "No one has told me yet what use it has except storage."

## Neighborhood reflection

It's important that funeral homes look like other buildings in the neighborhood for that homey atmosphere.

Griffin's exterior will be all brick with a gentle sloping roof, asphalt shingles and small windows. "The roof has the typical slope a ranch house would have," Root said.

Dryvit, expanded polystyrene covered by a hard plastic, manufactured stone, and a high roofline with asphalt shingles that look like shakes will grace McCabe's exterior.

"We felt with this type of style, Tudor, it would blend in and look good," said Richard Garofola, a funeral director who will be assigned to the new location. "Several subdivisions are going up in the area. This is the kind of house going up."

The immense size of funeral homes and public health regulations require many mechanical modifications.

Griffin's home, for instance, will have five furnaces and air conditioning units.

"If one shuts down, the whole building isn't shut down," Griffin

said. "And at some parts of the day, there may be viewing rooms we may not want to heat."

Special air exchangers, showers/eyewashes and plumbing installations required by law in the preparation room also raise construction costs.

Fireplaces, off the main entrances of both homes — Griffin will have a second one off the parking lot entrance — further convey a homey image.

Then there are things that people might never think about unless specifically pointed out to them.

Wide corridors and doors accommodate traffic flow and constant in-and-out movement. Ceilings are also higher in viewing rooms, 10 feet in Griffin's building.

"As room dimensions grow larger, they (ceilings) have to grow higher or it becomes tunnel-like," Root said.

Larger rooms, and in Griffin's case, a separate chapel, allow services to be conducted right on the premises.

"Not everyone belongs to a church," Griffin said. "Here, you can have funerals on Sunday and night funerals. People don't have to take time off work."

"We try to keep the windows in the chapel fairly high," Root said. "We don't want people sitting in the pews getting distracted and looking into the street."

McCabe pointed out the carpeting in a viewing room at his Farmington Hills funeral home.

"You're walking on something soft. People stand in funeral homes a long time so we use thicker padding," he said.

Interior designers and decorators provide other touches. An example — the table around which families make funeral arrangements at McCabe's is a regular dining room table because that's where most families share meals, discussion and make decisions, he said.

"The key to funeral home design is most people don't realize they move large amounts of people in and out in a short time," said Paul Shuler, McCabe's architect. "It takes a lot of open area."

Coordination of professional working space, often a tight fit, also is important, Shuler said.

The style of McCabe's building will escape the traditional colonial look of many funeral homes, Shuler said. "It's a little more residential, a little more inviting."

The challenge, Root agreed, "is really keeping it as warm, friendly and residential as you can and still accommodate a lot of people comfortably without making it feel like a commercial establishment."

# Household pollution a threat to health

(AP) — These days, pollution hits many people right where they live. According to Better Homes and Gardens magazine, today's snug, energy-efficient houses trap more and more toxins, sometimes causing them to rise to levels 10 to 100 times higher than the levels experienced outdoors.

Generally, household pollution is more a long-term threat to your health than an emergency. The major exception to this rule is household lead.

Here's what you need to know about some common indoor toxins, along with suggestions about how to lower their concentrations to safe levels:

■ **Making you sick?** Your house may be making you sick if you have nagging colds, fatigue, lingering headaches or allergies that mysteriously go away when you leave for a few days or when you open windows. Also, you may have health problems in the fu-

ture if the furnace malfunctions (carbon monoxide), if you remodel (lead in paint dust), if you have asbestos pipe insulation, or if your basement develops a crack through which radon seeps. The point is not to be alarmed, but to be informed and forewarned.

■ **Lead.** If you have young children, get the lead out when it comes to dealing with this extremely toxic chemical. Kids who take in even minute quantities of lead show signs of brain injury and reduced intelligence. Over time, lead poisoning can also lead to blindness and kidney damage.

The two most common sources of household lead pollution are drinking water and lead-based paint.

Last fall, a government study revealed excessive lead in the drinking water of homes in cities across the nation. The culprits in most cases were lead water pipes and lead-based solder used to join

water pipes. Lead solder was prohibited by federal law in 1988, but many homes and schools still have lead in pipes.

Lead-based paints pose a threat when they are peeling or chipping off, or when remodeling sends paint particles and scraps into the air. Construction dust gets into the soil or air and onto windowsills and floors — and into children's mouths. Even though the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission banned use of lead-based paints in homes in 1978, this kind of paint is still found in more than 50 million homes.

What to do? Your local health department or state environmental protection agency can tell you whether your home is at risk for lead. They can also point you toward reputable testing companies.

Complete removal of all sources

of lead isn't always practical. To minimize the problem:

■ **Keep a clean house.** Wet wipe windowsills with a phosphate detergent and regularly vacuum carpets.

■ **Leave your shoes outdoors** if your soil is contaminated, and take care to wash hands before eating. Removing old soil and hauling in new helps.

■ **Replace windows and doors** that are covered with peeling lead-based paints. That's often cheaper and safer than having the paint stripped.

■ **Run your water for a few minutes** before using to flush out lead. Use cold water for cooking; hot water picks up more lead.

■ **Check with state or local health officials** about low-interest loans or tax credits for lead abatement.

# Case out case goods for material content

(AP) — Turn on your sleuthing skills when you're searching for high quality case goods, including dressers, tables, cabinets, and beds. These nonupholstered pieces often contain materials other than wood, reports Better Homes and Gardens magazine, and the only way to know what you're looking at is to read hangtags carefully. Let the following definitions and tips help you find good quality furniture:

■ **Solid wood means** that all exposed surfaces on a piece are made from the wood named.

Other woods may be used on drawer sides and bottoms or in other unseen areas. Solid wood is a better choice than veneer for vulnerable surfaces such as heavily used tables and dressers because you can refinish solid wood repeatedly.

■ **Veneers do not necessarily denote** lesser quality. For centuries, furniture makers have faced less expensive woods (these days usually plywood) with thin sheets of decorative wood.

All-wood pieces can include components of plywood and com-

position board (particleboard and fiberboard).

■ **Laminates are a contemporary twist** on veneering. Similar to kitchen-counter material, furniture laminates get bonded to composition board. Veneers and laminates should be glued securely and cleanly to backings.

■ **Joints indicate the overall quality of construction.** Top-quality pieces will have drawers with dovetailed corners — interlocking sets of wedge-shaped "fingers."

Nails, screws, and staples can all give way over time, especially if a piece receives heavy use. Take out a drawer and examine the insides of a piece before you buy.

■ **Finishes are especially important** on dresser tops and tables where the surface may come in contact with perfumes, liquids, and other potentially damaging substances. A polyurethane finish is the most durable, but any finish should be smooth and even.

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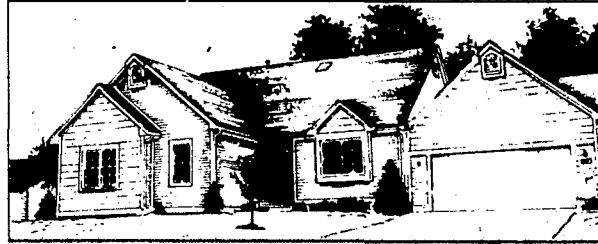
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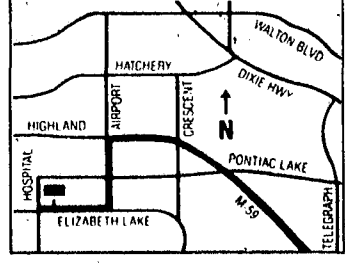


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# Moderate housing recovery buoys hopes of builders

AP — Sales of new homes, which tumbled during three years of economic weakness, jumped 19.4 percent in 1992, the steepest increase since the last recession ended nine years ago.

"Sales in each of the regions were up in double-digit terms," noted economist David F. Seiders of the National Association of Home Builders. "The market is coming together throughout the country."

The Departments of Commerce and Housing and Urban Development said sales totaled 608,000 last year, the most since 650,000 were sold in 1989. Sales fell to 534,000 in 1990 and to 509,000 in 1991.

The 509,000 pace was the slowest since 412,000 homes were sold in 1982, the final year of the previous recession.

Still, the 19.4 percent advance last year was moderate compared to many previous recoveries. Sales rebounded 51.2 percent in 1983, for instance.

The 1992 increase included a 6.3 percent gain in December, the first advance since September. Sales totaled 656,000 at a seasonally adjusted annual rate, up from a revised 617,000 rate a month earlier. The November total was initially estimated to have been 565,000.

Adren Cooper, a Commerce spokesman, said the department believes it has corrected problems experienced for more than a year in estimating sales and said initial reports now should more closely reflect market activity.

Analysts said they expected continued improvement in the housing market this year as mortgage rates remain relatively low and consumer confidence in the

## Sales stats

AP — The yearly totals of sales of new homes since 1982 as compiled by the Departments of Commerce and Housing and Urban Affairs:

- 1982 — 412,000.
- 1983 — 623,000.
- 1984 — 639,000.
- 1985 — 688,000.
- 1986 — 750,000.
- 1987 — 671,000.
- 1988 — 676,000.
- 1989 — 650,000.
- 1990 — 534,000.
- 1991 — 509,000.
- 1992 — 608,000.

economy rises.

Economists at Mitsubishi Bank in New York contended that "housing fundamentals have turned increasingly positive with low interest rates and high affordability, and it is only a matter of time before the sales pace should notch up to trend pace of about 675,000."

Seiders said the Home Builders also are forecasting 675,000 sales this year. That would be the highest level since 676,000 homes were sold in 1988.

He noted that the seasonally adjusted estimate of new homes for sale at the end of December was 276,000, representing a "slim" 5.1-month supply at the current sales pace which should encourage further building activity.

Fixed-rate, 30-year mortgages dropped to 7.86 percent by last Friday, the lowest since they averaged 7.84 percent during the week ended Sept. 11, according to the

Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.

The National Association of Realtors also attributed the low rates and improving consumer confidence for a 5-percent increase in sales of previously owned homes in December. The 4.02 million rate was the highest since a 4.09 million rate in May 1979.

The increase was the third straight and pushed sales of existing homes to 3.50 million last year, the highest since 3.51 million in 1988.

The median price of a new home edged up 0.1 percent to \$120,100 last year, held back in part by a sharp 9.2 percent drop in December, to \$117,000, from \$128,900 a month earlier. The median means that half of the homes cost more and half cost less.

Regionally, sales soared 24.7 percent in the Midwest, to 116,000, in 1992. In December, they were up 10.4 percent, to a 127,000 seasonally adjusted annual rate. The median price in 1992 was up 4.5 percent, to \$115,000.

Sales jumped 20 percent in the South, to 258,000, including a 9.8 percent advance in December to a 291,000 rate. The median price rose 4.9 percent, to \$104,900.

In the West, sales increased 17.4 percent to 169,000, although they fell 0.6 percent in December, to a 167,000 rate. The median price fell 8 percent, to \$130,000, reflecting continuing weakness in Southern California's economy.

Sales in the Northeast advanced 14 percent, to 65,000. They were unchanged in December at a 70,000 annual rate. The median price was up 8.4 percent, to \$169,000.



Rebound: Low mortgage interest rates coupled with growing consumer confidence are credited for the rise in new home sales.

# Home is where hazards are

AP — Home may be where the heart is, but for the elderly the home can be where hazards are.

To guard against slips and falls, loose rugs and mats should be tacked down or removed. Adding cushions to chairs can increase comfort and perhaps prevent bone and skin injuries. Buffering or removing sharp-edged furniture and countertops reduces the likelihood of accidental cuts and bruises.

Telephones should have important phone numbers programmed into them and posted nearby. For the elderly who may not be able to reach a phone, portable devices that alert a doctor or family member are available.

The bathroom is one of the most common sites of home injuries. Handrails can be installed at

the toilet seat and bath. If a wheelchair is used at home, also install a raised seat on the device as well as a raised toilet seat for ease of transfer. If the bath has a sliding door, ensure that the framing is strong. Some shower doors are of light construction and will collapse if grabbed with force.

In the bedroom, the level of the bed should be low for ease of entry and exit. In all rooms, ensure adequate lighting, especially on the nighttime pathway to the bathroom. It is also important to

maintain clear pathways throughout the house and set aside clutter such as newspapers and other items that can cause falls and injury.

The elderly may also need to change simple habits at home. For example, medications for the common problems of angina and depression can cause dizziness when a patient stands up quickly.

To guard against falls and dizziness, people on such medications must learn to make slow movements when getting up from a chair or out of bed.

# Home improvement shows on tap

Home improvement and home remodeling products will be showcased at two shows in the area.

The Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan is sponsoring the Crescent Lake Home Remodeling show Friday through Sunday at the Crescent Lake Racquet Club, M-59 and Crescent

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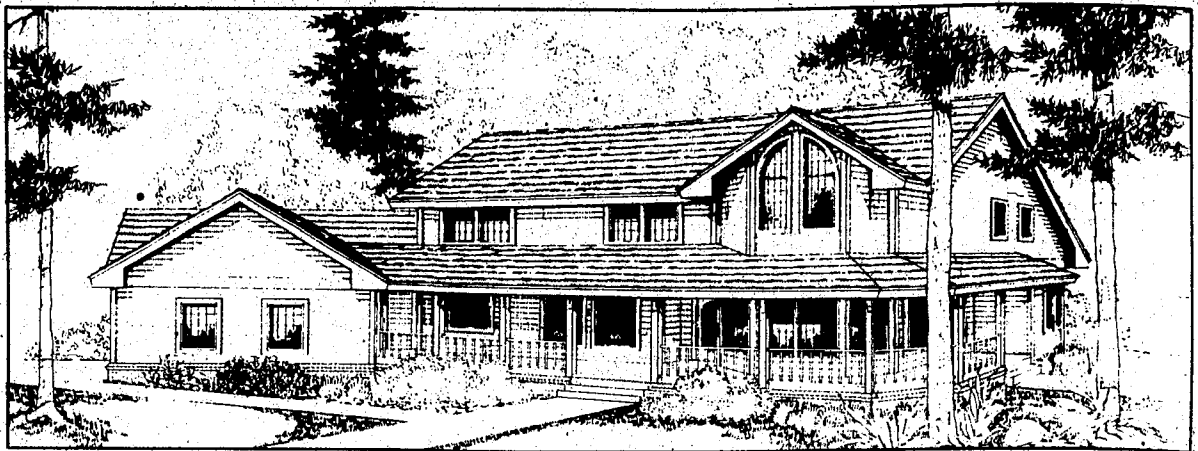
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Amenities in the laundry room include a deep sink, a fold-down ironing board and space for a sewing machine.

The kitchen and family room provide plenty of space for family activities. A work island with grill and vegetable sink provides additional counter space, and the walk-in pantry is large enough to store a summer's worth of home canning along with everyday staples. The eating nook is

brightened by an adjacent skylit sun room, accessible through French doors.

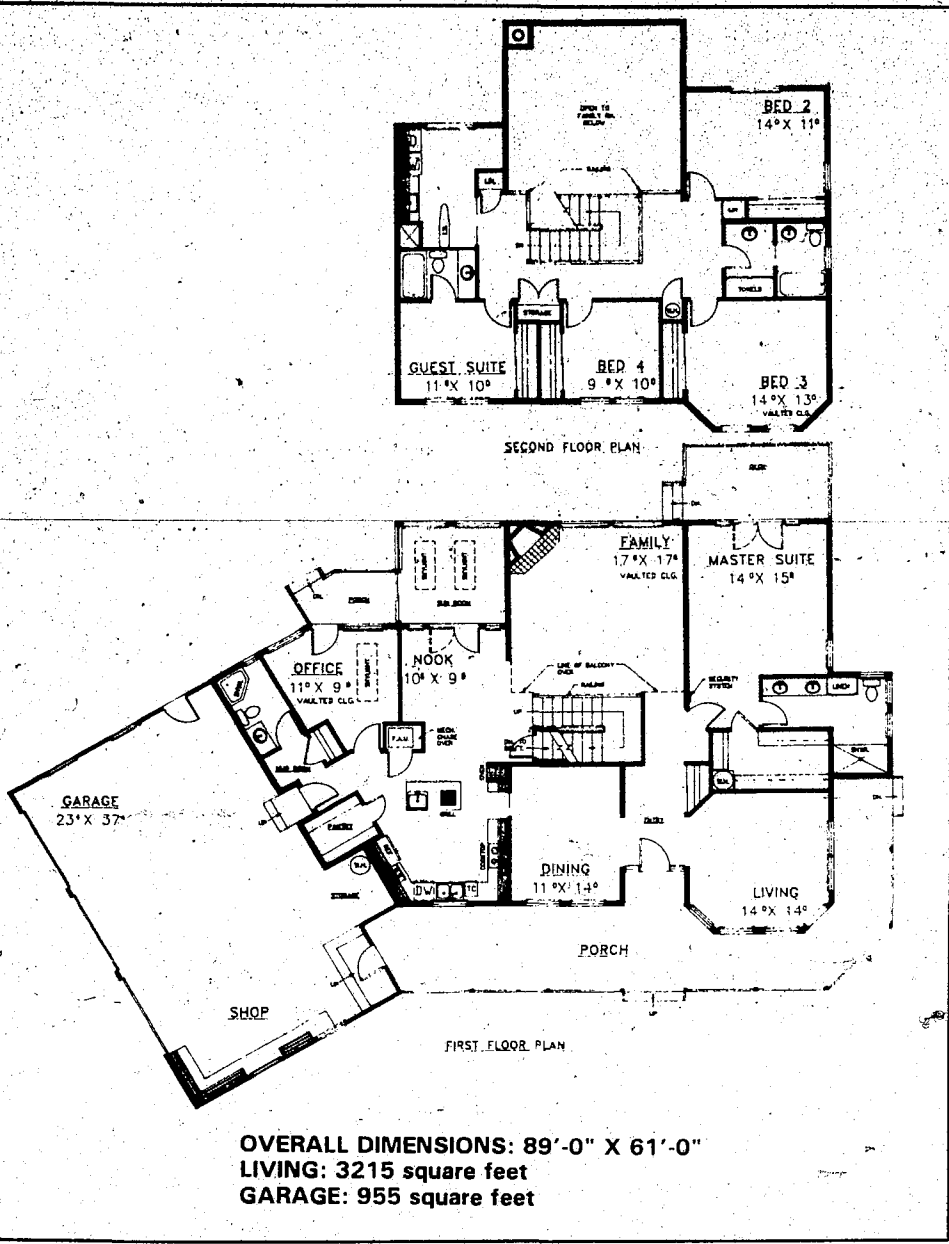
Windows fill most of the back wall of the family room, which is large enough to house a media center, couches and easy chairs. A fireplace with tiled hearth provides a focal point.

The dining room and living room face the street. Although rich in windows, the light is softened by the covered porch.

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For a study plan of the Manchester 2, plan 332-133, send \$7.50, including the plan name and number, to Landmark Designs, P.O. Box 2307, Eugene, OR, 97402.



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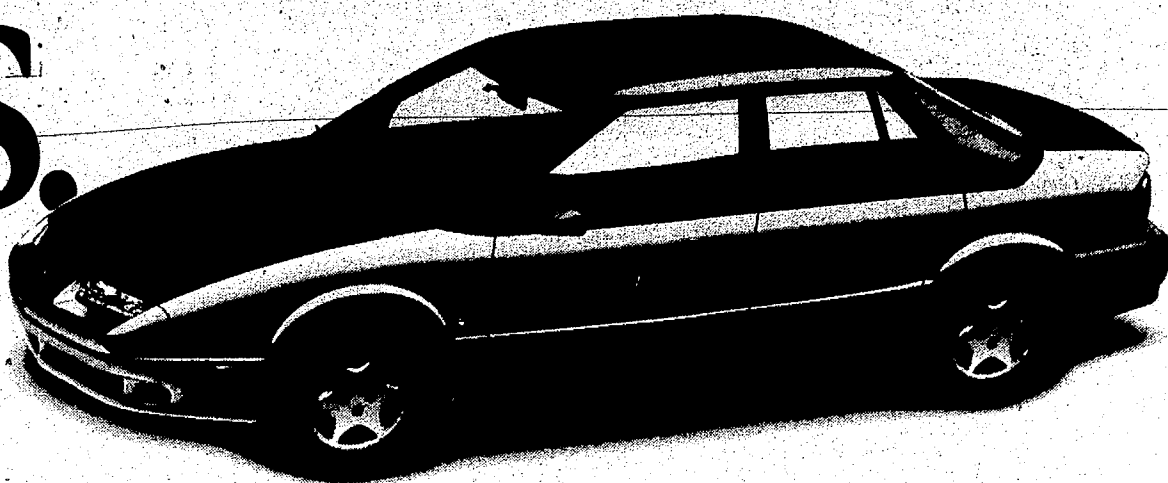
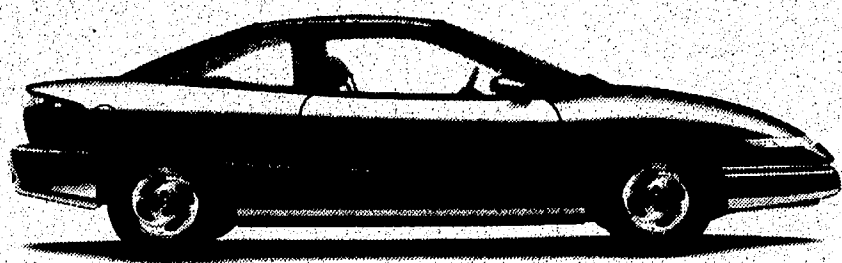
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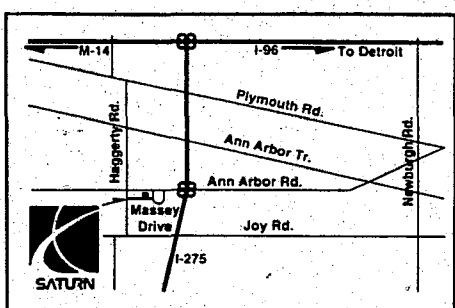
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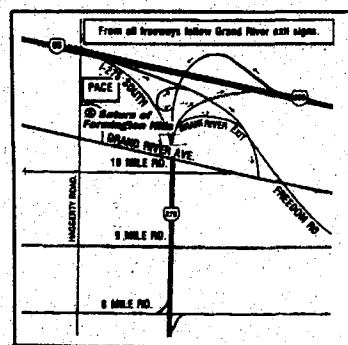
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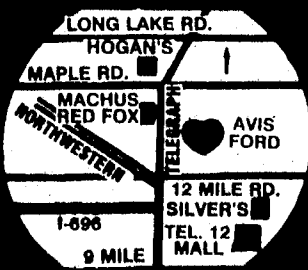
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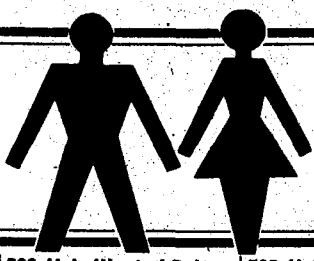
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White divorced male, 50, seeks someone for monogamous relationship who still enjoys flowers &amp; will take time to know somebody. 44988</p> <p><b>PROFESSIONAL, moral, never married</b> white male, 40, seeks relationship-minded female. Enjoy dinner, movies, plays, sports. 44458</p> <p><b>PROFESSIONAL and Artistic Single</b> Black Male, 32, 6'4", seeks a post-modern, creative intellectual, fun, 24-32 yr. old, relatively slim single female for possible relationship. 44954</p> <p><b>PROFESSIONAL,</b> single white male, brown hair &amp; eyes, 5'9", 160 lbs., physically fit, nice looking. Enjoys dancing, dining. Seeking single white female interested in fun, friendship. 44888</p> <p><b>QUITE ATTRACTIVE,</b> affectionate, single white male, 35, never married, 5'10", 165 lbs. Good sense of humor, emotionally &amp; spiritually deep, with college education &amp; good career. Seeking sincere, fun, trim female, age 21-36. 44957</p> <p><b>ROBINSON CRUSOE - tired</b> of years of loneliness. 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Seeks attractive, sincere, white female, 25-40, for friendship or more. 44854</p> <p><b>SINGLE</b> white, male, 36, seeking beautiful, handicapped ladies for friendships and relationships. 44953</p>	<p><b>620 Men Seeking Women</b></p> <p><b>HANDSOME,</b> professional white male, 5'10", 170 body building lbs. Successful, good looking, easy to get along with, professional, white body building female for friendship leading to relationship. 44175</p> <p><b>I'M TALL,</b> trim, easy going, hardworking, single, white male, 34, looking for attractive white female, 25-35, with positive attitude, who enjoys bicycling, skiing, reading, history, music, etc. Would like to travel to Europe. 44953</p> <p><b>MARRIED</b> very lonely white male seeks 26, older female 5'2", brown hair, hazel eyes. Please call at this time leave your phone number. 44966</p> <p><b>MODEL, X-Male Dancer,</b> 26 years, looking for wealthy, possibly older woman for good times. 44959</p> <p><b>My name is Jeff,</b> 24 years old, 5'9", 135 lbs, brown hair &amp; eyes, looking for a lady 18-25, tall like me, dancing, dining out &amp; other fun things. 44792</p> <p><b>NOT FOUND</b> in stores. White divorced male, 50, seeks someone for monogamous relationship who still enjoys flowers &amp; will take time to know somebody. 44988</p> <p><b>PROFESSIONAL, moral, never married</b> white male, 40, seeks relationship-minded female. Enjoy dinner, movies, plays, sports. 44458</p> <p><b>TALL, dark, &amp; handsome inside &amp; out,</b> white male, willing to devote time &amp; affection to a financially independent mature woman. I'm mid-40's, advanced degree, active in sports, non-smoker. Please be sincere. 44688</p> <p><b>TALL, single, white, good-looking</b> smoker, 7 yr. old son, 6'4", 200 lbs. 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Seeking attractive 42-54 yr. old intelligent white woman to share my life with. 44946</p> <p><b>YOUNG BLACK MALE</b> seeking female, size &amp; race no matter, for fun, dancing &amp; possible relationship. Friends first. 44856</p>	<p><b>620 Men Seeking Women</b></p> <p><b>SINGLE</b> Black Professional male, handsome, intelligent, fun, romantic, 25, seeking single female, 25-35, who enjoys travel, movies, 21-32 for friendship, love, relationship. Must be attractive &amp; professional. 44885</p> <p><b>SINGLE</b> white male, 22, good looking, 5'8", 161 lbs, blonde hair, brown eyes, health conscious. 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Non-smoker. 44887</p> <p><b>BRAINS &amp; BEAUTY - This</b> curvaceous, happy, model-type, 31, professional, spoiled, black female has a deep yearning to spend a lifeless life with an older, sincere, successful black male who wants a lady that he can truly trust and love. 44936</p> <p><b>CLASSY, vivacious, attractive</b> female seeks honest, single, white, male, non-smoker, 50-60, to share special moments, travel, family &amp; friends. Loves dancing, weekend get-aways, movies, etc. 44952</p> <p><b>CULTURED</b> black female, 39, 5'2", 125 lbs, seeking a cultured black male who enjoys concerts, dancing, dining, and travel to build a lasting friendship. 44680</p> <p><b>DIVORCED</b> white female seeks relationship with college educated, confident, financially secure male 35+. Must have positive attitude. Prefer 5'10" or taller, medium build, blonde/silver hair. 44831</p> <p><b>DOWN TO EARTH,</b> goodlooking, 38, single, black seeking tall, handsome, financially secure white male who is ready for a commitment starting with friendship. 44022</p> <p><b>HOW DO The Elite Meet?</b> 44827</p> <p><b>AFFECTIONATE - divorced</b> white female, 30, 5'8", 150 lbs of the beautiful, paragon, blue, brown, W. side, seeks masculine yet expressive foreign man, like to have fun, romance, cooking. 44053</p> <p><b>A LITTLE</b> Overweight; yet very attractive. I'm 27, warm, open minded to new things. If you're a European or foreign man, like to have fun all so we can meet 1 on 1. 44812</p> <p><b>ATTRACTIVE</b> Black career woman, 38, seeks a career man for totally monogamous, harmonious, Mr. &amp; Mrs. relationship. Race no barrier. 44667</p> <p><b>ATTRACTIVE</b> black female, single, looking for single black male, tall, handsome 30-40. Likes movies, quiet evenings, companionship &amp; fun. Seeking white non-smoking 35-45 male with similar interests. Friends first. 44898</p> <p><b>ATTRACTIVE,</b> dark-skinned female, 27, Weight/height proportionate. Honest &amp; sincere. Enjoys social dancing, movies, dining, travel, foreign &amp; night men. 44970</p> <p><b>ATTRACTIVE, Spiritual,</b> Black Female, 41, 5'3", trim, seeking relationship with professional 45-55 who loves life, God and people. All races considered beautiful. 44100</p> <p><b>ATTRACTIVE</b> white female, 21, 5'6", weight proportioned to height, tired of the bar scene, looking for single white male with similar interests. 44990</p> <p><b>BEAUTY, enchantment, spirituality,</b> attracts this divorced white female. Catholic, lovely, tall, no dependents. Seeking 30-45, fit/divorced white male 5'0-5'7", 5'10". 44811</p> <p><b>BLOND</b> professional, very attractive, 34, single parent. Seeking handsome, affectionate, financially secure, professional man for a serious relationship. 44869</p> <p><b>BRUNETTE, PROFESSIONAL,</b> single parent, 39, cert, warm personality seeks financially secure white male w/traditional values for friendship/possible relationship. 44857</p> <p><b>CUTE,</b> single black female, age 46, enjoys traveling, jogging, sporting events, music, quiet evenings. Looking for attractive gentleman with similar interests. 44685</p> <p><b>DIVORCED</b> white female, 38, 4'11", medium build, single mom, looking for adult friendship. Dearborn, MI. Likes movies, cooking, dining in or out. 44025</p> <p><b>DIVORCED</b> White Female seeks intelligent easy going friend between 40-50 yrs. of age. Enjoy golf, walking, movies &amp; conversation. Very understanding. 44013</p>	<p><b>621 Women Seeking Men</b></p> <p><b>PRETTY</b> divorced white female, professional, 46, 5'3", proportional weight, non-smoker, likes dancing, theater, travel, dining. Seeks 44-52, white male. No emotional cripples or cat lovers. 44955</p> <p><b>SEEKING</b> fit, heartful, single gentleman, 42-50, who seeks big beautiful female 47, 57, for friendship, companionship &amp; who knows. Maybe a 1-1 wonderful relationship. Only serious need reply. 44872</p> <p><b>SINCERE - affection</b> starved 39 white lady needs knight in shiny armor to rescue her. Talented, sense of humor. Non-smoker, loves classical music, theatre, travel. 44872</p> <p><b>SINGLE WHITE FEMALE,</b> 38, seeking white male 35-50, professional, non smoker/drinker. Likes animals, nature, long walks, quiet dinners, movie conversations &amp; travel. 44870</p> <p><b>SINGLE WHITE FEMALE,</b> 38, articulate, good sense of humor, active, seeks male counterpart with similar qualities for relationship, possibly marriage. 44878</p> <p><b>SINGLE WHITE FEMALE - Jennifer</b> 21, 5'4" a little overweight but cute, brown hair, hazel eyes, likes movies, bowling, dining out. Seeking white male between 20-25. 44055</p> <p><b>SINGLE</b> white female, 42, looking for male 35-45. My likes - funny movies, garage sales, auto races, spectator sports. Social drinker, friends first. 44082</p> <p><b>VIBRANT,</b> Petite, Bloomfield Hills divorced white female, 50ish, well educated, financially secure, intelligent &amp; cultural pursuit, world traveling &amp; boating. Interested in friendship, possibly relationship. Financially secure single white male with similar interests. 44897</p> <p><b>WANTED:</b> single, white male, 30-50, intelligent, mature, non-smoker, who's compassionate and loving. Attractive redhead, size in proportion to capacity to love. Friends first. 44907</p> <p><b>1993 RESOLUTION:</b> Find Mr. Right! Professional, 32, single white female, enjoys sports, traveling, theater, fireplaces, learning. Seeking an active, easygoing single guy. 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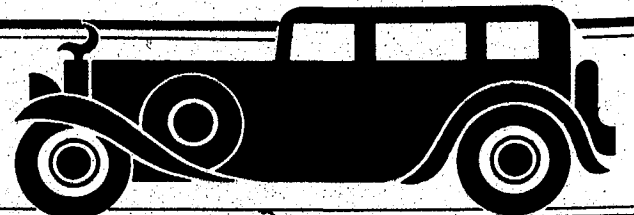
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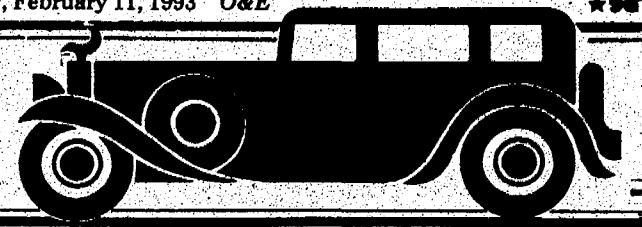
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# SUBURBAN LIFE

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1993

## FAMILY LIFE



EARTHA DEYAMPERT

## Children — they're funny people, too!

If you have young children, work with children, live near or come in contact with little people regularly or sporadically, I'm sure we can all agree that kids say and think the darnedest, funniest things. Adults, remember when you were a child or had a friend who did hilarious things? Maybe you remember making funny comments or observations that now you can share with your children and other family members and crack up laughing.

I remember as a child really thinking the expression "raining cats and dogs" literally meant cats and dogs could somehow rain. There I would be, peering through flowery kitchen curtains waiting for the first German shepherd, a dog I feared and respected, to land feet first on the sidewalk right in front of my house.

Then I remember hearing the expression, often used by aunts and uncles, "You can't beat that with a stick." My thoughts were beat what? Why was the stick special, not good enough or what? To "beat," I thought how painful for whatever it was that couldn't be beaten with a stick — maybe it took something more, as if the stick was inadequate or perhaps less.

See FAMILY ISSUES, 2C

## Care has special touch

■ Doris Bevington decided to make a switch two years ago. She traded in hospital nursing to work with terminally ill hospice patients. It's a radical change for her 7-11 shift, but it's work that the former acute care nurse enjoys.

ful. The first time I talked to her she told, 'I'm not afraid to die; I'm looking forward to it. Of course, I'll miss my family, but I'm not afraid to die.'

It's part of a typical day for Bevington who traded in the night shift for hospice. She had been aware of hospice when the family moved to Iowa 7 1/4 years earlier, but at the time most hospice jobs were volunteer positions. Bevington, a minister's wife, needed

gainful employment.

### Big change

But her hospital experiences prompted her to pursue hospice in earnest once back in Michigan.

"In a hospital, you don't have dignity when you're dying," she said. "In Iowa, I saw elderly patients with no quality of life and they would do ev-

See HOSPICE, 3C



BY SUE MASON  
STAFF WRITER



At first glance, one would think Doris Bevington is giving an ailing relative a loving hug.

But once you hear the questions posed to 72-year-old Lucille Szotts, you quickly realize that it's a far different relationship. Szotts is the patient; Bevington is her nurse. Szotts is terminally ill with cancer of the pancreas.

"The work is rewarding because you help people in their final days; you help them have some quality of life," Bevington said. "It's personal and professionally rewarding."

The Livonia resident has been a hospice nurse since May 1991 when she was hired by Angela Hospice Homecare. The work is a radical change from the more than 30 years she spent as an acute care nurse, working in hospital emergency rooms and medical and surgical floors.

Bevington has 11 patients she visits throughout the week, sometimes once a week, sometimes two-three times a week, depending on their conditions. Szotts is one of her newest patients. She was diagnosed with inoperable pancreatic cancer in November and given four to six months to live.

"Lucille is a beautiful lady," Bevington said while enroute to the Szotts' home in Livonia for a Tuesday morning visit. "She's very peace-



STAFF PHOTOS BY JIM JAGDELF

Friends, too: Doris Bevington provides nursing care for 72-year-old Lucille Szotts, who is terminally ill with cancer, but she has also developed a warm friendship with the Livonia resident.

## For rent

## Art comes with a lease

BY JULIE BROWN  
STAFF WRITER

Bare walls have met their match in Therese Gall. Gall serves with Sandra

Richards as co-chairwoman of the art rental gallery of the Plymouth Community Arts Council. The gallery, in operation since 1975, rents a variety

of art work for homes and offices.

It offers "the advantage of being able to change the look of your walls seasonally or to fit your mood." Renting in advance gives people an opportunity to see if they like a picture.

"It's like taking a picture home on approval. It's an inexpensive way to decorate your home or office," Gall said. "At \$5 a month, we still feel it's the best deal in town."

Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. every Wednesday, except near a major holiday. The gallery is housed upstairs at the Plymouth District Library, 223 S. Main in Plymouth. Miniature pictures rent for \$1 per month.

About 35 volunteers help to keep the gallery up and running. They help customers select art work, write receipts, answer phones and sell pictures.

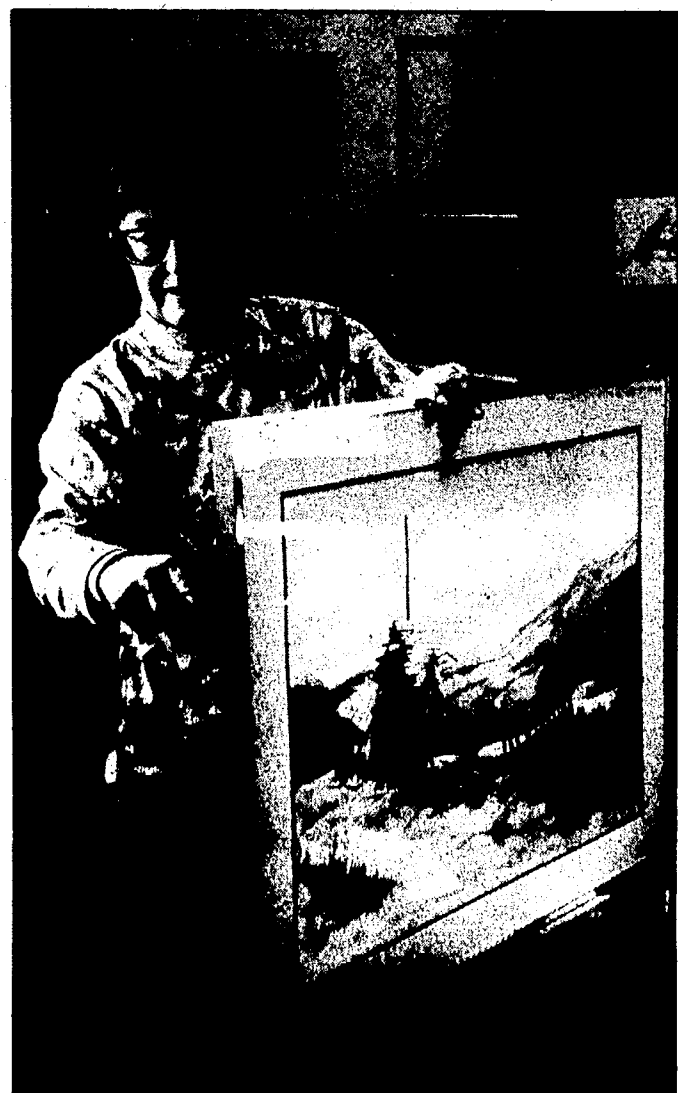
After art work is in the gallery for one year, it's priced for sale. "We have a lot of people who will rent and fall in love and wait a year until the picture's ready," Gall said. About 90 percent of the art work is from Michigan artists, and oils, acrylics and watercolors are included, along with limited edition prints.

Welcome Wagon passes out literature on the gallery. "We've had a lot of new people lately. They find that we're a wonderful alternative." Some are young married couples with the willingness to decorate but not the funds.

There are about 400 pictures in the collection, with about half out at any given time. The gallery has some 200 to 300 renters, some who live a distance away.

"We just had a lady from St. Clair Shores start renting."

For more information, call 459-0110 on Wednesday or 459-6896 at other times.



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In charge: Therese Gall of Plymouth Township is co-chairwoman of the art rental gallery operated by the Plymouth Community Arts Council.

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To give you insight into my background, I am 44 years of age and am right-handed. I

hope this letter provides enough information for you.

I will be looking forward to reading your views in the newspaper. Thank you for your insight. J.Z.

This is a rapid handwriting

with very few lead-in strokes on words. This suggests the fast thinker! Mental efficiency rides on her lines. Expediency often has a higher priority than perfection.

Pervasive throughout this handwriting is extreme sensitivity to any type of criticism. She is inclined to expect it at every encounter. This is undoubtedly the result of receiving too much criticism in the past. I bring this to her attention because it can have a very negative effect on the people around her.

In addition, she can be rather domineering at times. She would like others to jump at her bidding. She has learned how to maneuver to get what she wants.

My next statement may sound paradoxical but it is also an important part of her personality.

When it serves her purpose, she opts for the path of least resistance. Then she will accommodate herself to first one person and then another, often saying what the person wants to hear.

Compliments are like music to her sensitive ears. Never does she tire of hearing them.

Professional jealousy is alive and well in this handwriting. Seemingly, she feels she can do her work as well as, or perhaps better, than others. At the same time, she lives with some inferior feelings and appears to feel unappreciated at this particular time. Possibly no one is giving her the positive feedback she needs.

When we compare the large illegible signature to the remainder of her handwriting, we see she would like to be perceived as more

sophisticated than she inwardly feels.

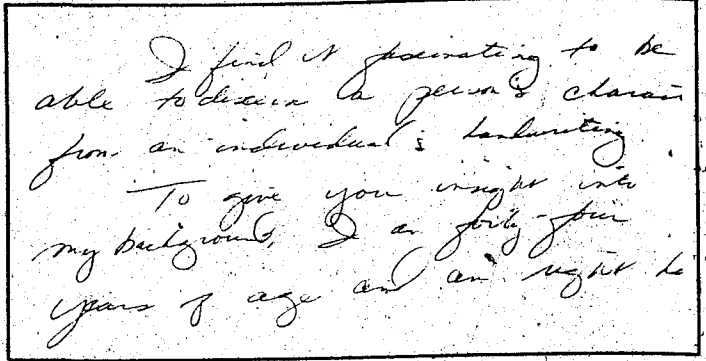
Her patience is rather easily strained. When irritated, she can be critical of self and others.

There is an element of restlessness here. She needs to be active. She appears to be searching for male acceptance she missed early in life.

Money and material acquisitions hold a high priority in our writer's value system.

Ostensibly, she is feeling a tad apprehensive about the future and what it holds. Although not entirely pleased with the present, she is making an effort to overcome the discouragement she is experiencing. I feel this is positive and commendable.

This very bright, versatile young woman may find it useful



to slow down and evaluate her life at this time.

If you would like to have your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist, at

36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Please use a full sheet of white, unlined paper, writing in the first person singular. Age, handedness and full signature are helpful. And objective feedback is always welcome.

## Family issues from page 1C

I'll never forget the time when a 4-year-old girl I was so fortunate to have enrolled in my new group day care home made an unsuccessful attempt to flee to the bathroom before she wet herself. It wasn't hard to track her movement prior to her arrival since she left a little wet trail.

When I thought the episode over, she jokingly yet assuringly came to me with her assessment of what had transpired. Through her eyes, she felt comfortable justifying what had happened, being it was out of character for her and, too, it was her way of explaining, more over, apologizing to me, just in case I wasn't smart enough to know "big girls" of four years might have an occasional accident.

Anyway, she said to straight forth, "Ms. Dey, that was a long juice, right?" She was satisfied to know that too much juice at snack time caused that silly accident — not her. From her perception, the wet trail she left behind was the

"long juice" — extending from Point A to Point B, the bathroom.

I later noticed her reluctance to drink juice. Since I'm an early childhood educator and understand "child logic," creativity and childlike processing of information, not to mention it has become a part of my own persona (it works that way after years of interacting and studying young children), I imagined this four-year-old seeing the juice cups as animated, smirking characters. Teasing as they were served to the other children... then to her.

I would like to invite readers to share funny stories about children. Let's hear about witty comments and responses to certain questions. You can ask questions to provoke children to think and respond with such creativity yet simple but clever child logic. Examples: Ask children how does the sun stay in the sky? What happens to the light in the refrigerator when the door is closed?

Why does Jell-O wiggle?

Send in the response of your child's or the response of your group of preschoolers through second graders by March 31. They'll be considered for an April column during the National Month of the Young Child. Include the child's first name only, age, city and the school or day care he/she is enrolled in.

Send your responses to Eartha DeYampert at The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. If you have a question or comment call 953-2047, mail box number 1883, on a touch tone phone.

## ANNIVERSARIES

### Al and Rose Cassar

Al and Rose Cassar of Dearborn Heights celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a surprise party given by their children at the Mountain Jack's Restaurant Jan. 2.

More than 40 friends and relatives, including their three grandchildren, were in attendance.

The Cassars exchanged vows on Jan. 14, 1943, at Holy Trinity Church in Corktown, while he was serving in the U.S. Army Air Corps. She is the former Rose Berg.



Rose and Al Cassar

### Spiro and Betty Avripas

Spiro and Betty "Babe" Avripas celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Jan. 23. She is the former Betty Hunt.

Both natives of Herrin, Ill., they observed the occasion with a dinner party. They delayed renewing their wedding vows until their minister returns from a trip overseas.

They are 30-year residents of old Rosedale Gardens in Livonia. They have one daughter, Sara.

## MAPP has a packet filled with 'message'

To ready area residents for National Condom Week, Feb. 14-21, (and just in time for Valentine's Day), the Midwest AIDS Prevention Project is offering a unique Condom Variety Pack.

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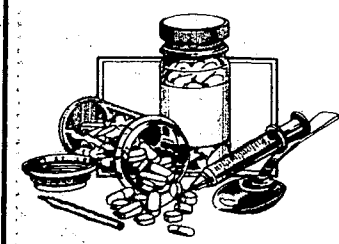
cost up to \$1 each in drug stores.

Besides saving money, proceeds will benefit MAPP, a non-profit organization which provides HIV/AIDS prevention and safer sex education for community groups throughout the state.

MAPP condom packs are available by sending a \$6 check or money order for each pack to 660 Livornois, Ferndale 48220, or by calling (800) MAPP-SOX.

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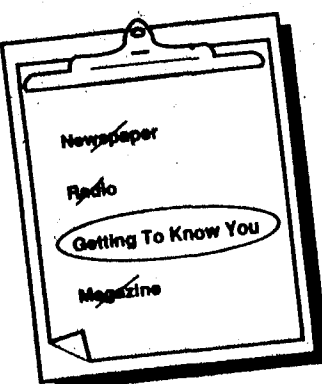
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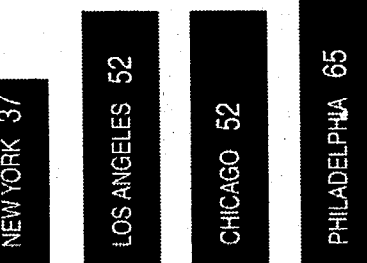
As the graph shows, suburbanites

comprise more than 72% of

Detroit's metro population.

In fact, the suburbs account for

85% of metro Detroit's



Percent of metro population in suburbs

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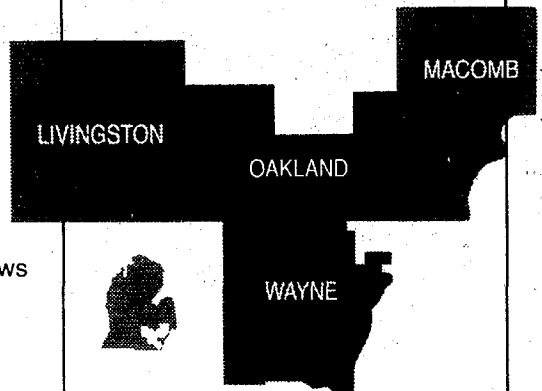
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# Hospice from page 1C

everything to keep them alive. When there's no quality of life, that's cruel."

Bevington pulls into the Szotts' driveway, crams a notebook in her purse and heads for the front door. She's met there by Szotts' husband Stanley who leads her to the family room where Lucille is ensconced in a hospital bed near the doorwall, watching a squirrel in the backyard.

Stanley uses the short trip to the back of the house to update Bevington on how his wife is doing with new medication to control dry heaves. "I think she's a little stronger. Those dry heaves took a lot out of her," he says.

Bevington drapes her coat over a chair and moves quickly to Lucille where she embraces the older woman and exchanges quiet pleasantries.

Lucille's disease came as a shock to the family. They had just celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary, when in need of new medicine for arthritis, she was shipped off to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor for tests.

"Before we took her to the hospital, everything she put in her mouth made her double up in pain," Stanley said, watching Bevington check his wife's heart rate and blood pressure. "We'd just celebrated our 50th anniversary on Nov. 17 and on Nov. 20 something she ended up in the hospital."

Doctors discovered a malignant tumor so large that it had closed off a gall bladder's bile duct, forcing the fluids to filter through her kidneys and liver. They couldn't remove the tumor, so a tube was attached to drain the bile to a container.

The surgery took five hours and was, according to Stanley, "the longest day of my life."

Before her illness, Lucille

helped care for her two sons 17 and 18 years her senior live at Abbington Manor in Wnd. Now, her brother, age 80, taken on the responsibility.

She admits being with her husband is a new, but experience. "He waits on and and foot," she says, with a smile at her husband. "He has a strong faith and "her b" in dealing with the disease."

"It all stems from having good husband," she said. "For years we've been buddies; he's going to turn on me now. I have no faith. I lost a baby three months old a long time ago. I felt, but then I thought there was a reason."

"God must have needed another angel," Bevington says, taking Lucille's hand.

While death and dying part of life, Bevington says it's hard to handle at times, especially when you get close to the family.

### 'We care'

"That's the unique; we show we care," she said. "Some families are hard to get closer to than others. Matter how hard you try, you can't get close, but sometimes just can't keep that professional distance."

Bevington recalls a young woman in her 40s who was terminally ill. She was the only one to visit and her husband let her in her inner circle. She was leaving on Christmas Eve. The young woman was doing poorly, so Bevington talked to them about impending death. It was so sad the couple didn't talk about it.

"She died on Christmas night with her family around her and her husband holding her," Bevington said. "I was I was



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**Close listen:** Nurse Doris Bevington checks Lucille Szotts' respiration as part of her visit to the cancer patient's Livonia home. Terminally ill, Szotts has chosen to spend her last days at home with her family.

gone when it happened. I'd gotten so attached to her."

She chases Stanley from the room to change Lucille's dressing and clean the tube. In the process, she checks on Lucille's medical supplies. It's part of her routine — assess the patient's condition

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Doris Bevington

"I think it means a lot to the family to know they're not alone," Bevington says. "They think we're the heroes, but really they're the heroes because they do a wonderful job of caring for their loved ones."

"They'll thank us for everything we've done, but they're the heroes."

Bevington is glad she made the change to hospice nursing. With a lighter caseload, she is able to give her patients "that extra care and be extra caring." She also has found her employer to be caring of her.

"There's no place where there's no problems, but this is a very caring, warm place to work," she said. "I'm glad I made the change. I don't think I'll ever go back to acute care nursing."

and make sure there's enough medication for a week.

Patches containing a synthetic narcotic control Lucille's pain, but there are also suppositories, antibiotics and anti-nausea medications that must be administered by Stanley when Bevington isn't there.

### Helped a lot

"Hospice has really helped us a

lot," Stanley says. "You've done a wonderful job."

"Nobody knows how dedicated you are," Lucille adds. Their comments draw a smile from Bevington and a bit of praise. "Stanley is doing a great job," she says.

Her work done, she gives Lucille another hug, puts on her coat and heads for the door. "That's OK, Stanley, I can show myself out."

## NEW VOIG

**ROBERT and CATHERINE ADSIT** of Plymouth announce the birth of **DANIEL ROBERT** Dec. 10 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Grandparents are Ray and Florine Adsit of Saline and Robert and Joan Totte of Ferrington Village, N.C. Daniel Robert has a brother, Matthew, 7, and a sister, Kelly, 4.

**HENRY and BARB BARRACO** of Livonia announce the birth of **KELSEY LYNNE** Oct. 5 at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn. Grandparents are Archie and Mary Lou Shifflet of Largo, Fla., and Frank and Rose Barraco of Lincoln Park.

**DAVID and JOY GUTOWSKI** of Canton announce the birth of **KIRSTEN ANN** Dec. 29 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

**GEARLD and DAWN UMERLIK** of Westland announce the birth of **KEVIN JAMES** Dec. 24 at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn. Grandparents are Gary and Pat Lehman and Eugene and Geraldine Umerlik all of Westland. Kevin has a brother, Keith Alexander, 3½.

**ERICH and LORNOHN-SON) TRAGER** of Belle announce the birth of **ALVIN NEILL** Dec. 19 at Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Grandparents are Ned Zola Johnson of Plymouth Kemp and Jeanette Trager of Canton. Calvin Neill has a sister, Riley Rachele, 3.

**MARTY and BAKOZYN** of Livonia announce the birth of **BRANDON JAMES** Dec. 17 at Providence Hospital in Southfield. Grandparents are Henry and Corry Kopf of Livonia and Ron and Rutencer of Clayton, Ga.

**NORBERT and KEN PAKULA** of Canton announce the birth of **PARKER ROBERT PAKULA** Dec. 11 at Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

**SCOTT and LISSA BADDER** of Wayne announce the birth of **BRYAN SCOTT** Jan. 9 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Dwight and Judith Klemcz of Wayne, Mary Badder of Wnd and Carl and Rita Badder of Houghton Lake. Bryan has a brother, Blake, 2.

**JOSEPH JR. and DAWN MAKOWSKI** of Plymouth announce the birth of **JOSEPH JAMES MAKOWSKI III** Dec. 28 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

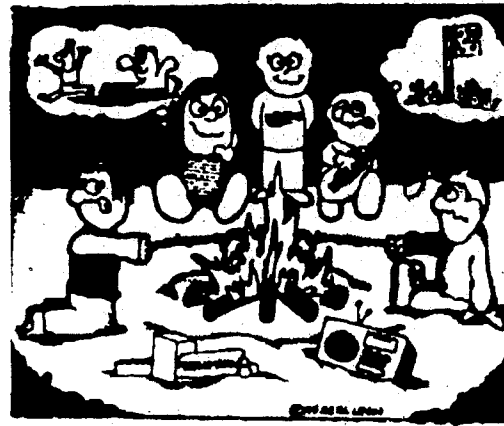
**RICHARD and SHERYL BRAUN** of Westland announce the birth of **NICHOLETTE ASHLEY** Jan. 9 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Diana Balluf of Canton, Walter Gibson of Dearborn and Joyce Braun of Westland.

**ANDREW and BETHANY KOPYSTYNSKY** of Plymouth Township announce the birth of **KRISTEN** Jan. 19 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. Grandparents are Bob Barham of Flint, Jane Barham of Saginaw and Joe and Sophia Kopystynsky of Parma, Ohio. She has an older brother, Nicholas, 21 months.

**KEVIN and CANDY FRAWLEY** of Canton announce the birth of **PATRICK JOSEPH** Dec. 22 at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia.

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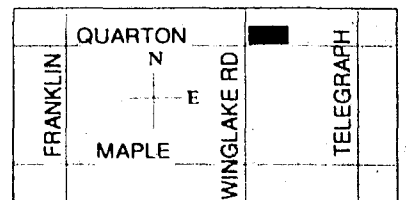


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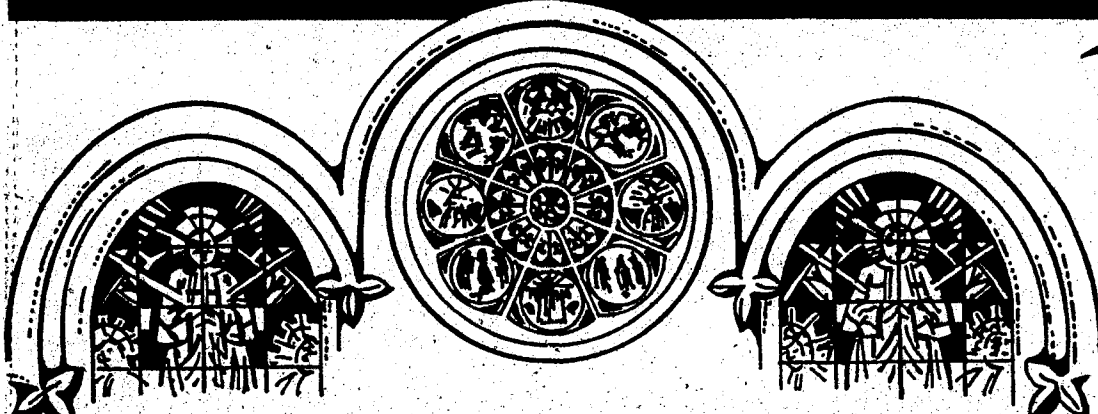
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RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the following Thursday's edition.

**BAHA'I DISCUSSION**  
"Why Should African-Americans become Baha'is?" will be the topic of a discussion at 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12, at the Detroit Baha'i Center, 17215 James Couzens, Detroit. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. For more information, call 442-2527 or 861-4125.

**VOYAGER SINGLES**  
Voyagers Singles, a group for people 45 years and older, will meet at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 12, at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile Road, Livonia. The guest speaker will be Linda Mlynarek, administrator of the Botsford Continuing Health Care, who will discuss choosing and arranging home health care, long-term care and skilled nursing services. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call 591-1350.

**CHURCH ACTIVITIES**  
The Ambassadors of St. James Presbyterian Church (formerly Village Presbyterian) will meet at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13, for an evening of reminiscence through pictures of past gatherings.

On Saturday, Feb. 20, the Pairs and Spares will meet at 7 p.m. at the church for an road rally. A men's prayer breakfast at 8 a.m. Wednesdays, followed by devotions and discussion.

Mid-week Lenten services will be at 7:30 p.m. in the McCalmont Chapel, beginning Ash Wednesday, Feb. 24. The services will continue through March 31. Lenten study and luncheon will be held following the 10 a.m. Sunday worship service, beginning Feb. 28.

St. James Church is at 25350 W. Six Mile Road, Redford. For more information, call 534-7730.

**MINI RETREAT**  
The United Methodist Women of Aldersgate Church will present their annual Mini Retreat 9 a.m. to 2:45 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 13, at the church, 10000 Beech Daly, Redford. Registration fee is \$10 and includes morning coffee and a luncheon.

Lois Van Wageningen, a noted conference speaker and Bible teacher, will deliver her message of hope and encouragement based on a theme of "United in Harmony." Music will be by Cheri Carlson who uses her alto voice to further her ministry with Youth Haven Ranches, which serves underprivileged and disadvantaged children in the state.

Reservations can be made by calling Glenna Webb at 471-4985 or the church office at 937-3170.

**PRAYER BREAKFAST**  
The Rev. Mark Brewer, senior pastor of Ward Presbyterian Church, and his wife Carolyn will be the guest speakers at a Valentine prayer breakfast at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 13, at the church, Farmington and Six Mile roads, Livonia. Women are invited to attend. There is no charge for the event. For more information, call 422-1826.

**'EYE OF THE STORM'**  
The Livonia Assembly of God will present the film, "Eye of the Storm," starring Connie Selleca, Jeff Conway and Deborah Tucker, at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, at the church, 33015 W. Seven Mile Road, Livonia. For more information, call the church at 471-5282 during business hours.

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY**  
Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church is offering an adult Bible study, "Transitions," dealing with the various stages of life. The study is at 9 a.m. Sundays, beginning Feb. 14. For more information, call 422-0494.

**HEART SUNDAY**  
Central Baptist Church invites people to bring those closest to their heart to the church at 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, for good food, fellowship and fun around the word of God. Heart Sunday will include a Hymn Sing with some old-fashioned special music. Central Baptist Church is at 11095 Haggerty Road, Plymouth.

**GAME NIGHT**  
Faith Community Church will have a Family Game Night at 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, at the church, 14560 Merriman Road, at Lyndon, Livonia. There will be laughter, games and fellowship. Bring a favorite snack to share. For more information, call Iris at 474-1332.

**GROWTH WORKSHOP**  
Single Place Ministries will offer a growth workshop, "Men and Women Relating Together," at 7

p.m. Sunday, Feb. 14, 21 and 28, at the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main St., Northville. Nick Berar will be the facilitator. Single Place also will be offering a growth workshop, "Co-Dependency," at 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 7, 14, 21 and 28 at the church. Ed Humenay will be the facilitator. There is a \$24 donation requested for each of the workshops. To register, call 349-0911.

**VALENTINE'S DAY**  
Several couples at St. John's Episcopal Church in Westland will celebrate Valentine's Day, Feb. 14, by renewing their wedding vows during a Congregation Wedding at the 10:30 a.m. service. The special service will be performed by the Rev. Raymond Zips.

**VEGAS NITE**  
St. John Bosco Church will have a Vegas Nite 6:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Friday and Saturday, Feb. 19-20, at the Sheltreau Hall on Beech Daly between Plymouth Road and I-96. Admission is \$1. There will be games of blackjack, roulette, dice and wheels as well as a 50/50 raffle every hour, food and beverages. For more information, call 255-4577 or 937-9690.

**YEAR OF THE CHILD**  
Throughout 1993, Unity of Livonia is celebrating the Year of the Child, a rededication to the spiritual advancement of children of all ages. The first major event will be a multi-media workshop, "The Joy-Filled Family," presented by Rev. Judi Venturini 2-4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 21.

Workshop activities include developing conscious parenting skills, tools for self-esteem, parenting style, improved communications skills, a family vision and family covenants. Individuals and families are welcome on a love offering basis.

Venturini also will speak at the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services that day. Unity of Livonia is at 28660 Five Mile Road, Livonia. For more information, call 421-1760.

**DINNER CARD PARTY**  
A dinner card party will be held 2-6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 21, at St. Theodore's Social Hall, 8200 Wayne Road, north of Warren Road, Westland. Cost is \$8. Bring your own cards or games. For more information, call 427-2638.

**MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**  
Couples with strong marriages can improve and deepen their relationship through a marriage encounter weekend. World Wide Marriage Encounter will have a marriage encounter weekend Friday through Sunday, Feb. 26-28. For more information, call 349-8195.

**DIVORCE RECOVERY**  
St. Paul Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile Road, west of Inkster Road, Livonia, is offering a divorce recovery program at 7 p.m. Wednesdays. The class is facilitated by two people who have been through the painful experience of divorce. They will help participants realize that there is "life after divorce." Cost for the course is \$10. For more information, call the church office at 422-1470.

**NEW MINISTRY**  
Neburg United Methodist Church is beginning a Stephen Ministry Series. The series involves lay people ministering to congregation members who are experiencing spiritual and life changing events. From this implementation, the church expects an increase in caring among its members and a more personal outreach in the community.

**A.C.T.I.O.N.**  
A.C.T.I.O.N. Ministries provides support and practical help for people who are unemployed or changing careers. Meeting are at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month at Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington and Six Mile roads, Livonia. Sessions are sponsored by the Congregational Care Ministry of Ward Presbyterian Church. For more information, call 422-1826.

**SUNDAY MORNING**  
Single Place Ministries holds a Sunday Morning Gathering 10-10:45 a.m. Sundays in the library/ lounge of the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main, Northville. The gathering is for Christian singles of all denominations as a time of fellowship, sharing and growing. The topic for February discussion is "quality friendships." For more information, call 349-0911.

**THOSE STUDY**  
Those interested in breakfast and informal Bible study can find both at 8 a.m. Saturdays at the Northville Crossing Restaurant, 18900 Northville Road, Northville. For more information, call 348-8576.

St. John Bosco takes on '90s look

BY DIANE HANSON  
SPECIAL WRITER

The altar, once distant and far removed from the people, has been drawn toward the center, the main focus for the eucharistic banquet. The communion rail, surrounding the altar of old like Fort Knox, has melted away into oblivion.

The choir, secluded in a loft at the back of the old church where they could be heard but not seen has emerged at a focal point near the altar where they can draw the congregation into a more active participation in the ministry of music.

And those old, hard wooden pews, lined up row after row, rigid as wooden soldiers, only permitting a view of the backs of heads have graciously given way to comfortably upholstered chairs in subtle and muted shades of blue and mauve. The chairs can be arranged in a semi-circle to surround the altar, so a side glance within the peripheral line of vision reveals faces of fellow parishioners.

That's how some of the older Catholic churches in the Detroit Archdiocese have "moved" into the 1990s. St. John Bosco on Beech Daly Road in Redford celebrated the re-dedication of their renovated church on Jan. 31, presided over by Archbishop Adam J. Maida.

"There have been some architectural directives on how to design churches to match the Vatican II theology," said the Rev. Richard Osebold, pastor of St. John Bosco.

The first Mass was celebrated in the church by founding pastor the Rev. Leo Sheltreau on Christmas Day 1957. A school was opened in 1962 and a convent was added near the end of the '60s which is now used as a rectory.

Osebold has been pastor at St. John's for 8½ years and it was obvious to him that there were problems that needed correcting and that the building was showing its age.

Studying problem

A building committee, formed six years ago, studied architectural principles issued by American bishops and visited churches to see what other communities have done to remodel their worship facilities.

They hired the architectural firm of Merritt/McCallum/Cieslak of Farmington, which remodeled other area churches, including St. Edith in Livonia and



New look: The baptismal font, once near the altar, has been moved to the entrance and upholstered chairs have replaced wooden pews at St. John Bosco.



PHOTO BY DIANE HANSON

Rededication rite: Archbishop Adam Maida (center) presides at the rededication of St. John Bosco Church will be Deacon Ric Misiak, the Rev. Kean Cronin, pastor of St. Genevieve Church and vicar of the Northwest Wayne Vicariate, the Rev. Michael Kundrat, retired pastor of St. John Bosco, and the Rev. Richard Osebold, current pastor.

St. Gerald in Farmington.

"The idea is to bring the altar down to be more in the community," said Osebold. "To bring the people closer to the altar. To make some provisions in seating rather than have one row behind the other. To provide a more circular fashion to give people a better feeling that they are in there with others, not just as spectators. That they are to participate actively in the liturgy."

"Also, to bring the choir down into the community rather than have them up in a loft."

The new design provides for barrier-free access, handicapped seating with armchairs in the front and a ramp to the altar to allow everyone to participate in the liturgy.

Another addition was a eucharistic chapel with a seating capacity of 40 "to celebrate Mass for a smaller group in a more intimate arrangement," again trying to create some of the same atmosphere having the chairs circled around the altar, Osebold said.

Maida believes the altar focal point is paramount in the redesign of the churches.

"The way the church has been redone brings the community closer together with a great focus on the altar which signifies Christ," he said. "As Christ then becomes the center of the community and becomes the center of everyone's life, then there is peace

and joy and that's how the whole environment of the church is supposed to affect us as individuals, as a community and as a parish."

Delcor Construction Co. of Milford completed the construction in time for Osebold to celebrate the first Mass in the new church on Christmas Day 1992, exactly 35 years after the first Mass was celebrated at St. John Bosco.

Getting smaller

After a four-year study, taking into account attendance and with the census currently at 750 to 800 families, the decision was made to downsize the church from a seating capacity of 550 to 351 with a choir area of 25.

"We didn't need that number," said Osebold, "so we planned the space to give a more homey, togetherness look and not a lot of empty spaces. We like to say we 'right-sized' it."

Some of the "extra" space was utilized for a very bright, sizable gathering space as opposed to just the vestibule.

"I think the community aspect needs to be developed and this is one of the means to do this," said Osebold.

He has found that the larger gathering area has been very conducive to socializing and talking with one another — "They're even talking in church."

While all new furnishings were part of the \$400,000 renovation costs, parts of the original building were maintained. One of the most notable is the beautiful wooden ceiling.

"The idea was to highlight that because we felt it was one of the strengths of the old building," said Osebold.

Parts of the communion rail have also been incorporated in the shrine area and they have maintained the statues. The old tabernacle was refinished and a second door was added to the other side so that it could be accessed from either the main church or the eucharistic chapel. The original altar also has been made smaller for use in the chapel.

While the old wooden pews have made way for cushy upholstered chairs, each of those chairs still has a kneeler on the back.

"We wanted to preserve some of the traditions of the parish," Osebold said. "We did that by compromising with chairs which al-

lowed us to create a circular seating pattern and yet we preserved the idea of having kneelers."

State of flux

Maida believes "we are in a state of flux or change. It's a period of experimentation or growth for development." He pointed out that some parishes prefer standing while others prefer to use the kneelers.

"I haven't issued any directive," Maida said. "We'll just see how things go. I pretty much leave it up to the local parish and people as to how they feel most comfortable, how they can adapt the most prayerful posture and attitude that will help them in their worship."

"It's not one of those things that's to the core of our faith like the eucharist. I wouldn't want to make such a big issue out of it so you alienate people. We have options now."

According to Osebold, the goal of the renovation was "to make us more conscious of our active participation in the liturgy. The structure and the arrangement is meant to convey that. Also to give the people a feeling of warmth, comfortableness, of community spirit, to help them be drawn more closely into the action of the Mass."

It seems that goal has been realized by the vast majority of the parishioners.

"There have been so many compliments and words of praise from all ages of people," Osebold said. "It's an impressive, beautiful-looking church. Most people are impressed and happy with it."

According to Maida, renovations are necessary to reflect the changing times and needs within the worshipping community.

"With Vatican II, there were many changes that were taking place within the church," he said. "In our time, we are moving in a fast-paced society so that when we look at our worship and how we worship and how we come together as a church, we have to reflect what's happening within our church and our culture and our society and our community."

"We need to update it from time to time. When it comes to church architectures it has to be updated and renewed to reflect the changes that have taken place and just how we are going to be worshipping into the future."

We need to know sex's place in life

MORAL PERSPECTIVES



REV. ROBERT SCHADEN

Tune in any talk show in America in the past few weeks and a major topic of discussion has been whether gays should be allowed in the military. I do not intend to argue here for either side of that issue. However, I do wonder whether the sexually schizophrenic society that we seem to be can intelligently argue the issue with any degree of grace or credibility.

Even a cursory glance at our societal psyche would suggest that we attempt to run in opposite directions at the same time. On the one hand, we decry pornography and a lack of values as sexually wild. On the other hand, we think nothing of selling jeans by advertising derrieres. Often the same people who say "amen" to the preaching against sexual irreverence in a building on one corner are buying it in one form or

another in a building on another corner.

The same society that looks askance at a child exploring his or her genitals out of healthy curiosity has no problem at all satisfying their own morbid curiosity about what goes on behind the closed doors of other adults. While we attempt to teach the young to respect themselves, we continue to pay for the cable companies to let it all hang out in family rooms.

One reason that comedians are expected to spice up their acts with juvenile sexual content is that audiences are looking for some place to drain off the underlying doubts and anxiety they feel in regard to their own sexuality.

So we nervously laugh our sides out in front of the late night stand-up, and then a few hours later write a different script for the teenagers whose curiosity brings us to near panic. In one area we talk about sex and commitment, while in another we pass out condoms like gumdrops with the illusion of total protection.

We decry the lack of sexual val-

ues in families and society but become paranoid over the possibility of teaching values along with biology in the sex education offered in our schools.

It may be that we need a scapegoat for our problems with sexuality, and gays fill the bill as well as anyone. I do wonder whether the gay issue would be the problem it is if we were halfway comfortable with sexuality in general.

Would sexual orientation be the volatile issue that it is if we were not as obsessed with sex as we are? Obsession with anything is as alive and well in those who are constantly decrying it as it is among those who are forever exploiting it. The person with the sign screaming against sexual anything is often the flip side of the person for whom it is nothing more than an indoor sport with more long-term losers than winners.

The issue at hand is not nearly so much whether citizens who happen to be homosexually oriented should be allowed to serve in the military. The issue is, how do we come to grips with and integrate our sexuality into the gift

of life that is ours to live? The issue is whether we can come to accept our own sexuality with its confusions, its power, its volatile nature and its marvel.

Can we accept the desires we own without allowing them to own us? Can we be grateful for what we are rather than comparing ourselves to the illusory model we have created for ourselves?

Can we come to understand the dignity that each of us has regardless of our orientation, rather than throwing all our energy into putting down those we do not understand because that is so much easier than getting on with the work of understanding ourselves?

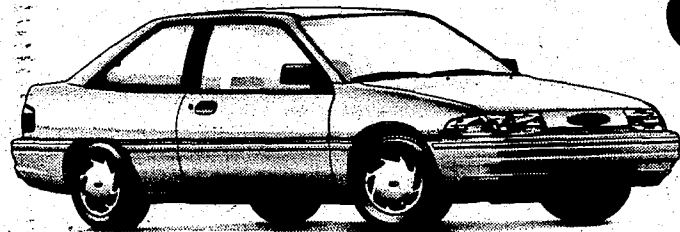
Homosexuality will forever be a problem until we can look sexuality in the eye and know its place in life for everyone.

Rev. Robert Schaden is with Neuman House on the campus of Schoolcraft College in Livonia. If you have a question or comment, call him at 963-2047, mail box number 1876, on a touch-one phone.

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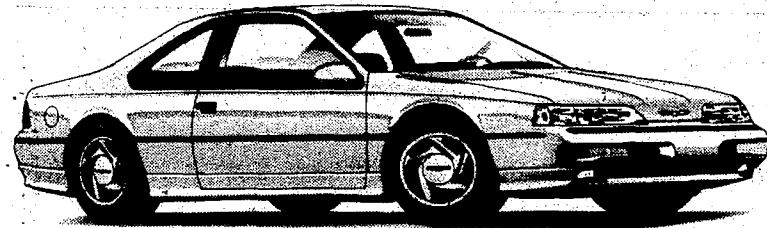
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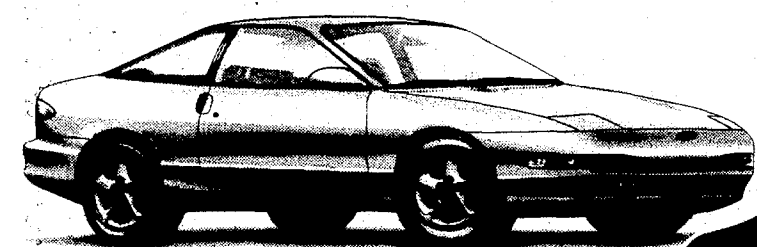
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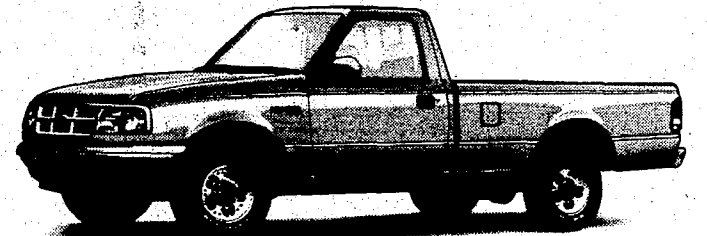
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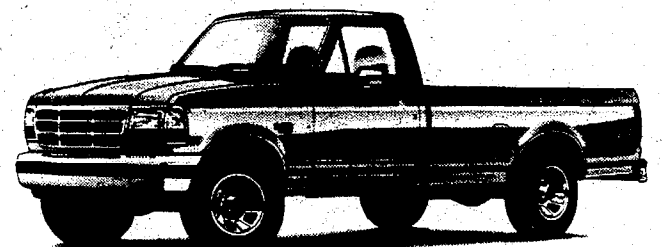
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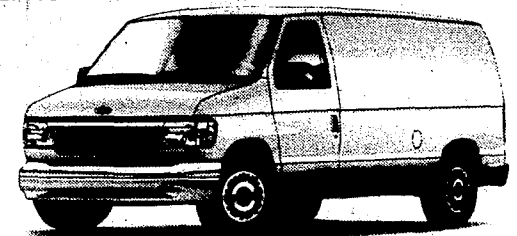
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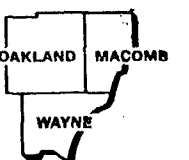
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